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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has obtained from the Orphans' Court for Kent County letters of administration on the personal estate of

WALTER T. MORRIS,

late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of August, 1919, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's personal estate.

All persons indebted to this estate must settle at once.

Given under my hand this 25th day of January, 1919.

MARY O. MORRIS,
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LOCAL MATTERS

Smallpox Appears at Cambridge.—Dr. C. Hampson Jones, of the State Board of Health, was in Cambridge on Monday to confer with the health physician of that county in regard to several persons suffering from an eruption and pronounced the disease smallpox. There are seven cases, all in a mild form. One family has had the eruption and recovered. All the cases were quarantined.

Zeizel Property Brings Good Figure.—The Zeizel property, in Queen Annes county, about a quarter of a mile from the Chester River bridge, was put up for sale last Saturday and drew a number of interested people to the scene. The property was soon run up to $1280 by Auctioneer Jester—which figure was bid by Mr George Chaires—but was withdrawn by Attorney Perkins and held for a higher figure. Mr. and Mrs. Lewin W. Wickes purchased the property at private sale Tuesday for $1600.

May Get Increase In Salaries.—Kent county rural route carriers and postoffice clerks are interested over what appears to be a guaranteed increase in salaries. The annual postoffice appropriation bill was accepted by the Senate last week, and in it the postal workers are remembered with substantial increases. Besides recommending salary increases for virtually all postal service employees, the bill proposes appropriations of two hundred millions of dollars during the next three years for construction and maintenance of roads.

January This Year And Last.—The weather prophets made an interesting comparison of January weather last year and of the month just past. They say that the mean temperature in Kent County for January, 1918, was 23, while for this year it was 38. January last year had 17 maximum below freezing days, 31 minimum below freezing days. The warmest day was the 12th, when the temperature was 58; the coldest day was the 4th, with 2 degrees below zero. For January, 1919, they record 2 days below freezing and 17 minimum freezing days. The warmest day was the 2nd, with the thermometer at 61, and the coldest was 14, on the 5th and 12th.

Kent People Get Good Sums.—A number of Kent countians were left good sums of money by the will of Mrs. Ada Dixon, who died recently and whose will was opened and read last week in Baltimore. She was a cousin of the Jessups and Wilmers of Kent and these are the ones she remembered in her will: Mrs. Celeno Jessup Springer, $10,000; Mrs. Frank B. Hines, $10,000; Miss Geraldine Wilmer, $10,000; Malcomb Wilmer, $10,000; Mrs. Laura Jessup Buck is made the residuary legatee and her portion it is estimated will amount to about $100,000. The Johns Hopkins University is left $35,000 and Dr. Fleming, of Baltimore, $15,000.

To Protect Fish Around Betterton.—Government officials will co-operate with state officials in protecting the Chesapeake fish industry from loss as a result of the testing of guns at the Aberdeen Proving Grounds. The Conservation Commission has been informed that instructions have been given to minimize the number of high-explosive shells which will actually explode on contact with the water, and to remove the fuses so as to prevent such explosion. A petition of fishermen around Betterton had been forwarded to the proving ground officials. As the run of shad and herring comes up into this part of the bay in March, April and May, the fishermen feared that their season's work would be interferred with.

Law Violators Look Out.—The season for killing wild ducks and other wild fowl closed January 31. Any one violating the federal gunning laws are subject to a fine of $500 and 6 months in the Atlanta penitentiary. All game wardens are instructed by Federal Game Warden John Anderson to arrest all violators of the law.

About A Million Income Tax Payers.—In Washington the opinion prevails that more than a million people will have to pay income taxes during the current year upon their 1918 earnings. Not only did the traders—the little fellow—make larger profits in 1918 than ever made before, but wage earners by the thousands put themselves into the income tax paying class. "All signs indicate that the income tax this year will reach nearly every working man and nearly every merchant, shopkeeper and farmer," an authority is quoted as saying recently.

