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THURSDAY, MAY 2 , 1924

PRIDE OF CRAFT

We quote the following from "The Transmitter," the extremely interesting magazine published by the C. & P. Telephone Company. The editorial is so very worth while, we want to pass it on:

Many years ago when skilled workmen, without the aid of machinery, completed various things for household use and other purposes, there existed and was recognized a spirit known as the pride of craft.

In the present age, when machinery and electricity enter to a large degree into the manufacture of practically everything, the craftsman has been more or less relegated to the background. When a man spends his entire day in stamping out one small part for an automobile, for instance, he is hardly likely to have a great deal of pride in the finished job, the completed automobile.

That is, unless he has imagination enough, while he is working on his individual part, to see in his mind's eye the completed job and to realize that without his individual part it would not become a completed job.

Fortunately, in our work of furnishing telephone service, there are mighty few jobs where a man spends his entire time in punching out little strips of tin or something of the sort. In nearly every case the telephone employee can find something in his work in which he or she can display a proper pride of craft, and find considerable satisfaction in doing well.

To do a job well is to do what is expected of every person who undertakes a job.

Doing a job well also makes it more agreeable to the one who does it, for it is a truth that those who understand their work best find it easiest to do.

Pride of craft is not confined to those who make fine watches or paint beautiful pictures. There was a ditch-digger once who rejoiced because he could dig a ditch straighter and better than any other man he knew.

If you find your job uninteresting, ask yourself if you have the proper pride of craft; if you haven't, the chances are that you should enter some other kind of work.

RIDGELY

Rev. M. E. Wheatley has returned from the general conference held in Massachusetts and was in his place at the Methodist Church on Sunday.

Commencement exercises will be held at the Ridgely High School Monday evening, June 16th. The address will be delivered by Dr. Martin G. Brumbaugh, of Philadelphia. Class day exercises will be held and are free to the public. The baccalaureate sermon will be preached by Rev. L. K. Geigler, of Denton who will be assisted by Rev. M. E. Wheatley, on Sunday morning, June the 15th at 11 o'clock. The service will be held at the High School Auditorium.

The end-ball team gave their teacher, Miss Mildred Massey, a surprise party Tuesday evening of last week at the home of Mrs. M. H. Thomas.

Miss Ella Whitely and nephew, Mr. Courtney Whitely, and Mr. Charles Whitely and sisters, all of Preston, were entertained lately at the home of Misses Bessie and Sadie Wilson.

Mr. Russell Swann, of Philadelphia is spending a two weeks vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Swann.

Miss Agnes Johnson, who came here the first of the year to assist her brother, Mr. A. M. Johnson, at his bungalow near town, and who has been ill ever since, was taken to her home in Roulette, Pa., on Monday, Mrs. Johnson accompaning her.

Mr. Milton Briscoe, of U. S. N. preparatory school, Norfolk, Va., has been spending a few days with Mr. Kent Temple.

Mr. George Imler attended the Reformed Church Classis held at Silver Run.

Mrs. James Walker and son have been spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Arthur Rentzheimer, at Bethlehem, Pa.

A union service was held at St. Paul's Reformed Church on Sunday evening at which the motion picture, "Lest We Forget," was shown.

Miss Ann Smith celebrated her thirteenth birthday anniversary on Tuesday evening of last week with a taffy-pulling party.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carter on their return from Florida, where they had been spending the winter, stopped for a few days visit with the latter's sister, Mrs. J. W. Booker, and husband.

Mrs. Harold Roe, of Federalsburg, has been spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. H. C. Robinson.

Mrs. Leroy Sard and children have been spending a week with friends in Chestertown.

Mrs. William Mitchell and Mrs. George Bullock have been spending a few days in Philadelphia.

Prof. and Mrs. F. A. Stayer have been visiting with the latter's relatives in Lancaster, Pa.

