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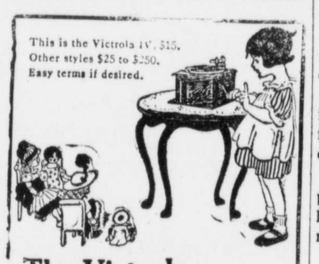


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# LOCAL MATTERS

**Stable Struck by Lightning.**—The stable on the Robey Rasin property, near Catt's Corner, was struck by lightning and destroyed during the electric storm on Sunday night. One horse and the contents of the stable were burned. The loss is about four hundred dollars with insurance of $125 in Mr. James G. Beck's agency. Mr. Sollowny tenants the place and had borrowed the horse from Mr. Harry Williams. The horse was valued at $100 and is covered by insurance in Mr. Beck's companies also.

**Attended Bankers' Convention.**—The Chestertown Banks were well represented at the State Banker's Association, which held its annual sessions this week at the Marlborough-Blenheim, Atlantic City. The Third National Bank was represented by Cashier W. B. Copper, who with his wife were guests of Mr. W. B. Spiva and wife on a motoring trip to the seat of the convention. The Chestertown Bank and the Kent Co. Savings Bank were represented by Cashier Allan A. Harris, Merrick Clements, James T. Dixon and Philip G. Wilmer, who motored to the seashore in Mr. Harris' car.

## BRIEF ITEMS OF INTEREST

Mr. A. L. Sterling has installed additional handsome new wall cases in his drug store this week.

A meeting of all farmers interested in milk production will be held in the court house this afternoon.

The Town Commissioners are laying new concrete pavements and curbings on Cannon street from Cross to Mill.

Mrs. Henry Smith, on the Chambers farm in Queen Annes, has a flock of 120 fine young turkeys about two weeks old.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has placed an order for 275 new locomotives to add to its splendid equipment.

Quite a number of our town and county folks took in Ringling Bros. great circus in Baltimore and Wilmington last week.

Officials of the proposed new electric road were here Saturday and are much pleased with the country and the prospects.

Subscribe for a Liberty Bond and get your name on the National Roll of Honor. Kent county should take a big slice of this loan.

The farmers' pasture fields are in very bad condition due to lack of rain. The feed problem with the farmers is there for a vital question.

Mr. Joseph Everett, on the Eliason farm near town, and Mr. W. S. Collins have the finest field of wheat we have seen anywhere in the county.

Because of the extremely cold weather, many of the farmers have been compelled to replant the whole or at least a part of their corn tillage.

Officer Cooper is soliciting subscriptions for the purchase of a large American flag to float from the pole in the public square opposite the court house.

Among the 807 young Maryland men who will have their names inscribed on the bronze tablet to be erected in the State House, Annapolis, shortly are three Kent county boys—James Romaine Ashley and Wm. Norris Stevens, of Rock Hall, and Joseph Hess, of Millington.

Mr. Walter T. Bramble has sold his good two year old colt, Walter Bengin. The colt has done an eighth of a mile in 20 seconds and never had shoes on.

The Annual State Wide Athletic Meet will be held at homewood Park, Baltimore, Saturday, June 9, under the auspices of the Public Athletic League of Maryland.

Mr. R. C. Williams, the hustling Queen Anne's truck farmer, has had ripe strawberries in local market during the week. He has been getting fine prices for them.

Mr. De'Orsay Russell, station agent at Worton for the past two years, has been transferred to Middletown, Del., to succeed Mr. Wm. T. Bennett, who goes to Laurel, Del.

The government is issuing daily a War Balletin which contains valuable information relating to the issues of the great crisis. These bulletins may be seen every day at the postoffice.

Saturday was a big day at Tolchester, there being two excursions there from Baltimore. Manager Noland and his good wife are getting things in fine shape for the big summer season.

All postmasters in the country have been requested by the department to assist in the campaign to sell the Government Liberty Bonds. Information may be obtained at all the postoffices.

