THE TRANSCRIPT

THE TOMATO INDUSTRY in Kent county this year has proven a blessing to our tomato growers. With a short wheat yield and an almost corn crop failure our farmers were put to it to find a profit plus farm expenses. The late rains, however, produced an almost unprecedented yield of tomatoes which have been marketed at fair price thus releaving a bad financial situation of our agricultural interests. With the milk, tomato, turkey and other poultry raiser by our farmers most of them, it is said, will at least break even. It has long since been an established fact that our farmers cannot make a profit forming by depending on wheat and corn raising, but must find some other crop in addition to grain from which they can make a fair profit.

HEARING ON CHINCOTEAGUE WATERWAY

Of vital interest to the people of Delaware, Maryland and Virginia is the hearing to be held before the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors, Washington, D. C., on October 22nd, on the propsed improvement of the inland waterway from Chincoteague Bay, Va., to Delaware Bay, Del.

Congressman T. Alan Goldsborough, representing the Eastern Shore of Maryland, has for some time been working to secure a favorable report on the project, and the District Engineer has recommended to the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors that the United States provide a waterway six feet deep and construct and operate two draw bridges over the Assowomon Canal. The Board did not accept the recommendation of the District Engineer, and in order that all persons interested may have opportunity to express their views, it was agreed to hold a hearing.

Not only are the local people interested, but Congressman Goldsborough has been informed the business people of Norfolk, Va., and vicinity, are vitally interested in the proposed improvemend, and will be represented at the hearing.

The improvement proposed is completion of work which has been partially done on the waterway at intervals extending over a period of many years. The entire length of the waterway is 76 miles. Because of numerous shoals, lack of sufficient clearance at the fixed bridges, and the poor entrance at Delaware Bay, the waterway is divided into detached sections each of which has a stugling commerce of its own. If there was a continuous six foot channel from Chincoteague Bay to Delaware Bay, with the neceessary harbor and jetty improvements, commerce could be carried on between points on the waterway and Philadelpnia at a great saving in freiget cost.

Secretary of War, Good in an address presented before the Atlantic Coastal Deep waterway Association advocated very strongly the importance of the development of waterways as a policy of the nation's progress, and President Hoover in his message to that organization emphasizd the need of dvelopment of "this essential basis of transportation."

A nation-wide interest is being manifested in the development of our waterways, and Congressman Goldsborough points out the importance of the proposed waterway from Chincoteague Bay to Delaware Bay as a very essential part of any program of waterway development on the Atlantic seaboard.

OYSTERS SCARCE IN KENT WATERS

Kent county oystermen report a great scarcity of the bivalves in the Bay and Chester River, although the oysters that are caught are in good condition. Swan Point bar, which has probably had more ups and downs in past years from an oyster producing standpoint, has very few oysters this season.

Marked improvement in the number of spat clinging to 1,200,000 bushels of oyster shells which have been planted by the State in the Chesapeake Bay and its tributaries in the last two years was reported this week by Swepson Earle, State Conservation Commissioner.

Mr. Earle said that tests made September 1 were discouraging, but that more recently other samples taken out of the bay waters have indicated that shell-planting will be effective toward the rehabilitation of oyster production in the State.

Exhibits Sample

He exhibited one sample of two oysters, taken from Tar Bay, inside of Barren Island, which had 157 small oysters growing to its sides. Mr. Earle pointed out that this number, full grown would approximate a half barrel of oysters.

While the shells were planted by the department during the last two summers, it is not expected that any material benefits will result for at least another two years, giving the oysters time to reach sufficient size. Mr. Earle explained that a number of small oysters clinging to a shell eventually break off when they reach fair size.

In preparation for the opening of the dredging and scraping season November 1, Mr. Earle, with the department's seafood advisory committee and a representative from the United States Bureau of Fisheries, will inspect the dredging areas north of Sandy Point and Love Point next week.

Pointing out that dredging and scraping for oysters constitutes one of the most important occupations for watermen, Mr. Earle said it was important for them to know the quantity available this season, which continues through March 15.

