The Curbstone Diplomat

WILLIAM S. COLLINS

The Chestertown Volunteer Fire Co. did something very unusual Wednesday night, when they went to a carnival parade and did bring home some sort of prize. Over at Sudlersville, Easton won the prize for coming the longest distance, best band, and they had the most men in line when they included the band. At Sudlersville however the "Most men in Line" prize includes only the firemen marching. The boys up at Millington copped the prize for most men in line.

The Eastern Shore is taking the lead in endorsing Gov. Ritchie for his fifth-term as Governor. Senator Veazey, of Worcester county, gave a reception at Pocomoke Citp for Gov. Ritchie and every county on the Shore was represented at the meeting. Senator S. Scott Beck, represented Kent County. The Centreville Observer says, "We are happy and privilege to go on record as the first Maryland newspaper to urgently request Governor Albert C. Ritchie to be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Governor for a fifth term."

A picture has been sent to the newspapers of the shore this week, from Congressman Goldsborough, showing Congressman T. Alan Goldsborough among a group of nine with the President, when he was signing the Bank Reform Bill.

It looks as though nudist colonies will not get far in Kent county. Sheriff Vickers frustrated what might have been an attempt at Sandy Bottom on Thursday morning, when a Gentlemen from Baltimore, considered by some as "touched with the heat," and as others as very "broad-minded" man removed all his clothes and paraded through the main street of that metropolis.

The man is believed to have come over on the Tolchester boat on Wednesday evening and stayed out in the open all night. He had two suit cases with him and these he placed on a porch in Sandy Bottom. He then is believed to have walked to St. Paul's Church, where he took off all his clothes and we mean all, then he walked back up through Sandy Bottom. Sheriff Vickers was called and he brought the man and his suit cases to town. They hae never been able to find the clothes the man had been wearing. The man is still in costody here while investigation is going forward.

The largest gathering of people in that vicinity for some time formed. Wheat shockers left work in the field and both men and women gathered to watch but none went through the initiation with the man.

If the man was really trying to form a nuddist colony he was stopped before he could get any converts, but judging from the interest some took in the affair and as long as they stayed to talk and laugh they were certainly interested in this new religion.

Dr. Edward J. Clarke, of Pocomoke, formerly of Chestertown, proved quite a disappointment in allowing his name to be used on the ballot in repealing the eighteenth Amendment. There is a man, who used to be a lay reader, reading the bible in church every Sunday, and now he will favor a plan to bring disaster to the country. Though the churches of the particular denomination in which Dr. Clarke used to officiate are accussed of having water in the cellar, or rather they are not bone-dry, is no excuse for his action.

Beer has already lowered the morals of the community enough to start Sunday base ball and some of the good church members are attending. The only way left to have the sin pardoned is to vote dry in September.

They say "Repealing the eighteenth amendment and taxing liquors, will bring in a lot of revenue". Remember, you can not take money to heaven with you.

Only the other day one of our leading citizens remarked, that we would have to double and thrible the police force if the country goes wet. Think of how the Chestertown police force was reduced in number when we went dry.

This will be continued next week as we feel it our duty to warn the country against the wet proganda. All this talk of bootleggers is exaggerated. Maybe the Eastern Shore does have two or three little ones but no more than that.

Every man is a volume if you know how to read him—Channing.

