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LOCAL MATTERS.

Accidental Shooting.—Robert Fogwell, a young man of Worton, living near Green Point, was accidentally shot by Mike Blum, another Worton boy on Monday. The boys were shooting at a target with a cat rifle. Fogwell, in some manner, got in the way of a shot, and was struck in the leg. The wound is not conidered serious.

The Tolchester Company.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Tolchester Beach and Improvement Company was held last Saturday in the parlors of the hotel at the beach. The old officers were all re-elected as follows. Capt. William C. Eliason, president; Jonathan Pennell, vice-president; Wm. H. Hudson, secretary; J. M. Naudain, treasurer. After the meeting dinner was served in the hotel.

Finely Equipped Schooner.—Capts. Herbert Fletcher and Howard Hadaway were unloading a cargo of phosphate meterials for the Beck Walker Co., this week from their gasoline power schooner, Serah E. Vickers. The engine in this schooner is a Fairbanks and Morse make of 30-horse power and cost $2,000. The cabin is lighted with electricity and the whole affair is an up-to-date equipment. The schooner will be used principally for the Lankford Bay and lower river trade.

Heir to Fortune.—Twelve-thousand dollars awaits Miss Annie J. Slicer, formerly of Colora, Cecil county, as her share of the estate of her father, the late Jacob Slicer. Miss Slicer disappeared from her home in upper Cecil county about five years ago and nothing has been heard of her in the interval. Her mother had died several years previous and the young woman kept house for her aged father who died in March last year. Should she never appear her share of the estate will go to her brother, Mr. Wm. T. Slicer.

New Principal at Normal School.—Dr. George W. Ward, of Western Maryland College, at Westminster, was elected principal of the State Normal School last Friday to succeed Prof. E. B. Prettyman, who has been principal since 1898. The election was unanimous. Dr. Ward is a graduate of Western Md. College, and he also took the degree of Doctor of Philosophy at the Johns Hopkins University. He taught in the public schools of Howard county for a few years before becoming a member of the faculty at Western Maryland. He is about 38 years old, and possesses all the qualifications necessary for the responsibilities of his position.

Drowned at Rock Hall.—Mrs. Watkins and niece, proprietresses of Sharp's Mansion, Rock Hall, were in bathing on Thursday with the little 5-year-old son of the niece. Quite a number of people were standing on the wharf watching the bathers, when suddenly Mrs. Watkins, who was holding the little boy, got above her depth. In her efforts to reach shallow water she threw the little boy forward. He sank from sight and was drowned. Mr. Louis McCloskey and Mr. Joseph Sewell, who were nearby, saved both ladies with difficulty. The body of the child was recovered at six o'clock Thursday evening. Mrs. Watkins and niece are from Baltimore, and have charge of Sharp's Mansion during the summer.

Washington College Man Killed.—Mr. S. C. Beckwith, a former graduate of Washington College, and for a number of years past an advertising agent of New York City, was among those killed in a terrible railroad wreck on Wednesday night at Mentor, east of Cleveland. Mr. Beckwith was one of the most successful Alumni of Washington College. After graduation, he took up the study of newspaper advertising and located in New York city. He rapidly rose to prominence, and at the time of his death was rated among the millionaires of New York city. The deceased was well known in Chestertown, where he was exceedingly popular as a student. Mr. Beckwith was the only member of the class of '72.

Beneficiaries in a Large Estate.—Misses Wilhelmina Hurlock and Edna Hurlock who recently died in Smyrna, left a large and valuable estate, variously estimated to amount to from $90,000 to $100,000. Under the wills of these ladies the property goes to a number of nieces and nephews. Among those who are greatly benefitted are Frank H. Greenwood, of Chestertown, who is also a residuary legatee. Those who are interested are: Samuel Hurlock, a brother, the father of C. S. Hurlock, ex-Register of Wills, Jonathan J. Hurlock, of Snow Hill, Md.; S. R. Hurlock and Wm. Walter Hurlock, of Queen Anne's county; J. Edward Hurlock, of Millington, Md., and a number of others whose names we have been unable to ascertain. The estate of the ladies consisted largely of mortgages, bonds, stock and personal securities easily convertible into cash, and a number of farms in Delaware and Maryland.

Shooting in Town.—Last Sunday evening Mrs. Harry L. Boyd went out for a drive in her team, which is stabled at the livery of Mr. Charles H. Davis. Walter Hill, one of the hostlers, was instructed to go to Mrs. Boyd's house for the team. He did so, but instead of returning directly to the stable, he drove the team for about three-quarters of an hour. Mr. Harry L. Boyd went to the stable to await Hill's return, and when he put in an appearance, Mr. Boyd upbraided him for using the team, and driving the horse almost to death. Hot words ensued, and Hill made a dash at Mr. Boyd, who, to protect himself from assault, drew his pistol and fired. The shot took effect in Hill's thigh, and Dr. Simmons was summoned to probe for the ball, which at last reports he had failed to locate. Mr. Boyd acted purely in self defense, as he stated that he thought the negro was about to attack him with a razor. The case will be heard this morning before Police Justice Hicks. Mr. Boyd will be represented by Messrs. Hynson and Barroll.

