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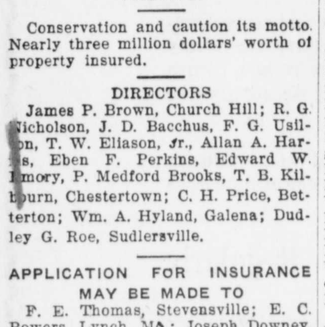
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### PUBLIC SCHOOL RALLY DAY FIELD SPORTS TUESDAY, MAY 15th

Schedule Of Events And Entries From The Chestertown Elementary School

The white schools of Kent County will hold their annual track and field meet next Tuesday, May 15, 1923, at Chestertown. Through the courtesy of Dr. C. P. Gould, President of Washington College and the other members of the Board of Governors and Visitors the meet will be held on the College Athletic Field beginning at 10:00 a. m. after the parade.

The teachers of the schools through out the county will assemble at 9:00 o'clock at the foot of High Street with their pupils, and have them form in line for the parade. The parade will start not later than 9:30 and take the following course: up High Street to Spring Avenue, out Spring Avenue and Washington Ave., to Reid Hall at the College and thence to the Athletic field.

A feature of the parade will be the part played by the Health Boosters. The schools which have organized these Clubs throughout the county will lead the parade. Boys and girls of these schools can be identified by their beads and badges.

A large number of entries for these events have been received at the School Board office and a day of exceptionally good sport is anticipated. Entries from the Chestertown Elementary School are listed below:

The Parent-Teacher Association of the Chestertown Elementary School will sell sandwiches, lemonade and ice cream on the grounds during the events.

Following is the schedule of events and the participants from the Chestertown Elementary School.

80 lb. RELAY: August Herzberg, James Anthony, Parks Rasin, Howard Hadaway, Don Falls, Harry Lewis.

95 lb. RELAY: 1st team—Fred Parsons, Frank Hines, Frederick Usilton, Vernon Needles.

2nd team—Sterling Townshend, Leonarl Ziesel, D. B. Ford, Julian Crew.

115 lb.—Vernon Corey, Robert Hickman, Franklin Miller, Marion Crew, Clifton Slaughter, Albert Sutton.

60 yard DASH:—Frank Sutton.

DODGE BALL THROW for distance 80 lb.—Wm. North, A. Hickman, B. Hyland, Chas. Taylor, R. Lecates, W. Patrick, J. Collins, A. Meredith, P. Rasin, H. Patrick, H. Lewis, H. Fallowfield, S. Townshend, A. Herzberg, R. Massey, W. Morris.

50 yard DASH:—F. Sutton.

STANDING HOP, STEP, JUMP, 95 lb.—F. Parsons.

BASEBALL THROW for distance: F. Hines, L. Zeisel, J. Crew, H. Ryckman, E. Capel, D. B. Ford, V. Needles.

BASEBALL THROW for accuracy: 115 lbs.—A. Sutton.

GIRLS SILVER BADGE TEST: S. Smith, E. Culp, E. Hendrickson, M. Russell, C. Wright, C. Downey, M. Cosden, I. Spielberger, F. Edmonds, Edna Hartman, K. Kennard, T. Chapman, K. Jarrell, H. Needles, M. Rash, J. Stokes.

BOYS DODGE BALL:—F. Hines, Capt., F. Parsons, J. Bennett, P. Rasin, C. Slaughter, D. B. Ford, V. Needles, A. Sutton, M. Hadland, R. Cole, F. Miller, J. Crew, M. Hadaway, F. Sutton, H. Fallowfield.

GIRLS DODGE BALL:—L. Duyer, Capt., C. Wright, F. Edmonds, P. Willis, E. Hendrickson, L. Price, M. Patrick, E. Crew, T. Chapman, K. Patrick, M. Kirby, I. Crow, H. Joiner, M. Rash, N. J. Usilton.

