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### Pair Held For Grand Jury In Larceny Cases

Kimbles, Short Waive Hearing For Breaks. Mail Pouch Recovered

Dudley Kimbles, 24, and Harry Short, 18, of the I B neighborhood, were held for action by the Grand Jury following a hearing before Magistrate J. West Thompson in Police Court Monday night on six charges of breaking, entering and larceny, the outgrowth of a series of thelfts which struck rapidly at various places in the First and Second Districts between December 18 and New Year's Day.

Short was released under \$300 bond while Kimbles was sent to jail in default of \$250 bond on each charge. Medford Kimbles, brother of Dudley, hearings.

Short and Dudley Kimbles are said at Church Hill, J. Percy Bittle at Ingleside, Elmer Anderson at Church Hill, grist mill at Church Hill and the tool house of George Stubbs at a saw mill near I B.

Sheriff T. Herbert Everett and Deputy Sheriff Louis Perkins continued to turn up stolen articles this week. In was learned that a large quantity of tobacco and other items had been stolen from the A. & C. Candy truck of Barclay and gloves and a flashlight from the car of Reese Connolly of Ingleside. The two young men are said to

believed to have been under ground for meeting Monday night.

Deputy Sheriff Perkins estimated that more truly a representative of the entire Shore clubs. cigars, cigarettes, smoking and chewing urged to be on hand to join in the tobacco bulked largely in the list.

# TT I. Trappers Heart Attack Fatal To A. C. Funds To Be Used In Cancer in turkey classes.

County Trappers Prefer To Let Animals Multiply For Another Year'

Queen Anne's county muskrat trap- dead yesterday afternoon about 41 The Centreville Club which is a part pelts have cut their operations this W. Sterling, in Church Hill. Death was a public card party at the Little Theamonth to a low level and many are not due to a heart attack. trapping at all.

the work and they prefer to leave the take charge of the body. animals to multiply for another season. Mr. Bennett has been traveling versity of Maryland.

The dropping off in trapping is show- through the Eastern Shore for more Every Woman's club in the state will the New York show.

No explanation has been given for the Joe Evans Attends says that muskrat pelts in January do not have as good fur quality as later in the season and this may be part of

price as quality improves. pointed at the downward turn in the Club of Maryland, in Baltimore Saturmuskrat market. In other years the day. industry has poured from one to two The meeting was independent as far million dollars into the coffers of as Democratic factions went, candidates marshland owners and trappers. There and prospective candidates for stateis little chance for a banner season this wide nominations being given an equal year. Trappers on the lower Shore chance to present their qualifications. are feeling the situation acutely as it A dance and the customary busy round is their one "flush" time in the year, of informal political tete-a-tetes kept

Reports that some Queen Anne's county trappers may go after skunk Birthday Party For hides as more profitable have met with quick approval by sportsmen. They feel that the growing skunk population needs curtailing badly and that rabbits and game birds will be aided by a drive guest of honor at an attractive party on skunks.

1937 TAX PAYMENTS

checkup by County Treasurer J. William Vansant, Helen Jones and many others. tions. A banquet, dance, and a list of July 1. Matt J. Daiger, secretary of the committee Victor P. Gillespie, Edward manager for the former owner has been benefits, during the given time are con-Keith. From now on interest is due on The young man received a number of noted speakers are listed on the day's Board, continues as general manager of Stevens, Harry Peters, Samuel Blades retained and plans call for high class templating staging some benefit to raise

MANY CANDLES ADORN BIRTHDAY CAKE



Mrs. Mary T. Valliant, of Church Hili, and her three sons and daughter. will be abandoned here. also held for Grand Jury action, was re- From left to right they are: William E. Valliant, of St. Michaels; Mrs. William leased under \$500 bond on a charge of Walter Chapman, of Baltimore; Mrs. Valliant; T. Rigby Valliant and E. Stephens receiving stolen goods. All three waived Valliant, of Centreville. The picture was taken on the occacsion of Mrs. Valliant's eighty-eighth birthday, Thursday of last week when with members service from that point. Protests were pointed within a short time. of the family as guests Mrs. Valliant entertained at a birthday dinner.

