Eastern Shore Happenings

Samuel J. Jones, Jr., aged 18, sustained a fractured back as the result of an accident on the state road near Hebron, Friday evening, and is now confined to the Peninsula General Hospital. Jones, it is said, was occupying the front seat of a Ford car driven by E. Russell Truitt, Delmar, the machine which collided with a driller towed by a mule team driven by Howard J. Ellis, of near Hebron. The car is said to have been overturned by the impact, pinning Jones underneath. Truitt and Edward Bennett, occupants of the damaged car, escaped with slight bruises.

Ellis was tried before Magistrate Hearne on Monday afternoon, charged by the State Police with not displaying proper lights on the driller. Several witnesses testified that it was not dark enough to necessitate illumination and Ellis was exonerated.

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The invitation, extended by Thomas J. Shyrock Commandry No. 11 of this city, to the Grand Commandery, Knights Templar of Maryland, to hold its Annual Conclave for 1926 in Salisbury, has just been accepted and the big affair is sceduled for May 5th. Commanderies at Easton and Cambridge will cooperate in its entertainment.

It is expected that more than 1,000 will be in attendance and that more than 500 Knights, in full regalia, will march in a mammoth parade. St. John's Commandery, Wilmington, and the two Commanderies on the Eastern Shore of Virginia will be invited.

The conclave is expected to last two days instead of one, as usually. It will be the third time, in a period of 55 years, that the Annual Conclave has been held outside of Baltimore City.

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From present indications the cherry crop in lower Delaware is going to be very short this season, due to the heavy frosts and freezes of a few weeks ago which killed most of them at a time when they were in full bloom.

The fruit will mature around the first of next month, under normal weather conditions, and there is expected to be a great demand with high prices prevailing. Some of the extensixe growers are not anticipating more than half a crop. Extensive shipments to the city markets are not expected this year, as most of the fruit will be used for home consumption.

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Fire which started from the exhaust of a 25 horse-power oil engine at 3:30 o'clock Friday morning, completely destroyed the ice and ice cream plant of the Palmer Ice Company, on Commerce street, Centreville. The total loss is estimated at $15,000, with $11,000 insurance.

Burning embers were carried by the wind to all sections of Centreville, and but for the fact that a copious shower had fallen several hours earlier, other serious fires might easily have been started. Good Will Fire Company responded promptly with both the Studebaker and Ford pumping engines, and volunteer organizations undoubtedly made the most efficient showing in the history of the department.

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Cambridge, Md., May 25—One fatality has been reported here as the result of the rainstorm that visited Dorchester county, Sunday. Mrs. R. Ward Hughes, of Drawbridge district, was killed in the windstorm preceding the rain. She went to her poultry yard to house chickens and was struck by a heavy limb broken from a tree which inflicted injuries that caused death. Surviving are her husband and four children: Miss Pearl Hughes, Spedden Hughes, at home; Mrs. Harold Simmons, of Golden Hill, and Brice Hughes, of Wicomico county.

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Chestertown, Md.. May 24 — Announcement has been made of the appointment of Dr. Fred G. Livingood as professor of education at Washington College. For the last three years Professor Livingood has pursued special studies in the graduate school of education at Harvard. Dr. Livingood was graduated from Slippery Rock Normal School, Pa., and Albright College, Myerstown, Pa. He comes to Washington as the successor of Prof. James W. Johns, recently resigned, and has been highly recommended by the Harvard authorities.

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Chestertown, Md., May 22—The Business Men's Association of Chestertown held a profitable open meeting in Firemen's Hall Wednesday evening. The hall was crowded with business men and farmers who had assembled for the purpose of interchanging views upon important business and agriculture subjects, which at this season of the year are engaging the attention of everyone.

Harry F. Jefferson, president of the association, presided, and introduced Willard G. Rouse, a prominent canner and business man, Easton, who spoke upon marketing crops to the best advantage and urged cooperation of the farmers in every phase of their activities.

Following the addresses luncheon was served.

