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P. P. TRUCK SERVICE TO RESUME

Parcel Post Route No. 13901 will again operate over its old route from Easton, through Federalsburg, Preston, Denton, and Greensboro, beginning on Monday, August 15th, and the Route No. 13900 will not be discontinued on the 16th as has been announced.

This good word for the farmers of this section, was received over the long distance telephone by The American Union from Congressman T. Alan Goldsborough at Washington, D. C., this morning.

Both Mr. Goldsborough and The American Union have been working for the continuance of these parcel post routes for the last three weeks, when it was found out that the transportation companies were trying to remove this competition and for two weeks the truck service on Route No. 13901 has been discontinued.

When Congressman Goldsborough and The American Union heard of the order to stop, they immediately began to get to the bottom of the causes and it was then found that the report that the route was losing money was false and that on the contrary, the route was making a profit of about $500 per month.

The battle is not yet over, however. The Fourth Assistant Postmaster gave Mr. Goldsborough yesterday, the information that he would operate the Route No. 13901 and continue Route No. 13900 until the matter could be thoroughly investigated.

Congressman Goldsborough asked The American Union to explain that the operating of Route No. 13901 was only temporary and all persons interested should write again to both the Fourth Assistant Postmaster and to Congressman Goldsborough giving their reasons why the route should be continued. The battle is not yet over. Stick to the guns and we will keep these two routes in operation.

CAROLINE COUNTY BIBLE CLASS RALLY

An occasion unique in the history of meetings was the gathering of bible students and teachers at the Concord camp on Wednesday last, when considerable number met in response to an invitation issued by Rev. Mr. J. L. Nichols of Federalsburg, chairman of the adult division of Caroline County Sunday School Association.

At the afternoon session only about one-third of the adult bible classes of the county were represented, nevertheless an interesting session was had. The reverend J. L. Nichols presided, assisted by the reverend Mr. Morgan of Chincoteague, former pastor of the Corcord parish. After briefly outlining the purposes of the meeting Mr. Nichols introduced Mr. T. P. Fisher of Denton M. P. Sunday School, who spoke feelingly on the importance of bible class work. Senator H. H. Nuttle of Hobbs followed with a strong appeal for more energy in this important branch of the church work. Mr. McDaniel of te Denton Church of the McDaniel of hte Denton Church of the largely devoted to statistics of the progress of the bible class movement in Caroline County.

The Reverend W. H. Stone, pastor of Belvidere Presbyterian church of Warren County, New Jersey, was introduced and gave an interesting talk covering his experience in bible study work. Mr. Stone was pastor at Harrington, Delaware, some twenty years ago and retained warm interest in the progress of the church organization of the peninsula.

At the evening session a roll call of the Sunday Schools of Caroline County showed the representation to be as follows:

Ridgely M. E. Church, 1 present, reporting 2 classes.

Ridgely Baptist Church, 2 present, reporting 2 classes.

Denton M. E. Church, 17 present, reporting 3 classes, including a men's class numbering 47.

Denton M. P. Church, 18 present, reporting 2 classes.

Denton Church of the Brethren, 4 present, reporting 2 classes.

Ames M. P. Church, 7 present, reporting 2 classes.

Williston Independent Church, 6 present, no class report.

Concord M. E. Church, 33 present, reporting 2 classes, this is including a men's class of 45.

Chestnut Grove M. E. Church, 4 present, reporting 2 classes.

American Corner M. P. Church, 1 present, no class report.

Harmony M. P. Church, 1 present, no class report.

Preston M. E. Church, 2 present, reporting 2 classes, including a men's class of 87.

Grove M. P. Church, 4 present, no class report.

Federalsburg M. E. Church, 4 present, reporting 2 classes.

Federalsburg M. P. Church, 17 present, reporting 2 classes.

Friendship M. P. Church, 2 present, no class report.

Burrsville Union M. P. Church, 5 present, reporting 1 class.

Following the roll call the reverend E. D. Stone, pastor of Hampden M. P. Church, Baltimore, was introduced and made the address of the evening. Mr. Stone's theme was "The Living Touch" and his message was a stirring appeal for consecration of the church membership and active work in the Master's vineyard. It was a message that should inspire every thinking man and woman to a greater devotion to the cause of Christ and to the great work of the redemption of the world.

