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TO CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

ROCK HALL COUPLE TO CELEBRATE 60TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Captain and Mrs. Charles R. Kerr, of Rock Hall, will celebrate their sixtieth wedding anniversary tomorrow, Sunday, with a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ruthland Strong on Grey's Inn Creek.

Three of their four children will attend the anniversary celebration, Mrs. Ruthland Strong, Mrs. Charles G. Kerr, of Rock Hall, Mr. Edward F. Kerr, Captain of the Baltimore fire boat. Mr. Morris S. Kerr, professor of military tactics and science at Pennsylvania State College will be unable to attend. Among those who will be present are 6 grand-children.

Captain Kerr was born on the site of what is now the town of Cape Charles 81 years ago, but at that time, the town had not been started. He served a three year enlistment in the Navy, after which at the age of 20 years he came to Rock Hall where he has made his home. Most of his life has been spent on the water both out side and inland, a large portion of which has been on private owned yachts. He is now Police Justice for the Fifth District.

His wife, who before her marriage was Miss Margaret A. Davis, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Washington Davis, has spent her entire life in and around Rock Hall.

TWO ROADS FOR KENT COUNTY

LYNCH AND MILLINGTON ROADS TO BE BUILT

Word was received in the county this week that the State Roads Commission had decided to improve two stretches of road in Kent county from this county's share of Federal funds for road construction.

The roads to be improved are the road from Lynch station to Hossenger's corner which will connect the Catts Corner-Redding Corner concrete road and the Eastern Shore trail at Lynch station.

A stretch of road will be built in the First District from Millington toward the present Morgnec concrete road.

—The Spry Farm advertised for sale on Tuesday of this wee by Elmer S. Harper, assignee of mortgage, was withdrawn due to a settlement between Martgagor and Mortgagee.

TURKEY SUPPER

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22ND, 1932

THE WOMEN'S GUILD OF EMMANUEL P. E. CHURCH, Chestertown, will hold a turkey supper in the Parish House starting at 5.30 p. m. No suppers sent out after 5 o'clock. Adults 50 cents Children 35 cents. o8

WANTED OLD STOVES

The Chestertown Gas Co., wants 100 old stoves before October 31st, liberal allowance on new one.

Come and see us or call 357.

o1-3t.

ANNUAL FALL SUPPER

KENNEDYVILLE M. P. CHURCH and the LADIES AID SOCIETY will hold their Annual Fall Supper in the School Building.

SATURDAY, EVENING OCTOBER 22 beginning at 5 p. m.

Menu for supper—Fried Oysters, Chicken Salad, Roast Pig, Poultry, Maryland Biscuit, Rolls, Salads, Butter and all that goes with a splendid supper. Home made cake, doughnuts and candy on sale.

Price of supper. Adults 50 cents; Children 12 years and under 35 cents. o1.

TURKEY AND OYSTER SUPPER

Benefit of
ROCK HALL FIRE COMPANY
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1932
M. E. CHURCH HALL, ROCK HALL
Starting at 5 p. m.
Turkey, Oysters, Salads, etc.
Supper 50 cents. s24

WANTED

POSITION by White Woman as HOUSE KEEPER, NURSE or WORK of any kind. Will take any kind of work. Reply to see me at Mrs. Bertie Burris near McGinnis Corner.

MRS. YOUNGER,
s3 Millington R. R. No. 1

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SELL HAVRE DE GRACE GAS PLANT

The National Public Service Company, owner of the Chestertown Gas plant has petitioned the Public Service company of Maryland for the sale of the Havre de Grace gas plant to the Baltimore Gas and Electric Company. This plant has been supplying gas to the near-by towns and the Baltimore Company will tap into their lines from their city supply.

The sale of the Havre de Grace plant will have no affect on the local plant here.

CELEBRATES 83 BIRTHDAY

PRACTICES MEDICINE OVER HALF CENTURY

Dr. Charles W. Whaland, of Chestertown, celbrated his 83rd birthday on Thursday of this week. He is still actively engaged in the practice of medicine here and various parts of the county. He drives his automobile around the county daily and enjoys good health.

Dr. Whaland was born in Chestertown in 1849 and started the practice of medicine in Chestertown in 1874. We extend our congratulations to Dr. Whaland on his 83rd birthday.

ORPHANS' COURT NOTICE

Next week being Court week, there will be an extra session of the Orphan's Court next Thursday, October 20th.

FRANK W. SMITH,
Register of Wills

FOR SALE OR RENT

THE ROTE RESIDENCE ON HIGH STREET, CHESTERTOWN is for sale on liberal terms.

