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SATURDAY, AUGUST 17th, 1940

The death this week of Mr. Alan A. Harris is a decided loss to Chestertown and Kent County. In spite of his advanced age of eighty-one years he was outstanding in the business, civic and social life of the community, which position he held until his death following a seven day illness. Although his age at the outbreak of the world war prevented participation in the armed forces, he was a leader in activities at home pertaining to war work behind the lines. He led the Liberty Loan activity here and since that time has taken a leading part in Red Cross work in the Kent County Chapter and held the position of Treasurer of that organization until his death. He was the oldest man actively engaged in banking on the Eastern Shore. His death is mourned by a homst of friends nad business associates.

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The death this week of Miss Sarah Elizabeth Stuart also leaves a vacancy in this community. Miss Stuart was an outstanding authority on geneology in this county. Her work in copying and putting in permanent form the records of Kent County from 1637 to 1758 is a monument to her. It was only through her knowledge of the early families of Kent County that the copying of these records were possible. Her private records of early life in Kent County has helped perpetuate the early life in this county, which before her interest, was only handed down hearsay.

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The shocking report that traffic deaths in Maryland during July, 1940 were fifty percent higher than that of July 1939, in spite of the tremendous effort on the part of State officials to educate motorists to the dangers of road travel, leads to the belief that some other methods must be adopted. Whether a policy of regid policing of all highways in the State is necessary or whether the traveling public can still be educated, we are not in a position to say. However, as the report shows a large proportion of deaths among pedestrians, adequate regulations, strictly enforced, pertaining to pedestrian travel as well as motor travel might help. Roads are being improved and widened but instead of preventing accidents only results in more speed.

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Weeks go by and still we find Congress jockeying with ideas and politics with very little being done toward the program of preparing this country to defend itself in a world that is at war. With all of the resources, both materials and industrial, that America has available there is little question but that our security can be maintained if we can forget politics and self interesst and work for the common good. We have seen great nations crushed due to just what is going on in our own country and while such a tremendous program requires very careful consideration, it can not be accomplished by speech making. We have seen the result of a once too-hurried preparation, let us profit by this experience and be prepared for whatever comes. There have been many reasons advanced for the fall of France, one of which was that the people of that country had been trying to get all that they could from their government instead of doing what they could for it. If this can cause the downfall of a country, we can not be secure in this country until we change our attitude. It might be well for America to think more of giving and less of receiving.

L. WETHERED BARROLL, Attorney

Ratification Nisi

In the matter of the Trusts created under the will of Margaret W. Barroll

In the Circuit Court for Kent County
In Equity, No. 2939

Ordered, this 14th day of August 1940, by the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity, that the Auditor's Account and Report, stated and reported by S. Scott Beck, Auditor, in the above entitled cause, be Ratified and Confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown within three weeks from the date of the first publication of said notice, viz: September 7th, 1940; Provided, a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent County, once in each of two successive weeks before the 26th day of August next.

True Copy,
ROBERT A. SHALLCROSS, Clerk

Test:
ROBERT A. SHALLCROSS, Clerk

THREE KENT COUNTY FARMS FOR SALE

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.

HARRISON W. VICKERS,
HERBERT E. PERKINS,

SHERIFF'S SALE

of Valuable
Oil Paintings, Etchings,
Water Colors and Prints
and
French and Italian Antiques
Household Furniture and
Women's Wearing Apparel

Near Centreville, Md.

By virtue of two Writs of Fieri Facias one issued out of the Circuit Court for Queen Anne's County, at the suit of the First National Bank of Chestertown, Maryland versus Elizabeth W. Martin and Catherine W. Martin, and the other issued out of the Circuit Court for Kent County at the suit of The Chestertown Bank of Maryland use of P. G. Wilmer versus Catherine W. Martin and Elizabeth W. Martin, and directed to me, I have taken in execution all the interest and estate of the said Elizabeth Martin and Catherine Martin in the following personal property:

