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STREET PAVING PROJECT APPROVED

Approval Of Fire House Project Expected Next Week

The Mayor and Council of Chestertown have been notified that the application to the W. P. A. for the street improvement project in Chestertown has been approved.

This project includes an expenditure of $4,000 with the cost to Chestertown for approximately $2,000.

Included in the project is a new concrete pavement on the west side of Washington Avenue from the home of Mr. Thomas Eliason to the corner of Kent Circle. Part of this sidewalk has no hard surface it having been graded several years ago.

Other improvements include:

New pavement and curb and gutter on West side of Mill street from High to Cannon.

New pavement and curb and gutter on south side of Cannon street from Cross to Queen.

There are also a number of small improvements included in the project.

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TO BUY LARGE POPLAR TREES.
$8.00 per 100 ft. Pay load by load.
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NOTICE

ALL BILLS against Kent County should be presented to the office of the County Commissioners by May 29th.
MARION C. PRICE, Clerk to County Commissioners.

SPECIAL NOTICE

For every gallon of gasoline sold Saturdays I will donate 1c to ST. JAMES CHURCH.
For every gallon sold Sundays I will donate 1c to KENT and QUEEN ANNE'S HOSPITAL.
STARTING MAY 21st, this offer is in effect until October 1st.
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ANNOUNCEMENT

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EVERY WEDNESDAY
FROM 2 P. M. TO 5 P. M.
Practice limited to Eye, Ear, Nose, and Throat. Glasses prescribed.

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Wanted to buy large poplar trees $10 per 1000 ft. Will pay load by load.
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In good running condition—upholstery clean. Many miles left.
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S. R. Collins To Buy Travilla Farm

Mr. Stephen R. Collins has a agreement for the purchase of Travilla farm from Mr. Robert Albert, of Baltimore. This property is located in Kent County on Chester River above Chestretown and contains an old colonial home near the river bank. There was formerly a wharf and wharf granary on the property which was destroyed by fire.

The sale transaction is expected to be completed today.

SCHOOL RALLY DAY NEXT TUESDAY

All County Schools To Compete

The annual rally day for the schools of Kent County will be held next Tuesday, May 25th. At this time pupils from all Kent schools, both high and elementary will compete for the honor of representing the county in the State-wide athletic event to be held in Baltimore. All schools of the county will be closed that day.

The location of the various events will be divided this year, the boy's events to be held at the athletic field at Washington College and the girls events to be on the athletic field of the Chestertown High School.

The events will supervised by the State Public Athletic League.

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COLONIAL HOME IN CHESTERTOWN
Large porches overlooking Chester River. Price reasonable.
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A new lot of FRESH LOCUST POSTS.
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MRS. J. D. BACCHUS WINS FLOWER PRIZE

Show Staged Thursday By Our Garden Club

Mrs. J. D. Bacchus was the sweepstakes winner at the flower show staged by Our Garden Club in the Parish House of Emmanuel Church on Thursday of this week. Other sweepstakes winners were: Mrs. Henry Kratzer, Sr., and Mrs. James Metcalfe, second place and Mrs. R. H. Collins, Jr., third place.

The committee in charge of the show was Mrs. Thomas Kibler, chairman, Mrs. W. Tilden Brice, vice chairman, Mrs. H. Clay Brown, arrangements and Mrs. Morris Keene Barroll, entries.

Following the judging by Mrs. Duncan Brent, of Baltimore, she gave a talk on topiary work and sepalier trees.

Mr. J. C Nicholls, of Philadelphia, talked on iris.

Winners in the various classes were as follows:

Iris

1 stalk white, self color, 1st, Mrs. John Speicher, 2nd, Mrs. Samuel Emory.

1 stalk white, bicolor, 1st, Mrs. J. D. Bacchus, 2nd, Mrs. Fred Usilton, 3rd, Mrs. Howard Strong.

1 stalk lavender, 1st, Mrs. Thomas Laidman, 2nd, Mrs. Howard Strong, 3rd, Mrs. Fred Usilton.

