LOCAL NEWS.

Some fine land is to be sold in Chestertown next Tuesday by Messrs. H. H. Barroll and R. D. Hynson, trustees. See adv. of same in another column.

The Opera House Band played at the big festival in Still Pond on Wednesday evening and delighted the large company present.

Florist Kirby had large new potatoes in market this week at McIntyre & Hoskins' and elsewhere.

Alex D. Sheffer, convicted of bigamy, was sentenced on Saturday to six years in the penitentiary.

Who would have thought that Chestertown would have two fine passenger boats per day ! The B. S. Ford and Emma A. Ford are both on the Chestertown route now.

The outlook for wheat in Kent has improved wonderfully during the past few weeks. Mr. Bartus Trew brought a sample of his "Trew's Prolific" to Town Tuesday which gives promise of yielding big. Mr. Walter Skirven has one of the finest fields of wheat in this section, but has quite a rival in Messrs. Wilbur Eliason and Wm. Clough.

Fire destroyed twelve or fifteen acres of hay for Mr. Walter Morris last week.

The first peaches shipped to Baltimore this season arrived there Thursday of the last week from Florida and were consigned to Duvall & Woolen, commission merchants, 106 Pratt street. There were eight cases altogether, and were sold at prices ranging from $2.50 to $3.00 per box.

The Sun yesterday says : The second race was for the 2.16 pacers. Reddy Russell, the speedy daughter of Happy Russell, won the first heat in 2.16¼. She led the field to the first quarter pole in :31 seconds, a 2.04 gait. Evadne won the next three heats and the race. Reddie was driven by Mr. Lane and is owned by Mr. Geo. Jones, of Kennedyville.

The Kennedyville base ball team crossed bats with Washington College yesterday. They played Dover this week and were handicapped by the unfair umpire, score 17 to 3.

The new features inaugurated at the Chestertown National Bank during the past year have been striking and of such a character as to bring this old institution in special favor with the public. Mr. W. W. Chapman, cashier; J. W. Crouch, teller and Wm. S. Brownley, book-keeper, are the courteous and industrious officers of this bank who are pushing forward its best interest and who have the support of the following substantial board of directors: Hon. C. T. Westcott, Marion deK. Smith, R. D. Hynson, E. S. Valiant, Alday Clements, J. S. Harris, F. H. Harper, S. Vannort, J. W. Chapman. See adv. in another column.

The Second National Bank announces in this issue new features that must call for the consideration of every reader. They offer to pay 4 per cent on all Savings Deposits when left on deposit two calendar months and everybody treated alike.

The efficient officers of this progressive institution are Hon. Jas. A. Pearce, President; W. B. Copper, Cashier; E. F. Perkins, Teller; H. T. Deaver, Bookkeeper; Directors: James A. Pearce, W. W. Hnbbard, Garrett Foxwell, Adam F. Huey, H. H. Barroll, W. T. Hurlock, T. B. Durding, H. W. Vickers and W. B. Copper.

If fruit farmers ever made any money it will probably be this year. The peaches are of the size of an acorn and every orchard seems to be fairly covered, both young and old trees, and should the June drop not do any more damage than it has thus far, the crop will be heavy this year.

Bridge Accepted.—The Kent County Commissioners, Messrs. Daniel Hill, L. P. Atwell, P. B. Rasin and L. C. Ayres, accompanied by Clerk Theodore Jewell and Deputy Treasurer Frederick Wilson, visited Elkton Wednesday for a joint meeting with the Cecil Commissioners, but only one was present but he was empowered to act and they arranged a settlement for the bridge between the two counties at Fredricktown. The total cost was $7,904. It seems unfair that *one* Cecil Commissioner should have required *six* from Kent to travel so far.

A Malicious Act.—The school at Lambson's taught by Mrs. Mary Brockson, was entered between Friday and Monday and the walls besmeared with ink, books torn and scattered over the floor and other acts such as only a devilish spirit could project. A reward of $30 is offered for the conviction of the culprit.

Big Prices.—Mr. George W. Rodenhiser, of the firm of G. W. Roeder & Co., Baltimore, was in Kent this week looking after business. He reports shipments of asparagras from Sassafras river as bringing $1.50 to $2.50 and Spring chickens doing fine. This firm sold a dozen young chickens a short time ago for $8.40 ! Mr Rodenhiser is well known and his dealings with our people have been highly satisfactory.

Shad Scarce.—Mr. George Byron, an expert fisherman, says there were not 50 shad caught at Chestertown this season and that the fishermen could scarcely get enough herring to eat. He and other fishermen think the river is becoming polluted by dirt and filth that pours into it from various sources and thus injuring the fish. The distribution of shad fry by Fish Commissioner Vincent has been as follows: Sassafras river, at Fox Hole, 1,000,000; Bohemian river, 1,000,000; Chester river, 1,000,000. Six million yellow perch have been placed in Kent waters but no white perch.

