THE SOCIAL WANDERER

Dear Roamer:

December and such busy days, now on. Everybody's helter, skelter over this and that all the way from hog killing, church suppers, trips to the city, parties, pantries becoming filled, (although the smell of those cookies in the oven hasn't quite yet permenated our nostrils) and weddings of interest here and there. I haven't even mentioned Christmas shopping, for that in itself would fill a page, for no matter how simple or how tremendous your list, it is a task. It's all very nice for some to sit up and say, that's the wrong spirit nad a whole lot of talk accompanying it, but that's my story and I stick to it. Not that we don't enjoy giving—surely, but oh, the getting around to buying those gifts. If you get blue, of course they would rather have had red; if you get wool, surely silk would have been more acceptable, if you get size 9, size 10 is always worn, if you get a doll, a dog is just what our baby wanted, if you get a shawl for grandmother, she certainly doesn't see why these young things think she is so old. And so, by the time you think and turn it all over as you stand in a crowded store with the sales person wishing you'd make up your mind oh no, no task, just the joy of buying.

I skipped in outlining December's program that wee item, Christmas cards. Whew! Did Mary send me one last year, or I have sent them one for two years now, and is this engraved or is it printed, does she like religious cards or jolly ones, Shall I put 1½ cent stamp on these or seal them, don't you know any addresses at all, I should think you'd have them written down; oh my! here comes a card from some one I didn't send any to, goodness here are six more!

Let's change the subject, I'm weary just even writing about it. Some have had the additional burden of moving this week. Mr. and Mrs. Massey Hines and family have moved from the Strong house on Queen St. to the Truslow house across the river, in which they lived two years ago.

Mrs. Harry Deringer and small daughter joined Lieut. Deringer here on Tuesday night and are now residing in the home of Mrs. Lula Dukes for the winter.

Parties have been running pretty gaily this week. Down Quaker Neck way, where they always seem to be having something going on, the week was started on Sunday night with a supper party given by the Kellogg-Smiths. Then on Wednesday which was packed with goings on, the afternoon was marked with a lovely tea given by Misses Amelia and Mary Brooks in honor of Mrs. Francis MacDonald and Mrs. Walter Roach who are now permanent residents of Kent. Wednesday night held two parties in fact. One was a dinner-bridge given by Mr. and Mrs. Browne Metcalfe and Mr. and Mrs. Rolph Townshend at the Metcalfe home in honor of Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Dick.

And while we are speaking of newly weds, to-day, is the wedding day of Miss Anne Beck Woolsey, of St. Louis, Mo., and Mr. Eugene Lovick Pearce, Jr., of Atlanta, Ga. Miss Woolsey is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. A. Woolsey, the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Ricaud Walker of this county. The wedding will take place at 5.30 o'clock in the afternoon at the church of St. Michael and St. George. Miss Margaret Beck, of Dallas, Texas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Beck, will be maid of honor, in addition to eight bridesmaids. The future Mr. and Mrs. Pearce will go to Bermuda on their wedding trip, after which they will make their home in Atlanta, Ga.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Mrs. Ida Skipper Parks, of Kingston-on-Chester, Queen Anne County to Dr. Francis William Holden, of Hempstead, Long Island, N. Y. Dr. and Mrs. Holden were married on November 25th in Trinity, P. E. Church, Elkton by the Rev. J. Warren Albinson, an old army friend of the groom. Dr. Holden is conected with the U. S. Forest Service in N. Y. state.

But I certainly did get side tracked from the parties, however, I guess a wedding will take precedence over a party any day, don't you think? The other party on Wednesday night was given by Mrs. Wm. B. Usilton and Mrs. William B. Usilton III. Bridge was played and only ladies were present. However, the men aren't always leftout, for on Saturday evening (to-day) Mr. and Mrs. Usilton, III, have issued invitations to a Dutch Dinner. Clever as could be, were they, and much mystery surrounds what actually awaits the guests. Nover having been to a Dutch dinner nor participated in an evening following one, I'm all agog to know what's what.