OIL PAINTINGS, ETCHINGS, WATER COLORS and PRINTS

"The Matterhorn", by Albert Bierstadt—a large oil painting; Oil Painting of an Old Lady; Three-Folding French Screen Oil Painting on Leather; 3 Original Water Colors, by Facciola—Roman Arch, Courtyard of the Doge and Stairway Scene; Reims Cathedral—Rose Window—by Henry—colored etching; 3 Original Etchings—by Colucci; Dutch Windmill Scene—Etching by W. H. Shelton: Boat Scene by C. A. Plat—Original Etching; One Colored Wood Cut of Paris—(Madeleine by Rich); One Colored Wood Cut of Paris—(Notre Dame by Wolf); Etching—by Stephen Parrish; Colored Etching: Water Color—by W. A. Harold; Wharf Scene—by J. C. Nicoll; Venetian Scene—by G. Marine; French Colored Etching; Water Color of Two Donkeys; French Print—"Affection and Innocence"; Lithograph Print; French Print; Lithograph Boat Scene—by H. A. Vincent; Water Color Print—Title, Shakespeare; 2 Boats Prints—by Wolf; Print of Doorway; Ethcings of Dogs—by Dennis.

ANTIQUES—FRENCH AND ITALIAN

Italian Oak Wine Cabinet; 6 Walnut Dining Room Chairs—18th Century—upholstered in Damask; French Rosewood Inlaid Secretary; Italian Divan covered in Silver threaded Damask; French Inlaid Table; Old Italian Oak Refectory Table; Chinese Lacquer Curio Cabinet; Chinese Secretary Table; Italian hand-forged two-piece fire irons; French Empire Mirror—large; Brittany Open Dish Cupboard; Old Fashioned Candlestick Lamp; 2 Chinese Crackle-ware Vases—electrified with silk shades; 2 French Walnut carved twin beds—with rattan head and foot boards, box springs and hair mattresses; Majolica Vase Lamp—electrified.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

Walnut Dining Room Table—Duncan Phyfe; Sofa—modern—overstuffed; Arm Chair—modern—overstuffed; R.C.A. Radio, Victrola and Records of Operas—large; Painted Iron Bedstead, Night Table, Dressing Table, Chiffoner, Chair and Mirror; Reed Chair; Grass Rug; Cottage five-drawer Chest; Three Drawer Maple Bureau; Unpainted Dressing Table; Rattan Dressing Table Stool; Virginia Chair; Oval Coffee Table; Porcelain Top Kitchen Table; Set of Dishes for six; Lot of Dishes in Kitchen; Bed Room Chair; Lot of Kitchen Utensils; Electric Iron; Electric Toaster; Lot of Table Linen and Bed Linen; End Table; One Telephone Table; 3 Colored Glass Lamps with Shades; Woolen Rug 9x12; Glass Top Coffee Table.

MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES

Violin; Lot of fine Modern Books; Three Steamer Trunks; Three Suit Cases; Seven Large Trunks; Portable Victrola; Glider Cushions; Luggage Holders; Barrel of Glassware; Garden Hose; Fireplace Screen and Broom; Hat Trunk; Lot of Fur Coats, Dresses, Sports Wear, Shoes, Hats, Lingerie, Silk Hosiery, Gloves and Jewelry and other miscellaneous Wearing Apparel, Pictures and Furniture.

The above property presents to lovers of art a wonderful opportunity to purchase valuable pictures and antiques.

WHICH I WILL OFFER FOR SALE by a public auction to the highest bidder for cash on

FRIDAY, AUG. 23, '40

beginning at 1 o'clock P. M., E.S.T. at the "LAND'S END FARM" of H. Norris Harrison on the Chester River near Church Hill and Centreville, Queen Anne's County, Maryland. (This farm is reached by U. S. Maryland Highway No. 213, and turning west near Centreville and Church Hill.)

EDWARD EARL COURSEY,
Sheriff of Queen Anne's County, Md.

