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FRIDAY, APRIL 2nd, 1943

DEATHS DURING THE WEEK

Harry K. Roberts

Harry K. Roberts, age 57, died, Tuesday at his home in Baltimore, broken in health as a result of excessive war work. He is survived by his wife and five daughters. Also one brother, the Rev. W. P. Roberts, pastor of the Christ Methodist Church in Chestertown.

Dr. Roberts was called to Baltimore Sunday by the critical illness of his late brother and the evening church services were conducted by Dr. Fred G. Livingood, dean of Washington College..

Funeral services for the deceased will be held from his late home in Baltimore, Friday afternoon.

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Mrs. Mary Jane Haddaway

Mrs. Mary Jane Haddaway, wife of Mr. C.D. Haddaway, of Worton,passed away Thursday morning in her 76th year. Mrs. Haddaway was a member of the Methodist Church for many years and was devoted to her home and community.

She is survived by her husband, C. D. Haddaway, a niece Miss Elizabeth Burk of Philadelphia and two nephews, Mr. Gus Lambert of Worton and William Burk of Philadelphia.

Funeral services will be held Sunday at 2 p. m. in Worton Methodist Church. Rev. Strausburg, officiating. Interment in Chester Cemetery. B. R. Fellows will be in charge of funeral arrangements.

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James A. Bowman

James A. Bowman, 75, died at his home in Bettereon on Thursday. He was known as one of the grand old men of Betterton and served for many years as Town Commissioner. He is survived by a niece, Mrs. Bertha Loller, of Worton, and a nephew Mr. John Skaggs, of Worton. Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2 p. m. in the Betterton M. E. Church. Interment in Still Pond cemetery with B. R. Fellows in charge. Paul-bears will be members of the I. O. O. F. who will also have a part in the services. Mr. Bowman was prominent in the I. O. O. F. for for a long number of years.

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John E. Smith

John E. Smith, 81, died in the Robbins nursing home at Millington, Tuesday night. He had lived and worked with Mr. and Mrs. Perry Price at Fairlee for a number of years and after Mr. Prices' death, continued to operate the mill where he worked until he became disabled, then they placed him in the home where he had received care and attention.

The services will be held from the Usilton funeral home, today, Friday in charge of Rev. Strausburg. Interment in Chester cemetery. Usilton and Wells in charge of funeral arrangements.

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Mrs. Mary Melvin Watts

Mrs. Mary Melvin Watts, 83 died at the Stubbs convalescent home at Chesapeake City on Tuesday evening. Funeral services were held from the Usilton funeral home, Thursday in charge of Rev. Paul Reynolds. Interment was made in Chester cemetery. Usilton and Wells in charge of funeral arrangements.

The deceased was the widow of the late John A. Watts. She is survived by one sister, Miss Mary Ella Melvin. Two neices, Mrs. Harry Culver and Miss Mary E. Melvin, of Middletown, Del., and two nephews, W. Harvey Melvin, and John Melvin, of Smyrna, Del.

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Ration Briefs

(As released by Office of War Information.)

Better Tires for "B" and "C" Drivers

A driver with a mileage ration of more than 240 miles monthly now can have new casings of the lower qualities—Grade II— when he needs replacements. Motorists with mileage rations between 560 and 1,000 monthly, who have been eligible for new casings in the lower quality bracket only, can now get Grade I tires. The release of these new casings under rationing to "B" and "C" card holders will be for replacements of tires worn beyond the recappable stage, according to OPA.

Farm Machinery Released

Restrictions on distribution of three types of rationed farm machinery have been lifted by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. The orders permit manufacturers of farm crea mseparators to release without restriction 80 percent of their authorized production of separators as allowed by WPB order L-170 and all remaining stocks produced under L-26. It similarly permits manufacturers of power spray pumps and horse or tractor drawn rod weeders to release 100 pecent of their production under L-170 and all inventory stocks produced under L-26.

Extra Food For Temporary Workers

An employer who temporarily hires workmen for periods of less than 30 days may obtain rationed foods for them by applying to his local war price and ration board. This is of special importance to farmers who hire labor during the planting and harvesting season, to employers of construction workers on temporary, jobs, lumber camp operators, and other seasonal employers.

Higher Prices For Canning Crops

A price-support program which assures farmers 20 to 50 percent higher prices for their canning crops than last year has been announced by the U. S. Department of Agriculture and the OPA. Crops for which support prices are established include tomatoes sweet corn, snap beans, green peas, lima beans, beets, carrots, and cabbage for kraut.

