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# BIG
# War Savings Drive
## IN KENT COUNTY

MAY 30th _____ JUNE 9th

$200,000 to be raised by the sale of War Savings Stamps (BABY BONDS).

We need in the county:

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| 50 subscribers for | $1000 00 | $50,000 00 | |
| 100 subscribers for | 500 00 | 50 000 00 | |
| 200 subscribers for | 250 00 | 50,000 00 | |
| 500 subscribers for | 100 00 | 50,000 00 | |
| | | | $200,000 00 |

These subscriptions can be paid any month in the year, or by the month, through any Bank, Postoffice or School.

IN MAY

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| $1000.00 worth of Bonds would cost | $834.00 |
| 500.00 worth of Bonds would cost | 417.00 |
| 250.00 worth of Bonds would cost | 208.50 |
| 100.00 worth of Bonds would cost | 83.40 |

These Bonds pay 4% interest compounded four times a year, and are payable in gold by the United States Government January 1st, 1923.

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LEND YOUR MONEY TO THE GOVERNMENT AND HELP WIN THE WAR

Subscriptions do not call for cash at once, but at your convenience, any time during 1918 that your crops come in, or any time during 1918 it suits the investor.

Meetings will be held May 30th—June 9th, all over the county. The county will be canvassed from one end to the other.

The Banks, Business Men, Farmers and Schools will give active support to this drive and will be selling agents for the Treasurer of the United States.

*Back the Government and make taxation unnecessary.*

Papers next week will have more particulars and explain our plan of campaign fully.

Meetings scheduled so far:

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| Millington | May 31, 8.30 p. m. | Lynch | Not yet scheduled |
| Rock Hall | June 1, 8 30 p. m. | Fairlee | May 31, 8 30 p. m. |
| Worton | June 1, 8.30 p. m. | Pomona | Not yet scheduled |
| Kennedyville | June 3, 8.30 p. m. | Golts | Not yet scheduled |
| Still Pond | June 4, 8.30 p. m. | Sassafras | Not yet scheduled |
| Chestertown | June 5, 8.30 p. m. | Locust Grove | Not yet scheduled |
| Massey | Not yet scheduled | Chesterville School | May 31, 8.30 p. m. |
| Galena | June 8, 8 30 p. m. | Betterton | June 6, 8 30 p. m. |

HOWARD TURNER,
County Director War Savings Campaign.

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### AS TO THRIFT STAMPS

The question to consider is simply this: Suppose the Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. W. G. McAdoo, should visit this county for ten days and call upon the citizenship to lend the U. S. Government their money, Mr. McAdoo would simply have to say to Mr. Kent, "Will you lend the Government $1,000 (we need it) from your present savings or your earnings of 1918?"

The answer would be quick and patriotic. "Certainly, Mr. Secretary." Let us look at the matter in just this light.

Be ready when the time comes. Let 1000 patriotic men, women and children in Kent county back the Government in this sale and the campaign will be over.

## 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.**

George F. Walbert, son of James E. Walbert, of Fair View farm, near Lankfore, has been promoted to Corporal in the Signal Corps at Panama, Canal Zone. This company lead the Third Liberty Loan Drive at this post. All the boys here are enjoying good health, although once the land of yellow fever this disease is hardly heard of now.

Lieut. Allan A. Harris is spending a few days home preparatory to going "over." He lost part of his outfit while enroute from Dallas and is waiting for same to be found.

Spencer Stevens, of near Millington, who has enlisted in the Marine Corps, left on Thursday last week for Paris Island, South Carolina.

Corporal Robert R. Ayres and Sergeant Nick Denny, both Kent county boys, now at Camp McClellan, have been named as candidates for lieutenants commission and will be transferred to the Fourth Officers training camp. Both are sure to "make good."

Private Maxwell Blakeney has been transferred from Columbus, Ohio, to Camp Wadsworth, South Carolina.