Mr. H. A. Kratzer, of Quaker Neck, has purchased a pretty little Saxon Roadster from Mr. Charles W. Kibler, Jr., agent. Mr. Kibler has sold a number of these good saxon cars recently.

The faculty of Washington College has called off all athletic events for the remainder of the term, owing to the departure of many of the students who have enlisted in the service of their country.

So many people have the idea that it now requires 3 cents to send every letter to its destination. This a mistake. The bill providing for increased postage has not been passed, and the old rates of postage still remain in force.

A special meeting of the Woman's Federated Club will be held next Monday evening at 7.30 o'clock, at the "Eastern Shore Inn." All members are urged to be present. Note the change of hour from 2.30 o'clock to 7.30 o'clock.

We understand that Mr. William Ivens has sold his farm in Worton section, familiarly known as the Hazazar farm to a gentleman from Pennsylvania, possession to be given at once. We have not learned what Mr. Ivens proposes to do.

Messrs. Turner & Son, Kent county representatives, have sold eight new Dodge cars so far this season. This fine car is gaining rapidly in favor with autoists in this section, many of whom are discarding their old cars and buying the Dodge.

On last Sunday evening the Chestertown Jr. O. U. A. M. presented an American flag to the M. E. Church. The presentation speech was made by Prof. Jefferson L. Smyth, superintendent of public schools, and accepted by Rev. T. F. Beaucaamp.

Two members of the farm army encamped at Galena deserted on Thursday, and made their way to Chestertown. The commander of the guard traced them to Chestertown, where they were captured and taken back to Galena on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. H. H. Klinefelter will please accept our thanks for a bunch of the finest asparagus we have seen this season. The asparagus is the Palmetta variety and has only 18 stalks to the bunch. It is fine and tender, and is the variety that all the farmers should grow.

To assist the Government in making the Liberty Loan a success, the Pennsylvania Railroad has entered into an arrangement with the Mutual Beneficial Association of its 150,000 men and women employees which will enable them to become subscribers, and on easy terms if they desire.

The city of Atlanta suffered a disastrous conflagration this week, its residential section being gutted with a loss of $3,000,000. Two of our Chestertown young people reside in Atlanta, Mrs. Robert Wilson and Prof. Blackiston Worth. So far as we have learned neither reside in the burnt district.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Irving Walker are remodeling the interior of the dwelling and making extensive improvements to the Foster property recently purchased by them. Contractor A. M. Culp is doing the work. Mr. and Mrs. Walker will occupy the property as soon as the repairs are completed.

The lower section of the county was visited by a heavy wind storm on Sunday afternoon about one o'clock. Several trees and telephone poles were blown across the public road near the home of Dr. T. B. Willson, near Edesville. Very little rain fell down the county, but there was a fine shower up the county.

A most interesting meeting of the Still Pond Grange was held last Tuesday evening, at which it was decided to discontinue weekly meetings during the summer months, and the cordial invitation of W. B. Harris and wife to hold their first monthly meeting at their home the third Saturday afternoon in June was gladly accepted.

Mrs. Merrick Clements, who resides on the Clements home farm near Crumpton has been very lucky with the result of turkey hatching. She set two turkey hens on 20 eggs each. One hen hatched every egg, while the second hatched 19 out of 20 eggs. Mrs. Walter Francis had a fine hatch of goslings, getting 30 from 32 eggs.

Next Wednesday will be observed as Memorial Day in Chestertown. The postoffice, banks and public offices will be closed, and there will be no rural delivery of mail. The great attraction in Chestertown will be a big automobile parade with several prizes offered for the best decorated cars, and four good races at Radcliffe Park. Come in to see us.

Thursday last was observed as "Reciprocity Day" by the Women's Federated Club. The Chesertown club entertained at luncheon at the Eastern Shore Inn the clubs from Elkton and Cambriege. About one hundred and thirty guests were present, and they were royally entertained by the local club, of which Mrs. W. W. Hubbard is president.

