The Transcript.

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SATURDAY, JULY 16, 1904.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Toy Balloon Caused Fire.—A toy balloon sent up at Betterton last Friday night is said to have caused the fire that destroyed the barn and outbuildings on the Catt estate in the first district of Cecil county. The loss is estimated at $2500.

Notice to Legatees.—Mr. Jas. E. Morris, Register of Wills of Kent county, gives notice to the legatees of the late Christopher Wilkinson to meet at the office of the Register, Chestertown, Tuesday, August 30, 1904, to receive their legacies. The advertisement will be found on this page.

New Susquehanna Bridge.—The Pennsylvania Railroad has awarded the contract for the steel superstructure for the new double track bridge across the Susquehanna River at Havre de Grace to the American bridge Co. and the Pennsylvania Steel Co. Each corporation will construct and erect one-half of the superstructive, and the contract stipulates that the work shall be completed within a year. The new bridge will contain 17 spans and a draw.

An Historic Relic.—Mrs. Rollison, of Chestertown, widow of the late H.M. Rollison, has in her possession a very interesting medal given to her husband by the United States government for proficiency in target practice. The medal is hammered from a Spanish silver dollar. On one side is the following inscription: "Anniversary of the Battle of Caulk's Field, fought Aug. 31, 1814." On the reverse side appears these words: "Awarded to H. M. Rollison, of the Mechanical Wayne Corps, for superior skill at target practice, 1837." The medal was made by a jeweler in Chestertown at the time, but whose name has been forgotten. It is now on exhibition in Mr. J. H. Sides' jewelry store window.

A Fine Horse.—Mr. C. H. B. Massey, of Chestertown, is the owner of one of the finest horses in the State. His name is Adversity and is being handled at present by Mr. Wilton Greenway. Adversity was recently driving at the Gentleman's Driving Park, Baltimore, by Mr. Greenway to beat 2.30¼. One of the city papers has this to say in regard to the performance: "Second—Wiltons Greenway's b.s. Adversity, by Marvelous; to beat a mile record of 2.30¼. Time made, first quarter, 37 seconds; second, 1.13; third, 1.50; mile 2.27½. Adversity never lifted his head; he could have trotted the mile faster, but Mr. Greenway was only driving to beat 2.30¼, and this he did easily. Adversty is by Marvelous, the sire of some of the best race horses in the State.

State Teachers' Association.—The annual State Teachers' Association has been in session during the week at Ocean City, Md., beginning on Wednesday. Many of the prominent educators of the State have been in attendance, and many topics of an educational interest have been ably discussed. Gov. Edwin Warfield was present during the session, and not only delivered a fine address, but took a lively interest in all of the proceedings. Dr. James W. Cain, President of Washington College, was present as chairman of the committee on modern languages and delivered an address. The convention closed last evening with a stirring address by Rev. Dr. T. H. Lewis, President of Western Maryland College. County Superintendent Joseph Peterson was unable to attend owing to the teachers' examinations which he has been conducting during the week.

Little Girl Lost.—Considerable excitement was crated on the streets of Chestertown on Saturday evening about 8 o'clock by the report that Margaret, the interesting little two year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Wright, who live at the Queen Anne's end of Chester bridge, had been lost. Diligent search was made for the little one on the street, and when the efforts of the anxious parents and their friends failed to find her, it was feared that she might have fallen overboard and been drowned. Lanterns were procured and search was made everywhere. Mr. Staats, who was in the searching party, and who was well aquainted with Margaret, happened to think of the front porch of the little girl's home, under which he had seen her play with her dollies, and with his lantern began to explore the premises. To the joy of the parents and all who joined in the search, little Margaret was found tucked away under the porch fast asleep. The little girl had been accustomed to playing under the porch with her dolls, and it is thought that she had been there during the evening and becoming tired had fallen asleep. Her discovery was a great relief to her parents.

Wheat Yield is Good.

Additional wheat yields have been reported during the week, and from all sections of the county reports indicate a much better yield than was anticipated. Among those who have threshed during the week are:

Mr. Isaac Gibbs, not finished threshing but will get from 27 to 30 bushels to the acre.

Mr. Matthews, near Golt's, got 81 bushels out of four loads of wheat—an excellent yield.

Mr. Wm. T. Baxter, near Hibernia, 30 bushels to the acre from one of his fields.

Mr. John Clendaniel got 3000 bushels, acreage not given.

