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KENT WHEAT CROP REPORTED LARGE

FARMERS BUSY CUTTING THIS WEEK

Farmers are busy this week cutting what promises to be a bumper wheat crop in the county.

Wheat is headed up well and fields that show a thick growth promise an exceptionally large yield. Other fields where the growth is not thick is expected to bring the average county yield to between 21 and 22 bushels to the acre.

The ten year average, as shown by the investigation made last year in preparing wheat can tracts, was approximately 18 bushels to the acre.

The present prevailing price is in the vicinity of 75 cents a bushel and some predictions based on the general crop indicate that it will not reach over 80 cents.

Contract signers in addition to the above price will receive 30 cents a bushel for 54 per cent of the base average which will mean an addition of approximately 12 cents a bushel to the prevailing 75 cents price. This 12 cent addition will come from the processing tax on wheat ground into flour for commedcial purposes which according to government figures adds one half a cent to a loaf of bread.

The recipt from the processing tax applies to approximately 90 per cent of the wheat growers of the county.

A. H. COVEY BUYS STRONG FARM

Mr. H. Theodore Jewell sold the farm in Broad Neck owned by Mrs. Walter B. Strong to Mr. A. H. Covey, of Chestertown.

This farm is located in the Broad Neck section of Kent Countl and contains 290 acres. It is one of Kent's old home places and was the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Strong before they moved to Chestertown.

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FOR BENEFIT OF ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.
GIVEN AT SACRED HEART CHURCH, CHESTERTOWN, JULY 3.
500, BRIDGE, and PITCH—100 PRIZES—8 o'clock.
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We will haul away for you any DEAD HORSES, COWS OR ANY OTHER ANIMALS, if you notify us as soon as they die.
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A five room house built 6 years ago of the finest lumber. 1 acre of land. 3 miles from Chestertown on concrete road. Located directly on the Chester River. Fishing and crabbing right in front of home. Near public wharf where boats can be landed. Would make an ideal summer home.
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BETTERTON REALTY COMPANY

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

KENT COUNTY 4-H GIRLS' CAMP

Kent County 4-H Club Girls are to have the unusual opportunity of a County Camp, this year.

The camp will be held July 8th to 13th, at Mrs. Edmonston's Shore at Swan Creek about two miles below Tolchester Beach.

The morning will be devoted to projects and exhibit work. The afternoons to recreation; swimming, story telling, musical games, and singing. Each evening there will be a Camp Fire and Vesper Service. And 4-H Club Girl interested in attending the camp may get full particulars from her local leader or Miss Schellinger.

The goal is thirty 4-H Club Girls.

Miss Dorothy Emerson, State Girls' Club Leader, and Miss Isabel Bewick Queen Anne Home Demonstration Agent, will assist Miss Schellinger with the camp.

BOY PREACHER AT PINEY NECK CHURCH

Last Sunday night Charles Schiffer the boy preacher of York, Pa., preached a most stirring sermon to a crowded house at Piney Neck Methodist Episcopal Church. For thirty-five minutes he held his listeners in rapt attention. The house was filled to capacity and many stood on the outside at the open windows and listened.

Charles in known as the boy preacher. He is only fourteen years old and has been preaching three years. His flow of language is amazing and his insight of the needs of the modern day makes his message most interesting.

S. R. COLLINS ADDRESSES BAR CONVENTION

Mr. Stephen R. Collins, States Attorney for Kent County was one of the speakers at the annual convention of the Maryland Bar Association at Atlantic City on Thursday, Friday and Saturday this week.

Mr. Collins was one of three States Attorney's selected to speak on Criminal Law and suggested changes. Criminal law is one of the major topics of discussion at the convention.

LOCAL PHYSICIAN ATTACKED

George Statts, Jr., is out on $500 bail charged with assault and battery on Dr. Bowers while the physician was attending a patient at the Nickerson home in the upper part of the county.

FOR RENT

TWO FARMS.
Apply to
W. S. COLLINS,
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ACT QUICK

Have that Broken Glass in your car replaced before July 1st as the State law prohibits the replacement of any but safety glass after that date.
Safety glass COSTS 3 TIMES that of plain glass and the fall inspection will require replacement of cracked or broken glass.
We can fix your car before July 1st if you act quick.
je22 MAPLE LAWN GARAGE,
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HOUSEHOLD REPAIRING

I am prepaired to fix your Vacuum Cleaner and other household machines; sharpen or repair scissors, cycles, knives, lawnmowers. Clean and regulate your clock or any other repairs.
Remember, all work is guaranteed.
CHARLES ROLLISON,
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Phone 63J Chestertown, Md.