Lady Robbed.—Mrs. A. C. Gray, of near Millington, while driving into Smyrna, Del., one day last week, was held up by two colored men and robbed of her pocket book containing about $20.00. The highwaymen were promptly apprehended by Delaware authorities and are being held for trial.

LITTLE LOCALS.

*†*The first new southern wheat reached the Chamber of Commerce, Baltimore on Tuesday. It consisted of 84 bushels and sold for $1.10 per bushel.

*†*Judging from the immense crowds visting Tolchester and Betterton daily this will be the most profitable season in the history of these popular resorts.

*†*The Jr. O. U. A. M. have eleven applications out, which will be considered at a future meeting. The Order is growing rapidly, and is exceedingly well officered.

*†*Ground has been broken during the week by Contractor Walter T. Pippin for the new "TRANSCRIPT Building." There will be two very desirable offices for rent in this building.

*†*Mr. Charles S. Smith has purchased of Captains Samuel Bennett and Howard W. Hadaway, of Lankford, the 8 ton sloop, which he will use in cruising about the river and bay.

*†*Mr. James A. Greenward has sold his handsome driving horse to a gentleman in Queen Anne's. Mr. Greenwood says he received a fair and satisfactory price for the animal.

*†*The steamer Louise of the Tolchester Company in rounding to at Tolchester last Sunday afternoon ran aground and was helpless for about an hour. She was pulled into deep water by the Emma Giles.

*†*Thursday was the first day of summer according to the calendar, and the longest day of the year. It was almost the hottest, too. The thermometer registered 92 degrees.

*†*Mr. Thos. C. Roe, of Massey, lost two valuable cows by being struck by lightning on Wednesday evening. They were insured in the Royal Fire Insurance Co. represented by Joseph N. Wheatley & Co.

*†*Mrs. Annie M. Stokes, of Maple Lodge, near Betterton, broke her arm one day last week. Dr. Maxwell set the broken bone. She was in her yard and in stepping backward fell over a wire, which caused the accident.

*†*Lightning struck the barn on Dr. S. E. Ford's farm in Queen Anne's tenanted by Mr. Budd Potts, on Monday afternoon. The building caught fire, but the blaze was extingnished before any serious damage was done.

*†*The Second National Bank has recently had placed at the side of the main entrance to the bank a handsome brass and wood sign bearing this inscription: "The only National Bank in Kent county." The sign is ornamental as well as useful.

*†*Messrs. Crew and Crew, of Betterton, will open a large general merchandising store in Betterton to-day. These young men are brothers and they have purchased a fine stock of goods for there commodious building. Their store will be in full operation next week.

*†*John D. Urie, Esq., attorney for the Primrose heirs in the Primrose-Wright case has filed an appeal and bond to have the case taken to the Court of Appeals in December. The issue involves the title to the W. T. Wright property in Queen Annes county at the foot of Chester bridge.

*†*Mr. Elmer E. Leary left at the Transcript office on Wednesday morning a new patent peach basket. The chief feature of the basket is its durability, the sides being riveted and interlaced with stout pieces of wire. The firm of G.E. Leary & Son, Rock Hall, is filling immense orders for these baskets, and their factory is taxed to its utmost to supply the demand.

*†*Marcellus, the 8-year-old son of John C. Bailey, colored, of Chestertown, is suffering with tetanus, or lock-jaw. The boy mashed his hand while lofting hay at the home of Mr. R. G. Nicholson about two weeks ago and tetanus conditions developed on Friday, last. Dr. Harry G. Simpers, who was called in Saturday morning, immediately began and anti-toxin treatment, and reports the patient "holding his own" at this writing. The doctor thinks he will recover.

*†*Mr. M. A. Toulson, one of Chestertown's prominent druggists, was elected President of the Maryland Pharmaceutical Association which has been holding a three days' session at Betterton. This is a deserved honor for our friend and fellow townsman, and he will add energy and vim to the association. We are unable to give an extended account of the sessions of the association. Mr. Wm. F. Russell, of Chestertown made a splendid speech of welcome.

