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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1st, 1941

Next Monday thirty-nine young men will leave Kent County for military training, being members of the Maryland National Guard. By February 15th the representatives of the draft army from this county will number eleven, making a total of 46 from this county in training during the present emergency. Every section of the county is affected and it means practically 46 jobs to be filled. This number will be increased with each draft call and under the present plan, and unless war should exist, these men will be back again within the training period of one year. They will want and deserve their jobs back which will be an industrial adjustment. If this adjustment is prepared for, it should be worked out without much hardship. If not, the adjustment will be hard. It should be remembered that these men are giving up a year of their life to training in order that the country may be prepared to defend itself regardless of what comes. It is a decided sacrifice in income and convenience on the part of these men and every consideration should be given to assist them in the readjustment at the end of the training period.

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In summing up the defense activity in Kent County there are two organizations that are in a position to be of material assistance. These two groups, the Fire Companies and Boy Scouts are at present in an excellent position to take the lead. In the first place they are well organized and well trained. The fire companies can play an important part, should war come, not particularly with guns but by controling fires which is one of the destructive means of modern warfare. The Boy Scouts, while too young ot be considered soldiers, are trained to obedience and to take care of them selves and the public in emergencies. Both of these organizations should be maintained in as an efficient position as possible.

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Every indication points to the passage of the fire works bill now before the Legislature. The supporters of the bill include numerous organizations which are interested in child welfare and their activity on this measure is to halt the annual injuries and deaths among children from the use of fireworks. It has been pointed out that parents do not let their children play with matches or explosives, yet at the time of national holidays permit the uncontrolled use of both of these destructive elements. The bill will not prohibit but will control the use of fireworks.

At the end of every season there are always clothes to be put away. Before doing so it is well to remove all spots. Dry cleaning is the best. Leave unpressed, since gasoline odor discourages moths.

Mildew stains, if the stain is not too old may be removed by applying soft soap and powdered chalk, keeping it moist and laying it in the sun.

NEWS GATHERED ON PENINSULA

Senate Bill Number 70 introduced in the Maryland Senate on January 8th and referred to the Committee of Senators Roe, Davis, and Brice established definitely the fiscal year of Queen Anne's county as June 1st to May 31st, and June 1st as the date of finality.

Congressman David J. Ward announce sthat the President has approved an allotment of $72,702, made by the Works Project Administration, for county wide improvement of roads in Wicomico County.

The improvement includes clearing, grubbing, grading, widening, excavating, filling, placing base, surfacing, installing drainage facilities, constructing bridges and shoulders, and performing appurtenant and incidental work. The property is publicly-owned and the Wicomico County Commissioners are sponsors.

The greatest single contribution to public welfare, since the building of the Peninsula General Hospital, and the establishment of the Home for the Aged, was announced this week, in the gift of Mr. Lloyd U. Watson to the Peninsula General Hospital of a building to be used as a Health Center. The gift was made known by the Hospital Board through its president, Mr. William S. Gordy, Jr. It came as a surprise to the Board and the general public, no hint of Mr. Watson's intention having leaked out.

The building is being given by Mr. Watson as a memorial to his wife, Mrs. Floy Wheaton Watson, whose death occurred last year.

The new Health Center building will be used to house the Public Health departments and the various clinics engaged in the work of detecting and preventing sickness and disease in the county.

The directors of Emergency Hospital met on Monday. The report of the Hospital for December shows 178 patients, of which 46 were pay 44 part pay and 88 free, thus keeping up its record of about half being free. The number of pay hospital days was 342, part pay 499 and free 998. Talbot had 32 pay, 25 part pay and 52 free. Queen Anne had 7 pay, 1 part pay and 9 free. Caroline had 5 pay, 11 part pay and 24 free. There were four from Kent and 6 from other places. There were 227 dispensary cases, 82 operations and 23 births. The total cash collections were $5,891.84. There were about $400 in donations.

Residents of Talbot, Caroline and Dorchester counties are getting ready to send a delegation to the State Roads Commission and to Governor O'Conor, if necessary, to demand improvements to the stretch of road known as the Dover bridge causeway. Petitions demanding that the road be improved are being circulated in the three counties.

The Caliborne-Annapolis Ferry Company, voluntarily paid $3,600 in back wages to ten of its employees engaged in shore work.

The inspection was instituted upon the request of attorneys for the employees who are members of local 1429 of the International Longshoremen's Association. This request came after a deadlock had been reached in conferneces between representatives of the employees and the company over the amount of back wages due them under the Fair Labor Standards Act. Philip B. Perlman, attorney, represented the company.

After Maryland automobile owners receive their new license tags, which will be available after February 14th, they will carry a safety slogan on their cars for the following year.

Stamped on each tag will be the words "Drive Carefully," W. Lee Elgin, Commissioner of Motor Vehicles, said this week.

