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Mrs. Thomas Jewell and f Wilmington and Mr. Cooper Jewell of Crump- Sunday guests of Mr. and k Jewell and daughter.

d Mrs. Kennard Rhodes; Mrs. Harry Rhodes, Misses nd Anne Rhodes, and Mrs. Aldridge attended the arming" for Mr .and Mrs. Brantley at Washington, D. nday.

and Mrs. Robert Swann were y dinner guests of Mr. and Joseph Anthony.

.and Mrs. Lester Hogue are congratulated on the birth ne son, born on Oct. 21 at Eas- Memorial Hospital. The little weighed 8 pound and 9 ounces. as named Joseph Earle.

r. and Mrs. Roscoe Knox spent weekend in Baltimore as the ests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ha- rner and family.

The 4-H Club of Queenstown gave Hallowe'en Party on Friday night at Fellowship Hall. Dancing, games and refreshments were in order.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Quimby and family spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Sparks in Eastport, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Messick and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Messick in Harrington, Del.

Mrs. Mary Morris has accepted a position as companion to Mrs. Hill at Pioneer Point Farms.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walters of Girdletree, Md., are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a 9 pound baby girl born Tuesday morning at Salisbury Hospital. She will be remembreed as Shirley Stevens, of Chester.

Mr .and Mrs. Jack Reed of Chesapeake City, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owens Yewell.

Mrs. Ella Walters of Baltimore is spending the week with her sons, Robert and Howard Walters and their families.

Mr. and Mrs .Freddy Quimby, Jr., spent Sunday with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Waltesr of Girdletree, Md.

Mrs. Mae Ely of Easton is spending a week with Mrs. Bessie Wright son and daughter, Ethel.

Mrs. Edna Roe of Baltimore, spent the weekend with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wrightson.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph DiFrancio and Mr. and Mrs. George Wolfe and daughter of Wilmington, Del., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Howard and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Melvin and daughter Linda and Mrs. Addie Pratt of Millington were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Melvin and Miss Florence Melvin.

Mrs .Tilghman McNamee has as her houseguest her daughter from Baltimore.

Mrs. Bertha Bunn of Baltimore was the weekend guest of Mrs. W.E. Higdon and Mrs. Edna Price.

Miss Margaret Jane Jester and Miss Ola Moore were hostess to a Hayride from the Moore's farm in Centreville last Friday evening. They entertained many of their classmates and escorts. After the ride refreshments were served.

HAS SUDDEN HEART ATTACK

Mr. William Bozman, farm manager of Arthur Houghton Estate and right hand man of Mr. James Lingle was rushed to Easton hospital in the Queenstown ambulance early Saturday morning in serious condition suffering from a sudden heart attack. Mr. Bozman has been in very good health in the past. He will be on the convalesting list for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Melvin, Miss Florence Melvin, Mrs. B.H. Lane and Mrs. MinaSaddler reutrned on Thurday from an enjoyable trip to New York and Canada.

Michael Mann, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Mann, had the misfortune of stepping on a rusty nail at Centreville Junior High on Monday noon. He is under the care of a physician.

Mr. Benjamin Howard and Mr. Frank Jewell are showing great progress on their new homes, and Mr. Irvin Pinder has surveyed his lot preparing to begin building his home in the very near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Dunbar and family of Baltimore were Sunday guests of Mr .and Mrs. George Steinfelt and family.

HALLOWE'EN PARTY

Don't forget the Hallowe'en party to be held at the Firehouse on Friday evening, sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Fire Company.

Grasonville

Mrs. Medford O'Donnell had the misfortune of breaking her leg early Friday morning. She was rushed to the hospital in the Queenstown ambulance.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W.A.Evans Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Drummer and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. John Bishop enjoyed seeing "Cinerama" at the Warner's theatre in Washington, D.C., on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Obert of Long Island, N.Y., enroute to Miami, Fla., were overnight guests last Wednesday with Mr .and Mrs. Joseph W.A. Evans.

Mrs. Addie Knight attended the United Nations Display in Baltimore on Saturday.

Mrs. Lucy Melvin has returned to her home after spending sometime in Baltimore with her daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold South and family shopped in Glenburnie on Saturday.

Mrs. Patsy Clendaniel was hostess to a "copper party" at her home on last Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Ellwood Thompson was given a surprise stork shower by her many friends and relatives.

