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Farm Notes of Local Interest

Maryland farmers received nearly $1,300.00 in payments for second-quarter milk and butterfat production through their County AAA offices during July and August according to Josehp H. Blandford, State AAA Chairman. Aimed to encourage production of fluid milk, butter, and cream, the payments were made on the basis of production during April, May and June of this year.

During the rest of October and November farmers should file their application for the dairy payments covering the third quarter of the year in the months of July, August and September. Applications for payment can be made only during these two months following the quarter, Mr. Blandford points out.

During the flush production months of June and July, payments were scheduled on about 150,000 pounds of butterfat and 900,000 pounds of fluid milk a month.

Rates of payment for the third quarter of the year are 55 cents a hundredweight for fluid milk, and 1 cents a pound of butterfat. For the final quarter of 1945, payments will increase to 70 cents a hundredweight for fluid milk, and 17 cents a pound for butterfat. Funds provided through the AAA by the Commodity Credit Corporation are aimed to help farmers offset the high cost of feed, at the same time that prices of milk products to consumers are kept from rising.

Farmers Can Get Lamb Payments

Farmers who market sheep and lambs direct to slaughterers or through commission merchants to slaughterers are eligible for lamb production payments. As the person who makes the sale to the slaughterer is the one who collects the subsidy, the method of marketing a farmer uses will determine who receives this AAA payment designed to encourage heavier feeding of lambs.

Rates of payment on sales to slaughterers during the period August 5 to November 30 are as follows: $1.50 a hundredweight for lambs weighing 65 to 90 pounds; $2.15 a hundredweight for lambs over 90 pounds; and $1.00 a hundredweight for sheep and for lambs under 65 pounds weight.

Rates of payment on the two major grades of lambs, 65 pounds weight and over, will increase by 50 cents a hundredweight on December 1. An additional 50 cents a hundred will be added to the payment on these two grades of lambs on February 1, 1946. The payment on sheep and lambs under 65 pounds will stay at $1.00 a hundredweight.

With a large crop of white potatoes on hand, and with a good crop of sweet potatoes, consumers are wise to buy these abundant and nutritious foods now. As both are high in food value, they give the family even more for the money than the present reasonable prices indicate.

Local dealers in most counties of Maryland during the 1946 year will have a better chance than in the past to furnish farmers in their trading areas with lime and fertilizer under the agricultural conservation program, according to Joseph H. Blandford, State AAA chairman.

Plans are now being set up and reviewed, county by county, to enable the local dealers to furnish the materials to farmers under a purchase order plan which has been used only to a small extent in previous ACP programs. The aim of the operation will be to enable local fertilizer dealers to furnish supplies wherever the price is reasonable, and where the dealers can supply adequate service to farmers. Some counties have few local dealers to handle the job.

These fall months of 1945 bring farmers and dealers the first opportunity on each farm's conservation program allowance for 1946. Farmers who have completed their 1945 program can also apply early-ordered 1946 conservation program lime and fertilizer to their fields this fall.

Beef Comes To Market

Heavy marketings of beef this year have shown a goodly percentage of steer and heifer animals fed to heavy weights of good or better grade, a program which has been encouraged by the beef production payment program which has been effective in 29 states since May 1945.

Payments through July totalling $1,800,000 have been made to producers of 350,000 of these heavier animals which provide the choice cuts of beef.

Rate of payment to producers is 50 cents a hundred pounds on cattle weighing 800 pounds or more and selling to slaughterers for slaughter at $14.25 or more a hundred pounds, Chicago basis.

Peak week for marketing cattle this year has been the week of September 15, though normorally it is in October.

Export of about 30 million bushels of wheat from this country will start the winter export program of about 300 million bushels, under the international wheat agreement. Main use of export wheat will be as human food. China and India, as well as parts of Europe, are extremely short of food supplies. One of the aims of the international wheat agreement is to make sure as much wheat as possible is made available for human consumption.

MARYLAND 4H Club Notes

The program books have been received from the printer and some of the clubs already have them. Special attention should be paid to the goals—both county and individual club goals. Give special thought to your goals for the year and fill them in the space left for them. Let's prove that we can make our best better.

Rock Hall

The girls 4-H Club of Rock Hall held a meeting on October 10 at the high school. At this meeting we chose big sisters. These big sisters were to help the newer members catch up with the more advanced members.

