Ninth District Farmers Organization

Entertained At Home Of C. I. Miller--Beetle And Crop Control Discussed

The regular meeting of the Ninth District Farmer's Club was held April 5, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Charles I. Miller, with all members present. After roll-call and minutes, a reply from the Cecil County Delegate, Polk S. Howard was read acknowledging letter from club, requesting support of the Sunday Closing Bill, then pending in Legislature. A number of farmers reported on experiments on new practices, among which the continued use of yellow-blossom sweet clover; the use of electric light brooding in farrowing pens, and among chickens; the successful first year results of the use of pulverized limestone on wheat stubble ground in producing heavy clover growth, and value of exposure to sun and air of potatoes after being cut for seed were all discussed at length.

Reports from Miss Smith and Mr. Miller, County Agents including discussion of plans for Beetle and Crop control measures, and projects for Homemakers.

The host, Dr. Miller read an essay on "The Progress of America" giving it a slightly political, but nonpartisan treatment.

Program Committee, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brown and Mrs. Thomas Reynolds, presented a game of "Scrambles," for which Mr. T. K. McDowell won first prize. After dinner and social hour, Mrs. Reynolds demonstrated "tinting" photographs, and produced interesting pictures.

Major Alfred N. Phillips, Jr., of Cecilton, formerly member of Congress from Connecticuit and a member of the House Naval Affairs Committee, spoke at length of the opposing philosophies of National defense, and discussed the general plans of "off shore", and "on shore" defense, as applied to United States. He stressed the need of secure and adequate coast defenses both east and west, and the necessity of sufficient naval forces for such offshore defenses as warships, airplanes, submarines, "mosquito" fleet, airplane carriers, etc. Many questions were asked and answered, that proved to be thought provoking.

Mrs. D. B. McDowell gave some interesting high lights of her recent visit to Florida.

The meeting adjourned to meet May 3 with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morris of Zion.

TEXAS WOMEN TO VISIT MARYLAND WILL ATTEND SIXTH ANNUAL HOUSE AND GARDEN TOUR

Baltimore, Md., April 17—One hundred Texas women will attend the Sixth Annual House and Garden Tour, it was announced today by Mrs. H. Roland Clapp, Chairman of the Maryland Garden Pilgrimage Committee of the Federated Garden Clubs of Maryland. Mrs. Clapp in making the announcement said:

"This is the first time in the history of the House and Garden Tours that such a large delegation has come from such a far distant state. Attendance during the Pilgrimages has increased each year since the first one was held in 1930. It is noteworthy that the Tours have attracted large numbers of persons who are not garden club members. Needless to say, we are delighted that the Lone Star State has given Maryland the place of honor in the states to be visited this spring, and Maryland will live up to its tradition of Southern hospitality."

Among the many places to be visited by those participating in the House and Garden Tour will be such famous houses and gardens as Evergreen, home of former ambassador and Mrs. John W. Garrett; and Kernewood, home of Mrs Miles White, Jr., with its priceless collection of antiques and gardens of century-old boxwood.

Show places in the twelve counties in the State of Maryland will be visited, not only by Garden Club members but by the public as well. Featured in the Tours are examples of architecture, interior decoration and gardens not to be seen by the pubilc at any other period of the year.

All funds derived from these tours are used for the preservation of Colonial Annapolis. Among the projects undertaken through the fund is the restoration of the Hammond-Harwood House, which was visited by Sir Anthony Eden on his recent visit to America.

The Tours begins April 28 at 10 a. m., and ends each day at 5 p. m., continuing through May 7. Full information may be obtained from the Headquarters of the Federated Gardens Clubs of Maryland, Belvedere Hotel, Baltimore.

The New York Yankees will have complete charge of the Easton ball club of the Eastern Shore League, it was announced last week. The Yankees will furnish the players, manage the club, collect the receipts and pay all bills. The town of Easton, Md., will receive a ground rental for use of their park, but otherwise will have no connection with their club.

DEATHS

DR. THOMAS S. BAKER

The funeral of Dr. Thomas Baker, whose death occurred April 7, in Pittsburgh, Pa., was held on April 10, the body being brought to Spesutia cemetery, Perryman, Md., for interment.

Dr. Baker was 68 years of age, and was president emeritus of Carnegie Institute of Technology, in Pittsburgh.

Dr. Baker was born near Carsins Run, Harford County, Md., the son of the late John H. and Cornelia Stockham Baker.

He was graduated from Baltimore City College and matriculated at Johns Hopkins University, where he received his bachelor's degree in 1891. He then studied at the University of Leipzig, Germany, and returned to Hopkins as assistant professor of German. He remained there for five years, during which time he was awarded the degree of Doctor of Philosophy.