*†*A public meeting under the auspices of Washington Camp P. O. S. of A., was held in the K. of P. Hall, Rock Hall, Friday evening. Owing to a misunderstanding concerning the time of admission to the hall a great many returned to their homes before the doors were thrown open to the public. Those who attended heard fine addresses by Mr. James H. Marine, of Baltimore, and Rev. Chas. E. Redeker of Odenton. Those present from Chestertown were Messrs. Wm. B. and S. J. Coleman, Wm. A. Burk, Wm. H. Lambert, Ambrose Carroll, J. M. South and Geo. B. Twilley.

Automobiles in Kent.

The two Automobiles which are to be placed on the routes between Chestertown, Rock Hall and Tolchester, and Chestertown and Betterton arrived in Kent this week. They are the property of Mr. Franklin Crew, of Wilmington, Del., who proposes to establish the above routes. The plan has been fully described heretofore in the TRANSCRIPT, and it is sufficient to say that the cars are here, and that trial trips will be made shortly. Mr. Crew proposes to begin the routes about July 1. The cars are two handsome machines, with a capacity of from 12 to 15 passengars with baggage, and they will be able to make the run to the bayshore in quick time. Mr. Crew is a thorough mechanic and has exercised especial care in having his machines constructed in the best possible manner. They will be in charge of expert drivers, and every precaution will be taken to insure the safety and comfort of the passengers. Lookout for them. Dr. J. H. Hessey has taken a ride in one and says it is O. K. There'll be more to ride after awhile.

OBITUARY.

ROMAINE WAGNER.

Mr. Romaine Wagner, a most estimable young resident of Edesville, died at a hospital in Baltimore where he had been taken for treatment, on Wednesday afternoon, aged about 28 years. Last week Mr. Wagner fell from the scaffolding of a house which he was erecting for Mr. Cannon near Rock Hall, and sustained a bad compound fracture of the right arm. He was brought to Chestertown, where the fractures were set by Dr. W. F. Hines. The patient was doing well until Monday when symptoms of blood poisoning and tetanus developed, and he was taken to Baltimore for treatment. The arm was amputated at the elbow, but it was too late to save the young man's life and he expired on Wednesday. The death of Mr. Wagner is particulary sad. He was a young man of most excellent character and habits, industrious and hightoned in all walks of life, and was one of the most popular young men in the lower part of the county. He was a contractor and builder but was interested in everything that pertained to the welfare of his home and county. He was the son of Mr. William Wagner, a prominent wheelright and mechanic of Edesville, who has recently been nominated for County Commissioner on the Democratic ticket. Funeral services were held on Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock in Wesley Chapel M. P. Church, conducted by Rev. J. W. Parris. Interment in the cemetery adjoining. The funeral was one of the largest in the history of that section. The pall bearers were: Messrs. Hugh McCloskey, Columbus Blackiston, Frank Parsons, Robert Lewis, Snowden Maslin, Harvey Kilbourne.

MRS. IRENE C. ALLSTON.

Mrs. Irene C. Allston, wife of Mr. J. Cowgil Allston, of near Middletown, Del., died on Friday last, aged 38 years. The deceased was a daughter of Mr. G. W. Covington, of Still Pond. She was a lovely character and had a host of friends in Kent, who mourn her early demise. She was one of the most popular girls in Still Pond during her residence in Kent. The remains were brought to Still Pond by train on Monday and interred in Still Pond cemetery, Rev. T. S. Holt, of Still Pond, and Rev. Mr. Wyatt, of Wilmington, officiating. The pall bearers were: Dr. W. E. Barnard and T. Buriss, of Middletown, Covey Casey, Maxwell Price, Howard Turner, Dr. J. Horton Kelley, of Still Pond. Undertaker William H. Krusen had charge of the funeral arrangements.

CHURCH NOTES.

The second annual camp meeting of Marydel circuit will be held in Dailey's woods, from Aug. 4 to 14. The Board of Managers will meet on the grounds Saturday afternoon, July 1st, at 2 o'clock. Those desiring all privileges please be present to select sites—Committee.

The W. C. T. U. of Fairlee will hold a Young Peoples meeting on the church green at Salem on Friday, June 30th at 2.30 o'clock P. M. Reading, recitations, and singing, by the young people and L. T. L. Ice cream and cake will be served.

Kennedyville M. P. Church, Rev. R. S. Rowe, pastor, 10.30 A. M., "The Remedy for Trouble." 8.00 P. M., "The Bed too Short and The Covering too Narrow."

The Chestertown M. E. Sabbath School will hold their annual picnic at Love Point on Wednesday, July 12th. The M. P. School will visit the same place on the 19th of July.

Chestertown M. E. Church—Preaching at 10.30 A. M., subject, "The Glad Disciples. Sunday school at 2.15 P. M. Twilight services at 7.00 P. M., subject, "Our Glorious Hope." All are cordially invited.

