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The Ladies Aid of St. James M. P. Church will meet with Mrs. J. R. Kernan on Monday, June 10th at 2 p. m.

FESTIVAL

The Town Relief Society will hold an ice cream and cake festival on High street in front of T. W. Eliason's office on

SATURDAY, JUNE 15TH, 1929,
beginnig at 6.45 p. m.

Home made Cake, Candy and Ice Cream, for sale. Come help a good cause. jn8-2t.

OPENING DANCE

BETTERTON CASINO

Saturday Evening

June 8th, 1929

Fine Floor—Good Music

Admission 50 cents

Next dance, Saturday Evening

June 15th.. Also Moving Pictures.

HOWARD TURNER, Prop.

FOR RENT

TEA ROOM
FURNISHED AND EQUIPPED
POSSESSION JULY 1, 1929.
For full particulars apply to
A. L. COPPER
"THE MARYLAND"
jn8-3t. Chestertown, Md.

BAKE

THE CHESTERTOWN HIGH SCHOOL will hold a bake at the N-B-R Garage, Chestertown on

SATURDAY, JUNE 8, 1929,
at 10.30 a. m.

Cake, Candy, Pies, Chickens, etc., for sale. jn8-1t.

HOME FOR SALE

One-half mile from Chestertown on Quaker Neck concrete road. 6 room dweling house with electric lights garage, chicken house and lot 61x200 feet. For particulars see
Phone 118 E. R. EAST,
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TOMATO PLANTS FOR SALE

Will have Clark's Special and Bonnie Best Tomato Plants about the fourth of June.
J. B. TOWNER,
Phone 804-F122. Morgnec, Md.
jn1-1t.

SUPPER AND FESTIVAL

Wesley Chapel M. P. Church will hold their annual Spring Supper on the Church Lawn, Thursday, June 20th, 1929. All delicacies of the season will be served, including Crabs, Fish, Poultry, Pig, Salads, etc. Strawberries, Ice Cream, Cake and Candy will be for sale. If weather is cool or rainy supper will be served in the New Church Hall. my25-

FOR SALE

BARRED ROCK PULLETS.
JAMES WEER,
Kennedyville, Md.
Phone Still Pond 74-F31. my25-3t.

FOR RENT

Five (5) room bungalow on Campus Ave. Desirable location hot water, heat, Electric lights and bath. Possession June 16.
my25. A. M. CULP,
Chestertown, Md.

FOR SALE

Tomato plants for sale. Marglobe, Greater Baltimore, and Bonnie Best in any quantity prices reasonable.
S. G. CALDWELL,
m18-4t. Galena, Md.

FOR SALE

IN WORTON STATION. 10¼ ACRES OF LAND, 6 ROOM DWELLING and plenty out buildings.
TERMS reasonable. Possession given January 1st, 1930.
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FOR SALE

THOROBRED HOLSTEIN BULL
3 YEARS OLD
Out of Dennis herd, Baltimore county.
Terms upon application. Apply to,
MORRIS K. BARROLL,
mr16. Chestertown, Md.

FOR RENT

DESIRABLE six room two and one-half story DWELLING HOUSE, with suitable outbuildings, garden and several acres of ground attached located near St. Pauls Church, 7th Election District.
R. HYNSON ROGERS,
m2. Chestertown, Md.

COWS FOR SALE

CHOICE DAIRY COWS for sale at all times. ALL T. B. TESTED. The kind that are giving satisfaction.
D. RAYMOND HILL,
m2-tf. Kennedyville, Md.
Telephone, Still Pond—61-F23.

GOMMENCEMENT VESPER SERVICE

The last college vesper service of the year will be held in connection with commencement week activities Sunday afternoon, June 9, at 3.45 p. m. The service will include a program by the musical clubs of the college and an address by Dr. Clarence True Wilson, General Secretary of the Board of Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morals of the Methodist Episcopal Church. Dr. Wilson received the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws from Washington College in 1926. The people of Chestertown and vicinity are cordially invited to this program.

This program will be the ninth in a series of programs that have been sponsored by the musical clubs of the college during the past year. This program will mark the last appearance of men from both organizations, the glee club losing Messrs. Babylon, Todd, and Lowe by graduation, while the orchestra will lose Messrs. Tedesco, Alderson, and Vaughn. The last named three men were charter members of the present orchestra which was organized during the fall of 1925. The first number played by the original orchestra in their first public appearance at a chapel service in 1925 will be the concluding number on the program of Sunday afternoon.

