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LOCAL MATTERS

Delegates to Bankers' Convention.—The Kent County Savings Bank has elected the following delegates to the bankers' convention which meets in Atlantic City in May: Messrs. Philip G. Wilmer, Howard Turner, Fred G. Usilon and Wm. F. Russell. Tht Third National Bank elected Cashier W. B. Copper and any other director who may desire to attend.

A New Lighting Sytem.—Mr. Horace E. Wood has accepted the agency for the great Delco-Light, which enables the farmers, the town folks or merchants to have his own electric lighting system in his own home or store. It is claimed to be far superior to gas or any other artificial light. Mr. Wood will take pleasure in explaining the system to you. He has sold one to Mr. J. H. Clendaniel, Jr., for lighting his garage and recharging batteries.

Blew Off Fingers.—Howard Dulin, a lad of Massey, placed a cap of dynamite on a stove in the store the other night. Carl Burris, a young clerk in the store, attempted to jerk the cap off and it went off, blowing two fingers off the hand of each one of the boys. One of boys was taken to a Wilmington hospital where the fingers were amputated. Both are doing well. Let dynamite alone.

For Ferry Across Bay.—Senator Orlando Harrison, of Worcester county, is vitally interested in the establishment of a ferry across Chesapeake bay between Claiborne and Annapolis, and he is making a strenuous fight in that direction. Senator Harrison claims that such a ferry would be a most important link in the State highways, and would prevent the necessity of automobilists being compelled to go around the head of the bay from Baltimore to reacq Ocean City and would mean much to the commercial interests of the Eastern Shore.

BRIEF ITEMS OF INTEREST

Mr. Clifton L. Jarrell has purchased an auto truck for use in his big dairying business.

Get ready to clean up your premises and make Chestertown more beautiful than ever this year.

Time for flies. Begin your campaign against them immediately and put up your door and window screens.

Town officer Samuel E. Cooper looks quite like a city police marshall in his neat new uniform and cap.

Letters uncalled for at the Chestertown P. O; Arleta Clark, Mr. Harvey Freeman, Mr. Milton Kennard.

The Cotillion Club of Washington College gave its annual spring hop in the gymnasium last evening.

The case of Col. Wm. J. Vannort vs. the town commissioners has been removed to the Centreville court.

Dr. Julian T. Power's new drug store in Galena, in charge of Miss Hayes, is proving a successful business.

Mr. Dawson, representative of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, has rented one [illegible] Mr. Frank E. Duyer's double houses on [illegible]en street.

Mr. Rickard[illegible] Betterton, has accepted a position [illegible] superintendent of Mr. John N. Benn[illegible] milk route, and will remove to Che[illegible]n.

The order of O[illegible] w organizing under the direction [illegible] G. L. Cook, now have 160 applica[illegible]r membership. The 200 mark wi[illegible]e reached.

On Saturday and [illegible] of last week 100 marriage licen[illegible]re issued by the clerk of the court [illegible]ton, and over 100 marriages were [illegible]ned by Elkton preachers.

The Chestertown Boy Scouts won an easy victory over Kennedyville baseball team at the Fair grounds last Saturday. The game went three innings, the score being 10 to 0.

Messrs. Walter T. Bennett, John Gale Usilton and Wm. F. Malin left Monday for Annapolis to attend the annual State Convention of the Jr. O. U. A. M. of which they are delegates.

County Commissioner T. Benjamin Crew, one of the county's most successful fruit growers, states that the cold weather has not injured the peach buds and the prospect is for a large crop.

Mr. George Lambert has bought through J. Waters Russell, real estate dealer, 75 acres of the DeCorse farm that adjoins Baker's woods. Price private.

You can get a very small idea of the large number of automobiles owned in the county by the number conveying the people to and from court during the week, and parked in front of the court house.

A number of property owners of Washington avenue held a meeting with the Board of Town Commissioners on Monday evening looking to the improvement of the road and ditches in the near future.

Swepson Earle, secretary of the State Conservation Commission, has been commissioned in the U.S. Navy. Mr. Earle will devote his time to recruiting work in the State's tidewater counties, including Kent.

Mr. George Brice, of Far Hills, N. J., has been in Chestertown during the week looking for colored laborers to work with the Fox Hunt Club of Peapack, N. J., with which Mr. Brice is connected. He secured several.

Priscilla will be rendered next Tuesday and Wednesday evenings in the Lyceum Theatre by the Chestertown Choral and Dramatic Club. It promises to be a fine affair as much of the best local talent will be seen in the caste.

