MARYLAND 4-H CLUB PROJECTS

Wide Range Of Objective Work—To Improve Practices

Four-H Club projects by farm boys and girls in Maryland, ranging from setting a couple of hens to operating whole farms, produced products valued at $300,000 last year, E. G. Jenkins, State boys' club agent, reports.

"The central objective of our project work," Jenkins said, "is to improve practices. A youth accepts a new practice far more easily than does an older person. Thus, in a young person a new practice becomes a habit. If one-fourth of all the farm youths in the State improve farm and home practices at 18 years of age or thereabouts they will continue them for forty years."

More than 10,000 farm youths and girls are enrolled in the 4-H clubs throughout the State this year. Of the total, 4,177 boys and 5,970 girls are under 21. In addition, there were 751 club members more than twenty-one.

Jenkins said this year's membership was the largest since the first club was organized twenty-two years ago. More than 100,000 farm boys and girls have been members of clubs within that period. This year's membership represents 24,704 Maryland farms.

"Thus," Jenkins said, "more than 50,000 youths are reached either directly or indirectly."

Under 4-H Club work, each member chooses a project. It may be raising a calf or planting a crop in a certain field, or, for girls, making a dress or canning certain farm products. Whatever the project, the member takes advantage of instruction by the Extension Service of the University of Maryland, both in printed bulletins and by verbal advice from club leaders and county agents.

Jenkins said that the real value of the work was not in the financial return from the projects, but in the ability of the organization to build character and inspire rural youth to greater success.

"Our principal aim," he said, "is to be of service to the community and to the home. It won't get us far if we merely seek to improve cattle, etc. Making life worthwhile is much more important than making a living. Thus, the fundamental purpose of 4-H work is to develop in our young people a better attitude toward life.

Jenkins called the club work "the most democratic organization of youths in America."

FILE WORK SHEETS EARLY FOR THE AAA PROGRAM

Farmers who did not take part in the farm program last year and who desire to participate in the 1937 Agricultural Conservation Program, are urged to file work sheets for their farms right away by J. Z. Miller, County Agent.

He emphasizes that farmers who participated in the program last year need not file work sheets this year, if they are operating the same farms. However, if any change has been made in the size of the farm, or if the producer is operating a different farm in 1937, he should notify the county office immediately of such change.

Mr. Miller states that under the program this year the county office will furnish each farmer a statement giving information by which the farmer can determine early in the season approximately the amount of payment that can be earned on his farm. In order to prepare this information in time to be of greatest value, it is important to have the work sheets early, from which can be ibtained the acreage of each crop and the land use on the farm in 1936.

By having the information early, it is stated, a farmer will be able to plan his farming operations so as to fit the program to the needs of his farm at the same time qualify for full payments.

DEMOCRATIC WOMEN'S CLUB

The spring meeting and luncheon of the Democratic Women's Club of Cecil county, will be held at the Howard Hotel, Elkton, Wednesday, April 7, at 1 p. m. Mrs. Robert Markey, president of the club, announced that prominent speakers will be present to address the meeting.

Following the luncheon a business meeting will be held. Tickets for the affair may be obtained from the vice-chairman in the different districts and it is requested that reservation be made early.

HELD ON BURGLARY CHARGE

Given a hearing before Magistrate Walter C. Miller, of Elkton, charged with breaking into the home of Mrs. Katherine Goodyear, of Elkton, and stealing a radio, Everett Valentine, Negro, was held under $1,000 bond for action of the Cecil County Grand Jury. Gilbert Wilson, Negro, of Elkton, also was held under $1,000 bond for action of the grand jury, charged with attempt to kill his wife.

DEATHS

CLARENCE THORNTON

Clarence Thornton, 56, died at his home in Chesapeake City on Friday.

Funeral services were conducted at the home Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Burial at Bethel cemetery. Mr. Thornton is survived by his wife, Nellie E. Thornton.

