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Draft deferment for farm labor promises to halt the calling of this group for the armed forces and help to solve the present shortage. It is however not a sufficient remedy to assure the planting and harvesting of crops during 1943 as the present labor supply is not sufficient. Nor will the sending of soldiers to the harvest fields answer the problem as the bulk of this group would be unskilled in farm work and time is not sufficient for training. If it is going to be necessary to use part of the armed force for manpower, probably the best solution might be to let the soldiers work around the camp and send the skilled civilian farm workers back to the farms. Efficient crop production can best be assured if it is produced by skilled farm labor, but this can not be assured as long as industry is offering wages far in excess of that which the farmer is able to pay. When sifted down, the problem is one of wages but all those who are attempting to solve it, seem to carefully avoid this angle. It may be that an absentee law and a work or fight law together with draft deferment might be part of the answer to farm labor shortage, if so it will be well worth while legislation. Food is necessary equipment for the man in service and the man on the home front and is now rated as one of the foremost problems of the nation. Kent County, although small in area, is rich in productive soil, its farmers are skilled and ready to do their part but they cannot do it singlehanded. A small amount of the right kind of man-power will go a long way toward solving the food problem as far as this county is concerned. It must be remembered that it is necessary that the armed forces be fed and the civilian population will get what is left. The amount that will be directly in proportion to the amount that is produced.

According to rumors widely circulated today, the ban on pleasure automobile driving will be lifted the latter part of this month. All enforcement agencies were instructed last week to cease enforcement activities and hearings. Although more than 200 auto licenses had been reported to the State OPA office from Kent County by State and local police, none of the owner's names were sent back to Kent County for the purpose of appearing at a hearing. From this it appears that the pleasure ban has been adhered to one hundred per cent in this County. Whatever criticism may be made of the pleasure ban attempt, it certainly saved a tremendous amount of gasoline an dtires for the future use of the motorists who helped save it. Motorists should not become confused between the pleasure ban repeal and the use of Gasoline. "A" book holders are not limited to any particular type of driving but when a motorist applies for and receives supplimental gasoline ration, a "B" or "C" book he immediately limits his driving to a definite purpose. When the pleasure ban is repealed, the car displaying the "A" sticker only may go where he pleases as long as the gasoline lasts. In spite of this reported repeal, motorists should keep in mind that the available supply of gasoline and rubber is very limited and that they cannot have their pie and eat it too.

The first of Kent's married men will go into the armed service via the selective service route on Monday and in the weeks to come many more are scheduled to follow the same route. Reference to married men means men who were married before the first registration for Selective Service in October 1941. The fact that these heads of families are being called for military service should further awaken the civilian population to the seriousness of the situation and make them more determined to do their share.

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STILL POND

Still Pond, Betterton W. C. T. U. held their regular business meeting at the home of Mrs. Violet Curry in Betterton, Tuseday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson Greenwood were recent guests with their son, Mr. and Mrs. James Greenwood, in Chester, Pa.

Mrs. Wm. Westbrook and daughter Faye and sister, Mrs. Besse, were overnight guests with relatives in Chester, Pa., and visited Wilmington on Wednesday.

Mr. Clarence Crew has returned home after spending several months with his folks in Wilmington.

Mrs. Ralph Copper visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Casson in Cheswold, Del.

Miss Hannah and Lizzie Scotten of Kennedyville were Sunday visitors with their sister, Mrs. Dora Meeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace H. Ford were hosts at a 6 o'clock dinner, Friday in honor of the following guests: Mrs. Arthur Bacon of Chestertown, Mrs. Howard Carter and Mrs. Lester Carter, Worton and Mrs. Harrison Cornelius.

In observance with The Day of Prayer, Still Pond Charge joined with the Betterton folks for the service. Mrs. H. B. Moore director of The Spiritual Life was in charge. Theme "In The Secret of His Presence." Mrs. F. B. Harper, guest soloist.

Mrs. L. P. Atwell attended the executive meeting of the Homemakres Clubs at Miss Schellingers' office in Chestertown.

Mrs. Wm. Money had as Sunday visitors her sister, Mrs. William Petticord and Mrs. L. J. Wallis of Galena.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew LeSage are expected home this week after spending the winter months with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Nicholson in Worton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bedwell are moving from one of the Glenn Martin farms to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hadaway here. We welcome Dorothy and Jack and are sorry to lose Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Hadaway who have moved to Chestertown.

Mrs. Wm. Medders has returned from a pleasant visit with her daughter Miss Clara Medders in New York.

Second Leiut. Harold W. Joiner of Still Pond reported for duty at Columbia Army Air Base this week and was assigned to a medium bombardment group as a pilot. Mrs. Joiner is staying with Harolds' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Joiner at their home near here.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jewell and family of Aberdeen visited their home folks, his mother, Mrs. Jewell and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Bramble.

On our birthday list for the week are Mr. Wm. Whitely and Howard Harper.

Miss Audrey May Harper, student nurse of The Womans Hospital, Baltimore received her cap, Monday. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Harper were guests and were present for the promotion.

Rev. H. B. Flater was chaplain at Annapolis last week.