Christ Meth. Prot. Church.—Rev. D. L. Greenfield, pastor. 9.30 A. M. Experience meeting. 10.30 A. M. Sermon Theme: "The Winnowing Fan." 2.30 P. M. Sunday School. 6.30 P. M. Twilight services: Theme, "The Soul's Twilight."

Chestertown High School Promotions.

PROMOTED FROM FIRST TO SECOND GRADE.—Susan Stam, Colin Stam, Walmsley Davis, Roy Barnett, Nathan Blum, Richard H. Collins, Dolly Johnson, Wilbur Hubbard, Charles Clark, Louise Russell, Cora Robinson, Kennard Burke, Harry Jones, Rolph Townshend, Lillie Truitt, Louise Strong, Henry Levine, Anna Newton, John Collins, William Davis, Charles Hodgkins, Ada Duyer, Louise Rawleigh, Kay Middleton, William Miller, Harry Wright, Julian Coleman, Norman Cooper, Helen Russell, Alice Akers.

PROMOTED FROM SECOND TO THIRD GRADE.—Mary Rouse, Loureine Smith, Rebecca Davis, Cecil Robinson, Harry Rouse, Lillian Rawleigh, Barter Bartley, Allie Blyman, James Coleman, Bryan Ireland, Henry Lambert, Elsie Whiteley, Marguerite King, Clara Colemon, Lillian Hicks, Lillian Benny, Frances Howard, Ralph Evans, Rose Levine, Mildred Middleton, Carolene McKee, Arthur Cooper, Preston Richards, Clarence Usilton, Edward Duyer, Price Jones, Joseph Wright, Duncan Derringer, Lionel Keyser, John Greenwood, Hope Barroll, Clarence Willis, Willie Embert, Bryan Newton.

PROMOTED FROM THIRD TO FOURTH GRADE.—Russell Wheatley, Helen Boyd, Carmeta Russell, Irving Sparks, Stephen Collins, Jewel Armstrong, Carey Jarman, Allan Harris, Maude Robinson, Lee Robinson, Polly Westcott, Evelyn Getshall, Rosalie Cain, Marion Dixon, Robie Robinson, Frank Connelly, Lillie Davis, James Coleman, Herbert Usilton, Eli Elliott, Anna Ireland.

PROMOTED FROM FIFTH TO SIXTH GRADE.—Frazier Russell, Norman Crouch, Elsie Blyman, Ida Smith, Mary Keyser, Arthur Skipper, Hallie Cooper, Sophia Levine, Myrtle Ireland, Elizabeth Connelly, Stephanie Ford, Philip Wilmer, Virginia Cain, Rebecca Aldridge, Nellie Westcott, May Duyer, Alice Allcutt, Madge Pennell, Clyde Copper.

PROMOTED FROM SIXTH TO SEVENTH GRADE.—Josephine Wheatley, Frances Morris, Elizabeth Russell, Hallie Kelley, Rebekah McFeely, Marghuerita Dodd, Jessie Anthony, Mary Smith, Josephine Hicks, Gladys Aldridge, Susie Frazer, Mildred Davis, Dora Hodgkins, Joseph Wheatley, Mary French, Rebecca Levine, Robert Moffett, Preston Ivens, Maggie Davis, Maggie French, Earle Thomas, Randolph Waddell, May Willis, Hope Hudson, Samuel Armstrong, Daniel Hall, Bernard Boyd, David Connelly, Edward Blackway, Estalena Deringer, Anna Calder, Samuel Clark, Genvieve Dixon, Townsend Anthony, Joe Westcott, Jessie Robinson.

PROMOTED FROM SEVENTH TO EIGHTH GRADE.—Anna Smyth, Mary Layman, Mary Miller, Eva Gardner, Gilbert Jarman, Galen Vansant, Carl Bordley, Mollie Ringgold, Harold Matthews.

PROMOTED FROM EIGHTH TO NINTH GRADE.—Carrie Wright, Avis Dodd, Etta Cooper, Florence Beck, Olive Pennell, Ethel Ringgold, Inez Russell, Clara Sappington, Isabelle Lambert, Nellie McWhorter, Herman Blackway, Merritt Brown, Louise Brown, Edna Copper.

PROMOTED FROM NINTH TO TENTH GRADE.—Eunice Lambert, Mary Hines, Pearl Woodall.

Mr. Merritt Gale Rasin will please accept our thanks for an invitation to attend the St. John's College Commencement. Mr. Rasin is the son of Mr. M. M. Rasin, of Melitota, and graduates from St. John's with high honors.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Among the former graduates of Washington College who attended the Commencement exercises this week we noticed: Mr. Emerson, of Ansonia, Conn., class of '63; Allan Goldsborough, Esq., State's Attorney of Caroline county; Prof. Norman Jefferson, of Delmar, Del., Prof. Norman Cameron, of Elkton, Prof. Wheatley, of Woodland, Del., James W. Chapman, Jr., Esq., Senator Clarence W. Perkins, George A. Bunting, of Baltimore; Harry J. Hopkins, Esq., of Annapolis; Dr. Horace Nicholson, Prof. Rowland Watts and Mr. Marine, of Baltimore.