Apply to, H. W. VICKERS, Attorney
o8-tf. on The Third National Bank

FOR SALE

RED TOP

ROGER WILLIAMS,
o8-2t. Galena, Md.

NOTICE

FALL PLANTING TIME is here and we have a large quantity of stock that will have to be transplanted from one plot to another, at considerable expense, we have decided to give the public the benefit of a very special cash price on this stock during this period. By doing this we are saving ourselves the expense of transplanting and benefitting our customers at the same time.

E. R. ANTHONY,
o8. Chestertown, Md.

PLANTS FOR SALE

$40.00 for 2 year rhubarb plants per thousand.

$25.00 for 1 year rhubarb plants per thousand.

Latham, the marvelous new red Raspberry, excellent shipper, $18.00 per thousand.

Cumberland and Plum Farmer, fine Black raspberries, good shippers, $16.00 per thousand.

All prices delivered. 10% off for cash.

Orders to be in by October 10th.

EVELYN HARRIS,
Betterton, Md.

ANNOUNCING

The opening of the KINDERGARTEN SCHOOL IN CHESTERTOWN on MONDAY, OCTOBER 3RD, under the direction of a graduate Kindergarten teacher. Children from 4 to 6 years accepted. For particulars communicate with

RATES—$5 per pupil per month.
M. CATHERINE BECK,
s17-6t. Chestertown, Md.

WOOD FOR SALE

"OAK AND ASH WOOD" for sale will saw any length, $4.00 per one-half cord.

EARLE J. EVERETT,
R. R. No. 1
s24-4t. Church Hill, Md.

THIRTEENTH ANNUAL SUPPER

OF I. O. O. F.

Held under the auspices of Betterton Lodge No. 164 and Friendship Rebekah Lodge No. 57.

Menu:— Oysters, Roast Pig, Chicken, Chicken Salad, Maryland Biscuits and Salads. Cake and Ice Cream for sale.

Supper will be served at 5 p. m. price 50 cents; Children 25 cents.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29TH, 1932
At I. O. O. F. Hall, Still Pond.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I have opened a grocery and meat store in the store property, corner Court and Church street and solicit the patronage of the public.

CHARLES ROLLISON, Prop.

NOW AND THEN

October, with its golden light is warning us that summer, which has lingered with us quite a while this year, is now a thing of the past. The trees are putting on their autumn dresses and the leaves begin to fall.

A SUMMER GOD A-DYING

As in the twilight color of a dream,
I think I saw a Summer god a-dying;
He fondly gazed upon the last sunbeam
And spoke with infinite melancholy, sighing:

"Farewell to woodlands and to all green things,
And to the fragrant tenants of the green things,
And to the fragrant tenants of the garden,
And to the thrush—and to the love he sings—
And to the running brooks that soon will harden.

"Ere Fall bestrew the ground with leaves of gold
That snows will bury deep in mantle hoary,
And ere too-warm desire at last grow cold,
Farewell to Summer and to Summer's glory."

And so he vanished at the Summer's close,
Bequeathing us the memory of a rose.

E. L. YORDAN.

The Women's Literary Club resumed its meetings at the room of the Chestertown Library on last Friday, Mrs. W. G. Smith, the outgoing president, entertained in honor of the newly elected president, Mrs. R. Hynson Rogers and a very pleasant time was spent. Mrs. Jefferson, one of the executive committee for the Library, spoke of the pressing needs of the Libraray for carrying on their work. New books have to be bought and the rent has to be paid. It was thought well to have a bake in the near future, for that purpose and it is hoped that the public will do all they can to help in keeping up the Library which is supplying reading matter for a large number of the people in the town. The readers of the Library are increasing very much, those who are doing so much to keep it up should be encouraged in every way.

Mrs. Lee is rather a queer person, for while she wants a clock that will run, she wants silk stockings which will not run.

The Dowager Queen Marie of Roumania is writing a book in English of reminiscences to be called "My Book." She begins with her childhood memories of England, and of her stay at Windsor Castle where she played at the feet of her grandmother, Queen Victoria. She then takes the reader to St. Petersburg, where the Czar Alexander II, her matenal grandfather, held her in his arms as a baby. She speaks of her childhood in Malta, where her father was Govenor. The mother, Carmen Sylva, was always, says the Queen, a "mystical person, as a believer in the Russian Orthodox faith, while we children were Protestants.' Marie was married when she was 17 years old.

As Queen Marie tells of a proposal of marriage that the King of England, George V, made to her she is not a prime favorite with Queen Mary of England, who always says of her that she is her own press agent.

