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ANNOUNCEMENT

DR. F. A. HOLDEN will be at the Health Center THURSDAY, JULY 18, from 2 to 6 p. m.

Practice limited to Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, Glasses prescribed.

jy13-1t.

CHICKEN AND WAFFLE SUPPER

A chicken and waffle supper for the benefit of OLD ST. PAULS CHURCH will be held at the home of Mrs. Nora C. Maxwell, Worton Point, on WEDNESDAY, JULY 24th.

FOR RENT

FARM NEAR CHESTERVILLE. CONTAINING 230 ACRES. Apply to,
jy13-3t. L. R. VANSANT, Agent.
Galena, Md.

LOST

A fountain pen with gold initials of C. L. A. was lost on the streets of Chestertown the first of the present week. Will finder kindly return it to
REV. C. L. Atwater,
jy13-3t. Chestertown, Md.

LAWN FETE

The annual Lawn Fete of MOTHER OF SORROWS CATHOLIC CHURCH, Centerville, Maryland, will be held on the church green on FRIDAY and SATURDAY evenings, JULY 19TH and 20TH. jy13

TO THE PUBLIC

To correct a statement which seems to have gotten circulated, I wish to say we are still the authorized dealers for the full line of "Chrysler Automobiles."

BACON AUTO SALES CO.,
jy13-1t. C. A. BACON.

APPLES FOR SALE

Transparent, astrakan and other varieties as the season advances, by bushel, hamper or peck. You may be interested in some to can. None will excel in cooking. $1 per bushel.
FLOWER GROVE FRUIT FARM,
Phone 807-F32 Worton, Md.
jy6-4t. Benjamin F. Rash, Prop.

FOR SALE

New Crop Kale seed—Cleaned, and ready to sow—75 cents per lb., 5 lbs. for $3.00. Post paid.
E. R ANTHONY,
jy6-3t. Chestertown, Md.

JOHN H. DWYER
AUCTIONEER
Worton, Maryland

Will cry sales of all kinds on short notice.

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FOR SALE

One Golden Sun fire place heater. Will sell cheap if removed at once.
Apply to, WILLIAM R. HOWELL,
402 Washington, Ave.
jn29-3t. Chestertown, Md.

FOR RENT

Dwelling house, Cannon Street, near Queen, Chestertown. Six rooms, bath and kitchen. All modern conveniences. Apply to,
jn-22 W. C. SUTTON.

FOR SALE

Two and a half story, frame dwelling in Kennedyville, Md., owned and occupied by Mrs. Emma Shafer; containing four rooms and pantry on first foor ; four bedrooms, bathroom and servant's room on second floor; attic third floor.

Dwelling has front and side porches, also screened kitchen porch, and large cellar. Outbuildings.

Dwelling in equipped with running water, electric lights, and hot air furnace.

Lot 50 ft. x 160 ft. Apply to,
jn22-3t. MRS. EMMA SHAFER,
Box No. 107, Kennedyville, 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.

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

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.

MURDER NEAR CHESTERVILLE

William Scott is in the Kent county jail charged with the murder of Charles Harris, both colored, near Chesterville, on Thursday evening of this week.

A quarrel arose between the two men at a dance in a vacant house at Spry's gate and Scott drew a pistol and shot Harris in the leg.

Harris was brought to Chestertown and rushed to Easton hospital in the local ambulance at 2 a. m. Friday morning where it was found impossible to operate due to loss of blood. Word was received from the hospital four hours later that Harris was dead.

In the meantime Sheriff J. Thomas Hadaway arrested Scott and lodged him in the county jail where he admitted the shooting but claimed self defense.

INTEREST IN HORSESHOE CONTEST

MANY ENTRANTS EXPECTED FROM KENT COUNTY

Much interest is being shown throughout Kent county in the state wide horse-shoe pitching contest which is being sponsored by the Baltimore Sun and under the supervision of the Public Athletic League.

Under the rules of the contest, each of the various communities shall have an elimination contest, the winners of which will pitch at the county seat for the county championship about the middle of August.

