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Would you!

If you knew it, pay more for your Clothing than you could buy the same goods as elsewhere?

You may be one who's doing that very thing. We don't claim to sell cheap Clothing, but we sell good reliable goods at a moderate price, and it might pay you to take a peep at our Suits or Overcoats before buying and see if we can't save you some money.

We have the assortment to select from and don't confine you to only one or two styles. Plenty of good and a variety of prices.

Our Furnishing side of the house, is as usual, full of all the correct things. Hats, Caps, Gloves, Neckwear, Hosiery, Underwear, Night Robes, Pajamas, Shirts, the Magestic, best dollar shirt in the world. Now is the time to begin getting ready for Xmas. "Come early and avoid the rush."

J. D. Lucas.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

—OF THE—

SECOND NATIONAL BANK,

at Chestertown in the State of Maryland, at the close of business, Nov. 10, 1904.

RESOURCES:

Loans and discounts	$494,571 50	
Overdarfts, secured and unsecured		504 04
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		12,500 00
Bonds securities, etc		22,348 20
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures		11,000 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve Agents)		4,490 62
Due from approved reserve agents		58,584 17
Checks and other cash items		3,531 25
Notes of other National Banks		2,645 00
Fractional paper currency, nickles and cents		130 87
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, NAMELY:		
Specie	$11,654 50	
Legal-tender notes	4,250 00	15,904 50
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		625 00
TOTAL		$626,830 15

LIABILITIES:

Capital stock paid in	50,000 00
Surplus fund	12,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	19,434 19
National Bank notes outstanding	12,500 00
Due to other National Banks	1,168 50
Individual deposits subject to check	531,652 40
Certified checks	75 00
TOTAL	$626,830 15

State of Maryland, County of Kent, ss:

I, W. B. COPPER, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. B. COPPER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of Nov., 1904.

CHARLES ESTES, N. P.

Correct, Attest:—

HOPE H. BARROLL,
W. W. HUBBARD,
H. W. VICKERS,
DIRECTORS.

ROBERT SOMMER.

GERMAN LAND AGENT,

618 N. CALVERT STREET,

BALTIMORE, - - MARYLAND.

LAND BOUGHT AND SOLD.

o29-3mos.

HARRY L. BOYD,

Fire Insurance

—NEWS BUILDING—

F.b.20-1yr. CHESTERTOWN, MD.

MISSIONARY TEA.

The W. F. M. S. of Christ M. P. Church, Chestertown, will hold a MISSIONARY TEA at the home of Mrs. B. F. Fleming on Front street, WEDNESDAY EVENING, Dec. 7, 1904, from 5 to 8 P. M. Salads will be a feature of the menu. Tickets 25 cents.

THE RECITAL

—OF—

The PEABODY CONSERVATORY

AT STAM'S HALL, CHESTERTOWN.

THURSDAY, December 8, '04

AT EIGHT O'CLOCK P. M.

The Peabody Conservatory has a national reputation, their concerts are unsurpassed and are very popular with all classes. An elaborate program will be prepared for the occasion containing a number of novelties, besides many of the most popular and widely known works of the master composers.

The following musicians, who are all members of the Peabody Staff and have made numercus appearance at the Peabody Concerts and elsewhere with great success, will present the program:

MISS CLARA ASHERFELD,

The gifted pianist, is one of the most popular players in Baltimore, and has also met success, will present the program.

MISS CLARA NELSON,

The Soprano, has a clear, beautiful voice, especially well adapted to the concert stage, being strong in volume and skillfully managed.

MR. ABRAM MOSES,

The Violinist, is an admirable player, with a fine feeling for his instrument. His tone is pure and well sustained, and his style characterized by refinement and breadth.

This recital is given under the auspices of the Epworth League, of the Chestertown M. E. Church. TICKETS 50 CENTS EACH may be purchased at the Drug Stores.

AT PRIVATE SALE ON EASY TERMS.

FARM of about 363 acres located in Queen Anne's county near Ingleside. Land in fair life and easily tilled. The buildings are good and some of them new.

