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LOCAL MATTERS

Announcement.—Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Strong announce the marriage of their son, Walter Ringgold, and Minnie Amberg, of Springfield, Mass. The ceremony was performed Oct. 2 at Worcester, Mass.

Ban On Churches Lifted, Schools Still Closed.—By order of Dr. Jones, the health physician of Kent county, the churches of Kent county will open tomorrow, Sunday. The schools will not open Monday, as reported. Washington College will reopen on Monday.

Candidates Here.—On last Friday afternoon Congressman Jesse D. Price, Democratic candidate for re-election, was in Kent county and met many of our people. Senator W. N. Andrews, of Dorchester, Republican candidate for Congress, was also here in company with Senator Henry Brown, on the same afternoon.

Great Picture Here Soon.—Mr. L. Bates Russell has booked the "Birth of a Nation" for the Lyceum Theatre for Friday and Saturday, November 22 and 23. This is one of the greatest pictures ever made and while many Kent people have seen it, Lyceum Theatre will not be too big to hold the crowds that are sure to be present on both days.

George Hewitt Captured.—Through information furnished by Sheriff Carter, of Kent County, George Hewitt, who was arrested here about a year ago charged with the murder of a colored man in Virginia, and taken to that state, but who sawed his way out and escaped from jail, has been taken at Schenectady, N. Y. He has been taken back to Virginia for trial.

Real Estate Sales.—Mr. Marion F. Conklin, of Rock Hall, sold his farm of 27 acres on Huntingfield Creek to Mr. George R. Spear, of Chester, Pa., including equipment, for $4400. Mr. Adolph Droll, of Rock Hall, sold his farm of 148 acres on Huntingfield Creek to Mr. Harry Mamber, Phila., Pa., for $7400. Both farms were sold through Mr. H. Theodore Jewell, representative of the Strout agency.

Does It Mean Peace?—Is Germany sincere in her efforts to get peace on the terms laid down by President Wilson? That is the question that nearly every one is asking these days. A majority of the prominent people of Chestertown are of the opinion that peace will be made on the terms laid down by the Allies—which means the disarming of Germany—before Christmas; some think that Germany is up to some trick—diplomatic or military; while still others are equally sure that Germany will fight on for another month or two and then be crushed into submission. Time only can tell!

No Coal Famine This Winter.—There will be no coal famine the coming winter, nor even an approach to the hardships of last winter, Dr. Garfield, Fuel Administrator, has announced. The public must continue to co-operate with the Fuel Administration in conservation measures, as far more coal is needed than in former times. Dr. Garfield in a statement reviewing the present coal outlook said that the nation's fuel supplies are adequate and well distributed. Stocks on hand are greater than ever before, and more domestic coal is in the hands of consumers and dealers than at the corresponding period in normal years.

Great Britain's Sea Force Trebled.—Figures made public recently on the growth of the British Navy during the war show the fleet, including auxiliaries, has increased from 2,500,000 tons to 6,500,000 tons. The personnel has increased from 146,000 to 406,000. Soldiers numbering 21,500,000 have been transported by sea, of whom 4,391 were lost. For the requirements of the British naval and military forces more than 85,000,000 tons of stores were transshipped. More than 24,000,000 tons were taken overseas for Great Britain's allies. Transportation also was provided for 2,000,000 animals.

Hallowe'en.—Hallowe'en was observed in the usual hilarious manner Thursday night in Kent county. In Chestertown many grotesque figures paraded about town in fantastic apparel and much fun was had by the young folks especially. But what a difference from the Hallowe'en of a few years ago! How we used to waste food at Hallowe'en celebrations before the war! We scooped pumpkins to use the rinds for lanterns, and then wasted the rest. We threw away the nut shells we now save for gas mask carbon. We peeled apples to see what mystic letters the peeling would make when thrown over the left shoulder. Corn, wheat and flour were thrown to the wind, against windows and in peoples faces. But all this is changed in these days of sensible conservation.

LOCAL ITEMS OF INTEREST

—The "Kent" is at the Electric Light wharf for repairs.

—Mrs. Thomas D. Bowers has a chrysanthemum which measures 24 inches in circumference.

—Some one poisoned two fine fox hounds belonging to Mr. A. B. Burris in Quaker Neck one day this week.

—Major Henry D. Grant, who made such a favorable impression in Kent, has received order for overseas duty, to his great satisfaction.

—Mr. C. P. Hodgkin has been appointed crier of the Circuit Court to succeed Mr. J. H. Greenwood, who has moved to Philadelphia.

—We have seen a good many hunters for chestnuts around Chestertown, but have failed to find any of them that had a single chestnut.

—Mrs. Lucy Duyer, widow of Mr. Jack Duyer, will make her future home with her brother, Mr. Merritt Thompson, near Edesville.

—Kent's farmers are about all through seeding wheat. The favorable weather has been a big help to them. Some wheat is up and looks fine.

—Mr. Leo Moore, editor of the Havre de Grace Ledger, has been appointed acting postmaster at Havre de Grace to succeed R. C. Lawder, resigned.

—Mr. Julian Jones got 82 tons of tomatoes from not quite 8 acres, which is over ten tons to the acre. This is the largest yield we have heard of.

