THE TRANSCRIPT

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Senator Willard Salisbury, of Delaware, has been nominated by acclamation by the Democrats of Delaware for re-election to the United States Senate. This is rather an unusual compliment. President Wilson has requested Senator Salisbury's return to the U. S. Senate.

THE FOURTH LIBERTY LOAN

Arrangements are being made for the Fourth Liberty Loan throughout the nation. A meeting has been called for next Tuesday in Baltimore of the newspaper men and the chairmen of the various county committees in this state to complete arrangements for the Maryland drive which starts Saturday, October 19. Kent's pro- Saturday, September 19. Kent's proportion of bonds to be sold will be about $500,000. As we have met every war emergency asked of us in the past it is safe to assume our people will see that whatever portion is assessed to us will be met this time. Every one should begin at once to prepare to give the local committee, of which Mr. Allan A. Harris is chairman, their best efforts to put Kent in the fore rank of the coming Liberty Loan drive.

WASHINGTON COLLEGE A MILITARY COLLEGE

Washington College has an advertisement on the 4th page of this issue of the Transcript. In addition to regular college courses a Students' Army Training Corps has been established, in which young men of 18 years of age or older who can meet the entrance requirements of the college may enroll, and will receive from the government pay, subsistance, uniform and tuition free. The government having taken over this college as a training school for the draftees of 18 to 21 years old, makes it a fine thing for the college and for Chestertown, because it will bring a large body of students here and several army officers. This, of course, will increase the business interests of the town and county as it will afford a large market for produce and other merchandise. President of the Board of Visitors and Governors of the College Lewin W. Wickes, Esq., and State's Attorney H. W. Vickers, were in Washington recently in conference with the War Department and were assured that Washington College had been taken over by the government as an army training school. The college authorities are asking the government for a ruling on the point whether or not boys of the draft age who have not had sufficient advantages of education to enter the regular college course can be permitted to enter the college preparatory department and receive all the advantages of the regular military regulations. An answer is expected in a few days, after which the college will be in a position to give full information on this point. This should be regarded as an Eastern Shore College and should receive the hearty support of every one of the nine Eastern Shore counties.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Mrs. S. A. Anderson, of Worton, fell at her home last Thursday and has been confined to her bed since. Her daughter, Mrs. M. E. Newsome, is with her.

Miss Susie Frazier, who has resigned as teacher of the Primary Department of Rock Hall High School, will enter George Washington University for a special term.

Mr. McCormack, who has been employed at the Stam Drug Co. for several months, has returned to his home in Philadelphia, being in the draft.

Rev. Mr. Hartman, wife, daughter and son have been visiting at the home of their daughter, Mrs. George Baldwin, on Queen street.

Mr. Arthur Johnson was called home suddenly to Perryman, Harford Co., by the sudden illness of one of his children.

Ex-Senator William W. Beck, who is connected with the State Tax Commission, with an office in Baltimore, has been in Chestertown several days this week looking after his extensive law practice here. Mr. Beck is home every week-end and keeps in touch with his law practice here at all times.

Mr. Charles Mahoney, of Philadelphia, is a guest of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Norman Jefferson, on Queen St.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lankford, of Pocomoke City, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Norman Jefferson.

Misses Alice Smith and Ruth Clark spent Wednesday in Wilmington shopping.

Mr. Foster Cannon has returned from Baltimore, where he has been spending several weeks.

Mr. Foster Parker and family returned to their home here this week and will stay until some time in November, when they will reside in Massachusetts.

Prof. Owen C. Blades, manuel training instructor here, has returned from his vacation and is ready for the fall term.

Miss Marguerite Hersch, who has been spending the summer with her sister, Mrs. L. A. Sutton, has returned to Baltimore.

Miss Agnes Jarman, of Galena, and Miss Marie Willis, of Betterton, have entered the Beacom Business College at Wilmington.

