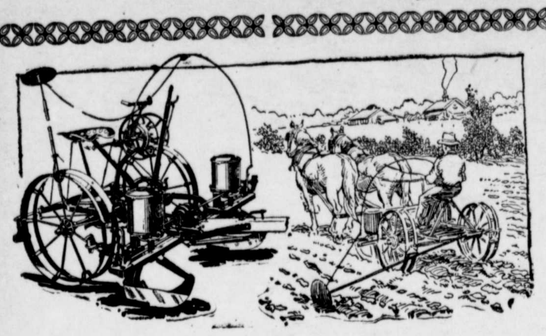

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LOCAL MATTERS

Kent County's Tax Rate—It is thought by those in a position to best judge that the county rate for the coming tax year will be around $1.50 on the $100.00.

Good Hatches of Pheasants—A number of farmers of this county were furnished with pheasant eggs this spring by the State Game Warden to be set under dungle hens. Hatches have been reported by Edward Wilkins, 13 pheasants out of 20 eggs; Earle Nicholson, 10 pheasants out of 10 eggs; and Wm. G. Smyth, 9 pheasants out of 10 eggs. These pheasants will be cared for by the above parties until they are able to care for themselves. If the citizens of the county who are in a position to take pheasant eggs and hatch them would do so the county would soon be well supplied with these delicious food birds.

LOCAL ITEMS OF INTEREST

—Mr. W. Irving Walker has five young Chinese pheasants, which are beauties.

—The Junior Home-makers Club, of Rock Hall, held their regular monthly meeting May 10.

—A concrete pavement is being laid on Cross street, from the Express Office to the depot.

—The pea crop for the canneries in this section has been a failure again this year, we hear.

—Dogs recently killed forty-five sheep—the whole flock—of Mr. Harry C. Willis, near Chestertown.

—The carnival, which was scheduled for Vannort's lot on Maple ave., will not be allowed to come here.

—Farmers in many Eastern Shore counties are preparing to grow cantaloupes this year in place of tomatoes.

—Easton has been selected as the headquarters for the telephone office in this district, it being more centrally located.

—The twenty-ninth annual convention of the Maryland State Firemen's Association was held in Cambridge this week.

—American farmers have organized two and a half million strong and are demanding relief from Congress for their business.

—A young man named O'Brien jumped overboard from the Ericsson line steamer last Friday night and was drowned off Tolchester.

—Approximately 10,000,000 acres of wheat will be harvested in Kansas this year. This is 900,000 more acres than was recently estimated.

—Mr. Charles Lambert is the champion frog catcher of the town. He had a dozen fine ones yesterday which brought a good price.

—The first meeting of the creditors of Mr. Harry Barnett, bankrupt, will be held at the law office of Mr. S. S. Beck on June 25 at 11 a. m.

—Mr. W. P. Newnam has some old war relics in his window on High St. that are interesting to look at and are quite a valuable collection.

—Mr. Thomas G. Wroth has purchased from Herbert E. Perkins, assignee, the vacant lot in the rear of the Transcript building, for $600.

—The home of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Chapamn, in Baltimore, was entered and robbed of valuables and money the other night during their absence.

—Mr. Jack Hacke[illegible], one of our best blacksmiths in Kent, has sold his shop at Worton to Messrs. Duyer, Coleman & Gears and opened a shop at Melitota.

—State Game Warden LeCompte has notified all deputies to see to it that dogs are not allowed to kill the young rabbits during the breeding season.

—Mr. W. H. Hudson, for many years secretary of the Tolchester Co., has been elected president of the corporation to succeed the late Capt. W. C. Eliason.

—Mr. J. R. Simpers, real estate broker, sold at private sale this week the Greenwood property on Cannon street, Chestertown, belonging to Mrs. H. W. Vickers, to Mr. O. C. Smith.

—Sergeants Olin B. Stafford, Harvey Blyman, Graham Nelson and Privates Herman Blackway and Thomas Perry will go to Saunders Range, near Washington, June 20-25, for special training.

—Among the Eastern Shoremen who have recently received war medals for service in the late war are: L. W. Barroll, W. Houston Toulson, H. H. Barroll, Jr., Charles G. Hines, W. R. Hubbard.

—T. Arthur Skirven, Jr., of Chicago, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Arthur Skirven, was killed in a taxi cab accident Wednesday, June 8. At the hour of going to press full particulars were not known.

