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Tomato Plant Bed

Messrs W. I. and H. F. Robinson. of Sandy Hill farm at the head of Still Pond creek, are preparing to set out 1½ acres in a community plant bed. This bed will be under the auspices of the Extension Service and Mr. Montell, of the Campbell Soup Co., who will assist in disposing of the plants.

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BAKE

There will be a BAKE in the EMMANUEL PARISH BUILDING at 11 a. m. today for the benefit of the Church School.

A PLAY

The PATRONS CLUB of PINEY NECK will give a play entitled,

VEANSTOWN'S CHOIR

at the Piney Neck School House on Monday, April 5, 1926. Admission: Adults 35 cents; Children 25 cents.

BAKE

THE LADIES of ST. JAMES Church will hold a BAKE at Turner's Garage on **WEDNESDAY, APRIL 7, at 11 a.m.**

Chickens, Chicken Salad, Cakes, Pies, Biscuit and Rolls will be for sale.

LEGAL HOLIDAY

Next Friday, April 2, being Good Friday and a legal holiday, The Third National Bank will be closed. Notes maturing on that day may be attended to the day following.

W. R. HUEY, Cashier.

FOR RENT

Two Garages on Lynchburg street near High street. Each garage is separate 8 1-2 feet by 20 feet.

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DELINQUENT TAX-PAYERS

For Year 1925

Are hereby notified that unless the taxes owing for 1925 are paid on or before April 1, 1926 all properties assessed will be advertised and sold to the highest bidders for cash.

This is positively the last notice to the delinquent tax payer.

GEO. W. SUTTON,
m6-4t. Treasurer of Kent Co.

DEATHS

Mrs. Augusta E. Slay, well beloved wife of William M. Slay, Esq., passed away Thursday evening at 9.40 o'clock after a short illness in the 82nd year of her age. Although blind for a number of years, she took an active interest in all social and church activities, being a devoted member of Emmanuel Church, Chestertown and she endeared herself to her many friends by her cheerfulness, unselfishness and interest in all that concerned them. She will be greatly missed.

She was the daughter of the late Richard and Carolene Hynson and she leaves, besides her husband, the following nieces and nephews: Mrs. Mary Henry, R. Hynson Rogers, Esq., Mrs. Carol Stollenworth of New York; Mrs. Wilson and Misses Eugenia, Alice and Mary Hynson, of Wilmington, Del.

Funeral services will take place at her late residence on Maple Ave. on Sunday at 2 p. m. The bearers will be Messrs. W. H. Brown, of Baltimore; Eben F. Perkins, Allan A. Harris, Hon. Lewin W. Wickes, P. A. M. Brooks and R. Hynson Rogers. Interment in Chester cemetery. C. L. Dodd, undertaker.

SOIL ACIDITY TEST CAMPAIGN

The campaign for testing the soil of Kent county for acidity, being held under the auspices of William G. Smyth, secretary of Kent county Farm Bureau; and County Agent, H. B. Derrick, County Agent; is succeeding beyond all anticipation of the promoters.

The 2000 containers, distributed among the school children of the county, have not been sufficient to meet the demand and requests are being sent in for more containers. These containers were collected yesterday and will be collected today and brought to Chestertown today.

The first testing will be done in the laboratories of Washington College by H. B. Derrick, assisted by upperclassmen and the remainder will be sent to the laboratories of the Extension Service at College Park.

BUICK TRIPLE SEALS REDUCE ENGINE WEAR

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The Better Buick offers the best in modern motor car design at a very moderate price. Come in and see "Sealed Chassis," the "Triple Sealed Engine" and the many other superior features of this better motor car. —The N-B-R Motor Co., local dealers Chestertown, Md.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS STATE OF MARYLAND

STATE ROADS COMMISSION

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

SEALED PROPOSALS for building one section of State Highway as, follows:

Kent County, Cont. K-1-A. One section of State Highway between Chestertown and Galena, for a distance of 5.0 miles, (Concrete Shoulders), will be received by the State Commission, at its offices, 601 Garrett Building, Baltimore, Maryland, until 12 M. on the 6th day of April 1926, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read.

Bids must be made upon the blank proposal form which, with specifications and plans will be furnished by the Commission upon application and cash payment of $1.00, as hereafter no charges will be permitted.

No bids will be received unless accompanied by a certified check for the sum of Five Hundred ($500) Dollars, payable to the State Roads Commission.