1 stalk mauve bicolor, 1st, Mrs. Thomas Bowers, 2nd, Mrs. Dorsey Hines, 3rd, Mrs. Fred Usilton.

1 stalk dark blue, 1st, Mrs. Howard Strong, 2nd, Miss Minnie Brooks, 3rd, Mrs. J. D. Bacchus.

1 stalk dark blue, bicolor, 1st, Miss Mary Brooks, 2nd, Mrs. Samuel Emory, 3rd, Mrs. Fred Usilton.

1 stalk pink, 1st, Mr. Morris K. Barroll, 2nd, Mrs. Fred Usilton, 3rd, Mrs. Howard Strong.

1 stalk red, 1st, Mrs. Samuel Emory, 2nd, Mrs. Howard Strong, 3rd, Mrs. Fred Usilton.

1 stalk yellow, 1st, Mrs. J. D. Bacchus, 2nd, Mrs. Howard Strong, 3rd, Mrs. Fred Usilton.

1 stalk, any other color, 1st, Mrs. J. D. Bacchus, 2nd, Mrs. Thomas Bowers, 3rd, Mrs. Dorsey Hines.

Decorative Arrangements

Monochrome Studies—

Arrangement of tones of violets in any container, 1st, Mrs. James Beck, 2nd, Mrs. Jesse Maxwell, 3rd, Mrs. Fred Usilton.

Arrangements of tones of red in a pair of vases, 1st, Mrs R. Hynson Rogers.

Arrangement of tones of yellow, 2nd, Mrs. Jesse Maxwell, 3rd, Mrs. James Beck.

Complimentary Studies—

Arrangemnent of blue and orange flowers in a blue container, 1st, Mrs. John Speicher, 2nd, Mrs. Samuel Emory.

Neutral harmony studies—

Arrangement of white flowers in black container, 1st, Mrs. Henry Kratzer, 2nd, Mrs. James Bacchus.

Arrangement of yellow flowers in gray container, 1st, Mrs. R. H. Collins, Jr.

Split Complement arrangements—

Arrangement of yellow and violet flowers, 1st, Mrs. R. H. Collins, Jr., 2nd, Mrs. Morris Barroll, 3rd, Mrs. H. Clay Brown.

Arrangement of red and blue flowers, 1st, Mrs. R. H. Collins, Sr., 2nd, Mrs. James G. Beck, 3rd, Mrs. Allan Harris.

Artistic arrangements—

Arrangement featuring pastel shades, 1st, Mrs. H. Clay Brown, 2nd, Mrs. R. H. Collins, 3rd, Mrs. R. H. Rogers.

Any flowers arrangement under a glass dome, 1st, Mrs. Henry Kratzer, 2nd, Mrs. Claude Truslow.

Miniature arrangement of miniature flowers on table mirror, 1st, Mrs. James G. Metcalfe, 2nd, Mrs. Claude Truslow, 3rd, Mrs. H. Clay Brown.

Shadow boxes—

Arrangement of yellow roses for reflection in mirror, 1st, Mrs. Henry Kratzer, 2nd, Mrs Allan Harris, 3rd, Mrs. Morris K. Barroll.

FourYear Old Girl Hit By Automobile

Little Kay Booth Steel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Steel, of near Chestertown, was injured Thursday morning when she ran into a moving automobile.

The little four year old girl went to Worton with her father early in the morning and ran across the street directly in the path of an automobile. The driver of the car was exonerated of all blame in connection with the accident.

She was taken to the Kent and Queen Annes hospital where she was found to be suffering from cuts and bruises although it was thought that her injuries were not serious. At th etime of the accident she was recuperating from a tonsil operation having been operated on Tuesday.