JOHN PALMER SMITH
WILLIAM R. HORNEY,
S. SCOTT BECK, JR.,
Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

PUBLIC SALE OF PERSONALTY

Having decided to discontinue farming I will have a complete dispersal sale of my personalty on the farm which I now reside (Eliason Farm) about one and a half miles from Chestertown on the road to Worton Point, generally known as the Flatland Road, on

Tuesday, August 20, 1940

commencing at ten thirty (10:30) o'clock A. M. all the following personalty to wit:

1 BULL

18 MILK COWS

These cows consist of Holstein and Guernsey and are exceptional quality animals ranging in ages from 3 years to 10 years.

13 HEIFERS

Two and Three years old. This herd has been FEDERAL ACCREDITED FOR T. B. FOR 17 YEARS AND FOR BANGS 8 YEARS. Several of the above are entitled to registry but will be sold without papers.

7 LARGE DRAFT HORSES

3 MULES

Exceptional quality and size (one is a Stallion) and will work in all harness. Ages range from 6 to 12 years. Ages of mules—16 to 18 years.

FARM IMPLEMENTS

3 John Deere riding plows, 2 Oliver walking plows, 40 and 19, 1 one-horse Oliver plow, 1-52 drag harrow, 2 10ft. drags, 1 6ft. Disc harrow, 1 three section harrow, 3 John Deere wheel cultivators, 2 Iron Age cultivators, 1 Asparagus disc harrow and 1 asparagus disc cultivator, 3 hand cultivators, 1 asparagus cart, 2 John Deere mowers, 1 dump rake, 1 side-delivery rake, 1 hay loader, 1 hay tedder, 1 John Deere Corn planter, 1 Schauber corn cutter, 1 John Deere Manure spreader, 1 Steel roller, 1 potato digger, 1 potato planter, 1 go-devil, 2 McCormick binders, 2 Thomas wheat drills, 1 bob-sled, 3 farm wagons, 3 wheel-barrow grass seeders, 1 International feed grinder, 1 Hammermill, 1 two-hole corn sheller, 1 hog scalder, 2 tomato riggins, 1 dirt scoop, 1 grinding stone, 1 grain fan, 8 sets plow harness, 3 sets double chain harness, 12 horse collars, 12 bridles, several 2-3-4-5-6 horse trees, 1 beet chopper, and a number of miscellaneous articles too numerous to mention. Small amount of household furniture.

TERMS:—CASH

LINWOOD A. SUTTON,
H. S. STARTT, Auct. Owner.

Lunch will be served by Ladies Aid of St. James Church.

ATTORNEY'S AND ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a Mortgage from William W. Coleman and Lena A. B. Coleman, his wife to James W. Beck dated January 17, 1925 and recorded among the Land Records for Kent County, Maryland in Liber R. R. A. No. 4, Folio 325, which said Mortgage by mense assignments was assigned to Harrison W. Vickers for the purpose of foreclosure and collection; default having occurred in said Mortgage, and the said Attorney and Assignee will offer at public sale in front of the Court House Door in Chestertown, Kent County, Maryland, on

Tuesday, Aug. 20th, 1940

between the hours of 11:30 A. M. and 12 M.,

All that tract, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Fifth Election District of Kent County, Maryland and described as follows, to wit: BEGINNING for the same at the Southwest corner thereof, being the original beginning of the whole tract of which the herein described land is a part; and running thence South 76½ deg. East 24 perches to a stone set to mark the division line between the herein described land and about a half acre reserved to James W. Beck; then running with the said division line North 20½ deg. East 15 perches to the shore of Davis Creek; then running with the same South 83¾ deg. West 10.8 perches; thence North 8¼ deg. West 5.4 perches to the D. C. Elbourn land now Thumlert land; then running with the same South 54¼ deg. West 22 perches to the place of beginning and containing about 1 2-3 Acres of land. IT BEING the same property which was conveyed by Deed dated the 17th day of January 1925 from James W. Beck and wife to William W. Coleman, which said Deed is recorded among the Land Records for Kent County, Maryland.

THE ABOVE PROPERTY is improved by a two story frame dwelling.

TERMS OF SALE:—One-third cash on day of sale and the balance upon the ratification of sale. The unpaid purchase money will draw interest. All unpaid taxes and Revenue Stamps shall be paid by the purchaser. These terms may be modified to a suitable purchaser.

