

NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

Accomac Court-House, Va. SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1892. John W. Edmonds, Editor and Owner.

Mapleville.

LOCAL NEWS.

The next term of circuit court commences Tuesday, October 4th. Our merchants and farmers visiting Baltimore, this spring and summer will find the Maltby house, a desirable stopping place.

Miss Ida Northam, of Modestown, is spending the week with the family of N. W. Nock. Mr. Wm. B. Pitts and wife, of Onancock, were visiting Mrs. Mollie Rayfield, last week.

Mrs. Mary Rayfield is yet on a visit to her daughter in Natchez, Miss. Miss Maude is visiting friends in Baltimore.

Our merchants are filling up their stores with well selected stocks of new and desirable goods, which they say cannot fail to please both in quality and price. Miss Nellie Byrd, of this place, and Mr. Dietrich, of Richmond, will "teach the young idea how to shoot" in and around this place for the next six or seven months.

Our sea-fishermen were caught out in the northwest gale of last Monday and had quite a rough experience. They all got in however without much mishap, some of them going to other and broader inlets. Mr. John Chandler, of Temperanceville, is reported as having had one arm entirely cut off by a small saw at Jones' mill near Hallwood.

The dinner served by the ladies of the Working Society of the Drummondtown Baptist Church at the hotel, last Monday, netted them \$101.72. Southy B. Bull, Jr., formerly of the Eastern Shore, but now in business in Norfolk, is home on a two weeks vacation with his parents at Davis Wharf.

Mr. DeWitt Major, Cape Charles, who accidentally shot himself some time ago, and it was thought fatally, it is now stated is improving and will recover. At a revival meeting recently conducted by Rev. T. Burton, of the M. E. Church, South, Belle Haven circuit, thirty six persons were converted.

The N. Y. P. & N. R. R., tried at this term of court for obstructing the public highway at Tasley station, was found guilty in two charges and fined \$20 in each case. A revival meeting will commence at Amis Chapel, Sunday night. The pastor, Rev. V. W. Bargamin, will be assisted by Rev. J. E. Alexander, of Harford county, Md.

The Margaret Academy property offered for sale at public auction at Pungoteague, last Saturday, by a committee of the trustees, was bid off to Messrs. John T. and Charles P. Finney, at \$1,800. Especial attention is invited to advertisements this week, of A. H. G. Means, general merchant; Ayres & Lilliston, undertakers; N. T. Fosque, jeweler; Miles & Shields, place of business for rent, &c.

The Eastern Shore Steamboat Co., will make their usual Fall excursions for the benefit of those wishing to visit Baltimore, beginning Monday, October 3d, ticket good to return until Wednesday, October 12th. A member of the firm of Ames, Shield & Co., is now in the city buying goods. Stock will be received and opened up for your inspection next week. The firm extends you a cordial invitation to call and see them.

East Hanover Presbytery will assemble in Mackeich Church, at this place, on Tuesday, the 4th of October, at 8 o'clock p. m. The opening sermon will be preached by the Moderator, Rev. George D. Armstrong, D. D., of Norfolk. Rogers & Boggs, Melfa station, have now open a large line of Fall and Winter goods, in quantity and variety to suit all customers, marked down at lowest margin of profit. In addition to their usual line of general merchandise, they carry also bricks, lime, hay, &c. Call and see them.

There will be a sale of the personal property of the late T. H. Bayly Browne, on Saturday, October 1st, 1892, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m. The property consists in part of household and kitchen furniture, horse and buggy, 1 cart, 3 cows &c. Mrs. Browne also offers her house and lot for sale, or rent.

Parkley.

Evenly, daughter of Jas. Barnes, Jr., died September 27th, aged five months. The horse of Thomas Floyd, colored, fell dead on track, at Colored Granger's Fair, last Monday. Mr. D. H. Johnson has been in Baltimore and Philadelphia, this week, buying fall and winter goods.

William Justis, of Samuel R., has bought farm of Wm. J. Johnson, near Hallwood, for the sum of \$1,000. Mrs. D. S. White and Miss Marceline Parks, arrived home and opened out a select line of millinery, this week. Mr. George B. Callen and family moved to Newark, N. J., last week, to the regret of numerous friends of this place and vicinity.

