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INJURED BY HIT-RUN DRIVER

BEN HESSY IN EASTON HOSPITAL

Mr. Benjamin Hessy, of Chestertown, an employee of the State Roads Commission, was badly injured on Saturday of last week at 5.30 p. m. when he was hit by a hit-and-run automobile driver.

The accident occured near the Holt Oil station on High street about fifty feet from his home. No one saw the accident and he was found lying unconscious along the side of the road with a badly injured head.

Mr. Hessy is one of the most active and interested members of the Chestertown Volunteer Fire Company and during the Christmas season he has been chairman of a committee at the fire house who collected, repaired and distributed Christmas toys. At the time of the accident he was on his way to the Fire House to superintend the distributing of the toys last Saturday night.

At the present time he is getting along nicely at the Easton hospital but he is unable to give any information as to how the accident happened or who hit him.

BROWN STORE ROBBED

The store of Mr. James Brown in Quaker Neck, near Pomona, was broken into Wednesday night and robbed of a quantity of flour, canned goods and candy.

Sheriff Vickers arrested two colored men and recovered practically all of the loot, with the exception of a small quantity of candy.

The accused are Dupont Cannon, of Quaker Neck, at whose home t he loot was found, and Charles Rogers, formerly of North Carolina.

ANNOUNCEMENT

DR. F. A. HOLDEN will be in the Health Center
THURSDAY, JANUARY 5TH, 1933
Practice limited to Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.
Hours from 11 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Next visit January 19th.

LEGAL HOLIDAY

Monday, January 2nd being a legal holiday, the Third National Bank will be closed. All notes maturing on that day may be attended to the day following.

NOTICE

I will not be responsible for any bills made on and after this date, unless contracted by me. .
Signed: WM. FRANKLIN DUYER,
d17-3t.* Lynch, Md.

FIRE COMPANY MEETING

The annual meeting and election of officers of the Chestertown Volunteer Fire Company will be held at the Fire House on Monday, January 9th, at 8 p. m. All members are requested to be present.

EMMANUEL CHURCH CALENDARS FOR SALE

COMMITTEE: Mrs. Thomas Massey, Mrs. Thomas W. Perkins, Mrs. John Vandergrift, Miss Susan Roberts.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

Notice is hereby given to the stockholders of the THIRD NATIONAL BANK OF CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND that the regular ANNUAL MEETING for the election of a Board of Directors for the ensuing year will be held at their banking house in Chestertown, Maryland, on TUESDAY, JANUARY 10, 1933, between the hours of 10 a. m., and 2 p. m.
d10-4t. W. R. HUEY, Cashier

ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS

The Annual Meeting of stockholders of the Kent-Queen Anne's National Farm Loan Association of Chestertown, Kent County, Mrayland, will be held at the law office of Herbert E. Perkins, Chestertown, Kent County, Maryland, on Thursday, the 12th day of January, 1933, at 10.00 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing five directors and for the purpose of transacting such other business as may properly come before the said meeting.
THOMAS D. BOWERS,
Secretary- Treasurer,
d10-4t. Chestertown, Maryland

TURKEYS

In line with the low prices of all farm products we have redcced prices of our breeding stock.

Cockerels: $8, $10, $12; pullets: $6, $8. Deduct $1 per bird when called for at farm (hard road to house), and special price on large orders. Five unrelated blood lines to select from. Proper type that produces the early-maturing, well-fleshed turkey for the early markets.

MARYLAND TURKEY FARM,
Chestertown, Md.
Tel: 816-F13
Helen M. Baker Harold M. Baker

MRS. KERR TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

Mrs. Charles R. Kerr, of Rock Hall was taken to the Maryland General Hospital in Baltimore on Tuesday of this week. Mrs. Kerr suffered a badly mashed finger which became seriously infected and she was rushed to Baltimore in the local ambulance.

THIEVES AT ROCK HALL

FAIL IN STORE AND BANK ROBBERY

Thieves made an unsuccessful attempt to rob the Rock Hall branch of the People's Bank, the store of Mr. Max Alexander and Joyner's store in Rock Hall late Saturday night.