The draft officials have asked us to announce that the colored preachers and teachers of Kent county would greatly benefit the cause and their race if they will announce that all young colored men between 21 and 30 must register on Tuesday, June 5, at the regular polling place in their precinct. A failure to do so will mean a heavy fine or imprisonment.

Prof. Thomas B. Garrett, superintendent of the Junior Republic, a schoo for boys, in Anne Arundel county, was a Chestertown visitor on Wednesday. He was in search of one of the Harbison boys, who was an inmate of the school but who escaped one evening last week while a number of the students were fighting a forest fire. His many friends were glad to see friend "Tim."

Mr. Harry J. Hopkins, president of the Farmers' National Bank of Annapolis, was elected president of the Maryland Bankers Association in session in Atlantic City, N. J., on Thursday. Mr. Allen A. Harris, cashier of the Chestertown Bank of Maryland, was elected one of the vice-presidents. The association pledged itself to use every effort to assist in raising the Liberty Loan.

Roses growing from an apple tree which was grafted several years ago by the owner of the farm, now deceased, is one of the unique sights which greets the eye of the passers-by on the State road between Dover and Cheswold, Del. This unusual sight is on the Joseph Davis farm near Denney's Corner, four miles north of Dover, the roses having been grafted by Julian Emerson, owner of the farm for many years.

The Chestertown High school team defeated Harrington, Del., team in a well-played game on the local High school diamond last Saturday, score 5 to 3. Prior to the game the students in the Domestic Science department served a splendid luncheon consisting of the delicacies of the season with dessert, and some of the spectators said it was the fine luncheon, which was most bountifully served, which caused the Harrington boys to loose out. A return game will be played today.

The Washington College Glee and Dramatic Clubs announce a spring concert to be given Friday evening, June the 1, at 8.00 P. M. in the College gymnasium. A varied and entertaining program has been arranged by the director, Professor Ten Hoor, consisting of numbers by the Glee Club, instrumental solos, duets, and trios, hits from the operetta, "Captain Van der-Hum." Professor Ten Hoor will present several violin solos, the "Midnight Sons' Quartet" will entertain Messrs. Monzani and Bowen will repeat the hit of "Van der Hum," the "You Blarney Me" duet. The program will be followed by dancing. Admission will be by invitation only.

## PERSONA AND SOCIALS.

Other personals on page 2.

J. Newell Graham, Esq., of the Baltimore bar, spent the week-end with his aunt, Mrs. J. Lucy Dodd.

Mr. Charles F. Smith, who has been taking a course in Dentistry in Baltimore, is at home for vacation.

Mr. Charles Bossermon, the obliging prescription clerk in the Stam Drug Company and Mr. Elmer Sterling a brother of Mr. A. L. Sterling successfully passed the State Board of pharmecy examination last week. Mr. Sterling arrived on Tuesday and is assisting his brother in the drug business. He is fresh from the University of Maryland and all prescripton work will be promptly attended to.

Miss Allegra Wood has returned from a visit to Philadelphia and Washington, D. C.

Mr. Horace Wood attended the Delco Light Convention which was held in Philadelphia last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Vickers, of New York, visited home folks here recently. His mother and sister, Mrs. Perkins, returned with him to spend ten days.

Mrs. Hallie Kelley, of Baltimore, visited friends in town this week.

Mrs. Enoch Latham spent a part of last week with her son, Mr. Mason Latham, in Marcus Hook, Pa.

Mr. Milton Peregoy, of Philadelphia spent the week-end with his parents.

Mr. Stephen Collins, of Wilmington, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Collins.

Mrs. T. T. Horn attended the funeral of an aunt, in Wilmington, Del., last week.

Mr. Robert Gill, son of Rev. John Gill, has been made a first lieutenant in Company 2 of the Coast Artillery.

Miss May Duyer, of Philadelphia, is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse G. Duyer. Miss Duyer is a trained nurse.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Smith and granddaughter little Miss Christine Catlin, of Church Hill, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Russell.

