RELIGIOUS APPOINTMENTS.

METHODIST.

REV. C. R. JAMES, Pastor.

Irvington, First and Third Sundays, 11 A. M.
" Second and Fourth Sundays, night.
" Prayer meeting Wednesday nights.
White Stone, First and Third Sundays, 8 P. M.
" Second and Fourth Sundays, 11A.M.
Fleet's Island, Second Sunday, 3 P. M.
" Third Sunday night.
Poplar Neck, Fourth Sunday, 3 P. M.

BAPTIST.

REV. F. W. CLAYBROOK, Pastor.

Irvington, Second and Fourth Sundays 3:30 P.M.
" First and Third Sundays, 8 P. M. (Preaching or Prayer meeting).
Wicomico, First and Third Sundays, 11 A. M.
Kilmarnock, Second and Fourth Sundays, 11 A. M.
Bluff Point Chapel, Fourth Sunday 7:30 P. M.

REV. G. Y. BRADLEY, Pastor.

White Stone, First and Third Sundays at 11 A. M.; Second and Fourth Sundays 8 p. m.
Fleets Island, Second and Fourth Sundays at 11 A. M.; First and Third Sundays 3 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN.

REV. H. L. WALTON, Pastor.

Weems, Second and Fourth Sundays 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.

METHODIST PROTESTANT.

REV. J. W. FARIS, Pastor.

Wicomico, First and Third Sundays at 3:30 P. M.; Second and Fourth Sundays at 11 A. M.
Smyrna First and Third Sundays at 11 A. M.
Sampson's Wharf, School House, Second and Fourth Sundays at 3:30 P. M.

EPISCOPAL.

REV. GRANVILLE R. MICOU, Pastor.

White Chapel, First and Third Sundays, 11 A M.
Trinity, First and Third Sundays, 7 P. M., Fourth Sunday, 11 A. M.
Grace, Second Sunday, 11 A. M., Fourth Sunday, 3 P. M.

LOCAL MENTION.

F. L. Wagner, Editor Local Correspondence.

All communications should be addressed to the VIRGINIA CITIZEN, Irvington, Va.

Mrs. B. L. Willing was in Norfolk Saturday.

Steamer Clara Ellen harbored at Irvington wharf Sunday.

Calvert's Persian Insect Powder for flies, fleas and bed bugs, 10c.

Social Circle next Monday night at residence of Mrs. Jas. H. Wise.

Miss Addie Louise Bussells left Friday night for a two weeks' stay in Cape Charles.

Old papers for sale at the CITIZEN office for 20 cents a hundred. *

Epworth League entertainment tonight (Friday) at home of Mrs. Addie Messick.

C. Beverley Broun, of Broun's Store, is spending a few days here this week visiting friends.

Stops the Cough and Works off the Cold.

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, no Pay. Price 25 cents.

W. McD. Lee is attending the session of the Virginia Methodist Conference in Norfolk this week.

Rev. C. R. James left Monday via Mathews for Norfolk, where he goes to attend Annual Conference.

Encourage home enterprise and buy you lumber of W. H. Jesse, Litwalton, Lancaster Co. Material the best, prices low, big freights saved.

Weems Council Jr. O. U. A. M. is preparing to have a big entertainment at Weems on Thanksgiving.

John M. Fetsch and Joseph Van-Lill, of Baltimore, are spending some time at Gunther's on a hunting trip.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

All of the steamers of the Carter's Creek Fish Guano Co. have "cut out" and are now running remnants of scrap. The steamers had a fair catch the past season.

Steamer Dorothy F. Wacker left Monday for Baltimore. Harry Waters, the efficient cashier and clerk of the Carter's Creek Fish Guano Co., made the trip with the Wacker.

For steam and hot water or hot air heating, first-class plumbing and tinning, write Wm. Bernard, Fredericksburg. His prices beat Baltimore and other cities and workmanship equal to the best.