The winners of the County Championships will meet in Baltimore in September for the state championship.

Anyone interested in practicing for the contest should build a box for each peg about six inches in height and six feet square.

The peg shall be of iron, one inch in diameter and placed in the exact center of the box, ten inches above the surface with a two inch incline toward the opposite peg. The box is to be filled with six inches of potter's clay or similar substance and kept in a moist putty-like condition.

This equipment can be easily made at home and will give one the opportunity to practice under the exact conditions that the contests will be held.

The regulation 2 1-2 pound horseshoes should be used.

Probably the best solution of the community contests would be to hold a contest in each of the seven districts and the winners to compete in Chestertown for the county championship.

It is hoped that each community in the county will take an interest in this barn-yard golf contest as some of our citizens stand a good chance to win the state championship.

DEATHS

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Gears' infant son, Harold Gears passed away Tuesday, July 9. Funeral services at the home Wednesday at 10 a. m. interment in Still Pond cemetery. B. R. Fellows, undertaker.

Frank A. Greenhawk, son of R. N. and Elora Greenhawk, died on Thursday evening, June 27th at the home of his parents at Easton Point after an illness of several weeks of a complication of diseases, aged 44 years.

For a number of years Mr. Greenhawk was connected with the Boy Scout movement as Scoutmaster and later as Scout Executive in Wilmington, Del., over a period of seven years. From there he went to Lancaster, Pa., where he was Executive for two and a half years.

In this field of work he endeared himself to those with whom he came in contact, and many friends mourn his passing and will long remember his kindly traits.

Mr. Greenhawk, familiarly known as "Chief" was a native of Easton, and was one of its bright and progressive young men. He was educated in the public schools of Easton and graduated from the Easton High School. He taught school several years in Kent County, Maryland.

His funeral was held on Saturday afternoon at four o'clock with services at the home in charge of Rev. Walter A. Hearn of the M. E. Church, and interment was in Spring Hill Cemetery.

FARM SOLD

Mr. Louis Mench has purchased from Mr. Henry K. Miller the farm known as the Copper farm which Mr. Miller bought at public sale from the Joseph Vannort estate on June 25.

Mr. Miller paid $3,000 for this farm and sold it to Mr. Mench for $4,000 an advance of $1,000.

—Mr. Herman Blackway was the winner of one of the new Ford automobiles which were given away at the Greensboro Firemen's Carnival.

TRANSCRIPT'S MUISINGS

THE PLOW

Above yon somber swell of land
Thou seest the dawn's grave orange hue,
With one pale streak like yellow sand,
And over that a vein of blue.

The air is cold above the woods;
All silent is the earth and sky,
Except with his own lonely moods
The blackbird holds a colloquy.

Over the broad hill creeps a beam,
Like hope that gilds a good man's brow;
And now ascends the nostril-stream
Of stalwart horses come to plow.
Ye rigid plowmen, bear in mind,
Your labor is for future hours!
Advance—spare not—nor look behind—
Plow deep and straight with all your powers.

—HORNE

In the Registry of England there are many queer wills, some of them hundreds of years old, which are religiously carried out. One is that an English pound must be paid to a clergyman each year to preach a sermon on charity in a certain district in London. The money has accumulated with the years but thus it stand only one pound must be paid; another will leaves quite a sum to be spent in giving a number of families a loaf of bread every year, Rev. John Gwyin, rector of Bisley, Surrey, has left his whole estate, amounting to nearly $40,000, to provide knickers for boys, "and for no other purpose whatsoever."

A charitable trust, known as Gwyon's Foundation for Clothing Boys, has been set up. A reputable tailor is to be chosen, and eligible boys are to apply for knickers six weeks before Whitsuntide of each year. Under no conditions is the word "knickerbockers" to be interpreted to mean "shorts."

So it seems that some Englishmen have a prejudice against wearing "shorts" as well as our esteemed ambassador, Gen. Dawes, who has declared that he will go to the King audiences in his own dress suit and "never go too fine."

