PERSONALS

Mrs. E. B. Tarbutton and daughter, of Baltimore, are spending several weeks with Mr. Jeff Davis, of near Millington.

Mrs. William Frazier Russell, Jr., and children, who have been on a visit to the home folks at Birmingham, Alabama, returned home Tuesday.

Congressman T. Alan Goldsborough, candidate for renomination on the Democratic ticket, was a welcome caller at The Transcript office this week.

Prof. and Mrs. George Harrington and son, a former teacher at Washington College. are visiting friends in town.

The Men's Bible Class of the M. E. Church entertained the By-Kota Club of the M. E. Church at a picnic at Mr. Page Gale's shore on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Dukes spent the week end at Rehobath, Del.

Miss Cora McWhorter and Miss Frances Alice Clements spent a few days last week at Crisfield the guests of Miss Audrey Sard.

Mrs. H. C. D. Wilkison and son, Prof. John W. Wilkison, of Baltimore, are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Barnes.

Mrs. George Maurice Morris, of Washington, D. C., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hubbard.

Prof. C. M. Wingate, of Henderson Md, was a week end visitor in town.

Mr. Harry Kershaw, of New York City, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Strong on Riverside Terrace.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schreiber and family motored to Rehoboth last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Kratzer and family have returned from a motor tour of New York and Vermont.

Mrs. A. S. Crawford, of Kennedyville, has been visiting Mrs. H. B. Nicholson the past week.

Misses Minnie and Hettie Hicks are the parents of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wiliam T. Hicks.

Mrs. Clarence Wise and daughter, Catherine, of Norfolk, Va., are guests of the former's mother, Mrs. T. B. Elliott.

Mrs. Jess Smith and son, of Annapolis, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earle A. Barnes.

Mrs. Mollie Tarbutton, of Crumpton, is the guest of Mrs. John E. Barnes.

Mr. Harry Schrieber spent a few days last week visiting friends in Crisfield.

James Chapman has returned from Camp Red Cloud, Pa., when he has been an instructor.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Brown, the former being the new Washington College football coach, have arrived in town.

Mrs. Thomas W. Perkins and daughter, Miss Anna, have returned from a tour of Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Carter, Sr., are home again after a visit to Baltimore and Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ogier, of Baltimore, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Jewell.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Carter, of Baltimore, were week end guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Carter Sr.

Miss Catherine Wright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wright, entered Easton hospital this week to qualify as a trained nurse.

Miss Helen Simpers has been spending the past ten days days at Ocean City, Md., and Washington, D. C.

Prof. and Mrs. Mark Creasy returned to Chestertown Wednesday after spending the summer months with relatives at Bloomsburg, Pa.

Mr. Phillip Nuttle, of Denton, visited friends here over the week-end.

S. Scott Beck, Jr., has returned home after spending the summer months at a boy's camp in Pennsylvania.

Mrs. W. R. Strong and daughters, Betty and Katherine, have returned from a visit with Mrs. Strong's parents in New York.

Mr. Alvin Brown, of Rehoboth, spent the week end here with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Cooper, of Chester, Penna., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. E Newsome.

Miss Annie Joiner, of Wilmington was the week end guest of Mrs. Alvin Brown.

Mrs. William R. Pippin left last Friday for a visit in Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va.

Miss Cora Moffett, of Baltimore, has been visiting her father the past week.

Prof. Gilbert Byron, of Baltimore was in town this week, Prof. Byron will teach in the Lewes, Del., high school this year.

Mr. and Mrs. George Snyder are visiting relatives and friends in Pennsylvania.

Little Miss BettyBrowne is visiting her aunts, the Misses Martha and Elizabeth Trew, here.

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'A Family Affair'

The "telephone family" is truly what the name implies, since there are many family groups employed in this great service utility.

Sisters in the telephone company are more numerous simply because there are more girls employed, but the cases of fathers and sons or brothers are well represented in many of the offices throughout the country.

In the beginning there were four men engaged in the telephone business. They were Alexander Graham Bell, the inventor; Thomas A. Watson, the first telephone engineer; Gardiner G. Hubbard, lawyer and business manager, and Thomas Sanders, business man and the financier of the enterprise. From this small nucleus of telephone workers, in fifty years, the Bell System employees have grown into a great army. A census of Bell System employees, not including Western Electric employees, taken in December, 1925, showed that there were then 293,480 persons employed in the System.

