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Shipped from the Va. plant. If you want the ham cooked at the plant cost $1.00 extra, as it is worth it, in this expert cooking, the chef saves much of its savory goodness. Authorized agent
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We will haul away for you any DEAD HORSES, COWS OR ANY OTHER ANIMALS, if you notify us as soon as they die.
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After 5 p. m. and on Sunday call A. J. Leonard, Chestertown, Md., Phone

WAR DECLARED ON JAPANESE BEETLE

400 Traps To Be Placed In Chestertown

Regardless of the result of the conflict in the Far East there is one Japanese product that is going to be very unpopular in Kent County during the coming year and that is the Japanese Beetle.

Federal and State appropriations for the eradication of this pest have been approved and cooperation of local town and county authorities has been asked in a intensive campaign.

Dr. George Lankford, of the State Agricultural department was in the county Wednesday and took the matter up with Mayor Wilmer. Dr. Lankford suggested that Chestertown buy 400 traps at $1.00 each and the other cooperating agencies would furnish the bait and service the traps. Mayor Wilmer, however, suggested another plan whereby the traps and bait be furnished and the town service the traps. It is expected that the Mayor's suggestion will be accepted.

In servicing the traps Mayor Wilmer plans to use local officers and prisoners from the county jail in servicing the traps so as to practically eliminate the expense.

In a recent article appearing in the Transcript it was pointed out that prisoners in the county jail shall work on county or town streets upon application by the proper authorities. It has been found that winter work is impractical due to the proper clothing of the prisoners although plans for the spring and summer include prison labor.

WANTED

Wanted to hear from owners having old antiques to sell. Furniture China, Glass, old Books, Newspapers, Violins, Clocks. We have a waiting list of clients ready to pay you a good price for any of the above articlse. Send 25c now for illustrated catalog of articles wanted.
NATIONAL TRACERS BUREAU,
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NOTICE TO FIREMEN

The company, at its meeting Monday, accepted an invitation to attend in a body the midnight mass at Sacred Heart Church, Christmas Eve.
Reservations will be held until 11.30 p. m. Meet at fire house 11.15 p. m.

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750 LOCUST FENCE POSTS
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Quote delivery price.
CHURN CREEK FARMS,
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Just received a car load.
GOOD PENNSYLVANIA BUCKWHEAT.
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Terms to suit purchaser.
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No reasonable offer refused.
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ANNOUNCEMENT

DR. F. A. HOLDEN will be at the Health Center, Chestertown,
EVERY WEDNESDAY
FROM 2 P. M. TO 5 P. M.
Practice limited to Eye, Ear, Nose, and Throat. Glasses prescribed.

WARNING

All persons are hereby warned against gunning, trapping or otherwise trespassing on the Nichol's Marsh, Orchard Point, and Salt Box Farms.
WILLIAM R. McALPIN, Owner,
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William H. Medders Found Dead Sunday

Funeral services for Mr. William Harper Medders, prominent young attorney of Chestertown, were held at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Medders in Still Pond Monday afternoon with interment in Still Pond cemetery.

Mr. Medders recently suffered an accident and since that time had been in a nervous and depressed condition and under the care of a physician.

Little Sammy Hendrickson saw a car parked near the woods on one of Mr. Medders farms Sunday morning. He called his father, Mr. Harry Hendrickson who investigated and found Mr. Medders sitting under the wheel of his car with a bullet wound in his chest. Coronor Dr. Frank W. Smith rendered a verdict of suicide and deemed an inquest unnecessary.

Mr. Medders was one of the most promising young lawyers of Chestertown having started the practice of law here two years ago. He was a graduate of Tome Institute, University of Pennsylvania and the Harvard Law School and was converted with a law firm in Baltimore before coming to Chestertown. He was a director and Attorney of the Chestertown Bank of Maryland, and had been mentioned prominently as a candidate for States Attorney.

Besides his parents, he is survived by two sisters, Mrs. O. G. Robinson, of Westminster, and Miss Clara Medders, of New York.

Bearers at the funeral were Messrs. S. R. Collins, W. S. Collins, Jr., W. B. Usilton, 3rd, Albert Constable, Charles Nathan and Thomas Jacobs. Officiating ministers were: Revs. Vaugh Moore, R. W. Hallman and O. G. Robinson. B. R. Fellows was in charge of funeral arrangements.

