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THERE IS A reported sentiment among oyster tongers of this section that favors the closing of the oyster during at least part of the month of September. This sentiment is attributed to the fact that the warm weather of that month causes slow sales and therefore a glutted marked and low price. Only the best of the oysters find any sale at all during this period. Whether or not this report applies to oystermen generally we are not in a position to say but the fact that some of the tongers favor this shortened season offsets the claim of certain groups that watermen are not at all interested in conservation and that they are responsible for a so called destruction of the seafood industry of the Chesapeake Bay. We have claimed for some time that watermen will cooperate in a well planned conservation program that is designed and enforced by capable men with a thorough knowledge of the entire seafood industry, but they can never be expected to favor programs outlined by men who are given responsible positions due to their political activities. Respect of conservation laws will follow a rigid enforcement of these laws and when police boats become fulltime conservation agents and cease to be made excursion boats and yachts for certain privileged groups, then and not until then will the effectiveness of any of the present laws have a real test.

ACCORDING TO A proclamation by President Roosevelt and a proclamation by Governor O'Conor, next Thursday, November 23rd will be Thanksgiving Day regardless of what anyone thinks about it. Thanksgiving Day originated among the early settlers of this country as a day to be set aside to give thanks for the completion of the harvest which assured food and the necessities of life through the long winter months. In those days these early settlers needed little more than that which could be derived from a bountiful harvest and their Thanksgiving Day probably meant a great deal more than it does today when the masses of our population rarely see or hear of a harvest. While to most people Thanksgiving is just another holiday yet the various churches are open for those who care to give thanks for their many blessings and if one will realize the many blessings that are enjoyed in America as compared to the troubles confronting people of other nations, next Thursday can be made a day of real Thanksgiving.

NOW THAT the Kent County Fair is over for another year and the hospital wing fund has been increased by approximately $900 to a total of $2800, it is still a long way from being sufficient to construct the much needed addition. In other words, by depending upon the County Fair receipts alone, the new addition can not be completed or paid for until the lapse of 20 years. Apparently the proponents of the enlargement of the hospital have no idea of trying to pay for it by county fairs but know that those who are able to contribute toward worthy causes of this kind are first interested in seeing what efforts are made by these proponents before they are convinced that the cause is justified. From observation of the efforts by the large group of ladies interested in the hospital there is no question as to their determination and there is also little doubt but that the hospital wing will be started shortly. The natural question, is, where is the money coming from? If there is any truth to the saying "Where there is a will, there is a way," then the question is answered because the will has been shown, and we believe the way will follow. When such an active and representative group of women in any community determine upon any project there is no question as to its success.

MRS. S. R. CLEMENTS, in her report at the annual convention of the Maryland Congress of Parents and Teachers, was outspoken against the various so called forms of "ism" government that are endeavoring to destroy Democracy. There is little question but that this same opinion exists among most American organizations as well as individuals. While America is endeavoring to remain neutral from a material standpoint there is little question as to the sentiment in this country with reference to the European Situation.

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HEALTH DEPT. SAYS WASH FRUIT BEFORE USING

"Don't run unnecessary risks. Before you bite into that luscious apple, those grapes, or pears, or any of the other fruits so alluringly displayed on roadside stands, in the stores and markets, wash the fruit thoroughly." This word of caution comes from Dr. R. H. Riley, Director of the State Department of Health. It applies also to fruits served on the table, packed in childrens lunch boxes, or used in other ways.

"There is more than a chance, "Dr. Riley continued, "that a bit of the poisonous spray used on growing fruit to protect it from insect enemies, will be found on the mature fruit. Vegetables are protected by the same sort of spray so it is equally important that vegetables be washed with great care before they are cooked. Lettuce and other vegetables served raw, should be washed with equal thoroughness.

"The custom of spraying growing fruits and vegetables with poisonous chemical sprays, to protect them against insect pests, has become very general. A great deal of the spray is washed off by the sumer rains, but there is always a possibility of a trace of it being left as it does not dissolve readily. Fruits and vegetables go through a great deal of handling, before they finally reach the markets and a thorough washing will get rid of dirt and soil as well as of the chemicals used to bring about perfection in the crops when harvested.

"Through special services maintained by the State Department of Health in cooperation with the Inspection Service of the University of Maryland, and the farmers and orchardists, great care is taken to protect Maryland fruit against damage from the chemicals used in the sprays, and to prevent fruit holding traces of such poisons from reaching the Maryland markets.

"Sometimes the best-looking and most attractive vegetables and fruits sprayed. You can't trust to appearances. It is always safest to wash are those that have been most heavily both fruits and vegetables, thoroughly, before using them."

NEWS GATHERED ON THE PENINSULA

On Tuesday of this week Judge Frederick Lee Coburn imposed fines on six men accused of bookmaking in Harford County. The six men, George Baekey, Roscoe Forsythe, Joseph Katzand Lawrence Walker, all of Havre de Grace, Harry Gorrell, of Bel Air, and Eugene Loughlin, of Edgewood, were arrested last week by members of the sheriff's force.