In 1900 Dr. Baker was instructor of modern languages at Tome School for boys, Port Deposit, becoming director of the school in 1908 and its head in 1909.

On March 1, 1919, Dr. Baker accepted the position of secretary of the Carnegie Institute of Technology.

JOHN DANIEL MAIER

John Daniel Maier, of Charlestown, was found dead at his home on Monday morning, April 10. His funeral was held April 12, in charge of Wilmington Lodge of Elks.

The deceased was a native of Wilington, but had resided at Charlestown for the past thirty years.

While in Wilmington, he was connected with the duPont Company and was inventor of the Maier Pipe Reamer. A son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Maier, who conducted a bakery a number of years ago, he was the brother of Chief Engineer Harry L. Maier of the Street and Sewer Department. He was well known in Wilmington as a musician, and was a 307, B. P. O. E.

In addition to his brother, he is survived by sister, Mrs. Louise Cramer, of Cumberland, Md., and two other brothers, Fred L., of Baltimore. and Charles L. Maier, Detroit, Mich.

Interment was made in the M. E. Church cemetery at Charlestown.

MRS. VISTA H. WRIGHT

Mrs. Vista Hambleton Wright, widow of the late George Wright, died April 7, at her home in Port Deposit.

She was the daughter of the late Samuel Hambleton of Rising Sun. Surviving are two sons and two daughters: Pennell Wright, of York, Pa.; Chester Wright, Port Deposit; Mrs. Calvert Baker, Chester, Pa.; Mrs. Clifford Moore, Camden, New Jersey. Three brothers also survive.

Funeral services were held April 10, and interment made in Hopewell cemetery.

W. FRANK KARL

W. Frank Karl, 60 years old, a merchant of Elkton who died Friday night at his home in that town after a week's illness of a heart condition, was buried Monday.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Minnie McCormick Karl, a daughter, Miss Helen Karl; two sisters, Mrs. Mamya Jones of Atlantic City, Mrs. Walter Potts, Centreville, Md., and a brother, Nathan Karl of Elkton.

Funeral services were held from the home. Interment was in Elkton Cemetery.

JOHN R. EVERLAND

John R. Everland, aged 55 years, died on April 12, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Richard Jackson, North East, from heart trouble.

Funeral services were held at the home of Mrs. Jackson on Saturday afternoon, with interment in Bethel cemetery.

He is survived by his wife Edna T.; four sons, Howard, John, Russell and Ralph and three daughters, Mrs. Richard Jackson, Mrs. James Allen and Mrs. Elmer Jones.

EDWARD M. KIRK

Stricken while carrying an arm load of wood at his home at Sylmar, Edward M. Kirk, aged 77 years, a life-long resident of that section, died within a short time. Three sons survive: Thomas, near Sylmar; Harry and Ross, at home. Interment was made in Fremont M. E. cemetery.

ODDEY ROGERS

Funeral services for Oddey Rogers, 69 years old, a retired farmer, who died Saturday at the home of his son near Zion, were held Tuesday afternoon. Interment was at Rosebank Cemetery. A widow and four sons survive.

JOSEPH FOUNDS

Joseph Founds, 40 years old, a weaver employed in the local textile mills at Elk Mills died Monday at the home of Ray Carr. He is survived by his mother, several brothers and sisters.

A public meeting in the interest of extension of electric lines through lower Cecil county and upper Kent County, was held Tuesday morning at Millington, Del., and at Cecilton in the afternoon.

COLORA

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Kirk, Hudson, Ohio; Miss Ruth Reburn and brother Fred Reburn, of Oxford; Mr. and Mrs. Stetson and little daughter, of West Nottingham, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Knopp, daughter, Edith and son Martin, of Rocks, Harford County, visited the Norman and Clinton Ways.

Mrs. S. W. Fitzgerald and children, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Riley, Jr., and little son, Colora; Mr. and Mrs. Leon H. Gallaher and daughter Miss Grace, of Lyndalia, Newport, Del., spent Easter with the Charles Warfields at Ellicott City.

T. Albert Ewing is quite ill at his home here.

Edward Gibson is improving from his illness.

Ethel, the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burkins, has been very ill of pneumonia.

Mrs. John H. Blackburn has returned from the Woman's Hospital, Baltimore, where she had an operation.

Mrs. S. E. Riley, Sr., is recuperating at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Grace Warfield, Ellicott City, where she was taken two weeks ago. Mrs. Riley has been ill since January.

Mrs. Robert F. Pierce returned home Monday last after spending four weeks with her sister, Mrs. S. E. Riley, spending the past two weeks with her in Ellicott City.

Emma J. Bennett, of Philada., enjoyed the Easter holidays with her grandma, Mrs. W. N. Wilson, who accompanied Emma home Sunday afternoon for a short visit.

