HOLSTEINS IN THE LEAD

Five High In Improvement Association

J. B. Lamdin with 10 Grade and Purebred Holstein ranked first in Cecil County D. H. I. A. for the month of March with 989 pounds of milk and 36.9 pounds of butterfat per cow.

Second place was taken by 27 Grade and Purebred Guernseys owned by T. Harold Brown (Cedar Farm). His Guernseys made 701 lbs. of milk and 337 pounds of butterfat.

John E. Lippincott's 16 Grade and Purebred Jerseys were third with 598 pounds of milk and 32.8 pounds of butterfat.

Grade and Purebred Guernseys owned by Ernest Cullen placed fourth with 817 pounds of milk and 31.8 pounds of butterfat.

Fifth and last place was taken by Guy McGrady with 16 purebred Jerseys that produced 653 pounds of milk and 31.5 pounds of butterfat.

Jerseys Take Individual Honors

Helen the purebred Jersey that took high place in Cecil County for the month of march, producing 1283 pounds of milk and made 71.7 lbs. of butterfat. Helen is one of Ennis McGradys' purebred Jerseys. He also had another Jersey that placed sixth.

Second high cow was 12-C owned by H. B. Crowgey & Son, she is also a purebred Jersey. She produced 1265 pounds of milk and made 67.1 pounds of butterfat.

John E. Lippincott had third high cow. She is a burebred Jersey and produced 1140 pounds of milk and 64.5 pounds of butterfat.

Fourth high cow is owned by T. W. Bacchus, "Mata", a purebred Guernsey.

"Peggy" a G. Guernsey placed fifth. She is owned by Wallace Williams.

Ralph Bower's "Jacaquette" a purebred Guernsey placed seventh.

Guy McGrady's "Ada" a purebred Jersey placed eighth.

J. T. C. Hopkins with a G. Guernsey No. 23 and a G. Holstein No. 31 placed ninth and tenth.

SEWER FOR CHESAPEAKE CITY

The town board of commissioners has filed its plans for the construction of sewer lines into the Chesapeake and Delaware Canal. The U. S. Engneer's office of Philadelphia has notified the board criticism or protests must be filed prior to April 15, when action is to be taken on the request.

The plans provide for two 8-inch sewer effluent lines to extend from treatment works to point along the local low water line. One sewer line is to be approximately 600 feet west of the highway drawbridge on the south side; the other approximately 2100 feet west of the drawbridge on the north side.

The decision as to whether or not permission will be granted on the plans submitted will rest primarily upon the effect of the proposed work on navigation.

TO INSTALL NAVIGATION AID IN CHESTER RIVER

Washington, April 9—Representative Goldsborough, of Maryland, today announced that the Bureau of Light-houses, Department of Commerce, had granted his request for the installation of modern navigation lights in the Chester river, to benefit operators of small vessals in and around Queenstown harbor.

Mr. Goldborough also announced Presidential approval of four WPA allotments for the Eastern Shore, totaling $19,695. These included an allotment of $4,480 for street improvement at Greensboro, Caroline county; a public park and recreational area at Nebron, Wicomico county, to cost $2,989; sanitary sewer and water mains at Elkton, $9,632, and the development of a municipal play-ground near Crisfield, $2,594.

CECIL FARM BUREAU DIRECTOR

The Cecil County Farm Bureau, 200 members of which enjoyed the annual banquet at North East on the evening of April 1st, has elected directors as follows: D. B. McDowell, Lloyd Balderston, R. H. Baker, Edgar P. Bishop, S. W. Caldwell, George Thornton, M. H. Cameron, R. G. MacDonald, J. B. Astle, Mrs. Atlee Armour was selected as Home and Community Chairman for the Local Bureau.

TOOK PLUNGE IN RIVER

Attempting to escape arrest in Port Deposit, a young man by the name of Cauffman, from Lenape, Pa., jumped from his car and ran across the wharf, near the Vanneman gas station. Being unacquainted with the locality he fell from the wharf into the river, was fished out and haled before Justice of the Peace J. H. Pugh, who fined him on the charge of reckless driving, lodged against him by the officer from whom he attempted to escape.

