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FOR SALE

ONE MODERN WAY pipeless furnace in good condition.
a6-tf. Apply Transcript Office

AUCTIONEER

We are prepared to call sales on short notice all farm sales 1-2 per cent. Satisfaction guaranteed.
JOHN DUYER,
a6 S. T. DeSHANE.

LOOK!

Don't fail to attend the ANNUAL MOWBRAY FISH FRY CLIFF'S GROVE, CLIFF CITY.
FRIDAY, AUGUST 12, 1927
Fish, potato salad, slaw, lima beans, corn, salads, tomato pickles, Maryland Biscuits. All that you can eat. Adults 75 cents; Children 40 cents.
Ice cream and cake will be for sale.
There will be boating, bathing. Public Speaking and a sing at 5.00 p. m.
Plan to and spend the day with us. Meals will be served from 12.00 to 7.00 p. m. If stormy will hold the following day. jy30

FOR RENT

A farm of 230 acres near Chesterville, Md., for rent, now tenanted by Enoch King.
Mr. King will give the incoming tenant all the assistance he can.
This is a very desirable farm one hundred acres to be seeded to wheat this fall.
Apply to, L. R. VANSANT, Agent
jy30-3t. Galena, Md.

LAWN FETE

The Annual Lawn Fete of Centerville Catholic Church will be held Friday and Saturday evenings, August 19th and 20th. jy30-4t

NOTICE

We are giving our usual service on automobiles at Church Hill.
CHURCH HILL MOTOR CO.,
Harry D. Massey, Prop.

NOTICE

The attention of the Merchants of Kent County, who have not secured their traders license, that the time for securing same is overdue. The date to get said license was May 1, 1927. The license inspector is about due and those who have not attended to this matter are advised to do same at once.

FOR SALE

Desirable property. Nine room dwelling suitable for double house. One acre ground. Fine for poultry. For further particulars apply to
MRS. H. C. STANLEY,
jy23-2t* Kennedyville, Md.

BREYERS ICE CREAM

AT MARYLAND TEA ROOM
BY THE PLATE—ORDERS FILLED
SPECIAL—A PINT PACK 30 cts.
CHERRY ICE AND FRESH PEACH

THE MARYLAND TEA ROOM,
Miss Annie Copper, Prop.,
Corner Maple Ave. and Queen St.

FOR SALE.

COOK STOVE, GAS RANGE, GAS WATER HEATER, GAS STOVE, 2 LATROBE STOVES, SEVERAL LAMPS, SOME HOUSEHOLD ARTICLES.
A. S. HALL.
jly16.

FOR RENT

Desirable farm in 6th District for rent for year 1928 for information apply to
WM. S. COLLINS, or
R. HYNSON ROGERS,
j25. Chestertown, Md.

FOR RENT

Small truck farm in 7th District for rent, fine house and outbuildings, about 28 acres tilable and 2 acres meadow.
For further information apply to
R. HYNSON ROGERS,
j25. Chestertown, Md.

FOR RENT

100 ACRES GOOD PASTURE for stock 75 cents head between Swan Creek and Tolchester.
HORN'S NURSERIES,
m28. Rock Hall, Md.

FOR SALE

Henry Choice Tuberculine Tested Cows, Holsteins and Guernseys. Fresh and Close Springers at very attractive prices.
Phone 205-F-3 G. K. STEUART
m14-tf. Elkton, Md.

FOR SALE

Cord wood $9.00 per cord. Sawed wood 12 inches lengths $10.00 per cord. Wood sawed n 12 inches lengths $4.00 per load. Wood sawed and split $5.00 per load. Locust Posts 35 cents each $30.00 per 100. Extra fine top soil and leaf mold goods delivered at the above prices. Dahlia and Bean poles 7 foot 10 cents each.
WILLIAM HUSSEY, Box 417,
m7-tf. Chestertown, Md.

FARM FOR SALE OR FOR RENT.

Located Millington, Md., close to No. 10 school house, 25½ acre farm, room new house, all necessary outbuildings. Will sell reasonable.
Owner, JOSEPH GREENWALD,
1730 N. 8th St.
jly16-4t Philadelphia, Pa.

TARIFF ON TOMATOES

The credit for the investigation of the tariff on foreign grown tomatoes by the Tariff Commission is probably due to the Massey local of the Kent County Farm Bureau.