Our people were very much pleased with speech of Hon. W. A. Jones, last Monday, and don't propose to have any Browne, "or black in their."

Our school will open next Monday, Robert Sturgis, principal, and Miss Willie Wright, assistant, but our schoolhouse is not worthy of such excellent teachers. Parksley has not succeeded in moving the court-house yet, but for justice dispensed through the magistrate's court, she is in the lead of all her sister towns.

Miss Lula White has accepted the position of teacher in school near Bloom station, and the parents and teachers are to be congratulated in securing her services. Our people are "on the move" early this season. John Watts has moved into the E. P. Smith house—J. Lee Justis into a dwelling on Danne avenue—and L. F. Hinman will occupy his new dwelling next week.

Marsh Market. Mr. E. C. Kellam will open Cooper public school, No. 13, on Monday, October 3rd. Mr. Benjamin G. Johnson and Floyd Miles, who, for sometime have been suffering with typhoid fever, are convalescent. Rev. J. L. Kinz baptized six persons at Pipestap Landing, on Sunday, 18th inst. He will preach at Hall's Chapel in the afternoon of October 2nd.

Capt. Edward H. Anderton, aged 67 years, a highly respected citizen, died of bilious dysentery, in Pocomoke Neck, on the 14th inst. From the time he was taken sick to that of his death he was insensible, and not able to speak. He was a true Democrat and always voted with his party. Two sons and four daughters survive him.

The storehouse belonging to Zadoc S. Mears and son and used by them for a store and dwelling house, situated near the mill of Mr. Savage Coles, was struck by lightning last Sunday morning and badly damaged. The bolt passed through the roof, tearing off the shingles and making a hole large enough for a man to get through. It entered the room, up stairs, where Mr. Mears was sitting, tore a horsehair and medium sized looking-glass all to pieces and hit Mr. Mears in the face, cutting it in many small places, at the same time rendering him insensible for several minutes. It also shocked Miss Ella Godwin, in her room up stairs, and Mrs. Mears and her son, Zaloc, who were in the office below. They have never found any pieces of the looking-glass. The lightning passed down the corner beam to a wire clothes line, traveled that to a wooden post to which it was fastened and then went down the post and made a big hole in the ground.

Dr. N. S. Smith has purchased the Morrill "swifter," Gold Dust, of L. F. Marshall, New Church. A dwelling is being built by Mr. Edward Derickson on site of one recently burned, and new storehouse by W. H. Scott, near store of J. A. M. Wheaton & Co. Hon. W. A. Jones spoke to a large audience here last Saturday, and will make a clean sweep on the 8th of November. Several Republicans have declared for him.

Mr. John H. Tindle and family, after trying every town, nearly in the county as a place of abode, have moved back to their old home, and say there is no place like Chincoteague. Schooner Conner arrived here last week with load of coal for J. A. M. Wheaton & Co. Schooners Hastings and Chandler arrived this week with cargoes of coal, which was disposed of at \$5.75 per ton. George R. Coleburn and family are at Seaford, Del., on a visit to his parents—Mr. John Carter and family after a visit of several weeks to Dr. R. W. White, have returned to their home at Wilmington, Del. Our public schools open next Monday with following teachers: Graded school, Percy Hudson, of New York, principal, Misses Ida Matthews, Josie Cropper, Laura Lewis, assistants—down the Island, Miss Lida Clayville, of Snow Hill—up the Island, Miss Florence Davis, of Stockton, Md.—Assessore, Miss Jennie Wheaton. Mr. Arden Daisey and Miss Lizzie Andrews were married September 24th, at the bride's home, Rev. R. B. Sandford officiating. The groom is one of our popular merchants and the bride is an attractive lady, daughter of Mordecai Andrews. Numerous friends were in attendance at their wedding feast and many presents were received by them. The cry of fire was given here last Tuesday night, and men, women and children responded to the summons, to find the dwelling of the widow of John Wimbrough in full blaze, and no water being near at hand could do

