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ONE CHILD KILLED, ANOTHER SERIOUSLY HURT IN NEWARK AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS THIS WEEK

Three Hit in Less Than Four Months in Neighboring Town

Theodore Erhart, 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Erhart, of Capital Trail, near Newark, was practically killed instantly Tuesday morning about 8.15. He was struck by a car driven by Miss Wilhelmina Mackey, of near Providence.

Following a hearing before Magistrate Daniel Thompson, Tuesday afternoon, Miss Mackey was released under $2,000 bail on a charge of manslaughter.

At the hearing Miss Mackie said she did not see the boy in time to avert the accident. The child, accompanied by two sisters, was on his way to school and is said to have run across the road in front of the machine. The case was investigated by Chief of Police William Cunningham and Officer Elmer Morrison, of the town police force.

Jack Pickett Seriously Hurt

Jack Pickett, young son of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Pickett, of 43 Park Place, Newark, escaped sudden death when struck by a car bearing Ohio license tags, on South College Avenue about one-half block from his home about 5 o'clock last evening. Jack was riding his new bicycle which was only bought last Tuesday. He was told only to ride in front of his home by his mother, but he ventured out on the avenue where he was struck. The driver is being held until the outcome of the injuries is determined. The child was taken to Wilmington for X-rays which showed no visible fractures to bones, but he was cut and bruised severely.

Richard "Tuck" Ware, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard T. Ware, of Newark, was struck by a coal truck a few days before Christmas and was confined to the hospital for several weeks where he laid unconscious for over a week. He received several bone fractures in the accident and has just recently returned to school for part time.

Titles of Tracts on Sassafras River Transferred to Geo. Schmidt, New York City

Transfers of the titles of four of the most valuable water-front estates in Kent county, on the Sassafras river, near Galena, to George Schmidt, of New York City, in the office of State's Attorney Stephen R. Collins in Chestertown, completed one of the largest real estate deals in the county for several years.

The properties involved include the historic Oldfield Point farm of 300 acres, once the home of the late I. Freeman Rasin, Baltimore city Democratic leader for many years, owned by Harry B. Cannon, formerly of York, Pa.; the 650-acre Powell farm, belonging to James H. Shuster, of Wilmington; the 300-acre farm of W. Holt Woodall, of Georgetown, and 165 acres of the Cochran estate, which adjoins the properties, together with five acres and a modern bungalow on the Sassafras river adjoining the Shuster tract and belonging to J. D. Edge, of Wilmington.

The entire tract consists of approximately 1,400 acres of valuable farming lands. The purchase price is reported to have been approximately $125,000 The purchaser will improve the properties and engage in various phases of agriculture.

North East M. E. Sunday School Holds Meeting

The North East M. E. Sunday School Board held its regular monthly meeting March 28. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: R. O. Bailey, superintendent; Samuel Reeder, assistant superintendent; W. J. Logan, secretary; John Gibson, assistant secretary; Vernon Gray, assistant secretary; Leon DeMond, assistant secretary; Weldon Reeder, treasurer. Mrs. Wm. Rutter, choirster; Walter Wilson, assistant choirster; Miss Irene Simpers, pianist; Mrs. R. K. Wells, assistant pianist; Miss Doris Logan, assistant pianist; Miss Reba McKinney, librarian; Mrs. W. J. Pugh, missionary superintendent; Miss Mary Mearns, missionary secretary and treasurer; Mrs. Lydia Voshell, assistant missionary secretary and treasurer; Mrs. R. C. Simpers, chairman of the Temperance Department; Miss Elizabeth Harvey, superintendent, Primary Department; Mrs. W. J. Logan, assistant superintendent, Primary Department; Mrs. C. E. Rothermel, superintendent, Beginners' Department; Miss May Logan, superintendent Nursery Department; Mrs. R. C. Simpers, superintendent Home Department; Mrs. C. E. Rothermel, superintendent, Cradle Roll.

Crouch's Chapel to Open

Crouch's Chapel Sunday School will reorganize for the year on Sunday, April 3. All members are requested to attend.

Must Understand People

"To be popular," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "it often proves necessary to understand the people without allowing them to understand you."