Apply to
JOHN D. URIE, ATTORNEY,
o5-tf. Chestertown, Md.

WANTED

LIVE POULTRY.

JOHN GALE & SON, Agents.
Live Stock Dealers, Hanesville, Md.

LOST.

A BLACK HOG, weighing about 170 pounds from my stable on Cannon street. Anyone returning same or giving information leading to his recovery will be rewarded. Address, R. THOMPSON,
n26tf. Chestertown, Md.

FOR RENT FOR 1905.

Desirably located, comfortable DWELLING HOUSE, situated on Queen street, Chestertown, now occupied by Mr. Samuel B. Clark; water in kitchen, sewer connections and yard. Apply to
JOHN H. SIMPERS,
n26 3t. Chestertown, Md.

FOR RENT.

DWELLING HOUSE on Maple avenue, above Cross street, now occupied by Mr. R. W. Calder. Rent $125. Possession given at once.
n19-tf. THOMAS W. ELIASON.

FOR RENT.

THE HOUSE on High Street, Chestertown, now occupied by Mr. George D. Lofland. Has all modern improvements.
Apply to
MRS. RUTH A. CAHALL,
o29-tf. Chestertown, Md.

HOUSE AT POMONA for Rent.

THE COMMODIOUS DWELLING, with Stable and Carriage House, two acres of land and nice garden at Pomona for rent. Apply to
JOHN D. URIE, ATT'Y,
ag27-tf. Chestertown, Md.

ROCK HALL PROPERTY FOR RENT.

The large and commodious SHOP and STABLES, built for the undertaking business and in excellent condition. Ready now to be rented.
Apply to
sept. 17-tf WM. B. USILTON, JR., Ag't.

LEHIGH COAL

THE BEST COAL ON THE MARKET. :: ::

FOR SALE BY

W. S. & A. M. CULP

The firm of W. S. & A. M. CULP has purchased the coal and wood business formerly conducted by Wm. S. Culp, and will continue the business at the same stand.
W. S. & A. M. CULP.

FORTUNE KNOCKS AT YOUR DOOR!

Answer it. Don't turn it away! It takes but little money to start. It may give you one hundred for one. For how, where and when address, P. O. Box 221, Chestertown. Do it at once.
n19 tf.

FOR SALE or EXCHANGE.

Mill known as Parson's, located in third election district. Price right and terms easy. Apply
H. E. COOPER,
n26 tf Worton.

PROPOSALS

Will be received at the office of the Town Commissioners, Chestertown, for FOUR EDDIE FIRE PLUGS, to be put in place in locations to be designated by the commissioners. Said proposals must be received here on or before December 9th, 1904.
By order of Board,
n26 3t. WILLARD MELVIN, CLERK.

HOUSE-KEEPER WANTED.

A middle aged White Woman as house-Keeper wanted for a gentlemen living in the country. Only two in family. Apply by letter to
KENT NEWS,
n26-1t* Chestertown, Md.

FOR RENT.

BLACKSMITH and WHEELWRIGHT SHOP in Chesapeake City. Good opening for live man.
n19-4t. T. N. LORAINE.

FOR SALE.

FARMS OF ALL DISCRIPTIONS in New Castle county, Del., also nice Residents, all convenient to markets by Trolly, Rail road, or water.
GEO. W. INGRAM,
n.29 4t. Middletown, Del.

WANTED.

A GOOD LIVE MAN to take a $50.00 book with the Prudential Insurance Company in Chestertown and vicinity, man with a team prefered. Call on or write
n26tf. F. V. SIMPERS, Asst.

TO THE PUBLIC AND OUR MANY PATRONS.

We beg to inform you that we are prepared to freight your GRAIN or Freight of all kinds from any point and to any port, on our power vessel Bessie M. Lewis, at reasonable rates and with best of care.
GALE & JOINER,
n12 tf. P. O. Rock Hall, Md.

WANTED.

A WHITE WOMAN of settled habits to do light housework in a small family in Centreville, Md. No washing and ironing. Good wages. Reference necessary.
Address P. O. BOX 304.
s16 tf. Centreville, Md.