Messrs. Lee and Wagner will be at Lancaster court Monday in the interest of the VIRGINIA CITIZEN, Fredericksburg *Free Lance*, The Lancaster National Bank and Northern Neck Mutual Fire Association.

Cards are out announcing the approaching marriage of Dr. John Tutner, now of Baltimore but formerly of Irvington, to Miss Frances Mabel Wentz, of Baltimore, the ceremony to take place in that city next Monday.

T. J. Willing & Co., Irvington, G. W. Sanders, White Stone, W. H. Harding & Bro., Weems, guarantee every bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and will refund the money to any one who is not satisfied after using two-thirds of the contents. This is the best remedy in the world for la grippe, cough, colds, croup and whooping cough and is pleasant and safe to take. It prevents any tendency of a cold to result in pneumonia.

On Wednesday evening of this week a few invited guests gathered at the home of our Doctor at which time his son, Frank G. Newbill, gave a five o'clock dinner in honor of the birthday of his friend, Mr. Wilson D. Williams.

Visitors seen here recently: Jno. T. Payne, Mrs. Ernest Longworth, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. McNamara and little son Arthur, Dr. H. B. Treakle, H. W. Treakle, Geo. W. Thompson, Mrs. R. H. Pridham, Miss Pearl Thompson.

To be sure there is a change in most everything, even the seasons, and I hear the bottom rail has gotten on top at the old stand, so go there and be convinced of the change, and get what you need in the way of good things to eat and wear. There's no humbug in that store and you're sure to get good weight and fair prices, but not under cost, at
T. J. HAYDON & SON, Irvington, Va.

Irvington, Courthouse and Payne's Shop were the only precincts in this county last week from which the election returns were properly reported. The judges and clerks of the other precincts were summoned to the Courthouse Friday to correct the books.

That Throbbing Headache

Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches. They make pure blood and build up your health. Only 25 cts. Money back if not cured. Sold by L. D. Stoneham, Molusk; T. J. Haydon & Son, Irvington; T. C. Bland, Rehoboth Church.

Late arrivals at Irvington Beach Hotel: L. L. Gore, Mr. Campbell, Walter Haydon, S. Shallcross, T. Jerome Downing, Capt. Mason Gourley, Mr. Bowen, Major C. Smokey, S. Pike Kenney, Eugene Q. Duee, B. T. M. Hunley, Steven Adams, Maury Hunley, Zack Street, C. C. Rowlett, Harry Tignor, J. P. Caulfield.

It will not be a surprise to any who are at all familiar with the good qualities of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, to know that people everywhere take pleasure in relating their experience in the use of that splendid medicine and in telling of the benefit they have received from it, of bad colds it has cured, of threatened attacks of pneumonia it has averted and of the children it has saved from attacks of croup and whooping cough. It is a grand, good medicine. For sale by T. J. Willing & Co., Irvington; G. W. Sanders, White Stone; W. H. Harding & Bro., Weems; T. J. Willing & Co., Irvington.

The steamer leaving Baltimore on Sunday at 2:30 p. m. will hereafter come into Irvington and Weems on her trip up the river Monday mornings, as well as stop on return trip in the afternoon. President Williams kindly consented to do this upon presentation by citizens here of the great need of a steamer from Baltimore touching wharves in Carter's Creek between Saturday and Wednesday mornings.

Beware of Ointment for Catarrh that Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by Druggists, price 75c. per bottle.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

CAUGHT ON THE FLY.

The first sign of snow this season appeared in a few flakes on last Friday morning.

Miss Nina Hall, of Richmond county, has been visiting friends at Gloucester Courthouse.

S. B. Hall, a prominent young man of Templeman's Cross-Roads, in Westmoreland county, died Saturday at his home, after a week's illness of typhoid fever.

Miss Ella Roane left for Lancaster last Monday. Miss Ella has been spending some time with her sister at Plainview.—*Plainview Corr. Southside Sentinel.*

Rev. J. J. Wicker, well-known throughout the Northern Neck, preached his farewell sermon at his Baptist church in Baltimore on Sunday night. He left yesterday for his new charge in Trenton, N. J.

