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OYSTER SUPPER.

The ladies of Mowbray Chapel will serve an Oyster Supper in their hall, SATURDAY EVENING, April 26th. If the 26th should be stormy the supper will be served Monday evening, 28th. The ladies of this place have a reputation throughout the county for the suppers they prepare, and they will spare no effort this time to please your palate by serving oysters in every style; Ice Cream and Cake also for sale. Come everybody, Tickets 50 cents.

COMMITTEE.

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Oratorical Contest !

The Fourth Annual contest of the Oratorical Association of Maryland Colleges will be held in STAM'S HALL, Chestertown, Md.,

Friday Evening April 25th

at 8 o'clock. The Colleges composing this association are St. Johns, Western Maryland, Maryland Agricultural and Washington.

These colleges will be represented by one contestant each, who will deliver original orations. The constitution of this association provides for an admission fee of 25 cents, therefore the

General Admission will be ....25 cents

☞ No Extra Charge for Reserved Seats.

The proceeds are applied to the purchase of Medals for the winners, and to paying the general expenses of the contest.

WARNING TO TRESPASSERS.

The Farmers and Citizens of Kent Island, Queen Anne's Co., Md., are tired of having so much trespassing and taking away of our property and will not allow it any longer. Therefore, we take this method of warning all publicly and if this does not stop it we will open fire on the next one caught within gunshot, and they will have to take the consequences of our shooting. We have been trying for some time to get them and take them before a justice but they have their sails up all ready to jump in their boats and sail away, with what ever they have in their boats or in tow before our eyes and often curse and abuse us to a very great extent. We hope this will put a stop to it without someone getting hurt or sent to prison, as we certainly mean to stop it.

FARMERS AND CITIZENS of Kent Island, Maryland.

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NOTICE:

TO FARMERS of Kent and Queen Anne's Counties send LETTER with each consignment of Furs, Wool, Fruit, Stock and Poultry.

MARCHUS ASHER, 6 E. Camden St., Baltimore, Md.

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NOTICE:

All parties interested in locating and steaking out lots in the Old Union Cemetery are requested to meet the undersigned at the cemetery on MONDAY, April 14th, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

BENJ. F. RASH, Worton, Md.

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NOTICE.

I have some DRIFT LOGS on my shore on E. N. Island, owners are hereby notified to come forward within 30 days, prove property, pay charges and take them away, otherwise they may be deprived from all benefits according to law.

S. W. WATKINS.

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AUCTION SALE —OF— STORE GOODS !

THE UNDERSIGNED intending to discontinue store-keeping and close out his entire stock will sell at public auction at his store in CHESTERTOWN on

SATURDAY, APRIL 19th, 1902,

beginning at 3 p. m. the entire stock of

Dry Goods, Notions, Shoes, Underwear, Hats, Hosiery, etc.

J. H. SIMPERS, Chestertown, Md.

a12-2t.

BAUGH'S Animal Bone Fertilizers.

LAZARETTO Pure Plant Food Fertilizers.

FOR ALL SPRING CROPS.

Shipments by rail or water to all parts Kent county. Write us for prices, or we will call on you.

TURNER & SON, BETTERTON, MD.

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FARMERS' HEADQUARTERS

JOHN C. DAVIS, —DEALER IN— Farm Implements, Fertilizers, Seeds, Hay, Grain, Mill Feed, Etc., CHESTERTOWN, MD.

McCormick Binders, Mowers and Rakes. J. A. Case Traction Engines & Threshers. Plows, Harrows, Rollers, Corn Planters, Seed Sowers, Pumps, Etc.

☞ Call and get prices before buying.

JOHN C. DAVIS, 351 High Street.

mar15 3m.

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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WANTED.

In Rock Hall Md. A BOY 10 or 12 years old to work in a lunch room. Apply to M. RAYMOND, Rock Hall Md.

a12 3t.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Having sold my coal and wood yard in Chestertown, I take this means of notifying all persons indebted to me to come and settle their accounts on or before May 1st, otherwise I shall place same in train of collection.

