DEATHS DURING THE WEEK

Harry T. Tucker

Harry T. Tucker, age 66, died at his home near Worton, on Saturday January 23rd. He was the son of the late Thomas J. and Annie Rolph Tucker, and most of his life was spent on the farm near Rolph's Wharf where he was born.

He married the late Ruth Hester Jefferson, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jefferson of near Chestertown. In 1941, he married Mrs. Clara Williamson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joel T. McGinnis of Queen Anne's County.

He is survived by his wife, and two sons of the former marriage, Charles T. Tucker, and Harry J. Tucker, a brother, Hicks Tucker, of Centreville and a sister, Mrs. Kate Story, of Chestertown.

Funeral services were held from his late home on Tuesday, January 26th, Rev. Otis P. Jefferson, of Centreville, officiating, assisted by Rev. C. R. Strausburg of Worton. Pallbearers were Thomas A, Tucker, Charles W. Kibler, J. Rouse Story, Albert H. Tucker, S. Holton Sparks, and William Green. Interment in Church Hill Cemetery, Wm. H. Good funeral director.

Rose Beck Deputy

Mrs. Rose Beck Deputy, age 78, died in Baltimore at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Albert W. Strong. She is survived by the following children; Mrs. Kirkbride, Mrs. Albert W. Strong, Mrs. C. N. Dorsey, Jr., Arthur V. Deputy, Lewin B. Deputy. She is also survived by two grandsons and three granddaughters. Funeral was held Wednesday at 2 p. m. at St. Pauls Church, Rev. Wyllie, officiating. Bearers were T. Chaplin Willis, Ringgold Jones, Albert W. Strong, Charles N. Dorsey, Jr., William Kirkbride and Robert Duer. Interment in St. Pauls cemetery. Usilton and Wells in charge of funeral.

Jacob Wilbur

Jacob Wilbur, age 80, was found dead at his home in Chestertown, Sunday. Mr. Wilbur was employed by Mr. Gale Usilton for a number of years. He was quite a hunter and hook and line fisherman. He is survived by a sister, Mrs. Massey Burton of Philadelphia. Funeral services were held Tuesday at 11 a. m. at Usilton and Wells funeral home. Dr. W. P. Roberts officiating. Bearers were Earl Cooper, Lee Gill, John Dickerson and Preston Heck. Interment in Chester Cemetery. Usilton and Wells in charge.

Kenneth R. Leverage

Kenneth R. Leverage, age 20, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Leverage of near Chestertown, was killed Sunday morning while working in a war industry. He is survived by his parents and the following brothers, Ernest and Irving of Chestertown Edwin at home, Nelson, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; Grason, Mitchell Field, N. Y. Funeral services were held Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. Rich Neck Methodist Church. Rev. L. B. Morgan officiating. The bearers were his brothers and Milton Barwick. Interment in Church Hill Cemetery. Usilton and Wells in charge of funeral arrangements.

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Easton Airport Work To Continue Despite Reports

Easton—Construction of the Easton airport will not be halted, despite advices to that effect published in daily newspapers this week, it was announced by Mayor Barnes today.

The Mayor stated that he had received authoritative information that the work at the airport would conainue until it was completed, which, it was expected, would be about June 30th.

The airport, which comprises about 450 acres of land, has been under construction as a Federal project since last spring, and much of the grading already has been accomplished. Work has been retarded somewhat during the winter by unfavorable weather but a number of men still are employed.

The total cost of the airport is expected to be in the neighborhood of one and a quarter million dollars, most of which already has been allocated to the project.

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"White Owls" Still Lead Bowling League

Captain "Shad" Walberts Bowling Team, The "White Owls" are still setting the pace in the league at the Chestertown Bowling Centre on Cannon Street with the remarkable score of 50 games won and 14 lost, although the Eagles are close behind them with 49 wins and 13 lost.

The league standings are as follows:

	W.	L.
White Owls	50	14
Eagles	49	13
Budwieser	38	22
Hornets	37	23
Orioles	32	22
Pep Boys	18	38

Some of the high averages held in the league are J. Todd, 110; R. Ruble, 109; W. Smith, 109; R. Hunter, 109; K. Price, 107; C. Porter, 108; D. Gosman, 107; D. Carter, 106; E. Wheat and R. Wheat, 104.

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Crisfield, Md.,—Record prices and a record catching season have added up to an unprecedented flood of cash to Eastern Shore oystermen and packing-house operators—but opinions were divided as to how long the golden harvest would continue.

Some packers said they felt the price of shucked oysters had about reached a practical ceiling and added they were afraid still higher prices would decrease the demand for the bivalves.

Egbert L. Quinn, Crisfield editor and business man, said he thought the heavy demand for oysters would continue "regardless of cost" as long as meat is scarce and high in price.

He said it was a poor oyster catch that "doesn't bring at least $2 a bushel."

