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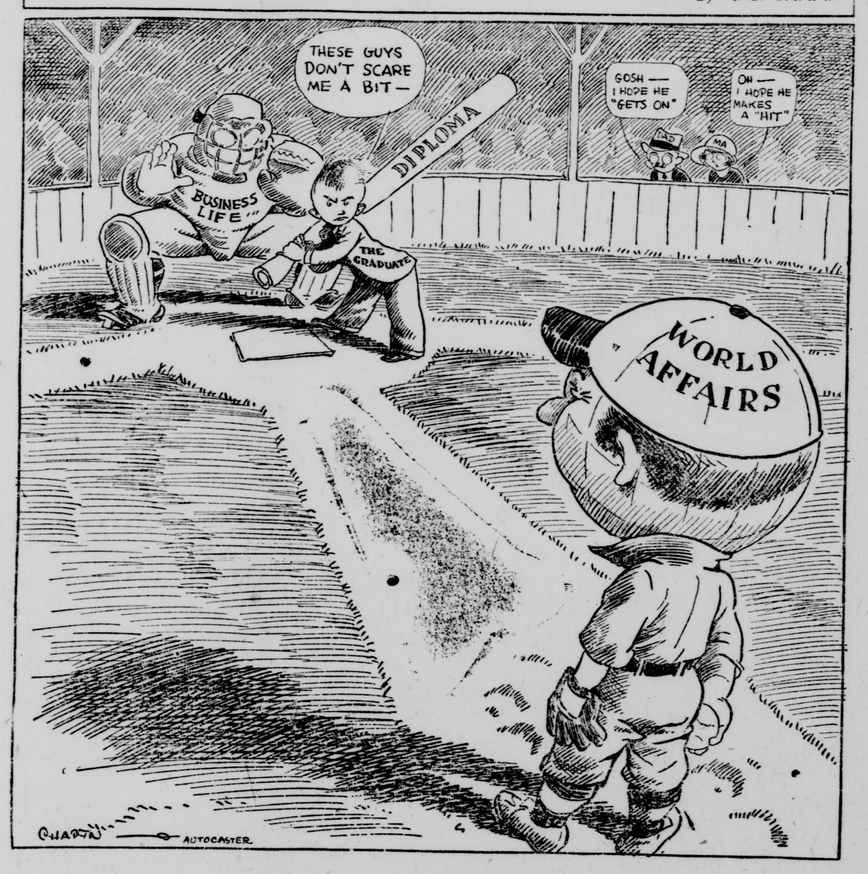
THURSDAY, JUNE 4, 1925

IMPORTANT

Though American aviation lagged in the war there is satisfaction in the knowledge that we have at last made a start toward commercial air service. The National Air Transport, Inc., organized in Chicago, gives promise of a development that will write itself permanently in the history of the world's achievements. The men behind the movement are sound of judgment. They make no call for government subsidy, though they might excusably do so. Rightfully, they indicate a wish for a code of aviation law and regulatory measures at the hands of government. They bring to the nation not only a new means of commercial transportation, but a new code of business ethics.

Unquestionably great sums of money must be invested before adequate return can be expected. Not to consider equipment, real estate values alone will provide a severe tax in the matter of terminals. Nor can expenditures incident to experiment be overlooked. Also it must be remembered that the new service must stand the acid test of unemotional commerce. It will be judged and approved only as it measures to accomplishment. It may not look to sentiment; it will not be bolstered up by patriotism. Business is heartless in its demands; it makes no excuse for youth, but measures every new bidder for its favor by existing standards. The writing is on the wall. In the days to come there will perhaps arise monuments to those courageous souls who have had the vision to see and the pluck to dare for commercial air service in America.



RIDGELY

Lane—Heller

A wedding of much interest to that vicinity took place at Bethlehem, Pa., on Tuesday, June 2, when Miss Verdia Heller became the bride of Mr. Roland Lane, of Ridgely. The ceremony was performed at the Reformed parsonage at Bethlehem in the presence of a few intimate relatives and friends. Immediately following the nuptials a dinner was served at the home of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Lane left by automobile for a honeymoon trip. They expect to return to Ridgely in ten days where they will make their future home, the groom being engaged in business here.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Swing entertained at dinner on May 27th, the survivors of Company F, 3d Regiment, New Jersey Volunteers, together with two members from Easton in commemoration of the 64th anniversary of their enlistment in the Union Army in 1861. The guest of honor was Mr. M. H. Swing of Ridgely, also a member of this company. Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Swing and Mr. and Mrs. James P. Swing also entertained the veterans during their stay in Ridgely. They were accompanied by Mr. M. H. Swing whose guests they were, to Bridgeton, N. J., to attend decoration day services at that place.

