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EXHIBIT THIS YEAR TO BE EDUCATIONAL

Will Not Be Just an Exhibit of Produce and Livestock Household Exhibits

HELD OCTOBER 24 TO 29

For several years, each fall has seen an exhibition of produce and canned goods, under the supervision of the county demonstration agents, Mrs. Edith G. Norman and Mr. W. Collins Thomas, assisted by the community clubs of the county. This year a wider plan of greater educational value has been arranged under the sole supervision of Mrs. Norman and Mr. Thomas. The exhibit will cover a more comprehensive field, displaying not only the right way to do things, but the wrong. Canned fruit, vegetables and meats, preserves of all kinds, clothing, household furnishings and devices, milk demonstration, landscape gardening, public health, U. S. grain standardization, model farm shop, miniature experimental farm, boys' and girls' club work—these are the main points to be exhibited. There will also be explanatory and educational lectures on many of the subjects, given by well-known authorities.

This exhibit is to be held the last week in October, from the 24th to the 29th, inclusive.

No prizes are to be given. The aim is to have an educational exhibit of right and wrong methods rather than a contest.

A slight admission charge will be made simply to finance the project, and there will be no further soliciting of funds.

This exhibit should be of intense interest and value to everyone, men, women and children. There will be features of special import to each group. It is hoped that Caroline county will realize the opportunity and avail herself of it.

The list of booths follows:

Display of best canned fruits, vegetables, jellies, pickles, preserves, marmalades and butters. Some examples of contrast—those not well done.

Clothing—Dress forms in various stages of making and standards. Clothing display, bringing out educational features.

Household furnishings—Good and bad furniture, wall coverings and papers, draperies, pictures and frames Artistic bouquets, floor coverings, etc. Lecture by Miss Knight.

Well arranged and furnished kitchen—Lecture by Mrs. Bell.

Model girl's room—Done by the "Own your own room" girls. Girls on hand to explain.

Display of model helpful household devices—Tagged with owners' names.

Canning and preserving of meats—1 jar each of every part of a porker. Dr. Buckley will give a meat cutting and ham demonstration, and meat canning with pressure cooker.

Mr. White of Ridgely Agricultural School—Miniature experimental farm.

Milk exhibit and demonstration.

Poultry — Model poultry house, model packing of eggs and egg carriers, preserving eggs in water glass. Demonstration by Prof. Hickey.

Example of landscape gardening. Lecture by Prof. Thurston or Prof. Ballard.

U. S. grain standardization.

Farm crop exhibits—Examples of potatoes grown from seed and treated and not treated.

Maryland public health exhibit, and lectures.

Model farm shop.

Other Features

Public health placards for the walls.

Posters and maps showing year's work of the County Agent and Home Demonstration Agent.

Agricultural moving pictures.

Supper served one night, featuring properly cooked cereals. It is desired the public should use more hominy and rice. Pressure cooked meats. Other foods which bring out educational ideas. Using just enough foods to give a well-balanced meal.

Exhibitioon of live stock if possible, comparing the scrubs with the pure breeds.

Side shows to give a little entertainment.

Exhibit of boys' and girls' club work. No prize money will be given at the time, but will be given later according to their rating in the year's work.

DENTON WON EASILY OVER BRIDGETOWN

Denton scored one run in the first inning at the game played at Bridgetown Saturday, and two runs in the second inning. After the fourth inning when Denton carried the score up to 8-1, Groff, pitching for Bridgetown, tightened up, which made the game much more interesting. There was little doubt as to the outcome of the game after the fourth inning.

Clark, running from second to third in the first inning, was struck on the head by a wild ball thrown by the catcher to the third baseman. Clark had to have a runner, who did not score as there were two out and the last batter up struck out.

The attendance was among the largest of the season, a large delegation of rooters from Denton accompanying their home team. The score by innings:

Denton	1	2	0	5	0	0	0	0	—8
Brigetown	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1

JAMES MELVIN

Mr. James Melvin, aged 76, of Henderson, Md., died last Sunday afternoon about 5 o'clock p. m. He is survived by his widow, who was a Miss Greeley and three sons, William, Clayton, and Frank. Funeral services were held yesterday at the home and interment was made in the Greensboro Cemetery.

Mr. Elmar Darling has been spending a week with his parents.