DR. J. T. TWILLEY.

a12-3t.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the policyholders of MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of Kent County, Md., for the election of Directors, Etc., will be held at the Company's Office in Chestertown, on MONDAY, MAY 5th, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

GEORGE B. WESTCOTT, Treasurer.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

SPRING TIME is the time for cleaning up. You may have some old Antique Furniture or old pieces you want to turn into cash. Get together all your antique furniture and let me know what you have. THIS IS ABOUT WHAT I WANT Sideboards, round fronts with long legs; Bureaus and Desks, round fronts; Andirons, brass Candlesticks, Claw Feet, Sofas. Any odd old diece.

Address WM. MULCRONE, Care KENT NEWS, Chestertown.

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TO THE CITIZENS OF CHESTERTOWN.

Since announcing my candidacy for reelection as Commissioner of Chestertown I find that the action of the board in reference to parading of bands on the streets has been misunderstood and misinterpreted. At that time many persons complained that parading the streets was calculated to frighten teams, causing them to break away and the result would be a law suit vs. the town. Many ladies also expressed an unwillingness to come to town, fearing injury to self and team, hence the board thought it for the best interests of the town and its citizens to adopt precautionary measures.

If the citizens wish the bands to parade the streets under a permit, I am willing, if a petition be presented signed by responsible citizens to advocate the granting of said petition. My only desire is to subserve the best interests of the entire community.

WM. J. VANNORT.

TAX NOTICE:

TO TOWN TAXPAYERS.

The collector of town taxes in Chestertown has placed in my hands town taxes amounting to $82.25 for immediate collection. Unless these taxes are settled AT ONCE, I will be compelled to advertise and sell. This is my last notice.

THOS. J. FLETCHER, Sheriff of Kent Co

a12 3t.

NOTICE.

Rumors being current that our CANNERY at Still Pond Station will not operate the coming tomato season, we desire to assure our contractors and also those who contemplate contracting with us that there is *absolutely no truth in such report.* STILL POND CANNERY will be operated as well as those at Rosedale and Chestertown. We have not yet closed our lists and shall be glad to hear from any who have not yet contracted for theis tomatoes. If prices justify, we shall also pack Peaches and Pears.

THE CANNING & MERCANTILE CO. Chestertown and Still Pond, Md.

ELECTION OF TOWN COMMISSIONER.

Notice is hereby given than an election will be held at the Court House, in Chestertown, Maryland, on MONDAY, the 21st day of APRIL, 1902, for the purpose os electing ONE PERSON TO SERVE FOR THREE YEARS in the place of Col. W. J. Vannort whose term expires May 1, 1902.

Polls open from 9 a. m. to 6 p. m.

By order of board, M. WILBER THOMAS, Clerk Town Com.

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NOTICE.

POLICY-HOLDERS of the MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of Kent county, who use GASOLINE for Cooking purposes are hereby notified that it is necessary for them to secure permits for its use from the Treasurer of the Company, who upon application and payment of the usual charge will issue same.

GEORGE B. WESTCOTT, Treasurer.

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FOR SALE:

YEARLING STALLION

COLT by the great Sir Edgar Dudley 7940 record 2 17¼; dam, Sanborn Maid by Sanborn, 3045. 2nd dam—thoroughbred and a trotter. Sanborn Maid, dam of this colt is also dam of Music Box, 2.29¾, trial 2.18; Edgar C., 2.20¾, trial 2.15; Harp, 3 years old, 2.37, trial 2.30. This colt is a very fine individual and will make a great stock horse.

ALDAY CLEMENTS, Crumpton, Md.

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No. 1407.

WM. W. BECK, Attorney.

Order of Publication.

Willietta Woodland and John Woodland, her husband,
vs.
Thomas Wright, Martha Wright, Rachel Graves, Mervia Wright, Douglas Ford, Mary V. Ford, Anna Bradley.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity.

