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Centreville Officer, Unarmed, Grabs Suspect

PERSONALS

FOLKS YOU KNOW

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Collier entertained on Saturday evening at a crab feast at their home. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. James Shores; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ball of Easton; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jewell; Mr .and Mrs. Edward Walls; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Bambury and Miss Joann Bambury.

Mrs. Jessie Rennie has returned to her home after spending some time in California and Chester, Pa.

Mrs. James Mann is recuperating from fleebitis, but is still under the care of her physician.

The Boy Scout troupe under the supervision of Mr. Hogue, enjoyed a camping trip in Denton over the weekend.

Mrs. Harry Barton, Sr., and daughters Mrs. Mary Messick and Mrs. Louise Jones visited Mrs. Ann Yates at La Plata hospital on Wednesday and on Saturday Mr .and Mrs. Harry Barton Sr. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Quimby and children and Mrs. George Jones visited her at her home at New Port, Md.

Mr .and Mrs. William Yates are receiving congratulations on the arrival of their first child, a little girl whom they named Mary Elizabeth. Mrs. Yates was the former Ann Barton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barton.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Messick and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Messick at Harrington, Del. on Sunday.

RD3 William E. Shortall (Tinker) arrived home last Wednesday from Quonsett Point, R.I. for a furlough with his parents.

Mr. Teddy Shortall and Mr. Gerald Horney spent the weekend at Annapolis and attended the dance at the St. John's College.

Mrs. Garland Baker of Fort Lauderdale, Fla., spent the week with her sisters and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Milton Kaufman of Queenstown and Mrs. Rena Willson of St. Michaels.

Mr. Charles Bishop and Mr. Bronson Willias visited in Charlotte N.C. with friends.

Mr. Babe Briscoe of Pittsburgh, Pa., is spending a week's vacation with his mother Mrs. Carrie Briscoe.

Mr. and Mrs. H.L. Combs and daughter of, Wilmington, Del. spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Booker.

Little Carroll Palmer of Arnold Md. is spending this week with his aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kinnamon and family.

ADVERTISING PAYS—SO DOES HONESTY

Credit should be given to Carlton Austin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Austin of near town, for advertising the finding of a wallet with no identification but a large amount of money in it. The wallet was lost on Tuesday evening when an employee, a displaced person, on the farm of Herbert Carter, near town, visited the Doctor's office. The man had been saving the amount of money for a long time to buy his wife a washing machine but not knowing how much the doctor's fee would be, had brought the savings with him.

He was very grateful to Carlton, and gave him a reward of $10. Again we say honesty pays.

Grasonville

The VFW Auxiliary and others enjoyed a bus trip to Coney Island N.Y. last Thursday.

The Busy Bee Society was entertained at the home of Mrs. Lillian Bryan on Thursday evening with a program on Flags. All found out their secret Sisters and drew new ones and received lovely gifts. Refreshments of cake and punch were served by Mrs. Bryan and Mrs. Virginia Saddler as Co-hostess .

The Boy Scouts enjoyed Camp at Denton over the weekend.

Mr. Calvin Parks of Miami, Fla. is spending sometime with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Adlai Bryan and other relatives.

Mrs. Anna Trezise spent a few days last week in Baltimorere with relatives .

Miss Viola Burns has returned to her home after undergoing an operation at John Hopkins hospital in Baltimore and is improving at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Elston Lynch spent the weekend in Cordova with her parents.

Mrs. Janie Saddler, Mrs. Iola Melvin, Mrs. Doris Walters and daughters Janet and Donna and Mrs. Maud Thomas visited Mrs. Leah Thomas who is very ill in Leland Memorial hospital, Riverdale, Md. on Saturday.

Mr .and Mrs. Bowen Fromm and daughter spent Sunday in Baltimore and celebrated his brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Philip Fromm's 25th wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Viola Summers spent a few days last week in Baltimore and visited her niece, Miss Viola Burns in the hospital.

Mrs. Edna Hoofnagle of Baltimore was the Sunday guest of her parents, Mr .and Mrs. Lemuel Gardner.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rhodes and sons, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond F. Coursey.

Mr and Mrs. Edward Nash Jr. were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. William Clevenger and daughter.

Members of the Pythian sisters of Grasonville who helped with the Red Cross Blood Drive held at Stevensville High School on Friday were as follows: Alma Lopez, Mary Ellen Ruth, June Palmer, Elsie Tarr, Jeannette Cleenger, Mable Paswater, Rebecca Ruth and Elizabeth Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Burkett are enjoying a vacation in Cleveland, Ohio.

Mr .and Mrs. Crouse Lewis of Pittsville, Md. were weekend guests of Mr .and Mrs. RaySmith and Miss Barbara Collier.

