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SOLDIERS WILL SELECT CONGRESSMAN

HARNESS RACES DRAW 1200 PEOPLE TO TRACK

The Labor Day harness races held at the Kent-Queen Anne's Driving Park proved to be the most successful held by the officials since their opening. Over 1200 people attended and saw Cinco Woolen owned by Jake Rudnick equal the track record set by Fielder, on Decoration Day. The time was 2:10.

Another matinee has been scheduled for September 19 and according to an announcemnet from the park board, purses will be made for each race.

This is the first time that purses have been offered at the track and a large entry is expected.

Following is a summary of last Monday's races and the time for the best heat.

1st Race—Free For All

Heats	1st	2nd	3rd
Red Arrow	3	1	2
Pancho	2	3	-
Cinco Woolen	1	2	1

Time 2.10

2nd Race—Class A Pace

Cliff Lee	2	3	-
Dallas	1	1	-
Symbol Grit	4	4	-
Hanover Lassie	3	5	-
Peter Direct	-	2	-

Time 2.12

3rd Race—3 Year Trot

Popalar Ellen Scott	6	-	-
Marydel	5	-	-
Song of Atholene	3	4	-
Amelia D.	4	3	-
Princess Miss Wath	2	2	-
Ellen Hanover	1	1	-

Time 2.13½

4th Race—2 yr. Mixed

Jane Majesty	2	2	-
Abigale Hanover	3	4	-
Edward E.	4	3	-
Prince R.	7	7	-
Miskeen	5	6	-
Anne Hal	1	1	-
Verda Hanover	6	5	-

Time 2.20

5th Race—Class A Trot

Jane Czar	5	-	-
Bivieta Worthy	3	1	2
Hattie Hanover	2	2	1
Canterbury	1	3	3
Bernon	4	4	-

Time 2.14

6th Class—Class B Pace

Ann Aubrey	1	1	-
W. F. Bonnington	2	3	-
All Told	4	4	-
Abbe Velwin	3	2	-
Bobby Mack	5	5	-

Time 2.15

Public Meeting On Canal Car Ferry

Congressman David J. Ward announces tha ta notice of a public hearing has been issued by Col. H. B. Vaughn, Jr., District Engineer, Philadelphia, Pa., to consider a proposed car ferry crossing the Chesapeake and Delaware Canal at Chesapeake City, to be held in the Fire Hall on the north side of the Canal, Chesapeake City, Maryland, at 11.00 A. M., Monday, September 14, 1942.

The notice states that all interested parties are invited to be present or to be represented at the above time and place ,particularly navigation interests and the officials of any county, city, town or local association whose interests may be affected. They will be given an opportunity to express their views with respect to the effect on navigation interests, and the need for and feasibility of such a ferry service.

Oral statements will be heard, but for accuracy of record all important facts and arguments should be submitted in writing, as the record of the hearing will be forwarded for consideration by the War Department. Written statements may be handed to the District Engineer at the hearing or mailed to him beforehand.
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Miss Bertha Faust of Wyomissing, Pa., has been appointed instructor of English at Washnigton College, Dr. Gilbert W. Mead announced today.

Miss Faust was graduated A. B., cum laude, from Bryn Mawr and took grduaate work at Yale and the University of Pennsylanvia, from which she received her Ph.D. degree. Miss Faust's special field is American Literature, and her doctoral dissertation was written on the contemperaneous reputation of Hawthorne.

Shore Commissioners Cancel Meeting

The annual meeting of the Eastern Shore County Commissioners' Association, usually held at Ocean City has been cancelled because of tire and gasoline rationing.

Lawson C. Tosh, of Cecil county, president of the Shore group, said the "serious responsibilities under which most of us are working" also was a big factor in cancelling the meeting.

"This decision is the result of the opinions of each of the boards of the County Commissioners of the Eastern Shore," Tosh said. Commissioners of nine Eastern Shore counties belong to the association.

Volunteers Needed

The Chestertown Bank of Maryland is the scene every day, with the exception of Wednesday morning, of surgical dressings. Thirty thousand must be made within a very short time and volunteers from the entire county are urged to respond to this call. Now is the time to do your war work, not when it is too late. Instructors are present each day to assist all beginners, and all regulations will be read at the time of entrance. Come, ready to serve. Regarding uniforms, a cover-all apron and head covering are all that are necessary. Do not wear these in. They must be put on after your arrival.