—Bre'er Rabbit has but a few more days to live in peace. The season opens on November 11—then every person able to throw a stick will be his enemy.

—Mr. W. King Agnew, of Baltimore, a "steeple jack," is at work this week painting the cross on top and other metal work of the M. E. Church steeple. The height of this steeple is 130 feet.

—Reuben Segars, a farmer near Federalsburg, had the misfortune to have $60 in greenbacks burned up a few days ago. He had put the money in a flue hole in a chimney for safe-keeping and it is supposed a spark from a stove set it on fire.

—Mr. Charles Schreiber bought the Edwards home on High street and removed his family there this week.

—Contractor Harry Cannan is making good time on the beautiful residence of Mr. John N. Bennett on Washington ave. When completed this will be one of the most attractive residences on the avenue.

—Mrs. Grace Walbert Aldridge and Mr W. B. Copper were appointed administrators of the estate of Mr. J. Kennard Aldridge. Messrs. Geo. D. Lofland and James Bramble were appointed appraisers.

—Mr. James E. Newton, Chestertown's expert tailor, has rented the farm in Queen Annes belonging to Mr. W. R. Elliott, and will move there shortly. Mr. Newton will continue in the tailoring business.

—Star shells from the proving grounds have been attracting considerable attention in Kent this week. They mount several hundred feet in the air and explode, lighting the sky a considerable distance.

—Mr. Edward Newton, keeper, of Chester cemetery, says the average numbers of yearly burials in that cemetery for the past number of years has been 45, and that there was 46 burials during two weeks of the last month.

—Mr. Harry Thompson, of Piney Neck, is the luckiest man in Kent county. He was short of help and unable to get his wheat seeded, so his two young daughters mounted the seeders and planted 80 acres of wheat for him.

—Dr. H. A. Cantwell, health officer, has lifted the quarantine in Cecil Co. While the influenza is on the wane in that county a number of new cases have been reported in the past few days and a number of deaths recorded this week.

—One of the biggest horse races of recent years in Maryland occurred at Laurel, Md., on Monday, when Eternal, a Kentucky horse, defeated Billy Kelly a Canadian horse, in a championship race. The Red Cross was given $20,000 from the proceeds of the race. Several Kent people were present.

—Mr. Lewin U. Skirven has one of the largest turnip patches in Kent county. Mr. Skirven sowed about a pound of turnip seed with clover and we hear that he will reap a bountiful harvest of turnips. Mr. E. R. Anthony did likewise in a patch of alfalfa with the same result.

—Among the recent real esate deals in Queen Annes are: L. T. Vansant to N. P. Corkran, property of the Chester River Steamboat Company, located at Jackson's Creek. Consideration $363. T. J. Taylor and Lyria Taylor to S. C. Moore, property near McGinnes' Corner, in the 7th Dist. Consideration $1500.

—At the beginning of the oyster season everything pointed to a most prosperous condition, but it now looks as though this industry will be seriously handicapped this year on account of the shortage of labor. This shortage is evidenced by the number of licenses issued by the Clerk of the Circuit Court.

—Mr. Thomas Massey lost his bird dog on Friday, when a car at his fertilizer factory run over the dog, breaking her leg and injuring her so that Mr. Massey had to kill her.

—The clocks of Kent and the country generally were set back on Sunday morning and the hour lost in the spring has been regained.

—Mrs. Thos. H. Bryan and daughter, while on their way to the milk station at Chestertown on Tuesday the harness broke which caused the horse to run away. Mrs. Bryan in an effort to check the frightened animal ran into the bank at Cemetery Hill, upsetting the carriage, which was almost demolished, and sustained considerable cuts and bruises and a sprained ankle, besides being terribly shocked. Her daughter, who jumped, escaped without injury.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Boyd, of Florida, are here this week attending the funeral of the former's father.

State's Attorney H. W. Vickers, who has been quite sick at Richmond, Va., is now improving greatly.

Mrs. Della Gill, wife of Mr. Charles L. Gill, who had been suffering with influenza, and took an overdose of medicine, has been extremely ill this week, but is now greatly improved.

Mr. Hynson Beck, of near Rock Hall is quite sick at this writing with pneumonia.

Mr. Marion deK. Smith, of Trenton, N. J., has been spending the week visiting his mother and sister here.

Mr. W. O. Newnam is recuperating from an attack of influenza.

Mrs. Elwood Baker and daughter are recovering from a bad attack of influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. William Greenwood, of Richmond, are guests of his mother on Maple avenue.

Mr. Lewis H. Wood has accpeted the superintendency of the Delco Light agency in New York City, and will move his family there soon.

Mr. Azariah Kendall and family will move from Fairlee to Arizona in a short time.

Mr. J. Raymond Simpers is convalescent after an attack of influenza.

Mr. J. S. Kreeger was in Baltimore on business several days this week.

Mr. John N. Bennett is now able to be about town and to attend to his business.

Mrs. Frank E. Duyer and daughter, who were quite sick with the influenza are now convalescent.

Mrs. Charles Keithley, of Marcus Hook, Pa., was compelled to go to the hospital yesterday because of stomach trouble.

