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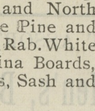
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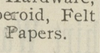
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EGGS. We will pay 17c for EGGS to-day, Saturday, May 20th. CLEMENTS & CO., Crumpton. a29 tf.

FESTIVAL & SUPPER.

The Ladies of Union M. E. Church will hold a FELTIVAL and SUPPER at Worton Station on SATURDAY JUNE 3, 1905 All the delicacies of the season will be served. Everybody welcome.

STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL.

The scholars of Lankford Public School, Miss Emma C. Mills teacher, will hold an ICE CREAM and STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL on the school yard FRIDAY EVENING, MAY 26th. Proceeds for benefit of Library Fund. 1t*

FESTIVAL.

The ladies of the First Presbyterian Church, of Worton, Md., will hold a "Country store" and Strawberry Festival in the lecture room of the church and on the green on Saturday evening, May 27th 1905. Proceeds for Benefit of church. The public are cordially invited.

FESTIVAL AND SUPPER.

The ladies of Bond M. E. Church will hold a festival and supper on the Church Green Wednesday and Thursday, June 7th and 8th. All the delicacies of the season will be served and we earnestly request your attendance.

SCHOOL FESTIVAL.

The scholars of Quaker Neck public school, No. 2, taught by Miss Wheeler Peterson, will hold a Strawberry Festival on next Wednesday, May 24, 1905. A four horse wagon will leave Mrs. Geo. B. Westcott's at 7 o'clock for the festival. All are welcome.

HIGH SCHOOL FESTIVAL.

The teachers and pupils of the Chestertown High School will hold a STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL, FRIDAY EVENING JUNE SECOND, the proceeds of which will be devoted to the purchase of an organ for the school. All patrons and friends are cordially invited to be present.

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FESTIVAL.

The Kennedyville Public School will hold an ICE CREAM AND STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL on the school green Friday evening, May 26th, 1905. Proceeds for benefit of school. m20-tf.

$3.00 box Olene Soap $2.00. Box 100 cakes Ark Soap $1.25. 1 box 4 dozen Yeast Powder $1.75. Box 50 lb. Laundry Starch $1.45. Closing out sale at C. S. Smith's.

SUPPER AND FESTIVAL.

The ladies of Wesley Chapel will hold a FESTIVAL AND SUPPER on the Church Green SATURDAY EVENING, May 20th. All the delicacies of the season will be served. Price 35 cents. Ice Cream, Cake and Strawberries. Come.

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FOR SALE.

25000 SWEET POTATO PLANTS at $1.00 per thousand. Apply to

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SPRING SUITS. $5.00, $7.50, $10.00, $12.50, $15.00, $18.00 and $20.00. The kind that fit, at LUCAS.'

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PROPOSALS.

For Supplying the Public Schools With Text Books and Furniture.

Bids will be received by the Board of School Commissioners of Kent county, Md., for supplying the public schools of the county with text books, stationery and school furniture for two years from August 1st, 1905.

The bids must state the discount allowed on the regular list price of the text books and give the price of the other articles to be supplied.

No bids will be received after 12 o'clock Thursday noon, June 1, 1905.

The School Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

MILTON MELVIN,

m20-3t. Secretary.

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At this time we wish to mention our deal on WALL PAPER. Our low prices on MATTINGS and OIL STOVES. If you need a CARRIAGE or a RUNABOUT we know you will see what we are offering and save the big difference in prices. Read adv. page 5.

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TO THE PATRONS AND FRIENDS OF ROCK HALL POSTOFFICE.

Conscious of the fact, that I am an up-to-date Fourth Class Post Master, my official duties being conducted on 20th century lines and the office being in a most desirable location, I hereby inform you, that I will be an applicant for reappointment at the proper time. Yours, very truly,

JOHN W. DOWNEY, P. M.,

1t. Rock Hall, Md.

FOR RENT.



THE ROOM under the Voshell House parlor heretofore used as a pool room. Possession given at once. Address

J. S. BRADLEY,

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Chocolate Sponge and all other 40c Chocolates at 25c, closing out sale at C. S. Smith's.

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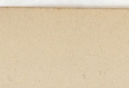
m6-tf. Chestertown, Md.