Only one other State, Illinois, is stamping a similar slogan on licenses for 1941. This reads "Drive Safely."

Muskrat trappers on the Shore said they were disappointed over the small catches at the start of the winter muskrat season.

A plentiful supply of muskrat had been predicted earlier for the Eastern Shore generally.

Trappers said hides were selling at a general level of $1.60 each irrespective of size or quality, due to an actual scarcity, and that the muskrat meat, a mainstay of Shore winter menus, was selling at 30 cents per animal rather than the customary 25 to 30 cents a pair.

Over 200 men, women and children on the Eastern Shroe of Maryland and Virginia are now receiving benefit checks totaling more than $3,000 each and every month under the Old-Age and Survivors Insurance provisions of the Social Security Act.

This announcement, just issued by Norman P. Foster, Manager of the Salisbury, Maryland, office, which services the entire Shore district, points out that these figures are based on awards made during 1940, the first year in which monthly insurance became operative.

Beside benefits to wage-earners over 65 and retired, monthly payments are regularly going also to their living wives of 65 and any children of such annuitants, or to surviving widows when 65 or older.

Miss Katharine McElwaine, sixty-two, of Ridgely, victim of two men who beat and robbed her Saturday night, was reported improved today, but still in a serious condition.

State and county police reported no trace of the men who grabbed her as she neared her home, carried her into the yard of a neighbor and beat her on the face and head before fleeing with her purse and two rings.

Dr. J. S. Fifer said Miss McElwaine suffered a broken nose among other injuries. Constable James A. Kornrunps said neighbors, attracted by her cries, found her.

Ice Cream Sauces

An indefinite number of fine deserts can be made by merely adding a nice sauce to vanilla ice cream. Also a few nuts and some fruits. For instance a Peach Melba is made by placing a thin slice of sponge cake on a plate, then a scoop of ice cream, and then a half peach inverted over the cream with a Melba sauce topping it.

MELBA SAUCE

Put one cup canned raspberries through a sieve, add ¼ cup sugar and boil about 5 minutes. Cool and keep in refrigerator until used.

BUTTERSCOTCH SAUCE

Cook ½ cup granulated sugar, ½ cup light brown sugar, 2 tablespoons light corn syrup and ½ cup cold water to 260 F. or until a little dropped in cold water becomes quite brittle. Remove from fire, beat in 1½ tablespoons butter, ¼ cup hot water and ½ teaspoon vanilla. Serve hot.

MAPLE WALNUT SAUCE

Cook 2 cups maple syrup and ¼ cup butter until the mixture threads from a spoon (234F.) Remove from fire, add ½ cup walnuts and serve hot.

CHOCOLATE SAUCE

Cut 2 squares unsweetened chocolate into pieces; add to 1 cup water and cook until smooth and thick. Add 2 cups granulated sugar, a few grains salt and stir until dissolved. Boil 3 minutes (222 F.); add 2 tablespoons butter and 2 teaspoons vanilla and serve at once.

Because of mildew, it is well to never sprinkle more than a day's ironing.

Many people do quite a bit of home dying, some with and some without success. Tints are best used to freshen the original color rather than change it.

It is a good idea to rub a few drops of liquid wax to each square foot of linoleum after it has been washed.

In the winter as well as the summer there are rugs to be stored. If the space for sotrage is limited, it is better economy to use the commercial rug storage, which may include cleaning and moth-proofing.

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ELLA DORSEY

late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to file in said Court their claim against said decedent, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated, on or before the 18th day of July, 1941; they may otherwise by law, be excluded from all benefits of said estate. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 14th day of January, 1941.

B. R. FELLOWS,
Administrator C.T.A.

EDNA ELLIOTT, Register of Wills. j18

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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 DEC. 31, 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)		$407,206.94
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed		109,264.38
Obligations of States and political subdivisions		6,000.00
Other bonds, notes, and debentures		143,486.56
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		256,049.94
Bank premises owned $35,000.00, furniture and fixtures	$4,669.00	39,669.00
Real estate owned other than bank premises		1,500.00
Other assets		22.39
Total Assets		$966,199.21

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		$337,202.46
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		473,277.82
Deposits of U. S. Government (including postal savings)		5,000.00
Deposits of States and political subdivisions		29,799.17
Deposits of banks		10,132.59
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)		1,630.30
Total Deposits	$857,042.34	
Total Liabilities		$857,042.34

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital Stock:	
(c) Common stock, total par	$50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	9,156.87
Total Capital Accounts	$109,156.87
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	$966,199.21

MEMORANDA

Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
U. S. Gov. obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to to secure deposits and other liabilities	$ 19,000.00
Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement)	39,000.00
Total	$58,000.00
Secured liabilities:	
Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	$ 29,799.17
Total	29,799.17

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 8th day of January, 1941.

ENNA B. LEWIS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
ANDREW W. WILSON,
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H. STOCKTON STARTT.
Directors.

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