FARMERS HAD A GOOD TIME AT CONCORD

Members of the Denton Farmers Club and other farmers of the county held their annual Farmers Day at Concord Camp Friday, August 12th.

There was a short program in the morning, which consisted of music, a talk by County Agent Thomas on the Near East Relief grain collection and the work he is doing in the county.

Mr. E. H. Zeigler gave a report on the amount of business done the past year by the Farmers Supply Company.

In both the morning and afternoon sessions, the program was considerably added to by the music rendered by the camp choir. It was appreciated very much by all who heard it.

In the afternoon, Mr. M. M. Luzader, chairman of the meeting and one of the pioneer members of the club and president three years, gave a very interesting talk on farm problems, dwelling principally on the uncertainties with which the farmer has to deal.

He was followed by a plendid address given by Mr. C. S. Richardson, of the University of Maryland. Mr. Richardson spoke for some time on the plight of the farmer, as compared to men in other occupations, because he is unorganized. He said he did not mean this in order that they might get at least the cost of production. His main theme was the influence of the home and school on society in general. Mr. Richardson is a very forceful speaker and his talk was enjoyed by all those who were fortunate enough to hear him.

SEE BLESSING IN THE CROP SHORTAGE

Business Men Say It Will Mean More Money for Farmers, Who Will Pass This Prosperity On

New York, Aug. 17—American farmers generally will experience the best season financially in several years and will pass their increasing prosperity on in some measure to the rest of the country.

This is being brought about, paradoxically, by a crop shortage. The law or supply and demand will mean higher prices for farm products, and the increased income will afford greater buying power for this half of the nation's population, from which situation other industries are bound to benefit, says the Baltimore News.

"I am an optimist concerning the immediate future of the agricultural industry, and the importance of this year's crop in pulling the farmers out of the most serious situation in which they have ever found themselves," Gray Silver, Washington representative of the American Farm Bureau Federation, telegraphed the United Press today.

"Wheat, corn, rye, oats, barley, potatoes, tobacco, sugar beets and some fruits will have a much less yield than last year. This should mean but one thing, if domestic and foreign purchasing power is anything like normal—higher prices for farm products, more money in the farmers' hands, debts paid and a higher standard of living."

B. W. Snow, noted Chicago crop expert wired that the crop shortage will be of "general benefit" to the agricultural community, adding that the increased income will be "distributed to production in all sections of the country."

"The winter wheat crop is threshing less than was expected and will turn out only about 550,000,000 bushels," he said. "Spring wheat was affected by heat and rust, and probably will not exceed 200,000,000 bushels. This total of 750,000,000 bushels is sufficient to meet domestic wants and furnish an export, taking into conideration the carry-over of perhaps 2,000-000 bushels. But this is less than the world needs from America, and with the crop shortage in India and continued failure of Rusia to produce, the world situation for wheat is adjusted to a very narrow market.

"The oats crop is the poorest in 50 years. It will not exceed 1,000,000,-000 bushels, compared with 1,500,000,-000 last year. Other small grains are equally unsatisfactory.

"Corn is a debatable proposition with the chances for a very moderate yield. Another food crop of great importance is potatoes and the failure in that is very severe. The crop will hardly equal two-thirds of last year's.

"The crop shortage is general in character and every section is favored with something in the way of production. This will work to the benefit of the agricultural community because the higher prices will be distributed to production in all sections of the country."

Creditors Meeting Held

A meetnig of the creditors of Mr. Calvin Haltaman, a prominent farmer of the sixth district. was held in the office of Attorney William J. Rickards in the Law building, yesterday. Mr. Haltaman recently filed a petition in bankruptcy with his attorney, Mr. Rickards. At the meeting yesterday, Attorney J. Owen Knotts was appointed trustee to sell the property.

Touring Maryland Counties

Judge Walter Preston, of Harford county, brother of ex-Mayor Preston, of Baltimore; Mr. S. W. Williams, formerly Secretary of State, and Mr. O Neil were visitors at the Court House this morning. They have been taking a little trip in which they are visiting all the county seats of the state.

New Electric Light Line

The Eastern Shore Gas and Electric Light Company are putting in an entire new line of poles between Denton and Greensboro. They will also place new poles over this entire section, which will no doubt insure the public of greater safety.