Pacific Tides Higher

Tides on the Pacific coast are generally higher than those on the Atlantic coast, partly because of eastward winds.

Depositions Taken In France Case

Depositions from physicians and psychiatrists who treated Mrs. Joseph I. France, wife of the former U. S. Senator from Maryland, was opened Tuesday before Judge Owen J. Knott in the Circuit Court.

The five depositions, taken in Paris, France, before the U. S. consul will be used to bolster Mrs. France's defense in the divorce proceedings brought by Dr. France, who alleged in his suit she deserted him in 1931.

Attorney Daniel C. Joseph, counsel for the former Russian Princess, Tatiana Dechterav, said neither of the litigants is expected to be in court.

Mrs. France told the court, Dr. France asked her to go away while he campaigned for the Republican nomination for President and that a mental illness kept her from returning.

Cheap Tractors to Be Manufactured by Ford

Henry Ford says he intends to start production as soon as possible on a new low-cost farm tractor.

The manufacturer said in an interview he was convinced a back-to-the-farm movement would precede a new era of prosperity in the United States. "Cheap tractors and low-cost farm implements are a great need in this connection," he said.

For weeks Mr. Ford has checked performance of experimental tractors here on his 85,000 acre plantation. "We have been testing two tractors," Mr. Ford said, "and they perform to my entire satisfaction. We will begin production just as quickly as we can." The proposed new tractor would be powered by eight-cylinder motors, such as now used in passenger cars and trucks. "They will be light, powerful, and efficient," he said. "They will be designed to do almost everything on the farm."

New Beauty Shop to Open in Newark

Miss Mildred Tamargo, daughter of our fellow citizen, Sandy Tamargo, will open a new Beauty Parlor at 65 Main St., Newark, Del., about April 10.

Miss Tamargo, who is a graduate of the Marinella School, passed with the highest honors all the board tests. She is equipping the new place of business with the latest and best equipment and will have modern, up-to-date methods throughout.

Bank Night Awards at North East Theatre

This week, at the North East Theatre, Bank Night awards were made to Everett Beal, North East, $260 00; Paul Shellender, Elkton, $150.00; and Samuel Scarborough, North East, $100.00.

Deepest Copper Mine

The deepest copper mines in the world are found near Houghton and Calumet in the upper peninsula of Michigan.

Insect Strength

The beetle is said to be the strongest living creature in the world for its weight. It can carry a burden 850 times its own weight.

FISH RUNNING GOOD BUT PRICE IS LOW

Capt. Samuel Elburn, who has fished for many years in Chester river says he never saw white perch more plentiful than at present. The price is low.

Fishermen at Rock Hall report rock plentiful but the market is glutted and as low as five cents was received for shipments last week.

Chestertown hucksters were selling big rock for 10 cents per pound.

Mayor of Port Deposit Buried Last Saturday

Mr. A. M. Vanneman, Mayor of Port Deposit, for a number of years, died at his home last Wednesday, following a short illness of paralysis, having suffered a stroke on Tuesday night when he was found unconscious on the floor by his son Samuel.

He was a native of Port Deposit and in his early life taught in the Cecil county public schools. Later he was appointed purser on the steamer Susquehanna, plying between Port Deposit and Baltimore. He continued in this position for many years, when he was appointed postmaster at Port Deposit and served two terms.

For the past several years he had served as Mayor of the Cecil county town and was also a prominent member of Harmony Lodge, A. F. and A. M.

He leaves a widow, Mrs. Edith Child Vanneman and two sons, Samuel and A. M. Vanneman, Jr.

Funeral services were held at his late home at 2 o'clock last (Saturday) afternoon, with interment at Hopewell cemetery.

Sunday School to Reorganize

Jones Chapel Sunday school will reorganize on Sunday, April 3. All members are requested to be present as there will be an election of officers for the ensuing year.

Children's Aid Society To Meet at Parish House

The Annual Meeting of the Cecil County Branch of the Maryland Children's Aid Society will be held at the Parish House, Elkton, Friday, April 8th, at 3 o'clock. Miss Katherine Kirwan, Ex-Secretary of the Agency, and Mr. George Daub, of Baltimore, Maryland, will speak. Refreshments will be served after the meeting. The public is cordially invited to attend.