ALL KINDS OF SEWING MACHINES REPAIRED,

And guaranteed to work as good as new. New Machines sold for cash, or on time, a first class Singer is worth two of the cheaper kinds sold from stores.
Address or call,
A. H. SUPLEE,
n12-tf. Betterton, Md.

FOR RENT

The DWELLING HOUSE on corner of Cross and High st. Chestertown for rent. Also the STORE ROOM on Cross st. near High. Also the store-room now occupied by Mr. W. H. Waddell for 1905.
Apply to,
MISS NANNIE BORDLEY,
n12-3t Chestertown

FOR SALE or RENT.

FIVE ROOM HOUSE with STABLE and OUTBUILDINGS at Worton for rent. All in good repair and with a large garden attached. Terms reasonable.
n12-3t. G. W. COOPER.

FOR SALE.

Single Comb Brown and White LEGHORN COCKERELS. $1.00 each.
ROBERT S. EMORY,
o22 3t* Chestertown, Md.

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.

W. C. T. U. Fairlee Union will hold a Special Meeting at Salem Church, on SATURDAY, Dec. 10th at 2½ o'clock. Exercises of the Loyal Legion, recitations and singing by the young people in addition to the usual monthly program.

TOWN MATTERS.

Thomas S. Bordley Elected Clerk to Commissioners—Protection from Fire Considered.

A special meeting of the Board of Town Commissioners was held Monday night and several important matters were discussed. Steps were taken looking to better protection from fire. It was ordered that new hose be purchased, that new racks be placed on truck, new ladders bought and that the town officers examine plugs and try the hose at least once every month. The suggestion made in the News that stations up town and down town be provided for additional hose and reels was discussed and while no definite action was taken the idea met with favor and will be acted upon as soon as suitable locations can be purchased.

Mr. Thomas S. Borderly was elected clerk and treasurer in place of Mr. Willard Melvin, resigned. The position pays $150. Mr. Bordley will make a very efficient officer and can always be found at his store on corner of Cross and High street.

WEDDING BELLS.

Miss Annie Tollinger, the accomodating saleslady in F. D. Leary's store and more recently in C. S. Smith's cash store, was married to Mr. Walter Wright by Dr. D. L. Greenfield at 6.30 Sunday evening at the Methodist Protestant Parsonage. After the ceremony they attended church services and registered for the night at the Hotel Imperial where they were given a hearty reception and musical serenade. They will reside at "Riverside," the home of the groom's father.

Mr. Geo. H. Long and Miss Sallie Neall, both of near Fairlee, were married in Fairlee parsonage on Wednesday evening, Nov. 23rd, 1904 by Rev. W. E. Habbart.

Mr. James A. Simpler, of Chestertown, and Miss Ida Milford, of Lankford, were married Nov. 24th, at 7.00 p. m. at the M. E. Parsonage by the Rev. W. L. White.

NOTICE.

This is to give notice to all who walk, drive or ride over my property in Quaker Neck without permission. I shall prosecute all such trespassers to the full extent of the law. This is a warning that must be heeded.
(MRS.) HELEN KENT SHAW,
d3 1t. "Kentmere."

LOST OR STOLEN.

Between Betterton and Still Pond on Sunday night Nov. 27th 1904, 1 PLUSH AFGHAN LAP ROBE, Black on one side colored on the other. Also 1 WOOLEN HORSE BLANKET. A suitable reward if left at the residence of J. A. MONEY in Still Pond. d3-3t.

STOCK WANTED.

Highest cash price paid for POULTRY AND LIVE STOCK.
JOHN C. STRONG.
Headquarters—At W. A. POTE'S STORE,
Kennedyville, Md. d3-1m.

WANTED.

SEVERAL YOUNG LIVELY MEN with teams, to sell Horse, Cattle, Hog, Sheep and Poultry Medicines. For salary or commission. Apply to
JOHN F. RICE,
d3 3t. Fairlee, Md.

ESTRAY.

