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LOCAL MATTERS

Cow Sets New Milk Record.—Champion Tillie Alcartra, a Woodland, Cal. cow, has set a new record for milk production in excess of 30,000 pounds in a year. The year was up last Friday but the 30,000-pounds mark was passed several days before. Tillie Alcartra is a 5-year-old Holstein-Friesian. She set a new record last year, surpassing by a few pounds the 29,592-pound mark made by a Massachusetts cow.

Farm House Destroyed.—The old colonial mansion on the farm of Mr. Joseph Judefind was totally destroyed by fire on Tuesday morning, from a supposedly defective flue. Mr. Judefind was able to save nearly all of his furniture. The loss on the house is about $2,500, with partial insurance in the Kent Mutual Fire Insurance Company, amounting to $1,375 on the house and outbuildings. The house will be rebuilt.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Other personals on page 2.

Miss Jane Blackiston is visiting relatives and friends in Ohio.

Mr. Harding, of Laurel, Md., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Rote.

Mr. Leonard Needles has been visiting his brother-in-law, Mr. Hall, and other relatives and friends in and near Wilmington, Del., during the week.

Mrs. Ennis, mother of Mrs. Harvey M. Culp went to a city hospital this week for special medical treatment.

Mrs. Walraven, of Baltimore, has been visiting Mrs. Rachael Gale, during the week.

Mrs. John Masten and little daughter, of Harrington, Del., are guests of her mother, Mrs. Barbara Anthony.

A message from Rev. J. M. Gill states that he and his good wife are well, and that his church work in Seattle is progressing finely. He also states that he expects to visit Maryland in April, and we are quite sure that his many friends here will be glad to see him.

Mr. Fred Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Davis, of Riverside, has been suffering with an abscess on the back of his neck during the week. Dr. H. G. Simpers lanced the wound on Thursday morning, and Mr. Davis is improving.

Sidney P. Townshend, Esq., was in St. Mary's county a part of the week on professional business.

Mrs. Edwin H. Brown, of Centreville, Md., has issued invitations to the marriage of her daughter, Miss Elizabeth Neall, to Mr. Henry Constable Beck, of Houston, Texas. The ceremony will take place at St. Paul's Church, Centreville, Thursday evening, December 17, 1914, at 8 o'clock. Miss Brown is the accomplished daughter of the late Judge Edwin H. Brown, of this circuit, and a sister of Edwin H. Brown, senior editor of the Centreville Record, and State's Attorney for Queen Annes county. Mr. Beck is the youngest son of Mrs. Ellen Beck, of Chestertown, and the late Dr. Samuel Beck, of this county.

Miss Daisy Gorsuch, of Baltimore, is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. C. Harris on Front street.

Mrs. E. Carroll Stollenwreck, of Baltimore, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Richard D. Hynson.

Mrs. James Brice and her daughter, Mrs. Fannie Moore, have been visiting relatives and friends in Baltimore this week.

Miss Roberts, a native of Ireland, is nursing Judge Joseph Wickes. She is a cousin of Lord Roberts, the hero of South African and Indian fame, who died in France the past week, and whose death all England mourns.

Mrs. P. A. M. Brooks has been visiting in Baltimore the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hubbard and Miss Miriam Hubbard spent the past week in Baltimore. Mrs. Hubbard attended the semi-annual meeting of the State Federated Club.

¶Jeweler H. B. Rote sold six wedding rings last week. Go it boys, while you are young.

BRIEF ITEMS OF INTEREST

¶Capt. Robertson has purchased a fine new five-passenger Hupmobile.

¶Mr. John Hadaway has removed to the Whaland property vacated by rural carrier Thomas Willis.

¶Mr. Seward, of Washington College, fractured his nose in a game of basketball at the college on Monday afternoon.

¶Mrs. William Hudson has opened a clothes cleaning and pressing establishment in Rock Hall.

¶Mr. C. E. Kirby is delivering goods in a new wagon built by Davis & Satterfield.

¶Quite a number of Chestertown's young people are answering the picture puzzles in the Sunday Sun every week.

¶Mrs. Nellie Klugh, of Spry's Gate, has purchased a new Ford car from Mr. J. F. Thompson.

¶Apropos of the Thanksgiving holiday the price of turkeys and all kinds of poultry is on the rise. Farmers, keep your eyes open for the market price.

¶Mr. William Fowler and force of workman have improved the cosy home of Mr. Frank E. Duyer, on Queen street, with a new dress of paint.

¶Mr. Marion T. Miller, one of the most prominent merchants in Rock Hall, has built a large addition to his big store, measuring 48 by 28 feet, to accommodate his greatly increasing trade.