H. D. Litzenberg Funeral

Funeral services for Herbert D. Litzenberg, who died suddenly last Thursday morning at his farm home near here, were held from his late home and largely attended. The Rev. J. Warren Albinson, rector of Trinity Episcopal Church, conducted the services at both house and grave.

Mr. Litzenberg, former coroner and at the time of his death a bailiff of the Cecil County Court, had attended court the day prior to his death.

He is survived by his wife, the former Miss Ada B. Cannan, of Fair Hill; a daughter, Mrs. W. Ray Kerr, of Fair Hill, and four sons, Herbert, Jr., Albert, Robert, and William Litzenberg, all f Elkton; also a sister, Mrs. J. Lynn Pratt, of Milford, Del.

Where the Money Goes

A large eastern corporation has just issued a special annual report to its 11,200 employees. The report points out that 51 per cent of the money received by the corporation last year was paid to the workers in wages and salaries; that stockholders received 11½ per cent and that the other 37½ per cent was required for maintenance, expansion, advertising, research and taxes.

In paying an aggregate of nearly five times as much to its workers as to its stockholders, this corporation was no exception, but, on the contrary, typical of American industries today.

In support of this, the Department of Commerce recently estimated that the total compensation paid to employees in 1937 amounted to $45,000,000,000, while total dividends were only $9,000,000,000.

With these facts before us it is not difficult to see that workers in the aggregate have a far greater stake in the stability and prosperity of business than many persons believe and that their stake is even greater than that of the millions of American stockholders.

FAVOR NEW FERRY

Sentiment for a new ferry, quicker and less expensive, between the two shores in the upper part of the bay has been crystalizing, not only in the upper shore towns, but also in Crisfield.

According to a group of business men here, the proposed Kent Island-Rock Point line, as proposed by the Chesapeake Bay Company, would reduce the time between the Eastern Shore and Baltimore or other points on the Western side of the Chesapeake, but would also cut the cost of travel between the lower Shore especially, nearly in half. The Chesapeake Bay Company is also interested in a line between Crisfield and Point Lookout, it is said.

The Low Down From Hickory Grove

I am kind of a half-way law-abiding citizen and I am not agin the Govt. But everything has its place. And the Govt., if it would stick by the army and the navy, it would have its hands full—except maybe the post-office. But even in the P. O., I have seen the blotter there, and I have tried the pen.

But you take your own off-spring, and if they are 6 or 10 or 20, you are for 'em 100 per cent, but even they have their place. And their place, it is not showing you how to take out an appendix, if you happen to be a doctor—or tellin' you how to make both ends meet, while they sit in the shade or use your credit card for gas.

And our Govt., it is getting to act like a juvenile and is diving in where it don't know how deep it is, like in this Tennessee electric shin-dig, and will maybe need a life preserver—and we will get the hospital bill.

If I happened to live down there around this here new TVA diggin's, I would feel safer if I had a few candles handy.

Yours, with the low down,
JO SERRA

MORE SHIPS TO USE C. & D. CANAL

Merchants and Miners steamships will use the Chesapeake and Delaware Canal on their trips between the South, Philadelphia and Baltimore this spring, C. D. Swank, general manager of the company, announced this week.

The ships will go from the south to Philadelphia, where passengers will be discharged, and from there through the canal to Baltimore. From Baltimore they will travel in the usual way down the bay on southbound trips.

Bright Prospects for C. C. C. Camps

Congressman T. Alan Goldsborough has notified the Cecil County Star that the prospect for keeping open C. C. C. camps is better than it has been for some months past.

Congressman Goldsborough believes that an additional appropriation will be made sufficient to take care of C. C. C. camp activities. He feels that the Congress realizes that the C. C. C. camps have met with general public approval and that proper provision will be made for them.

Commission Seeks Value of Conowingo Power Plant

The Federal Power Commission on Monday began in Washington a hearing to determine the value of the Conowingo power project. The plant is said to represent an investment of over fifty million dollars. This is one of a series of hearings to determine the values of power plants over the country. Major Steuart Purcell represented the Maryland Public Service Commission.

