ARMY WORM PASSING—DAMAGE MAINLY OVER

SEVERE LOSSES IN SOME CASES—PRECAUTIONS MAY BE TAKEN

BY COUNTY AGENT McVEAN

An Army Worm invasion of Northern Kent County has given rise to much concern and has caused considerable damage to a wide variety of crops. The Extension Service received many calls and has extended the best information available.

The situation is more hopeful than appears at first thought. The damage is quite largely over due to the fact that the larvae stage or worm stage is approaching maturity. The worms when mature enter the ground to a depth of three inches and pupate. The next stage is the moth or adult stage, the moth developing from the present larvae. The cost of destroying the "army" scattered over so large an area is greater than the value of the crops attackd in many cases. The fact that the Army Worm is commonly parasitized and is also subject to disease called "Wilt" is another hopeful factor.

Those who are equipped and who could, used control measures without seriously interfering with other lines of farm activity, have held the "army" in check. Precautions should be taken to prevent attack to newly sets of alfalfa, clover, barley, rye, or wheat sown early for pasture. Asparagus crowns, with their tender foliage which should make further growth for the good of the crown, may be protected by frequent dusting with Calcium Arsenate.

Arsenical sprays on crops not intended for forage and of a nature to justiffy the expense, may be protected by arsenical sprays. The safest control and the most commonly used is Poison Bran Bait made as follows:

50 pounds wheat bran
2 pounds Paris Green.
Dry mix thoroughly.
1 gallon black molasses dissolved in 6 gallons of warm water.

Use sprinkling pot to spray molasses water over bran to make a crumbly mass.

Mix thoroughly, use 10 to 15 lbs. per acre.

Can be applied with fertilizer spreader or broad cast by hand.

Apply near night as the army worm feeds mainly at night. The bait attracts only when moist and can smell it.

Mr. H. S. McConnell, Associate Entomologist at the University of Maryland was in the County with County Agent McVean on Thursday to inspect the situation. He approved the advice all ready given by the Extension Service.

Dr. E. N. Cory, State Entomologist, reports that the invasion is quite general over the State and is true of States to the south of Maryland. Dr. Cory states that the grass worm or Fall Army Worm has made three pervious appearances in Maryland, viz., 1912, 1920, and 1924. Aparently this section has not had a previous outbreak.

The County Agent is ready to advise with those who desire to combat or prevent the invasion of worms into new areas.

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LOCAL MATTER

—The State Board of Health will meet in Baltimore on Monday, October 6th, at which time it is understood the Chestertown sewerage problem will be discussed.

—Mr. Dudley G. Roe, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Dudley G. Roe, of Sudlersville, has been made a partner in the firm of W. D. Roe & Son, of Sudlersville.

—Mr. Edward Blackway is in Easton hospital suffering with an infected hand as a result of sticking a piece of wood through it at a recent fire. Mr. Blackway is foreman of a nozzle squad in the Chestertown Fire Company.

—Mr. T. Rigby Valliant, prominent and popular young Centreville business man and a member of the firm of E. S. Valliant & Son, local fertilizer manufacturers, was seriously injured Friday evening of last week on the highway between Church Hill and Roberts, when an unidentified truck swung so close to his car that it struck his left arm severely crushing it.

BASE BALL TODAY

The final game of base ball between Kennedyville, winner of the Chesapeak Bay League, and Dagsboro, winner of the Eastern Shore League, will be played today at Milford Delaware for the Peninsula championship.

Each team has won one game in the series and today's game will decide the championship. This game will end a very successful base ball season.

JEWISH HOLIDAY CELEBRATED

Ceremonies marking the beginning of the year 5,691 of the Hebrew calendar were observed on Monday evening to celebrate Rosh Hashanah, the Jewish New Year, and stores and places of business conducted locally by members of that faith were closed until tomorrow.

Rosh Hashanah is regarded as one of the most important Jewish holidays. Next week the most solemn day of the Hebrew calendar will be observed. It is Yom Kippus, or the Day of Atonement. The celebration of the sacred Jewish holiday will begin at sundown October 1.

WASHINGTTON GOLLEGE OPENED THIS WEEK

252 STUDENTS ENROLLED—75 IN FRESHMAN CLASS

The fall team at Washington College opened this week with 252 students enrolled, 75 of which are in the freshman class.

