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Local Notes

**The Broad Neck festival has been postponed.

**Carbolic acid is said to be the most effective disinfectant there is against influenza germs.

**Rural Mail Carrier Fred. S. Russell in his Ford car and Wm. C. Spielberger in the W. F. Jarrell car had a collision at the Hatcherson corners, near Fairlee, on Friday afternoon. Both cars were damaged and both men considerably bruised. The wonder is that they both escaped alive.

**An attempt was made last Saturday night to steal the automobile of Dr. J. R. Micou, of Washington College. The thief or thieves pushed the car out of the garage to the public road but were unable to start it the owner having previously locked the ignition device.

**Enoch Pleasanton has purchased from Alfred Crew, the latter's residence property situate on High street. Price $1300.

**By notice elsewhere Health Officer Jones says all funerals must be private until further notice.

**Ellsworth Bowers, of Lynch, was hurt quite severely last Friday when he had the elbow of his arm cut in a saw.

**The Inter-State Milk Producers' Association prices f. o. b., Philadelphia, are as follows: For untested milk, 9¾c a quart. When tested, the price is to vary 4c per 100 pounds for every 1-10 pint of fat above or below 4 per cent. Receiving station price in 50 to 60-mile zone for 3 per cent, $3.56 with above variations for fat.

**"Cheer Boys Cheer" is the title of a fine new patriotic song with words and music composed by Rev. William Clews, former pastor of Kennedyville, Worton and Georgetown Presbyterian Churches. He has been stationed at Utica, Pa., but will remove to Frostburg, Md., in a few days, where he has received a call. He says that he is sorry to leave Utica as during his two years there he has not had a single discordant note.

—Lieu. Smith, commandant at Washington College, is in Washington, D. C. It is thought that he will ask the authorities to send to Chestertown more candidates for the S. A. T. C. which can accomodate many more soldiers. The young men, who have already been examined and accepted for training, spent several hours a day in drill and maneuver under the capable instruction of Lieut. Smith. They will soon be ready to take their places in line with the millions of Americans even now answering the Kaiser's Peace Plea with rifle and bayonet.

Government Will Buy All Wheat

The Food Administrator asks the Kent News to publish following:

It has been reported that some farmers are selling their wheat at less than the guaranteed price. The Food Administrator has made the statement that while the elevators are temporarily overstocked because seaboard movement has not kept pace with internal movement, this condition should be improved in the next thirty to sixty days, and farmers who will have patience need not sell their wheat below the Government price, for the Government will buy all wheat as fast as it can be moved.

CHRISTMAS PARCELS FOR THE AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCES IN EUROPE

The War Department is desirous that each man serving in the American Expeditionary Forces in Europe shall receive a remembrance from home at Christmas time, and because of transportation and distribution difficulties but ONE parcel of standard size and weight can be sent to each man.

The following rules regarding the preparation and shipment have been laid down by the Postoffice Department:

1. One parcel to each soldier. The soldier will be furnished through army channels a "Christmas Parcel Label" bearing the correct name and address of the soldier or member and also the name o fthe person designated to mail the parcel. The label furnished each soldier or other member of the Expeditionary Forces will be sent by him to the person who is to mail the Christmas parcel. No Christmas parcel for members of the Expeditionary Forces in Europe will be accepted for transmission without such label.

2. All Christmas parcels must be of standard size, 3 inches by 4 inches by 9 inches, and shall not exceed 3 pounds in weight. Cartons of standard size will be distributed through the local Red Cross Chapter throughout the country. No person will be furnished a carton except upon presentation of a "Christmas Parcel Label" received from abroad.