The laying of the cornerstone of the fine agricultural building will be one of the main features of the Farmer's Day celebration at College Park, May 20. Ground for the building was broken sometime ago and the work is now well under way.

Mrs. L. H. Wood, always ready to help the boys in any way possible, last week gave the Chestertown Boy Scouts eighteen boys' books for their library. Scoutmaster Parks will be glad to receive books from any one who wishes to donate them.

Pomona Grange will meet Saturday, April 28, at Worton. Come one and all. Prof. Symons will give us a talk upon farm demonstration plots as applied to this county. Many other good things will be on the program. An evening session will also be held.

On Tuesday afternoon of last week Ralph Mulford, the world's famous racing driver, in his Hudson super-six passed through Chestertown on a tour of the Eastern Shore. Mulford holds more 24-hour records than any racing driver in the world to-day.

Black's defeated Rich Neck last Saturday on the latter's diamond with ease, score 12 to 6. The pitching of Biddle and Jonnson along with Duyer's good hitting were the features of the game. Newnam, the plucky little shortstop, also was a star with the stick.

The United States Government awarded contracts last week to Smith & Williams, yacht builders of Salisbury, for the construction of two submarine chasers, at $52,000 each. The contract calls for the first to be delivered in six months and the other January 1, 1918.

Dr. H. L. Lemon went to Baltimore last week to take the examination for entrance into the service of his country. He would like to get into the hospital corps, and will take another examination shortly. Dr. Lemon is enthusiastic to do his best for his country.

Still Pond Grange has changed its meeting day and hour. Instead of meeting Saturday afternoon the time for a while, will be Tuesday evening. Will the members kindly take notice, inquire into the nature of the meeting for next Tuesday evening, and be present without fail.

During the first 15 days in April by actual count the city carriers at the Chestertown office delivered 9,316 pieces of mail and 379 parcel post packages. This is at the rate of 18,632 pieces of mail and 758 parcel post packages per month or an average of 621 pieces of mail and 26 pieces of parcel post a day. There are close to 2,000 patrons on the service and the delivery was only two months old on Monday. Postmaster Bowers is making every effort to secure the street letter boxes, and the department has notified him that they will be shipped as soon as they can be delivered by the factory, which is behind in its contract because of the scarcity of labor.

Still Pond Notes.

Mr. and Mrs. Budd. Fowler of near Worton, spent Sunday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wheatley and little daughter Mary, of Baltimore, are visiting her grandmother, Mrs. W. J. Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cooper, of Worton, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Dittman.

Mrs. Emma Thompson has returned home after visiting friends in Philadelphia.

Don't forget the chicken and whaffle supper given by the Ladies Aid, Saturday night.

The Epworth League will be led Sunday evening by Mrs. J. Leonard Price, subject, Courtesy as a Christian Grace.

At the Epworth League business and social meeting last Thursday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing year. President, Mrs. Wm. Medders; 1st. vice-pres., Miss Hope Hackett; 2nd. vice-pres., Mr. Ralph Geary; 3rd. vice-pres., Mrs. J. T. Baxter; 4th. vice-pres., Mrs. J. L. Price; Secretary, Mrs. C. T. Norris; Treasurer, Miss Lucille Parr; Organists, Mrs. Howard Rasin and Mrs. R. P. Nichols.

Don't forget to come watch the "Dorcas Society" recarpet the church, Thursday evening, and bring a generous silver offering with you.

NUPTIAL EVENTS.

Mr. Randolph Waddell, of the garage firm of Wm. H. Waddell & Son, and Miss Gertrude Hadaway, daughter of Sheriff and Mrs. Thomas J. Hadaway, were married in Baltimore on Monday evening at six o'clock. After a short honeymoon trip, they returned to Chestertown on Wednesday evening and are occupying a cozy suite of rooms over the garage, which the groom has fitted up splendidly.

High School Schedule.

Manager Owen C. Blades has arranged the following schedule of games for the Chestertown High School:

Chestertown High School vs. College 2nd team April 21, 1917.
Chestertown High School vs. Blacks at Blacks April 28, 1917.
Chestertown High School vs. Blacks at Chestertown May 5, 1917.
Chestertown High School vs. Centreville at Chestertown Mary 9, 1917.
Chestertown High School vs. Kennedyville at Chesterbown May 17, 1917.
Chestertown High School vs. Harrington H. S. at Chestertrwn May 19, 1917.
Chestertown High School vs. Harrington H. S. at Harrington May 26, 1917.
Game Pending [illegible]e 2, 1917.
Chestertown H[illegible] School vs. Centreville H. S. at Centreville June [illegible] 1917.
Chestertown High [illegible]ool vs. School Alumni at Chestertown June 14, [illegible]

OUR MERCHANTS.

