NEWS GATHERED ON PENINSULA

"Slap" Prescribed For Mosquito Female

Salisbury—"Slap the female of the species."

That is the advice of Dr. Seth Hurdle, county health officer, has been giving beleaguered Eastern Shoremen who are being assailed by swarms of mosquitoes.

Dr. Hurdle explains it is only the female mosquito that feeds on humans, that the male feeds on plant juices.

Heavy rains about a week ago caused mosquitoes to lay many more eggs than they usually do and led to the current fierce invasion by the miniature dive bombers.

Only a spell of dry weather, it is said, will bring an end to the pestiferous attacks.

Another Big Oak Tree

Easton—There was sent to the Star-Democrat this week a picture of an oak tree in California. The caption said it was the Hooker Oak, that it could shade 8,000 people. It was 22 feet in circumference, and over 100 feet high, and bears a ton of acorns a year. This is a different species of an oak than the Wye Oak. The famous Talbot tree is a "White" oak, and the State Forrester Besley, who knows trees all over the country, says the Wye Oak is the largest "White Oak Tree" in America.

Sandy Hook Light Out For Duration Of the War

Pocomoke City—The "light which never failed" for almost 178 years will be extinguished for the duration of the war.

Back in 1764, long before John Hancock affixed his signature to the Declaration of Independence, the lighthouse on Sandy Hook sent its first rays flashing into the darkness of night.

Keys Lost Overboard Two Years Ago, Found

Cecilton—Theodore Ott, had the surprise of his life, last Sunday, when a little girl bather at Crystal Beach Manor, gave him a set of keys she had found the past week. The keys were lost overboard two years ago, while Mr. Ott was in bathing with a party of friends. The keys are in very good condition.

Retired Mail Carrier Walked 75,000 Miles In Twenty-Five Years

Havre de Grace—Mr. Norman E. Hopkins, a mail carrier here for a-nearly 25 years, on August 1st, withdrew from active service and has applied for retirement.

Assuming that Mr. Hopkins walked an average of 12 miles a day on his mail route (we understand that is a fair average), then during his 25 years' service he walked approximately 76,000 miles, or nearly 13 round trips across the continent. Surely, Mr. Hopkins deserves a rest.

Under a new plan of the Postoffice Department ,the routes of local mail carriers have been lengthened several miles a day. In addition, the volume of letter mail has shown a marked increase, placing a still greater burden on mail carriers. That's a terrific daily grind and no man can stand up very long under such trying conditions.

Delaware Peach Harvest Earlier

Dover—Delaware peaches will be ready for harvesting a week to 10 days earlier than usual unless an adverse change in weather conditions interferes, Wilmer T. Derickson, director of the bureau of markets, has estimated. The usual time is from about August 15 to 20, but present indications are that this year's crop will be ready from about August 5 to 10, he said. The varieties include the Hale Haven, Georgia Belle, Elberta and Hale.

Tanker Is Removed From Chesapeake

The huge oil tanker which struck and demolished the Chesapeake City bridge several weeks ago has been removed.

Workmen spent several days cutting the twisted steel girders of the bridge from the side of the tanker and then towed the boat to Philadelphia.

Five powerful tugs were employed in the operation.

The rest of the wreckage is being removed from the canal and traffic will be resumed within a week.

A ferry has been established by the government and runs on a twenty minute schedule.

As far as can be learned now, construction of a new bridge will not be started until after the war, because of the lack of materials, which are needed in more essential war work.

COAST GUARD HORSE PATROL

The Commandant of the Coast Guard has requested that the Maryland Horse Breeders 'Association make a survey of all available men or horses for the proposed Horse Patrol of the Maryland Atlantic Coast, primarily, with the idea that the Baltimore waterfront and the Bay patrol may be developed later on. It is pointed out that volunteers may come in as full time men, receiving compensation, side arms and uniform, and being instructed in use of side arms and on patrol duties. They may also come in as part-time men, receiving no compensation, but all else the same as the men who volunteer for full time. All will be sworn in and no under military discipline.

It may be that some men, living near the coast and willing and capable, lack horses. These men we will try to provide with mounts. People with horses they will lend are asked to communicate with them also. As volunteers come in they will arrange for central meetings of them to be addressed by Coast Guard Officers.

MILLER GLENN

The death of Mr. Miller Glenn, a life long resident of Rock Hall, occurred on Tuesday at his home, after a long illness. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Bessie Coleman Glenn, two sons, Melvin and Eldridge Glenn, of Rock Hall, and one daughter, Mrs. Albert Albaugh ,of New Windsor, Md.

Funeral services were held on Thursday at 3 o'clock.