Private Albert Wheat, of Camp Meade, visited his parents for the week-end.

William H. Warden, Jr., who went to Camp Meade several weeks ago has been given an honorable discharge because of defective eyesight.

Jewell Armstrong, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Armstrong, will go to Camp Meade next Monday with the draft contingent from Philadelphia. Jewell is spending the week in town.

W. D. Wallace, received a letter from his son Frederick R. Wallace, Saturday. He is with the 836 Aero Squadron, somewhere in France.

John H. Coppage, of Camp Meade, spent a twenty-four hour furlough with his father, near Church Hill, returning to camp Sunday afternoon.

John T. Anderson and Milton McCollister will go to Camp Meade with the next call, May 25th.

William Griffin was sent to Paris Island after having undergone a satisfactory examination at Marine Headquarters in Baltimore, the examining board there, however, decided that Mr. Griffin was not qualified to enter the Marine Corps, and he was returned to Church Hill.

### CHURCH NOTES

Shrewsbury services on Friday, Holy communion at 10.30; Sunday afternoon at 3.30 services at I. U.

The following officers of the Betterton M. E. Church Epworth League have been elected: President, Mrs. Harvey Moore; 1st vice-president, Mrs. Fountain Crew; 2nd vice-president, Rev. Guy Owens; 3rd vice-president, Mrs. Alfred Greenwood; 4th vice-president, Mrs. Elizabeth Brice; treasurer, Allan Robinson; secretary, Miss Elizabeth Brice; organist, Mrs. Charles Brice; assistant organist, Miss Grace Tull; chorister, Mrs. Frank Young.

At the official board meeting of the M. E. Church held last week, it was suggested that the M. E. conference session be held in Chestertown next year.

Mrs. Merrick Clements has been appointed chorister of the M. E. Sunday school in place of T. Kemp Bordley, resigned.

Four probationers were received in the M. E. Church on Sunday morning last in full membership.

Rev. A. Norman Ward, of Salisbury, greatly pleased the audience of Christ M. P. Church Sunday morning and evening, by two most earnest and optimistic sermons. He is the popular pastor at Salisbury. His mission here was to raise a part of the $50,000 for the Seminary at Westminster. He left Monday with $520 subscribed and several others to hear from. St. James M. P. Church has given $500 to the fund. Salisbury Church gave $1.126; Sharptown $500; Easton $300; Cambridge $200, etc.

Christ M. P. Church, Rev. J. L. Ward, pastor, Sunday services: Morning worship, "The Breeches of Sin and the Duty of Closing Them," 10.30 a. m.; Sunday school, Fred. G. Usilton, superintendent, 2.30 p. m.; Christian Endeavor, Mrs. Robert Huey, leader, 6.45 p. m., evening worship, "A Door-Keeper in the House of the Lord," 7.30 p. m.; Junior Endeavor, Thursday, 4 p. m.; prayer meeting, Thursday, 8 p. m.; Intermediate, Friday, 7 p. m.

Chestertown M. E. Church, Rev. T. F. Beauchamp, pastor: 10.30 p. m., Memorial Day service, subject "The Unseen Commander-In-Chief, Calling the Honor Roll." This should be a great patriotic service. 2.15 p. m., Sunday school; 7 p. m., Epworth League and short sermon; singing patriotic hymns. Come and join us in this popular twilight service.

### PRESENTS TRUTHFUL STORY

Lovers of thrills will realize that the greatest thriller in life is Truth when they view the monster photoplay, "The Honor System," which William Fox gives at Lycenm Theatre next Friday, May 31. It tells the story of an inventor of genius who battles against terrific odds in achieving a new and stupendous feat of wireless communication between the United States and a foreign land. Many of the details as well as the broad outline of the story are founded on fact. In this great drama of the screen Mr. Fox has vindicated the motion picture beyond all dispute.

