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THE races at Tolchester have all filled. In the 2.45 class there are 7 entries; in the road cart 12; 3.30, 14; 2.30, 7; 2.20, 8; 2.24, 7; 2.32, 10; 2.12, 6; and in the 2.30 pace there are 9 entries.

NOTICE TO TONGERS.

For the convenience of the Tongers of the Fifth District, I will issue Oyster Licenses on Wednesday, Aug. 29th next, at the following places: At Mr. S. J. Wickes store from 8 a. m. to 10 a. m.; Rock Hall, at Mr. Satterfield's store from 10.30 a. m. to 2.30 p. m., and Piney Neck at Mr. W. R. Coleman's store from 3 p. m. to 4.30 p. m.
JAMES T. DIXON, CLERK.
a25-tf.

PROPOSALS FOR COAL.

The County Commissioners of Kent County, will receive at their office in the Court House at Chestertown, up to Tuesday, Aug. 28th, sealed proposals for supplying

40 Tons of Egg and 20 Tons Nut Coal,

best anthracite, 2240 pounds to the ton, to be delivered and stored in the coal house at the County Jail Chestertown, on or before Oct. 1st, 1900. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to increase or decrease the quantities mentioned.
H. THEODORE JEWELL,
Clerk to Board of County Commissioners.

FINAL NOTICE.

All persons indebted to the estate of the late James E. Blackiston, of Rock Hall, on store account or for undertaking are notified that settlement must be made AT ONCE as the estate must be closed. Mr. W. E. Leary, in the store of J. V. Kilbourn, Esq., will receipt for all payments.
WM. B. USILTON,
aug 18-tf. Administrator.

ECLIPSE SEED WHEAT FOR SALE.

I have a few hundred bushels of Eclipse wheat that I will sell in quantities to suit until Sept. 1st. This is a vigorous, stiff straw, bearded wheat that produced for me seven bushels more per acre than Fultz. Call on or address J. R. COPPER,
"Locust Grove farm"
aug11-3t. near Kennedyville, Md.

NOTICE.

We will visit Chestertown at an early day to appoint a District Agent for the Equitable Life Insurance Society of N. Y. To a man of character and ability a valuable contract carrying renewals will be given.
Address, with references,
SIBLEY & STEINER,
Rooms 403-405 Ford Building,
a25-tf. Wilmington, Del.

GRADUATE OPTICIAN.

Does your head ache? If so, call on A. LEVINE, Scientific Optician. Eyes examined free, glasses correctly and perfectly fitted to the eyes and not the eyes to the glasses. Greatest care exercised in adjusting glasses for children.
A. LEVINE, Manager,
aug18-m. CHESTERTOWN, MD.

PEACH SCHEDULE of Steamer "TOURIST."

On and after MONDAY, August 6, 1900, the steamer Tourist will leave Crumpton

DAILY at 2 o'clock P. M.

Chestertown,	5.00 P. M.
Rolph's (Hurlocks)	5.30 "
Riverside,	6.00 "
Emory's (Quaker Neck)	6.30 "
Rock Hall,	9.30 "

☞ All fruit landed on Light Street, Ericsson Pier.

The steamer will not guarantee to land passengers on schedule time, and on the return trip from Baltimore will run straight to Chestertown, delivering freight at Rock Hall on the evening trip.

All kinds of freight solicited.
W. W. HUBBARD, President.
J. D. BACCHUS, Manager.

Form the Good Habit of SAVING!

MAKE A BEGINNING!

Open an account with us with $1.00 You will have a sense of independence and luxury in the possession of

A Savings Bank Account,

Interest paid on deposits.

Kent County Savings Bank

OF CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Open every business day from 9 a. m. to 3 p m. Your account is respectfully solicited.
JOHN K. ALDRIDGE, President.
WM. F. RUSSELL, Cashier.

New Jewelry Store!