Mr .and Mrs. Kirby Bryan have moved into their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark of Bristol, Va., are spending sometime with Mr. and Mrs. Rutter.

Mr. Ben Lettau of Baltimore, is spending sometime with his sister, Mrs. Louise Collier.

The W.S.C.S. are holding a Hallowe'en party on Saturday evening from 7 to 9:30 in the Pythian home.

Mrs. Albert Smnth, Mrs. Thomas Ewing, Mrs. Ray Ewing and Mrs. Lemuel Gardner were shoppers in Baltimore on Wednesday.

Mrs. Alphonza Thomas was a Baltimore shopper on Wednesday.

The WSCS of the Immanuel Methodist church held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Coursey last week after the business was transacted, refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. William Clevenger are the proud parents of a baby girl born on Monday Oct. 18th at Memorial hospital, Easton. The youngster has been named Kathy Darlene.

Elder and Mrs. David Fleagle were dinner guests of Miss Mamie Bryan on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fogel Collier of Baltimore, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sm[illegible]

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Soil and WaterConservation Loans Now Available

Soil and Water conservation loans are available to eligible farmers in Kent and Queen Anne's Counties, J. D. Hartman, County Farmers Home Administration supervisor said this week.

The loans may be used to carry out measures for soil conservation, water development, conservation, and use, and drainage. This will include the construction and repair of terraces, dikes, ditches, ponds, and tanks, the establishment and improvement of permanent pastures basic application of lime and fertilizer, tree planting, well drilling, and the purchase of pumps and other irrigation equiment.

Soil and water conservation loans may be made from funds supplied by private lenders and insured by the Government or from funds appropriated by Congress. Loans from appropriated funds will be made only when insured funds are not available.

The 3-member county committee of the Farmers Home Administration will certify the eligibility of applicants. The committee for Kent County consists of Davidson S. Coleman, Howard S. Leaverton and L. Hodge Coleman while the Queen Anne's County committee is composed of Walter H. Hadaway, A. Wilson Walls and Carl H. Morris.

Loans will be made to carry out only the types of soil and water conservation practices that are in accord with the recommendations made by the Extension Service and the Soil Conservation Service.

In addition to farmers, non-profit associations extending soil and water conservation or drainage services such as incorporated water associations, mutual water and drainage companies; irrigation and drain districts; and soil conservation districts are eligible when they are unable to obtain adequate credit elsewhere and meet certain other conditions. Applicants will obtain whatever technical assistance they need from the Soil Conservation Service Extension Service, other agencies, individuals and firms.

Selby To Head Court Loop, Too

John W. Selby, president of the Bi-State baseball League and base ball coach at Centreville HighSchool took over the reins of another sports league last week, when he was named president of the Central Shore Basketball circuit.

Selby, a native of Delaware, and mound star at Washington College a number of years ago, has been a referee in the cage league in the past and took over the president's chair from Morte P. Bedford, also of Centreville.

The vice president is GeorgeGlenn of Rock Hall, and Dan M. Tabler, of Centreville, will be secretary-treasurer, and league statistician.

The 20-game schedule is slated to get under way the week of Nov. 8 and end on Feb. 10. There will be a men's and girls' division with the girls playing the preliminary for each contest.

The six-team circuit is composed of Rock Hall, Chestertown, Centreville, Ridgely, Denton and Easton. All but Rock Hall have girl's teams.

The Voters of Queen Anne's Decline Since June

There are 326 less voters on the registration books of Queen Anne's County than were eligible to cast a ballot in the June 28 primary election, according to the Board of Election Supervisors today.

The board reports there are 6,012 Democrats, 1,754 Republicans and 24 without any affiliation on the books at this time ,or a total registration list of 7,790 voters.

With the new voting lists, the Democrats lost 322 and the Republicans, already outnumbered nearly four to one, lost 28 potential votes.

WOMEN WANTED

Make extra money. Address, Mail postcards spare time every week. ELCO, 143 Belmont, Mass.

Funkhouser Sells Estate In Virginia

Court Manor, a sprawling 1,008-acre Shenandoah Valley estate near Harrisonburg, Va., has been sold to J.M. Stearn and Herman G. Armentrout, of Harrisonburg, for a price rumored to be $310,000.

The seller was J. Raymond Funkhouser, head of Funkhouser Industries, Inc., of Centreville. He is a native of Rockingham county, Virginia.