GIRLS ATHLETIC BADGE TEST: BRONZE—Anna C. Coleman, L. Sheats, E. Crew, L. Price, F. Bennett, G. Wright, E. Bell, I. Crow, M. Parsons, E. Jewell, B. Hurd, M. Patrick, M. Cole, J. Atwater, H. Adams, S. Townsend, M. Phillips, A. Kreeger, V. Wooley, E. Zeisal, R. Gordon, K. Ford, K. Baker, M. Jarrell, L. Baxter, M. Smith, F. Woodall, M. Woolford, P. Pyle, L. Rasin, E. Hopkins, C. Walters, R. Jones, S. Morris, E. Rolph, M. Smith, T. Smith, Edyth Hartman, H. Brown, N. J. Usilton, V. Bell, E. Cole, M. Malin, M. Cooper, V. Reed, G. Everett, H. Stokes, H. Greenwood.

BOYS ATHLETIC BADGE TEST: BRONZE—W. Morris, B. Hyland, H. Hadaway, H. Redden, H. Lewis, C. Sutton, H. Patrick, J. Wright, J. Hessey, H. Newton, E. Massey, J. Kreeger, Francis Parsons, C. Taylor, Wm. North, H. Ryckman, S. Townshend, R. Massey, H. Fallowfield, C. Redden.

SILVER—C. Slaughter, Fred Parsons, M. Crew, F. Hines, A. Sutton, F. Sutton, R. Hickman, V. Needles, A. Herzberg, J. Anthony, W. Patrick, R. Cole, J. Bennett, L. Zeisel, P. Rasin, D. B. Ford.

### CHURCH STANDING TWO HUNDRED AND TEN YEARS

St. Paul's P. E. Congregation To Observe Anniversary This Year

Historic St. Paul's P. E. Church this year will celebrate the two hundredth and tenth anniversary of its founding. Completed in 1713 and in continuous use ever since as an Episcopal place of worship, the ancient Kent county sanctuary is probably the oldest house of worship in Maryland. It is believed that there may be older parishers than St. Paul's in the Dioctse of Easton, but in none of them is the church building of such great and ancient antiquity. The contract for the erection of the present church building was made in were "extras" in those days as the the erection of a building 40 feet long 30 feet wide and "16 feet from the ground." The contractor was to receive 70,000 pounds of tobacco for his work, which represented a large sum in what was at the time the coin of the province, and at the prevailing price today for a medium grade of tobacco it would amount to about $21,000. But apparently the 1711 between the vestryman and Capt. James Harris. It provided for are in almost every contract today for the old church records show that at a meeting of the vestry, held in the spring of 1713, after two years work, Capt. Harris, having turned over the completed building to that body, "hath taken in his bond 150,000 pounds of tobacco." It is believed from his statement that the church building cost twice the original contract price.

Twenty years prior to the building of St. Paul's church the government of the Province of Maryland was taken away from Lord Baltimore by the Crown, and the principle of religious liberty which he had established was wiped out. The church of England was made the established church, and a poll tax of 40 pounds of tobacco a year was laid upon every freeman for the benefit of the church. The parish was divided for ecclesiastical purposes into "hundreds," each division containing 100 families. But there must have been more than 100 families included in the parish of St. Paul's, for the first minister of the parish, Rev. Lawrence Vanderbrush, was paid an amount equal to the poll tax on 200 families. The pews of the old church were rented more than two hundred years ago for 500 pounds a year each, but were later sold and became the absolute property of the purchaser, as appears in the ancient church records which are still in existence and are a varitable mine of early history. In 1766 a vestry house was built on the land adjoining the church at a cost of 20,000 pounds of tobacco. The old brick building is still standing and is in regular use for a Sunday school room asd vestry house. The record books of the ancient church running back for more than 200 years, even before the church was built, in 1713, contain an almost complete list of all the marriages, births, deaths, and burials in the parish. In fact nearly every occurrence in the community gets at least an incidental mention. There are references to "the Swedish settlement to the east," where the State of Delaware takes a big section out of the Eastern Shore peninsula. The first two rectors of the parish died before the present building was erected. It was the third incumbent, the Rev. Alexander Williamson, who was sent up to the parish with a letter from Governor Lloyd ordering the members of the church to receive and install him. He persuaded the vestry to have the church built. There has been a long line of successive rectors, many of whom have stamped their individuality not only upon the church but also upon the community. Among the more modern are the Rev. Dr. Denroche, Rev. W. F. Dickerson, and the present rector, Rev. Louis B. Sheen, who recently removed from Pennsylvania. The interior of the church has recently been renovated and modernized, but the historic lines of the old structure still remain and pilgrims from various shrines in different parishes of the country frequently visit old St. Paul's to study the names on tht grave stones in the church yard, and to look over the records which carry one back to colonial days. The historic oaks which surround the church building have been memorialized in song and folk lore by poet and historian, and the State Board of Forestry is using every means to protect the giant trees which have stood for ages. But one other church in Kent county can approach old St. Paul's in the glory of age. That is the ancient Shrewsbury, a few miles beyond Kennedyville.


