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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.

BALED HAY

Fine lot of Cecil Co., MIXED and STRAIGHT CLOVER. Ful-O-Pep and Larro Chick Feeds
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Have car of OHIO WHITE OATS, have been tested. Give us a call FUL-O-PEP and LARRO CHICK FEEDS
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6 H. P. Lathrop Marine Engine Propeller, Carburetor, Coil, and Muffler. Recently overhauled and in good shape.
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FOR SALE

One fifty horse-power International Tractor in good condition. Price reasonable.
J. B. TAYLOR,
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CANDIDATE FOR
TOWN COMMISSIONER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Town Commission subject to the votes of the Taxpayers at the annual election to be held on Monday April 26, 1926. I ask the support of all taxpayers, and if elected I pledge my self to work to their interest.
J. W. KIRBY

—CANDIDATE FOR—
TOWN COMMISSIONER.

Assuring the public of my interest in every movement that will help our community in any way and believing that better streets and sidewalks add to the value of every home and business and promising you that if elected I will use every effort to continue these needed improvements, I hereby submit my name for your consideration as a candidate for Town Commissioner at the electon to be held April 26th, 1926.
CHAS. N. SATTERFIELD.

TO ELECT NEW BOARD MEMBERS

JUNE 1 DATE SET FOR FILLING VACANCIES ON BOARD OF VISITORS AND GOVERNORS

Thomas D. Bowers, president of the Alumni Association of Washington College. has appointed an advisory committee from each of the four districts in which vacancies on the board of visitors and governors of the college will occur June 1, to act in conjunction with the executive committee of the association to arrange the details of an election. The advisory committee is composed of Mark E. Flounders and James M. Holden, of Cecil county; Dr. G. E. Meekins and A. Stengle Marine, Dorchester; F Stanley Porter and John H. Hessey. Baltimore; the Rev. J. Wilson Sutton. D. D., and Henry W. Catlin, New York. These men will confer with the president of the association, Dr. H. V. Holloway. Dover; Dean J. S. William Jones, Chestertown; A. E. Howard, Wilmington, and A. Claude Griffin, Baltimore. constituting the executive committee, at a meeting to be held at the college on April 17.

The joint committee will select names of prominent alumni residing in the four districts where the vacancies will occur, which will be on ballots sent to the 1,200 alumni to permit them to vote for one candidate from each district for the board of vsitors and governors, as representatives of the alumni association on the board.

SGHEDULE COMPLETE

NINETEEN GAMES .BOOKED .FOR LOCAL COLLEGIANS THIS SEASON

The following baseball schedule has been completed by Graduate Manager Howell, of Washngton College, the season opening on April 9 with Blue Ridge College:

April 9, Blue Ridge at Home.
April 17, Colonton Club, at Home.
April 22, Maryland, Away.
April 23, Mt. St. Mary's, Away.
April 24, City College vs. Jr. Varsity, at Home.
April 30, Loyola, at Home.
May 5, P. M. C. (Pending) Away.
May 8, Mt. St. Mary's, at Home.
May 10, Georgetown, Away.
May 11 Marinees, Away.
May 12, Loyola, Away.
May 15 Maryland, at Home.
May 18, Salisbury, Away.
May 19, Easton, Away.
May 22, Dover (pending), Away.
May 24, Easton, at Home.
May 29, Blue Ridge, Away.
May 31 Western Maryland, at Home.
June 12 Alumni, at Home.

Of special interest to fans is the announcement that the University of Maryland will play in Chestertown on May 15. This will be Maryland's first appearance here for some years.

FOR SALE

Fifty White Leghorns Pullets one year old. Price reasonable.
Phone 816-F-11. J. W. BROWN,
a3-tf. Chestertown R. D. No.3

MUSICAL!

WILLIAM SMITH HALL
WASHINGTON COLLEGE
Under Direction of
LOUISE B. RUSSELL
ON FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 9th
At 8.15 o'clock
Admission 50c. No reserved seats.

ELECTION OF
TOWN COMMISSIONER.

Notice is hereby given, that an election will be held at the Court House, i nChestertown, Md., on

Monday, April 26th, 1926

for the purpose of electing one person to serve as Commissioner of Chestertown for three years in the place of C. N. Satterfield, whose term expires May 1st, 1926. Polls open from 9 a. m., to 6 p. m.

By order of the Board of Commissioners for Chestertown.
a4-tf. JAMES W. CROUCH, Clerk.