nothing but stand and see it burn. Dwelling and furniture a total loss—origin of fire unknown. The churches will take up a collection for them tomorrow (Sunday), and everybody should and doubtless will contribute. Without shelter, food or money—this family certainly needs to be helped liberally. Arrivals at Atlantic Hotel this week: R. W. Slan, Charles Ryne, H. F. Brandenburg, W. D. Reed, R. G. Smith, W. H. Whiting, Philadelphia; C. W. Clenden, Isaac Ryne, Ameyon, Pa.; Misses Elsie Polk, Anne Edgingfield, Vienna, Okla.; M. Douglas, Charleston, S. C.; E. G. Polk, Pocomoke City, Md.; J. H. Feddeman, J. Taylor, J. D. Haskins, G. W. Rolph, Baltimore; Hon. W. A. Jones, Warsaw, Va.; Elliott Johnson, J. H. Johnson, J. W. Edmonds, Accomac.

Onancock. Onancock Public High school will open Monday, October 8d. Business in Onancock feels the stimulus of the sweet potato crop. At the last meeting of the Onancock Democratic Club the membership reached more than one hundred. Mr. Tyndall has moved to Onancock for the purpose of educating his daughter. He resides on Joyne's street. S. R. Nelson has completed a handsome residence, corner of Main and Joyne's streets. It will be occupied by Mr. Gordon Jones. A new store is being built on Main street opposite Mapp's beef store. It is said, it will be occupied by Mrs. Bettie Broughton in the near future. Up to last Saturday, Mr. G. L. Belcher had averaged \$3.37 per barrel clear of all expenses for his sweets. Who can beat it? Mr. Belcher puts up excellent produce and G. G. Joyne's shipped it. Large and enthusiastic crowd assembled at the Town Hall last Monday night, to hear a speech from Hon. W. A. Jones. He delighted his hearers and in every particular sustained himself. November 8th, Onancock will give a sabbath school for Cleveland, Stevenson and Jones.

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Strawberries. It is the experience of strawberry growers of Wicomico county that no fertilizing pays better than a top dressing of fertilizer in the Fall. The vine grows and the fruit bud is formed in the Fall, fertilize them, and make a strong healthy stool—they will mature a few days earlier, and the berries will be much larger and more of them. Remember it is the early nice fruit that brings the net money and our Fish Mixture F, is the very thing to do it. Try a few bags on a part of your patch and be convinced. HUMPHREYS & TILGHMAN.

State Female Normal School. EDITOR ENTERPRISE.—This letter may be of interest to those of your readers who are in sympathy with educational work, particularly that of our own State. Every true Virginian recognizes the practical importance of education. To dwell upon this were mere nonsense, to-day, when there are witnesses innumerable bearing testimony to its truth. School-houses scattered broadcast through Virginia, from Frederick to Halifax county, from mountains to sea; colleges, seminaries, State institutions of learning—one and all testify that education is a great factor in the "Old Dominion." The University of Virginia, William and Mary College and the Military Institute represent the privileges of Virginia men, while Farmville Normal school stands as the sum total of what the State has done towards the education of her women. However, the "sum total" continues to progress—in "single blessedness." The State Female Normal School was organized in 1883, with about 100 pupils in attendance. During the past nine years, the school has undergone many changes and improvements in its curriculum, instructors and accommodations. There are 205 students registered this season, showing an increase of over 100 since 1883-'84. The State aims through this school to educate her women to teach in Virginia public schools; and for this end, the future teachers receive a good, practical education, with thorough training in the theory and practice of teaching. There is ever a demand for capable teachers—teachers who are well educated, progressive, "up with the times." The Farmville Normal School, responding to this demand, sends out yearly its corps of graduates to "keep school" wherever there is a school-house and children to attend it—whether in Tidewater, Midland, Piedmont, Blue Ridge, Great Valley or Appalachia. Who can measure the influence of this institution in our State? The good people of Accomac are interested in whatever concerns the progress of the Commonwealth at large, and our own county in particular. This appreciation is shown in part by Accomac's representation at the Normal School this session. The Eastern Shore marshals a brigade of nine, four of whom are from Accomac. Our county has always been well represented, the entire number it has furnished being thirteen. Of this we have a right to feel proud. Let Accomac be ever to the front. All success to you and the ENTERPRISE. Yours sincerely, PUPIL.