The program for Sunday afternoon follows:

1. (a) Overture, "Mignonette," Bauman. (b) "Valae," Schmidt—Orchestra.
2. "Soldiers Chorus," Gounod—Male Glee Club.
3. "Mazurka," Schmidt— Orchestra.
4. String Trio, "Andante Cantabile," Tschaikowsky. Messrs. Tedesco, Stevens, Willis, Livingood.
5. (a) Caprice, "Dance of the Crickets," Seredy. (b) "Chanson Populaire," Aletter—Orchestra.
6. Vocal Solo, Selected—Mr. Alderson.
7. "Stilly Night," Huff—Orchestra.
8. Address, Dr. Clarence True Wilson.
9. Male Quartette, "Jesus Still Leads On," Zinzendorf-Bryer—Messrs. Bennett, Cooper, Clackin, Moffett.
10. Overture, "Magneta," Huff—Orchestra.

DR. CLARENCE TRUE WILSON TO SPEAK

Dr. Clarence True Wilson, General Secretary of the Board of Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morals, Methodist Episcopal Church, Washington, D. C., is to speak at Washington College, Chestertown, Md., on Sunday afternoon, June 9th, at 3.45 p. m. His subject will be: "Jesus Christ, The Reformer."

Dr. Wilson is a native of the Eastern Shore. He was born in Milton, Delaware, attended St. John's School, Annapolis, and has held pastorates at Seaford, Delaware and other points nearby.

Perhaps no other churchman is so widely known as an orator and temperance and reform leader, as Dr. Wilson. For 19 years he has been at the head of the Methodist Temperance organization, and has participated in many of the state Prohibition campaigns throughout the country. As Secretary of the Board of Temperance, one of the official Benevolent Boards of the Methodist Episcopal Church, he holds one of the highest offices in the Church.

Dr. Wilson holds the degree of Doctor of Laws, conferred on him by Washington College.

STILL POND

Mrs. Clarence Ford and Mrs. E. K. Jones and little daughter, Hope Marie, visited their sister, Mrs. Lester Coleman in Baltimore, Md., this week.

Owing to the rain the audience which greeted the Chestertown Play on Wednesday evening was small. But the play was fine, and thoroughly enjoyed by those present.

Miss Francis Smith, of Clayton, and Miss Elizabeth Smith from near Kennedyville, Md., visited their friend Miss Florence Anthony last week end.

Miss Martha Jackson, of West Friendship, Md., spent this week with her friend, Mrs. Thomas Mann.

Children's Day services were enjoyed by a large crowd here on last Sunday evening. The committee who had charge are to be complimented for their good work. The children all took their parts well. The church was beautifully decorated and the singing by the choir was much enjoyed.

Miss Roena E. Shaner will Lecture at the church here tomorrow evening, June 9th at 8 p. m. Preceding the lecture from 7.30 to 8 o'clock there will be special music by Betterton Orchestra. Do not miss this rare treat. Free to all.

The Ladies' Aid Society held a very interesting meeting at the home of Mrs. F. H. Cornelious on Wednesday afternoon.

TRANSCRIPT'S MUISINGS

The White Peace

It lies not on the sunlit hill
Nor on the sunlit plain:
Nor ever on any running stream
Nor on the unclouded main—

But sometimes, through the Soul of Man,
Slow moving o'er his pain,
The moonlight of a perfect peace
Floods heart and brain. —Shone

"Who," "What" and "Where" figure largely in the conversations heard on the street at present. "Who will win the popularity contest?" Where will the new bridge find a habitation," Surely that right now seems to be, a most dreaded neighbor and last but not least what are our progressive town commissioners going to do to make the town more sanitary and inviting." All are vital things to be decided. No wonder they are the leading questions of the town.

It is sad to think how many things are growing smaller these days. The size of money grows smaller after the 1st of July and though they tell us that it will have the same value, the new tariff will see that it will not buy half as much as before, that we will have only one lump of sugar for sweetening instead of two, that one shoe will cost as much as a pair does now. Of course that will mean a gradual skrinking of our weight and a lessning of our no of shoes.

The fiercest agonies have shortest reign;
And after dreams of horror, comes again
The welcome morning with its rays of peace. —BRYANT.