At the bank, entrance was made by breaking a window, but the thieves failed to open the large safe and their loot consisted of about $10 in cash which was taken from a money drawer. The money was the property of Mr. Herbert Urie, cashier of the bank, who had collected some electric light bills after banking hours.

At Alexander's store an amature attempt to open the safe failed and nothing was missing after a check-up unless it was a small amount of merchandise.

At Joyner's store a small amount of cash in a money drawer was overlooked and no merchandise was reported missing.

The breaking of windows was the method used in entering the three places and the attempted robberies were apparently the work of the same gang.

The local authorities have no clue as to the identity of the thieves although finger print evidence may help.

Miss Lizzie Crew, who lives opposite the bank reported hearing the glass break and seeing a light in the bank.

"We go away for our holidays every third year."

"What do you do the other years?"

"The first one we talk of last year's holiday, and the next year we discuss plans for the following year."

LOST

FOX FUR—DECEMBER 24TH
Between lawyers Row and Pippins Hotel. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at Pippin's hotel.
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TURKEY SUPPER, WORTON HALL, THURSDAY EVENING, JANUARY 19TH, 5 P. M.

Turkey in the Straw, Ha! Ha! Ha!
Turkey in the Hay, He! He! He!
But the "Best turkey" is served with dressing on a plate,
Cranberries, hominy and turnips, that are great,
Macaroni a la' Worton, Sweets with gravy, yum, yum, yum,
And plenty of good things for your tummy, tum, tum;
Md. biscuit, rolls, butter and pickles also,
With steaming hot coffee served right down the row.
Just 35 cents for all that you eat,
Under 12 is twenty-five. Isn't that a treat?
Bring your whole family, have their appetites stilled,
But if you have to come alone bring dishes to be filled.
Please come and help to fill the coffers of the Worton Ladies Aid,
And we'll thank you with all our hearts when our debts are paid.

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 OR RENT

MY GARAGE ON CANNON STREET NEAR QUEEN STREET. FOR PARTICULARS, APPLY TO,
W. C. SUTTON,
n26. CHESTERTOWN, MD.

MONEY TO LOAN

IN SUMS TO SUIT ON GOOD REAL ESTATE.
JOHN D. URIE, Atty.
Attorney at Law
Chestertown, Maryland

FOR SALE

BRONZE TURKEYS
Now is the time to select your breeders for another year. Fine selection from prize winning birds.
MRS. WALTER B. HARRIS,
Telephone Worton, Kent County,
Still Pond 68-23 Maryland

