Kent News.

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SUPPER! STRAWBERRIES!

The ladies of Shrewsberry will have Supper, Strawberries, Ice Cream and Cake in Kennedyville Hall on the evenings of June 2nd and 3rd, at the usual prices. m27-ts.

ICE CREAM AND STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL.

The ladies of Zion M. E. church will hold a Strawberry and Ice Cream Festival in the grove opposite the church, on SATURDAY EVENING, JUNE 3rd. Everybody invited. COMMITTEE. m27-2t.

FESTIVAL and SHAD SUPPER.

The Ladies of BETTERTON M. E. CHURCH will hold their Annual Strawberry, Ice Cream and Shad Supper on the church green, FRIDAY and SATURDAY, June 2nd and 3rd, 1899. Ice-Cream, Strawberries, cake in abundance. COMMITTEE. m20-tf.

ICE-CREAM and..... .....STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL.

The Ladies of LYNCH'S CHAPEL will hold a Strawberry and Ice-Cream Festival in the lawn of H. C. and S. C. Cacy, on the evening of JUNE 10th. A cordial invitation is extended to all. m20-tf.

FOR SALE:

A FARM of ABOUT 160 ACRES,

on Chester River above Crumpton, about 2¾ miles from Crumpton and Millington; has a good FIVE-ROOM DWELLING and good Out Buildings; of easy access to Railroad, Steamboat Landing, Schools and Churches. Will sell low and on easy terms.

Apply to or address, JAMES LAKE,
j3-tf. No. 801 Merchants Bank, Balto., Md.

TO CONTRACTORS.

Proposals will be received until Thursday, June 9, at 2 o'clock, for running a Street Sprinkler in Chestertown and remove garbage—one man and two horses to be furnished; terms per day or hour.

Apply to T. R. HUBBARD, S. VANNORT, W. B. USILTON,
1t. Committee on purchase of Sprinkler.

GALENA.

DR. EMERSON, DENTIST,

of Chestertown, will be at the "Hotel Kent," Galena, on MONDAY, the FIFTH OF JUNE, remaining until Saturday, the 10th. Persons wishing dental work done will kindly not postpone it until the last days, thus avoiding a rush. 1t.

Interest on Deposits.

—THE—

Chestertown National Bank

HAS ESTABLISHED A

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT

And will allow from THREE to FOUR per cent. interest per annum on deposits in that department.

Interest will be calculated from the first day of each month, and will be credited to the account semi-annually.

One month notice will be required to withdraw Savings Deposits, but the bank may elect to pay same on demand.

Separate books will be furnished by the bank for Savings Deposits, which must be presented at the bank whenever money is deposited or withdrawn.

Deposits in this Department must remain at least three months to draw interest.

This bank has capital of.....	$60,000.00
A stockholders' liability to depositors of	60,000.00
A surplus fund of.....	12,000.00
And undivided profits.....	13,000.00
Total	$145,000.00

Trustees, Administrators, Executors Guardians and all Persons

having sums of money awaiting permanent investment are invited to place their funds in this bank. If it is not convenient to call at the bank for particulars, your letter to the President or Cashier will receive prompt reply with full information.

CHAS. T. WESTCOTT, President.
RICHARD D. HYNSON, Vice-Pres.
HARRY RICKEY, Cashier.

DIRECTORS:

Marion deK. Smith, Franklin H. Harper, Alday Clements, Edwin S. Valliant, James W. Chapman, Samuel Vannort.

CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND.

BANK NOTICE.

The Directors of the Chestertown National Bank will meet for discounting paper on WEDNESDAY instead of Thursday, until further notice.
m6-tf. HARRY RICKEY, CASHIER.

BINDER TWINE.

WE have made a Special Effort this season to protect our Farmers against the high prices on Binder Twine.

It has been appreciated and we are glad of it.

We will sell just as long as we have a pound left at our low prices.

Fine Sisal Twine.....@9½c.
Fitlers Manila Twine.....@10¾c.

WM. MEDDERS' & CO.
Still Pond.

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

GRACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Kennedyville. *Rev. K. M. Bull, Pastor.* Sunday School at 2 P. M.. Preaching 3 P. M.