A. LEVINE,

The Old Reliable Watchmaker, Jeweler and Optician,

FORMERLY OF STILL POND,
has opened a First Class Jewelry Store in Chestertown, next door to the Kent County Savings Bank.

My store is now open with a full line of WATCHES, CLOCKS, and JEWELRY of all descriptions. I promise that I will sell first-class goods: that I can prove by my old Still Pond customers and also from surrounding country.

☞ WATCH and JEWELRY REPAIRING. I can offer you the same guarantee. I do nothing but high grade work, and all repairing is done by myself and guaranteed. I solicit from the public a fair trial.
A. LEVINE, Manager.
aug18-m. CHESTERTOWN, MD

At Still Pond.

Armour's Best Dried Beef in 14 pound cans for 19c.
Enterprise best pkg. Coffee 10c
Cosmo genuine Buttermilk soap 6c
Fine imp't. gran. Sugar 5¾c
Have you visited MEDDERS & CO'S?
See their adv. on page 5.

WANTED TO BUY:

A FARM OF ABOUT 200 ACRES, in Kent county. State lowest cash price, character of soil, location, etc.
Address C. A. KOLLMEYER,
Hanesville, Md.
a18-3t*. Or 2005 W. Pratt St., Baltimore.

FOR SALE.

ECLIPSE SEED WHEAT produced 35 Bushels per acre, will beat Curls Prolific 5 per acre; has been well tested. For sale in small lots. Also have 2,000 Peach Baskets, cheap. Address,
J. C. SUTTON,
aug 18—3t. Black's, Md.

FARM FOR SALE:

A FARM containing 196 ACRES OF LAND situate in Broad Neck, on Lankford's Bay. The soil is very productive and building and fencing in good repair. Will make a desirable home and good investment.
Apply to
WM. W. BECK,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
a11-3t. Chestertown, Md.

A DESIRABLE HOUSE & LOT FOR SALE.

This property is situated in the town of MILLINGTON, Kent county, Md., lying on the south side of Cypress street, fronting on the same 50 feet, extending with an equal width over 200 feet to Chester river. The house is a frame dwelling, two stories, six rooms; good well of water, stable and outbuildings. For terms apply to
HENRY TONKIN,
aug 25—1 mo. Millington, Md.

FOR RENT:

A comfortable DWELLING at Quaker Neck Wharf.
Apply to
aug 18—3t. CAPT. R. S. EMORY.

WATTS BOARDING HOUSE for Rent.

Twenty-five Rooms. Electric Lighted. For the year 1901. Apply to
a4-tf. THOMAS W. ELIASON,

FOR RENT FOR 1901.

Dwelling House desirably located on Queen street, Chestertown, now occupied by Mr. James W. Crouch; convenient and roomy, good cellar, water in kitchen, sewer connections. Apply to
J. H. SIMPERS,
aug4-3t. Chestertown

FOR SALE OR RENT:

The DWELLING HOUSE on Maple avenue now tenanted by Frank M Miller, and the STORE HOUSE and DWELLING on High street now tenanted by Thomas B. Elliott. Rent low. Apply to
jy-14. WM. J. VANNORT.

BUCKS FOR SALE OR HIRE.

Thoroughbred Southdowns. Arrived today with 75 fine stock ewes and 9 yearling heifers. Will exchange for fat stock.
JOHN GALE & SON, AGTS.,
Live Stock Dealers. Hanesville, Md.
aug 18

FARM WANTED.

I want to rent a good farm for next year. Will give first-class endorsement.
Apply at KENT NEWS Office.

ANNE ARUNDEL ACADEMY

MILLERSVILLE, MD.

Forty-sixth year begins September 11, with liberal endowment, enlarged building and increased teaching force.

Thirty-two free scholarships—exceptional surroundings.

For further information, address
WM. H. THOMPSON, A. B., Principal.
aug18—13ts Millersville, Md.

