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PLAYING BALL WITH TARBORO, N. C.

William (Billy Nick) Nicholson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Nicholson is playing ball with Tarboro, N. C. He has been scouted by Ira Thomas scout for Connie Mack. On his way South, Billy Nick stopped in Washington, D. C., when Philadelphia and Washington were playing there. They tried him out on batting a few.

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After 5 p. m. and on Sunday call A. J. Leonard, Chestertown, Md., Phone 199W.

COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION FOR SCHOLARSHIP IN WASHINGTON COLLEGE

The examination for the senatorial scholarship from Kent County, in Washington College, will be held in William Smith Hall, Thursday, June 27, at 9 a. m. Open to boys only. For further information address President Gilbert W. Mead, Washington College, Chestertown, Md.
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Several very desirable homes in Chestertown at bargain prices, on terms to suit purchasers. Also one home for rent, four big rooms, lighted by electricity.
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219 Hight St., 359 Telephone
Chestertown, Maryland

MAKES DONATION TO HOSPITAL

Doctor Frank B. Hines donated a new microscope to the local hospital this week. This will enable the local institution to take care of all blood counts and other miscroscopic work. This work had to be performed out of the county, up to the present time.

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Desirable 8 room home, 112 High Street, Chestertown. Garage, bath, two pantries and nice yard. Apply to
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ANNOUNCEMENT JUNE 12, 1935

We are pleased to announce that we have prepared and filed with the Public Service Commission of Maryland a new and reduced schedule of rates applying to all of the one-meter domestic and commercial consumers on our system. The reduction amounts to approximately 5 per cent. and became effective as of June 1st. The billing of June 30th will reflect these new rates.

A study of the consumption record and the resulting bills of our consumers was recently made by the Public Service Commission of Maryland and the schedules prepared in the hope that these new lower rates will further stimulate the use of electricity throughout our territory and at the same time aid us in the elimination of dual meter installation.

THE CHESTERTOWN ELECTRIC LIGHT & POWER CO.

SUPPER AND FESTIVAL

WESLEY CHAPEL M. P. CHURCH
THURSDAY, JUNE 27
CHURCH HALL

Supper will commence at 5.30 p. m. Menu: Roast Pig, Crabs, Fish, Chicken Salad, Potato Salad, Slaw, Biscuits, Rolls, Coffee, Pickles, Jellies. Price of supper: Adults 50c, Children 25c. For sale: Home-made Ice Cream, Cake and Candy.

BIDS ON SCHOOL BUS ROUTES

The Board of Education of Kent County, Maryland invites those who are interested to submit bids on those school bus routes for which contracts expire this month, such bids to be opened at the meeting of the said board of education to be held on Tuesday, July 2, 1935. A list of the routes, a description of each and the conditions under which bids are to be submitted, may be obtained by addressing a request for the same to the Board of Education of Kent County, Chestertown, Maryland.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the
BOARD OF EDUCATION OF
KENT COUNTY, MD.
Louis C. Robinson, Secretary.
je8-2t.

BIDS ON FUEL

The Board of Educaton of Kent County, Maryland invites those who are interested to submit bids on the fuel supply for the schools of said county for the school year 1935-'36 to be opened at its meeting to be held on Tuesday, July 2, 1935. A statement regarding the quantity and kind of fuel needed at each school and conditions under which bids are to be submitted may be obtained by addressing a request for the same to the Board of Education of Kent County, Chestertown, Maryland.

The said board of education reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

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BETTERTON REALTY COMPANY

FARMS, COUNTRY HOMES, COTTAGES and BUILDING LOTS FOR SALE.
CHARLES H. BRICE, Agent.

NOW AND THEN

WHO LOOKS FOR LONG

By GRACE NOLL COWELL

Who looks for long in the green heart
of a tree
With its bright sweeping, its dark
shadowed blowing,
Will have revealed to him the secret
things
That only trees are knowing.

It will communicate its inner strength,
The poise, the fortitude that has been
given
A tree that draws its blood from the
good earth,
Its every breath from heaven.

Who looks for long in the green heart
of a tree
At its far reach, its sweep, its shadow
lengthened,
Will find he can arise and go his way,
His mind and body strengthened.

