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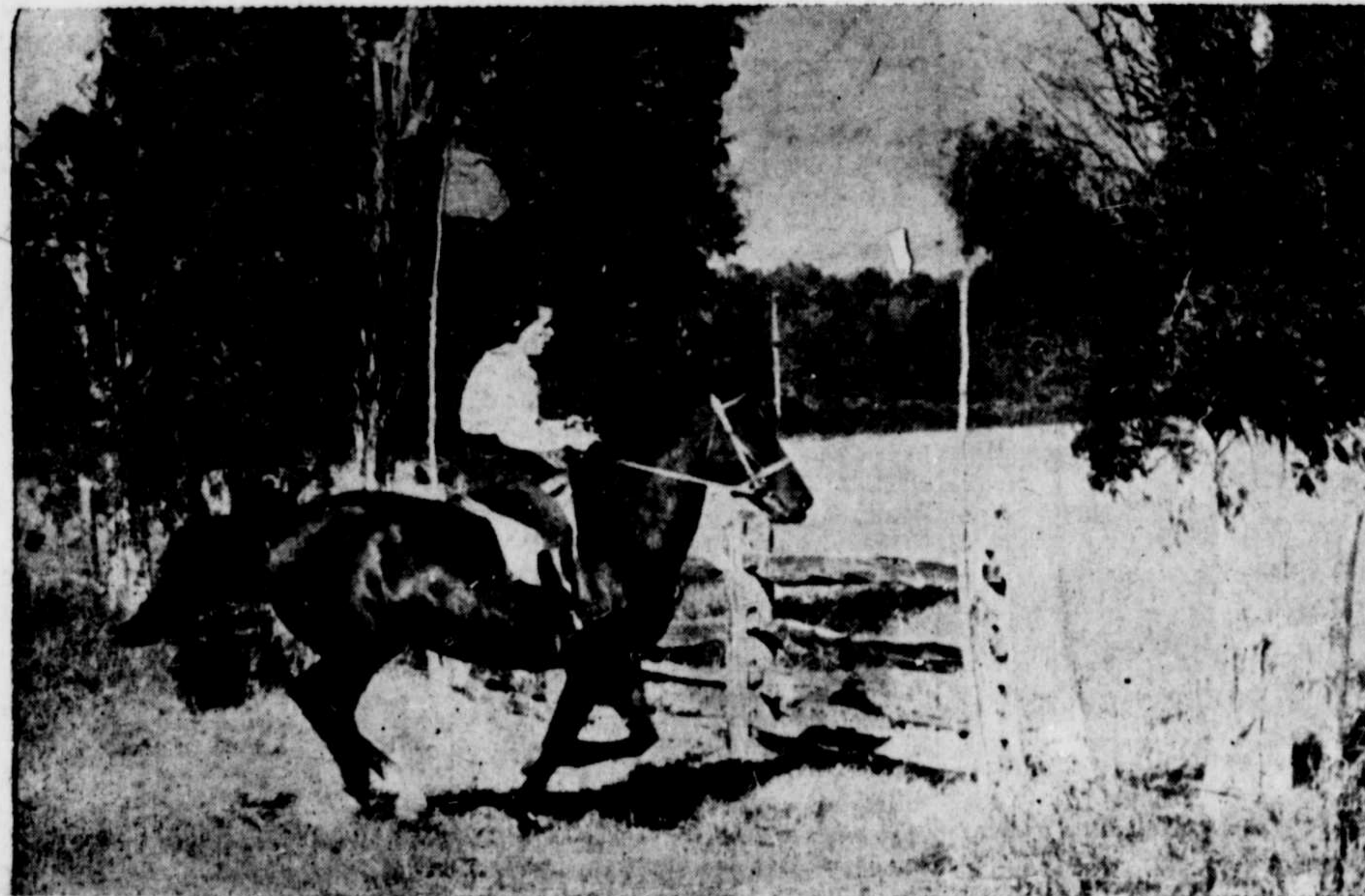
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HUNTER TRIALS HELD AT REWARD FARM THURSDAY



Pictured is Mr. Edward Hurd over a jump as he led his Quaker Neck Hunt team to victory in the final event of the show.



