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HIGH SCHOOL ARCHITECTS HERE

TWO ARCHITECTS TO DRAW PLANS FOR PROPOSED HIGH SCHOOL ADDITION

So far two architctural companies are making arangements for drawing preliminary plans for the proposed new High School addition in Chestertown.

Mr. Wallace E. Hance, of Wilmington, Del., was in town this week and got a copy of the plans of the present building. From these he will draw preliminary plans for the proposed addition.

Mr. Walace McCrea, of the firm of McCrea and Sharp ,of New York, will be in town Saturday and get data from which to draw the preliminary plans.

It is expected that several more architecural companies will look the situation over and submit plans.

At the election to be held in November, the voters of Kent county will vote for or against a $100,000 bond issue for the enlargement of the Chestertown High School building.

FOR SALE

SALE OF FLOOR SAMPLES
$208 Atwater-Kent Radio $80.00
$175 Atwater-Kent Radio $75.00
$165 Atwater-Kent Radio $69.00
W. P. NEWNAM
ar16-3t. Chestertown, Md.

NOTICE

The steamer EXPRESS has now resumed her trips on the Baltimore-Tolchester Ferry Route. ar16-1t.

FOR RENT

SMALL FARM IN QUAKER NECK. For Rent or Sale.
Apply R. L. KIRBY,
ar16-3t. Chestertown R. R. 3

SPECIAL NOTICE

Next week being Court week, there will be an extra session of the Orphans' Court on Thursday, April 21st, 1932.
FRANK W. SMITH,
ar16. Register of Wills.

WANTED

Several sows which will farrow in the next two to six weeks.
ALBERT SUTTON, Worton.
or P. M. BROOKS, Chestertown.
ar16-3t.

FOR RENT

One or two rooms furnished or unfurnished with or without heat.
Address, MISS MARY W. CARROLL.
Phone 287 200 Water St.,
ar9-4t. Chestertown, Md.

NOTICE TO PUBLIC

NOTICE is hereby giyen that the Kent County Board of Commissioners will set as a Board of Review and adjustment of PERSONAL PROPERTY ONLY on WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, APRIL 20TH and 21ST. All persons having tax assessments on PERSONALTY to be reviewed or adjusted are notified to take notice of the above dates.
MARIAN CALDWELL,
Clerk to the Kent County Commissioners. ar9-2t.

WARNING TO DOG OWNERS

Having sufered much property damage and great annoyance by dogs running at large on my property, Radcliff Manor, adjacent Chestertown, I hereby give notice that, from this date, all dogs found trespassing upon these premises, unattended by their owners, will be shot at sight. This action is taken without personal malice, but as the only effectual means of escaping a destructive nuisance.
ar9 DR. THOMAS W. SPRANKLIN.

FOR SALE

350 CORDS OAK WOOD.
ALL LENGTH. PRICE RIGHT.
mr26 J. H. CLENDANIEL,
Phone 77M. Chestertown, Md.

FOR SALE

BALED ALFALFA HAY

Baled Alfalfa Hay, fine quality and green. Will sell one bale or as many as wanted, one cent per pound, weighed and tagged. handy to use.
FLOWER GROVE FRUIT FARM,
mr26 B.F.RASH,Prop.
Phone 809-F13. Worton, Md.

U. S. REMOUNT THOROUGHBRED STALLION

BELLI CASUS

May be had for the reasonable fee of $10. Standing at farm of William J. French. Those desiring his services, communicate with Mr. French, Phone Chestertown 822-F22.
mr19 KENT CO. HORSE ASSOC.

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S. S. EXPRESS IN SERVICE

The Steamer Express, fo rthe Baltimore-Tolchseter Ferry Line, has been placed back in service and is now making the daily drip across the bay.

The Steamer Express has been undergoing a thorough overhauling during the winter months and the daily trip have been made by the Annapolis. The Express has been put in condition for the coming excursion and heavy ferry season.

