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WARNING

Due to abuses by non-club members using the private pier and beach of The Chester River Yacht and Country Club, the public is hereby warned that NO TRESPASSING SHALL BE ALLOWED ON ITS PROPERTY.

Only Club Members or not over two guests with a club member shall be allowed use of pier or beach for swimming. No dressing or undressing on club grounds or pier shall be tolerated.

By Order of THE BOARDS OF GOVERNORS, of The Chester River Yacht and Country Club. jn9

CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff for Kent County subject to the Democratic Primaries.

B. FRANK FORD.

CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF

I hereby announce my candidacy for Sheriff of Kent Couny subject to the Democraic Primary in September.

EDGAR M. CLARK.

CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF

After being urged by many of my friends, I have decided to announce myself as a candidate for Sheriff of Kent County, subject to the Democratic Primaries. Respectfully submitted to the voters.

GEORGE T. WHALAND

CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Sheriff for Kent County subject to the Democratic primary in September. I pledge my support to the sucessful nominee.

JOHN GALE USILTON
Chestertown, Md.

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CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF

By request of my many friends I have decided to become a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Kent County, Maryland, subject to the Democratic Primary.

J. THOMAS HADAWAY

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TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF KENT COUNTY

After earnest solication by my many Democratic friends to be a candidate for Sheriff of Kent County, I hereby announce my name, subject to the primary rules of the Democratic party of the State of Maryland.

I will support the nominee. . . . .

REUBEN JAMAR

my26-3t*

ANNOUNCEMENT

I am now operating the Gulf filling station at Kennedyville, formerly operated by Mr. King, and am prepared to serve the public with first class filling station service, sandwiches, beer, soft drinks, candies, etc.

B. FRANK FORD.

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L. W. BARROLL

Counsellor-at-Law

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DOG CONSTABLES APPOINTED

The Commissioners of Kent County, at their regular session on Tuesday of this week, reappointed the dog constables as follows:

1st Dstrict—Norman E. Ford.
2nd District—L. E. Grantlin.
3rd District—W. E. Loller.
4th District—Jacob Wilbur.
5th District—Nelson Walbert.
6th District—James Toulson.
7th District—Frank Cranor.

ALUMNI ASSOC. ELECTS OFFICERS

At the business meeting of the Alumni Association of the Chestertown High School which preceeded the banquet at the recreation rooms of the Chestertown M. E. Church last Friday night, the following officers were elected:

President, Walter P. Robinson, vice president, Mark Wood, secretary, Mrs. Mary Pennington, treasurer, Miss Rebecca Davis, entertainment committee, W. T. Morris, Jr., Mrs. James Hadaway and Miss Helen Jervis.

LOCAL GOLFERS PLAY EASTON SUNDAY

The golf team of the Chester River Yacht and Country Club will meet Easton at Chestertown tomorrow, Sunday, in one of the most important matches of the league season. Neither team has lost a match to-date and Sundays game will have an importnat bearing on the league championship. Both teams have been practicing daily for the match.

The local team defeated Preston at Preston last Sunday 16 1-2 to 7 1-2.

YACHTSMEN'S DINNER TONIGHT SATURDAY

G. W. Rappleyea, Ph. D., prominent naval architect of New York, will be the principal speaker at the annual yachtsmen's dinner at the Chester River Yacht and Country Club tonight, Saturday.

The dinner will be served at the club house at 7.30 p. m.

PRIZES AND FREE ICE—

FOR RECEIPTS FOR MAKING ICE CREAM AT HOME.

See advertisement of Chestertown Ice Plant on page 4 of this issue.

FOR SALE

Six room cottage or Bungalow on Chester river. Will sell separately. Prices much reduced.

MRS. CHARLES E. COMEGYS,
Chestertown, Md.

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Youngerberries and Black Raspberries now ripe.

Special price at the farm.

EVELYN HARRIS,
Betterton, Md.

