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LOCAL MATTERS

Fly In Wheat—A number of farmers in the county report that their growing crop of wheat is being badly cut by the fly and in some cases not more than half a crop will be realized.

Price Of Wages On Talbot Roads Reduced—The county commissioners of Talbot have instructed the road engineer to authorize no work on the county roads at a rate more than $1.50 per day. This is a decrease of 50 cents per day and is in line with the action taken by adjoining counties. The commissioners say they feel they are justified in paying the higher rate of wages no longer.

To Celebrate Fourth Of July At Crumpton—Steps are being taken at Crumpton for a big Fourth of July celebration. The Community Club has elected the following officers to promote the celebration: Pres., Dr. J. W. Stack; Sec., W. T. Godwin; Treas., F. M. Stevens. Rev. J. T. Rowlenson is general manager of the affair. The celebration at the same town was a big success last year.

One Editor In Heaven—There is one editor in heaven. How he got there is not positively known, but it is conjectured he passed himself off for a minister and dropped in unsuspectedly. When the dodge was discovered they searched the realms of felicity all their length and breadth for a lawyer to draw up the necessary papers for ejection, but they couldn't find one, so of course the editor holds the fort.—Exchange.

Oratorical Contest—Miss Grace Nickerson represented Washington College in the oratorical contest at Westminster Saturday night in which representatives of St. John's College, W. C. and Western Maryland College participated. Miss Nickerson's subject was "Navalism or International Peace." Miss Nickerson is the first woman to enter the contest since the organization of the Oratorical Association of Maryland Colleges twenty-three years ago.

Town Commissioners Reorganize—The Chestertown Commissioners held their annual reorganization meeting on Monday night at which time the new member, Mr. W. P. Newnam, qualified. Mr. W. L. Fowler was elected president of the board and the following appointments were made: Clerk and Treasurer, James W. Crouch; Attorney to Board, Wm. F. Rusell, Jr.; Day Bailiff, Samuel E. Cooper; Night Watchman, John Foreaker; Teamster, William Needles.

A Strange Attachment—A goose owned by Mrs. C. E. Bray, of Easton, became very much attached to a little eighteen months old tot visiting the home one day recently. It followed the baby about the yard, allowing itself to be mauled at will by the youngster. The child's mother, when she attempted to pick up the child and break his companionship with the goose, was immediately attacked with such a tremendous wing-beating that she was bruised and sore for several days.

New Sailing Craft Arrives Here.—Messrs. William G. Smyth, R. Hynson Rogers, Richard H. Collins, Jr., and Webster Hadaway had quite a rough trip from Delaware City to Chestertown in Mr. Rogers' skip-jack, which he purchased recently from parties in New Jersey. The little craft was buffeted by head winds nearly the entire distance of eighty miles, but made the trip in good time. They left Delaware City Monday night and arrived in town at noon on Tuesday. One of the most notable features of the little craft is its ability to sail close to the wind. In the final leg of the distance, from Primrose Point to her moorings off Chestertown, she had almost a head wind, but, at that, the craft made the distance with little trouble.

State Road Motor Cyclists Visit Kent—Mr. Austin Baughman, as stated in our issue of last week, and about 30 of his state road motorcycle police visited Chestertown on Wednesday. They were all entertained at luncheon by the citizens of Chestertown in the gymnasium at Washington College. The lunch was served by caterer, Mr. Gunning, and his corps of efficient waiters. The table was nicely decorated with flowers, which made it look attractive. Mr. W. B. Copper presided and addresses were made by Mr. Charles N. Satterfield, Senator W. F. Russell and Dr. C. P. Gould, which were responded to by Mr. Baughman, after which the police assembled at the Court House and were sworn in as deputy sheriffs for Kent County by Sheriff W. C. Townsend. These police now have power to arrest any offender of any criminal law in this county and are at the disposal of Sheriff Townsend for any assistance at any time he needs their service. This gives to our county a large force for the maintenance of law and order.

LOCAL ITEMS OF INTEREST

—Local hand fishermen are getting ready for a big season.