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Columbus Day. Our schools are hereby notified to celebrate the 21st day of October, as Columbus day, instead of the 12th, as previously announced. Teachers can secure the official program by ordering at once from the Chairman of the Executive Committee of the National Public School Celebration, Francis Bellamy, Youth's Companion Building, Boston, Mass., at a cost of one cent per copy for any number under 100. These programs are appropriately gotten up and are intended for a general guide—but can be supplemented by the teachers to suit their respective schools. Hope all of our teachers will interest themselves, their schools and communities, in appropriately celebrating this the 400th anniversary of the discovery of America. Respectfully, JOHN E. MAPP, Supt. Schools.

Public Speaking. Mr. Thomas G. Elliott will address the voters of the Eastern Shore at the following times and places: Temperance Hall, foot of Hoffman's Wharf road, Wednesday night, October 5th. Pungoteague, Saturday afternoon, October 8th. Fair Oaks, Wednesday night, October 12th. Powelton, Saturday night, October 15th. Mappsburg Station, Wednesday night, October 10th. Exmore Station, Saturday night, October 23d. Subject—"The Republic in Peril."

Obituary. Died, near Belle Haven, August 10th, 1892, Harold T. Ashby, aged 13 months and 16 days. Little Harold was one of the sweetest babes we have ever seen, and we can never forget his sweet smiles and loving ways. His short life was one of suffering. We feel that our loss is his gain, for we know, that our darling is safe at home with Jesus. Farewell, dear Harold, thou hast gone to thy sweet sleep, we shall see thee no more. And we shall cross the dark river of death And meet thee on that beautiful shore. Best wishes in Jesus, dear Harold. Thy suffering on earth, are over, And Jesus hath called thee up higher To dwell with Him evermore. —One Who Loved Him.

BUSINESS NOTICES. BUILDING LOTS FOR SALE—At Eastville station, at moderate prices. Apply to T. M. Scott, Onancock, Va. "IVANHOE"—The best for the price. ESTATE—Left my premises, near Bloom, in May last, a large red cow and black heifer 2 years old next spring. Suitable reward paid for information of their whereabouts or their return to me. Jno. Parks of B.

NOTICE—All persons indebted to the estate of Levin T. Bradford, deceased, are hereby requested to come forward and settle the same, or I shall put their accounts in the hands of an officer. Chas. K. Taylor, Administrator. Sept. 16, 1892. Mudge, Smith & Co., proprietors of the favorite and celebrated brands of flour, "Hiawatha," "M'Liss" and "Ivanhoe," 206 Spears Wharf, Baltimore, Md. E. F. Warren, Agt. for Va. and Md.

CRIMERY LOTS—The Onancock Cemetery Company, under their charter, having laid off and permanently enclosed their cemetery, near Onancock, are prepared to offer the public burial lots, in whole lots, half, or quarter section, at moderate prices. Plat of the cemetery can be seen at the office of the secretary, Onancock, Va., to whom application for lots should be made. W. T. Wise, Secretary. July 1st, 1892. TAKE NOTICE—Frank Jones, merchant tailor, Pocomoke City, Md., will visit Accomac C. H., the first day of every county court, with a fine line of samples of goods for suits suitable to the season.

"A dollar saved is a dollar made." Why pay your money for something you don't need. You can insure yourself without asking for foreign help for which you have to pay. Insure in the Mutual G. F. Kelly, Onancock, is agent. "HIAWATHA"—Highest grade Patent flour. NOTICE—For sale, or for rent for year 1893, the hotel property at New Church. Wm. H. Marshall. A VALUABLE FARM FOR RENT—For the year 1893, the "Taylor farm," of about 100 acres, 2 1/2 miles from Oak Hall station and same distance from Pitt's wharf. This farm is highly productive and is high land, with abundance of pine shatters and woods to do storky dwelling barn and all other necessary outbuildings. Will produce strawberries ten days earlier than any other farm in that section and is especially adapted to sweet potatoes. See Lloyd Brittingham, E. H. Conquest or L. Floyd Nock.