It is the purpose of the Sunday School Association of Caroline County in conjunction with the Concord Camp meeting association to make the Bible Class Rally an annual affair and the meeting last Wednesday presages the success of the movement.

200 BOYS AND GIRLS ENJOYED CLUB WEEK

The boys and girls attending Club Week at College Park were all prize winners in 1920 club work. Club week was celebrated last week. Each county was privileged to send four girls and four boys. The three girls able to go from Caroline were the Misses Elizabeth Bilbrough and Elizabeth Snedeker, of Greensbero, and Miss Ruth Krabill, of Denton.

The boys and girls who attended Club Week at College Park were given a delightful time by those in charge. There were one or two days of bad weather, but the weather, however, was not permitted to interfere to any considerable extent.

The Greensboro Community Club financed the girls from there and the Denton Community Club financed the Denton girl. The Greensboro club also financed the club boy going from Greensboro.

Mr. W. Collisn Thomas went with the girls and boys from this county and Mrs. Norman went to Salisbury on Sunday to be there in time Monday morning to take the early train to Claibourne. Mrs. Norman chaperoned 33 club boys and girls from the five counties on that line to College Park.

There were about 200 club members in attendance from all over the state. They were divided up into groups of about 25, each group selecting its own leader from its members. Besides the group leader there was a County Agent or Home Demonstration Agent assigned to each group.

On arriving there, the luggage was left by the road and all walked the three-quarters of a mile to the college. After registering, rooms were assigned. The best meals were served the entire week. In the evening a good program was held in the auditorium, after which the girls adjourned to Miss Jones' office and were assigned to their group and given a group leader. Mrs. Norman was leader for group A, having charge of 25 of the older girls.

Tuesday and Wednesday mornings were given over to classes for the girls in canning, bread making, selection of clothing, millinery, personal hygiene, home furnishings and furnishings of a girl's room.

It rained all day Wednesday so that a camp fire was out of the question and a rousing program was enjoyed in the auditorium. Many club yells and group yells, sometimes two and three bunches yelling at once provide to any doubting one that there was plenty of "pep" in these young people. One splendid feature of the week's program was the "sunset service" held on the campus just at the hour of sunset. This service was in charge of the "All Stars" and the order was a song, scripture reading, prayer, short story to bring out some ideal and ending with songs, followed by an impressive but simple Indian benediction. Four Virginia club members were there all week and assisted in the service. Wednesday evening the Virginia "All Stars" initiated the Maryland candidates, numbering 12, in a very impressive servce. Thursday morning the "All Stars" had a prettily decorated table in the dining room. At breakkfast each one was given some stunt they had to do as—one had to carry a lantern and another an umbrella, another fill his pockets with stones, a girl had to wear a sun bonnet and another her hair down her back, etc.

At odd times numerous games were played to keep things lively. Each day about noon, the entire body of club members assembled to hear short addresses by prominent people interested in club work. In the evenings, all of the club members assembled for club services. One evening consisted of the initiation of "All Star" club members from various sections of the state. This service was very inspirational along the club line.

Thursday was a big day for the club members. Special electric cars took them to Washington where they met Secretary of Agriculture Wallace and had their pictures taken with him among the group. Turn to page 5

A CALL FOR A MEETING

All interested Republicans, both men and women, are requested to meet at the Court House in Denton, on Friday afternoon, August 19th, at 2 o'clock, for the purpose of selecting candidates to run on the County ticket at the November election next.

Very respectfully,
LAWRENCE B. TOWERS,
J. ALDA JACKSON,
ALFRED W. THOMPSON,
WALTER HOWARD,
Republican State Central Committee for Caroline County

Entertaining at House Party

Miss Louise Nuttle is entertaining for a week, at a house party, the following young ladies: Misses Anne Willson, of Ingleside; Margarete McCann, of Street, Hartford county; May Rowe, of Emmittsburg; Mary Welch, of Friendship; Louise Owens also of Friendship and Reba Van Sant, of Townsend.

