1899

Thanks To Everybody

We

enter upon this New Year, '99, with much the same feeling of confidence that a fellow experiences when he knows he has a good thing. Confident of our success, because we know the power of right.

We

have dealt fairly and squarely with everyone, and represented our goods exactly as they are. Hence our progressive strides into this mercantile life. It is to our many patrons among the people of Kent and Queen Anne's counties, that we owe thanks for the comfortable position which we enjoy among clothing sellers today, and by the same untiring efftor to have for you always, the best goods for the least money.

We

hope that our dealings with you for the year '99 may be greatly increased. Always keep your eye upon our adv. Wishing you all a happy future and unbounded prosperity. We are,

Yours for greater business,

J D. LUCAS,

SUCCESSOR TO

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OPPOSITE STAM'S HALL.

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MILLINGTON ITEMS.

Mr. Thos. Sozinskey and sister, Martha, spent their holidays as the guests of Miss Vic Power.

Mr. Frank Waddell has returned to New York. Miss Amy Waddell left town on Monday for Delaware.

Miss Vic Power, accompanied by Miss Lina Sozinskey, spent last week in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Henry Roberts and son, Irving, were guests of Mrs. Ella Boyer.

Miss Etta Massey has returned from Colorado Springs, Colorado, after an absence of two years.

Mr. Howard West visited relatives in town last week.

Mr. Walter Greenwood left Tuesday to resume his studies at Charlotte Hall.

Miss Nan Comegys, Eva Comegys and Marie Hazell and Messrs. Clarence and Paul Comegys were among those who attended the dance at Chestertown last week.

The Sunday school of the P.E.Church held their Xmas entertainment on Tuesday week.

The revival services have begun in the M. E. Church.

There are a number of sufferers from the grip in town.

CHESTERVILLE ITEMS.

A Newsy Budget from up the County—Removals, Personals, Church Items, etc.

Quarterly conference was held at the Trinity M. E. Church, South, Sunday. Owing to the stormy morning and the banked roads many did not turn out.

The chairs for the church were put in last week, but through some misunderstanding the carpet failed to come, but we expect the carpet this week; so the reopening has been postponed. Rev. E. C. Canter, the presiding elder of this district, was to open the services. The Rev. Gentleman was at his post but the congregation failed to turn out.

Rev. J. E. Wilson has organized a Christian Endeavor society here, having the services in the afternoon. The league is growing. This is a good cause and every member should join.

The LaGrippe is making its annual visit and most every family has been afflicted with the dread disease. Some whole families have been down at once.

Mr. Wm. Clarke has been quite sick for the past two weeks. He recovered sufficent to go around but was taken with a relapse.

Mr. Charles Craner, who has been ill for some time, we are glad to say is convalescing.

Mrs. Hudson seems to improve very slow, but we hope she will soon recover her usual health.

Mrs. Coleman is very sick with the muscular rheumatism. She is attended by Dr. Sheppard.

Mr. D. Nowland has been confined to his room for several weeks with pneumonia.

Mr. John Nowland, who has been housed for several weeks, we are glad to say is able to ride out again. His friends welcome his genial face again in the village.

The school "Marms" have returned to their duties and look very much refreshed after their week's holiday. The school opened Tuesday; Monday being a holiday.