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FOR SALE

One 3 H. P. stationary gasoline engine. Brand new. Too small for our work. Bargain for quick sale.

THE CHESAPEAKE BEVERAGE CO.
Telephone 99. Chestertown, Md.

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CANDIDATE OR SHERIFF

I hereby announce myself as candidate for sheriff of Kent County subject to the Democratic Primaries in September, 1934.

HOWARD E. MENCH.

Competitive Examinotian for Scholarship in Washington College

The examination for the Senatorial Scholarship from Kent County in Washington College will be held in William Smith Hall on

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27TH NEXT

Open to boys only.

For further information address President Gilbert W. Mead, Washington College, Chestertown, Md.

Smilin' Charlie Says



"We often wonder what th' chronic reformer has t' be thankful for"

W. IRVING WALKER DEAD

WAS FORMER MEMBER OF LEGISLATURE

Mr. W. Irving Walker, of Queen Anne's County, died at his home on Chester River near the Chester River Bridge on Wednesday at 5.30 a. m. Although he has been in poor health for some time his death was sudden and a shock to the entire community.

He was born in Middletown, Delaware, November 10,1862, and was the son of the late Martin E. and Maria Riley Walker. On June 6, 1889 he married Miss Kate Ford, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Budd S. Ford, of Queen Anne's County who survives him.

In 1912 he was elected to the Maryland Legislature where he served one term. Previous to and during that time he was one of the pioneer advocate of good roads in Maryland. He was one of the first advocates of the Rural Free Mail Delivery Service and largely through his efforts a route was est ablished from Millington to serve the Rich Neck section of Queen Anne's county. He organized the Rich Neck Farmers Club which for many years was a very influential organization. At the time when the Chesapeake Bay Brdige Company were endeavoring to secure permission to build the Bay Bridge, he compiled a great quantity of data and presented it to State authorities showing the bridge to be of great advantage to the State. Years before that he had advocated the bridge.

At the time of his death he was secretary to the temporary board of the Kent and Upper Queen Annes County hospital and was one of the leaders in the building and equiping the hospital building. He was a leader in local civic affairs and he will be sadly missed in the community. Besides his widow he is survived by one brother, Mr. Martin Walker, of England. Funeral services were held at 1.30 p. m. on Friday from his late home in Queen Anne's county with interment in the Ford burial lot at the M. E. Church in North East, Md. Revs. John White, of Denton and Rev. Hudson officiated. W. H. Good, undertaker in charge.

The bearers were: Messrs. James P. Brown, Harry Baker, Herbert Hartman, Charles Fuller, R. H. Collins, Sr., Frank Price.

DID YOU KNOW THAT:

In the year 1846, the steamer Osiris, Capt. J. D. Turner, in command, left Petterson street wharf (Baltmore) every Wednesday mornng at 7 o'clock for Chestertown, and return the same day: Notice, "For the accommodation of persons desiring to land or be taken of at Harrison's Landing, going to and returning from Chestertown and for those who may desire it, a comfortable conveyance will be ready to convey them to any part of the peninsula." And did you know that in same year the "Steam Boat Maryland, Capt. L. G. Taylor, left Baltimore each Monday for Centreville, and thence to Chestertown.

DID YOU KNOW THAT:

In ye olden times, a Baltimore doctor, advertised, "Ague and Fever cured for one dollar, or no cure, no pay. Those were the days when quinine was bought by the pound and typhoid deaths were frequent.

DID YOU KNOW THAT:

"The Centreville Times and E. Shore Publisc Advertiser," publisher in Centreville, Queen Anne Co. after enumerating among other points of commendation to advertisers says. "It is also confidently recommended to Lotteny Brookers."

DID YOU KNOW THAT:

Captain L. G. Taylor, of the steam boat Maryland, then playing between Baltimore and Easton, and other points on the Eastern Shore in the year 1837, gave "Public Notice, that owing to the increased price of wood, and other expenses," etc the "Charges for passage during the winter season would be raised.