to have been implicated in at least nine The guests included Mr. and Mrs. William E. Valliant; Mrs. Chapman; Mr. thefts occurring in the two weeks' per- and Mrs. E. Stephens Valliant and Mr. and Mrs. T. Rigby Valliant, and two may be sent by mail only on passenger the Board of the Trustees for the iod. They were charged, however, with breaks at the stores of Harry E. Walls Centreville.

grand-daughters—Mrs. Henry Hamm, of Dover, Del., who made the birthday freight cars are not classed as pason the Board of the Trustees for the home, having been appointed in 1926, on the death of his father, the late

## the filling station of Stanley Atkinson Baseball Fans To Assemble Monday For Initial Powwow who are traveling to points beyond sentative on the Board since his first

sorting out goods for various owners it Meeting To Be Held In Courthouse. Plans For Coming Season Due For Discussion. Women Invited. Baseball, Spring Just Around Corner

A county-wide meeting of baseball discussions. With a league meeting Star one have been asked in Easton. torney. thefts. The ninth larceny was said to fans to catch the spirit of the coming scheduled for January 30 the club The first bids are for a six months' have taken place at Harry Massey's season and lay plans for it is to be representatives want to be able to speak be awarded later for a three-year held in the Courthouse Monday eve- of plans in Queen Anne's and the sup- be awarded later for a three-year

Further ramifications in the charges against the pair were seen in the recovery of a large United States mail bag allegedly taken from the postoffice in the Bittle store. The bag had been buried and was found crammed full way and many of them proved to be as affair.

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with tobacco, flashlights and other regular rooters as did the men. There Baseball is beginning to pep up on the ing time, although a fifteen-minute hike small articles. Although the bag was will be a place for the ladies at the entire Eastern Shore as Spring is in the was first contemplated. offing and major league teams are getat least two weeks the articles were all One of the aims of the Queen Anne's ting ready for the trek south. Many dry except for a few cigars at the top sports Activities group which sponsored of the sack.

Sports Activities group which sponsored will be seen again this season with the Black Turkeys

Control Fight

### at least \$600 worth of stolen goods have county. Because the coming meeting been recovered. These ran the gamut will throsh out metters of importance pucleus from last season. Six of the been recovered. These ran the gamut will thrash out matters of importance nucleus from last season. Six of the from small articles like pencils, metal for the season fans from Kent Island, boys are scheduled to return including heel plates and keys to rifles, shotguns Queenstown, Church Hill, Sudlersvlile and clothing. Several sacks full of and all other towns of the county are and rightfielder Ray Rist of last year's Pioneer Point Birds Score In Mayor of Dover, and formerly of Central County are and rightfielder Ray Rist of last year's Pioneer Point Birds Score In Mayor of Dover, and formerly of Central County are and rightfielder Ray Rist of last year's Pioneer Point Birds Score In Mayor of Dover, and formerly of Central County are and rightfielder Ray Rist of last year's Pioneer Point Birds Score In Mayor of Dover, and formerly of Central County are and rightfielder Ray Rist of last year's Pioneer Point Birds Score In Mayor of Dover, and formerly of Central County are last to the fourth of the county are last to th (CONTINUED ON PAGE 5)

New York

Muskrat Pelts At Church Hill Give Card Party at the New York Poultry Show which

Winning at this show is considered an Cu. for more than fifteen years has been men's Clubs in support of a campaign vious years. representative of the Supplee Biddle launched by the General Federation

Hardware Company of Philadelphia, in has set January 31st, as a state-wide a public card party at the Little Theadivision. The tom which led his breed that emclent administration.