Mrs. Elsworth Harrison and son of Laurel, Md., spent sometime with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. P. Atwell.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Golden Warren of Baltimore were Sunday guests with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. John Jarvis.

Mrs. F. H. Cornelius has been quite sick at the home of her daughter in Camden, New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. Harper and children, Howard and Marjorie were guests of relatives in Baltimore during the past week-end.

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ROCK HALL

Wesley Chapel had a good attendance on Sunday. A special feature was a Cornet Solo by Jesse Downey. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. O. G. Brewer. At night Jesse Downey had charge of the service. The fourth Quarterly Conference will be held in the church on Monday March 22nd, at 7:30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Legg of Baltimore were visitors here on Sunday of relatives.

Mrs. Lula Startt and son Charles of Quaker Neck were callers on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Crouch.

Emerson Kelley, U. S. N. is on a furlough for a few days here with his wife and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cornelius of Newark, Del., were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Roby Cornelius.

Mrs. Wilks Hubbard is visiting in Baltimore with her sister.

Miss Edna Shriley of Baltimore spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shriley and family.

Carlton Kelley of the U. S. Army stationed at Arizona is here on a 15 day furlough visiting his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kendall and sons spent the week-end with the former's mother, Mrs. Annie Kendall on "The Haven."

Mrs. George Grice is entertaining her aunt, Mrs. Hettie Thompson.

Mrs. Leonard Kelley of Wilmington is spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Boyer.

Mrs. Herman Yerkie has returned to her home here after being in a Wilmington Hospital for treatment. She is very much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hogans have been on an extended visit in New York with their daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beauchman.

Mr. Harvey Kendall employed in Baltimore, spent the week-end here with his family.

Mr. Harry Layton and children have been on the sick list, confined to their home with severe colds.

Marion Chandler spent the week-end from Baltimore with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Chandler.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Dowling from Baltimore spent the week-end here and attended the funeral of the former's brother, Mr. Frank Dowling.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Swim and daughter Anne of Baltimore spent Sunday at their summer home near Wesley Chapel Church.

Mrs. Treca Falker and Mr. Charles Huffman of Baltimore were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Heinefield and family.

Mrs. Mary Hudson spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Roland Warner and family.

Mrs. Annie Coleman has been spending the winter months in Baltimore with her son and family. She is now recuperating from pneumonia from which she has been very ill and was in the hospital for sometime. We are glad to know that she is better.

Mr. Frank Dowling died late Friday evening after being sick for sometime with a heart ailment. Funeral services were held from Rock Hall Methodist Church on Sunday afternoon at 2 p. m. Interment was in Wesley Chapel Cemetery.

Rock Hall Sunday School had a good attendance on Sunday. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. F. C. Louhoff. At night Miss Mary Moffett lead the Epworth League. Miss Virginia Stinchcomb was soloist. The Firemen were present in a body.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Myers of Chestertown were Sunday guests of the former's parents o n"The Haven."

Mr. John Greenwood and brother, Spencer Greenwood were visitors on Sunday of Mr. Samuel Kilbourne at Edesville.

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John Benjamin, U.S.N. was a guest last week-end of his parents here.

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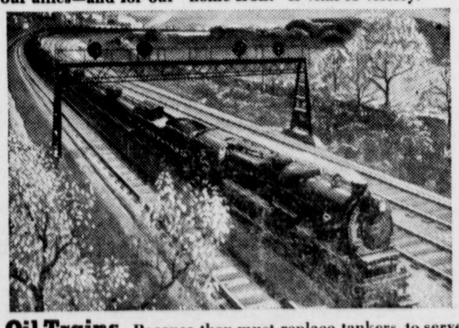

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Announcement is made that Mr. Norman P. Foster, Manager of the Salisbury Field Office of the Social Security Board, will be in Chestertown on Monday next, March 22, 1943. He will be available for interview on that day at the Post Office at 1 p. m.

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10% OF INCOME IS OUR QUOTA IN WAR BONDS

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

R. Hynson Rogers, Assignee
vs.
John S.Vandegrift and Mary G. Vandegrift, his wife

Usilton and Wells
vs.
Dr. Wm. H. Moyer,
George J. Barkman,
Mary Ethel Barkman,
Paul M. Barkman, and
Justin Barkman
Eva Ellen Dulin,
Vickers LeCates

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, Maryland In Equity No. 3281.

Ordered this 9th day of March, 1943, by the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity, and by the authoriies of said Court that the creditors of Mary G. Vandegrift, late of Kent County, deceased, and all persons who may be entitled to participate in the distribution of the surplus proceeds of sale, remaining after satisfying the mortgage under which the real estate of the said Mary G. Vandegrift, deceased, was sold, be and they are hereby notified to file their claims with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent County aforesaid, on or before the 12th day of May, 1943, next, provided a copy of this order be published in some weekly newspaper, print ed and published in Kent County, Maryland, once in each of three successive weeks before the 27th day of March, 1943.

Stephen R. Collins
Judge.

True copy, Test:
Robert A. Shallcross
Clerk.

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Legal Holiday—
Thursday March 25th being Maryland Day and a legal holiday, the First National Bank will be closed. Notes and other business maturing on that day will be attended to the day following.
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