3. The parcels must contain no prohibited or unmailable articles. Perishable food products are not permitted.

4. After the cartons have been filled by the persons who receive them, they shall be returned to a Red Cross receiving station where inspectors appointed by the Red Cross will carefully examine each parcel and supervise its wrapping and the affixing of the "Christmas Parcel Label" and the necessary postage stamps, the latter to be furnished by the sender of the parcel. When the parcels have been prepared according to instructions for transmission, the Red Cross will affix to the parcel a certificate in the form of a seal showing that the parcel has been inspected and contains no prohibited or unmailable matter. Such certificate will be accepted by the postoffice officials and army authorities as evidence that the parcels conform to the conditions prescribed and obviate the necessity of subsequent examination. The parcels must be left at the Red Cross receiving station which will deposit them in the mails for dispatch.

5. Christmas parcels must bear the name and address of the sender and will be addressed substantially as follows:

"Christmas Box Department, Port of Embarkation, Hoboken, N. J.
For .....
Organization .....
American Expeditionary Forces."

Parcels so addressed will be chargeable with postage at the fourth class or parcel post rate applicable between the office where mailed and Hoboken, New Jersey, to be prepared by stamps affixed.

Parcels may bear inscriptions such as "Please do not open until Christmas," "Merry Christmas" "Happy New Year" and the like.

All Christmas Parcels must be mailed on or before Nov. 20, 1918.

By order of the Department,
T. D. BOWERS, Postmaster.

KENNEDYVILLE

Miss Alice O. Walter, of Philadelphia, has been visiting Miss Nellie Othoson.

We hope those sick with the "Flu" will soon be able to go out.

Mrs. Thos. Godwin spent a few days of this week with Mrs. E. T. Othoson.

William Archibald improves very slowly.

Miss Annie Copper is spending sometime with Mrs. R. A. Kennedy.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

ROCK HALL

Mrs. Annie Burman, of Baltimore, died early Sunday morning. Her remains were to be here on Tuesday, but owing to the scarcity of caskets, the body did not arrive until Thursday. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Shreck, formerly of this place. The mother and other members of the family are ill with influenza.

Mrs. Pearle Mentzer, of Philadelphia, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Downey, of this place, died on Sunday, the remains were brought here for interment on Wednesday. Funeral was held Thursday morning.

The remains of Private M, C. Ryan, who died at Camp Meade, on the 9th inst. left the camp about 10 o'clock Friday morning, but instead of being transferred to the M. D. & V. Pier, for shipment to Rock Hall as ordered, they went on to Wilmington, Del., thence to Chestertown, arriving there Sunday and through the efficiency and promptness of Undertaker C. L. Dodd, the body was delivered at the undertaking establishment of T. H. Casey Sunday night after a wild journey of three days through the bungling of railroad operators. The funeral took place Monday afternoon, Rev. T. C. Smoot officiating, with Thomas Colyer, Henry Colyer, Richard Colyer, Milton Colyer, George Colyer, Jr., and Melvin Colyer as bearers. The deceased was in his 27th year of age. The survivors are a father, four brothers, Joseph R. Jr., John C., Nelson G., and N. M. Ryan, also five sisters, Mrs. J. E. Lambert, of Norfolk, Va., Mrs. H. J. Crew, of Worton, Mrs. A. P. Levy, of Baltimore, Mrs. Edgar Hague and Miss Daisy M. Ryan, of this place.

The "Flu" is still on the rampage down this way, doctors and druggists are near worn out in their efforts to fight the malady. Undertaker Casey too, is a very busy man. He hardly knows whether he is going or coming He has no time to render bills for services when asked to do so.

Frank Downey, of Baltimore, is here attending his sister's funeral. He says this section is blest so far as the "Flu" is concerned. He says we don't know one-sixteenth the trouble the city people are bucked up against.

Wm. Camp, Russell Sewell, Henry Jones, who are employed in the big wage plants, were week-end visitors here among relatives.

Private Emory Hogans was also home on a short leave. He left on Monday for Detroit, Mich.

Brother DeFord will have to come again or lose his laurels for big tomatoes. Mr. O. P. Leary is growing them to weigh about three pounds.

