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STAM'S OPERA HOUSE,

THURSDAY, MARCH 13, 1902,

—THE—

Musical Trio!

MARSHAL SISTERS AND MISS MARIAN WILSON.

A fine entertainment that is good for old and young. Songs, Character Duets, Recitations, Violin, Cello, Mandolin and Xylophone music. Admission 25 and 35 cents.

A MUSICAL

The choir of Chestertown M. E. Church, will give a musical and literary entertainment at ZION CHURCH, MORGNEC, on the evening of Friday March 14th for the benefit of Zion Church. Adults, 25c. children 10c.

mr.8 W. B. COLEMAN, pastor.

BOAT FOUND.

Found adrift on March 1st. 1901, off Swan Point a BATEAU 15 feet long, 5 feet wide, 2 pair swivels, no oars, never was painted. The owner will please come forward, prove property, pay charges and take her away, if not, she will be sold after 30 days. Apply to

CHAS. S. PORTER, Rock Hall, Md.

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HAY FOR SALE.

FIFTEEN TONS OF CHOICE MIXED HAY FOR SALE. It is free from weeds and guaranteed as to quality. Price $16.00 Ton.

SAMUEL J. COMLY, Locust Grove, Md.

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FOR SALE.

THE TWO COCHRAN FARMS,

known as the Biddle Lands, two miles north of Chestertown, 747 Acres.

Also, THE REYBOLD FARM, near Worton Station, 288 Acres.

These are among the best in Kent county, Md., all clear and tillable. Best of improvements.

GEORGE W. INGRAM, Middletown, Del.

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A CARD TO THE PUBLIC.

HAVING purchased the stock, fixtures and good-will in the Wheel-wright business at STILL POND, I am now prepared to serve my friends and patrons and the public generally with all work in a first-class manner that is usually done in a First-class Wheel-wright shop. I will continue to have on hand WAGONS & DEARBORNS. Having been manager of this branch of Mr. Hacket's business for the past 13 years, I feel assured I can give entire satisfaction. Thanking you in advance for your patronage.

I am yours truly

mar1-3t* C. W. HAGUE.

CHOICE WESTERN

Clover AND Timothy SEEDS

We handle only the BEST GRADES. Inferior seed not cheap at any price. Economize in quantity, and not in quality.

STOCK ON HAND. CLOSE PRICES.

TURNER & SON,

mar1. BETTERTON, MD.

Meat and Groceries.

FAT HOGS AND BEEF CATTLE WANTED

WE, the undersigned, having purchased the goods and store fixtures of Roland Bros. uptown store, opposite Mrs. Gruber and N. C. Crow, wish to see our many friends as we think we can furnish one and all with a fresh and first-class line of GROCERIES and also FRESH and SALT MEAT in any quantity. Hoping to see you all, we remain

Yours respectfully,

ROLAND, ROLLISON & CO.

GREAT FORTUNES WAITING FOR THOUSANDS

THE HEIR SEARCHING COMPANY of London, Eng., and New York City, U. S., have appointed me, the undersigned as Assistant Searcher for Maryland and Delaware. There is in my hands a large book containing thousands of family names, for whom is waiting millions of money. The Heir Searching Co., has no earthly connection with any claim agency whatever. They simply give you the name of Estates waiting claimants and name and address of Attorney, if such are connected with the estate. Charges are 25 cents for each name, with information as to Attorney, connected therewith, one and two-cent stamps taken. Address

JOSEPH GUEST, Chestertown, Md.

6th Installment of Fifty Names.

Adams, Baly, Beaty, Bowers, Bush, Butcher, Coldwell, Chapman, Chew, Cash, Dixon, Doyle, Dunlop, Egan, Freeman, Fairfield, Graham, Gorman, Goodall, Hartley, Homer, Hulme, Ingall, Jackson, Jenkins, Janes, Kimberly, Knight, Kirtland, Lauder, Leech, Linden, Mullen, Miller, Middleton, Nelson, Nicholson, Norman, Newlands, Page, Pellett, Pointeter, Ranken, Robbins, Russell, Simpson, Spencer, Sanford, White, Viner.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—After this issue there will be no more names printed. Anyone wishing to know if certain name is in my book will be answered promptly provided a two-cent stamp be enclosed.

SEEDS.

We are offering special low prices on Prime Seeds.

Fancy Red Clover Seed.
Fancy Timothy Seed.

Market weak, demand good.