A supper and drama were given on last Saturday evening at Village for the benefit of the Jr. O. U. A. M. and on Thanksgiving evening the drama, "Social Glass," will be given in the Village hall for the benefit of Totuskey church. Refreshments will be served.

BE SURE OF THIS.

Boy, where did you get that medicine from Carry it straight back and get it from the old reliable store, where they keep nearly all sorts of drugs, including Lydia E. Pinckam's, Swamp Root, Gray's Liver and Kidney Cure, Liquid Peptonoids and numerous other things. I mean T. J. Haydon & Son's Store, Irvington, Va.

THE KILMARNOCK FAIR.

The annual fair of the Chesapeake Agricultural Association is a thing of the past. An account of the first day was published in the CITIZEN of last week and below will be found the results of the races of Thursday and Friday.

THURSDAY—SECOND DAY.

Driving race, half mile, 3 in 5.

Henderson's Lady Bryan,	1	1	1
Bett's Mary Miller,	2	2	2

Time not taken.

Two-thirty-five class, mile heats, 3 in 5.

Henderson's Sable Rock,	1	1	1
Dixon's Monomaque,	2	2	2

Time, 2:39, 2:33, 2:33.

Running race, half mile, 2 in 3.

Simpson's Boston,	1	1	1
Carter's Gray,	3	2	2
Smither's Bessie,	2	3	3
Hudnall's Jack,	4	4	4

Time not taken.

FRIDAY—THIRD DAY.

Trotting race, mile heats, 3 in 5.

Hudnall's Major Bellman,	1	1	1
Dixon's Monomaque,	2	2	2

Time 2:40.

Running race, half mile, 2 in 3.

Simpson's Boston,	1	1
Hudnall's Jack,	2	2

Time not taken.

NOTES.

The shooting match on Thursday was called off on account of rain. Jos. H. Fallin was in the lead.

Two hundred people formed a cordon around Jno. M. Palmer, who was in the centre of the field and let ole h'ar loose. J. B. Stakes caught the rabbit the first time, prize $1; and little Harry McNamara (with a broken arm) caught it the second time, prize 50 cents.

Crowd numbered about 1,000 second day. Owing to inclement weather the attendance on Friday was not quite so large.

The ten-pin alley was well patronized by both sexes.

The usual number of fakirs with their games of chance were on the grounds.

The shooting match on Friday was won by Addison Ball with Thos. Ball, jr., second.

The Robert A. Wooldridge Fertilizer Company, of Baltimore, had their own tent on the grounds displaying their renowned fertilizers.

Prof. J. P. Caulfield was to be seen in one end of the exhibition hall displaying the Sanders & Stayman instrument while Mr. L. L. Gore was on the opposite side with several fine Steiff pianos. The latter gentleman was never alone for aside from his pleasing manners and fine instruments, which were alone attractive enough, his playing kept an immense throng around him and the swaying bodies and patting feet showed better than words can express how his music was being received. While at the fair Mr. Gore sold instruments in the homes of E. J. Carter and Jas. M. Brent.

The exhibits were many and of the finest kind, in consequence of which the exhibition hall was a centre of great attraction.

Millions Given Away.

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern which is not afraid to be generous. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles and have the satisfaction of knowing it has cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, Bronchitis, La Grippe and all Throat, Chest and Lung diseases are surely cured by it. Call on T. J. Haydon & Son, Irvington, L. D. Stoneham, Molusk, or T. C. Bland, Rehoboth Church, and get a free trial bottle. Regular size 50c. and $1. Every bottle guaranteed.

Report of White Stone Circuit.

Irvington Methodist church has raised during the past conference year $1,211.06, an average of $8.71 per member, and has paid all assessments.

White Stone raised $1,483.01, an average of $7.23 per member.