The big guns practice is annoying to our watermen. They hear the big shells plowing through space. The men are inconvenienced by reason of losing time in their avocation.

Tomato gathering is now over and Kieffer pears are being shipped, but with poor results, cargoes we hear, have been returned to place of shipment.

STILL POND

Mr. and Mrs. Gemmill, of Baltimore spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hepbron.

Mrs. E. Nelson, of Snow Hill, is visiting her friend, Mrs. Wm. D Pennington.

Harvey Jones, of Smyrna, Del., spent last Sunday at his home here.

Mrs. Emma Thompson is spending some time with her brother, Theodore Jewell, in Chestertown.

Mr. Buchana, who works in Baltimore, spent last Sunday with his family at their home here.

We are glad to say R. G. Warren, who has been quite sick, is much better at this writing.

Mrs. W. G. Rasin has returned after spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. Herbert Watson, in Newark, Del.

The Betterton Lodge I. O. O. F. of Still Pond took in several new members last Monday night, having a degree team of about 25 men coming over from Baltimore for the evening.

Mr. Urry, of the Ridgley Protective Association of Philadelphia, spent several days this week at the home of Wm. H. Krusen.

Among those sick in our town are Miss Alice Maxwell and Miss Hilda Jewell.

Edward Dittman has been visiting relatives in Camden, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schofield and son, Leslie, of Wilmington, spent last week-end with Mrs. Schofield's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Crowding.

Undertaker Wm. H. Krusen was in bed with the influenza, his business was attended to by Undertaker Hicks and Thomas Mann, having seven funerals in five days.

G. W. Harper, Jr., of New York, spent several days with his father, G. W. Harper.

Mrs. J. Robinson, of Havre de Grace, spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Robinson.

Mrs. Edith Settan has returned home after spending some time in Washington.

At the Liberty Loan meeting held here last Friday evening, altho the attendance was small. Still Pond reached her quota of subscription.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years
Always bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL EVENTS IN KENT COUNTY

Editor L. Bates Russell, of the Enterprise, and Fred. G. Usilton, of the News, are both improving.

Dr. H. B. Simmons is still quite sick.

Rev. J. L. Ward has been quite sick this week.

Invitations are out for the wedding of Miss Miriam Warren Hubbard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur W. Hubbard, of Chestertown, to Lieut. George Maurice Morris, Ordnance Department, U. S. A. The ceremony will be performed at 7 o'clock in the evening at Wide Hall, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard, in Chestertown, on Saturday, October 26.

Miss May L. Duyer, daughter of Mrs. Ada Duyer, of this town, is nursing in U. S. A. Base Hospital, Norfolk, Va., having been sent there by the government.

Mrs. Albert Porter, of New York, is visiting her sister, Miss Adele France, in Chestertown.

Prof. Louis J. Thibodeau, of Waterbury, Conn., is visiting his daughter in Chestertown.

Jack Jester, the popular auctioneer, is home from the hospital much improved.

Hope H. Barroll received a telephone message on Monday from Atlantic City stating that his son, John W. who has been at the resort recuperating from an attack of hay fever, had developed a case of pneumonia.

Private Joseph Downey, Jr., of Camp Meade, who has recently recovered from the influenza, is spending a furlough with his wife at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul C. Massey, near town.

John Benjamin Robinson, who so nobly enlisted in the U. S. Marine several months ago and who has been in training since at Paris Island, S. Canal, Quantico, Va., left camp during the week to sail for foreign ports—the last word received from him was a card wrote on the train saying he was on his way to fight the Huns.

Lieut. Col. Robert E. Jones, a Kent boy, has recently been transferred from Camp Lee to Camp Upton as Executive Officer (chief of staff) and promoted from Major to Lieut. Colonel of Infartry, U. S. Army.

