THE TRANSCRIPT

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THE GEORGE WASHINGTON Bicentennial celebraton should appeal to the residents of Kent county. This section is particularly fortunate in its close connection with the life of George Washington and the fact that its native sons took such a prominent part in the Revolutionary War and in National affairs immediately following it. It affords an opportunity for its name to be recognized in the history of the founding of the United States which for some reason has been very much amiss.. The whole hearted co-operation of every secton of the county with Kent's Bi-centennial committee affords the opportunity to bring the attention of Kent to the entire nation.

IS CRIME ON the increase or is it that the scandal and-crime-in-every-section of the nation brought to us daily through the daily press. The press is not entirely to blame for the fact that the front pages are filled with every conceivable violation of peace and good will that has been committeed in any part of the United States and also foreign countries. Pictures an dheadline articles lead one to believe that the while country is in the grasp ot gang wars and crime of all kinds and tends to make heroes of the worse kind of criminals. No the press is not entirely to blame, although it holds the responsibility of creating a certain amount of good influence over its readers, but due to the fact that some of the most conservative and clean newspapers in the county have been compelled to resort to this type of news shows that the demands of the public are largely responsible, and until this attitude changes this condition cannot be corrected. If one takes into consideration that there are more than 100,000,000 people in this country, he will realize that the criminal element is far in the minority.

THE NEW ARMORY has become a reality and within a few days will be housing Kent county's part of the National Defense. The National Guard is purely a defense military organization and is the only trained body of men that can be put into the field for national defense in time of war. It is true that the United States has a standing regular army but in time of war that army of highly trained men is immediately skelatonized and a large proportion are used for military training purposes. It is true that there is almost universal opposition to war, particularly so since the World War, yet that sentiment has not gained sufficient strength to guarantee against it, and until that time is at hand it is necessary for the nations to maintain a defense for the protection of its ideals. The National Guard is a civilian army whose military connection is only a small part of the lives of its members and is not sufficient to make them want to exploit that for which they are trained. Their homes and business are by far the major part of their lives which they dread to give up for what war means. Kent county is fortunate in having a medical unit stationed here as it is not a destructive unit and offers training to its members that is valuable in their daily life. The local community should appreciate its national guard unit and cooperate with it in every way possible.

DEATHS

Margaret F. Money beloved wife of J. August Money, passed to her reward on Wednesday, January 13, aged 58 years.

Beside a loving husband she leaves three sons, John C., Albert M., and Harry C. Money and one grandson, also the following sisters, Mrs. George Ashley, Mrs. Charles Crowding, Mrs. Walter Moffett, Mrs. Sewell Lee, Mrs. John Bayer, Mrs. Henry Rasin, and one brother, George N. Cooper.

Mrs. Money was a lovable character sympathatic and charitable toward all in distress. She leaves a large circle of friends, and will be greatly missed in the community in which she resided.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at 1 p. m. from her late residence.. Rev. John Humphreys, of Rehoboth, Del., assisted by Rev. F. Ferguson,of Grace Presbyterian Church, of Kennedyville, which the deceased was a member, officiated. Interment Chester cemetery. The bearers were her nephews, Messrs, Norman, Earle, Arthur and George Cooper, Maxwell Crowding and Franklin Moffett. B. R. Fellows, undertaker.

Funeral services were held in Norfolk, Va., last Thursday for Captain Benjamin F. Middleton, 72, formerly of Chestertown, who died as the result of injuries sustained when he fell aboard a barge.. He was taken to the Marine Hospital, Baltimore, where he died.

In addition to a widow and ten children he is survived by two sisters, Mrs. J. W. Blount, Galena and Mrs. S. E. Hines, Chestertown. Also three brothers, John Middleton, Washington; Capt. J. K. Middletown, Portsmouth, Va.; and Capt. Edgar Middleton, Chestertown.

Joseph Palmer, 70, son of the late William Palmer and brother of late Capt. Al Palmer, died last Sunday at his home in Philadelphia.

Funeral services were held here at 1 p. m. Wednesday with interment in the Chester cemetery. Charles L. Dodd was the undertaker in charge.

He is survived by his widow and three sons, Howard C., Samuel W., and William D. Palmer.

—Work has started on the new home of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Plant at Goose Hill. Stavely & Bowers, of Lynch, have the contract for building.

—Workmen expect to finish the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard B. Strong on North Queen street next week.