Mr. Walter Graham, son of Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Graham, of Easton, Md., was a victim of the terrible wreck on the Western Maryland railroad on Saturday last. Mr. Graham escaped with slight injuries, but his condition required surgical aid. He assisted in removing the dead and wounded from the wreck until he was overcome by his own injuries.

Mrs. A. S. Hall was called to Washington, D. C., about four weeks ago by the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Richard Holland, who died Saturday, June 10th. Mrs. Hall returned to her home in Chestertown last week.

Mr. Charles Hines, of St. Louis, is the guest of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. Frank Hines, on Front street.

Miss Chambers, of Baltimore, has been the guest of Miss Jennie Hines, on Front street during Commencement.

Miss Ethelinde Ringgold has returned from Hannah More Academy, where she graduated last week with high honors, receiving one of the memorial prizes for meritorious efforts.

Hon. James E. Ellegood and Thomas Perry, Esq., of Salisbury, former graduates of Washington College, attended the Commencement exercises and alumni banquet at the college this week.

Mr. Merritt Beck, of St. Louis, is the guest of relatives and friends in and near town.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Nicholson and little son, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with Mr. Nicholson's father, Mr. Robert G. Nicholson, near town.

Dr. and Mrs. Barrett Catlin, of Baltimore, were the guests of his sister, Mrs. James G. Beck on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Skirven, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Morris, on Queen street.

Miss Gladys Perot, of Baltimore, and Miss Grace King, of Chicago, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Toulson, on Queen Street.

Mrs. Thomas Ireland Elliott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison W. Wickers, was operated upon in a Baltimore hospital on Monday for appendicitis. We are glad to state that Mrs. Elliott is rapidly recovering.

Miss Ethel Aldridge, of Easton, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Walter Chapman, on Washington avenue.

Miss Marguerite Skipper left on Tuesday morning, accompanied by her grandfather, for a protracted visit to Boston.

Prof. A. B. Burris sprained his ankle while playing tennis. It did not prevent the professor pitching a fine game at the commencement ball game on Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Avis Dodd is the guest of her aunt, Miss Katie Howard, in Baltimore. Miss Howard is recovering from an attack of appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Bailey, of Baltimore, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joel R. Clements on High street Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Plummer, of near Centreville, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Robert Ellis, at Hotel Imperial.

Mr. T. R. Hubbard, of Baltimore, was the guest of his son, Wilbur W. Hubbard, on Washington avenue.

Miss Elizabeth Beaver, of Westminster, is being entertained by Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ringgold, on High street.

Mrs. Ollie Hill Rasin, of Philadelphia, is the guest of her father, Mr. Henry Hill, and of Mrs Cyrus G. Howard.

Mrs. Francis P. Lloyd and children, of Pocomoke City, have been the guests of Prof. and Mrs. E. J. Clarke, at the college, during the week.

Mrs. E. T. Hoffecker and daughter, of Fairmount, Md., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Russell, on Queen street.

Miss Ethel Bacchus has been quite sick during the week. We are glad to state that she is improving.

Miss Jessie Woodall, of near Millington, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. David Kendall, on High street.

Miss Edith Gibbs, of Wheeling, West Va., is being entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Marian deK. Smith.

Miss Mary Gray, of Goldsboro, is the guest of Miss Palmer Carroll, on the avenue.

Miss Bessie Coale, of Baltimore, is being entertained by Mr. and Mrs. James G. Beck, on Washington avenue.

Mrs. John L. Shuster, of Wilmington, Del., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. F. Russell, on Spring avenue.

Mr. Charles S. Smith is suffering from a bruised toe, caused by being run over by a wagon.

Mr. Rudolph Tull, of Washington, D. C., has been the guest of the Simpers boys on Queen Street during commencement.

Mrs. Georgia Ayres, of Rock Hall, has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Marion Coleman, on High street.

Miss Elizabeth Jones, of near Kennedyville, is the guest of Miss Mary Elliott, on High street.

Mrs. Milbourn Davis, of Wilmington, Del., is the guest of her mother-in-law, Mrs. Fannie Davis, on Mill street.

Mr. Owen C. Smith, of Baltimore, was the guest of his mother in town on Sunday.

Miss Sarah Penning, of Havre de Grace, is the guest of Misses Salye and Isabelle Beck on Maple avenue for commencement.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlando W. Taylor, of Quantico, Md., have been entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Smith, on Park Row, during the week.