Wall street is certainly in it these days:

A Fine Mission Field

"Well, Wall Street is a place, or region,
Where many people need releegion,
And often, when the bears are through,
I'm sure there's mission work to do,
For inst., a scriptural quotation
Upon the ticker tape by way
Of spiritual consolation—
"Put not your trust in treasures here,"
"Riches take wings and disappear,"
"The good man's mite is better, oddly,
"Than all the gold of the ungodly"—
Any such tip, I dare to say,
Would brighten many a bluish day."

"No Regrets"

By Rev. H. C. Offerman

Hiding our disappointments, and going on.
There's no time for those who look back.
This Twentieth Century speed demands our all and best all the time.
And though it's snowing outside, you must accomplish something right through the snow.
And Happiness—Happiness is measured by the results we roll off.
Let us be content in the life that we have, making each day a sunshine day,
And Tomorrow is to be brighter than Today.

All Set

"Where were you boys when I called for you to help me an hour ago?" asked Farmer Jones at the supper table.

"I was in the barn, settin' a hen," said one.

"And I was in the loft settin' a saw," answered another.

"I was in grandma's room settin' the clock," came from the third boy.

"I was up in the pantry settin' a trap," said the fourth.

"You're a fine set," remarked the farmer. "And where were you?" he asked, turned to the youngest.

"I was on the doorstep, settin' still," was the reply.

Sale of a Masterpiece.—

It's written in boyish fashion,
A simple and childish scroll;
I wrote it when wild with passion
And in it I wrote my soul.

I gave not a thought to diction,
I gave not a thought to gold,
Nor if it were truth of fiction,
And now it's about to be sold.

For Commerce is e'er the destroyer
Of Art—and my fate I can see,
For she took it 'round to her lawyer—
And the guy who will buy it is me.

—Paul McCrea in Life.

REBUILDING FERTILIZER FACTORY

Construction work has started on the rebuilding of the Peerless Fertilizer Plant near Chestertown.

The building now under construction is a small building for mixing. A larger building will be constructed in the near future.

Mr. L. A. Pennington, contractor, is in charge of the building now under construction.

The fact that the fertilizer plant will be rebuilt, is good news as this plant has been a decided asset to the industrial life of this community for many years.

SLAG ROAD CONTRACTS LET

WORK TO BE FINISHED BEFORE DECEMBER NEXT

Bids for building 47.3 miles of slag road in Kent county, were opened by the Commissioners of Kent county on Tuesday if this week.

Th contract was awarded to T. E. Russell and E. L. Major, contractors, of Frederick, Maryland, being low bidders, the bid being 41.4 cents per square yd., or $2185 per mile.

It is understood that the 47.3 miles will be completed before December 1st, 1929.

The bids were as follows:

T. E. Russell & E. L. Russell, of Frederick, $2185 per mile.

Charles J. Speilman, of Baltimore, $2376.

J. D. Phillips $3115.20.

Alfred Thompson & L. A. Wilson, of New Jersey, $2445.

Field, Baker & Underwood, of Philadelphia, $.55 per sq. yd.

Wallace, Lozour & Wall $2340.

H. B. Messenger Jr., of Federalsburg, not considered as bid did not conform with specifications.

There were no local bidders for the work and the bid of $2185 per mile, which was accepted, is considered to be very reasonable.

FARMERS BUILDING CONCRETE SILOS

RESULTS AND COSTS TO BE OBSERVED

Much interest is being manifested in the effort of a number of Kent County Farmers to build permanent silos at the least possible cost to themselves. They have chosen to pool their interests in the purchase of cement, reinforcing steel, forms and in hiring an experienced worker in concrete to direct the farm labor in carrying out the construction plans for the erection of the monolithic or solid, single walled concrete silos.

All of this group are to build of the same size from the same set of forms. Detailed records of labor and materials are to be kept. The results will be open to those who desire to compare costs of such silos with the cost of commercial types erected by the manufacturers representatives.

