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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15TH, 1930

CHESTERTOWN ARMORY

NOTICE

A special meeting of the Kent County Public Health Association is called for Tuesday, January 14, 1930, at 8.00 p. m. at the Health Center for the purpose of amending the Constitution. All members are urged to attend.

WOOD FOR SALE

Sawed in stove length and delivered at your home, at $10.00 a cord. Apply to,

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At my place "DUNMOVIN" near ROCK HALL, MD., the following articles at reasonable prices:

Studebaker touring car.
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Steel office filing cabinet.
Old Mahogany dining room set—buffett, table and chairs.
Small dining room set.
Three bedroom sets.
Miscellaneous small pieces of furniture.

Spring harrow, drag, clover seeder, Grass mower, Lawn mowers, wagon harness, buggy harness, plow harness, corn planter, plows, land cultivator, corn sheller, brooder houses, brooder stoves, and miscellaneous small carpenter, machine and garden tools.

d14. MRS. I. W. LEONARD.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

Notice is hereby given to the stock holders of the THIRD NATIONAL BANK OF CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND that the regular ANNUAL MEETING for the election of a Board of Directors for the ensuing year will be held at their banking house in Chestertown, Maryland, on TUESDAY, JANUARY 14, 1930, between the hours of 10 a. m., and 2 p. m.

d7-6t. W. R. HUEY, Cashier.

AUCTIONEER

I am prepared to sell at Public Auction, Real Estate and Personal Property.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

DR. F. A. HOLDEN will be at the Health Center
THURSDAY, JANUARY 16th, 1930, hours from 2 to 6 p. m.
Practice limited to Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, Glasses prescribed. a10-1t

STOCK TURKEYS FOR SALE

Raised a few over 1500 turkeys in 1929, 1400 of which are May and June hatched. Nine years of careful breeding and raising back of our birds. Husky breeding stock and winners at the big turkey shows.

Pullets from $10 up, cockerels from $15 up.

Show birds quoted individually on request.

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TOMS $15 UP; PULLETS $10 UP

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Household furniture—beds, Latrobe stoves, kitchen and gas ranges, etc.

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FURNISHED ROOM[illegible] at [illegible] of

HEALTH NOTES.

KEEPING THE MOUTH HEALTHY

Asked to outline the plan of work for the Division of Oral Hygiene recently established in the State Department of Health, Dr. Richard Clay Leonard, Chief of the Division, said: "First of all you want to remember that oral hygiene means mouth health. So far as the individual is concerned mouth hygiene implies the care that keeps the mouth with special reference to the teeth in good health. This is accomplished by practicing certain rules of cleanliness; by special attention to the diet and by the early repair of defects or decay found in the teeth.

"The activities of the Division will be limited to children who are getting ready for school and to children already in school. The aim will be threefold preventive, to protect the teeth from the encroachment of decay; corrective, to make necessary repairs; and educational, to advise and instruct children and their mothers as to the diet that will help most to build strong healthy teeth and the care that will keep them healthy and resistant to decay.

"To have healthy teeth you must have a healthy start. You have to go back to the diet and health of the mother to insure healthy teeth for the child. In order that it may help in the formation of strong. healthy teeth, the diet of the mother must be rich in lime salts, that is, in tooth or bone forming minerals. The foods that are especially rich in such substances include milk, butter, cheese and other dairy products, oranges and other fruits, tomatoes and green leafy vegetables. Such foods are necessary not only for forming strong healthy teeth, but for keeping them in good condition all through life.

"Teeth are not always perfectly formed. Often there are slight defects in the structure of a tooth when it comes through the gum. These defects tiny cracks or crevices in the enamel offer an easy place for decay causing germs to start their work. As soon as these tiny imperfections are discovered they should be remedied. A child of three or four years can have such defects repaired with little or no trouble, no pain and little expense. Such corrective work wil insure the keeping of the first or 'baby' teeth until the regular time for 'shedding' them. It is of the utmost importance that these baby teeth be looked after with as much care as is given to the second or 'permanent' teeth. A young child's mouth should be carefully examined, and if necessary, treated at least once a year, by a competent dentist.

"The Division of Oral Hygiene plans to continue the school clinics already in existence and to extend the service in other counties. These clinics will be for pre-school children as well as for children already in school."

LEWIS WILEY TO DELIVER COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

Louis Wiley, business manager of the New York Times, will deliver the Commencement address at Washington College on June 9th, according to an announcement made this week by college authorities. "The Daily Newspaper and its Influence on College Life" will be the theme of the address to be delivered in Chestertown.