GALE.—In sad but loving remembrance of our dear little daughter, Annie Louise, who died two years ago to-day, May 25, 1916.

Peaceful be thy rest, dear daughter,
It is sweet to breathe thy name;
In life we loved you dearly,
In death we do the same.

More and more each day we miss you,
Friends may think the wound is healed;
But they little know the sorrow
That lies within our hearts concealed.

She left a memory fair and sweet,
Its fragrance can never die;
Her life was brief but yet complete,
When she was called on high.

MOTHER AND FATHER.

If you were only here, dear Louise,
Our joys would be complete;
For you always had a smiling face
For every one you would meet.

For your well remembered footsteps
I was always glad to hear;
But now that they are silent,
I have shed many, many tears.

G. LANE VILLIG.

### HAND OF DEATH

Frank M. Miller, a well-known citizen, died at his home near Chestertown, Sunday night, of pneumonia, aged 56 years. For many years the deceased was engaged in the sanitary plumbing business in Chestertown, but had recently been working in Chester, Pa. He was an expert mechanic, untiring worker and warm friend. He was a citizen of high character and sterling worth. He leaves a widow, who was before marriage, Miss Emma J. Lambert, and the following children: Mrs. Mary Miller Pellet, Mrs. Sue Lambert Wilson, Mrs. Frances Hines Long, Miss Sarah Jane Miller, Chester, Pa., Wm. Thomas, with the American Forces in France and Franklin Dodd, at home. Funeral services were held Wednesday, at 3 p. m., conducted by the Rev. T. F. Beauchamp, interment in Chester Cemetery; Undertaker C. L. Dodd.

Miss Matilda Kessel, died very suddenly at the home of her father, Frank A. Kessel, Swan Creek, last Friday, aged 36 years. She was in the yard carrying a basket of eggs when she was stricken with apoplexy and passed away immediately. Funeral was held Sunday afternoon, with services conducted by the Rev. Raum, interment in Wesley Chapel Cemetery. The pall bearers were: Ringgold Jones, Thomas Clothier, Clarence Jones, Harry Hepbron, Lawrence Stevens and Roy Strong; Undertaker Charles L. Dodd.

Sunday morning, at 9 o'clock, death claimed one of Church Hill's best known citizens, W. C. Palmatory. He had suffered for years with cancer on his face and the fortitude exhibited in last few months of his life was something remarkable. Mr. Palmatory was born October 20, 1844, in Kent county, his parents being John T., and Lydia Palmatory. A widow survives him, Mrs. S. G. Palmatory.

Thomas Carleton Roe, aged 32 years, beloved son of Thomas C. and Annie P. Roe, departed this life and entered into his eternal rest, May 19, leaving a widow and three small children, also father, mother, sisters, brothers and a host of friends. Funeral service at the home of his parents, interment at Episcopal Cemetery at Massey, on Tuesday afternoon.

Alexander T. Laws, aged 70 years, of New Castle, died at the Delaware Hospital of valvular heart disease. Funeral services were held Wednesday with interment at Mt. Rose cemetery, Philadelphia. The deceased for many years lived at Sassafras and was well known all over Kent.

Vachel Burgess died Thursday night at his home in Piney Neck, aged 73. He leaves a widow, Mary Boyce Burgess, one son, James V. and one daughter, Mrs. Helen B. Beck and two brothers, Samuel and William Burgess, one sister, Mrs. Jas. Leary. The funeral will take place Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from his late home. Interment at Wesley Chapel. Rev. Mr. Smoot will officiate; C. L. Dodd, undertaker. The bearers will be Elwood Burgess, Edw. Leary, W. L. Boyce, C. F. Wheatley, James M. Wood, Henry Thompson. Mr. Burgess was a highly respected citizen of Kent county; a true and faithful friend and leaves a host of friends who mourn his death.

### STILL POND

The Jr. I. O. O. F. have changed their meeting night to take effect the first of June, will meet every Monday evening in place of Thursday.