Mrs. Grace White and son of Baltimore were weekend guests of Mrs. Grace Collier and son.

Chester

Friends and relatives gave Mrs. Margaret Thomas a Surprise Birthday dinner at Stevensville Elementary School on Friday evening. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. George Lowe, Sr., Mr. George Lowe, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cole and family of Centreville, Mr. and Mrs. William Wilkins and sons, Mr .and Mrs. Charles Ringgold and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clough and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Lewis and son, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson and son of Baltimore and Mrs. Cora Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Thomas and son, Mr .and Mrs. Harry Thomas, Jr., and family and Mr. Benjamin Clough and children .

Mrs. Charles Ringgold and children, Mrs. Margaret Thomas, Mrs. Gilmore Thomas and son, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cole of Centreville.

Master Charles Ringgold is spending this week in Centreville with Lane Cole and Margaret Ann Cole is spending this week with Patsy Ringgold.

Mrs. Benny Clough and children spent Tuesday in Easton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Anderson and son of Baltimore spent the weekend with Mrs. Margaret Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Jones are spending a week with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Compton of Baltimore.

Mr. Robert Lee spent Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Lee.

Mrs. Walter Crouch and Mrs. Thomas Price motored to Baltimore on Friday to bring their mother home from the hospital.

Mr .and Mrs. Edward Thompson of Baltimore and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schaub of Glenburnie spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. P.E. Thompson.

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1953-54 County School Calander Announced

The proposed 1953-54 school calendar for Queen Anne's County public schools has been announcd by the Board of Education to run from Sept. 1 1953, thru June 18, 1954 which includes 181 classroom study days.

Children will attend school starting Sept. 10 with graudation due on June 4.

According to the proposed calendar principals will return from Sept. 1 through Sept. 4 and a county-wide conference will be held on Sept. 8 and the teachers return and work in schools on Sept. 9.

The first student vacation will be Oct. 16 for a state meeting. The Thanksgiving holiday will be Nov. 26-27 and schools will dismiss at 2 p.m. Dec. 23 for the Christmas vacation. School reconvenes on Jan. 4 and there will be 43 days of classes in February and March. The Easter holiday will be April 16 to 19. Schools dismiss at 3:30 p.m. on June 4 and the pupils will return June 8 for reports.

From June 8 through June 11 teachers will work the schools and a county-wide workshop for teachers and principals will be held from June 14 through June 18.

Local Boy Praised For Heroism

Donald Anthony, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Anthony of Queenstown now a Glynco Naval seaman stationed in Brunswick, Ga., was given great praise for rescuing a boy from drowning. The near-tragedy occurred in front of the county Casina at 8:30 a.m. when a 6 year old boy, Neal McRae of Waycross, Ga. wondered into the water at low tide. An older boy, Tommy Long, of Greenville S.C. attempted to pull the Waycross boy from the water but both boys were being carried out to sea when Neal's father O.H. McRae and Donald Anthony spotted them.

Mr. McRae rescued Neal and Donald pulled Tommy from the water. The younger boy suffered no ill effects from the experience but Tommy was suffering from shock and exposure from being caught in the under tow. Both the men perfected the rescue in their shore clothes.

The near-drowning took place before life guards began their duties on the beach at 10 o'clock but some of the guards were at the Casino and aided in first aid treatment.

Vacation Church School On Queenstown Charge

The Vacation Church School for Queenstown Charge will commence Monday morning June 22 and continue through Thursday, July 3. Classes for beginners, Primary, Juniors, Intermediates and seniors will be held in the Grasonville Elementary School from 9 A.M.-11:45 A.M. Teachers will be as follows: beginners, Mrs. Sam Collier, Mrs. Elmer Pierson. Primary—Mrs. Aileen Hogue and Mrs. Jane Schelberg. Juniors Mrs. James Hughes and Mrs. Peter Slot. Mrs. Ruth Hogue will teach handcraft work. There will also be a class for beginners in Fellowship Hall, Queenstown each morning, taught by Mrs. Florence Swann and Mrs. Mildred Anderson. Rev. Hughes will teach the class for Intermediates. Closing exercises for the school will be held Thursday night July 3, at Grasonville church.

LAWN MOWERS SHARPENED

Lawn mowers sharpened. Ground and aligned. The Universal Way. Satisfaction guaranteed. Also carpenter saws machined sharpened. Thomas C. Quimby, Queenstown, Md., Phone Queenstown 2241.

FOR SALE—Four (4) Irish Setter puppies over 2 months old. Make an offer. Alfred C. Quimby Skipton,Md.