DID YOU KNOW THAT:

"Clark's old established Lucky Office," "under the Museum," Baltimore, Md., was doing a heavy business on the Eastern Shore, and in the year 1835, gave "notice any person or persons throughout the United States, who desire to try their Luck, either in the Maryland State Lotteries, or in authorized Lotteries of other states," respectfully requested to forward their orders.

DID YOU KNOW THAT:

Dr. and Mrs. Worrell's classical academy for young ladies was, in 1832, "about half a mile from Chester Town," at the old Worrell home, and opened its new term, January 1st, Terms, Board, Bedding, Washing and Tuition in any or all of the following branches orthography, reading, writing, grammar, arithmetic, geography, with use of maps; history, history, composition, use of the globes, philogophy, moral Ditco, chemistry. The ory of the government of the United States and a dozen other branches charges per annum $130.

TEACHERS RESIGN JOBS

Four teachers, Mrs. Ella P. Robinson, Miss Laura Thomas of the Chestertown Elementary School, Miss Elizabeth Leary assistant teacher of English in the Rock Hall High School and Mrs. Pearl E. Hyat, of St. Paul School have resigned their positions this summer. Three applicants for these positions, were appointed by the board, Miss Lois Baxter, Miss Arlene Gale and Miss Helen A. Caulk. Lynchs' School is to be closed and its pupils will be brought to Chestertown.

PLAN OUTBOARD MARATHON

TO BE RUN FROM CRUMPTON TO CHESTERTOWN

The Junior Yachtsmen Chester River Yacht and Country Club is pleased to announce that, on Saturday, July 7th, 1934, there will be held, on the Chester River between Crumpton and Chestertown Md., a handicap race for outboard motorboats of all types and descriptions. This race is sponsored by the J. Y. of C. R. Y. C. C. and is entirely impromptu, no sanction having been given by the National Outboard Association.

Application for entry shall be in writng, addressed to Manager, Outboard Derby, Box 193, Chestertown, Md. Entries will be closed completely on Saturdoay, June 30th, 1934, at noon. The following information will be required from each entry, together with an entry fee of $1.00 for each owner or driver, payable before the contestant enters the race.

1 Full name and address of each owner and crew.

2 Type, rated S. A. E. horsepower, serial no. piston displacement, and app. eight of each boat entered.

3 Name registration No., if any; beam, draft under way, length and app. weght of each boat entered.

4 Each application shall state clearly the combination of boat engine and crew that will be in effect at the time of the race. No change in such combinations will be allowed later than time for closing of entries.

5 A signed and witnessed statement absolving the management of any and all damages to either individuals or equipment at any time preparatory, during, or after the race.

6 The management reserves the right to summarily disqualify any contestant for cause, such cause to be published in writing.

Further information concerning this race will be printed from time to time in responsible newspapers in the vicinity.

For the Junior Yachtsmen of the Chester River Yacht Club.

Robert B. Harrison,
E. Clarke Fontaine, Jr.
William M. McCullough.

FARMERS MEET PAYMENTS ON LAND BANK LOANS

91 PER CENT OF MAY PAYMENTS MADE

Of the total of Maryland farmers whose interest payments on land bank commissioner loans matured on May 1, approximately 91 per cent had made their payments to the Federal Land Bank of Baltimore by June 1 or within a month after they became due, according to Mr. Thomas D. Bowers, secretary-treasurer of the Kent and Queen Anne National Farm Loan Association.

Mr. Bowers said that although the payments on the principal of these loans do not begin to fall due until 1938, a number of such payments already have been made.

The total amount that was due on May 1 was $6,989.94, representing 161 individual loans. The total that had been paid in by the end of the month amounted to $6,221.21, representative of 146 individual loans.