The new girls dormitory, is filled to capacity with 65 girls. The faculty includes three new professors, Aldes B. Hatch, French and Latin, J. J. Coop, physics and mathematics, and Omar D. Crothers, Jr., physical training and assistant coach of foot ball.

With three full squads out for football the promise of a good football team is much more encouraging than was first thought.

PERSONALS

Miss Helen Tyler, of Clean Springs, was the week end guests of friends here.

Mr. M. E. Newsome is able to be out after being confined to his home for several weeks.

Miss Dorothy Woodall has returned from a two weeks visit with friends in Flint Michigan.

A dance was held at the Country Club last night.

Miss Clara Elliott is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Brooks.

Messrs. P. M. Brooks, H. T. Hartman and E. W. Emory are attending the international star boat races at Gibson Island.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Robinson and Mrs. Hallie Shuman left Sunday on a motor trip to Niagara Falls.

Miss Virginia Jones, of Baltimore, was the week end guest of her father, Dr. J. S. W. Jones.

A number of local golfers witnessed the amateur golf championship matches at the Marion Cricket Club, Philadelphia, this week.

Mrs. T. Russell Wheatley and daughter, Francis, left Thursday for their home in New York after spending several weeks as guests of Mrs. Fannie Wheatley on Front street.

Lieut. and Mrs. Harry H. Derringer returned to Annapolis on Monday after spending the past three weeks as guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Alice Derringer, on Queen street.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Hugh Young and little son visited friends in town Sunday. Lieutenant Young, a graduate of Washington College as been teaching French at West Point Military Academy for the past five years, but has recently been transferred to Camp George Meade, Md., with the tank corps.

Mrs. Dorsy Hines entertained a number of friend at a Bridge luncheon on Thursday.

Mrs. Charles Schrieber spent part of this week in Baltimore.

Mrs. D. S. Greenfield and son, Dr. Roberts Greenfield spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hubbard. Dr. Greenfield who has had the chair of History at Yale will become a number of the faculty at John Hopkins University the coming year.

Mr. Richard Moore and family left Chestertown last week for Boston whre he will attend Medical School. Mr. Moore has been in the employ of Stam Drug Co., for the past four years, the vacancy will be filled by Mr. Chandler, of Ocean City, who will arrive this week.

Among those who attended the Ameteur Golf Champion matches at Marion Cricket Club this week were: Messrs. J. G. and Brown Metcalfe, Claude Truslow, S. R. Collins, James Kreeger, Richard McAdams, Mrs. Donold F. Stam, Mrs. Eben F. Perkins, and Miss Katherine Beck.

Mrs. Charles Comegys who with her husband, has moved in the Fleming House in town was called to the bedside of her little grand son, Jimmie Chamberlin in Philadelphia this week.

Mrs. Bradford Dudley, of Baltimore, is visiting her brother, Dr. Charles Comegys on Front St.

DEATHS

The lower section of Kent County has lost one of its most prominent, and until recent years when ill health overtook him, one of its most valuable agriculturists in the death of William Tilden Brice, which occurred Saturday last, September 20. Of a genial and hospitable nature he made many friends. For many years he was an active and influential worker in the Democratic party in the lower section of this county where he was born and lived his entire life.

Several years ago, on account of ill-health, he sold his farm near Lankford and retired from the agricultural field, locating at Fairlee where he resided until his death.

He is survived by his widow, who was Miss Amy Hill, of St. Mary's county and the following children by a previous marriage: Dr. Merritt Brice, of Millington; John Brice, of Baltimore; Mrs. J. H. Clendaniel, Jr., of Auburn, N. Y., and W. Tilden Brice, Jr., of Kent county.

Four sisters and five grandchildren also survive. The sisters are Mrs. Charles W. Whaland, Mrs. Etta Fountain, and Mrs. Nannie Skipper, all of Chestertown and Mrs. A. H. Welker, of Texas. Three brothers, John and Joseph Brice, of Kent county, and George Brice, of Far Hills, New Jersey.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m., Tuesday from Old St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal Church. Interment was made in the adjoining cemetery. The Reverend John White conducted the services and C. L. Dodd was the undertaker.

The bearers were: Messers. Samuel Emory, J. Page Gale, William G. Smyth, Earle A. Nicholson, Charles Skirven and Charles Jessup.