The matter was discussed at a meeting of that local some months ago, and resolutions adopted and sent to headquarters; this was followed by other locals throughout the county and also by many local in the state.

At the present time practically all of the canned tomatoes imported come from Italy. Four years ago the importation of tomatoes imported come from Italy. Four years ago the importation of tomatoes was almost negligable while at the present rate practically one fourth of the consumption in the United States in 1927 will be imported according to figures submitted this week.

During the first five months of 1927 there was 21,512,103 lbs., of tomatoes imported, valued at $1,461,475 according to recent reports. Of this $1,454,557 worth of tomatoes came from Italy.

The United States Tariff Commission has ordered an investigation of the tomato tariff which may mean dollars to Kent county growers and canners.

YOUR CHANCE

Chautauqua tickets are now on sale. If you are interested in high class entertainments and have carefully examined the program you will not delay in getting your ticket. Season tickets cannot be bought after Chautauqua opens. If you delay until that time the cost of each afternoon session will be fifty cents and each might session will be $1.00 in the other words the cost of this Chautauque would be $9.00 if you paid your way at the gate. You can get a season ticket now for $2.50 which will entitle you to every session. The program this year is deceidly unusual.

BOTTLING PLANT SOLD

The Grave's Bros. bottling plant was sold last Saturday to Arthur and George Cooper, of Chestertown, for $1500. The plant has been laying idle for sometime, but under the new management it is expected to get under way the early part of next week. Mr. Norman (Whitey) Graves is coming to help open the plant and expects to stay about a week. Mr. Ellsworth Estes has accepted a position as salesman. The new plant is trying to get the Whistle franchise which Graves Bros. had, but have not secured it as yet.

PRIZES FOR ALFALFA

A member of the Fairlee Farm Bureau has offered $100 to be given in ten prizes for the best Alfalfa grown by any member of the Fairlee Farm Bureau; prizes to be given next spring 1928. I hope all members will do their best perhaps you will win the first prize.

Mr. H. W. Anderson
Is President of the airlee Farm Bureau

FOR SALE

Three year old Guernsey Bull, out of fine milk stock. Mother gave 6 to 8 gallons milk, father head of milking herd of Jonn K. Kulve, Mt. Washington, Maryland.
a6. Apply to JOHN W. BARROLL
Chestertown, Md.

Shooters, Attention

To promote good clean sport the Betterton Gun Club will throw 25 targets and sell 25 shells, any make, for $2.00.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON,
AUGUST 10, 2 P. M.
ON BAYSIDE

In justice to those who never shoot clay pigeons, a committee, composed of Charles H. Brice, Clarence Newsome and Harvy Moore will try to class shooters from 18, 20 and 22 yds. each.

PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED

LOST

WHITE GOLD ELGIN WRIST WATCH at Anthony's Beach Tuesday, July 26. Suitable reward for return to owner. It has been reported that several were suspicioned. I desire to exonerate anyone reported suspicioned.
MARGARET COOPER,
jy30-2t. Chestertown, Md.

FOR SALE

FIVE THOUSAND BUSHELS DAVIS' IMPROVED WHEAT which we offe at $1.50 per bushel for seed.
It is absolutely clear of smut and Cockle; splendid berry.
SAMUEL C. WALTERS,
L. R. VANSANT,
jy30-tf. Galena, Md.

AUCTIONEER

Sales called on short notice, Satisfaction guaranteed.
j18-3m. GEORGE W. PADLEY
Phone 23 Ceciliton, Md.

TRANSCRIPT'S MUSINGS

It takes so little to make us glad,
Just a cheering clasp of a friendly hand.
Just a word from one who can understand,
And we finish the task we long had planned,
And we lose the doubt and fear we had:
So little it takes to make us glad.

Think it over yourself. How many of the other Ten Commandments would ever be broken if the ninth was not broken first? Think of the murders alone that would never have been committed if some one had not borne false witness against his neighbors.

—Henry L. Doperty

Our vice-president is nothing if not interesting. He adopts friendless children, composes the sweetest music, makes the Dawes plan of paying debts and flays the senate equally well. And with all that he must be a sound sleeper. He slept so soundly that he was not in his place to vote for Warren as Attorney General when his would have been the easting vote, and we read of his sleeping when his special train plunged through a trestle down in Mississippi killing the engineer and injuring the fireman. "Blessed is the man who first invented sleep."

