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SATURDAY, APRIL 20, 1918

LIBERTY LOAN MEETINGS

Big meeting for Liberty Loan in Chestertown next Monday night. Brass band of 20 pieces from Baltimore. Prominent speakers from Baltimore, including James W. Chapmon, Esq. and Ex-Senator Clarence W. Perkins. Make your arrangements to be present next Monday night.

Meetings for Liberty Loan will be held next week as follows:

Fairlee on Wednesday night.
Kennedyville on Tuesday night.
Rock Hall on Friday night.

THRIFT STAMP AND WAR SAVINGS NEWS

The Government of the United States has requested every man, woman and child to buy Thrift stamps.

We have over 16,000 people in the county. Let every one buy one Thrift Stamp (25) between April 22 and April 27. We will then have an army of 16,000 organized in Kent county.

Let us answer the appeal of our country. Let us make our report to Washington on May 1st that "Old Kent" is in the fight to the limit. **Everybody get busy.**

The boys and girls of the public schools are doing wonderful work. Each teacher is requested to make a big drive this month and report the results to the Superintendent of Schools.

Galena has a committee of thirty. $1,350.00 was subscribed at a recent meeting.

The Fairlee Grange on Wednesday night organized special clubs and subscribed $2,725.00.

Rock Hall school sold $328.76 in stamps in ten days.

Millington has 20 Thrift Clubs! Massey 24 Thrift Clubs! Both communities are hustling. The schools will have big reports this month.

Chestertown schools report actual sales of over $1,260 in 15 days.

All the colored schools are working. Reports of other communities and schools will be given next week.

Remember—every stamp you lick, helps to lick the Kaiser. Join Kent's army of workers on April 22. Help win the war. Don't wait. Save your money and loan it to Uncle Sam.

EASTERN SHORE ARMY CLASSIFICATION

The following table shows the result of the recent classification of registration in the Eastern Shore counties:

	Class 1	2	3	4	Called to serv.
Cecil,	468	343	105	555	109
Farmers,	168				
Kent,	213	101	46	562	108
Farmers,	Number not given.				
Queen Anne's	148	114	65	806	83
Farmers,	50				
Caroline,	450	180	40	425	100
Farmers,	590	(in all classes.)			
Talbot,	268	253	324	588	105
Farmers,	28				
Dorchester,	648	1104	30	118	107
Farmers,	105				
Wicomico,	438	600	66	692	101
Farmers,	158				
Somerset,	550	245	44	771	118
Farmers,	80				
Worcester,	410	141	63	745	108
Farmers,	136				

THE SECOND UNITED STATES DRAFT REGISTRY JUNE 5TH

American history probably will record June 5 as "Service Day," upon which the men of this country responded to the call of the selective draft.

The provost marshal general is planning to hold the second draft registration—for men who have become twenty-one since last year—on June 5, the first anniversary of the first registration. As long as the war lasts a similar registration will be held on that date. It is believed that 50,000 Class 1 physically fit men will be added to America's defense columns annually by this program.

Congress is expected to complete the necessary legislation for the registration well before June 5.

The serious conditions on the Western front has made the need of men more urgent and they will be rushed "over there" as rapidly as possible.

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION MAKES SEVERAL REFORMS

Economy Urged In The Graduation Exercises This Year.

At the meeting of the Board of Education last Friday, Secretary Bennett read a letter from the State Board of Education ordering certain reforms for the reduction of expenses incident to the graduation from the High Schools of the State. These reforms are:

1. If there is a department of Domestic Art in the high school, the graduates should make their dresses, and same not to exceed in cost over $8.00.
2. The invitations to the graduating exercises should be printed and not engraved.
3. The music at the graduation exercises should be furnished by the talent of the school.
4. Caps and gown should not be worn, nor should the word "Baccalaureate" be used in connection with the sermon preached to the graduates.
5. Class Day Exercises should be separate from graduation exercises.

GRANGE NOTES

Fairlee Grange held its Special meeting, Wednesday, April 17. Supper was served at 7 o'clock.

After supper the chairman of Thrift Stamp Club, Harry Willis, gave us a very interesting and forcible talk on the buying of Thrift Stamps.

Mr. Turner explained the method of buying stamps; also the progress the different towns were making. Fifteen persons pledged themselves for $100 each sixteen for $50 and quite a few for $25. We all felt Mr. Willis was in the right place, and had done a good work for Uncle Sam. The whole amount pledged was a little aver $2,700.

Only about a third of our members were present. Mrs. Charles Skirven favored us with a reading, Miss Angie Skirvin sang a solo Joan of Arc. All grangers are requested to be present next Wednesday night 7 30.

Kent county's response to the various war demands put upon her has always been gratifying. Again she is to place herself in line with progressive, forward-looking, patriotic communities by celebrating Baby Week in the near future. Under the supervision of Mrs. Arthur Harris "Kent Kounty's Kampaign for Kids and Kitchens" will merit the hearty co-operation of old and young.

