ON STATE FIREMEN'S COMMITTEE

Among those who have been appointed to serve on the various committees of the State Fireman's Association by Jesse A. Fisher, newly elected president, are:

Executive Committee—Herbert A. Urie, Rock Hall.

Exhibit Committee—C. M. Melvin, Millington.

Special Fire Inspection Committee—C. A. Bacon, Chestertown.

Legislative Committee—S. Scott Beck, Chestertown.

BOYS 4-H CLUB ACTIVITIES

Kent 4-H Daisy

The Kent 4-H Daisy Calf Club met at the home of George Carter near Worton Wednesday night, July 6th. President Davidson Coleman presided and conducted the business meeting. Walter T. Morris, local leader, gave a demonstration in Artificial Respiration. As nearly every one takes to swimming occasionally every one should know how to revive a person who has been overcome.

Kennedyville

The Kennedyville Boys 4-H Club met at the home of Billy King Thursday night, July 7th. In addition to the regular business meeting the group sang several club songs and discussed their projects. Several new members joined.

Handy Andy

The Handy Andy 4-H Calf Club met at the home of Robert and Helen Fogwell near Galena. Vice-President Robert Sutton, presided. Several who made the Washington trip told of their observations and experiences. Projects, Judging and other club topics were discussed.

4-H Clover

The Kent 4-H Clover Calf Club met at the home of Harvey Coleman Monday night, July 11th. After looking at Harvey's fine pure bred Holstein Calf the meeting was called to order by President William Carrol. During the regular business meeting several topics such as a picnic, demonstrations, judging, etc., were discussed. Several visitors were present and Calvin Smith, president of the Fairlee Boys 4-H Club, Davidson Coleman, president of the Kent 4-H Daisy and John Skinner, president of the Sudlersville Boys 4-H Club in Queen Anne were introduced and made a few remarks.

Schedule of Meetings for Week of July 18th

Tuesday night, July 19—The Kent Boys 4-H Club Council Meeting.

Wednesday night, July 20—The Kennedyville Boys 4-H Club at the home of Oliver Groves.

Thursday night, July 21—The Millington Boys 4-H Club at the home of Harold Myers.

Friday evening, July 22—The Kent 4-H Daisy Picnic at the home of Davidson Coleman, Swan Creek.

Saturday afternoon, July 23, at 1:30 P. M.—The 4-H Clover Calf Club at the home of Virginia and Doris Dulin for judging practice.

"For Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us," also by such passages as, "Now all these things happened unto them for examples (types)" 1 Cor. 10:11.

The deepest spiritual lesson, of course, is that which concerns the result of simple obedience to God's saving plan. Those individuals or families of Israel, who took God at His word and evidenced their faith by seeking the shelter of the blood sprinkled door, were infallibly secure, good or bad, wise or ignorant, strong or weak, rich or poor, bond or free.

The truth taught in this lesson lies at the heart of all that the Bible teaches. The one who apprehends the meaning and unmeasured efficacy of the blood-sprinkled lintel insures, will have the key to the greatest mysteries of Scripture. He will, too, have found for himself the pearl of great price.

WILT KILLS MAPLE TREES

FORESTRY DEPARTMENT ADVOCATES TREATMENT

A large number of maple trees over the entire County are dead or dying as a result of attack by a fungus disease known as "Maple Wilt" according to District Forster Kenneth J. Seigworth, Salisbury.

The disease is characterized by sudden wilting of leaves and the dying of individual branches gradually spreading over the entire tree. The disease can be definitely recognized by greenish streaks on the sap-wood of dying branches.

The State Forestry Department advocates pruning the infected branches, fertilization of the trees, and raking and burning the fallen leaves. Fertilization is emphsized as practical and effective.

According to Mr. Seigworth, the fertilizer should be applied at once in holes six to eight inches deep drilled directly under the outer branches. The holes should form a circle under the outer branches of the tree, spaced at intervals of about three feet. Ommonium Sulphate or Nitrate of Soda either of which can be purchased at about three cents a pound, is recommended. Application of five pounds for small trees and eight to ten pounds for larger trees is suggested.

Apparently all species of maples are attacked although Norway Maple seems to be most susceptible.

It was emphasized that immediate pruning and fertilizing should follow the appearance of the disease.

DOROTHY DARNIT

By Charles McManus



Telephones In Four States Exceed All South America

Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, and the District of Columbia comprising 100,000 square miles have 747,900 telephones. The southern continent with 6,648,000 square miles has only 620,000 telephones.

Telephone development in Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia and the District of Columbia exceeds that of all South America. This area, containing about 100,000 square miles is now served by more than 747,900 telephones. In comparison, nine countries in South America with 6,648,000 square miles have only 620,000 telephones. With the exception of Argentina, which had 303,000 telephones, and Brazil with 162,670 telephones, all of the South American countries have far fewer telephones than the District of Columbia, or either of these three states.

The District of Columbia is now served by 182,324 telephones; Maryland, 221,500; Virginia, 205,110; and West Virginia, 193,000 telephones. Not only are there more telephones in these states than in the South American countries, officials of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Companies point out, but there are many cities in this area with even more telephones than entire countries in South America.

Cities with more telephones than a number of these countries are Baltimore, Md., 138,338; Cumberland, 6,644; Hagerstown, 6,106; Annapolis 3,382; Frederick, 3,368; Salisbury, 2,788; and Catonsville, 2,346.

In Virginia, Richmond is served by 43,345 telephones; Norfolk, 26,879; Roanoke, 16,075; Lynchburg, 8,223; Portsmouth, 5,914; Newport News, 5,225; Danville, 4,555; Alexandria, 4,346; Clarendon, 3,913; Staunton, 2,612; Hampton, 2,536, and Winchester, 2,475.