Betty Bonwill one of Kent's outstanding lady riders just before the rail jump on the course.

LOCAL BEE KING REPORTS LARGE CROP THIS YEAR

Leonard C. Needles the local bee king has finished the harvesting of this year's crop of honey. He has fifty-two hives of bees and will average a harvest of one hundred pounds of honey from each hive. He says it has been an ideal year for honey.

Mr. Needles started fourteen years ago with one colony of bees and has added new swarms each year. He is a paper hanger by trade, and the bee business is his hobby. Ye Editor received a generous sample of this year's honey and pronounced it fine.

The honey bee just goes on making honey regardless of what goes on in the rest of the world. The hive is its home regardless of where the hive is. Working on this theory, Mr. Needles shifts his hives throughout the county to the places where there appears to be the most honey material. Aside from the honey the bee makes, it is a great asset to the fruit trees from whose blossoms it gets its material. In some sections of Kent County property owners pay Mr. Needles annually for letting hives stay on their property.

Through years of experience, he has learned a great deal about these busy little insects. Among other things about them that is hard to understand, the temperature of a bee hive is maintained at 72 degrees regardless of the outside temperature.

Social Security Official Here

Announcement is made that Mr. Norman P. Foster, Manager of the Salisbury Field Office of the Social Security Board, will be in Chestertown Monday next, September 15, 1941.

He will be available for interview on that day at the Post Office basement, between the hours of 1 P. M. and 3 P. M.

Employment Service

The local office of the State Employment service will be open for business at the Galena High School Tuesday evening of next week from 7:30 to 8:30 o'clock.

The Chestertown office will be open on the second Thursday night of each month.

AT THE HUNTER TRIALS

(By Paul Steele)

The seventeenth annual event of the Kent County Horse Association was in the form of Hunter Trials although this is a new form of sport for Kent County it was well received by a large audience.

The course was laid on "The Reward Farm" of Mr. Edward A. Hurd in Quaker Neck. They drew horses from as far away as Salisbury from which place there were six entries from the stables of H. Lay Phillips, Mrs. Geo. C. Bounds, and Vaughn Richardson. These owners represented the Wilcomico Hunt Club and the Willowbrook Hunt.

The first event was for hunting ponies to be ridden by children 15 and under. Miss Marian Morris from Orchard Point kept the blue ribbon in Quaker Neck by a nice performance of "Lady Gray." "King Cole" owned by Carter Middleton of Centreville was second and from the same place came "Gadget" owned by Miss Peggy Austin to take third. Miss Betty Bonwill on "Silver" was the only other starter.

After the ponies were through, the course was changed to one mile over ten jumps that included two post and rails, a chicken coop, a hitcock, a post and rail with a dry ditch an "in and out", a pyramid of three telephone poles, a wet ditch, and a gate. The first event over this course was the green hunters. Out of six starters only two completed the course. The first place was taken by the brilliant four year old chestnut gelding "Star News" owned by Miss Helen Phillips of Salisbury and ridden by Charles Cann. The second and only other award in this class was to "Miss Pete" owned and ridden by Miss Betty Fox of Centreville.

The Open and Qualified Hunters brought out a field of 21 starters. It was the most closely contested event of the afternoon as well it should be with horses fresh from the hunting field. In the opinion of the judges, there were six horses worthy of consideration. Their deliberation ended with "Seagull" a grand going gray from the stable of Mr. Aubrey D. Hutchinson, of Centreville on the front end followed by "Middleton" the property of Mrs. L. R. Blackhurst Jr., and ridden by Miss Marian Grieb and "King James" from Vaughn Richardson's stable.

The Children's Hunter Class was over the same course and was won by "Killarney" one of C. C. Michle's hunters and ridden by Miss Patricia Mickle. She was hard pressed to beat "King Cole" which, as some one said "is a jumping fool." "King" (Continued on Page 5)

ROCK HALL YACHT CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

J. P. Cowperthwaite Re-Elected Commodore

At the annual stock holders meeting of the Rock Hall Yacht Club, Mr. J. P. Cowperthwaite was re-elected Commodore.