FOR SALE.

THOROUGHBRED, SINGLE COMB, BROWN LEGHORN EGGS—$1.00 for 15.

m25-5t* R. S. EMORY.

FOR SALE!



One Second-hand Top Carriage for sale cheap. Can be seen at the Carriage Shops of SAMUEL HICKS, on Cross st., Chestertown. tf

FOR SALE.

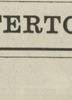


2 MEDIUM SIZE HORSES, bays, one 4 years old, Avonmore stock, price $100. And one 5 year old Belton, price $115. Have been worked on farm and work all right every place they have been put; are perfectly sound and quiet; 5 year old has been driven two or three times, both should make good drivers. Will sell on good note, at 4 or 6 months.

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A desirable NEW RESIDENCE on Kent street, near Washington ave. Eight room and bath, conveniently arranged, papered and ready for occupancy. This house is situated in the ideal new residence section of Chestertown.

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DEATH'S DOINGS.

James Dunbracco died at his son in-laws' in Wilmington Thursday morning at 9 30. Aged 73 years. He was married twice, his first wife was Miss Vandeford, of Westminster, his second wife was Miss Ryland, of Queen Anne's. He had two children by his first wife, Mr. Jas. Dunbracco, of Chestertown, and Miss Emma Dunbracco, of Wilmington. He had two children living by his second wife, Mrs. Elda Jones and Mrs. Annie Nickerson, both of Wilmington. One brother Nathan Dunbracco, of Baltimore, and one sister, Mrs. Joel R. Clements, of Chestertown also survive him. The funeral will take place today.

Rev. Samuel McBurney, a widely known and eloquent retired Methodist Episcopal divine, died at his home in Philadelphia on Sunday, aged 61 years. Dr. McBurney was frequently called upon at Church dedications and anniversaries and was heard in Kent on several occasions. He was a cousin of Bishop Neely, of Buenos Ayers.

Rev. Dr. Hammond Dead

Rev. Dr. W. S. Hammond, one of the oldest members of the Maryland Annual Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church, died Saturday night at the Union Protestant Infirmary. He had been at the institution about two weeks.

Dr. Hammond entered the ministry at an early age, and during his many years service had been stationed at many churches, including Ninth and Congress Streets, Washington, Mount Lebandon, Alnutt and Broadway, Baltimore, Hill Street, Newark, N. J., and Chestertown, Md.

He was one of the leading members of his denomination, and held many prominent offices. He was president of the Maryland Annual Conference and also president of the General Conference To that body at its quadrennial sessions he was for many years elected one of the delegates. Five years ago Dr. Hammond ended his fiftieth year in active ministry. As a preacher Dr. Hammond was esteemed for his oratory and personal magnetism. His death, with that of Rev. J. J. Murray, formerly of Baltimore, removes two of the four oldest men of the conference. Those remaining are Rev. S. B. Southerland and Rev. David Wilson.

The funeral took place Wednesday morning from Lafayette Avenue Methodist Protestant Church. Services conducted by Rev F. T. Little, President of the Maryland Conference. Rev. J. D. Kinzer and Rev. J. M. Holmes pronounced the eulogies. The pallbearers were Revs J. W. Kirk, F. C. Klein, F. H. Lewis, L. Burroughs, Messrs. Daniel Baker and Thos. Murray. Interment in Loudon Park Cemetery. Dr. Hammond's home was at 425 North Stricker street.

GALENA ITEMS.

We are having very seasonable weather Sunday, Monday and Tuesday evening of this week we have had very hard rains.

F. P. Cochran and Henry J. Gray are shipping quite a large quantity of asparagus and are getting good prices.

The Branch Bank at Galena of the Farmers Trust Banking and Deposit Company has purchased a building lot of Mr. W. A. Whitaker and propose building a banking house right away, one to cost between 3 and 4000 dollars, from the drawings we think it will compare favorably with the best bank building on the Eastern Shore. The deposits are increasing right along, the bank is prepared to discount all good paper no matter how large the amount. They seem to have plenty of cash.