Court Manor, located 6 miles south of New Market on U.S. 11, consists of 21 dwellings in addition to the manor house of 22 rooms and 7 boths and 150 farm buildings.

The late Willis Sharpe Kilmer, of Binghamton, N.Y., invested an estimated $1,000,000 in the estate during the 1920's and 1930's.

Stables on the rich land were used by Kilmer for some of the nation's top racing horses, including, Exterminator, Sun Briar and Sun Beau.

Court Manor is considered one of the finest estates in Shenanloah Valley.

The last occupant of the estate was Don R. Simpson who was sentenced to twelve years in the Federal Penitentiary on charges of embezzling and transporting across the State lines $103,972 from the National Bank of New Market. T.D. Beahm, former cashier of the bank, and Simpson, were given sentences of eight and 2 years respectively, on similar charges.

Simpson, a former coal mine owner in Pennsylvania, bought Manor in 1944 from banks that held assets on Consolidated Dairies, owned by Hugh N. Ralkes and his brother. Ralkes bought the property in 1951 from Kilmer's estate, shortly after he died.

Funkhouser bought the place in June 1952.

4-H'ers To Hold Banquet November 6

The Queen Anne's County annual 4-H banquet will be held Saturday, Nov. 6 at the Centreville High School.

All 4-H Club members are advised to secure their tickets early as the full house is expected. Tickets are available through club presidents or local leaders. If they do not have the tickets at the time then make reservations with them as to how many tickets you will need for you and your family.

Tickets went on sale to the public after Oct. 23 and will be sold through Oct. 29. The dinner will be served by the Centreville PTA with turkey as the main course. Price of the tickets are $1.50 each.

There will be some special guests from throughout the county and Miss Charlotte Conoway, Assistant State 4-H Club Agent, College Park, will be among the guests.

GUNSTON HORSE SHOW
SATURDAY OCTOBER 30

The Gunston School annual Fall Horseshow will be held on the school grounds near Centreville on Saturday, Olctober 30, at 2 p.m. The students of the school will compete for ribbons in fourteen classes including bareback jumping, bridle path hack, and handy hunter. There will also be a Champion and Reserve Champsion ribbons awarded. One of the judges will be Mrs.Frank Dudley of Queenstown ,who is an allumnae of the school and an experienced judge. The public is cordially invited to attend the show. There will be no admission charge.

SALESMEN WANTED

UNEXPECTED CHANGE makes available good Rawleigh business in Queen Anne's County. Splendid business secured in this district [illegible] 59 years. Exceptional opportun[illegible] for right man. Write Rawleig[illegible] Dept. MDJ 141-201, Freeport, Ill.

HELP WANTED

MAKE $75 AND UP EVERY [illegible] full or part time. Take o[illegible] America's largest selling, [illegible]ly advertised LIQUID FER[illegible] Sold with Money-Back Gu[illegible] No investment. Write "N[illegible] 470 Monroe St., Marion Oh[illegible]

Three Youth Held In Auto Theft

Two teen-aged Baltimore youths are being held for Criminal Court in Baltimore following a hearing Sunday on charges of stealing a Centreville resident's car and attempting to run down a policeman who fired at and hit the vehicle.

Mr. and Mrs. John Criswell were visiting his sister and brother-in-law, Mr .and Mrs. Ray Eyler when the car was stolen from in front of the house in the 5800 block Berkley Avenue about 7 p.m. Saturday.

Before the car was reported stolen Patrolman William Harris said he saw the car going at high speed and attempted to flag it down. The car kept coming and nearly ran him down as it paseed. He fired a single shot which shattered the rear window and went out the windshield missing the two occupants. He gave chase in his radio car and was joined by another patrolman. A second shot hit the license plate and the car stopped and the two youths fled. They were arrested shortly after.

Placed under $1,000 bail were Carroll Stansbury, 3100 block Rogers Avenue, and Wayne O. Mills, 900 block West North Avenue. Each is 16.

To The Voters of Queen Anne's County

Tuesday, Nov. 2, 1954 is Election Day, the day we vote for the candidates of our choice, whetherDemocrat or Republican. We now have voting machines which is a lot easier way to cast our ballot. It requires three small operations: first, you turn the small leaver at the top left hand corner, that closes you in the booth, second you turn the small handles on the panel toward the candidates of your choice, and third you turn the little handle back to its first position and you have cast your ballot. It is faster and simplier. You can vote on this machine in less time than it takes to unfold a paper ballot. Don't forget the one at the Queenstown School. It has been placed there for you to practice on, and an instructor will assist you. The time is from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m.