Asbury collected $197 28, an average of $4.58.

All of the above churches comprising the White Stone circuit have collected $2,891.35, an average of $6.84 per member. None of the churches have failed in contributing to the various board.

A net gain of 22 members is the result of the spiritual condition of the three churches.

$202.62 was raised by the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.

Used by British Soldiers in Africa.

Capt. C. G. Dennison is well known all over Africa as commander of the forces that captured the famous rebel Galishe. Under date of November 4, 1899, from Vryburg, Bechuanaland, he writes: "Before starting on the last campaign I bought a quantity of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which I used myself when troubled with bowel complaint, and had given to my men, and in every case it proved most beneficial." For sale by G. W. Sanders, White Stone; W. H. Harding & Bro., Weems; T. J. Willing & Co., Irvington.

Lancaster County.

NUTTSVILLE.

For the past ten days the community around White Chapel, in Lancaster county, has lost on the average of one horse a day from the fatal disease which seems prevalent throughout this section. Among those losing horses within the past few days are: Chas. Chowning, Jno. Taff, Everett Fauntleroy, Bob Flemings and W. A. Weaver, the latter's being a fine Hannis colt.

Mrs. L. C. Mitchell has been quite sick since the death of her husband two weeks ago. Her condition has not improved. Her sister, Mrs. Greenhowe Daniel, of Fredericksburg, and Mrs. Horace Ball, of Northumberland, are with her.

POPLAR NECK.

Misses Florence and Eula Pittman, of Fairport, who have been visiting in the family of W. J. Cornelius for the past two weeks, returned home Monday.

Miss Myrtle Brewington, of Irvington, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs Ernest Longworth.

Oscar Squires, of Good Ground, Long Island, N. Y., arrived Saturday to visit friends in this section.

E. Bruce and Oscar Squires left Monday to visit friends in the Monumental city.

The three steamers belonging to the large plant of Bellow's & Squires at this place "cut out" the latter part of last week and many of the men have left for their various homes. The factory will continue to work, however, for weeks to come as there are large quantities of fish-scrap to be dried.

Numbers of our people attended the Kilmarnock Fair last week despite the inclement weather. GEM.

WHITE STONE.

On next Saturday afternoon at 2:30 the farmers of this vicinity will meet in this village to organize a Farmers' club. This will be the first one in the country but we understand that four clubs on this order are to be started in the county of Lancaster. The object is to band together and among other things buy their seeds and fertilizers in a lump, thereby getting them much cheaper. All farmers are invited to come out and join.

Mrs. Jas. C. Rowe, of Fredericksburg, and Miss Julia Messick, of Irvington, were seen on our streets Saturday.

Walter E. Hathaway was in Tappahannock Saturday on business.

R. K. Whaley was visiting at his parental home near Wicomico church Sunday last.

The many friends of Alvah James will be pleased to learn that he is again in our vicinity visiting at the home of his grand-father, A. James, sr.

The finding of a little dead colored baby in a grape-basket in some woods near here on Saturday last created considerable excitement. An inquest was held by E. M. Chase, of Kilmarnock, which resulted in the mother of the babe, Clara Scott, aged 18, being sent to the county jail. About 400 people viewed the dead child on Sunday and feeling against the mother ran high. She has confessed the crime.

C. E. Sanders of Baltimore, spent a few days with friends here last week and took in the Fair.

Mrs. W. M. Kirk returned last week after a pleasant visit to friends in King and Queen.

IBERIS—FIRE.

About 8 o'clock Monday night a house on J. L. Sullivan's West Point farm, occupied by William Smith (colored), was burned to the ground. It was a large two-story frame building and made the largest fire this writer has ever seen. Very little of the furniture was saved.