Prof. Walter H. Davis, formerly of Rock Hall, says "Am sure Kent is doing far better in Liberty Loan than the daily papers shows. I trust the Spanish Flu which I believe is of German origin, and hence misnamed, has not become epidemic in Kent. It has been raging in Carroll county, at least 50 per cent of Westminster teachers have had it, and nearly as large a percentage of pupils. I am just out of bed from an attack myself.

RED CROSS NEWS NOTES

The families of men in service abroad requested to read the article published in the county papers in regard to sending a Christmas package to each man who sends back to some one a Christmas Parcel Label.

The cartons for these Christmas packages will be received by the Kent County Chapter about the 21st of October, also folders containing the list of articles barred by postoffice regulations as well as full information for the sender.

Each Red Cross Branch and Auxiliary is urged to send to the Chapter, at once, full list of men who are now abroad from their district. We must know the number in order to get the cartons for their Christmas package.

The annual meeting of the Kent County Chapter A. R. C. which was to have been held October 23rd, has been postponed to November 20 by the Potomac Division. This order was issued on account of the prevalence of influenza.

5,000 Mexican Quail For Maryland

State Game Warden, E. Lee LeCompte announces the liberation of 5,000 Mexican quail in different sections of Maryland at an early date. The money is to be provided out of the gunners' license money and if there is enough of this the number may be increased to 10,000. The birds are to be supplied by a San Antonio man, who will have them trapped in the Mexican mountains some distance below the border, Under the laws of this country they will have to be kept in quarantine for a considerable time to prevent the spread of bird diseases.

FIFTY FARMS
URGENTLY WANTED
BUYERS WAITING

I want immediately a lot of Eastern Shore farms, especially WATER FRONTS, from a few acres up to average sized farms. My very extensive advertising in northern and western papers, also among the war industry workers along the Delaware River, is bringing scores of inquiries and a big proportion of them are for "water-fronts."

Within the next few months hundreds of buyers will be coming in here ready and anxious to buy a farm and get settled for the coming year. This is the cream season of the year for selling farms. If you have any kind of acreage, now is the time to sell it. This war has made many changes and the market for farms is waking up.

All farms listed with ALBERT L. TEELE'S FARM AGENCY will be widely advertised in a big illustrated catalogue mailed all over the United States. Desirable farms, offered at fair prices, will be liberally advertised in the KENT NEWS and the TRANSCRIPT, free of cost to you.

Do not measure ALBERT L. TEELE'S FARM AGENCY and what it will do for you by what you know of other farm agencies. Do not underestimate active, vigorous methods, backed by ample capital, generous and effective advertising and experienced, tireless salesmen.

I Charge No Commission

Remember—it does not cost you one cent to have your farm sold by ALBERT L. TEELE'S FARM AGENCY. This is a perfectly legitimate proposition, will stand the closest investigation and is based on sound business principles. I invite your banks, and any others interested, to make full inquiries on your behalf.

Mr. John E. Barnes

well and favorabe known to the Chestertown public, is now local representative and salesman in Kent and Queen Anne counties for ALBERT L. TEELE'S FARM AGENCY. If you have a farm to sell notify him at once. He will promptly call on you, inspect your farm, take pictures, help you fix a price that will sell it quickly—and then watch him turn it into real money for you.

ALBERT L. TEELE'S FARM AGENCY
NEWARK, DELAWARE
JOHN E. BARNES, Chestertown, Md.

Farms Wanted

Over 250 farm buyers have applied to me within the past two months in response to my extensive advertising. I am making many sales, but need more Kent county farms, especially waterfronts, large and small to meet actual demands. I can produce at least fifty buyers for suitable waterfronts.

REMEMBER — I CHARGE NO COMMISSIONS FOR SELLING. not one cent of expense to you for advertising, showing property or my services. No other farm agency affords such facilities and liberal terms.

Just notify me that you have a property to sell, state size, price, etc., and I will call promptly, inspect it, take pictures and arrange with you for selling it. This is the best season of the year and quick action is to mutual advantage.