WOULD ABOLISH ALMSHOUSES

Official Finds 15 Are Deplorable Queen Anne Institution Criticized

Conditions in 15 county almshouse are "intolerable" and call for "immediate relief," Mrs. Harriette S. Kearfott, chief clerk of the Board of State Aid and Charities, asserted in a report to Governor Nice.

Mrs. Kearfott made a personal investigation of the almshouses at the Governor's request. A separate report was submitted to the Governor some time ago by State Senator Raymond E. Kennedy (Dem., Fifth).

"It is hard to believe that we, the people of Maryland, have allowed the inhuman conditions under which these unfortunates live to exist," Mrs. Kearfott said, reporting on the inmates of the institutions.

She recommended that the state abolish the almshouse system and build instead, either one or two chronic hospitals for county indigents needing medical care.

Mrs. Kearfott reported she found adult feeble-minded living, unsegregated, with other inmates, venereal diseases receiving no medical care, institutions lacking bed clothing and heating facilities and other bad conditions.

The only Eastern Shore institution she mentioned was the one in Queen Anne's County where she reported a bed without coverings and no heat in the building.

AUTOMOBILE FATALITIES IN THE STATE

Records in the office of Commissioner of Motor Vehicles of the State of Maryland show that during the first three months of this year there were 57 less deaths in the State, than in the corresponding period of 1937, a decrease of 38 per cent.

The comparative tabulation of the three months' period shows that in 1937 during the month of January there were 67 deaths, February 37, March 45, a total of 149.

1938—January 36, February 26, March 30, total of 92.

It is indeed gratifying to know what these statistics reveal, and I trust during the spring season that this record will continue, and the percentage of decrease will be greater.

According to our summary ,twenty-one, or seventy percent of the persons killed for the month of March were pedestrains, five, or seventeen percent were passengers, and four, or thirteen percent were the operators themselves. Most of the accidents continue to occur on dry, straight roads between intersections, on clear days and during the hours of darkness, and Friday had the highest number of ten. passenger cars with no defects head the list, with operating too fast for conditions by the operators, who in a majority of the cases were white, in normal conditions, between the ages of thirty to thirty-nine with five years or more experience, and a resident of the Counties. Most of the pedestrians met their death "Crossing between intersections", and Walking in road left side against traffic, even though, he may see the car approaching, prefers walking on the shoulder, where he considers he belongs, instead of moving out of the way of the approaching car. There were two Hit and Run cases during the month of March.

Baltimore City is charged with eight deaths, with twenty-two deaths occurring in the Counties.

Walter R. Rudy,
Commissioner.

ELKTON ACADEMY TO GO

The old Academy building at Elkton, which was abandoned several years ago, will shortly be razed The condition of the building has become so bad that it has been idle for some time.

Memorial services in tribute to the old Academy, aud to its founder Col. Henry Hollingsworth, were to be held at the Academy grounds at noon on Thursday, April 14, before it is torn down.

DISTRIBUTION OF LANCASTER TRUST COMPANY FUNDS

The sum of $12,077.61 will be distributed to the participants in trust mortgage pool B of the Lancaster, Pa., Agricultural Trust and Savings Company, per action taken by the court last week.

The third and final account of John E. Phillippi, deputy receiver, was presented to the court by M. M. Harnish, and was approved.

We'd better not hate England's enemies. She is too apt to make peace with them and leave us to do all the hating.

Store-bought cake, however good, takes part of the joy from childhood. The Kids don't get to lick the spoon that mixed the batter.

WOODLAWN

The Minstrel Show that was given by the young men of this section in March is to be repeated in the Church House, Friday evening, the 22nd, Admission 30 cents and 15 cents.

A 10½ pound boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Benjamin, early Sunday morning. This is their second son.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Rea and Miss Elsie spent Sunday with Mrs. Reas' sister, Mrs. Elliott Montgomery and Mr. Montgomery.

The congregations of Hopewell and Asbury M. E. Churches gave the Pastor, Rev. S. T. Hamblin,, Mrs. Hamblin and Lorna a reception in the Church House, Tuesday evening in honor of their return for the third year.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice W. Jenks of Topeka, Kansas, have announced the engagement of their daughter Julia to Hambleton Abrahams. The wedding will be the last of April. Mr. Abrahams is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John V. Abrahams of Topeka and has frequently visited his relatives at Woodlawn.

