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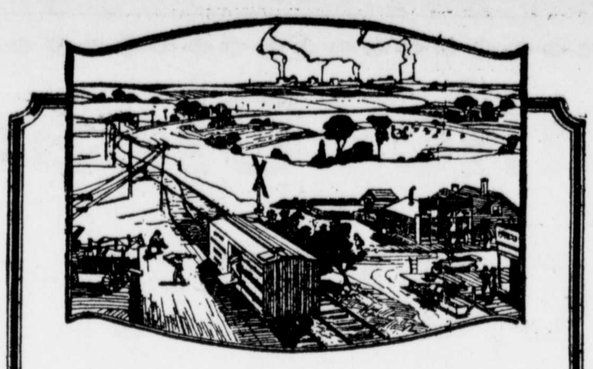
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LOCAL MATTERS

Caught Shad.—Mr. Harry Lambert caught a big roe shad in a fike near Chester River Bridge on Wednesday. Mr. Lambert says he caught one last year about this time.

More Nurses Wanted.—Although the last call for young girls over eighteen to go into training for war work went over the top—there being 27,000 who enlisted when only 25,000 were called—it is found that more are needed and an urgent call has been sent out that more will volunteer for this work.

Wye Oak Damaged By Lightning.—During the severe thunder storm that passed over this section recently lightning struck the old Wye oak, at Wye Mills, but did very little damage. The limb extending over the dwelling was hit and the entire family in the house were stunned. This is the largest tree in the state.

Boy Drowned.—Norman, the 7-year-old son of Capt. Norman Riggin, was drowned at Frederickton last week. The little fellow was last seen paddling about the river in a boat near a motor boat at the wharf. His body was recoverd later in the day. The interment took place at Presbyterian Cemetery at Georgetown Friday morning.

Postponed.—The Navy League dance announced to take place at the Betterton Casino tonight, Sept. 21, has been postponed until the night of the Liberty Loan meeting at Betterton, which will be announced later. Lovers of the light fantastic get ready for this patriotic dance as you can accomplish two purposes—a pleasure and a patriotic duty.

Marriage Licenses.—The following marriage licenses have been issued recently at the clerk's office: F. W. Jones and Alice Ogborn, of Salt Lake City, Utah; J. E. Bratt and Stella E. Kendall, of Kent county; J. M. Yeutter and Melba L. Trout, of Philadelphia; F. H. Riley and Ruth A. Yerkes, of Glenside, Pa.; W. B. F. Cranor, of Kent, and Elizabeth A. Cross, of Kent.

School Days Again.—School days again in Kent county! What a glorious time for the young folks! After a three months' rest and recreation—away from book and desk—the bells called them again to their tasks on Monday—tasks that will fit them for the years to come to mingle with and take part in the great working world. What a great institution is the school that takes a child almost in infancy and imparts the knowledge upon which the structure of their life rests. May their power never grow less!

Cardinal Farley Dead.—Cardinal J. M. Farley, Archbishop of New York, died at his home at Mamaroneck, N. Y., Tuesday night. The aged prelate had been sinking rapidly since he suffered a relapse last Saturday following partial recovery from pneumonia. He was 76 years old and was made a Cardinal in 1911. Cardinal Farley had a host of friends and was regarded as a typical American churchman, in touch with the country and the people. Though born in Ireland, he had been in America since his 17th year and had thoroughly identified himself with his adopted home.

LOCAL ITEMS OF INTEREST

—Over a hundred autos passed over Chester River bridge last Sunday.

—Mr. Foster Parker has purchased a Buick car.

—H. F. Jefferson & Bro. are advertising fall millinery in this issue.

—Nearly all the chestnut trees of Kent have been killed by the blight.

—The new sugar has advanced to 10 1-2 cents per pound in Chestertown.

—John Gould, colored, a Civil War veteran of Chestertown, died this week.

—Mr. A. M. Culp is making some repairs to his pretty home on Washington avenue.

—About one hundred from Baltimore came to Chestertown on an excursion Wednesday.

—The Baltimore packers are offering 40 cents per basket for keiffer pears, we understand.

—Thieves got away with at least a hundred chickens recently from the hennery of Mr. Paul C. Massey.

—Centreville will have no Chautauqua next year, as they could not secure enough subscribers to tickets.

—Washington College opened Wednesday. The studies will commence on Monday. Many new students have been enrolled.

—Vansant & Newsome have some attractive sweaters, hats and shoes at their store. Read their advertisement in this issue.

—Watch for the change of the adv. of H. Sachs & Son next week. The fall season is very much in evidence at their store.

