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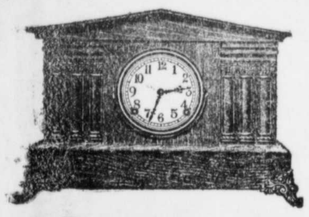

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LOCAL MATTERS

Tickets Now Ready.—The tickets for the Chautauqua are at Jefferson Bro.'s store. Those who have signed and those who have not and will want tickets please call at once and you will help the ticket committee.

W. C. a Military College.—Washington College, when the fall term opens, will be a Military College. A regular military official will teach the young men the rudiments of war. The faculty has three men in view for the place, but has not, as yet, made a decision as to whom it will be. Dr. Cain has been unable to secure regular rifles for the beginning of the term. As a result, wooden ones will be used until rifles can be secured.

In Financial Trouble.—Henry S. Rippel, builder of William Smith Hall, made an assignment for the benefit of creditors on Thursday, the trustees being Alfred S. Niles, Joseph N. Ulman and Joseph D. Virdin, under bonds of $80,000 each. It was explained that Mr. Rippel's financial difficulties arose in the construction of the building for Washington College, the sharp advance in building materials and labor having caused the situation. He is expected to be able to complete the construction of the building, when his general assets will be more than sufficient to meet the claims of creditors.

Keep It Up, Justice Rogers.—A few days ago a colored woman had her husband arrested for beating her son, which was also the boy's father. It seems that the boy is of that shiftless sort seen about the streets of Chestertown, too lazy to work or do anything to help himself, although able to do so. Justice Rogers found the boy's father "not guilty" and told the boy if he did not find a job by August 20—when the law compelling idlers to go to work goes into effect—he would send him to a place where a job would be found for him. Keep it up, jugde, the citizens of the town and county are behind you.

The Red Cross workers of Easton, Centreville and Chestertown are very much interested in the plans submitted to them by Miss Susan Bray Dungan, a Baltimore musician, concert pianist and accompanist, who is arranging in the principal towns of the Eastern Shore of Maryland, large concerts for the benefit of the Red Cross. The setting of dates, appointing of committees and the business details are left to the executive heads of the various chapters with whom Miss Dungan who has hae extensive experience in concert giving, holds herself ready to consult. If the workers get behind this movement, the lovers of music "lend their ears" and presence, and those who have musical and dramatic talents, their gifts, large sums of money can be added to the coffers of the Red Cross, and a musical uplift be given to the community.

The fish fry at Cliff City given by the ladies of Mowbray M.E. Church last week, as usual, was largely attended and a good sum of money realized. These fish frys are annual occasions which are looked forward to as an event in that section of the county.

BRIEF ITEMS OF INTEREST

The State road between Chestertown and Goose Hill has been tarred during the week.

St. James' M. P. Sunday school held their annual picnic at Tolchester Beach last Wednesday.

A white rat was caught in a steel trap by Mr. James Everett recently, which was quite a curiosity to those who saw it.

Capt. Thomas Ayres, while crabbing down the river a few days ago, sighted the two deer on the shore of Mr. J. Thomas Smith.

The Overland car which was recently stolen from Mr. James Joiner was found near Middletown, Del., badly wrecked. The party who stole it has not yet been apprehended.

Dr. H. C. Hughes, who for several years was an enthusiastic motor boat owner, has joined the auto ranks and purchased from the Newsome Garage, the local agents, a Chevrolet roadster.

Among the young men selected for the second camp at Fort Meyer are Thomas Garrett, Roy Baden, Jim Madden and Paul Wilkinson. The young men are Washington College graduates.

William Tilghman, colored, resisted arrest for beating his wife the other day and was sent to the House of Correction for six months. It is said Tilghman wanted to be arrested to keep from going to war.

Mr. Julian Coleman, assistant mail carrier for the town delivery, had the misfortune to break his little finger while moving a stove from the house of his brother during the big fire Wednesday night.

Mr. A. W. Carmine, we are sorry to announce, has applied for the benefit of the bankrupt law. Mr. Carmine has conducted a grocery and dry goods business in Chestertown for several years.

The Boy Scouts did themselves credit during the fire Wednesday night. By their helping hands they moved all the household furniture from the burning dwelling and those dwellings threatened by the fire.

