AGRICULTURAL NOTES

BY COUNTY AGENT J. D. McVEAN

Poultry Disease Clinic will be held on Friday, August 8th, at the Farm Bureau Office. Kent growers having poutry troubles may receive expert advice, free, from Dr. H. M. DeVolt, a specialist in poultry diseases in charge of the James Todd Laboratories of the University of Maryland, at College Park, Maryland.

Birds may be brought or sent to Dr. DeVolt at the Farm Bureau okce on Friday, August 8th, or may be sent to him at College Park, Md. It is well to send a statement of the care, feed, and management of the birds in trouble, along with the history of the trouble with your flock.

Those interested in hearing the U. S. Marine Band and 4-H Club Work should tune in from 12.45 to 1.30 p. m. Eastern Standard time, Saturday, August 2nd. A Maryland Club Boy will speak along with other State and Nationa representatives.

Kent poutrymen interested in securing official certification and Pullorum (Bacillary White Diarrhea) disease testing, may secure rules and regulations and blank contracts from the County Agent's office.

State Grange At Beltsville

Farmers interested in Grange activities and seeing the splendid work being done at the U. S. Animal Husbandry Experimental farm at Beltsville, Maryland, are urged to attend the State Grange Day at that farm on Saturday, August 2nd.

A splendid lunch will be available for the small sum of twenty-five cents (25c). Those interested in making the trip are requested to notify County Agent in order that number of lunches, seats, etc., may be assured.

A splendid speaking program will take but an hour and a half of the day.

By using the new Kent Island Ferry, the Eastern Shore farmers make the whole trip in one day and enjoy the full program.

A New Insect Pest

County Agent is receiving numerous calls for control of the striped blister beetle, which some know as the old fashioned potato bug. This beetle is attacking the foliage of tomatoes, beets, etc. The State Entomologist recommends the use of sodium fluosilicate as the best control for the pest. The material is put on as a dust and may be obtained from farmers supply house. It is non-poisonous to humans. This material is supposed to be more effective than arsenicals and is safer, since the arsenic on the fruit, of tomatoes for example, might be dangerous unless the tomatoes are carefully washed before use.

Condition Of Tomato Crops

The Canning Crops Specialist, L. M. Goodwin, Mr. F. M. Shook, Field Secretary of the Tri-State Packers Association, have just completed an inspection of 462 fields of tomatoes in Maryland and Delaware. They report about one-third good fields, one-third fair fields, and one-third poor fields. They suggested that the present outlook is for a normal crop Rainfall would be very beneficial in increasing size of fruit and preventing blossom end rot, which is destruction in dry weather, and which preventing blossom end rot, which is destruction in dry weather, and which trouble has made its appearance in a number of fields. Black Stem or Early Blight is causing some damage. This trouble is not considered to be seed borne, however, seed treatment kills spores on seeds and is recommended.

Several recommendations are made which will greatly aid in its prevention:

1. Change location of plant bed frequently.
2. Seed treatment.
3. Spray or dust the plants in the plant bed with copper-arsenate material.
4. When the plants are large enough for field setting put them out promptly.
5. Plow down the plant bed when the field setting is completed.

These suggestions are for the benefit of those having trouble with Black Stem at present and wish to avoid it next year.

Ram Sale Successful

The 4th annual ram sale held at Centreville, July 29th, was a big success, especially from the buyers standpoint.

As predicted, the price range was much lower than last year. The sale furnished a splendid opportunity to secure good purebred rams at very reasonable prices. A good ram will more than pay the difference of his cost and that of a scrub with his first lamb crop, not to mention the improved quality of the ewe lambs raised for flock replacements and the greater weight clip they will produce.

H. Stockton Startt as usual brought home a number of very good rams for use in Kent County flocks.

Prior to the sale, the rams were judged by Mr. Harvey, President of Maryland Stockmen's Association. The sale was under the auspices of this Association and was managed by K. A. Clark, Extension Livestock Specialist of University of Maryland.

GROUP ACTION ESSENTIAL TO SOLVE FARM PROBLEMS

Coming Marketing Conference Should Be Of Inestimable Aid to State Farmers

The controversy regarding reduction of acreage planted in wheat, which has been given prominence in the press throughout the country, serves to emphasize the need for and value of such events as the Farmers' Marketing Conference that will be held at the University of Maryland on August 12 to 15, according to Dr. T. B. Symons, Director of Extension. A successful marketing program, he states, must be based upon a program of production that is planned in the light of all the information that can be obtained regarding supply and demand, as well as other economic conditions.