THE object of this petition is to give notice to the non-resident defendants of the amount and character of the claim of Dr. C. W. Whaland. The petition states that by a decree of the Circuit Court for Kent County in equity, dated October 29, 1901, and passed in a cause in said court, wherein Willietta Woodland and others were complainants and Thomas Wright and others were defendants; Wm. W, Beck was appointed trustee, to sell the real estate therein mentioned, and that the real estate in the above entitled cause was the property of Thomas Wright, and has since been sold as appears by the trustee's report of sale filed herewith, and that the said Thomas Wright at the time of his death was indebted to Dr. C. W. Whaland in the sum of $221.83, and also to divers other parties, which indebtedness has never been paid; and the bill further states that the said Thomas Wright did not have any personal estate and no letters of administration have been granted as will appear by certificate of Register of Wills.

To the end, therefore, that the proceeds of the sale of the Real Estate may be applied to the payment of the just debts of the said Thomas Wright, it is thereupon, ordered this 9th day of April, 1902, by the Circuit Court for Kent County, as a court of equity, that the petitioner by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published in Kent County once in each of four successive weeks before the 5th day of May, giving notice to Thomas Wright, Martha Wright, Rachel Groves, Mervia Wright, Anna Bradley, Willietta Woodland and John Woodland, non residents, of the object and substance of this petition and warning them to appear in this court in person or by solicitor on or before the 24th day of May next, to answer the premises and show cause if any they have why the proceeds of sale should not be applied as prayed.

JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

True Copy.—Text:—

JAMES T. DIXON, Clerk.

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10 PAGES TO-DAY.

"SANDWICHES AND ICE CREAM!"

An anonymous letter directed to our town officers states that "one of the worst places in town has the above sign but that in fact beer and whiskey are sold there." This place has been under surveillance for some time and it seems the proprietor was aware of the fact.

Last Tuesday evening Officer Cooper visited the place and was standing opposite when the proprietor came out, cursed the officer and ordered him to move off else he'd whip him! This was a snap for the vigilant officer and he at once arrested the "Ice Cream" man and placed him in jail. After a night of sober thought the prisoner plead guilty and was fined $5 by Justice Melvin. He will likely be more careful next time in accusing the officer of watching his place.

GALE OF WIND AND RAIN SWEEP OVER KENT.

One of the worst April storms for many years swept over this county Tuesday causing a cessation of business but very little damage. Messrs. Hadaway, Rasin and Ayres attended the Levy Court while Messrs Harper and Hudson transacted the business of the Orphan's Court. A very high tide resulted from the high northeast wind but not equal to the flood of 1892-3.

The gale caused two steamers to return to port for harbor and placing two steamers tied up at wharves beyond the control of their crews. The steamer Tourist started out for a trip to Anne Arundel county, but the high seas forced her to return just after she had passed Fort McHenry. The steamboat Emma Giles left for Sassafras River, but went only as far as Lazaretto Light, when she was compelled to return, owing to the winds and seas.

The B. S. Ford in command of Capt. Clark and Mate Anthony made her regular trip reaching Chestertown at 4 P. M., on time. Its a rough day surely when the Chester River Line of steamers have to lay up.

The Maggie, of the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway, from Salisbury, did not reach her berth until 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The Maggie was due at 8 o'clock in the morning. The Endeavor of the Queen Anne's Railroad Company was 25 minutes late in arriving from Queenstown. The Endeavor encountered very rough weather.

The steamer Sassafras, which should have left Port Deposit Tuesday morning for Baltimore, was compelled to remain at the former place by the storm.

The course of the storm was through Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia and Pennsylvania. Heavy falls of snow occurred in the western counties of the three States. In the mountains west of Cumberland snow was reported 22 inches deep. In Garrett county the fall was the heaviest this winter. The Baltimore and Ohio railroad tracks were blocked by a landslide near Hancock.

