

NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

Chincoteague.

The merry-go-round on the pier will open for business today, 13th.

Rev. G. Jones and family are visiting friends at Harrington, Del.

Dr. Ray Matthews has returned home from Richmond Medical College.

Thomas Tindall and Miss Bertie Cherrick were married on the 6th inst.

Rev. S. U. Grimley officiating.

Our building boom still goes on. New dwellings will be built soon by Capt. Wm. Harrison, Charles Davis and Thomas Savage.

Judge W. H. Mann, candidate for Governor, spoke in the town hall here Tuesday night. He was introduced by Hon. John R. Row.

William Adams is home from Wilkes-Barre, Pa., where he spent the winter, and Ray Anderson from Onancock School for his vacation.

Burtie Burch and wife are in Lynchburg this week. He is in attendance as a delegate from this place to the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows.

Mrs. Julia Nicholson, of Snow Hill, died while here on a visit to her brother, Mr. W. F. R. Cropper, on the 8th inst., aged 75 years. Her remains were taken to her home for interment.

Prominent railroad officials visited us last week. They decided while here to put on large gasoline boat in winter time to help take the freight from this place to Franklin City.

Our oystermen are planting large quantities of North Carolina oyster seed this spring. The lawmakers and capitalists have left no rocks open to them for seed at home and they are compelled to look for them elsewhere.

A grand entertainment is announced to come off here on May 30th, Decoration day, consisting of boat, horse and bag races, brass band music &c. Prominent speakers will deliver addresses on the occasion.

Mrs. Wm. Abbott and children are visiting friends in Wilmington; Miss Louisa Reynolds, Mrs. Sallie M. Lewis, Mrs. Wm. Conolly and George Coleman are in Philadelphia; Mrs. Littleton and children, of Philadelphia, are visiting friends here.

Sloop Emma sprung a leak on the 3d inst. and went ashore to the beach with her cargo of oysters is a total loss. The boat, worth about \$2,000, belonged to Wm. Bowden, Jr., and others. The cargo, worth about \$35,000, was the property of Capt. Daniel Jones.

The commencement exercises of our High School, Prof. Geo. W. Gillespie, principal, on the evening of 5th inst., was up to the public expectation.

Misses Alice G. Burton and Vesta Lee Gordy were the graduates this session. The audience was delightfully entertained by the music, speeches and delivery of certificates of promotion.

Arrivals at Atlantic Hotel this week: T. H. Mears, W. E. Wise, W. J. Norris, J. Thos. Powell, J. A. Grubbs, F. R. Hale, Baltimore; George Trimble, A. L. Block, Philadelphia; M. E. Selby, Wilmington; Albert C. Boice, John A. Moore, Judge Wm. Mann, Richmond; D. Lockwood, Grand Rapids; Thos. A. Fleming, Dover; Fred Howard, Salisbury; F. W. Davis, Millers; John R. Rev, Lee B. Kellam, H. P. Miles, J. W. Taylor, H. C. Watson, Accomac.

Miss Stella Scott is visiting friends at Temperanceville.

Dr. Fletcher Drummond and Richard Hickman made a trip to Norfolk a few days ago.

Mrs. Henry J. Lewis, of Doe creek, was taken to hospital in Norfolk Thursday for treatment.

A. P. Platt and son, Paul, of Hazleton, Pa., were here a few days ago looking after mine property interests.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Scott went to Norfolk Saturday. Mrs. Scott will remain for a short time under the care of an eye specialist of that city.

D. H. Bowne, wife, and daughter, Mrs. Marshall Smith, of Philadelphia, who have been staying a week with their relatives, the family of D. H. Johnson, have returned home.