8-Day Grand Opening Of Bell's New Store Oct. 29

Bell Sales and Service in Chester, begins the eight day grand opening of their new store on Friday, Oct. 29th. For the eight days of the opening, Oct. 29th thru Nov. 6th, the store is featuring free coffee for every patron from the "world's largest coffee pot."

Each day, the first ten ladies, making a purchase of $1 or more, will be presented with a choice of gifts, a necklace of simulated pearls or a wallet. On the final day, Nov. 6th, a drawing for $25 in merchandise (to be selected by the winner) will be awarded to the lucky person who registered (with no obligation to purchase) during the eight days of the opening. The drawing will be held on Saturday Nov. 6th at 8 p.m. and the lucky winner must be present.

Bell's have expanded their store to twice the original floor space on the first floor; and have also expanded the departments and service facilties. They have increased the appliance department to include a large assortment of gas ranges and gas heating equipment and are now distributing and installing Calco bottled gas.

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[illegible]-26-ft. deadrise, 7-ft. [illegible]abin. New 7 h.p. air- [illegible] boat and motor ready [illegible]0. Call Rock Hall 5[illegible]4.

Turner, Rep. Miller Set Campaign Debate Details

State Senator Edward Turner (D., Queen Anne's) said he would send an emissary to talk to Congressman Edward T. Miller (R., First) or his office to work out "mutually agreeable" details of his debate challenge accepted Monday by Mr .Miller.

In his telegram, Mr. Turner invited Mr .Miller "to appear with me any place at any time and invite the public between now and November 1" to discuss three campaign issues.

Mr. Miller promptly replied that Friday in Queen Anne's county suits him. He said he was "willing to debate any matter" and asked to be advised immediately of the time and place of the debate.

"In the Public Interest"

Mr. Turner explained Tuesday that he did not get home from campaigning until 1 A.M. and had not seen an actual copy of the Miller telegram.

But he mentioned that "in the public interest" some place like Cambridge or Salisbury, "neutral ground," on Sunday afternoon might be a better time and place.

"I'm sure that a mutually agreeable place and time can be worked out," Mr. Turner said.

In his telegram Monday Mr. Turner listed "segregation and integration" as one of the three subjects he wished to discuss. He has previously announced that he is strongly opposed to integration in the public schools.

"Should Have No Bearing"

Mr. Miller replied that he was "very willing to debate any matter. . . . ."

"As you know," he said, "segregation and integration should have no bearing on the campaign because neither of us, in Congress, would be able to do anything to change the decision of the Supreme Court other than introduce a constitutional amendment.

"You and I both know also," Mr. Miller's reply continued, "that a constitutional amendment is impossible to pass because of the State alignment on the question."

The other two topics suggested by Mr. Turner are:

"The Chesapeake and Delaware Canal resolution passed by Congress which provided for an appropriation of $101,000,000 for widening and deepening of that canal.

Support Two Bills

"Public Law 466 passed by Congress having to do with the allocation of $3,000,000 annually for research and development of marketing aspects of the seafood industry."

Mr. Miller replied that these "two bills, which I supported, have both been passed by Congress, and my part in them, whether large or small is immaterial."

The Congressman suggests "these vital issues" for debate: "The need of supporting an earnest Eisenhower Administration; the superiority of the Dulles foreign policy over the Truman-Acheson foreign policy, and the Republican program of reducing taxes, broadening social security, getting more for our defense dollars and striving for a balanced budget.

"I will be happy to give the citizens of the Eastern Shore my views on all the above subjects," Mr. Miller concluded.

County-Wide Mass Meeting Centreville Armory Oct. 30

The Queen Anne's County Democratic Party cordially invites the Public to a County-Wide Mass meeting Saturday, Oct. 30 ,1954 at 8 p.m. to hear Herbert R. O'Conor, former U.S. Senator from Maryland and former Govenor of Mayland, guest speaker. A musical show by the Elaine-Lee Star Entertainers of Baltimore and the Queenstown Drum and Bugle Corp. Concert in front of Court House at 7:15 p.m.

FOR SALE—40 ft long, 10 ft. wide oyster boat, with cabin. 7 h.p. Palmer engine. Both motor and boat in good condition. Can be seen at St. Michaels. For information call Preston 2682.