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JANES M. E. CHURCH

Sunday, December 19. 10.30 a. m., the pastor will deliver his Christmas sermon subject, "The Birth of Christ;" 2.30 p. m., Sunday School; 7.15 p. m., Epworth League, conducted by Mr. Henry Rigby and Miss Morgrie Haughton; 8 p. m., Pomona Church will render a pageant. REV. L. H. McARTHUR, Pastor.

CHRISTMAS TOYS

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CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND
D18-1t.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation to our friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness and words of sympathy given us during our recent bereavement in the death of our mother.

Harry C. Stanley and Family,
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Raised 300 fine birds especially for breeders. Gobblers, $15, $18, and $20; pullets, $10 and $12. New blood to old customers.

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Attorney of the Noland Estate

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STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

Notice is hereby given to the stock holders of the THIRD NATIONAL BANK OF CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND, that the regular ANNUAL MEETING for the election of a Board of Directors for the ensuing year will be held at their banking house in Chestertown, Maryland, on TUESDAY, JANUARY 11, 1927, between the hours of 10 a. m., and 2 p. m.

D11-6t. W. R. HUEY, Cashier.



CHRISTMAS IS COMING

Oh Christmas! Merry Christmas! Has it really come again? That it is nearly here is told by the beautifully dressed shop windows the hurrying crowds with their arms filled with bundles, and the stores crowded with buyers eager to purchase gifts for their friends and relatives. For Christmas is a time for giving. Ever since the Christ Child, the great Christmas gift, was sent to the earth people have been giving at Christmas, Friends for away are remembered differences are healed and every where we hear Merry Christmas! The bells, the Carols and the evergreen too, tell the story. Yes, it is Christmas everywhere. In some places the earth is wrapped in snow in other it is summer weather but the same joy pervades them all at this season. So whether it is called Noel or Yule tide or Christmas it is Peace good will towards all at this happy time.

NEW CLUB FORMED

One evening last week at the home of Mr. Harry W. Fallowfield there was organized a Junior Young Men's Club, composed of a dozen members, which is to be an auxiliary to the Young Men's Club of Christ Methodist Protestant Church for working along religious and charitable lines. The officers of the new organization are Allan Robinson, president, and Frederick G. Usilton, Jr., secretary-treasurer. Meetings will be held monthly. It is expected that these men's organizations will play a conspicuous part in promoting the welfare af the town, and efforts will be made to stimulate and encourage their activities.

KENT CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

The offices of the Kent County Chamber of Commerce over the offices of Thomas W. Perkins, Inc., are now ready to be occupied and the formal opening will be held shortly after the holidays. The opening was planned for this week but has been postponed due to many conflicting affairs that are being rushed in before Christmas.

Arrangements are being made for a secretary who will probably assume duties at the time of the formal opening.

This organization is in a position to to do a great deal for Kent County as two new industries are coming into the county, a bridge over Chesapeake Bay from Baltimore county to Kent County is proposed, the possibility of a new bridge across Chester River at Chestertown and any number of moves for the betterment of Kent County will come under the eye of this body. An effort is being made by this organization to establish an Eastern Shore Alms House on the Kent County Alms House Farm.

—Fourteen members of the Chestertown Rotary Club attended an inter city meeting at the Bayou hotel, Hevre de Grace on Wednesday of this week. The meeting was sponsored by the Elkton Rotary Club.

—Late shoppers remember that our local stores are stocked to meet your needs. Buy at home and save time and money.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

The store on Cross street, formerly managed by the late Charles E. Kirby is now being managed by his two sons who will appreciate the patronage of the public. A full line of MEATS, GROCERIES AND CANDIES together with many other public needs.
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Dwelling, corner Front and Cannon Sts., all conveniences, furnace, possession January 1, 1927.
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PRIZE WHEAT IN ARTIC

WHEAT KING PRODUCES GRAIN EIGHT HUNDRED MILES WORTH OF UNITED STATES

Herman Trelle, world's wheat king for 1926, grew his prize grain at Wembley in the Peace River country, nearly 800 miles north of the United States boundary. Trelle's homestead is as far north of Toronto as Toronto is north of Florida.