AUGUST BOND SALE GOES OVER $50,000

According to Charles F. Wheatley, chairman of this region for the sale of War Savings Bonds and Stamps, Kent Countains purchased over $50,000 in Bonds for the month of August. This exceeds the quota of $30,700 for August by $20,000.

Especially helpful in surpassing this month's quota was the purchase of over $2,000 worth of bonds by the employees of the Kent Defense Corporation. The plant recently began using the Payroll Deduction Plan and it is expected that the employees will make even a greater purchase for October.

During the two-day visit of the Navy recruiting ship Lauxmont last week, an unusual amount of War Savings Stamps were sold at the two dances held.

Mr. Wheatley said that the October quota had not been set as yet, but he was certain that it would be governed by the showing made in August.

Miss Marian Thomas left on Tuesday for Columbus, Ga., where she is a guest of Lieut. and Mrs. William A. McGregor for a week's visit.

COLLINS DEFEATS MARSHALL, GSELL LEADS COUNTY TICKET

New Ordnance Plant To Open Here Friday

The new Eastern Shore Ordnance Plant, located on the property of the Kent Defense Corporation, will start work Friday monring, according to an announcement by Mr. Philip G. Wilmer, production manager of the new plant.

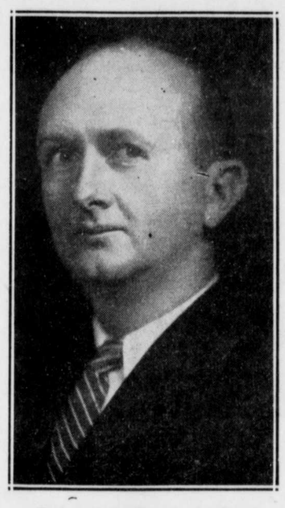
This ordnance plant which, it is understood, has no connection with the Kent Defense, will employ 400 people and manufacture fuses for hand grenades.

Seventeen men, inducted into the Army through the local selective service board, left for camp last Friday.

These men went by the afternoon train and were given a royal send-off by the Fire Company Band and a group of local citizens.

Through arrangements made by a committee of the Chestertown Business Men's Association the men were each presented with an identification tag chain and the Rotary Club presented them with a condensed Bible.

The Fire Company Band played an hour at the station.



Judge Stephen R. Collins

The first fall meeting of Old Kent Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution will be held at home of Mrs. Harry T. Hoyle in Fairlee, Saturday, September 12th at 2.30 p. m.

SENATOR ROE LEADS CONGRESSMAN WARD BY 17 VOTES, UNOFFICIALLY

According to unofficial returns at the time of going to press Senator Dudley G. Roe won over Congressman David J. Ward by 17 votes for the Democratic Nomination for Congress. This small margin can be overcome or increased by a slight correction in the nine counties when the official returns are received but as the vote stands today Mr. Roe leads.

Should this 17 vote margin stand up through the official count, the proxy vote of the men in the service can determine who is nominated. The election law provides that during a war or emergency when civilians are called into the service, the Governor, by proclamation, may empower these men to vote by proxy. It provides, however, that only those who write and request a ballot will receive one and in Kent County 30 men did just that.

As to how the soldiers vote will affect the Congressional race is anybody's guess. It is reported that there will be only 25 proxy votes in Wicomico County which is Congressman Ward's home county while there are 105 in Queen Anne's, Senator Roe's home. Until next week. when the Secretary of State will report the result of the proxy vote, the Congressional nomination will remain an uncertainty.

Henry Gsell

Chief Judge Stephen R. Collins, of the Second Judicial Circuit, won a landslide victory over Mr. Elbert Marshall, of Talbot County in both the Democratic and Republican Primaries. Judge Collins' vote in the Democratic primaries is expected to exceed six thousand and while the Republican majority is small due to a very light vote, he will win by several hundred votes. This means that Judge Collins will have no opposition in the Democratic or Republican parties in the general election in November.

The Democratic vote in Kent County was 2479 for Judge Collins and 186 for Mr. Marshall. Majorities were given Judge Collins in four of the five counties in the Second Judicial Circuit, Mr. Marshall carrying his home county, Talbot, by a substantial majority. His term of office is fifteen years and his duties include both that of the Maryland Court of Appeals and the Second Judicial Circuit. Appointed by Governor Herbert O'Conor two years ago to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge Mason Shehhan, Judge Collins has ably filled that position as evidenced by the tremendous vote received in the Circuit.