Monday was moving-day here; notwithstanding the banked roads, some had twenty miles to go. Messrs. Willard King leaves the village going to the farm vacated by Samuel Ford, Ford takes the Comegys farm, Spencer Comegys goes home with his father, John Comegys takes the farm vacated by Dennis Nowland, Mr. Nowland goes to Middletown, Wm. Coleman goes to the Wm. Lusby farm vacated by John Martin, Mr. Martin goes near Betterton and Thomas Lusby leaves the said farm and goes home with his brother, Wm. Lusby, George Biddle comes from Queen Anne's to the Sanders farm vacated by Coleman, Mr. Garrett goes from the Hurlock farm to a farm near Still Pond, Irvin Hurlock comes from Millington to his father's farm and Mr. Legg from Queen Anne's goes in with him, John Howell, Jr., goes to Crumpton, John Howell, Sr., comes from Smyrna to the village, Mr. Sewart goes near Kennedyville, Mr. Clarke takes the house of Frank Lockerman and Lockerman goes to Millington, Samuel Cole takes the house vacated by Clarke and Thos. Bennet comes back from Wilmington to his own house vacated by Cole, Wesley Wamsley takes what is known as the Patty Godwin farm and George Spry leaves the said farm and goes to Millington, Mr. Dobson comes to his own house from Spry's Gate and Mr. Moffett goes to Shrewsberry Neck, Walter King comes from Sudlersville to the sawmill in the house vacated by D. Wollyhand and Wollyhand takes the house of Samuel Whiltbanks and Whiltbanks goes to his place in Queen Anne's. We welcome our old friends back in our midst and regret to lose those who have gone so far away; particularly our constable who has made an efficient officer, filling his duties satisfactorily; but we suppose Millington will suit him better.

Monday was hog killing day in the village but no weights have been reported.

Presiding Elder Canter spent several days this week at the parsonage.

Messrs. James Willis and Wilmer Nowland, of Chesapeake City, have been guests of Thomas Jones this week.

Miss Eva Foxwell, of the Smyrna Academy, spent the holidays at home.

Our two merchants, Messrs. Dill and Crittendon, both say they had a good trade during the holidays but have plenty left which they are selling at a close margin.

Dr. J. B. Schwatka, of Baltimore, has been on a visit to his father-in-law, E. Cooper.

The young folks are enjoying the skating and sleding at the schoolhouse.

Sleighing has also been excellent, it being the first sleighing snow of the season.

Mr. George Jones, son of W. T. Jones, entered Sadler, Bryant & Stratton Commercial college Wednesday. George is one of our bright boys; we hope and believe that he will be an honor to the college as well as to his parents and the county.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Lusby celebrated their sixtieth marriage anniversary last Tuesday. May they live many years, and live to celebrate their diamond wedding.

Miss Lizzie Jones spent the week with her cousins, the little Misses Vandyke, near Locust Grove.

Mr. Robert Lusby is fast disposing of his Barred Plymouth Rocks but still has a good many to sell. One should examine his fowls before purchasing elsewhere.

Now Messrs. Editors, I hope it is not too late to wish you both and the readers of the NEWS a happy and prosperous New Year, and that we may all turn over a new leaf. SOUTH SIDE.

STILL POND ITEMS.

Mr. William Medders has been in New York on business.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Krusen, of Vineland, N. J., have been visiting friends here.

We are glad to state that Mrs. Amelia Jones and son, and Miss Blanche Starkey are all better.

Miss Daisey Moffett, of Galena, has been the guest of Miss Myra Crewe.

Miss Annie Roeder and mother have rented their home and are boarding at the Parr House.

Mr. Arthur L. Harris has been visiting in Phila. and Balto.

Mr. Elliott Pardee, of Sudlersville, has been visiting Mr. L. Harris Crewe.

Mr. Wm. Krusen has been spending sometime in Vineland, N. J.

Misses May and Louise Pennington have been the guests of Miss Lizzie Pennington, of Kennedyville.

What has become of the much talked of dance?

Rumor announces several weddings for the winter.

Mrs. Pearl Gough, wife of Harry Gough, died at Betterton on Saturday afternoon, aged 23 years. A husband and infant boy, a few days old, survive her. Mrs. Gough was of Baltimore and a most estimable lady.

A very pretty home wedding ceremony was performed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Atwell, near Still Pond, Tuesday evening, when their daughter, Miss Anna Elizabeth Atwell was united in holy wedlock to Mr. Alfred A. Crew. The bride is an accomplished young lady very popular with a large circle of friends. The groom is well-known throughout the county, and is now engaged in business here where the young couple will reside. Many presents of value and usefulness were received by the bride.

FAIRLEE NOTES.

We are "Out on the ocean sailing" the ocean of 1899. We will state some of Fairlee wants on the voyage. We need to be Christians indeed, in whom there is no guilt found.