Miss Nellie Massey, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. M. Brooks, near town.

Miss Edna Campbell, of Muskegon, Mich., is the guest of Miss Irma Eliason on Spring avenue.

Miss Isabelle Vandyke, of near Kennedyville, has been the guest of Miss Gussie Cannon, on High street during the week.

Prof. Edward M. Noble, a former graduate of Washington College, has been elected superintendent of the Caroline county schools to succeed Prof. W. S. Crouse, resigned.

Mr. Charles McCormick, of Allentown, Pa., is spending a few days with Mr. Arthur Greenwood, at Rock Hall.

Miss Katie Truitt is visiting relatives and friends in Wilmington.

Miss Dudley, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Parks, on Queen street.

Mr. Creighton Wallis, of Washington, D. C., was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Willard Melvin, at the college on Sunday.

Mrs. Hugh Wallis of Washington, D. C. is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Thompson, on Mill street.

Master Ned Wallis, of Washington, D. C., is the guest of his aunt, Mrs. George B. Westcott, on Queen street.

Mrs. Haskell, of Roland Park, Baltimore, and Mrs. H. Clay Brown and little daughter, of Baltimore, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram M. Brown on Front street.

Mrs. Caroline Hynson and daughter, Miss Carrie, are at Atlantic City for a sojourn of several weeks.

Miss Margaret Campbell, of Philadelphia, is spending a fortnight at Hotel Pippin.

Miss Oudesleys, of Washington, D. C., is the guest of Miss Mary Rogers, on Front street.

Mr. Sparks, of Philadelphia, is the guest of his brother, Mr. Arlington L. Sparks, on Park Row.

Miss Louise McNeil, of Baltimore, is the guest of Capt. and Mrs. Curtis E. Crane.

Mr. Scott Beck, of Baltimore, was at home for Commencement.

Mr. Howard W. Pinder and little son, Edward, and Miss Alice Mortlock, of Wilmington, Del., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willard S. Dill and family at their home near Chesterville.

Mr. Wilbur Hirons, of Wilmington, Del., has been the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Hirons, on Cannon street this week.

Mrs. J. Walter Skirven, of Baltimore, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harry C. Willis, near town.

Mr. George Biddle of the University of Penn. Law School, is at home for the summer.

Mr. Marion deK. Smith, Jr., of Altoona, Pa., has been at home enjoying the commencement exercises during the week.

Mrs. Hiram M. Brown gave a card party yesterday morning at her home on Front street in honor of her guests, Mrs. Haskell and Mrs. H. Clay Brown, of Baltimore.

MANY PEOPLE HAVE CATARRH OF KIDNEYS AND DON'T KNOW IT.

Backache, the First Symptom of Kidney Trouble.

Pe-ru-na Is Invaluable in Such Cases.

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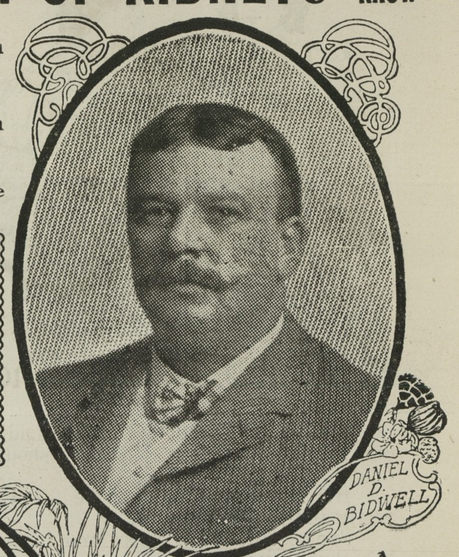
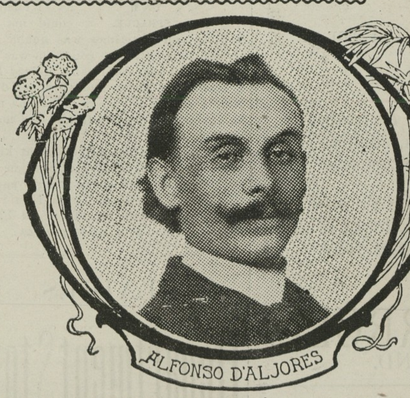
Daniel D. Bidwell, Supervisor, Notary Public and a member of I. O. O. F., 160 Pearl street, Buffalo, N. Y., writes:

"Having used Peruna for a short time, I desire to write you as to my present condition.

"When I obtained Peruna I was suffering from chronic indigestion and kidney and bladder trouble. It seemed to help the circulation at once. My digestion is now perfect and my kidneys and bladder do not trouble me in any way. In fact, I give Peruna the entire credit.