ARE YOU GOING TO

The Fair

If so, be sure you call at our Exhibition Tent and see our display. Polite and courteous attendants will take pleasure in explaining the various articles we will have there. Make it your headquarters while on the grounds. Examine the

Special "FISH WAGON"

which we have had built especially for this county. Its a beauty, and we have a carload of them on the way. Don't fail to examine

THE "VULCAN PLOW"

while you are there, examine its principles and get some printed matter to take home with you. The greatest plow in the world to-day. The

"SUPERIOR DOUBLE DISC DRILL"

will also be on exhibition and the representative will gladly show it to you, and explain its "Superior" advantages. This sample is sold, but let us have your order for one just like it. It will not bunch your wheat.

"CORTLAND CARRIAGES"

will also be on exhibition, and a very beautiful line it is. See them, and secure one of these "Fair" jobs. They will stand the most rigid examination.

American Field Fence, Aspinwall Churns, Lawn Swings, Owen's Grain Fans and many other articles will be there. Our exhibit will be near the main Exhibition Hall and we extend to you a most cordial welcome.

ISAAC ROBINSON.

CHESTERTOWN, MD., OPP. THE FOUNTAIN. STILL POND, "THE HALL."
Ask for our Vest Pocket Memorandum Book.

A Paying Investment—Policy No. 2292 for $1300 issued in 1878 by the Mutual Fire Insurance Co., of Kent co., Md., which was cancelled a few days ago shows the following results:

The insured paid the Company in premiums		88 90
In assessments		9 36
Total payment		98 26
The Company paid the insured in dividends	7 92	
And in check the day of cancellation	67 79	75 71
		$22 55

This policy has covered an insurance of $1300 twenty-two years at a cost of $22.55 to the insured.

A GREAT STORM!

Wind and Hail Play Havoc in Kent County Saturday Evening---A Veritable Cyclone in Certain Sections.

FARMERS LOSE FRUIT AND CORN.

The storm of Saturday evening was the worst that has visited Kent County since the cyclone that wrecked the cannery at Still Pond and killed several persons. There were two distinct storms each being accompanied by wind, rain and hail. The first came up from the north-east about 6.30 P. M. and lasted for an hour and the second from the south-west about 9.30. The path of the storm did not cover a wide area but played havoc wherever it visited. The NEWS man rode over part of the path of the storm and noted the ruin wrought by hail and wind.

STILL POND NECK LOSSES.

The heavily laden fruit trees in Still Pond Neck were seriously injured and thousands of baskets of peaches and pears knocked off. Mr. James Harris will lose nearly 6,000 baskets of fruit; Mr. J. H. O. Stokes loses many trees and thousands of baskets of peaches; Mr. Frank Meeks says he'll not have a tomato and where he expected 8,000 baskets of pears he will not get 1,000; Mr. Ivens says his tomato patch is ruined.

James S. Harris, Esq., says the hail was piled up twelve inches deep on his wharf reminding him more of the Klondyke than Kent county. He estimates the loss to the six or seven fruit growers in the Neck to be $12,000! The corn was hurt, the fruit trees torn to pieces, tomatoes ruined and the ground covered with fruit. Mr. Harris says he is thankful to be alive.

NEAR CHESTERTOWN & BAKER'S WOODS.

The hall at Worton Station owned by Dad Kiker was blown over and several carriages smashed. This hall was shaken several years ago and has been held up by props. It has done good service first as an exhibition hall for Worton Fair then as a place to hold festivals.

The barn and granary of H. C. Willis, in which was stored 2,600 bushels of wheat and farming implement, was wrecked. Fortunately the roof fell almost intact, and in such a position as to protect the grain from the downpour of rain. The barn of Charles Jessop, in which were 1,600 bushels was also demolished and the wheat damaged.

Next comes Mr. R. R. Hatcherson's home where the elegant shade trees were topped and his peach orchard wrecked. His corn is also hurt.

Mr. Edward Lusby's corn is badly damaged.