Also, Seed Potatoes.
Early Rose,
Early Crown Jewel.
White Star and Burbank.

Our prices are low.

WM. MEDDERS & CO.

ASPARAGUS CROWNS.

I have about 20,000 ASPARAGUS CROWNS of different varieties for sale. These plants are good, healthy crowns and will be sold at a reasonable price.

JOHN F. SHRIVER, R. R. No. 3, Cliff City.

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FOR SALE.

CHOICE SECOND CROP POTATO SEED.

Maul's, Thoroughbred, Crown Jewell, Puritan, Bovee, Rose and Burpee. CABBAGE PLANTS, ready last March and first April.

J. B. SAVAGE, Franktown, Va.

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CHICKENS WANTED.

I will pay the highest cash price for Chickens, either dressed or alive. Apply to

W. J. McEEELY, Normal Hall, Washington College.

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CAUTION.

The public is hereby warned not to trust W. W. NEEDLES, nor enter into any contract with said Needles on my account, as he is no longer in my employ, I having discharged him.

mar8 3t. JOHN BARTLEY.

Loud's Boarding House

Formerly Watts' House, adjoining the Voshell House.

We are conducting a first-class boarding house, with table service and other conveniences the very best.

Boarders accommodated by day or week. Also table board furnished.

OUR RESTAURANT is also in the same building and we are prepared to serve meals at all hours.

OYSTERS served in all styles and quickly. Ice cream, Water Ices and frozen custard we make a specialty of and supply by the plate or gallon. Festivals, picnics, etc., supplied.

We invite ladies to make this their headquarters when in town and leave their bundles and raps here. Old friends are always welcome.

This house is under my personal supervision and everything will have our best care and attention.

MRS. J. CORDRAY LOUD, Proprietor.

March 8 tf.

WIRE FENCING and FENCE WIRE.

I now have in stock

Woven Wire Fencing

—AND—

Fence Wire,

TO BUILD 30 MILES OF FENCE.

It is the largest stock of Fencing Materials ever held by any one party in Kent County, all of which will be sold as low and lower than it can be bought for in our county. Before buying call on me for prices.

I also have my new stock of

WATER PAINTS, RUBEROID, LUDLOW and FELT ROOFING.

JOSEPH GUEST, Chestertown, Md.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC:

We hereby notify the general public that we have sold out our interest in the UPTOWN BUTCHER SHOP, Corner High & Kent Streets and will hereafter give our entire attention to our BUTCHER SHOP and STORE down-town, opposite the Chestertown National Bank. We will endeavor to serve all our old patrons as heretofore and solicit the trade of the general public. We guarantee to do all in our power to please and accommodate you.

FOR SALE:—We have for sale TWO HORSES, 12 and 13 years old, good for farm or driving. We only sell because we have no further use for them.

WANTED:—Horse, Cows, Calves and Sheep Hides, also Furs of all kinds and Country Produce such as Eggs, Butter and Poultry. We pay the highest market price for same.

ROLAND BROS., Opp. Chestertown National Bank.

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AT PRIVATE SALE:

HOUSE & LOT in EDESVILLE now occupied by Wallis Wheat.

Apply to

SAMUEL BURGESS, Atty.

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FOR RENT:

A GOOD 10-ROOM HOUSE at Coleman's with one acre of land attached, also Stable and Carriage House.

W. J. COLEMAN, Coleman, Md.

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A CARD TO THE PUBLIC;

We desire to inform our friends and patrons and the public generally that arrangements are about completed for the forming of a stock company to take over all the propefty and assets of the Isaac Robinson Company in Kent county.

It will be the object of the new Company to conduct a general Hardware and Implement business, at both Still Pond and Chestertown, and operate three canneries—Rosedale, Still Pond Station and Chestertown.

The name of the new company will soon be announced, and we respectfully urge, on behalf of the corporation, that you do not sign contracts for growing Corn and Tomatoes, or place your orders for Fertilizers, Seeds, Implements, &c., until its representatives can see you, which they hope to do in a very short time.

New stocks will be added promptly and stocks will be kept up complete in accordance with modern methods, and it will be the aim of the new company to merit a continuance of the patronage which you have so kindly accorded them in the past.

The present representatives will be glad to welcome you any time at either of the stores —Chestertown or Still Pond.

THE ISAAC ROBINSON CO.

Feb. 22, 1902—3t.

COLORED CLUB RAIDED.