One-half the fines go to the Board of Education and one-half to the Bar Library.

The inspection of Maryland automobiles is taking place through the month of November and according to the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles no inspection can be had after December 15th. It is necessary to have automobiles inspected before new tags will be issued prior to April 1, 1940.

Mr. Omar L. Carson, president of the Havre de Grace Chamber of Commerce, has appointed a committee of business men to confer with the State Roads Commission about retaining the present Havre de Grace-Perryville double-decker bridge.

A resolution was passed at the last session of the General Assembly authorizing the State Roads Commission to issue markers at a nominal annual fee for automobile owners of Harford and Cecil counties for use on the new toll bridge. Whether or not this will be done seems to be an uncertainty.

As the new bridge progresses Havre de Grace merchants have become apprehensive over the effect the toll system will have on business carried on between Harford and Cecil counties.

The Arundel Corporation's dredge No. 17, has started work on the contract the company has with the War Department for the dredging of approximately 900,000 cubic yards of material from the Chesapeake and Delaware Canal in the deep cut section .

The dredge was forced to begin work about midway between Lorewood Grove and Methel, and it was found necessary to strengthen one section of the retaining bank before any materials could be pumped into the retaining basin.

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1—Lauretum in 4th District tenanted by Charles Hawkins, containing 157 acres.

3—Smith farm in 6th District, tenanted by Romie Fogwell, containing 338 acres.

4—Fowler farm, in 6th District, tenanted by Milton Fogwell, containing 204 acres.

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To and from the Heart of BALTIMORE

Schedule in effect November 1st, 1939 (Eastern Standard Time)

LEAVE LOVE POINT (B. & E. R. R. PIER)
DAILY ex. Sun. 1:00 a. m. · DAILY 9:35 a. m. · DAILY 6:00 p. m.

LEAVE BALTIMORE (PIER 5, LIGHT STREET)
DAILY 7:00 a. m. · DAILY 3:00 p. m. · DAILY ex. Sat. 9:00 p. m.

Passengers, Automobiles and Trucks Handled on All Trips

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50c ONE WAY · 85c ROUND TRIP (4-day limit)
65c ONE-DAY EXCURSION
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TRUCKS INCLUDING DRIVER $3 to $6

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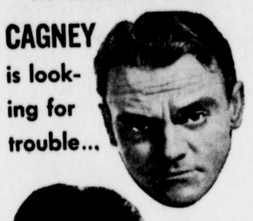

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The producers of "Boys Town" now bring you another grand heart drama ...with Virginia Weidler, girl star of "The Women", in an unforgettable role!

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VIRGINIA WEIDLER with GENE REYNOLDS
GUY KIBBEE · IAN HUNTER
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HENRY HULL · LOIS WILSON

Directed by William Thiele
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A Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture

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GREAT RETURN SHOWING

OUT WEST with the HARDYS

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Screen play by Kay Van Riper, Agnes Christine Johnston and William Ludwig

Directed by GEORGE B. SEITZ

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

CHARTER NO. 13798 DESERVE DISTRICT NO. 5

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF CHESTERTOWN, IN THE STATE OF MARYLAND, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON OCTOBER 2nd, 1939

(Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.)

ASSETS

Loans and discounts	$432,286.78
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	66,259.69
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	14,000.00
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	163,405.00
Corporate stocks, including stock of Federal Reserve bank	3,000.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	218,137.69
Bank premises owned $36,000.00, furniture and fixtures $4425.00	40,425.00
Total Assets	$937,514.16

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	$311,007.96
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	437,399.05
Deposits of U. S. Government (including postal savings)	50,000.00
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	29,742.24
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	111.39
Total Deposits $828,260.64	
Total Liabilities	$828,260.64

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital Stock:	
(b) Class B preferred, total par, retirable value	$ 50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	9,253.52
Total Capital Accounts	$109,253.52
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	$937,514.16

MEMORANDA

Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
U. S. Gov. obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to to secure deposits and other liabilities	$ 34,000.00
Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement)	54,263.44
Total	$ 88,263.44
Secured liabilities:	
Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	$ 28,683.88
Total	$ 28,683.88

State of Maryland, County of Kent, ss: I, W. R. Huey, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. R. HUEY, Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of October, 1939.
ENNA B. LEWIS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
THOS. D. BOWERS,
P. M. BROOKS,
STEPHEN R. COLLINS,
Directors.

OFFICERS

STEPHEN R. COLLINS, President. W. R. HUEY, Cashier.
T. D. BOWERS, Vice President. R. R. WILKINS, Asst. Cashier.

DIRECTORS

T. D. BOWERS, P. M. BROOKS, R. H. COLLINS, Jr., S. R. COLLINS, W. R. HUEY, G. ELLSWORTH LEARY, W. U. LUSBY, H. S. STARTT, R. W. STAVELY, ANDREW W. WILSON

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THOSE WHO REMAIN

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We consider this part of our work as important as any other. Our highest aim is to have our patrons look upon us as trusted friends, ready and anxious to render sympathetic assistance to those who remain behind.

R. R. FELLOWS,
Funeral Director.
Still Pond, Md.