CAROLINE COUNTY TO HAVE A PARK

O. G. Hignutt Is Fixing Up His Property at Williston Wharf—Good Beach

400 THERE LAST FRIDAY

Last Friday evening found about 400 persons from Denton at Hignutt's Park, Williston Wharf. The attraction was a band concert, swimming and a barn dance.

Mr. O. G. Hignutt has a property which when improved will be a big asset, not only to him but to this community. Up to this time Caroline County has had no amusement or recreation park. It is his intention within the next year to improve the waterfront by further grading, filling in a better beach, though the present beach, under his direction is now one of the best beaches on inland waters. A large dance hall is another feature which he proposes to build and run. It will be closed in the winter for use during the cold weather.

Three or more very good springs come forth on the beach 15 or 20 feet from the water's edge, which are going to be improved by placing walls around them and planting flowers at the edge.

Tables are already in position and many benches furnish comfortable seats for those who go there for a quiet afternoon or evening.

As stated above, the beach is one of the best inland beaches on the shore and has a gentle slope of 25 or 30 feet which makes it possible for children to bathe with no fear of going over their depth. The beach has a frontage of 300 feet which furnishes ample space for bathing by hundreds of persons.

Six weeks ago this shore front was a mass of mud. Engineers were asked to solve the problem but were unable to do so. So Mr. Hignutt had an idea and worked it out, of shoveling sand from the bank down on the mud, and as a result there is now a good beach, a nice terrace from which onlookers may view the bathers and listen to the music.

The crowd which was there last week was very much pleased with the arrangements and a number are planning to go tonight, Thursday.

NATION-WIDE CLEAN-UP CAMPAIGN TO AID THE WAR VETERANS

Satisfactory conferences at Philadelphia and Albany last week marked the launching of the Atlantic division's campaign to further by every means in its power the nation-wide "clean-up" which the Bureau of War Risk Insurance, together with the Red Cross and other organizations, is promoting to reach every veteran of the war who is in any way entitled to governmental assistance.

The 345 chapters in the Atlantic division will shortly be in the thick of the drive to locate and file the claims of the thousands of ex-service men which it is believed are to be found in every community, who, while suffering from disabilities incurred in the service of their country, are unaware of the opportunities for rehabilitation which the authorities hold out to them Included in this army of potentian beneficiaries are many whose disabiilties are only now beginning to manifest themselves.

As a result of arrangements with Colonel Charles B. Forbes, director of the War Risk Bureau, National Headquarters has instructed the managers of all Divisions, and through them all Red Cross chapters, to place their resources at the disposal of the Federal officials. Reports of preliminary steps made in this direction by chapters are being received from all parts of the Atlantic Division from chapter officers who are preparing to cooperate with the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars and other organizations in order that the maximum number of ex-service men may be reached during the campaign.

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SALLY MAY BRIGHT

Miss Sally May Bright, 12 years old, daughter of Elwood and Sally Bright, of Hobbs, died at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Bright of Henderson, on Tuesday, August 9, of typhoid fever. The young lady was visiting her grandmother when she was taken sick and was too sick to be removed to her home. Beside her parents, she is survived by one brother.

Funeral services will be held at her grandmother's home in Henderson tomorrow, Friday, at 2 p. m. Interment in Denton Cemetery.

Slightly Better

William Towers who has been confined to his home for two weeks with a severe attack of typhoid fever, is slowly improving. Mr. Towers has been very sick and his friends have been anxious as to his condition.

When well he is one of the mechanics at the Den-Mar Mobile Co.

ATTENTION! COMRADES IN ARMS

Sunday afternoon at 2 p. m., the funeral services over the remains of Private S. Irwin Jopp will be held in the M. E. Church at Denton.

Every ex-service man in Caroline County is requested to report at the church at 1:45 p. m., in uniform, so that we may pay our last respects to one of our number who made the supreme sacrifice.

This is your duty—Remember the call.