Town Election at North East

Edward M. Clark and Ira Cameron were elected town commissioners at North East, without opposition at the annual town election. They will serve with holdover Commissioners Walter I. Smith, Warner Gray and William M. McNamee, for the ensuing year.

John S. Reisler, secretary of the Cecil County Farm Bureau, has issued invitations for the seventh annual meeting and banquet to be held at the North East High School Friday evening.

Speakers will include Dr. T. B. Symons, University of Maryland; Christian Sanderson, Chadds Ford, Pa.; C. E. Wise, Maryland Farm Bureau, and Mrs. E. C. Dunning, of the Inter-State Producers Cooperative.

Cecil Post Members Distributing Posters

Members of Cecil Post No. 15, American Legion, the Legion Auxiliary and sons of Legion unit, are distributing 4,500 safety first bookmarkers to the school children in every school in Cecil County.

In Trouble and Out

Walter Rice and Charles Gordon, two young men of Perryville, arrested by Pennsylvania Railroad detectives for larceny of copper wire, were sentenced to the House of Correction for six months by Magistrate Lawrence at Perryville.

William Purnell, arrested by Chief of Police Elwood Boyd, on suspicion of having broken into several stores here last week, is being held for the action of the state's attorney.

Contracts for Aerial Mapping of Thirteen State Counties Made

Contracts for the aerial mapping of thirteen Maryland counties have been made, Dr. T. B. Symons, director of the University of Maryland Extension Service, said Monday.

The mapping first was undertaken in Kent county in 1936 to determine the value of air photography in measuring crop acreage of farmers participating in the Agricultural Adjustment Administration. The plan was successful and the Federal agency mapped about ten other counties throughout the State.

Areas scheduled for this year's mapping are Allegany county, 443 square miles; Anne Arundel, 338; Baltimore county, 504; Calvert, 218; Cecil, 377; Dorchester, 576; Garrett, 685; Harford, 442; St. Mary's, 354; Somerset, 331; Wicomico, 371; Worcester, 495, and 26 miles remaining in Prince George's county.

Directors Hold Meeting

The directors of Harford Memorial Hospital held a dinner for all physicians in Harford county. Robert M. Vandiver, president of the board and son of Gen. Murray Vandiver, first president of the board, presided over the dinner meeting.

Max Chambers to Be Anglers Club Speaker

The Cecil County Anglers Club, the membership of which has been steadily increasing since its organization, has arranged with Max Chambers, secretary of the Chesapeake Bay Fishing Fair Association to be its guest speaker at its next meeting April 11.

M. E. Pastors to Remain

Eighteen pastors filling M. E. Church pulpits in Cecil County will attend the annual conference in Wilmington. All expect to return for another year.

FINE SHAD CAUGHT

Some very fine shad were brought to Easton last Monday morning from Tilghman's Island. Along with the shad were caught some excellent rock and quite a few herring.

Scout Adisers Organized at Havre de Grace

President Harry A. Coy, of the Havre de Grace Rotary Club, has appointed Mayor George T. Pennington, Leo M. Moore, editor of the Ledger, Commodore Thomas F. Colleran, of the Havre de Grace Yacht Club, and Stanley M. Barrett, editor of the Republican, an advisory committee for the newly organized Boy Scouts of Havre de Grace. The committee will meet this week and select a scoutmaster.

Mrs. Eva McKenney Suffers Fractured Hip

Mrs. Eva McKenney, wife of former Mayor Taylor W. McKenney, met with a painful accident, sustaining a fractured hip last night when she fell while getting out of the way of an automobile. She was treated at Union Hospital.

Air Minded in 1865

An "air voyage" nullification clause was in a life insurance policy written in 1865

N. E. H. S. HOLDS PLAY CONTEST

The North East High School will hold its annual one-act play contest in the high school auditorium on Thursday evening, April 7, 1938, at 8.15. Each of the four classes of the high school will present a one-act play. Twenty-five high school pupils will have parts in these plays.