Mr. Atwell, on the Hermitage, owned by Col. Wm. J. Vannort, got 25 bushels to the acre from 100 acres.

Mr. John Bell, near town, got 25 bushels per acre.

Mr. Joseph Howard, near Still Pond, got 21 bus. per acre.

Mr. Charles Brown, on R. D. Hynson's farm, threshed 28 bus. to the acre on one field and 26 on another.

Mr. Robert Hatcherson got 23 bushels to the acre.

Mr. Charles Crew got 15 bus. per acre.

Mr. Al. Crouch got 15 bus. per acre.

Mr. Edward Robinson, on Hope H. Barroll's farm, got 27 bus. per acre on fallow and 19 bus. on corn ground.

Milton Maslin got 20½ bus. to the acre.

Wm. E. DeFord got the largest yield we have heard yet, 37 bus. to the acre.

LITTLE LOCALS.

*†*Spring chickens are scarce in the local market.

*†*Mr. Lewin U. Skirven has one of the finest fields of corn in the county. Much of it is now in tassel.

*†*Hotel Rolph, at Easton, has been closed by its proprietor because of his inability to secure waiters and cooks.

*†*The Hotel Voshell hack looks very neat and attractive in its new dress of paint furnished by Chapman & Lambert.

*†*Mr. Elwood Baker is painting the Frazier house on corner of Mill and Calvert streets, with Carrara paint, sold by Joseph Guest.

*†*Fishing off Chester bridge is getting better every day, and those who love the sport are taking advantage of it. Bait is also plentiful.

*†*Mr. John Gale Usilton has harvested one of the finest crops of timothy hay we have seen this season. The hay is clean and splendidly cured.

*†*The commercial college about to be opened by Prof. J. S. W. Jones, will not be opened because of the failure to secure the required number of students to make it a success.

*†*A thief broke into the store of Messrs. Elliott & Malin, corner Calvert street and College avenue, on Monday night and secured 36 cents in money and some cigars.

*†*The first new wheat of the season was shipped to Baltimore this week on steamer Corsica. It belonged to Messrs. Frank Gilpin, James D. Jamar and Jacob Willis.

*†*State Veterinarian G. Allen Jarman vaccinated several fine rabbit pups one day this week belonging to Mr. J. E. Ferguson. The vaccination was to prevent distemper.

*†*The first home-grown peaches were in market on Monday. They were of the "Alexander" variety of early fruit, and sold for one cent apiece. They were about the size of English walnuts.

*†*A team driven by Mrs. Wilbur Eliason was in collision with another team near town on Saturday night. No serious damage was done, and Mrs. Eliason escaped with a few slight bruises.

*†*It is reported that Prof. Henry Emerson Adams, for some years principal of the St. Michaels High School, has been offered the principalship of the Centreville High School made vacant by the resignation of Prof. McBee.

*†*The Casino recently erected at Betterton by Mr. James Crew to be run in connection with the Betterton House, began operation this week under the management of Messrs. Littleton Crew and Emmet F. Hitch.

*†*The boys of the town find much sport in swimming in Chester river at the foot of High street every evening after supper. Bathing parties even among the ladies are becoming quite numerous nowadays.

"The First Prayer" will be the subject at Westminster Presbyterian Church at 10.30 A. M., and at Grace Presbyterian Church at 3 P. M. and at Worton Presbyterian Church at 8 P.M., to-morrow, Sunday, July 17th.

*†*There was another fist fight on one of the prominent corners up town on Sunday afternoon. This is the second fight in that section of the town in as many weeks, and we are sure that the residents would thank the officers of the town for putting a stop to it.

*†*A prominent citizen of Chestertown told us the other day that expressman Matthews has secured a new delivery wagon, in order that the old one might be sent to Centreville where there has been heretofore no delivery wagon. That's one on Centreville, sure.

*†*Several hogs belonging to Mr. Bramble, who tenants the Tolchester farm, while grazing on the bayshore on Monday, found some hog fish that had been washed up on the shore, and ate them. The fish bones lodged in the throats of six of the hogs and they died from the effects thereof.

*†*There has been on display during the week in Wilbur W. Hubbard's office several stalks of the largest corn we have seen this summer. It was taken from the fine field of corn on "Kentmere," Mr. Wm. G. Evans' home, near town, and was assisted in its growth by Wilbur W. Hubbard's celebrated brand of fertilizer—"The Peerless."

