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BEST RACES OF SEASON HELD LAST SATURDAY

Harness Race fans last Saturday afternoon witnessed the best races of the season held at the Kent and Queen Anne's Driving Park. Several horses that have been racing on the circuit at State Fairs were home to add speed to the occasion. It was estimated that about one thousand people were in attendance with nearly nine hundred paid admissions.

The feature race was the Free-For-All Pace. Early Saturday morning the bets were even that Miss Keen would take a heat in this event. She put up a game race went on top near the grand-stand in the first lap of the second heat but finished third. The second lap of the first heat in this event went in 1:03.

Norman Frisco and Darnela Hanover fought it out in the Free-For-All Trot. Norman Frisco took the first heat and Darnela Hanover the second.

The Class A Pace saw Little Skipper take the first heat but a poor start in the second heat caused him to finish fifth. The owner was anxious for a third heat but the starter left it up to the racers and they did not want to race again.

Douglas Direct owned by the Hadaway Bros., and driven by Louis Everett took both heats of the Class B. Pace. Silver Mark owned and driven by Arthur Lusby was second in the first heat but a poor start in the second heat caused a finish of fifth.

Miss Stuck-Up took both heats of the Class A Trot.

Results were as follows:

Class A-Trot

Miss Stuck-up	1	1
Harold Hanover	4	3
Mary D	3	2
Mary Lassie	2	4
Bobby Flash	5	7
Matacie Crowley	6	5
Alice Parma	7	6

Time 2:15½—2:14½

Free-For-All Pace

Aristoracy	1	2
Miss Keen	3	3
Ann Hal	2	4
Performance	4	1
Red Arrow	5	5
Cinco Woolen	6	6

Time 2:11½—2.11.

Free-For-All Trot

Bonny Scotland	3	3
Norman Frisco	1	2
Darnela Hanover	2	1

Time 2:12—2.11½.

Class A-Pace

Jane Majesty	2	2
Bobby Bonnington	5	3
Every Day	4	6
Billy Bonnington	3	1
Maryland Maid	6	4
Little Skipper	1	5

Time 2:16—2:15.

Class B-Pace

Mike Dale	3	2
Pet Peton	5	4
Ward Hanley	7	7
Joan Marie Scott	4	3
Parma	6	6
Douglas Direct	1	1
Silver Mark	2	5

Time 2:19—2:18½

Your Congressman Makes A Report

Poultry Problem

This week Congressman Roe gave much of his time to the broiler problem, which affects so many Eastern Shore poultry producers and our Delaware neighbors. He attended the House Agriculture Committee hearings, with a large delegation of poultrymen representing the Northeastern Poultry Producers, the hatcheies and dressing plants. He put up a splendid case for the poultrymen. It was difficult to get the Army to come back into the market, but efforts are still being made to get the Army to resume purchasing. Failing in this, the Agriculture Department will probably announce a support program.

Wheat Drying Refund

Through Congressman Roe's efforts the Pennsylvania Railroad is refunding excessive charges made for drying damaged wheat. The refund will amount to several cents a bushel.

New Canal Bridge

Construction of a new bridge across the Chesapeake and Delaware Canal at Chespeake City, to cost $3,715,000 has been authorized. Congressman Roe feels that the work will be started very soon.

Tax Reduction

The House passed the Tax Bill authorizing the first reduction in Federal taxes during the past 15 years. This looks like the beginning of tax relief and a balanced budget.

The Diamond State Broadcast Corporation has made application to the Federal Communications Commission to establish a standard radio station in Dover. The corporation lists its facilites at 1349 klocycles and 250 watts.

Rebate For Tongers License

Apparently due to an oversight by State officials, Clerk of the Court Robert A. Shallcross, was not notified until this week that the fee for oyster tonging license was reduced at the last session of the Legislature from $3.50 to $3.25. This, plus the issuance fee of 25c makes the total $3.50 instead of $3.75.

To date Mr. Shallcross's office has issued 152 tonging licenses which means that tongers have a 25c rebate. This 25c may be secured upon application to the Clerk's Office and the signing of a receipt for same. The total rebate amounts to $38.00 to Kent County oystermen.