—The annual state-wide field and track meet was held at Homewood, Baltimore, on Thursday. Quite a bunch of the Chestertown Grammar School boys attended. They were chaperoned by R. H. Collins, Jr.

—Frequent reports come into this office to the effect that pheasants are being frequently seen by our farmers and are doing well. Quite a number of pheasant eggs have been sent to Kent this spring to be hatched.

—The Elkton Fire Company stopped at Chestertown on Wednesday afternoon and gave a demonstration of its fire engine. They were on their way to Cambridge to attend the State Convention of the Maryland Firemen.

—Petition for confirmation of composition with creditors in the Claude F. Parks bankrupt estate has been filed in the United States District Court for the District of Maryland and the court has set Thursday, June 16, at 10 o'clock a. m. for the hearing on same.

—A man, claiming to be the nephew of the famous scout, Kit Carson, has been drawing big crowds in Chestertown this week listening to a sort of fervid oratory. The man is the agent for a medical belt of some sort and has created some interest and quite a bit of curiosity.

—Postmaster Bowers is making an inspection of the five Chestertown rural routes with a view to improving the service. The department has granted permission to place a collection mail box in the town of Fairlee, the star route carried from Rock Hall to make collections twice a day beginning on July 1.

—Even the postoffice force has the baseball fever and are inviting lawyers, barbers and married men to participate in games. Their team is as follows: J. Coleman, p; S. Lecompte, c; C. Ford, ss; Fred Russell, 3b; John Barnes, 2b; Alvin Coleman, 1b; D. Kendall, lf; S. Thomas, [illegible] C. Hadaway, H. Re[illegible]

—The work of laying the top boards on Chester River bridge has been completed. Much work remains yet to be done beneath the bridge before it will be finished. Travel on the bridge is now fine and it is thought that fishing will improve, since the traffic over it is now almost noiseless compared with what is was before the improvements were made.

—The Shore Transit Lines, Inc., with general offices at Salisbury, elected officers last week, as follows: Pres., A. M. Jackson, Salisbury; V. P., Walter Miles, Baltimore; Sec., Benjamin Jackson, Salisbury; Treas., Jesse D. Price, Salisbury; Directors, W. F. McAllister, Elkton; H. P. Turner, Easton; H. P. Cooper, Denton; John H. Clendaniel, Jr., Chestertown; Mark Cooper, Salisbury; Geo. Strahorn, Berkeley and Robert T. Bonham, Salisbury.

C. H. S. COMMENCEMENT

Interesting Exercises Mark Closing Of Chestertown School

The Commencement exercises of the Chestertown Schools were held this week.

On last Sunday morning a very interesting and instructive sermon was preached by Rev. N. O. Gibson, in Christ M. P. Church. The church was crowded for the occasion.

On Monday afternoon the Junior Class entertained the graduates by taking them and the faculty of the High School to Tolchester.

On Tuesday evening the Declamation Contest for the gold medals given by Messrs. L. Bates Russell and Fred G. Usilton, was held. Those who took part are as follows: Dudley Stafford, "The New South"; Walter McGinnes, "The Race Question"; French Skirven, "Emmett's Last Speech"; Rebecca Brown, "Lasca"; Virginia Myers, "Jephtha's Daughter"; Margaret Cornelius, "On the Rappahannock." The winners were Miss Rebecca Brown and Walter McGinnes. The judges were Rev. O. E. Jones, Dr. A. S. Hall and Prof. Woodman. The speaking of the evening was all good.

The graduates were entertained on Tuesday evening last following the declamation at the home of Rev. and Mrs. A. H. Covey, their daughter being one of the graduates.

On Tuesday evening the usual class night exercises were held and the play, "The Sweet Gird Graduate," was acted.

The alumni banquet was held on Thursday night and an enjoyable program was held. This was the seventh reunion of the Alumni Association and was held in the High School Building. Miss Evelyn Russell was toastmistress, Mr. J. A. Blyman being president. A piano duett was rendered by Miss Helen Rasin and Robert Pippin; "Class of 1921," Emerson Russell, president; solo, Miss Helen Baxter; toast, Prof. F. M. Lememont, University of Md.; piano solo, Miss Elizabeth Reed. The following menu was served: Strawberries, ham, chicken salad, wafers, potato rolls, Maryland biscuit, olives, pickles, fruit sherbert, cake, coffee. The following are the officers: Jas. A. Blyman, Pres.; Miss Evelyn Russell, V.P.; Miss Helen Rouse, Cor. Sec.; Miss Grace Nickerson, Rec. Sec.; Miss Florence Kent, Treas.