Rev. J. O. Babcock, Lancaster's popular and beloved pastor, left Monday to attend the Annual Conference in Norfolk. Before leaving he requested the Epworth League to hold services at White Marsh next Sunday, as there would be no preaching there on that day. The League will be conducted by the aged members of the League and neighborhood. The people should pray especially for the incoming preacher as it is not probable that Bro. Babcock will be returned to this charge. The people of this circuit regret exceedingly to think that their beloved pastor will be with them no longer.

George R. McKenney this week placed a beautiful Italian marble monument by the little graves of his dead children.

Lee Owens (colored) lost a fine cow last week.

Rev. Johnson, a colored Methodist preacher living at Black Stump, lost a horse recently.

L. O. Towles and O. B. Abbott were in Baltimore a few days ago.

C. H. Degges, of Lancaster C. H, left last Friday for Norfolk. While there he will attend the Annual Conference in that city.

The large two-topmast schooner, Carrie and Belle, Capt. T. H. Wright, is loading poplar wood in Western Branch for W. G. Beane.

A large oyster packing house is being erected at Black Stump.

Chamberlain's Pain Balm Cures Others, Why Not You?

My wife has been using Chamberlain's Pain Balm, with good results, for a lame shoulder that has pained her continually for nine years. We have tried all kinds of medicines and doctors without receiving any benefit from any of them. One day we saw an advertisement of this medicine and thought of trying it, which we did with the best of satisfaction. She has used only one bottle and her shoulder is almost well.—ADOLPH L. MILLETT, Manchester, N. H. For sale by W. H. Harding & Bro., Weems, T. J. Willing & Co., Irvington; G. W. Sanders, White Stone.

"Warsaw" Reports Us Incorrectly.

On election night the correspondent of the Richmond papers here endeavored to have the result in Lancaster telegraphed to his papers, but Warsaw refused to take the message, stating that it could take no telegrams that night. The papers of the next morning, however, contained telegrams from Warsaw purporting to give the result in this county, as also in the other counties of the Neck. The figures were incorrect as respect to Lancaster.

Great Luck of An Editor.

"For two years all efforts to cure Eczema in the palms of my hands failed," writes Editor H. N. Lester, of Syracuse, Kan., "then I was wholly cured by Bucklen's Arnica Salve." Its the world's best for Eruptions, Sores and all skin diseases. Only 25c. at T. C. Bland's, Rehoboth Church; T. J. Haydon & Son's, Irvington; L. D. Stoneham, Molusk.

Attention Veterans.

I hereby call a meeting of the Lawson-Ball Camp, C. V., to meet at the Courthouse November 19th, (court day) at 1:30 p. m. You are cordially urged to attend at the time specified.

JOHN C. EWELL, Commander.

E W Grove

This signature is on every box of the genuine **Laxative Bromo-Quinine** Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day

Northumberland Co

RAINSWOOD.

William Northam came near having a paralytic stroke last week.

W. G. Burch preached his farewell sermon at Oakland M. E. church last Sunday to a large crowd.

Mrs. Cora Straughan is visiting in King George county.

Walter Walker has moved from this place to Oakley, near Heathsville.

I. E. Boothe is visiting his wife in Somerset county, Md.

Mrs. Mariah Connellee is having lumber hauled into place to repair her house.

We have had several horses in this place to have a strange disease but only one has died. RED TAPE.

SMITH'S POINT.

Miss Janie Cookman, of Burgess Store, has been spending a short while with her sisters, Mrs. W. H. Johnson and Mrs. J. R. Abbott.

J. R. Abbott, who has been under medical treatment for some time, is much improved at this writing.

E. J. Cookman, of Village, was the pleasant visitor of his sisters, Mrs. W. H. Johnson and Mrs. J. R. Abbott Saturday and Sunday.

W. H. Johnson, while walking about the yard one day last week, had the misfortune to have his face cut open near the eye by running into the end of a pole.

ANNIE LAURIE.

CHERRY POINT.

The prize Bible offered by Rev. W. G. Hammond, pastor of Melrose, to the collector of the largest sum for missions was awarded to Miss Ida Cowart.