Thrift

"Save, O save 'gainst a rainy day!"
Over and over the wise ones say;
And so I have gathered and gleaned and stored
Quite a remarkable, glittering hoard
Gainst any conceivably ruinous rain—
Safe in a beautiful castle in Spain.

ERNEST WALKER.

Nature's Service Satisfactory

From the Railroad Magazine

"You're not always troubled with poor light, are you?" said the company's inspector.

"Oh, no," said the patient customer.

"Aha, I thought so. It's only at certain times, eh?"

"Yes. Only after dark."

The Scotchman always comes in for a fair number of jokes.

One, listening on the radio, to the church service. When it was announced that the collection was to be taken up, quickly shut off the radio.

It seems that an old Tennesee Mountaineer was walking through the foothills one day when he found a mirror that some tourist had dropped. "Well, if it aint my old man!" he said looking at it. "I never knew he had his pitcher took."

The old fellow was so pleased with his discovery that he took the mirror home, stole up to the attic, and slipped it into an old trunk where he kept his treasures. But his actions did not escape the keen eye of his wife.

That night when all was still she crept up to the attic, took the key from his trousers and opened the box." Hm-m-m, she said, looking at the mirror. "So thats the old hag he has been chasing after!"

WORTON

Mrs. George Ashley, of Rock Hall, spent a few days this week with her aunt, Miss I. C. Cooper.

The Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williams Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Carter and children, of Wilmington, were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Rash.

Mrs. Lewis Wolf, of Baltimore, spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Marion Rash who is recovering from a recent illness.

Mrs. Carroll Loller who has been ill with tonsilitis is much improved at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams and Mrs. Williams' mother, Mrs. Urie, of Rock Hall, visited Mr. and Mrs. Alan Rouse, of Philadelphia, last week end.

Mrs. Harold Crew and daughter, Thelma, of North East, spent the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Loller.

Mr. Edgar Harris spent a few days this week in Baltimore.

Mrs. Wm. Long and son, Billy, of Frankford, Del., are the guests of her brother, Mr. James Matthews and family.

Wesley Chapel of Kent

C. Dawson, pastor. Last communion service of the conference year. You're invited to partake at our table if you're trying to live a christian life. Come out and enjoy an hour's worship with us.

IMPRISONED IN WELL WHEN BRICKS FALL

AGED COLORED MAN SUFFERS LITTLE AFTER BEING BURIED FOUR HOURS

Frisby Spencer, an aged colored man while working in a well at the home of Mr. Frank L. Elliott in Fairlee, had a narrow escape from drowning and suffocation when the bricks forming the sidewalls of the well caved in.

The accident occured about 2 p. m. Wednesday afternoon and help was immediately summoned from Chestertown representatives of the Chestertown Volunteer fire company, answering the call, taking a fire truck and the ambulance with them.

With the use of the ladders off the truck engineers Clark Davis and George Pennington took turns passing bricks out of the well and after three hours work reached one foot of the imprisoned man. At this point they found he was conscious and talked to him. After another hours work he was lifted out of the well. When found he was lying head down about ten inches above the surface of the water.

In the meantime, at the suggestion of Dr. H. G. Simpers, Mr. Fred S. Russell, chairman of the infirmary dept. of the Chestertown Fire Co., called and requested two oxigen outfits be sent by airplane. Thirty minutes after the call was made Messrs. J. R. Scott and Alfred Crawford of the Baltimore fire dept. were at the scene with the necessary apparatus and revived Spencer who had fainted after being brought out of the well. He was then rushed to Easton hospital in the local ambulance where he is being held under observation.

It is estimated that 3500 bricks were moved before Spencer could be moved.

INTERESTING SWEET CLOVER EXPERIENCES

Those interested in sweet clover pasture may see a very interesting case on the farm of R. B. Johnson, of Golt. Some seven years ago, Mr. Johnson seeded part of a wheat field with sweet clover. He obtained a splendid stand and used it for pasture. The clover was rank and seeded heavily. The land has been plowed and cropped with corn and wheat. No additional seed has been sown but the sweet clover grows luxuriantly on this field. On alternate years it seeds heavily and produces much pasture each year.

The writer saw the pasture recently. Sweet clover is growing splendidly from the seed dropped from the plants of last year Next year it will be plowed for corn and followed by wheat. Mr. Johnson fully expects the seed in the hulls now in the ground to reseed this land and to furnish more real pasture after the corn and wheat crops have been removed. Doubtless it will continue this way for years to come. It looks like an easy way to have good pasture.