Queen Anne's County Nurses List 149 Visits

Nurses of the Queen Anne's County Health Department made a total of 149 home visits during the month of May, it was reported last Friday in the monthly report by Dr. Caroline Callison, health officer.

Dr. Callison and the nurses also attended the annual conference of Public Health Workers in Baltimore May 21-22.

In the last month of school the health office inspected 65 pupils, held 12 nurse-teacher conferences, eight consultations with school personnel and four with parents.

They inspected 28 private premises for water and sewage took nine water samples ,and inspected three dairy farms, two milk plants and one "nuisance."

Clinic attendance was as follows: parental, 13; child hygiene, 17; uberculosis, eight; cancer detection, nine; hearing, 11; and orthopedic, 16. There were 74 chest X-rays taken and 19 other X-rays. The office took 19 blood tests 29 tuberculin tests, and treated two venereal disease patients. They gave eight immunization shots, three allergy shot and three smallpox vaccinations. There were 23 new admissions to medical care.

Bond is Posted In Murder Case

William A. Watkins of Martinsville Va., was released under $1,500 bond for his appearance at the November term of the Queen Anne's County Grand Jury on Tuesday evening on a charge of murder.

Aprofessional bondsman posted the bail for Watkins and also for James Carter, Arlington ,who was released under $500 bail as a material mitness.

Both men appeared before Trial Magistrate J.W. Thompson in the Court House.

The case involved the fatal stabbing of Jesse D. Milliner, about 30 of Martinsville, on U.S. Route 50 in a truck cab on Memorial Day.

Local police also report that Earl R. Lane, 36, of Kent Narrows was picked up over the weekend for the wounding of Miss Garnett Lee, in an oyster shanty. Lane was given six months in the Maryland House of Correction on an assault and battery charge. The woman was not badly hurt.

Community Group Opposes Liquor License Grant

The Kings Town Comunity Club last week went on record opposing the issuing of a Class A (off-sale) beer wine and liquor license to Bernard Barcus for his store in Kings Town.

Jaes MCCauley, president of the group, which comprises over 50 members, said that the club would oppose the license and would be represented at the hearing before the License Commissioners in Centreville Monday, June 22.

This will be the first hearing for license applicants since the new board and law went into effect June 1 The law abolished the county dispensary system and set up a new License Commission.

The petition points out that "it will fulfill no need in the community and tend to lower the moral tone of the residential area.

Kings Town is across the river from Kent Counnty which has a dispensary system.

Man or Woman
BE YOUR OWN BOSS
$400 Monthly Spare Time
First Time Offered
AN ENTIRELY NEW ITEM

Refilling and collecting money from our machines in this area. No selling! to qualify for work you must have a car, reference, $680 cash to secure territory and inventory. Devoting 8 hours a week to business your end on percentage of collection could net up to $400 monthly with very good possibility of taking over full time. Income increasing accordingly. For interview include phone in application. Apply to The Queenstown News, Queenstown, Md.

C. S. Quimby Dies, Was County Commissioner Twice

Charles Samuel Quimby, 70, prominent Queen Anne's County landowner and a former county commissioner died at 4:30 p.m. Tuesday June 9 in the Mercy Hospital in Baltimore after a short illness.

Mr. Quimby was taken to the hospital May 29. He never rallied after undergoing an operation on June 4.

Funeral services were held last Saturday from Needwood Farm, the home of his son, Joseph just outside of Centreville. The Rev. W.L. Dize, pastor of Grace Methodist church and the Rev. Howard Link, a former pastor, officiated. Interment was in the Chesterfield Cemetery, Centreville.

Mr. Quimby was born on April 1, 1883, in Talbot County but moved to Queen Anne's at the age of five. His parents were the late Joseph Samuel and Sophie Quimby. A farmer all his life he married on Feb. 12, 1913.

Active in town and county politics most of his life, Mr. Quimby served as a member of the county commissioners for two successive terms from 1926 to 1934. He was one of the men who helped start the Centreville milk cooling plant and was active in the Eastern Shore Hunters and Hounds, a fox hunting organization. Besides owning four farms, he managed several other for the Jacob's estate.

Besides his wife, M. Louise, he is survived by two sons Joseph, and Charles, both of Centreville; a brother, Fred, Ruthsburg; two sisters Mrs. Frank Brown, Salisbury and Mrs. Elmer Neighbors, Wye Mills; three grandchildren, Joseph, Jr. Joan and Jay, and one great-grandchild, Joseph III.

Shore Youth Wins Future Farmers Award

Lloyd J. Andrew, a graudate of the Centreville High School this year, and president of the School Future Farmers of America Chapter has been awarded the degree of Maryland Farmer along with 41 other FFA youths taking vocational agriculture in high schools through out the state.