Bankrupt Suit.—Clarence W. Perkins, Esq., referee, heard the case of creditors versus Ernest Sanders yesterday in Court House, Chestertown. Lewin W. Wickes, Esq., represented the creditors and Towers & Dewees, of Denton, the mortgages and bankrupt. It seems Mr. Sanders gave his son, Ernest, a mortgage for $400 which Mr. Wickes claims should be included in the assets, but which Mr. Sanders claims never represented a debt owing his son, Ernest, and was only given to protect him from unjust claims in Caroline County.

Church Improvements.—The trustees of the Chestertown M. E. Church met this week and decided to put a steel ceiling in the audience room, fresco the walls, and paint the end of the church. The ladies will put the cap sheaf on by purchasing a new carpet, the money for it is in hand. These improvements will cost about $1200 and will be commenced in a few weeks.

The board of trustees of the M. P. Church at Warwick met at the parsonage recently and decided to proceed at once toward the erection of the new church. R. B. Merritt has kindly donated a lot on Main street, 60 feet front by 200 feet deep, on which a neat church will be erected with a seating capacity of 200, inclusive of the Sunday school room which will connect with the main room by sliding doors. The committee on subscription is Rev. J. McLain Brown, Messrs. L. P. King, J. R. H. Price, W. H. Bennett and R. B. Merritt. Building committee, W. H. Bennett, Rev. J. McLain Brown and L. P. King.

Picnic Season.—The B. S. Ford arrives here daily except Saturday at noon and remains an hour. Christ Church Sunday School will probably hold their picnic Wednesday, July 9th, at Queenstown.

The Centreville M. E. S. S. will run their annual excursion to Tolchester, July 2rd.

The Cecil Farmers' Club will picnic at Betterton next Tuesday, 17th.

Owing to Bay Ridge being closed this season, the Sunday School of Ebenezer M. E. Church, Easton, will give their excursion to Tolchester, Wednesday, July 23rd, from Easton Point.

Santmyer—Joyner.—Miss Sadie Joyner, daughter of Benjamin J. Joyner, of Kent county, was married last Wednesday night at 8 o'clock to Mr. Mark K. Santmyer, of Annapolis Junction, Md.

The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's brother-in-law, Mr. Arthur S. Lowe, 1729 South Charles street, by Rev. Thomas Lowe, of the William Street Independent Methodist Church. After the wedding a reception was held in the parlors of Mr. Lowe's home. The young couple left late Wednesday night for Annapolis Juncton, where they will reside.

Mr. J. Clifton Mallalieu, of New York, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Mallalieu, of Millington, and Miss Mary Edna Lloyd, of Danville, Pa., were married Tuesday, May 20th.

The first marriage of a deaconess of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Baltimore took place last Thursday night at the Deaconess Home, 808 West Lombard street.. Deaconess Dorothy M. Erdman, 2102 Orleans street, was married to Mr. Wilfred D. Wrightson, of Kent county, Maryland. After the ceremony a reception and banquet were given in the large dining hall of the home and 100 guests were entertained. For six years Miss Erdman was engaged in the work of a deaconess, and for the past two years she has been stationed at Monument Street Church. Mr. Wrightson and his bride left for Kent, where Mr. Wrightson has a farm near Pomona.

A Unique Commencement.—Miss Idel Baker's Kindergarten closed Thursday for the summer with one of the most delightful entertainments yet held by this progressive school. In the morning the little folks held their gymnastic sports on the lawn at Miss Baker's home and at twilight bubble contest, strawberry games, and other unique events were given to the delight of about thirty children. The garland march was one of the prettiest features ending with throwing garlands on trees and shrubbery. Refreshments were served to all present. The gold medal was presented to little Miss Genevieve Dixon for proficiency. This school is one to which Chestertown can point with pride.

New Magistrate.—Gov. Smith has appointed Mr. J. Thomas Parsons a Justice of the peace for Rock Hall. He will open an office at Deep Landing, Mr. Jewell having an office in the town.

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Millington News.

Personals.—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Duling of Wilmington, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stevens.

Mrs. Dr. P. P. Turner and Miss Anna Turner, of Philadelphia, are guests of Miss Gertie Turner near town.

Miss Mabel Britton, of Baltimore, is the guest of Miss Mary Hazel.

Miss Ollie Vansant is spending the week with relatives in Philadelphia.

Mr. Edgar Painter, of Wilmington, Del., spent several days of this week with Mr. Paul Price.

Miss Ada Robinson and Miss Whitlock of Middletown, Del., spent Sunday with Miss Addie Moore.

Miss Annie Bailey spent last Sunday in Sudlersville with her sister Mrs. Seward Barwick.