The Peace River country has needed some such advertising as Trelle's winning of the grand prize at Chicago. It is erhaps the last great "wheat mine" on the Continent. It's soil is of amazing richness, its climate surprisingly salubrious in view of its far northern latitude.

Twenty years ago pioneers begun trekking in from Edmonton. They thought the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway was following them. But the rail. way found a more southerly pass—the Yellowhead—through the Rockies and the Peace river settlement was left isolated. There were rumors of another railway and settlers kept pressing in, hoping that when the war ended a simple matter of building 140 miles of railway would be attended to.

At the end of the war there were 30,000 settlers in Peace river. But every year since 1919 the number has been diminishing. They knew they could grow the finest produce in the world, but what was the use when they could not get it to market.

DEATHS

Mrs. Louise S. Johnson, wife of Clayton Johnson, died at her late home in Rock Hall, last Friday, December 11th, aged 50 years. She is survived by two sisters, Mrs. W. F. Smith and Mrs. J. A. Welch. Funeral was held on Tuesday and interment made in Mt. Olivet cemetery, Baltimore, Md. Rev. Dawson officiating. Charles L. Dodd, undertaker.

Gustavus Startt died December 16, at his late home at Cliffs, aged 52 years. He leaves a wife, Mrs. Lula E. Startt, two sons, Gustavus, Jr., and Charles D. Startt; one brother W. R. Startt and a half-brother, Mason Startt. The funeral will be held 12 M. today, Saturday at the late home, interment Chester cemetery, Rev. Mr. Green to officiate. The bearers will be Messrs. Romie Crouch, W. R. Startt, Mason Startt, J. W. Brown, Howard Haddaway and Frank Haddaway. C. L. Dodd, undertaker.

Mrs. Susanna Jane Stanley passed away at the home of her son, Harry Stanley, of Kennedyville on December 10th, in her 82 year, after a lingering illness. She was a resident of Still Pond for many years but for the last five years she has made her home with her son. She was a devoted member of the M. E. Church, of Still Pond, for over 50 years and a faithful christian, and a loving and devoted mother. Her children blessed her declining years with loving care and attention to her every want. She is survived by two sons, Harry C. Stanley, of Kennedyville, and William Price Stanley, of Delaware city, and five grand children. Funeral service was held at the M. E. Church, Still Pond. Interment in Still Pond cemetery, Rev. Dr. J. W. Trout, of Kennedyville, officated, assisted by Rev. Mr. Clark. The bearers were: A. J. Hackett, William Clark, George Johnson, George Rash, Hyland Crew and Thomas Bradley. B. R. Fellows, undertaker.

Mrs. Sarah Ann Thompson, aged 75 years, widow of the late James Thompson, died at her home near Gratitude, December 9th, 1926. Mrs. Thompson was formerly a Miss Urie and always lived in or near Rock Hall. She leaves five children, John and James, of Rock Hall; William, Mrs. William Cassidy, of Baltimore, and another daughter in Alexandria, Va., a number of grandchildren, a brother and sister, Charles Urie and Mrs. Thomas Rodney. Funeral services were conducted at the home Sunday at 1.30 p. m., the Rev. Wm. H. Revelle officiating. The bearers were Charles Miller, Walter Hadaway. George Urie, Henry Urie, Charles Schmelz and Frank Wood. Interment in Wesley Chapel cemetery. Thomas H. Casey, undertaker.

NEW YORK MARYLAND SOCIETY WANTS RITCHIE

That they may see him inaugurated President of the United States on March 4, 1929, is the home of the Maryland Society of New York, expressed in a telegram to Governor Ritchie. The occasion of the message was the annual dinner Monday night at the Planters' Restaurant in New York. Henry W. Catlin was elected president.



SANTA IS COMING TO CHESTERTOWN

TODAY—SATURDAY

BRINGING AN ORANGE AND GIFT FOR EVERY LITTLE BOY AND GIRL WHO ARE HERE TO MEET HIM.