The company also expects to put in new transformers which will give Denton better light.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Lawrence Cook, Preston
Mary Conway, Federalsburg
Gustav Kramer, Baltimore
Ella C. Fuchs, Preston

BE FAIR TO YOUR HOME MERCHANT

By Buying Out of Town You Are Trying to Cut Their Throats

BE A HOME TOWN BUYER

Be fair to the old standby— the home merchant. There is nobody who knows the sting of ingratitude as does the home merchant. If you were ever to hear the stories of unvarnished facts concerning ingratitude you would be amazed. The majority of your home merchants are eminently intelligent, thrifty, capable, and square in their dealings wit one another, with their patrons, and the world in general. They do not deserve to have their business ruined by the thoughtlessness of those who patronize out-of-town houses.

Who is it carries the family through during the sickness of the breadwinner? Who is it helps them out while the shops are running on short time? Who is it stands by in many of the unavoidable contingencies that fall to the average family? Who but the good old home town merchant.

Humans speak of gratitude, but it is a trait known only to dogs. If there is one person above another who should be patronized it is your home town merchant. He has contributed much to the welfare of his neighbors. He has striven to please and satisfy in the face of large corporative competition of mail order houses handling junk and shoddy goods. Why should people be so hasty to desert a time tried true friend and carry their cash to these unreliable catch penny catalogue houses? Stick to your home town and its merchants. Here's to the home merchant, a man of honor and sterling worth. Treat him square and the benefits are mutual. Do not be so hasty to desert your fellow townsmen. Think well before you do. The original home merchant was named Stonecipher because he chiseled his accounts on a slab of granite and took skins in trade. Even down to the present time the "skins" have been coming in steadily. They run a book account with the home merchant and send their cash away, for a lot of junk they don't need. Be square to yourself and home merchants by not purchasing from out-of-town houses.

JURORS DRAWN FOR OCTOBER TERM

Last Wednesday afternoon the Hon. Judge William H. Adkins, chief judge of the circuit court of Caroline County, drew the names of the jurors who are to serve at the October term of court. Forty-eight names were drawn from a list of 150, and are as follows:

Arrington Breeding
Wm. G. Smith
Jos. O. Hummer
Daniel Heck
John W. Faulkner
Wm. T. Schockle
Chas. W. Kinnom
Freeborn Ellwanger
Wm. H. Sipple
Oliver W. Barton
Clinton B. Jarman
H. Clay Hobbs
John F. Kelley
John T. Carter
Wm. H. Anderson
Frank Dennis
M. Lee Wyatt
Joseph P. Harris
Nelson H. Fooks
Wm. H. Craft
Edw. F. Moore
Walter F. Covey
J. Twiford Williams
Harry McCarroll
Gootee S. Liden
Victor S. Dean
Edward E. Nuttle
J. Henry Morris
Henry F. Andrews
E. Pennington Horsey
J. T. Sparklin
John T. Lister
J. Milton Beaver
H. Saulsbury Sparks
Fletcher Elbin
R. Leo Megurney
C. E. Hoffman
Reuben Buckle
Benedict Weaver
Harry C. Swann
John M. Swing
Wm A. Griffith
Henry Wright
Solomon J. Hurst
Kelley Turner
Linwood Todd
Greenbury Griffith

SECOND TEAM IS HARD TO DEFEAT

A very interesting game was played here Tuesday afternoon between Denton's second team and Central. Denton won by seven runs.

Brown pitched, allowing but 11 hits and walked two.

Norris was Denton's star batter, bringing in 4 runs made by 4 hits.

Mr. Allaband was umpire during the game. The score follows:

DENTON	AB	R	PO	H	E
Brown, p	6	2	1	2	1
Long, 2b	6	2	2	3	0
Norris, ss	5	4	0	4	1
Darling, c	5	2	3	3	1
Beauchamp, 1b	5	0	4	2	0
Neighbors, 3b	5	0	5	0	1
Bowdle, cf	5	0	3	1	0
Towers, rf	4	0	4	0	0
Irvin, lf	2	0	2	1	0
Copline, lf	1	0	0	0	0
Lane, c	1	1	0	1	0
Total	45	11	24	19	3

CENTRAL	AB	R	PO	H	E
Wooters, p	6	1	4	0	1
Warner, c	6	1	3	1	2
Snowberger, rf	6	2	2	3	1
Reed, 2b	5	0	2	2	3
Beck, lf	5	0	3	1	1
Henry, A., 1b	5	0	3	1	0
Henry, L., ss	5	0	4	1	2
Walls, cf	5	0	4	1	1
Geisel, 3b	5	0	2	0	1
Total	48	4	27	11	12

DENTON

With Apologies to Robert Burns

"Oh, wad some power the giftie gie us
To see oursel'es as ithers see us,
It wad frae mony a blunder free us
And foolish notion."