Politics have been very quiet here. The work in Chestertown on Tuesday last has started some little politicial talks, as the old order of things was changed some-what, there has been some talk about Mr. Harry Griffith coming out for representative to Legislature it was thought that he would make an excellent candidate as he is not classed with either faction of the Democratic party it would be a great affair if both factions would support him, then we could elect without any trouble. If the Democrats keep on fighting one another they will soon turn the county over to the Republicans, then as the old saying is, you will not miss what good the Democratic party in power may do for the county until you turn it over to the Republicans, for instance note what expense the County has been put to, for what, to examiners of books auditing committees, etc., all brought about by the extravagance of the Republicans.

At present there seems to be no prospects for the cannary at Lambson's to be run this year.

[We understand that Mr. Isaac Gibbs has been brought forward as a candidate for Legislature by his many friends in the First district. His faithful services in the last Legislature entitle him to the support of every citizen.—EDS.]

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Meets in Chestertown and Unanimously Name Saturday, June 10th as Day of Democratic Primaries and Fix Plan.

THE BARROLL WING APPOINTED ALL BUT FOUR JUDGES!

Meeting of the County Executive Committee was called to order by Mr. W. F. Russell chairman at 2 P. M. in the Court House, and after a few remarks made by the retiring chairman, Mr. Russell, Mr. Charles Miller was made the permanent chairman of the Executive Committe and J. S. Clark the Secretary by vote of 19 to 16. The following resolutions were read and adopted:

1st, *Resolved* that we the County Executive Committee, of the Democratic party for Kent county direct that the primary election of said county shall be held on Saturday, June 10th 1905, between the hours of 2 and 6 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of selecting ten (10) delegates from each of the seven (7) Election Districts of the county, to meet in Chestertown Tuesday June 13th 1905 at 11 o'clock A. M. to nominate 2 candidates for the House of Delegates, one (1) candidate for Sheriff, and one (1) candidate for Treasurer, two (2) candidates for County Commissioner, and one (1) candidate for County Surveyor.

2nd, *Resolved*, that the said primary election shall be on the seven district plan, and that each of the seven election districts of the county shall be entitled to ten (10) delegates each in the county convention which meets to nominate a Democratic county ticket on Tuesday, June 13th 1905.

3rd, *Resolved*, that all qualified voters of the county who have been recognized as Democrats and whose names appear upon the registration books of the district in which they present themselves, shall be entitled to vote, also all young Democrats who on account of their age, are not now registered, but who will be entitled to registration and to vote at the coming November election, shall be entitled to vote at said primaries.

4th, *Resolved*, that if there is any contest for the election of delegates in and of the seven election districts of the county, and a desire is expressed for a vote, judges in each district when the desire for a vote is expressed, shall appoint (2) clerks and shall open and close the polls at the hour above mentioned.

It was moved and adopted that the primaries be held in the county at the usual voting places in each district as follows:

1st District, 2 Precincts, Millington and Galena.
2nd District, 1st Precinct, Kennedyville.
3rd District, 1st Precinct, Worton.
4th District, 1st Precinct, Chestertown.
5th District, 2 Precincts, Edesville and Rock Hall.
6th District, 1st Precinct, Fairlee.
7th District, 1st Precinct, Pomona.

Moved and adopted that the judges for the primaries be appointed by the Executive Committee, and the following names were appointed for each district:

1st District, 1st precinct, Pearley Moffett, Gove Everett, Wm. T. Jones.

1st District, 2nd Precinct, F. P. Cochran, B. P. Walters, H. J. Gray.

2nd District, E. C. Bowers, Chas. Watts, John Redmile.

3rd District, Thos. J. Willis, Arthur L. Harris, Joseph Duyer.

4th District, Harry Cannon, Alwyn M. Culp, Chas Kibler.

5th District, 1st Precinct, Elmer E. Leary, Clarence Hersch, Milton L. Maslin.

5th District, 2nd Precinct, Wm. Burgess, John L. Lewis, Edgar H. Strong.

6th, District, Malon Lee, Walter B. Barnes, Archer Ramage.

7th District, Victor Hendrickson, Wesley McClary, J. H. Thompson.

The proceedings went along harmoniously as far as the date and plan of primaries was concerned, but when the Barroll men proposed to name *all* the judges, the minority objected strenuously but their opposition was unavailing and 21 judges were named for the Barroll wing and six for the organization!