He will arrive on the 11 o'clock train, and after inspecting the town, will meet the kiddies in the park at 1 o'clock. He will visit Rock Hall THURSDAY, DEC. 23.

WASHINGTON'S ALL-TIME STARS

BURRIS, BROWN AND CAVANAUGH ARE BRIGHT STARS IN LOCAL SKY

Speaking of all-time Washington College football stars, the name of Thomas Healey, Esq., of Chestertown, cannot be overlooked. Perhaps the most important scale upon which to judge ability is achievement, after all. Looking at this man, away back there fifteen or twenty years ago, we see him magnified by the lenses of time out of all proportion to what he was in actual contest upon the field. Another man, by exceptionally brilliancy, stands out pronimently by his work in a few games, or a single contest.

Healey played in a position where a man has little chance to be an outstanding star, but is compelled to bear the brunt of the attack. For many years he filled his position well on the Washington eleven. Not only this, but he had the ability to play in professional football, with such stars as Thorpe and men of his caliber. This is an honor that few other Washington players ever had, however much their ability entitled them to occupy this position or a loftier one.

The name of Floyd Brown, of Chestertown, gleams out in the football sky a star that neither distance or competition can dim. Not only on the gridiron, but on the diamond and at basketball he stands out prominently against a rather bleak background of competition. However, no competition would have far eclipsed him, and he is mentioned as perhaps the outstanding athlete of all time at Washington College.

Frampton, at end, is another outstanding football figure, perhaps the greatest end the institution ever produced.

Garey, at tackle, is always mentioned as a man of extraordinary ability. He was big, strong and aggressive. However, Washington at this time, held a mediocre place in the football spotlight.

Porter, because of his size; Duffy, by virtue of his intense earnestness and conrageous spirit; Seigenfuse, with a great deal of natural ability with a poor team; Larrimore, Bowes and a host of others—they all constitute an array of exceptional talent.

We mention the name of Cavanaugh along with Brown. A splendid punter and drop-kicker, a fine open-field runner and line plunger and a power on the defense, he will ever occupy a leading place in Washington's football history. Not only this, but he is a sterling basketball man and a fine man on the diamond.

Of the two predominating all-star athletes and football men in Washington's history, perhaps no better pair could be selected than Brown and Cavanaugh, unless you chose to go a bit further back and add to this duet of stars the almost immortal name of Alfred Burris.

—Commercial fig growing in the Del-Mar-Va Peninsula is at last beyond the experimental stage. Wallace Quinn of Crisfield produced enough figs this season to encourage him to put in this fall from 40 to 60 acres and to arange for a preserving factory next season. Figs have been grown on the Del-mar-Va Peninsula since colonial days but this endeavor of Mr. Quinn's is the first known commercial project.

ROAD WORK

REPORT OF GILBERT I. TAYLOR ON COUNTY ROADS

EQUIPMENT

For the first time since changing from horse drawn to motorized road machinery the county is now equipped for the heaviest road work with two 5-ton caterpillar tractors with Adams graders. We were unable to get these tractors until September too late for much heavy work this year. In fact, the only full width road work done was from Pomona to the Cliffs and in Baker Lane.

For lighter work we have two HP and two Universal one man graders; one 2-ton caterpillar tractor which can be used with a road drag, and two Fordsons which can also be put on the road with drags. Using the 5-ton caterpillars merely for maintenance we can if necessary put nine outfits on the road capable of doing from 100 to 125 miles of road per day.

The actual present value of county machinery, exclusive of small tools, is about $14,000, the greater part of which has been paid for during the last three years out of the regular road appropriation.

EMERGENCY WORK

Our regular road work was practically stopped by the heavy rains in July which washed out roads, cut around culverts and carried away or undermined bridges. Our regular force with an extra crew was wholly occupied with repair work for two months following the 19th of July. We re-built two causeways, installed 4 large culverts with concrete and walls, put in three substantial bridges and repaired two other large bridges. The expense of the above was something more than $3,000.