Miss Mary Rawlings of Baltimore spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Bobert K. Rawlings.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred Fox entertained at their home, Friday evening, the 8th in honor of their fifth wedding anniversary the members of the Embroidery Club and husbands, their neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McGrady, Mr. and Mrs. Ray McGray, Mr. and Mrs. John Sebold, Mr. and Mrs. John Astle, Mr. George Kepler and Miss Pearl Kepler and the three sisters of Mrs. Fox, Mrs. Howard Mackey, husband and daughter, Miss Louise Miller and Mrs. Harriette Campbell and brother Aquilla Miller all of Elkton, Mr. Arthur Miller of Elsmere, Del., and Mr. and Mrs. Randall Miller of Leeds, Md., and Mrs. Fox's friend Mrs. W. B. Bechtel of Rising Sun.

The correspondent does not known any one by the name of Mrs. L. Jackson Brown as printed in your paper last week.

She wrote "Mrs. Jack Boniu" has returned from the Maryland General Hospital, where she had been for several weeks, following an operation.

OFFICERS OF ELKTON ROTARY

Elkton Rotary Club has elected the following officers: President, Henry W. Pippin; vice-president, Edwin Crothers; secretary-treasurer, J. Mercer Terrell; directors. Harry Croak, Franklin A. Alexander, Harry W. Pippin, Lynn B. Gillespie and John H. Minster.

SHOT NEGRO IN ARM

During a drunken brawl Arthur La Rue, Negro, of Port Deposit, hsot Lewis Smith, also colored, in the arm with a shot gun, inflicting a serious wound. La Rue was lodged in jail.

CHICKEN THIEF HELD

Wilbur Calvert, aged 24, of Theodore, is in Elkton jail, where he is held for action of the Grand jury. He is charged with larceny of 48 chickens from Frank Jackson, and a pair of tires from Edward Creswell, both of Blythedale.

THEODORE H. WORK

The funeral of Theodore H. Work was held Saturday withinterment in Mt. Salem cemetery. The deceased was a former resident of Cherry Hill, where he conducted a blacksmithing business. Later he had been employed by the duPont Co., and at the Harlan Plant of Bethlehem Steel Co.

Surviving are six children: Mrs. William Craig, Mrs. Thomas Legg and William H. Work, Wilmington; Theodore H. Work, Jr., Boxwood Road, Richardson Park, and J. Ernest and Howard B. Work, Marshallton; 15 grandchildren; one brother, David Work, Baltimore, and one sister, Mrs. Edward McGinness, Wilmington.

OFFICERS OF NORTH EAST YACHT CLUB

The North East River Yacht Club which is now making plans for holding their ninth annual regatta the latter part of June, elected the following officers: Commodore, Louis Burk of Philadelphia and Charlestown; vice-commodore, K. R. Dorries; rear commodore, M. H. Kratz; treasurer, R. C. Greenwood; treasurer, H. C. Huston of North East.

The shame of a nation is not its backward section, but the backwardness of the section that has wealth enough to build perfection.

COLORA

A marriage license was issued in Elkton last week to Earl C. Tome and Miss Margaret E. Johnson, Port Deposit. They were married on Saturday.

Philip Felpel, Port Deposit, formerly of this community, celebrated his 79th birthday Sunday, April 10th, at the home of his son Benjamin Felpel and wife, North East. Mr. Felpel received quite a nice lot of presents. A fine chicken dinner was served to the following relatives: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Felpel and daughter Grace; Mr. and Mrs. Lot Pierce and children Lot, Jr., Charles, and Dorris Pierce; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Duff and children Eleanor and Billie, Port Deposit; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Muldoon, of Colora; Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Felpel, Miss Margaret St. Clair, David and Russell St Clair, of North East; Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Viegal, of Lancaster.

Arthur Bennett, of Philadelphia, is spending some time here at the home of his Grandma, Mrs. W. N. Wilson.

Helen and Lois Fitzgerald, entertained their friend Mabel Rawlings, Sunday.

Mrs. Isaac Yocum, was a recent visitor at the home of Pierce Yocum.