Mr. Watkins, of Baltimore, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Strong, near Lankford during the week.

Mrs. E. C. Stollenwreck and little son, of Baltimore, and Mrs. Robert Wilson, of Atlanta, Ga., are guests of their mother, Mrs. R. D. Hynson.

Miss Tuthill, of Pennsylvania, has been visiting Prof. and Mrs. Mark Cressey during the week.

Mrs. Earle Thomas and little son, of Baltimore, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Brice during the week.

Rev. Dr. Ferris was entertained at the home of Mrs. Alday Clements on Washington avenue, during his visit to Chestertown.

Mrs. Grace Nichols is visiting her mother, Mrs. James B. Sappington, on Mill street.

Mr James H. Shuster, of Wilmington, Del., visited his sister, Mrs. Wm. F. Russell on Thursday.

Mr. J. Leeds Barroll, Jr., of the University of Penn., and nephew of Hope H. Barroll, Esq., has been placed in charge of a medical unit and is expecting to go to France with his unit shortly.

Mr. Lee Barroll, grandson of the late Mr. Benj. Barroll, formerly of Elizabeth, N. J., but now of Baltimore, has been made an officer in the Coast Artillery.

Mr. Earle Withgott, who has been associated with the Easton National Bank for many years, and who has been a frequent visitor in Chestertown, will wear the uniform of a captain of the U. S. Army in a month. He came out near the top in his examinations in a class of twenty-four.

Miss Margaret Wright, of Baltimore, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. S. Carroll.

Mr. W. Irving Walker has been quite sick at his home over the river during the week.

Mr. Daniel Hall, of the Every Woman Opera Company, has been visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. S. Hill during the week.

Mrs. J. G. Graham and little son, who have been guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Graham, have returned to her home in Hyattsville.

## OUR DEATH RECORD.

Mrs. Anna E. Orrell, widow of the late Robert J. Orrell, died very suddenly on Monday night, May 14th, about 10 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Martha Orrell, in Greensboro, where she was visiting. She had suffered a number of years with leakage of the heart, but had not been confined to the house and was out on the street a few hours before. As was her custom, when the time came to retire, before going to her room she knelt to say her prayers and when she did not rise the members of the family thought something must be wrong and called to her and when she did not answer took hold of her and found that she had passed away. The deceased was 74 years of age. She was the daughter of Robert and Mary A. Jarrell and was born two miles west of Greensboro, and had spent her entire life in that vicinity. She is survived by four brothers and one sister: Joshua R. Jarrell, Still Pond; Robert Jarrell, Sr., Goldsboro; Wesley Jarrell and Chas. L. Jarrell, Greensboro, and Mrs. Louisa Gray, of Goldsboro. It was our pleasure to know Mrs. Orrell. She had frequently visited the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Wm. E. Jarrell, on Washington aveuue. She was a lady of beautiful christian character and possessed a bright and cheery disposition, which made her a favorite with all who had the pleasure to know her. Funeral services were held on Thursday of last week with interment in Greensboro cemetery. Mrs. Jarrell and son, Mr. W. Frank Jarrell, Mrs. Clements and daughter, Miss Annie, and Mrs. W. W. Baldwin and son, Mr. George Baldwin, attended the funeral.

Mrs. Catherine Lavinia Pennington died at the home of her son, Mr. Leonard A. Pennington, in Kennedyville, on Monday at about twelve o'clock, after an illness of three weeks, of pneumonia, aged 65 years. She leaves three children, Mrs. Wm. King, of Philadelphia, Leonard, of Kennedyville, and Edward, of Chestertown. Funeral services took place on Thursday at one o'clock, from the home of her son, in Kennedyville, Rev. Mr. Schauer, of the M. P. Church, officiating. Interment was in the cemetery adjoining. Undertaker W. H. Krusen had charge of the funeral arrangements.