Mr. J. W. Copper loses several fine shade trees, one of which fell within a foot of the house roof. His apple crop was blown off.

Mr. J. K. Aldridge suffers the loss of fully 5000 baskets of peaches on his Ringgold farm, besides having his orchards considerably damaged.

Mr. George Bell loses about 6000 baskets of peaches, orchard almost completely ruined, several wagon and cow sheds demolished, a number of cherry and shade trees and two of his horses frenzied by the hail, ran aganist the fence and injured themselves; one will likely die.

LATER—Both horses are dead. Upon examination Dr. Jarman found that the young horse had run a piece of thorn hedge in its side for over a foot, and the driving horse a piece in its breast at least ten inches long!

Mr. S. G. Lee says he'll lose at least 5,000 baskets of peaches and 1500 baskets of pears, the hail having punctured nearly every peach. His corn was pelted into shreds and watermelons marked by hail. He says it was the worst storm he ever saw.

Four of the largest trees in Baker's woods were twisted off and crashed to the ground. If camp had been held serious loss to life might have resulted.

Mr. W. T. Nicholson, on Mr. Josiah Lusby's "Fancy" farm, has 2000 baskets of peaches on the ground and perhaps as many more hurt by hail on trees. His orchard is also damaged considerably. His corn crop is flat on the ground with blades stripped off. His fencing was greatly torn down and a large cherry and shade trees uprooted.

Mr. Joseph Watson, on Mr. Josiah Lusby's farm, had about 1000 baskets of peaches blown off his trees, and those remaining on trees much damaged.

Mr. Romie Byron's orchards were terribly wrecked while his corn was blown to the ground. His wind mill was damaged.

Mr. Wilbur Eliason says the hail not only cut off his blades but literally husked his corn.

A 90-foot shed and hay loft, nearly new on the Carvil farm of H. W. Vickers, Esq., and tenanted by Mr. Wm. H. Clough was blown over and hundreds of dollars damage done to machinery and wagons that were stored therein. A colored man had taken refuge with his team under the shed. His carriage was crushed but the horse and man escaped. The building cost $600.

Mr. W. S. Elburn at the mill lost all his apples, one-third of his tomatoes and part of his corn. His son, John, was caught near Brice's Mill with a dayton load of children and Mrs. Elburn. The carriage was overturned but all escaped and took refuge in Mr. Beachamp's home until the storm was over.

DAMAGE IN LOWER KENT.

Hundreds of trees were uprooted, corn blown down and the ground covered with thousands of baskets of fruit. The home place of Bartus Trew, in Quaker Neck, suffered severely. His pear and peach orchards are wrecked. Shade trees on the lawn had the tops completely taken off.

Judge Joseph A. Wickes' farm, in Quaker Neck, tenanted by Mr. Carville Maslin, looks like a genuine Western cyclone had struck it. Nearly every apple tree on the place is twisted in half or uprooted completely. The top of a shade tree in front of the house was twisted off and the large end hurled clear through one side of the house, leaving a hole three feet square. The chimneys on the house were lifted completely from the roof and landed in the yard. The peach and pear orchards are nearly wrecked and the ground covered with fruit. The corn is leveled to the ground.

The farm of Mr. Robert Ford, adjoining that of Mr. Maslin, is nearly as bad. Several fences were blown away for 100 yards in length.

Rev. Mr. Cannon, who lives near Pomona, had his house smashed by a large tree in front being uprooted.

Mr. Henry Brown says he can pick up 1000 baskets of pears from his orchard that were blown off. Other farmers in Quaker Neck also suffered severe loss by the cyclone.

Hon. James H. Baker, at Pomona, is a heavy loser. He had many thousands of baskets of peaches and pears knocked off his trees and the trees badly damaged. It is estimated that he will lose 1500 baskets of peaches and pears.

Eli Bowsers new house was slewed off the foundation.

Hubert Smith had three posts split in half by the lightning.