On very thin poor soil on a knoll in this field where nothing grew previously the sweet clover is taking quite good growth and yielding considerable grazing.

Another interesting point is that other attempts to secure a stand of sweet clover in other fields have not been very successful.

Sweet clover makes a fine summer pasture when ordinary pastures are dried up and furnish little grazing, Old sweet clover pastures furnish feed until the sweet clover in wheat is 10-12 inches high. It is then grazed. It has far greater carrying capacity per acre than ordinary pastures as commonly handled.

HOME DEMONSTRATION NOTES

On next Thursday, June 13, the Rock Hall and Swan Creek Women's Clubs will hold their style show in the Church House at 2 p. m.

Many attractive and well fitting dresses are being shown at these meetings. It is surprising what results are achieved by adding a little extra thought and time.

Everybody is welcome to attend these meetings and if their is one in your neighborhood plan to be there.

The Flatland Woman's Club met with the Worton Ladies' Aid on last Wednesday at Mrs. Harry T. Williams. The Flatland Club showed their dresses which were very much admired. Those taking part were: Mrs. Wilbur Morris, Mrs. George Caroll, Misses. Bessie and Mary Nicholson, Mrs. Roland Kernan and Mrs. Wm. Knight. Some of the Fairlee Woman's Club were also present. Many thanks are due Mrs. Williams for her hospitality

—There will be a 100 per cent. talking picture at the New Lyceum Theatre tonight. Also good pictures every night next week see advertisement on page 4 of this issue.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

J. Waters Russell has sold for Jesse L. Shepherd the Caulk farm near Sassafras of 224 acres to George Johnston, of Galena.

Has also sold to Charles L. Hynson for John Gumpman his property at the Haven in Rock Hall of 6 acres.

SEED CERTIFICATION WORK

Farmers of Kent County who desire to have their small grains inspected, wheat, at this time, should get in touch with the County Agent so that the details of the rules and regulations may be explained. Professor Oldenburg, Extension Agronomist with the University of Maryland, will be in Kent around the middle of June to inspect the fields of those who enroll for the seed certification work. Certified seed sells at a premium and is the profitable kind to grow—also to sow.

LOCAL POULTRYMEN TO ATTEND SHOW

The big day of the year for Maryland Turkey and Poultry growers is June 14th, when the State and County Poultry Association, the U. S. Department of Agriculture and the University of Maryland join forces for an all day meeting at the Government Poultry Plant at Beltsville. Mrs. H. M. Baker will be one of the speakers.

Kent County poultrymen will make a tour and good time out of the trip. Join forces and go as a delegation.

It is a real treat to see the Plant at Beltsville, also the College Poultry Plant. Valuable information is acquired on such trips.

SHORE GOLF LEAGUE STARTS TODAY

The Shore Golf League will open its schedule today when the golf team of the Chester River Yacht and Country Club will play the Green Hill Country club at Salisbury. The match is scheduled to start at 1 p. m.

Those who will represent the local club are: Messrs. Ernest Strong, Claude Truslow, Neal Truslow, W. J. Stenger, Roland Corey, J. S. Metcalfe, H. S. Russell and R. H. Collins, Jr.

The match will be made up of four foresomes for the eighteen hole hatch, counting two points on each hole.

The Rehoboth Country Club will play the Dover Country Club at Dover at the same time.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE FOR HOSPITAL BOARD

At the joint meeting of the Executive Committee of the Kent County Public Health Association and the Hospital Campaign Committee hold at the Health Center Tuesday evening it was decided to appoint a nominating committee consisting of Messrs. Howard Turner, W. Irving Walker and Mrs. Nora C. Maxwell to make recommendations to the two bodies for members to serve on the Kent County Hospital Board for one year. Members of the Board of Managers will be selected from each community in Kent County and that section of Queen Annes which is taking an active part in the organization and support of the new hospital. A meeting of the committees will be held on Tuesday, June 11 to receive the recommendations of the three members of the nominating committee. On the 12th of June, the formal opening of the drive begins with an organization supper which will be held at the High School at 7.30 p. m.