John S. Tull, a worthy and well known citizen, respected for his many good traits of character, died at his home near here Sunday night, aged 70 years. Funeral services were held at his late home by Rev. J. D. Harte Tuesday morning. Interment in the family burying ground. He leaves a widow and one daughter, Mrs. Geo. D. Barnes.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Rew gave a delightful musicale Wednesday evening to Mrs. Rew's pupils and their friends. Among those who participated in the vocal selections were Mr. and Mrs. John R. Rew, Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Judeford, Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Harte, Misses Addie Shreves and Nora White, Mr. H. T. Mason and others. About 125 persons were present. Refreshments were served and all present spent a most enjoyable evening.

Special closing out sale of crockery and glassware. Every piece at a bargain price. Beautiful lamps, tea, dinner and washstand sets, all kinds of separate bowls, dishes, &c. We invite you to inspect our special bargains in this line. Ames, Mills & Co.

All persons interested in painting will please come to Wachapreague, Saturday, May 13th, to witness the exhibition of Fire Resisting Paint, sold by A. H. G. Mears. Protect your houses against fire and the weather at the same time. The present rate of insurance demands your attention.

Shingles—We have on hand now a large supply of Florida shingles. Call or write for prices. T. S. Hopkins & Co.

Lightning struck the dwellings of Capt. David R. Mister and Mrs. Humphreys, Belle Haven, last Sunday night. One bolt passed down the chimney of Capt. Mister to the basement, striking his wife on the foot, another knocked off wire doors of Mrs. Humphreys and threw them into the occupants of the house. The damage to the dwellings was slight and no one was hurt.

Onancock.

Malcolm Coles, of Washington, spent last week with Mr. William H. Parker.

Mrs. Winifred Kelley and two children, of Brooklyn, N. Y., are the guests of Mr. A. G. Kelly on East Main St.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Cahall, of Georgetown, Del., are at "Sans Souci," the home of Mrs. B. K. Powell.

Rev. W. C. Vaden, who has been in the Johns Hopkins Hospital for two months undergoing treatment, returned home Saturday very much improved.

E. E. Crockett bought of Mr. S. R. Nelson last Saturday the house on East Main street occupied by Mr. E. F. Warren, for \$2,000.

John R. Ames, son of Mr. Richard T. Ames, stood second in the graduating class of the Baltimore Dental College.

The Onancock Book Club was re-organized at the home of Mrs. B. K. Powell, Tuesday evening. Mrs. Webster Marshall was elected president and Mrs. B. K. Powell, secretary and treasurer. The club has been a great pleasure and benefit to the people of Onancock for the past five years.

Mr. William B. Pitts has sold his home and part of the farm on Onancock Creek to Mr. William B. Wessels for \$5,900. The tract contained 38 acres cleared and 20 acres of woodland and was part of the old farm "Onley," the home of Governor Henry A. Wise. Mr. Pitts will move to Onancock at Christmas.

The fifth annual commencement of the Onancock High School took place last Thursday and Friday evenings. The first evening was devoted to music and elocution and all who took part did credit to the excellent instruction that had received. On the last evening Dr. Robert Frazier, of the Southern Educational Society, delivered a very interesting address on Education. The distinctions and diplomas were delivered. The graduates were: Miss Lucy Parker Wise, Miss Nettie Vickers Warren, Miss Olevia Geiger, Miss Ellen Elizabeth Chandler and Mr. John William Robertson. The highest honors of the graduating class were won by Miss Lucy Wise. The High School honors went to Miss Edie Parks, first, and Miss Edith May Crocker, second, with special mention of Miss Cecil Parks, Miss Nola Mears, Miss Grace Mears and Mr. Eddie Schultz. In the Grammar School there was a tie for honors between Miss Evelyn Walter and Miss Dorothy Wise, with Miss Blanche Rich a close second and special mention of Misses Kenzie McKown and Willie Glick. The total enrollment for the year was 210; 90 per cent. of the children will be promoted another session, which speaks well for the work of both teachers and scholars.

Cape Charles.

Mrs. R. A. McGuire is visiting relatives at Pocomoke, Md.

Miss Agnes Elliott, of Hampton, was the guest of the Misses Tunnell this week.