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We'd see, when walking down Main street,
The peanut shucks beneath our feet,
The litter in the road, not mete
For dear old Denton.

And down the side streets, allies, too,
With every little wind that blew,
We'd see waste paper flying thru
The air of Denton.

We'd buy a motor truck for fire,
Lest fire insurance rates go higher,
And save from such disasters dire
The town of Denton.

And next we'd note the garbage piles
The refuse spots attracting files
Of flies and skeeters round for miles
To come to Denton.

In short, we'd scrub and paint and clean
Each dirty, ugly spot, I wean,
And follow every trail so keen
For dirt in Denton.

Until at least we had a town
Where beauty, cleanliness would crown
In ever widening renown,—
The town of Denton.

PVT. JOPP BURIED HERE LAST SUNDAY

Funeral services for Private S. Irwin Jopp, whose remains were brought back from France for interment in the local cemetery, were held last Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the Methodist Episcopal Church.

The service was in charge of the American Legion, who met at the undertaking parlors of J. Virgil Moore, from which they marched to the church, six of the members bearing the body.

Chaplain Nichols, of Federalsburg, took charge of the services, assisted by the Rev. Mr. V. E. Hills. Two solos were sung during the services and Chaplain Nichols delivered an admirable address.

During the service a heavy thunder storm came up and it was deemed advisable to wait in the church rather than go out in the thick of the storm. When the storm abated, the funeral procession moved toward the cemetery with a guard of thirty ex-service men marching. The services at the grave were in charge of the American Legion. After the lowering of the body to its final resting place, three volleys were fired and taps sounded.

Mr. Jopp was instantly killed by machine gun bullets while going over the top in the St. Mihiel drive on September 14th. He was a private in the 5th Division Company K 11th Infantry. The body arrived in this country on July 27th and in Denton on August 6th.

Attending the funeral from out of town were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Jopp, of Chester, Pa.; Mr. Frank Fry and Mr. William Fry, of Harrisburg, Pa.; Mr. W. Hemming, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Miss Louise Davis, of Chester, Pa., and Mr. Richard Irvin, of Queens Town.

CAMP MEETING SEASON IS NOW ABOUT OVER

Big Gatherings Have Been Held at Concord and at the Mission Camp Near Denton

Camp meeting season, the annual summer outing and vacation period of the country side, has passed into history. The big camp at Concord has been the Mecca of the people from all parts of Caroline and adjacent counties, the attendance being quite up to the standard of previous years. The Mission Camp near Denton also had a very successful meeting and drew large crowds almost nightly during the period it was in progress.

Both these camps have an important social and religious influence in the community that leaves an impress that will be evident through the months that intervene before another meeting season rolls around.

Campmeetings are an institution peculiar to the "sunny southland" and are a relic of bygone days when places of religious worship were few and the people, in their desire for spiritual life, sought the opportunities of worship in the open temples of nature, where the sighs of the waving trees mingled with the songs of birds and the perfume of the wild flowers.

Campmeeting time to former generations meant the vacation of the farmer and laboring man after the strenuous toil of wheat harvest and was a rest period to men and women who knew nought of other vacation from toil. In the leafy temples children played and enjoyed the freedom of out door life, the young folks courted and spooned and the old folks gave themselves up to a glorious enjoyment of songs, sermons and religious exhortations which made for them the crowning happiness of the yearly week at camp.

The necessity of these meetings from religious standpoint, has been largely removed by the abundance of churches which have sprung up in every village and cross-roads community, but the lure of the woods is still strong and the campmeeting, though not attended with the supreme joys of former years, is still an institution that attracts both young and old and is a means of grace to some and a source of enjoyment to all.

Recovering from Grafting Operation

Mr. Frank L. R. Nuttle motored to Baltimore yesterday and brought home Miss Edna Hobbs who has been at the Johns Hopkins Hospital for some time following a bone-grafting operation of very delicate nature that was quite successful and from which Miss Hobbs is rapidly recovering.