¶Mr. and Mrs. John C. Wood, of East Neck Island, gave their son, Franklin, a birthday supper last Saturday. Quite a number of friends and relatives enjoyed the occasion.

¶The thermometer has registered several degrees below the freezing point several mornings this week. The lowest temperature was recorded on Wednesday morning, 26 degrees.

¶Yesterday was observed as "National Shellfish Day" by the National Shellfish Commission, the idea being to popularize Shellfish of every kind by calling attention to their food value.

¶The Price farm containing 190 acres, located on the stone road leading from Middletown to Warwick, has been sold to Mr. Hiram Powell, of Galena, for $20,000. Mrs. Algire purchased this farm four years ago from Richard L. and Samuel Price for $15,750.

¶The newly enacted war tax measure makes necessary the use of revenue stamps. All the banks and lawyers will have much use for these stamps as notes, mortgages, etc., newly executed, require the placing of stamps upon them. These stamps will be purchased individually by the banks and lawyers.

¶Bought for a penny, carried in his pocket for 32 years and sharpened but six times in all those years, is the career of a lead pencil owned by J. T. Adamson, a farmer-merchant of Baltimore. The pencil was purchased when its owner was a young man. It is now about two inches long, and is worn very smooth and black.

¶The next meeting of the Federated Club will be held at the the home of Mrs. P. A. M. Brooks on Washington avenue, Wednesday November 25th, at 3 o'clock. The Red Cross sewing will be continued and an account of the semi-annual meeting of the State Federation will be given by Mrs. Brooks. All members are requested to be present.

¶To prove how dry it was during much of the summer, one of our prominent farmers told us the other day that he pulled a stalk of corn out of the ground one day last week, and to his great surprise there was the fertilizer still undissolved in the hill. The heavy rain on Sunday penetrated the ground about 18 inches.

¶The ninth grade of the Chestertown High School entertained the Seniors in the Assembly Hall yesterday evening. An interesting meeting of the Literary Society was held on Thursday evening. "Does Advertising Add to the High Cost of Living," was debated by Richard H. Collins, Jr., and Miss Mollie Copper for the affirmative and Miss Jean Stokes and Elmer Tarbutton for the negative. The judges decided in favor of the affirmative.

¶Thanksgiving Day next Thursday. Go to church and give thanks for the many blessings you have enjoyed during the past year.

¶An interesting meeting of the school commissioners and county superintendent's association of Maryland was held in the State Normal School Thursday and yesterday.

¶A wrecking company has contracted with Capt. Charles Kerr to raise his vessel which sprung a leak and was beached on North Point last week to tow her to Baltimore and unload her cargo for $125. We understand that Capt. Kerr has accepted the offer.

¶Mr. James G. Beck's agencies paid the insurance amounting to $600 on the tenant house on Rev. S. S. Hepburn's farm, which was recently destroyed by fire, on Thursday. Mr. Goodman and family will move to the new tenant bungalow erected by Messrs. Stavely & Bowers, to-day.

¶Rev. A. H. Covey, probably the largest poultry buyer in Kent county, received an order one day this week for 25 barrels of turkeys for Thanksgiving delivery. Mr. Covey does not usually begin buying them until after Thanksgiving for the Christmas and winter trade. The crop of turkeys in Kent and Queen Annes is said to be much larger than last year.

¶The thief or thieves who for months past have been terrifying residents of Galena and vicinity, seems to be about as slippery as the preverbial eel. Mr. William Garrett is the latest victim of the depredations. He was held up on the public highway the latter part of the week and only saved himself from robbery by a corn knife which he had in his carriage and which he used to good effect. It seems to be strange that a thief in these enlightened days can practice his game in a thickly settled community like Galena and not get caught.

¶Washington College foot-ball squad defeated Mt. Washington in a well played game of foot-ball last Saturday on Washington field, score 12 to 0. The game scheduled for to-day between St. John's and Washington has been cancelled because St. John's wanted to be "paid a premium" for displaying itself on the local gridiron. At the request of Dr. Fell and Prof. Groves, of St. John's College, Dr. E. J. Clarke, of Washington College, will meet them at a smoker at the Emerson Hotel, Baltimore, Wednesday, Nov. 25, to arrange for a game next year.

¶A large delegation of citizens from Galena was before the Board of County Commissioners on Tuesday, asking for the services of a detective in ferreting out the burglaries which have been occurring in that town and vicinity for nearly a year. The delegation also asked the commissioners to appoint a town baliff and constable. The commissioners acted promptly upon the requests. The commissioners offered a reward of $250 for the arrest and conviction of the guilty party or parties, a part of which the citizens of Galena agreed to pay, and they have appointed Mr. Michael A. Burns constable and temporary bailiff.