DEATHS

One of the saddest accidents we have ever been called upon to record is that of Mrs. Keith Sturgis, who was formerly Miss Katherine Brice, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Brice formerly of this county, but now residents of Far Hills, N. J. Mrs. Sturgis was an experienced horsewoman and a professional rider. She was thrown from the horse while riding at a meeting of the Orange County Club horse show, in a hurdle exhibition, the horse tripping as it took the last hurdle throwing her, her foot becoming caught in the strup which prevented her from freeing herself from her mount. A fractured skull resulted in her death early Sunday morning. A large crowd of spectators saw the accident. She was unconscious when picked up and was rushed to the Somerville, New Jersey, hospital.

Mrs. Sturgis was 22 years old and had been married but a year. She spent her early youth in Kent and was always fond of horses. Mr. Brice, her father, is the master of hounds at the hunt club at Far Hills. Her marriage there last year was a brilliant affair and she was a very popular member of the younger set of that place.

Mrs. Sturgis had participated in many races and hunts at Far Hills and was a noted rider and possessed a keen knowledge of horses. She had selected many horses who later proved prize winners.

She is survived by her husband, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Brice, and three sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Maury, Mrs. Isabelle Pitcin and Miss Virginia Brice.

Funeral services were held Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock at St. Lukes Protestant Church, Peapack, New Jersey. Interment was made Wednesday afternoon at 3.30 in Chester cemetery here.

Two deaths in one family within a period of 24 hours were recorded locally this week. The wife and the sister of Mahlon P. Lee, formerly of this county but lately of Newark, Delaware, died within a few hours of each other, one at Newark and one at Fairlee.

Mrs. Ida Hudson Lee, 45, wife of Mahlon P. Lee and daughter of the late George T. and Ida M. Hudson, died Sunday evening at her home in Newark, Delaware. She is survived by her husband and three children, Mahlon Jr., George Hudson and Sarah Louise. One brother, G. Raymond Hudson, of this county, also survives.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of Mr. Walter U. Lusby, High Street, Chestertown. They were conducted by the Reverend W. E. Habbart, a former pastor of the Fairlee M. E. Church, who was assisted by the Rev. Robert Green and the Rev. E. A. Sexsmith. Interment was made in Chester Cemetery. The bearers were: Messrs. Walter U. Lusby, William G. Smyth, Dr. Frank W. Smith, James A. Ward, Romie Younger and William Barnes.

Mrs. Zadie M. Barnes, 53, wife of Walter B. Barnes, died Monday at her home in Fairlee, after a long illness. She is survived by her husband, one son, George Lee Barnes, and three brothers, Mahlon P. Lee, George O. Lee, and Harry L. Lee.

Funeral services were held from Salem M. E. Church, Fairlee, Thursday morning at 11 o'clock. The services were in charge of the Rev. Robert Green.

The bearers were: Messrs. George O. Lee, Harry L. Lee, C. Frank Crow, E. J. Watson, Elwood Burgess and Weldon Walbert. Interment in Chester cemetery. Charles L. Dodd had charge of the funeral arrangements.

Capt. Thomas E. Brice, passed away at his late home in Betterton Monday evening, at 5.15 in his 64th year.

Mr. Brice has been a life long resident, a man of sterling character with a quiet disposition that endeared him to his fellow man. He followed the water all his life. He was a member of St. Johns by the bay. Also a member of the Odd Fellows Lodge.

He is survived by his wife who devotedly attended to his every want and comfort and five children, Hydie, Ida May, Howard, Evelyn, Frances. Also three brothers, and two sisters, Horace, Samuel, Harper, Lucille and Mamie.

Funeral services were held at his late home Thursday afternoon, at 2 p. m. Rev. John White assisted by Rev. S. S. Hepbron, officiated. B. R. Fellows, undertaker. Interment in Still Pond cemetery. The pall bearers were: Messrs. C. Horsey, J. Crew, A. Bowman, Carl Norris, C. W. Hague, W. J. Hopkins. The Odd Fellows lodge had charge of the service at the grave.

Mrs. Josephine Vansant, wife of William J. Vansant, of Rock Hall, died Thursday, October 17th at Easton hospital aged 68 years. She was taken to Easton hospital on Wed[illegible] in the Kent county ambulance.