Miss Ollie Price, of Philadelphia, is visiting her mother Mrs. M. H. Price.

Local News.—Miss Ollie Ross one of our popular young ladies and Mr. Frank Carlyle, of Marydel, were quietly married at the home of the bride last Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, the ceremony was performed by Rev. I. Rider. The happy couple will make their future home in town, we extend our best wishes and congratulations.

The ladies of the Foreign Missionary Society of this town entertained Mrs. Moore and Miss Soplier, of Baltimore, Tuesday these ladies held a public meeting in the M. E. Church, that evening Miss Soplier who has just graduated from the Womans College Baltimore, made a very interesting address on the subject of "Foreign Missions." Miss Soplier expects to return to her home in Tokio, Japan, next fall.

We regret to state that Rev. J. D. Kemp, pastor of the M. E. Church, is still unable to fill his pulpit. Rev. A. P. Prettyman, of Galena, filled the vacancy Sunday. Children's Day services will be held next Sunday evening.

The sidewalks of our town are very much torn up at this time owing to the paying which is going on. Some of our people are using cement instead of brick. When the work is completed the appearance of the town will be greatly improved.

Mr. J. P. Ahern and daughter, Miss Ruby, spent Thursday in Dover, Del.

Mrs. M. O. Cacy, Miss Julia Cacy and Mrs. R. E. Fedderman are visiting Mr. W. E. Cacy, Dumont, N. J.

Rev. Albert Ware, Rector of P. E. Church, and daughter, Miss Lillie, left for New York Thursday where they will take passage on steamer for a two months trip to England.

Rev. Wilson Sutton, of Black's, will conduct services in his absence.

Big Droves of Cattle.—Cattle buyers have been making large shipments from Kent and Queen Anne's during the past month. On Monday of last week Messrs. John Gale, Sam'l Caldwell and Marcus Asher shipped to Baltimore 65 bulls and 300 pigs and on another occasion the drovers started to the stock yards with a herd of 68 bulls !

Society Events.—Miss Julia Rolph, of near Church Hill, held a delightful birthday social at her home Monday evening, among those present were Misses Evelyn Taylor, Sallie Tucker, Mary Moore, Annie Jester, O. Fields, M. Fields, F. Fields, H. Toulson and Lillie Rochester, Messrs. D. Potts, A. Fields, K. Leverage, W. Sheets, L. Sheets, C. Massey, M. Spry, J. Whaley, H. Tucker, W. Riggin, Howard and Tilden Story, W. Bowen, H. Copper and J. Willamson. Refreshments were served in abundance, after having a delightful time farewell was said to the fair hostess in the wee sma' hours of night.

Miss Grace Anthony entertained Miss Olive Anthony, of near Queenstown, last week.

LOVE LED THE WAY!

Secret Ceremony in South Baltimore Wherein a Friend Secured the Marriage License for Chestertown Young Man.

Quietly and without the knowledge or consent of her parents, Miss Helen Mar Travers, of 1307 William street, was married Saturday afternoon to Walter B. Sappington, of 1513 William street.

The parents of the girl have been greatly opposed to the marriage and had forbidden the groom to come to their home for the past four months. But this minor obstacle was not sufficient to deter the couple in their path of love-making, and they have seen each other every day. Through a mutual friend letters were also frequently exchanged, and finally the two determined to embark upon the matrimonial sea.

A friend, J. R. Thrasher, of 116 East Fort avenue, was persuaded to secure the marriage license for them, and Saturday obtained the necessary document from Clerk Livingston's office in the courthouse. The greatest secrecy was maintained, and all knowledge of the prospective ceremony was kept from the bride's parents.

Saturday at 3 o'clock she left the place where she is employed, Winkelmann Drug Company, on Lombard street, and was met by Sappington. Without bothering about the unnecessary encumbrances, such as best man or bridesmaids, the two were then married at the parsonage of a well-known church in South Baltimore. The name of the church was also kept a secret, and even Thrasher, who secured the license, refused to divulge it.

The groom is a native of Chestertown and is a painter by trade. This morning he expects to leave for his native town, where he and his bride will spend their honeymoon at the home of the groom's parents.

Meanwhile a small sized tempest is raging at the home of the bride's parents, and it is not likely that the paternal forgiveness will be easily secured. Several of her male relatives are also anxiously inquiring for the whereabouts of the newly married couple—Herald.

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Registrars of Voters.

Supervisors' Notice of Appointment of Registers of Voters.

OFFICE OF BOARD OF ELECTION SUPERVISORS

Chestertown, Md., June 10th, 1902.

The Board of Supervisors of Election for Kent county having selected the following named persons to be Registers of Voters in the several voting districts of said county, in accordance with the provisions of Section 10 of Article 33 of the Code of Public General Laws, hereby give notice of the names and postoffice of each person so selected and also the political party which the Board of Supervisors intend each of the said persons to represent, respectively. The law makes it duty of the Board to examine promptly into any complaints which may be preferred to them in writing against any person so selected and to remove any such person upon inquiry they shall find to be unfit or incapable.