COLLEGE FIVE EQUALS LAST YEAR'S SQUAD

"Though we lack material this year, I still believe we'll have about as fine a team as we did in '44," remarked Coach Henry W. Carrington about his '45 edition of Washington College's quintet.

In the interview, he also mentioned the fact that the team's height probably will be centered on the members of the first five, the tallest of whom likely will be Steve Abramson, six-foot four-inch holdover. Big Abe, a Seniro at the institution, returns for his third season of varsity play, as does Harold Eugene Rook, '44 captain and center. The latter was voted the most popular player at the close of last season in which he topped the individual point scoring, while playing center for Carrington's clan.

For the second straight season, Washington offers a brother combination, for Gene Rook's younger brother, Jim, a Sophomore, heads into his second varsity season, leading candidate to gain one of the guard posts along with Abramson. Both of the Rook boys hail from Oakland, Md.

Another trio of returning players, all of them, Sophomores, are George Hauver, Bill Cooper, and Dick Smith, vying for the forward posts. None reach the six foot level, all are fast on their feet, and Cooper comes as a Chestertown High School product.

These men in themselves, constitute more than a first string outfit, but Carrington, who has never played men on past performance alone, isn't expected to break the tradition. In fact, he has other promising material from which to mold a capable five. Dick Lynch, a tall slender former Marine, has shown enough in practice to warrant him a spot on the squad, providing he can clear up some eligibilities troubles that have arisen.

Three other former servicemen, Duncan Deringer, Clayt McGran, and Joe Sutton also have exhibited good possibilities. McGran has a real burden to carry, for his father is the former member of the famous "flying pentagon", which swept through every college quint in the East nearly twenty years ago. Incidentally, Carrington, himself, was a member of that team.

Freshmen who have drawn more than a little attention in workouts are Henry Lewis, graduate of Sparrows Point High School; Turner Wiese, former star at Sudlersville H. S.; Forest Park H. S. alumnus, Marty Chaiken; Jack Coleman, who hails from Sudlersville H. S.; Jack Chesslock, ex-Forest Parker; Bob Shields, Bridgeton, N. J. product; and John Livingood, from Chestertown High School.

Carrington was well satisfied with his opening turnout on October 9, for he had twenty-four candidates to report, approximately a third of the total men's enrollment at the college in this initial peacetime year.

While Carrington starts his second year as head basketball mentor, Frederick W. Dumschott, graduate manager, takes over the reins as college business director.

Last year, Washington won eight and lost six for a .571 percentage, while gaining second place in the Mason-Dixon Conference, with a seven and four record or .636 percentage total.

Mr. Dumschott has announced the first four games this season but hastens to add that these are subject to change at any time. As matters stand, Fort Miles will be encountered on the Soldiers' own floor, November 26, in the curtain raiser. Then the Sho'men will travel to Philadelphia, meeting St. Joseph's on December 5. Washington's home opener will be waged on December 8 with Fort Miles again furnishing the opposition. Finally, Aberdeen's Bombers will be met on the Bomber court the night of December 14.

KENT FARMERS INSURED FOR CROP LOSS

Two hundred and eight nine Kent County farmers are insured for crop loss under the 1946 Crop Insurance sign-up according to an announcement by the Kent County AAA office. This represents approximately 40% of the wheat growing farms in the county as compared to 30% of wheat farms insured in the State.

The re-establishing of the Crop Insurance this year, after the abandonment of the project in 1943, makes an advancement in the stabalization of farm income against a weather gamble. The failure of the 1945 wheat crop, due to unusual weather conditions is an example of the hazards faced by farmers in the growing of crops. The profit derived from crops is hardly sufficient to offset this loss and makes crop loss insurance attractive.

The abandonment of crop insurance in 1943 followed a condition in which losses were much greater than premiums paid and was probably due to the fact that in that year only 14 counties were included in the program while the new program includes all of the 23 counties of the State. This enlarged project now has more than doubled the number of farms signed up than were signed for in 1943.