FOR RENT—For the year 1892, the "George R. Hickman farm," near Wattsville. There is on the premises a large lot of trucking land already improved with abundance of shays and woods mould near by and a good tenement house. Apply to Solomon T. Johnson, Horntown, Va. FOR SALE—A mule, 9 years old, of good size, gentle and well broken. Charles L. Byrd, Metompkin, Va.

The Mutual Fire Insurance Co. of Eastern Virginia is a home company for Accomac and Northampton counties, and through it the people are insuring themselves, thereby saving the profit they would otherwise pay somebody else. G. F. Kelly, Onancock, General agent. NOTICE—The business heretofore conducted by me in the town of Onancock, Accomac county, Va., will be hereafter conducted by me at the same place, as agent for Thomas C. West. Given under my hand this 29th day of September, A. D. 1892. Revell T. West.

Ashby & Beloit carry the finest line of ladies' shoes in town.

BOARDING—Permanent and transient furnished by Mrs. Lillie Dix Nelson, 671 W. Fayette street, Baltimore, Md. Visitors landing at foot of South street will be brought direct to the place, by taking Gilmore street cable car going north, at corner of South and Lombard streets. FOR SALE CHEAP—100 M. dry plastering laths. H. T. White, Bloomington, Va.

NOTICE—All persons having claims against the late firm of Gaskins & Hall are hereby requested to present the same to the surviving partner immediately. All persons indebted to the late firm must make immediate settlement with James E. Anderson, agent for said firm, Gaskins & Hall, per Henry A. Hall, surviving partner. BOARDING—Mrs. U. B. Henderson, formerly of Pocomoke City, has opened a large boarding house and will be pleased to receive patronage. Her house is large, convenient and centrally located at 783 West Lexington St., Baltimore, Md. FOR SALE—Devshire pigs, Jersey cattle, Hampshire Down sheep, standard, registered, trotting colts, thoroughbred running colts, Crispin chicken seed. All at prices to suit farmers. Orris A. Brown, Cape Charles, Va.

"In union there is strength." For their own protection the people must not neglect to unite in all lawful purposes. Insurance is no exception. Take the Mutual every time. G. F. Kelly, Onancock, is agent. FOR SALE—Sound, gentle horse, good traveler—also farm horse—one phaeton and one two seat carriage with new carriage harness—two large stacks of clover—Alderney cow with calf 3 weeks old. Inquire of George B. Callen, Parksley. NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION—The firm of W. H. Bundick & Co., Metompkin, has been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued by W. H. Bundick, Jr. W. H. Bundick, Jr., John A. Bundick. Sept. 7th, 1892.

Ship your sweets to John L. Smith & Co., shipping No. 83, address 326 Greenwich street, N. Y. No better prices for sweets sent from Washington than those sent by Hendrickson & Co., Washington, D. C. FOR RENT—For the year 1893, the "arm where Mr. John M. Stewart resides, on the road from Belle Haven to Wardtown, one mile from Miles wharf and two and a quarter miles from Exmore station. This is a three horse farm, with abundance of pine shatters, about twenty acres of improved trucking land, two new tenant houses, good apple and peach orchard and elegant large dwelling and outbuildings, yard, &c. Upshur B. Quinby, Onancock, Va. Sept. 30th, 1892. NOTICE—All persons are hereby forewarned from shooting partridges on my premises. The trespasser, whoever he may be, will be prosecuted to full extent of law. Wm. I. Bagwell. FOR RENT—Sturgis wharf on Onancock creek and storehouse at foot of same. Possession of store given June 1st, 1893, and of wharf at once, if desired—also oyster bed for sale and shore for rent at same place. The property is offered for rent because I propose to change my place of residence. John W. Sturgis, Davis wharf P. O.

FOR ORCHILLA GUANO, send your orders to W. E. Thomas, Nassawadox, Va. TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN—No bills against Pungoteague school district will be paid unless an order from one of the Board has been given. By order of the Board, J. H. Turner, Clerk. Grangeville, Va., Sept. 23th, 1892.

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