"GEORGIA 'BEE AND BERRY' RECIPES"

A Georgia reader offers some of her choice "old-time" recipes handed down from old Southern Pioneer Days when daily "store-bought" foods were hard to get and every available wild berry and fruit was made use of thriftily. Look for this helpful feature in the August 16th issue of The American Weekly, The Big Magazine Distributed With The Baltimore Sunday American. On sale at all newsstands.

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EDWARD D. E. ROLLINS

for

ASSOCIATE JUDGE

From Cecil County

THE MARYLAND LAW PERMITS CANDIDATES FOR JUDGE TO FILE IN PRIMARIES, ON ANY OR ALL TICKETS, AND PROHIBITS A PARTY DESIGNATION FOR A JUDICIAL CANDIDATE AT THE GENERAL ELECTION. THE INTENT OF THE LAW IS THAT JUDGES SHALL BE SELECTED, BY ALL THE VOTERS, WHOLLY ON DEMONSTRATED MERIT.

FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE FROM CECIL COUNTY, STATE'S ATTORNEY EDWARD D. E. ROLLINS, HAS FILED IN THE PRIMARIES OF BOTH MAJOR PARTIES, ASKING THAT HE BE CONSIDERED ON HIS RECORD.

IN APRIL 1917, WHEN THE UNITED STATES ENTERED THE FIRST WORLD WAR. HE ENLISTED AS AN APPRENTICE SEAMAN IN THE NAVY AT SEVENTEEN YEARS OF AGE, AND WAS DISCHARGED AS A CHIEF PETTY OFFICER.

WHEN HE TOOK THE BAR EXAMINATION IN 1922 HE WAS SECOND IN A LARGE CLASS OF CANDIDATES.

AS A CANDIDATE ON THE MINORITY TICKET HE HAS FOR THREE SUCCESSIVE TERMS BEEN ELECTED STATE'S ATTORNEY; EACH TIME WITH AN INCREASINGLY LARGE MAJORITY.

FOR FIVE YEARS HE HAS BEEN A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF WASHINGTON COLLEGE.

HE HAS NEVER FAILED A CALL TO CIVIC DUTY. THE CAMPAIGN, WHICH HE ORGANIZED FOR FUNDS WITH WHICH TO BUILD A COUNTY HOSPITAL, HAS NEVER BEEN EQUALED IN THE ANNALS OF THE COUNTY.

A YEAR AGO THE COUNTY DEFENSE COUNCIL DRAFTED HIM TO SERVE AS CHIEF AIR RAID WARDEN FOR CECIL COUNTY. THE ORGANIZATION WHICH HE BUILT, BY TIRELESS EFFORT, HAS BEEN CITED BY STATE AND FEDERAL AUTHORITIES FOR EXCELLENCE.

AS A LEADER IN HIS PROFESSION, AS A PUBLIC SERVANT, IN PEACE AND WAR, HE HAS PROVEN WORTHY.

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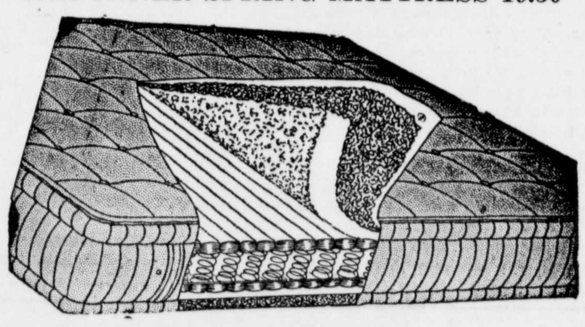

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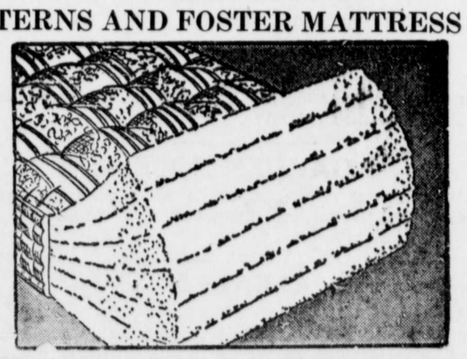

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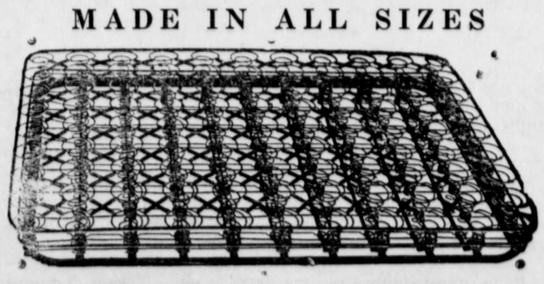

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Eastern Shore Entitled To Vigorous Representation

CARRIED 5 OF 9 COUNTIES TWO YEARS AGO

Having carried five of the nine counties of the Eastern Shore of Maryland when he was a candidate for Congress in the Democratic Primary of 1940, when his successful opponent carried but one of these nine counties. Senator Dudley G. Roe again is seeking the Democratic nomination for Congress.