Came to my place near Kennedyville on Thursday night, Nov. 17, one DARK BROWN MARE, right fore foot and right hind foot white, white mark (crescent) in forehead. The owner is notified to prove property, pay charges and take same away.
J. A. MONEY.
d3-3t.

Galena Bank

—OF—

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.

JOHN W. WOODLAND, President, Baltimore, Md.
WM. D. ALLEN, Sec'y. Treas'r, Balto., Md.
EDWARD A. SCOTT, Pres't Local Board, Galena, Md.
RICHARD S. WALLIS, Cashier, Galena, Md.

Christmas Notice!

We have arranged for a great Christmas this year. Our enlarged facilities enable us to make an elaborate and extensive showing to meet the requirements of our increased and growing trade. We promise the very best service and solicit an early visit.

WM. MEDDERS & CO.

ITEMS FROM BAYSHORE

A Budget of Live News From Rock Hall and Vicinity—Oysters Low But Fairly Plentiful.

Mr. Wm. M. Miller, who for a number of years has been in impaired health, is now in a very improved state of health. He works hard and enjoys his surroundings, he looks as well as he did ten years ago. He failed to go to the polls on election day for the reason that he was sure that the cause of democracy was hopeless, and he was disgusted with the bickerings of the great leaders which tended to keep the party disorganized. He is a great admirer of William J. Bryan and John Sharp Williams and hopes to see the day when those hustling and brainy leaders shall be President and Vice-President of our country, or the party get away from the clutches of the North and East and go South of Mason's and Dixon's line, where the best of Statesmanship can be secured and get candidates that can win. Marion is a Democrat of "ye olden time" kind and has no use for present day tom foolery in the party management.

Many in this section irrespective of party affiliation, strongly approve of the suggestion of Hon. Geo. R. Gaither, regarding a franchise amendment to the Constitution, as published in the Sun of Friday. Certainly it is a much wiser proposition than the amendment now under consideration.

Mr. M. T. Miller while out hunting a few days ago came upon a flock of partridges in the act of roosting, there were a dozen or more standing in a circle tail to tail. They looked so innocent and pretty that Manie could not have the heart to shoot into them. He could have captured the whole covey but considered it brutal to do so. Such sportsmanship is worthy of emulation.

Capt. J. R. Downey is still keeping a close watch on the oystermen and making frequent arrests on the charge of having unculled oysters. We learn he also intends to see that our buyers get honest measure. This will be a boom to the buyers.

Capt. Jas. Greet lacks but one qualification to make him the happiest of our watermen, and that is his inability to master a gasoline engine. He has just had completed a first class gilling skiff of large dimensions and fitted out with gasoline power for the coming fishing season. Mr. N. Tip Slee, who furnished the engine gave full directions as to the management of same, but Greet, so far, fails to catch on. He was out on a trial trip the other day with Mr. W. R, Larrimore as engineer. They saw a gilling skiff a short distance from them with a man propelling her with a pair of oars, Greet hollowed to him "bend to it old fellow, I know what it is, I was once poor myself." Capt. Greet has made Mr. Larrimore a splendid offer to assist him in the fishing business and he will likely accept. He has had experience with power boats.

Contractor Elmer E. Leary is having erected a commodious cottage on the Berriman property for one of his factory employees

Two of our hardy oystermen had a falling out, and dissolution, a few days ago over a point in grammar, one contended that the word is, was a noun while the other differed. The oyster business these days seems to forbid the use of grammar or theology.

Mr. S. J. Wickes, has been negotiating for a stock of U. S. Mail boxes for the accomodation of persons living on the R. F. D. Routes.

The blustery cold snap, from Thursday of last week to Monday of this, gave our pork raisers a splendid opportunity to butcher their hogs, and many have been the porkers gone where squealing is no more heard. Many fine hogs have been strung up. So far as we have heard John A. Smith, seems to be the champion heavy weight grower, 400 lbs.

Capt. C. O. Kendall has moved from the old Colyer homestead property of the J. O. Harrison's heirs.

Carroll Davis has moved to the Reiche property vacated by Wm. Apsley.