MRS. MARY REISLER SIDWELL

Mrs. Mary Reisler Sidwell, widow of late William Henry Sidwell, died March 23 at her home in Oxford, Pa., from a heart attack. She was a daughter of Owen and Hannah Sidwell Reisler and was born near Calvert in 1848. A brother, James Reisler, Oxford, survives. Interment was made in Friends burying ground, at Calvert.

T. S. WILSON

T. S. Wilson, Oxford, Pa., died early Wednesday morning, March 24, in a hospital in Wilmington. He became ill on a Pennsylvania train a few days previous and was unconscious when taken off in Wilmington. Mr. Wilson was for years the conductor of the Oxford-Baltimore train (discontinued a few years since) and retained his residence in Oxford. He is survived by his wife and son. The burial was made in Wilmington. Mr. Wilson was about 64. He was still in the employ of the Penna. R. R. when he became ill. His run was from Philadelphia to Baltimore.

GEORGE A. McKINSEY

George A. McKinsey, aged 77 years, died Friday morning at his home in Quarryville, Pa., of complication of ailments. He was a son of William T. and Salome Dell McKinsey, and was born near Rising Sun, his father operating for years what was known as McKinseys Mill, northwest of town. He was a member of Quarryville M. E. Church. Besides his wife, who was Rachel Haines, before marriage, he leaves these children: Violet, wife of Alfred B. Reynolds, Oxford; Clarence W., of Quarryville; Joseph, Lancaster, and Fred, of Coatesville; also a step-sister, Mrs. Harvey Reynolds, of Elkton.

Funeral services were held Monday at 1:30 p. m., from the late home, with interment in Brookview Cemetery, Rising Sun.

COMMITS SUICIDE IN LOCK-UP

When Chief Lee went to let out his lock-up 'guests' Friday morning, one of the six was found out, stiff and cold. The dead prisoner was Charles Ayers, of near Barnsley. who had hanged himself during the night. Tieing himself up with a handkerchief, he had apparently raised up the bunk and with his feet close to the floor accomplished his intentions.

Ayers, aged about 50, who lived with his 30-year-old wife and 13-year-old daughter in the tenant house of the Bartlett farm, hit his wife in the head with an axe Thursday night. Mrs. Ayers and daughter cuffed him and took him to Bartlett's from where he was taken to Oxford lock-up. Mrs. Ayers, daughter of J. F. Comer, East Nottingham, was not seriously injured.

Coroner John P. Davis, of Chrome, investigated the case and deemed an inquest unnecessary, giving a certificate of death by suicide. Undertaker Rogers took charge of the body.—Oxford Press.

AMERICAN HISTORY MOVES

Philadelphia has lost 150 tons of history. Seventy-five CCC trucks took loads of documents and records of early American government to Baltimore from the Schuylkill Armory, where they were kept for many years. They will be stored in Washington. The caravan of trucks passed through Rising Sun on Wednesday morning of last week.

DAUGHTERS OF REBEKAH ORGANIZE AT ELKTON

The Cecil Lodge, No. 92, Daughters of Rebekah, was formally organized at Elkton, Friday, with a charter membership of twenty-eight women.

The degree staff of Even Star Lodge No. 58, of Havre de Grace, under the leadership of Lester R. Lindsay, was in charge of the installation ceremony. Ramon Hanson, Deputy Grand Master, and William A. Jones, Grand Secretary, were present.

Eva O. Aash was elected noble grand of the new lodge. Other officers are: Sarah B. Howell, Vice-Grand; Buelah M. Lee, recording secretary; Rose W. Adams, financial secretary; Florida Myers, treasurer; Suzanne Nichol, chaplain.

W. C. T. U. MEETING

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet with Mrs. E. L. Haines on Thursday, April 8th, at 2:00 p. m. Mrs. Haines, Miss E. R. Stephens, Mrs. Sara H. Wagner, Mrs. Clara B. Keen, hostesses. Devotional leader, Mrs. Ella W. Cooney; program leader, Mrs. Scott Wilson.

