Kent News.

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SALES TO TAKE PLACE.

Thursday, August 11—Personalty of John N. Bennett, Turner's Creek.

Wednesday, August 17—H. Theo. Jewell, near Worton Station, sale of personalty.

Tuesday, August 16—The Boyer farm, near Sassafras, by J. D. Urie, Esq.

Monday, August 15—Personalty sale of J. Thos. Pennington on the "Masden" farm, near Chesterville.

Thursday, August, 18—Personalty of Elias T. Othoson, near Kennedyville.

Monday, Aug. 22—Personalty sale of Robert T. Cochran, near Galena.

Monday, Aug. 22—Personalty sale of the late William H. McElwee, in Queen Anne's county, by R. D. Hynson, Esq., and Mary E. Thompson.

Wednesday, Aug. 24—Personalty sale of Smith H. Burris, near Kennedyville.

Tuesday, Aug. 30—Sheriff's sale of Lankford creamery, by ex Sheriff Fletcher.

One-half Price Sale.

Boys & Children's Clothing

This is a genuine, bona fide sale in every particular. No working up of prices and cutting into, nor is it a lot of cheap stuff procured for the purpose of running this sale. The fact is, we have too many Boys' and Children's Suits, and have determined to let 'em go. We would like those who bought of us in season to inspect this sale and see the genuineness of it. You will probably see some of the same patterns that you bought of us earlier.

Boys' $5.00	Suits	$2.50
" 4 50	"	2.25
" 4.00	"	2.00
" 3 75	"	1.87½
" 3.50	"	1.75
" 3.25	"	1.62½
" 3.00	"	1.50
" 2.75	"	1.37½
" 2.50	"	1.25
" 2.25	"	1.12½
" 2.00	"	1.00
" 1.75	"	87½c
" 1.50	"	75c

50c. Wash Suits, 20c. to close. Such values must move rapidly, Don't be too late to share in them. Other summer goods regularly reduced.

J. D. Lucas.

Kent County Savings Bank

WILL CONTINUE TO PAY INTEREST AT THE RATE OF

4 Per Cent

per annum, compounded semi-annually, on all Savings and Special Deposits.

It is a significant fact that the KENT COUNTY SAVINGS BANK is the *Pioneer Interest-Paying Bank* in this community and our loyal depositors have at all times recognized this truth and shown their appreciation.

The KENT COUNTY SAVINGS BANK has just completed its eleventh year of success and it shall be our aim and pleasure to give you every attention and at all times safeguard whatever business you may entrust to our care.

J. K. Aldridge, President,
Wm. F. Russell, Cashier.

LAWN FETE.

The Ladies' Aid Society of LOCUST GROVE M. E. CHURCH will hold a Lawn Fete on the lawn of Mr. Charles S. Hill, on THURSDAY, Aug. 18, 1904. aug6 2t.

W. C. T. U. LAWN FETE.

The annual Lawn Fete of the W. C. T. U. will be held at Kennedyville on Friday evening, August 19th. Ices, cakes, choice confectionery and fruit will be served. All are cordially invited. If the weather should prove very unfavorable the 19th the festival will be held on Saturday evening, 20th.
Aug. 6 2t

FARM FOR RENT.

ON MONEY RENT, containing 130 acres. For particulars apply to
jy30-3t. R. D. HYNSON.

FARM FOR RENT for 1905.

"WALNUT POINT," situated near Pomona, and containing 280 acres, 250 of which are tillable.
Address C. C. BROWN.
jy16-3t. Chestertown R. R. No. 3.

FARM FOR SALE.

The farm known as the "HOWARD FARM," near Turner's Creek, containing 265 acres of land. Far particulars, address
F. H. HARPER,
jy23-tf. Still Pond, Md.

FARM FOR RENT.

My farm of 360 acres at present tenanted by Cornelius Jarman is for rent. No one need apply unless financially able to till the farm properly.
Apply to
MRS. R. L. RAYMOND,
jy23 3t near Still Pond, Md.

FOR RENT for 1905.

THREE DWELLING HOUSES in Chestertown; desirably located, in good repair and comfortable. Moderate rent.
Apply to J. H. SIMPERS,
jy23-3t. Chestertown, Md

FOR RENT.

STORE ROOM on High Street directly opposite Voshell House.
Store Room and dwelling, for small family on Cross Street.
Call on or address
CHARLES S. SMITH,
M21. Chestertown, Md.