Officer Cooper Succeeds in Finding Booty Robbed From Porches, etc.

Last summer residents on Washington avenue and other sections of Chestertown were robbed of chairs, tables, baby carriages, flowers, tutti fruti boxes, etc., that were left on their porches and in doorways over night. Diligent search was made at the time and since to find some of the articles, but without avail. On Tuesday night Officer Cooper got on the track of some of the things and made a raid on the colored club in Chestertown, known as "Spring Hill Club," with headquarters in Twilley's Alley, but formerly on Spring Hill. Several chairs and tables were found. Cashier W. F. Russell identified the chairs and Cashier W. Bradford Copper identified the table as their property. The baby carriage stolen from Mr. Sam'l Latham, and the tutti fruiti boxes from Messrs. M. A. Toulson, C. S. Smith and Jas. Ringgold have not yet been found.

Raymond Yorker and John Lloyd or Thomas, colored, were arrested and put in jail. These men accuse Will Graves who is already in jail, and an active member of the club, of doing the thieving. There are other clubs in Chestertown.

Report of the Condition of

The Kent County Savings Bank

Of Chestertown, Maryland, at the close of business, Feb. 25th, 1902.

RESOURCES:	
Loans and discounts	247,631 19
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	199 53
Stocks, securities, etc	1,000 00
Furniture and fixtures	500 00
Other real estate and mortgages owned	3,525,45
Due from National Banks	47,690 52
Checks and other cash items	45 00
Fractional paper currency, nickles and cents	126 61
MONEY IN BANK, VIZ:	
Specie 9,334 75	
Legal-tender notes 2,225 00	
Total	312,278 05
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	$20,000 00
Undivided profits, less taxes, and expenses paid	14,652 18
Due to National Banks	384 40
Individual deposits subject to check	86,583 32
Time Deposits	190,613 15
Certified Checks	45 00
Total	$312,278 05

State of Maryland, Kent county, S. S.:

I, WM. F. RUSSELL, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WILLIAM F. RUSSELL, CASHIER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of March 1902.

CHARLES ESTES, N. P.

CORRECT—Attest:
W. FRANK HINES,
J. D. BACCHUS,
J. K. ALDRIDGE, } DIRECTORS.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

—OF—

The Chestertown National Bank

at Chestertown, in the State of Maryland, at the close of business Feb. 25, 1902.

RESOURCES:		
Loans and discounts		$283,049 87
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		526 63
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		15,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		656 25
Stocks, securities, etc		56,105 42
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures		6,500 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve Agents)		252 92
Due from approved reserve agents		32,328 03
Notes of other National Banks		2,640 00
Fractional paper currency, nickles and cents		270 00
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, NAMELY:		
Specie	$10,972 30	
Legal-tender notes	10,421 00	21,393 30
TOTAL		$418,722 42
LIABILITIES:		
Capital stock paid in		60,000 00
Surplus fund		12,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		20,292 35
Due to other National Banks		934 28
Due to State Banks and Bankers		156 71
Individual deposits subject to check		324,234 26
Certified checks		1,104 82
TOTAL		$418,722 42

State of Maryland, County of Kent, ss:

I, WM. WALTER CHAPMAN, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WM. WALTER CHAPMAN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of March, 1902.

CHARLES ESTES, N. P.

Correct, Attest:—
SAMUEL VANNORT,
MARION DEK. SMITH,
EDWIN S. VALLIANT, DIRECTORS.

March 8.

WALL PAPER BARGAINS

We have placed in the store of Wm. H. Waddell, Up Town, a NEW LINE OF WALL PAPER which we are selling from 3 cents the Roll up. Remember it is not old paper that has faded from being in stock five or six years. We want to do your papering this spring and it will pay you to see our paper and get prices before placing your order. A postal will bring us to your home with our samples.

WALTER W. NEEDLES.

With Wm. H. Waddell, Up-Town.

MONEY TO LOAN.

$1,000 AND UPWARDS TO LOAN on real estate in Kent and Queen Anne's counties. Apply to

SIDNEY P. TOWNSHEND, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Chestertown, Md.

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DEATH'S DOINGS.

Mrs. Richard Groves, Jos. Wilkie, Miss Ellen Wickes and Mrs. Ringgold pass away.