EXTENDED TIME FOR GIVING GRAIN

Need Is Great in Countries Where Thousands Are Starving

NUTTLE MILL RECEIVING

County Agent W. Collins Thomas, who is in charge of gathering the grain for Caroline County, reports that a number of farmers have already responded to the urgent appeal for grains and flour for the starving masses in the Near East. He has expressed the hope that every farmer in the county will give at least one bushelof grain to this worthy cause and requests that all who can, give as liberally as possible.

Arrangements have been made for the grain to be left in Preston this Saturday and next Saturday at Mr. Thomas Jones' Feed Store in Ridgely, while all the grain will be brought to the Nuttle Milling Company at Denton for shipping.

Because of local conditions in some of the counties, the closing time of the Grain Appeal made by the Near East Relief, has been extended from August 15 to August 31, is the announcement from the Maryland Headquarters, 14 West Franklin Street, Baltimore.

Splendid organizations have been formed in a number of th ecounties and even in those where hail ruined the crops, and the farmers had to help each other, farmers are promising donations.

Talbot County has enlisted heartily for the campaign but has gone even farther and formed a permanent Near East Relief organization with Charles F. Broucham as chairman. Mr. Broucham is in the auto business and has armed his salesmen with posters and instructions. They will carry the appeal for grain to every hamlet, every store and farmer whom they approach. Mr. Broucham will also send trucks to collect the grain donated and convey it to the assembling point.

At Preston, Caroline County, W. C. Thomas, county agent, and Joseph K. Hull, from Maryland Headquarters, addressed a meeting of the farmers' association. The members unanimously endorsed the campaign, recommended the membership to give liberally and requested each member to see farmers not members of the association and request their cooperation. A warehouse in Preston was selected for the assembling of grain given and a committee of three members appointed to be at the warehouse all day on the Ingathering Day, August 20.

Dr. T. B. Symons, Director of the Extension Service, University of Maryland, has sent a letter to all county agents and members of the federations announcing the extension of the appeal to August 31 and asking their support.

In Anne Arundel, G. W. Norris reports, that although the county grows but little grain, yet it will do its full share on the grain appeal. In Talbot county, milk cooling stations have been selected as additional receiving stations for grain donated.

BIGGER AND BETTER THAN EVER BEFORE

Such is the Promise Given for the Salisbury Fair This Year

The great Salisbury Fair of 1921 will open its gates to the public on Tuesday, August the 23d and will continue until the 26th inst., inclusive. Were this a new experiment, a first year's fair—it would be entirely proper to enumerate in detail all of the varied features of the several departments. But this is not the case with the Salisbury Fair. It has been held annually for many years and in every year the thousands of pleased patrons who have passed through its gates constitute the best evidence of its merits and popularity, as a great agricultural exposition. If it is true that the past forms the best criterion of the future, then the success of the approaching fair is virtually assured. Its past record becomes its best advertising agent.

If it comes up to the standard already established, it will be well worthy of a continuance of the patronage so generously accorded it in the past. It proposes, however, to do more. Its enterprising managers are unwilling to rest upon laurels won or achievements accomplished. Imbued with restless ambition, th emanagers this year propose to make the coming exposition even greater and more resplendent in all of its diversified departments than those of the years that have gone before. Recognizing the responsibility and the expectations aroused by the successful fairs of the past, Salisbury purposes to open, on the 23d inst., the greatest exhibition of her history, and cordially invites the people of the Eastern Shore to join her in a four days' vacation, every hour of which can be entertainingly and profitably spent at this fair.

COUPLE HUNT MINISTER TILL AFTER MIDNIGHT

Wed at Church Hill AAfter Centerville Failure

After driving from Easton to Centreville Friday night and routing Deputy Clerk B. Hackett Turner out of bed to issue them a marriage license, James Oscar Faulkner, formerly of Centreville, and Mrs. Lola Rittenhouse of Easton, were doomed to disappointment when they learned that there were no ministers in town to perform the ceremony. It was necessary for them to journey to Church Hill, where the knot was tied at 12.30 o'clock by Rev. A. B. Frye, pastor of Church Hill Methodist Episcopal Church.

Mr. Henry Hollingsworth, who has been teaching in New Jersey, is spending his vacation with his mother.