Albert L. Teele's Farm Agency
NEWARK, DELAWARE

WM. MEDDERS & CO. SPECIAL ATTENTION TO TELEPHONE ORDERS WM. MEDDERS & CO.

Wool Sweaters
Woolen Underwear
Heavy Flannels

We have a large stock on hand ready for your convenience.

Assortments are now good—prices not high.

SALE ON BED BLANKETS NEXT WEEK

Pretty Plaids Woolen Blankets

We will give our people the benefit of some low prices on good Bed Blankets.

Large Wool-nap Bed Blankets, sale $2.90
The Pretty Plaids, soft and heavy..... $3.90
Extra value in Plaid Blankets..... $4.90
Better Quality Blankets at..... $7.90, $8.90 up

Early purchasers will buy the cheapest. Blankets are scarce on the market this season.

LOWER PRICES —ON— COTTON GOODS

Best Lancaster Apron Ginghams on sale..... 25c yd.

The 30c good Unbleached Muslin on sale..... 25c yp

The 30c fine Bleached Muslin on sale..... 25c yp

Heavy 30c Canton Flannel, extra quality, on sale..... 25c yd

The 30c Narrow Stripe Bed Ticking on sale..... 25c yd

35c Pillow Cases, nicely hemmed on sale..... 25c yd

New Fall Percales
New Fall Ginghams

We have a line of Pretty Ginghams and Pretty Percales that are really worth your attention. These goods are scarce and you will do well to supply yourself with a good lot for future needs.

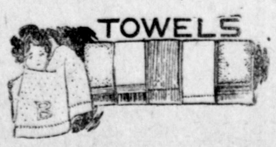
Prices are not high.

Quality the very best and assortments larger than you can find elsewhere.

25c, 30c, 35c yard.

If You Need Towels
DON'T WAIT!

Buy them here or where you like.



Good Towels on sale—
25c Large Huck Towels.....19c
35c Turkish Towels.....29c
50c Linen Towels, 3 for.....$1.00

Twill Cotton Crash, 10c

COTTON TOWELING, 10c

This Toweling is worth today 15c yd. Buy if you wish.

Good Sheeting Muslin

Fall Furniture

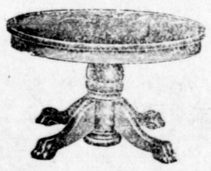
New Low Buffets

Made in fine quality oak and built for beauty and service.

Prices $22.50, $25.00, $29.00 to $50.00.

Cheaper Buffets at $15.00 up.

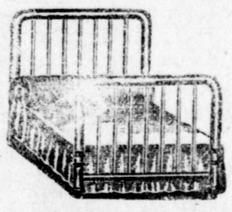
Oak Dining Tables



Solid Oak Dining Tables, in round or square, $15.00, $17.50, $20.00.

Cheaper Tables, $7.50 up.

White Enamel Beds

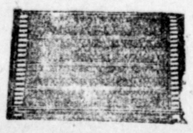


All White Heavy Enamel Beds (made in all widths). No wear-out to a good White Enamel.

Prices $10.00, $12.50 to $25.00.

Cheaper Beds $5.90 up.

Buy Guaranteed Springs



A bed spring is not cheap at any price. We have the stock here.

Prices $6.90, $8.90 to $12.50.

Good Mattresses

The Best Felt Mattress, made in two parts, and of select satine ticking.

All Styles, all Widths.
Prices $10.00, $12.50 to $25.00.
Cheaper Mattresses, $4.90 up.

Good Couches

Made with the Steel Spring Base on heavy oak frames—something that will give wear and comfort and service.

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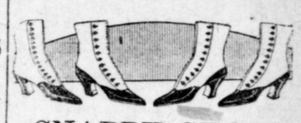

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All sorts and all styles.

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Men's Shoes for Style and Service

The Kind YOU Like

Made in black or tan

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All sizes, big and little.

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We carry the assortment.

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