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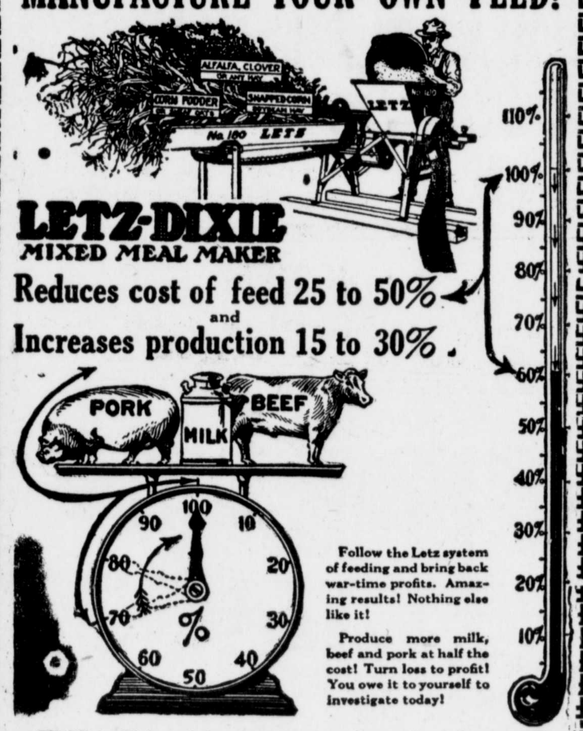
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LOCAL MATTERS

—The Bramble Poultry Farm will put in their first hatch of the season on Monday, Jan. 12. Watch for adv. next week.

—The postoffice had their biggest days in its history on Monday and Tuesday. The employees worked until late in the night.

—Worton Grange will hold a business and social meeting on Monday evening, Dec. 29. A large meeting is requested as business of importance will be discussed.

—L. Harris Crewe, o fBetterton, has been reappointed day cashier of the Casa Marina Hotel at Key West, Florida, for the winter, and will shortly go south to assume his duties.

—Thieves raided the hen roosts of Mr. Frank Jarrell, on Washington ave. and Mr. Bedofrd Titter, on Mill street, recently, and took every chicken they had.

—Mr. Sam'l. S. Hurlock will start training at the Petz Automotive and Electrical School, Phila. The first of Jan 1925 and on and after April 1, 1925, he will be found at the Massey Garage, Massey Md.

—The damage case of Sheriff Wm. H. Goodman against Mr. Richard Haggerty, of Kennedyville, will be heard at a special session of the Circuit Court at Centreville, and not at Chestertown, as we noted recently.

—According to figures complied by the census enumerators in the recent public school census the total number of children attending the schools in Kent county 2,373, an increase over the year 1920 when the last census was taken of 38.

—At the closing exercises of the high and elementary schools Friday, the scholars presented each of the members of the faculty with substantial Christmas presents, and gave the janitors purses of money. At the elementary school a pleasing entertainment was given by the primary grades.

—While working on his automobile in his garage at Rising Sun, E. J. Lucas was painfully burned about the face and hands when he lit a match, which ignited the gasoline. His six-year-old son, who was standing nearby, was also painfully burned about the face and legs.

—The town of Millington celebrated the Christmas season Monday evening with a community Christmas tree around which the entire populace was invited to gather at 7.30 oclock and render appropriate Christmas music. The merchants of the town made special arrangements for a royal treat to the children of the community.

—Kent people are busy with the cross-word puzzle in spare moments. Within the memory of man there has never before been a fad or pastttime that has swept the entire country from coast to coast with the sensational popularity of cross word puzzles. Everwhere you go, in no matter what walk of life, you find the cross word puzzle fans.

—At the annual election of officers of the Chestertown lodge of Masons last week the following were elected: Worshipful Master, A. E. Culver; Senior Warden, W. R. Huey; Junior Warden, Herbert A. Urie; Secretary, Wm. A. Wheatley; Treasurer. J. H. Sides. The Tri-County Past Masters Association will hold its annual meeting at Chestertown on Monday, December 29, 1924.

DEATHS

Mrs. Ellen Margaret Kelley, wife of Wm. H. Kelley, Locust Grove, died at her home Sunday morning, Dec. 21, age 71 years. Besides her husband, she leaves one son, Harry P. Kelley, of Philadelphia, and two brothers, Wm. Pennington and Herbert Pennington. Funeral services were held from her late home Tuesday at 2.00 p. m. Interment Galena cemetery. Rev. Mr. Sterling officiated. Bearers: Robert Bramble, Thomas Bramble, Samuel Comley, Harry Jarvis, George Webb, and George Glenn. C. L. Dodd undertaker.

Miss Idell Baker died Friday, Dec. 19, at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. D. Urie, age 61 years. Besides her sister she leaves three neices, Mrs. Louisa Truslow, Mrs. Helen Leffenwell and Miss Esther Urie. Funeral was held at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. D. Urie, Sunday afternoon at 2.30; interment Chester cemetery. Rev. N. O. Gibson officiated. The pall bearers were Dr. James W. Urie, Wm. Dunbar Gould, Walter S. Trew, Thomas W. Eliason, Richard H. Collins, Jr., Herbert Perkins. C. L. Dodd, undertaker.

