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Do You Know

OFF THE CUFF

That no one can question the fact that Capt. William Schellberg and his crew, is not keeping the home folks supplied with rock fish. He and his crew at three haul seins less than ten hours caught and sold 2724 lbs of choice rock fish, but they only received a small check for $2168 for their labor.

That John Sudy has frequently heard of a person being born with a silver spoon in their mouth, but he never heard of catching a rock fish with a Buffalo nickel in its mouth until the other day when a friend caught a three-pounder at Ocean City. John has forwarded his medals to two fishermen of Fredericksburg, Va., who caught a 150 pound doe deer while fishing in the Potomac.

That little Catherine Skaggs, age 8 years, had her parents much disturbed because she did not return for supper. She was located about 10 o'clock, enjoying playing with her school mates. This is nothing. Parents allow their boys and girls to roam loose on the streets and alleys at any hour that they please. Some of them are six years old while others are advancing in their teens.

That Sheriff Coursey, one of the World War I victims, is in full accord with the slogan of the admiral in the public relations division: "Damn the split infinitives—full steam ahead."

That for logical lunacy, Bill Quimby, up the Almshouse, commends the Quisling Government of Norway which, according to a Stockholm dispatch, has cutoff all government subsidies to insane asylums. A lunatic government would be crazy, Bill thinks, to subsidize competing institutions. There is plenty of room for all the nuts in the Nazi Government itself, and as the goal of its policy one Big Bughouse, why trifle with little ones.

Price Ceiling Lifted On Five Dried Fruits

A new price regulation lifting the March, 1942, price ceilings on five important dried fruits and raisins at the packer level by about fifteen per cent will be issued shortly, the Office of Price Administration announced yesterday.

The OPA also will issue soon another regulation permitting wholesale and retail distributors of dried fruits to adjust their prices to the ultimate consumer in relation to the new packer prices.

The OPA action, designed to allow processors specified margins over the support-buying prices of growers, at previously by the Agriculture Department, "is expected to provide another link in the coordinated program to encourage maximum production and distribution of dried pears, peaches, apricots and figs, as well as raisins," the OPA said.

A Sad Story

Harry B. Wagner, distant cousin of Donut Charlie Wagner, of Queenstown, writes his views to the Baltimore Sun of the things he ought not to tell out of school:

Upon my return to the city of Baltimore, I learned that through a coalition movement Mr. O'Conor has agreed to become the perpetual Governor of Maryland, and Mr. Jackson has agreed to remain as the perpetual Mayor of Baltimore city. This movement, I understand, has the paternal blessing of William Curran, long the apostle of good government.

"If the people adopt the movement it will mean much in the saving of the taxpayers' money, as it will eventually do away with the Supervisors of Elections in the city and State and could, through a legislative act, abolish elections altogether."

PERSONALS

FOLKS YOU KNOW

Mrs. Charles Owens of Baltimore, is spending the summer with her mother, Mrs. Samuel E. W. Friel at Bolingly. She spent part of her vacation with the families of her brothers, Reynolds and Samuel Friel.

Mr. Henry McClyments will remove to Easton next week. His home has been rented by Mr. and Mrs. Milton Faulkner and family, and Mr. Roland Boone and family will take the home vacated by Mr. Faulkner.

Mr. Charles Anthony, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles (Chalk) Anthony, and one of Uncle Sam's soldiers, spent the weekend with his parents. This is Pvt. Anthony's first trip home for seven months. He has been traveling all over the States, and he is now stationed at Fort Dix, N. Y.

W. Ray Tabler, cashier of the Centreville National Bank, has been granted a leave of absence by the Board of Directors to accept a commission as Captain in the Army. Mr. Tabler is awaiting orders from the Adjuant General's office in Washington,to report for duty in the near future.

ROE—GIBSON

The Hillsboro-Queen Anne Church was the scene on Aug. 16, at two o'clock of a pretty wedding, with a military tinge, when Miss Margaret Fay Gibson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harry Gibson, of Queen Anne, became the bride of Sergeant William Emory Roe, 3rd, of the Classification and Assignment Section at Fort Meade, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Emory Roe, Jr., of Centreville.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Walter H. Stone, Pastor of the church, before an altar banked with white hydrangeas, dahlias, and phlox. The wedding music was played by Mrs. Mulford Swing, of Easton. Miss Betty Smith, of Goldsboro, gave two violin solos preceding the ceremony, "O, Promise Me," and "I Love You Truly."