Mr. Wiley, whose success as business manager of the Times has been one of the outstanding features in newspaper annals, was born on May31 1869, at Hornell, N. Y. He attended private school in Mt. Sterling, Ky. Honorary degrees have been bestowed upon him by several colleges and universities. He has the honorary degree of M. A. from the University of Rochester; an honorary degree of L. L. D. from the University of Kentucky and Wabask College; and an honorary degree of Litt. D. from Alfred University.

He has been the business manager of the New York Times since 1896 and during this period the paper has grown to a position where it is considered to be the outstanding newspaper of the time.

LOST

SMALL BLACK SUITCASE

Between Church Hill and Centreville Thursday morning about 10.15 a. m. Liberal reward offered for the return of same. Notify

THE TRANSCRIPT
d28. Chestertown, Md.

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TRANSCRIPTIANA

DON'T WAIT

BY ALICE MATHEWS

A thousand favors we will do
Sometime maybe, e'er day is through
A smile we'll give, a kindly word,
When by the right impulse we're stirred
But why not now? O friend don't wait,
Diverted you may be, or late.

For love itself, I have been told
Just so much grief and woe can hold,
And lacking spreading sympathy
'Tis scheduled oft dislike to be;
For lovely flowers one can divide
By scissors sharply swift applied.

Thus slides affection from its base
To some more comely living place,
And he who waits to prove his heart
May see all joy from him depart.
The lattice of old Time doth show
Great ravages to prove this so.

Don't wait for tears to make eyes wet
For weeping management ne'er set
One table for love perfectly
Though veiled in curious secrecy.
If you love much, its spreading flower
Give graciously this very hour.

Three Chums who try to follow all the health hints and remedies for fallen arches and double chins, recently read that the proper way to sleep if one wanted to lengthen one's years is to sleep on the back so as to bring all the organs of the body into play. They tried it in the one bedroom of their hunting lodge and now they are convinced that all their organs are saxophones. They would rather not live so long as to go through a night like that again.

Just to think! Fashions are pointing to the hour glass figure and sweeping dresses again. There may be many autocrats, but show us a greater tyrant than Dame Fashion herself.

In Pope's translation of th Odyssy he makes Penelope say in her lament over the departure of her son:

"Another column from the state is torn,
Nor took a fond adieu, nor asked consent."

In our Literature class we were taught that Pope used a faulty metaphor, as a column can neither bid goodby nor ask permission to go.

So we have grown up thinking of a column as stately and silent.

Therefore imagine our dismay when we find two of the same, shooting sarcasm and bon mots at a bewildered would be Solon.

"A hapless Pillar, shattered and torn,
By the shafts of two columns near by:
While poor little Ana, standing alone.
Is compelled to be joined to an "I".

There are many theories as to the origen of the recent fire in Washington. Had Dawes been in his old place, it would very probably have been laid to his pipe. But as he is across the water, and sparks cannot fly so far some have blamed it on the sparks flying between Mrs. Gann and Mrs. Longworth in their controversey as to whom should the higher place belong. If the latter cause is to blame, we hope the question of precedence will be settled, before a disastrous fire is started.

Only A Dog

MALCOLM F. JONES

Only a dog, both loving and kind,
Trying so hard his master to mind.
Giving a love so perfect and true,
His whole life bound up in devotion to you.

Only a dog, yet where are the men,
Who acting as masters are worthy of them?
To him you're supreme and all that is best,
Live a life if you can that will meet this test.

Only a dag, but a loyal friend,
Faithful to us from beginning to end.
Knowing our faults, but forgetting them all,
Only a dog, who awaits our call.

IN MEMORIAM

In sad but loving remembrance of our dear wife and mother, Annie E. Thomas, who departed this life one year ago, January 12, 1929.

The blow was hard, the shock severe;
We never thought your death so near.
We think of you in silence;
Nobody can see us weep.

But silent tears we shed
When others are asleep.
We often sit and think of you.
And speak of how you died.

To think you could not say good-bye,
Before you closed your eyes,
But God alone knew what was best,
He called you home to give you rest.

By her loving husband and children.

DECEMBER REPORT OF COUNTY NURSES

On December 2 the monthly T. B. Clinic was held in the Health Center where four white patints were examined. No new cases were reported for the month. One patient was admitted to the Tuberculosis Sanatorium at Sabillasville.

Pre-school clinics were held at the white and colored schools at Millington with Dr. Catherine Goodson in harge. The weather conditions were so bad that only one white child attended for examination. Twelve colored children were examined that same day. In connection with the pre-school age clinical work moving pictures were shown at the schools in Millington and Massey and also at Riley Neck. Much interest was taken in the pictures by parents and children at all the exhibitions.