*†*Constable Charles L. Gill has entered suit against the Chestertown Electric Light Company, claiming $5,000 damages for injuries sustained by the falling of a piece of iron from an electric light pole on Maple avenue some weeks ago. H. W. Vickers, Esq., is attorney for Mr. Gill.

*†*Quite a number of Millington people were in town on Tuesday when the news of the Millington conflagration reached here. Dr. F. A. Walls left town at five o'clock at a rapid pace, and covered the distance to Millington in less than two hours. He found the post-office and his dwelling burned.

*†*Lightning struck the granary on the Snitcher farm in Queen Anne's tenanted by Mr. Ivanhoe Willis, tearing out one corner. The bolt set fire to the granary, but a gentleman who makes his home with Mr. Willis, succeeded in putting the fire out, thus saving the outbuildings and dwelling from destruction. There was no insurance.

*†*The two Methodist Sunday schools of the town enjoyed a day at Queenstown this week. The picnicers were charmed with the hospitality of Mrs. Davidson, proprietress of Hotel Bolingly. She and her attendant, Miss Cecelia Clements did every thing in their power to make the people comfortable, and served a most excellent meal in splendid style to those who did not carry their baskets. M. E. Sunday school carried 255 and the M. P. Sunday school carried 285.

*†*The Auditing Committee, composed of Messrs. Thos. W. Skirven, J. F. M. Woodall and Wilbur Eliason, who were appointed by the Circuit Court, have been at work during the week examining carefully the accounts of the Board of County Commissioners. The report of the Committee will be published as soon as their work is completed.

Funeral of Rev. J. B. Merritt.

The funeral of the late Rev. J. B. Merritt, D. D., took place on Monday afternoon. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Habbart, of Fairlee. Interment at Shrewsbury. Wm. H. Krusen funeral director.

CHURCH NOTES.

Great preparations are being made for the National Christian Endeavor Convention wich will meet in Baltimore in 1905. It is expected that 40,000 delegates from all parts of the world will be present and those in charge of the preparations are making an effort to make this the best convention in the history of the Society. The Fifth Regiment Armory will be used as a Convention Hall.

The Annual County Convention of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor will be held in Christ M. P. Church, Chestertown, on Thursday, July 28th. The County Executive committee have been engaged arranging a programme that promises to afford much instruction and religious benefit. The following speakers from a distance have been engaged:—Rev. J. M. Holmes, pastor of LaFayette M. P. Church, Baltimore. Mr. Mather, of Westminister, State President, and Rev. U. S. T. Ruppe. Local speakers will discuss topics bearing upon the Convention Theme—"Increased Campaign," and the occasion will be one of much pleasure to all who attend.

Christ Meth. Prot. Church.—Rev. D. L. Greenfield, pastor. 9.40 A. M., Experience Meeting. 10.30 A. M., Public Worship, sermon theme, "Second-Mile Religion." 2.30 P. M., Sunday school. 6.30 P. M., twilight service, special music.

Chestertown M. E. Church services as follows: Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Twilight services at 6. 45 P. M. All are cordially invited.

Kennedyville M. P. Church, Rev. R. S. Rowe, pastor. Subjects of sermons for Sunday, July 17th: 10.30 A. M., "The Christian's Sure Dependence." 8.00 P. M. "The Sinner's Utter Helplessness."

The Ladies Aid Society of Rock Hall Church held an interesting meeting in the church last week at which the annual election of officers took place. The new officers are Pres., Mrs. E. Burr; Vice Pres., Mrs. Annie Boyer; Sec'y, Mrs. Bessie Apsley, Treas., Mrs. Annie Davis; Organist, Mrs. Emma Coleman. The Society has 44 members and new acquisitions are being enrolled each meeting. They are a spartan band doing a great work for the church, there is room and welcome for others to join them in noble work for God.

WEDDING BELLS.

WYATT—CROUSE.

"One of the prettiest of recent weddings was that of Tuesday of Miss Mary Louise Crouse, of Washington, and Mr. Francis Harold Wyatt, of Baltimore. Mr. Wyatt is connected with the Northern Central Railway and Miss Crouse is the daughter of Rev. Thomas O. Crouse, pastor of Congress Street Methodist Protestant Church, West Washington. The ceremony took place in the church at 5 o'clock, Rev. William A. Crouse, grandfather of the bride, officiating, assisted by Rev. D. William Harper, of Baltimore, uncle of the groom, who is presiding elder of the Methodist Episcopal Church South.