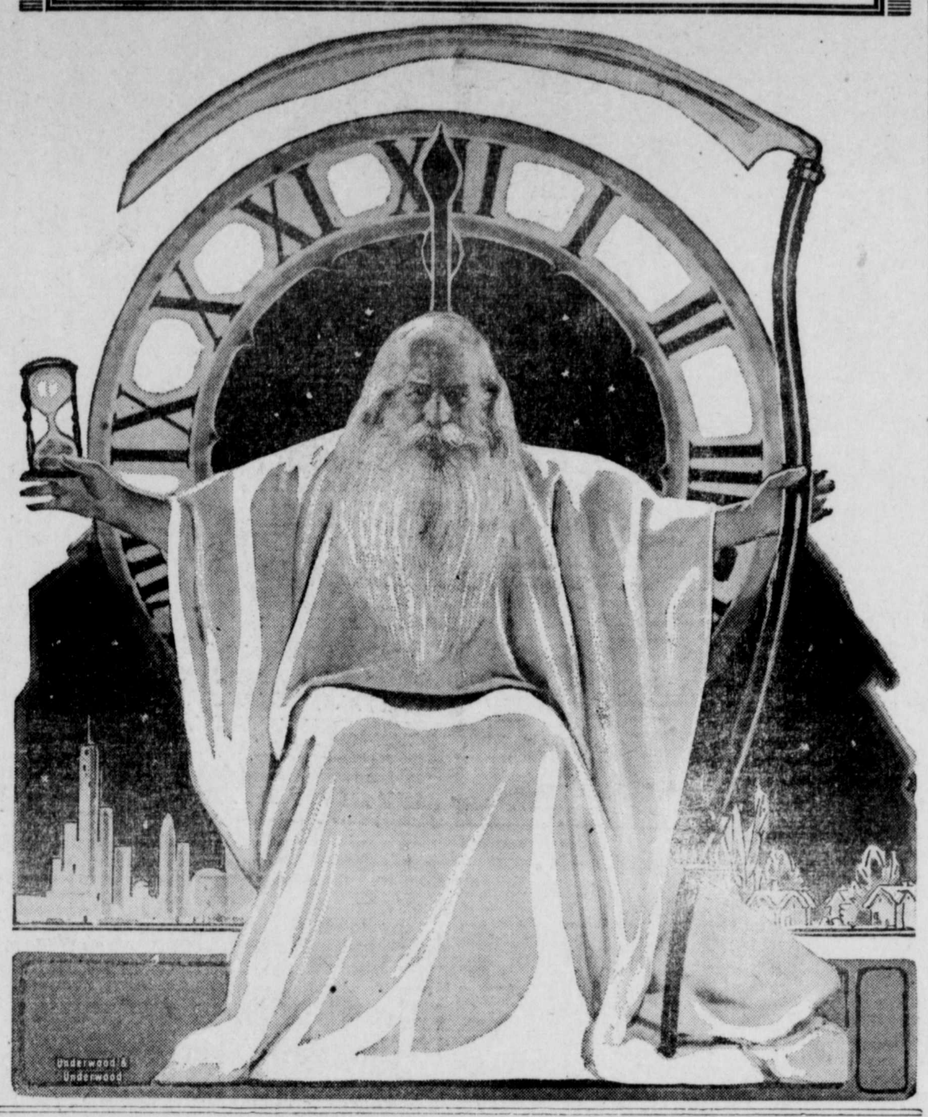
FOR SALE

Red—Sweet—Sweet Potatoes 60 cts. bushel basket. Beautiful Norway Spruce from 50 cents to $3.00.

Old fashioned Ginger pears, sweet pickled pears and preserved pears, all cooked down with thick syrup at 20c pound.

EVELYN HARRIS.

A Toast to the New Year



H. S. STARTT PRIZE WINNER

$145 IN PRIZES UNCLAIMED

Mr. H. S. Startt, Treasurer of Kent County, was the high prize winner at Metcalfe Bros., on Saturday of last week when $360 in prizes were given away. Mr. Start's prize was $50 and he was unaware of the fact that he had won the prize until Wednesday of this week. The winning number A-549 was unclaimed until Wednesday.

At the time of going to press there were still $145 in prizes unclaimed and unless the holders of these numbers present them before the end of the day, January 7th, the claimed numbers will be advanced and nine alternate numbers, which will be found below, will be given the nine lower places.

The winners are listed below:

A No. 549, H. Stockton Startt	$50.00
A No. 757, Norman S. Lee ..	$25.00
F No. 661, Unclaimed	25.00
D No. 937, Unclaimed	20.00
T No. 252, Unclaimed	20.00
P No. 272, Carroll F. Leverage	20.00
B No. 286, Unclaimed	20.00
Q No. 88, Charles Miller	20.00
Q No. 68, James H. Groves, Jr.	15.00
H No. 928, A. Z. McHenry ..	15.00
S No. 506, Unclaimed	15.00
F No. 274, S. C. Loller	15.00
V No. 404, Unclaimed	15.00
Q No. 5, Wm. B. Anthony	15.00
U No. 719, Unclaimed	10.00
L No. 22, Robert C. Young ...	10.00
H No. 929, George S. Williams	10.00
No. 818, Unclaimed	10.00
Q No. 328, W. R. Startt	10.00
A No. 612, Unclaimed	10.00
U No. 549, H. D. Hendrickson	10.00

Alternate Numbers.

K-874, E-564, C-117, F-720, A-374, G-509, B-259, R-2, G-77, H-356.

These numbers will be open to and including January 7.

KENT COUNTY DAIRY RECORD

DATA ON HERD IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION

The following are comparisions from the high herds and individual cows in the Association.