NEW PRIZES FOR CONTESTANTS PLANNED

A feature of the meeting of the contestants of the Buy-In-Chestertown Popularity Contest held Tuesday night in the Court House was the invitation on the part of the merchants, participating in the campaign to the girls to express choice for second, third and fourth prizes. The first prize is a Chevrolet Cabriolet. The girls gave many ideas, none of which will be settled upon until a straw vote comes from all contestants who will be reached by mail. Among the articles mentioned by those who were present were a radio, a canoe, a watch, a diamond ring, a dress, a whole outfit of wearing apparel, a chest of silverware.

The meeting was well attended and much interest shown on the part of the girls who are working hard to increase business for the Chestertown merchants. Mr. J. S. Kreeger addressed the meeting.

The leading ladies this week are Mrs. Francis Needles, and the Misses Margaret Russell, Rachel Willis, Kathryn Ahern Ford and Helen Brown.

The next meeting will be held at the Court House on Tuesday, June 11.

—At the New Lyceum Theatre Friday and Saturday, June 14 and 15 there will be "Jeanne Eagels" another talking movie also Matinee Saturday afternoon, June 15.

PHYSICIANS ENDORSE HOSPITAL

The Campaign for a hospital for Kent and upper Queen Annes counties is practically ready to be launched. The community is tremendously interested and is not only in a state of mind to support it financially, but by personal cooperation. All will be interested to know the attitude of the physicians in Kent and Queen Annes County toward a hospital to be located at Chestertown. This attitude is best explained by the publication of the following which was signed by all the physicians of the two counties:

"We, the physicians of Kent and Queen Anne's Counties being duly licensed to practice medicine and surgery in the State of Maryland are desirous of having a county hospital built and maintained in Chestertown for the care of patients in the aforesaid counties. We, therefore, express ourselves as satisfied with the small beginning which has been made and do petition the governing board of the hospital to take immediate steps to either build or otherwise obtain a building suitable to meet the growing demands of people in this county who are in need of hospital care.

(SIGNED)

QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY—H. F. McPherson, W. Henry Fisher, Theodore Sattelmaier, John R. Benton, Dr. Charles E. Snyder, Samuel J. Price, C. H. Metcalfe, and N. S. Dudley.

KENT COUNTY—Frank B. Hines, H. P. Copeland, Charles W. Whaland, R. G. Beachley, George R. Jones, Frank W. Smith, W. O Selby, Edward A. Scott, Merritt Brice, H. B. Simmons, Harry L. Dodd, H. G. Simpers, L. P. Atwell, James W. Urie.

LOCAL CLUB BOYS IN BALTIMORE COUNTY

Kent 4-H Clover Club members and Local Leader and Assistant County Agent made a trip to Baltimore County on Thursday afternoon to visit dairy herds in that county and to assist in organizing a 4-H Calf Club in the Long Green Community of Baltimore County.

The party left Chestertown at noon for Towson where they joined Mr. H. B. Derrick, Co. Agt., of Baltimore Co., and former County Agent of Kent County. Several of the leading dairy herds of Baltimore County were visited and the Club Members were given instruction in Dairy Cattle Judging.

A delicious picnic lunch was arranged by Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Derrick which was very much enjoyed by all.

In the evening the group assisted Mr. Derrick in organizing a 4-H Calf Club in the Long Green Community of Baltimore County. The Kent Club Members made short talks, telling of their experiesces in 4-H Club Work. The Kent 4-H Clover Calf Club Quartet entertained with several songs.

The following made the trip from Kent: Stanley Sutton, Wilbur Morris, Norman Sutton, Albert Sutton, Frank Sutton, William Carroll and Assistant County Agent, J. Z. Miller.

GUERNSEY DAY AT CENTREVILLE

The Maryland Guernsey Breeders Association Field Day was held at Centreville on Friday, May 31st, and in connection with the show, a 4-H Guernsey Judging Contest was held. The contest was open to all 4-H Club members of Maryland and Delaware.

Two rings of Guernseys were judged. The first ring consisted of four mature Guernsey cows and the second of four yearlings heifers. Ten prizes of $2.50 each were awarded to the highest scoring club members; they were graded on the placing of the animals and on giving oral reasons for their placings. The highest scores were made by John Clarks, Charles Clarks and Hubert Barrow, all of Harford county.

The following 4-H members of Kent county attended the show and taak part in the judging contest: William Carroll,, Victor Hendrickson, Herschel Caroll, Edwin McCree, Steven McCree, Robert Fogwell, Norris Crew, Russell Miller, Robert Sutton, Wilson Sutton, Ringgold Wilson and Jesse Hurd.