'For only God Can Make a tree,' said Joyce Kilmer in his lovely poem on trees. When we consider the long time it takes them to grow, and the cooling shade that they give us, not even thinking of their beauty, it seems almost a crime to cut down a tree unless it is a necessity. I never see one cut down that I do not feel like saying, 'Oh, Woodman spare that tree.'

There are many trees being planted now which will make the town's looks in t he future more attracive but many of the trees already here need attention. And the park- It is certainly a beauty spot if it were more cared for. Could we not have some thing to keep it in condition?

Knee deep in June! Ideal weather, sunshine and green grass, shaded by trees. And in the evening 'the moon takes up the wondrous tale' for right now, the new moon is making our nights beautiful. If Addison had not written anything else except that glorious poem, 'The Spacious Firmament on High,' it would have established his reputation as a poet.

But he has written so many other charming things.

'The Spectator' is always a delight to those who read it, his style, so well chosen that it soothes as one reads.

His friends appreciated him so much, and it seems a pity that he did not have to struggle as the other authors of his time did; that he had to spend so many lonely evenings in the elegance of the Holland house, while his wife was attending some social function.

He was at his best when he was in company with his friends, Lamb, Sterne, Gay and Steele, entertaining them with his great power of convessation.

TEN-TON TOMATO CLUB CONTEST

Farmers interested in the Ten Ton Per Acre Tomato Club Contest should notify the County Agent immediately as the period for applications ends July 1st.

The contest is sponsored by the Maryland Extension Service and the Tri State Packer's Association in the effort to center attention on the more profitable methods of producing quantity and quality tomatoes. It stresses economy of production through better methods, better plants, heavier fertilizer applications, that go with the slogan 'more tomatoes on fewer acres.'

While liberal prizes are available for winners in this contest, the most valuable outcome of the contest is the educational value to the tomato growers; all of whom can benefit by the experience of the most successful growers.

Only canning tomatoes are eligible for entry and the entire acreage on any given farm must be entered.

The County Agent will be glad to furnish details to interested farmers.

TO WAR ON BLASTING AUTO HORNS

'Ear-splitting, nerve shattering devices masquerading as automobile horns' are denounced by Albert E. Buckley, Manager of the Keystone Automobile Club of Maryland, in a statement calling upon police to take action 'toward abating this newest and most obnoxious of highway nuisances.'

Mr. Buckley's reference is to the adoption by motorists of horns similar to the 'blasting apparatus' used on interstate buses.

'We believe police have ample power under Motor Vehicle Law to control the nuisance. The law specifically provides that 'no person operating any motor vehicle shall make or cause to be made any unnecessary noise..... or use the same except as a warning of danger.' It also is provided that in cities, towns and villages 'loud sounding signaling devices shall not be used during the period from one hour after sunset to one hour before sunrise, unless absolutely necessary to avoid accidents.''

COUNTY TAX RATE SET AT $1.21

ROADS COMMISSION REFUSES COUNTY ROAD BONDS AND INTEREST OBLIGATION

Old Age Pension and School Repair Help Increase Rate

The Commissioners of Kent County, in special session Wednesday morning of this week struck a tax rate for 1935-36 at $1.21. This increase of 37 cents over last year can be attributed directly to road obligations, school repairs and old age pensions and a few other incidental expenses that were unforseen when striking the levy last June.

The major item that increased the tax rate this year was a difference of $18,872 between Kent's share of the 1 1-2 cent gasoline tax receipts and the $80,000 necessary this year to retire the bonds due on the $900,000 concrete road bond issue. At the time this bond issue was passed by popular vote of the citizens of the county, a bill was passed in the Legislature directing the State Roads Commission to apply Kent share of new road construction to the annual retirement of this $80,000 obligation. At that time and up until the past two years receipts have been more than sufficient to offset the obligation, and up until this year the roads body has found funds to make up the difference. This year however the burden of this $18,872 has been thrown back directly on the county and had to be provided for in the levy. It was this item that has caused several meetings between the Commissioners and the State Roads Commission due to an understanding between Senator Brice and members of the Commission at Annapolis last February that the item would be carried for. Other unforseen items that have been cared for by the State Roads Commission in past years, and which had to be provided in this year's levy are $1714.00 for work on Kent's dirt roads during the month of April and $2400 for maintenance of streets in towns in the county. Other items were $4,559.72 for repairs on County schools under the C. W. A. program, $3,000 for old age pensions which goes into effect in September, and $3000 additional expense at the Alms House caused by necessary repairs.