On Wednesday, Nov. 7th, the infant child of Millard Harrison was interred in Melrose Cemetery.

Many horses have died in this neighborhood within the past two months and the malady continues.

Hog cholera has made its appearance here and has carried off several fine pokers.

Farmers here have about finished seeding wheat and husking corn. The corn crop was much better than had been expected. MISTY VEIL.

TRILBY.

Charlie Cowart, who has been extremely ill for the past week, we are glad to report as much better.

Mrs. Lena Suttle, of King George, is teaching the school at Headley's Corner, while Miss Mamie Holday, of Baltimore, is teaching our school. These two ladies are making many friends in our midst.

Mrs. A. J. Rock, of Oldhams, has returned home after a pleasant visit to relatives near here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Parson, of this place, visited Mr. and Mrs. James Hall, of Avalon, Sunday.

Miss Ethel Betts, of Fairfields, spent Sunday with Miss Blanche White.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Balderson, of Lodge, are visiting near here.

Several horses have recently died throughout this section.

T. W. Lewis, of Fairfields, while visiting here Sunday had the misfortune to lose a beautiful gold ring.

Miss Nannie Clark is spending a fortnight with relatives near Lodge. SCHOOL GIRL.

REHOBOTH CHURCH.

On Friday evening last Miss Lena Pinckard entertained a few friends at her home near here in honor of Miss A. Blanche Messick, of Irvington, who spent Saturday and Sunday as the guest of Miss Pinckard. Quite an enjoyable time is reported by all who were so fortunate as to be present.

Our public school is progressing nicely and is up to-date, as recitations and spelling matches are the order on Friday afternoons. Though the scholars were a little timid at first in reciting, they are now becoming quite experienced in the art and will doubtless blossom into elocutionists of the first water.

One of our young men is quite hilarious over the re-election of McKinley and is indulging in numerous "I told you so's."

The many friends of Mrs. J. W. G. Stephens, of Wicomico Church, are pleased to know that she is rapidly convalescing.

And they do say that a cigarette was the cause of it all.

Mr. Jacob Shriner has a number of guests from the city with him at present. TWILIGHT.

MISKIMON.

There is a great deal of sickness in this county and while there seems very little in our immediate section, yet, we are concerned deeply in much of it. Miss Ellen Eubank has been quite sick but resumed her school duties this week. She was obliged to close school for a few days owing to the extreme illness of Mrs. T. J. Eubank, who yet continues dangerously ill.

It was the pleasure of your scribe to listen to the report of Mrs. Dr. Harding, who was a delegate from here of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, on the proceedings of the conference held in Charlottesville. It was the best gotten up report that it has ever been our privilege to listen to.

Geo. and Randolph Beane, who have been representing the Elite Portrait Co., of Chicago, are now traveling through the Northern Neck in the interest of the company.

Geo. H. Smith, of Miskimon, is adding an addition to his store to accommodate his new stock of goods just purchased from New York. The measles got our friend George a few weeks back, but he is out again.

Miss Bessie Gill has begun her school, having succeeded in persuading the pupils to be vaccinated. We don't always want what is best for us.

Cornelius Marsh is erecting a large barn.

W. G. Beane is yet suffering from the felon on his thumb.

We are pleased to have Miss Fannie Robertson, of Nuttsville, in our midst. She is teaching in the home of W. G. Beane.

Don't forget the oyster supper at the factory at Miskimon on the 28th of this month and please don't forget to come. C.

HEATHSVILLE.

Last Monday was courtday here and court was held in the Methodist Protestant church, owing to repairs being made on the courthouse. The church makes an excellent house for holding court and it is thought will be used for this purpose for the next six months. Clerk W. S. Cralle has his office in the Masonic Hall while Treasurer Booth is receiving visitors at his home. The courthouse is to be made five feet higher, the entrance changed to the side facing the monument, clerk's office to be made fireproof and numerous other improvements made. The Board of Supervisors will issue bonds to the amount of $6,500, which sum will about pay for the repairs.