Edwin McCree made the third highest score in judging the ring of mature Guernsey cowe. His score on this class was 170 noints out of a possible 200.

—Betterton opens up Saturday night with the first dance of the Season. These dances are always popular with the young people of Kent, and week end visitors. Dances will be held every Saturday night during June. Alderson's Orchestra will play at the Casino during the summer.

—A clinic for diseases of the chest will be conducted in Health Center, Chestertown, Monday, June 10, 1929. 10.30 a. m. Individuals desiring to attend should see their family physicians and obtain permission to attend clinic at the place announced above.

LOCAL FARMER KILLS SELF

Charles A. Miller, of Piney Neck, aged 47 years, committed suicide Wednesday morning by shooting himself with a shot gun. The shooting took place near Crouch's store, Piney Neck, and after placing the barrell of the gun against his stomach he pushed the trigger with a stick which he carried with him.

Relatives believe that poor health, following an operation, was the cause of the act. He was well known in Chestertown where he was superintendent of streets for a number of years. At the time of his death he was tenant on the farm of Dr. H. P. Copeland in Piney Neck. He was an industrious and hard working man and is survived by his wife and seven children.

Funeral services were held yesterday at 1 p. m., interment in St. Pauls cemetery. C. L. Dodd, undertaker.

CHESTER RIVER BRIDGE HEARING HELD

One hundred and forty five citizens of Chestertown and Queen Anne's county attended a hearing on the Chester River bridge held in the Court House, Chestertown on Wednesday afternoon of this week.

The meeting was called by the State Roads Commission for the purpose of hearing arguments for and against the three locations, High street, Maple Avenue and Barroll's hollow.

Senator S. Scott Beck acted as chairman and introduced Mr. H. D. Williar, Jr., chief engineer of the State Roads Commission, who explained the surveys made at the three locations.

Mr. Harrison W. Vickers, attorney for the Commissioners, represented the board and read two petitions favoring the location at High street.

Mr. W. B. Copper represented the Kent County Chamber of Commerce and pointed out that by a vote taken by the chamber among its members, a large majority favored the High street location. He also pointed out many advantages of that location.

Mr. C. E. Noland, representing the Chestertown Mercantile Section of the Kent County Chamber of Commerce spoke in favor of the High street location with many good arguments and also presented a petition favoring that location which had a large number of signers.

Judge Lewin W. Wickers spoke in favor of Barroll's hollow, pointing out many advantages of that location in routing traffic around Chestertown and also from a standpoint of waterfront beauty. He also advocated building additional road which would elininate the turn at Maple avenue.

Mr. J. D. Urie opposed Barrolls Hollow and pointed out that the advent of the air plane would prevent the supposed increase in traffic. His talk favored the High Street location.

Mr. W. H. Elliott read a carefully prepared paper opposing the High street location. He quoted figures showing that High street is crowded to capacity at the present time and nothing should be done to increase traffic on that street.

Mr. Wilbur Ross Hubbard opposed High street for the reasons of traffic and particularly as an obstruction which would materially destroy the beauty of the water front.

The Queen Annes deegation, lead by Senator Dudley G. Roe gave their opinion of the location. Mr. W. Irving Walker was the first speaker for this delegation and he bitterly opposed any location except the present site. He pointed out that Queen Anne's county should have an equal say in the bridge location and that the entire county was in favor of the Maple avenue location. He spoke of the property damage that would be suffered by the small colony on the Queen Anne's side of the bridge and the many advantages of the present location.

His statements were backed up by Mr. J. H. C. Legg, representing the County Commissioners of that county; Mr. H. B. W. Mitchel, a lawyer from Centreville; Mr. Polk T. Bramble, proprietor of Bramble Poultry Farm and Senator Dudley G. Roe.

Mr. W. F. Russell, Jr., spoke in favor of Maple Avenue from a traffic standpoint.

Mr. W. H. McKee favored Maple Avenue stating the amount of traffic that now passes down MapleAvenue by actual count. He stated that if this traffic was turned into High street there would be a terriable congestion.

Mr. Howard Bruce, a member of the commission, thanked those present for their expressions stating that many interesting points had been brought out.

The State Roads Commission was represented by Messrs. G. Clinton Uhl, chairman; Howard Bruce, John K. Shaw, H. D. Williar, Jr., chief engineer; Austin F. Shure, engineer of surveys; and Walter C. Hopkins, bridge engineer.

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