J. DUKES DOWNES HAD STROKE SUNDAY

Mr. J. Dukes Downes, first vice president of the Title, Guarantee & Trust Company, of Baltimore, suffered a stroke of paralysis early Sunday morning. He had just gotten up and spoken to his wife, saying that he did not feel well and was then stricken down, his whole left side being paralized. Sunday afternoon another stroke came on, leaving him very weak.

Reports from his bedside all week, however, are to the effect that he is showing some improvement and this morning inquiry at the home on 2d street reveals the fact that he is quite a bit better, his speech becoming more natural and it is thought that life is coming back into his limbs.

Mr. Downes started in the banking business as a boy of 18, being given the position as teller in the Denton National Bank. He was appointed to the office of state bank examiner and later, for nine years, served as state bank commissioner. About two years ago he was appointed to the office of first vice president of the Title Guarantee & Trust Co., of Baltimore.

Mr. Downes, with his family came back to Denton in June to spend the summer in the old home town and expected to return to the city this month.

He is now under the care of Dr. Nichols and a trained nurse. To keep noises from disturbing him, 2d street between Gay and Main, has been roped off.

MRS. J. M. EMERSON

Passes Away Following an Illness Which Extended Over a Period of Eight Weeks

Julia Byrne Foord, wife of J. M. Emerson, editor of The Sentinel, of Ansonia, Conn., passed into eternal rest, Monday morning at 10:15 a. m. Death followed an illness of a little more than eight weeks' duration. She had been in frail health, however, since a serious illness of four years ago, when life was dispaired of. The end was very peaceful.

Mrs. Emerson was born in Wilmington, Del., October 23, 1848, being the daughter of William and Susan Foord. She was married in 1874, and in 1876 began her residence in Ansonia. She was the mother of four children—Howard Foord and J. Ralph Emerson, of Ansonia; Lillian M. Kirby, of New Haven, Conn., and Marion Estelle Emerson. The last named died quite suddenly in 1905.

Ever since her remvoal to Ansonia, Mrs. Emerson has been a member of the Congregational church and for more than 40 years a particpant in all is activities. She was connected with all its societies, an officer at times in most of them, and she labored faithfully and earnestly and unsparingly in their behalf.

In the home she was devotion itself. It was her haven and she was never more contented or happier than with the family circle about her. And the family circle has sustained an irreparable loss in her death. She was a loyal and devoted wife, an affectionate mother, always patient, tender and tireless in her devotion to her children and by her kindly deeds and charitable thoughtfulness of others had endeared herself not only to a large circle of friends, but was prominently known of the whole community. A sister survives her, being the last of a large family.

The funeral took place from the family residence in Ansonia Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock with interment in Pine Grove Cemetery. Ansonia (Conn.) Sentinel.

Mr. J. M. Emerson was for many years the editor and owner of The American Union of Denton, this being his home town. His father was the founder of this paper. Both Mr. and Mrs. Emerson visited Denton almost every year since they moved to Ansonia.

COMMUNITY CLUB HELD ITS PICNIC

Denton Community Club member and friends were the guests of Mrs. O. G. Hignutt at Williston Wharf last Friday afternoon and evening. About fifty were present and plans were talked over for the future of the club.

A number of the members went in bathing, through the air was a little cool, but this only served to make them more lively and enjoy the benefits of the water.

When supper time came round baskets of good things, such as fried chicken, sandwiches, pickles, cakes, fruit and water melon were brought for and at this particular point in the day's program every one partook and there were no slackers.

Concert and Dance Tonight

The management of Hignutt's Park, at Williston Wharf will have another dance tonight at the park. During the earlier part of the evening a concert will be given while the young people enjoy a good swim, after which the dance will be the feature. Truxton's orchestra will furnish the music.

MILITARY FUNERAL FOR PRIVATE JOPP

Machine Gun Fire Cause of Death While Going "Over the Top"

FORMER DENTON BOY

Killed instantly by machine gun bullets as he went over the top at the call of duty, the remains of S. Irwin Jopp have been returned from France for reinterment in their last resting place.

Mr. Jopp, who was 24 years old when he was killed, was born and raised near Denton, living here until December 1916 when his family moved to Chester, Pa. He was an upright lad and well liked wherever he went.