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IN BEAUTIFUL BETTERTON MARYLAND on main highway opposite Newsome's Garage.
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GOVERNOR NICE SIGNS STATE ROAD BILL CANCELLING KENT ROAD DEBT

$193,000 Reported Debt Wiped Off Books Of State Roads Commission

Governor Harry Nice signed the State road bill on Tuesday which will cancel the reported road debt of Kent, Calvert and Montgomery counties and apportion $350,000 for road work in other counties of the State from the maintenance and reconstruction fund within the next two years. The reported road debt of the above mentioned counties is Kent $193,000, Calvert $95,000 and Montgomery $192,000. Kent County has contested its reported debt for the past two years on the claim that a large proportion of it was caused by an over-expenditure by the State Roads Commission of the $900,000 bond issue for hard surface roads in this county in 1928. The bill as signed this week will eliminate this controversey and settle the debt.

The question as to what direct effect the cancellation of this debt will have in this county may be summoned up as follows:

1st The county will be squared on the books of the State Roads Commission.

2nd. It will have no effect on the road money coming to Kent County during the next four years as all of Kent's share of the 4c gasoline tax, both for new construction and county road maintenance, is being used to retire the $80,000 in bonds due each year from the million dollar road bond issue.

3rd. The money to be used for the retirement of the debt in the next two years comes from the maintenance and reconstruction fund to which the Federal road funds are applied. This fund is not apportioned to the counties and no part of it has been coming to Kent County but is being used on the main boulevards on the Western Shore.

4th. The retirement of the debt will not cost the county anything in road construction or maintenance.

5th. Kent's share of the gasoline tax which is now being used for bond mately $65,000 annually, will come to the county at the end of four years when the bond issue will expire, and not kept back for three more years to liquidate the $193,000 debt which was canceled by the recent bill. This is the direct effect of the bill on Kent's finances.

6th. It places Kent County in good financisl standing with the State and it will no longer be listed as a debtor county.

The road bill was originated by Senator Arthur Brice who was assisted in its passage by the Senators from Montgomery and Calvert counties. Delegates Roy Strong and Wilbur R. Hubbard assisted with the passage on the House side.

COLLEGE SORORITY GOES NATIONAL

Fourth National Group At Local Institution

Washington College will be the scene today of the installation of the first chapter of a national sorority at the local institution when the Kappa Gamma will become a chapter of Alpha Chi Omega. The name of the Washington College chapter will be Beta Pi.

Mrs. A. J Donald, national president, arrived in Chestertown on Thursday having flown from California for the installation program. A reception will be held this afternoon to be followed by a banquet tonight.

Charter members of the new Beta Pi sorority at Washington College will be Miss Florence T. Snodgrass, faculty advisor, of New Brunswick, Canada; Mrs. Florence Wilmer, Miss Anna Harris, Miss Phoebe Pyle, Miss Edna Elizabeth Elliott and Miss Marfette Corrington of Chestertown; Miss Dorothy Elizabeth Williams and Miss Alice May Williams, of Maplewood, N. J.; Miss Katherine Pierette Bush, of Old Greenwich, Conn.; Miss Nancy Reigel Kane, of Perryville, Md. Miss Katherine McCardell and Miss Annabel Barnes, of Baltimore; Miss Marion Brown, Miss Louisa Hall and Miss Frances Perry, of Centreville; Miss Ann Hollingsworth, of Church Hill; Miss Mazel Marie Lynch, of Ridgely and Miss Margaret Wanderer, of Plainfield, N. J.

Mrs. Gilbert W. Mead, who is a member of Alpha Chi Omega, having joined while a student at Birmingham Southern College, has been appointed local chairman.

Patronesses of the present sorority are Mrs. Thomas Kibler, Mrs. Morris Barroll, Mrs Eben F. Perkins, Mrs. Frank V. Simpers, Mrs. William R. Howell, Mrs. Fred Dumschott, Mrs. Winton Tolles, Mrs. Julian T. Corrington and Mrs. Frank Goodwin.

Representatives from other chapters of the sorority who will be present incuude eight from Bucknell, five from Penn State, five from University of Pennsylvania and seven from William and Mary College.

This will be the fourth social group at Washington College to receive a national charter within the past three years, there having been three fraternities that have received charters.

Levenia S. Bowers Died Wednesday

Miss Levenia S. Bowers, of Lynch, died at the Kent and Queen Anne's General Hospital, Wednesday evening following a short illness, age 77 years.