Oldest ::: Strongest

Hon. C. T. Westcott, President.
R. D. Hynson, Vice-President.
Wm. Walter Chapman, Cashier.

Cash Paid in	$60,000
Liability of Share-holders	60,000
Surplus	12,000
Undivided Profits	21,000
Total	$153,000

CHESTERTOWN National Bank

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

PAYS 4 PER CENT.

on SAVINGS DEPOSITS remaining one calendar month.

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NEWSPAPERS.

The Rural Carriers having stopped serving daily papers to their patrons, I desire to inform the public that I am prepared to furnish you any publication issued at publishers rates. Any of the Baltimore papers are 25c. per month, or $3 00 per year. Orders by mail will receive prompt attention, and all orders must be accompanied by the cash.
CHARLES N. SATTERFIELD,
jy16-3t. Newsdealer, Rock Hall, Md

FOR SALE.

DWELLING on Washington avenue, 7 rooms and attic, bath room closet, hot and cold water connected with sewer; now occupied by Mr. Sidney P. Townshend. Possession given January 1st, 1905.
Apply to W. M. CULP,
30jy-3t.* Chestertown, Md.

NOTICE.

THE MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE CO. of Kent County will pay on and after August 2nd upon the filing of the claims, owing by the company, properly authenticated, all losses occasioned by the Millington fire.
G. B. WESTCOTT, Sec. & Treas
THOMAS W. ELIASON, Pres. jy30-3t.

NOTICE.—PHOTOGRAPHS.

The Photo Gallery in Chestertown will be open from August 8 to August 20 inclusive. I will be i the gallery every day from 8th to 20th, rain or shine. All kinds of work done. Bring in the Punch Cards.
C. W. HUNTER,
jy30-2t Photographer.

COW FOR SALE.

I have a nice JERSEY COW for sale. She is 5 years old and will be fresh shortly. Apply to
RICHARD C. LEAVERTON.
Near Pomona,
aug6-3t. Chestertown R. R. No. 3.

SIXTY BUCKS ON HAND

For Hire or sale. Thoroughbred SOUTHDOWNS and High grade SHROPSHIRES.
JOHN GALE & SON, Agents.
Live Stock Dealers, Hanesville, Md.

FARM FOR SALE.

My father has determined to sell his farm known as LOWER HOPEWELL, on Morgan's Creek and Chester River, and has placed said farm in my hands for disposition. It is close to town, has splendid buildings and many other great advantages, and I am authorized to name a very low price and sell on easy terms. Please see me at once, and oblige.
jy23 tf. W. W. HUBBARD.

Grain Exporters.

GILL & FISHER,
BALTIMORE.
E. L. ROGERS & CO.,
PHILADELPHIA.

The above firms telegraph me daily and frequent bids for grain. Phones at my office, 6 Court street, and residence.
H. M. BROWN,
jy30-tf. Chestertown, Md.

NOTICE TO THRESHERMEN.

You are hereby notified YOU MUST COMPLY WITH THE LAW in reference to traveling the public roads.
By order of the Board,
jy16-3t. CHARLES L. DODD, Clerk.

HARRY L. BOYD,

FIRE INSURANCE,
—NEWS BUILDING—
Feb.20-1yr. CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Galena Bank

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Farmers' Trust, Banking and Deposit Company,
GALENA, MD.

Transacts a General Banking Business.
Interest allowed on deposits subject to check.
Interest allowed on Savings Deposits.
Special Rates on Time Deposits.

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SPECIAL COAL FOR ENGINES AND SMITHING.

Lime, Cement, Drain and Sewer Pipe.

(Glazed Terro Cotta) TILING, &c., all sizes.
Leave orders or address
C. E. DAVIS,
jy9. Rock Hall, Md

For August:

Medders & Co. announce their Special August Sale on Page 5.

It will pay to attend their bargain sale, for they sell real bargains. Their terms are cash.

Dollar Wheat Almost in Sight!

The NEWS last week prophesied dollar wheat before Christmas. The price has steadily advanced this week and the market has been greatly excited. No. 2. spot sold in Baltimore yesterday for 93½c., and local buyers here paid 89½ cents,

ADVISES SALE OF ALMSHOUSE FARM.

The trustees of the Kent county almshouse at their quarterly meeting on Wednesday advised that the Kent county almshouse farm be sold. They say that the farm is not paying what the interest on the money invested would bring. The full board of trustees consisting of James Brice, president; John McGugan, Chris Connor, Abe Casey and George Bowers, were present and submit the following business transacted to the Kent county tax-payers:

INMATES.