Miss White has completed the three months work with the Women's Clubs throughout the County. The program covered home nursing, which in turn, included diet for the sick and convalescent; first aid and other practical instruction. The meetings were exceptionally well attended and great interest was shown. This work was done cooperatively with the Home Demonstration program and has added much to the efficiency of the ambitious club members who are specializing in home-making.

Miss White devoted two afternons to the distribution of the Tuberculosis Seal sale advertisements to connection with the pre-Christmas seal sale which aids the work of the Kent County Public Health to a large degree.

Special cases for December were as follows: one fourteen year old boy sent to the Maryland Mental Clinic for examination, one infant, seven months old, returned from Harriett Lane Dispensary, much improved, one colored child discharged from the Provident Hospital in good condition after having been seriously ill there for two months with lobar pneumonia and undergoing two blood transfusions; two colored girls were admitted to the Provident Hospital with a advanced syphilis.

The completion of the survey of county midwives disclosed the fact that although twenty midwives were found only twelve were recommended to practice in the future as the rest were found, after careful observation, to be incompetent.

Of the fifteen births reported for December it is encouraging to note that only one was attended by a midwife, physicians being in charge of the remaining cases. Eight births were white, seven colored.

Diseases reported among school children were scabies, impetigo and whooping-cough.

The most casual reading of the nurses' monthly activities denote the great need of the work throughout the County, not only as a correction of existing conditions but as a protection to the community at large. A great medical authority stated recently that the most important advances in the medical profession are along the lines of preventive work which is leading to the eradication of disease. He cited the outstanding example of the use of toxin-anti-toxin which is fast making diphtheria a disease of the past.

Education in the home along the lines of proper feeding and routine for the youngest generation is building up disease-resistance that was unknown a generation ago. The dental clinics catch the tooth-trouble of the pre-school age child and the school child when tooth-trouble is most prevalent and when care means a good set of teeth in after years.

The Kent County Health Association is now assuming some of the responsibility of paying toward the salary of the colored health nurse. Heretofore. the State was wholly responsible and placed Miss Forte here both as an experiment and because the need in Kent was outstanding above the other counties. Now the State has asked for local aid as a sign of good faith that the work is really appreciated.

MUSICAL CONCERT TO MEET NEXT THURSDAY

The Kent County Musical Society having been so successful with their Festival of Christmas music has now started its meetings to rehearse for the Cantata it will give during Lent.

They will meet to rehearse this beautiful music next Thursday, January 16th at 7.45. There will be a rehearsal of the ladies special numbers at 7.15.

MAKING CONCRETE PILES

Nine concrete piles were poured for the new Chester River bridge on Thursday and the remaining nine forms were filled yesterday. These piles will remain in the forms until the concrete is thoroughly set and then cured making a total of 21 days from the time the concrete is poured until the pile is used. Two of the forms have been extended to 75 ft. lengths for the piling that will be used in the channel.

COUNTY AGENTS TO MEET

A meeting of the North Peninsula Group of County Agents of Maryland will be held at Easton next Monday to discuss 4-H Club work.

Robert Foster, regional director of club work for the northeastern States, United States Department of Agriculture, and E. G. Jenkins, State club leader for Maryland, will address the meeting.

The counties comprising the North Peninsula group are: Dorchester, Carolina, Talbot, Queen Anne's and Kent.

INSPECTORS SUSPENDED

Two oyster inspectators were suspended for a month without pay by Swepson Earle, State Conservation Commissioner, last week after they had pleaded guilty to neglect of duty for failing to enforce properly the three-inch oyster cull law.

The inspectors, John W. Jones and George W. Miller, were summoned to Mr. Earle's office in Baltimore for a hearing following a recent investigation made at the Narrows, Kent Island, by Chief Inspector E. O. Townsend, when a number of arrests were made for unculled oysters.

TO BUILD NARROWS BRIDGE

The State Roads Commission has agreed to begin work on the new Kent Island Narrows Bridge immediately, it was stated by the County Commissioners of Queen Anne's county this week.

According to an agreement made between the Commissioners and the Roads Commission, the State is to construct the bridge and the county will build the necessary approaches between the terminals of the Shore Boulevard and the end of the bridge. It is not believed the approaches will cost above -25,000, and the county will have these completed before the bridge is built.

HEALTH ASSOCIATIONTO MEET

For some time past a change in the Constitution of the Kent County Public Health Association has been thought advisable. Recently, a committee was appointed to make such changes and amendments for the purpose of submitting them to a membership vote.

A special meeting of the entire membership is being called for Tuesday evening, January 7 at 8.00 p. m. at the Health Center. A formal advertisement appears in this issue in order to meet the necessary requirement appears in this issue in order to meet the necessary requirements of any such proposed change.