Mrs. H. B. Slaughter, of Washington, D. C., has been the guest this week of her niece, Mrs. James G. Beck. Mrs. Slaughter will return to her home to-morrow.

Mrs. Rudolph Tull, of Philadelphia, Pa., will be the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Hines, at Riverside.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris K. Barroll, of Byford Court, entertained at luncheon on Sunday last, following the baptism of their youngest son.

Lieut. Corwin P. Vansant, Jr., a graduate of West Point, now stationed at Fort Sill, Okla., with Mrs. Vansant and baby son, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. George W. French.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace H. Ford have announced the engagement of their daughter, Kathryn Virginia, to Mr. H. Emerson Moore. The wedding will take place December 9.

Mrs. Mamie Walters accompanied her daughter home to Malden, Mass., where she will spend the winter.

Mrs. J. Webster McIntire is the guest of Mrs. Joseph Slocum, at Bradley Beach, N. J.

Mr. William R. Nickerson was the week-end guest of relatives in New York City.

Mr. Charles Corneli and family, have moved into the Simpers house on High St.

Probably there's more news, but if so, it hasn't reached my ears and unless you send me a note sometime, it'll have to go unheralded and unsung.

Yours Announcing,
The Wanderer.

College Basket Ball Season Opens Dec. 16th

Coach J. T. Kibler is getting his basket ball team in condition for the opening game which will be played at the Chestertown Armory December 16th. West Chester Teachers, of West Chester, Pa., a very strong aggregation, will be the visitors.

Washingtno's first team of last year is intact with a number of experienced players among the new men.

Among those, familiar to the fans, who have reported for practice are Huffman, Salter, Wilmont, Pfund, Zebrowski, McMahon, Rambo, Smith and McLain.

Boy's 4-H Banquet To Be Held Dec. 10

The annual Kent Boys 4-H Club Banquet which was postponed from January to the fall will be held on Thursday evening, December 10 at Worton Hall. Invitations have gone out to all club members, parents and friends and it is expected that the hall will be well filled.

The program will be full of good logic and entertainment using 4-H talent. Theodore Redman will discuss his Chicago trip and Daddy Jenks will conclude the program with his very inspiring candle service. All club members are urged to attend. The committee in charge is composed of Robert Moffett, Theodore Redman, Orville Wright, Walter T. Morris, Wilbur H. Morris, Laura Jane Magee, Virginia Dulin and Asst. County Agent Stanley B. Sutton. The Ladies Aid of St. James Church will serve the dinner.

Mrs. Mary E. Gage Dies In Baltimore

Burial services were held at Old St. Paul's on Monday for Miss Mary E. Gage, 55, who died in Baltimore on Friday following a heart attack. She was a sister of Mrs. J. A. Bigelow, of near Rock Hall.

The rites were conducted by the Rev. William Wyllie and interment was in the adjacent church yard. Ralph H. Usilton was the funeral director.

Veteran Service Officer Here December 16

Thomas B. Edwards Service Officer of the Maryland Veterans Commission, will be in the Court House at Chestertown on the sixteenth day of December. For the purpose of assisting Veterans of all wars in the proper handling of claims, Bonus, Hospatilization, Insurance, relief or compensation.

There are no charges of any nature for these services.

Schools To Close December 18th

The schools of Kent County will close December 18th for the Christmas holidays and remain closed until Monday, January 4th.

Washington College will close Saturday, December 19th and remain closed until January 4th.

VISITED IN BALTIMORE

W. B. Greenwood, E. P. LeSage and wife spent Thanksgiving with Albert H. Ivens and family and Archie LeSage of Baltimore. Mrs. LeSage stayed for a lnoger visit.

Assault Trial Set For Next Wednesday

The trial of Thomas Satterfield, of Dover, charged with assault and battery on Edna Ruth Moffett near Massey, has been set for next Wednesday afternoon at 2 p. m. in Judge George Hicks' Court at Galena. Miss Moffett shot herself two days after the alleged attack.