To talk more about Jesus and less about secular matters, particularly politics.

To be frugal, knowing that nearly every person wastes enough in twenty or thirty years, which, if saved and carefully invested, would make a family quite independent.

Health, knowing this to be the power behind the throne.

More home dealing with our merchants.

A better attendance at the meetings of the Jr. Order Mechanics and the Heptasophs and also increase in their membership.

Our Blacksmith, Wheelwright, Shoemaker and Builders to be over-run with work.

Our butchers to procure nice tender meat for our use, and for them to find ready sales for two beeves per week.

To speak to each other cordially, as we may come in contact with one another.

To be winsome with each other and not repellent.

Social Culture, and to this end more gatherings in our homes.

Mental Culture, and for this we need public library, and we might have one.

More dwelling houses to rent.

The nice room under our town Hall to be tenanted.

A drug store nearer than Chestertown.

Shells or gravel put on some of our streets.

A janitor for our school, and one for each school in the county, and a poll tax for the school fund.

Just such gentlemen as the Barnes Bros., and family who have removed to Lankford, to have remained with us. Our loss is Lankford's gain.

Just such families as those of Mr. C. B. Lamb, Mr. Frazier Meeks' and Mr. Newcome, have moved into our town to be among us. And we welcome them.

Mr. T. H. M. Bramble to get over the grip, that he may be around again.

More snow for coasting.

Betterton Briefs.

The schooners "Cecelia" and "Eulalie" left here Friday morning with tug Sydney loaded with grain. After discharging their loads they started for Worton Creek, but were compelled to return to the city on account of the very heavy ice.

Misses Lizzie Brice, Elsie Crew and Estella Crew have returned to their schools after having spent the holidays at their parental homes.

Mr. Floyd Crownhart has accepted a position in Baltimore.

Mr. Wm. Turner has returned to his college in Pennsylvania.

Miss Goodhand, our efficient teacher, spent the holidays in Baltimore.

Mrs. McVade has been visiting relatives here.

Miss Clara Andra has been the guest of Miss Elsie Crew.

Miss Dora Rambo is visiting her mother in Delaware.

Miss Estella Duer is visiting her sister, Mrs. James Crew. GYPSY.

In Memoriam.

In loving remembrance of my dear daughter, C. Lula Groves, whose spirit went home to God two years ago today, Jan. 2, 1897, there to await the coming of her beloved ones left behind. Our heart will ever be sad and desolate until we go to meet her in that bright and happy home above, where partings and grief and sorrow are unknown. MAMA.

One year ago today, Jan. 2, 1898, passed into life eternal our beautiful grandchild, Nellie E. Todd. A child of more rare and lovely nature never blessed this earth. Deprived of her sweet presence, so full of hopeful anticipation, she set the bright star of our lives. There is the comforting thought that through the portals of bitter death we shall one day greet her forevermore.

She filled our home when she was here
With joy and sunshine,
We loved her perhaps too well
This baby girl of ours.

By her GRANDFATHER.

THERE will be no preaching at St. James nor at Lynch's tomorrow (Sunday) on account of sickness of the pastor's family in Washington.

REVIVAL services at Chestertown M. E. Church every night the coming week. Everybody invited. Dr. C. A. Grise, pastor.

GRACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Kennedyville. *Rev. K. M. Bull, Pastor.*
2 p. m.—Sunday School.
3 p. m.—Preaching.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Worton. *Rev. K. M. Bull, Pastor*
7 p. m.—Song Service and Preaching.
Morning service discontinued.

Did YOU Ever Notice

How a Snow Ball Grows in Size as it Rolls Along?

Its all simple enough—nothing but holding fast at each revolution to what the last revolution attached, Precisely so in business—old customers must stick if the business ball is to grow. What makes them stick? a good many things, but the foundation is always the—sound reliable goods—goods that keep your promises—goods that work and wear.

Our Stock

is always made up with goods from old reliable manufacturers and when we tell you what an article is made of we are ready, and *WILL* stand back of our representations.

Our Stock is always large—thus giving you a wide range for selection, and our prices invariably lower than other dealers charge for the same quality.