LOCAL ITEMS OF INTEREST

—"Pals First" will be shown at the Lyceum tonight.

—It is thought that peace terms will not be signed before midsummer or fall.

—Mr. John N. Bennett has taken the agency for the Ford tractor for this section.

—Messrs. G. E. Hicks and Howard Stradley have opened a meat store in Galena.

—Charles Willis, colored, died on Monday morning in Chestertown, age 75 years.

—Messrs. Robert Moffett & Son purchased about $800 worth of furs and hides last week.

—A ewe belonging to Mr. Marion Malcomb, of Morgnec, gave birth to triplets the other night.

—By a margin of one vote, Woman's Suffrage met its fourth defeat Monday in the Senate.

—Mr. Merrick Clements, of near Crumpton, received four beautiful roosters from Virginia last week.

—Mr. Robert Moffett purchased two beautiful thoroughbred Jersey calves from a Baltimore cattle raiser last week.

—Mr. J. G. Metcalfe has rented part of Davis & Satterfield's warehouse, near the depot, and is fitting up a nice office.

—The fox hunt of last Friday was the biggest of the year. Some of the dogs went so far away they have not returned home yet.

—Mr. Frank Hurlock is now established in his new quarters in the Carmine store room and has an attractive and convenient store.

—The Rich Neck Red Cross has sent $109.50 to the "fatherless children of France" association for the support of three children for one year.

—Some of the fruit tree buds are pretty far advanced and should we have a severe winter this late, considerable damage will be done.

—Yesterday was St. Valentine's day and many Kent people received beautiful valentines and some received ones that were not altogether to their liking.

—More than 125 bushels of silver dollars were shipped from the treasury vaults of the Philadelphia mint recently to be melted into bullion for export to India.

—The influenza epidemic is quite prevalent among the colored people in the vicinity of Georgetown and Sandy Bottom. Three deaths occurred last Saturday night in Sandy Bottom.

—Mr. Arthur Loller has purchased from Mr. Wm. A. Pote his farm stock and implements and rented his farm near Kennedyville for the year and has moved there and taken charge. Mr. Pote contemplates moving to Chestertown.

—The Court of Appeals has decided that Sunday baseball is illegal, therefore there will be no baseball games played in Baltimore on Sundays.

—According to a decision of the Supreme Court of Michigan rendered on Saturday the Ford Motor Co. must pay the Dodge Brothers $19,275,385 as minority stockholders of the company.

—The Bessie Jones, Anna B. Smith and the Daisy Archer, of the State oyster Navy, have been sold and fast motor boats will be purchased. The two former sold for $1750, the latter for $1500.

—Some time this month several hundred Kent countians will be required to make out and file income tax reports, showing the amount they received during 1918, and what they expended.

—Many Kent county farmers have not yet sold their corn and are in a quandary whether to sell or not. The falling price of corn has caught many of our farmers with large quantities of corn on hand.

—Bitten by a dog said to be owned by Fred Johnson, which was suffering from rabies, William Williams, aged 13, of near Georgetown, Del., developed hydrophobia Saturday night and died shortly after.

—The W. C. quintet journeyed to Chester, Pa., Saturday and was defeated by the Penn. Military College team by the score of 30 to 18. Lankford was injured and will not be in the game again for several weeks.

—Captain William Smith, who transports oysters from Chester river to Baltimore, was attacked and robbed by six men of $280 recently in Baltimore. Capt. Smith is in the hospital, the robbers being landed in jail.

—Kent County people were surprised on Saturday morning upon arising to find that several inches of snow had covered the earth during the night. This was practically the first snow of the winter.

—There is a movement on foot in Chestertown to establish a Young Men's Christian Association building, manned by a secretary and other officials under the supervision of the government. A meeting of those interested was held here Saturday night.

—Postoffice buildings for Easton and Elkton are two things to which Congressman Jesse D. Price, of the First Maryland Congressional District, is devoting much time. Mr. Price has introduced separate bills for these two projects. In each he is asking a $100,000 appropriation and urging the incorporation of both items in the bill.