Mr. Alexander Dodd, Sr., for years a prominent leather dealer in Baltimore, died on Saturday in the 70th year of his age. The deceased was the father of Alexander Dodd, Jr., who married Miss Stevens, daughter of Mr. William Stevens, of the Fifth District, at one time Register of Wills for Kent county. He was also a distant relative of the late John T. Dodd, of Chestertown. Funeral services were held at his late residence, 2931 West North avenue on Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, with interment in Baltimore cemetery.

## Enlist In The Coast Artillery.

There are a few branches of the military service that hold the interest and the advantages to a man intending to go to war, which go with the handling of heavy artillery. The work is clean, the quarters are certain to be comfortable and the food supply is always assured. There is also the satisfaction of knowing that by firing heavy cannon one is causing the maximum of annoyance and distress to the enemy.

Owing to the order of the War Department that the militia shall be recruited to full strength I have vacancies in my Company for a number of men. At this present time the waiting list for this Company is large, so there will be no difficulty in filling these vacancies.

However, if any man in Kent County wants to go with his friends to this war, I would like to hear from him. I am not urging any one to enlist—the draft will take care of that later on but I am simply offering to hold these places open for a limited time for my friends in Kent County, because I know that they will make the finest fighting material on earth if they once put their minds on it.

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## Peerless Fertilizer Company Make Improvements.

Mr. Laurence Duyer has been made Superintendent of Construction work of The Peerless Fertilizer Co.

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The Peerless Company proposes to make many other improvements which will be labor saving devices, all of which will be erected under the supervision of Mr. Laurence Duyer as Construction Engineer.

Mr. George T. Peacock will again take his position as Superintendent of the mixing of fertilizers.

## High School Program.

The program of the Chestertown High School's Commencement week follows:

Sunday, June 10th, 10.30 a. m., Baccalaurate Sermon in the M. E. Church by Rev. T. F. Beauchamp.

Monday, June 11th, from 2.00 to 5.00 p. m., exhibition of school work in the high school auditorium and in the sewing room. Admission free.

Tuesday, June 12th, 8.00 p. m., in the high school auditorium, declamation contest for the L. Bates Russell gold medal. Admission free.

Wednesday, June 13th, 8.00 p. m., in the high school auditorium, class night. Admission 10c.

Thursday, June 14th, 8.00 p.m., in the high school auditorium, Alumni Association meeting.

Friday, June 15, 8.00 p. m., in the Lyceum Theatre, commencement. Admission by admit card. Speaker of the evening—Dr. H. F. Randolph, of Wilmington, Del.


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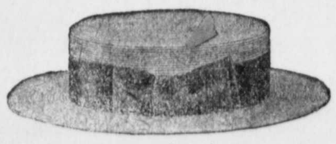

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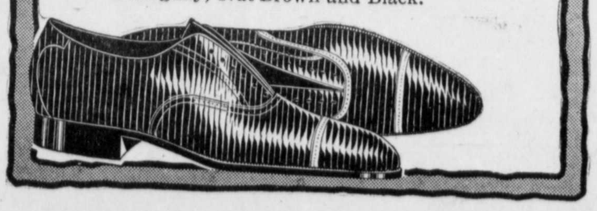

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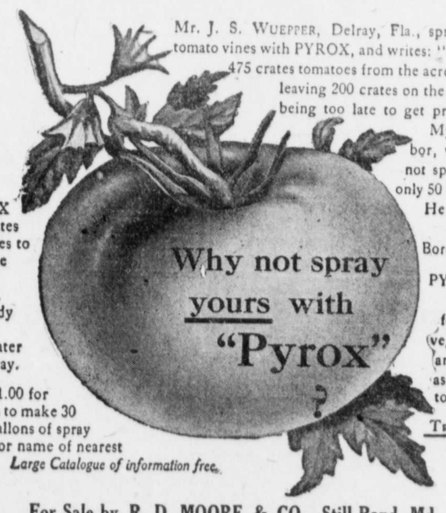

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