Dr. Symons further points out that improvements in methods employed in marketing farm products, whether they are in the line of adapting production to demand, or in the strictly marketing procedure, are matters which cannot be effectively handled by individuals and, therefore, it is essential that producers organize and place themeslves in position for group action.

The Farmers' Marketing Conference offers Maryland producers an opportunity to meet together and consider the problems most vitally affecting the profitable marketing of their products. At the afternoon sessions, those in attendance will divide into groups according to the products in which they are most interested. Grain and livestock growers will form one group, fruit growers another, dairymen a third, vegetable growers a fourth, and tobacco grower a fifth. Information will be given on the general situation regarding each commodity and practical problems will be discussed.

Every facility of the University has been placed at the disposal of the farm people of the State during the four days of the Conference and it is expected that a large number from each county and from each organization will take advantage of the opportunity for seriously studying some of their most perplexing problems.

PENINSULA NEWS

The Public Service Commission last Friday granted the Baltimore Transfer Company permission to make store door delivery of freight by a service which crosses the Chesapeake Bay on the Matapeake ferry and runs from the Kent Island terminal to Love Point Stevensville, Grasonville, Queenstown, Centreville, Wye Mills, Queen Anne, Cardova and Easton, returning by the same route.

James Karaganis, of Elkton, was severly injured Monday morning when the automobile in which he was riding collided with a truck of the Maryland Biscuit Company and was subsequently struck by a truck owned by H. C. Plant, of Beterton, in whose path it had been thrown by the first collision.

The accident occurred on the Wye Mills road about four miles south of Centreville.

Karaganis was removed to Emergency Hospital, where physicans said he had sustained a broken leg and severe lacerations.

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CHURCH NOTES

Chestertown M. E. Church

Rev. J. Harry Wright, Minister. Sunday services will be as folows: 10 a. m. Church School. The theme of the lesson will be "Crossing Boundaries," and will be based upon the story of Naomi and Ruth. The lesson will be taught from the desk, but every teacher and officer is urged to be present.

11 a. m. Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. The pastor will use as the theme of the meditation, "Lyric Power." The service is scheduled for one hour. You are cordially invited to worship with this congregation.

7.30 p. m. In Christ M. P. Church, the first of a series of union evening meetings for these two churches. Four of these services have been planned for the month of August, two to be held in each church. On the evenings of August 3 and 17, the service will be held in Christ M. P. Church. And on the evenings of August 10 and 31 the service will be held in Chestertown M. E. Church. There will be no service on the evening of August 24 in either church. Please notice the change in the time for the beginning of this service. You are cordially invied to worship with us.

Wednesday evening 7.30 Prayer and praise service in charge of the pastor.

Christ M. P. Church, Chestertown

Rev. E. A. Sexsmith, D. D. Minister. The service for next Sunday will be as follows: Sunday School at 10 a. m. The lesson is taken from the beautiful story of Naomi and Ruth. We hope you will enjoy this interesting study with us.

At 11 a. m. we will observe our monthly communion service. Rev. G. I. Humphreys, D. D., former President of the Maryland Conference will deliver the address and assist in the service.

The evening service will be the first of a series of union services which will be held during August between The Methodist Protestant Church and the Methodist Episcopal Church. The service Sunday will be held in the Methodist Protestant Church at 7.30 p. m. and Rev. J. Harry Wright will deliver the sermon. We extend a cordial invitation both to the members of the churches and people of the community to be present.

Wednesday evening 7.30 p. m. Prayer and praise service.

Kennedyville M. P. Church

Men's Bible Class 10 a. m.; morning worship and sermon by the pastor at 11 o'clock; Christian Endeavor service at 7.15 p. m. on the lawn in front of the church, Miss Pauline Hopkins, leader. No preaching service at night during the month of August. A cordial welcome to all.

Bond Chapel

Rev. Oliver Friedel, pastor. Sunday School 10 a. m., A. C. Loud, Superintendent. This will be the regular Missionary Sunday. Preaching service 11 a. m., subject, "Our failures in Prayers." Epworth League 7.45 p. m. There will be no Prayer Meeting for the next three weeks, the Pastor being on his vacation.