The play entitled "The New Minister" given in the Ridgely theatre by the Greensboro Ladies' Aid attracted a large audience and the committee, after paying the Greensboro company $31.40, had a balance of $22.65, which was added to the church house fund.

Mrs. Alice Bennington has been visiting with relatives at Chincoteague.

Peas in this section have been some what damaged by the hot, dry weather

A union service of the Methodist and Reformed congregations was held in the M. E. Church Sunday evening, the Rev. George Fitz preaching the sermon.

Mrs. Fred Flounders will attend, on Wednesday, June 10th, the commencement exercises of St. John's College, Annapolis, where her son, Fred Howard Flounders, Jr., is among the graduates.

Mrs. Ella Goldsborough, Mr. and Mrs. Yarnal and children and Mr. Norman Hastings, of Wilmington, motored to Ridgely recently and were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hemmons.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Applebaum announce the birth of a son.

Miss Evelyn Lane has been spending a few days at the home of her brother, Mr. Clarence Lane, in Philadelphia. She brought back with her a nephew, little Clarence Lane, for a visit.

LADIES' COATS

33 1-3 per cent. off

The price of Every Coat in our line will be cut 1-3 off beginning

Thursday, June 4th

In this lot of Coats are all the leading colors, rose, ashes of roses, rosewood, greys, tans and navy blues, some with fur trim and some plain.

If you have not yet bought a Spring Coat, this is your opportunity to buy at a great saving.

We have an entirely new line of LADIES' SUMMER

DRESSES

in striped broadcloths, silks and voiles at

$4.95 TO $12.95

J. H. NICHOLS & CO.,

DENTON, MARYLAND

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Miss Alta Gordon, of Denton, is nursing Mrs. George Dever, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. L. Hobbs.

Mr. Thomas McCloud, an instructor in Girard College, Philadelphia, has been spending a few days at the home of his mother, Mrs. Maggie McCloud.

Mr. James McCloud of Wilmington, has been visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. H. W. Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tolson, of Wilmington, have been visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Coursey Hemmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Morris have been visiting relatives at Felton.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearson, of Wilmington, have been visiting Mrs. William Freeman.

Miss Minnie Statler, of Windberg, is visiting at the home of her uncle, Mr. W. D. Berkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Sewell are now occupying Mr. Frank Seward's residence on Central avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McKnett have been entertaining her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, of Oxford, and a cousin from Queenstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cherry have been entertaining Mrs. Taylor and son, Harry, and Miss Elma Cherry, all of Tipton, Pa.

Mrs. Emma Turner, who has been in Wilmington for some time, has been spending some days with her sister, Mrs. Gilbert Swann and is now visiting relatives in Baltimore.

Mr. Norman Wilson and family have been visiting friends in Centreville.

Mrs. Lizzie Davis and daughter, Mrs Pearl Gibson of Wilmington, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Starkey.

Mr. C. Burton, of Philadelphia, spent the week end at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Henry Wilkinson.

Mrs. R. E. Fountain, who has been spending a few weeks with relatives in Pennsylvania and New Jersey, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Berry, of Wilmington, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey L. Holsinger.

Mrs. Mame Smith, of Centreville, spent the week end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Davis and son, Jack, of Newark, N. J., have been spending a few days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Davis.

Mr. J. C. Hemmons, who for the past three years has been Ridgely's efficient postmaster, has sent in his resignation to take effect in July. Mr. T. W. Jones, it is reported, will be his successor.

Mrs. T. L. Day is with her niece, Miss Drusilla Barnes, who is critically ill at her home near Easton.

Mr. R. R. Ringgold and family were recent Claiborne visitors.

Mrs. Perry Taylor, of Queen Anne, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. B. F. Rickards.

Miss Pauline Wiley, of Smyrna, has been spending a few days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wiley.

Mrs. E. C. Cooper and children of Wilmington, have been visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. M. C. Meredith.

Mr. H. A. Simons, of Wilmington, has been spending a few days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Simons.

Mr. Leon Stack and family of Baltimore, were entertained lately at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hammond.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Pearsaul entertained at dinner Tuesday evening of last week. The guests included Prof. and Mrs. H. A. Kinhart, the Rev. and Mrs. George Fitz, Miss Irene Neff, and Mrs. Mary Wooters.

Mr. Walter Mitchell, a student of commercial art, Baltimore, is home for the summer vacation.

Mrs. Hulda Sewell, of Wilmington is visiting at the home of her son, Mr. Harvey Sewell.