REGISTERS.

1st Dist., Millington Precinct—Benj. W. Duling, D.; Clarence Price, R., Millington.

1st Dist., Galena Precinct—Robert Johnson, D.: Theodore Dempsey, R. Galena.

2nd Dist., Kennedyville—John Comegys, D.; Black's; Harvy D. McCleary, R., Morgnec.

2nd Dist., 2nd Precinct, Kennedyville—Wm. S. Hurlock, D., Kennedyville; John Atwell, R., Kennedyville.

3rd Dist., Worton—James Sheats, D., Worton; Medford Crew, Betterton.

4th Dist., 1st Prec't, Chestertown—Jos. N. Wheatley, D.: B. N. S. Wilkins, R., Chestertown.

4th Dist., 2nd Prec't, Chestertown—Adam Startt, D.; Wilbur Eliason, R., Chestertown.

5th Dist., 1st Prec't, Rock Hall—Benjamin Coburn, D.: Jos. Downey, R., Rock Hall.

5th Dist., 2nd Prec't, Edesville—H. H. Gresham, D.; D. W. Crosby, R., Edesville.

6th Dist., Fairlee—R. C. Morgan, D., Fairlee, Samuel Loller, R. Melitota.

7th Dist., Pomona—J. Henry Thompson, D., Lankford; Henry Brown, R. Pomona.

The above named persons hereby notified to appear before the Board, at their office in the Court House, on

TUESDAY, June 17, 1902,

at 10.30 a. m. to be duly qualified and sworn in as Registers of Voters in the Respective districts.

J. RAYMOND BOWERS, Prest.
B. J. McCAULEY,
JOHN C. DAVIS,
Supervisors of Election for Kent County.
JOSIAH MASSEY, Clerk.

SHERIFF'S SALE FOR TAXES.

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Sheriff of Kent county, upon whom was laid the duty of collecting the State and County Taxes unpaid on the 1st day of April, in the year 1895, by process of law, in and for said county and State, under the Public Local and Public General Laws of the State of Maryland, in such cases made and provided, I have seized and taken in execution

All That Property

assessed to EDWIN COOPER, situated one mile from Millington on road from Peacock's Corner to No. 10 School House in the First Election District of Kent county together with Improvements thereon

And notice is hereby given to the owner or owners thereof, or any party interested therein, that I will expose the same at Public Sale at the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Maryland, on

TUESDAY, July 8th, 1902,

at 11 o'clock a. m., and sell the same to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the State and County Taxes due thereon for the year, 1901, together with all interest and cost due and to become due thereon, conditioned upon the provisions of the Acts of Assembly aforesaid.

State Taxes due and unpaid.....$ 19
County " " 1 00
jel4 tds. THOS. J. FLETCHER, Sheriff.

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All That Property

assessed to ALEX WILSON, colored, situated near Smithville on the road to St. James Church and adjoining the lands of Peter Clare and others, in the Third Election District of Kent county, together with Improvements thereon.

And notice is hereby given to the owner or owners thereof, or any party interested therein, that I will expose the same at Public Sale at the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Maryland, on

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State Taxes due and unpaid.....$ .41
County " " 2.19
jel4 tds. THOS. J. FLETCHER, Sheriff.

LOST !

An infant's long White Silk COAT on the Lankford road between Lankford and Chestertown last Friday week.

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5c Tumbler Yeast Powder 2½c | 10c Earthen Pie Plates 4c

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Men's Best 50c Work Shirts, all kinds 29c
Men's Fancy 50c Dress Shirts, only 29c

China Butter Plates 1c Each | 25c Glass Water Pitchers 17c
15c Earthen B'k'g Kettles 8c | 25c Glass Sugar Bowls 13c
18c China Cream Pitchers 10c | China Plates, half-dozen, 25c

Men's 25c Good Suspenders, choice, 16c
Men's 1.50, 1.75 Good Pants, choice, 98c
Lot Boys' Knee Pants, choice, . 15c

Ivory Soap, only . 3¾c | Good Cups and Saucers, 33c
5c Laundry Soap . . 2½c | Best 5c Vanilla and Lemon 3 c
Washing Soda, 2 pounds for 1c | 5c Sack Fine Salt, only 2c

Children's I.25, 1.50 Fine Shoes, choice, 88c
Ladies 1.50, 1.75 Fine Shoes, all styles, 98c
Lot Job Shoes, all kinds, only . 50c

Early Bird Chewing Tobacco, only . . 29c
5-Cent Smoking Tobacco, package . . 3c
Best 35c Collar Pads, only 19c
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