The Term of Court which closed Wednesday was remarkable in several respects. The Crier, John H. Greenwood, says he has seen 42 years of Court and this was the shortest in his recollection. There were only three juries empannelled and only one of these retired to the jury room. The Grand Jury did exceptionally good work and adjourned just a few hours before the Court. Their report called forth a fine address from Judge Hopper on patriotic lines and gave a warning to pool rooms and slackers which was timely.

NEWSY TIDINGS FROM OUR BOYS

The "News" Will Be Glad To Mention Any Items of Interest You May Send About Your Soldier Lad —Let's Help Each Other In This Way.

The "News" is preparing a list of all the "boys" who are in the U. S. service from Kent county. Our readers out of town can aid us by sending the name or names of any they may know—his name, branch of service and his home address.

Charles P. Hodgkins has been home from Camp Dix, N. J., for a few days. He says his camp has been sending boys over frequently.

William Denny has been drafted in the Baltimore contingent and is home getting over an attack of measles before answering to the summons to appear at Camp next week.

Mr. Romaine Ashley, signalman on the transport, Madina, came from New York on Friday too late for the boat. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hayward Ashley, went to Batimore Saturday as he was compelled to leave there at five o'clock that evening. Mr. Ashley has been to France four times, stopping at England on the last return trip.

Word has been received in Chestertown that Walter Joiner, of near Tolchester, had arrived safely in France.

Private Wm. F. Blyman, has been transfered from Greenvill, S. C., to Camp Merritt, New Jersey.

Corporal Harry T. Brice, of Battery F, 58th Artillery, (C. A. C.) spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brice, near Rock Hall. This battery acted as body guard to the President during the parade of April 6. Harry is loud in his praise of the excellent care Uncle Sam is taking care of his men, and also of the great work the women are doing for the comfort of the boys. Congratulations Harry, on your promotion. We hope to see you step right to the top as you said.

Corporal George Biddle, Jr., of Camp Meade, spent last Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Biddle.

Mr. Donald Stam, of Camp McClellan, Anniston, Ala., is on a furlough, and at present is a guest of his mother, Mrs. Annie Stam.

A number of Kent countians received letters from their sons, now in France, last week, among them the following:

Mr. and Mrs. Arlington L. Sparks, from their son, Irving, who is driving a big car for one of the colonels on Gen. Pershings staff. Irving has been promoted to rank of first class private and is happy in his work. The similarity of names in the published list of casualties caused Mr. and Mrs. Sparks some apprehension for a few days last week, but inquiry of Washington authorities re-assured them.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Miller had a letter, from their son, William, who is with the motor mechanics branch of the service, and is "making good."

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Hirons received a very cheerful communication from their son, Norman.

Sergeant-Major James Edward Blackway, of Camp Meade, is spending a ten-day furlough in town.

Private Solomon T. Pippin, of the Marine Barracks, Quananamo, Cuba, is home on a months furlough to visit his aunt, Mrs. Fannie Hurtt, Millington.

PYROX

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PUBLIC SALE OF

Valuable Farm

In Kent County, Md.

Under and by virtue of the power contained in a mortgage from William L. Phillips and Cornelia S. Phillips, his wife, to M. Earle Usilton, dated the 7th day of January, 1913, and recorded among the Land Record Books for Kent county, aforesaid, in Liber J. T. D. No. 27, folio 39, etc., and which mortgage was on the 12th day of April, 1918, assigned to William W. Beck, the undersigned, assignee of said mortgage, will offer at public sale, in front of the Court House Door, in Chestertown, Md., on

Tuesday, May 14th, 1918

AT 11.30 O'CLOCK A. M.,

The Phillips or Toulson Farm

situated in Quaker Neck, in the Seventh Election District of Kent County, Md., and in the tenancy of J. E. Ferguson, containing

93½ Acres

OF LAND, more or less, and being the same property which was conveyed to the said William L. Phillips by the Kent County Land Company by deed dated the 26th day of December, 1912, and recorded among the Land Record Books for said Kent county.

The improvements consist of a large

Two and a-half Story
FRAME DWELLING

nearly new, Barn and Stable in good repair and other necessary out-buildings. The fencing is good. The land is of medium loam, productive and in a high state of cultivation.

This farm is conveniently located and borders on Jarrets Creek, a tributary of the Chester River. It is within a short distance of Quaker Neck Wharf where boats land frequently. Schools and church near by also.

This property offers a rare opportunity for any one desiring either a home or a profitable investment.

TERMS OF SALE:—The terms of sale are one-third cash on day of sale, and the balance in two equal installments payable in three and six months from day of sale with security to be approved by the undersigned, or all cash at the option of the purchaser. All deferred payments to bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. Title papers at cost of purchaser.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county letters testamentary on the personal estate of

KATE WHEATLEY,

late of said county, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 16th day of October, 1918, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's personal estate.

All persons indebted to this estate must settle at once.

Given under my hand this 16th day of April, 1918.

Dated April 16th, 1918.