Will Have To Create Bond Issue

The levy, which includes the above items provides for every possible expenditure that can be forseen for the coming year with the exception of the interest on road bonds which will have to be provided for in a bond issue not to exceed $60,000.

This bond issue which will not have to be floated until next January, will provide for the payment of interest on slag and concrete road bonds due in January, the retirement of slag road bonds and the payment of money borrowed last January for interest payment. All of these items have for several years been taken care of by the State Roads Commission and were thrown back on the county within the past six months.

After weeks of study the Commissioners arrived at the $1.21 tax rate as the best method of caring for Kent's obligations.

EASTERN SHORE SOGIETY TO VISIT KENT

WILL BE FIRST STOP ON SHORE TOUR

Kent County will be the first stop of the Eastern Shore Society on their annual pilgrimage which this year will be a tour of the Eastern Shore.

According to the plans as announced this week by Mr. W. Lester Baldwin, chairman of the tour committee, the pilgrimage will leave Baltimore at 8 a. m. Friday, June 21st and the first stop will be Old Shrewsbury Parish Church where they will be met by the Kent County members. They will then be conducted to the home of Dr. John L. Wethered on Turners' Creek where lunch will be eaten and refreshments served by L. Wethered Barroll, Esq., Mr. Barroll will give a descriptive talk on the local places of historic interest.

12.15 p. m. Stop at Washington College, greetings by President Gilbert W. Mead.

12.30 p. m. A visit to 'Widehall' the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur W. Hubbard where refreshments will be served.

2.30 p. m. A visit to Pioneer Point Farm the Raskob home.

The tour will then go to Salisbury, stopping at various points of interest on the way.

The next day they will visit historic points on the lower Eastern Shore arriving at Ocean City that night for the week end.

ORGANIZE POWER SQUADRON HERE

CHESTERTOWN HEADQUARTERS FOR NEW DIVISION

Members of the United States Power Squadron residing in the vicinity of Chestertown met this week and organized a branch of the national organization with headquarters in Chestertown. There are about twenty-five members in Chestertown who have passed the examination and were members of the Susquehanna Squadron with headquarters at Havre de Grace. Two weeks they resigned in a body from the Susquehanna Squadron and petitioned the National organization to let them organize a squadron here. The petition was granted. The name of the new squadron is The Chester River Squadron.

Officers elected were: R. Hynson Rogers, Commander; I. Price Ewing, Lieut. Commander; Tilghman Moyer, 1st Lieut.; Simon W. Wescott, Sec. and Treas.; William S. Collins, Chaplain. Members of the board, George E. Pennington, Medford Brooks, Claude E. Truslow; Examining Board, H. T. Hartman, I. Price Ewing, W. W. Hadaway.

The purpose of the Power Squadron is to instruct people using boats in the proper handling of small boats and the inter-national and inland waterway rules and regualtions. For two winters courses have been given and about twenty five local boatmen have passed the examination. Plans are underway to give another course next winter.

CROP LOANS END

County Agent, McVean, announces that Emergency Crop Loan applications can be received only the next day or two since all applications must be in the Baltimore Office on Saturday, June 15th if they are to receive consideration. This statement is based on a letter from C. R. Hare, Field Supervisor from Salisbury.

Very few Kent farmers have availed themselves of the opportunity to borrow money to finance seeds, fertilizer, tractor fuel, spray material, etc., for 1935 crop production. This is considered evidence of the improved economic status of farmers. Last year fourteen farmers borrowed about $1800 for emergency crop loan production; these loans are granted as a part of the Farm Credit Administration effort to meet a definite credit need.

A careful check is made to make sure that the loans are not used in violation of the spirit of the crop adjustment program of the A. A. A. These loans are usually made to people who have difficulty in securing credit from other sources.

WASNINGTON COLLEGE WILL SEEK CONSTRUCTION FUND

BOARD SANCTIONS REQUEST FOR $300,000 FOR NEW BUILDINGS

The Board of Visiors and Governors of Washington College, at the meeting on Monday afternoon of this week, approved a plan to apply to the Federal P. W. A. for a loan of $300,000 for construction purposes at the college, and authorized Dr. Gilbert W. Mead to proceed with plans for the application of the loan. Dr. Mead has already started working on the application.