SALESMEN WANTED

There is no bad wolf at the Rawleigh man's door as he earns a good living. There is an opening now for a hustler in Chestertown to supply steady customers with Rawleigh household products. Earn $25 weekly to start and increase every month. We furnish everything but the car. Write Rawleigh Co., Dept. MD-31-B, Chester, Pa. je15-7t*

FOR SALE

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.
TREHERNE ASSOCIATES,
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Chestertown, Maryland

ANNOUNCEMENT

DR. F. A. HOLDEN will be at the Health Center, Chestertown,
EVERY THURSDAY
FROM 2 TO 5 P. M.
Practice limited to Eye, Ear, Nose, and Throat. Classes prescribed.

ENTERTAINS GULF DEALERS

Messrs. Sidney and Frank Turner's local distributors for the Gulf Refining Co., entertained about 100 dealers at the Chester River Yacht and Country Club on Thursday night of this week.

A motion picture was shown entitled 'The Power behind the Pump' and showed picture of the gasoline and oil industry from the time the crude oil is found until it is ready for the automobile.

After the picture a buffett supper was served.

NOW AND THEN

POEMS THAT LIVE
A SONG THE GRASS SINGS

The violet is much too shy,
The rose too little so;
I think I'll ask the buttercup
If I may be her beau.

When winds go by, I'll nod to her
And she will nod to me,
And I will kiss her on the cheek
As gently as may be.

And when the mower cuts us down,
Together we will pass,
I smiling at the buttercup,
She smiling at the grass.
—Charles G. Blanden (1857—)

This has been a most hectic week! A family of robins have been the cause.

The parent birds were endeavoring to teach their young to fly. Very likely the little birdies left their nest too soon, just as some young people do, giving their parents all kinds of trouble. Well, these young birds would not do as the old birds wanted them to do. Great green eyes were watching; for the cats of the neighborhood were gathered around. A broken hearted cry from the parents would bring all the humans to the rescue but it often proved too late. Perhaps only one bird in the whole brood survived. Why are young things so stupid? Why do they encounter so many dangers that their elders would warn them against? They wish to try their wings:

'Oh birdie rest a little longer,
Till your wings are stronger.'

POPULAR BOOKS

Edward Weeks of 'The Atlantic Monthly' compiled a list of 20 books that sold over a million copies. At the head of the list was Chas. Monroe Sheldon's book. 'In His Steps' published in 1899, which has sold so far 8,000,000. Among others that have sold over a million are Freckles, Tom Sawyer, Ben Hur, Treasure Island, David Harum, The Call of the Wild, The Trail of the Lonesome Pine, The winning of Barbara Worth. These are only a few of them, but they show that the popular taste is not for the modern novel that flames up like a firefly for a short t ime, and then is forgotten. Who is reading The American Tragedy now. The Fountain. Success. and all those books which were read with such gusto a year or two ago? No one. They are put aside and before long will probably be valuable only as waste paper, though the worth while books go on and on, the Bible of course always leading the list.

THE CHESAPEAKE BRIDGE

Poor old bridge! The plans for building it has fallen through. All our plans of quick journeys to the city have fallen with it.

We fear that the building of it is a myth. The poet of the Baltimore Sun expresses himself thus:

THAT CHESAPEAKE BAY BRIDGE

The bridge, they say, is out,
It has been out before,
And in an out and in and out
And in and out some more.
Indeed, it has been thus
Since Hector was a pup
And so it's only out again,
So why should we give up?

When we were very young
Our fathers used to talk
Of building o'er the Chesapeake
A place for them to walk.
They didn't build it then;
We haven't built it yet,
But must we cast all hope aside
And callously forget?

The bridge is out? Tut, tut!
We're used to that by now;
There ought to be no shock in that
To corrugate the brow.
In fact, if it were in,
We'd face a sorry muss;
We'd have no cause to pass along
To those who follow us.
By CLARK S. HOBBS

Double-Dyed Sorrow

As the Pullman conductor made his way through the train he came upon a woman who was weeping bitterly.

'Wha is the trouble lady? Is there anything I can do?' he asked.

'Oh, sir,' she replied, 'I am taking the body of my third husband east to have it cremated.'

The kind-hearted conductor consoled her and went on his way. On his return to that train he found a lady across the aisle weeping even more bitterly. Again he asked if he could be of assistance.

'Just to think,' sobbed this newly grief-stricken one, 'that woman has men to burn and I can't get any.'

—E. B. F., Bedford, Iowa.

CHESTERTOWN PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Chestertown Public Library has been a great benefit to book lovers both in the town, and the county, for a large number of the readers come from the rural distrcts.

