THE TRANSCRIPT

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THE Transcript extends New Year's greetings to all its readers and friends and takes this means of thanking its patrons for past favors which it duly recognizes and appreciates.

AT the Republican caucus to be held at Annapolis New Year's night by the Republican members of the Senate and House, it is pretty well settled that former U. S. Senator Jackson, of Wicomico county, will be nominated for Treasurer of the State.

IT looks now like Senator Peter J. Campbell, of Baltimore, will be elected president of the Maryland Senate at the coming session and that former Senator Carville D. Benson, of Baltimore county, will be the Democratic nominee for Speaker of the House and the floor leader. Senator Campbell was president of the Senate at the last session and made an envi[illegible] record, which should entitle him to re-election.

BEFORE the Transcript makes another visit to its readers the year 1917 will have passed into history, the pages of which record many interesting events—some sad, some pleasant. The dominant wish of this paper is that the new year of 1918 will bring peace to all the nations of the earth and that the horrible war, which is now causing so much bloodshed and sadness, may cease, and "that the peace of God, which passeth all understanding" may bless and comfort his people of the entire world.

GOVERNMENT TAKES CONTROL OF RAILROADS

The U. S. Government, by proclamation of President Wilson, took control of the railroads of this country yesterday at noon with Secretary McAdoo as Director General. Among the reasons assigned for this action by President Wilson are:

"I have exercised the powers over the transportation systems of the coun[illegible] which were granted me by the Act [illegible]s of August, 1916, because [illegible]e imperatively necessary [illegible]so. This is a war of re[illegible]n of men, perhaps [illegible]n, and it is necessary [illegible] mobilization of [illegible] transportation [illegible]uld be or[illegible] single [illegible] of [illegible]d [illegible] S. Navy.

Mrs. Robert R. Harris is a guest of her relatives in Baltimore. Mr. Harris was also in Baltimore several days this week.

Mr. Laurence E. Duyer was in Baltimore this week in the interest of the Peerless Fertilizer Co.

Mr. Herbert McCauley, of Galena, is now on Mr. George French's staff of Prudential agents.

Miss Elsie Blyman, of Philadelphia, spent the holidays with her mother.

Mrs. Herman Blackway and little daughter after visiting her parents in Baltimore, are home again.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal A. Truslow, of Wilmington, are spending the week in Chestertown.

Mrs. W. O. Bringman has been entertaining her father, Mr. W. W. Clayton.

Mrs. J. H. Sides and Mrs. W. F. Jarrell have been sick with bad colds.

Mr. Argus Robinson, of Wilmington, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Robinson.

Mr. Edgar Chaires, of Wilmington, is spending this week the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Chaires.

Mr. Bartus Trew, one of Kent's oldest citizens, passed his 83rd birthday last Thursday.

Miss Natalie Comegys, of Wilmington, is a guest of friends in town.

Mr. Harry Maslin Stavely, of near Lynch, and Miss Edith Estelle McKay, of Baltimore, were married Wednesday evening by Rev. S. S. Hepburn.

Mrs. Sewell S. Hepburn, wife of Rev. S. S. Hepburn, is in Emergency Hospital, Annapolis, taking the rest cure, under the direction of her son, Dr. Sewell Hepburn, of that city.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Sachs are guests of their daughter, Mrs. Gabriel Hines, in Pittsburg.

Mr. Henry Brown, of Philadelphia, has been the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Latham and little child are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Latham.

Miss Minnie Hicks, of Baltimore, and Miss Hettie, of Annapolis, spent the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Wm. T. Hicks.

Miss Emma Dickerson is the guest of her parents at the Cliffs.

Mrs. Lee Price, of Centreville, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Smith.

Dr. Marion Twilley, of Dover, is visiting his brother, Dr. Charles R. Twilley.

Mr. Edgar P[illegible] been working at Havre [illegible]ent Christmas at home.

Mrs. Woo[illegible]ughter, Miss Olevia, of [illegible] have been the guests of Mr. [illegible] Owen B. Crow the past few days.

Rev. and Mrs. T. F. Beauchamp have been entertaining [illegible] Mr. T. F. Beauchamp, Jr., [illegible] the U. S. Navy.

Mr. Houston, of Delaware, was a guest this week of friends here.

J. Newell Graham, Esq., of Baltimore, was in town a few days this week.

Mr. John T. Speicher, Jr., the affable and competent pharmacist in the drug store of Mr. M. A. Toulson, left Thursday to take up his new position as traveling representative of Sharp & Dohme on the peninsula. We are sorry to lose him from Chestertown, but wish him success.

Mr. Wm. E. Brown and son, of Chester, are visiting relatives in town.

Miss Blanche Power is quite sick at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Power.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sparks received word from their son, Mr. Irving Sparks that he had arrived safely in France.