Mrs. Bernard Behen, Miss Mary Behen and Mrs. O. T. Wharton and son, Charles, all of Dover, were entertained recently at the home of Dr. and Mrs. S. S. Stone.

Miss Lola Mitchell recently spent a few days in Denton, the guest of Miss Blanch Chaffinch.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lapham and two children, of Goldsboro, were entertained recently at the home of Mrs. Lapham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seward.

Dr. Fountain, from Indiana, has been visiting his brother, Mr. R. E. Fountain.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tyson, of Rising Sun, spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Flounders. Mrs. Tyson, before her marriage a year ago, was Miss Lida Reynolds, who once lived in Ridgely as bookkeeper for Saulsbury Bros. Inc.

Lieut. Mervyn Seward, of Aberdeen came over in an aeroplane last week end to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seward. His wife is visiting her mother in Texas.

PRESTON

Memorial Day was celebrated on Saturday by placing flowers on the graves of our loved ones, and on Sunday by an appropriate sermon by Rev C. C. Harris. Mr. W. E. Wright sang, "No Night There," at the morning service. Mrs. Max Chambers sang, "Rock of Ages," at the evening service. Both solos were very beautifully rendered.

Rev. C. C. Harris will preach the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class in the Bethesda M. E. church, Sunday morning, June 14. The Children's Day exercises will be held the same evening.

The Preston Community Club was entertained by the president, Mrs. J. T. Dennis, last Thursday evening. After a short business meeting Mrs. William Wrightson gave a very pretty pianologue, "That Old Sweetheart Of Mine." Mrs. Max Chambers sang "June Brought the Roses and You."

Mrs. Mox Chambers entertained the Girl's Card Club on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Paxton Lednum entertained the older ladies of the town last Thursday in honor of Mrs. Alexine Lednum's 85th birthday. Among the guest present whose ages ranged from 70 to 90 years were Mrs. Einer Kelly, Mrs. Margurette Harrison, Mrs. Sarah Fletcher, Mrs. Agnes Wadell, Mrs. Mary Taylor, Mrs. Ellen Deen and Mrs. Hubbard. The ladies had a wonderful time talking over old times and partaking of refreshments of ice cream and cake.

Last Thursday evening the faculty and students of the school gave a stunt party for the benefit of the boys and girls who are to go to Baltimore on Thursday, June 4. Among the most laughable stunts was the mock wedding by the faculty.

Mr. J. Phil Wright proved himself a friend in need on Sunday when he pushed his way through the crowd of people to a machine where Madam Dunnock, milliner of Easton, had been suffering for 15 minutes with her hand caught and held fast in the starter of the car. Miss Dunnock had had difficulty in starting her car. She lifted the hood and putting her hand on the starter, asked her sister to press her foot on the lever to see if they could cause the starter to turn. When it did turn, Miss Dunnock's hand was immediately caught between the fly-wheel and the cogs of the starter. When Mr. Wright arrived he soon found the proper tools and hurridly took the starter off the car. When Miss Dunnock's hand was released she fainted and was rushed to the hospital where her third finger was amputated and the remainder of her hand treated.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Hollis motored to Pittsburgh last week where Mrs. Hollis visited her brother, Mr. James Carmine. Mr. Hollis went on to Dayton on a business trip.

Misses Mae Le Compte and Ethel Wooten spent the week end with Miss Elizabeth Holland and Mrs. Garrison Jones, Salisbury.

Mrs. Clara Payne and daughter, Carry, spent last week in Baltimore attending the commencement exercises as Goucher College, where Miss Rachel Payne is being graduated.

Mrs. W. K. Cummings spent several days in Baltimore last week.

Miss Edith Noble spent the week end in Baltimore.

Mrs. George Fluharty spent several days in Baltimore last week under the care of the specialist who had been treating her son. The doctor reported the condition of her arm as improving but not sufficiently to remove the cast.

Mr. and Mrs. George T. Ross, of Philadelphia, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wright.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

ORDER NISI

In the matter of the Real estate of
ELLA G. TOULSON, deceased
In the Orphans' Court for Caroline County

ORDERED, this 2nd day of June, 1925, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by James C. Mullikin, administrator, c.t.a., of the last will and testament of Ella G. Toulson, deceased, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 2nd day of August, next; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Caroline county, once in each of four successive weeks, before the 2nd day of July, next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $1,190.00

RICHARD T. WEST
ELISHA H. HARPER
WILLIAM J. SHAWN

True copy, Test:
J. IRWIN HARWOOD
4-4t Register of Wills

WESLEY E. THAWLEY, Solicitor

NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Maryland
In the matter of
RALPH SWANN, Bankrupt

Notice is hereby given that on May 2d, 1925, the said Ralph Swann, of Greensboro, Caroline County, Maryland, was duly adjudged Bankrupt, and the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the law office of Wesley E. Thawley, Esq., in Denton, Maryland, on the 9th day of June, 1925, at 11:30 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.