"Hoping that your remedy will reach all sufferers in a similar case, and thanking you, I remain,"—Daniel D. Bidwell, N. P.





A South American Cured by Pe-ru-na.

Count Alfonso d' Aljores, of 287 Plaza del Torro, Buenos Ayres, South America, while visiting in Chicago, wrote from 247 Cleveland avenue, that city, as follows:

"I used Peruna a short time ago to build up my system, which was all run down from overwork, worry and a cold which had settled in my back and kidneys, causing me serious annoyance and trouble.

"When I returned home from work at night, I was so exhausted and worn out, together with the pain in my back, that I felt I would never be able to take up the burden of life again in the morning, but when morning came I would get out somehow. This dragging through life continued for a couple of months, when I decided I would take Peruna.

"I am glad to state that I found it just the medicine for me. In a couple of months I was restored to perfect health and strength, and my work was no longer a burden. I therefore endorse your medicine as worthy of the confidence of the sick."—Alfonso d' Aljores.

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At the appearance of the first symptom of kidney trouble, Peruna should be taken.

This remedy strikes at once the very root of the disease.

It at once relieves the catarrhal kidneys of the stagnant blood, and prevents the escape of serum from the blood.

Peruna stimulates the kidneys to excrete from the blood the accumulating poison, and thus prevents the convulsions which are sure to follow if the poisons are allowed to remain.

It gives great vigor to the heart's action and digestive system, both of which are apt to fail rapidly in this disease.

Peruna cures catarrh of the kidneys simply because it cures catarrh wherever located.

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"Peruna is the only remedy which was really of any benefit to me. It seemed to act in perfect harmony with the system, eliminating the poisons, stopping the ravages of the disease and gradually restoring me to health and strength.

We have on file many thousand testimonials like the ones given here. We can only give our readers a slight glimpse of the vast array of unsolicited endorsements we are receiving every month. No other physician in the world has received such a volume of enthusiastic letters of thanks as Dr. Hartman for Peruna.

All correspondence held strictly confidential.

Notice to Builders.

BIDS will be received at the office of the Commissioners for Kent county for the BUILDING OF AN IRON BRIDGE across Fannell's Branch, near Chestertown, until TUESDAY, JUNE 27th, at 1.30 o'clock p.m.

Plans and specifications of same may be seen at the Commissioners office in the Court House on and after Tuesday, June 20th. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

A. C. LOUD, Pres't.
C. B. DUDLEY,
P. B. RASIN,
HARRY DAVIS,
L. C. AYRES,
Commissioners.

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HOPE H. BARROLL, Attorney.

Order of Publication.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity.

No. 1552.

Augusta M. Bowers, John S. Bowers, Lucy Bowers, Thos. D. Bowers, Mary R. Aldridge, Wm. R. Aldridge,

vs.

John N. Dodd, Charles L. Dodd, Harry L. Dodd, Thomas S. Dodd, Mary H. Dodd, Richard D. Hynson, Jefferson D. Bacchus, The Second National Bank of Chestertown, Md., H. Clay Lusby, The Kent County Savings Bank, Whitely Johnson, Frederick Humbert, Andrew J. Hackett and Publishing Clearing House.

THE object of this bill is to procure a decree for the sale of certain Real Estate of which John T. Dodd died, seized and possessed and to have the proceeds thereof divided among the persons entitled according to their respective interests.

The bill states that a certain John T. Dodd, late of Kent county, deceased, by his last will and testament dated the 15th day of September, 1874, duly probated and recorded in Wills Records of Kent county in Liber E. C. No. 1, folios 139, etc., among other things gave and devised unto John N. Dodd a certain farm or tract or tracts of land, situate and lying in the Fourth Election District of Kent county and near Chestertown, commonly called the Dodd farm, to him and his heirs forever, provided nevertheless, that if the said John N. Dodd should die without issue surviving him then he devised the said farm over to his daughter, Augusta M. Bowers, for life, and at her death he gave and devised the said farm to his six grandchildren, Thos. S., Charles L. and Harry L. Dodd, John S., Thomas D. and Mary R. Bowers, (the said Mary R. Bowers has since intermarried with William R. Aldridge,) in fee simple, share and share alike, subject to six legacies of five hundred dollars each to the said Thos. S., Charles L. and Harry L. Dodd, John S., Thomas D. Bowers and Mary R. Aldridge, formerly Mary R. Bowers, and whereas the said John T. Dodd, by his last will and testament, directed that certain other real estate to wit, a lot of land with the improvements thereon, situated on High street in Chestertown, and another lot of land with improvements thereon situated on Calvert street in said town should be sold by his executrix, and the proceeds of the sale, together with the personalty, should be used for the payment of his debts, but the last mentioned parcels of real estate were not sold, and the said John T. Dodd was seized and possessed, at the time of his death of two other lots or parcels of land, not devised and not mentioned in his last will and testament to wit: a lot of land situated on High St., and commonly called the "Shop lot", and another lot of land commonly called the "Lumberyard lot."