Live Stock, Implements

In connection with my McCormick-Deering Implement line, I
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Will pay the highest cash prices for all kinds of live stock and Poultry.
Telephones { Shop--Still Pond 17. Residence--Still Pond 5.
C. A. JEWELL
Still Pond, Maryland

SERVICE PLUS!

By W. Russell Wheatley, formerly of Chestertown, Md.

(This exceptional poem appeared in a recent issue of the Kitchener (Canada) "Daily Record," and will be of interest to our readers.

You may talk about your hunters trampin' thru the great north woods;
No tenderfeet, but hard-boiled;—I'll admit they're got the goods;
But this old trail I've followed 'bout nigh on to forty years
Makes me laugh to think of moose hunts; and of grizzlies I've no fears.
It's a game that's full of hardships, with a thrill for every breath,
And it's many a time, I'll tell you, I've been staring' straight at Death.
I an't exaggeration' and it ain't my horn I'm tootin',
But instead of deer and moose and bear—well, just try trouble shootin'.

When the blizzard's blasts are blowin', and it's ten or more below;
And the ground has disappeared beneath the piles and piles of snow;
And the stingin' sleet comes flyin' as it bores right in your skin;
And the shriekin' gale besets you;—Then you're ready to give in.
Put your work ain't even started, and there's no such thing as quit,
For a lineman's got a man sized job: he's got to show his grit.
He may do a little beefin' and a little cussin' too.
But he'll work and fight all day and night, and see the whole thing thru.

P'raps the poles are down in dozens, and the wires a tangled maze,
And you know the job of cleanin' up means sufferin' many days;
P'raps your hands and feet are frozen and your brain won't even work,
And the whole gang's cold and hungry;—but there ain't a man would shirk,
For they're all real trouble shooters, on the ground or up above;
And they glory in their battles; it's a game, by gosh, they love!
They'll go ploddin' thru these hardships, altho Death may ever stalk,
And—What's that? Why do they do it? Well—It's just so folks can talk!

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KENT COUNTY HORSEMEN INTERESTED.

Preparations at Sudlersville For Opening of Season Have Attention of Local People.

Kent horsemen are interested in the opening of the racing season at Sudlers ville on—Saturday, May 22, one week in advance of the big Decoration Day races to be held at Harrington, Del. Weather during the past month has been so unfavorable to workouts that but few of the trainers now located at the track have ventured limbering up their trotters and pacers.

With the arrival of John Mallilieu, the well-known Elmsmere, Del., trainer, with a string of promising record racers and green horses, and also of J. Phippo, from Ward, Pa., last week. things began to show increased activity and during the warm days of the past week several short workouts were held

The Delaware and Pennsylvania trainers brought a string of seven horses with them, which will be increased during the week by several more, which will be put through a course of training preparatory to the opening of the racing season on the Delmarvia Fair Circuit, which starts the latter part of July at Harrington.

The Sudlersville track is at present the only training grounds north of Cambridge on the Eastern Shore. Kent county in years past was noted for its long list of trotters and pacers, and today there is but one horse in the entire county which will be trained during the coming spring for the summer and fall race campaigns, and she is the property of Capt. William C. A. Thompson, of Chestertown. She is Edna Hal, 2.16¼, which went well on the Maryland-Virginia fair tracks before going lame last year, but it is said that she is training sound this spring and will be heard from during the summer.

The big Decoration Day matinee at Harrington will draw hundreds of race fans from Kent and adjoining counties, and the cream of race horses from Wilmington to Cape Charles will be tested out in the races in order to determine their value as summer racers.

STUDENT COUNCIL AT THE COLLEGE

STUDENT GOVERNING BODY PROVES SUCCESS AND ADDS MUCH TO DEVELOPMENT OF COLLEGE MEN

At a time when universities and large colleges throughout the country have concluded that the student government organization and the honor system have fallen down and proven a comparative failure it is a matter of interest to observe that Washington College has not only successfully maintained these innovations in modern collegiate training but that each successive year proves the efficacy of both systems as practised at the Chestertown institution. The secret of this workability of both student government and honor systems, say college officials, is that, unlike the arrangement in most other schools, the two ideas are combined under one system of supervision—that of the student council, the mandate of which body is subject only to faculty review. Put into plainer words ,the honor system strives to prevent classroom cheating by putting the student on his honor. The student government has supervision over all student activities. In Washington College the student council also tries all cases arising under the honor system and metes out just punishment in the event guilt is discovered. The conduct of the honor system under the student council's supervision has thus been eminently successful at Washington whereas in many schools, which manage the honor system under faculty supervision alone, it has not worked. In a recent case of a student's under suspicion by a teacher for "cribbing" the student council found no sign of guilt and rendered its decision accordingly. In other cases the council may find a student guilty of classroom dishonor when the teacher is of the contrary opinion. All cases are reviewed finally by the faculty and a faculty advisor sits in all trial sessions of the council. However, he has no vote in the decision of the council.