Mrs. Foster Cannan is visiting an old friend of hers, Mrs. Myrtle Jones, at her cottage in Pen Mar.

The Allies' War

All "war is hell," as we know very well,
'Tis a fact that needs no discussion;
But in this case, of course, we have to use force,
For there's no other cure for a Prussian.

So, since we must fight, for all that is right,
To conquer the Legions of Sin;
Let us all do our best, with courage and zest,
That soon we may victory win.

If our country should be, the means to set free,
The nations of Europe afar:
And Democracy give, to all who there live,
What a great compensation for war.

The "supreme sacrifice" is of all good the price,
'Tis a law that we cannot ignore;
And the more that we give, the more we shall live,
And inherit the life evermore.

When the war-flag is furled, and peace crowns the world,
Let us hope for a new dispensation;
And that Justice and Love, may descend from above,
And rule o'er each war-ravaged nation.

Then the hosts of our slain, will have not died in vain,
Dear boys, who are giving their all;
May the Father above, in His mercy and love,
Receive their brave souls as they fall.

M. C. B.

BETTERTON ITEMS

Beginning tomorrow the regular services of the M. E. Church will be resumed. Sunday School at two o'clock, preaching service at three and Epworth League at eight.

After a vacation of the month of August the Red Cross meetings will be held every Wednesday afternoon at the school house. The chairman urges every member and person interested in the work to attend these meetings as the allotment of work for each auxiliary has been greatly increased, caused by the demand.

The monthly business and social meeting of the Epworth League will be held in the Sunday School room on Thursday evening. A full attendance is desired as this is the first meeting since June and important business is to be considered.

Miss Myrtle Pinder and Mrs. Thos. Silcox are spending the week at Atlantic City.

Mrs. Elva Hurlock and daughters, of Church Hill, are visiting Mrs. Bayard Crew.

Mrs. Harvey Moore attended the District Epworth League Cabinet meeting at Clayton last Tuesday.

Mrs. Steve Shipley and one of her interesting triplets are spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Brice.

Mrs. Alice Greenwood and Mr. William Bowman have been quite sick the past week.

Miss Marie Willis left Betterton on Monday last for Wilmington, where she will take a course at a business college.

A Letter Concerning Capt. Robt. Gill

The following letter was received by Mrs. T. R. Green, of Denton, from her son, who is in the company of Capt. Robert Gill:

"Captain Gill has left the battery and gone to headquarters of the division. I don't think he will be promoted right away, but am sure he will get it soon. We are all very sorry and all the men feel that they have lost their best friend. It was a very great compliment to him, as he was selected from the whole division and his position now has greater possibilities. I had thought all along that he wouldn't be with us long as his ability had long since been noticed at headquarters and they would have a more responsible position for him. I certainly feel lost without him.

"He certainly has made this battery what it is and that is saying a lot, for I don't believe there is an organization in France as well known as ours. In the division he has always been treated with the same respect as majors and colonels and has held the respect of all the heads, especially General McArthur, chief of staff.

"The parents of the men in the battery have a lot to thank him for, as he has been more or less a father to every man in the battery, taking a great personal interest in everything they did and at all times trying to make them comfortable as possible. We have had liberties and comforts that I venture to say no other organizations on the line have had and it was all due to his standing at headquarters.

"Of course, the men in the battery are wonders and that has helped a great deal, but there are other organizations with just as good men over here, but without the leader."

Kent County Red Cross Notes

The regular meeting of the Kent Co. Chapter was held at the Chapter House Monday, Sept. 9. After a vacation of two weeks the work will be taken up with renewed energy and the allotment for the Chapter is to be larger than heretofore. More workers will be needed for this patriotic work.

Miss Addie France has been made chairman of Junior A. R. C. work in place of Mr. C. L. Robinson, resigned. All schools organized for this work are urged to commence the work as soon as possible.