HARRISON W. VICKERS,
Attorney and Assignee
H. STOCKTON STARTT, Auctioneer

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.

ON THE SCREEN AT THE NEW LYCEUM

Ann Sothern, who first introduced the stranded showgirl character, Maisie, in a dude ranch setting and then took her to Africa in "Congo Maisie," will be seen footloose in the midst of the Arizona desert for her latest daventures in "Gold Rush Maisie," which comes on Monday and Tuesday August 19th and 20th to the New Lyceum Theatre. Three blocks of a desert bhost town were built in the sagebrush on Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's "Lot Three" for the picture. Caved-in roofs, crumbled walls, broken windows and sagging doors characterized the Miners' Bank, the pool hall, the cafe.

In the scene Maisie's old jallopy has broken down and she is desperately searching for someone to come to her assistance. In her flapping straw hat and ruffled dress she runs up the street, looking for signs of life. On the first "take," one of her high-heeled patent leather shoes came off as she tripped over a bush. On the second, she caught a silk stocking on a thorn and got a runner from ankle to knee. "Dont worry," Director Edwin L. Marin told her, "it's right in character."

On the next long shot, she was supposed to run up to the door of the first dwelling, pound on it, open it when no one answers, glance at the emptiness within and then run further up the street, yelling: "Where is everybody?" The scene went as planned except that as she slammed the door shut it broke away from its hinges, toppled over and hit her a glancing blow on the shoulder and arms as it crashed down.

"Are you hurt?" called out Marin anxiously as Miss Sothern gave the door a furious look and stamped off up the street. "Say," he inquired anxiously of his assistant, "Red" Golden, "was that door 'breakaway' or not?"

Randolph Scott and Kay Francis top a stellar cast in "When the Daltons Rode," Universal's new frontier action epic, which shows on Wednesday and Thursday, August 21st and 22nd at the New Lyceum Theatre.

Hearding the supporting roster in the roles of the celebrated Dalton boys themselves are Brian Donlevy, Broderick Crawford, Stuart Erwin nad Frank Albertson, while other important members include George Bancroft, Andy Devine, Mary Gordon, Harvey Stephens and Queen Ramsey.

The film marks the first "outdoor" role of Miss Francis' career. She is seen as the telegraph operator of Coffeyville, Kan., center of the Dalton gang's operations in the early Nineties. Scott appears as a frontier lawyer who befriends the embattled Daltons when they are persecuted by land company agents.

"When the Daltons Rode" was directed by George Marshall, who recently directed the highly successful "Destry Rides Again."

MORTGAGEE SALE

OF HOUSE AND LOT IN GALENA, KENT COUNTY, MARYLAND

Default having occurred in the terms of the mortgage Dated June 29, 1932 and recorded in Kent County Land Records in Liber R. A. S. No. 8, in folio 315, given by Elizabeth J. Golt Steele to Elmer Golt, the undersigned Elmer Golt as said Mortgagee in execution of the power of sale contained in said mortgage will sell at public sale to the highest bidder on the mortgaged property in the town of Galena, Kent County, Maryland on

Saturday, August 31st, 1940

at the hour of 3 o'clock P. M.

All that lot of land called or known as "The Elizabeth Golt Steele Property" located on Mill Lane in the town of Galena in the First Election District of Kent County, Maryland, adjoining the property of Frank Johnson, Harvey Bramble and others.

The lot has a frontage of 73 feet on Mill Lane and a depth of 300 feet with even width of 73 feet and is fully described in the mortgage. The improvements consist of a frame dwelling house of Bungalow Style, containing 5 rooms and shed kitchen, and out buildings.

TERMS OF SALE—$100.00 of purchase money will be required of the purchaser at time and place of sale, the balance of the purchase money to be paid on ratification of sale by the Court with interest from day of sale. Title papers to be paid by purchaser.

ELMER GOLT, Mortgagee,
MADISON BROWN, Attorney,
Centreville, Maryland.
J. E. ANTHONY, Auctioneer.
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BETTERTON BEACH THEATRE

BETTERTON, MD.