Plenty Of Canning Supplies

Plenty of metal closures and rubber jar rings will be available for American housewives who will be doing an increased amount of canning this year. The War Production Board has removed all quota restrictions on the manufacture of certain types of metal lids used to seal the jars. Prohibition of the use of zinc is continued.

More Turkeys This Year

Turkey growers plan to raise about 37 million turkeys this year, according to February 1 returns from over 5,000 farmers throughout the U. S. This would be the largest crop of turkeys ever produced in this country —12 percent larger than the 1942 crop.

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HAM BRINGS $1.20 PER POUND AT FARM AUCTION

Bel Air—Phobably the most astounding public sale ever held on a Harford County Farm was staged at the Troyer property near Black Horse on Tuesday of last week, when some 2,000 persons gathered from far and wide to hang up record prices on hams and numerous other articles offered. Cars of the buyers assembled would have covered a four-acre lot solid, and their attitude when auctioneers Ryan and Bunce called for bids soon indicated how rapidly we would be in the midst of bankruptcy inflation if it were not for the existence of "ceiling prices" and food rationing.

Early in the day it became apparent that all of the goods to be offered could not be sold to the vast crowd by one auctioneer in a single afternoon, so that Mr. J. O. Ryan who had come to buy was pressed into service by Auctioneer Bunce to help sell. The consequence was the big double column sale advertised in THE AEGIS culminated in two sales being run on the premises concurrently, with an ample number of buyers at each location.

Mr. Bunce states that during his 21 years of auctioneering he never saw such a large attendance at a sale, or buyers more eager to snap up all worth-while goods offered. Exactly the same spirit was manifested by those who attended the portion of the sale conducted by Auctioneer Ryan.

Undoubtedly the highlight of the auction was the sale of some country hams which finally were knocked down for the phenomenal price of $1.20 per pound. One pair of mules sold for $560, and a second span brought $491. Leghorn hens soared to $1.60 each, while cows ranged from $100 to $202.

When the tractor was offered the first bid was $500, and the second was "the ceiling price." A call for bidders at this price brought forth 35 persons ready to pay the limit allowed by law for the tractor. The names of all the various aspirants were placed in a hat and when a little boy drew forth the slip of the lucky gentlemen he was nearly mobbed by those around. All other farm machinery sold at equally high prices. Bel Air Aegis.

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BUY WAR BONDS

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

The tradition of American cavalry threads back to Indian warfare days and although modern armies are largely motorized today, the cavalry still plays an important role. Sturdy, well trained horses and excellent equipment and trappings are necessary.

When men are in the saddle for hours, their saddles, saddle rolls and other equipment must be made to stand the wear. Complete with carbine and helmets, the equipment for the cavalryman runs into **hundreds of dollars.** You can help provide this with your **War Bond** purchases. If you have not done so, join the **Payroll Savings Plan** and put **ten percent** of your income into War Bonds. *U. S. Treasury Department*

SEED OATS

Just received a car fancy sunshine SEED OATS. Has been tested for germination. Bring your sacks.

METCALFE BROS.
m26 Chestertown, Md.

Money To Lend—

If you want to refinance the mortgage you are now carrying on your farm at a much lower rate of interest on a Long Term First Mortgage, consult

THOMAS D. BOWERS,
Mortgage Loan Solicitor,
Court St., Chestertown, Md
Office Phone 252j

RATIFICATION NISI

Hon. Stephen R. Collins, Trustee
In the
Circuit Court for Kent County
In Equity No. 1944
Lewin W. Wickes, Trustee, et al
versus
Hester V. B. Hines

Ordered, this 27th day of March, 1943 by the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity, that the Auditor's Account and Report, stated and reported by S. Scott Beck, Auditor, in the above entitled cause, be Ratified and Confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown within three weeks from the date of the first publication of said notice, viz: April 23rd, 1943.

Provided, a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent County, once in each of two successive weeks before the 10th day of April next.

ROBERT A. SHALLCROSS, Clerk.
True Copy, Test:
ROBERT A. SHALLCROSS, Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

This is to give notice that the subscriber of Cecil County, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of said county, Letters Administration on the Personal Estate of

SARAH E. SPRANKLIN

late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof duly authenticated on or before the 20th day of September, 1943 or they may otherwise, by law, be excluded from all benefit of said estate. All indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the subscribers.

Given under my hand this 17 day of March, 1943.

Standley Evans,
Administrator,
Elkton, Md.