"The bride was becomingly but simply gowned in white Swiss trimmed with real lace and carried one huge American Beauty rose. She was attended by her sister, Miss Charlotte Crouse. The ushers were Messrs. H. L. Todd, of Baltimore; the groom's brother, H. Reynolds Wyatt; Rev. A. N. Ward and N. J. Ward. The bridesmaid was gowned in blue organdie trimmed with old German lace and carried a bunch of maidenhair fern. A reception at the parsonage followed the ceremony. A number of guests accompanied the couple to the train and showered rice into the gaily decorated carriage. The presents were many, including a home in Baltimore, 3030 West North avenue, where Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt will be at home to friends after August 1. They left for a trip to Thousand Islands.

New Advertisements.

Buying clothing is made as easy at Lucas' as buying coffee and sugar out of a grocery store. Everything marked in plain figures, and besides you get a good liberal reduction on things now while his half annual clearance sale is in progress.

If you want to be on time and get in the swim go to Moody & Lusby's clothing store before it is too late and get some of those wearable sutis of clothes, suits of underwear, suits of shirts, suit yourself in anything. They'll fix the price for you at a figure that will make you smile.

Sparks & Jefferson's reduction sale advertisement appears to-day. They've been selling all the week, but read their advertisement and you'll know better what they mean.

Wm. A. Bell will have matinee races next Friday on his Rose Hill track. Bedworth, Jr., will go to break track record, and C. H. B. Massey's fine horse, Adversity, will be there. A fine time is expected.

MARRIAGE.

GALE—BOYER.—In Piney Neck parsonage, on the evening of July 10th, by Rev. G. S. Conaway, Mr. Lloyd W. Gale to Miss Mamie L. Boyer, both of Rock Hall.

MATINEE RACE.



We will hold a Matinee Race at Rose Hill Track, near Chestertown, on

FRIDAY, JULY 22, 1904,

at 1.30 P. M. All owners of country horses are invited to enter same, and we promise an interesting time. Bedworth, Jr., will be driven a trial mile to beat track record of 2.17. Adversity will also give exhibition mile. Admission, 25c.; ladies Free.

Jy16-1t. WM. A. BELL.

NOTICE TO ROAD SUPERVISORS.

Resolved by order of the Board that hereafter no more work shall be done on the roads whatsoever without direct orders from Commissioners in district, and if this order is ignored the bill or bills will not be passed. This order to take effect at once. By order of Commissioners.

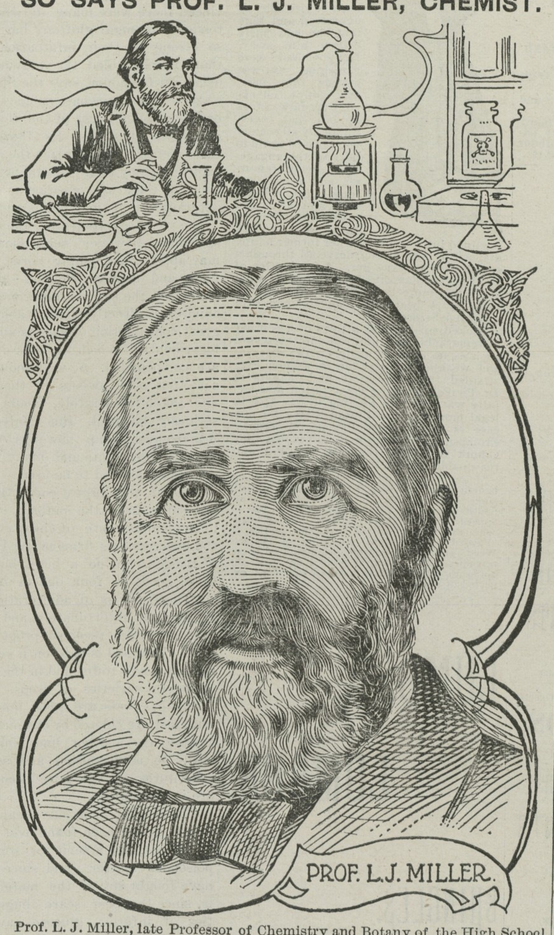
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"Builds up the System."