NEW FORD HERE

750 PEOPLE VIEWED NEW FORD AT ELIASON MOTORS.. DELIVERY CAN BE MADE NEXT WEEK

A new Ford coach was on display at Eliason Motors garage on Cross St. last Saturday until 9 p. m. at thaat time it was taken to Easton where it was put on display.

750 people inspected the new car and 27 orders for these new cars were received.

Ford will have two cars, a V-eight and a four cylinder car. The one in town Saturday had the V-8 motor, maroon body and re dwheels. These automobiles it is understood can be had in a variety of colors.

Acording to a statement issued Thursday by Eliason Motors, delivery can be made on the new cars and trucks next week.

DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTIONS

Senator S. Scott Beck, W. B. Copper and Stephen P. Collins will represent Kent County at the State Convention which meets in Baltimore in May. This convention will select delegates to the National Convention in Chicago in June to nominate a candidate for President and a candidate for Vice-President of the United States.

Mayor Charles N. Satterfield, John S. Owens and John T. Strickning will represent this county at the Republican conventions which will also meet in Baltimore and Chicago. These conventions will meet prior to th Democratic.

EIGHTEENTH AMENDMENT

Whether you are for or against the 18th Amendment, you will have plenty to think about after hearing Mrs. Mary Harris Armour at the M. E. Church Chestertown on April 28 at 7.30 p. m. when she speaks at the evening session of the Kent County W. C. T. U. Convention. ar16-2t.

WANTED

"WANTED:—Reliable party, with car, to handle GRAND UNION PRODUCTS. Selling direct to consumers, Liberal compensation.
Address:
GRAND UNION TEA CO.,
514 N. Eutaw St.,
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COLONIAL PROPERTY FOR SALE

Price Reasonable—To Settle Estate of J. WILLSON MERRITT, Middleton, Delaware.

Large brick dwelling on Main St., 3 doors from Cochran Square, twelve rooms with bath, lot 57-150 feet, large barn or garage in rear. Splendid location for doctor's office, business or private home. Apply to
MRS. PAULINE A. MERRITT,
334 Riverview Avenue,
ar16. Drexel Hill, Pennsylvania.

FOR SALE

Special sale in two year old trees for the next two weeks. Prices from 25 cents to $3.50. The varieties are: Blue Spruce, White Spruce, Norway Spruce, Douglas Fir, Balsam Fir, Red Pine, Austrian Pine, American Arbor Vitae, Chinese Arbor Vitae.
Bargains in seed corn and Hotkaps.
MRS. EVELYN HARRIS,
ar9-tf. Betterton, Md.

DRI-KLEAN-IT

Spray it on your car, wipe it off.
IT CLEANS
IT SHINES
Our representative will call.
A. A. KROLL.
Apply to The Transcript. ar2

SHAD SUPPER

For the benefit of the Rock Hall Volunteer Fire Co., will be held on April 21st, 1932, in the Rock Hall M. E. Church Hall. Menu:—Shad, Oysters, chicken, ham and all other things for a good supper. Tickets 50 cents. Supper starts at 5 p. m. mr26

APARTMENTS FOR RENT

Three nice apartments for rent in Chestertown, formerly occupied by J. H. Clendaniel and Mr. Valliant.
Apply to Jas. E. Cooper, Chestertown, Md. d12-tf.

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NOW AND THEN

GOLDEN SIEGE

Beyond the dark horizon of the days
It stirs again—the flowered storm of Spring,
A golden-fringed defiance through the haze
Of sullen clouds. The far, faint trumpeting
Of leaf and bud and bayoneted grass
Throbs in the muffled conduits of the earth;
I sense the growing tumult as I pass
These fields that wait the old, old siege of birth.

Not many dawns will break before dull clouds
Will cleave away before the bluebird's wing,
And meadows wil be riotous with crowds
Of crocuses and dandelions that fling
Their yellow banners in the teeth of death;
Soon laurel will reconquer every slope,
Dark streams will quiver with the south wind's breath.
And the old heart be stormed again with hope.

ANDERSON M. SCRUGGS.