The weather bureau has been "off" this week as not a single forecast has been made correctly. Hicks seems to have foretold the weather better than the government experts.

LEVY COURT NEWS.

The county commissioners passed the following bills Tuesday:

Chas. L. Gill, road work	24 50
John D. Boyd, road work	33 75
Jos E. Boyd, road work	4 88
Wm. H. Dobson, road work	20 58
C. W. England, road work	18 71
W. Pinder, road work	96 60
Frank Mason, road work	38 47
T. B. T. Brice, road work	37 85
Alex Mair, road work	39 30
Chas. L. Gill, road work	15 70
M. M. Rasin, material	99 14
Jno. T. Newsome, work on machine	13.25
Jno. E. Beck, shells	13 80

Chas. S. Smith, treasurer, made his report for month of March which was accepted and filed.

Proceeds of Fair.—It is interesting to note the sums realized at the different booths of the Calendar Fair held in Stam's Hall last week, viz:

January, Mrs. W. B. Copper	$22.00
February, Miss Idel Baker	50.43
March, Mrs. Georgia Reed	44.50
April, M. W. Thomas	3.25
May, Mrs. C. R. Twilley	60.00
June, Mrs. H. B. Simmons	21.85
July, Miss Anna Lambert	42.06
August, Miss Bessie Stuart	13.20
September, Mrs. W. E. Moody	12.33
October, Mrs. F. M. Miller	24.32
November, Miss M. Burchinal	17.31
December, Harry Jefferson	31.94
Door, Mr. James Brice	59.30

The supper netted $104.85, the following ladies having charge of the different tables: Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. W. E. Jarrell, Mrs. M. Burchinal, Miss Sallie Wilkins, Mrs. M. E. Brown, Mrs. R. F. Parks, Mrs. W. R. Pippin, Mrs. Wilbur Eliason, Mrs. A. L. Sparks, Mrs. M. A. Toulson, Mrs. James Dunbracco. The net proceeds amounted to $440.

Mr. John Armstrong, a former well-known citizen of Chestertown, aged about 63, died at the home of his niece, Mrs. Gears, in Smyrna, yesterday afternoon after a long illness of cancer of the lip.

Personals

The Passing Throng Mentioned Here in Just a Line or Two.

H. H. Barroll and R. D. Hynson, Esqs., have been at Annapolis this week having business before the Court of Appeals.

Mr. and Mrs. Krusen, of Still Pond, spent Friday and Saturday with their son, J. B. Krusen, in Smyrna.

Rev. J. M. Gill, of Washington, D. C., spent several days in town this week.

Mr. Harrison W. Vickers, Jr., is substituting as teacher at the St. Paul public school in place of Miss Hoover who is sick.

Mrs. John L. Shuster, of Wilmington, has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. F. Russell.

Cashier W. F. Russell spent several days in Greensboro last week superintending the reopening of a new savings bank in that town. He thinks the prospect very bright for the new concern.

Mrs Hynson is spending a month with her daughter in Baltimore.

Mrs. J. W. Lambert has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Annie Taylor, in Baltimore.

Prof. G. Hines Thomas, of the M. A. C., accompanied by his family, have been visiting the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Brice on Washington avenue.

Mrs. Thomas G. Jarman has returned home after spending the Easter holidays in Philadelphia and Chester.

Miss Mattie Baxter and Miss Jennie Eaton have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baxter the past week.

Misses Mattie and Emma Davis are visiting friends in Milford, Del.

Mrs. Harry C. Kershaw, of New York, is the guest of Miss Laura Jessop, of Lankford. Mrs. Kershaw formerly resided in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Tilghman Shafer, Mrs. G. E. Lambert, Mrs. C. V. Newnam, Mrs. S. Vannort and daughter, Miss Clare, Mr. Elwood Burgess and sister, Miss Julia, Messrs. J. D. Bacchus, Lewin Skirven, Raymond Simpers, D. A. Bacchus, C. H. Hurlock, Mrs. A. M. Bowers, Miss Gertie Lusby and others enjoyed a look in upon the M. P. Conference in Centreville.