H. Staunton Brown, a former resident of Chestertown, who has been a captain in the U. S. Reserves, was commissioned last Saturday Major in the United States Army. Mr. Brown is one of a number of Kent boys who is making good in Uncle Sam's service.

(Other Personals on page 6)

CHURCH NOTES

Services with Holy Communion at I. U. Church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. The usual Sunday afternoon services will be held at Betterton P. E. Church at 3 p. m.

Wesley Chapel, Rev. C. E. McCullough, pastor. Services on Sunday as follows: 9.30 a. m., Sunday School, Mr. Milton Maslin, Supt.; 10.30 a. m., special sermon by the pastor, "Is the world growing better or worse?" 7.00 p. m., song service and preaching.

Chestertown M. E. Church, Rev. T. F. Beauchamp, pastor. Services Sunday: 10.30 a. m., subject, "A Message for the New Year"; 2.15 p. m., S. S.; 7.00 p. m., Epworth League and short sermon.

Christ M. P. Church, Rev. J. L. Ward pastor. Sunday services: sermon by the pastor 10.30 a. m.; Sunday School 2.30 p. m.; Christian Endeavor 6.45 p. m. Evening service, Christmas carols, 7.30 p. m. Prayer meeting, Thursday 7.30 p. m. Junior Endeavor Friday 4 p. m. Intermediates Friday 7 p. m.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

—OF—

Stock of Merchandise.

Under and by virtue of an order passed by the United States District Court for the District of Maryland, in the case of Arlington W. Carmine, bankrupt, the undersigned, as trustee of the estate of said bankrupt, will offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder, on the terms hereinafter set forth, on the premises recently occupied by said Arlington [illegible] Carmine on High Street, in Ches[illegible]n, Kent county, Md., adjoining [illegible]perties of Arlington L. Sparks [illegible]d & Culp, on

[illegible]DAY, Jan. 12, 1918,

[illegible] at 12 o'clock noon, the fol[illegible]rsonal Property, to wit:

[illegible]nce, Embroidery, Dress [illegible]oods, Notions, China and [illegible], Scales, Coffee Grinder, [illegible] etc.

[illegible] CASH.

S. S. BECK, Trustee.

[illegible]ster, Auctioneer. d29, ts

[illegible] Creditors of Arlington W. [illegible] Carmine, Bankrupt.

[illegible]otice, that the property men[illegible] the aforegoing advertisement [illegible] inserted in the Transcript, [illegible]red for sale at the time, [illegible]n the terms therein [illegible]

[illegible]HEND, Referee

[illegible]c. 15, 1917.

WANTED

Stenographer and Typewriter. Call at once or write to
SIDNEY P. TOWNSHEND,
Attorney-at-Law,
Chestertown, Md.

LARGE PUBLIC SALE.

I WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION AT MY STABLES IN GALENA, MD.,

Friday, Jan. 4th, 1918,

at 10.30 A. M., rain or shine, the following stock described below:

50 TO 75 HEAD OF CATTLE

One carload of fresh cows, springers, heifers and calves from the Proving Grounds in Harford county, consisting of mostly Holstein and Guernsey stock. Some of these cows are milkers without a doubt, and will be a chance for you farmers to get a good cow. 11 Good Holstein Heifers, bred to Holstein Bull.

Will also sell nine good cows for one farmer (all he has), part of these are good cows for any farmer to buy. Also some fat cows and cows no good for a farmer to keep. If you will come to me I will advise you right. Last sale cattle sold from $20.00 to $121.00, and will have some as good cattle as I can find for sale.

100 TO 150 SHOTES AND PIGS

I sold 168 head last sale from $2.25 to $15.00 each and sold every shote and pig I offered.

Will sell also a few Horses and Mules on commission. Harness, Carriages, Blankets, and anything you want to turn into money.

Will sell rain or shine. Terms Cash.

S. G. CALDWELL.

My next sale will be Friday, Jan. 18, 1918.

NEW YEAR

CANDIES

Whitman's Best!

Sampler's
Pink of Perfection
Library Package
Service Chocolate

STAM DRUG CO.

NOTICE

The Dining Room or Restaurant of the Eastern Shore Inn will be discontinued from January 1st to about April 1st, 1918.

We will, however, have some nice heated rooms for rent for balance of the winter. These rooms are very desirable, having all modern conveniences.

Very truly yours,
THE EASTERN SHORE INN.

DELCO-LIGHT

is the name of the compact electric light plant for farms and country homes. Delco-Light was developed by the same organization that has made "Delco" starting and lighting for automobiles the standard of the world.

Delco-Light will furnish an abundance of electricity for lights and light power on a farm at a cost of only a few cents a day. A Delco-Light representative will gladly give you a demonstration any time at your home.