—Mr. Christ Alevizatos has rented the Liberty Hotel and Restaurant on North Charles street, opposite Union Station, Baltimore, and will conduct a first-class restaurant and hotel. See adv. in this issue. Mr. Alevizatos has many friends here, where he conducted a candy and fruit store for several years.

—The St. John's basketball team met the Washington College basketball team last evening, Friday, in what was perhaps the biggest game of the season. St. John's has a good team and Washington College also has a fast aggregation and, while we went to press before the game started, a hard contest, no doubt, resulted.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Mrs. Hiram Tarbutton, of Crumpton, is the guest of Miss Phoebe and Mr. William Maul.

Mr. John L. Hudson, who has been quite sick with indigestion, is now improving.

Ex-Sheriff Brown is quite sick at his home in Quaker Neck.

Robert the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Huey, who was burned about the hands last summer, was taken to Baltimore last week for an operation on one of his hands, which had failed to heal properly

Master David McMenamin, son of Mrs. Amy McMenamin, was operated on in Baltimore last week. He is now getting along nicely.

Mr. Romie Harris and family, formerly of Chestertown, later of Baltimore, have moved to Rock Hall to make their home.

Mr. Charles W. Kibler, Sr., has been confined to his home the past week.

Miss Mabel Toulson spent several days this week in Philadelphia and elsewhere.

Miss Daisy Barnes was confined to her home several days this week.

Mr. Abe Cohen, the progressive Sandy Bottom merchant, who has been quite sick, is now convalescent.

A letter was received this week from Richard H. Collins, Jr., mailed Jan. 30 at Barbadoes, West India Islands, where the ship had stopped to coal. He is enroute for Rio de Janeirio, S. A.

Mr. B. Preston Usilton, of Baltimore, visited friends in Chestertown this week.

Mrs. Susie Belle Evans, of Baltimore, has been visiting her brothers, W. M. and A. M. Culp, this week.

Miss Frances Howard, who has been absent from school by sickness, has returned.

Mr. and Mrs. Bonn Towner observed their third wedding anniversary on Wednesday.

Miss Sallie White substituted as teacher of Worton school last week.

Mrs. John W. Barnes is quite sick at her home on High street.

Miss Nellie Pierce has been transferred from Cherry Lane school to principal of Worton school.

Miss Elsie Comly has been transferred from Locust Grove to Cherry Lane school.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Emory arrived home on Monday evening. Their relatives gathered together at their beautiful country home and a sumptuous feast was served by the bride's mother.

Mrs. M. C. Ringgold, of Salisbury, is the guest of her brother, Judge Jas. A. Pearce.

Mrs. W. W. Hubbard, who has been spending the winter in Baltimore, was in town a few days this week.

Miss Huyser, of Baltimore, who has been spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Mark Creasy, left this week for her home.

Mr. Whittier C. Copper, who was taken suddenly ill at his home the first of the week, we are glad to say is much improved at this writing.

A family dinner was given at the home of Col. William J. Vannort on Friday evening.

Misses Dorcas and Bertha Myers of Betterton, have been visiting their aunt, Mrs. Louis Newsome, of Chestertown.

Mrs. John H. Clendaniel, Jr., of Wilmington, is visiting her father, Mr. W. T. Brice, near Lankford.

The entire family of A. Earle Nicholson, including himself, his wife, and three children, are sick with the influenza. Two colored farm hands and two colored boys are also sick with the same trouble on his farm.

Mrs. Jack Duyer has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Duyer the past week.

Mrs. J. A. J. Metcalf, of Baltimore, has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. Leroy Jacquette, in Broad Neck.

Mrs. George Latham has been quite sick with a bad cold this week.

Mrs. William Thompson and son, of Still Pond, have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Jewell.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward McMaster, of Worcester county, have been the guests of Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Clarke this week.

Misses Anna and Helen Welch visited friends in Baltimore this week.