Rev. John M. Gill Dies In Baltimore

The Rev. John M. Gill, former pastor of Christ M. P. Church here and one of the senior members of the Maryland Annual Conference, died in his sleep Sunday morning at his Baltimore home. He is survived by a son, Robert J. Gill, Baltimore attorney, with whom he resided. He was 81 years old at the time of his death.

One of the outstanding ministers of the Maryland Annual Conference, Dr. Gill was noted as a church builder. Among other charges, he held pastorates at the North Balitmore Methodist Protestant Church, from which he retired last year after twenty-one years' occupancy of the pulpit; the Rhode Island Avenue Church, in Washington; the Eutaw Methodist Protestant Church, and the Chestertown Christ M. P. Church.

WASHINGTON WINS AND LOSES OPENERS

First Home Game Tonight Saturday, Dec. 18

Washington College Basket ball team opened the season this week by winning over Moravian College at Bethlehem, Pa., 40 to 28 Tuesday night and taking the short end of a 28 to 20 score against West Chester Teachers Thursday at West Chester.

Wittenburg, College, of Springfield, Ohio, will be the visitors here tonight when Washington opens its home court season. The Wittenburg team is on an athletic trip east and reports state that they are offering stiff opposition. This first home game will be played in the gymnasium due to the repair work at the armory.

It is hoped that the armory will be ready for the remainder of the season which offers many interesting home games. Fans will see a faster game this season due to a change in the rules which keeps the ball in play during the entire half except for time outs. The only center jumps are at the start of each half, the ball being thrown in from the side lines after a field goal as has been in effect after a completed foul shot.

The season so far and future games follows:

Washington 40—Moravian 28.
Washington 20—W. Chester 28.

Dec. 18—Wittenburg	Home
Jan. 6—John Hopkins	Away
Jan. 8—Western Maryland	Home
Jan. 13—University of Balto.	Away
Jan. 17—Mt. St. Mary's	Home
Jan. 18—Delaware	Away
Jan. 19—P. M. C.	Away
Jan. 22—Loyola	Away
Jan. 29—University of Balto.	Home
Feb. 5—Wayne University	Home
Feb. 9—St. John's	Home
Feb. 11—Mt. St. Mary's	Away
Feb. 12—Gallaudet	Home
Feb. 16—University of Md.	Home
Feb. 19—Delaware	Home
Feb. 22—Western Maryland	Away
Feb. 26—Loyola	Home
March 1—St. John's	Away
March 5—P. M. C.	Home

Nelson Cecil Breaks Ankle

Nelson Cecil, a mechanic at the garage of A. S. Turner & Sons, received a broken ankle this week when a jack slipped dropping a car on him.

He is receiving treatment at the local hospital.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

Notice is hereby given to the stockholders of the FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF CHESTERTOWN, MARYLAND that the regular ANNUAL MEETING for the election of a Board of Directors for the ensuing year will be held at their banking house in Chestertown, Maryland, on TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 1937, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 2 p. m.
W. R. HUBEY, Cashier

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ONE BURROUGHS ADDING MACHINE.
ONE UPRIGHT PIANO.
ONE CONSOLE VICTROLA.
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Chestertown, Md.

FIRE DAMAGES STILL POND HOME

Chestertown Firemen Do Effective Work

Fire, thought to have started from a defective chimney, damaged the home of Mr. Hilden Bowers in Still Pond Saturday afternoon. When discovered, the fire was in the third floor of the home, which was packed with furniture owned by Mrs. Thomas Bradley, of Kennedyville who formerly lived in the home.

The Chestertown fire company answered the alarm and pumped water for two hours through the booster system and succeeded in bringing the fire under control. Cooperation on the part of residents of Still Pond who kept water to the truck with a bucket brigade materially aided the firemen. The home was damaged to the extent of approximately $500 which was covered by insurance. The furniture owned by Mrs. Bradley was practically destroyed.

TOMS HERD LEADS IN MILK SUPPLY

Kent Herd Improvement Association Report For November

The following report gives the five highest herds and the ten highest cows for butterfat production during November in the Kent Dairy Herd Improvement Association.

George Toms' herd of six grade Guernsey cows was first with an average of 889 pounds of milk and 37.3 pounds fat per cow.

Walter Moffett and son was second with 10 grade and pure bred Holstein milking an average of 732 pounds milk and 30.3 pounds fat.

Samuel Spray was third with 22 grade Guernseys milking an average of 604 pounds milk and 29.4 pounds fat.

Churn Creek Farms was fourth with 52 pure bred Guernseys milking an average of 599 pounds milk and 28.9 pounds fat.