May Increase Postal Rates

Postmaster General New was called Tuesday before the Senate postoffice sub-committee to explain details of the administration measures proposing increases in rates on practically all classes of mail matter except letter mail to take care of the advance in the pay of postal employes approved by Congress, but vetoed by President Coolidge. With a view to having ready a report on the bill before the Senate takes up the President's veto of the salary bill in January, the sub-committee has set aside four days of this week for the hearing.

Some publishers who are opposing have protested that the notice of the advance in second-class mail rates hearing was entirely too brief, but the sub-committee will go on with the hearings on the dates specified, Senator Moses said. After Mr. New is heard opportunity will be given the publishers and others interested to present their arguments.

CHICKEN EMBARO IN STATE

State Board Of Agriculture Passes Order Making This Effective At Once

Exclusion from the State of all live chickens from any part of the country has been ordered by Dr. Albert F. Woods, executive officer of the State Board of Agriculture, it was learned yesterday. Turkeys, ducks and geese are not affected by the action.

The order as issued Saturday and follows an embargo ordered by Governor Ritchie several days ago when poultry from several Middle Western States was barred. In his order the Governor gave the agriculture board power to enlarge or change the embargo as ensuing circumstances warranted.

Coincident with the State officials' action. Dr. J. H. Shrader, director of the city Bureau of Chemistry and Food, announced that approximately 400 dead chickens and 300 sick fowls had been taken out of two carloads of poultry which arrived here Sunday from Tennessee.

They were victims of the barnyard disease called "chicken influenza" by poultry handlers. The Government has appropriated $100,000 for a study of the affection.

Fear that persons will reship sick chickens from other points into Maryland prompted the State's embargo, it was said by Samuel Shoemaker, chairman of the State Board of Agriculture.

The board's action is a precautionary measure, and was taken because we anticipate efforts might be made to make Maryland a dumping ground for chickens from infected sections of the country.

The disease is very contagious and might be compared to the hoof and mouth disease.

Century Theatre.

--Peter Pan," which has stood for twenty one years as one of the most charming classics of the stage, having been Maude Adams' most successful starring vehicle, has been made into a photoploy by Paramount and will be shown at the Century during the week beginning Monday, December 29. The story was adapted to the screen by Willis Goldbeck from the brilliant novel by James M. Barrie. In the cast are Betty Bronson, Ernest Torrence, Cyril Chadwick, Virginia Brown Faire and Anna May Wong. Herbert Brenon directed the production. A special musical act will be given with Fernando and Tomasini Guarneri, those golden voiced singers, rendering a program of popular hits. The Century Roof will be open nightly from 8.30 to bedtime with a big, new, entertaining show.

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MAY CREATE NATIONAL PARK

This Would Be Great Thing For This Part Of Country.

Creation of a national park in the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia, as recommended recently by a commission appointed to select a national-park site in the East, would be of great value to Maryland if there is any advantage to a state in tourist traffic.

Within a day's travel of the proposed park would be more than 30 famous battlefields, the birthplace of Woodrow Wilson, the spot where McCormick invented the reaper, the ground made famous by Sheridan's ride and 12 of the most famous caves and grottoes in the world.

In the proposed park are more than 1,000 miles of fine trout streams, 20 mountain peaks and two gorges containing cataracts more than three miles long.

The park would run across the spot where Governor Spottswood and his Knights of the Golden Horseshoe first crossed the Blue Ridge Mountains and discovered the Shenandoah Valley beyond. Near by is the grave of Daniel Morgan, of Revolutionary War fame; the home of Abraham Lincoln's grandfather, the tombs of Gens. Robert E. Lee and Stonewall Jackson, the birthplace of Sam Houston, the world-famous Natural Bridge of Virginia, the great endless caverns of Luray, the spot where Gibbs invented the sewing machine and Staunton, once capital of what is now West Virginia, Kentucky, Ohio, Michigan, Illinois, Indiana and Wisconsin.

Within sight of the proposed Blue Ridge Park lie the battlefields of New Market, Port Republic, Forest Hill, Fisher's Hill, Cedar Creek, Middletown and Winchester.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Prof. Louis J. Thibodeau, of Waterbury, Conn., is spending the holidays with relatives in Chestertown.

Mr. John Collins, of Hazard, Kentucky, is home for the holidays.

Miss Clara Elliott, of Bryn Mawr College, is spending the holidays with her grandother, Mrs. Harrison Vickers, Sr.

Miss Katherine Beck, who is attending Boston School of Physical Education, is home for the holidays.

Miss Elizabeth Brown, of Philadelphia, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Clay Brown on Front Street.

Mr. Merritt Brown, of Altoona, is home for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Seigenfuse, of Dumont, N. J., are guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Robinson, for Christmas.