The following shipment was made from Kent County Chapter to the Potomac Division A. R. C. in the month of August: 3200 compresses, 1800 wipes, 3000 sponges, 30 5-yd. gauze rolls, 300 absorbent pads, 1244 oakum pads, 50 comfort kits, 30 sweaters, 60 pairs socks, 700 triangular bandages, 148 petticoats, 30 hospital shirts, 24 wash cloths.

MRS. LEWIS H. WOOD,
Chairman Kent Chapter A. R. C.

UNDER THE STARS AND STRIPES



(Continued from page 6)

Mrs. C. H. Jones was made happy recently when she saw her nephew, Jesse K. Jones, coming home. It was reported that he had been among the lost when the Justiana was torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine about a month ago. His sudden appearance was the first notice of his safety. With some others of the ship's crew he was in an open boat five days without food or drink before they reached land. All his money and clothes went to the bottom of the ocean. After the torpedoing, a German came aboard and bound the badly shattered hand of a comrade, told them which direction to row for land and wished them good luck. Seaman Jones spent several days visiting his friends and also went to Betterton and met a number of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stafford on Saturday received a card from a French lady who had recently entertained their son, Olin. The message was as follows:

Belfort, Aug. 1, 1918.

Sir and Madame:

Your son Olin spent several days at our house. He is in good health and he asked me to send you greetings for his sake. He expects to return to you soon as he thinks that the war will not last much longer.

Receive my sincere greetings.

Suzanne.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewin Wheat received word from their son, Albert, this week, that he had arrived safely over seas.

We have in hand a letter from Mr. Olin B. Stafford, a former Chestertown boy, who is on duty overseas. The letter will be published next week.

Mr. Samuel Hicks received the following letter from his son, Sergeant Leon Hicks, who is seeing active service in France:

Well I guess you think I have forgotten all at home, but such is not the case in the least, for I have been thinking an awful lot of you lately.

I have been on my vacation and had the time of my life. There were 25 from our company, which I had charge of, which went to Sex-la-Bains, about a three-day ride from the front on which we are located. I saw the most beautiful scenery a person would ever want to see, right in the midst of mountains; also a lake in which the water was clear as crystal. So you can imagine how much we enjoyed it.

We had a chance to see some of the large cities in France, so you can bet we made the best of our trip.

We left here on July 29, traveled there on August 2, that is after stopping over night in two different cities, both of which I saw the most of, and believe me, I have changed my opinion of France, for when we came across, it was during the rainy season and also we crossed France at a place where it is not near as beautiful as the territory we just covered, and I came to a front where there is nothing but swamps, but now I see the reason the French have for fighting. There is no more beautiful place than some parts of this country. Of course I don't say it is any better than the U. S., for that is putting it too strong, but it is good.

The French people treat the American soldiers great. They seem to think that nothing is too good for them. It makes things better for us, especially where we stop over in towns where there have been very few Americans. Then we see how we are liked. I stopped in one town where there had been no Americans and the Frenchman whom I asked to direct me to a feed invited me to his home, where I had a real meal, while his daughter played the piano, then afterward he showed me the town in his auto. The people didn't know what country we were from until we told them America, then they made us feel like we were more than human, for they treated us as curiosities more than anything else, but we ate supper at a hotel and were the only ones in the house who had a white table cloth.

There are surely some interesting places, such as the Prince of Savoy's, Jean Jacques', the old French poet, whose home is kept just as it was when he left it; then there is Mont Revard, from which we could see the snow-capped peaks of the Alps and I couldn't begin to tell you all I saw, which were some beautiful places; also the celebrated cats tooth, which took us four hours to climb, all of which was very interesting. I also met a French girl who was in New York for about a year and who knew the places well and would translate the French into English, which made it just great. So I understood what all meant.