SUNDAY SCHOOL of First Presbyterian Church, of Worton will observe Children's Day to-morrow June 4th at 8 P M.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Worton. *Rev. K. M. Bull, Pastor*
10.00 A. M.—Sunday School
8.00 P. M.—Preaching.

SALEM M. E. CHURCH, FAIRLEE. REV. JOHN M. ARTERS, Pastor.
9.30 a. m.—Sunday School.
10.30 a. m.—Preaching, Rev. C. K. Morris.
11.30 a. m.—Class service.
8.00 p. m.—E. L., leader, Mrs. Susan Hagve.

ROCK HALL M. E. CHURCH. *Rev. W. B. Guthrie, Pastor.*
10.00 a. m.—Preaching by pastor.
2.00 p. m.—Sunday School.
7.45 p. m.—Epworth Praise Service.
8.15 p. m.—Preaching.

SASSAFRAS M. P. CHURCH. *W. W. White, Pastor*
June 4th and June 18th.
9.30 A. M.—Sunday School
10.30 A. M.—Class Meeting.
7.45 P. M.—Preaching.
June 11th and June 25th.
9.30 A. M.—Sunday School.
10.30 A. M.—Preaching.
7.45 P. M.—Prayer Meeting.

KENNEDYVILLE M. P. CHURCH. *Rev. Lewis Randall, Pastor.*
Services at the M. P. Church as follows:
9.00 A. M.—Sunday School.
10.30 A. M.—Preaching.
7.30 P. M.—Evening Song Service.
7.45 P. M.—Preaching.
7.45 P. M.—Tuesday, Prayer Meeting.
8.00 P. M—Thursday, Christian Endeavor.

KENT CIRCUIT, M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH *Rev. J. Edgar Wilson, Pastor.*
Services for June 4th.

EMMANUEL CHURCH, Chesterville.
9.30 a. m.—Sunday School.
10.30 a. m.—Preaching by the pastor.
No evening service.

TRINITY CHURCH, Millington.
2.00 p. m.—Sunday School.
3.00 p. m.—Sermon to children by pastor.
8.00 p. m.—Children's Day Services.
The public are cordially invited.

CHRIST M. P. CHURCH. *J. M. Gill, Pastor.*
9.30 a. m.—Class Meeting.
10.30 a. m.—Preaching by pastor—subject, "Power of Habit."
2.30 p. m.—Sunday School.
8.00 p. m.—Children's Day Exercise.

MORGNEC ZION M. E. CHURCH. *Rev. Clarence Jones, Pastor*
9.30 A. M.—Sunday School.
10.30 A. M.—Preaching by the Pastor.
Services at Union:
2.00 P. M.—Sunday School.
3.00 P. M.—Preaching.
The first Quarterly Conference of Worton charge will be held at Union Saturday, June 10th, at 10 a. m.; preaching Sunday, June 11, at Union, 3 p. m., by Rev. W. F. Cook, D. D., Presiding Elder of Easton District.

THE County Executive of the W. C. T. U. will meet in the Class room of the M. E. Church, Chestertown, Tuesday, June 6th, at 2.30 o'clock. By order of President.

—THE—

KENT COUNTY SAVINGS BANK

IS THE ONLY

"SAVINGS BANK"

IN THIS COUNTY.

It opened its doors for business July 1st, 1893, and since then

Has Paid To Its Depositors $11,145.24 In Interest On Their Deposits.

In addition to the above magnificent amount this Bank will pay its Loyal Depositors on July 1st, about $2,000 more, as semi-annual interest from January 1st, 1899.

We are the Pioneer Interest-Paying Bank in this community and our well-established 3 per cent. Savings Accounts are constantly increasing and are popular with all classes.

The Kent County Savings Bank is subject to the same examination as the National Banks of this county, and is also annually examined by a committee of its Stockholders entirely distinct and separate from its Board of Directors.

Look At These New Features!

On Tuesday, May 9th, 1899, a full meeting of the Directors of this bank decided to pay

Two Per Cent. Interest Per Annum On Accounts Subject to Check.

These accounts are to be subject to check at any time, for any amount without notice, and 2 per cent. will be paid on balances of $50 and like amounts.