News was received in Chestertown on Monday of the death of Mr. Harry Kronomier, near Key West, Florida, on Sunday last. He died while working on a ship at sea and his body was taken to Key West. The deaceased was the son of Mrs. P. J. Cooper, of Chestertown. He leaves besides his mother, a wife, Mrs. Bessie Kronomier, a daughter, Mrs. Vera King, of Wilmington, Del., two half sisters, Mrs. Clara Meekins, and Mrs. Howard J. Mench, also two half brothers, Clifford Cooper, of Baltimore, and Arthur R. Cooper, of Chestertown. Interment will be in Wilmington, Del.

Funeral services were held Monday, September 15, at St. John's Catholic Church, Rock Hall, for Mrs. Anna Maria Smyth Wilson, widow of Wilfred M. Wilson, and daughter of John Charls Wilson and Ann Elizabeth Brooke. Mrs. Wilson, who had been in failing health for some time, would have reached the age of eighty years in a short tim. She was of a kindly, gentle nature and much beloved by all who knew her. She leaves three children, Miss Elizabeth Brooke Willson and John C. Willson, at home, and Charles B. Willson, of Cambridge, Md. Interment was made in the cemetery adjoining the church. The bearers were: Messrs. Carroll Willson, Neale Willson, DeCourcy Brenan, William Camp, Dr. Nobert C. Nitsch and Bennett Willson.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Shipp died Thursday at the Stuart apartments on High St., Chestertown. Interment was made Sunday afternoon in Chester cemetery, services conducted by Rev. Dr. E. A. Sexsmith, Charles L. Dodd, undertaker.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams, Jr., of Rock Hall, died Tuesday. Interment in St. John's Catholic cemetery Wednesday morning Charles L. Dodd undertaker.

ANGLERS MET AT OCEAN CITY

FIRST ANNUAL MEETING OF MARYLAND CHAPTERS OF IZAAK WALTON LEAGUE OF AMERICA HELD THERE LAST WEEK

Over seventy-five members, comprising 14 Maryland chapters, of the Izaak Walton League of America, gathered at Ocean City on Thursday, Friday and Saturday at the first annua lmeeting of the State Organization.

The visiting anglers were entertained during their stay in Ocean City by the Mount Pleasant Chapter, of Ocean City.

The feature of the three-day conference was a banquet tendered on Friday evening at the Mount Pleasant Hotel, attended by every member, at which time an interesting talk was given by Mr. Seymour Bullock, field representative of the Izaak Walton League of America.

Among those attending the conference were representatives from the following State Chapters: Sportsman Chapter and Baltimore Chapter No. 2, of Baltimore; Emmittsburg, Md., chapters; Carroll County, Md., Chapter; Frederick, Md., Chapter; Cumberland, Md., Sandy Springs, Md., Chapter; Williamsport Md., Chapter; Martinsburg, W. Va., Chapter; Cambridge, Md., Chapter; Princess Anne and Mount Pleasant Chapter, Ocean City.

During the three day conference the Waltonians got their demonstration in the art of fishing on the Ocean City pier on Thursday, a dozen or more members were angling with more or less success, principally less.

Out on the pier strode a lad or perhaps a dozen years, who baited two hooks and in a minute had a fine sea bass. He baited again and let his line fall perpendicular while Waltonians all around him were hurling their lead far into the sea. The lad landed another sea bass, another and then another, then a king. He offered those around him bait and advice but it did no good, the kid just knew how to "catch em."

CHURCH NOTES

Christ M. P. Church, Chestertown

Rev. E. A. Sexsmith, D. D., Minister.

We take pleasure in announcing the following services and extending a hearty welcome to the community to enjoy them with us.

10 a. m. Sunday School. For the past three months we have been going through a very interesting study of some of the Old Testament characters. The lesson next Sunday will consist of a review of these lessons.

11 a. m. morning worship. Sermon by the pastor and special music by the choir.

7.30 p. m. evening worship. This service will consist of a gospel song service and short sermon by the pastor.

The regular prayer and praise service will be held on Wednesday evening at 7.30 o'clock. The pastor will continue the Bible studies in the New Testament.

Kennedyville M. P. Church

J. McLain Brown, pastor. Services next Lord's Day as follows. Men's Bible Class 10 a. m. Sunday School same hour. Morning worship at eleven o'clock. C. E. Service at 7.15, W. H. Hopkins, leader. Preaching by the pastor at 8 p. m. Rally Day Sunday, October 5th, "Come thou with us and we will do thee good."