He was a natural mechanic and at the outbreak of the war was working in the Baldwin Locomotive Works at Chester. He was an experienced machinist and the company want to send him to France to erect and repair engines. He told them, however, if he went to France he wanted to go there to fight.

In the spring of 1918 he entered the service of the United States Army in the selective draft and was sent to Camp Meade. On May 5th he landed in France as a member of Company K, 11th Infantry, of the 5th Division.

For three months he went through the intensive training given most American boys in France before being sent to the front. On August 8th he wrote to his mother, Mrs. S. F. Jopp, Chester, Pa., saying that he was in a rest house just back of the firing line and that they would soon be in the trenches. Three days later, on August 11th he wrote a little note to his sister, Miss Hettie Jopp, of Chester, saying that they were in the trenches. This letter was written on a scrap of paper which he evidently had in his pocket, and was written during a few minutes' lull in the battle. That was the last word his parents had from him until they received word from the officials that he had been killed by machine gun bullets while going over the top in the battle of the St. Mihiel front on September 14, 1918, his division having gone to that sector two days before, September 12th.

A strange incident of the war is that another Chester boy Thomas L. Carr, the only other boy from Chester who was in the same outfit with Mr. Jopp was also killed and his remains returned to this country and were reinterred last Sunday in the Chester Cemetery.

Mr. Jopp was the son of S. F. and M. Esther Jopp, and was the grandson of the late Henry Irwin of Denton. He is survived also by one sister, Miss Hettie Jopp, at home.

Mr. Jopp's parents moved to 247 Market Street, Chester, in 1916, going into the grocery business, which they still continue.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p. m. in the Methodist Episcopal Church, Denton, the remains having arrived here from France last Saturday night. The services will be in charge of the American Legion, both at the church and at the grave. All ex-service men are requested to attend in uniform.

FEDERATION OF WOMEN MEET THURS.

On Thursday, August 18th, the quarterly meeting of the County Federation of Women's Clubs will be held in the park at Choptank. This is to be an all-day meeting with a basket lunch.

The meeting will be called to order at 10 a. m., and it is earnestly hoped that every women who possibly can, will be there prepared to spend the day and to enjoy the program which has been prepared as follows:

10 a. m., Clubs assemble; 10.30 a. m. meeting called to order. Singing by Federation. Roll call, Club yells. Minutes, old and new business. Bathing and social hour. Noon, picnic lunch. 1.30 p. m, meeting called to order. Singing by Federation. Discussion: "How shall we have more money in our Federation Treasury," leader, Mrs. Eva Small. Debate, Resolved, "That compulsory vaccination is a good thing," the Ridgely Club. 2:30 p. m., 5 minute program by clubs in the following order: Andersontown and Hobbs, Denton, Federal, Federalsburg, Greensboro, Harmony, Ridgely, Tuckahoe Neck, Twentieth Century, and the Williston Community Clubs. 4 p. m., reading of resolutions passed at the annual meeting of the Maryland Federation of Women's Clubs.

Two Games Scheduled

The Denton Base Ball Association has scheduled two games for the local team, one being with Bridgetown and played there, on Saturday, the other a return game with Preston to be played at Denton next Wednesday.

Episcopal Sunday School Picnic

Members and friends of the Christ Church Sunday School enjoyed an outing yesterday at Tolchester Beach, going there by automobile. A large number were present and report a very pleasant day.

Mr. Robert Pitts has placed a new barber pole at the edge of the side walk in front of his place of business in the Nichols Block.

FIRST GIRLS' CAMP WAS BIG SUCCESS

The first Caroline County Club Girls Camp was held at Greens' Point Rest, Dorchester county. The girls assembled at Greens' Point Rest on the afternoon of August 26th and after meeting Mrs. Spence were assigned to their rooms, several girls to a room. Mrs. Spence's home is a big, airy one and the rooms are large and cheery. The girls had soon made themselves at home and were out in their middies and bloomers ready to enjoy camp life. Thirty-eight girls, mothers and instructors sat down to supper in the big dining room.