Since our club won an American Flag on Labor Day, we decided to study something about our flag at each meeting. June Mench volunteered to give a demonstration on how to fold the flag at our next meeting.

Our election of officers resulted in the following: President, Doris Retzker; Vice-president, Anna Ruth Wagner; Secretary, Dorothy Jones; Treasurer, Betty Ann Thomas.

Charlotte Hersch, reporter.

Galena

The first meeting of the combined boys' and girls' club of Galena met on October 11. The meetings are to be held on the second Thursday night of each month at the Galena Firehouse. Discussions were held on parlimentary procedure and poultry. The program books were also explained and next month's meeting discussed.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Agnes Ann Hadley; Vice-president, Eleanor Cochran; Secretary, Jack Knicely; Treasurer, Jack Cochran.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

"We have only just begun to fight"

We were sitting around Bill Webster's fire the other night, enjoying a mellow glass of beer, and talking—now that the war is over—about what Peace really means.

"I can tell you one thing it doesn't mean," says Bill. "It doesn't mean that we can all relax—and take things easy—and figure we're living in Utopia."

"You're right," Judge Cunningham agrees. "Peace means, among other things, eternal vigilance. Free men are still at war with hatred, prejudice, intolerance—whether it's intolerance of a man's political beliefs, or of his right to choose between a glass of beer or buttermilk."

From where I sit, the Judge is absolutely right. Peace means continued vigilance—continued struggle against all the forces of intolerance that caused the last war, and can sow the seeds of future conflict. Maybe we should paraphrase the slogan of a Revolutionary hero: "We have only just begun to fight."

Joe Marsh

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ROCK HALL

Mr. and Mrs. William V. Fiske of Cleveland, Ohio, were visitors last week of their relatives, Edward Carroll and family and Mr. and Mrs. George Corroll.

Mrs. Susie Beck of Pennsylvania is visiting relatives here.

Carroll Elburn, U. S. Army, is spending a few days here with his family and mother, Mrs. Lizzie Elburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bromley of Baltimore spent Sunday with the latter's father, Mr. Frank Dlugoborski and family.

Irvin Carter, U. S. Navy is spending some time here with his mother, Mrs. Annie Carter.

Philip Grimes, U. S. N., a former resident here, spent the week-end here with friends.

Thomas Elburn, Jr., U. S. Navy, stationed at Norfolk, Va., spent the week-end here with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Swem of Baltimore, spent the week-end at their summer home here.

Miss Sylvia Coleman spent the week-end from Baltimore with her mother, Mrs. Maggie Coleman and family.

Mrs. Edward Townsend spent the week-end in Baltimore this past week.

Mrs. William Heinefield and son Grant, U. S. N., and Mrs. Minnie Wheatley all of Baltimore were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. August Heinefield.

Charles Wagner, U. S. Navy is home for a few days with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thompson, Jr., and family spent the week-end here with the former's mother, Mrs. Addie Thompson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stauffer and daughter, Jean, and Eugene Arnel have returned from a visit in Florida with relatives.

Miss Gertrude Crofoot of Baltimore is visiting here with her mother.

Walter Willson has his honorable discharge from the Armed Forces and is at his home here.

The Ladies had charge of the services both morning and evening at Wesley Chapel on Sunday. There were 152 present in Sunday School. Anna Ruth Wagner and Audrey Kelley sang a duet. Sermon by Rev. S. T. Hamblin.

The Ladies Bible Class had a covered dish supper in the church hall on Thursday evening.

The W. S. C. S. held their regular meeting on Monday night in the hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Larrimore are the parents of a daughter, born in Kent and Queen Anne's Hospital, Chestertown, on Monday.

The Daughters of America had a birthday party on Tuesday evening in their hall.

KENT CHAPTER D.A.R. HELD 25 ANNIVERSARY

Saturday was a great occasion for the Old Kent Chapter, D.A.R. It was their 25th Anniversary. As the State Regent, Mrs. George C. Netheer said: "When we have a twenty-fifth birthday, we feel grown-up; and we should do grown-up work. And now there is so much need in the world. The birthday luncheon at the Sophie Fisher Inn was beautifully arranged, the committee being Mrs. George Baldwin and Miss Ann Smith. Each of the State officers, the Regent, Miss Mildred Hoyle, and the Ex-Regents of the Chapter were presented with a corsage bouquet. Several of the Charter Members of Old Kent of which there are seven of the original twenty-three, were at the luncheon. Miss Fanny Stewart, the first Regent spoke of the early beginnings.

