Kent News

SATURDAY, OCT. - - 2, 1897.

LOCAL buyers yesterday paid 82½@88½c. for wheat.

WE are compelled to issue a supplement this week to accommodate our advertisers. In it will be found some live local and other interesting matter.

YOU MUST *be registered in the* DISTRICT *in which you live.* Otherwise you can't vote, as your name will be struck off the list in the district from which you moved.

Sales.—The sales this week as advertised in the NEWS were all well attended. The Groves sale on Wednesday was attended by a good crowd and strange to say there was not a candidate present. Horses sold from $40 to $60; cows from $25 to $30 and hogs for 3¾cts. a pound. At the Maslin sale on Monday sheep brought from $5 to $5.20 and blades sold for 75 cents a hundred. At the McKnett sale on Saturday cows brought from $18 to $41 and hogs from 2 to 3 cts. pound.

Fire and Collision.— Mr. Whitely, who lives on the Dodd farm near town was burning some old straw late Thursday evening and persons in Chestertown thought it was his buildings on fire. In fact the watchman at the railroad blew the locomotive whistle several times under the same impression and drew many persons in that direction. The cause of the fire was soon discovered. Mr. Wm. Bell was on his way to the fire and was just opposite the paper-mill, about midway of the steep hill, when he saw a team coming down the hill rather fast and he hollowed for the occupant to 'lookout,' but before he could do so the two teams collided and Mr. Bell's carriage was smashed up considerably. Mr. Robert Moffett was in the team coming down the hill and his horse was a little hurt. The accident occured about 8 P. M. Fortunately none of the occupants were injured very bad.

IN THE CHURCHES.

"Young Men's Day" at Christ M. P. Church last Sunday was a big success. The popular pastor, Rev. J. M. Gill, set apart this day for the young men, and much good is thought to have been accomplished. In the morning the pastor preached on the "Model Young Man," and gave to his audience Joseph as an ideal character to imitate. A crowded house was present at night to hear the addresss on the "Temptation of the Young Man." Able addresses were made by Messrs. Wm. Sherwood and Ralph Barnett and a paper read from Fred. G. Usilton. Special music was rendered by Mrs. Wm. R. Aldridge, Misses Mollie Parks and Marian Lusby, Dr. Harry L. Dodd and James P. Parrott.

Rev. H. G. Budd, of Perryville, Md., preached in the Chestertown M. E. Church on Sunday and delivered two able discourses to good congregations. He preached from 1st John, 1st chapter and 7th verse. He also preached at Union, Queen Anne's, in the afternoon.

Mr. Wm. B. Coleman took charge of the services at Morgnec on Sunday and made a very favorable impression.

The Young People's Christian Endeavor Society of Chestertown held a musicale and lunch auction last night. After the musicale boxes filled with good things were put up and auctioned off to the young men, after which the successful bidder took the owner of the box and ate the contents. The affair was very successful in every way.

Presiding Elder Corkran writes as follows concerning his visit to Kent: "Piney Neck has bought the property adjoining her handsome new church, which consists of a good lot and an old store and dwelling house combined, and is now building a commodious and handsome parsonage. The plan on which they are building contemplates one of the best parsonages in the district. Bro. Prettyman is doing splendidly and is very popular. Over and above the salary, the people are keeping him. The two weeks revival meeting held in August resulted in about ten conversions and the quickening of the church. Rock Hall, although behind in her salary, I am told is doing better than ever before. It may take a few years to realize it, yet I am fully persuaded that Rock Hall has a bright future. She is now in a transition state. The church greatly needs enlarging and renovating. The grove meeting held in August was a disappointment to the pastor, yet good was done. Bond Chapel, on Pomona charge, is up to date on everything, except, perhaps, its class meetings. The financial report at the second quarterly conference was beyond our highest expectations. But Mowbray Chapel is a church to itself. They won't attend day time preaching, nor have a Sunday-sohool, except as the pastor runs it; and the whole apportionment on salary is raised by a festival from year to year."

The series of meetings conducted by the blind evangelist, Rev. Thos. Houston, closed on Sunday evening at the Kennedyville M. P. Church. Mr. Houston has been engaged in evangelistic work in Kent for several weeks holding meetings in the Presbyterian and M. P. Churches. His congregations have been large and interested and much good has been accomplished.

Mike Carroll, a white man of Middlelown, with a large family, met a tragic death last Thursday morning. He had been engaged on the section of railroad near Mt. Pleasant and it is supposed fell asleep during the night on the track and was run over by a freight train.

DEATH OF HORACE A. WILLSON.

The many friends of ex-County Commissioner Horace A. Willson were very much shocked to hear of his death last Sunday. It is true he had been ill for some weeks, but the most recent tidings from him encouraged the hope that he was in a fair way to recover. It seems that he was taken suddenly worse about noon that day and died of heart failure. Dr. T. B. Willson, his brother, had given him unremitting attention during his long struggle with the dread typhold, and also had the assistance of Dr. W. Frank Hines.