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### Annual Report of COMMISSIONERS

OF CHESTERTOWN, MD.
APRIL 28TH, 1923

RECEIPTS

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| On hand as per last report | $1,224.58 |
| On hand to pay July coupons | 550.00 |
| Sale horses | 50.00 |
| Rent room in office | 21.00 |
| Permits for medicine men and circus | 84.50 |
| Sewer taps | 55.00 |
| Fines, fast driving | 2.00 |
| Chestertown Water Co., coupons and bonds | 3,950.00 |
| Kent Co. Commissioners | 2,000.00 |
| Propor. part bank stock | 658.93 |
| Special tax on stock Mutual Fire Insurance Co. | 94.84 |
| Payment on cement pavement | 41.60 |
| Delinquent taxes, 1921 | 1,325.80 |
| Interest on same | 17.58 |
| Taxes collected 1922 | 9,925.39 |
| Interest on same | 26.32 |
| Taxes col. on Corp., etc. | 1,075.81 |
| | $21,103.35 |
| Advanced by Commissioner to help pay accounts | 2,500.00 |
| | $23,603.35 |

DISBURSEMENTS

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| Water Bond No. 10 | $1,000.00 |
| Water Bond No. 8 | 500.00 |
| Bond No. 4, Street and Sewer | 1,000.00 |
| Coupons on stree and sewer. due July 1922 | 550.00 |
| Coupons on street and sewer due January 1, 1923 | 525.00 |
| Coupons on water bond | 2,388.75 |
| Hauling Garbage | 1,500.00 |
| Day bailiff | 961.00 |
| Night bailiff | 880.00 |
| Wm. Needles, teamster | 864.00 |
| Salary of Commissioners | 300.00 |
| Salary of Attorney | 100.00 |
| Salary Clerk and Collector | 420.00 |
| Salary G. B. Taylor, surveyor | 150.00 |
| Daylabor on streets and sewers | 2,240.58 |
| One dump wagon | 90.00 |
| W. T. Bramble, bill | 39.55 |
| J. D. Bacchus, cement | 632.18 |
| Kent News bill | 90.50 |
| Chestertown Water Co. | 1,066.50 |
| Corn and hay | 149.81 |
| A. L. Brown, difference in exchange of horses | 100.00 |
| Hauling | 219.50 |
| Jones & Satterfield | 289.98 |
| Freight on [illegible] | 567.35 |



Assessment .....$1,460,000.00
Tax rate 75 cents ..... 10,950.00
Amount Collected ..... 9,925.39
Collectable about ..... 1,025.00

The bonded indebtedness of Chestertown, Maryland, is as follows: $21,000 for Streets and Sewers and for the purchase and improvement of water works $46,000 making a total bonded indebtedness of $67,000.

Approved April 26th, 1923.

C. N. SATTERFIELD,
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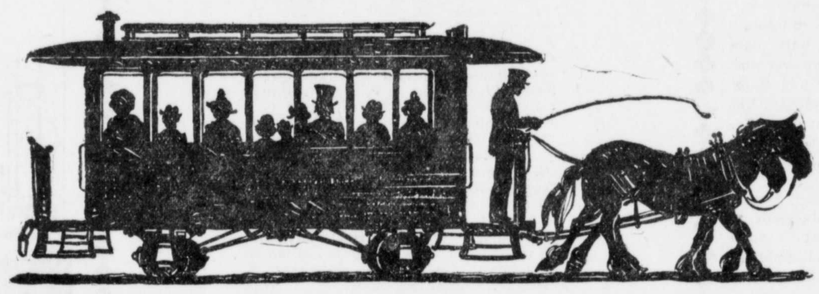
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