In 1943 approximately 2,058 bushels of wheat representing $3,087 were paid in premiums by Kent County farmers for crop insurance.

The 1946 signup is 347 applications representing 289 farms as compared to 181 applications representing 210 farms in 1943.

EDITOR OF HOUSE AND GARDEN VISITS CHESTERTOWN

Mrs. Emma Cole, Associate Editor of "House and Garden", accompanied by Mr. Tom Leonard, staff photographer, spent some time in the county this week, securing material for a projected issue of the magazine to be devoted entirely to the Eastern Shore, both in text and illustrations.

Kent Auditors Are Renamed For County

The judges of the Circuit Court for Kent County have reappointed William B. Usilton, Jr., H. Gilpin Brown, and Mrs. Ernest H. Strong, as the county auditing committee for the present fiscal year. The committee is expected to begin its work of auditing county offices on Jan. 1.

The commissioners will begin sitting on Tuesday, Oct. 30, as a board of review, for hearing appeals from recent reassessments made by Supervisor of Assessments Conlyn N. Noland.

CAPT. J. C. MULLIKIN AWARDED BRONZE STAR

For his outstanding contribution to press relationship between the G-5 Division, (Military Government) of Supreme Headquarters, Allied Expeditionary Forces, and the United States and United Nations Press, Captain James C. Mullikin, of Easton and Baltimore, Md., has been awarded the Bronze Star medal.

The decoration was presented by Major General C. L. Adcock, Director, Office of Military Government (U. S. Zone), in his office in Frankfurt, Germany. Captain Mullikin is the officer in charge of the news coverage section, Public Relations Branch, of the General's Headquarters.

Captain Mullikin, who entered the service in the Army of the United States component, was detailed recently to the General Staff Corps of the U. S. Army.

The Captain was formerly on the Staff of the Baltimore News-Post. He received his A. B. degree from Johns Hopkins University and studied law at the University of Maryland.

Mrs. Mullikin and their two children live at 802 Kingston Road, Stoneleigh, Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. Mullikin is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter O. Wrigth of 115 North Queen St., Chestertown.

Hallowe'en Dance At Armory Next Friday

Frank Jarman Post, Chestertown American Legion, is sponsoring a masquerade ball, which will be held in the Chestertown Armory next Tuesday evening. The proceeds will be used for the maintenance of the Legion's memorial home here. A cash prize of $10 will be awarded for the best costumes. The dance music will be furnished by Don Korte and his orchestra.

Guest Speaker At Millington Churches



Rev. Perry Oliver Hanson

The Rev. Perry Oliver Hanson, missionary of the Methodist Church in Shantung Province, China's "holy land", will be the guest-speaker next Sunday, Oct. 28 at the two Methodist Churches at Millington—Asbury at 11 A. M. and Trinity at 3 P. M.

Mr. Hanson will speak from forty years of experience as a Christian evangelist, builder of churches, schools and hospitals in the region around Tiashan, the oldest sacred mountain in the world, the countryside that gave Confucius and Mancius to China. It is the land through which millions of pilgrims have traveled through more than 5000 years in order to worship on the sacred mountain. Perhaps no man in China better knows the nation's sacred province and the various sects of Buddhists, Confucians and Mohammedans who live there than does Mr. Hanson. Taian, before the present war, was second only to Mecca for the number of pilgrims annually visiting its shrines.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanson were at their station in Taian when Japan attacked in 1937, with bombing on sixty different days and final occupation by the Japanese Army. Mr. and Mrs. Hanson met the approaching army outside Taian and plead that the city be spared the treatment earlier accorded Nanking and other Chinese cities. The occupation was peaceful. After that, until the return to the United States on furlough, the Hansons lived under Japanese occupation in Shantung for four years.

With the Armed Forces

Mr. and Mrs. George Townsend have received word from their son, Oliver that he is enroute home for discharge.