True copy—Test:
W. ANDREW SETH,
2apr-6t. Register.

PEERLESS FERTILIZER CO, INC.

U. S. Grown Red Clover
$19.00 Per Bushel

Also Other Field Seeds

In order to get fertilizer this spring it will be necessary to fill out an application blank for same before fertilizer can be delivered.

PEERLESS FERTILIZER CO., Inc.
Chestertown, Md.

Phones: Office 183 or 456 *Factory 199-J*

From where I sit....

by Joe Marsh

"Well," says Judge Cunningham. "I see they've got it!"

"Got what?" I says.

"Look," beams the Judge. And he pulls out an article about a special kind o' lie detector—an "alcoholometer" they call it.

When a fellow gets haled into court for doing mischief, and blames it all on a "couple of beers," this scientific machine proves whether just a "couple of beers" is really the true answer.

And o' course it isn't. Because a couple of beers, enjoyed with friends, is a way people keep out of trouble, not get into it!

From where I sit, I certainly agree with the Judge. The fellow with the alibi about a "couple of beers" is reflecting on good citizens everywhere who enjoy a quiet glass of beer with their meals—sittin' with their friends or just relaxing after a day's work. Moderate folks like that are entitled to consideration.

Joe Marsh

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Auditor's Report

June 3, 1942, Note to Chestertown Bank of Maryland for $5,000.00		
Sept. 2, 1942	$5,000.00	56.25
	Note paid in full	
June 3, 1942, Note to First National Bank for $5,000.00		
Sept. 2, 1942	$5,000.00	56.25
	Note paid in full	
June 3, 1942, Note to Kent County Savings Bank for $5,000.00		
Sept. 2, 1942	$5,000.00	56.25
	Note paid in full	
July 1, 1942, Note to Chestertown Bank of Maryland for $10,000.00		
Oct. 1, 1942	$10,000.00	112.50
	Note paid in full	
July 1, 1942, Note to Kent County Savings Bank for $2,500.00		
Oct. 1, 1942	$2,500.00	28.12
	Note paid in full	
July 1, 1942, Note to First National Bank for $2,500.00		
Oct. 1, 1942	$2,500.00	28.13
	Note paid in full	
Dec. 30, 1942, Note to Chestertown Bank of Maryland for $9,000.00		
	Note outstanding	
Dec. 30, 1942, Note to Kent County Savings Bank for $2,000.00		
	Note outstanding	
Amount paid	$41,000.00	$663.75

EXHIBIT M.

MISCELLANEOUS DISBURSEMENTS BY ORDERS

Fighting Forest Fires	$ 220.20
Dr. Frank Hines, Exam. Rosa Glenn and Rachael Thomas for sanity	10.00
William H. Good, Burying paupers	80.00
Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, Blood Tests, Gilmore Burch's Clothing	15.00
J. B. Metcalfe, Survey of Public Road near Swan Creek	15.00
Eliz. C. Rollison, Correcting old records	182.00
Sue Smith, Correcting old records	182.00
Mary E. Nicholson, Making map and listing tenants and Owners	14.00
Dr. Frank Smith, Paying for burial	10.00
Marvin Williams, Burying pauper	30.00
Chestertown Public Library, Annual Donation	100.00
Dr. Frank Hines, Exam. Hallie Johnson for sanity	5.00
Marvin Williams, Burying Pauper	32.00
Dr. Frank Smith, Exam. Arnold Hurd for Sanity	5.00
The Transcript, Supplies for copying old records	30.00
Lorraine Rasin, Extra Clerical help	52.50
Clarence Melvin, Premium on war damage insurance	45.00
Jas. J. Hadaway, Payment of taxes on property by Co. at March tax sale	1,206.86
Jas. J. Hadaway, Taxes on property sold to Chas. Brown by County	7.08
Jas. J. Hadaway, State Interest on Motor Vehicles taxes collected in Feb. and Mar., 1942	30.85
Total	$ 2,272.50

EXHIBIT N.

STATEMENT OF CERTIFICATES ISSUED BY THE KENT COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AND WITNESS CERTIFICATES ISSUED BY THE CIRCUIT COURT 1942 AND PAYABLE OCTOBER 1, 1943

Assessments	$ 586.67
Circuit Court	
Witnesses April Term 1942	89.26
Witnesses October Term 1942	34.30
Sheriff and Jail	
Supplies for Jail	57.27
Fees	1,418.00
Board of Prisoners	4,939.57
Transportation of Prisoners	686.82
Inquisitions	273.37
Magistrates and Constables	1,569.81
Reformation and State Schools	2,029.41
Roads and Bridges	2,348.04
Incorporated Towns	588.84
Total	$ 14,621.36

EXHIBIT O.