MEN

I like men.
They stride about,
They reach in their pockets
And pull things out;

They look important,
They rock on their toes,
They lose all the buttons
Off of their clothes;

They throw away pipes,
They find them again.
Men are queer creatures;
I like men.

Oh, unfortunate girls! You cannot be in Monta Bell's famous film, for he will have none with shorn locks.

'Restore the lock! She cries and all around,
Restore the lock! the vaulted roofs rebound.'

That Alfred Dreyfus has undertaken with others to come to the United States to plea for justice to be shown to Sacco and Veniti, reminds us that Dreyfus himself was sent to Devils' Island and spent five years of his life there in solitary confinement.

He was imprisoned on a false charge and only through the efforts of his faithful wife was he released. So he is coming to the land of the free to beg that mercy may be shown to these prisoners. It is a useless journey as Governors Fuller and his commission will do all that can be done for the offenders, and if they are guilty will have to bear the punishment for the crime.

Now the credit companies are financing honey moon tours, says the Rapid Gazette. A down payment is made 10 monthly payment at 10 per cent. It is hoped that the honey mooning will last until it is paid.

If you live in a country town you are a country town fellow, and you need not turn up your nose at the things a country town does.

They have changed the old saying, "When in Rome do as the Romans do" to "When in Rome do as Mussolini says."

The Chester and I are congenial friends.
It shares all my moods with me.
When I am sad, t is quiet and grey.
When happy, it sparkles with glee.

And when in storms its billows rise high,
And rush away to the sea,
Its grandeur inspires me; my heart leaps up
At its power and magesty.

All who know her, regret that Miss Helen Simpers will leave town in the near future. Although the place which she is to fill is a very congenial one to her, yet we hope that some day, she will wounder back home to her old home town.

As a bee has no financial responsibilty, it cannot be sued for the wreck of a car. Whether it is possible to trace the owner of the bee is another question.

Words have a different meaning in the several localities. Just now the papers are busy finding out what the word "choose" means in Vermontise.

—Thieves stole 18 fine chickens from the farm of Mr. Julian Jones on Wednesday of this week. Some one broke into the garage of Mr. Howard Jones, at Fairlee on Thursday night.

EASTERN SHORE NEWS

The Miles River Yacht Culb, of St. Micheals, will hold its 6th Annual Regatta on Friday and Saturday, August 12th and 13th, on the Miles River at St. Michaels. The Regatta will be under the sanction of the American and Mississippi Valley Power Boat Associations. Experienced men approved by these associations will have charge of the starting, timing and measuring.

Additional interest will be added to the Regatta this season by the enthusiastic endorsement by Governor Albert C. Ritchie of the attempt to revive the old Chesapeake Bay sailing canoe races and his sponsorng a magnificent cup for this event to be known as "The Governor's Cup."

Whereas it was formerly scarcely grown outside the family gardens, cucumbers are now cultivated so extensively in Caroline county that about 500 acres locally are devoted to its growth. Farmers now contract for their cucumber crop, just as they do for the tomato crop, and find it a profitable one.

With each acre yielding an average of 40,000 cucumbers, it can readily be seen that a stupendous supply of 'cukes' is coming into the local market. A large number of these are bought by local buyers, agents for city firms, to whom they are shipped by truck, but a major portion are received at Federalsburg plant List Pickling Plant. The local prize of cucumbers this season is $3.25 to $3.50 per 1000.

State Detective Ottie Donaway, of Sussex County, after nearly four months work has cleared up the mystery of the theft of the electric lighting plant from White's Chapel on the road between Milford and Rehoboth. The plant was stolen from the church edifice last March and since that time the officer has been on a steady hunt for the thieves.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Donoho, Mrs. Jas. B. Robinson, Dorsey Donoho and Charles W. Burton had an exciting experience recently while motoring from Seaford to Ocean City, Md., in the Donoho car. They had arriived within two miles of Ocean City when they observed a bazzar get up out of the marsh with a large snake in its bill.

The bird evidently became frightened at the approach of the car, and in its bewilderment flew straight at the machine, depositing a dead snake in the lap of Mr. and Mrs. Donoho's son, Dorsey.

On Tuesday night, between 8.30 and 9.00 o'clock, a jail delivery of some and possibly all of the fifteen county prisoners confined in the jail here was frustrated by the prompt and efficient action of Jailer Dryden, of Princess Ann.

At the time mentioned Mr. Dryden's granddaughter, who was about to retire, in a room directly below one of the cells in the steel cage, reported that she heard a noise as of someone sawing in the upper story of the building.