HALLOWE'NE DANCE AT COUNTRY CLUB

CARD PARTY SERIES ALSO PLANNED

Arragements are being made for the annual Hallow'een dance at the Chester River Yacht and Country Club which will be held on Friday evening, October 28th.

A series of four card parties at the club will start next Friday, October 21st and be held every two weeks as follows: October 21st, November 4th, November 18th and December 2nd.

The committee in charge of the card parties are: Mrs. P. G. Wilmer, Mrs. J. Brown Metcalfe, Mrs. Roland R. Corey, of Chestertown; Mrs. John H. Stokes, Jr., of Sudlersville; and Mrs. Jesse D. Maxwell, of Worton. Mr. James G. Beck is chairman of the entertainment committee.

SEND YOUR CONTRIBUTION

The National Democratic Committee are asking for contributions to defray the expenses of the National Campaign. Any one desiring to contribute can send their $1.00 to this paper and we will register your name and the contribution together with your name to Mr. James A. Farley, of New York. If you prefer you can send your contribution direct to James A. Farley, chairman, Democratic National Campaign committee, New York.

DEMOCRATIC MASS MEETING

NEXT SATURDAY, OCT. 22

Tydings and Goldsborough to Speak

TO BE HELD IN OLD LYCEUM THEATRE AT 7.30 P. M.



MILLARD E. TYDINGS



T. ALAN GOLDSBOROUGH

Kent County Democrats will rally at the Old Lyceum Theatre next Saturday evening, October 22nd, when Senator Millard E. Tydings and Congressma T. Alan Goldsborough will be among the speakers. Governor Albert C. Ritchie was scheduled to be here but due to a speaking tour in other parts of the country he will be unable to be present.

Mrs. Charles W. Whaland, chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee, will introduce Senator S. Scott Beck who will act as chairman of the meeting.

Senator Tydings and Congressman Goldsborough are both able speakers and with a nation-wide swing toward a Democratic national administration, this meeting should be of special interest to the public.

Senator Tydings is a candidate to succeed himself as Senator from Maryland, and those who heard his outstanding speech in Chicago when he nominated Governor Ritchie for the Democratic presidential nominee, will want to hear him again.

T. Alan Goldsborough, candidate to succeed himself as Congressman from the First Congressional District is well known in Kent county. His activities in Congress and his sincere representation of his district will unquestionably re-elect him. His speech will be of interest to all Dmocrats as he direct contact with governmental affairs gives him an opportunity to see conditons as they are.

A telegram received by Senator S. Scott Beck from Governor Ritchie just before going to prss stated that due to speaking engagements in Cleveland and other points he will be unable to be in Chestertown on October 22nd.

POSTOFFICE LOCATION

With a new post office assured for Chestertown within the next two years, the question of a convenient location is now of great importance. A number of locations are being considered by the Post Office Department.

Following the article published in the Transcript last week, a telegram was received from Congressman T. Alan Goldsborough as follows:

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Pleased to advise Chestertown Post Office has been included in list of projects authorized under the energency relief and construction act.

RADIO AUDITION TOMORROW

TWO LOCAL PEOPLE IN CONTEST TO BE BROADCAST OVER WFBR

Miss Dorothy Johnson and Mr. Charles Harris, Jr., will compete in the State radio audition to be held in Baltimore tomorrow, Sunday starting at 2 p. m. The audition will be broadcast over station WFBR and local lovers of music may hear the entire contest by tuning in on this station.

Miss Johnson and Mr. Harris won the honor of representing this community by winning in a contest held recently at Washington College. The winner of the State contest will compete for national honors later.

CORN PRICES 82 YEARS AGO

COUNTY CORN CROP 82 YEARS AGO WAS WORTH 53c BUSHEL

An interesting comparison in grain prices is revealed by an old document owned by Joseph M. George, of Sudlersville, showing the sale of 644 bushels of corn on December 21, 1850.

The price paid at that time was 53c a bushel, considerably more than double prevailing quotations today.

The document shows that the corn was sold by the late Mathias George to T. W. Levering and Son, and was signed by W. T. Wilmer.

The regular meeting of the By-Kota Club will be held next Monday evening in the Social Hall of the M. E. Church. Hostesses, Mrs. Walter Walbert, Mrs. Bayard Sutton and Mrs. J. D. McVean. The program committee requests all members to come masked for a Hallow'een Party.

VISITS BAKER'S POULTRY FARM

BAKER'S METHODS KNOWN FAR AND WIDE

Ex-Governor Davis, of Virginia, and his wife were recent visitors at Baker's Turkey farm and showed a great deal of interest in the developments made by Mr. and Mrs. Harold M. Baker in the turkey raising industry. Governor Davis complimented Mrs. Baker on the asistance which she has given the Virginia people in turkey raising and referred to the Virginia Agricultural year book of 1929 which included a two-page writeup by Mrs. Baker pointing out her methods of turkey raising.