Among the improvements planned is a large new men's dormitory, a mess hall and enlargement of the gymnasium. According to the present plans of the Federal loans a certain proportion will be an outright grant and the remainder to be on a self liquidating policy.

REAL ESTATE SALES

S. R. COLLINS BUYS TOWNSEND FARM

Mr. Stephen R. Collins purchased the Townshend farm on Lankford Bay Bay which was sold this week by Mr. Harrison W. Vickers, assgnee of mortgage. The price paid was $6,825.

Thompson Property Sold

The Thompson Property on North High Street including store property, dwelling and two small colored houses on Calvert street were bought this week by The Third National Bank, Mortgagee.

Mr. Charles Smith purchased a lot in the rear of the Thompson property on College Avenue.

The Israel Clark property in Church Alley was sold by Mr. Herbert Perkins, Trustee, to Mr. Wilbur R. Hubbard for $435.

JOHN D. BURRIS DIED SUNDAY

Mr. John D. Burris, one of Kent County's well known farmers, died Sunday morning, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. M. W. Hadaway in Worton. He had been in poor health for several months and the end came from an attack of Angina pectors.

Mr. Burris was born in Delaware in 1866 and came to Kent County during the early eighties, he was married to Miss Beulah Crew, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Lewin Crew in February, 1889. He is survived by four children: J. Lewin Burris, of Elmira, N. Y., Mrs. Mowbray Hadaway, of Worton; Arthur H. Burris and Mrs. Walter Starr, of Pomona.

Mr. Burris believed that agriculture is man's noblest calling. The tiller of the soil is entrusted with the high responsibility of feeding the mouths of his fellow people.

He held fastly to the thought that the migitiness of our great nation is mainly due to the generous gratuity of its soil and the skill of the tillers.

He saw our national greatness as a result of abundance and held firmly to the Creed of unrestricted production. He pictured the farmer as in the first line of defense for his fellow countrymen, charged with the trust to produce and to guard.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Tuesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Mowbray Hadaway. Rev. S. T. Hamblin officiated. Interment at Still Pond cemetery. W. T. Hicks, undertaker.

ROBERT C. BROWN DIES OF INJURIES

Robert C. Brown, aged 46 years, native Kent countian, died Monday evening in Mercy Hospital, Baltimore, death resulting from complications following an accident in which his right arm was crushed between rollers in a Baltimore plant where he was employed as a foreman. The accident occurred about two weeks ago.

Two brothers, A. Leon Brown, of Chestertown, and Julian M. Brown, of Elkton, survive as does a sister, Mrs. E. H. Garey, of Westminster.

Funeral services were held at the home of A. Leon Brown, near Chestertown, on Thursday, June 13, at 2 p. m., with the Rev. Frank White in charge. Interment in Chester cemetery. Ralph H. Usilton funeral director.

The bearers were: Messrs. Paul Massey, Harry Nichols, Henry Brown, Merrick Clements, L. Wethered Barroll and Joseph W. Lewis.

MRS. MARY V. ELLIOTT DIED SATURDAY

Mrs. Mary Virginia Elliott, 77, died at her late home on High street, Chestertown, last Saturday morning. Two daughters , Miss Zoa V. Elliott, of Chestertown, and Mrs. C. H. Wise, of Norfolk, Va., survive. She also leaves a brother, Alfred Baker, of Fairlee.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 2 p. m. from her late home with the Rev. Dr. W. H. Litsinger and the Rev. Dr. N. O. Gibson in charge. The Chestertown Council No. 58, Daughters of America, of which the deceased had long been a member, assisted with the service at the grave. Interment was in Chester cemetery.

The bearers were: Messrs. John W. Barnes, Rufus F. Collins, W. M. Maslin, Clifton Coleman, Samuel E. Cooper and James Allen. Ralph H. Usilton undertaker.

MARY E. BOWERS, AGED 79, DIED SATURDAY

Mary Elizabeth Bowers, aged 79 years passed away at her late home in Still Pond, Saturday morning after an illness of three weeks.

Besides her husband, Joseph C. Bowers, she is survived by two daughters, Jane and Anna Bowers.