S. C. PAPER ENDORSES RITCHIE

ONE OF OLDEST DAILIES IN COUNTRY IS AMONG FIRST TO SUPPORT MARYLAND MAN.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Jan. 12.—The News and Courier, one of the oldest daily newspapers in the country, today declared editorially for Governor Albert C. Ritchie, of Maryland, for the Democratic nomination for President.

"The News and Courier was raised in the same way that Governor Ritchie was," the editorial said. "He is saying the same things the News and Courier said in 1876, in 1884 and in all the Presidential years."

After quoting from Governor Ritchie's recent Jackson Day address on "minimum of government, maximum of freedom against government ownership and prohibition," the editorial said:

"These things are not only what he has been saying all his life but what he has been living up to in Maryland and they are the beliefs of South Carolinians who understand the faith of their fathers and grandfathers, who can't be bulldozed, who can't be fooled, who won't sell out for office or for the applause of the mobs."

AMERICA'S FIRST COMMODORE

ALEXANDER MURRAY WAS BORN IN CHESTERTOWN

In the magazine section of last Sunday's Sun was an interesting account of the first Commodore of the American Navy, Alexander Murray, who was born in Chestertown in the year 1755. His grandfather was a Scottish Chief who fought for "Prince Charly," and was exiled and his property confiscated during the Protecterate of Cromwell. He fled with his family to the island of Barbadoes from where his family many years later came to settle in Maryland, and Alexander's father was a practicing physician in Chestertown. From Alexander's earliest years he loved the sea and found his greatest interest in the waters of the Chesapeake. H arly became a skilled navigator and at the age of eighteen he became master of a valuable ship which engaged in European trade.

Soaked in the history of his ancestors he was sensitve to the first evidences of English oppression and in the year 1776 he was appointed Lieutenant in the American Navy but as there were no ships he fought in the first Maryland Regiment under Smallwood. He was twice wounded and almost entirely deafened by an explosion in the battery of New York and at the close of 1777 he was obliged to come here to recuperate, but did not tarry long and at the age of twenty-three, still ill and almost entirely deaf, he sailed out of Baltimore in command of a well appointed fleet under the continuental flag. From then on his life was full of action.

President Washington appointed him a Post Captain in the American Navy and named him to assist in organizing it. President Adams ordered him to take command of the ship, Montezuma, and during the trouble with France he did active service..

Through some secret influence he was recalled by President Jefferson from his Command in the Mediteranean waters and during the war of 1812 with England this gallant soldier and sailor was kept at home presiding at Court Martial for the trials of his Juniors and though, chafing under the treatment, he exulted in the victories of the Navy in which he was deprived of adding to the great number of his own glories.

With the coming of Peace in 1815 the administration sought those who could best advance the building of the American Navy and with his usual force and efficiency he bent his energies during the remaining years of his life to this task. For some reason History has neglected to give this Hero the honor due to him. As a child playing in the old yard of the home now owned by Mr. Catlin, on the site of Mr. Charles Reiche house which was part of the old garden, was a grave yard and it is remembered that on some of the tomb stones was the name of Murray. This place was said orginally to have belonged to the Murray's. Perhaps some of the residents of this town will remember Miss Caroline Thompson who died in the year 1885 at the age of ninety nine and one half years. She often used to tell of the deeds of her uncle Commodore Murray and kept his picture hanging in a prominent place in her room. Her Mother was his sister.

It is to be regretted that some hand has not in years past more fathfully recorded the history of our town. It has not in years past more faithfully place of Charles Wilson Peale and the first Commodore in the American Navy.

STILL POND

Mrs. Paul Jones and little son have been visiting her mother at Millington, Md.

Miss Marion Pennington, of Kennedyville, Md., has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Ella Pennington.

The devotional service of the Epworth League lead on last Sunday evening by Ralph Hopkins was quite interesting other members of Mrs. Bouldens Sunday School Class will lead tomorrow evening.

The Philithia Class held a very enjoyable meeting on Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ford.

Robert Hopkins has been quite sick at the home of his aunt in Bridgeville, Del., his mother, Mrs. J. C. B. Hopkins is with him and we hope he will soon be able to return home.

The following officers were installed for Beterton Lodge No. 164 by Deputy Grand Master Carl T. Norris:

William Hopkins—Noble Grand.
Harvey Hopkins—Vice Grand.
Ralph Geary—Recording Secretary.
Carl T. Norris—Financial Secretary.
J. William Clark—Treasurer.
Harry Jones—Marshal.
Henry Clark—Warden.
Edward Myers—Conductor.
Horton Money—Chaplain.
Franklin Stork—Right Scene Supporter.
William B. Noblett—Left Scene Supporter.
Author Newsom and Ray Hopkins—Supporters to Noble Grand.
Author Pender and James Weer—Supporters to Vice Grand.
Dr. L. P. Atwell—Inside Guardian.
George Skeggs—Outside Guardian.
Representative to Grand Lodge— J. William Clark.