It was a privilege to have six of the Maryland State Officers here on Saturday: Mrs. George C. Netheer, State Regent; Mrs. Robert Peach, State Chaplain; Mrs. E. Wooler, State Treasurer; Mrs. J. H. Harris, State Registrar; Mrs. Evan A. Condon, State Librarian; Mrs. Frank Shramek, State Editor. Each one spoke briefly. As Saturday was also the State Regent's birthday, she was greeted by singing "Happy birthday to You."

There were thirty-two members and guests. The meeting was opened and closed with singing The Star Spangled Banner and Maryland My Maryland. The Chapter is proud of its beautiful large flag and standard.

JAMES A. ESTES

Funeral services for James A. Estes, 75 years old, retired builder of Chestertown, who died last Thursday, October 11th in Cambridge Hospital, following a lingering illness, were held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon from the Usilton & Wells Funeral Home here, conducted by the Rev. Paul E. Reynolds, of the First Methodist Church. Interment was in Chester Cemetery. Mr. Estes was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles Estes, for many years residents of Chestertown. He was engaged in the building and carpentering business for many years. He is survived by a brother, Fred Estes, St. Louis, Mo., a nephew, Frank O. Estes, Towson, an assistant national bank examiner, and two nieces, Mrs. Agnes Mitten, Baltimore, and Mrs. Thomas J. Davis, Jr., Chestertown.

MASSEY

The Homemakers held their first of the Fall meetings at the home of Mrs. Dudley Everett on October 5th. Four new members joined and election of officers was held for the ensuing year. President, Mrs. Frank Gill; Vice-Pres., Mrs. Evva Shorts, Secretary, Mrs. Harry Money; Treasurer, Mrs. Davidson Coleman. The club will meet in November at the home of Mrs. Paul Shorts.

Mr. and Mrs. Loller Clough of Dover, Del., were Sunday guests of his aunt, Mrs. Sadie Holt.

Pfc. and Mrs. Chas. E. Passwater of Newport News, and Wilmington are the guests of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Palmatory, near town.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Freeman entertained on Sunday in honor of their sons who recently returned from Europe. Present were Mrs. Oliver Nicholson and daughter and Mr. Andrew LeSage of Still Pond. Mr. and Mrs. Woodall Freeman of Newark, Del., Cpl. and Mrs. Lee Freeman of Dover, Del., Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Freeman and son of Millington and Bates Freeman recently discharged from service. The oldest member present was the grandfather, Mr. LeSage who is 79 years of age and the youngest was Master Ray Freeman age 4 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Freeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Poore and Frances attended the wedding of their daughter, Miss Mary Jane Rosin and Leiut. George Sherwood, which took place last Wednesday in Baltimore.

Mrs. J. D. Lucas of New Castle, Del., who is spending a vacation at her home here, had as her guest on Saturday, Mrs. Acca V. Crew of Kennedyville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Benson of Cecilton were Sunday guests of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Edwards have sold their home and garage to Mr. and Mrs. George Powell and will erect a new home from the Bank property. This home when finished will add an improvement to our town.

Mrs. Mary Harrison and two children arrived here Monday to make their home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Maslin. The community extends sympathy to this family in the loss of their husband and father who passed away last month at Casper, Wyoming.

Mrs. William Passwater and son, Pfc. and Mrs. Chas. E. Passwater, spent Wednesday and Thursday with relatives in and near Cambridge.

We extend congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Walbert Willis, who were married Wednesday, October 3rd. Mrs. Willis will be remembered as Miss Carolyn Newnam an attractive daughter of Mrs. Lester Newnam.

Eugene Kelley, A-S, of the U. S. Navy in Bainbridge is spending a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kelley and family.

Pvt. Nolan Everett and Pvt. Willis J. Cummerford are spending furloughs with homefolks.

LYNCH

The community is shocked at the death of Mrs. Leroy Goodman, who passed away Tuesday, October 16 at her home here. She is survived by her husband, a stepdaughter, Miss Natalie Goodman of Baltimore and a brother, Mr. Stuart Price of Chestertown. We extend deepest sympathy to those bereaved.