She was a member of the Board of Trustees of St. James M. P. Church, having been a member of that church for the past 40 years.

She is survived by a brother, Mr. Geroge T. Bowers, of Lynch; a sister, Mrs. Linda Starcher, of Clarksburg, West Va., and a half brother, Mr. Robert A. Bowers, of Still Pond.

Funeral services will be held today, Saturday, 2 p. m. at the home in Lynch, Rev. J. L. Marker officiating nterment will be in Still Pond cemetery.

The bearers will be: Messrs. Walter Greenwood and Howard, Raymond, Lester, H. Vickers and Hilden Bowers. Ralph H. Usilton, undertaker in charge.

Wins M. I. T. Scholarship

Hugh Marshal Branham, 16 year old son of Commander and Mrs. Braham, of this county has won a scholarship to Massachusetts Institute of Technology. This is a great honor for a boy of his age and he will enter that university next fall. He is now a student at South Kent Preparatory school in Connecticut.

To Oil Town Streets Tuesday

According to an announcement made this week by Mayor Wilmer, all slag streets in Chestertown will be oiled next Tuesday, May 25th.

Motorists are urged to move all cars from slagged streets on that day.

NEW YORKER BUYS FARMS IN COUNTY

Mrs. Hughlett Buys Brown Farm

The purchaser of the Nichols Marsh and Orchard Point farms in Quaker Neck is Mr. William R. McAlpine of New York according to an announcement made last Saturday morning when final papers for the sale were drawn up. The purchase price of the Nichols Marsh farm which was owned by Mrs. Catherine Hughlett is reported to be $47,000 while that of the Orchard Point farm, owned by Mr. Sephen R. Collins was $15,000. Following the completion of this sale, Mrs. Hughlett purchased the farm of Mrs William T. Brown at Pomona which is tenanted by Mr. Irving Brown, price $13,500.

ORGANIZES CLUB SCOUT TROOP HERE

Makes Seven Troups In County

Kent County continues to hold its lead in scouting activities and this week the announcement was made by C. Lee Gill, organizing chairman, of the forming here of the first cub troup on the Shore under the leadership of Thomas Ritchie. This new cub troup, made up of boys between the ages of nine and twelve years has 15 members of pre scout age. Another activity is the organization of Kent's first Sea Scout troup under the leadership of E. P. Volk which will make a total of seven troups in the county. June 18th has been set as the date for the annual overnight encampment of the seven troups which will be held on big Fairlee farm. The scouts will, on this occasion prepare supper after which a Court of Honor will be held around the camp fire. Mr. Spear, Chief executive of the Del-Mar-Va Council, made his annual visit to the Kent County troups Tuesday. Officials of the county council in addition to Mr. Gill are Dr. Gilbert W. Mead chairman, Herbert Urie vice chairman and Dr Fred G. Livingood chairman of the Court of Honor. In the financial campaign conducted last Fall, this county led the Shore by raising 143% of its quota under the leadership of A. S. Turner, Jr.

FILES CAVEAT TO JOHNSON WILL

Estate Valued At $35,000

Richard Bradford Johnson, of Golt, Kent county, has filed a caveat to the will of his mother, the late Mrs. Laura B. Johnson, who died last January 28 at the home of her son-in-law, I. Frank Huey, in Massey.

The caveat alleges undue influences and other reasons in the making of the will, which bears date of January 14, 1935, and which devised to the son the sum of $500. A codicil added to the will at a later date increased the bequest to the son to $1,500. The will named Mrs. I. Frank Huey, a daughter of the testatrix, who was killed in an automobile accident a few weeks prior to the death of her mother, and a second son, Herman Clayton Johnson, of this county, as residuary legatees and administrators of the estate, an inventory of which filed recently in the Orphans' Court here discloses an estimated value of between $35,000 and $40,000. The estate of the late Anthony H. Johnson, husband of the testatrix, which consists of several valuable farms and personalty, is not affected by the codicil filed in the Orphans' Court yesterday.