Mr. Willson served four years as county commissioner and was a faithful public servant. Indeed he was one of the best citizens of the county and especially popular with the people of his own section. He was the third son of R. Bennett Willson, Esq., and his wife, who survives him, is a daughter of the late Sandy Willson. This good lady has been sorely afflicted with the typhoid also, but is now recovering.

Mr. Willson has been merchandising at Edesville since he retired from office. He was about 45 years of age and leaves a widow and five children. Funeral services were held at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning at St. John's Catholic Church, Rock Hall, Father McSweeney officiating; interment in St. John's Church cemetery, J. E. Blackiston, undertaker. The pall bearers were the deceased's six brothers: Dr. T. B., R. B. Jr., Paul, Notley, Peter and William Willson.

WILLIAM F. WILLING.

Mr. William F. Willing, after a long illness of consumption, died at the Philadelphia Hospital on Wednesday of last week, aged 42 years. The remains were brought to Chestertown and interred in Chester cemetery. Mr. Willing was a talented artist, and but for the wrecking of his health so early in life would have made his mark. His parents reside in Chestertown.

SHOT BY MISTAKE.

Mr. George L. Bowers, of Worton, is Taken for a Chicken Thief by His Family and is Seriously Hurt.

We regret to announce the serious injury to Mr. George L. Bowers, of Worton, on Saturday night last, under singular circumstances. Mr. Bowers' family consists of two sisters and a brother-in-law, Mr. Robert Holland. Mr. B. returned from the store about 10 o'clock and after putting his horse away went to see that the chickens were safe. His sisters, hearing the noise at the chicken house and having lost some of their fowls recently, supposed this to be the thief and called to Mr. Holland to give him a load of shot. This he did—firing at short range in the direction of the hennery from his window—but fearful to relate, instead of a thief the party shot proved to be the master of the farm! Dr. J. H. Hessey was sent for and treated the wounded man, but thought it best to send him to the hospital in Baltimore, where he has been successfully cared for. One eye is seriously hurt.

Mr. Bowers is one of Worton's best citizens; he is farming about one mile from Hanesville and was one of the registers of voters in his district last year.

Festivals Galore. — The Rock Hall M. E. Church supper takes place tonight. Don't forget it.

St. James M. P. Church festival takes place Friday and Saturday, Oct. 7th and 8th at Worton Station. Their suppers are famous.

Mowbray Chapel will hold their annual festival and supper on the evenings of Oct. 14, 15, 16. These suppers are noted for their fine oysters.

The ladies of Fairlee M. E. Church will hold their annual oyster supper on Thursday, Oct. 14.

The ladies of Kennedyville M. P. Church have engaged the town hall at that place for their festival and supper on Oct. 28, 29 and 30.

Kent Lodge, I. O. O. F., of Galena, will conduct a big festival at their commodious hall on Oct. 13, and a festival and supper on Oct. 14, 15 and 16.

Union M. E. Church will hold a turkey and oyster supper at Worton on Oct. 15 and 16.

A "Missionary Tea" will be held in the lecture room of the M. E. Church, Chestertown next Thursday evening. Be sure and attend it.

The Sick.

Justice Wm. E. Beck, of Worton, who recently suffered a stroke of paralysis, is much better and would be about as usual if it were not for the hiccoughs which keep him weak. The kindness of his many friends during sickness is much appreciated by his family.

The interesting nine-year old daughter of Mr. Herbert Strong, at Rock Hall wharf, is reported quite sick with typhoid.

Dr. J. T. Twilley who has been very sick for some time is reported as being no better.

Miss Rose Frazier is improving.

The festival at St. John's Church, Rock Hall, last Saturday evening was a big success. The politicians were out in force.

A Big Frost was reported in this section last Tuesday morning.

WANAMAKER'S.

PHILADELPHIA, Monday, Sept. 27, 1897.

Dress Goods Show Continues THERE is a touch of Nature, here and there, amid the groupings of art—plants that give background to the color-plays of the stuffs. But they are incidents. THE FABRICS ARE THE SHOW—and such a collection of rich stuffs is here as will delight all lovers of the beautiful.

We are lonesomely at the top as dress-goods sellers—with more of exclusive elegance than could be picked from the six best stocks besides.

Each day's showing will be new in spots—as hidden finery forces its way front.

A hearty Wanamaker welcome to visitors from far and near.

The New Dress Trimmings Are Ready BRAIDS lead. Braids in their simple prettiness and braids twisted into designs more or less elaborate. And beads—strung and twisted into novelly pretty designs, and pearls treated just like beads. There are revers and panels and plastrons and yokes and collars—all fashioned ready for use. If we simply gathered trimmings as they are usually gathered, there would be little to talk of. But hosts of the richest things we show are made exclusively for our selling.

Wonderful Kid Gloves for a Dollar ANY glove expert will tell you so, if he will speak at all regarding another seller's merchandise that he cannot match.