The Commencement proper was held last evening, Friday, in Wm. Smith Hall. Rev. Dr. J. W. Sumwalt, pastor of Grace M. E. Church, Wilmington, delivered the address to the graduates. The following program was rendered: Prayer, Rev. O. E. Jones; Class History, Laura Lusby Nicholson; Essay, "Reconstruction," Elizabeth Friel Stokes; commencement song, "Class of 1921"; a book review, "Playing the Game", Helen Vannort Simpers; o[illegible]tion, "America's Responsibilities [illegible] World Leader," Harvey Willar[illegible] Culp; piano solo Mary Baker Covey, awarding of prizes, the principal; presentation of diplomas, Prof. O. C. Blades; address, Dr. J. R. W. Sumwalt; song, "Silver Eyes," High School Girls' Glee Club; benediction.

The following are the graduates: Harvey Willard Culp, Emerson Roberts Russell, James French Skirven, Thomas Dudley Stafford, Harry Willis Usilton, Rebecca Neal Brown, Mary Bakes Covey, Lucy Edna Gardner, Naomi Reese Myers, Laura Lusby Nicholson, Virginia Elizabeth Parks, Mary Catherine Quinn, Frances Inez Richardson, Helen Vannort Simpers, Mary Elizabeth Smith, Elizabeth Friel Stokes, Anna May Trew.

Commercial Course—William Walter McGinnes, Charles Stratton Stoops, Margaret Harrison Cornelius, Emma Christina Dickerson, Katherine Virginia Elliott, Catherine Nickerson, Vera Elizabeth Pennington.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

(Other perosnals on page 2)

Mr. and Mrs. William Medders, of Still Pond, have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Dorothy, to Mr. Orris Gravenor Robinson, the ceremony to take place June 24, at their home in Still Pond.

Mr. Walter McCuvvins and Miss Sarah Viola Lambert were married at St. James M. P. Parsonage on May 19 by the pastor, Rev. Avery Donovan.

Mr. Whitney B. Wright, of Camden, N. J., has been the guest of his uncle, Mr. Walter Wright. Mr. Wright served in the late war and brought a German police dog home with him, which accompanied him to Chestertown. This is the first dog of this kind ever in Kent county and was the object of much curiosity. The animal is a mixture of collie and wolf and is said to possess rare intelligence.

Mrs. H. K. Graham and son, Harry, are visiting Mrs. V. H. Doushkess, in Easton, Pa., where they will attend the commencement exercises of Lafayette College. Mrs. Graham's son-in-law, Prof. V. H. Doushkess, takes his Master of Arts degree this year. Prof. and Mrs. Doushkess will spend the summer in Chestertown.

Mrs. S. A. Ivens, who has been quite sick for several years, is ill at this time. We hope her condition will improve before another week.

Mrs. Frank Lloyd, of Pocomoke City, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Clarke, left on Tuesday.

Miss Alegra Wood and Mr. Horace Wood motored from New York and spent the week end with friends in town.

Miss Margaret Smith, who was one of the graduates of Goucher College this year, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. James G. Beck.

Miss Harriet Welch has returned from a visit to Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Granbery and Rev. and Mrs. Atwater motored to [illegible]bart College today to attend the [illegible]mencement there.

Miss Mi[illegible] [illegible]er of [illegible] Miss [illegible]e in Grace M. E. Chur[illegible] Wilmington, last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] G. Beck motored to Philadelphia on Wednesday and spent the night.

We are glad to report that Mr. John Toulson continues to improve and is now able to sit up part of the time.

Mrs. Waldron, of Atlanta, was the week-end guest of Mrs. A. A. Harris.

Mrs. William Slay, Mrs. Kate Perkins and Mrs. R. H. Collins attended the funeral of Mrs. Thomas Hill, which took place in Baltimore on Monday.

NORTHERN CONVOCATION MEETS

Held Interesting Services At St. Paul's P. E. Church This Week

The Northern Convocation of the Diocese of Easton and which includes Cecil and Kent counties, met at St. Paul's P. E. Church, Kent County, on Tuesday morning. The convocation opened with morning service at 10 a. m., with a sermon by the Rev. Mr. Dixon, of Elkton. Holy Communion was celebrated by the Rev. Mr. Dickerson. At noon a delightful dinner was served by St. Paul's congregation. The afternoon session began with reports from the different parishes, followed by a discussion of rural problems of the church. Supper was served and evening service began at 7.30. The Bishop made a forcible address and was followed by Rev. Mr. Chamberlain, who has recently come to us from Idaho to be Diocesan Missionary.