George Debnam, III, was fifth with 19 grade and pure bred Guernseys milking 546 pounds milk and 28.4 pounds fat.

The ten hgihest individual cows in the Association stood as follows:

First—Sam Spray's Hershburgh, a grade Guernsey, milked 1416 pounds milk testing 4% making 56.6 pounds fat.

Second—George Debnam, III, Mayflower, a pure bred Guernsey, milked 1062 pounds milk testing 4.9% making 52.0 pounds fat.

Third—Samuel Spray's, Louise, a grade Guernsey, milked 840 pounds milk testing 6.0% making 50.4 pounds fat.

Fourth—Howard S. Leaverton's No. 78, a pure bred Holstein, milked 1617 pounds milk testing 3.1% making 49.3 pounds fat.

Fifth—Sam Spray's Kick, a grade Guernsey milked 832 pounds milk testing 5.8% making 48.2 pounds fat.

Sixth—Howard S. Leaverton's Pauline, a pure bred Holstein, milked 1166 pounds milk testing 4% making 46.6 pounds fat.

Seventh—Howard S. Leaverton's Holloway No. 3, a pure bred Holstein, milked 1482 pounds milk testing 3% making 44.5 pounds fat.

Eighth—George Debnam, III, Sister a pure bred Guernsey, milked 912 pounds milk testing 4.9% making 44.5 pounds fat.

Ninth—Churn Creek Farms' Santa, a pure bred Guernsey, milked 798 pounds milk testing 5.5% making 43.9 pounds fat.

Tenth—Churn Creek Farms' Hilma, a pure bred Guernsey, milked 1017 pounds milk testing 4.3% making 43.7 pounds fat.

Wilbur H. Morris, Jr., is the tester in charge.

Charles Smith Dies At Betterton

Mr. Charles Henry Smith passed away at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bowman, of Betterton, Monday morning in his 84th year.

Mr. Smith has been a resident of Betterton all his life. He was of a quiet disposition and will be missed by his great number of friends and acquaintences.

He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Blanche Newcomb, of Baltimore, two sons, Alpheus Smith, of Betterton, and Howard Smith of Seaford, Del.

Funeral services was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bowman Wednesday afternoon at 1.30 p. m., Rev. Hallman officiating. Interment was in Still Pond cemetery.

The bearers were: Messrs. John Crew, Elwood Bramble, George Brice, Laurie Hackett, Walter Crew, Charles Clerk. B. R. Fellows, undertaker.



NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS CORRESPONDENTS and SUBSCRIBERS

Due to the fact that there will be no rural delivery on Christmas Day, Decmber 25, The Transcript will go to press Wed. evening, Dec. 23.. This will enable all merchants to advertise for last minute shopping. All correspondents and contributions are requested to cooperate by having communications in not later than Wednesday noon.

FARM BUREAU TO ELECT DIRECTORS

Annual Meeting Next Wednesday

The annual meeting of the Kent County Farm Bureau will be held next Wednesday, December 22nd at which time the directors for the coming year will be elected as well as the delegate to the State convention.

The meeting will be held at the little Court House on Cross Street at 1.30 p. m. and officials of that organization are very anxious to have a large representation of the membership present. Refreshments will be served. The speaker on the occasion will be Mr. Harry Nuttle, president of the State organization.

Following the election of directors of the Kent County organization, the directors will elect the officers.

FARM PROGRAM UNIMPORTANT HERE

1938 Conservation Plan Same As 1937

At a meeting of Shore County Agents in Denton yesterday it was revealed that the Federal Conservation program that was in effect in 1937 will continue throughout 1938 with a few minor changes according to a statement made by County Agent McVean this week.

The new farm program now before Congress will have little effect here as Maryland has no warehouse law, and is designed particularly for the large corn belt in the middle west and the southern cotton and tobacco growers.

Although the proposed new bill will not directly effect Maryland farmers they may benefit somewhat by the effect of certain provisions providing for price fixing and crop control.

PLANS TO REVIVE CIVIC GROUP HERE

Interest Shown In Chamber Of Commerce

At a meeting of a number of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce with local civic leaders last Monday night it was decided to make an effort to revive the Kent County Chamber of Commerce and bring it back to the position it once held as leading in civic affairs and problems.

The activities of the organization waned during the economic depression as did many other organizations of its kind but rceent interest in the need of such an organization promises to bring about a continuance of activities.

The organization has been kept intact although inactive. The plan as outlined at Monday nights meeting includes filling of vacancies on the board and the calling of a general meeting at a later date.