Clarence H. Anderson has opened a livery and exchange stable. This makes the third livery here.

A revival meeting is being conducted at the Baptist church by Rev. John K. Goode, of Accomac.

Hon. and Mrs. M. H. Stevenson left Tuesday for Baltimore, where Mrs. Stevenson will receive treatment.

C. G. Smithers has returned from an extended visit to Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and Smyrna, Delaware.

The commencement exercises of the Cape Charles High School will take place in Parsons' Opera House Friday night, May 19th.

A public drinking fountain will be erected on Mason avenue in a short time. Half of the cost of this fountain has been donated by the W. C. T. U.

W. E. Dickerson, of New York, president of the Kingston, Brighton and Northern Railway Company, of Northampton County, is the guest of John T. Daniel, Esquire.

Messrs. Stanley Scott and John T. Wilkins, III, of Eastville have announced their candidacy for the Democratic nomination for member of the House of Delegates from Accomac and Northampton counties.

Carlisle L. Nottingham, son of Mr. C. D. Nottingham, of Seaview, who graduated in medicine at the Maryland Medical College, Baltimore, last week, taking first honors of his class and the first prize for efficiency in medicine and surgery, returned home Tuesday. It is rumored that he will settle here for the practice of his profession.

Hopeton.

Rev. W. W. Sawyer will preach here Sunday evening, May 14th.

About 75 crates of berries were shipped from our station last Monday.

Among the recent visitors to our town were Misses Cora Ewell, of Juxtilville, Maggie Mason, of Parksley, Mattie Justis, of Darbytown.

The Hopeton Dramatic Club will render the drama, "Old Maids' Club" on the evening of the 20th of May in hall at Bloxom. Refreshments will be served. Admission, adults 20 cents, children 10 cents. Doors open at 7 p. m. Public cordially invited.

What will you do about the advance in insurance? I would advise that you buy Fire Resisting Paint. All kinds painted sold here. A. H. G. Mears, Wachapreague.

Ladies: We are ever making a daily study of your wants. See our beautiful line of thin and fluffy dress goods, ready-to-wear under-garments, skirts, shirtwaists, kimonos. Also beautiful embroidered shirtwaist patterns. See our special at 69 cents. Ames, Mills & Co.

Walk-over shoes, for men latest styles in tan, black and patent leathers. Ames, Mills & Co.

Onley.

Mr. Almer Ames is on the sick list this week.

Miss Eva McMath has returned from a visit to friends in Norfolk.

Miss Evelyn White, of late the guest of Mrs. Baldwin, has returned to her home in New York.

Savage & Ames received this week 3,000 crates for delivery to the berry growers in this section.

The teacher of our public school, W. C. Hubbard, returned to his home in Newport News on Saturday.

Commissioner Jacobs and family have moved to Onley and now occupy their fine residence on Main St.

The first shipments of strawberries from this station were made by Mr. Oscar Kelly and Mr. Moore on the 5th inst.

Mr. and Mrs. Burtie Burch, of Chincoteague, while en route to Lynchburg last week, paid a visit to Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Fox, of this place.

Miss Edie Parks, of Onley, carried off the honors at the closing exercises of the Onancock High School for the highest average in all her classes.

Among the visitors to friends here this week were Miss Myrtle Harris, of Quinby, Mrs. Rennie Stevenson, of Cape Charles, Mrs. G. Alvin Fox, of Baltimore, and Mrs. India Davis, of Horntown.

Temperanceville.

The first strawberries were shipped from this section Saturday, May 6.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Thomas Stockley, of Keller, have been guests at the Parsonage this week.

Mrs. John Dennis and daughter, Lizzie, have returned from a visit to the former's daughter, Mrs. Roy Gordy, at Snow Hill.

The services at the Methodist Church Sunday morning and evening will be devoted to the subject of Education. A full congregation is desired.

Mrs. Frank Conquest died at her home near Temperanceville, Sunday night, May 7th, leaving a husband and several children. Her funeral was preached Tuesday by her pastor, Rev. Charles Clement.