The cold snap has put a hustle on our deep water fishermen, a general activity in preparations is noticeable. In lieu of stakes, the fishermen will use anchors this season to hold their netting in place Mr. E. E. Leary has sold over a ton of netting to the fishermen of this place.

Owing to the blustery weather, the oystermen have practically done nothing for more than a week, Oysters are still low in prices.

Mr. Riener Coleman rather than sell his oysters for less than 50 cents per bushel, bedded nearly his whole fall's catch, they are now an "elephant on his hands." He is compelled to lift them and sell for 40 cents per bushel, or lose them by freezing and theiving, already non owners have lifted many of them.

Rev. Wm. B. Coleman filled the M. E. Pulpit on Sunday morning The "weather man and the fire man gave him quite a cool reception, but reverend gentleman was full of fire and delivered a warm sermon from the text, Mat, 16: 18. which had the effect of warming up the audience to a high degree. Owing to the cold and high wind, the congregation was below the average in number.

Mr. Joseph Kendall, has moved from Alexvill to the village proper occupying the property of Mr. F. McCloskey.

Mr. William Apsley has moved from Allen's Lane, to his new home opposite the R. C. Church.

Chas. H. Smith has invenied a first class contrivance for hanging butchered hoge on, it consists of uprights, planted in the ground, with cross trees near the top. It is far superior to the usual style gallows for convenience, and labor saying.

Amos Crouch has resigned from the Police boat, and Capt. Wm. H. Harrison has succeeded him.

Some one entered the freight house at Sharp's wharf on last Friday night and Relieved several of our merchants of about $35.00 worth of store goods which were delivered there the evening before by Capt. Gladden, of Baltimore.

"MICKEY'S" HOUSEWARMING!

A Colored Bootblack's Home On College Avenue Burned Saturday Night—A Big Blaze.

The colored tenement house on College Avenue owned by H. W. Vickers, Jr. Esq., was burned at midnight Saturday. The blaze was seen for many miles in the country and looked to the town people like a tremendous conflagration.

Messrs. Chas. S. Smith and Bib Mills arrived early with chemicals, which aided by buckets of water, helped to save adjoining property. The hose carriages were brought later and the fire soon extinguished. There was little wind, which fact saved the town from serious loss.

One side of the house was occupied by "Mickey" Gibson, the well-known bootblack, while the other side was unoccupied. He had been to Delaware husking corn and had purchased a stove, bed and stand and started housekeeping. It is said that this was his "housewarming." Mickey says he went to bed about 10 o'clock leaving a lamp burning without any chimney. He was awakened by smoke and seeing the roof ablaze simply rolled down stairs. He lost all his clothing and furniture. Mr. Vickers' loss will amount to about $150.

CHURCH NOTES.

A Thanksgiving Musicale was given in Christ M. P, Church Sunday evening at which the following program was presented:

Singing.....Chorus
Recitation.....Mason Latham
Singing.....Chorus
Prayer.....Leader
Duet and Chorus.....
Mrs. Wm. Robinson, Miss Flora Wheatley
Recitation.....Ethel Hines
Reading.....Miss Hessner
Solo.....Miss Marguerita Dodd
Recitations, James Blackiston, James Bacchus, Ida Smith.....
Solo.....J. P. Parrott
Recitation.....Miss Louisa Urie
Solo.....Miss Addie S. Hurlock

Rev. W. L. White preached on Temperance at the Chestertown M. E. Church Sunday evening. His reasons for being a Prohibitionist were as follows: Because I am a preacher; because I am a parent; because I am a patriot; because I am a philanthropist. These ought to demand in the name of God, and home and native land, and in the name of our common humanity, that the saloon shall be destroyed.

Emmanuel M. E. C. S. Chesterville will celebrate Missionary Day next Sunday, Dec. 4, at 11 o'clock p. m. Suitable recitations and songs by the school and an address on Foreign Missions by Mrs. A. W. Wilson, wife of Bishop Alpheus Wilson, of Baltimore conference. The public cordially invited to be present at these exercises.

Trinity M. E. C. S. Millington Sunday Dec. 4. Sunday school 2 p. m., preaching 3 p. m., communion service immediately thereafter.