MARY M. SHERWOOD, Executrix.

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Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county letters testamentary on the personal estate of

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Given under my hand this 16th day of April, 1918.

Dete April 16th, 1918.

JEREMIAH MILLER, Executor.

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We meet (when possible) all regular boats to and from Tolchester with automobiles carrying passengers.

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ELECTION OF

TOWN COMMISSIONER WATER BOARD

AND VOTE UPON THE BONDING OF THE TOWN FOR SECURING ADDITIONAL FIRE EQUIPMENT.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the Court House, in Chestertown, Md., on

Monday, April 22, '18,

for the purpose of electing one person to serve as Commissioner of Chestertown for three years in the place of Robert Moffett, whose term expires May 1st, 1918. Also to elect Three Members of the Chestertown Water Board, the terms of the present Water Board expiring on May 1st. Polls open from 9 a. m. to 6 p m.

And under and by virtue of a law passed by the General Assembly of Maryland in 1918, at the said election there will be submitted to the qualified voters of Chestertown the question contained in a bill, to bond the town for additional fire equipment, the provisions of which are in the following bill:

AN ACT to authorize and empower the Commissioners of Chestertown, Kent County, Maryland, to borrow money on the credit of said town for the purpose of securing Additional Fire Equipment for said Town and to issue bonds for the payment of same and levy on the assessable property of said Town to redeem said Bonds and pay the interest on the same.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Commissioners of Chestertown be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to issue bonds in the name of the Commissioners of Chestertown to an amount not exceeding $6,000.00 in sums of not less than $100.00, to be signed by the Commissioners of Chestertown under the Corporate Seal of said Commissioners, to be designated as "Additional Fire Equipment Bonds," bearing interest at a rate to be fixed by the Commissioners of Chestertown not exceeding six per centum, payable semi-annually on the first day of July and the first day of January of each year, which bonds shall be exempt from all County and Municipal taxation in Kent County and the due or overdue coupons for interest shall be received by the Commissioners of Chestertown in payment of Town taxes. Said bonds shall bear date as of July 10th, 1919, and be payable in sums of $500.00 in each of the years beginning with the tenth day of July, 1922, and each year thereafter until fully paid. Said bonds to be numbered consecutively and to be redeemed in the order in which they are numbered, but said Bonds shall be redeemable at the option of said Commissioners after six years from the date of the issue.

Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That said Commissioners of Chestertown are authorized and directed to advertise at least once a week for four successive weeks in the newspapers published in Kent County and one newspaper published in the City of Baltimore for sealed proposals for the negotiations of said bonds and on a certain day to be named in said advertisement, the said Commissioners of Chestertown shall in the presence of such persons as may be interested in said Bonds, open all bids received and award the bonds to the highest bidder; provided, no bids less than par shall be accepted and reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

Sec. 3. And be it enacted, That the Commissioners of Chestertown shall create an annual sinking fund beginning with the year 1920 for the payment of interest and for the redemption of said bonds, and if said sinking fund cannot be made sufficient under the present authorized levy or any future authorized levy to pay the interest on said bonds, and the one-twelfth part of the said bonded debt as it matures, the said Commissioners of Chestertown are hereby authorized to levy and collect annually a tax upon the taxable property in Chestertown for a sum sufficient to provide for the payment of any such deficiency of interest on said bonds as they mature and any deficiency on one-twelfth part of the principal of said bonded debt, as the said bonds mature.

Sec. 4. And be it enacted, That the said sum of $6,000 or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose, shall by the said Commissioners of Chestertown be used and applied to the purchasing of additional fire equipment for said town, and if any part of the proceeds of sale of said Bonds be left over after the purchasing of said Fire Equipment, the said amount is to be turned over to the Treasury of said Town to be used by the said Commissioners of Chestertown in improving the Streets of said Chestertown.

Sec. 5. And be it enacted, That at the next regular election for Commissioners of Chestertown, there shall be submitted to the qualified voters of Chestertown the question whether bonds shall be issued for said additional fire equipment and at such election the ballots cast upon such question shall have the words "For Additional Fire Equipment," or "Against Additional Fire Equipment" thereon, and if a majority of the votes cast upon said question shall be "For Additional Fire Equipment," then the Commissioners of Chestertown, or a majority of them, shall proceed to execute the power vested in them by this Act, but if the majority of votes cast shall be "Against Additional Fire Equipment," then this Act shall be of no effect.

Sec. 6. And be it enacted, That this Bill shall be declared an emergency law as it is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety of Chestertown, Kent County, Maryland.

Sec. 7. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

By order of the Commissioners of Chestertown.

JAMES W. CROUCH, Clerk.

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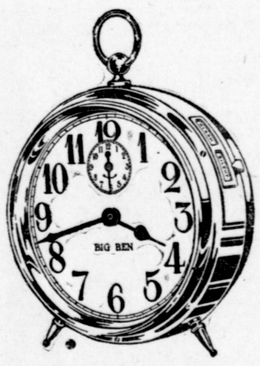

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