Miss Mary Seney, of Price, was a recent guest of Miss Mildred Massey.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Herzog, of Baltimore, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Lane and son, of Philadelphia, were recent visitors at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. James Shaner have been entertaining relatives from Dover.

Mr. Albert Saulsbury, who has been working for some time in Philadelphia, has returned home.

Mrs. Leonard Dean has been visiting at Centreville.

Mrs. Lillian Miller and Mrs. Mary Lowright of Bethlehem, Pa., are guests of Mrs. James Walker.

Mrs. Jack Applebaum and little daughter have been spending a few days with relatives in Batimore.

Mrs. Emily Hahn, of Atlantic City is visiting her cousin, Mrs. E. E. Pendleton.

Mrs. William Wilson has rented rooms in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Shaner.

The following visitors were entertained lately at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Klotz: Mr. and Mrs. Coulbourne, of Elsmore; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Governor and Mr. and Mrs. William Governor, of Salisbury.

Mr. Joseph Lane and Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Comegys, of Centreville, have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Booker, Mrs. John Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hall, all of Barclay, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Starkey.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McKnett, of Sudlersville, have been visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. C. W. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Samis and children, of Philadelphia, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lane.

Mr. Dudley Price and family, of Trainer, Pa., have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Price.

Rev. George Fitz and wife were entertained for the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Simon. Mr. and Mrs. Fitz are moving into the Reformed parsonage.

Mr. Ronald Lane has been spending a few days with friends at Bethlehem, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Long, of Selbyville, Del., were recent visitors at the home of his brother, Mr. Frank Long.

Mrs. Ernest Jones and Miss Beatrice Bowers have been spending a few days in Baltimore.

Mrs. J. A. Frazer, of Pottsville, Pa., is visiting at the home of her brother, Mr. Jonas Shaner.

Thieves visited the Summitt Poultry Farm, of which Mr. Harvey Holsinger is manager, Tuesday night of last week and stole 200 frying chickens and 200 day-old chicks. The loss is estimated at $300.

Mrs. George Bullock and daughters have been visiting in Philadelphia.

The friends of Mrs. William Rickards gave her a surprise party Wednesday evening of last week in honor of her birthday anniversary. The guests included Mr. Ralph Meredith and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Rickards, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Thompson, Mr. Jesse Lynch, Mrs. Dill and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Stafford.

Mr. Lawrence Lynch is recovering from an attack of grip.

GOLDSBORO

Mr. Milton LeCompte Hubbard and Miss Rosalie Windsor of Cambridge, were married at the Methodist parsonage last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wright and son, of Preston, were Sunday callers at Noble Jarrell's.

Mrs. L. F. Meese of Wilmington, spent part of last week with her daughter, Mrs. Noble Jarrell.

Miss Pauline Bennet, of Bridgeville, Del., spent Sunday at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Seward of Ridgely visited their daughter, Mrs. Edward Lapham, Sunday afternoon.

M. Devolston Cartwright and family visited Wilmington the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Everin, of Sudlersville were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Noble Shively.

Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Jarman visited Mrs. Lydia Leonard near Dover Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Rnie Johnson, of Sudlersville visited Mr. and Mrs. Ross Duling Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Buchannam and Mr. and Mrs. David Richards and father, of Wilmington, called upon Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Roche Sunday.

Mr. Edwin Butler [illegible], of Wlmington, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Butler.

Mr. Horace Dennison, Alfred and wife visited Mrs. Craig, near Wyoming Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Annie Mitchell [illegible] and mother and Smith Shockley [illegible] and wife visited Viola Del. Sunday.

Mr. J. Frank Lane and wife called upon the former's mother, at Templeville Sunday.

Miss Ruth Shockley spent a few days last week visiting friends at Clayton.

Miss Cairylon Lapham of Chestertown, spent the week-end at home.

Rev. J. A. Rovd and wife, of Queen Anne, spent Tuesday at the Methodist parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Reed entertained Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Murphy, Mrs. Martin and Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Schooley at their wedding anniversary dinner last Friday.