Henry Gsell, Democratic nominee for Sheriff, lead the ticket among the local candidates having received a total vote of 1967 as compared to 696 for his opponent, Mr. George Whaland.

The local harmony ticket won all but two places on the ticket, that of Register of Wills which was won by a 102 majority by Paul Joiner over the harmony candidate, Roy Strong; Sheriff Robert E. Lee defeated the harmony candidate, James J. Hadaway for treasurer by a majority of 451 votes. The remainder of the harmony ticket won by substantial majorities.

Mr. Albert Constable, of Elkton, was nominated as the Democratic candidate for Circuit Court Judge from that county. Judge Raymond Horney, of Centreville was unopposed in the primaries and is also the Democratic candidate.

Unopposed in the Democratic primaries and who automatically became the candidates of that party were: For Senate, Arthur H. Brice; House of Delegates, Roger B. Harris and Frank B. Jester; Clerk of the Court, Robert A. Shallcross; State's Attorney ,Harrison W. Vickers.

Governor Herbert R. O'Conor so overwelmingly defeated his three opponents in the Kent County election that it could hardly be considered a contest. He received a total of 2394 votes to 178 votes received by all three of his opponents.

UNOFFICIAL RETURNS OF DEMOCRATIC PRIMARIES HELD ON TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8th, 1942

	First District, First Precinct	First District, Second Precinct	Second District, First Precinct	Second District, Second Precinct	Third District, First Precinct	Third District, Second Precinct	Fourth District, First Precinct A-J	Fourth District, First Precinct K-Z	Fourth District, 2nd Precinct A-J	Fourth District, 2nd Precinct K-Z	Fifth District, First Precinct A-J	Fifth District First Precinct K-Z	Fifth District, Second Precinct,	Sixth District, First Precinct A-J	Sixth District, First Precinct K-Z	Seventh District	TOTAL
For Governor																	
COOK	9	6	8	4	3	3	8	10	4	3	4	6	3	4	6	11	92
KENNEDY	11	1	6	2	4	4	2	4	2	3	0	4	2	6	1	3	55
O'CONOR	205	173	168	156	203	115	185	219	133	95	116	145	123	75	119	164	2394
PEDDICORD	1	2	2	1	1	1	2	0	3	1	10	1	2	1	2	1	31
For Congress																	
ANDRUS	8	3	8	4	20	6	12	6	5	7	12	11	9	8	10	29	158
ROE	159	121	143	130	121	101	132	155	75	60	39	52	50	54	66	112	1570
WARD	68	56	42	35	67	20	62	81	61	38	68	91	63	27	47	46	872
For Chief Judge																	
COLLINS	213	165	177	162	195	114	199	233	147	102	124	155	124	86	113	170	2479
MARSHALL	17	15	14	8	20	12	13	16	2	5	12	9	11	4	10	17	186
For Register Of Wills																	
JOINER	95	98	134	120	184	68	94	106	73	59	39	36	24	54	67	108	1359
STRONG	117	69	60	48	39	56	106	133	60	43	104	132	119	37	63	71	1257
For Treasurer																	
J. HADAWAY	86	81	59	55	94	31	103	115	70	30	72	100	78	39	61	86	1160
LEE	147	97	132	114	126	96	99	134	74	79	68	64	66	52	65	104	1517
For County Commissioners																	
COLEMAN	147	75	63	69	124	32	62	68	51	46	51	61	35	48	57	89	1078
FRANCIS	97	88	114	87	126	85	123	147	72	47	116	141	119	52	85	100	1599
HURTT	173	159	132	114	106	86	137	161	85	50	58	97	86	37	80	102	1663
JONES	57	45	71	70	86	41	81	87	44	48	29	42	28	45	32	84	890
KENNEDY	133	119	147	114	117	86	120	142	90	54	53	80	76	43	78	86	1538
PRICE	41	38	61	44	60	20	58	73	48	40	23	27	17	36	26	63	675
For Sheriff																	
GSELL	197	134	169	125	151	102	157	197	124	88	71	88	88	60	89	127	1967
WHALAND	26	41	34	41	60	20	49	52	23	13	67	83	58	27	40	62	696
For Associate Judge																	
BRATTON	6	5	4	2	2	0	5	1	4	2	6	1	0	0	1	7	46
CONSTABLE	138	90	126	120	100	76	83	105	65	35	68	96	69	38	52	67	1328
CROTHERS	49	74	47	31	65	36	95	109	53	48	22	28	17	36	48	64	822
KINTNER	3	2	0	1	4	1	0	5	1	1	0	2	2	3	5	7	37
ROLLINS	6	3	7	0	6	1	13	11	4	5	6	6	0	1	1	11	81
For Judges of Orphan's Court																	
COREY	121	97	109	102	110	84	135	165	93	45	62	97	79	43	68	85	1495
CROW	59	67	83	78	67	42	55	62	27	35	31	26	18	22	30	48	750
KNIGHT	28	50	67	52	114	29	75	85	57	46	31	39	10	41	41	81	846
NEWNAM	85	88	56	44	48	23	58	69	33	27	23	33	24	30	83	69	743
RASIN	169	113	139	120	148	92	145	142	93	60	72	113	78	55	86	118	1743
STAVELY	129	88	105	97	136	81	117	140	81	47	61	97	86	67	105	91	1528
For State Central Committee																	
CARVELL	144	92	96	83	103	67	126	150	91	45	69	93	65	38	61	99	1422
HUDSON	26	28	36	32	72	23	47	54	21	18	13	21	9	28	36	33	497
MELVIN	207	121	121	90	78	71	114	155	90	51	59	92	65	37	48	71	1470
MOFFETT	44	56	69	70	104	33	87	77	48	48	28	47	29	54	61	101	956
SUTTON	77	82	90	107	82	32	67	56	41	33	41	50	27	40	47	85	957
TARBUTTON	116	81	104	91	153	78	122	134	87	51	46	79	66	46	75	96	1425
For State Convention																	
CREW	138	98	112	121	125	113	105	116	57	39	64	84	64	32	61	80	1409
T. C. HADAWAY	55	62	80	66	101	37	79	75	50	55	44	51	22	30	42	81	930
LEARY	135	102	100	96	116	86	143	175	92	54	99	129	99	52	83	93	1654
LUSBY	73	63	70	50	66	20	55	66	48	40	15	29	18	33	40	86	772
PLUMMER	97	75	62	59	67	52	95	111	75	42	54	78	63	39	57	90	1116
SPARKS	35	39	44	35	89	18	59	65	31	40	30	33	26	52	66	71	733