—Tomatoes dropped to the very low price of 20 cents in Chestertown last Tuesday. Those who contracted will have a very good year. On Thursday tomatoes dropped to 15 cents per basket.

—The old fair buildings are disappearing slowly. Mr. Walter Wright has extended the time for their removal to January 1, 1919.

—Mr. Frank E. Duyer is making some needed office repairs to the Town Commissioners office in Fireman's Hall Building on Cross street.

—Mr. W. H. Cooper at Buck Neck has carried to Havre de Grace 100,000 baskets of tomatoes for which the Kent farmers received $50,000.

—Two hundred and sixty county gunning licenses have been issued in the clerk's office to date; 41 state gunning licenses have also been issued.

—Mr. Carl Bordley, the local expert sign painter, painted an attractive one for Mr. A. L. Sparks over his High street store this week.

—An old time colored medicine show (but in an auto) stopped in Chestertown Tuesday. The music was fair, but the business was poor.

—The savings departments of the five Kent county banks contain a total of $2,401,594.03. The total deposits in the five Kent banks amount to the sum of $3,677,510.30.

—The local Boosters Club held a meeting the other evening in Lofland & Culp's store to push the boosting movement. They will have a banquet shortly to push the affair.

—Mr. Harry Graham purchased the stock of the Muller Co., bankrupt., on High street, Thursday, and is retailing the same to the public. Mr. Graham paid $325 for the stock.

—The Chestertown grammar school opened Monday with 226 scholars present, graded as follows: Primer, 29; 1st, 40; 2nd, 35; 3rd, 28; 4th, 22; 5th, 30; 6th, 42. At the High School 126 pupils were enrolled.

—Yom Kippur, one of the leading Jewish atonement days, was observed this week, beginning Sunday evening and lasting 24 hours. Many Kent countians of that faith went to Baltimore and observed the occasion.

—Questionnaries are being mailed out to all the men between 19 and 36 years who registered last wek, except to British and Candian subjects, who have 30 days in which to enter the armies of their country.

—The hour which dropped from the life of every man, woman and child in this country last March will be given back by the government at 1 o'clock on the morning of Sunday, Oct. 27, when the "daylight-saving" plan ends.

—A carrier pigeon exhausted and hungry was caught by Mrs. C. J. Hatcherson in the yard at her home on High street Tuesday morning a band on its leg bearing the number C. B. 42859. It was of a bluish gray and white color.

Mr. Percy Hendrickson, tenant on the Skipper farm, across the river, last week paid Wilbur Stewart and wife, colored, $62.25 for a week's work picking tomatoes. Mr. Hendrickson has had a fine patch of tomatoes.

—Mr. A. Cohen, the progressive and up-to-date Sandy Bottom merchant, ordered his adv. taken out this week, but his order came too late, the adv. having been printed. Some of the prices in the adv. may not be effective. Watch for his big adv. next week.

—Germany's area is 208,825 square miles, about the same as the combined areas of Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Ohio. The United States has an area of 2,978,890 square miles.

—A fishing party composed of Messrs. T. D. Bowers, J. Biddle Hossinger, E. W. Emory and R. H. Collins enjoyed a day of good fishing at Rock Hall Monday. Four big trout were caught and about thirty dozen good-sized white perch.

—The railroad officials have decided to cut Lynch out as a stopping place on account of falling off in business. Only car lots will be accepted to or for Lynch. This will mean a great inconvenience to the people of that place.

—Follow the flag to France with 'Pershing's Crusaders," first U. S. official war film, taken by U. S. Signal Corps and Navy photographers and the French General Staff. To be shown at Lyceum Theatre next Friday and Saturday Sept. 27 and 28.

Liberty Loan Organization For Kent

The following are the committees named to push the Fourth Liberty Loan in Kent county:

Executive Committee.—Allan A. Harris, Chairman; W. F. Russell, Secretary and Treasurer; Mrs. W. W. Hubbard, Chairman of Women's Committees; F. G. Usilton, W. B. Copper, W. W. Hubbard, Rev. J. F. Earner, T. W. Perkins, Lewin W. Wickes, S. Scott Beck, A. Parks Rasin, T. G. Wroth, W. G. Smyth, R. Hynson Rogers, W. B. Usilton, J. P. Ahern, Isaac Gibbs; all chairmen and directors or committees are ex-officio members.

Publicity Committee.—F. G. Usilton, W. B. Usilton, R. H. Collins, Polk T. Bramble, L. B. Russell.

Director of "Four Minute Men."—Dr. E. J. Clarke.

Director of Transportation.—Owen C. Smith.

Music Committee.—W. W. Chapman, Chairman; A. M. Culp, T. W. Perkins.