Miss Louise Toulson has returned home after spending several days with her cousin, Mrs. Harry Weist, near Millington.

Mrs. S. B. Parrott spent several days this week in Philadelphia.

Wilson Capps has returned home after spending a week with his daughter, Mrs. Harry Watkins, in Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hackett and son, Cavendar, of Wilmington, have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Hackett.

Mr. and Mrs. Sparks have moved from Betterton into John Jarvis' house. Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis having moved to Chester, where Mr. Jarvis is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Coleman and little son, of Baltimore, are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Hackett.

The Ladies Aid Society have a community basket, which have been started. We hope that all who receive it will welcome it with a smile. Buy something from it, place more packages in and pass to your neighbor.

At the festival Wednesday evening for the Red Cross after the good speeches by Dr. Barrett, Judge J. A. Pearce, Rev. S. S. Hepbron and Mr. Harris in the interest of this great cause, a good collection was received.

Miss Rachel Parrott is visiting her friend, Mrs. Anna Busick, in Balto.

John N. Bennett spent Thursday in Baltimore.

Mrs. B. Auspin, of College Park, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Davis.


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### POSTAL NOTES

George Lee, of near Fairlee, has been appointed rural letter carrier at Worton, on Route 1, in place of Hugh Wallis, resigned.

Emory V. Hogan, of Rock Hall, who has been substituting on Route No. 5, at Chestertown postoffice, will leave this week for Baltimore, where he will be employed in the Baltimore Dry Dock shipyard.

John Dwyer, who stood second in the recent civil service examination held for rural carriers, has been selected by Postmaster Bowers, as carrier for Route No. 5. Mr. Dwyer lives in Still Pond Neck and has been employed for sometime in the large store of Medders & Co. at Still Pond.

The Clerks and City Carriers at Chestertown postoffice, beginning on July 1st, will receive a $200 salary increase, according to the Postoffice Appropriation bill which passed the Senate last Wednesday.

Assistant Postmaster, R. Snowden Thomas, will receive a fifteen per cent increase.

The Senate, which has always been a friend to the Rural Letter Carriers voted an increase of 20 per cent in salary, for the fiscal year, and $24 per mile for each mile or major fraction thereof, in excess of 24 miles, or the standard horse-drawn route. The latter increase was made permanent.

### WORK SHOP FOR THE BLIND

The Md. Association for the Blind is in need of funds to carry on its most helpful work, and support is being made through the state by voluntary contributions to raise one hundred thousand dollars, to put the Work Shop for the Blind in a condition that will not only enable it to meet the ordinary requirements, but to prepare it to take care of our young men who have been called to the front some of whom will return blind by their life in the trenches.

There are about 1600 blind in the state. This number may be largely increased by the war experiences. these would be helpless and useless members of society but for this institution which fits them for taking up life's work.

It is purposed to raise 1500 dollars in Kent, as our proportion of the amount needed. To that end a committee has been appointed to take the matter in hand and canvass the county. They will get down to work in a few days and through their subcommittees make personal appeal to contributors.

The need is great, the cause a most laudable one and we hope for a cordial response.

S. S. HEPBURN, Co. Chairman
T. W. PERKINS, Sect'y.
W. F. RUSSELL, Treas.
Committee.


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**35c Till June 1st**

AFTER JUNE 1ST, the price of Killarney will be advanced to 40c yard. We have been informed of the raise in price, but we will give our customers all next week to buy this famous goods at the old price since last fall.

It can be used for many things—Suitings, Middy Blouses, Waists, Children's Dresses, etc. The more it is washed the more it looks like linen.

**40 inches wide**
**35c yard next week**

## Knitola and Flosola

A new shipment of Sweater Wool has just arrived and the colors are beautiful.

## Pearl Buttons

This is a great Pearl Button Season. We have them from the very tiny to the very large sizes, in round and fancy shaped edges.

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