Notwithstanding the rapid growth of the System, requiring the services of many new employees, the average length of service of all employees was nearly five years; more than 25 per cent. of the male employees have been with the company more than ten years, and about 43½ per cent. have served the Bell System more than five years.

But the average length of service does not seem any time at all to the 283 telephone veterans, still active, who were in the Bell Telephone service away back in 1885 when the Boston-New York telephone line was the greatest achievement in long distance transmission. They are the survivors of some 5700 employees who were employed at that time.

Ranking next in length of service were 1776 employees who had served the Bell System for thirty years or more, who have seen the System grow from approximately 300,000 telephones to more than 12,000,000 Bell-owned telephones. Another group of telephone employees in point of length of service is comprised of 9652 individuals who have twenty-one or more years of service to their credit. All are classed as pioneers and are eligible for membership in the Pioneers of America, a Bell System organization, national in scope, with local chapters, designed to preserve the traditions of the Bell System's founders and to inspire loyalty and devotion in the public service.

The fact that there are now 100,000 more employees on the Bell System payrolls than there were seven years ago is indicative of the growth of the System to meet the constantly increasing requirements of the public service.



Lillian, Annabelle and Evelyn Slater Baltimore operators.
Bottom: Margaret, Frances and Mary Pendergrast, Grafton, W. Va., operators

STICK TO POSTS AMID DANGER OF FALLING SHELLS

When the naval ammunition depot at Lake Denmark, N. J., exploded in July, there were many acts of heroism and devotion to duty recorded but few are more noteworthy than that of the six telephone girls at Rockaway who stuck to their switchboards under extremely dangerous conditions for thirty-six hours, at the risk of their lives.

Rockaway was one of the heaviest hit towns in the stricken area and is one of the centers of telephone communication. The operators were warned to leave the building, but so many and so important were the calls for help, for doctors, for ambulances, as well as those seeking information, that not only did the three girls who were on duty at the time remain there but three others, realizing the seriousness of the crisis, volunteered their services.

It was nearly thirty-six hours later before relief could be sent to the six girls, but during all that period they remained constantly on duty, stopping long enough to get a bite to eat now and then. The six girls were: Mrs. Johanna Doyle, Miss Adeline Leonard, Miss Evelyn Bowe, Miss Harriet Fox, Miss Mary Richards and Miss Mary Bowe, the latter, who came all the way from Lake Hopatcong, to give what help she could.

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HE AGREED WITH THE JURY

A slightly deaf old man who had been making whisky all his life was finally picked up and arraigned under the drastic Colorado still possession law. The jury, without leaving the box, returned a verdict of guilty.

"Old man," said his lawyer, "the jury says you are guilty."

"Hay?"

"The jury says you are guilty," he repeated loudly in his ear.

"In what degree?"

"There is no degree in a still case."

"Guilty all over, then?"

"Yes."

"Hay?"

"Yes," shouted the lawyer.

"Well that's what I told you in the first place, but you said you could clear me. Wish now I'd got that judge to defend me. Get him next time."—

NOTICE TO ELECTION OFFICIALS

The Supervisors for Kent County will meet at the Court House in Chestertown, each Tuesday from 9 to 12 in order for the officials to swear in. All Registers, Judges and Clerks who have not sworn in please be present. By order

SUPERVISORS OF ELECTIONS
FOR KENT COUNTY.

Farmers, List Your Repair Needs

It would be hard to find a farmer who at some time or another had not lost valuable time waiting for necessary repair parts. Take this territory and total up the time lost in this way and it will astonish you. And all because repairs are not ordered as early as they should be.

There is no better time than right now—just before the busiest season on the farm—to go over your machines carefully, make a list of repairs you are likely to need and send it to us. With this list in our hands, we can order our stock so as to be prepared to meet every call promptly.

Repair part service is a necessary part of our business. We realize what it means to you in time and money to get what you need at once. Help us to help you by making up your list now and sending it in to us.

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SUPERVISORS' NOTICE —OF— PRIMARY ELECTION

UNDER the provisions of Article 33, Public General Laws of Maryland, title "Elections," the Supervisors of Elections for Kent County hereby give notice that an election will be held in the several Election Districts and Precincts of Kent County between the hours of 7 o'clock in the morning and 7 o'clock in the evening on

TUESDAY, SEPT. 14, 1926

The places wherein such Election upon the date aforementioned will be held in the respective Districts or Precincts are as follows:

First District, First Precinct—Community Fire Co. Hall.