THE TYPHOID HAND

Now that the season of the open road is here, Dr. R. H. Riley, Director of the State Department of Health, advises prospective vacationists, to include protection against typhoid fever among their preparations for this year's outings, unless they have been immunized against the disease within the last two or three years. The advice applies especially to members of hiking clubs, boy and girl scouts, campfire girls, and any others who are looking forward to out-of-doors activities.

"The danger from typhoid has been greatly reduced," Dr. Riley said, through the protection of public water supplies from pollution; careful medical supervision of each case of the disease and painstaking investigation of the sources of infcetion; pasteurization of milk; the sanitary supervision of other food supplies; and through individual and community cooperation in the disposal of sewage. But there are still sources of infection to which individuals are exposed, for which vaccination affords the only protection.

"Some of the danger that persists after the means for public protection have been carefully observed is literally 'handed out' by people who are 'carriers' of the disease. A 'carrier' is a person who has had typhoid and who continues to pass the germs that cause the disease, in the discharges from the bowels and the bladder, long after he or she has recovered.

"You 'take' typhoid by way of the mouth, through water, milk or other foods contaminated by typhoid germs. Some of the most serious outbreaks have been traced to milk or other foods contaminated by 'carriers' who were careless in their personal habits, who neglected to wash the hands thoroughly after each visit to the toilet and before handling milk or other foods.

"In spite of the damage caused by the floods of last year, we had the best record, so far as the occurrence of typhoid was concerned that we have ever had in the history of the Department. Prompt action with regard to water supplies and sewerage systems, the sanitary supervision of food-supplies, and vaccination of persons in the flooded areas, against typhoid. were repaid by a very low incidence of sickness from the disease. Care in checking up on the activities of known 'carriers' was another important factor in the typhoid control program.

"But to keep up last year's record —or to improve upon it, as we would like to do—we have to keep up an equally active fight against the disease through both public protection and individual precautions. Young people particularly susceptible to typhoid. Vaccination against the disease gives individual protection against typhoid. Three 'shots' of the typhoid vaccine—a week apart—will put you in the protected class. It takes several weeks for the protective treatment to establish itself in the system. Therefore, my advice is to have it done, now.

"Go to your doctor or your health officer and have yourself protected against typhoid. The State Department of Health furnishes the vaccine to physicians in the Counties free of charge. Your only expense will be your physician's fee."

CHESAPEAKE CITY VOTES FOR SEWER AND WATER SYSTEM

An application for a PWA grant for installing a sewer and a water system has been sent to the Maryland Legislature for approval, it was made known Monday night at a public meeting of the citizens and taxpayers in the fire house of Chesapeake City, Mayor James A. Kirk, presided.

Supporters of the plan urged the town commissioners to take advantage of the opportunity on the grounds that this would perhaps be the last chance for the town to receive a direct grant. Seventy-five persons were in favor of the plan with 25 opposed.

CECIL RED CROSS GAVE $3,043 TO FLOOD AREA

Mrs. A. Victor Davis, of Elkton, chairman of the Cecil County Chapter, American Red Cross, reports that the sum of $3,043.78 was collected in this county to aid the ffood sufferers in the Ohio valley several weeks ago. Several carloads of clothing and food also were shipped from the county, to the distressed area.

BALDERSTON PROPERTY SOLD

The property of the late R. M. Balderston, on Main street, Rising Sun, embracing a two-story brick dwelling and one-story store building, was sold at public sale on Monday morning, by Wm. Pepper Constable, assignee. The purchaser was Dr. George Knauf, who at present occupies the dwelling, and the price paid was $6,000. The auctioneer was W. D. Ewing, of Zion.

COLORA

Mrs. S. E. Riley and sister Mrs. R. F. Pierce spent Easter with Charles Warfield and family Elliott City.

Mrs. Slater Pyle spent several days with Mrs. Emma Matthews and Mrs. Harman Matthews.