SPECIAL DEPOSITS may be made with the bank for 12 months or longer on which we

Will Pay 4 Per Cent Interest Per Annum.

It is our determination to do an absolutely safe business and to pay our depositors the best rates of interest consistent therewith.

We desire you to become a depositor in the only Savings Bank in Kent county, and shall be glad to communicate or talk with you concerning our methods of transacting business.

Very respectfully,
J. K. ALDRIDGE, President.
WM. F. RUSSELL, Cashier.
Chestertown, May 13, 1899.

A DISGRACE!

Chestertown in Sore Need of a New School Building.

The NEWS has heretofore called attention to the needs of Chestertown for a better school building. This week this fact was impressed upon us with greater force than ever before.

Monday morning a score or more of the scholars were rendered sick by the stench that came into the building from the neighboring slaughter houses, while the principal suffered from the effects thereof.

The necessity for a better school building in a more healthful part of the town is apparent to our citizens and we beg that action be not deferred longer.

While the above is true it does not lessen the responsibilty of those concerned in the maintenance a nuisance whether the school is there or elsewhere.

Hog pens, also, are an insufferable nuisance in the town.

Man About Town.

DR. DERRICKSON, of Worcester county was a welcome visitor at the NEWS office Monday. He came to Kent to look after his excellent farm tenanted by Mr. Jesse Copper and was much pleased with the condition of affairs. The doctor is in favor of Warfield for Governor and Bryan for President. He thinks Lowndes is the weakest man the Republicans could nominate.

MR. FRANK MOFFETT, who serves a milk route in town, met with a serious mishap Tuesday morning. While turning the corner of Front and Cannon streets the king-bolt of his wagon broke, causing the front of his wagon body to drop forward to the ground. This threw Mr. Moffett against the glass window in his wagon. He received several ugly wounds about the face, which were dressed by Mr. M. A. Toulson, druggist.

THE town commissioners on Saturday elected Mr. Thos. V. Simpson as chief officer of Chestertown in place of officer Frazier resigned. Mr. Simpson has served in this capacity before and had a bad element to subdue, but this he did successfully. Mr. Simpson will have the hearty support of all good citizens.

JUSTICE WILKINS on Saturday sentenced Bob Johnson, colored, to two years in the House of Correction for cursing Mrs. Gill, wife of Deputy Sheriff Gill. Bob is the "bicycle trick rider" and had been employed about the jail until last week.

ENGINEER HORACE REED visited Tolchester Saturday and inspected the wonderful railray there. Mr. Reed's engine weighs 45 tons while the little engine weighs only 600 pounds. An ordinary man can straddle the track and allow the engine to pass. This railway is owned and operated by the Messrs. Fountains. Its Construction is under the special supervision of the senior member, Mr. John R. Fountain, a gentleman of mechanical genius. The length of road is something less than a half mile. The carriages are fancy yet a double character with a capacity for carrying 20 persons, when in operation, its shrill whistle and other familiar railroad sounds draw the crowd, and its perfect working merits the applause and favorable comments—rate of speed is 12 miles an hour—amount of steam usually used is 100 pounds.

C. S. SMITH has just added a handsome new wagon to his free delivery service made necessary by his increased bakery business. This wagon was made by Chapman & Lambert, the well known carriage builders.

A YOUNG GENTLEMAN at the college came to town Tuesday and ordered of Mr. Loud a gallon of ice-cream "to be delivered at the East building." Henry is very careful in delivering cream, and upon arriving at the college, went to the "West" building and delivered the cream to a student who *claimed* to be the right Ward. A picnic was enjoyed by the students of the West building while the rightful owner waited patiently for his cream in the East building. After the treat, the empty can was replaced in the freezer, ice repacked and the same carried to the steps of the middle building. Mr. W. became anxious about his cream and went in search of it. He soon discovered the freezer, took it to his room, procured saucers, invited his friends and opened the can! Such a surprise as greeted the boys! Another freezer of cream was purchased by the same gentleman on Wednesday evening but special arrangements were made for its delivery to the owner.

DECORATION DAY was observed in town by the parade of Charles Summer Post and decorations of graves of both white and colored. Two bands of music enlivened the occasion with the latest tunes. Henry Miller lead the big band and Charles Hutchins the younger one.