also won a similar first place at the tree, to raise funds for the cause. They Gueen Anne's Poultry and Game Show of the City Council have been sub-Queen Anne's Poultry and Game Show of the City Council have been sub- James B. Carter. Dr. Norman S. Dduley, of Church Hill, will add their funds to the \$2,000 Prices are down to 60 cents for brown saw the man fall, and rushed to his amount to be raised by the Maryland at Centreville in November while the mitted to a real test during the period Prices are down to 60 cents for brown pelts, about half of last year's figure and also of that expected this year. The Dudley notifed Mrs. Bennett, who came for treatment of cancer. The fund will county show. John H. Moffett, poultry sion, and we can all recall what was trappers say the price does not justify to Church Hill yesterday evening to be applied to the purchase of radium superintendent at Pioneer Point, had superinte

ing its effect in muskrats for table purposes. Stores handling the muskrats, or marsh rabbitts, are unable to meet the demand for meats. Muskrats are selling on the same day and the same day an meeting on the same day and the same hour to offer their contributions. The columbia Broadcasting Company from its station at College Park will devote of the New England states, Pennsylits station at College Park will devote of the New England states, Pennsylits station at College Park will devote of the New England states, Pennsylits station at College Park will devote of the New England states, Pennsylits and Wisconsin. One of the New England States, Pennsylits and Wisconsin. Jackson Day Dinner one half hour's program from 2:30 to 3 vania, Virginia and Wisconsin. One of depression. o'clock on the same day in support of the goals of the Pioneer Point poultry Delegate Joseph W. A. Evans of the campaign. Mrs. Charles O. Apple- department is to place its black diathe explanation. He looks for a better Grasonville attended the Jackson Day man, State Chairman of Public Health, mond strain in every state of the Union needy were cared for and Dover con-

## Coon Club To End

Set For January 29 Because President Franklin D. Roose- per Eastern Shore Coon Hunters As- their hearty approval of this service John F. Stokes, cashier of the Sudlers- quota with a total of \$63.10. From the velt's birthday, January 30, falls on sociation will stage a coon hunt to wind by returning the mayor and four coun- ville Bank of Maryland, has been con- mile of pennies bags placed in the Sunday this year the President's Birth- up their annual club dinner which will cilmen to office for at least another fined to his home for the past several schools \$45.10 was realized. day Parties to be celebrated in various be held at Crumpton on Friday evening, term." communities will be held on Sautrday, January 21. A raccoon will be turned January 29. All the money obtained loose near the town and the hunters from these parties wil be used to fight and their dogs will light out after it. infantile paralysis. Senator George L. The supper will be served by th Radcliffe is chairman of the parties' ladies of Crumpton M. E. Church, will of years was postmaster at the Centre-Popular Millington Lad committee in Maryland and Governor feature coon, turkey and fixings, and ville post office, and his brother, Walter Harry W. Nice is Honorary Chairman. will be open to the general public.

FARM BUREAU DAY TIMONIUM DATES A large delegation from Queen Anne's is planning to be in Bal- September 4 to 15 according to an an- The Sudlersville Fire Company will movie swim on January 1 when with his tiringly of their time and effort to make The guests were: Jean Phillips, Bessie timore today to attend the Farm nouncement following the annual supper and dance son, T. L. Reynolds, he took over the the drive a success. Queen Anne's county taxpayers had Moore, Dorothy Jones, Marjorie Hyman, Bureau Day activities of the twenty- ing of the Board of Managers. Prem- Thursday evening, January 27th. The New Theater at Greensboro. Except Although the drive has officially closed cleared up 92% of their 1937 tax pay- Virginia Everett, Mildred Wyatt, Paul- second annual sessions of the Maryland jums totaling at least \$19,283 will be dance committee is Thomas Gillespie for certain improvements contemplated for 1937, several sections who for one ments by January 1, according to a ine Johnston, Alday Durham, Harry Farm Bureau and affiliated organiza- offered with premium books ready by and John E. George, and the supper Harry is making little change. The reason or another were unable to hold

# To Meet Cut In Elected To Head Train Service County Home

to the presidency.