Rev. W. H. Logan will preach at Westminster and Grace Presbyterian Churches Dec. 4, at usual hours.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

Rev. George W. Feelmyer, who had been for several weeks an inmate of the Springfield Hospital for the Insane, at Sykesville, escaped from the institution Thursday night and Saturday morning his body was found at the bottom of the reservoir on the edge of the property. It is thought on slipping out of the cottage in which he was housed he went directly to the reservoir and threw himself in.

Mr. Feelmyer, who was formerly one of the most prominent Methodist ministers of the city, was taken to the City Hospital on October 2 with a deep gash in his throat on the left side, which barely missed the jugular vein.

He has relations in Kent.

Mrs. Emma Rochester, wife of John M. Rochester, of near Church Hill, died Sunday of pneumonia, aged 42. She was a good, lovable christian character, ever ready to lend a helping hand to poor and needy ones and to administer to the wants of sick and afflicted. She was a member of St. Luke's P. E. Church, for a number of years. She leaves a husband, four stepchildren and one brother, and an aged mother and father to mourn her loss. The funeral services took place at her late residence at 2 o'clock Tuesday, afternoon, conducted by Revs. Randall, Arters and Poole; interment made at Church Hill.

EDWARD ATWELL.

Aged nearly 90 years, Edward Atwell, died at the residence of his son, L. P. Atwell, near Sassafras, Md., on Thursday evening last, about 9.30 o'clock. Mr. Atwell was a remarkable man and considered his age, was most active and vigorous. He had been sick only a week before his death. He leaves a devoted wife and three sons to mourn his death: L. P. Atwell, near Sassafras; John Atwell, of Townsend, and George Atwell, of Still Pond, Md. The funeral took place on Sunday afternoon, at one o'clock Rev. A. P. Prettyman, officiating; interment being at Townsend cemetery. Six of his grandsons acted as pallbearers.

The following appointments affecting the Weems Steamboat Company and the Chester River Steamboat Company, which lines were included in the recent merger with the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway Company, have been made by President Willard Thompson, the order going into effect Thursday: W. L. Rothstein, treasurer; T. Murdoch, general freight and passenger agent; T. A. Joynes, superintendent of steamers; Thomas Benson, chief engineer floating department, and W. D. Downey, agent. The offices of these gentlemen will be at the wharves.

THE fodder ricks on Lauretum Place the Country home of H. W. Vickers, Esq., were destroyed by fire Thursday afternoon.

M. A. Toulson has a fine display of Christmas Goods.

PERSONAL TIDINGS....

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

Judge T. J. Shallcross was in town Wednesday looking as young as he did twenty years ago. He has passed his 76th year, and is enjoying excellent health. He says the biggest early snow he remembers was on Nov. 7, 1862, when sleighing was enjoyed.

Master Henry Bramble, son of Mr. James Bramble, entered the Wilmington Business School this week.

Mr. Frank Crow is moving from the Benj. F. Beck farm at Lankford to the Wickes farm at Eastern Neck Island. Mr. Nelson the present tenant of Wickliffe is moving to Prince, George's county.

Mrs. Miriam Carlisle, of Wilmington, has been visiting Miss Metie Loud, near town.

Miss Sophia Rose, of Baltimore, has been the guest of Miss Jennie Hines.

Mrs S. F. Smith returned Tuesday from a visit to her son in Baltimore.

Mr. Harper Benson, of St. Michaels, Md., was a visitor to Chestertown friends this week.

Mr. Hugh Townsend, of Montgomery county, visited his daughter, Mrs. Dr. H. G. Simpers, in town this week.

Mr. J. Raymond Simpers, of the Kent County Savings Band, is visiting friends in New York.

Miss McKenna, of Philadelphia, has been the guest of Rev. J. T. McKenna, of Chestertown, this week.

Examiner Joseph Peterson, Prof. J. L. Smyth and Prof. Blades, of Chestertown, have been in Baltimore this week attending the Association of County School Superintendents and Educators of Maryland,

Dr. S. G. Fisher was able to come down stairs yesterday.