Chester B. Starr, S 2-c, who only on Sept. 17 was released from the Philadelphia Naval Hospital, after having been a patient with double pneumonia, was taken last Tuesday to St. Alban's Hospital, Long Island, where he is a patient with pneumonia again, in the right lung. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Starr, who moved yesterday from the former Klein property between Chestertown and Fairlee, to an apartment in the Savage House on High St.

Sgt. Bedford J. Groves, son of Mrs. William B. Groves, near Betterton, received his honorable discharge from the Army at Ft. George G. Meade last Friday, Oct. 19th, after twenty-five months of service, twenty of which were spent overseas.

Sgt. Groves served with the 180th Infantry Regiment of the 45th Division. He was with that regiment when it received the Presidential Unit Citation. He wears the Combat Infantryman's Badge, the Purple Heart with Oak Leaf Cluster, the Good Conduct Medal and the European Theatre ribbon with one spear head and four battle stars.

He is now staying at his home near Betterton.

The following letter was written to the Transcript from Lt. Paul Pippin:

Staff Transport Squadron 21
Amphibious Forces Pacific Fleet
F.P.O. San Francisco, Calif.
October 10, 1945

My dear Bill:

This is to thank you and your newspaper for the copies of the Transcript which have reached me from time to time. It's a pleasant change from the routine to look them over. There are certainly a lot of new names in Kent.

Our staff is involved in occupation operations having just returned from Jinsen Korea. The floating mines that have been swept up are the only real hazard now.

Thank you again for the papers.

Kindest regards, Sincerely,
Paul Pippin.

MURDERER GETS 13 YEARS IN IN STATE PEN

Stewart Lucas, colored, was found guilty of second degree murder by a Kent County Jury on Monday after a deliberation of less than a half hour and the Court sentenced Lucas to 13 years in the Maryland Penitentiary. Lucas was charged with the stabbing to death of Mary Ann Butler, mother of his girl friend. The evidence showed that the murdered woman had been severly cut a number of times in addition to the fatal stab wound. The evidence further showed that there was contention between the accused and victim prior to the murder and they were the only ones present at the time. The murder took place at Oliver Hill in the First District of Kent County. H. W. Vickers, State's Attorney for the State, Preston P. Heck for the defense.

Harry Z. Happerset was found guilty of carnal knowledge by the Court and sentenced to 5 years in the Maryland Penitentiary on Monday. He was however called back before the Court on Tuesday and the sentence was reduced to 3 years. Happerset is a returned veteran having served overseas with the U. S. Army. Harrison W. Vickers State's Attorney for the State and R. H. Rogers for the defense.

In a trial before the Court in which Clifton Turner, Colored, was charged with non-support, the defendant was ordered to pay $3.75 a week for the support of his child. Preston P. Heck, attorney for defense.

The civil docket this week consisted of the hearing of a caveat case filed in the estate of the late James P. Gears. Jury trial and verdict for the caveatee represented by R. H. Rogers and Herbert E. Perkins, Attorneys for the executors of the estate.

The October term was adjourned Tuesday. Chief Judge Owen D. Knotts and Associate Judge J. Raymond Horney presided at the Court session.

Sheet Metal Works To Open Here

Announcement was made this week that the Iron Clad Sheet Metal Co., of which Mr. Davis is proprietor, will open a shop in the rear of the Toulson Building on Cross Street, November 1st. This company also has a shop in Baltimore City and will be prepared to manufacture and do all kinds of Sheet Metal work.

DEATHS

CORNELIUS G. HADAWAY

Funeral services for Cornelius G. Hadaway, 92 years old, one of Kent County's oldest retired landowners and farmers, who died at his home in Worton on Thursday afternoon, October 18, were conducted from the home Saturday afternoon by the Rev. J. C. Hanby, a former pastor of Union Methodist Church. Interment was in Chester Cemetery in Chestertown. Mr. Hadaway retired from farming 14 years ago and moved to Worton with his wife, who died several years ago. He is survived by two sons, Clarence Hadaway of Quaker Neck and Frank Hadaway of Worton.