The vacant scholarship at Washington College for this county, advertised in the county papers, was on Tuesday awarded by the Judges of the Orphans' Court to Frank Ayres, Jr., of Rock Hall, upon a competitive examination.

Big day at Tolchester. The Grange Field Day will be held at Tolchester Aug. 26th. This will be a big meet and many prominent speakers will be present and address the Grangers. Among them will be Dr. Wood and Dr. H. J. Patterson, both of Maryland State College, also Messrs. Henry McCullough, W. W. Davis and E. J. Black will make speeches.

The Chestertown marble and granite dealer, J. W. Kirby, has booked more orders this year than any year previous. The larger portion of the orders have been for granite, in fact more than two to one in favor of granite. This indicates granite coming to the front here as well as in the cities. He has also had a big run on lettering monuments in the cemeteries.

The Baldwin Cannery, Chestertown, opened this week. The Bohemians came Thursday evening on the B. S. Ford.

A workmen, while plastering a ceil- in the new William Smith Hall at Washington College had a board to turn with him causing him to fall to the floor and brake his arm.

The woman's Christian Temperance Union of Chestertown will hold a special meeting at the Methodist Episcopal Church next Tuesday, August 22, at 10.30 A. M. All the ladies of the town who are willing to help make bandages are urged to be present.

Mr. Walter Trew and his sister, Miss Katie Trew, have rented for next year the residence on Queen street now occupied by Mr. Robert Harris. They will move to Chestertown with their father, Mr. Bartus Trew, about January 1, 1918.

Mr. Thomas Kibler has completed his course at Fort Meyer and has been given the commission of first lieutenant in the United States Reserves. Lieutenant Kibler is home for a furlough of two weeks and all his friends are glad to see him.

The will of Mrs. Wm. J. Vannort filed in the Orphans' Court this week divides her entire estate equally between her two daughters, Mrs. Mary B. Sheppard, of Chicago, Ill., and Mrs. Johnetta N. Rayner, of Baltimore. She also leaves $5 apiece to each of her grandchildren.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Mr. Nesbitt Trenchard and family, of Baltimore, are visiting Mrs. Trenchard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James T. Dixon, on Queen Street.

Miss Eugenia Hynson is visiting the home of Mr. George Brice at Far Hill New Jersey.

Mr. Frank Greenwood, of the Kent News force, is enjoying a well earned vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Fredrick Arnold, of Philadelphia, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. M. Brooks on Washington avenue.

Lieutenant Gault Applegauth is home on a furlough of two weeks.

Scout master R. Groome Parks took his company of Boy Scouts out on a hike Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Ida Wright, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mrs. P. J. Cooper.

Mr. Denny Hoffecker, one of our former merchants, was in town a few days this week.

Miss Ellen Beck, who has been spending sometime with her parents at Blue Ridge Summit, accompanied Mr. Horace Beck and family on their return trip to St. Louis in Mr. Beck's car.

Mr. William Parrott is filling the vacancy in the Kent News office made by the departure of Mr. Warren Barker.

Mr. James Eugeine Coleman, a former employee of this office, was married on last Saturday to Miss Delmar, of Dover, Del. Mr. Coleman is working for the Milford Chronical, Milford, Del.

Misses Susan S. Roberts and Susan R. Stam left Thursday for Niagria Falls, where they will spend a few days enjoying the beautiful scenery.

Mrs. Hope H. Barroll and son, Hope, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Leeds Barroll, at Rye Beach, N. H.

Mrs. William Hines and children have been the guests of Mrs. Hines' mother, Mrs. M. A. Wilkins, at the Maples.

We are glad to state that Mr. W. W. Beck, Esq., has so far recovered his health that his physician has told him he can return home if he wishes to do so. We understand he will remain in the mountains a while longer.

Mr. Wamsley Davis was the week-end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Jarman, of Baltimore, were the week-end guests of Mrs. Allan Jarman, of Chestertown. Mr. Jarman made the trip in his Dodge car.

Mrs. Henry Carvile, of Baltimore, has been the guest of Miss Hope Wickes during the week.

Mrs. Nettie Wallis, of Washington, D. C., is spending the week at the home of Mrs. George B. Westcott.

Mrs. Mollie Whaland, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Mrs. Harriett D. Welch.

Mr. H. L. Davies, of Baltimore, has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. Waters Russell, during the week.