Another recent visitor at the Baker's Turkey Farm was Mr. Wheeler Mac Millin, of the Crowell Publishing Co, of New York City, who was interested in a story for publication covering Mrs. Baker's work with turkeys.

Dr. Wolfe, editor of Southern Planta was also a recent visitor at the turkey farm.

CONNIE BENNETT SINGS IN NEW FILM

The throaty, vibrant voice that is one of Constance Bennett's peculiar attributes, will be heard in song. For the first time in her screen career, Miss Bennett sings in "What Price Hollywood," her RKO Pathe starring production coming to the New Lyceum Theatre on Monday and Tuesday, October 17 and 18.

In revealing the talent which heretofore only her close friends knew she possessed, the blonde star introduces to America a sensational French waltz hit that she brought with her from Paris. It is "Parlez Moi d'Amour" by J. Lenoir. She also sings the popular number, "Can't We Talk It Over," performing both numbers for scenes of the production which shows films in the making.

In this unvarnished and highly colored picture of the screen colony at work and play, Miss Bennett is supported by Lowell Sherman, Neil Hamilton, Gregory Ratoff and others. George Cukor directed from the story by Adela Rogers St. John, noted novelist, with screen play by Rowland Brown and Gene Fowler, and continuity by Ben Markson and Jane Murfin.

ALWAYS A NIGHT OWL

The young bride was asked what she thought of married life.

"Oh, there's not much difference," she replied. "I used to wait up half the night for George to go, and now I wait up half the night for him to come home.

KENT BOYS 4-H CLUB NOTES

4-H DAISY CALF CLUB

The Kent 4H Daisy Calf Club met at the home of John Carroll Loller, Jr., near Worton on Thursday night, October 6th. President Davidson Coleman had a very good program planned and all enjoyed hearing George Carter tell of Club Week, which was held in August; Lewis Dill tell of the County 4-H Club Show; Davidson Coleman tell of the Eastern Shore Guernsey Field Day and Timonium Fair; and Local Leader Walter T. Morris tell of the Five-county 4-H Club conference held at Centreville, September 17th. Assistant County Agent Sutton made a few remarks urging every one to plan now for next year's work.

4H Clover Calf Club

The Kent 4-H Clover Calf Club met at the home of Robert Moffett, near Chestertown, on Monday night, October 10th. After the regular order of business conducted by President William Carroll, a round table discussion was held, each member telling of his work and plans for next year. The club decided to hold a Hallow'een Social on Wednesday, October 26th.

A 4-H Baby Beef Club

A number of boys interested in organizing a 4-H Baby Beef Club this fall, accompanied by County Agent McVean and Assistant County Agent Sutton, visited the Andelot Stock Farms at Worton Point, Monday afternoon, October 10th. Mr. McGregor who is manager of the farm, explained the principles of raising a baby beef and showed the boys calves varying in age from a few days old to mature animals. The boys plan to visit the Queen Anne Baby Beef Show at Centerville next Monday afternoon, October 17th, where Mr. McGregor is to be the judge. The Baltimore Livestock Show is to be held in Baltimore, October 18, 19, 20, where these calves will be on exhibit. Anyone wishing to see some fat cattle should go over to Centerville Monday and see the Show. The boys interested are Wilson and John Yerkey, of Quaker Neck, George Carter, near Worton, Irvin Perry, of near Chestertown, Jim ad Bill McGregor, of Worton Point, Norris Crew, of Galena, and Wilbur and Walter Lindsay, of Millington.

Everyone talk 4-H Club Work and increase our membership fifty per cent by banquet time in February. One of the big Commercial Concerns says that "4-H Club Work makes, champions, better farms, better homes and better business." We can do it by "Making our Best Better."

FARM BUREAU PRESIDENT DEAD

WAS WELL KNOWN HERE

E. THOMAS MASSEY VICE PRESIDENT

James Wilson Davis, president of the Maryland Farm Bureau Federation, president of the Maryland Agricultural Corporation and a member of the executive committee of the National Farm Bureau, died suddenly Sunday morning in a New York hotel.

Mr. Davis apparently had been in good health during the trip, but complained of feeling ill Saturday night before retiring. A physician was called and administered treatment.

When Mr. Davis awakened Sunday morning he again complained of an indisposition and before a physician could reach his side he was dead. His death was attributed to heart disease.

Mr. Davis was well known in Kent county where aside from his official visitations in connection with Farm Bureau activities annually attended the Farm Bureau picnic.