H. E. WOOD
DEALER
Chestertown, Maryland
Phone 133

CONSERVATION.

Don't let the old straw rick rot[illegible] blow away. Sell it and put the [illegible]ceeds at work. Write or telep[illegible] and our buyer will call.

AMERICAN STRAWBOARD C[illegible]
Phone 86 Chestertown,
Nov. 24, 6m.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS NOTIC[illegible]

The County Commissioners here[illegible] give notice that the next meeting [illegible] the board will be held on Thursda[illegible] Jan. 3, 1918. This action is taken b[illegible]cause Christmas day and New Year [illegible]day fall on Tuesday's, the regular d[illegible] for board meetings. By order,

SAMUEL HICKS,
[illegible] Clerk to County Commissioners.

BONES AND [illegible]

On account of the war [illegible] supplies of Bones have be[illegible] and in order to get all th[illegible] country bones possible, we [illegible]termined to pay about twice [illegible] for dry bones as we used to pay, if they are delivered at our factory.

The country boys should pick up all they can and bring them to us instead of selling them to the junk dealers.

We will also pay the highest market price for good second hand Fertilizer Bags. Please communicate with us.

Very truly yours,

The Peerless Fertilizer Co.,
CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Averys—The Tractors That Burn ALL the Kerosene

You want a tractor that burns Kerosene. You don't need to burn high priced gasoline in Avery Tractors for they are genuine Kerosene burners.

Avery Tractors are the only make of tractors equipped with a Double Carburetor and Duplex Gasifier Fuel System, and the only make of tractors that really burn ALL the kerosene.

One Avery owner recently said, "Our engine runs as smoothly on kerosene as on gasoline. We haven't had a bit of trouble with it." Another Avery owner said, "There are eleven gas and oil tractors in our country. None of them handle kerosene as well as the Avery." Avery Tractor Owners all over the country are saying the same thing—they have proved by experience that Avery Tractors burn ALL the Kerosene.

Let us demonstrate to you how Avery Tractors do this.

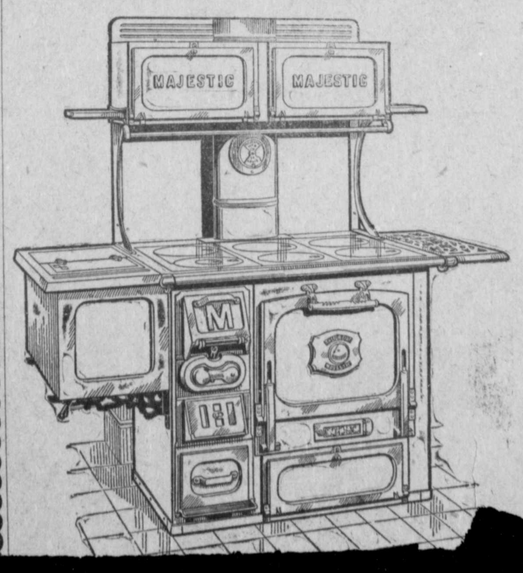
The Shannahan & Wrightson Hardware Co.,
Distributors of Avery Machinery,
EASTON, MARYLAND.

TRACTORS AND PLOWS — AVERY — PEORIA, ILL. — MOTOR CULTIVATORS AND THRESHERS

OUR HEARTIEST WISHES GO TO
YOU AND YOURS
for Good Health, a Happier New Year ladened
with Peace for Mankind,
Vindication for Democracy and Prosperity for All.

R. D. MOORE & CO.,
STILL POND, MD.

The Great Majestic RANGE



Demonstration and Sale

AT OUR STORE ONE WEEK ONLY

January 7th to January 12th, 1918

COME

SEE the GREAT MAJESTIC—**The Range with a Reputation—in its new dress.** Let the factory representative show you why the MAJESTIC **Bakes Better—Looks Better—Lasts Longer Heats more Water Quicker and Hotter and Uses Less Fuel** than any other range. We want to prove these facts to you—want you to know **why the** MAJESTIC is so highly recommended by your neighbor—**why** it is the Standard by which all ranges are judged **why** it is known in every county in every state as **The Range with [illegible]tation.**

[illegible]tle effort on your part! NOW [illegible]l girls who hand in written ans[illegible] [illegible]. m., Tuesday of Demonstration

[illegible]E FREE

[illegible]l giving the neatest and best answer to the third [illegible]select any $1.00 article from our stock, in addition [illegible] In case of a tie, those tying will receive the same

[illegible]BE SOMETHING FOR ALL OF YOU. Remember [illegible] P. M., TUESDAY. All children are invited.

[illegible]ESTIC RANGE IN THE NEW FINISH

[illegible]illington, Md.

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