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THURSDAY, MAY 7, 1925

YOUR MOTHER

Nobody else may ever care because you have a broken heart,
Nobody else, if you should err, may be inclined to take your part
But she will know and she will pray
That God may take your woes away;
When all fair-weather friends forget, when fortune turns and smiles no more,
Her faith in you will linger yet, she will be faithful as before.

Nobody else may ever see your native worth, your nobleness,
Nobobdy else may know, but she will know, what talents you possess;
Though others enviously frown,
Or may seek to drag you down,
She will in thoughts and words be true, and with sweet triumph in her breast,
Achieve her rarest blessing through the favors, through which you are blessed.

Nobobdy else may weep because your dearest plans have come to naught,
Nobody else may deign to pause, if in sin's meshes you are caught,
To ask if you had been to blame,
Or seek to rid you of your shame;
But she would still, with all her heart proclaim your innocence, your worth,
Oh, strive my boy, to do your part to gladden her brief days on earth.

—S. E. Kiser

GOLDEN RULE IS WORKING

There has never been a time when the newspapers have played a more important part in the upbuilding of community life and business conditions than they have in the past two years and today their power for good is being felt in a way that will mean much in community development. In other words, we have reached the time now when all elements are pulling together, when not only petty jealousies that have hampered the growth of small communities have been set aside but when animosity and bickering between cities have been wiped out almost entirely, and one town today is only too glad to help another.—Southern California Business, Los Angeles.

THE GREAT TRAGEDY OF SCIENCE

A report on Canada's much discussed electric experiment says "Electric consumers from the governmentally owned hydro-electric system in Ontario have failed to pay actual costs of service they have received by more than $19,000,000."

The bills have been paid—by the common taxpayer who uses little or no power..

Huxley, the scientist, once wrote this immortal criticism—"The great tragedy of science is the slaying of a beautiful hypothesis by an ugly fact." the "cheap power" hypothesis is slain by a low-brow $19,000,000 tax-paid deficit.

GETTING DOWN TO EARTH

The secretary of agriculture recently warned the settlers of a hard-pressed Western reclamation unit, that they were grasping after the will-o'-the-wisp of too much land that would break them, instead of carefully cultivating smaller acreage that should make them rich.

When the great Twin Falls irrigation tract in Idaho was opened, the average holding was above 100 acres. Many of the first holders worked themselves into the poor house or the grave, trying to pay up on so much land. But every year, the average holding has decreased, until it is now under 20 acres—and they are prosperous instead of broke. The Okanogan project in Washington, where the holdings have receded in size to only 12 acres, is producing an average of $300 an acre a year, according to the federal figures.

Smaller farms, better crops and business judgment is the sure foundation of farm prosperity. It is not a matter of legislation or federal or state aid.

SUGAR AND THE TARIFF

It is well known that there is a strong partnership arrangement between the beet sugar manufacturers and the farmers who raise the beets.

It is a mutual agreement based on co-operative marketing, one of the largest and best known plans for fair dealing between the interested parties.

Operating in connection with the Tariff Commission, the manufacturer of sugar and the farm producer of raw material each gets his full share of the financial result.

Figures put out by the Tariff Commission show that for 89 per cent. of the beet sugar produced in 1922 the farm grower received an average of 3.37 cents per pound.

In the case of the imported cane sugar refined in our country the Cuban farmer netted 1.15 cents per pound, or one-third what the American grower received.

The people of our country are beginning to understand that the tariff has little or no effect on the final retail price of the sugar they use.

For example, in January, 1923, refined cane sugar in New York was $6.50 per 100, while on April 25, it has advanced to $10.25 per 100.

During 1924, refined cane sugar was $9.00 per 100 in February and now it is $6.00, while all this time the tariff has remained the same—$1.765 per $100.

The 250,000 farmers growing sugar beets in the U. S. are vitally interested in tariff and market conditions that will leave their industry permanent and prosperous.

RIDGELY

The program committee for "Better Homes Week" includes Mrs. Thompson Swing, chairman; Mrs. George Fitz, Miss Alice Flounders, Mrs. Calvin Lynch, Miss Margaret Swing, Mrs. E. E. Mason, Mrs. A. S. Thompson and E. F. Pearsaul. The committee has arranged four programs, the first to be held Monday afternoon, May, 11, at 2:30. The other three will be given Wednesday afternoon, Thursday night and Saturday afternoon. Music, recitations, declamations, etc., will be included in the entertainments. Several speakers, who will talk on subjects appropriate to the occasion, are also listed.

Mrs. John Bromley, of New York, spent the week end at the home of her brother, Mr. Charles Stevenson.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilkinson and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Holsinger motored to Goldsboro, Sunday, and were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gibson.