We were put in the best hotels for the week, all expenses paid, even for meals going and coming. It is surely great what the government is doing for the boys over here and it is appreciated, for there is no one who has ever been there that does not want to go again. We get seven days in this town alone and believe me there was no time hanging heavy on our hands; always something to do. Coming back on the train I stopped at a city and ran into Lieut. Houston Toulson. We had quite a chat, but I had to take the next train, so didn't have long to talk, but I expect he is able to tell where he is located and you can judge the front nearest.

How is everybody home? I would surely like to know just now; when I reached our camp there was just lots of mail for me and believe me I had some nice reading, but am now settled down to work again, in just the best of health, and things looking brighter every day. When it comes to stirring things, the boys are sure doing that. We are giving them very little peace. They are mostly running, for that is where they shine.

Give my best love to mamma and tell her to stay real well; also Lillian and Aunt Lily.

I will close now for there is a regular July celebration on.

LYCEUM THEATRE CHESTERTOWN

SPECIAL FEATURE ATTRACTION

Friday and Saturday, Sept. 20 & 21, 1918

MATINEE SATURDAY AFTERNOON

THE FILM SENSATION OF TWO CONTINENTS

"TARZAN OF THE APES"

THRILLS—STARTLES—ENTERTAINS—EDUCATES

See Tarzan's Struggle with the Lion---The Elephant Raid on Cannibal Village---Battle Between an Ape and Gorilla---Abduction of a White Girl by Apes.

DON'T MISS THIS Admission 25, 35 and 50 Cents (War Tax Included)

Saturday Matinee, 3.30 p. m. Admission 15 and 25 Cents.

PUBLIC SALE
—OF—
PERSONAL PROPERTY

The undersigned, having sold his farm, intending to discontinue farming, will sell without reserve, on his farm, in Swan Creek, in the Fifth Election District of Kent County, on

Monday, Sept. 23, '18

beginning at 10.30 a. m., the following described personal property:

Four Head of Horses,

GOOD WORKERS AND DRIVERS;

4 Head Milch Cows,

ONE BULL.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS

1 Deering Binder, 1 Drill, 1 Farm Wagon, 1 Dearborn, 1 Carriage, Grain Fan, Corn Sheller, Randel Harrow, Twin Harrow, 1 Riding Plow, 1 3-horse Plow, 1 2-horse Plow, 2 1-horse Plows, Hay Rake, 2 Mowers, Roller, 1 Scoop, a lot of Collars, Bridles, Harness, Shovels, Forks, Hoes and other articles too numerous to mention, usually found on a well equipped farm.

ALSO HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE

TERMS OF SALE.—All sums of $10 and under, cash; all sums over that amount a credit of 12 months will be given on note with approved security; no property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

GEORGE W. WALBERT.

S. Scott Beck, Atty.
H Stockton Startt, Auct.

BANKRUPT SALE
—OF—
VALUABLE
Stock of Merchandise

Under and by virtue of an order passed by the United States District Court for the District of Maryland, in the Matter of John Muller, trading as The Muller Company, Bankrupt, the undersigned, Trustee of said bankrupt estate, 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 the said John Muller, trading as The Muller Company, on High Street, Chestertown, Kent County, Maryland, adjoining the properties of Arlington L. Sparks and Lofland & Culp, on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, '18,

beginning at 12 o'clock noon the following personal property:

CONSISTING OF VALUABLE STOCK OF MERCHANDISE, TOYS, SMALL NOTIONS, FIVE AND TEN CENT ARTICLES, CANDIES, etc., as shown by the appraisement now on file with the referee; as well as the FIXTURES AND FURNITURE in said store room.

TERMS—Cash.

S. SCOTT BECK, Trustee.

TO THE CREDITORS OF JOHN MULLER, TRADING AS THE MULLER, CO., BANKRUPT

TAKE NOTICE, that the property mentioned in the aforegoing advertisement, this day inserted in The Chestertown Transcript and The Kent News, will be offered for sale at the time, place and upon the terms therein mentioned.

SIDNEY P. TOWNSHEND,
Referee

Dated at Chestertown this 7th day of September, 1918.

WANTED.