WE ARE ASKING THIS QUESTION

"Is there an active Society for Preyention to cruelty to Animals in our county?" Some time ago a country clergyman came in to see if he could get soneone to kill a poor horse lying along the roadside suffering with a broken leg. No one seemed to think it was a duty to do it. A few days ago a poor dog was lying on the river side, groaning with pain. A long time elapsed before any one was found to put it out of its agony. Numberless stray dogs are running around sticking their noses in the garbage cans in their hungry search for food. These same dogs are suffering with that loathsome disease, the itch, and are threatening the dogs who have owners with the same disease. Let us see if any thing can be done.

WOODROW WILSON MEETING

That Woodrow Wilson still lives in the hearts of his friends and admirers was shown by the number of prominent citizens who attended the meeting at the National Theatre, Washington, on last Sunday to celebrate his birthday.

The principal speaker of the occasion was Dr. Charles Kingsley Webster, who holds the Woodrow Wilson Chair of International Relations at the University of Wales. His subject was .'Woodrow Wilson and World Peace." Among those present at the meeting were our fellow citizens, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur W. Hubbard, who are enthusiastic members of the Woodrow Wilson Foundation Committee of Washington, D. C.

—Fine moving pictures at the New Lyceum Theatre every night next week.

GREY SEAL FOUND ON BAY SHORE

SHOT BY COLORED MAN ON WORTON MANOR FARM

Benjamin Lively, a colored man working on Worton Manor Farm, at the mouth of Worton Creek, went down to the shore Monday afternoon to get a sundown shot at some ducks that were using in the creek. He saw something flopping on the shore, he blinked his eyes, look again, pointed his gun in the general direction of the, whatever it was, fired, and then ran. His travels carried him on a direct line toward the manor house of Mrs. Nora C. Maxwell, owner of the farm. Upon arrival, his eyes were as big as saucers and beads of perspiration were standing out on his face. He called, "Mester Jes, I done shot sumin and ah don't know what it is, it war floping on de sho en making a noise like a dog wif de croop." Its got four somethings that might be feet, little hed and little tail what ain't no tail atal. Mister Jes, who is Mr. Jesse D. Maxwell, son of Mrs. Nora C. Maxwell, had heard of people seeing pink elephants, etc., and was a little dubious as to whether the story was worth a trip to the beach. Ben stuck to his story and was so persistent that Mr. Maxwell, his son George and Ben took a farm wagon and went to see what it was all about.

They found that Ben had shot a young male grey seal, the first that has even been seen in Chesapeake Bay waters. The animal was shot through the head and the skin had not been damaged.

Why this seal wandered so far south of its native haunts and how it made its way into Worton Creek probably will never be known. Whether it came into the Delaware Bay and through the C. & D. canal or through the capes and up the bay, is a mystery but it is known that Benjamin Lively shot it on Worton Point Manor farm on Monday, January 6th, 1930.

The grey seal migrates from the far north in winter and large numbers are seen off the Main coast and along the Pacific coast. A colored man living in the Worton Point section states that his father told him that a seal was shot on the Western Shore and brought over to the Eastern Shore the year he was born, which was 41 years ago but this story could not be verefied. The animal was quite a curiousity among the colored folks in that section and they state that they "ain't agoing to go swimmin no mo."

The animal was skinned on Tuesday and an offer has been made through the office of the State Game Warden to purchase the skin and keep it as a state souvenier.

HOME DEMONSTRATION NOTES

Tuesday, January 14—Betterton Women's Club at 2.00 p. m. at school house. Project, Make Cooking a Joy, Mrs. Sadie Wheeler, President.

Wednesday, January 15, Quaker Neck Neighborhood Club at 11 a. m. at Mrs. P. V. Hendrickson's, Home Dyeing, Mrs. D. W. Ingersoll, President.

Thursday, January 16—Rock Hall Women's Club at 11 a. m. at Star Life Insurance Office. Project, Make Cooking a Joy. Mrs. Ada Wirts, President.

Thursday, January 16—Chestertown Women's Club at Mrs. Jane Chairs at 2.30 p. m. Short Cuts in Sewing. Mrs. Jane Chairs, President.

Friday, January 17—Still Pond Women will meet at Mrs Walter Harris in Still Pond at 11.00 a. m. Short Cuts in Sewing.

Saturday, January 18— Flatland Girls' Club at Mrs. L. A. Sutton's 2.00 p. m. The Still Pond 4-H Club Girls are invited to attend this meeting. Sewing Kimona Dress, Mrs. L. A. Sutton, local leader.