Waterboard Digging New Well

Work started this week on the digging of a new well at the Chestertown water works. The new well will be of the artisian type and is expected to increase the capacity of the local station 225 gallons an hour.

The pump for the well will be the impeller type with fourteen impellers which forces the water rather that draws it. The well will be 80 feet deep.

The two Kelly concrete wells recently constructed, have collapsed and it has been necessary to fill them up.

STAGE SET FOR OLD CHESTERTOWN DAY

Old Homes And Historical Places To Be Open

Everything is in readiness for Old Chestertown Day, today, Saturday, when many of the old homes and historical places of interest will be open for inspection. Although some of the homes to be opened are comparatively new they will be used for exhibiting articles of historic and novel value.

The complete list includes thirty places of interest and outstanding among the historic places are:

Washington College, which conferred a degree upon George Washington.

Palmer House, which is thought to be the original dwelling house on the plantation where Chestertown is located.

The Abbey, the paneling of one room of which is on display at the Baltimore Museum of Art.

Emmanuel Church, in which the name Protestant Episcopal Church was adopted following the Revolution.

Wide Hall, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur W. Hubbard.

The proceeds from the affair, which is being sponsored by the Literary Club, will be used for the benefit of the public library.

CLUB BOYS JUDGES AT GUERNSEY SHOW

Grand Champion Bull To Feature Guernsey Show At Raskobs

With more than seventy entries already in sight, the annual show of the Eastern Shore Guernsey Breeders' Association to be held at Pioneer Point Farms on Friday, May 28, promise to be one of the largest in the history of the orgnization, as well as one with perhaps the finest assortment of the breed yet exhibited on the Shore. A number of entries is scheduled to be exhibited from Kent County herds.

Among the outstanding animals to be entered will be Broadland Border King from Thomas Marsalis' "My Lord Gift" farm, which is Grand Champion of its breed nad which has a notable record in the show ring. Broadland Border King placed first as a calf, first as a yearling, first as a two-year-old bull and first as an aged bull, as well as lifting the grand championship, the high water point in exhibitions.

Cattle will be shipped from several counties on the Shore and the event, a stellar attraction on the Shore and Guernsey breeders, is expected to attract a throng of visitors from both Shores of Maryland, Delaware, Pennsylvania and New Jersey, as well as scatterings from farther points.

One of the events looking toward the future will be a 4-H judging contest, open to a representative team of five boys from each of the nine counties of the Shore. The Kent team is practicing now for the contest. This will be held at 10 a. m. on the morning of the show under the direction of a committee consisting of Kenneth W. Baker, County Agent for Queen Anne's; Howard Barker, dairy specialist of the Extension Service, and Stanley B. Sutton, assistant County Agent for Kent County. Mr. Barker will serve as judge in this contest. A trophy will be awarded to the winnnig team, while cash awards of $5, $4, $3, $2 and $1 will be presented to the individuals in order.

Entries from 4-H club boys in the show, which must conform with the general rules of Shore ownership, freedom from Bangs disease and T. B. accredits, will be each awarded $2 regardless of their placing to help defray the expense of shipping their cattle to the event.

Judging in the show itself will start at 11 a. m. and will be handled by Joe Broadhurst, New Jersey specialist in cattle conformation. Cups and ribbons are to be awarded in the various classes of the show.

The trophies will be awarded to these classes; senior yearling bulls over 18 months, under 2 years; bulls 2 years old and under 3; junior champion bull; grand champion bull; cows 4 years old and over; cows 3 years old, under 4; cows 2 years old, under 3; heifers 18 months and under 2 years; junior champion female; grand champion female; senior get of sire, consisting of four animals of either sex sired by same bull; unior get of sire, four animals under 18 months, not more than two bulls, sired by the same bull; produce of dam, consisting of two animals of either sex out of same dam.

Asks Return Of Rev. Roberts

At the annual membership meeting at Christ M. P. Church on Thursday of this week the delegate to the annual session of the Maryland Conference which will convene at Western Maryland College on June 9th, was instructed to ask for the return of Rev. W. P. Roberts to that church for his second year.