Miss Ethel Bacchus suffered a fall Tuesday and sprained her ankle, but was out yesterday.

Mrs. H. M. Brown and Miss Helen Shaw, of Chestertown, were registered at the Rennert Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. J. Herman Ireland, 219 Hawthorn Road, Roland Park, and her mother, Mrs. Deringer, have returned from Atlantic City. They were guests at the Luray at the time of the fire and were fortunate enough to save most of their baggage.

Miss Alice Foster, of Baltimore, spent the Easter Season with Miss May Reese and Mrs. Raymond Jones. Miss Foster thoroughly enjoyed her visit to Kent.

Miss Avis Donaldson, of Baltimore, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rol. Hurlock near Chester bridge.

Mr. F. H. Greenwood spent several days in Baltimore this week.

Mr. Jack Morgan, of Middletown, is on a visit to see his father who has been sick for a week.

Miss Fannie Wallice, and Miss Ella Woodring, of Church Hill, spent Wednesday the guest of Miss Elsie Fallowfield.

Col. William J. Vannort presided and acted as toastmaster at the annual banquet of the Union Veterans of Maryland, held at the Eutaw House, Baltimore, on Wednesday. Col. Vannort, as president, extended the address of welcome and Toasts were responded to by United States Senator, Hawley and other noted officers of the Civil War.

Rev. W. N. Sherwood, of near Crisfield, is spending a few days with his mother on High Street.

Mrs. John P. Mitchell, of Baltimore, is visiting at the home of Mrs. F. H. Greenwood, near town.

Miss Olive Russell, of Baltimore, has been the guest of Miss Belle Emory in Quaker Neck the past week.

Miss Lottie Wickes is at home with her mother after several months spent at Hampton, Va.

Mrs. Roland Watts, of Westminster, is the guest of her brother, Mr. W. W. Hubbard, on Washington Avenue.

Mrs. R. Bergen and her trimmer have just returned with a well selected stock of summer millinery. All the latest novelties will be found in her stock.

Dr. Frank W. Smith left this week for Charleston, West Virginia, where he will locate for the practice of medicine. He has had considerable experience in the best Baltimore hospitals and is worthy of success.

Church Hill Dance.—The following persons from Kent attended the dance at Church Hill last Monday evening: Mr. and Mrs. Claude Parks, Misses Sallie, Isabel, Bertie and Sophie Beck, Grace Whaland, Helen Wilkins, Lillie Greenwood, Anna and Charlotte Wilson, Kitty Morgan, Mary Hazel, Eva and Mary Comegys, Mabel Spear, Messrs. W. W. Chapman, Jos. Brice, Sam Greenwood, Brose Carroll, Page Strong, Wm. Maslin, Raymond Walbert, Earle Nicholson, Tom Massey, J. Waters Russell, Nesby Trenchard, Wm. Greenwood Paul Massey, Roland Parks, Ned Spear, Sam Hurlock, Paul Comegys and others.

DEATH OF MR. JOHN BORDLEY

Dies in His Daughter's Arms at His Home in Chestertown Without a Pang of Pain.

Chestertown lost another good citizen Monday in the sudden demise of Mr. John Bordley. If there is such a thing as an ideal death, his was such. He was seated at home in the evening enjoying the sweet companionship of his beloved daughters when he remarked that the room seemed to be warm. Miss Nannie stooped to close the stove draft while he followed her with his eyes. Mrs. Toulson noticed a tremor in her father's hand and inquired of him what he wanted at the same time placing her arm about his neck. He never answered a word but quietly lay back in his daughter's loving embrace, and in a moment he was not, for his spirit had taken its flight and was with God. Could there be anything so beautiful, so touching, so blessed as such a death!