Mrs. Richard Groves, aged 48, wife of Mr. Richard Groves, formerly of Kent, now living in Baltimore, died Wednesday. She has been sick for a long time and under the care of a specialist for a year. Her maiden name was Miss Mary Jones and leaves one son, Richard, three brothers and one sister. The remains were brought over on the Ford to Chestertown on Thursday and interred in Chester cemetery. Rev. Howard Covey, of Bond, of which she had been a faithful member for years, officiated at the funeral. The pall bearers were: James T. Dixon, B. N. S. Wilkins, J. C. Loud, Hiram Brown, Hiram M. Brown, and Arthur M. Brown. John N. Dodd undertaker.

Mrs. Henrietta Ringgold died at the Baltimore Church Home and Infirmary on Thursday, aged 87. She was the widow of Richard Williamson Ringgold, who was at one time President of Washington College and school examiner for Kent. The remains will be brought to Kent to-day, and funeral held from St. Paul's Church Sunday at 12 noon; interment at St. Paul's; Rev. C. T. Denroche will officiate. The pall-bearers will be Dr. W. F. Hines, Thomas G. Wroth, C. C. Brown, Bartus Trew and the Messrs. Ruth. John N. Dodd undertaker.

Miss Ellen T. Wickes, daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth and the late Simon Wickes, died Tuesday morning at the home of her sister, Mrs. Robert Wallis, in Philadelphia, of typhoid fever, aged 37 years. The remains were brought to Chestertown Wednesday and funeral held Thursday from the residence of Mr. George B. Westcott. Mrs. Westcott and Miss Elizabeth B. Wickes are sisters of the deceased and Mrs. Willard Melvin is an aunt. Rev. Dr. Martin officiated at the funeral. The pall bearers were: Geo. B. Westcott, E. F. Perkins, Jr., Dr. C. P. Gilpin, L. W. Wickes, Willard Melvin, R. H. Collins. Interment was in Chester cemetery temporarily and later St. Paul's will receive the remains. Messrs. Simon and John Wickes, brothers, attended the funeral. J. N. Dodd undertaker.

Joseph W. Wilkie, died at his home near Pomona, last Sunday afternoon, aged 22 years and 6 months. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning conducted by Rev. A. H. Covey, interment at Chester cemetery. The pall bearers were William Toulson, Claude Brown, Frank Hadaway, Clarence Hadaway, Aaron Bostic and Thomas Toulson. The deceased is survived by a mother and two sisters, his father having died in January, 1900. The Wilkie family moved to Kent about three years ago from Canada and purchased the farm upon which they reside and where the father and son have died. Undertaker John N. Dodd had charge of funeral arrangements.

Wedding Events.....

The marriage of Miss Sue C. Taylor an Mr. J. Robert Wilson, took place last Saturday afternoon in Baltimore at 4 o'clock. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Robert S. Coupland, in the rectory of ascension Protestant Episcopal church. Miss Taylor was formerly one of Kent's intelligent school teachers and was until a few weeks ago assistant teacher at Galena. Her resignation is a loss to the school and her removal from Kent is regretted by many friends. Mr. Wilson has been one of Galena's business men, until recently when he decided to remove to Ohio.

At the ceremony were only a few relatives and intimate friends. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson will make their future home in Ohio.

Mr. Charles Kirby, son of Mr. Chas. W. Kirby, of Chestertown, and Miss Sarah Blake, of Easton, were married on Monday evening in Baltimore at the home of the bride's uncle, John W. Diven, of 1403 West Lanvale street. Rev. E. W. Wroth, pastor of the All Saints' Protestant Episcopal Church, officiated. The bride was attired in a gown of white mulle over white silk, with timmings of lace and ribbons, and carried carnations. The bridesmaids were Misses Etta Hawes and Minnie Diven. They were gowned similar to that of the bride. Mr. James Bruce acted as best man. A reception and supper followed the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby came over on the Ford and spent part of their honeymoon with the groom's sister, Mrs. Capt. Pheffer. The couple will make their home in Easton, where the groom is engaged in the mercantile business.

Delegates Elected.—St. James church elected Mr. Robert G. Nicholson, delegate and Mr. John W. Copper alternate, to the M. P. Conference to be held at Centreville. The return of Rev. E. C. MaKoskey is unanimously asked.

Christ church, Chestertown, elected Mr. Chas. L. Dodd as delegate, and Mr. W. W. Hubbard as alternate, to represent them at the same conference and with one accord asked for the return of Rev. Dr. D. L. Greenfield.