First District, Second Precinct—Davis Co. Store, Galena.

Second District, First Precinct—Wallace Atwell Store, Kennedyville.

Second District, Second Precinct—D. C. Kelley Store, Kennedyville.

Third District, First Precinct—B. F. Rash's Hall, Worton.

Third District, Second Precinct—Turner & Son, Betterton.

Fourth District, First Precinct—Voshell House, Chestertown.

Fourth District, First Precinct—"N"—Kent House, Chestertown.

Fourth District, Second Precinct—Ada E. Jones Shop, Chestertown.

Fifth District, First Precinct—Jr. O. U. A. M. Hall, Rock Hall.

Fifth District, Second Precinct—Sam'l Burgess Shop, Edesville.

Sixth District—Walter Barnes Room, Fairlee.

Seventh District—Mrs. G. R. Starr's Store, Pomona.

Said Primary Election to be held for the purpose of voting for nomination of public offices as follows:

One candidate for Governor representing the Democratic Party.
One candidate for Congress representing the Democratic Party.
One candidate for State Senate representing the Democratic Party.
Two candidates for House of Delegates representing the Democratic Party.
One candidate for Clerk Circuit Court representing the Democratic Party.
One candidate for Reg. of Wills representing the Democratic Party.
One candidate for Treasurer representing the Democratic Party.
Three candidates for County Commissioners representing the Democratic Party.
One candidate for State's Attorney, representing the Democratic Party.
Three candidates for Orphans' Court representing the Democratic Party.
One candidate for Sheriff representing the Democratic Party.
Six members of Dem. State Central Com.
Three persons for Delegates to Dem. State Convention.
One candidate for U. S. Senator representing the Rep. Party.
One candidate for Governor representing the Rep. Party.
One candidate for Clerk Ct. Appeals representing the Rep. Party.

The Return Judges shall make their returns before twelve (12) oclock noon' of the second day after election, that is to say, before noon Thursday following Tuesday of the election in the manner prescribed by law, to the Clerk of the Circuit Court; to the County Commissioners to the Board of Supervisors of Elections and to the Register of Wills of the county aforesaid.

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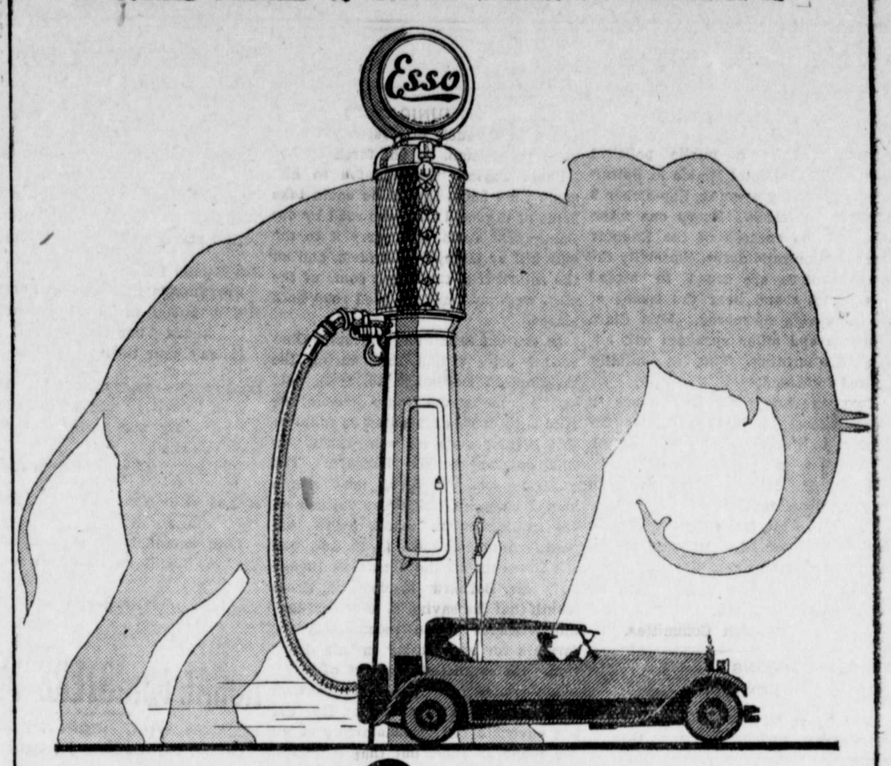
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