Too much cannot be said in praise of the Women's Literary Club, especially the Executive, and the Ways and Means Committees for their effort in maintaining this Library, which not only furnishes the readers with the newest fiction, but has many instructive books on Biography, History, Poems, Art and Music.

Below is the Annual Report of the Library.

The Annual Report of the Chestertown Public Library

The Library Board of the Woman's Literary Club wish to submit the following report of the Chestertown Public Library for the year ending May 31, 1935, and to ask the cooperation of the public during the coming year.

Expenses

Salary of the Librarian and assistant	$125.16
Library's portion of janitors fee	5.02
Fire Insurance	2.50
Smithsonian Reference books	35.00
New Fiction	197.70
Misc. expenses, Library supplies, etc.	57.47
Total expenditures	$422.85

Cash Receipts

Balance une 1, 1934	$ 33.44	
From Library (fines and new book charges)	176.42	
Calendar teas	23.75	
Special drive for new subscribers	55.00	
Annual subscribers	128.77	
Misc. income	13.44	
Bake	21.95	452.97
Balance May 31, 1935		$30.12

In addition to the above report there is an annual rent of $150.00, making a total expenditure of approximately $600.00 for the running expenses of the Chestertown Public Library.

The Ways and Means Committee of the Woman's Literary Club has financed this rent by having bakes, movies, subscription card parties, teas, etc.

We wish to express our thanks to the public for their help in the past.

MIRIAM LEAVERTON,
Secretary-treasurer.

GALA OPENING AT BETTERTON JULY 4

BETTERTON SET FOR GALA OPENING ON THURSDAY, JULY 4

While a number of pre-season events have drawn crowds to Betterton during the past month, the upper bay resort is spruced up and ready for its real opening of the season on Thursday, July 4th. At that time the summer season will get under way and plans this summer call for more elaborate events and attractions than ever before.

The Betterton Casino, which is operating this year under the managment of Morris Touchtone, has conducted a series of pre-season dances during the past month; the last of which will be held tonight. An indication of what the summer will bring forth in the way of patrons to the many attractions in Betterton was provided Wednesday night, when the largest crowd on record attended the Betterton Casino dance.

LOCAL HOSPITAL BUSY

Two new Kent County citizens arrived last week at the local hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Nickerson are receiving congratulations on the birth of a fine son and Mr. and Mrs. Short, of Crumpton, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

Other patients at the hospital are Miss Letha Hadden, Chestertown, Mrs. Gilbert Ashley, Rock Hall, Gertrude Crofoot, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Crofoot, of Rock Hall, and Hilda Boulter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clifford Boulter, of Rock Hall.

MOVE RE-EMPLOYMENT OFFICE

The office of the Federal Reemployment service will move next week from the second floor of the Kent Mutual Fire Insurance Co., building to the first floor which was formerly occupied by the Baldwin Electrical Corp.

WILL NAME NEW WELFARE BOARD

BOARD OF STATE AID AND CHARITIES MEET WITH COMMISSIONERS

The Board of State Aid and Charities composed of Messrs. Samuel E. Shannahan, of Easton, Chairman, Harry Greenstein, State Relief Administrator, and Morris A. Rome met with the Commissioners of Kent County on Tuesday of this week for the purpose of discussing the relief situation in this county.

The State Board submitted a list of thirty four names to the Commissioners from which the latter body selected six who will serve with one commissioner to make up the Welfare Board for Kent County.

The names of those selected will not be made public until after the Commissioners meet next Tuesday although it is understood that it will be a non-political group composed of three Democrats, three Republicans and the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners.

A regulation has been adopted with reference to the Board of Welfare to the effect that no Federal State or County employee shall be a member of the Board.

The new board will set up a system for handling old age pension which goes into effect September 1st.

The system of old-age pension, passed at the last session of the Legislature, obligates the various counties to pay a maximum of fifty cents a day to all residents of the county who are without means of support and without relatives who are able to care for the applicant. The applicant must, however, have lived in the county for five years within a period of the past ten.

CHESTERTOWN LOSES TO SHORE ORIOLES

WILD THROWS IN THE SEVENTH RESPONSIBLE FOR DEFEAT

Chestertown base ball team lost its first game against the newly organized Shore Orioles last Sunday afternoon by costly errors after kteping well in the lead until the seventh.

For six innings the locals held the Orioles scoreless and had a four run lead after sending Vic Willis, star pitcher for the University of Maryland, to the showers. The seventh proved Chestertown's undoing when a series of wild throws and errors allowed three runs. Another was scored in the eighth on an error to tie the score.