Children's Day service will be observed at the Methodist Church Sunday night.

Caroline County Bank
Greensboro, Md. May 28, 1924
This bank will be closed all day Friday, May 30th, Memorial Day it being a legal holiday. All notes payable here and maturing on that day may be paid on the day following.
T. CLAYTON HORSEY, Cashier

TUCKAHOE NECK

The first quarterly conference of Caroline Circuit will be held at Thawley's M. P. Church Tuesday, June 3 at 2 p. m.

A full rehearsal of Children's Day program is called for Tuesday, June 3rd at 8 p. m.

Rev. Cummins preached a helpful sermon on Concentration or Centralization of effort on Sunday morning from Philippians 3-13. "This one thing I. do."

Thawley's Sunday school is planning to send one young man to summer conference at Port Royal for his second year and two young ladies to Westminister for their first year in training for leadership this summer.

Thomas Hazel Clark and Bernard Wood will attend the state athletic meet in Baltimore June 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert DeFord visited Mr. and Mrs. Embert, of Queen Anne on Sunday.

Misses Rosa and Gertrude Riley visited Misses Beulah and Edna Clopper on Sunday.

Mr. Edgar Blades and family visited Mr. David Clopper and family on Sunday.

Thomas Clopper and Clifford Wright made a trip to Clayton, Del., on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph T. Coursey, of Baltimore have purchased a home on North Ave and expect to move into it in the near future.

J. M. MORAN

Mr. J. M. Moran died Wednesday morning at the county home at the age of 83 years. Funeral services will be held at the Williston church Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. J. E. Smith of Philadelphia, officiating. The Masonic order will have charge of the body at the grave.

JR. O. U. A. M. ATTENDED M. P. CHURCH SUNDAY

The Junior Order of United American Mechanics attended service Sunday morning in the M. P. Church. Assembling at the lodge room, the members, about 50 in number, marched to the church and entered in a body. A most appropriate sermon was delivered by the pastor, Rev. G. J. Hooker, who used as his theme, the fact that "Christianity Assumes Patriotism."

ANDERSONTOWN

The rubber boot and umbrella season still continues.

Messrs. S. G. Nuttle and Earle Smith, of Denton, were in town Thursday.

County Agent, L. M. Goodwin was in this place one day last week.

The Community Club met with Mrs. Oscar Kelley Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. B. Lawless, and son, Francis Charles Todd, Mrs. R. H. Walling, and Mrs. Annie Seeders, motored to Salisbury, Saturday.

The local unit of the Farm Bureau met at Concord, Monday evening.

J. R. Starkey has been making some repairs on the property owned by him and occupied by R. H. Walling.

The latest report from Mrs. B. B. Cohee, who is undergoing treatment from an eye specialist in Philadelphia, is that her physician considers an operation necessary. Her many friends regret the seriousness of her condition, and hope for her speedy recovery.

Mrs. W. E. Bullock was in Burrsville Saturday.

The new locomotive went over the railroad Friday, blowing its whistle conspicuously. Probably believes that it pays to advertise.

Plenty of cloudy weather these days, however, the absence of sunshine is no legitimate excuse for the indulgence in moonshine.

METHODIST LIFT BAN ON AMUSEMENTS

Springfield, Mass., May 27.—The Methodist ban upon amusements except those "which cannot be used in the name of the Lord Jesus" was lifted today by a 5-to-1 vote of the Methodist Episcopal General Conference here. A minorty report forbidding theater attendance on Sundays and specifying dancing and immoral theater performances was tabled by 460 votes to 295.

There was no debate. Dr. George of Detroit, presented the majority report of a standing committee on the state of the church, and W. M. Short, of Fort Worth, Tex., spoke for the minority report. The adoption of the former removed restrictions against dancing, games of chance and all theater attendance, in force since 1872.

