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SUBSCRIBERS PLEASE NOTE

We, like all other newspaper offices have complaint from subscribers who get their papers late or not at all.

The Kent News is delivered to the Chestertown postoffice every Friday afternoon before 6 o'clock. That is all we can do. It is up to the mail service to get the papers to their addresses. We know that service has been very poor for weeks and we suppose it is a part of our general war disorganization.

We cannot answer the letters of complaint. We can only regret the poor mail service and again declare that the fault is not ours.

Good for old Kent.

Every incorporated town in Kent county is entitled to an Honor Flag in the Third Liberty Loan campaign. Fine work.

When you refuse to buy a Liberty bond you refuse to buy a gun for the soldier who is protecting your home at the risk of his life.

Senator Omar Crothers announces his candidacy for Congress subject to the Democratic primaries. Senator Crothers has many friends in Kent as well as in other counties.

The Office of Clerk of the Circuit Court for Cecil County was tied up Monday until about three o'clock, on account of the death of Clerk Charles S. Peacock. At that hour Chief Judge Constable appointed Deputy William G. Purnell as Clerk of the Court to succeed Mr. Peacock, and immediately swore him in. Major Purnell then at once swore in Wilmer J. Falls and Miss Jessie D. Walter as Deputy Clerks, and business was resumed.

Some people's theory of how to win this war is to get out and weep over the failures of our allies. Other people try to take hold and do something to help.

The American people should beware of Pro-German propaganda which takes many curious and insidious forms. They should trust the government. Stories have been circulated that although our people have been asked to conserve wheat and to do without things they have been accustomed to, German prisoners detained in American camps are being fed on the "fat of the land. The purpose of this kind of gossip is to create dissatisfaction. It annoys the government. The food administration has officially condemned as false these reports concerning the "fat-of-the-land" Germans are being taken care of decently but not extravagantly. Many of them are working. The United Steates Government will not be cruel to them. Neither will the government be indulgent. It is preposterous to think that the government would adopt a policy of demanding sacrifices from our own people while at the same time lavishing attentions of all kinds upon the detained Germans.

GRANGE NOTES

Kennedyville Grange will hold its regular meeting next Tuesday evening, May 7th, instead of Monday evening as usual. The meeting will be in charge of the young people and a pie and box social will be held. A full attendance is anticipated. The proceeds will be used in payment of the two Liberty Loan bonds subscribed for by the Kennedyville Grange. The first and second degrees were recently given to a class of candidates by the degree teams of the Grange, and the third and fourth degrees will be given in the near future.

Thomas Dixon, of Camp Upton, N. J., has been on a visit to his parents this week.

**Thirty pigs each weighing about 30 pounds were sold at public sale in front of the Court House green in Chestertown Saturday by Lewin U. Skirven. They brought from $5.75 to $7.75 a piece.

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A CLEVER CAPTURE

George Hewitt Arrested By Kent's Officers—Wanted In Virginia On Charge Of Murder—Now In Chestertown Jail Awaiting Extradition Papers.

State's Attorney Vickers added another laurel to his crown for effective work Saturday night when he, with Sheriff Carter and Deputy Mark to Virginia and was known under charged with murder of Edward Johnson, a colored resident of Hanover county, Virginia, on October 15.

Hewitt being the party charged with setting fire to Daniel McKee's buildings some years ago, and went to Virg inia and was known under the alias of James Green. On October 15th, the date of the murder, he engaged Eddie Johnson who owned a team to convey him to a certain point, where a supposed illicit distillery was being operated, stating that he was a Government Secret Service detective, and upon reaching a secluded spot within about sixteen miles of Richmond, he shot Johnson in the head with a Winchester rifle, which he had stolen and left him in a clump of bushes. He then drove to Richmond and sold the team for $90, being paid by check for same he represented himself as Rueben Butler. Hewit then returned to Queen Anne's where he has several relatives. Since his return he has been employed by E. W. Corwin, near Rolph's and also by Charles A. Baxter, of Union, and frequently visited town.

That Eddie Johnson, the murdered man, bore a good reputation and was well thought of by residents of his neighborhood, was evidenced by the interest taken in his behalf to capture the perpetrator of the crime. Information which caused the Virginia authorities to endeavor to locate the murderer in this locality was gained from a letter found in the possession of a Virginia woman who represented herself as Hewitt's wife, and which was postmarked at Chestertown, and dated more than a year prior to the murder.

A representative citizen from the vicinity of the crime visited Chestertown on Saturday and consulted with State's Attorney Harrison W. Vickers and exhibited the letter, whereupon the State's Attorney called in Sheriff Carter and Deputy Perkins and asked them to locate a certain "Dick" the trapper, and several other names spoken of in the letter, with this data and photos of the murderer in their possession they very readily spotted Hewitt as the man wanted. Saturday evening the Sheriff, with his deputy and State's Attorney Vickers instituted a search in Rich Neck where Hewitt was known to have relatives living, and not until after midnight did they locate their man, learning that he had come to town they laid in wait for his return capturing him near Union, while on his way home with his brother, Arthur Hewitt, who lives with Sudler Baxter. A reward of $200 was offered for his arrest which the local officers will receive.