President W. H. Johnson, of the Philadelphia Electric Company, which is financing the great Conowingo Power Project, announced on Sunday that the Pennsylvania Railroad Management had signed a contract with his company to purchase all the electric current required for its lines during the next twenty years.

Peter Barnard, of Philadelphia, in attempting to cross the Bohemia river bridge with his auto-truck, loaded with tomatoes Monday night, the planks in the bottom of the bridge gave way, and the machine partially fell through. The bridge, which is a very long one, is a link in the main highway down the Eastern Shore of Maryland.

The Pocomoke Fair held this week points to record crowds and a big entertainment for the folks.

The big Carnival which is at the Fair will move to Pocomoke from Charlottesville, Va., arriving over the Pennsylvania Railroad on Monday, using a special train for the movement.

Sheriff G. Clinton Logan and his deputies, report having made nineteen raids upon alleged "speak-easies" and whiskey-manufacturing places, in Cecil county, within the past fortnight. Four Prohibition Enforcement officers from Baltimore, assisted in making raids upon several of the places in the vicinity of Octoraro, just north of the Conowingo dam project.

Apparently as fresh as when he entered, William H. McConnell, aged 23 years, of Delaware City, emerged from the water of the Chesapeake and Delaware Canal, at Chesapeake City, Saturday evening, after swimming the entire length, approximately 12 1-2 miles, from Delaware City to Chesapeake City, in six hours and twenty miutes.

Miss Delema Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Jones, Wilmington, Del., returned home Saturday from Hooper's Island, Md., where she has been preparing herself for an attempt later in the summer to swim across the Delaware Bay from Lewes to Cape May.

The dreaded Japanese beetle has found its way to Havre de Grace. Dr. Guy Dennis found one at his hoe on Union avenue on Wednesday and promptly dispatched the insect and is keeping a close watch for any others that may appear.

ALFALFA QUESTIONS

ASK ME ANOTHER BY COUNTY AGENT, H. B. DERRICK AND F. W. OLDENBURG

1. What are some common causes of failure to get a good stand of alfalfa?

Answer. The five most common causes are: (1) Poor seed or unadapted seed, (2) lack of inoculation, (3) poor seed bed, (4) sour or (5) soil not of sufficient fertility.

2. What do you mean by unadapted seed?

Answer. Nearly all foreign seed are unadapted for Maryland conditions That is, the chances of failure would be greater, or the alfalfa would yield little because the seed came from regions where the climate was so much different than that of Kent County.

3. What about the Grim variety or the variagated strains of alfalfa?

Do they not prevent freezing out better than the common varieties?

Answer. Common alfalfa from the middle West does not freeze out under Maryland conditions any more than do the so-called hardy strains such as the Grimm. On soils that leave badly, the Grimm may do better, but even that is not sure. Given a good stand, the common alfalfa outyields the Grimm under Maryland conditions.

4. Why is it necessary to inoculate?

Answer. It is important that the nodule forming bacteria are in the soil, for if nodules are not formed in the alfalfa roots, the plant cannot take nitrogen from the air but has to get all of it from the soil. The yield would then be less, the hay would not be so high in protein and no fertility would be brought to the farm, from the air.

5. What difference does a poor seed bed make?

Answer. An alfalfa seed is small, an dthe little alfalfa plant emerging from it his little resistance to hardships Therefore, the seedbed should be finely pulverized, mellow and well firmed. Weeds rob the little plant of food and water. Therefore, to obtain a good stand and one that has any chance of lasting for a number of years, the work of preparing a seed bed should be started long beore seeding time, so that most of the weed seeds that are found in most soils may be brought to the top and after germinating may be destroyed by the repeated disking and harrowing that should take place.

6. How does sour soil effect alfalfa?

Answer. For alfalfa to thrive there must be a surplus of lime in the soil. Soil is sour when it lacks lime. Every ton of alfalfa takes about 100 pounds of limestone from the soil. Also, if the soil lacks lime, the nodules will not develop on the roots of the plant, in which case there can be little growth except if plent of nitrates are present.

