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With our river frozen hard and fast we have been cut off from steamer communication with Baltimore for a week but the Queen Anne's Railroad has kept us in communication with the outside world by making connection at their future terminal, Love Point.

The business people of Church Hill, Sudlersville, Crumpton and Chestertown should take up the matter and see if they could not induce the Queen Anne's Railroad officials to extend the line to their section, to get them an outlet for their products and a means of travel in the winter when they are cut off by the ice foe. Besides, they would find it so much faster traveling than by the present way as they could leave home in the morning and in three hours would be in Baltimore. The opening of this road would be an untold benefit to the people all along the line but more especially to those of Crumpton, who are progressive but whose transportation facilities are about two hundred years behind.

A survey was made a few years ago for this line and, if the business people would interest themselves, we think it quite likely that the Queen Anne's Railroad would soon traverse their territory. Talk the matter up and see the landowners and see what inducements in the way of rights-of-way can be made to the railroad and show the landowners how their land would appreciate in value by citing to them the many towns along the main line which has nearly doubled in population and territory. You are all interested as this is the era of rapid transit and you cannot afford to let this golden opportunity pass you by unnoticed.

The people of Queenstown can appreciate the benefit derived from the railroad not only in fast travel, but by possessing the best mail facilities of any town on the Shore and you people, if you could get the road in your midst, could enjoy the same advantages. Even people of Kent Island and Winchester are feeling the benefit during the present cold spell as they are put in daily communication with the outside world, with only a few minutes walk to the station when, otherwise they would be cut off from the outside world.

Mr. J. S. E. Pardee, who was for several years a school teacher, in a lengthy editorial in the *Observer* cites many good reasons for not passing the proposed bill to pension school teachers. We quote a small portion which will throw light on the subject and which, we think, will open the eyes of our law framers at Annapolis. It reads:

"After a careful consideration of the bill, however, we have come to the conclusion that the measure is not a judicious one, judging from the standpoint of either teacher or public. The man who is assured of a competency at the end of his term of service has no incentive for economy. As a rule he is recklessly extravagant and needlessly careless in all of his expenses. Besides, the man who is certain of future provision being made for him without any effort on his part becomes inactive, indifferent, slothful and unwilling to exercise his energies to any great extent. The passing of a pension bill would have a tendency to create such a class of individuals in charge of the public schools. It would be a backward step from the present status of progressiveness, activity and interest in public school work. Besides, the author is greatly mistaken as to the amount of sacrifice involved in teaching. By far the majority of teachers engage in that because they can find no employment which is more remunerative. It is not altogether the 'labor of love,' which he would picture it. We venture to say that in this county, where teachers are, on the average, paid better than in any other county in the State, there is not one teacher but would reluctantly make a change in his work for a higher salary. Teaching with them is a business proposition where so much brain power is expected for so much money. They are no more public servants tkan are university or college professors, who instruct the rising generation in the higher branches at a higher salary. Equally public servants are the farmers who labor incessantly to produce the substance of which the State, whose laws they must obey, receives its part; the bankers, who conduct an institution for the financial relief and accommodation of the public, are none the less public servants; the mercantile man, who saves the citizens the needless waste of time in going to distant marts of traffic by supplying them with their needs at almost their very doors, is a public benefactor; the editor who devotes his energies toward gathering information, sending it out in readable form and advocating measures which are for the public welfare is a public benefactor. The facts of the case are that every man engaged in a legitimate business is a public benefactor. We are all members of a community in which everyone is under obligations to each other and subject to the rules governing the entire body. In this sense school teachers are public benefactors and public servants. Under this construction every other man earning a legitimate livelihood is a public servant and, as such is equally entitled to the emoluments of a pension as are the beneficiaries of the proposed bill."

A writer in the *Record* signing himself, "On Looker," in speaking of the reduction of the Treasurer's salary: "Does not think the present amount, $2200 exhorbitant" and says "after he pays the expenses of his bond (about $150) and other incidental expenses (about $150) he has only $1900 left to hire clerical help and munerate himself for his work and responsibility." Well, the writer seems to be better posted on the workings of the office than we are but it looks to us that the present amount is just a little too much, for, if we figure aright the Treasurer would not have to visit his office over 70 times in a year that is, if he did all the work and the county would pay him about $30 a visit; quite a nice little sum for about 4 hours work! "On Looker" failed to tell of the few extra dollars that is added to the salary by the several sittings and the discount from the State tax.