WM. MEDDERS & GO., STILL POND

June Bargain Sale

BETTER VALUES THAN EVER

25c Turkish Towels **15c**	$2.00 Plumb Handle Axes **$1.49**
25c Voiles and Lawns **15c**	50c Window Screens **39c**
75c Dexdale Silk Hose **50c**	Good Screen Doors **$1.69**
$1.00 Dexdale Silk Hose **65c**	$6.50 Lawn Mowers **$4.95**
Large Grass Rugs, 9x12 **$2.85**	$5.00 Lawn Mowers **$3.45**
$10.00 Heavy Rattan Rugs **$7.85**	40c Grass Scythes **23c**
New Felt Rugs and Congoleum **$4.85**	20c Whet Stones **10c**
$7.50 All Cotton Mattresses **$4.50**	15c Can Machine Oil **9c**
$29.80 Inner-Spring Mattress **$17.50**	15c Screen Door Hinges **9c**
$10.00 DeLuxe Enamel Beds **$5.00**	15c Steel Ice Picks **9c**
$40.00 Florence Oil Stoves **$29.85**	$1.25 Ice Cream Freezers **88c**
$20.00 Oil Cook Stoves **$13.85**	20c Fly Sprayers **10c**
$25.00 All Steel Refrigerators **$17.50**	40c Stainless Steel Carvers **22c**
$30.00 Leonard Refrigerators **$22.50**	20c Wire Clothes Lines **10c**
Large Arm Porch Rockers **$2.95**	25c Steel Fry Pans **10c**

Maxwell House Coffee	28c	Mother's Oats	5c	Granulated Sugar	4½c
Fancy Blend Coffee	23c	Kelloggs Corn Flakes	6c	Kraft's Mayonnaise	10c
Ivory Soap	5c	Phillips Pork and Beans	5c	15c Paper Napkins	10c
Palmolive Soap	6c	Huffs Large Can Pork & Beans	10c	Large Toilet Paper 1000 sheets	5c
P and G. Soap	3c	Peanut Butter 1 lb jar	10c	Sticky Fly Ribbons	2c

THE SQUADRON'S LOG

BY THE STOWAWAY



Has anyone seen the motor cruiser "Vagabond"?

Stolen from Baltimore Yacht Club harbor a few days ago, United States revenue cutters are searching the Bay and Rivers. The "Vagabond" has been a frequent visitor to the Chester River.

A steady, spanking breeze last Sunday brought out almost every boat with canvas, from the Raskob fleet of star boats to the "Half Pint."

Water men in Long Cove have found a new way to enjoy their leisure.

They have brought forth a fleet of model boats, fully rigged, which they race on Sunday afternoons.

Most of them were laid up last Sunday for re-rigging. Some need more lead, which in plain English means a heavier keel. Others are acquiring a larger spread of canvas.

Only two were sailing Sunday, but both were well worth a trip to see.

A model bugeye was one, over fifty years old, possibly thirty inches long, rigged out with new sails, and freshly painted.

Inherited from a friend of his father's, her owner said, "I've got a grandson coming on. I intend to keep her until the boy is big enough to sail her, and then give her to him."

The other boat was a pungie, thirty six inches overall. She was complete from top sails and gilt eagle on her foremast to the smallest of pulleys which work as well as those on a full sized pungie. Mr. Bryden, owner, made her last winter.

From time to time, the visiting gallery asked Bryden, much to his disgust, why he had a buzzard on his foremast.

Some even were so ignorant (?) as to call it a chicken.

Bryden carefully explained that it was a gilded eagle.

But buzzard or eagle, the Stowaway was not able to find out why it was there at all.

The contagion of model boat racing is spreading along the River. It is said that several persons outside of the Long Cove district have made new models, or have brought out old ones long stored away, and are taking them to Long Cove to sail.

Dorsey Hines has two, both star boats which he made during the winter.

Starting at two o'clock on Sunday afternoons, the races are held off Captain Crouch's wharf.

Those who are on the look out for a different sort of automobile jaunt will find that the races can be seen from Crouch's wharf as well as from a boat. They will have a better opportunity to see the boats near at hand.

A knock-about-rig model with gaff mainsail is being built by the Reverend John White at Fairlee, although probably not destined for model boat racing.

Mr. White is following plans for a thirty footer reduced to one inch to the foot, modeled to accurately fitted templets along each section of the hull.

A bugeye, the first model Mr. White made, many may recall, was exhibited in Spark's window some time ago.

Bill Collins was right when he said a few weeks ago that Chestertown is "full of sin."