The Business Men's Association has devoted much of its energy during the spring and winter months to a campaign to assist the farmers in the vicinity of the town, and a number of movements beneficial to the interests of the growers and shippers have been developed through the influence of the organization.

The purpose of the periodical open meetings given by the association is to bring about the closest operation on the part of the business and agricultural interests.

The association aims for the development of a mutually helpful scheme of work in order that Chestertown business interests may expand and agricultural conditions be greatly improved and encouraged.

The venture is proving eminently successful and there are many evidences of progress as a result.

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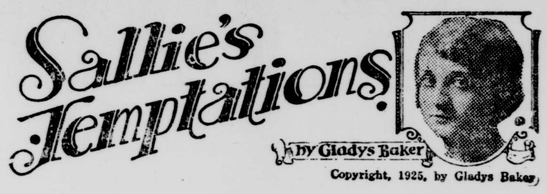
Georgetown, Del., May 22—Wheat fields in lower Delaware never looked better at this season of the year than now and prospects for a bumper crop are good. There is a greatly increased acreage in nearly every locality and the yield is expected to surpass that of two years ago.



SALLIE REACHES THE DIVINES ALONE AND DISHEVELED

"But I'll tell them who I am," I argued.

"That would only make it worse—with your reputation."

I loathed him with a consumating hatred.

"What do you mean, reputation?" I cried fiercely.

"Just because your father is president of a railroad and you belong to the debutante set, don't think you haven't been discussed all over this part of the country. Why I supposed you knew it. I didn't think you minded. You girls expect your 'position' to save you, but it doesn't. The majority of people make up the second or midle class," he continued, "and they are the ones who revel in gossip about the girls in 'society,' it's meat and drink for them. But then, the time is flitting. And oh, Sallie, I do love you," his voice sank to a whisper.

I flew to the door. I had forgotten to lock it. I fled the length of the hall and down the stairs, looking backward to see if he had followed.

All was quiet.

I aroused the man at the desk, who was nodding.

"May I get a car for Miamo?" I was all confusion.

"Why, yes, Miss, I 'lows as how my boy could take yer, but you aren't going alone, are you, at this hour?"

The significance of his words made me reel slightly. I had never dreamed of being placed in such an embarrassing position.

"But I've had a message," I stammered weakly, "anyway, please I must go. Will you or will you not get a car for me? The boy can get my bags, they have not been opened."

"Yes, Miss," the old man answered, looking me over, "and your coat and hat, ma'am, you'll need 'em the early mornin's right smart chilly."

I summoned as much dignity as possible and an instinct of self preservation gave me a sense of composure.

I walked to the door.

"Get everything out of my room," I threw over my shoulder, "I'll be waiting."

As I passed through the big room that was an improvised lobby, I noticed a very thin man with a cap pulled over his eyes and a cigarette dangling from his lips. He had evidently been aroused from his sleep by our voices. I walked outside while I waited and then something prompted me to look inside the lobby. The man in the cap had shuffled over to the desk and was bending over the register. There was an eager absorption in his manner.

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It seemed hours before we reached Miami, but glancing at my wrist watch in the arc light, I discovered that we had been driving only 45 minutes. 2:45—it was embarassing to go to the Divines at that hour when I had never been their guest before, but that fact did not upset me as much as my indignation and the way I had been flagrantly misunderstood by Warren Fisher.

It would seem that a girl could be jolly and harmlessly coquettish without men putting upon her actions the wrong interpretation.

The car stopped at the address I had given.

The Divines' Italian villa was a masterpiece of artistic architecture. It's lovely gardens gleaming in the moonlight were bathed in an ethereal beauty.

Above it hovered an Old World atmosphere that was strange and exotic.

There were many lights burning and so, with renewed courage, I asked the maid for Miss Mitchell. She was out, but Mrs. Divine had not undressed, as she had just come from a party. I explained who I was and the maid said that I was expected and that my room was ready.

Maybe it was the longing for my mother that made me ask for Mrs. Divine in spite of the belated hour. She had a daughter and maybe I could pour out my woes on her shoulder.