100,000 bushels shelled and cob corn delivered at any station on Kent and Queen Annes Railroad, for which the highest cash market price will be paid

A. S. TURNER.

MONEY TO LOAN

IN SUMS TO SUIT ON GOOD REAL ESTATE.

JOHN D. URIE, Att'y,
a20-tf. Chestertown, Md.

WASHINGTON COLLEGE.

1782—Chestertown, Maryland—1918

The One Hundred and Thirty-seventh Session begins September 18, 1918.

The College offers two courses of study; one leading to the degree of Bachelor of Arts, the other to the degree of Bachelor of Science.

A Preparatory School is maintained primarily for the benefit of those who desire to prepare for admission to the college.

STUDENTS' ARMY TRAINING CORPS

Young men 18 years of age or over, who satisfy the entrance requirements of the College, may enroll. Members of the Corps will receive, in addition to pay, subsistence, uniform and tuition.

For additional information, address

The Chairman of the Faculty.

WATCH THIS SPACE

—for—

ANDERSON'S
SECOND FALL SALE

OF HORSES, CATTLE, HOGS, PIGS, SHEEP, CARRIAGE HARNESS AND MACHINERY, which will be held at his stables in Cecilton, Md., on

Thursday, Sept. 26,

at 10.30 a. m., rain or shine.

Will have ONE HUNDRED HEAD CATTLE, 50 of which will be fresh cows and springers.

25 HEAD REGISTERED CATTLE.

These 75 head will be as good as money will buy. Balance cattle of all kinds.

J. W. ANDERSON, Owner,

P. S.—Will sell anything at this sale for you on commission.

BUYING TOMATOES

W. T. Godwin, representing S. G. Caldwell, is purchasing tomatoes at the depot in Chestertown. He will be here every day and will pay the highest cash price. a24-6t*

FOR SALE

2000 bushels of oats at 80c a bushel. 1 Registered Mare, 6 years old, Kitty, by Picknel. TERMS CASH.

W. T. NICHOLSON,
a24-3t* Chestertown, R. R. 4.

BUFF ROCK COCKERELS FOR SALE

I have for sale a half dozen BUFF ROCK COCKERELS, which were hatched in March. They will weigh between three and four pounds each, and will be just right for breeding purposes in the fall. They are of fine type, and are as good as any I have every raised. Price $2 each.

THOMAS D. BOWERS,
Phone 125. Chestertown, Md.
a24-3t.

FOR SALE

Farm known as the Usilton Farm—170 acres, more or less—situated near Still Pond, Md., close to rail and water. Price $6500.00, to include all crops—purchaser to pay taxes, fertilizer and seed. Possession Jan. 1, 1919.

HOWARD TURNER,
j5-tf. Betterton, Md.

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(Largest in the world)

YOU FURNISH FARMS
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We Are Reliable
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H. T. JEWELL, Chestertown
JOSIAH PRICE, Millington
Agents.

Town Building Lots and Town Properties also for sale.

NO. 9744.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE
THIRD NATIONAL BANK
OF CHESTERTOWN,
in the State of Maryland at the close of business Aug. 31, 1918.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts (notes held in bank)		$574,412.87
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		579.56
U. S. Bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	$12,500.00	
U. S. Bonds pledged to secure U. S. Deposits (par value)	1,000.00	
U. S. bonds and certificates of indebtedness owned and unpledged	40,000.00	53,500.00
Liberty Loan Bonds unpledged 3½, 4 and 4¼ per cent		154,174.40
Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged		608,923 70
Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve bank		2,400.00
Banking House, furniture and fixtures		11,000.00
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		73,682.07
Cash in vault & net amounts due from national banks		47,845.93
Due from banks and bankers (other than included in 13 14 and 15)		2.20
Total of items 14,15, 16, 17, 18.	47,748.13	
Checks on banks outside of city or town of reporting banks and other cash items		100.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		625.00
Total		$1,527,025.73