The maximum penalty for assault and battery is three years.

Protect Your Plants Against Winter Weather

Necessity for providing winter protection for plants in this latitude is due largely to the fact that gardeners will not content themselves with varieties that are hardy without protection and also because the climate of Maryland is neither warm enough to prevent temperatures from going far below the freezing line nor cold enough to insure a warm blanket of snow during the winter months, it is pointed out by Walter R. Ballard, horticulturist for the University of Maryland Extension service. To insure safe protection for these less hardy plants, Mr. Ballard urges use of wind breaks and mulches.

Mulches are not necessarily used to keep plants warm, according to Mr. Ballard. Most of the time they are used to maintain a more uniform condition, to protect the plant from cold, drying winds or a warm, thawing sun. In certain cases, heavy mulches assist in preventing deep freezing of the ground so the roots may remain active longer in the season.

Wind breaks also provide a good protection for the more tender plants. For this purpose, loose, open material, which will allow free circulation of air, will serve better than those materials which have a tendency to pack closely around the plant. Pine boughs, straw, coarse manure, and leaves are advised for this purpose by Mr. Ballard. He points out that if field mice are abundant mulches should be delayed until freezing weather arrives, otherwise these pests may nest in the mulch and damage the plants or bulbs.

Poultry Shows Scheduled For Baltimore

The next annual Maryland Poultry Products Show will be held in Baltimore at the Lord Baltimore Hotel from January 12 to 14, it is announced by Wade H. Rice, Secretary of the Maryland Poultry Council. Prizes and ribbons will be offered in various egg and baby chick classes.

Problems which will be discussed at the various sessions to be held in connection with the Show are the fresh egg law, the anti-thieving program, and the increasing need for research.

Maryland poultrymen will be pleased to learn that the directors of the International Baby Chick Association have voted to hold the next annual meeting of that organization in Baltimore on July 19-22, 1937, according to Dr. Merley A. Jull, head of the poultry department of the University of Maryland. He points out that this will be the largest poultry event ever held in the more than 5,000 delegates.

The meeting will be held in the fifth regiment armory in Baltimore and extensive plans are being made by the members of both the Maryland Poultry Council and the Maryland Baby Chick Association for participation in this event. Herbert D. Copeland, of Anacostia, is president of the Maryland State Poultry Council and John Evering, of Stemmers Run, is President of the Maryland Baby Chick Association.

Soy Beans For Table Use

For those interested in the possibilities of soybeans for table use the recent findings of scientists working with new varieties should be of interest, according to Miss Margaret McPheeters, nutrition specialist for the University of Maryland Extension Service.

These scientists say that the yellow, brown, or green varieties of soybeans may be cooked like lima beans or any other varieties of shell beans used green. The green beans shell more easily if the pods are first boiled for about three minutes. The average cooking time for boiling or steaming the green beans is about thirty minutes, and they may be served simply with melted butter or white sauce, or may be scalloped, or used in a salad. Scalloped green soybeans with tomato sauce is another good variation.

Dried soybeans should be prepared in much the same way as navy and other dried beans, although they should be soaked longer and given more time when cooking.

ENJOYING FLORIDA CLIMATE

Mr. Romie Morris writes from Florida that the nights are cool but htat it is nice and warm in the day time.

He with his family are spending the winter in Miami.

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Fancy Alaska RED SALMON 2 25c tall cans 39c

Farmdale EVAP. MILK 3 tall cans 20c

Campbell's Tomato Juice 4 14-oz cans 25c
Pillsbury's Pancake Flour 2 pkgs 19c
"heat-flo" Roasted ASCO Coffee lb 20c
Grapefruit Juice 2 13c cans 23c
Hershey's Chocolate Syrup 3 10c cans 25c

ASCO Finest Quality Peanut Butter big 16-oz jar 15c

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