White men	4
White women	3
Black men	10
Black women	9
Total	26

and one black baby. Goods bought from the following places:

R. F. Pares & Son for 2 months	$52 96
C. S. Smith for 2 months	13 26
George Z. Roland for 2 months	32 81
T. G. Wroth for 2 months	6 50
M. A. Toulson, for 3 months	20 80
T. S. Bordley, for 3 months	18 95
J. K. Aldridge for 3 months	14 58
H. B. Nicholson	4 40
J. F. Thompson	13 82
J. S. Bradley	35 27
Sparks & Jefferson	4 68
G. M. Lamb, of Baltimore, for bacon	63 62
N. Liberman for fish	12 00
Paid to Mr. Ford for labor	58 37
Walter Greenwood and wife	8 04

There are some other bills we could not get in. Any of us will gladly answer any questions pretaining hereto. This is by order of the board.
JAMES BRICE, Prest.

Strike At Tolchester.—Mr. Potts, the Tolchester amusement manager, had a formidable strike among his employees this week. The men refused to accept a cut in wages and all the amusements were at a standstill. It is said that Mr. Potts offered to let the employees have the receipts of all the amusements for the rest of the season if they would also shoulder the expenses. The men refused to risk this and the differences have since been adjusted and things are now running as usual.

Bridge Keepers Appointed.—The Queen Anne's county commissioners on Tuesday appointed J. W. Richards, Church Hill, keeper of Chester Bridge at Chestertown, and Peter Creswell, keeper of the bridge at Crumpton. The new keepers will take charge Jan. 1, 1905.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given of a free scholarship at the State Normal School, Baltimore, to be filled by the Board of County School Commissioners of Kent county, Md. The scholarship provides tuition. The applicant must be 16 years of age. The appointment will be determined by competitive examination, which will be held THURSDAY, AUGUST 11th, inst. The appointment will be made Tuesday, August 16.
JOSEPH PETERSON,
1t. SECRETARY.

NOTICE.

The Kent County Commissioners hereby gives notice that all persons traveling over Turner's Mill Branch Bridge do so at their own risk until repairs are made.
By order of Board.
aug6 tf. CHARLES L. DODD, CLERK.

REPORT OF JOSEPH PETERSON, Treasurer of the Board of School Commissioners of Kent county, Md., for year ending July 30th, 1904.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand July 30th, 1903		$ 4,154 45
Free Book Fund		2,565 23
Manual Training Department		1,500 00
State School Tax		11,143 80
County School Tax		20,000 00
Books sold		41 16
Coal sold		56 08
Tongers' Licenses		1,258 99
Interest account		7 08
Check lost in mail		1 00
Free School Fund		1,516 58
		$42,240 17

DISBURSEMENTS.

Teachers' Salaries	$28,660 47	
Rent School Houses	125 00	
Fuel	2,111 87	
Repairs	1,035 70	
Incidental expenses	612 24	
Furniture	214 91	
Expended for Books	2,813 24	
Salary Secretary, Treas'r and Examiner	1,200 00	
Per diem School Comm'rs	311 00	
Office expenses	103 05	
Printing and advertising	166 32	
Building School House	1,275 03	
	$38,628 83	
Cash in bank	3,611 34	
		$42,240 17

We hereby certify that we have examined the aforegoing report of Joseph Peterson, Treasurer of the Board of School Commissioners of Kent county, Md., and the books and vouchers upon which it is based, and find it correct.
W. B. COPPER,
W. F. HINES,
PURNEL JUMP,
aug6-3t. School Commissioners.

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—To hear from all shippers of—
LIVE POULTRY, HAY, STRAW, GRAIN, PRODUCE
GIBBS & BROTHERS.
308 N. Front Street, Philadelphia. Established 60 years. Satisfactory references. Prompt returns. jy23 3mos.

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Special Programme Between Dances.
ADMISSION—Gentlemen, 25c Ladies free.
REGULAR DANCES EVERY NIGHT.
HOWARD TURNER, PROPRIETOR.

LEWIS P. ATWELL, M. D.,
HOMŒPATHIST,
STILL POND, MARYLAND.
OFFICE HOURS:—From 7 to 9 a. m., 12 to 2 p. m., and 7 to 9 p. m. jy 9-2m

Boil all Drinking Water.