The following interesting program was rendered at the Literary meeting of the Epworth League in the town hall Monday evening: "It is Better Further On," choir; prayer, Rev. J. A. Winn; "Holy, Holy, Holy," choir; "The Wesleyan Hymns," Rev. J. A. Winn; solo, "The Palms," Mrs. G. T. Stockley; recitation, "God Moves in a Mysterious Way," Miss Myrtle Showard; solo, "He Leadeth Me," Miss Ruby Nook; reading, "An Article on 'Abide With Me,'" Miss Bessie Lang; solo, "The Half Has Never Been Told," Lee Massey; song by the children, "Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us," reading, "Fanny Crosby and Her Hymns," Miss May Matthews; solo, "Just For To-day," Mrs. G. T. Stockley; quartette, "Lead Kindly Light."

Wachapreague.

Regular meeting of Ocean Lodge, No. 116, is May 18th.

Mrs. H. W. Davis is visiting her parents at Louisa C. H., Va.

Miss Slater, of New York, is visiting at the home of J. B. Savage, Trower.

G. F. Stiles, chief engineer of Hanna Lemon, left this week for Harborton to resume his duties on steamer.

Mr. A. H. G. Mears is having built a brick icehouse and refrigerator, attached to his mammoth store house, which will be a great convenience when completed to the people in this town and vicinity.

Wachapreague Base Ball Club organized this week with Rev. H. W. Davis, manager, Dr. John W. Kellam, assistant manager, W. P. Goffinn, captain, Ira F. Burton, secretary and treasurer, and is ready to meet any team on the Eastern Shore.

Sturgeon fishermen on our waters so far this season have caught over 200. Those engaged in this business are Long Bros., Shivers Bros., Anglesea, N. J.; Long & Lynch, Ocean City, Md.; Hamblin & Tull, Selbyville, Md.; J. T. Johnson & Co., Wachapreague; W. H. Woolley & Bro., Virginia.

Wachapreague Chapter, No. 16, Order of Eastern Star, meets Monday evening of each month on or before full moon. The Chapter is flourishing and has about 40 on roll. Any master mason, his wife, daughter, sister or mother is eligible if of lawful age. Open to all lodges on Eastern Shore.

To the Merchants.

Our Mr. Ward will visit you next week. Please save for him a nice order. Your customers demand the "Climax" flour and S. K. C. package Coffee. Snow, Knox & Co.

A Card.

I most kindly and respectfully thank my friends for coming to my assistance and working so faithfully to help save my property during the night of the fire at my place. L. J. Savage

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CIRCUIT COURT PROCEEDINGS.

May Term, 1905.

An order was entered extending time of land assessors, Roy D. White and Leonidas R. Doughty, to July 1, 1905.

Spencer F. Rogers qualified as guardian of his son, Jno. T. P. Rogers, Robert L. Parks as guardian of Henry J. S. Fox, orphan of Jas. G. Fox, deceased, and Abednego T. Fisher as guardian of Norman Fisher, orphan of Patrick M. Fisher, deceased.

John S. Tyler qualified as Notary Public for county of Accomac.

Last will and testament of John W. Bradford, deceased, admitted to probate and Edwin T. Powell qualified as executor.

The last will and testament of George W. James, deceased, was admitted to probate, and Alfred G. James qualified as executor.

The estate of John E. H. Sayres, deceased, was committed to Lee B. Kellam, sheriff, for administration.

Authority was granted to Rev. E. H. Jones, minister of Methodist Protestant Church, to celebrate the rites of matrimony.

The following fiduciary accounts were confirmed and ordered to be recorded: Audits of estates of William H. A. Hopkins, Edward W. Hopkins, William Summers and Susan J. Mears; trust accounts of William Simpkins and wife, and Levin F. Badger and wife; orphan accounts of Harry V. Joseph L. and Maria Baker, Leon Kirk and Merrill B. Hearn, John T., and Maggie E. Wright, Mitchell W. and Minnie Lee West, Wm. Norris Taylor, Annie S., Evelyn M. and Harold E. Crockett, Annie F. and Virginia C. Pitts, John W., Irene and Annie E. Gaskins, Eva L. and Fred W. Hopkins; guardian account of Wm. Henry Powell.