Mr. Bowers pointed out that land bank commissioner loans are quite different from regular land bank loans. Land bank commissioner loans are emergency loans authorized by Congress in May, 1933, and the lending funds for such loans are derived from the Federal Treasury.

KENT WOMEN ATTEND SHORT COURSE AT UNIVERSITY

About twenty women from Kent attended the Rural Short Course at the University of Maryland at the session this year, which lasts from June 18 to June 23. President and Mrs. Raymond Pearson gave those attending the course an informal luncheon, and on Thursday evening a musical pageant was given, The story of the American Flag. On Friday certificates were given to those who had attended the course for the four years and on Friday afternoon a sight seeing trip and a picnic was given them. It proved an altogether enjoyable occasion.

DEMOCRATIC POLITICS

The local political situation points to a compromise ticket between the two factions of the Democratic party. Just how, when and where this compromise will be brought about is yet to be seen. There is less than three months time before the September primary date, and if there is to be a primary eleven weeks is hardly enough time to do justice in a primary fight. Secondly there is a scarcity of the necessary funds to stage a real factional fight and have any left for a general election. Thirdly the effort that will be required by those not seeking office as well as the candidates themselves cannot gain very much momentum during three hot summer months. Then again the expense to the county of a primary election will not gain much favor with those voters who find it plenty hard to pay their bills and have enough left over for taxes.

The selection of a strong compromise Democratic ticket will meet the approval of a majority of the Democratic voters in the county. However this selection will carry much more weight in November if it is made by representative groups from each of the seven districts, than if it is handpicked by a few leaders.

The political situation in the state has turned into a real battle as far as the Governorship is concerned, but whether each of the candidates will head a full state ticket remains to be seen. It is very apparent that each of the four candidates, Messrs. Ritchie, Jackson, Radcliffe and Dr. Conley are in the fight to stay until the polls close in September if their statements are sncere. Senator Millard E. Tydings and Governor Ritchie have clashed, which generally follows when two men get to be influential powers in the State and a show-down is necessary to determine which is the more powerful. Senator Tydings endorsed Mr. George L. Radcliffe in a speech delivered at the Susquehanna Democratic Club last Monday, June 18th. He pictured Mr. Radcliffe as an important cog in the Roosevelt recovery machinery and the best possible link between the Roosevelt administration and the State of Maryland. He described him as a man who is not a politician but as one who had given of his ability and time, at great sacrifice, to help speed the recovery program in this State.

For a description of Mr. Radcliff's life and achievements, turn to page three of this issue where will be found an advertisement boosting his candidacy, which was compiled by his backers for the office of Governor.

It will be remembered that recently Mr. Radcliff's name was endorsed by political leaders in a member of the counties on the Eastern and Western Shores as a compromise candidate in the Ritchie-Jackson fight. Now that he has become another candidate it will be interesting to see what position the signers of the compromise petition will take.

Dr. Conley, the first announced candidate for Governor, who made his appearance in Millington several weeks ago will return to the county next week for a visit at Rock Hall. His publicity manager states that he feels very much encouraged from the response in the counties which he has visited.

In picking a winner in the Governor race it must be remembered that Governor Ritchie has succeeded in winning that office four consecutive times. His campaign has not actively started in Kent County and just what the compromise ticket here will do about the Governorship remains to be seen.

Mayor Jackson made his debut on the Eastern Shore this week when he addressed the convention of the State Fireman's Association at Cambridge, Dorchester County. His speech turned out to be a real political one, and the Mayor's konwledge of politics will have to be reckoned with.

CHESTERTOWN W. C. T. U. ELECTS OFFICERS

At the regular monthly meeting of the Chestertown Woman's Christian Temperance Union the following officers were elected for the coming year:

President—Mrs. Charles Wheatley.
1st Vice President—Mrs. E. A. Sexsmith.
2nd vice president—Mrs. Frank White.
3rd vce president—Mrs. William T. Brown.
Recording Secretary—Mrs. James W. Crouch.
Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. C. C. Jones.
Treasurer—Mrs. E. Baker.

