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LOCAL MATTERS

—The locust blight continues unabated in Kent.

—Hog cholera is reported near Locust Grove and near Blacks.

—The colored excursion carried 519 passengers on Tuesday.

—Squirrels and doves are now being sought for by Kent gunners.

—The season for touging oysters in Maryland opened on Monday.

—A petition is being circulated to retoin Motor Officer Ray in this section.

—The Eastern Shore Normal School will open Sept. 10, with an enrollment of 110.

—There were 24 applicants for marriage licenses issued here in August against 22 in June.

—Copt. Thomas Ayres caught a hard crab Tuesday which weighed a pound and three quarters.

—The season for shooting doves opened Tuesday and Kent gunners report large numbers shot.

—Thirteen people were killed Thursday when the dirigible "Shenondoah" was wrecked in the storm in Ohio.

—The season is closed in the state on wild deer. Kent has no wild deer. consequently the law means little to Kent gunners.

—It now appears almost certain that Washington and Pittsburg will contest the worlds Baseball championship series in October.

—Mr. J. B. Metcalfe, of Chestertown, broke 132 out of 150 targets at the Rising Sun shoot last week. He also cracked 35 out of 25 pairs.

—Mr. Vernon Barnett has purchased a handsome International Bus to hold fifteen passengers for use on the Chestertown—Tolchester route from the Noland Bennett Russell Co.

—On page 2 will be found a pen picture of historic Gettysburg Battlefield written for this paper. This will be found of interest to many of our readers.

—The report published in the city press that the sale of Mr. Vernon Barnett's bus line to the Eastern Shore Transit Co., had been consummated is unfounded.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. Coleman entertained Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Linstead at a surprise party, given by Mr. Linstead's Sunday School class.

—Mr. John Smith on Wednesday, purchased the Snitcher home farm, near Kibler's Corner, from Mrs. Sallie Busteed, containing 146 acres of land also 32 acres of additional land.

—Mr. John C. Redmile on September 1st, become a partner in the firm of Metcalfe Bros., in the Kennedyville, Still Pond and Black branches.

—Mr. Arlington L. Sparks has a beautiful silver cup on exhibition in his window on High street which was awarded at Dover to the Chestertown Volunteer Fire Company for "The best equipment coming from a distance."

—McCall Rasin, assistant operator at the Western Union Telegraph office of the Pennsylvania railroad station. has been transferred to the Frankford, Del., station, reducing the force here by one man.

—The Chestertown Volunteer Fire Company was called to the farm of John Burchard, of near Church Hill, on Wednesday morning, where a barn was afire. In the building was 1200 bushels of wheat, which was not insured. The adjoining building was saved.

—Patrons of the Fairlee High School appeared before the Kent County Board of Education Tuesday to ask restoration of the high school feature of the school. which was abolished at the close of the past school year.The board took the question under advisement.

CARNIVAL FOR CHESTERTOWN.

Plans Completed For Big Event For Benefit Of Fire Company

Plans have been made for the biggest carnival ever held in Chestertown.

Arrangements were completed on Monday with Mr. Stein to bring a carrousel and whip to Chestertown for the carnival. A Willys Six Sedan will be given awey on the final night of the carnival to the holder of the lucky ticket.

Tuesday, September 29, has been set aside as parade night. On this date, Fire Companies from all over Maryland and Delaware will be here to participate in a big parade of fire equipment. Silver loving cups will be awarded the company coming the longest distance, the company having the best piece of equipment with 15 or more uniformed men in line.

Permission has been given by the Town Commissioners to hold the carival in Chestertown's public square. Here, will be placed the numerous booths.

A music committee is arranging to have good bands to play every night of the carnival.

Winning Slogan Chosen

From the many slogans suggested for the store of Harry F. Jefferson, in the Slogan Contest which ended August 22nd, the following was chosen: "THE STORE WITH A CONSCIENCE"

The name of the winner of the prize $10 in Gold,will be an nounced in Mr. Jefferson's ad which will appear in this paper next week.

Prof. George G. Snyder of the Commerce Department of Washington College was the judge of the contest.

From Europe

Mr. Claude Parks, after a month's visit in Europe, has returned to Chestertown. Mr. Parks visited London, Paris, Berlin and many other European capitals. He tells us the trip was a most enjoyable one. and that he saw many sights well worth seeing. However, he says that he saw nothing compared to what could be seen in the United States and that he was glad to get home.

New Society

Two boys of Quaker Neck have organized what is probably the first Audubon society of Kent county.

Bill Baker and Gilbert Ingersol, for some time interested in birds and appointing themselves President and Secretary, started the club last spring. Encouraged by Miss Hartman and others they had their first monthly meeting Tuesday on the lawn of the Misses Brooks (members of the club now in Europe) where sixteen children and adults gathered.

First, second and third prizes of $1.00, $.75 and $.50 were offered for the best bird houses made by the club members; the winning houses to be given to Quaker Neck School.

Mr. Herbert Hartman surprised the children by producing a freezer of ice cream so they considered their first meeting a truly successful and happy affair.

20th Anniversary

Mr. H. F. Jefferson is celebrating the twentieth anniversary of his commencement of business here with a big sale, and he is offering some rare bargains. As a part of the observance of the same, Mr. Jefferson gave his entire sales force a most enjoyable supper. Mr. Jefferson's store is well known as one of Kent's first class stores and one to be proud of. It has the confidence of the public and we congratulate them upon their anniversary. It is beautifully decorated for the occasion and presents a most attractive appearance with new bright suitsof attractive colors and patterns along with fall flowers of many colors

WEDDINGS

The wedding of Miss Amy Wheat, one of the efficient members of the office force of the local telephone Company, and Mr. Arthur Cooper, of the Kent County Savings Bank staff, were quietly married at Wesley Chapel on Thursday evening by the pastor. The above is one of Chestertown's most popular young couples.



HUNTING TIME SOON

The whirr of the partridge and quail will soon invite you to shoulder gun, with favorite dog, tramp the fields and brushy woods.

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It's the red wagons that's the question of the hour in Chestertown, at least for the small boys of six, as well as for those of sixty. The billboards, barns and dead walls are announcing with all the fluency of pictorial art the coming of the Walter L. Main Show. And already preparations are being made for the one big holiday event of the year, acknowledged to be better than Christmas and the Fourth of July put together—circus day. About the time the milkman is making his rounds on the morning of Monday, Sept. 14,th the first of the two long trains of cars will be coming, slowly pulling into the railroad yards.

Much is promised by Walter L.Main this seasoi. The show has grown and prospered for almost half a century—to be exact 46 years. European agents have sacked the Old World in a quest of novelties. The questions of salary was not considered for the particular novel and hazardous act There are over 100 artists who take part in the big show program. New acts and faces will tend to eradicate the fallacy tha all "shows" are alike Among the features will be the Flying Jordans; the Maxwell Trio, gymnasts; the Forence family of riders; DeLong Sisters, acrobats; Arthur Borella, the highest salaried clown in the word; Tommy asd Betty Waters. dancers on a lofty wire; Ray Glanm in a slide for life down a wire from the topmost point in the tent and scores of other high-class features.

An immense street parade will be seen on the downtown streets at noon in show day. There will be upwards of five bands of music and scores of allegorical tableaus. There will be performances at 2 and 8 p. m. The doors opening an hour earlier. Merchants and others are preparing for one of the largest crowds in town in show day in years.

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