J. William Cropper resigned as executor of Betsy Savage, deceased.

Peter T. H. Ayres was appointed and qualified as Justice of Peace in place of H. C. Walker, deceased.

The following indictments were returned "true bills": Two for feloniously cutting &c. with intent to maim &c.; one for feloniously entering in night time without breaking a railroad car with intent to commit larceny; one for feloniously and carnally knowing and abusing a female child under 14 years; one for seduction under promise of marriage; one for unlawful gaming; one for feloniously breaking and entering in day time storehouse with intent to commit larceny; one for unlawfully and feloniously aiding a prisoner to escape from jail; one for unlawfully setting a pound and taking fish &c.; one for unlawfully staking in and using for the purpose of planting oysters and shells and for depositing oysters while making cargo for market a natural oyster rock; twenty-seven for unlawfully selling wine, spirituous and malt liquors and a mixture thereof.

S. Wilkins Matthews was appointed a member of the Electoral Board.

Ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts, that Purnell O. Twyford, applicant for a Confederate pension, is entitled to receive annually the sum of \$15.

Commonwealth vs. James Cropper, on indictment for felony. Convicted of petit larceny and sentenced to confinement in jail 6 months and to pay fine of \$5.00.

Commonwealth vs. Jack Harmon, on appeal from judgment of Justice of Peace, for unlawfully selling wine, ardent spirits and a mixture thereof and fined by J. P. \$100.00. Convicted by jury and fine fixed at \$250.00.

Cornelia Ellen Hopkins vs. Oscar R. Hopkins and others. Decree confirming report of G. Walter Mapp, special commissioner, for investment of funds &c.

Mary J. Barnes vs. Eugene W. Barnes and wife et als. Decree appointing commissioners to assign dower and referring cause to commissioner in chancery.

Thos. W. Blackstone, substituted trustee, vs. Eugene W. Barnes and wife and others. Decree requiring the defendants, Eugene W. Barnes and Wm. H. Wessells, to interplead.

Frank P. Clarke, trustee, judgment creditor &c. vs. John S. Bozman et als. Decree continuing cause.

John J. R. Burton's adm'r vs. Mary M. Smith &c. Decree confirming report of Stewart K. Powell, receiver, and for collection of bond of Gilbert F. Stiles &c.

Robert J. Taylor &c.'s guardian vs. Robert J. Taylor &c. Decree confirming report of special commissioner, for payment of costs and distribution, and authorizing special commissioner to unite in deed or contract for certain timber.

Edward D. Waddy and wife &c. vs. Bertie K. Powell &c. Decree confirming report of special commissioner, for payment of costs and deposited dower, for distribution and deposit in bank, for conveyance to purchaser &c.

Lemuel H. Chesser and wife vs. Purnell H. Chesser and wife and others. Decree of reference.

Vida Kelly et als. vs. Sarah E. Hill's executor et als. Decree confirming report of commissioner in chancery, Sam'l. T. Ross, and for judgment against J. Fred Hill, executor, in favor of divers parties.

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Ministers' Conference.

The Minister, Conference will meet at Cheriton Tuesday night, June 6th. This is our anniversary meeting. Let all attend. If any cannot take the part assigned please notify me at once.

Program.

- 1—Report of pastors.
  - 2—The object and aim of pastor's conference. Rev. Chas. Clement.
  - 3—Laughable incidents in a pastor's life. Rev. C. L. Corbitt.
  - 4—The trials of a pastor. Rev. J. W. Hundley.
  - 5—The joys of a pastor's life. Rev. J. D. Harte.
- Speeches limited to 15 minutes. M. A. Adams, Sec.