Young Lloyd, who was given the Balfour Award for the highest average in the vocational classes in school; will attend the Maryland FFA convention at College Park June 23-24, to receive a gold chaim and the Maryland Farmer degree. He will also particiapte in the state FFA judging contests following the convention.

The total income received by Lloyd through his supervised farming program amounted to $1,173.75. Among some of his outstanding projects are dairy, feeder pigs, beef steers swet corn and a farm garden.

To win the Maryland Farmer Degree for at last a year; 3. Must be vocational agriculture; 2. Must have held the chapter farmer degree fo rat least a year; 3. Must be able to lead a discussion for at least 40 minutes; 4. Must be prozcient in parlimentary procedure; and 5. Must have complete records on supervised farming program.

Injured in Auto Accident, Truck Upsets

Charles Lewis, 35, a carpenter in Centreville, was injured when his pick-up truck overturned on South Commerce Street, in Centreville last Monday afternoon. His helper, Paul Foster, was not hurt. Lewis was taken to the Memorial Hospital, Easton, in the Centreville Ambulance where he was treated for shock and an injured left hand. Chief of Police Paul Meredith said that Foster told him the truck rounded the bend and rolled over on its right side.

BAKE

A Bake will be held Saturday, June 20, at 10 a.m. at Fellowship Hall. Sponsored by Queenstown Carmichael M.Y.F.

FOR SALE—Boys bicycle. 26 inch wheels. Good condition. Apply to Queenstown News. Phone 2161.

Centreville Officer Unarmed, Grabs Suspect

A heavily-armed stabbing suspect was collared by Centreville Town Officer William Pinder of the community's three-man police force about noon Saturday. The capture took place just off the main business street of the town where crowds of weekend shoppers were congregated.

The man William A. Nicholson, 25, of Easton, surrendered meekly. He was carrying a shotgun under his arm and an eight-inch knife in his hip pocket. He told Officer Pinder he had walked through the center of town carrying the weapons.

Officer Pinder was unarmed. Just as he approached the man, Sheriff Frank Whiteley and Deputy Sheriff Louis Perkins drove up in the sheriff's car and the suspect was put into the car and taken to the county jail without incident.

He was charged with assault and battery in connection with the stabbing at 2 a.m. Saturday of Mac Hollis, Centreville. Police said he will be arraigned and charged with carrying a concealed deadly weapon.

Hollis, who was stabbed in the back outside a tavern, was not hurt badly.

Officer Pinder said he was "a little worried" about picking up the armed man without the aid of a gun but said he never wears his revolver, he went home after the arrest and strapped it in place. w

The stabbing early in the morning was the fourth act of violence in Queen Anne's County in the past two weeks. One man was stabbed to death and two women shot at various times since Memorial Day.

William A. Watkins, Martinsville, Va., posted $1,500 bail when arraigned before the trial magistrate on a charge of murder. He will face the November Term of the Grand Jury.

Earl R. Lane, Kent Narrows, was sentenced to six months in the Maryland House of Correction for the shooting of Garnett Lee. Paul Nichols ,Chester, is to get a hearing Tuesday evening on charges of assault and battery on Elizabeth Kennedy.

Annual Phythian Sisters Convention Held at Cambridge, Md.

The Annual District Convention of the Phythian Sisters District No. 4 was held at Cambridge Md. Wednesday, June 10 with Choptank Temple No. 32 of Cambridge as hostess. The afternoon session was held at St. Paul's Methodist Church. Registration began at 12:30 P.M. and the afternoon session started at 1 P.M. Invocation was by Rev. Dale Ruth, pastor of St. Paul's church. The address of welcome was given by Russell P. Smith, Mayor of Cambridge .All 4 temples in the district took part in the afternoon session, including Princess Anne temple No. 29, Princess Anne, Md. Star of the East Temple No. 30 Easton, Md., Grasonville Temple No. 31, Grasonville, Md. and Choptank Temple No. 32, Cambridge Md. The afternoon session adjourned 6:30 P.M. and a lovely banquet dinner was served by members of the St. Paul's Methodist Church. The evening session was held at the High school at 8 P.M. and was opened with public installation of officers by Grasonville Temple No. 31. Eentertainment from each temple was enjoyed. The entertainment from Grasonville being by little Misses Nancy O'Donnell and Janeen Clevenger doing the Hokey-Pokeq and Doggie in the Window. The session was closed by everyone joining hands and singing: "Blessed be the Ties That Binds". Refreshments of punch, cookies, nuts and candies were enjoyed by all. Princess Anne Temple No. 29 will be hostess to the 1954 Convention.