The deceased was born in Fairlee Dec. 6, 1824, went to school at Caulk's gate, and when about 18 went to Baltimore and learned carpentering. Soon returned to Chestertown and married Miss Martha Isabel Tomlinson, who died in 1865, leaving the present surviving children, viz: Thomas S., Miss Nannie, Mrs. M. A. Toulson, John W., and J. E. Draper. Mr. Bordley began mercantile life where Mr. J. F. Thompson now is, but soon bought the Bordley building and conducted a store where McIntyre & Hodgkin now keep. He retired from business about 20 years ago having acquired a competence and having helped his sons to establish a lucrative trade. His second wife was Miss Louisa Cahal who died several years ago. Mr. Bordley has been in poor health for five years and during all this time has had the tender ministrations of his children which continued to his death. He was a lieutenant in the Reed Rifles being known as Gen. Bordley, and took an active interest in all public affairs. He was a loyal and devoted member of the M. E. Church and in which he brought his children up to be useful and faithful supporters. His pastor, Dr. Roberts, spoke beautifully of the deceased in the following words: "In the death of Brother John Bordley the church has lost a faithful and steady friend, his immediate family and friends have lost a loving and sympathetic father, and the town has lost one of its most progressive and excellent citizens. In his Christian life Brother Bordley exemplified the power of the Lord to convert and to keep; his was a positive knowledge of sins forgiven; he was indeed, like a tree planted by the rivers of water, and in the sweetest strains of domestic affection his leaf did not wither and the work begun in his heart by God was beautiful and prosperous. In the days of prosperity and sunshine he presented to the Lord thanksgiving and praise, and when the Lord spoke to him out of the whirlwind, he answered loyally and obediently "Here am I."

As a father he was highpriest in his household, and in his home he called upon the name of the Lord. In the home circle, friends admired and loved him, and in the judgment his children will arise and call him blessed.

In his business and social life, Brother Bordley exemplified that honesty which exalts a nation, and his detestation of sin was known to all the people. Blessed in life Brother Bordley was signally blessed in death.

No wasting disease made his end cloudy and miserable. His going was like the setting of the sun, only to rise, upon another hemisphere. In his devotions, Enoch like, he worked high up on the mountain of faith, and God opened the windows of Heaven and gently took him in. When his ear became deaf to sounds earthly, he heard the rumbling of the chariots of God. Oh, let me die the death of the righteous, and let my last end be like his."

The funeral was held Thursday conducted by Rev. E. P. Roberts, assisted by Revs. D. L. Greenfield and J. D. Kemp, interment at Chester Cemetery. The bearers were Messrs. T. S. Bordley, M. A. Toulson, W. R. Pippin, J. E. Draper, J. W. Toulson, Thomas Dyott. Undertaker J. N. Dodd had charge of the arrangements.

Mr. S. M. Reynolds, of Middletown, died Wednesday after a long illness. He has been a most active, energetic business man, and possessed of a remarkable constitution, it was a hard fight between life and death. The funeral will take place from his late residence on Saturday afternoon, at one o'clock, interment in the Forest Cemetery. The pall-bearers selected are Dr. T. H. Gilpin, Wm. A. Comegys, Dennis J. Nowland, John W. Jolls, John S. Crouch and H. C. Ellison.

Mrs. Mary A. Jerome, wife of J. C. Jerome, died in Baltimore Tuesday, aged 24. She was the daughter of J. E. Smith and grand-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Cadwalader. She was a patient sufferer.

NEWSY CHURCH NEWS.

Rev. E. C. Makoskey will fill his pulpit at St. James to-morrow (Sunday.) Everybody invited.

Rev. W. N. Sherwood will preach in Christ M. P. Church Sunday, at 7.30 P. M.

Rev. Dr. McManiman, Ohio, filled the pulpit of Christ M. P. Church Sunday morning and evening. At the latter service the preacher discoursed for an hour on the text "The law of the Lord is perfect." It was an eloquent and masterly sermon delivered with fine effect. He made a very favorable impression in Chestertown and will receive a warm welcome upon his return.