Other officers elected were: Vice Commodore, John Hersch. Rear Commodore, C. Franklin Wood. Secretary, Mrs. Harry T. Skirven. Treasurer, Joseph B. Williams. Board of Governors—Roger Harris, C. Paul Noble, Preston P. Heck, E. J. Allen, James Coleman, Mrs. Stella F. Magness, Mrs. Julia Skirven.

DENIES DATE SET FOR NEW DRAFT SET-UP

Regardless of various rumors and press comments to the contrary, there has been no definite date set for the inauguration of the "Pennsylvania" System (or any other) of induction in Maryland.

LT. Col. Henry C. Stanwood said: "A change is definitely contemplated, and plans for so doing are now in formation; but no date has as yet been set for such, and Local Boards have been cautioned not to specify to any registrant a possible date for this change until due notice has been received thereof. For the time being and until official notice from these Headquarters, there shall be no change in induction procedures."

Hot Radio

The radio at the home of Mr. L. Bates Russell, Jr., got so hot during President Roosevelt's radio address Thursday evening, that a fire alarm was sent in. Firemen had just completed their bi-monthly drill but an all-out message was received before they left the fire house.

SEVENTEEN MEN TO GO IN ARMY IN OCTOBER

Call Is For 10 White And 7 Colored

The Kent County Draft Board has received a preliminary call for ten white men on October eighth and 7 colored men on October 14th.

Although this call is preliminary, following usual practice it will be followed by an official order.

There are very few men left of Class 1A who registered last October which means that the men who registered July 1st will have to stand the brunt of the future calls.

The men of the October registration who were deferred due to occupation are subject to reclassification should they fail to renew their application for deferment.

DEFAULT MADE CHESTERTOWN SOFT BALL CHAMP

Playoff In Shore League Starts Sunday

Chestertown ended first place in the Eastern Shore Soft Ball League which includes teams from Kent, Queen Annes, Caroline and Talbot Counties. The first place position was clinched when St. Michaels failed to appear to play a postponed game last Sunday, giving the local team 22 wins and 6 defeats.

Second place is tied between Easton and Ridgely with 21 wins and 7 defeats and the tie will be played off Friday night to determine the position in the Championship series. Chestertown will play the winner of this game Sunday afternoon at Radcliffe Park in the first play off in the series. The teams in the series are Chestertown, Easton, Ridgely and Chester.

The members of the Chestertown team are: Catcher, Jesse Jones; pitchers, Crouch, Everett and Ralph Kirby; infielders, Benjamin, Crowding, Groves, Healy and Rayfield Kirby; outfielders: Robinson, Gosman, Cornilus, Hadaway, Willis and Porter. Jesse Hadaway is manager of the team.

GIRL INJURED IN AUTO CRASH

Little nine-year-old Betsy Jane Stafford, of near Fairlee, was seriously injured Saturday night when the carriage in which she and her aunt, Miss Ethel Stafford, were riding was hit by an automobile driven by Alfred Thompson, colored.

The girl and her aunt were returning to their home in the horse drawn vehicle about seven o'clock last Saturday night and when crossing the concrete road near Melitota their carriage was hit and the girl thrown to the road. Thompson took the girl and her aunt to the hospital at Chestertown where it was found the girl was suffering from a fractured skull and other injuries. Thompson was arrested and is out on bail pending a hearing before Trial Magistrate Melvin.

U. S. Leads in Chemistry
Prof. E. J. Crane of Ohio State University, editor of Chemical Abstracts, has reported that the United States leads the world in chemistry. Germany has dropped to third place and Great Britain to second. Professor Crane's report is based on an analysis of 65,000 chemical discoveries.