A program of activities was discussed and will be presented at the re-organization meeting.

Those who attended the meeting on Monday were: Messrs. A. S. Turner, Jr., C. E. Noland, Dr. H. B. Simmons, R. O. Wright, E. Clarke Grieb and Mrs. Nell C. Westcott.

PREDICTS GREAT FUTURE FOR DAIRY INDUSTRY IN THIS SECTION OF STATE

Two Hundred And Seventy Dairymen Attended Meeting Here Wednesday

Cooperation Between Producer And Dealer Was Keynote Of Meeting

Cooperation between producer and dealer and more intensive dairying in this section was the keynote of addresses made at the dinner meeting of 300 Kent County dairymen Wednesday evening at the Washington College gymnasium.

Following a delicious dinner served by the ladies of St. James Church, to the tune of dinner music by the college orchestra, and two entertaining features, Mr. H. S. Startt, president of the Kent County division of the Interstate Milk Cooperative, took the chair and started the serious part of the meeting which dealt with the production and sale of milk.

Mr. Startt expressed his gratification at such a large attendance at the meeting saying that last year only twelve dairymen were interested enough to attend. At this point one of Kent's progressive farm women remarked from the floor, "Did you feed them." Mr. Startt, in spite of his ability at repartee, made no reply because truth cannot be denied. He however continued his remarks by calling attention to the need of organization among the dairymen and the excellent work being accomplished by the Interstate Milk Cooperative.

The first guest speaker was Mr. Hoffner, of the Supplee-Wills-Jones Milk Company, owners of the Kennedyville and Chestertown milk stations. He stated that his company opened these stations, together with the Worton Station during 1911, 1912 and 1913 and had been doing an uninterupted business here for 26 years. That at the end of this month his company will have paid dairymen using these stations $450,000 during 1937 as compared to $370,000 during 1936, the average price paid for milk being $2.37 per 100 pounds. That this price was approximately 90 cents more than that paid in many of the cities on the Atlantic seaboard. That since the Pennsylvania Board of Health had required the cooling of milk on the farm, much less milk had been refused at the stations. That the variation in price was determined largely by the price of butter as evidenced by the $2.23 price in May when butter was 31 cents and the present price of $2.50 with butter at 38 cents. He called attention to the increased cost to the company due to labor, taxes and the Board of Health requirements. Also to the diminishing consumption of raw milk due to economic conditions. As to the new central milk station in the county Mr. Hoffner stated that it is being considered due to the fact that as health requirements necessitated so many changes that it would be better to build a new station. That no definite time had been determined for the change and that it may not happen until the latter part of 1938.

Lauderbach Urges Cooperation

The next speaker was Mr. A. H. Lauderbach, manager of the Interstate Milk Cooperative who pointed to the necessity of cooperation. He stated that in nearby cities, where producers were not properly organized, these producers were receiving a much smaller price for their milk. He pointed to the necessity of a close relationship between producer and distributor and the advantage of ironing out difficulties rather than continually fighting. He however pointed out the difference in milk station handling charges between Pennsylvania producers and producers outside of that State, the latter receiving approximately 9 cents less for milk due to that much difference in those charges. The Milk Control board has compelled distributors to reduce these charges in Pennsylvania from 22 cents to 16 cents, but as this Board has no jurisdiction outside of that State the charges to out of state producers have not been reduced. It is maintained that if the 16 cent charge is fair in Pennsylvania it should be the same in other states in the same distance areas. A meeting has been called for next Wednesday in Philadelphia at which time producers, distributors and Federal Agents will gather to determine the justification of this difference and it is thought that this meeting will result in evening up the difference. A 16 cent handling charge in Kent County would mean an average annual increase of between $50 and $100 to the average Kent County dairyman.

Mr. Laudebach stated that he was opposed to producing cooperatives becoming distributors and cited some very disasterous efforts made along that line. He considered the duty of cooperative agents to promote the use of milk and look to the interests of the producers in dealings with distributors. That unless industry recognizes the value of agriculture it is eventually going to disappear as low prices causes soil robbing and the eventual abandoning of farms.

Prophesies Great Dairy Industry Here

Mr. Laudebach predicted that within the next ten years the Eastern Shore will produce fifty per cent of the milk used in the Philadelphia milk shed. He urged a greater concentration on the dairy industry stating that this territory was an ideal dairy section due to the milder climate, better labor conditions and the proximity to the markets. When asked from the floor what is to become of the small producer who has been turned away from the milk station, he replied that those producing about 50 pounds of milk would have to pass out of the picture as dairying on that small scale was not profitable.