7. What should I do to secure a good stand of alfalfa on my farm in Kent County?

Answer. (a Select a fertile, well drained piece of land. (b) If well rotted manure is available, that may be applied, reinforced with about 50 lbs. of acidphosphate to each ton of manure. If no such manure is available use about 300 lbs. of a 2-8-5 or 2-12-4 commercial fertilizer. (c) Take a sample of soil from the field and place it in the hands of the County Agent, who will test it for you for lime requirement. (d) Order inoculating material. (e) Plow early, disk and harrow a number of times to kill weeds and form seed bed. (f) Sow as near middle of August as weather will permit, broad casting seed and covering by rolling.

Auto Tag Price Cut In Half On Monday

Automobile license tags for 1927 for vehicles using pneumatic tires went on sale at half-price Monday.

The "bargain sale" provided for by the last Legislature, will remain in effect until December 15, when the 1928 tags may be displayed, also under a new ruling of the General Assembly.

For private cars license tags and registration cards will be issued at 16 cents for each horsepower beginning Monday instead of the full rate of 32 cents.

The new law was passed, it is said, at the instance of automobile dealers, who discovered some opposition among purchasers to buying new cars in the middle of the year when it would be necessary to pay the full rate for tags to be used only five months or less.

PERSONAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Springer and little daughter are the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Hines.

Miss Carrie Wright, of Baltimore, spent the week end ith Miss Louise Carroll.

Master Lewin W. Wicks, II, is home and recuperating rapidly from an appendicitis operation.

Mrs. Arthur Hurlock, of Cambridge, is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Kilbourne and Mrs. Laurence Strong.

Mrs. George Smith is visiting Mrs. James G. Beck.

Miss Mary Thomas, of Baltimore, has been the guest of Miss Laura Thomas.

Little Francis Perry, of Centreville, has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Thomas Kilber.

Mrs. Chapman and Miss Mary Chapman, of Baltimore, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Allan A. Harris.

Mrs. Russell Wheatley and daughter, of Kitchner, Canada, are the guest of Mrs. Fannie Wheatley on Water St.

Miss Eloise Wickes is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Judge Lewin W. Wickes.

Mr. Ridgly Brown who has been visitiing in Manington, W. Va., has returned home.

Miss Susie Belle Evans and brother, of Baltimore, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Wroth. They are the children, of Miss Susie Belle Evans formerly of this town.

Mr. Brown and wife, of Philadelphia, are spending some time in Chestertown. Mr. Brown graduated at Washington College in 1895 and is one of the most interested alumni. He is interested in geneology and is looking up some of Kent's old records.

Miss Geraldine Harwood who has been visiting friends in Philadelphia has returned home.

Miss Richardson, of Baltimore, is the guest of Miss Margaret Cooper.

Mr. Wilbur Stenger who has been attending the University of Maryland has returned home.

Miss Miriam McGarvy, of Kansas City, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. W. Hubbard.

Miss Annie Cooper, of Camden Delaware, was the guest of Miss Mary Slay this week.

Mr. Alan Harris, of Rockford, Ill., is the week end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allan A. Harris.

Miss Edith Strong, of Denton, is the guest of Miss Elizabeth Dukes.

Lieut. Harry Derringer is the guest of his Mother, Mrs. Alice Derringer.

Mrs. George W. Carter, Jr., has returned home after a weeks visit with friends in Baltimore and Washington, D. C.

Misses Elizabeth and Evelyn Carter spent Wednesday and Thursday with their cousin, Miss Beatrice Bowers, Ridgely, Md.

Miss Ann Stewart, of Baltimore, was a welcome visitor of the Transcript this week. She was formerly of this county and has quite a reputation in teaching voice culture. She has formed a club of Eastern Shore Women who reside in Baltimore, and has so far 250 members.

Lieutenant Floyd Brown, U. S. Marines, spent several days of the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Brown.

Vernon Kirby, a June graduate of Washington College, has accepted a position at the Maryland State Training School for Boys at Lock Haven for the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Davis and son, of Cumberland, have been guests of Mrs. Davis' brother, Dr. Thomas Howard Fowler, during the past ten days.

Mrs. Fred Burt and children of Mannington, W. Va., are spending a part of the summer with her parents, Senator and Mrs. Henry Brown at their country home on Lankford bay.

Mr. William A. Wheatley spent a part of the past week with his son, William A. Wheatley, and family in Federalsburg.

Mrs. Sadie Hearn, of Wilmington, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Hudson and other friends in the town and county.

Mrs. Margaret E. Jarrell and Mrs. William W. Baldwin are spending several weeks at Ocean Grove and Asbury Park, N. J.