BLIMP VISITED WITH DENTONIANS TUESDAY

Denton was again visited by an army dirigible Tuesday, just before the dinner hour and was entertained by it for about a half hour. The huge machine which was marked "C 2 U. S. A." first hove in sight to the south of town and circled the first time over the high school building. It then made another trip and this time came up over Main street as far as J. H. Nichols store and there turned around, coming back practically over the same route. This time the big sausage was so close to the ground that the men in it could be heard calling to those on the ground. One of the questions asked was what town they were flying over. Seven figures could be distinctly seen in the tonneau, one of whom was in civilian clothes.

As they floated over J. H. Nichols' store the second time one of the occupants of the dirigible dropped a card which later was found on a roof on 3d street. Just after they dropped the card one of the men stepped on a valve and dropped several buckets of water on the crowds in the street. This they thought to be very funny as they called down that it was raining.

The third time the machine crossed over the business section, two cards were dropped, one over 4th street and the other at the Court House green. All three cards bore the name "Harry Richey, 19th Airship Co., Langley Field," while two carried the additional line, "Greetings from the air." The machine then turned north and traveled at a good rate of speed, soon disappeared.

Two months ago the C 5 flew over Denton twice.

ENDS HIS LIFE AT EMERSON HOTEL

Body in Room Three Days Before Discovery—Receipt Shows Recent Payment of Insurance

Balto., Aug. 12.—After paying part of a large premium on his insurance policy and depositing $300 in cash in a Baltimore bank, a man believed to be Clifton L. Jarrell of Chestertown went to the Emerson Hotel and sent a bullet crashing through his brain. Although the suicide was committed Wednesday, the fact did not become known until 10.30 A. M. today.

Discovery of the suicide was made by Mrs. Ida Donoghue, a maid at the hotel. For two days she had tried repeatedly to enter room 1615 but was unable to do so. As she tried the door this morning she noticed a peculiar odor. Mrs. Donoghue notified Manager John. J. Kincaid and the door was opened with a duplicate key.

On the bed lay the body and by its side a .32-caliber revolver. One shell in the gun was empty and a gaping wound in the top of the head showed that the man had placed the muzzle of the revolver in his mouth and fired.

The insurance receipt found in the room showed that "Clifton L. Jarrell, Chestertown," had paid $250 on Wednesday to an agent in Baltimore of the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company. A new bank book issued by the Seaboard Bank showed that the same man had also on the same day made a cash deposit of $300 with that institution.

A number of other papers and letters were found in the pockets of the dead man. These also bore the name of "Clifton L. Jarrell, Chestertown."

Patrolman Joseph E. Wagner, Central district, who was called to the hotel by Manager Kincaid, learned that the dead man had registered at the Emerson on Wednesday as "C. C. James, Laurel, Md." He had not been seen since that day until his body was found this morning.—Baltimore News

Further Identification

The body of the man found dead in the Emerson Hotel, Baltimore was positively identified to be that of Clifton L. Jarrell of Chestertown by a friend who was called from that place to Baltimore.

Mr. Jarrell was the son of Mr. J. C. Jarrell of Ridgely, and was engaged in farming near Chestertown. Mr. J. Howard Pastorfield, Register of Wills, is a relative.

Funeral services were held last Saturday afternoon at Ridgely.

PUBLIC MEETING ON COURT HOUSE GREEN

Tomorrow evening (Friday) an open air meeting on the Court House lawn will be held by the League of Women Voters, at 8 p. m. Miss Engle, state organizer of clubs for women for the instruction in the intricacies of the vote, will be present and give an address.

Miss Engle is a very able speaker and it is with great expectations that the ladies of this section are looking forward to this meeting.

The meeting is open to all who are desirous of learning how to vote intelligently, whether men or women, and an interesting meeting is promised.

The topic of Miss Engle's address will be "The New Citizenship."

House Party a Great Success

The members of the house party of whom Miss Louise Nuttle, daughter of Mr. S. G. Nuttle, is hostess, have been having a delightful time.

Friday evening they spent at Tolchester, enjoying the bathing. Saturday and Sunday were spent at Concord Camp. There they had a fine time and their voices were welcomed in the choir several times.

There was a marshmallow roast at Hignutt's Park Monday evening. After spending a very enjoyable week the party broke up on Wednesday.