Mrs. H. A. Kinhart went to Easton Hospital, Monday, to have her teeth X-rayed.

Mrs. A. C. Brower and Mr. E. G. Poole and family, of Federalsburg, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Smith. Their son, Mr. T. A. Smith Jr., of Newark, N. J., has also been spending a few days with them.

Mrs. Vachel Downes is in Easton Hospital, where she underwent an operation for gall stones.

The pastor's son, Rev. E. K. Zeigler, from West Virginia, occupied the pulpit of the Church of the Brethren, on Sunday morning. The pastor, Rev. H. H. Zeigler, preached in the evening, taking for his subject, "Lest we Forget."

The Ridgely fire company has installed a new electric siren.

Thieves recently visited the cellar of Mr. Daniel Butler, taking a quantity of fruit and canned meat and two full cans of lard.

At the preliminary declamation contest held at the high school, Swing Pearsaul was selected to represent Ridgely at the county contest in Denton.

Mr. J. Applebaum announces that he will open his new store for business on Saturday, May, 9th.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gaitley have been spending a week in Baltimore and Wilmington.

Mrs. Carolyn Mancha has been spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Joseph Muller, Easton.

Messrs. J. T. and Charles Stevenson spent Wednesday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Harry Gibson, Delmar.

Miss Ruth Wheatley, of Denton, has been spening a few days with Anna Frances Seward.

Miss Mary Detwiler is clerking in the ice cream and confectionery store of Mrs. D. L. Holsinger.

Miss Viola Jones has been spending a week with friends in Bridgeville.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stevens, of Easton, have been visitors at the home of Mrs. Stevens' mother, Mrs. M. W. Royer.

Mrs. J. W. McKnett, of Sudlersville, has been spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Emma Jackson.

Mrs. H. C. Rawlings and little daughter, from Annapolis, are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Dean and Mrs. Rachel McKenney were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Messick, Queen Anne.

Mr. Cline Smith and family, of Altoona, Pa., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cannon.

Mrs. Frank Taylor and children have returned from a visit with her mother at Clarksville, Del.

Mrs. Harvey Sewell has succeeded Mrs. M. E. Wheatley as teacher of Sunday school class known as the "Blue Birds."

Applebaum's new store will soon be open, with an up-to-date stock of high class goods on display. Mr. S. B. Elliot will have his grocery store in a room adjoining.

Rev. and Mrs. Harry Zeigler have been attending the district conference of the Church of the Brethren, at Harleysville. Montgomery county.

Mrs. Earl Callahan and daughters, of Philadelphia, have been visiting Mrs. Herbert Hammond.

Mrs. William Sharpley, Kermit and Ray Sharpley, Miss Blanche Bowdle and Mrs. Howard, all of Chincoteague, were recent visitors with Mrs. Alice Bennington.

An exhibition of antique articles will be held on Tuesday afternoon, May 12, at the church house by the Women's Community Club. Mrs. J. Simons is chairman of this movement

At our town election Mr. Harper Long was re-elected for a period of three years. The other members of the board are Dr. J. C. Madara and Roger Ringgold.

Mrs Jule Spalding, of Philadelphia, has been spending a week with Mrs. J. C. Hemmons.

Dr. Rosenast, from Merchantville, N. J., has been spending a few days at the home of Mr. John M. Swing.

Mr. Alex Dawson, of Philadelphia, and Misses Emily Koeneman, Irene Neff and Messrs. Herbert and Fred Koeneman visited Rehoboth, Sunday.

Rv. and Mrs. Edward Zeigler, of West Virginia, are visiting the former's parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. H. Zeigler. They attended a state conference in Easton, Pa., last week.

Miss Lola Mitchell has been spending a few days in Baltimore.

Mrs. Charles Hammond has been spending a few days with her father-in-law, Mr. John Hammond, who is ill at his home in Centreville.

PRESTON

Senator Atwood Bennett, of Salisbury spoke in behalf of the Near East Relief on Sunday night in the Bethesda M. E. church.

May 10 to 17 will be observed as Children's Week in Preston. The purpose of this observance is to create public sentiment in favor of the religious and moral training of children, and to stimulate community action through the cooperation of all churches and outside organizations interested in the uplift of childhood. Citizens, it is hoped, will be made to see that the hope of the community is wrapped up in its childhood.

Sunday, May 10 being Mother's day, Rev. C. C. Harris will preach a Mother's Day sermon. All are invited to attend this service.