Last Sunday morning everywhere one saw a gleam of gold, King Medas, with his golden touch seemed to have turned the bushes everywhere. Here and there were golden dandetions among the grass, as though the gold had been spilled in drops. But King Pluvius came with all his might, and in a large measure, did away with the beauty. One wonders if he treated the Cherry blossoms in Washington in the same shabby manner.

Sunday on the radio, while the rain poured without! What a treat it was, servcies, operas, Symphonies and appealing songs while old man static thougthfully lay silent. The service was from Norfolk, Va., while Damroch conducted the Opera. Wagner was preeminent; the most familiar airs from The Ring; The Meistersinger; and Tristam and Isolde were given, the nthe New ork Symphony with Sir Thomas Beecham conducting and later McCormick, with his sweet Irish songs Altogether it was a very unusual and pleasant experience.

"An empty house," as they call when it has no human inhabitants. And yet it is full of life, busy creatured moving around and taking possession. De La Mare, in one of his poems, tells of a traveller who stopped at an empty house one moonlight night, and called as he knocked at thedoor; how his voice disturbed the quiet residents.

"But only a host of listeners
That dwelt in the lone house then
Stood listening in the quiet of the moonlight
To that voice from the world of men."

Sometime ago they were to move Audobon's house from its old foundation to another place more within the means of his admirers who are going to use the old home as a shrine. The house had been vacant but they found numberless mice and chipmunks that had found their way in and many books and pamphlets had fallen a prey to their sharp little teeth.

TO LET

By Nita Muriel Thurston

The little house is empty now,
The hill-folk say—
But I find discriminating mice
Thriving on the crumbs of poets,
Chairs nodding with folded arms,
Charred logs in the fireplace
Blinking their eyes drowsily
In sooty dreams, remembering
And a slepy little wind
At the dorstep,
Whimpering to be let in.

They tel us that bustles are really coming back. We hope bustle in business and finance will come instead.

NEW FERRY ACROSS BAY

The way was cleared yesterday for opening of a new ferry service across Chesapeake Bay by the Chesapeake Beach Railroad Co., when the United States Supreme Court denied the appeal of the Claiborne-Annapolis Ferry Co. to prevent the operation of the new company and annul the permit granted it by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

The appeal was made from a verdict of the District Supreme Court. The Interstate Commerce Commission, which granted the permit to the Chesapeake company two years ago, also was made a defendant in the action of the Claiborne company.

Following the decision, officials of the railroad company announced they would launch plans immediately for operation of a ferry and railroad service between Chesapeake Beach and Hudson in Dorchester County on Eastern Shore. The service will begin in July, it was announced. The new service is expected to be a boon to Eastern Shore farmers and Washington trade.

BONNETT JOINS FEDERATED STORES

One of Chestertown's largest Department Stores, B. L. Bonnett's on High Sreet, has united with the Federated Stores of America, a voluntary chain of independent merchants, cooperating for the purpose of buyiog goods more favorably and rendesing better service to their patrons.

The Bonnett's sore will be individually owned and will continue giving the same personal attenion to the nehs of the community.

Under supervision of Baltimore headquarter's staff, represented by W. M. Young and Charles Lewis, the store is being layed out in a 100 per cent. modernized up-to-date chain store method. At the same time every article of merchandise in the store is being thoroughly scrutinized and anything, whether soiled or surplus, will be disposed of in a Gigantic Sale which will open Friday, April 22nd.

Everyone, no matter how far they live from Chestertown, will be offered a rare opportunity to purchase merchandise at tremendous savings at this great remodeling event.

Watch carefully for the announcement. It will save you many dollars on countless needed articles. But, whether or not you are interested in making purchases, come and visit Bonnett's during the Removal Sale.

LOGAL GENEALOGISTS HONORED

LOCAL WOMEN RECOGNIZED BY NATIONAL ORGANIZATION

Miss Sarah Elizabeth Stuart, and Mrs. Notley O. Willson, who have won local recognition for their work in genealogical and historical research, have been honored by "Who's Who in Genealogy" sketches of their work included in the list of the leading active genealogical researchers in the United States, in The Handbook of American Genealogy recently issued by The Institute of American Genealogy of Chicago.