—Bread is now selling for six cents a loaf in Chestertown.

—Mr. J. C. Coleman has rented the Peregoy residence on Mill street.

—The April term of the Circuit Court adjourned on Saturday.

—Yesterday, Friday, the High School Association met at Betterton.

—It is reported that snow fell in Kent county on Wednesday night .

—Mr. W. T. Jones has purchased the Dukes' home in Kennedyville for $2500.

—Dr. H. B. Simmons picked ripe strawberries from his garden Friday.

—Mr. Thomas E. White fractured his right wrist while cranking his car recently.

—Mr. Frank Hurlock had strawberries on sale yesterday at 45 cents per quart.

—The well-known moving picture, "A Child For Sale," will be shown at the Lyceum in the near future.

—Mr. E. Bonwill Dukes has purchased the Dr. A. S. Hall residence on Washington avenue. Price said to be about $4500.

—The various automobile truck lines out of Chestertown are making strong bids for the asparagus trade from Galena and other sections of the county.

—"Dr. Jekyl and Mr. Hyde" will be shown at Lyceum Theatre Monday and Tuesday, May 23 and 24, for the benefit of the Chestertown Volunteer Fire Co.

—Mr. O'Meara, who recently purchased the "Handy" farm in Worton, recently received a carload of thoroughbred Berkshire hogs for breeding purpose.

—Kent county's summer resorts—Betterton and Tolchester—have begun to get ready for the coming summer season, which promises to be a most prosperous one for them.

—The Public Service Commission has set Tuesday, May 17, for consideration of the petition of sundry citizens of Chestertown against the increased electric light rates.

—J. Raymond Simpers, agent, has sold for the Davis heirs the double dwelling on Mill street occupied by Mr. James Everett and others to Miss Catherine Smith.

—The heavy northeaster almost wrecked the raft which is being used in the repair work on Chester River bridge. Many boats were sunk and battered along the Chester river.

—Mr. R. Goldey Warren, of Chestertown, priced two shad on Betterton wharf on Wednesday. They weighed 15 pounds each and at 43 cents per pound, came to $6.45 for the pair.

—Mr. B. F. Rash, an authority on apples, says we will have a fair crop of Staymans and other late varieties in Kent county. Mr. Rash is one of the biggest apple growers in Kent.

—Mrs. William Elliott substituted on Monday for Miss Wheat as teacher of the 6th grade, while Miss Rebecca Davis substitued for Miss Bell as teacher of the third grade.

—The Parents' and Teachers' Association met on Friday last and elected the following officers: Pres., Miss F. E. Stuart; V. P., Mrs. A. P. Rasin; Sec., Mrs. H. W. Vickers, Jr.; Treas., Mrs. P. V. Hendrickson.

—Mr. Charles E. Kirby opened his restaurant in the Postoffice Building to the public this week. The restaurant is neat and attractive, and being as it is in a favorable location, Mr. Kirby should do a good business.

—In spite of the early spring, which caused fruit trees to bloom in March, few Kent farmers have done any corn planting. The weather has been very unfavorable during the past six weeks.

—Chestertown is painting up. Oils and paints were so high during recent years that many a house has "suffered" for paint. Prices are now a little lower and people have begun to improve their residences.

Still Pond M. E. Church, Tilghman Smith, pastor: 9.30 a. m., S. S., F. B. Harper, Supt.; 10.45 a. m., preaching service; 7.15 p. m., Epworth League; 8 p. m., preaching service. This will be the Mothers' Day service. Please wear a flower in honor of your mother.

—Work on Mr. Edgar Clark's front addition to his vulcanizing plant on Cross street is going along nicely. The addition will have a glass front and will present an attracive appearance. Mr. Clark is a hustler and is doing a rushing business.

—The Kent County Board of Education was before the Board of County Commissioners on Tuesday in an informal way in reference to the school budget. No definite amount of money was asked for and no action was taken. The matter will be taken up later.