Mrs. F. H. Howard and son are visiting friends in town. Mr. Howard is painting Mr. Lofland's new house and will be here until Xmas.

Mrs. J. F. Howard returned Tuesday from a week's visit to Baltimore friends.

Miss Catherine Hopper, of Baltimore, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Eliason. Catherine says she likes Chestertown better than the city.

Mrs. Johanna Knight and daughter, Miss Mary, are being entertained by relatives and friends in Wilmington.

Misses Barbara and Iris Anthony returned Monday from a pleasant visit to Philadelphia.

Postmaster M. W. Thomas was called to Baltimore Tuesday to attend the funeral of his cousin, Mr. Fred Auboun.

Mrs. Jonathan Anthony spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Hughes at Havre de Grace.

Mr. Wilbur T. Gale has resigned as oyster measurer to accept the book of the Prudential Insurance Co, in this section which was formerly ie charge of Mr. Wm. T. Morrison, of Chestertown.

Mrs. Annie Taylor, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with her sister on Mill street.

Mr. Charles N. Satterfield has rented the Howard house on Mill street.

Miss Violet Evans has been entertaining Misses Margaret Kelley and Marie Hunter, of Baltimore, at Kentmere.

Mr. Daniel McKee is in Baltimore consulting a specialist for a growth on his forehead.

Mrs. J. Biddle Hossinger has returned from the City Hospital and is improving rapidly.

Capt. W. R. Shriver left town this week for Biloxi where he is employed for the winter as captain on an oyster boat. He likes the South and says oysters are plentiful there.

Miss Cora Jewell, formerly with F. H. Harper & Son, Still Pond, has accepted a position in Clifton L. Jarrell's department store. Chestertown. She is a lady of nice address and customers will be pleased to deal with her.

Mrs. J. W. Lambert is visiting her sister in Baltimore.

Mrs. George Brice and children are visiting friends in Baltimore.

Miss Grace Walbert returned Monday to her studies at the Md. Institute.

Mr. Thos. Toulson, of Federalburg, spent Sunday with his brother, Mr. M. A. Toulson.

Miss Mamye Thompson, of Chestertown, has recently composed a song entitled "The Volunteer's Goodbye," and dedicated it to the G. A. R. of America. It is to be played in Baltimore next month. Every musician who has examined it speaks very encouragingly of it and the publishers say it promises to be a great success.

Mr. Edw. Robinson, clerk to the Board of election supervisors, while burning the unused ballots in the jail furnace was so badly scorched that he was compelled to shave off his mustache.

Senator C. W. Perkins, of Baltimore, visited his mother on Water street this week.

Mr. Walter Gale's friends in Kent will be pleased to learn that he has lead his class at the Maryland Institute and progressing finely in his art studies.

Mr. Thomas J. Vickers, one of Kent's best known citizens, has been stricken with Paralysis of his left side and at this writing is but little improved. Dr. C. W. Whaland is attending him.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Green have been visiting friends in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Thos. S. Parsons and youngest daughter, of near Hanesville, have been sick in bed for the past week.

Mrs. Maggie Jewell and daughter, Estella, and niece Ida May Lentz, of Baltimore, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson Jr. and children, of Still Pond, Mrs. Blanche Clayton and children, of Smithville, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fowler, of Flatland, spent Thanksgiving day at the parential home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Davis, of Hanesville.

Miss Ethel and Bennie Robinson, of Still Pond, are spending a few day with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Davis.

Miss Florence Legg and Mrs. Harry Willis, of Betterton, are visiting their brother in New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas H. Jefferson of Rich Neck entertained during Thansgiving, Mrs. Etta Spear, of Wilmington, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hudson and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, and Miss Edith Collins, of Smyrna, Prof. Norman Jefferson, of Delmar. Miss Mabel Jefferson, of Normal Hall. and Mr. Harry Jefferson.

MARRIAGE LICENSES have been granted this week to William S. Hall, widower, 64, and Miss Lula Dempsey, 25; James W. Poor and Maggie E. Davis.

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