Recognition in this field affords access to the extensive lineage files of The National Clearing House for Genealogical Information, as well as professional contact with genealogists in 1,331 counties throughout the United States and in 16 foreign countries, which will enable them to expand the scope of their work very materially.

It will be of interest to the members and prospective members, and especially to the registrars of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Colonial Dames, and other hereditary-patriotic societies to learn that local residents have formed these international contacts, because they will make possible the necessary genealogical research to qualify for membership with outside aid.

ENGINEER IN KENT

KENT FARMERS INTENDING TO BUILD OR REPAIR OFFERED FREE PLANS

Mr. C. E. Wise, Extension Agricultural Engineer, spent Wednesday in Kent. He and County Agent McVean interviewed several farmers who are to build or remodel farm buildings in the near future. Mr. Wise brings to farmers and ocntractors a wide experience in farm structures. Blue prints and bills of materials are prepared to fit the type and size of building needed. A farm barn, for example, should last a life time—therefore, it is well to make sure that the building is right in every detail when it is built. Farmers, by making use of the Extension Service Free plans,—discount the oportunity of making expensive blunders. It is better to use a standard plan that through years of application has proved its merit and economy, than to attempt to use individual ideas. Economy, strength, and beauty all play a part in building. The building most cheaply constructed may well be the most expensive in the long run—due to weaknesses, inconvenience in arrangement and lack of balanced proportions.

Anyone desiring information along agricultural engineering lines should confer with the County Agent. The type o fhelp you need is axailable.

OYSTER SEASON CLOSED

PRICES REPORTED TO BE GOOD

Oyster season for tongers was brought to a close yesterday, Friday, April 15. Watermen in the Fifth and Sixth Districts report a fair season, prices ranging from fair to good. Most of the winter was open and weather conditions excellent for oystering except during the month of March when a very few days were suitable for work. Packers and retail merchants will have until the 25th to dispose of their oysters, so that tongers can work throughout the last day of the season.

—For an evening enjoyment visit the New Lyceum Theatre.

WILL BUY 6,000 TONS SLAG

TO BE USED FOR MAINTENANCE AND NEW ROADS

PLAN 15 MILES OF NEW ROADS THIS YEAR

The Commissioners o fKent County, at their meeting last week decided to contract for 6000 tons of slag to be used for maintenance and new road construction during the coming county year. The decision contract for this juanitty of slag as recommended by County Road Engineer, Gilbert Taylor, to be used during the year will make it possible to buy the slag at a reduced price. It is in conformity with the policy of the Commissioners to keep th county expense as low as possible.

Of the 6000 tons of slga to be purchased, 3290 will be used for new construction and the remainder to be used for maintenance of the counties 78 miles of slag road. The average cost of the slag placed on the road is $2 a ton. The new roads to be built will require approximately 200 tons per mile making 15 miles of new slag orad available this year. While this construction is considered light, the roads left to be improved do not carry heavy traffic and past experience has shown that with the present method o maintenance construction of this kind is ample.

Approximately $3,000 of the county road fund will be used for the construction and maintenance of bridges.

Negotiations are now underway for the purchase of an additional road maintainer similar to the one now in use, and also a new tractor to pull it at an approximate cost of $2500. With these two maintenance equipments Kent county's present road system can be kept in excellent condition.

WILLIAM WALTER CHAPMAN, JR.



Mr. Walter Chapman, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Chapman of Chestertown has accepted a position on the faculty of the McDonnough School near Baltimore.

Mr. Chapman has been in the employ of the General Electric Co., in Conneticut since his graduation from the University of Maryland two years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Chapman expect to move from Bridgeport to Baltimore in the near future.

DIOCESAN CONVENTION NEXT MONTH

ANNUAL EPISCOPAL CONVENTION TO BE HELD IN CENTREVILLE

The convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Easton, Rt. Rev. George W. Davenport, Bishop of the Diocese, will convene in St. Paul's Church, Centreville, on Tuesday, May 3. The tentative program calls for the opening service at 10.30 a. m. but definite announcement as to the exact hour will be made later.