Mrs. Jervis Spencer has been the guest of friends in Elkton.

Mr. L. Bates Russell was quite sick from an attack of indigestion yesterday.

DEATHS

Chestertown lost one of its best citizens early Friday morning in the death of Judge John H. Simpers. Mr. Simpers was taken sick about three months ago and gradually grew weaker until the end came. He was a man of kind heart, amiable disposition, a loving husband and father.

He was engaged in the mercantile business in Chestertown for 38 years. Retiring from active business pursuits about 16 years ago he was nominated and elected on the Democratic ticket as judge of the Orphans Court, in which capacity he served for four years, being defeated for renomination. He was nominated again four years ago and elected without opposition. He was named Chief Judge by Governor Harrington, which position he held at the time of his death.

Chestertown had no better citizen than Mr. John H. Simpers. He was 69 years old.

He is survived by a widow, Mrs. Mary A. H. Simpers, three sons, Dr. H. G. Simpers, Frank V. Simpers and John Raymond Simpers, one brother, Mr. E. W. T. Simpers, of Ardmore, Pa., and one sister, Mrs. J. Frank Merrick, of Newark, Del.

Funeral services will be held from his late residence on Queen street at 2 p. m. Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Mr. Ward of the M. P. Church, and Dr. H. B. Martin of the P. E. Church. Interment in Chester cemetery.

The bearers will be: J. Henry Thompson, Dr. E. A. Scott, Robert R. Hill, Wm. B. Usilton, Wm. A. Wheatley, Wm. S. McDonald, Eben F. Perkins and James T. Dixon.

Undertaker C. L. Dodd had charge of the funeral arrangements.

Mr. John Barnes, a prominent farmer of near Millington, was paralyzed early last Monday morning after driving to the station with his sister, who intended to take the 8.24 train to Baltimore. He drove down to Mr. C. M. Hurtt's store, turned his horse around and after putting the blanket on his horse, attempted to halter it and fell to the ground. Mr. Hurtt, being an eye witness, went to his assistance at once. Mr. Hurtt offered to help him up, but Mr. Barnes asked him to hook the horse, as it might get away. In the meantime some other friends came to his assistance and took him across the street to Central hotel Fortunately the train had not arrived, so his sister was notified at the station and went immediately to his bedside. Dr. J. H. Bates, who was summoned at once, pronounced it paralysis. At 11 a. m., he had a second stroke and later in the day a third one. He died on Wednesday at 2 a. m. His body was removed to his late home by Undertaker J. L. Smith. Arrangements for funeral unknown at time of writing.

Mrs. Keenie H. Deaver, widow of the late Henry T. Deaver, of Frederick county, formerly a resident of Kent county, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William McKenney, Centreville, February 2, of general debility, aged 77 years. Mrs. Deaver was the daughter of the late William H. Horsey, of Kent county, and was a resident of this county until she was married to Mr. Deaver, at which time she went to Frederick to live. For several years she has made her home with her daughter in Centreville. She leaves two daughters and one son, namely: Mrs. William McKenney, Miss Nannie H. Deaver and Henry T. Deaver, also four grandchildren, John and Maria McKenney, Nancy and Margaret Wilson, all of Centreville, and one brother, William S. Horsey, of Philadelphia. Funeral services were held at St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal Church, Centreville, Rev. J. D. Cummins officiating. Interment in Chesterfield cemetery, Queen Annes Co.

The citizens of Galena and elsewhere were shocked when it became known late Monday morning that Arthur J. Hyland had passed away during the morning at the home of his father-in-law, Mr. John Carrow, of Dover. Mr. Hyland had been away from home in war service for many months at a chemical plant in Michigan. He returned to his home in Dover on Wednesday night and immediately took to his bed with influenza which quickly developed into pneumonia. It was not known until after his death that he had been made first lieutenant on the the 14th of last month. He was married about five years ago to Miss Mary Carrow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Carrow, of Dover, who with a mother and several half sisters and brothers survive him. He was 31 years of age.

