Eastern Shore Happenings

Frank H. Janiver, chairman of the Democratice State Committee, has called a meeting of the State Committee in the Hotel Richardson, at Dover, for March 27, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon. The committee will arrange for a state convention to elect delegates to the national convention in New York next June.

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Milford, Del, March 24.—Her face and head torn by the charge of a shotgun, Mrs. Elizabeth Knotts, aged 40, wife of Lewis Knotts, a farmer living a short distance from here was found dead in bed at her home today. A shotgun was found at her side. It was evident she had placed the muzzle of the weapon in her mouth and pulled the trigger after having drawn the covers over her head.

Mrs. Knotts had been ill for a long time, suffering from intense headaches, and she was frequently in a despondent condition.

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Easton has definitely decided to be a member of the Eastern Shore League for 1924.

At a very enthusiastic meeting held in the Talbot County Court House last week, it was found that $4,965 in cash had been collected, with other pledges outstanding. This was thought to be sufficient, and Easton will make her official application this week. Frank Baker will manage the team.

Acting president M. B. Thawley is expected to call the league directors to Salisbury on Thursday afternoon for an official meeting.

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Seaford, Del., March 21.—The seniors and Juniors of the Seaford High School have organized an alumni association, with Fred Nevins, president; William Elzey, secretary and Glenn Pusey, treasurer. A reunion will be held June 20, featured by a dance.

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Georgetown, Del., March 21.—Former state Senator Asa Bennett, of Frankford, who is filling out the unexpired term of the late Refus D. Lingo as Levy Court Commissioner for Sussex county, is prominently mentioned for the Republican nomination this fall.

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Easton, Md., March 23.—Headed by Mayor Orem, 54 firemen formed a guard of honor at the funeral today of Frederick Willy, engineman of the local fire department, who died Friday night following injuries when the company's truck ran into a ditch to avoid a collision.

Men from the Salisbury, Denton and Preston departments attended the services and there were many floral tributes.

Willy leaves a widow and three children and the Town Council has voted $200 for them and the families of the other three men injured in the same accident.

The County Commissioners are expected to take similar action.

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At the last meeting of the Dorchester County Farm Bureau Board of Directors, Mr. John E. Patten, East New Market, was appointed full time secretary of the Dorchester County Farm Bureau and Dorchester County Farm Bureau Co-operative Association. The Board of Directors feel that the Farm Bureau is exceptionally fortunate in securing the services of a man who has had the experience in buying and selling farm products that Mr. Patten has had. The Board asks the farmers of the county as a whole to pledge their support to their organization and patronize it whenever possible. The object of the Farm Bureau Co-operative Association in buying is to pool orders for fertilizer, feeds and other farm supplies and to buy from home concerns whenever possible.

The spring pool for fertilizer is now being made up and all Farm Bureau members and others are requested to send their orders in to their local secretaries or direct to Mr. Patten, secretary of the Farm Bureau, Banner Building, Cambridge, Md.

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On Saturday a week an oil truck owned by the Hearn Oil Company, of Salisbury, collided with a southbound freight of the N. Y. P. & N. railroad at the Fruitland crossing, the first station south of Salisbury, and completely wrecked. The driver, Mr. Zepha A. Tingle, had a miraculous escape from instant death.

When the crash occurred the heavily laden truck was hurled 65 feet through the air and deposited, a mass of wreckage, a few feet away from the store of Mrs. A. K. Hayman, burying Mr. Tingle under the debris. After he was extricated and taken to the Peninsula General Hospital, it was found he sustained a fractured rib and punctured lung, with other minor injuries. At present, no complications have developed and he is reported to doing well.

Washington, D. C., March 17—Senator L. Heisler Ball has obtained passage of a bill introduced by him some time ago, authorizing the secretary of War to transfer to the Commissioners of the town of Lewes, Sussex county, Delaware, a tract of land containing approximately seven acres, which was acquired by the Federal Government in 1887 for use in the construction of an inland waterway from Chinceteagu bay to Delaware bay.

The land was obtained by the state legislature by condemnation, and donated to the Federal Government for use in the construction of the canal. The original project for the waterway was subsequently repealed by congress in the river and harbor act of 1905. The land was never used and is not needed by the government.