Owners of Herds High in Production

John Carvel Sutton, Kennedyville—lbs. per cow average.

T. Ringgold Jones, Rock Hall—8622 lbs. per cows average.

Harvey Coleman, Rock Hall—8455 lbs. per cow average.

Edgar R. Pennington, Kennedyville—8273 lbs. per cow average.

James D. Davis, Jr., Galena—6816 lbs. per cow average.

Herds Averaging High in Butter-fat Production

T. Ringgold Jones, Rock Hall—309.0 lbs. butter fat.

J. Carvel Sutton, Rock Hall —302.1 lbs. butter fat.

Harvey Coleman, Rock Hall—301.5 lbs. butter fat.

E. R. Pennington, Kennedyvile—288.0 lbs. butter fat

E. Romie Morris, Chestertown—280.5 lbs. butter fat.

Owners of Individual cows High In Milk Production

J. C. Sutton, 11,913 lbs. of milk.
E. R. Pennington, 10,911 lbs. of milk.
Harvey Coleman, 10,391 lbs. of milk.
Harvey Coleman, 10,291 lbs. of milk.
T. Ringgold Jones, 10,002 lbs. of milk.

Owners of cows high in butter-fat Production

E. R. Pennington, 393.7 lbs. butter fat.
E. R. Morris, 375.6 lbs. butter fat.
J. C. Sutton, 375.53 lbs. butter fat.
Adam Schauber, 375.30 lbs. butter fat.
T. R. Jones, 373.35 lbs. butter fat.

The records on the herds reveal much valuable data. These data are of course of most value to the herd owners who are members and can make a study of each cow during the testing year.

Two genral statements are of widespread signifigance.

First—That the well fed cow is the producer of the most economical milk. She gives a large return over and above feed cost in contrast to the poorly fed cw which gives a small return over feed cost and at best can give but a small profit and a small income.

Second — Controlling production through weeding out the cows capable of producing but small returns above feed cost and small profit, using the feed thus saved to fully nourish the cow capable of large and economical production. Such cows give large returns over ffeed cost, yield good profit even at present prices and offer satisfaction to the owner. Poorly fed cows are not satisfactory as to income or profit. Numbers of cows are no index t profit or income. Better a few well fed well managed economical producing, profit making cows than a number of cows capable, due to poor feeding, of being little more than self-supporting. Cull out the poor cows, feed the good.

LEGION RALLY JAN. 6

NORTHERN SHORE MEETING AT CENTREVILLE

On Friday, January 6th, in the Armory at Centreville, Maryland, there will be held a Rally of all Legionaires of the North Eastern Shore District. Your Vice-Commander, Thomas J. Keating, Jr., is very anxious to have every member of the Legion in his District attend this meeting.

The Department Commander, Milton A. Reckord, Mr. C. F. Sargent, Regional Manager of the Veterans Bureau, and other Legion officials will be present.

Matters of importance to all ex-service men will be discussed.

COUNTY ROADS HURT BY THAW

RAINFALL AND THAW HARD ON DIRT ROADS

The bottoms have dropped out of Kent County dirt roads as a result of the heaviest rainfall during the month of December during the past thirty years, frozen ground thawing out and the melting of 10 inches of snow.

The 6 ton slag roads are reported to have helped up except in boggy places where the drainage is poor, while the roads built with from 200 to 400 tons to the mile by the cooperation of land owners and the county have broken through in places. The recently constructed gravel roads from Harmony to Hybernia and from Ureville to Big Woods is reported to be holding up well.

(COMMUNICATED) STAY HOME

Do the residents of Kent County realize what it means to do their dealing in the county instead of going to the City where none of the money comes back for circulation in the County.Suppose they first look around and see what our merchants in the town and county have. In Chestertown our Merchants, always keep on hand an unusual stock of goods. A large assortment of furniture may be bought in the town; a tasty and beautiful selection of dry goods of all description at bottom prices. In every branch of merchandize they are able to compete with city merchants. A visit to Still Pond shows it in every way up to the city department store. Rock Hall, Millington and other parts of the county have up to date stores

Our banks receive no deposits from city stores. No taxes are paid to the county by them. None of the money expended in the city in any way is returned to help our county out in these times when it is so sorely needed. In the coming year let our citizens make it their slogan to do their dealing at home. City merchants have largely cut out their advertisements in the county papers, and in no way add to the business interest of the county. So let our citizens see what they can do to help boost the trade of our town and county.