Mrs. John Kraft died at the hospital in Philadelphia last Friday of pneumonia, aged about sixty-five years. The body was brought to Kent county on the morning train to Lambson on last Tuesday and funeral services were held at St. Dennis church at Galena, Rev. John Bailey officiating. Interment was in the cemetery near Lambson. Undertaker W. H. Krusen had charge of the funeral arrangements.

Margaret Kitchie Jarvis, the infant daughter of Charles T. and Maud C. Jarvis, departed this life on Feb. 13, 1919, age 7 months 8 days, at 905 Vandever ave., Wilmington, Del. Funeral services at Galena on Sunday afternoon at 2 p. m., at the Episcopal Church. Friends and relatives please attend without further notice.

An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Vansant, of near Lankford, died Friday morning. Particulars could not be gotten at the hour of going to press.

CHURCH NOTES

Services in Chestertown M. E. Church tomorrow, Sunday, as usual.

Rev. William K. Koons, a member of the Wilmington M. E. Conference, where he was a presiding elder for many years, but for several months past principal of Rising Sun public school, has been compelled to resign on account of throat trouble.

Dr. L. E. Barrett, formerly pastor of Chestertown M. E. Church, later pastor of Townsend, Del., M. E. Church, has issued a statement, denying the statement, widely circulated, that he is resigning his charge at Townsend "on account of failing health," as he says his health is now better than it has been for a year or two past. We hear that Dr. Barrett will move to Chestertown for a time. We extend a cordial welcome to him.

Chestertown M. E. Church was without a preacher last Sunday, as Rev. T. F. Beauchamp was quite sick during the day. He is now convalescent.

At the monthly meeting of the Young Men's Club, which was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. N Satterfield recently, eight new members were elected, making a total of 40 in the club.

Bond Chapel services on Sunday as follows: S. S. at 10 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m., subject, "Stewardship of Personal Property." Rev. Edwin Gardner, pastor.

The Mite Society of Christ M. P. Church met at the home of the President, Mrs. A. M. Bowers, on Monday evening.

Miss Fannie Stuart organized a Sunday School choir at her home on Friday evening last, consisting of 20 voices, which adds greatly to the singing. They will meet every Wednesday evening.

The Sunday School classes taught by Mrs. John N. Bennett and Mrs. Walter T. Pippin are making arrangements to have a pie social on February 20 in the High School. Proceeds to be given for missions.

Christ M. P. Church, Rev. J. L. Ward pastor. Sunday services: Morning worship, "A New Attitude To The Future," 10.30 a. m.; S. S., Mr. F. G. Usilton, Supt., 2.30 p. m.; Christian Endeavor, Mr. J. F. Wheatley, leader, 6.45 p. m. Evening Worship, "Keeping House in the Heart," 7.30 p. m. Junior Endeavor Thursday 4.00 p. m. Prayer Meeting Thursday 7.30 p. m. Intermediates Friday 7.00 p. m.

NEW AUTO COMPANY

Chestertown Gentlemen To Sell Ford Cars, Supplies, Gasoline, Etc.

A new automobile company was organized in Chestertown this week composed of Messrs. John N. Bennett, L. Bates Russell and Conlyn Noland. This company will handle the Fords and other autos and also have Ford supplies, tires, etc., gasoline and have storage for cars.

This new company will have a fine garage building erected on the vacant lot next to the express office, on Cannon street, which was owned by Mr. Russell. The garage will be L-shaped and will have an entrance on Cross street and one on Cannon street.

Contractor Harry Cannan is now engaged in the construction of the Cannon street part of the garage, which part will be erected first, the Cross street section being erected later.

These three gentlemen are all hustlers, the Ford car is a good seller, the situation an excellent one, and they should do a big business.

The officers of the new company are as follows: J. N. Bennett, Pres.; C. E. Noland, Vice. Pres.; L. B. Russell, Secy and Treas.

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