This movement is in no wise an attempt to take business away from any one. It is the hope of those active in the work that many who are hesitating over silo building will be convinced that they can erect an adequate permanent silo at less cost than they have believed possible. The idea will appeal only to those who are convinced that they can use the farm teams, labor and equipment to advantage and thus enable them to benefit from the resulting economy in the cost of producing milk or beef, which the silo provides. Some who devote all their time and equipment to their farming will perfer to buy commercial silos and have them erected. Some will prefer the commercial silo. Some will not be position to build the Monolithic silo.

There is a place for every type of silo. There is need for a silo on every dairy or beef farm keeping 12 to 15 or more head of cattle. Silos of different sizes are needed. The big idea is to have a silo of some sort of the right size on every farm needing a silo.

GOLFERS AT DOVER TODAY

The golf team of the Chester River Yacht and Country Club will play the Dover team at the Dover Country Club today, Saturday, starting about 1.30 p. m.

The local golfers will arrive in Dover at 12 N. and after a luncheon at the club the match will start.

With all the golf teams evened up in matches won and lost, Saturdays matches will have an important bearing on the championship.

Those who will probably represent the local club in the match are: Messrs. C. Truslow, J. Stenger, R. Corey, H. Derringer, D. Falls, T. Kibler, H. Russell, Chief Beatty, E. Strong and R. Collins.

A TRUE FISH STORY

Messrs. W. H. Truslaw, Claude E. Truslow, Edward W. Emory, all of Chestertown, and Mr. Robert Emory, of New Jersey, spent the past week end on a fishing trip at Chincoteague Island.

The result of the catch was six channel bass, the largest of which weighed thirty seven and half pounds.

Just one week before this trip a new world's record in the taking of channel bass was established in Del-Mar-Va waters at Chincoteague Island, Va. Charles Beckman, of Brooklyn, N. Y., on Friday, June 29, landed a channel bass weighing 71 pounds which was 54 inches in length, with a girth of 34 inches. The former record was a bass weighing 65 pounds taken off the New Jersey coast several years ago.

On returning to the Island the fish was frozen in a cake of ice and shipped to New York where it was put on exhibition in a dispplay window of a newspaper. Later it will be turned over to the Museum of Natural History which institution will have it mounted and placed on exhibition.

KILL THE MEXCAN BEAN BEETLE

HOW TO IDENTIFY THEM—HOW TO CONTROL THEM

The County Agent reports that the Mexican Bean Beetle is very commonly found in Kent County and is doing much harm in farm and village gardens not in the commercial bean fields where power sprayers are available and close supervision given.

Now the beetles are or soon will be attacking the lima beans. Later they will go after the soybeans and cowpeas.

It is very important to kill off the destructive larvae now, so that they may not mature to bring forth larger and larger generations as the summer advances.

Many people with string beans have sought information on how to control the beetle in the garden. It is not safe to use arsenicals on string beans after the pods form. Pyrethrum powder (Persian Insect Powder) is safe and fairly effective in a strong solution:—1 oz. Pyrethrum and 1-2 oz. soap to 1 gallon of water is recommended. It may be used with less water. It is safe and can be applied with the little hand sprayer most people have. The spray material must be put on the under side of the leaves where the larvae work.

For the limas, arsenicals may be used until the pods are formed as follows: Magnesium spray, four (4) tablespoonfuls magnesium arsenate, one (1) tablespoonful flour (or casein spreader), three (3) gallons water. Mix the arsenate and flour with a little water to form paste, then add to the balance of the water and mix thoroughly.

Many people are not familiar with the appearance of the beetle. The following may help them to recognize them. The adults are smaller than the adult Colorado potato beetle. They are lemon colored, changing to brown, with 10 to 15 black spots arranged in three rows over the top of the body covering. The larvae as they hatch from the eggs are covered with a spiny white coat. They turn lemon colored and grow to be spotted like the adults. They feed on the underside of the leaves and eat away the leaf tissue, leaving the framework of the leaf. They are greedy feeders and soon ruin a crop if not controlled.