REGULAR WORK

Since the first of October we have used 35 carloads of slag in making semi-permanent roads in the upper part of the county, three boatloads of cinders and two scow loads of gravel on roads near river landings, and several thousand bushels of shells in Piney and East Necks. At various other places we have used about 1,000 yards of local material, gravelly sand, to improve bad places in clay roads. For all this material, which goes for permanent improvement we have spent already about $3,500.

AMOUNT SPENT

Up to the first of December out of $24,529 appropriated for roads we have spent $15,588.43, which amount includes the $6,500 above mentioned covering the July flood expense and the cost of permanent repair material.

Through December, January and February our work should be confined to repairing bad spots that may develop, using local material, and opening and clearing out ditches for improved drainage.

A LONG-FELT NEED

Industries in Chestertown giving employment to women and girls has been a long felt need here for some time, and these two factories should offer work for all available help. Neighboring towns, in the county, connected with Chestertown by hard surface road will also feel the effect of this employment as other industries here have brought help from many sections of the county. These two industries will bring hundreds of dollars to Kent County and they should have the hearty cooperation of all business organizations.

NEW INDUSTRY FOR CHESTERTOWN

Will give empolyment to many people in Chestertown and vicinity.

Chestertown will have two new industries when Mr. Purnel Elburn will establish a branch of his Rock Hall shirt factory in Chestertown and the Victory Sparkler Company will reopen their packing plant here.

The Elburn shirt factory will open in the building recently vacated by Chance & Kirby, bakers; or what was formerly known as the steam laundry at the corner of Calvert and Kent Sts. This new factory will employ a number of girls and women whose work will be the cutting and sewing of shirts. The exact date of opening has not been set although the building has been rented and preparations for opening will start immediately.

VICTORY SPARKLER COMPANY

The building occupied by the Victory Sparkler Company, of Elkton, and which was used as a packing plant for Victory Sparkler products will reopen shortly after the first of next year and continue until July at which time it is hoped this company will greatly enlarge their quarters in Chestertown.

IMPORTANT CASE SETTLED

COURT HANDS DOWN DECISION GIVING MR. WROTH THE RIGHT TO ACT AS TRUSTEE

A case which has been in litigation since 1923 was settled today when Associate Judge Lewin W. Wickes rendered a decision giving to Thomas G. Wroth the right to act as trustee of the estate of Mrs. Julia Caroline Wroth, late of this town, who left an instrument of writing which, though not specifically naming a trustee clearly, in the opinion of the court, implied the wish of the testator that Mr. Wroth act as such.

It seems that a provision of the paper was that a part of the estate should be used for the erection of a chapel or mausoleum on the Wroth lot in Chester Cemetery. The officials of the cemetery objected unless the money should be spent by a duly appointed trustee or that the money pass to the cemetery company for the purpose of building the chapel. Judge Wickes' decision today not only appoints Mr. Wroth as the trustee but gives him the power to carry out the request of the deceased.

Mr. Wroth stated this week that he would arrange for the construction of a handsome memorial chapel, to cost about $5,000

SANTA CLAUS AT ROCK HALL

TO HAVE COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS TREE FOR THE KIDDIES

Thursday, the 23rd of December, will be a big day for the Kiddies of Rock Hall and for the grown people too.

There will be a Community Christmas Tree erected at the old school house and Santa Claus will be there to greet the children at 3.30 p. m., on Thursday and see that all are provided for.

In the evening there will be a meeting for the grown ups when interesting exercises will be held around the Community Tree and all will have a good time.

Movies.

REVIEW OF THE PICTURES NEXT WEEK.

"Whispering Wires"

"Whispering Wires," Fox Films latest mystery comedy is based on the noted stage success of the same name which thrilled Broadway for almost a year. The stage play was considered by press and public as one of the finest ever presented on the American stage. Pre-view critics have pronounced the film version even better, owing to the virtually unlimited scope of the camera. Many scenes not possible on the stage have been incorporated in the screen version, which comes to the Lyceum Theatre Monday of next week.