An Italian with an organ and monkey attracted considerable attention here Monday.

Carroll Rowe has opened up a store here and is carrying a full stock of goods.

It was noted that on Sunday last cake was at a premium in this village. It appears that a man, not being able to secure whiskey, made a run on all the stores for vanilla, and in consequence of which this much needed ingredient for sweetmeats could not be purchased for love or money. This will hardly occur again as all the merchants have laid in big quantities of the extract.

N. H. Moses, who has been in quite feeble health for some months, is improving and will soon be traveling throughout the Neck in the interests of his sewing machines.

Your correspondent understands that at least one professional young man in our village was somewhat disheartened upon awaking Friday morning to find the weather too inclement to attend the Kilmarnock Fair.

LIST OF DEEDS, ETC.,

Admitted to record since and during October term Northumberland county court:

Partition deed between John W. McNeal and wife and G. H. McNeal making partition of a certain tract or parcel of land in Fairfields district.

Deed from G. H. McNeal to the McNeal Edwards Company on one acre in Fairfields.

Deed from G. P. Dungan to D. D. Dungan for two hundred acres in Lottsburg.

Trust deed from D. D. Dungan to M. T. Dawson on 200 acres in Lottsburg.

Deed from G. P. Dungan to R. T. Gillions for 120 acres in Lottsburg.

Trust deed from R. T. Gillions and wife to M. T. Dawson on above tract.

Deed of release from W. W. Brown to Samuel Kesterson releasing all his right, title and interest in 10 acres in Fairfields.

Deed from Annie L. Overton and Daniel F. Overton to Alice V. Garrison for ½ acre in Fairfields.

Deed from John Brooks to L. E. Garrison for 5 acres in Fairfields.

Alice Palmer sets aside certain property as a homestead.

Trust deed from Richard H. Beane to Wm. L. Cralle on 17½ acres in Wicomico.

Trust deed from Edith B. Saunders and John H. Saunders to A. S. Rice on 2 acres in Fairfields.

Deed from Jerry J. Headley and wife to W. W. Maith, Travers Washington and W. H. Brooks trustees in the Lively Hope Lodge No. 34 of Good Samaritans and Sisters of Samaria for 1 acre in Lottsburg.

Deed from B. L. Gill and wife to Gamalia Kelley for 14 20-100 acres in Wicomico.

Deed from Thos. H. Fallin and wife to Daniel Blackwell for 20 acres one rood and fifteen polls in Heathsville.

Trust deed from Daniel Blackwell and wife to B. G. Crowther trustee for the Heathsville Loan & Deposit Company on all that tract of land in Heathsville on the main road leading from Heathsville to Avalon, adjoining lands of Thos. H. Fallin, R. M. Walker and Ro. Brooks.

Deed from A. H. Evans and wife to Jerry Muse for ½ acre in Fairfields.

Newman Wildy sets aside certain property as a homestead.

Spread Like Wildfire.

When things are "the best" they become "the best selling." Abraham Hare, a leading druggist, of Belleville, O., writes: "Electric Bitters are the best selling bitters I have handled in 20 years. You know why? Most diseases begin in disorders of stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels, blood and nerves. Electric Bitters tones up the stomach, regulates liver kidneys and bowels, purifies the blood, strengthens the nerves, hence cures multitudes of maladies. It builds up the entire system. Puts new life and vigor into any weak, sickly, run-down man or woman. Price 50 cts. Sold by T. J. Haydon & Son, Irvington; L. D. Stoneham, Molusk; T. C. Bland, Rehoboth Church.

Woman Head of the House.

The United States circuit court of appeals, in an opinion handed down by Judge Purnell, reverses Judge Waddill, of the district court, and holds that a married woman living with her husband may be alone, or jointly with him, the head of the family and entitled to the homestead exemption under the bankruptcy law.