See Us

about your Watch, Clock and Jewlry repairing, we do it right and you will be pleased.

EYES carefully tested and glasses properly fitted at half the price "fake" opticians charge you.

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JEWELER AND OPTICIAN,

Chestertown, - - Maryland.

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I would like to exchange my equity in a large tenement in New York City, on 10th street, for a farm in Kent county. No objection to a small mortgage on the farm.
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Auditor's Notice.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, No. 1262 Equity.

Henrietta M. Wilson, et. al.,
versus
Unknown Heirs of Patrick Murray,

THE creditors of PATRICK MURRAY, interested in the proceeds of sale in this case, will file their claims properly authenticated, with the Clerk of the Circuit Court within sixty days from the date of the first date of this notice.

By order of court.
EBEN F. PERKINS, AUDITOR.
Dec. 31, 1898—4t.

SPECIAL BARGAINS IN OUR CARPET DEPARTMENT now and the coming week. Special Drives in RUGS.
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"Cash Buyer Cash Seller"

CHESTERTOWN HAS ONLY ONE

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AMERICAN GRANULATED SUGAR, *all you want*, per lb.,	5c
BUCKWHEAT, Park, per lb., dark	2c
BEST FAMILY FLOUR, per bbl.,	$4.00
FINEST CALIFORNIA PRUNES, per lb.,	5c
ROLLED OATS, new and fresh, per lb.,	2½c
KINGANS BEST SUGAR CURED HAMS, per lb.,	10c
ENTERPRISE COFFEE, per lb.,	10c
LYE, per can,	5c
LARD, per lb.,	6c
7 BOTTEES YEAST POWDER	25c
Very Fine RAISINS, per lb.,	5c
ESS. LEMON and VANILLA, 2 bottles for	5c
LAMP CHIMNEYS, all sizes,	5c
LAMP BURNERS, small and medium sizes,	5c
SEVEN ELEVEN COFFEE, per lb., come and ask us about it,	20c
OURS ICE-CREAM TABLE SYRUP, per gallon,	25c

CUT PRICES on Beans, Hominy and all Can Goods. Also, Buttermilk and other Toilet Soap.

Tobacco! Tobacco!

We simply set back and laugh at the enormous prices that NEW CUSTOMERS tell us they have been paying for TOBACCO. For instance A say how do you do to sell SCHNAPP TOBACCO for 35 cents a pound. B says: 35c for Schnapps, why, Boss, Ise bee payin 45 and some places 50c fur it, but I'll take 3 lbs at den figers. C says: see here, Mr. Smith, I read your advertisement on Schnapps Tobacco at 35c only, our merchant says Schnapps Tobacco cannot be sold at 35c; not even can he get it wholesale at 35c delivered and yet in the face of oll this you sell SCHNAPPS TOBACCO at 35c to everybody.

SMITH simply smiles and say, how much do you want. The proof of the price is chewing 35c SCHNAPPS TOBACCO, wich can be bought at only ONE PLACE and that is at the "Cash Buyer and Cash Seller," Chas. S. Smith, Chestertown's Only Cash Merchant, where all other Tobacco, CHEWING and SMOKING, are sold below Jober Price. Give SMITH an early call.

A great many merchants advertise "CLEARING SALES," the Cash Merchant never has the opportnnity.

Think that over.

Our Candy Department

has been restocked, think of that, RESTOCKED THREE TIMES IN THIRTY DAYS. All Goods Fresh, and all Fresh Goods Good.

Our 10c Box Candy is big value. See it.

Our 25c Mixed Candy is still a wonder. See it.

Lowney's Candy Headquarters for the Eastern Shore is in our beautiful show case. 'Tis simply G-R-A-N-D.

We close out all on Mixed Cakes at 10c.

Mason's Fine Ginger Snaps, 5c lb.

Nic Nacs, 5c a box.

You know how we done you last year, don't you? Well we'll still do you allright when you call.

Respectfully.

CHAS. S. SMITH,

CHESTERTOWN'S ONLY CASH MERCHANT.

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