"I'll wait here for her," I told the maid and began walking the length of the tremendous living room with its tiled floor and high, leaded windows.

"You will pardon my unconventional attire?" said a voice at my elbow, "but I had just about retired."

"Oh," she drew back slightly as I faced her, "is it really Sallie?"

It was only then that I realized my disheveled appearance. The long, windy drive had whipped my hair about my face, and the scene at the Inn must have left my face pale and drawn. That had been a harrowing experience with Warren Fisher.

"Something has happened, Mrs. Divine," I began, and my voice wavered. "I can't tell you what it was, but it was something awful."

I put my face in my hands and wept copiously.

"But, my dear child, you must tell me, for only in that way can I give you any assistance."

Her voice was cold as sunlight on icicles, and there was no touch of sympathy in her manner.

"Oh, please, don't ask me, it's too miserable," I begger, realizing that she was not the type who would expect any aberration on the part of another.

"And the hour!" she ignored my explanation. "We looked for you about dinner time this evening. Indeed there has been enough time for almost anything to happen." she sighed in exasperation at what she evidently thought my perverse silence, and continued saying:

"Well, my dear, I'm sorry you will not let me do anything for you, and so the only suggestion I can make, un-

A gentleman whom I like very much me take you to your room and perhaps by morning you will feel better and more in a mood for conversation."

We ascended the long marble stairway together.

As I turned from her at the door of my boudoir, I noticed in the mirror that she stood perfectly still and regarded me for a moment. Over her face there swept a questioning look of suspicion.

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SWAT THE FLY

The first fly of the season buzzed through the open window in the recording room of the Bureau of Communicable Diseases of the State Department of Health the other day. Automatically, the office force rose, as one individual, to swat it. "Getting rid of one fly, now," murmured one of the combatants, "means the potential loss of many millions by August."

To verify this statement, the statistician looked up the records for fly families and this is what the books said:

	Flies
April (wintered over female)	1
May 1	120
May 28	7,200
June 20	432,000
July 10	25,920,000
July 29	1,555,200,000
August 18	93,312,000,000
Sept. 10	5,596,720,000,000

(These flies placed end to end would circle the world 880 times.)

When the excitement of the slaughter had subsided, it was found that several classics had been collcted and duly cherished by these ardent fly fighters. Some of the choicest are given below. The first originated in the departmnet and was as follows:

"There was a man in our town
And he was wondrous wise
He covered up his garbage pails
To keep away the flies."

This served as the text for a poster showing the wise old man with his fly proof garbage pail. Copies of the poster may be had by writing to the State Department of Health, 16 West Saratoga street, Baltimore.

Number 2 came from Lancashire, England. Here it is:

"Straight from the rubbish heap I come
I never wash my feet
And every single chance I get
I walk on what you eat."

The third came from the Oklahoma Health News, confirming the computations referred to above, and gave this advice:

"Every fly that skips our swatters
Will have five million sons and daughters
And countless first and second cousins
Of aunts and uncles scores and dozens
And fifty-seven million nieces
So knock the blame thing all to pieces.

Dr. Fulton, the director of the State Department of Health, urges the use of the most strenuous measures possible, against all enemies of personal and community health, to which class the fly belongs. Here is his advice: "The fly breeds in filth and feeds on filth, decaying vegetation, human excreta, and putrefying animal matter. Its favorite breeding spot is the manure pile. It flies from filth to food. It spreads tuberculosis, typhoid, dysentary and other diseases. It is no respector of persons. It carries infection to children and grown ups with equal impartiality.

"The time to get rid of flies is now, before they begin to multiply. Clean up the manure piles and all other places where garbage or putrefying waste collects. Screen your houses and your outhouses, and swat each fly that comes your way."

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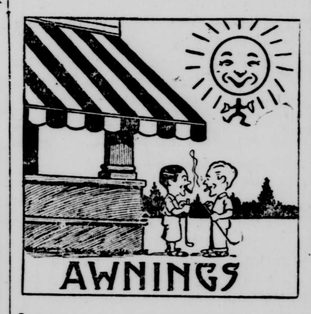

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