Petitions for and Against Increase of Taxes for School Purposes.

Virginia: At a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the county of Accomac, held at the Court-House of said county, on Wednesday, the 12th day of April, A. D., 1905.

Resolved, that after notice being given in both of the county papers from the date hereof till the 24th day of May, 1905, of the fact that on said last named date the Board of Supervisors of Accomac county will pass upon the question as to whether or not an additional County School Levy of one mill (which means ten cents on each one hundred dollars) shall be laid by said Board for school purposes, the said question to be decided by said Board upon a majority petition of the white tax-payers of said county for and against said proposition.

A Copy— Teste: John D. Grant, C. B. S.

Letter to W. S. Holland.

Dear Sir: A big mill-owner, Spartsburg, S. C., wanted 5,000 gallons of paint, and bought by price; paid 5 cents less than ours; got a "lead and zinc" paint; but the lead was sulphate of lead, not carbonate. Sulphate costs about half; and covers about half. That paint was adulterated about six times as much as the 5 cents paid for. He "saved" five cents; and it cost him 30. Oh no; it cost him more than that; we forgot the labor. Can't work it out exactly; don't know how long it'll wear. Short measure besides; that lone was twice as much as his "saving" 5 cents. It was too thin; some loss there; don't know how much. There was too much dryer in it. The maker made something on that; he didn't. Taking it altogether, he didn't make much by that 5 cents. Go by the name; and the name is Devoe lead-and-zinc.

Yours truly, F. W. Devoe & Co. New York.

Dressmaking.

I have secured a first-class dressmaker to assist me at my home, near Mappselle, and am now prepared to fill all orders in a "one with promptness and at fair prices. Your patronage solicited. Mrs. G. M. Fisher.

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BUSINESS NOTICES.

NOTICE—Stock can be pastured on my marsh on reasonable terms; all persons are hereby prohibited from trespassing on my premises and on the shore bordering on same to low water mark, under penalty of a prosecution. J. Oswald Mears, Davis Wharf, Va.

NOTICE—The firm of Willis & Emmett was dissolved May 8th, 1905, by mutual consent, N. C. Willis retiring and John B. Willis taking her place as a member of said firm. W. G. Emmett, John B. Willis.

FOR RENT—Dwelling and office at Exmore, all in good shape, by the month or year; possession given at once; shoemaker or barber preferred as tenant. B. U. Doughty, Exmore, Va.

FOR RENT—For year 1906 a two horse farm located on Onancock Creek, about one mile from Cashville, with abundant resources and good pasture. Rogers & Bro., Finney, Va.

FOR SALE—Collie pups, the kind that drives at the heel, rat terrier pups, tame wild geese, tame brandt. W. M. Turlington, Fair Oaks, Va.

NOTICE—An experienced salesman in general country store, also experienced meat cutter, sober and reliable, wants a situation. Best references. Address, X., Pungoteague, Va.

FOR SALE—Ruberoid roofing, standard for 14 years, positively weather-proof; resists fire and acids, lasts indefinitely by painting once in 5 years, easily applied; much cheaper than shingles; no danger of roof catching fire; write for prices; goods constantly on hand. Short & Bloxom, Bloxom, Va.

NOTICE—The late firm of W. S. Dickinson & Son having been dissolved by the death of Mr. Harry Stevens, I hereby notify all persons indebted to said firm that it has thereby become necessary for me to have an early payment of all accounts due the said firm to the 30th day of March, 1905. W. S. Dickinson, Surviving Partner.

FOR RENT—A desirable farm lying on Metompkin bay, also house and lot adjoining. F. D. Parks, Onancock.

NOTICE—I will sell at public auction on Saturday, May 6th, 1905, the entire stock of merchandise of J. C. Evans at Horntown, Accomac county, Va., including hardware, tinware, dry goods, groceries and notions. Sale to continue every Saturday until the entire stock is disposed of. A. H. Sterling, Trustee.

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