The Women's Community Club met with Mrs. A. Fletcher Sisk last Friday night. After the business meeting a most interesting program was given. The leading feature being a debate. The question for discussion was: Resolved: "Successful farming depends on being out of debt." Both the affirmative and the negative sides put up very good arguments, but the decision was in favor of the negative.

The Ladies' Club was entertained by Mrs. Cummings last Thursday afternoon.

A baby clinic will be held in Lednum Hall, May 15, under the supervision of Dr. Knox, of Baltimore. All children will be examined free of any charge, under the age of seven years.

Mrs. A. W. Sisk spent several days in Baltimore last week. While there she attended the Federation of Women's Clubs held at Belvedeer Hotel. Mrs. Sherman, the national president, addressed the club, Friday at luncheon her subject was "Better Homes." Mrs. Max Mayer, of Des Moines, Iowa, addressed 500 women at dinner on Thursday, 7:30 p. m., on "How to prevent war."

On Thursday evening, April 30, a preliminary contest was held in the high school auditorium to determine the contestant that would represent the school in the county declamation contest to be held at Denton on May 5. Dorothy Wright, Mary Fluharty and Robert Dulin were the contestants. The following judges were selected: Mr. Charles B. Harrison, Mrs. Mary Elzey and Miss Black, of Easton. Miss Mary Fluharty was selected by the judges as the winner.

Mrs. Ruth Dowdling attended a bridge party at the home of Mrs. Orland Kelley, in Easton, last Saturday afternoon. The party was given in honor of Miss Eleanor Kelley, who is a nurse in the Fitz Simmons U. S. Army Hospital, in Denver, Colo. Miss Kelley visited her grandmother, Mrs. Inez Kelley, last week.

Mrs. Agnes H. Gardner, of Greenville, S. C., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Agnes H. Waddell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph C. Lednum spent the week end in Salisbury.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Smith, of Eastville, Va., visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Parker, Sunday.

Miss Edith Noble was a Baltimore visitor last week.

Mr. J. Frank Lednum spent several days in Washington last week.

Mrs. George N. Fluharty and son, Norwood, have returned home from Baltimore, both are very much improved since their recent operations at the Church Home and Infirmary Hospital.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

T. PLINER FISHER, Assignee
vs.
OSCAR CLARK and
CATHERINE CLARK, his wife
In the Circuit Court for Caroline County in Equity No. 3002

Ordered this 30th day of April, 1925 by the Circuit Court for Caroline County in Equity, and by the authority of said court, that the creditors of Oscar Clark and Catherine S. Clark, his wife, and all persons who may be entitled to participate in the distribution of the surplus proceeds of the balance remaining after satisfying the mortgage under which the real estate of said Oscar Clark was sold, be and hereby are notified to file their claims with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Caroline County on or before the 3d day of August, next, provided a copy of this order be published in some weekly newspaper printed and published in Caroline County, Maryland, once in each of four successive weeks before the 3d day of June, 1925.

THOMAS J. KEATING,
True Copy: Test—
GEO. A. DEAKYNE, Clerk
30-4t

EXECUTOR'S SALE
—OF—
REAL ESTATE
—IN—
IN TUCKAHOE NECK

By virtue of the power and authority contained in a certain mortgage, dated November 22, 1915, from John W. Wright and Henrietta Wright, his wife, to Albert G. Towers, which mortgage was duly assigned by the said Albert G. Towers to George R. Neal, said assignment being recorded in Liber G. R. S., No. 16, folio 194 &c., one of the mortgage record books for Caroline County.

The undersigned, as the executor of the last will and testament of the said George R. Neal, late of aCroline county, deceased, will expose and sell at Public auction to the highest bidden on

Tuesday, May 26, 1925

in front of the Court house, Denton, Maryland, all of that lot, tract or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Sixth Election District of Caroline County, on the county road from Harris' Chapel to Hillsboro, and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point near Deep Branch at a stake and from thence runs with said County road, on said County road, north 22¼ degrees west, 28.2 perches to intersect the lands of Oscar Clark; thence with said lands south 75¾ degrees east; 26.9 perches; thence south 59¾ degrees east, 6.2 perches; thence south 34 degrees east, 2 perches; thence south 62 degrees west to the place of beginning, containing two and three-fourth acres of land more or less; save and excepting two small parcels of land 50 feet by 100 feet each heretofore conveyed by the said John W. Wright and wife, one of said parcels being conveyed to William Roger Wright and the other to Anna Daisy Lake, the former being recorded in Liber C. W. H. No. 67, folio 582, and the latter in C. W. H. No. 67, folio 250, one of the land record books for Caroline County; and is the same land conveyed to the said John W. Wright by James T. Smith and wife by deed dated March 16, 1880 and of record among the land record books for said Caroline County in Liber L. H. G. No. 42, folio 163 &c., save and except the two parcels above mentioned, being the same property mentioned and described in the aforesaid mortgage. The improvements are a six room dwelling.