If nominated and elected, he stands pledged to give the same type of public service to Eastern Shore citizens and Eastern Shore taxpayers that he consistently has given during four terms in the Maryland Senate.

Senator Roe regards the prosecution of a successful war and a victorious peace the nation's primary objective and, if sent to Congress, will work whole-heartedly and unceasingly to help effect this end as speedily as possible.

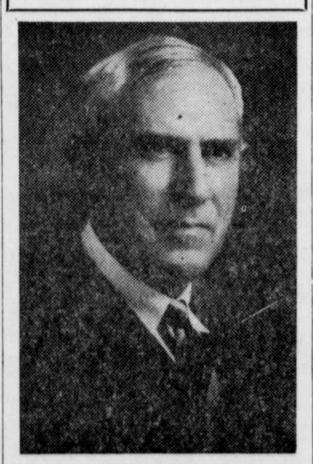
He charges that the Congress has been wantonly extravagant and wasteful in squandering the taxpayers' money on non-defense projects and stands pledged to work for strict economy and protection of the taxpayers on all non-defense expenditures.

If nominated and elected he stands pledged to oppose the Congressional Pension Bill or any other bill by which Congress or Congressmen would vote themselves a pension out of the taxpayers' money.

As a farmer, business man and banker, he is generally familiar with the needs of our people, and specifically familiar with the particular problems that confront our people of the Eastern Shore of Maryland. In his legislative activities, covering a period of 20 years, he also is familiar with the needs of our watermen, and consistently has opposed all leasing attempts and worked to safeguard the interests and welfare of those engaged in watering pursuits.

He stands unalterably for the American way of life; our accepted rights of suffrage and our individual rights to choose those who make our laws; those who execute our laws and those who interpret our laws.

SEN. DUDLEY G. ROE



A man who unselfishly, efficiently and patriotically has given over 20 years of valuable public service to the people of the Eastern Shore and of Maryland.

Fully mindful of the swiftly growing problem of taxation, he stands pledged to work for economy and sound business in government, to the end that our people may enjoy efficient, representative government without undue oppression in taxation.

He subscribes whole-heartedly to the sound American principle that a public office is a public trust, and if nominated and elected, his one aim and desire will be to serve the Eastern Shore of Maryland and our country faithfully and efficiently.

He respectfully solicits the vote and support of Eastern Shore men and women on his public record, and invites public scrutiny of his stand on all vital legislation during the last 20 years.

Roe Has Devoted 20 Years Useful Service To Shore

The people of the Eastern Shore—at this time more than any other time in our history—urgently need capable, and fearless representation in Congress!

We need—just as America needs—men like Senator Dudley G. Roe to efficiently and vigorously carry forward the great tasks and solve the many grave problems that confront us.

Senator Roe has given to the people of the Eastern Shore and to the people of the State of Maryland more than 20 years of useful, patriotic and valuable public service.

He stands pledged, if nominated and elected, to continue that same high type of public service, and to whole-heartedly represent not just one county or one community, but all the people of all the counties of the Eastern Shore of Maryland.

As an able, successful and outstanding business man, farmer and banker; as an experienced legislator; as a vigorous and able leader; as a stalwart friend of public education; as a man who for years has fought the battles of the watermen, Senator Dudley G. Roe represents the type of American citizenship particularly well fitted by ability and experience to give our people the best possible service in Congress.

A vote for Senator Dudley G. Roe is a vote to guarantee able, capable, efficient, economical representation in Washington, and to place there a man who will do his utmost for every community on the Eastern Shore.

A vote for Roe is a vote to give our boys in the service and those of us who carry on the work of winning the war at home, fair and equitable representation in Washington.

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To the Democrat Voters of Kent County

A few weeks ago a comparatively FEW members of the Democratic Party of Kent County got together and named what they choose to call a "Compromise" or "Harmony" ticket for the Democrat Primaries on September 8th.

The wishes or advice of the great majority of our party were absolutely ignored in the naming of this ticket supposed to represent the entire Democratic party.

In opposition to this mis-called "Harmony" ticket a new faction of the Democrat party was formed at a meeting open to All Democrats.

We submit for your approval the PEOPLES DEMOCRAT TICKET and solicit your vote and support for each and every candidate

People's Democrat Ticket

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Congress
DUDLEY G. ROE

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