THE PRINCESS MAY GLOVES are made to our order in Grenoble, France. The skins are carefully chosen—REAL KIDSKINS, mind you, which don't go into other gloves to sell at $1.

Thirty-six thousand pairs are here—a complete line of the fall colorings and of black and of white. More will come by steamship every fortnight, but, for all that, we may lack sizes now-and-then. We are America's suppliers of women's good wearing real kid gloves at $1.

John Wanamaker.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following transfers of real estate were recorded by Clerk Sam'l G. Fisher during September: Wm. T. Downey and wife to George Akers, lot of land in the village of Rock Hall, containing 1 rood and 1 perch; consideration $700. Jos. F. Leary to Ulysses G. Coleman and Marcellus Coleman, lot of land in fifth district; consideration $650. Cecil R. Atkinson to Adelaide Chamberlin, all that farm called "Bel Rio," in the fourth district, containing 209 acres; consideration $250 and other considerations. Chas. T. Westcott to Joseph W. Price, all that farm in the third district called Fairy Meadows, Worrell farm or Watson farm, containing 253 acres, 2 roods and 2 perches; consideration $10,000. Samuel Comegys, late sheriff, to H. H. Barroll, two lots of land in Chestertown, on the south side of Cross street; consideration $26 and $11 respectively. Geo. W. Davis and wife to Marion Sewell, lot of land in fifth district, containing 38 perches; consideration $75. Arthur Rasin et al to Joseph Blum, lot of land in third district, containing 1 acre, 2 roods and 12 perches; consideration $30. George L. Maslin to Abraham Alexander, lot of land in the fifth district, containing 2 roods and 21 perches; consideration $325. Alpheus P. Sharp to A. Alexander, lot of land in fifth district. Frank Buckmyer to Marie Buckmyer, two lots of land in fifth district; consideration $1. Wm. H. Coleman and wife to Mary C. Coleman, lot of land in fifth district, containing 31 perches; consideratiod $40. Harriett Jordan and Marius Jordan to George L. Fossett, lot of land in fifth district, containing 1 rood and 7 perches; consideration $5. James A. Mullikin et al to Margaret Mullikin, all the personal and real estate of the late Christopher Wilkinson; consideration $1. Thomas Price to Mary M. Price, lot of land in the fifth district; consideration $1. J. W. Wood and Sarah A. Wood to A. H. Malsberger, lot of land in the village of Masseys; consideration $475.

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Fine Line Cook Stoves, Ranges and Heaters,

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Think of a 25c Coal Hod	10c
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Other Values	5, 6 and 10c
Good Weight 10-4 Double Blanket	43c
A Bargain in Heavy Weight Col'd Blanket	$1.15
Handsome Black Brocade Dress Goods	10 to 50c
Cashmere and Serges, in all the popular colors	10 to 50c

Our Clothing Values Have Unusual Merit This Season!

Men's Wool Pants, Neat Brown Plaid,	$1.50
Fine Black Clay Worsted, Men's Pants,	2.50
Men's Black Cheviot Wool Suits	4.25
All-Wool $10 Suits, Neat Styles	8.50
Boys' All-Wool Knee Pants Suits A Bargain, Bought at Auction.	2.00

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Now for Our Millinery Department that will not be Surpassed by any Season before. We are Showing now the Latest Novelties in Fall and Winter Hats and all Fancy Novelties that Complete a Fine Hat. Our Fine Walking Hats are a Special Feature for Early Fall Wear. Remember we also have Feathers, Wings, Eigrets and all Styles of Fancy Ribbons which are all used in Millinery this Season. Mourning Millinery a Specialty. We keep a full Line of Muslin Underwear, also a Big Assortment of Zephyrs and Germantown of the best make. We are Headquarters for Black Dress Goods. Yours Very Truly,

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Large Line Ladies Dress Suiting, Flannelletts, Satines, &c All New Fall Styles.	10c
Fine 25c Fancy Dress Worsteds	19c
Ladies "All Wool" Suitings, Fancy Weaves, Stripes and Plaids, Plain Colors, and all 25c. These goods are worth 35 cents.	25c
Our Leader Canton Flannel Extra heavy nap and twill, sells 10c everywhere. We offer 2,000 yards at 6½c.	6½c
Fine all-Wool, Red twill flannell, worth to-day 18c yard, our price 12½c	12c
Extra Fine Medicated Red Twill Flannel, only	19c
Fine Soft Cream White, all wool 25c flannel	19c
Extra Line Best Navy Blue Calicoes, all new	5c
The very Heavy Fleece Lined Ladies 50c Vests and pants. Sell quick at our price.	33c
Fine lot extra 25c Ladies Vests and Pants, heavy fleece lined	19c
All Our Best Apron Ginghams	5c
Large Heavy 10-4 White and Grey Bed Blankets, special	50c

We have an extra line of Fine Wool Blankets—price very low.

Cotton Bats for Quilting 1 lb	5c

Men's Fine Wool Shirts and Drawers, large line, very lowest prices.

Men's $2 Cassimere Pants	$1.39
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