WINS MARATHON

H. Calway won the Gill Bros., marathon Saturday from Goose Hill to Chestertown. Charles Wheatley was the winner in the junior class with Billy Waddell second.

SCHOOLS OPEN TUESDAY

The Kent County public schools, both high and elementary, will open on Tuesday of next week following the Christmas vacation.

NOW AND THEN

RING OUT, WILD BELLS

Ring out, wild bells, to the wild sky,
The flying cloud, the frosty light;
The year is dying in the night;
Ring out, wild bells, and let him die.

Ring out the old, ring in the new,
Ring, happy bells, across the snow;
The year is going, let him go;
Ring out the false, ring in the true.

Ring out the grief that saps the mind
For those t hat here we see no more;
Ring out the feud of rich and poor,
Ring in redress to all mankind.

Ring out false pride in place and blood,
The civic slander and the spite;
Ring in the love of truth and right,
Ring in the common love of good.

Ring in the valiant man and free
The larger heart, the kindlier hand;
Ring out the darkness of the land,
Ring in the Christ that is to be.
—LORD TENNYSON.

"Ring out the old, ring in the new." How often we hear it quoted on the eve of a New Year! The old heathen used to portray Janus their god, for whom the month of January is named, with two faces, one looking back to the past, while the other face looked to the future. The face looking back on 1932 must be a sad one this year. There has been so many heart breaks, so many losses, and so much unemployment. And yet it has been full of blessing too, work, rest, friends and home to the majority of us. And as one turned to the bright hopeful one which looks to the future, one hopes that the people will heed the lessons which the last year has taught and be more careful, more God fearing and more thoughtful for their fellow men.

DID YOU KNOW THAT:

Maryland is bristling with historical events but few take enough interest to search for the[m]. A lecturer from Massachusetts has said that if they had as many such events in New England that the whole locality would have historical shrines. It is a pity that our state is so indifferent to the notable events enacted in her midst.

The following items have been gathered from searching books in the Maryland Historical Society and is contributed by one who is very much interested in the historical events of Kent county and the State:

DID YOU KNOW THAT:

By act of the General Assembly of Maryland in the year 1732, Kingston (Kingstown) was established on the Chester River directly opposite "Chesterton" or Chestertown?"

DID YOU KNOW THAT:

As late as 1835, the court of Queen Anne's County licensed William Primrose to keep an ordinary (tavern) at Kingstown where Amos Quimby had a ferry?

DID YOU KNOW THAT:

About 1686 New Yarmouth at Greys Inn Creek, near Rock Hall became the county seat of Kent county and by act of General Assembly November 6, 1683 became a port of Entry?

DID YOU KNOW THAT:

The original Kent County embodied the entire Eastern Shore territory extending from the Sassafras River on the North to the Choptank on the South?

DID YOU KNOW THAT:

During the Colonial period a town was erected in Queen Annes County at the mouth of South East Creek known as Oglestown?

AUTO TAX RECEIPTS

Of the $8,673 levied for receipts of automobile taxes in Kent County, $7,352 had been paid to the County Treasurer Friday morning, showing that approximately seven eights of the automobile owners in Kent county have applied for 1933 tags. This proportion is far above the State average.

RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL

Mr. George Rogers, of Rock Hall, who was taken to Easton hospital last week, suffering from a broken leg received when he fell down the stairs of his home, returned to his home on Wednesday of this week. The trip was made in the local ambulance.

W. C. T. U. TO MEET

The Chestertown Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet on Thursday, January 5th, 1933, at the M. E. Parsonage at 8 p. m.

STRAY BULLET

A bullet from a pistol passed through the front window of the home of Mr. historical shines. it is a pity that our mas night. Mystery surrounds the shooting.