In the senior play, "His First Shave," the following pupils will portray the characters: Ann Carlson, Mildred McCauley, Jane Howard, Richard Jones, and Leon Demend.

The members of the cast of the junior play, "The Advantage of Being Shy," are Lucille Bailey, Ruth Gibson, Mary Gillespie, Gertrude Craig, Betty Simpers, and Dean Krumrine.

The members of the sophomore play are Mary Jane Wood, Betty Wood, Mabel McDowell, Edith Ann Wilson, Joy Grant, Donald Fogg. Charles Rothermel, and Eugene Owens. They will give a mystery play entitled "The Tiger's Claw."

Those in the freshman play, "His Just Deserts," are Florence Graham, Betty Sturgeon, Charlotte Cooper, Thomas Wood, Atlee Armour, and Edmund Kass.

Mr. George J. Balog, Mr. Maurice A. Dunkle, Mrs. Robert Cameron, Miss Elizabeth Munden, and Miss Agatha Black are coaching the plays.

The present sophomore class won the one-act play contest last year.

BUILDING PERMITS

D. J. Ayerst, Elkton, dwelling, west side North St., Elkton; Harry D. Boulden, Cecilton, garage on Ford St., Cecilton; Ernest J. Hamilton, dwelling, Rowlandville, 6th District; Ernest Durham, dwelling, Colora, 6th District; Donaldson Brown, storage silage near Port Deposit, 7th District; Lloyd Balderson, milk house, Colora, 6th District; Wm. Winchester, addition to hotel, Port Deposit; Clayton Wheatman, dwelling and garage, near Warwick, 1st District; Ernest A. Hamer, Ardmore, Pa., dwelling, Grove Point, 1st District; Zetteen E. Humphries, Winterthur, Del., dwelling, Hances Point, 5th District.

Mr. William J. Harris Rites Held Wednesday

Mr. William J. Harris was buried from Hart's M. E. Church, with interment in the adjoining cemetery.

Mr. Harris had reached the age of 103 years, and had resided in Cecil County since 1891, moving here from Pennsylvania, where he was born. He had farmed all his life.

He is survived by four daughters and three sons, Mrs. Barnoski, of Marshallton, Del., Mrs. Lewis Brown, of Rising Sun, Misses Harriet and Lavina Harris, of Elk Neck, John Fletcher, of North East, Benjamin, of Wilmington, and Jefferson, of Elk Neck, also 18 grandchildren, and six great-grandchildren.

He died at his late residence in Elk Neck last Sunday, March 27th.

Announce Civil Service Examinations

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced open competitive examinations for the following positions:

Junior associate warden, $3,200 a year, U. S. Bureau of Prisons, Department of Justice.

Scientific aid (birds), $1,800 a year, U. S. National Museum, Smithsonian Institution.

Scientific aid (parasitology), $1,800 a year, Bureau of Animal Industry.

Full information may be obtained from H. E. W. Bouchelle, secretary of the U. S. Civil Service Board of Examiners, at the post office or custom house in this city.

Sunday Services at Elk Neck

Services on Sunday, April 3, at Elk Neck charge will be as follows: At Hart's, Church School at 9.45 a. m.; Epworth League at 7.30 p. m.; leader, Noble Buchanan; preaching at 8 p. m. Wesley: No service on account of the Annual Conference.

Shirt-tail Signal

Hints for country dwellers:

If you adopt the Russian style and walk with your shirt-tail hanging out, your chances of being killed by an automobile at night are much less.

Dr. Eugene Peck, St. Mary's county health officer, made the suggestion, saying, "There ought to be a law that every pedestrian must carry a light-colored object at night. A handkerchief or a roll of newspapers is visible much farther than the body dressed in dark clothes.

TWO MILES OF AMUSEMENT FOR NEW YORK FAIR

NEW YORK—The largest amusement park in the world, with every conceivable safe and respectable entertainment device and show, will be a part of the New York World's Fair exposition. The 280-acre amusement zone is shown above in an artist's sketch made from the architects' plans. It will form a two-mile loop. So modern is the type of construction that the drawing looks "futuristic."