Speakers' Committee.—Howard Turner, Mrs. W. W. Hubbard, Allan A. Harris.

LOCAL COMMITTEES

Millington.—W. J. Jarvis, Chairman; J. Mallalieu, W. F. Collins, R. W. Moffett, Leonard Wilson.

Betterton and Still Pond.—Howard Turner, Chairman; C. H. Price, Howard F. Owens, Chas. H. Brice, A. L. Harris, William Medders.

Massey.—Thomas Massey, Chairman; M. P. Dunn, A. H. Malsberger, Samuel S. Hurlock, J. F. Melvin, J. Gilbert Moffett.

Kennedyville.—Edgar R. Pennington, Chairman; E. T. Othoson, Harry S. Redmile, Geo. R. Rasin, E. I. Wallis, Dr. J. W. Urie.

Galena.—Jesse E. Ireland, Chairman; Frank H. Ruth, Rev. Frank White, S. G. Caldwell, W. A. Hyland, Andrew W. Wilson.

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Chesterville.—Merrick Clements, Chairman; W. F. Melvin, W. L. Ford, Thomas Burris, Frank Shahan.

Worton.—B. F. Rash, Chairman; Carroll Loller, John Carter, C. G. Hadaway, B. R. Coppage, Geo. W. Williams.

Rock Hall.—G. Elsworth Leary, Chairman; T. B. Durding, Elwood Burgess, W. Reybold Willson, Lewis Smith.

Fairlee.—H. C. Willis, Chairman; Wm. G. Smyth, T. B. Kilbourne, J. P. Cale, Dr. Frank W. Smith.

Pomona.—A. H. Covey, Chairman; W. T. Brown, E. W. Emory, R. C. Leaverton, Geo. Hadaway, Ray Startt, T. W. Trew, Walter B. Strong.

Chestertown.—S. Scott Beck, Chairman, T. D. Bowers, Owen C. Smith, Norman Jefferson, Charles F. Wheatley, A. Parks Rasin.

There will be a meeting of the Executive Committee Monday evening, Sept. 23, at 8 o'clock, at the Eastern Shore Inn. All members are urged to be present.

WOMEN'S LIBERTY LOAN COMMITTEES

Chestertown.—Mrs. W. W. Hubbard, Mrs. Allan Harris, Mrs. W. B. Usilton, Mrs. J. H. Thompson, Mrs. Jane Robinson, Miss Ethel Bacchus, Mrs. Walter Wright, Mrs. Lewis H. Wood.

Rock Hall.—Mrs. W. O. Selby, Mrs. John Brice, Mrs. James M. Wood, Mrs. T. B. Durding, Mrs. Ringgold Jones, Mrs. Lottie Stevens, Mrs. John Wood.

Pomona.—Miss Minnie Brooks, Miss Adalaid Kratzer, Miss Genevieve Brown, Mrs. J. E. Ferguson.

Galena.—Miss Mary Griffith, Mrs. Treca Dreka, Mrs. I. F. Huey, Miss Jennie Power, Mrs. Bessie Hurtt.

Kennedyville.—Miss Emma Shafer, Mrs. Edgar Pennington, Mrs. J. W. Urie, Miss Blanche Redmile, Mrs. R. R. Hill.

Worton.—Mrs. Harry Williams, Mrs. Thomas Bryan, Mrs. Harrison Cornelius, Mrs. George Williams, Mrs. Hugh Wallis, Mrs. Sewell Lee.

Still Pond.—Mrs. S. G. Roseberry, Mrs. William Medders, Mrs. Walter Harris, Mrs. William Bonwill, Mrs. Baynard Harper.

Betterton.—Mrs. Baird Crew, Mrs. Charles Brice, Mrs. Walter Crew, Mrs. James T. Crew.

Millington.—Mrs. Eva B. Sykes, Mrs. John Higman, Mrs. Listen Pennington, Mrs. J. E. Spear, Mrs. Olinda Smith.

Fairlee.—Mrs. Harry C. Willis, Mrs. H. S. Startt, Mrs. Walter T. Morris, Mrs. T. B. Kilbourne, Mrs. H. T. Hoyle Mrs. M. P. Lee, Mrs. Harry Randall, Mrs. E. A. Corey, Mrs. Henry Anderson, Mrs. Hynson Beck, Miss Bessie Price, Mrs. W. B. Strong.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

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Mrs. James Everett spent the week-end in Wilmington.

Rev. E. K. Copper, of Evanstown, Ill., spent Sunday the guest of his mother at the home of his sister, Mrs. M E. Newsome.