In the commercial fields, the commercial dusts commonly called 20-20-60 is used in a power dusting machine. Those with spray rigs properly equipped to spray upward from below, use calcium arsenate Bordeau spray.

Those seeking further information should get in touch with the County Agent.

IN MEMORIAM

THOMAS—In loving memory of my dear friend, Annie Matthews Thomas, who was called away January 12th, 1929.

Six months have passed, dear Annie,
But my heart is just the same;
For many a tear has fallen
At the mention of your name.

In my heart your mem'ry lingers,
Sweetly, tenderly and true;
There are many days, dear Annie,
When I sadly think of you.

I trust you're with the Saviour
In the heavenly home above,
Where all is joy and pleasure
And everlasting love.

By her friend,
Florence V. Kendall.

Thinking now of the months gone past,
Your kindly eyes until the last.
Your going left an aching heart
That forces oft the teardrop's start.
My love for you was so sincere
I never shall forget you, Dear.

Your friend,
Stella Bratt

SHEEP DAY PLANS COMPLETED

Plans are progressing for an important sheepmen's event at Centerville, Queen Annes County on Tuesday, July 16th. The main feature of the day will be the Third Annual Ram Sale conducted by the Maryland Stockmen's Association. Colonel H. D. Wolfe, Vice-president of the Association will officiate as auctioneer. Colonel Wolfe is well known to Maryland stockmen as a farmer, legislator and sheepman.

Consignments are already arriving for the sale and include shipments of rams from breeders in Maryland, Virginia and Pennsylvania. The following is a list of consignors: Belair Farms, Bowie, Maryland; H. P. Miller, Grantsville, Maryland; M. C. Sherman, Queenstown, Maryland; J. W. Swaren, Brookeville, Maryland; Roy C. F. Weagly, Hagerstown, Maryland; E. F. & H. H. Hockman, Strasburg, Virginia and the St. Amour Company, Coatesville, Pennsylvania.

About 45 registered rams make up the sale list. They are all Hampshires and Shropshires. Lamb producers show considerable preference for these two breeds. They have found that choice lambs can be produced by using high class rams on grade ewe flocks. Such lambs have commanded a premium during the past few years, and the Eastern Shore is attaining a reputation for producing excellent winter lambs.

Following the sale, which will be held under the trees on the Court House lawn, there will be a lamb posting demonstration. The object is to familiarize farmers with the common parasites of sheep.

County Agent J. D. McVean is planning an excursion of farmers to the sale and anyone interested in going should see him at once.

FOUR APPENDICITIS CASES ONE DAY

On Wednesday of this week four citizens of Kent county were taken to hospitals for operations for appendicitis.

The first call for the local ambulance was made Wednesday morning from Rock Hall when Mr. Harry Carter, Jr., of that town, was taken with appendicitis. The ambulance made the trip to Rock Hall then to Baltimore via the Tolchester Ferry. While the ambulance was on this trip calls for appendicitis cases were made from Miss Mable Porter and Mr. Bates Chairs, of Chestertown, and Mr. Raymond Price, of Still Pond.

The first two were carried to hospitals in automobiles, Miss Porter going to Easton and Mr. Chaires to Maryland General Hospital, Baltimore. Mr. Price was taken to the Easton hospital in the ambulance of Mr. B. R. Fellows.

On Saturday of last week Mr. Earl Cooper, salesman in the hardware store of Mr. W. M. Culp, was operated on for appendicitis in a Wilmington hospital and at this writing is getting along nicely.

AIRSHOW IN CHESTERTOWN

The first performance of the new Robbins Airplanes on the Eastern Shore will take place when the Curtiss Flying Service, of Baltimore, stages its summer airshow at its Chestertown airport, Saturday afternoon, July 20th.

The Curtiss people will have eight closed planes on exhibition; three Falcons, belonging to the Maryland National Guard; will execute daring airmaneouvers, and a Fledgeling will do some of the latest tricks in stunt flying.