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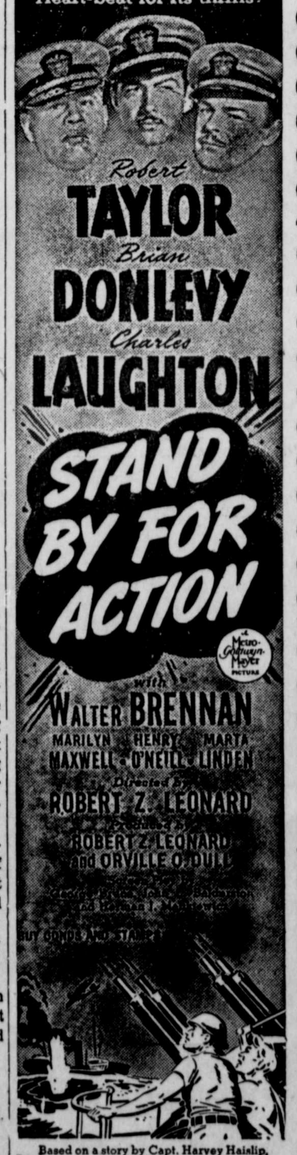

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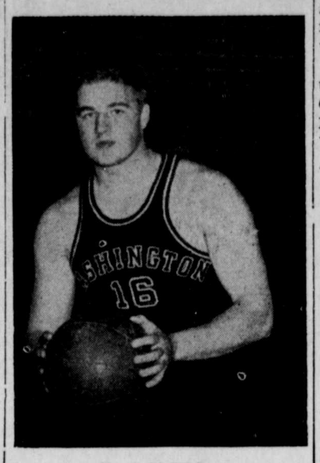

Rayfield Kirby

A letter from Ray Kirby this week states that he has been stationed at the Norfolk Naval Training Station and is a Chief Specialist in physical education. Ray says that he has been working with some of the best known athletes in the country, including Paul Runyan, golf pro, some members of the Washington Redskin Football Team and has Gus Sonnenberg for wrestling instructor. He also says that they have an intensive physical program, up at 4:45 a. m. and bed at 9.

Pfc. W. Orville Wright, U. S. Marine Corp. was a recent visitor of his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wright. Priv. Wright is now stationed at Quantico, Va.

Gladden Coleman of Annapolis, formerly of Chestertown was recently called into service as a Naval Aviation Cadet, V-5, U. S. N. R. and is training at Fort Defiance, Va. After completion of this course there he will be sent to an advanced flying school after which he will become an Ensign in the Naval Reserve.

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Corporal Stephen S. Hickman, paratrooper, Fort Bragg, N. C. was the weekend guest of his mother, Mrs. Elmer Reed.

Sergeant Wilson Cohee of nearby Queen Annes spent the weekend home visiting friends and relatives. Serg. Cohee is stationed in Washington, D. C.

Kent Farmers Can Overplant Corn Crop

Maryland farmers were given the green flag Monday by the State Agricultural Conservation Committee for the production of corn.

In the eleven commercial corn counties—Baltimore, Caroline, Carroll, Cecil, Frederick, Harford, Howard, Kent, Montgomery, Queen Annes and Washington—farmers operating under the 1943 Agricultural Adjustment Agency Conservation program may overplant their corn allotments this year without penalty, provided they have planted their goals of war crops.

More corn planting is urgently needed to provide feed for the larger numbers of beef and dairy cattle, poultry and hogs Maryland farmers are asked to raise this year to meet the increasing war food needs of the United Nations.

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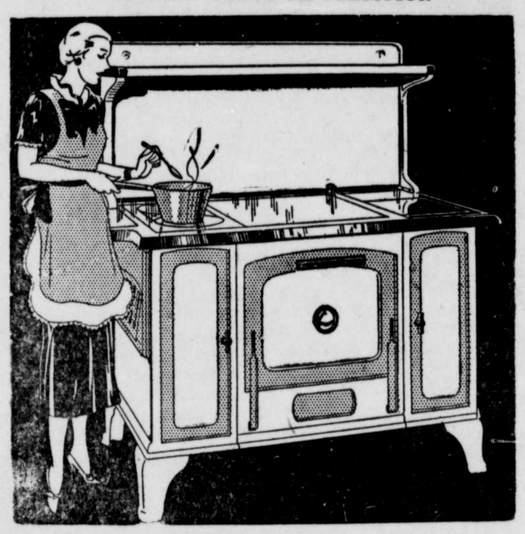

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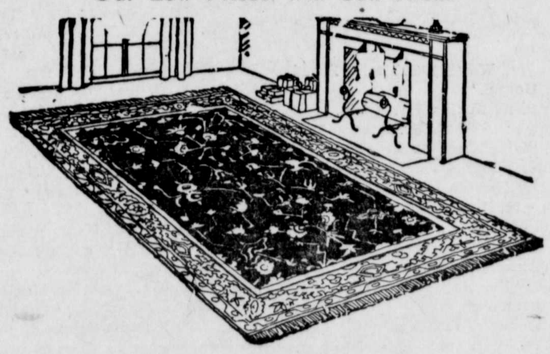

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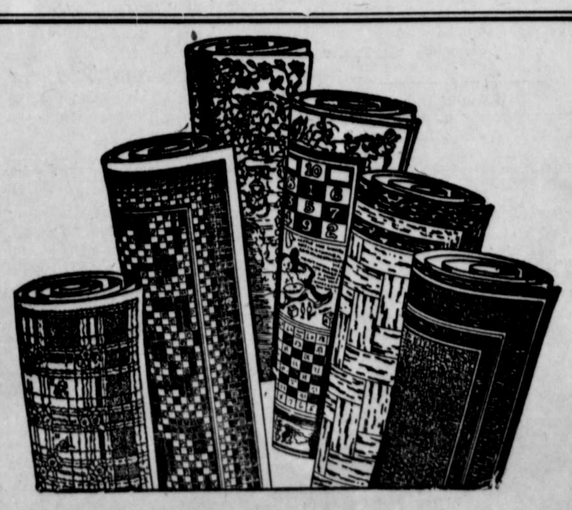

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