At any rate, it is full of sinful pride.

"The "Wahnita" looks fine since you painted her, Captain Rogers," remarked Colonel Ewing.

"Ah! you have not seen the half of it yet," boasted Captain Rogers. "Come aboard and see how well the cabin looks."

Colonel Ewing surveyed himself with sinful pride.

Heavy pre-depression flannel trousers and buckskin shoes needed a larger audience than one Galley Slave.

Donning his yachtsmans cap, he stepped majestically onto the bow of the "Wahnita."

The "Wahnita" rolled. A splash and the glory of white pants and buckskin shoes was buried in a briny grave.

Ever since the Colonel has been nursing a badly sprained and bruised arm.

The Chriscraft that has been cutting dadoes between the bridge and the Club Wharf belongs to the Youngs, the newcomers in Queen Anne's who bought Colonel Schwab's new bungalow.

The Squadron is ready to welcome the new speed boat. Perhaps some day the Chriscraft will be neighborly and pull up to the Chester River Yacht Club Wharf to get acquainted.

Painting the fleet still goes on.

Captain Elliot whose cruiser anchors off Hubbard's wharf has yet to finish painting the decks.

"Hidie," the youngest member of the Squadron has gone to Georgetown to be painted.

It remains to be seen whether or not she will come back with her easily identifying green decks still green or the usual unimaginative buff.

PERSONALS

Mr. Stephen R. Collins left Friday for Boston where he will attend the International Rotary Convention as delegate from the Chestertown Club. He will make the trip by boat.

Mr. J. Taylor Baxter, of Chestertown, is in the Misericordia hospital, Philadelphia, where he will undergo an operation on Saturday.

Mr. James W. Chapman, of Sandy Point, Maine, joined his wife here on Thursday of this week. Mr. and Mrs. Chapman will return home next week.

Professor David McMenamin, of Wilmington, Del., and Professor Hazell Rash, of Miami, Florida, will attend the University of Maryland Graduate School at College Park this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Kirby were week end guests in Baltimore.

Mr. Frank Hines will entertain a number of friends of the week end.

Mrs. James G. Beck, Miss Catherine Beck and Mr. Gilpin Brown visited friends in Philadelphia this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey G. Blyman and two boys, Harvey, Jr., and Franklin spent Sunday with the former's sister, Mrs. Walter LeCompte, at Easton.

Mrs. Cornelia R. Walker, of St. Louis, Mo, arrived in Chestertown last Saturday where she will spend the summer months at the home of Mrs. Lewin W. Wickes on Front street.

Mrs. Clarence L. Walter, of Baltimore, has re-opened her home at Smithville, near Worton, for the summer. Her brother, Chas. Clayton, Jr., is her guest this week.

Mrs. David Kendall is very ill at her home on High street.

Mrs. William B. Wilmer and two children will leave next Friday to spend the summer with her parents in Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Joseph Olp and daughter, of New Jersey, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Stenger.

Mr and Mrs. Richard Carvill are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Kratzer on Water street. Mrs. Carvill will soon open Camp Carvil on the Chester River.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Carroll and son, of Newark, N. J., visited his father over the week end. Miss Mamie Carroll returned to Newark with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Jones had as their last week end guests their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Waller, of Baltimore.

Miss Louise Carroll has returned to Chestertown at the close of her school in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Carmine were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Woodland, of Marion, were guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Reed for last week end.

Major and Mrs. George E. Parker were guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Maxwell at Worton Manor.

Mrs. Berta Waldron, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Harris on Water street.

Mr. J. W. Barnes, forman at the Transcript, has been sick at his home on High street this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Webster McIntyre had as their week end guest. Miss Dora McIntyre, of Newark, and Madge Wilkinson, of Phladelphia.

BETTERTON

A large crowd persons from Smyrna, Del, spent the day here on Thursday, it being the occasion of the Methodist Sunday School picnic.

The members of the graduating class of Galena High school held a dance last Friday evening after their graduation exercises.