CHRISTMAS POSTOFFICE RECEIPTS EQUAL TO LAST YEAR

The receipts of the Chestertown Postoffice during the ten-day Christmas period was equal to last year and is one of the few business in Chestertown that can make that claim. A marked difference was noted in the sale of one and a half cent stamps which were used principally for Christmas cards.

Last year when the first class stamp was two cents, an unsealed Christmas card could be sent for one and a half cent but few took advantage of the one-half cent difference. This year, with the three cent stamp for first class, the sale of one and a half cent stamps was seven times as great.

In 1931 there were 2920 one and a half cent stamps sold for Christmas cards while in 1932 there were 20,000 used. The sale of three cent stamps in 1932 was 39,000 as compared with 53,000 two cent stamps sold in 1931. The total stamps sold last year was 55,920 as compared to 59,000 this year.

The total sales including everything at the post office during the Decemger quarter amounted $6,618.16 while the receipts this year by tonight, which ends the quarter, will equal that sum.

DEATHS

Mrs. Henrietta Rodney, aged 80 years, died at her home in Rock Hall on Friday of last wee k, Dcember 23rd, folowing an illness lasting 10 das.

She was the widow of the late Edward Rodney and spent her entire life in Rock Hall. She is survived by the following children, all of whom live in the vicinity of Rock Hall; Mrs. Jennie Rollison, Mrs. Augusta Warren, Messrs Millard, James, Nelson, Reuben and Charles Rodney; also one son, Mr. John T. Beaver, by a former marriage. 17 grand children and 1 great grand child also survive.

She leaves two brothers, Messrs. George and Walter Downey.

Funeral services were held on Monday afternoon at the Rock Hall M. E. Church, Rev. Mr. Grant, officiating. Interment was made in Wesley Chapel cemetery, the bearers being her six grandsons. W. H. Good, undertaker.

Arthur Urie, aged 70 years, died Monday morning, December 26th, following an illness which lasted over a period of three years. He was a life long resident of Rock Hall and served as engineer on the Police Boat for many years. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Martha Urie and the following children: Messrs. Asa Urie, of Baltimore; Jessie Urie, of Rock Hall; Mrs. Oscar Ellis, of Newport News, Virginia; Mrs. James Price, of Rock Hall; Mr. Charles Urie, of Rock Hall; Mrs. Dorothy Urie, of Rock Hall.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from his late home in Rock Hall, Rev. Mr. Baxley officiating. Interment was made in Wesley Chapel cemetery, the bearers being: Messrs. Roy Strong, Jesse Copper, William Hastings, Fred Carter, James Thompson and Charles Smiltz. W. H. Good, undertaker.

Clarence Culley, of Baltimore, formerly of Rock Hall, died on Monday, December 26th, aged 64 years. His death, following an illness of two weeks, was the result of a fall from a ladder. He has been living in Baltimore for the past fifteen years. He was a brother of Mr. Sdgar N. Culley, of Gratitude and is survived by his widow, Mrs. Alverta Godwin Culley, and six children, Bertie, Cecil, Carmeta, Elva and Katherine Culley and Mrs. Tressa Affaurth.

Funeral services were held at Rock Hall M. E. Church on Thursday at 11 a. m., Rev. Mr. Prettyman, a former pastor of that church, officiating. Interment was made in Wesley Chapel cemetery.

The bearers were Messrs. Wm. R. Rodney, Charles Thomas, Charles Kendall, J. R. Dowling, Hiram Crew and B. Trew Durding. C. L. Dodd, undertaker.

Rev. William Schouler died at his home in Baltimore Tuesday, November 27, 1932, aged 91 years.

Mr. Schouler was the rector of Trinity Church Elkton for many years. He was greatly beloved by the people of Elkton, and in the Diocese of Easton. He was rector at Elkton until advanced age forced his retirement. Since then he has made his home in Baltimore, but always kept in close touch with the Eastern Shore. He is survived by his wife and two daughters, Miss Francis Shouler and Mrs. Henry Miller, of Baltimore, and several grandchildren.

GIVEN SURPRISE PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Marker, of St. James M. P. Church, were given a surprise donation party at their home on Thursday evening of this week. The congregation of that church gathered at the rectory with donation of food, etc., and the evening was spent in playing games.

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