Hon. Joseph H. Ridgeway, Secretary of the American Anti-Treat Society, writes the following letter from the Grand Central Hotel, St. Paul, Minn.:

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Joseph Ridgeway.

"I have recommended it to a number of my friends and always feel that I do them a service for I know how satisfactory the results invariably are. I only wish every family had a bottle—it would save much sickness and doctor bills."—Joseph H. Ridgeway.

"Feel Better Than for Five Years."

Mr. James B. Taylor, Roberts, Ind., writes:

"I am at the present time entirely well. I can eat anything I ever could. I took five bottles of Peruna, and feel better now than I have for five years. I have doctored with other doctors off and on for fifteen years, so I can recommend your medicine very highly for stomach troubles. I take great pleasure in thanking you for your free advice and Peruna."—James B. Taylor.

"I Enjoy my Meals as I Used to."

Mr. J. W. Pritchard, Wolf Lake, Ind., writes:

"I am pleased to say that I have been cured of catarrh of the stomach by Peruna. I could hardly eat anything that agreed with me. Before I would get half through my meal my stomach would fill with gas causing me much distress and unpleasant feelings for an hour or two after each meal. But, thanks to your Peruna, I am now completely cured, and can eat anything I want to without any of the distressing symptoms. I can now enjoy my meals as I used to do, and it is all due to Dr. Hartman and his wonderful medicine, Peruna.

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If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

Notice to Legatees.

Notice to Legatees of Christopher Wilkinson, of Kent county, deceased, of meeting for payment of Legacies under direction of the Orphans' Court.

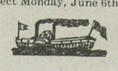
THE LEGATEES under the will of Christopher Wilkinson, late of Kent county, deceased, are hereby notifield that a meeting of said Legatees has been appointed by the Orphan's Court of Kent county to be held on Tuesday, August 30th, 1904, at the office of the Register of Wills, of Kent county, at Chestertown, Md., for the payment of said Legacies under the order and direction of said Court.

By order of the Orphan's Court for Kent county.
TEST: JAMES E. MORRIS.
jy9-4t. Register of Wills.

Chester River Steamboat Co.

CHANGEOF SCHEDULE.

In Effect Monday, June 6th, 1904.



Str. Emma A. Ford

Leaves Chestertown, daily except Sunday 7.00 a. m., Stopping at Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck, Cliff's, Bogle's, Queenstown and Kent Island.

Arrive Baltimore 12.30 p. m. Leave Baltimore daily except Sunday and Saturday, 3.00 p. m. Leave Baltimore Saturday, 2.15 p. m. for the above named landings.

Arrives Chestertown about (except Saturday) 8.30 p. m. Arrive Chestertown Saturday about 8.00 p. m.

Steamer Gratitude.

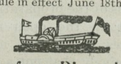
Leave Centreville, daily except Sunday 7.00 a.m. stopping at the landings on Corsica river, Jackson's Creek and Rock Hall.

Arrive Baltimore about 12 m. Leave Baltimore daily except Sunday 2.30 p. m. for the above named landings. Arrives Centreville about 7.30 p.m.

GEORGE WARFIELD, President.
J. E. TAYLOR, General Agent.

TOLCHESTER COMPANY.

Schedule in effect June 18th, 1904.



Sassafras River Line.

Leave Fredericktown week days except Saturday, at 7.00 a. m. Betterton, 8.15 a. m., Buck Neck, 9.30 a. m. Returning, leave Baltimore week days, except Friday and Saturday, at 2.45 p. m., Saturday at 10.30 a. m. (Does not stop at Gale's and Buck Neck on Monday's and Wednesday's trips from Baltimore.)

PORT DEPOSIT LINE.

Leave Port Deposit week days except Wednesday at 7.00 a. m. Havre de Grace 7.30 a. m., Betterton, 8.45 a. m., stops at Tolchester on Fridays.

Returning, leave Baltimore Monday at 2.00, Wednesdays and Sundays at 9 a. m. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 1.00 p. m Friday,, at 3.30 p.m., stopping at Tolchester Friday.

TOLCHESTER DAILY SCHEDULE

Steamer Louise leaves Tolchester at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Leave Baltimore 8.30 a. m. and 2.30 p. m. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays leave Baltimore 8.30 a. m., 2 p. m. and 6.30 p. m. Leave Tolchester 10.30 a. m., 4.20 p. m. and 8.30 p. m.

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