MRS. GRACE H. ZIESEL

Funeral services were conducted in Sacred Heart R. C. Church by the Rev. Charles J. Conway Monday morning for Mrs. Grace H. Ziesel, 73 years old a former resident of this county, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ellen Bauer, in Baltimore, on Friday. Interment was in Chester Cemetery.

She was the widow of Ramie Ziesel, a well-known farmer of this county and a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Massey, landowners and farmers living near Chestertown. Besides her daughter in Baltimore, she leaves a son, Leonard Ziesel of Worton, who was recently discharged from the armed forces; three brothers, Josiah and Hubert Massey, of Wilmington, and Paul C. Massey, of Washington. A sister, Mrs. Elma M. Coleman, of Baltimore, also survives.

MRS. GERTRUDE WILLSON

The Rev. Charles J. Conway said requiem mass in St. John's Catholic Church Wednesday morning for Mrs. Gertrude Willson, who died on Monday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Franklin Wood in Rock Hall. Mrs. Willson was the widow of James Willson, one of the leading landowners and farmers in this section for many years. Besides her daughter, Mrs. Wood, she leaves another daughter, Mrs. Nettie Westcott, and two sons.

Nine Go To Induction Center

Nine men left the selective service office Thursday morning for the induction station. Of these 4 left for induction and 5 for physical examination.

Induction

White—Noah Perr Gears, Jr., Marion Franklin Legg, and Louis Alexander Harris all of Chestertown.

Colored—Oliver Francis Hicks, Rock Hall.

Preinduction Physical Examination

White—Purnell Theodore Batchelor of Rock Hall, Charles Joyce Stevens of Washington College.

Colored—Clarence Elbert Rowe, Golt; Alonza William Brooks, Jr., Worton; George Cann, Jr., Chestertown.

LOCAL CLERGY TO ATTEND YOUTH RALLY AT ELKTON

The Rev. Dr. J. Warren Albinson, rector of the Elkton Trinity Protestant Episcopal Church, announces that the fall rally of the Episcopal youth of the churches of the Northern Convocation of the Diocese of Easton will be held on Saturday, Oct. 27. Delegates will be present from St. Paul's Church, Fairlee; Emmanuel Church, of Chestertown; Shrewsbury Church, Kennedyville; St. Andrew's Church, Galena; St. Clement's Church, Massey; Holy Cross Church, Millington; Christ Church, Worton; St. John's Church, Betterton; St. Joseph's Church, Earleville; Church of the Good Shepherd, Chesapeake City; St. Mary Anne's Church, North East; Mt. Mark's Church, Aiken; St. Mark's Chapel, Perryville, and St. James Church, Port Deposit.

Among the clergy in attendance will be the dean of the convocation, the Very Rev. Dr. Charles L. Atwater of Chestertown; the Rev. William Wyllie, Sr., of Fairlee, and the Rev. William Wyllie, Jr., of Cecilton.

Carnival Nets $1700 For Galena Firemen

Officials of the Galena Volunteer Fire Company reported last week that the net receipts from the company's recent carnival were $1,700, which will be used for the purchase of additional equipment and maintenance of the company. A purebred Pol-Angus steer, was awarded John Wolf of Wilmington.

Real Estate Transfers

Jessie W. Usilton, et al, to Mabel H. Nickerson, property at Lynch.

Tolchester Estates, Inc., to Henry W. Suchting, property at Tolchester Estates.

Wm. H. Mercer to Edward G. Riley property in Fifth District.

Myrtle V. Sutton, et al to Joseph Coleman, et al, property in 5th District.

G. Norris Arment to Hettie O. Crew, property at Betterton.

Minnie E. Anthony to George Thomas Johnson, property in 2nd District.

Jesse B. Downey to Leslie Downey, property in 5th District.

Oscar Leaverton, et al., to George R. Long, et al., property in 6th District.

Wm. H. Mercer to Walter Hyland, property in 5th District.

Percy Hepbron, et al., to Lester Crouch, property in 5th District.

James J. Hadaway, ex-Treas., to Percy Hepbron, property in 5th District.