The story of "Whispering Wires" is by Henry Leverage. The play was written by Kate McLaurin. L. G. Rigby prepared the scenario and Albert Ray directed the production. Beautiful Anita Stewart is the featured player. Edmund Burns has the leading male role.

"Footloose Widows"

If you were a pretty mannequin in an exclusive New York shop and you felt that you were growing old without progressing and you were getting into a rut, and you didn't care for the type of young men that proposed to you and your bosom friend suggested a scheme to get a rich and handsome husband, what would you do?

You might do as Marion, played by Jacqueline Logan, did in Warner Bros., production of "Footloose Widows," directed by Roy Del Ruth featuring Louise Fazenda. She consented somewhat dubiously to the scheme without considering the possible consequence, and departed for Florida with Flo and a complete widow's wardrobe in hopes of ensnaring a rich and handsome husband.

The girls got a splendid start but it was not long until they began to get their own feet tangled in the web of their deception, with enormously humorous results. What came of it and how they emerged from their difficulties is most entertainingly presented in this adaptation by Darryl Francis Zanuck of the Beatrice Burton novel.

The picture comes to the Lyceum on Tuesday of next week.

"Tin Goods"

"Tin Gods" is the old, yet ever new story of "the man who came back." Tom Meighan is introduced as the husband of a politically ambitious woman who ruins his love by her lack of interest in their home. Due to her neglect, their child is killed, and Tommy leaves for South America.

There, he forgets home, friends, and job—taking to drink. A dancing girl places him under her care when she succumbs to a tropical fever. Gradually, she shows him the mistake he has made. Soon, he recovers his health, goes back to work and lives in complete happiness.

But—it doesn't last! His wife, in an effort to win him back, arrives at the construction camp. What happens, It wouldn't be fair to tell, because—you'll be surprises.

Supporting Meighan, are the two featured women, Renee Adoree, heroine of "The Big Parade," and Ailleen Pringle, fairy princess of a hundred plots. William Powell, Hale Hamilton and a little boy. Delbert Whiten, Jr., also do capable work.

"Tid Gods" will be shown at the Lyceum Theatre, Wednesday of next week.

"There You Are"

"There You Are," a hilarious filmization of the novel by F. Hugh Herbert, noted humorist, introduces Conrad Nagel in a new vein of whimsical comedy, akin in a way to his role in "Dance Madness" but going several steps further in the matter of producing laughs. The new picture playing next Thursday at the Lyceum Theatre, is the hilarious adventure of elopers beset by an angry father, a police force, a dog—and tangled identities and a misplaced baby. It is laid in modern New York, and was directed by Edward Sedgwick, at the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios. Edith Roberts plays the heroine and the cast includes George Fawcett, Gwen Lee Phillips Smalley, Eddie Gribbon, Gertrude Bennett and others of note.

"Private Izzy Murphy"

"Private Izzy Murphy," the Warner picture which comes to the Lyceum Theatre next Friday and Saturday, deals with an East Side Jew boy in New York who enlists with "The Fighting 69th," the Irish regiment that gained war fame as the 165th Infantry in the 42nd Division. The story plays a new variation on the Irish-American-Jewish theme, that swept the country in "Abie's Irish Rose."

All sons should take their mothers to see "Private Izzy Murphy,". In the first place, it is a mother and son story, a mirthful, heartening, tender story of war and love and human hearts, Irish and Jewish hearts, made one by things mightier than disputes and prejudices. George Jessel, who is starred, is personally the chief pal of his own mother, his father having died when the lad was but nine. Patsy Ruth Miller, who is the Irish sweetheart in the picture is noted in Hollywood for other th her screen success, especially the fact that she and her moth practically inseparable, even identical hair-bobs! Vera who is one of the featured is perhaps the most celebra all portrayers of "mother "Private Izzy Murphy" American motherhood. I sort of photoplay whic down the whole house! I venture, love, a laugh, a te and bugles, war and peace, all, the American eagle scre It'll get you! Go!

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