Furloughs for Soldiers

IT appearing that so many have the wrong impression about securing furloughs for soldiers that the Local Board for Kent county deems it advisable to state that applications cannot be considered except for up-to-date farm laborers, and only to extend for a period of from four to six weeks. The farmer who applies for the laborer must be a skilled farmer of ability and industry, producing a great excess of food stuffs.

J. THOMAS HADAWAY,
CHAS. W. WHALAND,
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SHOES REPAIRED.

For the convenience of our patrons and others we have accepted an agency for repairing shoes by one of the best Electric Repair shops in Baltimore at reasonable rates, and will give you prompt weekly service. We are also continuing the agency for the Elite Laundry as their service has been very much improved in promptness. If you have any laundry or shoe repair work please leave same at our store.
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RED CROSS NEWS NOTES

The formal opening of the Kent County American Red Cross Chapter House corner of High and Queen streets, will be held Saturday afternoon, May 11th. The Chapter House contains the Chapter Meeting and Rest Rooms, headquarters of the Association for the Prevention and Relief of Tuberculosis and Kent County Health Nurse, Miss Ruth V. Norton, telephone 174-M. The Chestertown Auxiliary Work and Store Rooms, Mrs. Jane Robinson, Chairman, will have classes in surgical dressings in session. Come and see how the women are working to take care of war needs. A most cordial invitation is extended to the public and all American Red Cross members to visit the Chapter House on this occasion.

The boys who left Monday for Camp Meade were fitted with comfort bags by the different Auxiliaries of the county. Part of the sweaters from the Red Crosses and part from Navy League.

June is the third year of our Kent County Tuberculosis Association and membership dues, 25 cents a year will be due at that date.

The regular meeting of the officers and the board of the Kent County Chapter of the A. R. C. was held at the home of Mrs. Wm. Medders, Still Pond. A most delightful luncheon was served by Mrs. Medders and thoroughly enjoyed by those present. The Chapter meeting adjourned at 4 p. m. to attend a demonstration of War Bread given by Miss Errickson of Maryland Agricultural College. This was most interesting and those present will know better how to make good war breads and conserve wheat. At 6 o'clock the Still Pond Auxiliary served a war food supper which was most palitable and demonstrated the conservation of meats and wheat and was thoroughly enjoyed by a large crowd. Proceeds from the supper were $90.00.

Almost sixty men have donated $10.00 each to the Free Wool Fund for Kent County Red Cross work. We hope others will contribute at once that the wool may be purchased and the women kept busy knitting.

The Second War Drive for American Red Cross will take place from May 20 to 27. Kent county's quota is $4,000.

SALE OF PERSONALTY

THE undersigned, being engaged out of the county, will sell without reserve on the place where she now resides, in lower Kent, near St. Paul's Church, on

MONDAY, MAY 6th, 1918

Beginning at 1.30 o'clock P. M., the following Personal Property:

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Plows, Harrows, Rake, and other Implements found on a farm.

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Public Sale of
Personalty

THE undersigned, having discontinued farming, will sell without reserve, on the Calder farm, near Fairlee, on

Saturday, May 11th, 1918

at 1 P. M., the following personalty:

2 Head Horses
Good Workers and Drivers

5 Head Cows
2 Fresh Cows and 3 Heifers

FARMING IMPLEMENTS:
Farm Wagon, good as new; 1 Buggy, 2 Oliver Plows, 2 Hand Cultivators, Harness.

SIX HEAD OF SHOATS

HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE.
Also one Sewing Machine.

TERMS—Cash or otherwise made known at day of sale.
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At the same time and place and under same terms we will sell the following:
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my4-2t. ISABELLE K. REED.

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GRADE FRESH COWS and HEIFERS, tuberculin tested.
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Thursday, May 16, '18
at 10.30 A. M., rain or shine.
JOHN ANDERSON, Owner.

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.
WILLIAM W. BECK, Assignee.
John H. Greenwood, Auctioneer. a20-ts

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THE undersigned, as administratrix of the late Jefferson L. Smyth, will sell at public sale in front of the Court House in Chestertown, Md., on

TUESDAY, MAY 7th, 1918

AT 11.30 A. M.,

all that property in Chestertown, located on High street, consisting of a

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Chestertown, Maryland

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has obtained from the Orphans' Court for Kent county letters of administration on the personal estate of
JAMES A. CASEY,
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 30th day of October, 1918, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said deceased's personal estate.

All persons indebted to this estate must settle at once.

Given under my hand this 30th day of April, 1918.
Date, April 30th, 1918.
MARY C. CASEY,
may 4-4t. Administratrix.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has obtained from the Orphans' Court for Kent county letters of administration on the personal estate of
ANNIE R. TUCKER,
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 30th day of October, 1918, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said deceased's personal estate.

All persons indebted to this estate must settle at once.

Given under my hand this 30th day of April, 1918.
Date, April 30th, 1918.
SAMUEL R. TUCKER,
may 4 4t. Administrator.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has obtained from the Orphan's Court for Kent county letters of administration on the personal estate of
MARTHA C. GRIFFITH,
late of said county, Maryland, 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 30th day of October, 1918, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said deceased's personal estate.

All persons indebted to this estate must settle at once.

Given under my hand this 30th day of April, 1918.
Date, April 30th, 1918.
HARRY GRIFFITH,
may 4-4t. Administrator.