Mrs. Thomas Smith and daughter Miss Dorothy, of Stanton, Del., spent a few days with the former's sister, Mrs. Lawson S. Love.

Mrs. George Coulson, Washington; Mrs. Grier Murray, Elmhurst, Del.; Mrs. Leon Gallager, Newport, Del., spent a day with their Aunt Mrs. R. F. Pierce.

Robert McKay and Miss Marion Logan, of Kennett Square, called on friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hudson, of Elkton, visited Harry Todd, and family.

Mrs. Mary Pierce, wife of Howard Pierce, Mt. Pleasant, near here, returned to her home Sunday from Union Memorial Hospital, Baltimore, where she had spent nearly three weeks. Mrs. Pierce is feeling very much improved since her operation.

Mrs. Ernest Durham was quite poorly at her home in West Nottingham.

WEST NOTTINGAM ACADEMY BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Wednesday, April 13, Avon-Grove High School at Avondale. Saturday, April 16, Saint Joseph's at Baltimore. Saturday, April 23, Newark High School at Newark. Wednesday, April 27, A. I. du Pont High School at Wilmington. Wednesday, May 4, Beacom College at W. Nottingham. Wednesday, May 11, Tome School at Port Deposit. Saturday, May 21, Harrisburg Academy at W. Nottingham. Wednesday, May 25, Goldey College at W. Nottingham. Saturday, June 4, Alumni at W. Nottingham.

RECITAL AT HARVE DE GRACE HIGH SCHOOL

Miss Clara Ascherfeld, well known Baltimore musician, will give a recital in the Havre de Grace High School Auditorium on Tuesday evening, April 19, at 8 o'clock, under the auspices of the Alumni Association. With Miss Ascherfeld will be Miss Juanita Bramlette, soprano, and George Steiner, violinist, both students of the Peabody Conservatory of Music. Mr. Steiner holder of the violin scholarship will give one of his recital in May, the Beethoven Sonata in F major, accompanied by Miss Ascherfeld. The program will be quite pleasing to lovers of good music.

FOR CLERK OF COURT

I hereby announce my candidacy for Clerk of the Circuit Court for Cecil county subject to the Republican primaries in September. Your support will be greatly appreciated.

RALPH R. CROTHERS,
Zion, Md.

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NOTICE

Having been urged by many friends and members of the bar to become a candidate for re-election I take this method of announcing my intention of becoming a candidate for re-election as Associate Judge of the Second Judicial Circuit of Maryland.

This method of announcement is adopted because the office which I hold andthe duties incident thereto preclude me from making a personal campaign.

Signed:

THOMAS J. KEATING

NOTES ON ADDRESS AT CECIL COUNTY FARM BUREAU

Dr. Symons congratulated the farmers of Cecil County on the progress that they are making. He expressed appreciation on behalf of the Extension Service for the cordial support by the county commissioners. He also praised the work of county agent Miller and Miss Gertrude Denning, Home Demonstration Agent. He paid a tribute to the splendid work done by Mr. David McDowell, who has been an agricultural leader in the state for many years.

Dr. Symons also pointed out that we have had three great periods in the agriculture of the nation. The first was the investigation of agricultural science; the second was the extension of this information to the people through demonstration and the third is the period of adjustment in which we are now in. He pointed out that Cecil County farmers had cooperated in the programs and that more than $380,000 had been paid during the past four years when Federal programs were in progress.

He discussed the new Farm Bill as to those figures that were particularly applicable to our state in the conservation of our soil resources. He urged the Cecil County Farm Bureau and farmers generally to consider the erection of a cooperative cold storage locker for preserving farm dressed meat. He stated that this was a new development in the country, that there are more than 2,000 of such plants for developing such a cooperative enterprise. These community cold storage plants furnish an opportunity for farmers to keep their meat conveniently at comparatively little cost. A plant providing for 300 lockers was considered to be the minimum. This could be housed in a building 30 x 50 feet. The average cost would be around $10,000.00. He also felt that these would be advantagous for the people in the towns and villages for keeping their meat over long periods. Meat could thus be bought in wholesale lots an dfamilies could use it when they desired. He believed that it would be a means of increasing the consumption of fresh meat, especially beef.

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