Mrs. Thomas Ayres is back in Kent for a short time.

Mr. L. Bates Russell is convalescent again.

Dr. H. B. Simmons is able to be about town again.

Mrs. Mack Patrick is quite sick with the influenza.

Help The Belgians

The ten million imprisoned people in occupied Belgium and France are facing shame, suffering, disease, and some of them death for lack of clothing this winter. They must be helped. In the face of brutal coercion and spiritual suffering they remain splendidly courageous. This courage challenges our charity. Let us match the courage of Belgium by the generosity of America.

The Red Cross Chapter of Kent Co. will be glad to receive from our people a generous donation of any wearing apparel of good strong material for the destitute and suffering people of Belgium and France. Give generously and quickly. Send your donation to Red Cross headquarters in your locality.

MRS. J. D. BACCHUS,
Chairman of Belgian Relief Committee for Kent County.

WEDDINGS

The most beautiful home wedding that it has ever been our pleasure to witness was the marriage of Miss Miriam Warren Hubbard and Lieut. Geo. Maurice Morris, U.S.A., that took place at seven o'clock Saturday evening October 26th, at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Watson Hubbard, "Widehall" Chestertown, Md.

A special pullman train conveyed the guests from Washington, Baltimore, New York and Philadelphia. Eastern Shore society motored from as far down the Peninsula as Cambridge to do honor to the bride, who is one of the most beautiful and popular girls in Maryland.

"Widehall" the colonial home of the bride's parents, was an ideal setting for the wedding, which conformed to the historic period of the mansion.

The marriage ceremony was performed by Dr. S. Parks Cadman of the Central Presbyterian Church of Brooklyn, N. Y., in the great Arched Hall, which lent itself beautifully to the decorative floral scheme. On the Alter which stood in the turn of the colonial stairway, were vases of white bride's roses flanked with candelabra holding white wax candles. An aisle of white satin ribbon extended from the foot of the stairs through the corridor of arches to the Alter, the ribbon being supported by standards holding containers filled with white Chrysanthemums. The stair-rail was wreathed with green asparagus fern and smilax and banked with white chrysanthemums and bride's roses. Hanging baskets of bride's roses and trailing green hung in each of the four great arches, which make "Widehall" one of the notable mansions of the Eastern Shore.

The bride, who was given away by her father, Mr. Wilbur Watson Hubbard, wore a colonial period gown of Ivory Satin, panniered over a skirt of rose point lace draped with blossoms and satin roses, with court train, trimmed at the bottom with the same flowers. The bride's veil was of lace, and has been worn by five generations of brides of the Woodburn family, with a coronet of rose-point lace. Her Bouquet was an old fashioned nosegay, bordered with lace ruffle from which fell a shower of ribbons and roses.

Madame Mariano Brull, wife of the Secretary of the Cuban Legation at Washington, was Matron of Honor. She wore an Heirloom gown of pale green satin which descended from the sister of Col. William Ross, of Revolutionary fame, the great, great, great grand-father of the bride and carried a nosegay of pink sweetheart roses bordered with a lace ruffle to conform with the period of the gown.

Miss Rachel Hamilton of Indianapolis, cousin of the groom, who acted as train-bearer, wore the White Satin wedding gown of Mrs. Wilbur W. Hubbard, mother of the bride. During the ceremony Miss Hamilton sang "Oh Perfect Love" with Harp and Orchestra accompaniment.

Mrs. Wilbur W. Hubbard wore a gown of Blue Brocaded Chiffon over cloth of Silver, with soldid beaded waist of iridescent cut steel and court train.

The best man was Lieut. John Carlton Sterling, U. S. A.

The Ushers were:

Capt. John Gregory Hope, of the British Royal Flying Corp, at present with the British Mission at Washington. Lieut. Kenneth L. Allen, U. S. A. Capt. Rhea R. Higgins, U. S. A. Major Herbert L. Brown, U. S. A. Lieut. Kent Roberts Greenfield, of Delaware College.

The house guests included:

Dr. Mariano and Madame Breull, Lieut. and Mrs. John Carlton Sterling, Capt. and Mrs. John Gregory Hope, Hon. Boaz Walton Long, American Minister to San-Salvado.. Mrs. Hester Dorsey Richardson, of Baltimore, Miss Virginia Southerland, daughter of U. S. Senator, of West Virginia, Miss Katherine Wallace, of Cambridge, Md., Mr. and Mrs. Hardings Schole, "Military Attache of American Legation at Honduras, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hazleton, New York, N. Y., Mrs. F. E. Hansell, Chicago, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hansell, Philadelphia, Pa., Mr. Wm. Neilson Edwards, Philadelphia, Pa.

As the bride ascended the stairs, before leaving, she threw her bouquet which was caught by Miss Rachiel Hamilton, cousin of the groom and neice of Mrs. Woodburn.

Music was furnished by Louis Fisher's Orchestra of Baltimore, Md.

The wedding presents were many and were unusually handsome. They were displayed on tables in the large hall on the second floor.

A reception followed the ceremony, after which the bride and groom left by motor for the wedding trip.

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