Moved and adopted that each candidate be assessed the sum of $4.00 to help defray the expenses of the primaries, the amount to be paid by the several candidates to the secretary of the Executive Committee. There being no further business before the committee, motion to adjourn was carried.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT.

The board met with full board present, minutes of the last meeting read and approved and the following accounts were examined and passed.

Adolphus Davis, 1st	$ 22 55
Andrew W. Vansant	45 15
Wm. Steel	46 77
Thos. V. Stradley	38 80
Jno. W. Powell	12 40
Wm. H. Stradley	44 68
Wm. H. Boyd	38 61
Bessie Chambers	12 50
Shepard Morris	2 20
Peter Stevens, 2nd D	19 10
W. S. Moffett, do	25 57
N. M. Robinson, do	19 25
Jas. P. Rollison, do	10 65
J. P. Sutton, 3rd D	89 21
J. E. Dority, do	20 80
Herbert S. Lusby, 4th d	10 93
D. S. Sutton	1 40
Henry Brown, do	24 97
Lee A. Durding, 5th D	37 50
G. L. Maslin	86 25
Jno. Rice	21 33
G. W. Hayes	32 75
S. D. Leaverton	13 50
Walter Francis	20 65
Edwin Boulter	30 50
L. J. Whaland	7 00
Kilbourn and Warren	15 00
James Brice, prest Trustees of Almshouse	1100 00
McIntyre & Hodgkins, use of Jail	52 27
" " Courthouse	1 20
" " Kent & Queen Anne's	9 10
Thos. D. France, Courthouse	6 55
Chas. Hodgkins, Courthouse	1 35
W. L. Fowler, Kent & Queen Anne's,	24 00
H. G. Simpers, Stat onary, Stamps etc use as Health Officer	8 99
Frederick Humbert, Salary as Janitor	12 50
Fredrick Humbert, Mowing at River Landing and Sharpening Scythe	1 25
Robt. F. Jewell, Mag 5th D	18 30
Samuel Burgess, do	13 10
Jas. S. Bradley, Cert	66
Geo. Hadaway, do	66
Jno. S. Scoone, Const. Fees	9 55
Henry Parr, Agt. 1 D. Lock up Rent	25 00
Geo. C. Atkinson, Coffin for 2nd D	4 00

RAPID TRANSIT IN KENT

Wilmington Man Will Run Big Vehicles Between Chestertown and Bay Resorts — To Be Here Today —A Dangerous Experiment.

As first announced in the NEWS, the automobile line in Kent, will start about June 1st. Mr. J. Frank Crew, of Wilmington, Del., writes that he will be in Chestertown today with one of his machines. His idea is the establishment of a regular passenger line between Chestertown and Tolchester, and between Betterton, the up-the-bay summer resort at the month of the Sassafras river, Still Pond and elsewhere.

The distance between Chestertown and Tolchester Beach is eleven miles. The enterprise, it is claimed, has no official connection with the Tolchester Steamboat Company or the Tolchester Improvement Company, but the vehicles will be run on a schedule to connect with all the steamers arriving or leaving the Kent county resorts. The establishment of a quick and pleasant passenger route to take the place of the humdrum stage coaches which day in and day out have for more than thirty years trundled over this long stretch of roadway between Chestertown and the Chesapeake bay has been a dream of many seasons.

Last summer Mr. D. A. Clark, representing the Maryland Automobile Company; Capt. W. C. Eliason, president of the Tolchester Steamboat Company, and Mr. Wm. A. Potts, of the department of amusements at Tolchester Beach, made the run of eleven miles in thirty-one minutes in a big passenger automobile, to test the feasibility of the establishment of a rapid transit route between the bay shore and the Kent county metropolis. The contemplated route is over one of the chief thoroughfares of the thickly populated county, and it was found that rural horses were so terrified at the appearance of the new methods of transit that a state of consternation prevailed among them and their drivers on the day of the trial. This caused visions of countless complications to rise before the projectors of the inovation. As a safeguard against liability in damage suits for injury to users of the public highways from runaway horses, the commissioners of Kent county would, it was claimed, have required such restrictions as to render the enterprise impracticable, and the project was abandoned.

Monorail Projected.