Wheat Prices Advances.

Wheat and rye prices made sharp advances and reached new high levels during the week ending December 20, according to the weekly grain market review of the United States Department of Agriculture. The corn market ruled slightly weaker but other grains held firm and made moderate gains.

The rapid consumpton of the world supply of bread grains and the rather unfavorable condition of the fall seedings were the principal strengthening factors in the wheat market. The world's wheat crop is now estimated to be 440,000,000 bushels less than last year and the world's rye crop 320,000,000 bushels, making the total supply of bread grains 760,000,000 bushels less than last year and 350,000,000 bushels less than in 1922.

MILLINGTON

Mrs. Sarah E., wife of Mr. Andrew Legg, aged 46 years, died suddenly at her home near town last Sunday at 11 p. m. The funeral was held at her late home on Wednesday at 2 p. m., Rev. H. A. Wilson, Pastor of Trinity M. E. Church, officiated and Mr. J. A. Tobin was the undertaker. Interment was made in Crumpton cemetery.

May the editors of this paper have a happy New Year.

Mrs. Willie Stevens visited her brother, Mr. Walter Painter, of Sudlersville, last Thursday.

Mr. S. T. Pippin and family, of Philadelphia, are spending two weeks at their home in town.

Mrs. Jennie Johnson and granddaughter, Miss Helen Tyler, are guests of relatives in Garden City, N.J.

Mr. Marion Spear, of Baltimore, is visiting his sister, Mrs. C. T. Brannigan.

Miss Ruby Ahern has returned to Augusta, Ga., after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Ahern.

Miss Florence Comegys, of Baltimore, is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. S. S. Comegys.

Mrs. John Bottomley and Mrs. Maria Stevens have been quite sick at their homes the past two weeks.

Mr. Alenda Smith moved last week from Mrs. Gayton's house into the Benson house, which he recently purchased on West Cypress St. and Mr. J. E. Spear moved last Monday from his house on West Cypress St., to his farm near town, just vacated by Mr. Price, having moved to the farm vacated by Mr. William Rolph; Mr. McCosh Walls moved on Tuesday from the Bottomley farm, near Chesterville, to the Jones farm just vacated by Messrs. Jesse and Millard Slaughter, who have moved to Elkton.

Miss Mary Numbers, of Northampton, Mass., is spending ten days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Numbers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Brice and little son, William, of Fairlee, and Mr. and Mrs. John Clendaniel and little son, John Jr., of Chestertown, were guests on Christmas Day of Dr. and Mrs. Merritt Brice.

Miss Mary Vansant visited her sister, Mrs. Ford Phillips, of Wilmington, this week.

Miss Mildred Clark spent a few days this week with her grand-father, Dr. E. G. Clark, of Middletown, Del.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brice, of Baltimore, and Mr. P. H. Wood, Jr., and family, of Salem, N. J., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Ahern.

Mr. James Toth, of near No. 10, left last week for Budapest, Hungary, to visit his home people and wished to say "good bye" to all his good friends as he could not get around to see them all.

Miss Martha Pennington, of Nevasink, N. J., and Mr. James Pennington, of Baltimore, are guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Liston Pennington.

Miss Dorothy Taylor, of Hood College, Frederick, Md., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Taylor.

Mr. Lambert Bowers, of Chester, Pa., Mrs. Bowers, of Dayton, Md., and Miss Margaret Bowers, of Western Maryland College, Westminster, Md., are spending the Christmas holidays at their home in town.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of Asbury M. E. Church was held on Thursday evening of last week at the home of Mrs. Ella White.

Mrs. Noel Gross, of Penns Grove, N. J., visited her mother, Mrs. John Bottomley last week.

Mr. William Lutz, Chief of Wilmington Fire Department, accompanied by his wife, Mr. William Grier and Miss Skelly, of Wilmington, attended the Carnival which was held last week by the Community Fire Co., on Wednesday night, when Mr. Lutz gave an interesting and helpful talk on "Fire Prevention." Members of Easton and Smyrna Fire Departments were also present.

Miss Jessie Wilkins is spending the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Wilkins, near Rock Hall.

Miss Edna Strong returned last Wednesday to her home near Rock Hall after spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Merritt Brice.

Mr. William Spayd, of Labanon, Pa., spent Friday of last week with friends near town.

Mr. Richard Feddeman and sister Miss Mary, of Baltimore, were guests this week of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Feddeman.

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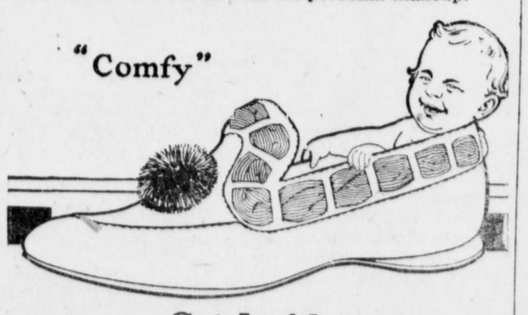
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