Though Washington is an Eastern Shore college the roster of students is cosmopolitan and is not by any means confined to the Delmarva Peninsula or to Maryland, as regards their dwelling places. They come from the Carolinas, from Ohio, from Illinois, from New York, from New Jersey, Connecticut, Delaware, Pennsylvania, Virginia and West Virginia as well, of course, as from various counties of Maryland. Thus the incoming student gets a broad point of view from contact with many men and women of many minds from many sections of the country. For a supposedly State college Washingon is unusually cosmopolitan in this respect.

At the same time the school has a wide religious appeal. Jews, Catholics and nearly all of the Protestant denominations are represented among the student body.

Thus the Chestertown college presents, authorities declare, a picture of what a small college ought to be—free of bigotry, widespread in its influence and contacts and governed in its everyday life by a remarkable cooperative spirit between students and faculty.

L. HARRIS CREWE IN CRITICAL CONDITION

Mr. L. Harris Crewe, a prominent hotel man and highly esteemed citizen of Betterton, this county, was found in a dying condition in his room in a Philadelphia hotel on Wednesday of this week. After writing a letter to his friend, Mr. William H. Krusen, of Redding. Pa., telling him that by the time the letter reached him, Mr. Krusen, that he, Mr. Crewe would be dead. The letter gave the name of the hotel and number of the room.

Mr. Krusen. upon receipt of the letter went immediately to the hotel named and found Mr. Crewe in a dying condition with two bullets in his head. He was rushed to the Jefferson hospital in Philadelphia where but little hope was entertained by the physician for his recovery. Mr. Crewe had a severe attack of the flue this winter which left him in a very nervous condition and it is thought by his friends that it so preyed on his mind as to render him temporarily unaccountable for his act. Latest reports are that Mr. Crewe is somewhat better.

PREDICT LARGE CROP.

KENT FRUIT GROWERS BELIEVE LATE SPRING BENEFIT TO THEM

Kent fruit growers look for an abundant crop if the late spring continues for a week or two longer.

The buds have begun to swell just enough to indicate a strong, healthy bloom, and it is believed the present cool weather is preventing them from developing too rapidly.

This is true particularly of apples, which have come to be the principal fruit cultivated in Kent county. although there are a few growers who raise peaches, notwithstanding the continued ravages of the yellows and scale.

Benjamin F. Rash and Walter B. Harris, growers in Worton and Betterton sections of the county, and O. B. Burrell, near Galena, who has eighty-two acres of apples n cultivation, are hopeful of a large and profitable crop, while Mrs. Evelyn S. Harris, grower of Bartlett and other varieties of pears in the county, believes there will be a profitable crop of this kind of fruit.

A number of farmers in different sections of the county have planted peach orchards, and they are proceeding on the theory that if the peach can be grown successfully in Delaware under modern methods of cultivation and treatment for the prevention of the yellows it can be done in Kent county.

FARMING IN MARYLAND

LATEST REPORT SHOWS MORE OWNERS OPERATING FARMS

According to a report of the 1925 farm census for the state of Maryland, issued yesterday by the Department of Commerce Washington, D. C., there were 3,000 more owners operating farms now than in 1920. While the population on farms shows a decrease probably due to increased cost of labor; there are 1000 fewer farms showing mortage debt than in 1920, and the aggregate mortgage debt is less.

There are fewer sheep raised, more chickens, more milk sold, more eggs sold; less money spent for feed, fertilizer and labor. The value of farm implements is less, although the value of tractors on farms shows an increase of 300 per cent.

The value of farm products sold cooperatively shows an increase of 200 per cent.; while the value of supplies purchased cooperatively shows an increase of 350 per cent.

The following facts about roads in the state are interesting. Number of farms in State 49,001; Farms located on Concrete or brick road 3,681; on Macadam road 6,353; on Gravel road 4,254; on Improved dirt road 6,162; on unimproved dirt road 26,741.

All other and not rported 1,810.

DEATHS

Arthur Clifton, died at his home in Rock Hall early Wednesday morning. He was about 68 years of age. He is survived by one son, Arthur. The funeral will be held Friday, conducted by Rev. W. H. Revelle. Interment in Wesley Chapel cemetery. C. L. Dodd, undertaker.