EDWARD T. MILLER,
Easton, Md. 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. 28-2t

WM. J. RICKARDS, Solicitor

NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Maryland
In the matter of
JOHN G. REDDEN, Bankrupt

Notice is hereby given that on May 11, 1925, the said John G. Redden of Denton, Caroline County, Maryland, was duly adjudged Bankrupt, and the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the law office of Wm. J. Rickards, Esq., in Denton, Maryland, on the 9th day of June, 1925, at 1 o'clock p. 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.

EDWARD T. MILLER,
Easton, Md. Referee

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Miss Irene Wright, a student nurse of the Church Home and Infirmary, of Baltimore, is spending her vacation with friends in town.

Miss Elizabeth Henry, of Philadelphia, spent the week end with Mrs. H. M. Hollis and Mrs. Carmine.

Mr. Jack Arthur, of New York city, spent the week end with Mrs. Arthur and friends.

Miss Medford Bergis, of Baltimore; Mrs. J. W. Henry and Mr. Talbot Henry, of Philadelphia, were week end guests in town.

Do you read the Toad Hollow Brevities each week? You miss a hearty laugh if you do not read it.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

ASSIGNEE'S SALE
—OF—
REAL ESTATE
ON STATE ROAD NEAR
GOLDSBORO

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage from Alexander Ross and Effa L. Ross to Fred R. Owens, dated December 3, 1907, and recorded in Liber L. B. T. No. 10, Folio 198, a mortgage record book for Caroline County, which said mortgage was by mesne assignments reassigned to Fred R. Owens this 20th day of May, 1925, which said assignment is recorded at the foot of the aforesaid mortgage in the mortgage record book aforesaid; default having occurred in the terms of said mortgage, the undersigned assignee will sell at public sale in front of the Goldsboro Bank, in the town of Goldsboro, Caroline County, State of Maryland, on

Saturday, June 13th

1925, between the hours of two and four o'clock P. M.

ALL that tract or parcel of land situate, lying and being on the north side of the County road leading from Hollingsworth Corner to aCstle Hall, called by the name of Wright's Folly, beginning at a red oak, the original beginning of the whole tract, standing on the north side of said road three perches from the road, thence running north forty-three degrees east twenty-five perches, thence north twelve degrees west forty-three perches, thence north fifty-one degrees east ninety-one perches, thence south twelve degrees east eighteen and one-half perches, then south thirteen and one-half degrees west fifty-one perches to the aforesaid county road, thence with said road south fifty-six degrees west sixteen perches to the home line of said tract, thence south sixty-six degrees west three perches to the place of beginning, containing Five Acres of land be the same more or less. It being the same land conveyed by Catharine A. Kinnamon and husband to said Alexander Ross by deed dated March 2d, 1898, and recorded in Liber C. W. H. No. 64, Folio 10, etc., one of the land records for said county.

This property is well located and is on the State Road leading from Goldsboro to Baltimore Corner.

TERMS OF SALE

One-half cash on day of sale and the balance in four months. Deferred payments to bear interest from day of sale and to be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned; or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. Title papers and stamps at expense of the purchaser.

FRED R. OWENS, Assignee
A. J. Dhue, Auctioneer 21-4t

ORDER NISI

T. PLINY FISHER, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of George R. Neal, Deceased, Assignee
vs.
JOHN W. WRIGHT and HENRIETTA WRIGHT, his wife
In the Circuit Court for Caroline County, in Equity No.

ORDERED, this 27th day of May, 1925, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by T. Pliny Fisher, executor, be ratified and confirmed unless good cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 30th day of July, 1925, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Caroline County once in each of four successive weeks before the 30th day of June, 1925.

The report states the amount of sales to be $775.00.

GEO A. DEAKYNE,
True Copy, Test— Clerk
GEO A. DEAKYNE,
28-4t Clerk

W. BREWSTER DEAN, Solicitor

NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Maryland
In the matter of
E. ORLAND WRIGHT, Brankrupt

Notice is hereby given that on March 30th, 1925, the said E. Orland Wright, of Preston, Caroline county, Maryland, was duly adjudged bankrupt, and the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the law offices of W. Brewster Dean in Denton, Maryland, on the 9th day of June, 1925, at 11 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.

EDWARD T. MILLER,
Easton, Md. Referee

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