Mr. and Mrs. Selby Rasin of Philadelphia were week-end guests of Mrs. Edith Haddaway.

Other week-end guests were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stirleth of Wilmington, Del., and Mrs. Fred Shallcross and Fred Shallcross, Jr., of Middletown, Del., who visited Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Stavely.

Master Billy Nickerson was the guest on Tuesday of his grandmother, Mrs. Mabel Nickerson.

Mrs. Frederick is at present staying at her home here and will be until Tuesday, when she will return to Pennsylvania.

The Carmen Family of near Baltimore were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lynch last Sunday.

At least 24 Maryland communities now have frozen food locker plants adapted to family storage of meats, fruits, and vegetables.

LAUREL Races

LAST DAY TOMORROW

Saturday, October 20th

The WASHINGTON HANDICAP

$25,000 Added

FIRST RACE 1:45 P. M.

DAILY DOUBLE CLOSES 1:30 P. M.

GENERAL ADMISSION $1.80 Tax Incl.

JOINT MEETING OF BOWIE, HAVRE DE GRACE LAUREL and PIMLICO

With Armed Forces

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Seaman, 2-c Francis Gibson of Chestertown is enjoying a 9 day leave from the U. S. Navy after completing his 13 weeks' "Boot Training" at the Bainbridge Naval Training Station. At the extension of his leave, Gibson will return to Bainbridge where he expects to become a member of the fire fighting apparatus.

On the USS Chenango—Walter Redeen, machinist's mate, first class, USN, Kennedyville, Md., served on this escort aircraft carrier when she carried 1,357 released prisoners of wa from Nagasaki, Japan, to a redistribution point at Okinawa.

Some of the evacuatees—Americans, English, Australians, Dutch and Javanese—are survivors of Wake Island, the Bataan "Death March" and the sunken USS Houston.

On the USS Rutland—Arnold H. LaPorte, hospital apprentice, first class, Route 1, Millington, Md., served on this attack transport as she carried troops of the 1st Cavalry Division into Tokyo Bay on the morning of Sept. 2, the day of the formal Japanese surrender.

The Rutland took part in the Iwo Jima and Okinawa campaigns.

On the USS Remey in the Pacific—Lt. (j.g.) P. R. Comegys, USNR., Chestertown, Md., served on this 2,100 ton destroyer when she led the powerful 9th Fleet through the heavily mined waters of Mutsu Bay, on the north coast of Honshu, for the occupation of Ominata Prefecture and naval base.

The Remey was playing an old role. She was the first U. S. man-o-war fired upon by Jap shore batteries at Saipan but dodged the fire and silenced the batteries in a few minutes.

The Remey also spearheaded a torpedo attack against the Japanese force attempting to force Surigao strait in the Philippines last October. The action resulted in the sinking of the Jap battleship Fuso (the first time a battleship was sunk by destroyers in the Pacific) and a heavy destroyer.

Norfolk, Va., October — Realizing the dependency of our arms upon divine guidance, Rear Admiral W. L. Ainsworth, USN, Commandant of the Fifth Naval District, has requested that appropriate services be conducted in the churches throughout the district on "Navy Day Sunday," October 21.

Virginia, West Virginia, Maryland and the northeastern section of North Carolina comprise the Fifth Naval District.

The Commandant asks the clergy to offer a prayerful remembrance of all our men at arms, our young women in uniform, our chaplains in the Navy and a grateful tribute to the memory of those who have made the supreme sacrifice for our country.

In extending his thanks on behalf of the Navy for the steadfast devotion of our churches in providing so faithfully religious leadership to the Navy, Admiral Ainsworth said:

"In our zeal and enthusiasm for the material accomplishments of the Navy, we must not be unmindful of the invaluable spiritual aids given our fighting men by the churches of America."

In his statement, Admiral Ainsworth pointed out that Navy Day, October 27, is annually given to commemorating the achievements and ideals of the men of our Navy which comprises America's first line of defense.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Freeman of Massey was the scene of a happy reunion last week, when the last of their three sons in service arrived home from foreign duties. On September 6th Cpl. T-5 Lee E. Freeman arrived here on a 45 day furlough, after a service of 13 months overseas with the 345th Harbor Craft Co., transporting supplies to the front lines, serving in England, France, Belguim and Holland. Taking part in the battle of the Rhine, he wears 1 battle star and the good conduct medal. Cpl. Freeman will return to Fort Meade at the end of his furlough for further assignment.