Editor's Note—Following the meeting the writer asked Mr. Lauderbach the solution of the present system of rental and its drawback to greater development of the dairy industry here. He stated that the solution was the eventual change for the existing system whereby the landlord would share in the milk. He stated that on his farm in Minnesota he furnishes the farm and cows, the tenant furnishes the implements and horses and that both share in all crops. That many tenant farmers are not financially able to build up a herd of paying quality.

MERCHANTS HOLD CHRISTMAS PARTY

Treat 1500 Kiddies At Annual Celebration

Fiftten hundred kids from Kent and nearby Queen Anne's counties were guests of merchants and business men of Chestertown last Monday at a party which lasted the entire afternoon.

Starting with a scavenger hunt, in which hundreds of children scoured the town for all kinds of articles, the program ended with Santa Clause giving every child present a box of candy and anu orange.

The result of the scavenger hunt was:

Under 12 years—Allan Reynolds and Doris Crowding; Over 12 years—Charles Crowding and Betty Coleman. Each of these youngsters received one dollar as a prize.

Movie tickets were given the following: Under 12—Leon Stalyer, Jimmy Hadaway, David Eliason, Leonard Needles, Irving Gersbeck, Hallie Briscoe, Reese Corey, Norman Patrick Anna Winchester, Elizabeth Ann Wheat. Over 12—Jimmy Crouch, Lillian Hoffner, Grace Wolford, Marie Schauber, Jimmy Bringman, Clara Coleman, Walter Pardee, Lewin Wheat, Oscar Gardner, Eleanor Newton, Frank Gardner, Howard Wheatley.

Ice Cream treats were given the following: Under 12—Norman Wright, Jean Hill, Jane Brooks, Betty Blackway, Alice Miller, Mollie Hines, William Bartlan, Ann Pennington, Billy Yackel, Betty Roberts. Over 12—Ina Logan, Frances Kreeger, Maude Sutton, June Maslin, Marie Coleman, Edward Tramer.

Congratulations are in order for the Boy Scouts and Sea Scouts who ably assisted in keeping the kids in line and maintaining order among them. These scouts stuck to their posts until the end even when the supply of candy and oranges were getting so low that their chances of getting any were fading. The scouts were under supervision of Mr. P. L. Volk Sea Scout Master.

Mrs. Elizabeth Tibbitt Died At Home Here

Mary Elizabeth Tibbitt, 79, died Sunday night at her home on Cannon Street, Chestertown. Funeral services were held at 1 P. M. Wednesday at Dulaney Church, near Clayton, Del., with the Rev. A. W. Parker, of Millington, in charge.

The deceased is survived by the following children: Mrs. Clarence Reed, Golts, Raymond W., and V. Cooper Tibbitt and Mrs. Walter Hickman, of Chestertown. A brother, Jesse Dixon, of Wyoming, Del., also survives.

The Pall Bearers were: Leonard Crew, John Dixon, Samuel Beck, Walter Hickman, Charles Hickman and Thomas Hickman. Ralph H. Usilton was the funeral director.

Miss Fannie DeCorse Died At Home Here

Miss Fannie M. DeCorse, daughter of the late J. P. and Mary A. DeCorse, died at her home on High St., at 9 A. M. Wednesday after a long illness. She was 65 years of age.

Funeral services were held Friday at 2 P. M. from the funeral parlors of Ralph H. Usilton, funeral director, and intertainment wil be in Chester Cemetery. The Rev. W. P. Roberts will officiate.

The bearers were: Dr. H. B. Simmons, H. Stockton Startt, W. Raymond Startt, Morris Keene Barroll, Raymond Lusby and Herbert Lusby.

Funeral For Mrs. Bessie Hurtt Held Tuesday

Mrs. Bessie Hurtt, well-known land owner of upper Kent county, died in a Wilmington hospital Sunday after a brief illness. Funeral services were held yesterday from her late home near Galena.

She is survived by a son, James F. Hurtt, of near Galena, and many other relatives in that section.

Prize Offered For Protecting Game

The Maryland boy or girl between ten and eighteen who does the most for game birds by feeding and sheltering them this winter will be awarded a silver cup next April by the State Game and Fish Protective Association.

This effort to protect and increase our wildlife is not only for sportsmen. It is to help farmers and gardeners. Game birds eat millions of destructive insects, the association explained.

Food for birds can be obtained free from district deputy game wardens, the association announced.