The successful bidder will be required to give bond, and comply with the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, respecting contracts.

The Commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

BY ORDER of the State Roads Commision this 18th day of March 1926.

JOHN N. MACKALL, Chairman.
L. H. STEUART, Secretary.

FOX HUNT DRAWS HUNDREDS.

Visit of Green Spring Valley Hunt Club to Kent Brings Out Big Throng

The visit of the Green Spring Valley Hunt Club of Baltimore to Kent county last Friday and Saturday resulted in a revival of the sport on a tremendous scale. Hunters from all the surrounding counties gathered here to see the dogs from Baltimore county run and to see the red-coated riders tear over the roads upon their high-spirited horses. And they were not disappointed.

The first day of the hunt was an ideal day. It was spring's first unofficial vist of the year. The sun was bright and piercing and it warm rays were inspiring and helpful. It was, in fact, as has been said before, a winter day shot to the core with April sunshine. If nature had been asked to bequeath to the earth a bounteous gift, it could not have been more generous in its giving. And so, back and forth across the fields went the riders, their brilliant coats flashing and blazing in the sunshine, while the highstrung hounds, themselves catching the spirit of the day, were glorying in its spring like perspective and backing in its warm beauty.

The hounds of the visitors took the field the first day. They are a different type from the hounds bred in Kent. They do not have near the clear and resonant note as do our dogs They do not follow the trail as closely. But they are faster. They drive their quarry instead trailing it. They do not have some of the qualities as do our hounds and possess some others they do not. Whch is the superior is a matter of viewpoint rather than a direct conclusion. Personally, the writer prefers a combination of both,—a fast driving hound, a good trailer and at the same time one with a good note.

The visiting hounds soon raised the quarry. The pack work was good. While it lasted the running was fast and furious. The speedy English Walker hounds drove for the quarry, backed by all the breeding of generations of illustrious sires, while the riders, eager for the sport, risked limb, and almost life, to follow closely and see what their dogs could do.

But the chase did not last long. The elusive fox knew the grounds better than did the hounds. Two or three times through the nearby woods and across the fields, with hounds and hunters in almost a dead heat. Then it was over and the fox had escaped. In vain the hunters endeavored to pick up the trail.

Then nearly all day there after the hunters vainly endeavored to raise another quarry, and toward the end of the day, another fox was raised. Another furious hunt took place and the quarry came close to his death, several Kent riders saving it by breaking the dogs from the trail. Altogether, the first day's hunt could be called a success.

If the first day was beautiful, the second day was ideal. Quaker Neck was again chosen as the hunting grounds, and the biggest pack of dogs in recent years gathered for the hunt. Hunters from far and wide were here There were too many dogs and to many hunters for ideal sport. The result was a hard hunt all day without the quarry being raised.

Taken in its entirely, the visit of the Green Spring Valley Hunt Club was a big success and Kent hunters hope they will make it an annual visit.

EMMANUEL CHURCH NOTICES

PALM SUNDAY—8 A. M., Short Service of Holy Communion.
9.45 A. M., Church School.
11 A. M. Holy Communion, with Sermon appropriate to Palm Sunday, and Blessing and distribution of palm branches.
7.30 P. M. Evening prayer, with address on the proper Christian attitude to earthly possessions. (Sermon on the Mount.)

HOLY WEEK—

WEDNESDAY—7.30 P. M. Penitential Service, with address on "Christian Judgment." Sermon on the Mount.)

MAUNDAY THURSDAY—10 A. M., Holy Communion.
3.45 P. M., Children's Service, with Address on the parable of the 10 Virgins.

GOOD FRIDAY—12 M., three hour Service, with Addresses on the seven sayings of Our Lord while on the Cross.
7.30 P. M. Litany Service, with special sermon to the men of the Church.

EASTER DAY—8 A. M. Short Service of Holy Communion.
10 A. M. Children's Easter Service, with presentation of the Lenten offering, and awarding of Banner to the class giving the largest amount.
11 A. M. Holy Communion with presentation of the Gold offering.
7.30 P. M., Evening Prayer, with short address.

BIG FIRE AT RIVERSIDE FARM

A fire which originated in an automobile in the implement shed, at 10.30 Monday night destroyed the out-buildings of the Riverside farm, near Chestertown.

One of the employees on the farm, Richard Hadges had first put his automobile in the implement shed, when a short circuit set the gasoline on fire, and while attempting to get the car out of the shed, was so badly burned that he is now in Easton hospital.