September 22nd Pfc. Raymond A. Freeman, a Military Police, of the First Army, returned home with a honorable discharge from the service. Pfc. Freeman spent 22 months in England, France, Belgium, Holland and Germany. He received injuries in the Battle of the Rhine for which he wears the Purple Heart, also 5 battle stars, and the good conduct metal. Last week brought the return of their last son, Staff Sgt. Harry Bates Freeman who received his honorable discharge at Fort George G. Meade, Md., October 11th. Sgt. Freeman spent 13 years of overseas duties with the 834th Engineers Aviation Bn., as a Foreman Constructor. He supervised a group of men engaged in construction of Air Runways, buildings and Hangers. He assigned duties, inspected and supervised the work. His services took him to England, France, Belgium, Holland and Germany.

These young men, with a younger brother Woodall H. Freeman were among the many who left Centreville with Company K. the 29th Division at the out-break of the war. The younger brother was later honorably discharged from the service as the results of a injured leg.

PUBLIC SALE

— OF —

Valuable Personalty

Having decided to discontinue farming, I will sell at public auction on the farm known as

LEAGER or ROBINSON FARM

located on the Centreville-Ruthsburg Road, 1 mile from Bridgetown, Queen Anne's County on

Thursday, Nov. 1, 1945

Starting at 10 A. M., the following personal property to wit:

LIVESTOCK

30 GUERNSEY COWS

Three with calves by side. All tested for T. B. and Bangs Disease

21 GRADE COWS

9 Purebred Guernsey Cows

with papers.

1 Purebred Guernsey Bull

Homestead Romulus, two years old with papers.

3 Heifers, 15 Months old

IMPLEMENTS

1 Wilson electric milk cooler 6-8 can; 14 milk cans, buckets and strainers; I Riteway milking machine with 2 single and 1 double unit; 1 washtub for milk cans and buckets; 1 gas hot water heater; 1 side delivery rake, John Deere; 1 John Deere sweep rake; 1 McCormick-Deering insulage cutter, with pipe; 1 drive belt; 1 John Deere Hammermill; 1 New Idea Manure Spreader; 1 John Deere hay loader; 1 spring tooth harrow; 1 John Deere Corn binder; 1 set John Deere 12-in. bottom plows.

1 Model B John Deere Tractor on rubber with hydraulic lift and cultivators.

TERMS—CASH on day of sale and no property to be removed until settled for.

MARGARET GADD ASHLEY, owner

J. Elmer Anthony, Auct.

J. Wm. Keith, Inside Clerk

A. Sidney Gadd, Jr., Outside Clerk.

PUBLIC SALE

— OF —

Personal Property

Thursday, November 1

At 1 P. M.

18 Head Of Cattle

(Guernsey and Holstein)

14 MILK COWS

4 HEIFERS

The above listed personal property will be sold from the farm occupied by George Webb, located one-quarter mile from Locust Grove on the road to Shallcross Wharf.

TERMS OF SALE—CASH

EDMON S. HURTT, Owner.

Charles E. Wilson, Auctioneer.

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BECK & CARVELL, Attorneys

Order Nisi

In the Matter of the Estate of George L. Bowers, Deceased

IN THE ORPHANS' COURT FOR KENT COUNTY, MARYLAND

No. 1834

ORDERED, this 16th day of October, 1945, that the sales of the several jieces or parcels of real esate of George L. Bowers, late of Kent County, Maryland, deceased, made by Jessie W. Usilton and J. Willis Wells, Administrators d.b.n., c.t.a. of the Estate of George L. Bowers, and this day reported to this Court by said Administrators d.b.n., c.t.a., be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 21st day of December, 1945, next; provided a copy of this Order be inserted in some weekly newspaper published in Kent County at least once a week for 4 successive weeks before the 10th day of November, 1945 next.

The report states the amount of sale of one of the properties to be Seven Hundred Twenty - Five ($725.00) Dollars and the sale of the other property to be One Hundred ($100.00) Dollars.

ROLAND R. COREY
GEORGE R. RASIN
HARRY M. STAVELY
Judges

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Register of Wills. o19



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