Fannel's branch and Fairlee are down, while a half bushel of sparrows were killed and lay along the road.

Mr. W. B. Nourse at Pomona was relieved of nearly everything in the way of growing crops—tomatoes, corn, 3500 head of cabbage, celery, etc. Mr. Nourse picked up 500 English sparrows that had been killed by hail! Several trees fell near Mr. Nourse's home and that there was no loss of human lives is a miracle.

LOSS AROUND LANKFORD.

Mr. I. R. Leaverton, near Lankford, suffered greatly. He loses about 2000 baskets of peaches. A young orchard of 1500 trees is left almost worthless. His corn and tomato crops are ruined. Nearly all of his shade trees about his residence were blown down. A tenant house which he was remodeling, was blown over and wrecked. Mr. Leaverton exhibited some peaches that were left on the trees. They were cut and bruised so by hail as to be utterly worthless. He has sold his peach baskets and does not expect to ship any more fruit.

Mr. I. F. Walbert had a 15x32 foot shed blown down, the roof having been blown off 30 feet and the big corner post hid away under a hay rick 90 feet away! His corn and apples were also damaged.

Mr. James Walbert on the Crew farm had the top blown off of his cannery used by him for a carriage shed.

Mr. W. E. Deford on the Constable farm lost his wind-mill and will lose considerable fruit. He brought samples of his peaches to the NEWS office which show bruises wherever the hail pelted them.

The grainery of Mr. Charles Jessop was demolished and about 1600 bushels of wheat damaged.

Mr. W. Tilden Brice, at Lankford, has fully 7000 baskets of peaches scattered over the ground and his orchard is a wreck.

Mr. Rollison, on the Cruikshanks farm, says that four-fifths of his fruit is on the ground.

Mr. Geo. Beck, in Broad Neck, was also among the greatest sufferers. He loses about 6000 baskets of peaches and pears and his orchards wrecked.

A wagon in his field was blown across an 80-acre field and lodged in a thorn hedge!

Mr. John L. Deputy was returning from Tolchester with two boarders when his carriage was upset, but no one was hurt. One gentleman, having his family of four in a Dayton wagon, turned the back of the vehicle to the storm. The wind picked it up and hurled it and its occupants completely over the horse.

Mr. Walter Skirven's orchard was wrecked and a gate broken in half by the force of the wind.

Some of the finest timber in the county is destroyed, large hickory and oak trees and hundreds of shade trees having been wrenched off as though they were straws. The tomato crop was literally beaten into the ground.

Forty-five feet of the wharf of Capt. Robert S. Emory, in Queen Anne's, on Chester river, was ripped up bodily. Sheds were torn to pieces as though they had been made of paper.

The steamers report a rough trip.

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Wedding Notes.

Chestertown the Mecca for Eloping Parties—Rev. J. D. Kemp Marries two Couples.

Mr. Alfred B. Gawler, of Washington, D. C., and Miss Sallie E. Hager, of Hagerstown, have been enjoying a few days stay with a number of friends at Radcliff Hall, near town. During the past week the couple decided to marry and on Wednesday came to Chestertown and were united in holy wedlock by Rev. J. D. Kemp at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Bordley. After the ceremony they took rooms at the Watts House where they have been spending their honeymoon.

A dayton containing two gentlemen and two ladies came from Tolchester to Chestertown Wednesday in search of a Methodist minister who could marry a couple from Baltimore. They learned that Rev. J. M. Gill was out of town and also Rev. E. C. Sunfield, but were directed by Mr. C. H. Davis to Mr. T. S. Bordley's home where Rev. J. D. Kemp, of Felton, was visiting. They did so, and to their joy found the amiable minister who tied the knot. They had procured the license of Clerk Dixon befor starting in search of a minister so that it would require but a few minutes to perform the ceremony. Besides the bridal couple there were present Mr. and Mrs. Bordley and family and the sister of the bride. The interested parties were Mr. Arthur V. Charshee, a lumber dealer of Baltimore city, and Miss Sadie A. Hayden, an attractive young lady also of Baltimore. After the ceremony they drove to Tolchester with old shoes hanging from the carriage! There is said to have been some opposition to the wedding on the part of the older people and therefore Chestertown was chosen as the place for the ceremony. A fairer spot could not have been found.