The fire soon caught to the implement shed, and when the Chestertown Volunteer Fire Company arrived at the scene the shed, a small barn containing 600 bushels of corn, and the fodder shed were enveloped in flames. The fire truck was placed on Riverside wharf and in a short while was pumping through 1000 feet of hose; this quick work on the part of the firemen saved a large stable which was endangered by the intense heat from the burning bildings.

Riverside is one of the most beautiful farms in Kent County with a large water frontage and a handsome old residence. Due to a strong south wind the residence was not endangered, at any time; although the estimated loss of the fire is about $4,000, partly covered by insurance. The loss includes all of the farming implements, 600 bushels of corn and all cow feed, aside from the buildings burned. The live stock was all saved.

ORPHANS' COURT NOTES

Tuesday, March 23, 1926, court met pursuant to adjournment. Present, Hon. Edward A. Scott, Chief Judge, Hons. J. Henry Thompson and W. K. Hudson, Associate Judges.

The children of Fannie Clements, deceased, qualified to Administer upon her estate renounced their rights to Administer and requested that James Merrick, Jr., of Queen Anne's County be appointed Administrator upon eatste of Fannie Clements (otherwise Frances M. Clements.)

Pettion for letters of Administration upon estate, of Frances M. Clements, deceased, filed, examined and approved. Appointment filed, examined and approved. James Merrick, Jr., Administrator of estate of Frances M. Clements, deceased, filed his bond as principal with Fidelity and Deposit Company as sureties, examined and approved, he was then duly qualified. Notice to creditors was ordered published. A. S. Turner and J. Raymond Simpers were named appraisers.

Inventory of Real Estate of Curtis E. Crane, deceased, was filed by Belle M. Crane, Executrix, same examined and approved.

Inventory of personal property of Curtis E. Crane, deceased, was filed by Belle M. Crane, Executrix, same examined and approved.

Court adjourned to meet Tuesday, March 30, 1926.

THE BOBTAILED FOX

In Quaker Neck there resides a fox that was recently caught by hunters who bobbed his tail. This fox offers excellent sport for fox hunters of Kent and is quite a pet in that section. When ever hunters want a little sport they take their hounds to a certain spot, and in about ten minutesthe hunt starts. Reynard then starts his little game of follow the leader, covers a certain territory keeping about half a mile ahead of the hounds, and after a merry chase of about two or three hours, and the hounds are threatening the happy future of friend fox, hunters break the dogs and let him go home and rest up for the next hunt.

ROAD TO BE WIDENED

The State Roads Commission are advertising for bids for the construction of five (5) miles of concrete shoulders on the road between Chestertown and Galena. This construction will start about a mile above Harmony and go toward Galena.

This is among the first stone roads to be built in Kent county, and was built narrow in accordance with the road construction of that time. The ever increasing use of motor vehicles for person and freight transportation has increased beyond estmated proportions of that day and with the constant passing of automobiles it has become necessary to widen these roads. This will be a great addition to that section of Road.

PERSONAL NEWS

Rev. Mr Sheen, formerly rector of St. Paul's Church, was a visitor in the county this week.

Mr. Waters Russell McMenamin. who has been attending the Bliss Electrical School in Washington has returned to Chestertown.

The Camp-Fire Girls were entertained last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Newnam.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Leonard Pennington are visiting friends and relatives in Virginia.

Miss Emily Ford is the guest of Professor and Mrs. Douchkess at Easton, Pa.

Master Robert Barnes entertained a few friends at a moving picture party on Wednesday evening of last week.

Mrs. J. B. McIntire has been quite sick the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Scott Thompson and children visited friends in Wilmington last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pennington, were week-end guests of friends in Wilmington.

Miss Jennie Kirby has returned home after spending several months in New York.

Mrs. William C. Sutton visited her daughter in Baltimore this week.

Mr. J. S. Kreeger visited friends and relatives in North Carolina last week.

Mrs. Karl Mallomet, of Baltimore. has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bacchus.

Miss Sara Wilmer, of Baltimore, spent part of this week with her cousin, Miss Alice Wilmer on Front street.

Miss Minnie Massey has returned from Florida and opened her home on Mapel Ave.

Miss Susan Roberts has returned to Chestertown after spending some time in Washington, D. C.

Mr. Morris Barroll has been in town this week.