Dr. J. R. Micon, of the Washington College faculty, has returned home after spending a few days in Belair Md.

Mrs. J. B. Y. Vickers is spending sometime in Atlantic City, New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Hynson Rogers and little daughter Harriette Louisa, left Tuesday morning for Braddock Height, Md., where they will spend some time enjoying the mountain breezes.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Gitt, of Charleston West Virginia, is the guest of Mrs. Gitt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Frank Clark.

Mr. Charles Hodgkin, of the Delaware State militia, was the week-end guest of his parents.

Mrs. Rachel Hill and son, Harry Hill, are spending a few days in Ocean City.

Mrs. Johnette Rayner, of Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. William R. Aldridge.

Miss Mary Hines, of Baltimore, is spending a few days as the guest of Mrs. Frank Simpers.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Skirven, of Baltimore, are spending a pleasant vacation in the county with her brothers, the Messrs. Morris.

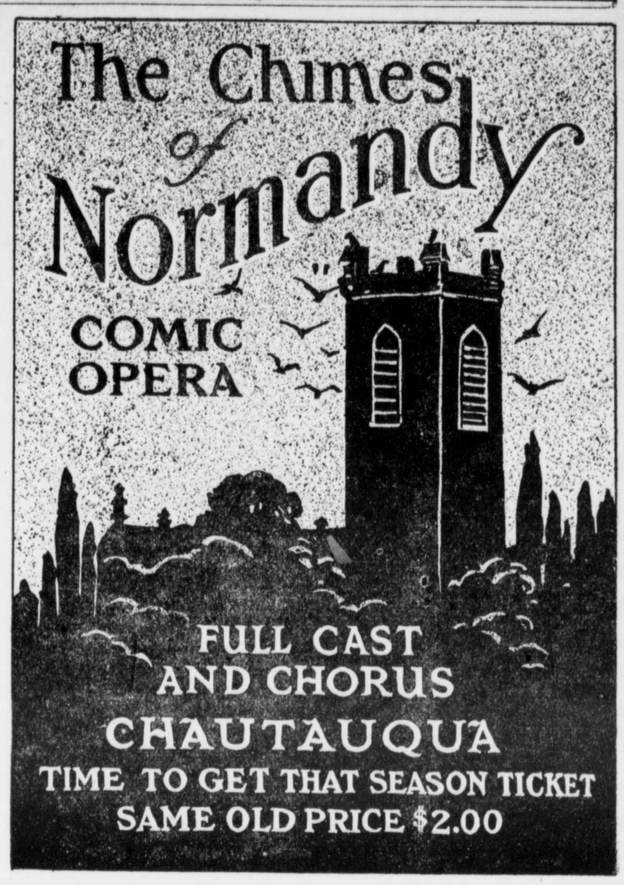
Mr. J. Elwood Morris has been suffering with an injured thumb during the week.

Mr. Boggs, firemen on the Kent train, has rented Mr. Wm. H. Lambert's home on Kent Circle for next year.

Mr. Charles B. Dodd and family, of Cincinnati, Ohio, visited relatives and friends here this week. They have been guests of his grandmother, Mrs. Mary J. Howard, in Still Pond.

Miss Louise Strong is the guest of her friend, Miss Francis Corey, near Melitota.

Mrs. J. Frank Baxter is slowly improving in health.



Little Mr. Paul Massy, who was recently operated on for Appendictis at Mercy Hospital, is reported to be very much improved.

Mrs. Harry Catlin left town this week for New York where she will spend some time.

Mr. Tom Harding, who is employed in Rote's Jewelry Store, has just returned from a vacation to his home in Laurel, Md.

Mrs. William E. Jarrell has returned home from a visit to Ocean Grove.

Miss Myrtle Needles, accompaned by her grandmother went to Baltimore Thursday. She will remain for several weeks sight-seeing. Her aunt and grandmother returning home the same day.

Mr. E. F. Maddox has resigned as Cashier of the People's Bank, Chestertown, to take the cashiership of a bank in Snow Hill, Md.

Rev. Leonard White, of Centreville, is visiting his father, Rev. John White at Fairlee, and will preach at Fairlee M. E. Church Sunday morning at 10.30 A.M. and at Union M. E. Church, Worton, at 3 P.M.