Rev. E. C. Sunfield on Wednesday night united Mr. John H. Elliott and Miss Alice R. Cahall in marriage at the residence of a friend at Ford's blacksmith shop, near town. The couple were from Queen Anne's.

STOCK SELLS HIGH!

Personal Sales in the NEWS Draw Large Crowds and Good Prices Are Realized.

The James Lewis sale Thursday was a big success. Horses brought from $35 to $126, cows from $35 to $60, a second hand binder brought $72, etc. Two cows brought $118! It is said to have been equal to the Anderson sale of a few weeks ago, which was the biggest sale held in Kent for ten years.

Mr. Wright Robinson's sale Wednesday was well attended and good prices were realized.

THE sales of personalty advertised in the NEWS for this week were well attended and good prices were realized. At Mrs. S. E. Sutton's sale on Monday horses brought from $25 to $80, cattle $20 to $35, and implements brought fair prices.

PURSE-NET FISHING.

Deputy Sheriff Jackson Davis, on Thursday, served warrants on Capt. Thomas, Frank Hartman, Jos. Taylor, David Joiner and Tunis Kerr, well known watermen of Rock Hall, charging them with fishing with purse-nets in forbidden waters. The charge was made and the warrants issued at the instigation of State Game Warden Henry Braunse, who telegraphed the information to Judge James A. Pearce. The alleged violation of law occurred on August 4th, when the State Game Warden and a number of Baltimoreans were at Betterton and saw the schooner North Carolina engage in fishing above the line limit. They each gave bail before Justice Wilkins and have employed J. W. Chapman Jr., Esq., to represent them at a hearing today.

THE Ladies' exhibits at the Kent and Queen Anne's Fair next week will be more numerous than last year.

PERSONAL TIDINGS.

Misses Cora and Hattie Reed will take a well-earned vacation next week and spend it at Atlantic City.

Mr. Arlington Sparks and family are visiting his parents at Crumpton.

Misses Iris and Barbara Anthony have been visiting friends in Phila.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Toulson are at Ocean Grove for a week.

Mrs. William J. Vannort and granddaughter are spending ten days at Atlantic City.

Misses Mattie and Emma Davis, of Still Pond, have arrived home from Milford, Del., accompanied by their cousins, Misses Elizabeth and Helen Rickards.

Miss Ella Whitworth, of Elkton, Md., is visiting the Misses Davis, at the hospitable home of Harry Davis, Esq., in Still Pond.

Mrs. Dr. Gundry, of Catonsville, is visiting her brother, Dr. W. F. Hines.

Miss Lillie Legg, of near Sudlersville, has obtained a position in Mr. John Bartley's carpet and furniture store.

Misses Parker and Ida Kendall, two attractive ladies of Baltimore, are the guests of Miss Florence Green, Maple avenue.

Mr. Chas. Green, of New York, spent Sunday with Mr. C. S. Smith.

Mr. H. Stockton Startt, of Balto., has been spending the week in Kent.

Miss Nellie Pettibone, of Balto., is the guest of Miss Mamie Thompson on High street.

Miss Ella Stevens, of Balto., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Lee, near Melitota.

Mr. J. B. Bradley, of Chestertown, is visiting in Wye Neck.

Miss Mabel Walls gave a lawn party at the residence of her father, Mr. Medford Walls, near Church Hill, last Tuesday evening.

Miss Sallie R. Jones, of Still Pond, is visiting friends in Centreville.

S. Chester Coursey, junior editor of the Centreville Record, spent last Sunday and Monday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Davis, in Kent.