THE demand for a sprinkler should not be ignored. It is a necessity.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Newsy Notes Gathered Here and There by News Reporters.

THE thermometer registered 90° in the shade Sunday; 90° on Monday and 92° on Tuesday.

New Store.—Contractor Walter R. Pippin finished work on the farm of M. DeK. Smith, Esq., last Saturday and has begun the erection of a new store and dwelling on corner of Cross and Cannon streets for Mr. John Vernon.

Paying Stock.—Three shares of the Emerson Drug Company held by the late Colin F. Stam were sold at public sale Tuesday by Mr. R. H. Collins, adm., for $400, H. H. Barroll, Esq., purchaser. The par value of this stock was $25 per share and the dividends recently have been enormous. Mr. Barroll was offered $500 for the stock an hour after he made the purchase. This company has control of Bromo Seltzer.

A Big Plant.—Messrs. Geo. E. Leary & Son, Rock Hall, have one of the largest factories on the Shore. They have just landed their fourth cargo of lumber and shingles and have sold 30,000 baskets to be delivered by June 15. For fair dealing, reasonable prices and quality of output this firm cannot be surpassed.

A New Wharf.—The Ericsson Steamboat Co. are constructing a new wharf at Betterton. The company having recently purchased the fine water-front property of Capt. George Moore, have now a large force of workmen employed in excavating, pile driving and constructing a wharf of the following dimensions: Length from the pier is 800 feet, landing pier, 40x80 feet; approach 750 feet, with crib and shed on shore. There will also be a rail-in passenger walk on one side while the balance of the wharf floor will be used as a driveway for teams. Messrs. Armstong and Printzenhoff, of Philadelphia, are the contractors and builders, with Mr. A. J. Beamer, of the same city, as superintendant of construction, and Mr. J. Huchner, also of Philadelphia, as overseer. The grading from the street to the waterfront is being done by Mr. Craft, of Baltimore, who has a large force now employed in making necessary excavations. This improvement will be finished in three weeks.

Horse Notes.—During the sharp wind and thunder storm of Monday evening the electric-light wires on Harrison St., near Goldsborough, were blown down and two valuable stallions, Charlie C. and Orange Blossom, belonging to Luther Coreny, were struck by the wire and instantly killed, and the driver received a severe shock, but no injury. Word was at once sent to the station and the lights all over the town were shut off and the damaged wire repaired. The horses were being exercised, and were considered to be among the finest and best-bred stallions in Talbot county.

A valuable two-year-old Dudley colt belonging to Mr. Alday Clements, died of lockjaw on Monday. The youngster gave promise of speed and was in the hands of Mr. Wm. Stevens for development. This makes the second valuable horse which has died of the same disease at Mr. Stevens' without any assignable cause.

New Dwelling.—Mr. A. M. Culp is erecting a new dwelling for Messrs. Tracy & Wright at the electric light plant. The dwelling will be occupied by engineer S. Latham.

Kent Leads.—Mr. Geo. Henry Watts, of Quaker Neck, will accept our thanks for a sample of his tremendous Sharpless strawberries. Queen Anne's tries her best to excel her neighbor but Kent goes her one better every time. Seventeen of Mr. Watts' berries filled a box!

CHANGED HANDS.

Mr. J. Henry Hurtt on Monday through his attorney, J. D. Urie, Esq., rented the Voshell House, Chestertown, to Mr. George E. Lambert and wife. Mr. Hurtt has been made deputy in the internal revenue collector's office and found it impossible to attend to the hotel and give the attention to his official duties that they deserved.

Mr. Lambert is well-known in Kent. He conducted the carriage business in Chestertown for a number of years and then took charge of the Chesapeake House at Rock Hall which he conducted with satisfaction to all. His wife is one of the best cooks in the county and we are sure "Uncle George" and "Aunt Tempie" will do their part in pleasing their patrons.

HARBOR NOTES.

The Queen Anne's Railroad has chartered the steamer B. S. Ford for the summer, to aid in hauling the contemplated large excursion business between Baltimore, Queenstown and points along the road to Rehoboth Beach, on the Atlantic Ocean. This steamer has been handsomely fitted up for this service. It has been repainted, the saloon deck extended and an electric plant installed, improvements which will add greatly to the pleasure of those desiring a delightfull sail down the bay.