A short evening program was held in the pavilion down at the Pine Grove. Mrs. Marion C. Bell, district agent for the Eastern Shore arriving during the program. All were feeling the spirit of camp life which the older heads realized later in the evening after the girls had gone to their rooms for a good night's rest. Wednesday morning almost before daylight the girls were dressed and out enjoying the fresh morning air. At 7 they assembled in the Pine Grove and were led in their "setting up" exercises by Miss Virginia Davis. After the satisfying breakfast the morning was spent in lecture work, Mrs. Bell having charge. Dinner over, the girls rested an hour and then hiked to Secretary. Bathing was scheduled for 4 p. m. and all were ready. Mrs. Bell gave them some instructions in floating and swimming in which the girls were very apt pupils. After supper, bathing was again enjoyed until dusk. Guests had arrived from Secretary and East New Market and all went back to the house where, gathering on the big screened porch, a very happy evening was spent in singing. It was then announced the girls would be given one-half hour to get together and arrange a "stunt" program for the following morning. Sleeping was in order earlier in the evening.

Bright and early next morning a "dip" was enjoyed and then breakfast, after which the assembly and lecture work in the pavilion. This was followed by a most interesting forming of a Caroline County Girls' Club Federation and in the election of officers. The girls were very particular to elect just the right girl for the office. Miss Vera Deen, of Harmony Club was elected president; Miss Zella Glidden of Denton Club, vice president; Miss Elizabeth Bilbrough of Greensboro Club, secretary; Miss Marie Pentz of Denton Club, treasurer, and the correspondent, Miss Katharine Kibler, of the Greensboro Club. The Girls' Federation will have county meetings twice a year.

The rest of the morning the clubs gave a very good program of songs, recitations, duets, guessing games and little plays, Miss Vera Deen having charge. Fried chicken dinner was next on the program and each and every one took their part well in this part of the day's program. The day being warm most of the afternoon was spent resting until 4 o'clock when Mrs. Bell gave them some further instructions in swimming.

There was a slight shower about supper time and the girls were afraid they were not going to be able to have their camp fire. It did not rain long, however, and the camp fire was built. "Weenies" were roasted and other eats were much enjoyed. Guests arrived from Preston, Bethlehem and Secretary so the girls gave them a program in the pavilion. Singing was much enjoyed especially the chorus "Smiles" when they left out the word "smiles" and smiled instead. This was the last night at camp, so after the retiring hour, the girls made the most of it, but the older folks were glad they were enjoying themselves. Friday the day for breaking camp, all were taken in a motor boat to Oyster Shell Point and Secretary, getting back to camp about 1:30, all hungry for the splendid dinner which Mrs. Spence had ready for them. Enough to say desert was cantaloupes filled with ice cream. What more could a girl want? The mothers were continually saying that we couldn't have had a nicer bunch of girls together, they were so good to mind and all were such good "mixers."

Those attending were: The Misses Katharine M. Kibler, Helen M. Bilbrough, Elizabeth Bilbrough, Mrs. Thelda Bilbrough, Mrs. Ralph Sharp, Misses Margaret Bilbrough, Elizabeth Sharp, of Greensboro; Ruth Krabill, Zella M. Glidden, Marie Pentz, Beulah Clopper, Lovina Snowden, Virginia Davis, of Denton; Elma Williams, of Federalsburg; Florence Seeders, Meriam Seeders, Meriam Todd, of Hobbs; Mrs. R. R. Deen, Mrs. Marion C. Bell, the Misses Vera M. Deen, Florence Deen, Pearl Willis, Louis Williamson, Elsie Todd, Mildred Cheezum, Helen Cheezum, Mary Richards, Evlyn Todd, Ruth Lednum, Mary Lane, of Preston; Myrah Christopher, of Bethlehem; and Dorothy Knotts, Elinor Knotts, Mildred Worth, Virginia Blades, Mary Larrimore, Edith G. Norman, Phyllis E. Norman, of Hillsboro.

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DENTON WINS AND LOSES A GAME

Ridgely Lost 3 to 2 in 10 Innings Last Saturday—Preston Victorious, 5 to 4

HARD FOUGHT GAMES

Another extra inning game of ball was played on the diamond at Denton last Saturday when Denton defeated Ridgely 3 to 2 in 10 innings. The work of the players on both sides was very good all through the game. Johnson, pitching for Denton struck out ten men.