Miss Bertie Potts and Mrs. N. G. Hobbs, of Baltimore, are guests of Mrs. W. L. Faulkner, Quaker Neck.

Mr. G. L. Chrisfield, of the Maryland House of Correction spent three days of last week with his family in Locust Grove.

Mrs. Thomas Beach, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Hack, both of Philadelphia, for the past week returned home Monday, accompanied yb her two grand-children.

Mr. W. S. Elburn has given up the Wickes farm at the mill, and Mr. Barrett Smith, formerly of Queen Anne's, has rented it.

Mrs. Emily L. Matthews will spend the winter with her niece in Brooklyn, New York.

Miss Fannie Baker is visiting Miss Spry, in Queen Anne's.

Col. Wm. J. Vannort will attend the G. A. R. encampment in Chicago next week.

Miss Lydia Flintham, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Mrs. J. W. Crouch, Queen street.

Rev. J. D. Kemp, of Felton, delighted a large audience Sunday morning with a fervent discourse in the M. E. Church here.

Misses Clara Vickers, Florence Beck, May Jones and Messrs. Rudolph Stam, Frank Simpers and Geo. Perkins spent last Sunday evening in a delightful gathering of young folks at the home of Harry Davis, Esq., in Still Pond.

J. Frank Biggs, Esq., of Wilmington, Del., was in Kent on business last Monday.

Mr. F. R. Mead, of Minneapolis, has been visiting Mr. Josiah Massey, near town. His description of the big flour mills which make 25,000 barrels per day, gives an idea of what becomes of some of the wheat raised in that section. Mr. Massey also entertained Mr. A. B. Coleman, of Tennessee, the secretary of Democratic headquarters in Washington. Mr. C. says the indications point to Bryan's election.

Miss Susie Belle Culp, under the tutelage of her brother, is becoming an expert telegraph operator.

Miss Hester A. Russell is visiting her sister at Denton, and later will go to Wilmington, Del.

Mrs. D. D. Matteson, of Brockton, Mass., and Miss Eva Clayton, of Baltimore, are visiting Miss Nettie Russell, High street.

Mr. Thos. W. Perkins is recuperating at Atlantic City, having recently recovered from a spell of sickness.

Mr. Joseph Guest enjoyed a trip from Baltimore to Annapolis on the steamer Louise, on Thursday of last week, as the guest of the National Association of Hay Dealers. He reports a royal time.

Mrs. J. A. Dunkelberger and daughter, Maude, of Shamokin, Pa., and Mrs. S. H. Pinnin, of Marydel, Md., have returned after a pleasant visit to their brother, G. T. Musselman, Queen street.

Miss Lula E. Thomas, of Baltimore City, has been appointed to Eastern Neck Island school.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Nicholson entertained a select party at a sumptuous 6 o'clock dinner Wednesday.

Evans, youngest son of James Catlin, was taken to Baltimore Monday for treatment. He has been unable to walk for several days. Dr. Norman Dudley and Dr. Catlin, of Chestertown, Mrs. J. H. Evans and Carroll Catlin, accompanied him to the hospital.

Rev. W. L. Gray, of Bridgeton, N. J., is the guest of Rev. E. C. Sunfield.

Mrs. Mary E. Carson, of Braintree, Mass., with her two sons, Walter and Frank, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Guest.

Mrs. Hoffman and daughter, of Washington, D. C., are guests of Mrs. J. H. Simpers.

Miss Anna May Miller, of Greenville, Ohio, is the charming guest of Miss Cora Massey, near town.

Mrs. Dr. S. E. Ford is still critically ill. The doctor on Thursday pronounced her trouble peritonitis.

Mr. Wm. Keating, of Rock Hall, is not expected to live. He is an artist of some reputation and a fine young man.

Miss Ruth Wood, of Still Pond, has been the guest of Miss Mae Usilton, at "Bayside" this week.

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