Local, Personal and Otherwise

The Annual Oyster and Crab Bake at Wherheim's, was held on Friday.

Monday next, July 5th is the day for the St. Aloysius 4th of July celebration and Dinner. Be sure to attend.

Mrs. John R. Jackson and daughter, of Baltimore, were guests of relatives in this city during the week.

The County Commissioners on Tuesday, fixed the County tax rate for the ensuing year at $1.25 on the $100.

Mr. George P. Wiggington, who recently purchased the Belvedere estate, will delived the address at Leonard Hall on July 5th.

There will be a game of ball at St. George's Hall, Valley Lee, July 5th at 3 p. m. Refreshments for sale on the grounds. Admission free.

Mr. L. E. Mumford, of Cape Charles, Va., President of the First National Bank of St. Mary's, attended a business meeting of the bank on Wednesday.

Duke Bros. have installed a new Simplex movie machine and will run twice a week, Sundays and Wednesdays. Wednesday performances will be followed by a dance.

Arrangements have been made to furnish dinner for three thousand people at the celebration at Leonard Hall on July 5th. Five hundred persons will be seated at once. It is evident that all who attend will be cared for.

The Semmes Motor Company will run a number of busses from Washington to Leonardtown on July 5th to take care of the large number of people who are desirous of attending the 4th of July Celebration and Dinner at Leon-Hall on July 5th.

As will be seen form anuouncement in our advertising columns, The Mechanicsville Bank of the Eastern Shore Trust Company (formerly the National Bank of Mechanicsville) invites its patrons and friends to an entertainment, social and dance at Mechanicsville on Wednesday, August 4.

By an act passed at the last session of the Legislature the Maryland State College of Agriculture loses its individual name on July 1, and becomes a part of the University of Maryland. Headquarters of the University will be at Collage Park and the administration of the State College will act as its executive body.

The L. Rude & Son, Artesian Well Specialists. have had a very successful season in St. Mary's, having to their credit several wells in the lower section of our county, and also one for Mr. A. Dana Hodgdon, at Chimboraza, and this week finish the sinking of one for Mr. J. A. Coad, on his recent purchase from Mr. J. J. Norris, on the State Road. Mr. Rude and his crew leave for Virginia, this week, where several contracts await them.

C. A. Berger Interviewed.

In conversation with C. A. Boeger, who recently completed a social and economic survey of the farms about Leonardtown, he was asked for some suggestions that would improve agriculture in this section. After stating that giving advice after so short an acquaintance with local conditions was extremely hazadous, and any attempt to revolutionize agriculture a decided failure. he said:

"One of the chief expenses on the farm here is that for fertilizer. In this connection the farming of Charles D. Roberts, of Compton, should prove interesting. He neither grows tobacco nor uses any fertilizer except that made on the farm. Mr. Roberts has also built an overhead celler such as ought to be useful on most farms. This is a board structure about 10x12 feet with double wall of boards, the space between being filled tightly with sawdust and sadwust to the thickness of about two feet being placed over the ceiling. Milk and butter kept in this buildiug keeps cool and fresh the same as if hung in a well.

"If a market for cream could be had here the great expense of fertilizer might be reduced by turning to dairying and using cow manure on the tobacco land. I should think it would prove profitable now to ship cream to the cities instead of making country butter for which there is little demand. In the summer if the cream was separated immediately and the cream can placed in water coming from a spring, it would not be necessary to ship cream oftener than three times a week during the summer and only once a week during winter

"In view of the shortage of labor it is strauge that sulky cultivators are not more numerous. Sulky cultivators ought to be on every farm where as much as 15 acres of corn is grown. It is surprising to one coming from the middle west to see so many cattle with horns. It would appear of especial importance to have oxen without horns. It is a very simple process to apply costic to the starting horns on a calf at the age of about two weeks and stop the growth- The County Agent would gladly show the farmers how this is done.

"The women on farms are probably more energetic and hard working than are the men. This is shown by the frequent sighting them in the fields helping plant tobacco and then corn and from the fact of their raising so much poultry. The poultry sales here are mostly turkeys, but many chickens are also grown for the market. With the present high price of feed it does not pay well to raise chickens for sale; it does pay, however, to raise them for egg production. The chickens about here are mostly Plymouth Rock or the heavier breeds. Poultry plants for egg production universally use the Leghorn hen, and it is strange that so very few of them are found about Leonardtown."

Mr. Boeger, expressed himself as being much pleased with the kindly reception accorded him by the farmers and their wives, and said that it would be a great pleasure for him to visit this community again in the future and to meet again the many friends he has made.