In the ninth Billy Nicholson, playing for the Orioles lifted one over the fence for a two base hit to score Lignor who was on third with a walk and an error to win 5 to 4.

The Orioles are composed of the Washington College nine and this game was typical of many of their wins in the college league by overcoming a lead in the last three innings.

Timko, pitching for Chestertown, held the Orioles to 7 hits while Lignor scored 3 of the Oriole's 5 runs.

The lineup and summary:

Chestertown	Ab	R	H
Clements, 1b	4	1	1
Nichols, rf	4	0	2
Oliffe, c	4	0	2
Bennett, ss	4	0	0
LeCates, lf	3	1	1
Kennedy, 2b	4	1	1
Hickman, 3b	4	0	0
Sutton. cf	4	0	1
Timko, p	4	1	1
Totals	35	4	9

Centreville	Ab	R	H
Berry, ss	5	1	1
Turner, rf	5	0	1
Tignor, lf	2	3	1
Nicholson, cf	4	0	1
Clough, 1b	4	0	2
Salter, 3b	1	0	0
J. Williams, 3b	1	0	0
Rinehart, 2b	3	0	0
Grant, c	3	0	1
Willis, p	2	0	0
Wright, p	1	0	0
(a) F. Williams	1	0	0
Totals	32	5	7

(a) F. Williams batted for Willis in the sixth.

CHESTERTOWN GOLFERS AT EASTON SUNDAY

WILL END LEAGUE SERIES

The golf team of the Chester River Yacht and Country Club will journey to Easton tomorrow, Sunday, for the final match of the northern division of the Peninsula Golf League.

This match will end the season unless Chestertown should succeed in defeating Easton which would cause a tie and necessitate a play off. Easton's defeat of Chestertown June 9th Chestertown is on the defensive with Chestertown is on he defensive with one defeat.

URGES SAFE AND SANE FOURTH

Experienced health officers all over the country are sending out warnings of the risks involved to life and limb in the Fourth of July celebrations that depend upon dangerous fireworks for their thrills. As a substitute, they are urging that safer and saner methods of observing Independence Day be followed. 'You can have a good time and show your patriotismm more effectively in other ways,' Dr. R. H. Riley, Director of the Maryland State Department of Health said, 'than by firing off dangerous explosives. And by all means keep such things out of the hands of young children.

'Largely as the result of the campaign that was started a number of years ago by the American Medical Association, we have fewer accidents from Fourth of July fireworks than we used to have. But people forget such things very easty out of sight, out of mind, and every year this warning of danger ahead has to be repeated.

'Injuries from explosives of this sort usually result in a deep seated, painful and dangerous wound, dangerous, because it is always possible that lockjaw may develop from such accidents. The source of the danger is the germladen dirt or gun wadding that is usually jammed deep in the flesh and that will cause lockjaw, tetanus, to use the scientific name, unless measures are taken immediately, to prevent it.

'The size of the explosive has nothing to do with the seriousness of the injury. Toy pistols, torpedoes, caps, blank cartridges, fire crackers, big and little and a whole host of other explosives known by a great variety of names, are every one of them possible sources of extremely serious injuries. The poison that is thrown off in the system by the tetanus germs, and that causes the terrible agony characteristic of lock jaw, is offset by tetanus antitoxin, provided it is administered properly and promptly and in the right quantity.

MOTOR VEHICLE CHIEF URGES CAUTION

A call to motorists of Maryland to make this coming Fourth of July a safe and sane day on the highways has been sounded by Walter R. Rudy, Commissioner of Motor Vehicles.

'Independence Day brings out perhaps the greatest crowd of pleasure seekers of the summer,' says Mr. Rudy, 'and drivers of automobiles and pedestrians, too, should exercise especial care in the effort to prevent death and destruction from motor accidents.'

'Great stress is laid on the prevention of accidents from fire works on July 4th,' said Mr. Rudy, 'and that is highly proper. But it seems to me that everybody, children as well as grown-ups, should have equal instruction on the danger that lies on the roads and streets on this great holiday. If all of us drivers and pedestrians, cooperate and obey the regulations that have been adopted for our well being, this Fourth of July can be the safest and sanest on the Maryland highways that the State has ever known.'

FIRE DAMAGES ROLPH'S WHARF

COLORED HOME BURNS AT COLEMAN CORNER

Fire, supposedly to have started from a lighted cigarette, destroped part of the wharf and the ladies bath house at Rolphs Wharf near here Sunday afternoon.