Elizabeth Jean, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Clark, died at the home of its parents at Rock Hall, Sunday evening at 7 o'clock after only one day's illness, aged one year and eight months Funeral services were conducted at the home Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock by the Rev. C. L. Dawson, pastor of Wesley Chapel, the invocation being made by Rev. W. H. Rvelle, of the M. E. Church. The bearers were Randolph Burgess, Simms Jacquette, Clyde and John Maslin. Interment in Wesley Chapel cemetery. Thos. H. Casey, undertaker.

Mrs Mullin, the wife of John Mullin, Galena, who has been ill with pneumonia for a week, died Monday afternoon, March 29th. Funeral services Wednesday morning at the R. C. Church, burial in Catholic cemetery at Lambson.

WILMINGTON CONFERENCE

MANY INTERESTING CHANGES MADE IN THIS DISTRICT—DR. W.F. CORKRAN COMES TO CHESTERTOWN — MR. SARD GOES TO CRISFIELD

The Annual session of the Wilmington M. E. Conference, held at Dover, Delaware, adjourned on Monday. The appointments were read on Monday night. Mr. T. J. Sard, pastor at Chestertown for three years, was assigned to Crisfield. Dr. W. F. Corkran will succeed Mr. Sard as pastor here and will fill the pulpet tomorrow, Sunday. The appointments will be found on page six.

DEL-MAR-VA ASSOCIATION PROGRESSING

WORK OF DEVELOPING PENINSULA GOING THROUGH PRELIMINARY STEPS

While the canvasing work in all of the fourteen counties of this peninsula has not been completed, the Association has felt sufficiently encouraged to start the preliminary steps in this great developing project.

Experts have been employed in for the research and other departments and preparatory steps are being taken to tell the story of Del-Mar-Va Penninsula to the world. An example of the important work before the research department was brought out recently when a famous magazine writer stopped in Salisbury and asked for facts about the peninsula. Rather than give in accurate and incomplete information, and following the policy of the association to have everything ready before going ahead, this offer of free national advertising was declined and it was requested that the article be held over for a future date.

This is but one example of the recognition that the association is receiving through out the country with out as yet any definite plan of publicity mapped out.

The appointmets of chairmen and officers of the various departments have been will distributed throughout the counties of Delaware, Maryland and Virginia so that each section can be assured of its share of the profits.

UNIFORM TRAFFIC LAWS

SYSTEMATIC GOVERNING OF SAME WOULD BE TRAFFIC WOULD BE BIG BENEFIT TO THE PUBLIC

The adoption of a nationwide traffic code by members of the National Conference on Street and Highway Safety at the organization's meeting in Washington yesterday, is the beginning of a movement that in time will be of inestimable benefit to the American people. It is not the purpose of the Conference to urge the Federal Congress to take any action at this time; but it is its purpose for the delegates to return to their homes and endeavor to have their municipal and State authorities adopt laws embracing the traffic code which they have formulated.

The need of a universal code goes without saying. The experience of the railroads in America 30 or 40 years ago exemplifies the need of concerted action. It will be recalled that many years ago some of the railroads used what was known as a narrow gauge track while others used a wider gauge. The result was that cars belonging to one group of roads could not travel the tracks of the other group. This meant confusion, so the present-day standard gauge was adopted by all the railroads; and today a freight car on a track at Key West, Florida, can travel the track of a railroad in the State of Washington, or in Canada, for that matter.

Motor traffic problems in America are the same in every city and State; and the only difference the motorist finds is in the methods of regulating traffic. Signals are different, the regulations regarding the use of thoroughfares are different; and the handling of parking problems is different. The code which the Conference in Washington has adopted seeks to standardize these regulations so that when a motorist from Los Angeles travels to Wilmington, for example, he will have no more difficulty in obeying the traffic rules in the Maryland city than he would in his California home.

MARYLAND TEAM TO GO T EUROPE

H. B. DERRICK AND STANLEY SUTTON TO MAKE TRIP ON JUNE 18

The Maryland Cattle Judging team composed of Stanley Sutton, of Kent; Arthur Durrigan, of Harford; and Clarence Walker, of Montgomery, will represent the United States at the Royal Live Stock Show to be held near London, England in July. This team won this distinction by comng out first in the National Dairy Show judging contest last year and Maryland should be proud of these young men.