Kent County's Health Officer, Dr. H. G. Simpers, advises all drinking water to be boiled before using. This is imperative if you would escape typhoid fever. He says this disease is more prevalent in the autumn and late summer, because the effect of decayed vegetation and other impurities in water is then more marked, the majority of cases being due to contaminated water.

Typhoid is a preventable disease. One can be made immune by drinking nothing but boiled or discilled water and observing the ordinary common-sense rules of health. Boiled water may not taste good, but it is safe.

The developments in July indicate that more cases than usual may be expected until freezing weather comes. Drink nothing but boiled water if you would escape typoid fever.

SUDDEN DEATHS.

Philip E. Trew and Wm. J. Conlyn Die Suddenly.

Mr. Philip E. Trew, one of the best known citizens of Quaker Neck, died suddenly at the home of his brother, Mr. Thomas B. Trew, last Monday night. His death caused by heart failure superinduced by excitememt incident to the burning of his brother's barn by lightning When the stable was struck Mr. Philip was the first to discover the fire and hurried to the building. Mr. Thomas Trew came later and was told that the stock were out and all had been done possible and all they could now do was to let it burn and prevent spreading. Mr. Thomas was busy about the burning building until Mr. Walter S. Trew, who lives near them and came over to render aid, asked for Mr. Phil. and was told that he was there a minute ago but had likely gone to the house. As he continued missing they began to look for him and Mr. Thomas Trew was horrified to find him laying in the yard dead. He was taken to the house, but his life had ebbed away.

Philip Trew was born in Kent county in 1844 and was a member of one of the most prominent families in Kent county. He was a bachelor, 60 years old, and had made him home with his brother Thomas all his life. He was related to Bartus Trew, chairman of the Republican State Central Committee, and an uncle to Thomas Trew, a former Republican member of the Maryland legislature from Kent county.

The interment took place at the family burying ground on Mr. Bartus Trew's farm. Rev. A. H. Covey officiated J. N. Dodd undertaker.

The bearers were Jas. H. Baker, Walter S. Trew, Bartus Trew, Joseph Trew, C. C. Brown, Thomas W. Trew.

Mr. Wm. J. Conlyn was taken suddenly ill from a paralytic stroke at his shops in Lankford on Tuesday afternoon while at work and was carried to his home nearby. He never rallied and died the following morning. He was 65 years of age and leaves a widow and four daughters, viz: Mrs. Chas Bird, Mrs. Jas. Sedgwick and Mrs. Chas. Numbers, all of Wilmington; and Amanda, James and Wm. Conlyn, of Lankford. The funeral took place from his late home yesterday; interment at Crumpton cemetery. Rev. Milton McCann officiated; J. E. Ferguson undertaker.

Off to the Races.—Mr. Wm. A. Bell left Chestertown on Saturday with his string of horses and men for the summer campaign of racing. Bedworth, Jr., and Linwood, with two trainers, were in the party. The first roces were entered this week at Norfolk, Va.

Tomato Crop Short.—If we could judge by the vines it could easily be prophesied that there would be the largest crop of tomatoes ever grown in Kent. But this can't be done. The crop will be short. An examination shows very few young tomatoes on the vines. This seems to be the case throughout the county.

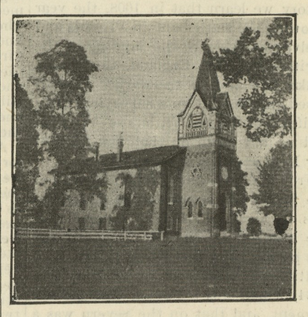
Real Estate Sales.—Mr. Robert J. McWhorter has purchased from Mr. Ellwood Whaley the C. C. B. Rasin livery stable property situated on Cross street. The price paid was $1500. Mr. McWhorter now occupies the property as a livery stable ane contemplates extensive improvements.

The Wm. T. Hepbron farm, near Still Pond, of 292¾ acres, has been sold by M. deK. Smith, Esq., trustee, to Mr. Robt. R Hill, of Kennedyville, for $6500.

More Damage by Lightning.—On Monday night about 12 o'clock lightning struck and fired the stable on Mr. C. T. Westcott's Curry farm, in Quaker Neck, tenanted by Mr. Thomas B. Trew. The building with its contents, Mr. Trew's entire crop of hay, was destroyed. Loss on building is estimated at $600 and on hay $300. Three colored boys, who were asleep in the stable, escaped unharmed. They also liberated one horse and several calves from the building. No insurance was carried on building or contents.

Removals.—Mr. Smith H. Burris, on the "White House" farm near Kennedyville, will discontinue farming and make his home with his daughters. He advertises his personalty in another column of the NEWS.