The election of delegate to the Second Annual Conference will take place tomorrow at the M. P. Church, Kennedyville. About fifty copies of the new hymnal have been sold to individuals at this church.

THE ladies of the Chestertown M. E. Church will hold a fair and festival in Chestertown the second week in April.

JAIL DELIVERY AT EASTON.

Six Prisoners Escape from Easton Jail and Deputy Sheriff Killed.

Six prisoners escaped from the county jail at Easton on Saturday evening, and Deputy Sheriff Thos. John Thompson was shot and killed in an effort to recapture one of the men at Belivue, on the Choptank river, opposite Oxford. Lewis Green, colored, is accused of the shooting, and has been recaptured and lodged in jail. Green was in jail for the murder of his mistress—Clara Price, colored—some weeks ago in Oxford. At the time of the killing he tried to commit suicide, but after being in jail he gradually got well.

There were seven prisoners in the jail at the time of the delivery, among them being Michael Dramoski, a watchmaker by trade. He whittled out of wood a key, which he fitted to the main corridor door lock, and found that it would fit. Saturday night at 7.30 o'clock six of the prisoners, using the wooden key, escaped into the dungeon, or coal hole, which opened into the corridor, and thence to liberty. It was not more than 15 minutes later when the remaining prisoner noticed that all the inmates had escaped, and he called the sheriff.

After the jail delivery was discovered Sheriff Mortimer swore in as deputies John Thompson and Milton Soulsby, and while the sheriff and Constable John H. McHale went to Oxford the deputy sheriffs went to Belivue, opposite Oxford, where Green's house was located. Believing that Green was in the house, Thompson approached the front, while Soulsby went to the rear door. Thompson called to Green to come out, and someone, supposedly Green, answered that he was not comming, and the words were no sooner spoken than the front door was opened and three shots were fired, two of which struck Thompson. Soulsby ran around to the front just in time to see someone running away in the darkness, at whom he fired.

Mr. Thompson gasped, "Oh Dick!" and fell back in Soulsby's arm dead. His body was carried to the home of W. H. Valliant, postmaster of Belivue, and was later brought to Easton. The sheriff arrested two of Green's brothers as accessories, and later arrested several more colored men on the same charge.

He searched Green's house again and found Green between two feather beds. Green denied having fired the shots which killed Thompson, but the general belief is that he is the guilty man and twice a murderer.

Mr. Thompson was well known in Talbot where he had many friends. He was a shoemaker by trade and also an ex-constable. During the war with Spain he was an officer of Company F, First Maryland Regiment.

Three of the prisoners have not yet been caught.

Chestertown Banks Solid.—Chestertown is surely to be congratulated upon her banking institutions and officers. Col. Wm. E. Griffith, the National and State Bank examiner, has spent several days in town this week making a thorough examination into the affairs of each bank. He says they are all in perfect condition and the officers model officials. Mr. F. N. Swett, of the Yale & Towne Lock Co, has also been in town this week and made examinations of the time locks on the safes of each bank.

The report of the Chestertown National Bank in the NEWS shows loans of $283,049.87 and deposits of $324,134.26. This is $137,000 in excess of deposits in 1900, and $71,000 in excess of 1901 deposits at the same time.

The Kent Savings, also in this issue, shows loans of $247,631.19 and deposits of 277,196,46. Also a fine record, being about $42,000 in excess of deposits at same time last year.

Big Fox Hunt.—Kent was pitted against Queen Anne's in a big fox hunt on Monday last. About 65 dogs were on the run and about fifty riders. In the Queen Anne's pack of 40 dogs were those owned by Messrs. Thos. Smith, Chas. Leager, John McRochester, Fletcher Sparks, Tyson Lee, Wm. Lynch Chas. Walls, Al. Green, Howard Stewart. The 25 from Kent were owned by Messrs Joe Everitt, Geo. Brice, Thos. Brown and Jas. Coleman. The fox was turned loose in Queen Anne's at Mr, Silas Weller's place and made a fine run. He was caught and killed near Sudlersville. Tyson Lee got the bush. Col. John Evans was near at the death and says the black dog, owned by Geo. Brice, was leading the pack. Several dogs were compelled to give up in trying to keep up with the hot pace the Kent hounds were making. Come over in Kent boys.

Personal and Special.....