REV. W. H. LITSINGER APPOINTED TO CHRIST M. P. CHURCH

The Rev. W. H. Litsinger was appointed to Christ M. P. Church, Chestertown, while the Rev. W. A. Donaway was again named pastor of Wesley Chapel and Rev. J. L. Marker remains at St. James, a pastorate which he has held for a number of years.

The total assessment for the annual budget of the Conference was $39,05[illegible]

SUTTON FARM SOLD

The Emma C. Sutton Farm, located on the slag road near St. Pauls Church, was sold at Mortgagee Sale last Saturday, the purchaser being Mrs. Margaret Hurlock, the Mortgagee. This farm can be purchased at private sale from Stephen R. Collins, Attorney.

G. E. LEARY HEADS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

ELECTED BY DIRECTORS THURSDAY NIGHT

At a meeting of the Directors of the Kent County Chamber of Commerce on Thursday evening of this week Mr. G. E. Leary, of Rock Hall, was elected President. He succeeds Mr. Fred G. Usilton who has been President for the past two years succeeding the late Dr. Paul E. Titsworth.

Other officers elected were: R. H. Collins, Jr., vice president, Mrs. Nell C. Westcott, Secretary and Mr. Marion deK. Smith, Jr., Treasurer.

FOR STATE WATERMAN'S ASSOCIATION

G. E. LEARY HEADS TRI-COUNTY GROUP

At a meeting held at Centreville on Friday night, of last week the Watermen Protective Associations of Kent, Queen Anne's and Talbot Counties combined into one association to be known as the Maryland Waterman's Protective Association, Inc.

Mr. G. E. Leary, president of the Rock Hall Waterman's Protective Association was elected President of the State organization. Two vice presidents were elected representing the other two countes, and Mr. Leary appointed Mr. William Baker, of Rock Hall as Secretary.

While the State Association includes only three counties at present an effort is being made to eventually include all of tide-water Maryland. The purpose of the Association is to protect the interests of watermen.

WEDDING NOTES

HICKMAN—WHITE

Miss Elizabeth Mae White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. White, of Camden, N. J., and Mr. Donald Howard Hickman son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hickman, of Wilmington, were married on May 27th by Rev. John H. Humphries, pastor of the Delaware Ave. Bethany Baptist Church.

The bride was attired in a light blue gown with a white picture hat and white shoes and gloves. She carried a white corsage of brides roses and lily of the valley. Her Maid of Honor was Miss Doris Davis who was dressed in pink and carried pink carnations. Mr. Charles Steetes was best man.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the groom's parents for the bridal party and the immedate family. Following a short honey moon they will reside in Wilmington where the groom is employed as a saleman with the Wilmington Store of the Pep Bros.

The groom resided in Chestertown with his parents before moving to Wilmington.

BETTERTON

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dickloe were given a wedding reception at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Y. Crew on Tuesday evening. About seventy five guests were present.

Miss Ann Hamilton, of Philadelphia, and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Workman is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Crew.

The members of the Junior Choir, with Mr. and Mrs. George Brice, their leaders, enjoyed a picnic and supper at White Crystal Beach on Wednesday afternoon.

The dance held on Monday evening for the graduates of Kent, Cecil and Queen Annes Counties was well attended in spite of the storm.

Mrs. Henry Clark, Mrs. Larry Hackett and Mrs. Franklin Stork are spending the week at College Park for the annual course given there for the members of the Home Economics Club.

Miss Louise Hepbron left this week for Federalsburg, Va., where she will attend summer school. Miss Lillian Leager will leave on Monday for Newark, Del., for the summer school at Delaware College.

Mr. Floyd Gooding Crownhart was among the graduates this week of The Baltmore Polytechnic Institute. Mrs. Harvey Moore attended the graduation exercises.