Funeral service were held from her late residence at 2 p. m. on Monday with Rev. Vaughn Moore officiating. Interment was made in Still Pond cemetery.

The bearers were: Messrs. Elwood Ford, Kennard Jones J. J. White, Bonwill Dukes, Dr. William Urie, Jr., Benjamin Robinson. B. R. Fellows, undertaker in charge.

MRS. LUTHER CONRADI

Funeral services were held Wednesday in Philadelphia for Mrs. Maria Conradi, 64, wife of Luther Conradi, concert pianist and teacher of Melrose Park.

The deceased was the former Miss Mary Hurtt, daughter of the late Henry Hurtt, one time proprietor of the Voshell House in Chestertown.

She taught music here, was the organist at Emanuel Church, for some time and was greatly beloved by her pupils and friends.

MOTORCYCLIST KILLED IN CRASH

GEORGE ROSS VICTIM OF COLLISION NEAR CHESTERVILLE

George Ross, aged 32 years, formerly of North Carolina but who has been living in the vicinity of Chesterville for the past ten years, was instantly killed when the motorcycle which he was riding was in a head-on collision with an automobile driven by 17 year old Dudley Schultz of that vicinity.

According to the evidence brought out at the Coroners Inquest, conducted by Coroner Frank Smith, Ross was enroute to Chesterville on the 9 foot concrete road riding a motorcycle and the automobile driven by Dudley Schultz was proceeding in the opposite direction. As the two vehicles met the automobile which had apparently been traveling on the dirt pulled on the concrete and a head-on collision followed. After the accident the motorcycle was found under the automobile and Ross's body had been thrown directly in front of the car on the left side of the road leading away from Chesterville.

Schultz was operating the car with a learner's permit and was accompanied by Clarence Wallace as instructor.

The Coroners Jury arrived at the verdict that 'George Ross came to his death due to fractures of body and skull inflicted by an automobile in the hands of Dudley Schultz and Clarence Wallace. Both boys are out on $1000 bail each pending the action of the Grand Jury next October.

Further evidence pointed to the fact that the motorcycle which Ross was riding was owned by Raymond Wallace and that he was using it without authority.

TOMATO ACRERGE ABOVE NORMAL

THIRTY PER CENT INCREASE IN KENT COUNTY

According to a statement made this week by County Agent McVean the tomato acreage planted in Kent County is thirty per cent above the normal acreage as shown in the 1930 Federal census. The normal acreage is 4500 acres and the acreage planted this year is estimated at between 5500 and 6000.

To off set this large acreage the pack of tomatoes, tomato pulp and tomato juice in the country is practically depleted. As the tomato crop is so senstive to weather conditions it is impossible to predict the demand at picking time. The cool weather, and an unusual number of insects has somewhat retarded the early southern grown plants.

The tomato juice industry which uses approximately thirty percent of the tomato crop has materially helped to avoid a tomato surplus.

The failure of the crop in nearby states last year was an important factor in the price received here and also is partly responsible for the shortage of the pack on hand.

BOOTLEGGERS HELD FOR FEDERAL COURT.

Six men arrested following seizure of a still, near Golt, last month, were ordered held for the grand jury following hearing before United States Commissioner William R. Horney at Centreville last week. They are charged with conspiracy to violate Federal liquor laws.

In addition to the still, Federal agents seized 1,200 gallons of mash, thirty gallons of whiskey, a ton of sugar, two automobiles and other accessories.

Those held were: Tilghman Cook, 27, tenant of the farm on which the still was located; William Pruitt, 24, Bel Air; Cleveland Casey, 25, Robert Odell Smoot, 19, and R. Kenneth Horsey, 30, of Golt, and George Allen, 45, Negro, Golt.

EASTON GOLF TEAM HERE SUNDAY.

IMPORTANT MATCH IN LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIP

Golfers of the Chester River Yacht and Country Club will face one of the most crucial matches of the year on Sunday when the strong 16 man team from the Talbot Country Club, Easton, is entertained here in an Eastern Shore Golf League match. The outcome of the meeting will have a decided bearing on the league title, the winning team getting a good start in that direction.

Golf officials of the local club have announced that the matches on Sunday will be open to the public and that all, whether club members or not, are invited to witness the meeting between these two great rivals.

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