The proceedings of the convention will occupy the entire day and that evening a dinner will be given at Hotel Centreville for the men of the Diocese.

The delegates, clerical and lay, will be entertained during their stay there by members of the congregation. Committees having charges of all phases of the convention have been appointed and arrangements, especially those looking forward to the entertaining of the visitors, are being given immediate attention.

D. A. R. MEET

The Old Kent Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, met at the home of Mrs. George Baldwin, for its regular monthly meeting, on Saturday afternoon, April 9th. There were nine members and one visitor present.

Mrs. William T. Brown brought the Chapter an interesting report from the State Conference held in Baltimore in March.

The Old Kent Chapter voted to sponsor the erection of a marker on the site of the first free school in Kent which is now the home of Marion deKalb Smith, Jr., and sister Miss Ann Smith.

The May meeting will be held at the home of Miss Ann Smith.

THE ABBEY ROOM OPENED AT BALTIMORE MUSEUM

The Abbey room which was purChased from Mr. Harry Catlin last February, by Mrs. Johnson in memory of her husband, to be placed in the Balitmore Museum has been completed and was opened to visitors on Friday, April 15. This very artistic room acquirde much notoriety last winter when the people of Chestertown protested against the sale of the same, but without avail.

PERSONALS

Miss Alice Wilmer, who was expected home last Saturday, is still at the Bon Secour Hospital in Baltiomre.

Mrs. Jesse Medders was a guest of her mother, Mrs. Rebecca R. Wilkins in Baltimore this week on the occasion of the later's seventy-ninth birthday. Mrs. Wilkins is a native of Kent county and is still remembered by many friends.

Mr. John White, of St. John's College, Annapolis, was the week end guest of his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. John White, at Fairlee.

Col. H. S. Brown, of New York, spent Friday and Saturday at his country place in Quaker Neck, near Chestertown.

Mrs. C. Harry Schreiber, of Cincinnati, Ohio, was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Schreiber here.

Mr. and Mrs. Dumont Lambert and Mr. Harry Lewis, of Washington, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weed, of Montour Falls, N. Y., are the guests of Mr. and Mr. H. A. Krazer here. Mrs. L. R. Wood, of New York, is also the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kratzer, while her husband is in Porto Rico.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Goodman, son and grandson, of near Chestertown and Mrs. Mattie Davis & Son and Mr. William Goodman, Jr., of Chestertown, spent Sunday with Miss Ruth Goodman at Cambridge.

Mr. J. Walter Sutton is very ill at his daughter's home. Mrs. Walter Frances, near St. Pauls Church.

Mrs. Sydney Manning, of Baltimore, is the guests of relatives in town.

Mrs. Herbert Skipper was the guests of relatives in Baltimore this week.

Mrs. Dr. Gundry, of Rehoboth, has ben visiting Dr. and Mrs. Frank Hines.

Mrs. Dr. Gardner, of Baltimore, was the guests of riends in the county this week.

Mrs. W. W. Hubbard spent part of this week in Washington.

Misses Amelia and Mary Brooks have opened their home at Quaker Neck, after having spent the winter in Daytona, Florida.

Miss E. B. Wicks has been quite sick at her home on Queen St.

Mrs. Edward Comegys, of Baltimore, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Alice Derringer, on Queen St.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Hill and daughter, of Baltimore, were in town this week.

Mrs. Rolph Townshend and little son are visiting friends near Rockville, Md.

PERMIT ISSUED TO BUILD CHURCH

PERMIT ISSUED TO ERECT LUTHERAN CHURCH IN CHESTERTOWN

Rev. George Horne, pastor of the Lutheran Church, of Dover, Del., was granted a permit, by the Mayor and Town Council, of Chestertown, this wek, to build a Lutheran Church on their recently acquired lot of the Usilton development on High street extended.