Because of a "break down" there was no moonlight excursion last Monday night but there will be next Monday evening.

The Chamber of Commerce held its weekly meeting at the Ferncliffe on Tuesday evening.

The Homestead, formerly owned by Mrs. McCrone, of Baltimore, and which was to be offered for sale on July 5th, has been sold to a Baltimore man who will open it at once.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cruddon, of North Carolina, have moved into the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allie Myres for the summer months. Mr. and Mrs. Myres have gone to New York for the packing season with the New York Canners.

The morning services of the Catholic Church are now being held at the church here at eleven o'clock, Sunday morning. There will be no service this week at the Episcopal Chapel as the rector, Rev. Mr. White is in New England for his vacation.

Miss Helen Tyler, of Chestertown, spent the past week with Mrs. Clarence Crew, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Crownhart and family have closed their home in Baltimore and opened their home here for the summer.

About fifty boys and girls from Clayton, Del., are spending the week in Capt. Harvey Brice's bungalows.

Mr. and Mrs. Geary, of Phfiadelphia, and Mrs. Earl Abbott and daughter, of Baltimore, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Owens.

Mr. Walter H. Stone, Jr, was ordained at the Methodist Protestant Conference at Denton last week. Mr. Stone has been assigned to a charge in Philadelphia.

CHURCH NOTES

Pomona Charge
Sunday, June 25.
Bond Chapel

Sunday School at 10 a. m. Worship 11 a. m. Epworth League 8 p. m.

Mowbreys

Sunday School at 2.30 p. m. Worship 8 p. m. Rev. W. L. McClintock, a former pastor, will preach at both services. H. O. Hufnal, pastor.

Chestertown M. E. Church

Rev. Frank White, pastor. Visitors in our town are cordially invited to worship with us. Our church is cool and comfortable. Service are as follows: 10 a. m. Church School in all departments, under direction of J. S. Kreegr, Supt. 11 a. m. morning worship, with sermon by the pastor.

7 p. m. evening praise, with short sermon. This service is held in the Sunday School room.

Wednesday, 7.30 p. m. Prayer Meeting.

Christ M. P. Church

Rev. E. A. Sexsmith, D. D. Minister. "I was glad when they said unto me let us go into the house of the Lord." The Church-going habit will put you in touch with the institution which underlies most that is best in our American life. We invite you to worship with us next Sunday.

The Sunday School will meet at 10 a. m. under the direction of Mr. W. R. Huey, Superintendent. The subject of the lesson will be "Jesus Our Lord and Saviour" for some time we have been studying the life of Christ as presented in the gospel of Mark. This lesson will be a review of this study.

The pastor has returned from the meeting of the Maryland Annual Conference and will fill the pulpit at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. and would be pleased to meet all the members and friends of the church at these initial services of the Conference year.

The Woman's Missionary Society will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Harry B. Nicholson on Tuesday evening. All members are urged to attend.

The mid-week prayer meeting will be held on Wednesday evening at 7.30 o'clock. During the summer this service will be confined to forty five minutes, from 7.30 to 8.15. Join us in this service of meditation, prayer and praise, for the goodness of God and the spiritual enrichment of the church.

St. James M. P. Church

Rev. J. Lee Marker, Minister. We are beginning the new conference year. Let us begin it with the spirit of unity, each of us consecrating ourselves to our task that St. James may have the finest year in its history.

10 a. m. Sunday School promptly on the hour under the superintendency of George Carroll. The theme of our lesson will be "Jesus Our Lord and Saviour" which will be a review of the past quarter's lessons.

11 a. m. preaching service. The pastor will preach a message appropriate to the first Sunday of the new conference year.

7.30 . m. Christian Endeavor will be lead by Oscar Whitaker and Leonard Myers on the subject: "Some Social Evils and How to Remove Them."

Lynch M. P. Church

2 p. m. Sunday School, review, "Jesus Our Lord and Saviour." 3 p. m. preaching service. Special message by the pastor appropriate to the first Sunday of the new conference year.