The case in question was that of Mrs. Marian H. Richardson vs. W. F. Woodward, trustee. Mrs. Richardson resides in New Kent county. She conducted a store and was postmistress of the village. In 1898 Mr. Richardson made an assignment. The goods conveyed did not pay off the creditors, and in January, 1899, Mrs. Richardson asked to be adjudged a bankrupt. She claimed $2,000 under the homestead exemption law. This Judge Waddill refused to allow on the ground that a married woman living with her husband is not the head of the house.

Judge Purnell read a lengthy opinion reversing Judge Waddill.

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AFRO-AMERICAN NOTES.

Allan Montague was called home last week to the bedside of his brother, Llewellyn Montague, who is still very sick.

John H. Corbin, of Eastern Branch, died on Thursday of last week at his home and was buried Saturday.

The Afro-American Fair at Kilmarnock is being well attended.

H. Val. Washington, for five years teacher in the public school at White Stone, has again taken his place in the Virginia Union University at Richmond.

NOTICE THESE:

Schwartzman Bros'. Baltimore Reliable House, White Stone, Va., appears in new ad.

T. B. Treakle, Ocran, has cabbage plants for sale.

Richmond County.

NEWLAND.

Mrs. D. B. Hall lost a valuable horse last week.

Cleveland France, after paying his parents and friends here a short visit, returned to his employment in Washington Monday.

Mrs. John Bartlette is on the sick list.

The closing exercises of the Welcome Grove Sunday school last Sunday night were quite a success and a large crowd was present. The program was opened by a speech from J. C. Jenkins and followed by dialogues and recitations, which entertained the large audience about 2½ hours. The exercises were closed with a beautiful address delivered by T. M. L. Reamy, Superintendent of Popes Creek Sunday school. The school reorganized for the coming year and the officers elected were: J. C. Jenkins, Supt.; J. M. Sanders, Ass't. Supt.; A. T. Jenkins, Sec'y.; E. T. Hutchinson, Librarian; Aubra Balderson, Ass't. Librarian; Miss Minnie L. Marks, Treas.; Miss Flaxie Connelly, Choirister. After the program confectioneries were abundantly served.

Messrs. J. E. Carter and T. N. Balderson and Misses Bertha, Lula, Trudie and Clara Balderson made a pleasant call at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. France last Sunday evening.

Miss Kate Balderson is attending the public school at Oak Grove.

Miss Hattie E. Pullen returned Tuesday from a trip to King George, where she attended the marriage of her cousin, Miss Cora Fones.

It is thought that the public schools of this place will have to close on account of the slim attendance owing to the enforcement of the vaccination law.

Miss Katie Mothershead, of Lyells, was visiting Mrs. G. M. Connelly Sunday.

Messrs. Ira France and Aubra Balderson were out hunting Monday and killed a quantity of game. HOPE.

ENGLAND AND THE BOERS.

General DeWet has been wounded in the leg and narrowly escaped being captured.

President Steyn, in a speech to the burghers, said Mr. Kruger had gone to Europe in order to get intervention, and that if he failed "The Transvaal will be auctioned off to the highest bidder."

Methuen surprised Commandants Synman and Vermaas near Lichtenberg Monday. Three dead Boers were found and thirty prisoners and several wagons were captured. There were no casualties among the British.

There has been heavy fighting since November 6th, resulting in the defeat of the Boers who lost twenty-three killed, thirty wounded and 100 taken prisoners. Seven of their guns also were captured. The British lost three officers and four men killed.

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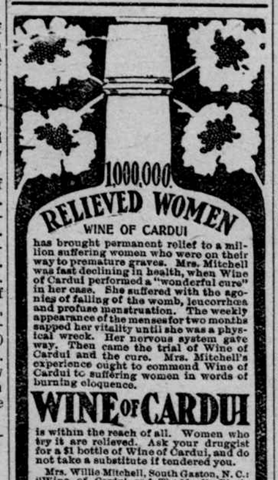

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