Miss Carrie Holliday, of Baltimore, was the week-end guest of Mr. Frank Worrell and family at White House.

Mrs. Thomas Perkins has been sick for the past week.

Mr. Wilbur Ross Hubbard entertained the visiting huntsmen at breakfast on Saturday of last week.

Mrs. Herbert Skipper, of Baltimore, is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Welch.

SYSTEM ADOPTED THAT WILL LOCATE ALL FIRES

Chestertown has been divided into definite fire zones and a code of signals adopted that will designate the location of a fire.

High street and Cross streets will be the dividing streets. The compass points, North, South, East and West have been allotted and numerals 1, 2, 3, and 4 respectively, while each street both north and south, east and west are numbered; hence should a fire occur in the northern part of the town on a street running north and south the first signal of the bell will designate the compass point and after a lapse of five seconds the number of taps of the bell will designate the number of blocks away from the above mentioned streets the fire is.

$0.29 for Health

Figures have a good deal to recommend them.
They don't smile
And they don't frown
They just stand there
And say one thing
And say it hard.
And when you say:
"Oh, is it really as bad as that?"
They don't help you out
With a lot of supplementary facts
That seem to make things look brighter,
They just repeat what they said before.
They may seem cold and unsympathetic
But they don't lie,
You've got to admit that.
In America last year we spent
$10
Per capita for candy.
$9
For education
$3.50
For police and fire protection.
$0.75
For perfumery.
$0.50
For chewing-gum
And for Health
We spent
$0.29.
When we're bragging
About America
Is that anything to cheer about?
It is not!
That is why The Tuberculosis Association
Wants you to buy Christmas Seals and Health Bonds
So it can go ahead with its public health work
And teach our people
Not to be parsimonious with the dollars
When it comes to saving lives.
Chewing gum is useful.
But it's not twice as useful
As health.

M. E. CONFERENCE IN SESSION

Annual Session Convened in Dover, Del., on Wednesday.

The Wilmington Methodist Episcopal Annual Conference opened in Dover Wednesday morning with Bishop W. F. McDowell presiding.

The reports of all four of the district superintendents were presented. They showed membership gains in each district, as well as increased finances, both as to benevolences and ministers' salaries.

Revivals throughout the bounds of the conference were reported in nearly every church. The character of each district superintendent and minister of the conference was called and passed.

After the reading of the report of District Superintendent E. H. Dashiell and the question being asked by Bishop McDowell whether there were any complaints against any of the ministers in his district, he stated that he would present informal charges in the case of the Rev. H. P. Truitt, of Ocean City, Md., it being ascertained that Mr. Truitt desires that such action should be taken for his own satisfaction.

No nature of the charges was given out by the district superintendent. The case was referred to a select committee of seven including the Revs. Wise, B. F. Beuchamp, E. J. Sard. T. R. Vandyke, J. A. Leach, J. J. Bunting and V. Scolling. The committee will likely take the matter up at an early date.

Bishop McDowell, after opening, expressed his great appreciation at being back as the presiding officer of the conference, he having been assigned elsewhere last year.

Memorial services for deceased ministers and their wives closed the business session of the conference.

Bishop McDowell announced the transfer of Dr. Hubbard to the New York Conference. He called the departng pastor to the front of the church, and the two clasped hands. "We regret to lose you," Bishop McDowell said, "and if you ever want to return, just come ahead."

The sessions will continue until Tuesday next when the appointments will be read.

4-H CALF CLUB BANQUET

Fourth Annual Affair Held Last Evening---Interesting Talks by Boys and Visitors

The 4-H Calf Club held their fourth annual banquet last evening in the auditorium of the Chestertown High school. Covers were set for 66 and a general good time was had by all.

After a delightful menu of Fruit Cocktail, Celery, Biscuit, Turkey Hominy, Dressing, Gravy, Cole Slaw, Peas Pickles, Jelly, Rolls, Chicken Salad, Ice Cream, Cake, Mints, Coffee, and Cocoa; served by the Ladies of St. James C. E. Society, the following program was rendered:

Toastmaster, Stanley B. Sutton; Showing My Calf at State Fair, by Albert Nicholson; The 1925 Kent Judging Team by Walter T. Morris; Club Travels During 1925 by Stanley B. Sutton; Song; The Grange And Club Work by Edgar R. Pennington; Farm Bureau and Club Work by Wm. G. Smyth; Future Calf Club Work In Kent by, Horace B. Derrick; Song; State Bankers Ass'n and Club Work, by Senator W. B. Copper; What Club Work means to a County, Dr. F. B. Bomberger; 4-H Club Spirit, by E. G. Jenkins; Radio Concert, A. L. Sterling.