The company is now having a steamer built which, when completed, will be one of the finest excursion steamers leaving Baltimore. It hopes to have the new boat in service by the middle of July.

The Steamer Louise, began her daily trips to Tolchester June 1st, after being thoroughly overhauled, newly carpeted and painted, and put in first class order. The management states that more schools, churches and societies have already booked their excursions to the popular resort, than ever before in the history of the company.

IN THE CHURCHES.

The Kent County Christian Endeavor Convention will be held at Kennedyville on July 20th.

Rev. A. D. Melvin, president of the Maryland Annual Conference, preached in Christ M. P. Church Sunday morning. The reverend gentleman sustained his reputation of being one of the brainiest men in the conference and his discourse was brilliant in thought and convincing in argument.

The 31st annual convention of the Diocese of Easton will assemble in Christ Church, Easton, next Tuesday. Bishop Adams will preside. Rev. Algernon Batte is the convention preacher and Rev. Franklin B. Adkins his alternate. The session will last three days. The Diocese of Easton comprises the Eastern Shore of Maryland, and was erected in 1868, at which time Bishop Whittingham was the Maryland Diocesan. Rt. Rev. Dr. Lay, then missionary Bishop of the Southwest, became the first Bishop of Easton, by translation. His competitor before the convention that chose him was Rev. Wm. Pinkney, of Annapolis, who subsequently became Bishop of Maryland, in succession to Bishop Whittingham. Homes have been assigned as follows: Rev. C. T. Denroche at Mrs. Ella Robinson's; Rev. S. C. Roberts at Mrs. Annie Hambleton's; Rev. Samuel Edson at Wm. H. Higgins; Rev. A. Ware at Mrs. E. L. F. Hardcastle's; Judge and Mrs. Jas. A. Pearce at Judge Wm. R. Martin's; Miss Adele France at Dr. John C. Earle's; Misses May Ireland and Mary Janvier at Henry Holliday, Jr.'s; Miss Rebecca Hepbron at Mrs. T. Dawson Larrimore's; Wm. S. Walker, at George R. Goldsborough's; J. F. Walbert and Edw. W. Hepbron at J. W. Martin's.

Rev. J. Frank Bryan, pastor of Faith Methodist Protestant church, Baltimore, who has been pursuing a post-graduate course in the American Temperance University at Harriman, Tenn., received from that institution last week the degree of Master of Science. Mr. Bryan is the son of Mr. R. M. Bryan, of Kent county.

NECROLOGY

Mr. James White died at his home on College avenue, Chestertown, Tuesday morning, after a long illness, aged 79. The deceased was born in Cecil county and moved to Kent about twenty years ago. A more industrious man never lived in Kent and he had built up a cosy home about him. He leaves a widow, four sons and a daughter, the wife of Mr. Horace Skeggs, of near Still Pond. Interment took place Thursday in Chester cemetery, Undertaker Ferguson in charge.

Mrs. Sarah Rebecca Neal, widow of the late S. George Neal, of Quaker Neck, died Saturday evening last at the home of her daughter in Queen Anne's county of Bright's disease, aged 64 yrs. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning from the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Emory Crouch, in Quaker Neck, conducted by Rev. Mr. Cannon, interment at Bond cemetery. The pallbearers were: Capt. Chas. D. Brown, Samuel W. Brown, Bartus Trew, J. W. Hadaway, Capt. George Hadaway and Wm. F. Woodmender. Undertaker J. N. Dodd had charge of the funeral arrangements.

Mrs. Hettie Smith, of Centreville, died on Monday morning. Mrs. Smith was the last living sister of the late Samuel Townsend, of Townsend, Del., and is an aunt of Mrs. Mary A. Carter, of the Cliffs. She leaves two children, David P. Smith, grain dealer, of Centreville, and Edna Lupton, of New Jersey.

THE machinery for Nicholson's new ice plant has arrived and required a week to unload it. There were four carloads.

Personal Tidings.

James P. Gorter, Esq., of Baltimore, spent Sunday with Hope H. Barroll, Esq.