Following this experiment, Mr. Edwin L. Tunis, vice-president of the American Monorail Company, made a preliminary investigation last year, having in view the establishment of a monorail line between Chester river and the Chesapeake bay.

Thousands of excursionists go to Tolchester Beach each season, and it was thought by Mr. Tunis tha. with rapid and pleasant passenger facilities many of those visitors would continue on to Chestertown. He also contended that an extensive local passenger and general business could be developed along the line. The tremendous speed of 150 miles an hour is claimed for the monorail system. This would have reduced the run of eleven miles between the two Kent county points to less than five minutes. The monorail scheme was abandoned, and Mr. Crew, who has already ordered two powerful passenger carrying machines, has determined to give the project of rapid automobile passenger transit a practical test.

The service is to be inaugurated on or before June 2, and if results early in the season warranted it, the route will be extended to Rock Hall, the populous oystering village five miles down the Kent county bay shore from Tolchester.

To Take in Betterton.

An automobile route will also be established by Mr. Crew between Betterton and, the resort on the Chesapeake bay shore at the mouth of the Sassafras river, and Still Pond, with the possibilities of its being continued to Chestertown, a distance of twelve and one half miles from Betterton.

Mr. Crew says that with proper care in manipulating the machines there is not the slightest danger of mishap from runaway horses. He is confident that in a few weeks the country horses will become as familiar with the automobile as city horses have become accustomed to the automobile and the trolley car. He contends that the automobile is destined to revolutionize passenger traffic in rural districts and an era in rural development, just as the trolley has opened up new real estate values and new possibilities in the line of suburban development in all of the large cities. He contends that once the enterprise is given a practical test the introduction of the new system of transit on the public roads in rural districts is assured.

The scant population, it is contended, makes the trolly car impractical in many sections in which the automobile will be a profitable and safe enterprise. "We will at least test the matter," says Mr. Crew.

Long Trip Possible in a Day.

Should the proposed route from Betterton to Still Pond be continued to Chestertown and the route be extended from Tolchester to Rock Hall, which is more than probable, it would make a continuous run of about thirty miles throught the most beautiful fruit growing and agricultural section in the United States. It would be possible to take a steamer from the city in the morning, land at Betterton, at the most northernly point in Kent, make the run to Rock Hall, near the southern extremity of the county, and return to the city in time for a late supper. Or the trip might be made, beginning at Rock Hall and going north. Mr. Crew, the projector of the enterprise, is a native of Kent county, but went to Wilmington several years ago.

CHRIST M. P. CHURCH,

REV. D. L. GREENFIELD, Pastor.

9.30 a. m.—Experience meeting.
10.30 a. m.—Theme, 'The Impartial God.'
2.30 p. m.—Sunday School.
7.15 p. m.—Christian Worker's hour of song.
8.00 p. m.—Sermon Subject, to Young Men. 'Two Fortresses.'

Package of Crackers, Cakes, Rolled Oats, Nic Nacks, Cocoanut, all new 5c packages go at 4c. Closing out sale at C. S. Smith's.

PERSONAL TIDINGS....

About You and Your Friends — The Going and Coming of Persons You Know.

Richard D. Hynson, Esq., wife and two children are spending the week at Atlantic City.

Miss Mary Fleming, who met with a runaway accident last week, was able to be up on Monday.

Capt. W. C. Eliason visited Mr. Samuel Vannort Monday. Mr. V. is convalescent after a serious illness.

Mrs. J. W. and Mrs. A L. Covey returned Monday from a visit to friends and relatives in New Jersey.

Mr. Wm. G. Evans has returned from a protracted visit to Pittsburg.

Mr. E. L. McClary spent several days last week with his brother Mr. H. D. McClary in Morgnec. Mr. McC. will graduate at the Maryland law school in Baltimore in June.

Mrs. Sheats, nee Miss Carrie Sappington, visited her parents on Mill street this week.

Mr. Kennard Aldridge spent Thursday at home.

Mr. A. L. Benjamin attended the funeral of his brother, Nelson, in Chester, Pa., this week. The deceased was about 68 years of age.

Mrs. Wood and children and Mrs. Stafford, of Baltimore have been the guests of Mrs. Stafford's mother, Mrs. Geo. Gardener on Front street.