Chestertown Postmaster.

Among the many nice things said both by individuals and news papers regarding the new postoffice appointee for Chestertown, the following clipped from The People, a prosperous new weekly paper, published every Saturday in Snow Hill, is very gratifying:

"President Wilson has appointed Mr. Thomas D. Bowers, junior editor of the TRANSCRIPT, postmaster at Chestertown. This is a handsome recognition of that newspaper's services to the party and is an expression of the approval of its policies by the President who could not have failed to be aware of the fact that the TRANSCRIPT has been consistently anti-organization. The appointment comes just at election time and during the congressional recess, so it is not probale that the nomination will be held up in the Senate. The anti-organization element in Kent, as in most of the counties, has been the consistent as well as the orginal element of the Democratic party."

Maryland Week Prize Winners

Many of the farmers of Kent and Queen Annes counties attended the great Maryland Week Show in the Fifth Regiment Armory, Baltimore, this week, and numerous prizes were won by our agriculturists. Among the winners were: White corn, 1st, A. H. Covey; yellow corn, 2d, James E. Morris; yellow corn, 3d, J. E. Smith; white capped corn, 2d, John McRochester; red winter wheat, Wm. T. Nicholson; red winter wheat, 3d, Wm. T. Nicholson, in district exhibit; wheat exhibits, honorary, H. P. Skipper, 3d; rye, 1st, H. P. Skipper; New Era cow peas, 1st, Jas. T. Anthony; Whippoorwill cow peas, 1st, H. P. Skipper; soja beans, 2d, H. P. Skipper; hay, alfalfa, 2d, Josiah Massay; hay, Cowpen, 1st, J. T. Anthony.

Best can of peas, Mrs. Arthur Harris and Miss L. V. Rochester; best individual exhibit of preserves, Mrs. Walter Harris; best can preserved plums, Mrs. Walter Harris; best can preserved pears, Mrs. Arthur Harris; best can preserved watermelon, Mrs. Arthur Harris; best can corn on cob, Mrs. Walter Harris; best can corn cut off, Mrs. Walter Harris; best can asparagus, Mrs. Walter Harris; best can peach butter, Mrs. Arthur Harris; best bottle mixed pickles, Mrs. Walter Harris. These ladies also won a number of seconds. Fairlee Grange won third prize among the club or grange exhibitors, $75. The Rich Neck Farmers Club was disqualified because its entry was not made by the time limit set in the rules. Fairlee Grange also won blue and red ribbon prizes to the amount of $25.00.

Essays Win Prizes.

Acting upon the suggestion of the TRANSCRIPT quite a number of Kent county boys and girls prepared essays upon agricultural subjects for the big Maryland Week show which has been in progress at the Fifth Regiment Armory in Baltimore this week. The contest attracted boys and girls all over the State, and besides prizes for each of the counties, there were also State-wide prizes. The subject of the essays for boys was—"Why the Maryland Farmer's Boy Should Remain on the Farm"; and for the girls—"How Social Conditions in Rural Life in Maryland Can be Bettered by the Daughters of Maryland Farmers." The winners of the State-wide prizes, which was $20 in gold to the winner in each class, were awarded to Virginia Louise Byrd, Pocomoke City, Worcester county; Edward Ady, Jarrettsville, Harford county. The winners of county prizes were—Kent, Margaret Atkinson, Chestertown; James Hadaway, Rock Hall. Queen Annes, Anna H. McFeely, Centreville; Eiward M. Covington, Centreville.

¶Mr. Redmond C. Stewart, one of the leading members of the Green Spring Valley Hunt Club, and well-known in this town and county, was seriously injured while fox-hunting last Saturday at the farm of J. Rush Streett, in Harford county. He has been at the Union Protestant Infirmary during the week suffering with concussion of the brain. The accident was caused by his horse running into a low wire fence while on a fast gallop, causing the horse to throw his rider violently to the ground.

How Foot-and-Mouth Disease Spreads.

The American Agriculturalist is responsiable for the following statement in reference to the spread of the foot and mouth disease in various parts of the county: "A highly sensational and scandalous feature of the campaign was the discovery at Chicago that several herds of hogs had become infected through the use of swine cholera serum manufactured at the Chicago stockyards. The astounding fact has developed that this serum has become infected by foot and mouth disease, and had been spread broadcast through shipments to farmers. As soon as this was discovered, inspectors were sent on the trail of every shipment of serum from the plant in question, this covering all shippments of serum dated back to October 1."

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