Chestertown M. E. Church

Rev. J. Harry Wright, Minister. Sunday services will be as follows: 10 a. m. Church School, with a lesson for the Senior Department, on the theme, "The Greatness of the God-Fearing." Classes are provided for all age groups. You are cordially invited to attend this school.

11 a. m. morning worship service, with a sermon by the pastor on the subject, "The Dignity of Man." The vested choir, under the direction of Mrs. Merrick Clements, will present special music. "I was glad when they said unto me, "Let us go into the house of the Lord." Come, let us give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good. His mercy is everlasting; and His truth endureth to all generations."

7.30 p. m. evening worship service, with sermon by the pastor on the subject, " A Moral Venture." A gospel hymn-sung by the congregation, will precede the preaching of the sermon. This is the second in a series of sermons on young people's interests and affairs. Young people are especially invited to this service.

Monday evening 8 o'clock, Meeting of Official Board, at the church. Wednesday evening 7.30 Prayer and praise service.

St. James M. P. Church

Rev. J. Lee Marker, Minister. 10 a. m. Sunday School. The lesson will be in the nature of a Review. General theme "The Greatness of the God fearing." Everyone on time. 11 a. m. morning worship and sermon. 7.30 Christian Endeavor led by Miss Bessie Nicholson. An excellent meeting is assured. The subject will be "How I would I Spend One Million Dollars on Missions?"

Lynch M. P. Church

2 p. m. Sunday School, Mrs. Harry Jewell, superintendent. We will review the last quarter's lessons. 3 p. m. worship and sermon by the pastor. 7.30 p. m. Christian Endeavor led by Miss Margaret Oliver on the subject of "How Would I Spend One Million Dollars on Missions?"

A cordial invitation is extended to all to worship with us at these services.

Bond Chapel

Rev. Oliver Friedel, Pastor. Sunday School 10 a. m., A. C. Loud, superintendent. Worship service 11 a. m. Epworth League 7.45 p. m.

Mowbray M. E. Church

Rev. Oliver Friedel, Pastor. Sunday School 2.30 p. m., Mrs. Ida V. Kirby, Superintendent. Worship service 7.45 p. m.

Christ Church I. U.

Sunday, September 28th will be given to the observance of the Annual Home Coming of the Parish. The Holy Communion will be celebrated by the Rector at eleven o'clock. At this service the Rector Emeritus of the parish, the Rev. S. S. Hepbron will be the preacher. There will be the usual basket picnic at noon. The day will close with an informal service at three o'clock. The special speaker will be Dr. Peregrine Wroth, of Hagerstown.

There will be no services at St. Paul's or Betterton.

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, sermon by the pastor. 7.30 p. m. Epworth League service leader, Miss Clara Jones.

Betterton M. E. Church

J. C. B. Hopkins, pastor. 2 p. m. Sunday School, Mrs. Archie Crew, Supt. 3 p. m. Harvest Home Service, Rev. L. B. Morgan, of Elkton M. E. Church will preach, at 7.45 p. m. Rev. J. L. Johnson, D. D. our District Superintendent will deliver the message. Special music at both services.

Salem M. E. Church, Fairlee

Services at Fairlee September 28, Sunday School at 10 a. m.; Preaching at 11 a. m.; League service 7.30 p. m. These services are being well attended. Don't miss them, we need your presence and everybody is welcome. So come over and help us exalt God and make him more precious in this part of his vineyard. Yours in him.
E. N. Wright, Pastor.

Worton M. E. Church

Service at Worton M. E. Church, September 28, 1930. Sunday School at 2 p. m.; Preaching at 3 p. m. League service 7.30.

NOTICE

Revival services begin at Worton October 5th, 1930, continuing 19th inclusive. Mr. Louis Carroll, of Easton, Md., a talented Singer will have charge of the music. Mr. Carroll not only possesses a sweet voice his spirit is sweet also, you will want to hear him. Make your places so that you may. E. N. Wright, pastor.

Asbury M. E. Church, Millington

Roland H. Nelson, Pastor. Next Sunday, September 28, is Rally Day, which will be observed in all services of the church. Sunday School, 10 o'clock, Harry Higman, Superintendent. Preaching 11 o'clock. Dr. Paul E. Titsworth, President of Washington College, will be the speaker. He will speak on the advantages of Religious Education. Epworth League, 7 p. m. Preaching 7.30. The pastor will preach an appropriate Rally Day sermon. Everyone is cordially invited to attend these services.

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