Routes If Passenger Gibson As Pres. Father Trains Are Dropped Held Same Post With rumors of the discontinuance of At the regular monthly meeting of passenger service out of Centreville and the Board of Trustees of the Queen a hearing on the subject scheduled Anne's County Home held last Thurs-Postal Inspectors have already perfect- day, January 6, resolutions of respect

truck and car routes at least as ef- Gibson, were adopted. Col. Gibson for fectively as now managed. It was originally understood that ident and for forty-six years had been passenger service on the branch line a member of the Board. out of Chestertown was to be abandon- James E. Kirwan, Vice President of ed and the Centreville service retained. the Board was named to succeed Mr. No official word on the subject is avail- Gibson, as President, but declined the able in Centreville but it is reported on honor, due to failing health, and James fair authority that passenger service P. Brown, of Church Hill was elected

A change in the plans of the Chestertown branch may discontinue passenger ber of the Board will probably be apfiled by the Bramble and Truslow Mr. Brown, the new President has had hatcheries. It is said that baby chicks eleven years experience as a member of senger trains and the hatcheries would James Brown, who had been president be inconvenienced by the abandonment for a number of years. He is well

of passenger service. The slow time made on the Centre- held in high esteem. He is President ville branch has been one of the fac- of the Church Hill Bank of Maryland, tors in the poor patronage here, People and has been the Second District repre-Philadelphia drive to Dover or Wilming- appointment. ton and catch main line trains there.

A change is also to be made in the handling of mail from Love Point to Merrick, Secretary; W. Steadman Cross, Easton now handled by the B. & E. gasoline car. A truck will make two H. Clay Hendrix, Charles E. Cannon, round trips daily from Easton to meet R. E. C. Lowe and Spencer Wright. the Love Point ferries and pick up the mail between the two points.

Bids on the route which will be a

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Captured two first and four other places captured two first and four other places elected. closed Sunday at the Fourteenth Street The Delaware State News last week Armory. Mrs. Raskob was one of the made the following statement in regard eight women listed among the exhibitors to the management of the city's affairs town, supplied the largest delegation, The \$10,000 appropriated by the coun-

outstanding triumph as competition is "This prospect, of course, is by no Quenstown five and Stevensville four. drainage, supply drivers for the counthe keenest in the poultry world. More means surprising to persons who are Up to Monday the total on the books ty trucks and possibly purchase addi-

old toms, first for hens, second and third ficiently for years and it is but na- goal of 200. for young males and second and fourth tural that the voters and tax-payers of Additions to the honorary list during Children's Aid pers facing a season of poor prices for o'clock in front of the drug store of E. of the Federation will on that day hold division. The term which led his broad that efficient administration.

Additions to the week were:

Terms In Delaware

be applied to the purchase of radium for the clinic connected with the Unicharge of the Pioneer Point exhibit at versity of Maryland.

Every Woman's club in the state will more Every Woman's club in the state will plack diamonds are be-large for the clinic connected with the Unicharge of the Pioneer Point exhibit at back in the dark days of 1932 and loss of 1932 and loss of 1933. While many other cities and Melvin.

Seventh District Passed Coursey, Oscar Drummer, John Gardner, William Melvin.

Quota In Early Days Pioneer Point black diamonds are be- towns were facing bankruptcy and

"Improvements were made, the city's Two County Business tinued to progress during the depression era, ending each fiscal year with a substantial bank balance.

Supper With Coon Hunt this splendid service, therefore, that has been quite ill at his home near Every district did exceptionally fine Following the usual custom the Up- register at the polls on January 17th terday he was improving. .