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a street-dress of brown crepe with matching accessories and carried yellow roses. Mrs. George T. Pratt, the bride's sister, as matron of honor, wore slate blue with wine accessories. Her bouquet was of American Beauty roses. The bridesmaids, Miss Eleanor Flowers, of Queen Anne, and Miss Nancy Jane Kline, of Hillsboro, wore dusty rose and wine velveteen, respectively, with pill-box hats and face veils. Their flowers were white gladiolii and blue delphiniums. The groom had as his best man his uncle, Major Thomas S. Delahay.

The ushers were Sergeant Robert M. Blair, of Youngstown, Ohio, Corporal James Stewart, of Easton, PFC William B. Cleary, of Wilkesbarre, Pennsylvania, all of Fort Meade, and Private George T. Pratt, ofCamp Lee, Virginia, brother-in-law of the bride.

The bride's mother wore a costume of plum crepe with powder blue accessories. The mother of the groom chose navy sheer with navy accessories. Both wore corsages of white gladiolii buds.

A reception at the home of the bride's parents followed the ceremony. Later, the young couple left for New York City and the New England states.

The members of the bridal party were entertained on Saturday evening by Miss Flowers and Miss Kline at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard P. Flowers.

Both Sergeant and Mrs. Roe are very well known in the county seat. Mrs. Roe is secretary to the Queen Anne's County Health Department, and Sergeant Roe, prior to his induction January 14, 1941, was on the staff of the Centreville Post Office.

NEW DEAL Democratic Organization

The tide is flowing ever stronger toward the New Deal Organization Farmers, merchants, watermen, working people, and professional men, in ever increasing numbers are saying that Joe George and his progressive ticket are forging steadily and surely ahead.

Joe has had legislative experience that will stand him, and Queen Anne's County, in good stead this winter as Senator. In 1910, when he was scarcely more than a boy, he was appointed as Assistant Journal Clerk to our Maryland State Senate. Two years later he was promoted to Chief Clerk. While serving in that capacity he revamped the entire system of keeping the minutes of the Senate proceedings, and he got adopted the system of Journalizing which is still in use after thirty years.

From his boyhood days, Joe has been associated with such pastmasters in law making as the late Senators, J. Frank Harper, James E. Kirwan, Arthur Pue Gorman, Blair Lee, John Walter Smith, Governor Albert C. Ritchie, and many others. He has followed the wise guidance of his father, the late John E. George beloved leader in Queen Anne's politics for a number of years.

His team mates, Joe Evans and Percy Thomas are men of ability, energy and experience. They are faithful to a trust and will always fight for what they think is right. Both are from old and prominent families and are well known and liked in their respective communities. Their record in the legislature sessions of 1935 and 1937 is an excellent one and without criticism. The laws they passed put Queen Anne's County on a cash basis.

The County Commissioners group was selected with the interests of all parts of the county at heart. Claude Lowery, at present a member of Queen Anne's County Ration Board, is a successful farmer and waterman from the Fourth District. He understands the problems of both these groups and has their confidence. Charlie Mullikin, a prominent business man now living in Centreville will have the best interests of our county seat and our entire county in mind. Charlie is one of the best liked men we know. Casper Seney, another popular and successful farmer, from near Price fills out a well rounded board. His section of our country has not had a county commissioner for a great many years and is entitled to have Casper elected to represent them and that end of the county. All three of these men have records of good management and economy. Last winter when Charlie Mullikin opened his pocket book for a Christmas Collection, a June bug flew out.

Sid Gadd's record for his one term in the Clerk's Office is one that justifies his return by unanimous vote. Genial, courteous, efficient and attentive to his job. He brings a quiet dignity to our Court which is admired by all. Four years ago he was elected to fill this important job an dhas done so with honor. A World War Veteran whose family is prominent in all public affairs. He inspires confidence, and his quiet-spoken well-considered advice is eagerly sought by his many friends.

Tom Pippin, the Ruthsburg merchant, is the best looking man of his age on the ticket. Successful as a merchant and in finance he is an ideal man for our Treasurer. A home developed product who will make a record equal to Bill Keith's and Edgar Bryan's in this office. This is one of our most important positions and needs a proven man like Tom Pippin. Pippin is another county family name of prominence, a name synonimous with management and ability.