Concord 13, Tuckahoe Neck 12

In a game of base ball last Wednesday afternoon, the Tuckahoe Neck team was defeated by the Concord nine on the latter's field to the tune of 13 to 12.

P. P. TRUCK IS AGAIN OPERATING

Resumed Regular Trips Monday With an Increase in Business

MORE FARMERS USING LINE

Residents along the lines of parcel post truck routes Nos. 13900 and 13901 were very much gratified to learn last week that the former route would not be discontinued and that the latter route would be started again.

Route No. 13901, which leaves Easton and passes through Federalsburg, Preston, Denton, Greensboro and Goldsboro to Chestertown, where it joins the main route, No. 13900, was again established last Monday morning. This week there have been a number of new shippers who have expressed themselves as being discouraged with the service furnished by the railroads and other carriers, and are going to ship by truck hereafter. The truck when it went thru Denton yesterday carried 30 crates of cantaloupes among other produce.

This truck furnishes splendid shipping facilities for the farmers living along its route, giving them direct communication with their market, with but one handling of their goods and no stop-overs or transfers.

As was stated in last week's American Union, Congressman T. Alan Goldsborough and the American Union started a fight to have these two routes continued as soon as it was discovered they were to be cut off. Last Wednesday afternoon the Fourth Assistant Postmaster told Mr. Goldsborough that he would operate these lines pending a thorough investigation.

Many people wrote to the post master and to Mr. Goldsborough for the continuance of these lines, and it is urged upon every person living along the line to write to the Fourth Assistant Postmaster and to Mr. Goldsborough, to emphasize the need of these routes to handle the products of this section of the Eastern Shore which has such poor railroad facilities.

EX-SERVICE MEN WILL GET BETTER SERVICE

The Bureau of War Risk Insurance has begun a nation-wide campaign to reach every veteran of the World War who is in any way entitled to benefits under the War Risk Insuarnce Act. The immediate purpose of the campaign is to adyise all ex-service persons of their rights under the act: to assist those disabled in securing compensation, medical treatment and hospital care; to inform and assist all claimants regarding the procedure necessary in filing a claim for compensation; and to aid those whose claims are pending to secure final action where additional evidence is necessary to connect their disability with service. Immediate physical examinations are to be provided when necessary and hospitalization will be promptly furnished in urgent cases.

To effect this so-called "clean-up" of cases, the Bureau of War Risk Insurance has created in each state a "clean-up squad," consisting of a medical examiner, a compensation and claims contact examnier, and a member of the District Manager's staff, who will act as publicity agent. To each squad will be assigned a representative of the Red Cross and a representative of the American Legion.

The Home Service Section of the Caroline County Chapter of the Red Cross is anxious to meet every ex-service man in the county who has a disability, and who has not yet made claims for compensation or treatment, or any one whose claims have not yet been adjusted.

The Executive Secretary is in the Red Cross office in the Law Building, at Denton, every Tuesday afternoon, or communications can be addressed to her home at any time.

Now is the time to get these claims ready to present to the Clean-up Squad when it comes to Caroline. Bring discharge papers and other evidence with you, so that the necessary evidence may be at hand when the time comes to present it.

Mrs. J. SPENCER LAPHAM
Executive Secretary, Home Service, A. R. C., Goldsboro, Md. Tuesday afternoons, Law Building, Denton.

DENTON AHEAD IN FOURTH INNING

This afternoon Denton is playing another game of ball with Preston. This game was scheduled for yesterday, but due to the rain in the morning the grounds were too wet to play on and the game was postponed until today.

At the beginning of the fourth inning the score stood 2 to 1 favor of Denton . The two runs brought in were both homer, one by "Home Run" Newcomer and the other by Menoch.

The score by innings:

Denton	0	1	1	—2
Preston	0	1	0	—1

A Fated Destiny

"Augh—waugh—gr-r-r!"

It was the baby, and he had made similar remarks steadily for the last hour. Mr. Newpop's hair—what was left of it—stood on end.

"Gnow ahwb Wombdgou flgaurthe people living across the way rose from their beds and closed the windows ostentatiously.

Mr. Newpop ground his teeth.

"To think," he murmured wearily, "that I should have lived to become the father of a train announcer."—Pittsburgh Chronicle Telegraph.

Mr. Paul Baynard of Chester, Pa., son of Mr. F. Baynard of Denton National Bank, has been visiting his parents for a few days this week and will return Friday.

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