DOOR PRIZES GIVEN EVERY NIGHT

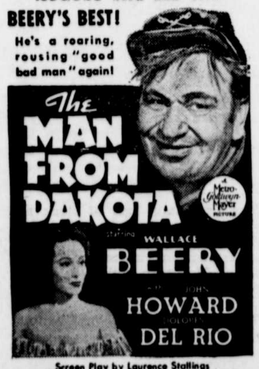
MONDAY and TUESDAY
AUGUST 19th and 20th

LUBITSCH'S NEW HIT IS HERE!

The world roared a welcome to "Ninotchka!" Now two grand romantic stars get that same sly, slick, hilarious "Lubitsch touch!"

FRIDAY and SATURDAY
AUGUST 23rd and 24th

BEERY'S BEST! He's a roaring, rousing "good bad man" again!



The First National Bank Statement

CHARTER NO. 13798 RESERVE DISTRICT NO. 5

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF CHESTERTOWN, IN THE STATE OF MARYLAND, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 29, 1940

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

ASSETS

Loans and discounts (including no overdrafts)		$423,015.67
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed		104,764.38
Obligations of States and political subdivisions		6,000.00
Other bonds, notes, and debentures		146,971.25
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		209,589.37
Bank premises owned $35,000.00, furniture and fixtures $4,669.00		39,669.00
Other Assets		29.83
Total Assets		$933,039.50

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		$271,156.67
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		464,738.93
Deposits of U. S. Government (including postal savings)		50,000.00
Deposits of States and political subdivisions		27,183.39
Deposits of banks		8,834.49
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)		1,231.14
Total Deposits	$823,144.62	
Other liabilities		21.63
Total Liabilities		$823,166.25

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital Stock:	
(c) Common stock, total par	$50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	9,873.25
Total Capital Accounts	$109,873.25
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	$933,039.50

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	$ 26,086.09
Total	$ 26,086.09

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 6th day of July, 1940.

ENNA B. LEWIS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
STEPHEN R. COLLINS,
WALTER U. LUSBY,
THOS. D. BOWERS.
Directors

OFFICERS

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

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LINOLEUM FLOORS INSTALLED

UNITIZED WALL PAPER

FLOOR SURFACING

PORCH & WINDOW AWNINGS

John Bartley & Son

Chestertown, Md.

NEW LYCEUM THEATRE CHESTERTOWN

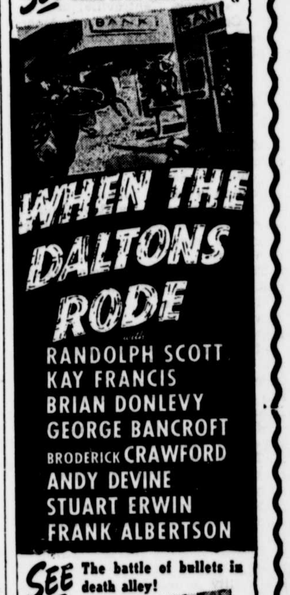
MONDAY and TUESDAY
AUGUST 19 and 20

MAISIE'S 1940 GOLD RUSH IS A L-A-U-G-H RUSH!

starring Ann SOTHERN
with LEE BOWMAN
SLIM SUMMERVILLE ... HEIDLER
Screen Play by Betty Reinhardt and Mary C. McCall, Jr.
Directed by EDWIN L. MARIN
Produced by J. WALTER RUBEN

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY
AUGUST 21 and 22

SEE The historic hold-up of two banks at the same time!



SEE The battle of bullets in death alley!

Original Screenplay by Harold Shumate
Based on "When the Daltons Rode" by Emmett Dalton and Jack Jungmeyer, Sr.
Directed by GEORGE MARSHALL
A UNIVERSAL PICTURE 1D

FRIDAY and SATURDAY
AUGUST 23 and 24
BIG TWIN FEATURE
The 3 Mesquiteers
—in—
"THE COWBOYS FROM TEXAS"
—Plus—
"MYSTERY SEA RAIDER"
Henry Wilcoxon
—with—
Carole Landis