Telephones serving West Virginia cities include Charleston, 16,351; Wheeling, 16,019; Huntington, 13,910; Clarksburg, 7,537; Parkersburg, 7,156; Fairmont, 6,263; Morgantown, 4,877; Martinsburg, 2,388, and Beckley, 2,387.

Bolivia on January 1, 1931, according to telephone and telegraph statistics of the world, had 2,333 telephones; Chile on that date was served by 48,677; Colombia, 29,388; Ecuador, 4,200; Paraguay, 2,090; Peru, 13,745; Uruguay, 29,356; Venezuela, 27,552 telephones, and other South American places 2,830 telephones.

A comparison of world telephone development shows that 61.80 per cent of all telephones are on the North American continent; South America has only 1.75 per cent. Europe has 29.96 per cent of the total. The remainder of the telephones in the world are in Asia, Africa and Oceania.

FURROWS



MR. EDITOR:

There wuz a heap of democrats votin fer Hover in 1928. But my guess is that a lot of 'em is mighty sorry now. And I figger a lot that voted fer him in 1928 will vote for somebody else in 1932. Mr. Hoover has had almost three years and a half to show the democrats what they voted fer.

From the way he has acted he seems to think he is the whole government. Most of the important bills that Congress has passed had to be accordin to Hoover's ideas before he would sign 'em. Congress wanted to pass a farm bill but it had to be Mr. Hoover's ideas before he would sign 'em. Congress wanted to pass a farm bill but it had to be Mr. Hoover's bill before the would sign it. And look what we got. Hoover may be a big engineer but he ain't no farmer and he don't knrw what the farmers' need. His farm bill ain't done a thing but help the speculators and hurt the farmers, besides providin a lot of high salaried jobs fer a bunch of party men to spend half a billion dollars of the tax payers' money.

And then look at this relief bill that Garner and Wagner is sponserin. Hoover vetoes that and sends his own relief bill back fer Congress to pass. And I reckon Congress will act like a bunch of muddle headed sheep and pass it, like they did the farm bill. A lot of them Congressmen down there ain't got enough backbone to set up straight in their chairs.

Then agin, when Congress is tryin to economize in some of the departments they pass a bill to retire a lot of the help but fix the bill so as Mr. Hoover can retain some of them if he considers their services necessary. And what does he do? He keeps a thousand of them on at full pay and retires Mr. Ethelbert Stewart, the Commissioner of Labor Statistics, because he and Mr. Doak didn't like Stewart's tellin the truth last year about unemployment. Mr. Doak, you remember, wuz made Secretary of Labor as a reward to Virginia fer votin fer Hovoer in 1928. I reckon a lot of Virginians ain't very proud of their reward. Neither Mr. Hoover nor Mr. Doak want the truth about unemployment to come out. It looks too bad fer "republican prosperity" to have so many milion people out of work. Hoover says times ain't that bad. Well, if he wuz to lose his fortune it would be right bad fer him to have to get to work in 1933, when he loses his present sinecure. And there ain't no floubt in my mind as to Mr. Hoover's being retired to private life next year.

The President shows his real colors when Gov. Rosevelt offers to help speed up the arrangements for the international waterway with Canada. He just refuses right off, sayin he wouldn't want to break up the Governor's cruise. He can handle the situation without any democratic help. All he wants the democrats to do is to pay taxes fer him to spend. He has been foolin with this waterway project fer a long time and ain't done nothin yet, but he don't want any help. That is like askin Congress the other day fer authority to consolidate government departments, bureaus and the like. He has had that authority fer quite a spell but ain't done nothin but create more commissions and bureaus and add more people tr the national pay roll.

Yes sir, I think a lot of democrats is goin to vote agin Mr. Hoover this fall and I reckon the country will be just about as well off if they do.

Yours truly,
JOSIAH ALLEN WEATHERBY.

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KENNEDYVILLE

The Kennedyville 4-H Club met at the home of Billy and Charles King Friday evening.

Mrs. Harry Hill, Misses Mary and Nola Hill visited relatives near Clayton, Del., on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Faulkner, of New York City visited Mr. and Mrs. James Weer on Wednesday.

Mr. George Johnston visited in Philadelphia a part of this week.

Miss Gladys Archibald and friend, Miss Green, of Wilmington, spent the week end with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Myers spent Sunday with friends near North East.

Mr. and Mrs. Cooper, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with Mrs. Pearl Walls.

Mrs. Clarence Kelley entertained her sister and family, of Annapolis, last week. Miss Nola Hill returned home with them on Monday for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roader spent Thursday with friends in Baltimore.

Mr. Green an M. E. preacher, preached a splendid sermon in Grace Presbyterian church on Sunday evening. Come out to our service. Mr. Ferguson always has a splendid message to give you. All welcome.

Anna Oliff is visiting relatives in Philadelphia.

Kennedyville base ball team defeated Massey at Kennedyville on Saturday. The batteries were Spencer and Money the score was 27 to 1. Kennedyville team will play Millington on Saturday at Millington.

Mr. Watie McKnett, of Philadelphia, spent the week end with Mrs. McKnett at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Johnston.

Mary Eva George spent last week with her grand mother, Mrs. Price.

Service in the M. P. Church next Sunday. Sunday Schol at 10 a. m. preaching at 11 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 7.30 p. m., led by Miss Sara Willis.

Service in Grace Presbyterian church next Sunday evening at 7.30 p. m.

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