Miss Sallie Davis has returned home after a protracted visit in Baltimore.

Mr. W. W. Chapman, the efficient teller of the Chestertown National Bank, is enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. C. W. Boggs, son of Mr. J. W. Boggs, graduated last month at the Poughkeepsie Business College and at once secured a desirable position at Perth Amboy, New York. Kent county boys have the true grit and are bound to succeed.

The many friends of Mr. Harry Taylor, who has been with Mr. J. H. Sides, will regret to learn that he will not return here. He has secured a lucrative position with a large jewelry firm in Johnstown, Pa.

Miss Alice Austin, who has been associated with Mr. J. H. Hurtt in the management of the Voshell House, will go to Garrett Park, near Washington, D. C., where she will reside with her brother. Miss Alice will be very much missed by a large circle of friends. Mr. Hurtt will make his home at the Voshell House.

Rev. George C. Graham, formerly of this county, and Miss Laura Whyte will be married at Christ Church, Pompton, N. J., next Tuesday morning, June 6th, at 11 o'clock. No cards.

Mr. S. H. McKnett will accept our thanks for photographs of scenes about Palatka, Florida.

Among the fine work exhibited at the Maryland Institute that by Miss Fannie Willis, formerly of Kent, took a high place.

We note with pleasure the progress being made by John Y. Todd, Esq., in his new Western field. Mr. Todd graduated at Washington College in 1882 and a more popular gentleman never attended school here. He is connected with the New York Pharmacal Association representing them in Indiana and his personality is pretty generally recognized.

Miss Mary Hurtt has engaged rooms at the Hotel Brown on Chester river, where she will make her home.

Dr. Barrett C. Catlin and Miss Osborne, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. G. Beck.

Mr. W. E. Deford, of Kent county, was in Centreville last Saturday, hunting up a Kent Democratic voter.—*Centreville Observer.*

Capt. J. B. Coleman, of Rock Hall, is visiting his uncle in Chesapeake City.

Prof. Wm. Watts, formerly principal of the Still Pond school, but at present a professor in an academy at Round Lake, New York, was in Kent this week. Prof. Watts will teach in a summer school to be conducted at Round Lake during July and August. His family are guests of Still Pond friends.

Miss Fannie Wilkins is visiting Towson, Md., friends.

Rev. D. W. C. McIntyre and son, of Palmyra, N. J., is visiting his brother, J. B. McIntyre, on Kent street.

Crook Matthews, the eight-year-old son of Mrs. Wm. T. Matthews, fell from the doorway on Monday and broke his arm at the elbow.

Miss Mida Baggs, of Indianapolis is the guest of her esteemed friend, Mrs. Jesse Morris, of Lynche's.

Miss Clara V. Middleton, of this county, will graduate at the State Normal School.

Prof. Marion J. Woodford, the well-known music teacher, of Centreville, has accepted the position of musical director of Shenandoah Normal College, located at Reliance, Virginia. He will assume charge of his duties at the opening of the scholastic term, about Sept. 1st next. Mr. Woodford has had the acceptance of the position under consideration for some time.

DOG LOST.

Lost, a White Setter Bitch, with black ears, and black patch on body, was muzzled. A liberal reward if returned to CRANE & TRENCHARD BROS., Basket Factory. Answers to name of Queen. m26-tf.

PROFESSIONAL GRAINER.

H. HECKER, a professional grainer, is in Chestertown and will be glad to serve the public. He has done excellent work in many cities and came to Kent for his health which is improving. He has just finished a good job for Wm. Medders at Still Pond to whom he refers all inquirers. He will work for any painter who has graining to do and guarantees satisfaction. Address H. HECKER, Chestertown, Md.
May 27—3t* Next door to J. H. Sides.

WANTED!

A man to sell and collect for a good, reliable firm in Kent county, one that can furnish horse, barness and bond. Situation permanent to the right party. Address, C. S. GILBERT,
m20-3t. Armstrong House, Chestertown.

Use Deering Binder Twine.

The Deering Harvester Company have just completed the finest twine mill in the world. The twine bearing this tag and made by the latest and best process and machinery of the age. Call and see it.

GEO. W. SMITH,
June 3—3t. Chestertown, Md.

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