Besides her husband she is survived by one son, and daughter by a former marriage, William Melvin Warner, of Rock Hall, and Clara Olive Britten, of New Jersey.

Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon, October 20th, at Adventist Church with Elder Irland, president of the Adventist Conference, in charge. Interment will be at Wesley Chapel cemetery.

The bearers will be Messrs. Charles S. Vansant, Harry H. Vansant, Henry Urie, John T. Crouch, John Dowling and Arthur Urie. C. L. Dodd, undertaker.

NOTE WRITTEN BY LOST FLIER FOUND

KINKAWLAGE, Donegal, Irish Free State, October 17.—A penciled note reading "going down in mid-Atlantic, engine trouble," found off the Donegal Coast in a rusty tin yesterday is believed here to be one written by Lieutenant Commander H. C. MacDonald, who was lost in an unsuccessful attempt to fly from Harbor Grace to London just a year ago.

The note has been sent to Mrs. MacDonald for possible identification.

British officers at Fort Lenan and civic guards who have seen the note declared they were satisfied as to its authenticity.

Lieutenant Commander MacDonald left Harbor Grace in a tiny Moth plane, October 17, 1928. He was last seen about 700 miles out at sea after his take-off, apparently all well.

The note found yesterday was written on the leaf of a diary from which the date had been obliterated. It was signed by what appeared to be "McDonnell."

New York police had turned over to them late in last October a note found near Staten Island which read "Down off coast of Ireland. Captain MacDonald." They considered that message a hoax.

STILL POND

Don't forget the regular meeting of Friendship Rebekah Lodge on next Thursday evening, October 24th. Important business as the Annual Supper will be held on November 2nd.

The devotional service of the Epworth League will be lead on Sunday evening by Mr. Wm. L. Ford.

Mrs. Elizabeth Price is spending some time with her daughter, near Cecilton.

Miss Clara Medders and friend from Philadelphia, Pa., spent last week end at her home here.

Mrs. John Robinson has returned home after visiting her daughter in Baltimore, Md.

Miss Anna Clark and brother, Charles Clark and Mr. Earl Meeks spent last week end at Atlantic City, N. J.

Miss Vernie Grusen, of Philadelphia, Pa., spent last Sunday with friends here.

Miss Elizabeth Smith and Miss Helen Taylor were delegates from here to the Epworth League Convention which met at Easton on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. Rev. and Mrs. W. D. Short also attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew with Mr. Andrws' mother, and brother, from Cumberland, Md., Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Marble and Mrs. Leva Kendall, of Rock Hall, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Nicholson over last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Robinson and Wesley are visiting Baltimore and Washington.

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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22
Richard Barthelmess
—in—
"Out Of The Ruins"

He hid from life in the ruins —he came out of the ruins to death. A man condemned to live in the shadow of a great love—never to realize it until he makes the supreme sacrifice.

Added—Pathe SOUND News —Paramount SOUND Act—Comedy.

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Clara Bow
—in—
"Three Week Ends"

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Added—"Reckless Rosie," a Paramount Comedy—MY WIFE a Columbia-Victor SOUND Gem.

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Loans and Discounts	$ 968,258.92
Overdrafts	221.59
United States Government securities owned	115,500.00
Other bonds, stocks, and securities, owned	641,392.53
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	70,000.00
Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	79,460.45
Cash and due from Banks	35,484.84
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	625.00
Total	$1,910,943.33

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in	$50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net	43,918.19
Reserves for dividends, contingencies, etc	15,000.00
Circulating Notes Outstanding	12,000.00
Due to banks, including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding	702.90
Demand deposits	378,296.01
Time deposits	1,271,026.23
Bills payable and rediscounts	90,000.90
Total	$1,910,943.33

State of Maryland, County of Kent, ss: I, Wm Robt. Huey, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WM. ROBT. HUEY, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of October, 1929.

ENNA D. BAXTER, Notary Public

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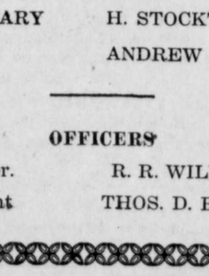
SCOTT CROWNHART

late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, of the undersigned on or before the 1st day of March, 1930, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's personal estate.

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