James A. Dawkins.

James A. Dawkins, formerly of this county, died at his late home in Baltimore on Tuesday, June 29. Mr. Dawkins was for years engaged in the Commission Merchant business under the firm name of Crispin & Dawkins, which later became the firm of Dawkins & Duke. He was a democrat and represented his District in the Maryland Legislature for several terms and was later one the Judges of the Police Court of that city.

He is survived by his widow, Lizzie Deming Dawkins, one son and one daughter, and a brother, Judge Walter I. Dawkins, of the Supreme Bench, Baltimore.

Funeral services were held on Friday, July 2, at St. Paul's Church, North Gay street.

Sale of County Bonds.

County Road Bonds were sold at auction at the Court House door on Tuesday last and brought the following prices:

L. E. Payne, $10,000 at $10.025
Miss Mary J. Wathen $800 at $802
Miss Rosa V. Wathen, $700 at $701.75
Geo. F. Wathen, $500 at $501.25
Mrs. Mattie M. Key, $5000 at par
Judge W. I Dawkins, $500 at par
George F. Herbert, $1200 at par
Jos. H. Ching, $1000 at $997
1st Nat'l Bank $30,300 at 99.

Under the present financial conditions this sale of bonds speaks well for our county.

Victory Medals.

Army Recruiting Officer, Baltimore, Md., has completed arrangements for the issue of the Victory Medal to all persons who served as officers, cantract surgeons, cadets, enlisted men, nurses and field clerks, in the army during the World War, at any time between the dates of April 6, 1917 to November 11, 1918. This Medal will be issued in addition to the Victory Button previously authorized and issued. Detail information and the necessary application blanks may be secured from the Army Recruiting Stations at 117 W. Fayette Street, Baltimore, Md., or 509 Tenth Street, n. w., Washington, D. C. Each applicant is required to fill out a prescribed application blank form for the Victory Medal. Those unable to apply in person for blank forms will be furnished same by mail upon their application stating their service as an officer, enlisted man or whether they are the nearest kin of deceased entitled to the Medal. Field clerks will apply to the Adjutant General of the Army, and nurses will apply to the Surgeon General of the Army, Washington, for their blanks to make application for the Medal. They will return their completed blanks to office from which received.

Religious.

William and Mary Parish—Saint George's Church—Services for fifth Sunday after Trinity are as follows:

Church School, 10 a. m.; Holy communion and Sermon, 11 a. m. A welcome is excended to all the people.
D. W. Curran.

Church Services for next Sunday, July, 4th; Old St. Andrews, 11 a. m. July 11th; Leonardtown, 11 a. m.
Rev. H. C. Goodman, Rector.

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March 3, 1920, the Ford Motor Co. advanced the prices of Ford cars because of the increased cost of production. No specific announcement was deemed necessary at the time, but it has developed that misrepresentation and misquotation of these advanced prices have been given out. So to safeguard the public against the evils of misrepresentation, we herewith give the present prices:

Runabout . $550. with dual electric starting and lighting system $625
Touring Car . $575. with dual electric starting and lighting system $650
Coupe . $750. with dual electric starting and lighting system and demountable rims $850
Sedan . $875. with dual electric starting and lighting system and demountable rims $975
Truck Chasis with solid tires and clincher rims $600
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Between Scotland and Leonardtown

Leave Scotland	6 30 A. M	
Arrive Leonardtown	7 45 A. M	(Connects with bus for Washington.
Leave Leonardtown	7 00 P. M.	(Connects here with bus from Wasningtan
Arrive Scotland	8 15 P. M.	

Between Leonardtown and Washington

Leave Leonardtown	7 45 A. M.	(Present leaving time,
Arrive Washington	10 45 A. M.	7 30 a. m.; connects
Leave Washington	4 00 P. M.	here with boat from
Arrive Leonardtown	7 45 P. M.	McGuire's Wharf, Va.
Leave Washington	7 45 A. M.	
Arrive Leonardtown	10 45 A. M.	
Leave Washington	12 M	
Arrive Leonardtown	3 00 P. M.	(Connects with boat
Leave Leonardtown	4 00 P. M.	for McGuires wharf
Arrive Washington	7 00 P. M.	Va.

The change in the Scotland schedule permits patrons to travel to and from Washington the same day, with five hours to spend in Washington.

The Semmes Motor Line also wishes to announce that they have established a waiting room and ticket office in Leonardtown for the convenience of patrons.

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