Mr. Chas. H. Crew will tenant the "White House" farm next year and Mr. Earle Nicholson will occupy the farm vacated by Mr. Crew.



STILL POND M. E. CHURCH.

The Interesting History of which, by Hon. James S. Harris, will be found elsewhere.

THE HAND OF DEATH.

Woodland Hurtt, Capt. Walmsey and Others Called to Their Final Home.

Mr. Woodland Hurtt died early yesterday morning at his father's home near Locust Grove. He was taken sick several weeks ago with typhoid fever and was very ill, but he had improved somewhat and his brother, Dr. Harry Hurtt, of Washington, who was with him, had left for his home; but other complications developed and notwithstanding the best of medical attention and nursing his devoted family and friends were compelled to say good-bye to him. He was about 37 years of age and was the oldest son of Mr. James W. Hurtt. He married Miss Woodall, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James F. M. and Emma A. Woodall, who survives him with two children. The funeral will take place Sunday morning at 11 o'clock from Shrewsbury Church.

Capt. John P. Walmsley died at his home, Fredericktown, last Friday night, after a lingering illness from cancer, aged about 67 years. Captain Walmsley was the owner of several vessels plying between ports on the Chesapeake Bay and its tributaries.

He was the only survivor of the steamer Express, which sunk in the Chesapeake Bay many years ago. He was twice married, his second wife and one daughter, Mrs. John C. Davis, of Chestertown, surviving him. Funeral took place Monday afternoon from late residence of the deceased, Rev. Mr. Coale of St. Stephen's Parish, officiated; interment in Galena Cemetery. The pall bearers were Richard Lockwood, Andrew Schofield, Thomas C. Cruikshank, B. F. Short, G. Nailor Davis and Lambert W. Davis.

Mrs. S. A. Alcutt, widow of the late Mahlon K. Allcutt, died last Saturday night at the home of her son, Mr. Walter Allcutt, Chestertown, aged 70 years. She had been ill for a long time of affections incident to old age and bore her suffering with cheerful resignation and christian fortitude. She is survived by two sons, Edward H. of Philadelphia, and Walter, of Chestertown, with whom she had made her home for some years, Funeral services were held Tuesday, afternoon, conducted by Rev. W. L. White and Dr. D. L. Greenfield; interment in Chester Cemetery. The pallbearers were: M. A. Toulson, J. B. McIntyre, Lewin S. Fowler, Enoch N. Roland, James W. Lambert and Daniel P. Cox. Undertaker J. E. Ferguson had charge of funeral arrangements.

Mrs. Harry L. Hyel, died at her home in Philadelphia last Sunday, aged 71 years. The deceased was the only sister of Mr. Wm. J. Elliott, of Chestertown. Mr. Elliott and daughter, Miss Mary attended the funeral on Tuesday.

Miss Mollie Baxter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Baxter, Queen Anne's, died on Thursday at the home of her parents. She was a charming young lady, 26 years of age, and often visited Chestertown.

Large Number of Sales.—As will be seen from the NEWS, quite a number of farmers have decided to discontinue farming and advertise their stock at public sale. A great number of changes in tenants will occur the first of the year, many of them going into other occupations.

The sale of the personalty of Mr. A. L. Hudson last Monday was very well attended, and Auctioneer Hurlock secured good prices Horses and colts sold from $50 to $150 and cows from $15 to $40.

New Buildings.—Mr. W. B. Lecompt and force have completed one of the finest buildings in Quaker Neck in the way of a granary for Mr. R. D. Hynson, on his farm near Pomona, tenanted by Mr. James T. Brown. The workmen are S. C. Lecompt, Chas. Hague, Chas. Atkinson and Alexander Rollison. Mr. Hynson will also have other repair work done on the same farm.

Mr. A. M. Kendall and force are also erecting a large and commodious building for Mr. J. H. Baker, near Pomona.

School Notes.—Miss Louise Carroll has been appointed teacher of Betterton school.

Miss Stella Biddle was appointed assistant teacher at Rock Hall; Miss Iris Anthony assistant at Fairlee.

Miss Florence McConnor, of Queenstown has been awarded a scholarship to Washington College from Queen Anne's county.

J. H. SIDES, the jeweler, is now receiving almost daily shipments of goods and novelties in his line bought at bargain prices. It will pay you to see him and secure some of these bargains. Spectacles and eyeglasses properly fitted.

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