TERMS OF SALE: CASH. Title papers and revenue stamps at expense of purchaser.

JAMES TEMPLE, Auctioneer.

T. PLINY FISHER
Executor of the last will and testament of George R. Neal, deceased.
30-4t

Mr. and Mrs. Covey and Grace Covey and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Taylor visited Mr. and Mrs. Colbert, near Baltimore, last week.

Mr. Byard Nichols has returned to Bridgeville after spending the winter with his daughter, Mrs. Walter Covey.

TUCKAHOE NECK

Children's Week is being observed in this community. Visitors were out on Monday and Tuesday. Friday is mothers' and children's party in the grove and hall at Thawley's. Songs games and stories will be followed by ice cream and cake. Mothers bring all children up to the age of 12 years. We hope to get some snap-shots of them.

On Sunday Rev. Marshall will preach a sermon on religious education.

There was no Christian Endeavor meeting last Sunday night on account of illness of the leader. There will be service next Sunday. The topic, "How should I spend the Sabbath?" will be discussed with Thomas Clopper as leader.

The regular meeting of the Farm Bureau will be held next Monday evening. Come and bring the family. Something of interest is being planned for all ages.

There will be a report on program of work, a discussion of plans for Farmer's Day at Concord, August 14, a chance for ordering twine, and a tomato talk on men's program. The women will discuss the arrangement of kitchen, while the boys make bird boxes and the girls finish raffia bags and learn how to make rag rugs. After which the girls and boys will enter into games until the grown-ups have finished business. Then all will come together for initiation of and reception for our new secretary.

Miss Audrey Samis returned from Baltimore on Saturday after having her eyes treated and being fitted with glasses.

Mrs. W. C. Reed, Mrs. Thomas Clopper and Mrs. Wallace Clark visited Mrs. Joseph Morris, Friday.

Several from this community enjoyed the pageant on Sunday evening given at the Hillsboro M. E. church by Ebenezer church of Ruthsburg.

May Belle Fifield, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Fifield, was quite sick Sunday and Monday, but is about normal again.

Mr. Nathan Cade has been on the sick list for some time. He seems to be improving at this time.

The Parent-Teacher's Association held their regular meeting Thursday evening, April 30. After a short business session, arranging for the construction of swings, see saws, etc., the Girls' Club of Hillsboro and Thawleys community held a club meeting with a play, folk dances, songs, etc, which were very interesting. A display of their sewing was exhibited and diplomas were given for the year's work.

The next work to be taken up by the girls in the club will be canning. They have made wonderful progress.

LOOK!

Lower prices on Barbed Wire, Woven Wire, Fencing, Nails, Galvanized Roofing, etc.

BARBED WIRE, $4.50 (80 rod spools).
WIRE NAILS, $4.15 Base per 100 lbs.
1¼" GALVANIZED ROOFING, 5¼c per foot.
GALVANIZED Ridge Roll, 6c per lineal foot.
SLATE COATED and 1, 2 and 3-ply Felt Roofing.

STAG Semi-Paste PAINT (1 gallon makes 2). Everything in the PAINT line.
A good stock of WALL PAPER.

LORAIN Ranges, NEW TAYLOR, Perfection and NESCO Oil Stoves, Kitchen Cook Gas Stove, Oil Stove Ovens.

FARM WAGONS best on the market, 3000 lbs., $125
CARRIAGES, Full Leather Top, for $125.00.
Duplex Spring WAGON, with berry rack, $85.00.

Carriage and Wagon HARNESS, Horse COLLARS, Work BRIDLES, a good one for $2.00; a better one for $2.50; a lot of Parts.

OLIVER Sulky and Walking PLOWS and Repairs; also Repairs for John Deere and South Bend Plows

CORN PLANTERS, 50 and 60-tooth Spike Drags, Disk HARROWS, Oliver and International Sulky CULTIVATORS, Deering MOWERS; Garden Tools of all kinds.

Use FIRESTONE Tires and Tubes and Ride in peace. Full line of AUTO Supplies.

Pennsylvania and Eclipse LAWN MOWERS, Lawn HOSE and Sprinklers.

NUTTLE HARDWARE CO.
DENTON, MARYLAND

MARK EVERY GRAVE

Now is the time to take action in setting of head-stones and markers, if you would have the resting place of loved ones fittingly arranged for Memorial Day.

We guarantee the placing and now have many beautiful stones ready for delivery. Come in and let us help you decide upon an appropriate stone. Our prices are very reasonable.

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