—Metcalfe Bros. have purchased from the Pennsylvania R. R. Co. the building lot on South Princess street upon which Janes M. E. Church, colored, stood, for $800 and will erect a fine grain elevator thereon. Stavely & Bowers, of Lynch, are erecting the 8,000 bushel elevator for the same firm at Kennedyville.

—A Chestertown colored man, supposed to have been left a legacy of $50,000 by relatives in Virginia, has placed for collection the same in the hands of Thomas Healey, Esq., a Chestertown attorney. Mr. Healey "will get" $25,000 of the legacy—"when he collects the same from the Virginia parties." Quite a nice little fee, Tom!

—The following new books have been added to the Chestertown Public Library: A Maker of History, by Phillips Oppenheim; The Silver Sixpence, by Ruth Sawyer; Sons of the Sea, by Raymond McFarland; Agatha's Aunt, by Harriett L. Smith; The Mystery of the Sycamore, by Carolyn Wells; The Mountebank, by William J. Locke; Jackie, by Countess Barcynska; Main Street, by Lewis Sinclair.

Circuit Court Proceedings

The Circuit Court was in session when we went to press last Friday and the last case, J. Hero Kelley vs. J. Townsend Anthony, was on trial. Mr. Kelley brought suit against Mr. Anthony for money due on some hay which Mr. Anthony had purchased from Mr. Kelley. Mr. Anthony had been notified by Mrs Wickes, who owns the farm upon which Mr. Kelley lived, not to pay Mr. Kelley for the hay as the hay belonged to her; thus the suit. The jury disagreed and was discharged by the court Saturday.

The court rendered the following decisions:

State vs. Janie Smith, presented for larceny. Court trial. Verdict not guilty.

State vs. Curtis McClain, presented for violation of the local option law. Court trial.

The following was the report of the Grand Jury:

To The Honorable Judges of the Circuit Court for Kent Co., Md.:

Gentlemen—We, the Grand Jurors for the April term of Court, 1921, respectfully submit the following report:

We have been in session six days, have examined 169 witnesses, brought in 44 presentments and found 42 true bils.

A petition having been filed with the Grand Jury, complaining of a misuse on the road leading from Chestertown to Quaker Neck, caused by the dumping of rubbish, tin cans, paper, etc., on the side of the public road. This Jury recommends that the proper authorities be instructed to take such steps as may be necessary to abate this nuisance.

We desire to commend the sheriff for his zeal in the apprehension of violators of the law, but we find that he, and especially his deputies, have in our opinion, in the performance of their duties, been guilty of conduct unbecoming an officer of the law and we respectfully request that the Court give such instructions as will insure the proper conduct of these officers in the future.

We visited the jail and found same filled to capacity, 23 prisoners being therein. The toilets on the first and second floors are very damp and leaking through floors and we would recommend such repairs as will remedy this condition.

The locks are in very poor condition and need repairing or replacing with new ones.

We investigated the escape of James Davis and conclude that he must have had help from the outside.

We would recommend that Anna Caulk, an aged insane inmate, be sent to an asylum.

We desire to thank the court for its uniform courtesy, the State's Attorney for his very efficient assistance and the bailiff for his untiring attention.

HARRY C. WILLIS, Foreman.

WEDDINGS

Miss Margaret Y. Rogers, one of the most accomplished and prominent young ladies of Chestertown, became the bride of Mr. Thomas Massey, of this town, on Saturday last. The ceremony was performed in St. Michaels and All Angels P. E. Church, Baltimore at noon. The bride formerly resided in Baltimore, and has been serving the public well in the capacity of County Health Nurse for about two years. During her residence here she has made many warm personal friends. The groom is one of the most prominent and active business men in Kent county, and is a member of the firm of Massey & Kilbourne, of Chestertown. Mr. and Mrs. Massey will reside in Chestertown.

Mrs. Ada Duyer, one of Chestertown's well-known ladies, and Mr. Samuel Cranor, also of Chestertown, were married Saturday evening at Crumpton by Rev. J. T. Rowlenson. Mr. and Mrs. Cranor now reside at Kibler's Corner, Queen Annes, where Mr. Cranor conducts a store.

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