KENNEDYVILLE

Dr. Humphrey's many friends were glad to see him on Sunday he was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geral Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hill was given a surprise last Friday evening it being their 11th wedding anniversary. About 30 friends were there all enjoyed a pleasant evening, refreshments were served and at a late hour all left for their homes wishing Mr. and Mrs. Hill many more happy anniversarys.

Mrs. Robert Van Dyke and Mrs. Isabel Williams visited Wilmington last week.

Miss Lula Van Dyke, of Worton, visited friends here last week.

Dr. and Mrs. William Urie, of Elsemere,, Del., visited here on Tuesday.

Mrs. Ada Hitch and Bobby, of Queenstown, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hurlock.

Mr. George French and family, of Chestertown, visited the Misses Scottens on Sunday.

Mr. Richard Haggerty and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Myers spent the week end in Baltimore.

Mrs. George Johnston is spending the week in Baltimore.

Mrs. William Anthony and Miss Bernice Scotten spent Wednesday in Wilmington, Del.

Mrs. E. T. Othoson, Mrs. Young and Mrs. Edgar Pennington attended a Temperance meeting in Chestertown on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller and Mrs. Robert Van Dyke spent Tuesday in Wilmington.

The Sunday School Association met at the home of Mrs. Vernon Fowlers on Tuesday evening.

The Christian Endeavor Society met Thursday evening at the M. P. Parsonage.

The Ladies Aid Society met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Atwell on Friday evening the election of officers will be held. Miss Katherine Atwell will have charge of the programme.

Service in Grace Presbyterian church Sunday evening at 7.30.

Service as usual in the M. P. Church next Sunday.

Mrs. Rachiel Hill entertained the Sewing Club on Wednesday afternoon.

The Mite Society will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Web Hill next Wednesday evening, January 20th.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned has obtained from the Orphans' Court for Kent County letters of Administration C. T. A. on the personal estate of

MARY E. B. BOTTOMLEY

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, to the undersigned on or before the 22nd day of June, 1932, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's personal estate.

All persons indebted to this estate must setle at once.

Given under my hand this 22nd day of December, 1931.

FRANK S. BOTTOMLEY,
d26 Administrator c. t. a.

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RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	$ 956,995.05
Overdrafts	85.59
United States Government securities owned	12,500.00
Other bonds, stocks, and securities, owned	549,425.16
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	70,000.00
Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	75,439.73
Cash and due from Banks	40,966.21
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	625.00
Other Assets	325.00
Total	$1,706,361.74

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in	$50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net	6,875.72
Circulating Notes Outstanding	12,500.00
Due to banks, including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding	1,886.01
Demand deposits	338,690.34
Time deposits	1,131,217.91
Bills payable and rediscounts	116,191.76
Total	$1,706,361.74

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 7th day of Jan. 1932.

ENNA D. BAXTER,
Notary Public.

Correct---Attest:
P. M. BROOKS,
THOS. D. BOWERS,
H. STOCKTON STARTT
Director

The Third National Bank

CHESTERTOWN, MD.

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ORDER NISI

In the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity No. 2710

Wilbur Ross Hubbard and Stephen R. Collins, Assignees
versus
The Royal Swan Club a Corporation duly incorporated under the laws of the State of Delaware

Ordered, this 15th day of December, 1931, by the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity, that the sale of the mortgaged Real Estate mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Wilbur Ross Hubbard and Stephen R. Collins, Assignees, under and by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in mortgage from The Royal Swan Club, a corporation, to Aubrey W. Marchand, dated March 10th, 1928, and by mesne assignements duly assigned to Wilbur Ross Hubbard and Stephen R. Collins, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 19th day of February next; Provided, a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper printed and pubilshed in Kent County, once in each of four successive weeks before the 18th day of January next.

The Report states the amount of Sales to be $30,000.00, subject to 1st mortgage of $10,000.00 and accrued costs.

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Notice to Depositors & General Public

In an endeavor to have their interest disbursements conform more nearly to the lessened income from investments under existing financial conditions, and agreeably with the action of a past majority of Banking Institutions throughout the State and Nation, the undersigned Banks of Kent County have decided to make a slight reduction in the rate of interest paid on general Savings Accounts. Effective January 1, 1932, the rate will be 3½% instead of 4% paid heretofore.

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