A bake by the ladies of Emmanuel P. E. Church will be held on Saturday, April 28th at Carmine's store. See adv.

If it's rubber—get it at Sterling's drug store. He has the reliable kind. He carries the Rexall goods, and sells dandy sodas.

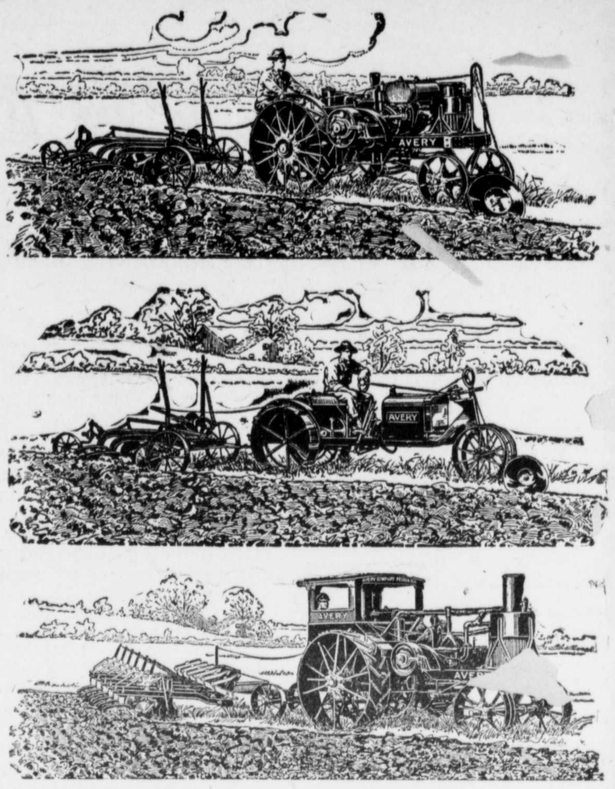
J. S. Kreeger the jewler wants 1000 men to reduce the high cost of shaving by using his safety razors and sharpen-em-all strops. They have a record and are well worth trying.

Extraordinary values at A. Cohen's big Sandy Bottom Department Store. Read the big adv. on page 6 and see what they are.

Sachs' new shoe store is offering low prices on all makes and styles of shoes. He has a large assortment of all the latest styles for ladies as well as men and children.

Go in and inspect A. Sachs & Son's complete line of spring and summer goods. Look at those pretty spring coats, and don't forget that they represent the well-known Schloss Bros. & Co's clothes.

Carriages, harness, Superior corn planters, and the celebrated Oakland automobile can be bought at very reasonable prices at Bramble, Kilbourn & Noland's store in Fairlee. This dependable store carries a full and complete line of dependable goods at dependable prices. Try them and see.



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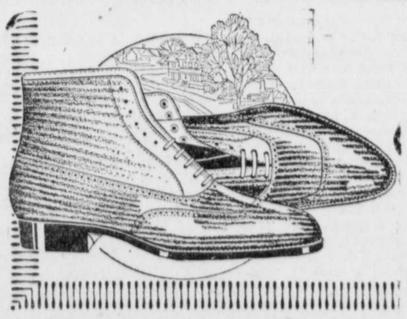

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Hope H. Barroll, Assignee and Attorney,
vs.
George Brown and Carrie Brown.

In the Circuit Court for Kent county, in Equity.

No. 1985.

ORDERED, this 7th day of April, 1917, by the Circuit Court for Kent county, that the sale of the mortgaged real estate mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Hope H. Barroll, assignee and trustee, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage from George Brown et al, to Alwyn N. Stavely et al, dated January 30th, 1912, said mortgage being duly assigned to Hope H. Barroll, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 16th day of June next;—provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of two successive weeks before the 14th day of May next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $340.00.

A. PARKS RASIN, Clerk.

True Copy—Test:

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Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, letters testamentary, upon the personal estate of

HETTY E. CROSBY,

late of Kent county, Md., deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of October, 1917, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. Given under my hand and seal this 10th day of April, 1917.

HOPE H. BARROLL, Executor

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