SOURCE OF REVENUE FOR KENT COUNTY, MD., FOR YEAR 1943, AS SHOWN BY THE ASSESSMENT BOOKS OF THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

REAL AND PERSONAL

1. District	$2,907,175.00
2. District	2,926,615.00
3. District	2,304,880.00
4. District	2,776.135.00
5. District	2,110,050.00
6. District	1,569,745.00
7. District	1,522,160.00
Total	$16,116,760.00

Bank Shares and Trust Companies, Report not in from State Tax Com.
Corporations (Domestic), Report not in from State Tax Commission.
Corporations (Foreign), Report not in from State Tax Commission.
Corporations (Public Utility), Report not in from State Tax Commission.
Motor Vehicles, Report not in from State Tax Commission.

EXHIBIT L.

BONDED INDEBTEDNESS OF KENT COUNTY, MARYLAND

NAME OF BONDS	Rate	Date Issued	Original Issue	Outstanding 12-31-42	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952
					Number of $1,000.00 Bonds paid yearly									
Kent County Public Slag or Stone Road	4½%	7-1-29	$100,000	$20.000	10	10								
Funding	4%	1-1-36	60,000	50,000	10	10	10	10	10					
Funding	4%	7-1-36	45,000	45,000						10	10	10	10	5
Road	4%	7-1-36	35,000	30,000	5	5	5	5	5	5				
TOTAL				$145,000	25	25	15	15	15	15	10	10	10	5

First Civil War Monument

The first monument ever erected for Civil war heroes is said to be the one at Everett, Mass.

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 authorities 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, printed 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.

CLASSIFIED

Lost—
"A" Gas Ration Book in Millington.
CHARLES H. ANTHONY
2apr1t* Millington, Md.

For Sale—
One Grey Gelding, six years old, sound, well broken suitable for all farm work. Call Chestertown 819F21
MRS. PHILIP VANDERGOES
2apr 3t.

For Sale—
One mahogany dining room set. 8 chairs, table, serving table, china closet, side board, in good condition. May be seen at Mrs. Charles Jacquette's, Rock Hall, Md. 2apr3t.

For Sale—
Two baby carriages. 1 Stroller, $6.00. 1 English Coach, $10.00. Apply
TRANSCRIPT R.
2aptf. Phone 2, Chestertown, Md.

Position Wanted—
Companion Housekeeper, Write to, M, G. H., TRIPPE APTS.
2apr 2t. Easton, Md.

Wanted—
26 to 32 foot Deadrise or flat bottom skift, complete with motor and cabin; or would be interested in good hull only. Write Box 3, Elkton, Md., or phone Elkton 147R. 2ap1t.

Wanted—
A good, Sturdy wardrobe trunk—Apply to—
MRS. MINNIE T. WILLSON
2apr3t. Reid Hall

Notice—
All persons not paying 1942 County and State Taxes by April 1st, the account will be put in the hands of the Sheriff for collection, according to law.
JAMES HADAWAY, Treas.
25m2t* for Kent Co.

Notice—
HAY
We have a car of second cutting Alfalfa and one Alfalfa Mixed Hay. Give us your order so that same can be unloaded off car. Phone 209.
METCALFE BROS.
m262t Chestertown, Md.

Notice—
We have just installed a Co-operative Quick Freezing and Storage Plant at Goose Hill and have several spaces available. Will be in operation, Monday, March 29, 1943. This is the first unit of its kind in Kent County.
C. D. HICKS
Maple Lawn Garage, Goose Hill, Md.

Wanted—
FLOCK OWNERS
We would like to have a number of new flock owners for next year, raising Barred Rox, New Hampshires and S. C. White Leghorns.
19m3t. BRAMBLE POULTRY FARM
Phone 308 Chestertown, Md.

For Rent—
5-Room Bungalow near Chestertown. All modern conveniences. Hot water heat (coal burner). 2-car garage. $30.00 month rent. Apply
PRESTON P. HECK, Attorney
Chestertown, Md.

Real Estate Wanted—
Do you want to sell your waterfront or inland farm or town or village property?
If so, call or write
TREHERNE ASSOCIATES,
Chestertown, Mrayland
tf Phone 359j, or 90.

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