"On Looker" gives the prime mover of the petition to reduce the salary a very chilly welcome and says: "he held the best office in the county for 6 years, drew a salary of $17,000, never wrote a line, recorded a deed or swore a witness to earn his salary." What difference should it make if his able assistants kept the office up to the standard and their reports always full and complete? "On Looker" might say the same thing about the present Treasurer and his efficient clerk, Mr. Joseph M. Parvis for we venture the assertion that, aside from the signing of checks by the Treasurer, the books of the Treasurer are kept in as good condition as can be found in any office on the Shore by the clerk. According to "On Looker" it would seem that he is opposed to paying a man a large sum for his name in one office but in another office it is alright. When Posner, of Baltimore, sold out his business to a New York syndicate he got a cold $25,000 for his name, so it will be seen that there is something in a name.

We think $1500 would be an adequate salary for the Treasurer as it is not necessary for any clerical help but in the event of hiring clerical help, the little extras that comes in will nearly reimburse the expense thus leaving him (the Treasurer) with as much clear money for a year's work as any officeholder in the county gets excepting, perhaps the Clerk of the Circuit Court. Should the salary be reduced to $1500 we do not think the office would be on the county's hands for want of applicants.

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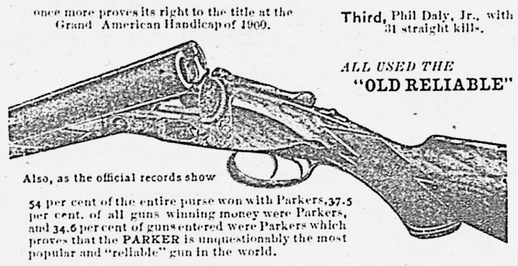

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CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

IN EFFECT WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 8th, 1902.

STATIONS AND TIME OF LEAVING AS FOLLOWS:

EASTWARD Read Downward. Saturdays only.	Daily Ex. Sat. and Sunday.	Daily Ex. Sunday.	NAME OF STATIONS.		WESTWARD Read Upward. Daily Ex. Sunday.	*Daily Ex. Sunday.
P.M.	P.M.	A. M.			P.M.	P.M.
2.00	2.45	5.50	Lv.....Baltimore.....	Ar.	12.05	9.45
4.50	5.45	8.45	Ar....Queenstown....	Lv.	9.10	6.45
5.05	5.55	90 7	Lv... Queenstown ...	Ar	9.05	4.50
f5.10	f6.00	f 9.12	.....Bloomingdale.....		f9.00	f4.40
f5.16	f6.06	f 9.20	.....Wye Mills.....		f8.54	f4.34
f5.21	f6.11	f 9.28	.....Willoughby		f8.49	f4.23
5.28	6.19		.....D. & C. Junction.....		8.42	
5.30	6.23	9.40	.....Queen Anne.....		8.40	4.18
f5.36	6.29	9.48	.....Downes		8.33	4.00
f5.39	f6.32	f 9.51	.....Tuckahoe		f8.30	f3.57
5.44	6.34	10.00	.....Denton.....		8.27	3.50
5.52	5.42	10.15	.....Hobbs.....		8.19	3.34
6.02	6.51	10.25	.....Hickman.....		8.11	3.23
f6.06	f6.55	f10.27	.....Adamsville.....		f8.07	f3.15
f6.11	f7.01	f10.32	.....Blanchard.....		f8.02	f3.09
6.17	7.06	10.40	.....Greenwood		7.55	3.00
f6.25	f7.16	f10.53	.....Owens		f7.47	f2.45
f6.30	f7.21	f11.00	.....Oakley.....		f7.43	f2.40
6.35	7.25	11.05	Lv.....Ellendale.....	Ar.	7.38	2.33
6.40	7.30	11.15	Lv.....Ellendale.....	Ar.	7.30	2.23
f6.52	f7.37	f11.24	.....Wolfe		f7.16	f2.14
6.55	7.41	11.30	.....Milton.....		7.10	2.06
f7.05	f7.49	f11.38	.....Whitesboro.....		f7.01	f1.56
f7.08	f7.52	f11.41	.....Overbrook.....		f6.58	f1.53
7.15	8.00	11.50	Ar.....Lewes.....Lv.		6.50	1.45
P.M.	P.M.	A.M.			A.M	P.M.

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