Dr. H. B. Martin is spending the week at Atlantic City N. J. Dr. Martin has been sick for some time but is now very much improved.

Miss Ruth Clark is helping Mr. Harrison W. Vickers this week in his work connected with the draft.

Mr. Frank Lambert has given up his job as foreman of the Enterprise.

Miss Merritt Page Beck has returned from a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Beck, at Blue Ridge Summit, Pa.

Miss Nelie Walker left Town Friday for a visit to relative in Bel Air.

Mr. Donald Stam, who is with the Hospital Unit of the Fifth Regiment, received orders to leave for Anniston Friday.

Mrs. Walter R. Graham is the guest of Mrs. J. Lucy Dodd.

Mrs. Clifton Jarrell, we are very sorry to state, has been very sick during the week.

Miss Caroline Mckee has been visiting Mrs. Linwood Moore of Marcus Hook, Pa.

A large number of Chestertown people attended the dance at Tolchester, Thursday evening, given for the benefit of the Red Cross.

Miss Maude Robinson is spending the week with Mrs. E. A Crittendon of Upper Kent.

Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. Bayard Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. Theadore Walbert, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hudson, Miss Marguerite E. Hersch and Miss Jewell motored to Atlantic City Saturday, returning Sunday.

Mrs. Don Falls and son, of Philadelphia, has been the guest of A. Parks Rasin, and is now visiting Mrs. A. G. Lee of Fairlee.

Miss Bulah Smuch, who has been the guest of Miss Lillian Hicks, has returned to her home in Baltimore.

Mrs. Walter R. Graham is the guest of Mrs. J. Lucy Dodd.

Mrs. Harry L. Boyd, we regret to say, is ill at the residence of her husband in Chestertown.

Mr. Allen B. Harris is taking the physicial examination for the Aviation Corps.

Clarance A. Wise, son-in-law of Mr. Thomas B. Elliott was badly hurt by being caught in a piece of machinery this week.

Card Party and Luncheon.

On Thursday morning of this week Mrs. J. D. Urie opened her delightful home, Riverside Terrace, to the Woman's Literary Club, of Chestertown, which held a most successful card party and luncheon for the benefit of the Red Cross.

Upwards of 125 representative citizens of Chestertown and for miles around lent their enthusiastic presence to what may well be considered one of the events of the season. Drawing and reception rooms, halls and porches were filled with the bridge, five hundred and rook players, the knitters settling into picturesque groups on the terrace.

Mrs. S. Scott Beck and Mrs. John Welch secured the bridge prizes, Mrs. Derringer and Mrs. Stavely those for five hundred; Mrs. Duyer and Mrs. Cannon in rook. Everything was donated by members of the club, the receipts, $45.50, absolutely clear, go to Mrs. Robinson for surgical dressings.

Happiness, good fellowship and responsive good cheer, reigned supreme, yet underneath the surface one could but feel the serious earnestness and executive ability, when discussing the issues of the great cause or suggesting methods for aiding it.

Miss Susan Bray Dungan, a concert pianist of Baltimore, guest of Miss M. A. France, who was chairman of the luncheon committee, placed at the disposal of the Red Cross workers her plans for a large concert, such as she is arranging in the principal towns of the Eastern Shore. Her ideas were listened to with enthusiastic interest, and no doubt immediate steps will be taken to obtain the aid of her services. Miss Louise Urie was ably assisted in the management of the card tables by Mrs. Hughes, Miss Jones, Miss Anna Smith, Miss Hallie Toulson and Miss Nicholson.

Those who worked so efficiently with Miss France on the luncheon committee were: Miss Mamie Carroll, Mrs. Mary Clements, Mrs. W. B. Copper, Miss Belle Emory, Mrs. Harry Jefferson, Mrs. Norman Jefferson, Mrs. Herbert Perkins, Miss Louise Stam, Miss Mabel Toulson and Miss Jennie Wilkins.

The committees, whose untiring efforts insured the success of this charming affair, are certainly to be congratulated, as well as their friends and colleagues, who so cordially responded to their invitation.

These are the impressions of a guest who counts herself fortunate in not having missed this long-to-be-remembered pleasure, and hopes to have more such unusual opportunities.

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Rev. Mr. Clews will preach at Georgetown Presbyterian Church Sunday morning at 10.30, and at Worton at 7.30 P.M.

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