Miss Katherine Fowler and Miss Genevieve Forsythe, of Baltimore, spent Saturday and Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fowler.

William the young son of Mr. A. J. Bolin, of Morgnec, is suffering with an infected foot caused by stepping on a rusty nail. Dr. C. W. Whaland is giving him medical attention.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Loud are spending a few days at Atlantic City, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wright and son, John, and Col. S. L. Wright, left Monday for a ten days' trip to the old homestead of Col. Wright at Manasquan and other points in New Jersey.

Messrs. A. A. Harris, W. B. Usilton and R. H. Collins attended a luncheon and conference of the State Publicity Committee at the Southern Hotel in Baltimore on Tuesday.

Mr. W. Irving Walker is in New York this week on business.

Mrs. Clow and Miss Mollie Hurlock, of Church Hill, are spending a few days with Mrs. W. Irving Walker.

Rev. W. E. Matthews and wife, of Cordova, were guests part of last week of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ringgold.

News From The Local Draft Board

Twenty-seven men will leave here for Camp Meade on or about the 27th of this month, as follows:

Bernard Johnson, Millington, R. 2.
Lanford Cann, Chestertown.
Eugene Gland, Chesterotwn.
Arthur Lemuel Rasin, Worton, R. 2.
Robt. M. Whittington, Galena.
Walter Oscar Johnson, Millington.
Raymond Mongolia Moore, Fairlee.
Elijah L. Gleaves, Galena.
Geo. Oswald Wallace, Chest. R. 3.
John Gilbert Carroll, Galena R. 3.
Wm. A. Hodges, Locust Grove.
Horace Warner, Chestertown R. 4.
Lewis Cornelius Norris, Rock Hall.
Augustine Warwick, Massey.
Carroll M. Johnson, Chestertn R. 4.
Alonzo Daniel Gilbert, Chest. R. 3.
Samuel J. Gleaves, Millington R. 2.
Harry Gardner, Chestertown.
Wm. M. Bond, Chestertown.
Martin L. Cotton, Fairlee.
Lewis W. Bright, Still Pond.
Charles O. White, Rock Hall.
Nelson Sylvester Boyer, Rock Hall.
Clifton Dorsey, Galena R. 2.
Oliver Fletcher Taylor, Morgnec.
John Wesley Jackson, Chest. R. 2.
Noland Winfield, Rock Hall.

A call for 12 white men some time in October will be filled from the old list.

Dr. H. G. Simpers will examine the draftees in the future, as well as Dr. C. W. Whaland.

WEDDINGS

Miss Stella Kendall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kendall, of Rock Hall, and Mr. Edward Bratt, of the same place, were married Tuesday evening, Sept. 10, by Rev. T. C. Smoot at the home of the bride's sister, Mr. and Mrs. William Coleman. They are at present making their home with Mr. Bratt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Coleman, on the Haven, and have been hosts to the bride's sister, Miss Loleta Kendall.

A marriage license was recently issued to Mr. Harry J. Kilbourn, formerly of Kent, and Miss Juliet A. Clautice, of Baltimore.

The wedding of Miss Avis Elsie Rayner, a grand-daughter of the late Mrs. Avis E. Vannort, to Lieut. W. E. Trubee, occurred last week in Baltimore.

CHURCH NOTES

The ministers of the county, both white and colored, are requested to keep September 29 as "Heroes' Day" in commemoration of the heroes who have gone at their country's call and given up their lives, or have been wounded in the great strife.

Christ M. P. Church, Rev. J. L. Ward pastor. Sunday services: S. S., F. G. Usilton, Supt., 10.00 a. m.; sermon by the pastor, "The Message of the Gospel to the Soldier," 11 a. m.; short evening service, "Lesson from Bible Characters," 7 p. m.; prayer meeting Thursday at 7.30 p. m.

GERMAN PRISONERS WILL BE BIG FEATURE OF U. S. WAR FILM

The first German prisoners taken by American troops in France will be on exhibition at the Lyceum Theatre next week. At best they are not a handsome group, these Huns who fell into the hands of Pershing's men after a brief call by the Sammies on a Boche trench.

There are a score or more of them, including two officers, who reluctantly gave the camera man a glimpse of their Prussian profiles after a polite request that the American people would like to see something besides their highly indignant backs. One of them is trying to look as much like the Crown Prince as possible.

This scene is only one of many in "Pershing's Crusaders," the big government feature film, showing at Lyceum Theatre, Chestertown, Friday and Saturday Sept. 27 and 28, that have come straight from the American trenches.

For the first time in this country the public will have a chance to see what our boys have done to get ready and what they are doing "over there."

See adv. elsewhere in this paper.

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