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$50,000.00
Surplus fund		30,000.00
Undivided profits	$22,170.52	
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	1,561.64	20,608.88
Circulating Notes Outstanding		12,500.00
Net amounts due to national banks		12,451 50
Net amounts due to banks, bankers and trust companies (other than included in items 31 and 32)		2,958.69
Total of items 32 and 33	15,410.19	
Individual Deposits subject to check		424,247.28
Certified Checks		675.59
Total demand deposits subject to reserve, items 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41	424,922 87	
Other Time Deposits		972,583 79
Total time deposits subject to reserve, items 42, 43, 44 and 45	972,583.79	
United States deposits (other than postal stamps)		1,000.00
Total		$1,527,025.73

State of Maryland, County of Kent, ss: I, W B. Copper, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. B. COPPER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of September, 1918.

SIDNEY P. TOWNSHEND,
Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

WILBUR W. HUBBARD,
THOS. D. BOWERS,
GEO. D. LOFLAND,
Director.

STATE OF MARYLAND

Office of the Secretary of State.

To All Whom It May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that application has been made to the Governor of Maryland for the pardon or parole of Charles Ellis, who was convicted at the October term, 1916, in the Circuit Court for Kent county, of larceny, and sentenced to the Maryland Penitentiary for the period of three years.

The Governor will take up the said case for final decision on or after Monday, September 9th, 1918, until which time protests against such pardon will be heard and the papers filed will be open to inspection at the discretion of the Governor.

By order of the Governor,
THOMAS W. SIMMONS,
Secretary of State.

—TO THE—
TAX-PAYERS
OF KENT COUNTY.

TREASURER'S
September Sittings!

In pursuance of an Act of Assembly passed at the session of 1891, Chapter 292, the undersigned, Treasurer of Kent County, hereby gives notice that for the purpose of receiving the

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES

in said county for the year 1918 he will sit for the September sittings in the several Election Districts between the hours of 10 a. m. and 3 p. m. on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19
Still Pond—Wm. Medders Store
Millington—Fedderman & Collins

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20
Betterton—Owens & Co.'s Store
Pomona—T. R. Starr's Store

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26
Fairlee—Bramble & Kilbourne's Store
Rock Hall—T. B. Durding's Store

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27
Piney Neck—N. L. Ashley's Store
Pomona—T. R. Starr's Store

At all other times will be at the Treasurer's Office in Chestertown. The Treasurer's Office in the Court House will not be open on the above dates.

The Treasurer's Office in the Court House will be open every day except on the above dates from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m. for the receipt of taxes. Taxpayers will please take notice that taxes will be due and payable Sept. 1, and that on all bills unpaid on Jan. 1, interest will be charged and collected from September 1. On the first day of January all taxes unpaid are declared by law to be in arrears, and delinquents will be warned that unless settlement in full is made before April 1, the claims against them will be placed in the hands of the Treasurer of the county, who will proceed to seize and sell their property to pay the taxes due with charges and all costs of sale. The Treasurer would, therefore, respectfully urge all tax-payers to pay promptly.

HARRY E. TAYLOR, Treasurer.

CHESTERTOWN and TOLCHESTER

Automobile Schedule.

We leave the Voshell House, High street, Chestertown, direct for Tolchester Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays at 9.45 a. m., and 5.45 p. m. Will leave for Chestertown upon arrival of boats at Tolchester. Fare, with war tax included, 35c each way; 55c each way for children under 12 years when they occupy seats.

No more late boats.

Will call for passengers when notified in time, but BE READY, DO NOT KEEP CARS WAITING. Engage seats whenever it is possible when coming by Tolchester.

When boats cannot land at Tolchester will meet Chestertown passengers at Betterton.

Call phone 212—W.

VERNON M. BARNETT,

THINK

of unmarked graves and SEE

WILLIAM H. KRUSEN
STILL POND.
TOMBSTONES AND MONUMENTS

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