Dr. T. Howard Fowler, son of Mr. Lewin S. Fowler, will take his degree of Ph. D at Johns Hopkins Unniversity in June, and on June 8th will sail for Germany with the Gails of 2301 Eutaw Place. He will remain in Europe until about Sept. 20th when he will return to take a position as Instructor in German at Williams College, Mass., an excelent college of 500 students. Dr. Fowler is worthy of such good fortune and the NEWS congratulates him and wishes him continued prosperity.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Noland entertained a jolly company at a 6 o'clock dinner Saturday in honor of Misses Ida and Rose Bramble, Misses Emma and Bertha Wattensheidt and Mr. and Mrs. Lipps, of Baltimore. The menu was prepared under Mrs. Noland's expert eye and each one enjoyed the occasion.

Mr. Bordley Sappington, of Washington, spent Sunday, with his parents on Mill street.

Miss Ida Bramble returned Friday from California where she has been spending the winter and within two weeks will leave for a resort near Boston.

Capt. Wm. S. Brownley, of Balto., was the guest of his sister, at Pippin's Hotel, the past week.

Mrs. Walter B. Simpson, of Washington, a sister, and Miss Fannie McFeely, of Baltimore, a niece, is visiting Mr. Jas. P. Parrot on Cannon street.

Thos. Hill, Esq., and wife, of Baltimore, were guests of Chestertown friends this week.

Harry J. Hopkins, Esq., of Annapolis, was the guest of Dr. Cain, of Washington College, this week.

Mr. Sam'l Greenwood, of Balto, spent several days with his parents at "White Hall," Chestertown this week.

Dr. Barrett C. Catlin, of Balto., brother of Mrs. James G. Beck, of Chestertown, was elected recording secretary of the State Homeopathic Medical Society this week.

Miss Flora McCourt left Chestertown this week for Norfolk, Va., where she will make her home with her cousin, Mr. Frank W. McCourt.

Mr. C. Y. James, of Chester, Pa., was in Chestertown this week to look into the advisability of establishing an automobile route from Tolchester to Chestertown. Mr. James owns a fine automobile capable of carrying about 20 persons and can make the distance from Chestertown to Tolchester in about one hour and a quarter.

Miss Estella Weall and Miss Ethel Lofland, both of Fairlee, are visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. Mary Hoppe, of Baltimore.

Mrs. Wm. H. Lambert is visiting her son, Mr. Edw. W. Lambert, of Easton. Miss Anna G. Lambert accompanied her mother to Easton.

Mr. John Moore, formerly of Chestertown, has secured through the good offices of Mr. W. G. Evans, a position with a large hardware firm in Pittsburg, Pa.

Messrs. John E. Wilson and James T. Earle, members of the Centreville bar, who left there several weeks ago for Oklahoma and Indian Territory, after looking over the extensive field in the above named Territories of the far West, returned east and settled in Kansas City, Missouri, a city at least 50 years old.

Mr. W. Arlett Parvis, son of Mrs. Lida Parvis, 117 W. Saratoga St., Baltimore, will graduate this year at the University of Maryland School of Medicine. Dr. Parvis deserves to succeed and we predict a bright career for him.

Mrs. Reynolds, owner of the Cochran farm tenanted by Mr. Faulkner, near Chestertown, was buried last Saturday from her home in Middletown.

Mrs. Wm. J. Vannort is visiting her daughter in Baltimore.

Mr. S. H. Pippin, the popular President of the Canning & Mercantile Co., Still Pond, has removed his family to Marydel where they will make their home. We regret to lose such a valuab e citizen.

Miss Julia Nicholson, one of the popular daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Nicholson, entertained a dozen or more of her young friends at a birthday dinner one day this week.

Mr. H. Clyde Maslin, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallis Maslin. Clyde is learning engraving and is also a member of a big choral class in one of the big city churches. Expert engravers get about $1 per hour!

Surgeon Charles C. Billingslea, U. S. A., and wife, from Fort Riley, Kansas, are guests of her parents, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Walter R. Graham. Since Dr. and Mrs. Billingslea left Easton in 1902 for the Philippines they have visited many places in Japan, China and other foreign countries, besides crossing the continent from ocean to ocean.

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