He was born in Harford County where he spent his entire life farming and working for farm interests.

He was a past master of Esdraelon Lodge of Masons, Caraiff, Md., an elder in the Highland Presbyterian Church, a dairyman of State-wide importance and always was called on to act as arbiter when community or civic disputes in Harford county arose.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Bertha Gladden Davis; a daughter, Mrs. Russell Scarborough, of Streett, Md., and two sons, George A. Davis, of Norristown, Pa., and Gladden Davis of Streett.

E. Thomas Massey Vice President

Mr. E. Thomas Massey, of Massey, Kent county, is vice-president of the Maryland Farm Bureau Federation and the Maryland Agricultural Corporation, and will fill Mr. Davis's place until a new president is appointed by the Board of Directors of the two organizations which is expected at an early date.

Mr. Massey will most likely succeed Mr. Davis, as president.

—For an evening of enjoyment visit the New Lyceum Theatre.

THIEVES LOOT GALENA STORE

Thieves broke into the store of Bolton & VanDyke in Galena Sunday night and stole a quantity of merchandise. Sheriff John T. Vickers was notified but up to the present time no arrests have been made.

Among the articles stolen were three hundred pounds of sugar, cigars and cigarettes, penknives and clothing.

COURT TO CONVENE MONDAY

CIVIL AND CRIMINAL DOCKET SMALL

Indications point to a short term of Court and although the criminal docket is reported to be about average, mostly larceny cases, there are to-date no removed criminal cases to be tried here.

The local civil docket is small, although there are six cases removed to Kent county, 3 from Talbot county, 1 from Cecil county and 2 from Queen Anne's county.

Change In Jury List

Two changes have been made in the Jury list since it was recently published. In the Second District Mr. Lambert W. Ford has been drawn in the place of Mr. Wroth Stavely, excused. In the Fifth District Mr. Leonard Rich has been drawn in the place of Mr. Walter R. Rodney.

The corrected jury list follows:

FIRST DISTRICT—W. Leo Gale, James F. Donohoe, R. Bradford Johnson, James Alexander, Charles P. Jones, Ralph T. Van Dyke, James B. Stevens, Emory H. Camp.

SECOND DISTRICT—Lambert W. Ford, William J. Hepbron, Edmond S. Hurtt, Walter Davis, James M. Lusby, George Howard, William H. Bonwill, Harry C. Casy.

THIRD DISTRICT—George L. Bowers, Lester M. Carter, Clarence Newsome, Charles H. Brice, Ernest W. Horsey, James A. Bowman.

FOURTH DISTRICT—James G. Beck, J. Brown Metcalfe, Grover C. Hadaway, H. Clay Brown, J. Raymond Simpers, John Mays, Charles J. Reiche, Charles Lee Gill.

FIFTH DISTRICT—Charles H. Hudson, Leonard Rich, William C. Francis, Walter H. Hadaway, J. Abner Bryden, John W. Downey, William Clark, W. Melvin Warner.

SIXTH DISTRICT—Andrew P. Toulson, Thomas H. M. Bramble, Albert B. Groves, Alonzo P. Forman, Jesse H. Usilton.

SEVENTH DISTRICT—Norman S. Lee, George W. Nickerson, Edward W. Emory, William T. Brown, Harry R. Nichols.

TURKEY SHOW IN JANUARY

J. D. McVEAN HEADS TURKEY SHOW COMMITTEE

J. D. McVean elected to Chairmanship of Turkey Show. With the election of County Agent J. D. McVean as chairman of the second Maryland All Turkey Show plans for the event are beginning to shape up.

A special meeting of the Maryland Turkey Growers Association of Kent County was held at the office of the Chamber of Commerce on Friday, October 7 to decided upon the chairmanship, the date of the Show and the judge.

It has not yet been decided whether the Show will be held for two or three days but the dates of January 24, 25 and 26 have been set for the staging of the program which will include at least one evening of addresses by experts in the turkey raising game.

W. H. Rice, Extension Poultry Specialist, has been selected to act as judge. Mr. Rice is considered one of the foremost authorities in this line in the East and is well known in Kent County.

With this data in hand Mrs. John Biggers, of Millington, chairman of the Southeast District of the White Holland Club has extended an invitation to that Club to show with the Maryland birds. The Biggers' White Holland birds attracted much attention at the local show last year and have been in the prize-winning rank for some time.

GARAGE PROPERTY SOLD

The garage property on Cross street, formerly owned and operated by Strong & Cooper was sold this week to Mrs. Francis A. Vickers, wife of Sheriff John T. Vickers.

It is understood that the property will continue to be run as a garage under the managerment of the present owner.

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