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Final plans for the opening of the receiving station, at Nassau, Sussex county, Del., by the Nassau Milk Producers' Association, was made with the Supplee-Wills-Jones Company, of Philadelphia, when a committee consisting of the county agent, Molloy C. Vaughn, James T. Lank and William E. Thompson took up the matter with the Philadelphia firm who will handle the milk.

It is planned to open the plant on April 1, and the farmers will be required to deliver the milk before 9 o'clock each morning so that it may have time to be tested and cooled before shipment at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The price to be paid will be $2.85 per hundred pounds at the plant.

On the night before the opening, the plant will be thrown open to the public for inspection and an interesting program will be arranged for visitors.

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Dover, March 15—The following committees have been announced by J. D. Reynolds, president of the Delaware State Farm Bureau for 1924: Marketin gand Transportation, Chas. P. Dickey, Stanton; Edward Donovan, Brenford; George C. Burge, Middletown; W. V. Cosden, Dover; Robert J. Allen, Seaford.

Legislative committee—Harry B. Clark, Kenton; Frank F. Yearsley, Marshallton; Thomas N. Rawlins, Seaford.

Budget committee—Ed Willim, Dover; F. F. Yearsley, Marshallton; Elmer Dickerson, Milton.

Publicity committee—Thomas N. Rawlins, Seaford; Ed Willim, Dover Elmer Dickerson, Milton.

Committee on Program of Work—W. V. Cosden, Dover; Charles P. Dickey, Stanton; Robert J. Allen, Seaford.

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Salisbury will be host to the members of the Maryland Annual Conference of the Methodist Protestant church at their 96th session in Bethseda church on April 2d.

The commitee on entertainment has about completed arrangements for taking care of the 300 clericals and delegates, receiving a most generous response, which has not been confined to members of this church, but many of the other denominations as well.

Mr. W. E. Sheppard is chairman of that committee, assisted by Dr. R. L. Shipley, E. J. C. Parsons, Branch H. Phillips, Chas. W. Bennett, Mesdames Frederic P. Adkins, John G. Brittingham, Wm. P. Ward, J. M. Elderdice, J. W. Sirman and Miss Virginia Taylor.

The day sessions will be devoted to routine business and the evenings to various phases of the church work. Churchmen of national reputation will make addresses.

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Caners in the eastern section of Sussex county are closing contracts with the farmers to grow tomatoes this year at twenty-five cents the basket. Already many have signed an agreement, and the acreage promises to be large.

Many growers have refused to sign contracts and propose to run the risk of the market.

32½c for Dorchester Tomatoes

The Dorchester County Farm Bureau has been successful in securing a contract for 1700 acres of tomatoes with three canners around Cambridge and Church Creek in Dorchester county, on the following basis: For tomatoes delivered up to and includnig August 16th, 32½c per basket; delivered between August 17th and 21st, inclusive 30c per basket; for tomatoes delivered after August 21st, 27½c per basket.

This acreage constitutes over one-third of the amount the Farm Bureau has to sell for 1924. There seems to be little doubt but what they will be able to place the balance of the acreage at the above mentioned figures. To date there has been not more than 500 acres of tomatoes contracted for in Dorchester county, outside of the Farm Bureau Tomato Pool at 25c.

RIDGELY

Miss Fannie Salusbury, of Queen Anne, spent Tuesday with her cousin, Miss Emma G. Saulsbury.

Mr. Louis Goldstein died last Friday at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Samuel Bear, where he had been making his home since the death of his wife, which occured about a year ago. The body was taken to Baltimore for burial.

Mrs. F. M. Long was in Easton hospital this week for treatment.

Tom Jones, of Polytechnic Instute, Baltimore, is at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Jones, for a spring vacation.

Rev. and Mrs. M. E. Wheatley are attending the M. E. conference in Wilmington.

Mrs. Ida Slemmer, wife of Mr. F. G. Slemmer, a former resident of Ridgely, died on Monday the 17th, at Indianhead, Md., of Brights disease, at the age of 70 years. The deceased is surrived by her husband, one son, Mr. Milton Slemmer, of Centerville, and one daughter, Miss Edith Slemmer, of Indianhead. The remains were taken to Centreville for burial. Mrs. Slemmer has many friends and acquaintances in Ridgely who regret to learn of her death.

Miss Mildred Massey has been spending a few days with friends in Wilmington and Philadelphia.