Rev. R. H. K. Gill, a member of the graduating class at Washington College this year, has been appointed pastor of Canterbury circuit, a charge in the Dover District of Wilmington M. E. Conference. Mr. Gill will have three churches to serve. He entered upon his duties last Sunday. He will continue his studies at the college until commencement.

Mr. James W. Chapman has negotiated with Baltimore artists to place a memorial window in the Sunday school room of Christ M. P. Church to perpetuate the memory of his dearly loved and dutiful daughter, Miss Mary Lillian Chapman. The design will be that of the noted St. Cecelia, made of Cathedral glass, and finished in the best possible manner.

The Chestertown M. E. Church and Sunday-school celebrated last Sunday as Easter, because Rev. E. P. Roberts was absent the previous Sunday. The evening program was as follows: Organ voluntary, Miss Anna G. Lambert; chorus, "Morn of Life;" responsive scripture reading lead by Mr. M. W. Thomas; chant, "I am the Resurrection;" prayer by Rev. E. P. Roberts; chorus, "Passover Song;" Easter Greeting by Miss Elizabeth Brown; "Easter Day," two little children; Easter Carol, by Primary department; chorus, "Wake Sweetest Strain;" recitation, "He Shall Rise," Miss Ethel Ringgold; exercise, "Cross Bearers," five boys; solo and chorus, "Beautiful Story of Easter" Miss Mary Miller and school; chorus, the Mighty Victor;" exercise, Do you Hear" three little girls; responsive scripture reading; chorus, "The Morning is breaking; recitation, "Christ is Risen," Miss Daisy Barnes; remarks by Rev. E. P. Roberts; chorus, "Praise Him;" benediction. The orchestra was comprised of Messrs. J. F. Thompson, J. C. Cannon, cornetists; L. B. Russell and W. Irving Walker, violins; A. L. Sparks trombone.

Elder W. S. Maxwell, M. D., has been elected to represent Grace Presbyterian Church at the meeting of New Castle Presbytery in East Lake Presbyterian Church, Wilmington, Del., next Tuesday.

Rev. Louis R. Jones, of the M. E. Church South, visited his sister, Mrs. Mary A. Reese last week. The Conference of which he is a member closed its annual session in Baltimore April 1st. He is returned to the same place in Virginia where he has been for the last three years. Mayor Hayes gave the entire Conference a handsome reception at his residence on Monday, March 31st, from 4 to 8 o'clock P. M.

Will of George W. Lockwood.—The will of Geo. W. Lockwood, of Warwick, Cecil county, was admitted to probate in the office of the Register of Wills at Elkton Tuesday. The testator devised his entire estate, both real and personal, to his widow, Adelaide Morton Lockwood, absolutely, and names his daughter, Miss Marie T. Lockwood, executrix of his will. The estate, which is estimated to be worth about $18,000, is composed of two fine farms in the First district, one containing 130 acres and another 250 acres, and bank stock of the Citizens' National Bank of Middletown, Del.

Oratorical Contest.—The judges on "Thought and Composition" for the coming oratorical contest of the Maryland colleges, which takes place in Chestertown on April 25th, have been selected. They are Dr. Bernard Steiner, of the Enoch Pratt Library, Baltimore; Rev. Dr. C. Ernest Smith, of St. Michaels and All Angels Church, Baltimore, and Judge James A. Pearce of Chestertown. Those on oratory will be Hon. George M. Upshur, of Baltimore; Hon. M. Bates Stevens, of Caroline, and Rev. Dr. Turner, of Washington, D. C. These contests are occasions of intense interest, and no one should fail to be in attendance. Mr. Horace W. Nicholson, of Chestertown, will represent Washington College as orator; Mr. Emmett S. Hitch, of Seaford, Delaware, as alternate.

COURT commences Monday week.

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