Mowbray M. E. Church

Rev. Oliver Friedel, Pastor. Sunday School 2.30 p. m., Mrs. Ida V. Kirby, Superintendent. This will be regular Missionary Sunday. Preaching service 8.00 p. m., subject, "Our failures in Prayers."

Still Pond M. E. Church

J. C. B. Hopkins, pastor. 9.30 a. m. Sunday School, A. J. Hackett, supt. 10.45 a. m. morning worship, Rev. Ault, of Baltimore, will deliver the message. 8 p. m. Epworth League.

Setterton M. E. Church

J. C. B. Hopkins, pastor. 10 a. m. Sunday School, Mrs. Archie Crew, Supt. 7.45 p. m. evening worship, Rev. Ault, of Baltimore, will deliver the message.

Shrewsbury P. E. Church

Rev. Joseph R. Baird, Rector. All Church and Sunday School services discontinued in August. To resure the 1st Sunday in September.

Grace Presbyterian Church

Rev. Dr. John Humphreys, Minister. Preaching service 7.30 p. m. All invited.

Fairlee M. E. Church

Robert E. Green, minister. Sunday School 10 a. m. J. Weldon Walbert supt. The opening program will be in charge of the class taught by Mrs. Bramble. Everything about the Sunday School is calculated to inspire you to right thinking. We invite you to meet with us to study the way to world brotherhood.

Church services 11 a. m. Special music will be sung. Sermon by the minister. The church is a place where your welcome always holds out.

Worton M. E. Church

Robert E. Green, minister. Sunday School 10.30 a. m. Mr. B. F. Rash, Supt. The Sunday School is the power house of religion. Plan to attend this Sunday. Epworth League 7.15 p. m. Billy Beck Mathews leader. Church service 8.30 p. m. sermon by the minister. We welcome you to worship with us.

St. James M. P. Church

Rev. J. Lee Marker, Minister. Members and friends are cordially invited to worship with us in the following services: 10 a. m. Sunday School. Lesson "Naomi and Ruth." A beautiful story that will do you good. There is a place and a welcome for you. 11 a. m. worship and sermon by the pastor. Special music 7.30 Christian Endeavor led by Miss Laura Rees on the subject of "Chances to Serve Christ in the Summer." These services are always interesting and inspiring.

Lynch M. P. Church

2 p. m. Sunday School. Mrs. Harry Jewell, superintendent. An interesting lesson Naomi and Ruth. A place and welcome for all. 3 p. m. worship and sermon by the pastor. 7.30 Christian Endeavor. The subject will be "Chances to Serve Christ in Summer." Mrs. Ida Culley will lead.

GALENA

Miss RayBird, of New York, is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burrnie.

Misses Louise and Alice Prettymen, Elizabeth and Francis Ruth, Sophia Gleen, Evelyn Gale and Isabell Butler, are spending the week at Crystal Manor in Cecil County.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Silvers and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Silvers, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Mulford.

Miss Anna Stradley and brother, Price, are visiting their grandparents in Easton.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jarman and family and Miss Agnes Jarman, of Baltimore, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Jarman.

Mr. and Mrs. John Scott and daughter, of Philadelphia, are spending their vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Boyd.

Miss Lucille Parr, of Still Pond, spent the week end with Mrs. Harry Todd.

Miss Dorothy Gamble, of Wilmington, spent several days of last week with her cousin, Miss Marion Pennington.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bolton and family spent a few days of this week at Niagara Falls and other places of interest.

Mr. Bernard Cochran was in Washington, D. C., a few days of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Colagan and daughter, Marian, of Wilmington, spent the week end with relatives in town.

Miss Maria Williams, of Wilmington, is spent a part of her vacation with Miss Elmina Woodall.

Messrs. James and Albert Walch, of Wilmington, spent the week end with their brother, Rev. John Walch and sister, Margaret.

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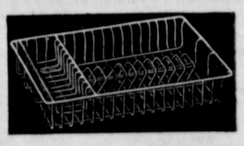
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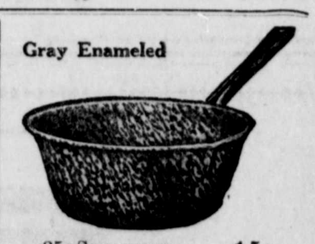
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