Mr. C. E. Noland was elected delegate and Mr. Charles F. Wheatley alternate.

FARM PROGRAM DEAD LINE NEAR

Deal Line For New Members June 1—Emergency Hay Crops May Be Harvested

Two items of interest as they apply to Agricultural Conservation are as follows:

Any Kent County farmer who was not in the 1936 program, desiring to participate in the 1937 program may do so provided they file work sheets before June 1. Nearly everyone was in the program last year, but a few additional or new members have joined the Kent Association. There may be a few more who would like to join the Conservation ranks before June 1.

A hay emergency has been declared due to the effects of the 1936 drought, which killed out over 90% of the clover and much of the grass seeding. This announcement means that farmers without hay or short of normal requirements may grow emergency hay corps without upsetting their participation the Agricultural Conservation program.

Full details are not announced but in general oats for hay if cut before mautrity will not cause trouble with the alloted depleting base for a farm. Soy beans or cow peas for hay may be grown on the farms as needed without changing the classification of the land on which they are raised —if on idle land or bare land the land will still count as idle; if on sod land or land seeded last year with poor grass stand the land will count as conserving acres. Production of ample feed and food crops is a conservation measure.

SHORE WATERWAYS TO BE IMPROVED

House Bill Includes $637,-200 In Dredging Projects

The Committee on Rivers and Harbors, House of Representatives, reported on May 14 the Rivers and Harbors Bill to the House of Representatives.

Congressman T. Alan Goldsborough advises that for the Eastern Shore of Maryland the following projects, sponsored by him, are included in the bill for adoption and authorization by Congress:

Wicomico River, $215,000 for new work and $2000 annually for maintenance.

Harbor in Nanticoke River, $82,-000—$15,000 annual maintenance.

Crisfield Harbor, $33,000—$1000—annual maintenance.

Cambridge Harbor, $34,000—$1000—annual Maintenance.

Little Annemessex River to Tangier Sound—$77,500 with $1000 for annual maintenance.

Canal from Little Choptank River to Great Choptank River, Dorchester County, $59,000—annual maintenance $1000.

Upper Thorofare—Deals Island—$26,000—annual maintenance $1000.

Rock Hall Harbor—$58,000 and $1500 annual maintenance.

North East River, Cecil County—$7300 and $1000 for annual maintenance.

Little Island Creek, Talbot County—$6800—$500 for annual maintenance.

McCready's, Goose and Farm Creeks, Dorchester County, $38,600 and $5,500 for annual maintenance.

KENT HERDS FREE OF TUBERCULOSIS

Says Infected Milk Causes Disease In Children

Dr. Hammond, of the Emergency Hospital, Easton, was the speaker at the regular meeting of the Chestertown Rotary Club on Monday of this week.

The program was arranged by Dr. H. G. Simpers who for a number of years was chairman of the Crippled Children's Committee of the Rotary Club Little Pat Biddle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Biddle was also on the program and told of his experience during an eighteen months treatment for a bone ailment. This treatment was arranged by Dr. Simpers, through the cooperation of the Rotary Club. Pat also rendered a violin solo during the program.

Dr. Hammond's talk was on the subject of infantile paralysis and tubercular bone diseases. He pointed out that in the treatment of the latter the centers for these treatments had found out over a period of years that the disease had decreased directly in the various sections of the country as tuberculosis in cattle had been eradicated.

According to reports from nationally known physicians, the examination of thousands of cases of tuberculosis show that in children under sixteen years of age 28.9 per cent of the cases were bovine and in children under ten years of age the proportion increased to 32.4 per cent.

Kent Herds Free Of Tuberculosis

Residents of Kent County can feel safe in drinking milk from herds in this county. According to a statement made this week by Dr. Turner, officially in charge of tuberculosis eradication in cattle, Kent County is a moderate accredited area and officially accepted to be clean within one half of one per cent. The work of eradicating tuberculosis among cattle in this county has covered a period of a number of years and this slow process has resulted in a stamp of approval on Kent County milk. Work in keeping these herds clean is going on continually.