Miss Betty Murray, of Elmhurst, Del., enjoyed Easter vacation at the home of her aunt, Mrs. S. W. Fitzgerald.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Todd entertained their daughter Mrs. Helen Garris and children, of Lansdowne, Pa.

Samuel W. Fitzgerald attended the funeral of his niece Mrs. Ruth Foster, at Newark, Del., Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Harvey Kent and daughter Miss Betty visited Martin Blesch and family, Lafayette Inn.

A daughter was lately born to Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gornell, West Nottingham.

John Wiggins, Porters Bridge, is a patient in Union Hospital, Elkton.

Mr. Reese A. Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Johnson, of Conowingo, and Miss Viola Reynolds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Reynolds of Rowlandville, were married at the home of the bride by Rev. Howard McDade, at 2 p. m. Sunday, March 28th. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Russell Reynolds, daughter Eva; Mrs. E. L. Johnson, Conowingo; Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson, son Junior; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Good, Millersville, Pa.; Mrs. Beatrice Trimble and daughter Hazel, Rising Sun; Mr. and Mrs. Jones Embert, of Centerville, Md.; Rev. and Mrs. Howard McDade, Port Deposit. The newly weds will reside at Millersville, Pa.

ROBERT M. McVEY

died at 5 p. m. last Friday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Emma Matthews, with whom he had resided for some time, after a short illness of pneumonai, he having sustained a stroke prior to his attack of pneumonia. He attained his 81st birthday on February 16th. He was a son of the late Andrew and Mary (McMaster) McVey, of Cecil County. The deceased spent most of his life at Liberty Grove. Mr. McVey never married. He is survived by his sister, Mrs. Matthews, and one brother, George McVey, Colora.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Thomas P. McKee, Tuesday afternoon at the home of his nephew, Harman Matthews, with interment in West Nottingham Presbyterian cemetery. The pallbarers were J. C. Emrey, Lawson S. Love, Hiram Crothers, Slater Pyle, Harvey Davis, Edward Stivley.

WOODLAWN

An Easter Pageant was given by the members of Hopewell M. E. Church School, in the church, Sunday evening. Those who had charge were Mrs. Gilbert Simmers, Mrs. R. G. Terry and Miss Elsie Rea.

Miss Grace Rawlings, of Baltimore, was a Friday to Sunday visitor of the H. G. Barnes family.

Rev. S. T. Hamblin left for Conference, Tuesday. Mrs. Hamblin and Lorna Jane are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pusey in Wilmington this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin W. Schenk, of Perry Point, were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Kirk and Miss Mary F. Kirk.

Miss Elizabeth Tyson returned to West Chester, Pa., Sunday evening from a few days' visit with her parents.

Miss Bruna Abrahams, of Ambler, Pa., spent her Easter vacation at home.

Mrs. George W. McCullough spent Tuesday of last week in Wilmington.

Mrs. Amos Jackson, of Wilmington, spent Monday with her son Williard and wife.

Curtis Paxton visited his cousin Charles Rutter at Perry Point several days last week.

Frank Sherrard was at home from Western Maryland College over Easter.

Miss Virginia Barnes was at home from Teachers' College, Towson, from Wednesday to

Mrs. Jennie Fowler returned to her home in Baltimore, after several weeks stay with her brother-in-law, Mr. H. H. Kirk.

Mrs. Alfred Rutter, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Greenwald, of Wilmington, had supper Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brannan, also of Wilmington, caler at the same place in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McKay and Elsie Lou spent Easter with his parents at Kennett Square.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Brown were surprised Saturday evening, the 27th, in honor of their thirtieth wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Hugh Burlin received word of the sudden death of her nephew, Harvey Linton, Friday, at the home of his parents in Brooklyn, N. Y., where burial was Saturday afternoon. He was fifty-two years old and a former resident of the Seventh district.

NOTICE!