And the bill further states that Mary J. Dodd, duly qualified as executrix of the said John T. Dodd, but has since departed this life.

And the bill further states that there are certain judgments against the interest of Harry L. Dodd and Thomas S. Dodd, in the real estate which said judgments liens will affect the title of any purchaser who may bid at the sale of the real estate, and the parties holding the said liens are hereby made party defendants hereto, as will appear by copies of liens filed as exhibits in this case.

And the bill further states that Charles L. Dodd has applied for the benefit of the bankrupt law, and his interest in the said real estate has been sold and those who purchased same and now hold interest therein are parties to this cause.

And the bill further states the plaintiffs are anxious to have the said real estate sold for the purpose of partition among the several persons who are interested therein and entitled to share in the proceeds of the sale of the said real estate.

It is thereupon, this 1st day of June, 1905, ordered by the Circuit Court for Kent County, as a court of equity, the plaintiff's by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once a week for four successive weeks before the 3rd of July giving to the non-resident defendants Thomas S Dood and The Publishing Clearing House of the object and substance of the bill and warning said non-resident defendants to apper in person or by solicitor on or before the 17th day of July next to show cause if any they have why a decree should not be passed as prayed.

JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

True copy—Test:
JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.
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WANTED.

1000 DOZEN EGGS for which the highest cash maket price will be paid on delivery at our store in rChestertown.

je10-3t. J. HYDIE THOMPSON.

REPORT
—OF THE—
Trustees of Almshouse

From May 1st, 1904, to May 1st, 1905, all Receipts and Disbursements of Farm.

To sale of wheat	$ 312 56
Wheat kept for seed	67 40
Wheat kept for bread, 190 bus. at 65c	120 50
8 lambs sold at $4.00	32 00
400 baskets of keifer pears at 8c	32 00
219 bushels of corn at 50c	109 57
Corn kept for use and bread, 220 bus.	110 00
Total	$787 03
REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF INMATES, DR.	
Balance from farming	$590 82
Received of Mr. Godwin	60 00
Received of M. A. Toulson, late treasurer and president	3.90
Received for one calf	10 63
Total Am't Through Com's Office	2,334 98
Total	$3,000 33
REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF INMATES, CR.	
Amt paid Mr. Ford for Almshouse	$584 19
" G. M. Lamb & Bro. for bacon	287 64
" Freight bills	5 00
" Walter B. Greenwood	18 48
" J. D. Bacchus	1 00
" S. L. Rawleigh	5 00
" Mrs. Greenwood	2 45
" Dr. John Mullin	3 50
" Walter B. Greenwood	20 55
" Wm. S. Culp	6 05
" Lewin Skirven	25 92
" M. A. Toulson	21 00
" Walter B. Greenwood	33 75
" Clifton Jarrell	9 35
" Walter B. Greenwood	28 98
" N. Lieberman	15 50
" Straw Board Co	6 50
" Dr. Charles W. Whaland	75 00
" Mrs. Matthews	8 39
" George Brice	15 62
" McIntyre & Hodgkin	5 70
" Mrs. Greenwood	6 80
" John Rasch	10 50
" Mrs. Greenwood	4 00
" Canning & Mercantile Co.	2 75
" J. D. Bacchus	265 50
" A. M. Kendall	4 00
" Mrs. Greenwood	4 04
" Bibb Stove Co	3 15
" Bibb Stove Co	3 00
" Bibb Stove Co	8 40
" Wm. Rasmus for fert	75 00
" W. W. Hubbard	32 15
" Walter Greenwood and wire	10 82
" Harry Nichols	10 00
" John C. Davis	6 29
" W. S. & A. M. Culp	3 86
" Mrs. J. C. Loud	21 87
" T. W. Eliason	2 35
" George Bowers, salary	24 00
" Abe Casey	24 00
" James Brice	25 00
" Chris. Conner	24 00
" Jno. McGrugen	24 00
" T. S. Bordley	99 30
" George Z. Roland	122 33
" C. S. Smith	50 80
" T. G. Wroth	42 75
" J. F. Howard	25 61
" Sparks & Jefferson	25 45
" J. K. Aldridge & Co	73 59
" R. F. Parks & Son	104 29
" J. S. Bradley	139 96
" M. A. Toulson	47 28
" J. F. Thompson	151 28
" Stam Drug Co.	69 38
" H. B. Nichols	80 25