Ten Reasons For Club Work

1. Club work enlarges the vision of the boy. 2. It stimulates his interest in rural life. 3. It enables him to make some money for himself. 4. It furnishes recreation and amusement at regular intervals. 5. It trains the boy to keep farm records. 6. It encourages modern methods in farming. 7. It emphasizes the dignity of farm work well done. 8. It reaches the young boy and directs his thoughts and efforts in proper channels. 9. It stresses the importance of organization and co-operation. 10. And it assists in building the four ships; Ownership, Partnership, Leadership and Citizenship.

Franklin's Idea Retained

Of course you've heard the story about Benjamin Franklin munching a loaf of bread on the streets of Philadelphia, but do you know that that immortal character started a munching custom at the Pennsylvania hospital that has continued down to the present day and promises to last as long as the institution? In the early days of its existence the hospital had quite a struggle to get along. Franklin, always interested in its welfare, happened in one day and was told, among other things, that the young doctors were getting scarcely enough to eat. Touched by the tale, Franklin immediately visited a store and brought back a huge bag of ginger cookies. From that day to this a supply of ginger cookies has been on hand for the internes to munch between meals. They are kept in tin boxes, readily accessible to internes on night duty or others who are just naturally hungry most of the time.—Philadelphia Record.

Cleaning Ornaments

Bronzes and gilt ornaments can be cleaned only by brushing carefully with fine quality, small paint brushes. When too dull and shabby they must be done over by a professional. When the cheaper quality of gilt frames get shabby, take enough flour of sulphur to give a golden tinge to a pint and a half of water and add four bruised onions. Boil 20 minutes, then strain and cool. [illegible] from the frame, and with [illegible] brush paint it over with the liquid, then set aside to dry. When dry it will look almost like new. The more expensive big frames must be regilded by a professional when very shabby, though they may be touched up once or more times with this liquid, which will help their appearance.

Spelling Lesson

Once upon a time there was a stubborn student who refused to learn to spell.

But always the teacher pleaded with the student and often said:

"You will suffer some great inconvenience, if not actual tragedy, some time, by reason of this refusal of yours to study orthography!"

Yet still the student was obdurate, and said "blah."

One day, after the obdurate student had grown to manhood, he poisoned himself eating oysters in "Orgust."

And when the teacher, who had now grown old and toothless teaching orthography, heard this, she said:

"Uh huh! I told him so."

FIRE NEAR ROCK HALL

TWO HOMES AND STORE DESTROYED. ONE HOME SAVED

A fire which started about 3.15 Sunday morning in the store owned by Mr. B. F. Sewell and run by Mr. Roe, destroyed the store and two neighboring homes before it could be checked. The stock of goods in the store was owned by Mr. Max Alexander.

These buldings were located on the East Neck road about 1-4 mile from Leary's Mill. The store and the home of Mr. B. F. Sewell were beyond saving when the fire was descovered, and with no fire protection, these buildings and the home of Mr. Thomas Elburn, owned by Mr. Romie Fogwell, was practically destroyed and the roof of the home of Mr. Thomas Maslin was on fire when the Chestertown Volunteer Fire Company arrived on the scene. By quick work of the fire company the home of Mr. Masin was saved, but the other buildings were totally destroyed with practically all of the house hold furniture.

Never Brought Under Sway of Civilization

The fact that only five names figure upon the map of Lake Edward, in East Africa—isolated specks in the white blank of the unknown, testifies to its remoteness and evil reputation. The name of the country is Changu, in which the natives of Bankola are farfamed as cannibals. The "Ba-Changu" file their teeth to a point. They are all on evil terms with their neighbors. Large tracts of country have been wholly depopulated by raids of cannibal peoples from the northwest Dark forest game tracks. Off the beaten track only a compass can save one.

For over ten years the plains on the eastern and southern shores of Lake Edward have been closed and deserted by reason of sleeping sickness and the tsetse fly.

In the plains are the little pools of Kikurai, unmarked on any map, with its islands of floating papyrus.—Detroit News.

Uh: That fellow a writer? Historian isn't he
Huh: Well he still writes jokes about the Prince of Wales.

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