The building will be of bungalow style, 22x30 feet, to be built of concrete block at a cost of $2,000. This is the first unit of the Lutheran Church here.

The Chestertown Lutheran Church was organized here about two years ago and have been holding Sunday after noon services at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Herzberg and at the present time have a membership of twenty members with a growing Sunday School. This church will be part of the Dover charge.

HORSE SHOW AND RACES MAY 25

TO BE HELD ON BURRIS FARM IN QUAKER NECK

A horse show and race meet will be held on the farm of Mr. Arthur Burris in Quaker Neck on May 25th to be sponosred by the Kent County Health Association. Special events for local and outside horses are being arranged and a number of hunt clubs have been invited to participate in the event.

The various events and races and the rules of the show will be published at an early date.

OPPOSES BONUS PAYMENT

KENT AND QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY POSTS VOTE OPPOSITION

At recent meetings of the Frank M. Jarman Post, of Kent county, and Jeff Davis Post, of Queen Anne's county, these two posts have gone on record as opposing the immediate payment of the soldiers adjusted compensation.

The adjusted compensation act was passed by Congres in 1927 which adjusted the salaries paid to the soldiers during the past war. The act was passed due to the small salaries paid soldiers in comparison to the large salaries paid men during that period who were exempted from military service. The base pay for privates in the service was $30 per month and the act allowed each man in the service an additional $1 per day for every day of service in the United States and $1.50 for each day served on foreign territory.

This payment was made in the form of a paid-up 20 year endowment insurance policy with the privilege of borrowing a certain proportion of this money at various times. Last year Congress passed an act alowing veterans to borrow 50 per cent of the face value of this insurance policy for which an interest charge was made. The present act, which is now before congress, will pay immediately the remaindre of adjusted compensation policy.

The American Legion, at the last convention, opposed the payment and the two local posts have again gone on record in opposition.

The reason for opposition was taken in consideration of the present condition of the United States treasurey but mainly because the veterans are afraid that if this enormous sum is paid it wil effect the necesary appropriations for the disabled veterans whose care has been foremost in the minds of the American Legion.

The proponents of the act state that as Congress has admitted that the country owes the veterans this money the payment of this money at this time will put in the circulation and help relieve the present depression and also that the veterans seriously need the money at this time.

TO PAVE CROSS STREET

SURVEY MADE THIS WEEK

STATE AND TOWN TO SHARE COST

The survey of Cross street, Chestertown, was made this week in preparation for the building of a concrete roadway on Cross Street from Main street to Maple Ave.

This street will be made a boulevard connecting link between the western and southern boulevards and down the Shore and northern points.

The expense of building this roadway will be borne equally between the town of Chestertown and the State Roads Commission, the latter fund to be taken out of Kent county's allotment. Chestertown's share of the expense, $3000 was included in the recent $25,000 town bond issue and the money is now available.

The paving of Cross treet will relieve the narrow congested conditions on Queen Street and Spring avenue and the upkeep will be taken care out of the State maintenance fund. Work will start as soon as the necessary preliminary work is finished and the contract let.

Queen Street One Way

The Mayor and Town Council of Chestertown decided to make Queen street a one-way street as soon as the paving of Cross streets is finished following a rejuest for same made by the residents of Queen street.

LITERARY CLUB VISITS WASHINGTON

Sixteen persons started on the bus from the Voshell House on Thursday morning at 6 a. m. in route to Washington to see the cherry blossoms, now in the height of their bloom.

This trip was sponsored by the Women's Literary Club and it proved to be a most enjoyable one.

There is nothing more beautiful than the sight of the blossoming trees bordering the blue basin of the Potomac.

After the tourists had gone over the Memorial Bridge, they proceeded down the Mount Vernon boulevard to the Nation's Shine, Mt. Vernon, redolent, as it is, with the memories of the happy domestic life of the country's hero.

The day was bright and sunny and altogether it was a trip to be remembered.

—Due to the breaking down of one of the pumps at the Chestertown water works Chestertown citizens have been urged to conserve water as much as possible. The pump was scheduled to be working again today at noon.

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