It is expected several airports will send representatives planes for exhibition purposes. The airshow is being held under the auspices of The Kent County Chamber of Commerce.

CATLIN HOME SOLD

A telephone message from Mrs. Henry W. Catlin, in New York, to Mrs. Dr. Charles W. Whaland, on Thursday of this week, stated that the Catlin home, on Front and Cannon streets, had been sold to Father Howell, an Episcopal preacher from Connecticut.

It is understood that Father Howell will take possession in about three weeks and make his summer home here. He is interested in yachting and will build a boat house on the river side of the property.

The Catlin home is one of the most historic homes in this section and since its renovaton by Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Catlin, it has been one of the show places on the Eastern Shore. The sale price of the property is reported to be $30,000.

OUTGOING MAIL LATER

Although no official notice of a change in mail schedule has been received at the local post office, the afternoon north bound mail truck is leaving Chestertown about 4.30 p. m. instead of 4 p. m., the former schedule. The time of leaving Centreville is 4 p. m. making it a half hour later here.

This change is a convenience to outgoing afternoon office mail. It has been in effect for about two weeks. Due to no official notice of the change, it is not known how long this will continue.

BETTER MAIL SERVICE UP-COUNTY

A telephone message from Hon. T. Alan Goldsborough to the Transcript office on Thursday stated that a new mail truck will be put on July 22nd to serve Massey, Millington and Sudlersville.

The truck will leave Galena at 8 a. m. for the above named towns giving them an early morning incoming mail.

In a communication from Congressman Goldsborough several weeks ago, he stated that he was endeavoring to secure better mail service for these towns.

MIDDLETOWN LEAGUE CHAMPION

The first half of the 1929 season of the Chesapeake Bay Baseball League closed July 4th with Middletown, Del., in the lead.

This league, which includes three Kent county teams, has revived interest in baseball in this section and much enthusiasm is being shown by fans of the various teams.

The standing of the clubs at the end of the first half of the season were:

Middletown—First place.
Kennedyville and Cecilton—Tied for second place.
Galena—Third place.
Sudlersville—Fourth place.
St. James—Fifth Place.

The first games of the second half which were played Saturday resulted as follows:

Galena defeated St. James.
Cecilton defeated Kennedyville.
The Middletown and Sudlersville game was postponed due to the wheat harvest.

TEN TON TOMATO CONTEST ON

The contest among tomato growers of Maryland to stimulate yield and increase profits on tomatoes for canning is on. A goodly number of Kent County growers are signing up for the effort to produce ten (10) tons or more of tomatoes per acre. Details may be obtained from the County Agent. The entries must be made at once.

A number of valuable prizes will be awarded. Two acres is the minimum requirement for entry. All the acreage on any farm must be entered not the best portion. Competition adds interest to all endeavor. It is hoped many will compete to make the race most interesting. This Maryland idea is arousing much interest in other States.

A new bulletin "More Tomatoes from Fewer Acres" is available at the County Agent's office. It is full of valuable information.

[illegible] BADLY BURNED

Thomas Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Bennett Wilson, of Rock Hall, is in a serious condition at his home in that town as the result of being badly burned. The young man, in the act of burning a pile of rubbish in the rear of his home and in order to make the fire burn quickly, poured a quantity of gasoline on the pile the blaze from which instantly flew into the man's face burning him seriously about the face and head.

It is not believed however that his eyesight will be affected. He is about 23 years old and is under the care of a physician.

FARM BUREAU TO HAVE NEW [illegible] QUARTERS

The work of erecting a large warehouse and office building on a lot recently purchased by the Kent County Farm Bureau from L. Bates Russell on the outskirts of town is progressing rapidly, and the business of the Farm Bureau of which James D. Davis, Jr., is secretary-treasurer will shortly be moved to the new quarters. The increased business of the bureau it is said necessitated larger quarters. The new building is on the Chestertown-Rock Hall boulevard.

—Fire destroyed a bed in a house in the Santiago section of Chestertown on Tuesday of this week. The local fire company responded to the call.

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