Warns of Theater Going

Besides the change in the church law, which applied to section 280 of the disciple, the majority report altered the definition given in paragraph 69 of the special advices in the discipline, which warned against "theatre going," so as to read as follows:

"We lift up a solemn note of warning and entreaty, particularly against attendance upon immoral ,questionable and misleading theatrical and motion picture performances."

Today's action, in keeping with a recommendation made in the address of the bishops earlier in the month, ended an issue which for decades has caused dissension in the church at large and at the general conference. To avoid such a conflict this time the Rev. James R. Gettys, of University Place, Neb., moved after the reading of the reports that they be put to vote without debate. His motion was sustained by a decisive vote.

Preston Jr. O. U. A. M.

All the members of Preston Council No. 43 Jr. O. U. A. M. are requested to attend the Memorial exercises in Denton on Sunday afternoon, June 1, at two o'clock, when they will join Caroline Council No. 175 and also members of other councils.

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W. I. NORRIS, Cashier

The Farmers & Merchants State Bank
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GEO. W. BECK, Cashier

AUDITOR'S ORDER NISI

FRED R. OWENS, Trustee
vs.
ALEXANDER E. MILLER
In the Circuit Court for Caroline County, In Equity, No. 2255

ORDERED this 27th day of May, 1924, that the Auditor's Report, made and filed in the above cause, be ratified and confirmed unless good cause to the contrary be shown within three weeks from the 29th day of May, 1924, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Caroline County, once in each of two successive weeks before the 9th day of June, 1924.

GEO. A. DEAKYNE, Clerk

True Copy: Test—
GEO. A. DEAKYNE, Clerk

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FRED R. OWENS, Solicitor

NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS

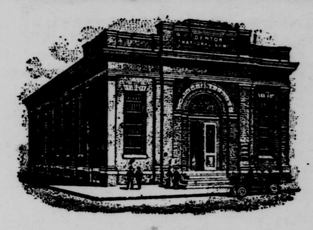
In the District Court of the United States for the District of Maryland
In the matter of
OSCAR CLARK, Bankrupt

Notice is hereby given that on May 19th, 1924, the said Oscar Clark, of Denton, Caroline County, Maryland, was duly adjudged bankrupt, and the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the law office of Fred R. Owens, in Denton, Maryland, on the 11th day of June, 1924, at 9:00 o'clock a. m. at which time the creditors of said bankrupt may attend, prove their claims, appoint a Trustee or Trustees, examine said bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before the said meeting.

SIDNEY P. TOWNSHEND,
Chestertown, Maryland. Referee

N. B.—Creditors should at once prove their claims before a Notary Public and file same with the referee or have them ready to file at the first meeting of creditors. 29-2t

COMMUNITY HEADQUARTERS



THIS BANK should be a meeting place for the business men of our community.

In the exchange of ideas on business conditions with our officers, we can each serve the other better and bestow a helpful infuence on our town.

A thriving community needs more of the intimate association between its business men and its bankers.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

SEALED PROPOSALS for building one section of State Highway, as follows:

Caroline County. Cont. co-35. One section of State highway from end of cont. co-27 toward Federalsburg, for a distance of 1.17 miles. (concrete). will be received by the State Roads Commission, at its offices, 601 Garrett Building, Baltimore, Maryland, until 12 M. on the 10th day of June, 1924 at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read.

Bids must be made upon the blank proposal form which with specifications and plans will be furnished by the Commission upon application and cash payment of $1.00 as hereafter no charges will be permitted.

No bids will be received unless accompanied by a certified check for the sum of Five Hundred ($500) Dollars, payable to the State Roads Commission.

The successful bidder will be required to give bond, and comply with the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, respecting contracts.

The Commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

BY ORDER of the State Roads Commisson this 22nd day of May 1924.
H. L. STEUART, Secretary
JOHN N. MACKALL, Chairman 29-2t

Specials For This Week

Rugs & Linoleums
DeLux Bed Springs

Simmons' Beds and Springs
Simmons' Mattresses

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