Mr. Olin B. Stafford spent the week end as a guest at Camp Albert Ritchie, near Blue Ridge Summit.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Copper and children, of Newark, Ohio, spent a few days last week as the guest of relatives here.

Mrs. Russel Wheatley and little daughter, Francis, of Kitchiner, Canada, are guests of Mrs. Joseph Wheatley on Front street. Mr. Russell Wheatley will arrive in Chesterton in about two week.

Miss Helen Simpers daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Harry Simpers, has resigned as secretary to the Kent County Board of Education to accept a position at the University of Illinois, near Chicago Miss Grace L. Strickland a member of the 1927 graduating class of Washington College has been appointed to fill the vacancy left by Miss Simpers.

Dr. Lewin W. Hitchcock, a former student at Washington College, was in town this week. Dr. Hitchcock, after leaving Washington College, graduated at the University of Maryland Dental School and is now practicing in Westminister, Md.

Miss Mayme Thompson has been quite sick at her home on High St., during the past week but is now somewhat better.

Mr. Wilbur J. Stenger has been appointed assistant principal of the Chestertown High School. Aside from teaching, Mr. Stenger will have charge of the athletics at the school.

Messrs. Thomas G. Wroth, George W. French and Charles N. Satterfield motored to Camp Albert Ritchie on Friday of this week to attend Governor's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Sparks were week end guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arlington L. Sparks.

Mr. Claude Parks, of College Park, spent the week end as guest of his grandmother, Mrs. Rufus Parks.

Miss Helen Tyler is spending several weeks with relatives at Cumberland.

Miss Geraldine Harwood has returned after spending several weeks in Pennsylvania.

Miss Elizabeth Richardson, of Baltimore, has been the guest of Miss Margaret Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl N. Bordley and children, and Mrs. Thomas F. Bordley will spend next week at Asbury Park.

Misses Harriett Louisa Rogers and Ann Kreeger are attending camp at Camp Davenport.

Mrs. Cary Williams and daughter, of Baltimore, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Strong.

Mr. Norman Hirons, of Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hirons and family, of Florida, and Prof. Wilbur Hirons and family of Wilmington, Del., were week end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Hirons.

Miss May Clare Chapman, of Baltimore, spent several days last week with her grandmother, Mrs. Samuel Vannort.

Mr. Edward Wallace, of Flordia, was in Chestertown last week.

The University of Maryland closed this week and those from the county who have been attending summer school there are home for the remainder o fthe summer.

Miss Rebecca Kendall, of Baltimore, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Kendall, last week.

Mrs. Mamie Brown, of New York visited relatives in town last week.

Little Jimmie Bringman was badly cut about the head when he fell down the steps of the Imperial Hotel last week.

Mrs. ThomasW. Perkins and daughter, Ann, spent several days this week in New Jersey.

Mrs. Isaac Dixon and Mrs. Harry T. Williams have returned to Kent county from a tour of Western States.

FARMERS PICNIC AUGUST 18

Thursday, August 18 has been set as the date for the annual Kent County Farmer's Picnic at Tolchester.

While the program for the days events is not yet complete, it is understood that the usual entertaining features such as horseshoe pitching, tug of war, hog-calling contest, etc., will add to the entertainment of the day.

Mr. James W. Davis, president of the Maryland Farm Bureau, and Mr. Symonds, of the extension service will address the picknickers during the day. The picnic will be held under the auspices of the Kent County Farm Bureau, Wm. G. Smyth, Secy., and the Maryland extension service, H. B. Derrick, county agent.

ODD FELLOWS AND REBECKAHS WILL ENTERTAIN

The Odd Fellows and Rebekahs of Cecil and Kent County will hold a Rally at Betterton on Monday, August 8th. In the afternoon the children from the I. O. O. F., Home will entertain on Turners Pier also a good speaker. Open to the public. In the evening. The confering of the Degree of Odd Fellowship will be in the High School building at Betterton while the Rebekahs will hold a meeting in their Lodge room in Still Pond.

GUN SHOOT AT BETTERTON

In order to promote the sport of trap shooting in Kent county the Betterton Gun Club will hold a handicap shoot on Bayside, overlooking the Chesapeake Bay on Wednesday afternoon, August 10th.

An effort will be made by members of the club to class the shooters 18, 20 and 22 yds., so that there will be an opportunity for all shooters. Prizes will be offered.

If the shoot on Wednesday proves a success, other shoots will be held throughout the summer.

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