Red Cross Holds Commencement at Washington College

At the time of going to press, arrangements were complete for the graduation exercises of the Red Cross Home Nursing courses, at which time nearly three hundred Kent County women will receive their certificates. The commencement will be held Thursday evening in William Smith Hall, Washington College, at 8 o'clock.

The program will consist of musical numbers by the Chestertown Fireman's Band, under the direction of Mr. Julian Coleman, and several vocal selections. The address of the evening will be given by Judge W. Raymond Horney.

Kent County stands first in Maryland in home nursing judged by the number of graduates.

This is a great tribute to Mrs. Cornelia K. Lumpkin who organized the classes and was Home Nursing Chairman for the Kent Red Cross Chapter.

Government Cannot Release All The News

There are very few people in this country who really have any idea what is happening in this war.

The "extra" stories in daily newspapers and the "flashes" over the radio, give us one-sentence news stories on events which warrant a bookful of news.

The army and navy consider it necessary to withhold any information which the enemy might not have, but it is hard to understand why the people of this country should not be given the news of things which the enemy must certainly know.

When our troops first attacked the Solomon Islands, the Japanese must have known, just as well as our officers, which side was winning and just how great a victory it was, but the one-sentence news stories left all of us in a position only to guess at what actually had happened.

Miss Cornelia Walker, who spent the Summer in Chestertown, left on Monday, to return to her home in St. Louis, Mo.

Mrs. A. C. Dick Wins Golf Tournament

The finals in the Ladies Championship Golf Tournament at the Chester River Yacht and Country Club was played on Monday afternoon, with Mrs. A. C. Dick and Miss Elizabeth Brown competing for the honor. A hard fought battle was finally won on the 17th hole with Mrs. Dick being 2 up and only 1 to play.

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