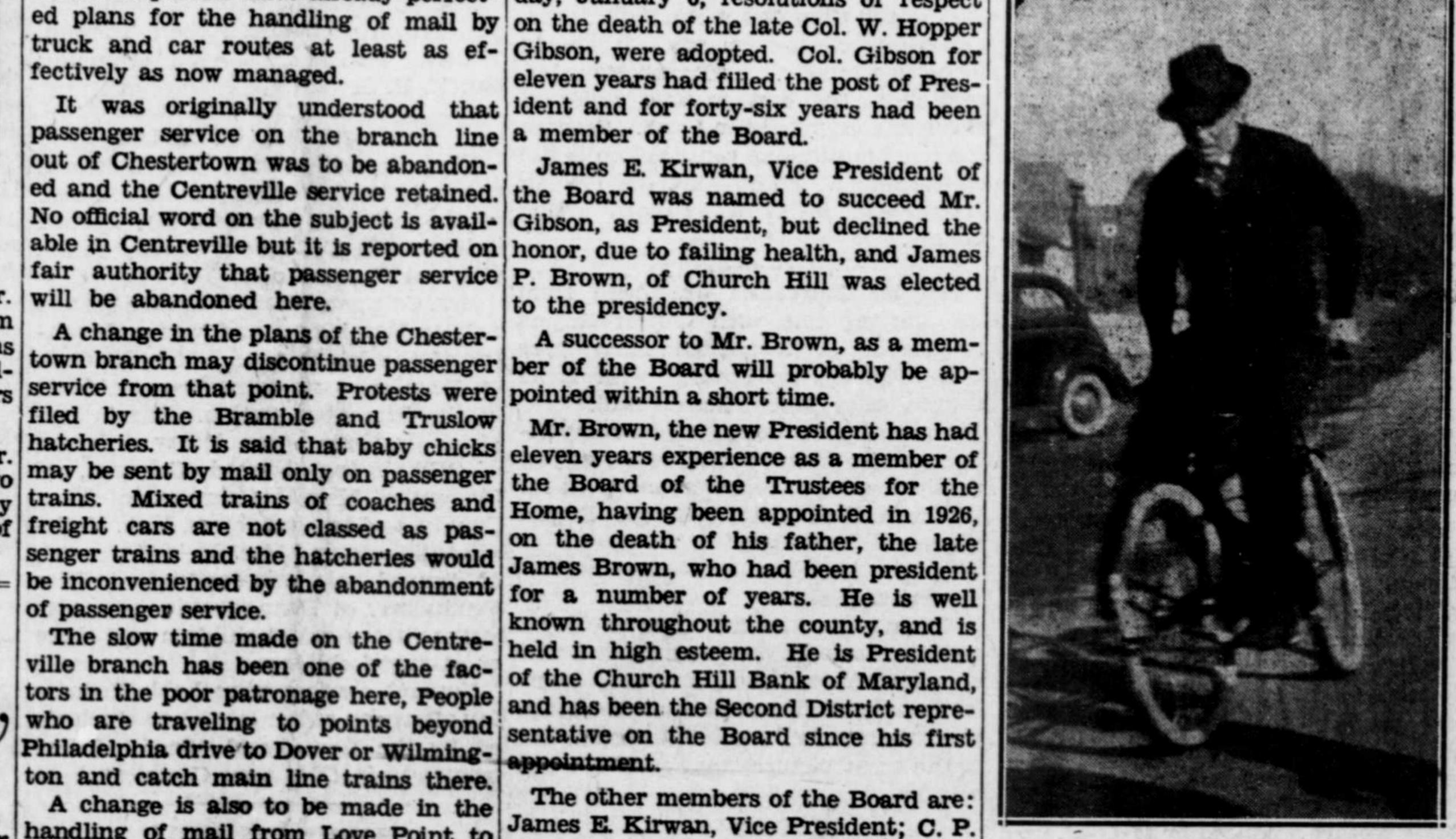
> Centreville. His father for a number life, who are hopeful for early recovery. Fifth District, \$247.09; Sixth District, E. Woodford, of Centreville, is a member of the Centreville post office staff.

Timonium Fair will be held from FIRE COMPANY SUPPER JAN. 27 Theater at Queenstown, dove into the man for the drive, all of whom gave unand Alan S. Walls.

## Postoffice Set James P. Brown State To Widen Wye Mills-Matapeake Road

Inspectors Plan Truck Succeeds Col. W. Hopper State Roads Body Puts Project On Summer Schedule. Plan 20-foot Hard Surface. County Dirt Road Program Announced For 1938

Singing Cyclist



ROY PAYNE

Look out, Roy. You're on the wrong was the possibility of improving the William Quimby, is Superintendent of side of the road and not looking where Matapeake-Wye Mills highway. the Home; Dr. H. F. McPherson, physi- you're going, or going where you're cian, and Edwin H. Brown, Jr., At- looking. And it is no time for yodeling. Woodford crowd at Charles Davidson's filling sta-tion on Christmas morning. He said the State schedule for widening to 20-