Tuesday's program began with a quiet hour conducted by the Bishop. Morning service was held at 11 a. m. and Rev. Mr. Atwater preached, after which dinner was served. The afternoon session was opened by the Bishop giving a talk of the needs and work of the Diocese, showing the awakening of many of the rural parishes. The Dean of the Convocation, Rev. S. S. Hepburn, tendered his resignation, asking that a younger man may take up the work. He was urged to keep it for the rest of the year, as it would be very hard to find one to fill it so faithfully and efficiently. Addresses by Rev. and Mrs. Craighill, missionaries recently returned from China, gave a most interesting account of their work at Aikin. The Rev. Mr. Marshall, of Centreville, gave a talk on the "Nation Wide Campaign," after which the Convocation adjourned. Quite a number of visitors from all parts of the county were present and it was most gratifying to see the interest and zeal displayed by all. This old, historic church has recently been renovated and beautified. A handsome new pipe organ has been donated and the choir rendered excellent music. Too much cannot b[illegible] said of the hospitality of the congre[illegible]tion which both days served the mos[illegible] delightful meals to the large throng assembled.

W. C. COMMENCEMENT

Closes Exercises Of Old Eastern Shore College June 12-15

The Washington College commencement season extends from Sunday, June 12, to Wednesday, June 15. On Sunday the baccalaureate service will be held at 11 a. m. Rev. Alexander G. Cummins, D. D., of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., will deliver the sermon. Dr. Cummins is one of the best known ministers of the Protestant Episcopal Church and a powerful speaker. Music will be rendered by a choir of selected voices.

Monday evening there will be a debate between the Mt. Vernon and the Adelphia Literary Societies. Tuesday afternoon will be held the annual declamation contest for medals offered by Dr. Harry Simpers, of Chestertown. Tuesday evening the Dramatic Club will give a play entitled "The New Boy." The excellent record of [illegible]'s club guarantees a delightful e[illegible]tainment.

The Commencement comes on Wednesday morning at 10.30. Th[illegible] academic procession will consist [illegible] Board of Visitors, distinguished g[illegible] faculty and graduates. Honorary [illegible]grees will be bestowed on Rev. Ale[illegible]ander G. Cummins, of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Rev. J. Wilson Sutton, of New York, and Rev. Arthur S. Walls, of Narberth, Pa. The procession will be in full academic costume.

After the commencement there will be held one of the greatest gatherings of Alumni that ever assembled at Washington College. The alumni financial campaign and the new charter for the college are to be discussed. Great interest is being shown in this [illegible] meeting.

At 3.30 in the afternoon will be the big commencement game with the University of Pennsylvania. Not often do the people of the Eastern Shore have an opportunity to see two teams like these in action. Washington College has the best ball club that has played on the Eastern Shore in some years, and the University of Pennsylvania has regularly one of the strongest clubs in the East.

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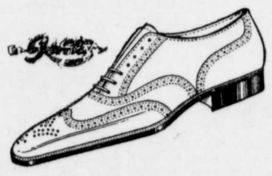

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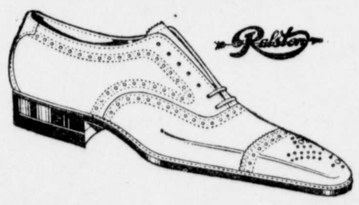

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It is required that the applicant be at least 15 years of age, and he must present certificates of having completed the second year of High School or ninth grade work.

In compliance with the law, the Orphans Court of Kent County hereby gives notice to Parents, Guardians and others who are disposed to avail themselves of this notice that on or before August 4th, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M. applications will be received by this Court. The applicants for this position must appear in person at the Register of Wills Office and stand a competitive examination in the following branches: English Gr[illegible]mmer, History of Maryland, H[illegible]story of U. S., Geography, Arit[illegible]metic and Spelling.

The condition of the scholarships requires the successful applicants shall give bond to the Orphans Court in the penalty of $50.00 to teach for two years in the public schools of the state if required to do so by the School Commissioners for Kent County. All applications must be filed on or before the date named with the Register of Wills.

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

JOHN R. POORE,

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 5th day of December, 1921, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's personal estate.

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