WORTON

Miss Virginia Hoss spent last week end at her home in Grasonville.

Mr. George Clayville, of Dover, and Miss Esther Clayville, of Wilmington, were the guests of their parents here last week end.

We are very sorry to report Mrs. C. R. Rasin still very ill at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney R. Cooper entertained the Epworth League Cabinet at Luncheon on Thursday evening.

The Ladies Aid will hold a Turkey supper in the church hall next Thursday evening, January 16th.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Williams and Mrs. George Williams attended the Farm Bureau Banquet held in Baltimore this week.

—Don't miss the picture tonight, Saturday, January 11th, entitled "The Hollywood Revue," with its 25 stars all talking and singing at the New Lyceum Theatre.

STATION BURGLARS CONFESS

Burglars entered the Pennsylvania Railroad station at Chestertown Saturday night and carried a large safe fifty yards across the railroad tracks, broke it open with a sledge hammer, and took the contents.

Sharp Junius, alias Big Shot, and Water Smith, both of North Carolina and Rosevelt Maith, of Chestertown, all colored, have confessed to the crime.

According to station officials the safe contained $103 in cash, $170 in checks and two pistols.

Walter Smith was arrested Sunday morning as a suspicious character, he having come into the station just before closing hours Saturday night to send a telegram. Sharp Junius was later arrested and identified as having bought a sledge hammer at the hardware store of William M. Culp Saturday night. The handle of the hammer was found near the safe.

These two men were questioned by Sheriff Hadaway and States Attorney Stephen R. Collins and Thursday night, with the assistance of two Baltimore City detectives, a confession of the crime was made by both prisoners and they involved Rosevelt Maith. Maith was arrested and also confessed. Maith stated that he had given one of the pistols to his brother and the other one was thrown in a ditch along the railroad tracks. Both pistols were recovered. In the confession the men stated that the money bags and checks were burned. None of the stolen money was recovered as the men said that they only got $54 and that it had been spent.

TURKEY AND CHICKEN THIEVES CAUGHT

Lewin Brown and Wiliam Elias, both colored, are in the Kent county jail charged with stealing two turkeys from Mr. Wm. H. McMahan near Chestertown Tuesday night.

Mr. McMahan reported his loss to Sheriff Hadaway and within a very short time the turkeys were located and returned to their owner and the two colored men were lodged in jail.

Phil Edwards, colored, of Fredericktown, was stopped by a state police man on Wednesday and it was found that he had thirty chickens in his car. When questioned as to where he got the chickens he stated that they belonged to his mother. His mother knew nothing about the chickens and Edwards was lodged in the Elkton jail.

Mr. Carlton Ross, of Galena, identified 23 of the chickens as his own, and Sheriff Hadaway brought Edwards and the chickens to Kent county Thursday. Edwards is in jail charged with stealing the chickens.

MILLINGTON FIRE COMPANY ELECTS.

TO PURCHASE LIGHT AUXILIARY EQUIPMENT

At the regular monthly meeting of the Millington Community Fire Company held at the fire house the following officers were elected for the coming year.

C. M. Melvin, president; B. W. Dulin, V. President; H. R. Rasin, Treas.; H. H. Stauffer, Secy.; R. M. Logan, Chief; G. B. Stevens, Asst. Chief; J. B. Anderson, Chief engineer; R. E. Porter, Asst. Chief engineer; Sidney Dixon, Captain hoseman; P. H. Sparks and Nat Baker, Asst. hoseman; Eddie Squires, hose patrolman; J. W. Duling, Asst.; J. H. Ahern, chief ladderman; B. W. Williams and J. W. Duling, assistants; G. B. Stevens, fire recorder; B. W. Williams, assistant.

The following were elected as directors: G. B. Stevens, R. M. Logan, B. W. Duling, H. H. Stauffer, J. B. Anderson, J. C. Vansant, J. E. Higman, Sidney Dixon, J. G. Ransom and C. M. Melvin.

Delegates to State Convention are G. B. Stevens—Alternate, N. Baker.

Sidney Dixon—Alternate, J. W. Duling.

H. H. Gale — Alternate, Parvis Sparks.

R. M. Logan—Alternate, B. W. Duling.

J. C. Vansant—Alternate, J. R. Edwards.

J. B. Anderson, chief engineer, reported the equipment in good condition. The question of buying a small rig was liberally discussed and agreed upon and a committee was appointed to draw up specifications for same and submit them to the company.

The reports submitted indicated a success year in serving the community and the upper part of the county.

Mrs. James Harris announces the mariage of her daughter, Mary Jane to Mr. Norflet Augustus Brown, of Mobile Alabama on December 24, 1929, at Miami, Florida.

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