## Has Served 13 Consecutive 30 Join Firemen improving the dirt roads. The Commissioners have authorized the State

Announcement has been made by the Delaware papers that all indications to Grasonville Helps Queens- will give the county seven trucks to town During Week

treville, will be re-elected for the four-The roster of honorary members of The Commissioners intend to gravel teenth consecutive term at the annual the Queenstown Fire Company enjoyed at least 100 miles of county dirt roads

Stevensville received 1938 cards from given an extra top dressing. The prothe firemen. Grasonville always a pal to Queens- in Queen Anne's. under Mayor Woodford and his Coun- thirteen men from that town stepping ty will be used to purchase the extra

up to help put the campaign across. trucks, build a county road garage at Chester furnished eight honoraries, Church Hill, furnish labor for road A. C. Bennett, of Felton, Del., who The Maryland Federation of Wo-black trukeys were entered than in pre-familiar with conditions in the State of Secretary George W. Aldridge was county expended \$5,000 for its auxiliary. Capital. Our city administration has 152, one or two short of the 1937 mark county expended \$5,000 for its auxiliary The Pioneer Point birds took first for directed the affairs of Dover most ef- and well on the road toward the original road program.

days. Both Mr. Yates and Mr. Stokes The report by districts and the funds are among the county's most prominent raised was as follows—First District. Mayor Woodford is a son of the late and popular young business men, and \$57.55; Second District, \$21.36; Third Mr. and Mrs. William J. Woodford, of have hosts of friends in all walks of District, \$554.11; Fourth District, \$50.50;

TAKES OVER THEATRE

pictures as heretofore.

The much traveled highway from Matapeake through Grasonville to Wye Milsl is on the state program to be widened to a 20-foot hard surface road this summer or fall according to an announcement by the County Commissioners on Saturday following a conference with the State Roads Com-

On the same day the Commissioners annoucned plans for their own auxiliary road program for 1938 which supplements that of the State Roads body in the county. An appropriation of \$10,000 was made for the auxiliary program.

Widening of the road from the Matapeake ferry to Wye Mills has been consistently urged by groups and individuals in Queen Anne's for several years. The Commissioners, the three members of the county delegation at Annapolis, the Queenstown Lions Club, Stevensville Businessmen's Association and the Centreville Rotary Club have repeatedly stressed the need of improving the highway which handles heavy ferry traffic in summer and fall.

In their statement the Commissioners said: "In a conference with the State Roads Commission at Baltimore this week the County Commissioners received favorable consideration on several matters which have been pending before that body for some time. Among these

"It was agreed, and stated that the Roy Payne, erstwhile cycle expert, is State Roads Commission could be quoted shown above as he dug into his bag of as saying, that Route 404 from Matbicycle tricks for the edification of a apeake to Wye Mills was definitely on

road system since the road itself was

Honoraries The county auxiliary program for 1938 as heretofore will be confined to Roads Commission to purchase five additional trucks for Queen Anne's to be will give the county seven trucks to augment the State's fleet of ten or

twleve in Queen Anne's. ject is expected to affect every dirt road

Of Drive

House, Centreville, it was reported that considerable more than \$1,000 was raised for the cause through the drive con-Men Ill At Homes ducted in the county in November and December. Miss Marion Rau, Field J. Grant Yates, junior member of the Worker for Cecil, Kent and Queen "It is but a mark of appreciation of firm of Carter and Yates, Centreville, Anne's county attended the meeting. the voters of this community are to Centreville for the past ten days. Yes- in the drive, and the seventh or Crumpton section reached and passed its

\$13.33; Seventh District, \$63.10.

Thec committee in charge of the The movie bug gets them all. Harry work extends a vote of thanks to all C. Reynolds, adviser, kibitzer and pal District directors, workers and those of Henry Green, manager of the Queen who helped, and to the County Chair-

money which will be added to the fund.

dinner of the Concord Club of Balti- Maryland Federation of Women's Clubs. that raises any sort of turkeys. The entire Eastern Shore is disap- more, oldest and largest Democratic is directing the campaign. F. D. R. Birthday Fetes

Bennett, Of Felton

the Eastern Shore territory, dropped Cancer Control Fund Day.

other occupations being less remunera- things moving until midnight and be-

Joseph Moore, of Millington, was the on his fourteenth birthday anniversary Friday evening last week.