There was little spectacular work on either side, the only important thing was on the part of Irwin in left field catching a long hard fly for which he had to run some distance. The fielding of Denton was considerably improved. The score:

DENTON	AB	R	PO	A	E
Newcomer, ss	5	1	0	0	1
Allaband 3b	4	1	7	0	0
Bowdle, rf	4	0	0	0	1
Neal, 2b	4	1	1	1	2
Clark, 1b	5	0	6	0	1
Meridith, c	4	0	0	0	0
Irwin, lf	5	0	1	0	0
Bye, cf	4	0	1	0	0
Johnson, p	4	0	1	0	0
Total	39	3	11	1	5

RIDGELY	AB	R	PO	A	E
Beaumont, 3b	4	0	0	0	0
Morrel, lf	5	0	2	0	0
Rickards, cf	4	1	2	0	0
Pinder, rf	2	0	0	0	0
Porter, 2b	2	0	1	0	2
R. Lane, 1b	4	1	5	0	1
Bennington, c	3	0	0	0	0
White, p	4	0	1	0	0
Morris	2	0	0	0	0
J. Lane, rf	2	0	0	0	0
Total	36	2	14	1	3

Denton, 4; Preston, 5

Denton lost to her rival Preston on the Preston Field yesterday by a score of 5 to 4. The rivalry between these two teams has been at top notch ever since Denton defeated Preston in the double-header on July 4th.

Both teams started out with a run in the first inning, then all was quiet until the fifth when Preston made the score 2 to 1.

In the sixth Denton woke up and brought in two runs only to enthuse the Preston boys enough to bring in three runs, thus the score stood until the last inning when Denton tried to exceed its opponents score but succeed only in bringing in one run. The score:

DENTON	AB	R	PO	A	E
Newcomer, ss	4	0	0	2	0
Allaband, 3b	4	1	1	0	0
Bowdle, cf	4	0	1	1	0
Neal, 2b	4	0	2	1	0
Clark, 1b	4	1	5	0	0
Merriken, rf	4	1	0	0	0
Johnson, lf	4	0	0	0	0
Meredith, c	4	1	1	0	0
Bernett, p	3	0	0	0	0
George	1	0	0	0	0
Irwin, rf, p	1	0	0	0	0
Total	37	4	10	4	0

PRESTON	AB	R	PO	A	E
Wheatelton, rf	4	1	3	0	0
Phillips, c	4	0	1	0	0
Leonin, 2b	3	0	0	1	0
Moore, 3b	4	1	0	0	0
Lord, lf	4	1	2	0	1
Noble, ss	3	1	1	1	0
Eisenberg, 1b	4	0	5	0	0
Blades, cf	2	1	1	0	0
Goslin, p	3	0	1	0	0
Total	31	5	14	2	1

NEAR EAST RELIEF DAY NEXT MONDAY

With thousands of little children starving in the Near East, it is hoped that the appeal sent to farmers of Caroline County for wheat and corn will not be made in vain.

As a Russian has put it "what if America has a famine?" Yes—what if the children of our own land were forced to starvation—and some rich country refused to give us food when they had more than they knew what to do with. Nothing we could say against them would be too bad—there is nothing that could befall them but what would be too good.

If we have a heart—let's share some of the wheat with which God has overflowed our granaries. Have we any right to refuse? Many like to excuse themselves by saying these relief organizations are dishonest and their aid would never reach the starving. This kind of a person only excuses himself in his own eyes. This is but a weak way of closing our ears to the moans of the dying, which we could save, closing our eyes to the starving, unclothed children and turning our backs to a Christian duty.

Any one having a bushel of wheat, or a barrel of corn or flour they believe they can spare, or are willing to purchase for the purpose, kindly notify the American Union or County Agent.

THOMAS J. EATON

Thomas J. Eaton, aged 74, died Monday, August 8 at the county home. He is survived by one brother, John J. of Wilmington and several nephews.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 2 p. m. in the Holiness church at Denton and interment was in the family lot at Federalsburg Cemetery.

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