Mr. Roy Strong, former member of the Maryland Legislature is seriously ill at his home at Gratitude. He suffered a stroke the latter part of last week.

Mr. Charles Wilson, local auctioneer, auctioned at the 2-day York Sale held at York, Pa. Mr. Wilson purchased 2 Guernsey heifers at the sale.

HORSE SHOW AT MILLINGTON DRAWS CROWD

The Horse Show held last Sunday at the Ballou Stock Farm, near Millington, drew a good crowd of spectators but not such a large list of entries. Local horsemen were under the impression that a lot of horses would be imported for the show and that they would not be able to compete. This however was not the case. Nearly all the entries were local. Bella Casus owned and ridden by George Williams raced in the flat race and immediately afterwards went in the Steeple Chase. He finished third in the flat race and second in the steeple chase. Bob Cosden of prize fight fame, had the winning horse in the flat race.

Results were as follows:

Pony Sadle Class

1st—Champion ridden by William Pasmar.
2nd—Eddie Scanlon
3rd—Tony Boy, Charles Manning rider.
4th—Half Pint, rider Jack Kennard, owner C. O. Taylor.

Jumping Class for Ponies

1st—Silver, rider Tommie Eshman, owned by Betty Bonwill Price.
2nd—Smokey, rider Boby Cosdon.
3rd—Tony Boy, Charles Manning rider.
4th—Half Pint, Jack Kennard rider, owner, C. O. Taylor.

Pony Race Small Ponies

1st—Flossie, rider Jackie Baxter.
2nd—Champion, rider William Pasmor.
3rd—Eddie Scanlon

Large Pony Race

1st—Smoky, rider, Boby Cosdon.
2nd—Half Pint, rider Leslie Joiner.
3rd—Tony Boy, rider Charles Manning.

Hack Class

1st—The Ghost owned and ridden by Mr. Vaughn Richardson.
2nd—Carnation rider, Pat Mickle.
3rd—Lady Bell rider John Hann.
4th—Ellington, rider Betty Fox.

Green Hunters

1st—Cacus Doll, rider Mary Wood, owner Mr. Brittingham.
2nd—Eddie Harold, owner C. O. Taylor.
3rd—Col. Sweep, rider Victor White.
4th—Plateau, rider Miss Middleton.

Touch And Out

1st—The Ghost, riden and owned by Vaughn Richardson.
2nd—Carnation, rider Pat Mickle.
3rd—Cacus Bell, rider George Williams.
4th—Frank, rider Betty Bonwill Price, owner Mr. Wroth Stavely.

Millington Cup For Open Jumpers

1st—Happy Ways, rider Billy Pasmor
2nd—Smokie Pine, rider Lester Smith, owner Mr. Hollingsworth.
3rd—Night Mare, rider Charles Manning.
4th—Red Wing, rider Jack Kennard.

Knock Down and Out

1st—Cacus Doll, rider George Williams.
2nd—The Ghost, rider Mr. Vaughn Richardson.
3rd—Red Wing, rider Jack Kennard.
4th—Tony, rider Carlton Jones.

RACES

The Kerry Patch Race, 6 furlongs, 3 year olds and up.
1st—Scottie, rider Norman Larry, owner Boby Cosdon.
2nd—French War, rider Betty Bonwill Price, owner Mr. George Ballou.
3rd—Cacus Doll, rider George Williams.

Steeple Chase

1st—Smoky Pine, rider Lester Smith owner Mr. Hollingsworth.
2nd—Cacus Bell, rider George Williams.
3rd—Knight Mare, rider Charles Manning, owner Miss Virginia Thorton.

Judges: Mr. Turner Wiltshire, Mr. Humphrey Finney.

COON HOUND FIELD TRIALS

Coon hound field trials, sponsored by the Queen Anne's Sportsman's Club, will be held ½ mile south of Centreville on route 213 this Sunday, Oct. 28. Edgar E. Walls, formerly of Kent County, now of Easton, is one of the sponsors of these trials.



New Ford now on display at Show Rooms of Eliason Motors on Cross Street

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