The 36th annual meeting of the Stockholders of The Home Building & Loan Association of Cecil County will be held at 8:00 p. m., April 12, 1937, at their office in The National Bank Building, Perryville, Md., for the election of Directors and such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

JOHN A. HARTENSTINE,
Secretary.

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Order Of Publication

John Wallace McKinney, Plaintiff

vs.

Verna Alberta McKinney, Defendant

In the Circuit Court for Cecil County

In Equity No. 5173.

The object of this suit is to procure a Decree for divorce a vinculo matrimonii by John Wallace McKinney, Plaintiff, from Verna Alberta McKinney, the Defendant, and to obtain the custody of the children born of the said marriage.

The Bill of Complaint recites that on or about the 16th of November, 1924, the parties to the cause were married in the Town of Elkton, and that the Plaintiff resided with said Defendant in the said County during the first part of 1929, until on or about the latter part of April, 1929; that since said date, the Plaintiff has been a resident of said County; that, though the conduct of the Plaintiff towards his said wife, the asid Verna Alberta McKinney, has always been kind, affectionate and above aproach, the said Verna Albera McKinney has, without any just cause or reason, abandoned and deserted him, and had declared her intention to live with him no longer, and that such abandonment has continued uninterruptedly for at least three years and is deliberate and final, and the separation of the parties beyond any reasonable expectation of reconciliation; that three children were born as a result of said marriage, viz: Ethel Margaret McKinney, aged eleven years, Jean Gregg McKinney, aged ten years, and George Wallace McKinney, aged nine years; that since the latter part of April, 1929, when his said wife so deserted him as aforesaid, the Plaintiff has had the custody of said children, and has provided for their maintenance and support; and that the said Verna Alberta McKinney is at present a resident of the City of Wilmington, in the State of Delaware. The Bill of Complaint then prays: (1) that John Wallace McKinney may be divorced a vinculo matrimonii from Verna Alberta McKinney; (2) That the Plaintiff may be awarded the custody of the infant children of said marriage, that is, Ethel Margaret McKinney, Jean Gregg McKinney and George Wallace McKinney; and for such other and further relief as his case may require.

IT IS THEREUPON, this 29th day of March, A. D., 1937, ORDERED, BY THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR CECIL COUNTY. IN EQUITY, that the Plaintiff, John Wallace McKinney, by causing a copy of this Order to be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Cecil County, once in each of four successive weeks on or before the 30th day of April, 1937, giving notice to the said absent Defendant, Verna Alberta McKinney, of the object and substance of this suit, and warning her to be and appear in this Honorable Court, either in person or by Solicitor on or before the 17th day of May, next, and show cause, if any she may have, why the relief hereinbefore mentioned should not be granted as prayed.

WALTER E. BUCK,
Clerk.

True Copy—Test:
WALTER E. BUCK,
Clerk.

ORDER NISI

In Re. The Mortgaged Real Estate of Richard M. Balderston and Rachael McKee Balderston, his wife

In the Circuit Court for Cecil County.

In Equity No. 5167

ORDERED, By the Circuit Court for Cecil County, in Equity, this 29th day of March, 1937, that the sale of property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Wm. Pepper Constable, Assignee of Mortgage for the purpose of collection and foreclosure, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 3rd day of June, 1937, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some weekly newspaper, printed and published in Cecil County, State of Maryland, once a week for one month before the 3rd day of May, 1937, next.

The report states the amount of sale to be $6000.00.

WALTER E. BUCK,
Clerk.

True Copy—Test:
WALTER E. BUCK,
Clerk.

COLD WEATHER DELAYS FISHING SEASON

The continued cold weather is playing havoc with fishermen in the Elk, Susquehanna, North East River, and the upper Chesapeake Bay. The time of the year has already arrived when the run of shad and herring should be on, but the cold weather has kept them away.

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Evening Worship 7:30 o'clock.

Tuesday, April 13, a Card Party will be sponsored by Calvert Alumni Association, in Calvert High School, at 8:00 p. m.