KENT COUNTY ON THE AIR EVERY SUNDAY 12:35

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NEW SUPERVISOR OF LOCAL FARM SECURITY OFFICE



Mr. Welden Walbert, right succeeds Mr. N. R. Quesenbury, left, as acting supervisor of the Chestertown office of the Federal Farm Security Administration. Mr. Quesenbury has been promoted to the office of district supervisor of the Eastern Shore and Delaware with new headquarters here. Picture shows Mr. Quesenbury turning the office over to Mr. Walbert. Miss Helen Willerton has been promoted as district home management supervisor and will be located in the new office of Mr. Quesenbury at Chestertown, which may be located in the Bartley Building.

COON DOG FIELD TRIALS SET FOR SUNDAY

Will Be Held At Carpenter Farm

The fall coon dog field trials of the Eastern Shore Coon Hunters Association will be held at the Carpenter farm near Cecilton tomorrow, Sunday starting at 10 A. M.

These trials are becoming more and more popular and at the last trials 143 dogs were entered.

At 10 A. M. the annual race for the Governor O'Connor trophy will be held. This race is open to Maryland dogs only and the tree dog wins the trophy.

There will be two feature races in addition to the usual trials, one being a river race in which the dogs will swim the river twice and the other a race among the dogs that were last in each heat.

The dogs of Mr. Edgar Walls will not compete in the trials except the event for the Governor's trophy.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Grace M. Smith to Ella M. Dodson, property in Third District.

Herman P. Copeland and wife to James W. Kirby and wife, property on Park Row.

County Commissioners to Penn Butler, property in Third District.

Morgan K. Bennett to J. Heigh Hill and wife, Stam property on Washington Avenue.

Morris L. Clothier and wife to Arthur H. Brice, property in Second District.

Alexander Powell et al. to Sara Powell, property in Galena.

C. Franklin Wood and wife to James P. Cowperthwaite and wife, properties in Fifth District.

W. P. Newnam Home Sold

Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Dick have purchased the W. P. Newnam home on Washington Avenue and expect to move next month. It is understood that Mr. and Mrs. Newnam will move to Dover, Delaware.

The sale of the property was made through Mr. Earl A. Stafford, Real Estate Broker.

Hospital Report For August

48 full pay patients during month
22 free patients

70 total patients
225 day's board to pay patients
172 day's board to free patients

397 day's board furnished patients
372 day's board furnished employees

Vegetable Cocktail Bar
Milwaukee, Wis., now has a vegetable cocktail bar that serves only vegetable drinks, declares the American Magazine. The operator is Mrs. Edith Lange, whose specialty is a garlic-parsley cocktail. It contains the juice of green peppers, with three cloves of garlic, and the juice of parsley mixed in.

Methodist Women To Meet

All Kent County Methodist women are invited to attend the attend the quarterly meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service at the Betterton Methodist Church, September 22nd, from 1:30 to 4 P. M. This is one of our finest opportunities to gain knowledge and growth in our new work together.

DEATHS DURING THE WEEK

MRS. MARY MALOY MAGROGAN

Mrs. Mary Maloy Magrogan, 56, died at her home near Lynch, Tuesday. Her husband, Joseph E. Magrogan, and eight children, four daughters and four sons, survive. The children are: Bernard, William, Joseph, John, Mary M., Lida C., Katherine C., and Julia Marie Magrogan. Two brothers, John and Michael Maloy also survive.

The funeral was held at Sacred Heart Church at 10:30 A. M., Friday with the mass by the Rev. Father Charles J. Conway. Interment was in the Catholic Cemetery at Church Hill. The bearers were the four sons and two brothers of the deceased, Marvin V. Williams was the funeral director.

GILBERT R. SLAGLE

Gilbert R. Slagle, 43, died suddenly on Monday at his home at Cliff City. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Emma C. Slagle; five children, Gilbert R., Jr., Betty Marie, William Thomas, Robert Dennis and Peggy Ann; his mother, Mrs. Martha P. Slagle; two brothers, William E. and Charles P. Slagle and a sister, Mrs. Jennings B. Townsend.

Funeral services were held Thursday, at 2 P. M. from Mowbray Chapel with the Rev. William Lewis and the Rev. Alonza Travers officiating. Interment was in Chester Cemetery with Marvin V. Williams as the funeral director.