Mr. Leo Meginney, of Ridgely, and Miss Lillian Pippin, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Pippin, of near town, were married on Tuesday evening, the 18th, at the Catholic rectory, Father Eugene Kraemer officiating. Immediately following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Meginney left for a trip to Baltimore and Washington.

The Nyoda Camp Fire group, with their guardian Mrs. A. G. Saulsbury, and assistant guardian, Miss Margaret Swing, were entertained by the Wendat Camp Fire group of Denton, at a St. Patricks social Tuesday evening of last week, in the Law building.

Mr. C. W. Jackson, who is still confined to his room, has had the following visitors lately: Mrs. Mary Jackson, Mr. Charles Jackson and Miss Dorothy Rawlings, of Greensboro, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Glanding, and Mr. Howard Glanding and two children, Wilmington, Mr. and Mrs. Prince, of Bridgetown.

Miss Vera Sharpley is spending a few weeks with her parents at Chincoteague.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hubbard, of Federalsburg, have been visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. William Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Richards Groff announce the birth of a son.

Mrs. J. H. Hemmons and her Sunday school entertained the classes of the other churches of the town in the basement of the Reformed Church Friday evening of last week.

An annex room is being built to the shop where Mr. Beekman, our baker, conducts an increasing business.

Rev. and Mrs. M. E. Wheatley attended the funeral of Mr. Thomas Barcus, at Centerville last Thursday afternoon.

Miss Eva Barnes, of Hillsboro, has been substituting at the Ridgely high school for Mrs. Norman Clark.

Lieut. Mervon Seward, accompanied by a friend, came to Ridgely Wednesday of last week in an aeroplane and made a brief stop at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seward.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrell Saulsbury motored to Germantown, Pa., on Sunday to visit at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Robert Headley.

St. Benedicts Catholic church of Ridgely is soon to be remodeled.

Mrs. Sawasky has been spending this week with her children in Wilmington.

Miss Iris Leager, who holds a position with a radio company in Wilmington, has been spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Leager.

Mr. Jas. P. Swing, Sr., has been confined to his home this week because of a very sever cold.

Mrs. Harvey Sewell and Mrs. Paul Sewell entertained a number of friends on Wednesday, evening of last week at their commodious home on Central avenue.

Mrs. Tolson, of Wilmington, has been spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Coursey Hemmons.

Miss Annie Spray, of Centreville, has been spending a few days with Mrs. M. E. Wheatley at the Methodist parsonage.

The St. Patrick's social held at the home of her Mrs. M. H. Thomas, netted $15 to be added to the church house fund.

Mr. Lawrence Wilson, our bank cashier, gave an address on "Banking" to the seniors of the Ridgely high school last Thursday.

Mrs. Wilson Saulsbury and son were recent visitors at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. G. Saulsbury.

Mr. Frank Kibler has purchased the Ridgely ice plant formerly operated by Mr. A. W. Thompson.

Mr. I. T. Leager has sold his blacksmithing and machine business to Mr. Kemp Stewart, of Hillsboro. Mr. Leager expects soon to move to Chestertown.

At the Womens' Home Missionary meeting held at the home of Mrs. Frank Seward last Thursday evening, Miss Viola Jones was appointed delegate to the district convention to be held at Middletown on April 9.

Mrs. E. F. Pearsaul entertaned the Willing Workers Sewing Circle at her home on Wednesday evening of last week

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Mr. Albert Saulsbury, of Philadelphia, has been spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Saulsbury.

Mrs. Leonard Dean has returned from a week's visit at the home of her brother, Mr. A. W. Dukes, Centreville.

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Mason were recent visitors at the home of his brother, Mr. J. M. Mason, Centreville.

Mrs. Roy Speakman, of Marcus Hook, is visiting her mother, Mrs Isabel Andrews.

Mrs. B. Mahan and son, of near Henderson, have been visiting her mother, Mrs. R. E. Pippin.

Miss Anna Lynch has returned from a visit with Baltimore friends.

Miss Mary Hopton has returned from a months stay with relatives in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Harry Clark entertained at dinner at the Brick Hotel in Denton, Wednesday of last week Mrs. Henry Wilkinson, Mrs. Frank Seward and Mrs. H. L. Holsinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flounders spent the week end with relatives in Wilmington.

Mr. Samuel Thomas, of Wesley Collegiate Institute, Dover, is home for a ten days vacation.

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