H. B. Derrick Appointed Coach

Mr. H. B. Derrick, county agent for Kent County, received official notice this week that he has been appointed coach for the team and will make the trip The team will sail on the S. S. Pittsburg on June 18, for England where much time will be spent in learning the English method of judging cattle. Trips will be made to the Isle of Guernsey, Isle of Jersey, Scotland and points of interest on the continent.

The Maryland team will compete with the English team for a gold cup, donated by the Londan Daily mail, which will be donated to the winner.

CHURCH NOTES

Chestertown M. E. Church

Dr. W. F. Corkran will preach the Easter Sermon at 11 a. m. Evening service at 7.30.

I. U. Church

Service at I. U. Easter Sunday morning at which time the congregation of St. Johns-By-The Bay will worship at I. U. It is hoped that every communicant of the parish will be present.

Rev. S. L. Hanby, Pastor. Sunday
Re. S. L. Hanby, Pastor. Sunday School at 10 a. m., Walter Barnes, Supt.; preaching at 11 a. m., by the pastor, subject, "The Facts of Christ Resurrection Established;" Junior League at the regular hour, Mrs. Bramble, Supt.; Epworth League at 7.30, subject, The Power of an endless Life," President the Leader. Easter services.

Union M. E. Church, Worton

Sunday School at 2 p. m., B. F. Rash, Supt. An Easter Programe has been arranged, every one welcome.

The regular monthly meeting of the Emmanuel Branch of the Woman's Auxchary will be postponed until Monday afternoon, April 12th, at 3 o'clock, in the parish house.

The By-Kota Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Margaret Dukes on Monday evening, April 5, to be entertained by Mrs. Dukes, Mrs. Margaret Cooper and Mrs. Catherine Ward.

Dr. P. K. Vanderkom will preach at Georgetown Presbyterian Church April 11 at 10.30 o'clock also at Grace Presbyterian Church Kennedyville April 11 at 2.30 o'clock. all are invited. Dr. Vanderkom is from Branchville, N. J.

Rev. Samuel Borden Smith, of Trappe, Md., will hold service and Administer Holy Communion at St. Paul's Church Easter Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Shrewsbury Parish Church, Knnedyvill

Easter service, 11.15 a. m.. Holy Communion and sermon. The Easter congregational meeting will be held on Monday, April 5, at 3 p. m. R. W. Lewis, Rector.

St. James and Lynch M. P. Churches

Than Easter day. no day more sacred in all the religious calendar. to the Christian in remembrance of the Lord's resurrection. Let us remember this day to keep it sacred in our temples of worship. To this end St. James invites you to its services. Sabbath School at 10 a. m. and the Easter service at 11; and Lynch to its Sabbath School at 2.15 p. m.; preaching at 3 p. m. The St. James School will have special exercises at 10 a. m. and the pastor's theme will be "Our Risen Lord." L. C. Randall. pastor.

Christ M. P. Church, Chestertown

N. O. Gibson, minister. Sunday, April 4th. Divine Worship and Easter sermon at 11 a. m., special Easter anthems by the choir. Reception of members. Sunday School at 2.30 p. m.; Junior C. E. at 6 o'clock; Missionary Anniversary at 7.30; Wednesday prayer and Bible study at 7.30.

Bond M. E. Church

Rev. J. I. Barret. pastor. Sunday School at 10 a. m. followed by Easter service and worship at 11, sermon by pastor. Epworth League service at 7.30; the Church Aid will hold a social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Shinn on Wednesday evening.

Mowbray M. E. Church

Rev. J. I. Barret. pastor. Sunday School at 2.30; Easter service and worship at 7.30, sermon by the pastor. A social will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Walbert on Tuesday evening.

Kennedyville M. P. Church

Sunday, April 4. 9.45 Easter sermon by pastor; 7.30 C. E., topic, "Thoughts suggested by Easter; Consecration meeting. led by Mr. H. C. Stanley, sermon by pastor; special music at both morning and evening services. All invited. Don't forget your Easter Envelopes.

MASSEY ITEMS

Mr. Gove Everett, of Wilmington, spent one day this week with his son, Mr. Dudley Everett.

Mrs. James Lecates, of Chestertown, spent Sunday with her cousin, Mrs. Wm. Palmatory.

Miss Margaret Everett has been spending some time with her aunt in Wilmington.

Mrs. Charles Baker is spending some time with her sister in Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Cole, of Templeville visited at the home of their daughter Mrs. Wm. Palmatory.

Mrs. Alfred Blyman and little daughter have returned to their home.

Ther will be services in St. Clements Church Sunday morning at ten thirty.

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