Edward Earl Coursey of Grasonville is the man who polled the astonishing total of 359 votes in his home district four years ago to 25 votes for his next highest opponent. That's a good record that has never been equalled to our knowledge in this county. A man is best known in his home area and no better recommendation could Earl have than such a vote as that. Another World War Veteran with a son in the present war. He will be our next Register of Wills.

Frank Delahay is a winner for Sheriff. His father filled this office with great distinction when Frank was but a boy. Prominent and active in all public affairs in his district. His World War experience well fits him for courageous service as Sheriff during these trouble times. His home town of Queenstown is for him, almost to a man.

Herbert Bowers, Harry Callahan and Roland Carville make an Orphan's Court of which we will be proud. Three family names that are prominent in state history as well as that of our county. A farmer, a merchant and a waterman. This car ries out the plan for all county boards to be well balanced. All are men of outstanding and well known ability; of sound judgment and impeacable character. Men who will be sympathetic and kindly in their contracts with those who are bereaved whn they appear before our Orphan's Court.

John Palmer Smith has filled the office of State's Attorney with national prominence. Selected by Judge Keating to finish the term of Hackett Turner, Jr., when he entered the Army, he has ably justified his appointment. John studied under Judge Keating when the Judge was practicing law, and was qualified for the post. Our county is going to back up Judge Keating's decision on Sept. 8th.

The State Central Committe group is one to be proud of. Three ladies of long experience in public work are Katherine W. Barton, M. Pearl Gardner and Eva Atkinson Jones. Active in P. T. A., Community and Homemakers Clubs, Church Organizations Child Welfare and allied work. They well deserve our support. James P. Brown, William T. Melvin and Senator William R. Wilson are three names known the county over. These are known as men of sound and unbiased judgment, loyalty and ability. All with experience which exceptionally fits them to be on the governing body for our party's policies.

And, last but not least, are the genial candidates for Delegates to the State Convention. Herb Everett, Jack Nickerson and William C. Smith. The names of three of our most prominent county families. Genuine old-time dyed-in-the-wool Democrats. Each a member of the Democratic Organization faction founded by the late John E. George, as is nearly every other candidate on the New Deal Ticket who is old enough to have been voting when Johnny George so ably lead our county affairs. Other groups may call themselves "Organization," but you may check the records and see that the above are the genuine Organization of Queen Anne's County Democrats.

The first rally meeting of the New Deal Democratic Organization will be held in the Armory at Centreville on Saturday, August 29th at 8:30 P. M. All are welcome. Music by the Centreville Band. Refreshments will be served. A crab feast will be announced at a latter date. Because of the scarcity of gasoline we have felt it our patriotic duty to hold meetings down to a minimum.

MASS—at St. Peter's Catholic Church, Queenstown, at 10 o'clock **Our Mother of Sorrows, Centreville, at 8 o'clock.**

MOTOR BOAT FOR SALE—22 feet long 6 foot beam, deadrise built 5 h. p. Gray Motor, very economical on gas. Ready to start. All complete for only 125 bucks. Apply to M. W. Aker.

Who's Who In Political Circles

Well, Mike had a very enjoyable time trying to entertain his city cousins, Sunday, which departed for their home in Baltimore late in the afternoon, allowing Mike ample time to interview the Democratic voters, as Republican associates were under cover. But it looks to Mike that there is a Democratic tidal wave sweeping Queen Anne's county as the Registrars books will show. According to the books our good friends, Dr. Norman Hitch and Harry T. Barton are the only two that are true to their colors in the Fifth District, First precinct.

Mike had a large time in Centreville on Tuesday trying to get some dope from the politicians, but they were as scarce as rock fish in our harbor. He ventured in The County Commissioners office but was met at the door with the sweet words: "Busy, call later!" A glance would make an unsophisticated politician think that a little "Star Chamber" proceedings were in the making.

Well, Mason Shaw remarked while Mike was hanging around the Old Liners headquarters, "Any one who thinks that the National and State elections will be carried off in any way from what has been the custom in the past, has illusions—his or her "dreams will not come true."

Pop Pop Cross is trying his utmost to put the hooks in Frank Delahay's candidacy for Sheriff, and his lieutenant Frank Morgan, is on duty nightly. But, Jack Bishop thinks he can overcome the opposition to Frank. Well, we won't have to lose any sleep to find out who is right.