The bearers were William E. and Charles P. Slagle, Benjamin and Philman Dickerson, Walter Goodman and J. B. Townsend.

MISS LOUELLA KENDALL

Miss Louella Kendall, 81, died at the home of her niece, Mrs. James J. Hadaway, early Tuesday, after a long illness. She was the sister of the late Mrs. L. Bates Russell, Sr., with whom she made her home for many years.

Three brothers, Joseph Kendall, of Baltimore, and Virgil and Elwood Kendall, of Kent county, survive along with a number of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Thursday, at 10 o'clock from the Usilton Funeral Home with interment in Chester Cemetery. The Rev. Dr. W. P. Roberts officiated and the Ralph H. Usilton Funeral Service, Inc., had charge of arrangements.

MRS. MARY R. W. ANDERSON

Mrs. Mary R. W. Anderson, 80, widow of Robert Anderson and mother of Mrs. Robert V. Moffett, died suddenly last Saturday evening at her home in Cecilton.

Funeral services were held from her late residence at 2 P. M., Tuesday with interment in Cecilton Cemetery.

The following children survive: Mrs. William G. Melvin, Mrs. William H. Alderson, Mrs. Robert V. Moffett, Mrs. Samuel T. Moffett and Robert Anderson.

JURORS NAMED FOR OCTOBER TERM OF COURT

Judge Stephen R. Collins has drawn the following jurors to serve during the October term of the Circuit Court which convenes October 20th.

FIRST DISTRICT

Richard S. Tarbuton, S. McCosh Walls, John W. Redgrave, Charles P. Jones, S. Thomas Bramble, William H. Moffett, E. Thomas Massey, Jr., Robert M. Logan.

SECOND DISTRICT

John Carvel Sutton, George M. Glenn, William Medders, E. Linwood Redmile, Harry J. Hill, Harry D. Hendrickson, Arthur M. Lusby, Edgar R. Pennington.

THIRD DISTRICT

Charles H. Joiner, Ralph P. Williams, George E. Sutton, Howard M. Rasin, Samuel Spray, Walter B. Harris.

FOURTH DISTRICT

Joseph N. Wheatley, Philip G. Wilmer, William G. Smyth, John H. Gilliam, Charles C. Schreiber, Charles N. Satterfield, John T. Vickers, William B. Usilton, 3d.

FIFTH DISTRICT

W. Melvin Warner, Charles S. Jaquette, LeRoy Jaquette, Samuel Flick, Walter R. Rodney, Herman C. Berg, C. Bradley Kerr, W. Reybold Wilson.

SIXTH DISTRICT

J. Page Gale, R. Woodall Bierker, Walter Barnes, J. Richard Dierker, Albert B. Groves.

SEVENTH DISTRICT

Daniel W. Ingersoll, Jr., William E. Greenwood, J. Kellogg Smith, Norman S. Lee, William J. Maslin.

APPOINTMENTS TO WASHINGTON COLLEGE FACULTY

Two new members of the Washington College staff have been appointed for the year which will open on September 17th, according to announcement by President Gilbert W. Mead. Mr. Henry C. Coleman, Jr., of Lexington, Ky., will be head librarian of the recently completed George A. Bunting Library, and Dr. Albert P. Kline of Baltimore will become Assistant Professor of Biology.

Mr. Coleman is a graduate of Center College, Kentucky, and holds the degree of A. M. in English Literature from the University of North Carolina. He later received the B. S. in Library Science at the University of Illinois, and the A. M. in Library Administration at the University of Michigan. He served in the Library of Northwestern University, and was Head of Departmental Libraries in the University of Iowa, in addition to two years of service as Reference Librarian in the State Teachers College at Bellingham, Washington.

Dr. Kline comes to Washington College from Johns Hopkins University where he received his Ph. D. degree last year. He is a graduate of Frostburg Teachers College and Western Maryland College. He has taught recently at Baltimore Polytechnic Institute and the Summer Sessions of Johns Hopkins University.