Th[illegible] Wilson Line brought in an ex[illegible]n Wednesday, arriving about [illegible]ck and leaving at four.

SPORTS

BENEFIT BOUTS HELD AT BETTERTON WEDNESDAY NIGHT

The prize fight that was held at Turner's dance hall on Wednesday evening was given for the benefit of the Beach Club. It was sponsored by Edward (Reds) Smith, who is tireless in his efforts for the success of the beach club.

The first fight saw Kid Leonard, of Betterton and Carrol Unsworth, of Cordova, in a slow slugging contest for four rounds. Unsworth got the decision.

The second fight saw Kid Smith, of Betterton, get a technical knockout in the second round over Eddie Seal, also of Betterton.

Oscar Griffith colored and Jim Davis colored, of Chestertown put up a fast fight for about thirty seconds and then Jim Davis quit.

Another colored bout was put on between Johnny Wilson, of Betterton and Wrightson Comegys, of Centreville. This bout went for 4 rounds and was called a draw.

The main bout saw Henry Gongales knock out Tony Gallant in the first minute of the fight.

The free for all was fast and furious for about two minutes. Three were in the ring and Oscar Griffith was the winner. The other two gave up.

"Reds" Smith, trainer and promoter went into the ring with Henry Gonzales and fought a 4 round fight to climax the bouts for the evening.

"Reds" Smith had tough luck in staging his first boxing matches. Spence Hammond, of Centreville, contributed his share to the performance to the best of his ability but both he and "Reds" had short sports to deal with. Dud Bedford and Harry Brown did about the lowest trick known to the sporting world and that is they did not show up. Nothing can be done about it with the State Boxing Commission because the fights were amateur fights.

Tony Gallant did just a plain lay down according to some people but Referee Brockman seems to think he was realy put away.

"Reds" Smith did everything possible to make the thing a success even going into the ring with Gonzales for 4 rounds.

Jim Davis, colored, Chestertown's contribution to the cause, quit after 30 seconds of fast fighting. Jim did some fast knee work trying to catch his opponent in the stomach with his knee.

At first the crowd was disappointed that there were only three colored boys in the free-for-all but after it was over they wished there had been only two. It was rather hard to get the fumes out.

WEST KENT SWAMPED

After defeating Cecilton the week before the West Kent baseball was defeated by Cecilton at Chestertown last Sunday 19 to 2. Just an off day.

CHESTERTOWN TRIMS CLAYTON AND QUEENSTOWN

The Chestertown ball team easily defeated Clayton at Hopewell last Saturday afternoon. Eddie Harris hurled for Chestertown until the seventh when he was hit by a pitched ball while at bat and was relieved by Spencer. The score was 17 to3.

On Sunday the Chestertown ball team journeyed to Queenstown and with manager Bill Loller on the mound handed out a 13 to 8 defeat.

CHESTERTOWN GAMES THIS WEEK END

West Kent plays the revamped Church Hill team on Sunday afternoon at Chestertown on the diamond adjoining the College Hill Filling Station.

Chestertown plays Goldsboro at Goldsboro on Saturday afternoon and Massey at Massey on Sunday afternoon.

MID RIVER LEAGUE

	W	L	AVE.
Cecilton	6	2	.750
Middletown	6	2	.750
Kennedyville	5	3	.625
Warwick	4	4	.500
Galena	2	6	.250
Massey	2	6	.250

SATURDAY SCORES

Cecilton 6; Kennedyville 5.
Middletown 12; Massey 3.
Galena 6; Warwick 5.

SUNDAY GAMES

Galena 12; Warwick 3.
Triangle 5; Massey 2.
June 23rd No games scheduled.

SUNDAY, JUNE 24TH AT WARWICK

The Warwick Base Ball Club will play the Chicago Bloomer Girls:

The Bloomer girls have played some strong Ball Clubs in the east this season, come out and see these clubs in action.

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