7.30 . m. Christian Endeavor. Topic, "Some Social Dangers and How to Remove Them." The astor will have charge of the meeting. Let us start the conference year with all of our people present at each service.

Emmanuel P. E. Church, Chestertown

Rev. Chares L. Atwater, Rector. Sunday, June 25, 8 a. m. Holy Communion; 10 a. m. Church School; 11 a. m. Morning Prayer, with sermon by the Rector. 7.30 p. m. evening prayer, with short address.

There will be no more Wednesday evening services until further notice. During July, and probably August, there will be no Sunday evening services but the Congregation of Emmanuel Church is asked to join with the other two Churches in a Union service to be held each Sunday evening in the Park, further notice of which will be found elsewhere.

Shrewsbury Church, Kennedyville

Rev. Chas. L. Atwater, Rector. Sunday, June 25, 2.30 p. m. Church School. 3 p. m. evening service. (Note the change in the hour.) A meeting of the Sunday School teachers is requested after the service to decide upon the date and place of the Sunday School Picnic.

Rock Hall M. E. Church

The Jr. Order United American Mechanics, and their sister Lodge, the Daughter of America, will turn out, in a body, to the Rock Hall M. E. Church, Sunday, July 2nd, when the pastor, Chas. W. Spry, will deliver a patriotic address. Everybody welcome. Services begin at eight o'clock p. m.

St. Paul's and I. U. Parishes

"Owing to the absence of the Rev. John White rector of St. Paul's and I. U. Parishes there will be no services in those Churches this Sun., June 25. On Sunday, July 2nd the service at Christ Church I. U. will be the Holy Communion at 9 a. m., at St. Paul's the Holy Communion 11 a. m. and at St. John's by the Bay, Betterton evening service at 7.30 p. m."



Too Hot to COOK

GO TO THE DEL-MAR-VA

Where Your Dinner in Ready

DINNERS 50 CTS.

Take Your Choice—Soft Crab, Crab Cake, Steak, Roast Beef, Chicken, And a Full Line of Sandwiches

MRS. JAMES T. CREW, PROP.

Open from 6 a. m. until 11.30 p. m.

WE HAVE REAL BEER



come and get 'em

THE 1933 Straws

$1.25 for Sennitt and Fancy Braids

$3.50 for Hand-blocked, natty Panamas

WEATHER-proofed, all of them. "Cool as a cucumber and light as a feather" on the ol' brow. In brim widths and crown heights that will LOOK RIGHT SMART ON YOU.

Broad or narrow . . black or colored hatbands. Every wanted size

Albert L. Wheat

THE MEN'S STORE"

Chestertown, Maryland

MARK EVERY GRAVE

PHONE 276

Monuments and Tombs

Erected Everywhere.



Estimates Furnished for Stone—from a Small Maker to a Maulsoleum

CHESTERTOWN MARBLE AND GRANITE WORKS

J. WM. KIRBY,

PHONE JOHNNY-ON-THE-SPOT FOR COAL—149



The wise man — we're talking about the man who takes care of his money and his family buys his coal in the summertime. And he buys it of us because he knows that quality is economy.

C. W. Kibler & Sons

Chestertown, Maryland

A JOB for EVERY USER of GAS

EVERYONE wants to make money today, and there's no surer way to do it than by accepting the partnership your gas company offers every patron.

By helping us to increase our business, you can earn a yearly saving in your gas bill that will amount to as much as 18%.

Secure a copy of "The Whole Story" from your gas company. It's a free booklet that tells you just what you can do to earn a better gas rate.

EVERY GAS USER CAN PROFIT BY TELLING OTHERS ABOUT THE NEW COÖPERATIVE GAS RATES

CHESTERTOWN GAS CO.
Chestertown, Md.

APPLIANCE SYSTEM

©Maryland State Archives msa_sc3326_scm8227-0653