That if Mike and Steiney would open their traps on political gossip that they pickup on the corner about a candidate while some voters want to see his elected and others vice versa, if the negative was developed we are afraid it might show a beautiful woman in the picture.

Ifwe are to believe what the voters tell us, it looks like the New Deal is gaining ground daily. Mike under the instructions of Pop Pop Cross has tried hard to break into the flanks of the New Deal, it seems that they are using a leaf out of General MacArthur's book and have left no weak points in their fortification. We can't understand why voters should shift! "Haven't WE fulfilled all of OUR PROMISES?"

Folks that have tried to crack down on free speech, and a free press—and the freedom to think—haven't gotten very far in suppressing any of those old-fashioned American customs. Now, we find that politics are not adjourned, and that the big State of New York—where you get professional politics—has boiled over with plain old-fashioned political rancor.

Voters throughout the five counties are giving the Judgeship battle but little thought, but here is the story: Mr. Rollins who is taking the Republican end of the battle is running on both tickets for associate Judge. He is certain to be on the ticket in November, because he has no opposition in the Republican party. If he can win the Democratic nomination he is elected to office.

The situation is not exactly the same as to Mr. Marshall, who is running for Chief Judge on both tickets. It is not the same because Judge Collins, his opponent, is also running on both tickets. Mr. Marshall is not certain to go on the ticket in November. If Judge Collins wins on both tickets he is elected. If Mr. Marshall wins on both tickets he is elected. But if Mr. Marshall should win on the Democrat Ticket and Judge Collins should win on the Republican Ticket, or vice versa, both would contest for the office in November.

REGISTRATION OF VOTERS SEPTEMBER 1ST

A pre-primary registration of persons desiring to vote in the September 8 Primary Election will be held in each of the seven election districts of Queen Anne's County on Tuesday, September 1, according to an announcement made by the Board of Election Supervisors this week.

All persons eligible for registration in Queen Anne's county who will be 21 years of age by next November 3, the date of the General Election, and all persons who have moved into Queen Anne's county from another county in the State of Maryland, or from Baltimore City since the last general registration held in 1930, are eligible to register.

All persons registering in the Pre-Primary registration may vote in the Primary election on September 8. The hours of registration will be from 9 a. m. until 9 p. m., on September 1.

The Public Health At Stake

If present high standards of medical practice are to be maintained in this nation, and the public is to be protected from virtually uncontrolled quackery, it will be necessary for Congress to pass new legislation That is the inevitable deduction to be made from some recent events.

In April, 1941, medical groups, including the principal officials of the American Medical Association,were found guilty of a Federal charge of "conspiracy to restrain trade." The action was brought under the anti-trust statutes. Last June, that decision was upheld by the UnitedStates Circuit Court of Appeals at Washington, D. C. In effect, these court decisions hold that medicine is actually trade and commerce. If these decisions are to mark the end of the matter, therefore, and it is perfectly possible that the exclusive right of physicians to practice medicine, and the right of physicians to determine educational and ethical standards for the profession will be abrogated and made unlawful. And if that happens, the worst kind of quackery will be encouraged, at the expense of the public health.

In the decision made by the Court of Appeals, it was said that it may be desirable for professional groups to be given "enlarged powers." But, the presiding judge continued, that is a matter for Congress—not for the courts. The courts, in short, can pass only upon the legality of a Congressional statute—not upon its wisdom.

Here is an issue that effects us all. If doctors cannot, through reputable organizations, enforce reasonable and necessary requirements on practitioners, a precedent will be established which will be extended to all other professional groups—lawyers, dentists, architects, engineers, etc. A protection which is absolutely essential to the public health and welfare will be destroyed. Congress should take swift remedial action.

Washington College Coach Called to Duty

J. Thomas Kibler, director of athletics at Washington College, and generally recognized as Kent county's outstanding veteran of the first World War, has been recalled into military service and will report for duty as soon as he is informed of his exact duties, as well as his rank with the country's armed forces.

During the World War I Kibler was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross. He spent two years in France and was wounded twice in 1918. He retired from service at the close of the first war with the rank of captain.

The departure of Kibler from Washington College will leave the sports activities in an unsettled condition, especially since George Ekaitis, coach of football and track recently resigned to become assistant coach of football at Lehigh University.