Mrs Dr. W. Frank Hines and daughter, Miss Jennie, returned home this week after spending the winter in St. Louis, Mo. They were delayed about 36 hours at Cumberland by floods and storms, the damage in the flooded districts being severe. Home was reached on Tuesday and the ladies are more than ever impressed with the fact that "there is no place like old Kent".

Letters from the NEWS' senior and Mr. Lewin U. Skirven in Florida say the weather is grand there and the winter tourists seeking summer homes are crowding the resorts.

Dr. Frank W. Smith, resident physician of the Hebrew Hospital and Asylum, Baltimore, has resigned and is now visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Smith, in Chestertown. Dr. Smith graduated from the Baltimore Medical College in 1900 and was resident physician last year at the Maryland General Hospital. Dr. Smith will very likely locate shortly and has received some flattering offers from several places.

Mr. Edward W. Lambert, of Easton, surprised his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lambert, Chestertown, on Friday of last week by coming in on them at a family re union in celebration of his mother's birthday.

The St. James Sewing Meeting took place on Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wash. G. Skirven, near Fairlee. The feature, of course, was the supper and it was served sumptuously. About 80 were present.

The home of Col. Wm. J. Vannort and wife, was given over to the young people last night. It was the occasion of a social by the Y. P. S. C. A, of Christ Church. One of the features was a "musicial romance" in which all the company joined. Refreshments of various kinds were served.

Capt. Nathan Satterfield, sent a fine twenty pound swan to ex-Comptroller M. deK. Smith on Wednesday. It was certainly a fine looking bird and was killed by Mr. James Peters on East Neck Island bridge.

The many friends of Rev. Jesse Shreeve will be sorry to learn of his illness. He has been spending the winter with friends in Washington, D. C., but has been sick ever since he left Kent. His trouble is dropsy and catarrh of stomach, his intense weakness is very much against him. He has two of the best physicians of the city attending him and we hope for a speedy recovery.

Misses Anna Franklin and Katherine Howard, of Baltimore, are visiting Chestertown and Still Pond friends.

Miss Fannie Elwards, of Morgnec, has returned home after a delightful trip of five months in Baltimore and Washington.

Mrs. Bergen is away buying her early spring millinery and will be ready to display them on March 14th.

Scores of Kent countians have witnessed the Ben Hur production in Baltimore this month.

Mrs. Mary A. Maslin, of Chestertown, has been quite sick with a severe case of erysipelas.

Mr. Geo. V. Byron has received an offer from the big Forpaugh & Sells circus to be one of their advanceagents. The season opens next week.

Miss Elsie Crew has been compelled, on account of ill health, to take a short rest. Her position as teacher of Cliff City school is being filled by Mrs. Henry Brown.

Miss Sue Ford is spending a month with friends in Philadelphia and Wilmington.

Miss Reba Stewart, of Baltimore, is the guest of Miss Ella Ford, near Chestertown.

Miss Ryder, daughter of Rev. I. Ryder, of Chesterville, has been appointed assistant teacher at Shrewsbury academy.

Rev. Robert E. Erdman, of New York, has been visiting Rev. Wm. B. Coleman and wife, of Chestertown. He is a brother of Mrs. Coleman.

Mr. Jeremiah Peacock, the Galena hotel keeper, has been confined to his house and been quite sick.

Miss Blanche Cox, after several months spent in Baltimore, returned to her Chestertown home this week.

Mrs. Chas. C. Hopper and daughter have returned home after spending the winter in Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Thos. Ireland Elliott, Esq., of Baltimore, spent Sunday a guest at "Lauretum Place," near Chestertown.

Mrs. Dr. H. B. Simmons has been visiting her mother, in Cecil county.

Mr. Hooten Blackiston, of Washington, D. C., visited his aunt, Miss M. J. Blackiston, on Washington avenue this week.

New Building to be Erected.— Mr. W. W. Hubbard is perfecting arrangements for the new building to be erected on the site of the former Loud restaurant on Main street. Mr. E. L. Rice, Jr., of Wilmington, made the drawings for the house and it will be a handsome and practical affair. It will be three stories with basement. In the basement will be two rooms. On first floor will be the offices of the T. R. Hubbard fertilizer company and a large room for a store. On second floor will be the restaurant parlors and rooms. The third floor will contain eleven good size bedrooms. In front of the building a three story porch will run the whole width of the house. Frank H. Duyer will superintend the work and is to commence in about a month. The building will be heated by hot water and built with pressed brick front. It will be an ornament to Chestertown.

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