Local firemen received a call shortly after noon and succeeded in extinguishing the fire with practically no damage. A smouldering ember under the wharf apparently had been missed by the firemen and at 2 p. m. the entire structure burst in flames and did considerable damage before the firemen could again return to the scene. When they arrived the fire was quickly extinguished by pumping water from the river.

Fire destroyed the home of Charles Frisby at Coleman Corner early Tuesday morning. Local firemen responed to the call but the home was destroyed when they arrived on the scene.

PARS LOCAL GOLF COURSE

MAKES EAGLE ON SEVENTH GREEN

H. S. Russell, holder of the Championship crown of the Chester River Yacht and Country Club, negotiated the course Thursday afternoon in par 34 after taking a five on No. 9.

This five on Nov. 9 spoiled a chance to break the course record as he stood on No. 9 one under par. His iron shot following the tee shot carried a slice to the right of the green and the pitch up left a 12 foot put which was missed.

His score was materially aided by an eagle 2 on No. 7, the iron shot across the lake holing out. This is the second time Mr. Russell has parred the local course, the only other time it has been parred was by a professional.

FREE SWIMMING INSTRUCTIONS

TO BE OPENED BY ADULT EDUCATION DEPT.

Instruction in Swimming and Life Saving will be offered this summer by the Adult education Department. A capable teacher to take charge of these groups has been found in Miss Helen Harris, of Betterton. Miss Harris has had three years training in Physical Education at The State Teacher's College, Fredericksburg, Va. She has also had experience as a 'student aide' teacher in swimming. We hope that all communities with water fronts will avail themselves of the opportunity to obtain helpful training in this enjoyable and healthful sport.

The same rules apply to the organization of these classes that apply to all adult groups. That is, classes must have an enrollment of ten with an average attendance of eight. They may be composed of any persons sixteen years of age or over. Instruction is free.

Individuals interested in enrolling in such groups would facilitate matters by informing Miss Harris or Mrs. Reba Wharton, office of the Board of Education, Chestertown, Md., of their desire.

Classes in canning will also be carried on during the summer both among white and colored groups. The regular force of Home Making teachers will conduct these groups. In case you are interested try to interest your neighbors and apply for a group in your community.

LAND BANK REDUCES INTEREST

THREE AND A HALF PERCENT STARTS JULY 1

According to information received from Thomas D. Bowers, secretary-treasurer of the Kent Queen Anne's National Farm Loan Association, the interest rate on all loans made by the Federal Land Bank through the association will be reduced to 3 1-2 per cent per annum, effective on July 1, 1935, for one year, and to 4 per cent for the succeeding two years beginning July 1, 1936. These new rates will also apply to all present members of the association. The annual rate of 5 per cent on Land Bank Commissioner loans will remain in force, but the lending power of the Commissioner has been expanded so as to enable one to borrow money for purchasing farms, a provision which did not heretofore apply to Commissioner loans, which were made in connection with Federal Land Bank loans for refinancing indebtedness. Any one desirng to refinance his indebtedness, liquidate an existing mortgage, or purchase a farm, should consult Mr. Bowers in Chestertown.

SAILING HANDICAP RACES SEASON OF 1935

CROSSES LINE FIRST IN TWO RACES SUNDAY

In a stiff breeze Sunday the first of a series of handicap races was held off the club pier at Chestertown. The series will consist of six races and due to the stiff breeze they were able to have two races Sunday.

There was a stiff breeze off the Kent Shore. The boats crossed the starting line on a starboard tack but almost running free. Rounding the buoy at Primrose point they were close hauled to the buoy off the steam boat wharf. Rounding that buoy they were again close hauled down to the finish line. They were close hauled races. Doc. Sterling took the lead after rounding the first buoy and was never headed. The second race was a repetition of the first. Results on points were as follows:

Name	Owner	Total
Day Dream	G. Ingersoll	29
No name	S. Thompson	23
The Gob	T. Moyer	15
Teazar	J. G. Metcalf, Jr.	15
No Name	W. B. Townshend	19
Half Pint	S. W. Westcott	11
Rexall	A. L. Sterling	11
Teal	Wm. Baker	24
Follow Me	Wm. Paca	17
Pop Eye	B. Wilson	13
Yoyo	R. H. Rogers	27
Stint	M. Harrison	12
Playmate	H. T. Hartman	3
Doc	S. Westcott	10
No Name	T. Anthony	10
Jane	J. Kibler	4
No name	A. Kreeger	1

SWEET REVENGE

It was a late hour when the hostess of the party requested a bass singer to sing something. He protested: 'Oh, no; it's too late. It would disturb your neighbors.'

'Not at all,' declared the lady. 'Besides, they poisoned our dog last week.'

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