Miss Lila Todd, student at Temple University, Philadelphia, was with her home folks for Easter vacation.

Raymond Carter and family spent Easter with friends in West Chester, Pa.

Arthur Murphy, of Porters Bridge, who is employed in Pennsylvania spent a day with his home folks.

Colora Woman's Club met with Mrs. Marion Tatum Tuesday afternoon, April 4th.

Mrs. J. M. Holden and Mrs. J. P. Martindale, Rising Sun, will entertain the April meeting of the Missionary Society of West Nottingham Church on Thursday afternoon of this week.

Ellis Wiggins, Phillip Foster, Jr., Colora, left on Monday last to enter C. C. C. Camps.

Mrs. W. H. Burdett and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ewing, Lee Ewing, and family, were guests of Samuel E. Ewing and family.

The household goods belonging to the late Mrs. Agnes Reese, were sold at public sale at her late home here on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. A. S. Venable entertained her Sunday School Class at an Easter party and egg hunt, Monday afternoon. Games were played, all enjoyed a pleasant time at the Manse. In the egg hunt Helen Fitzgerald found the largest number 51; next highest was Mabel Rawlings, who had 50; Helen was given a large Easter egg as a prize. Those of the Class were Mable Rawlings, Helen Fitzgerald, Norma Price, Mabel Conrad, Ruth Nesbitt, Ellen Clendenin, Caroline Bird, Eleanor Jane Slaybaugh, Nancy Balderston, Joann Emery, Anna Lee Starkey, Helen McCauley, Hazel Adams, Lois Adams.

Mrs. Annie B. Pierce, of Chester, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Muldoon for a few days.

Annual Show By Academy

The annual show of the West Nottingham Academy will be given in the High School auditorium here on Friday evening of this week, April 21.

The show will be in two parts, the Dramatic Club presenting the three act farce "Breezy Money," under direction of Mrs. J. Paul Slaybaugh.

The second part will be a concert by the combind Musical Clubs of the Academy, with selections by the Glee Club of twenty members and popular and classical numbers by the twelve-piece Orchestra.

The admission charge is 40 cents for adults and 25 cents for children.

RISING SUN BOY SCOUT TROOP

Troop 28, Rising Sun Boy Scouts met Monday evening at the high school building, and was called to order by Scout Master Warren. Assistant Scout Master Shingler and ten Scouts were present. Also Scout Committeeman Walter M. Cameron.

Bills were given the Scouts for back dues and new registration fees, and dues were then collected

Scout John W. Sebold was elected Scout Scribe. Scout Wayne Reynolds was promoted to Patrol Leader of the Bob White Patrol. Scout Irving Liggett was elected assistant Patrol Leader of the same Patrol.

Dues amounting to fifty-five cents were collected, and registration fees recevied amounted to sixty-five cents.

Troop Scribe
John W. Sebold

James T. Sadler of Harford county has filed suit against the Kaufman Construction Company, for $5,000 damages for alleged injuries. According to the declaration. the defendant, engaged in building the approaches to the new Susquehanna River bridge on the Havre de Grace side, had left the roadway in a torn up condition which the plaintiff said resulted in injuries in a full when he stepped into a bad hole.

Japanese Beetle Threat To Crops

County Agent, J. Z. Miller announced today that another Japanese Beetle outbreak is only slightly more than sixty days away. Beetles are on the increase in the county and it is expected that many farmers will suffer crop losses again this year. Corn, soybeans, grapes, fruit and shade trees were badly damaged in many sections of the county last summer.

Mr. Miller says that every farmer in the county should begin now to think about and plan his control activities. A state wide control program has been organized and will be in operation in Maryland. The program is based on the cooperation of State, Federal and local authoritites with the people.

The question that Mr. Miller wants answered is whether the farmers of Cecil County want to enter into this control program. He needs this information at once if the necessary equipment needed to cooperate is to be obtained.

Last year parasite were colonized and demonstrations on control were made in the county. The several phases of the demonstration and control activities included trapping, spraying, lawn treatments, agricultural adjustments and planting plans. The parasite colonization work and agricultural adjustment activities are going forward in a sound way and on the basis of a long range program excellent results are expected. Last year there was considerable desire on the part of many farmers and others in the county for traps which were not available. This was due to the fact that sufficient funds were not available to furnish all people with traps who wanted them. However, a trapping demonstration was conducted in the county to show farmers and others just what the traps were like and what they would do in the way of catching beetle. Approximately 533 barrels or 41 tons of beetles were caught.

According to a questionnaire signed by all farmers using traps this past year, 95.1 percent thought that the traps were effective in catching beetles, that the program was sound and that it should be continued; 2.4 percent were opposed to the traps, and 2.4 percent were noncommital. Mr. Miller states that if the farmers of the county are interested in a beetle control program this year he will make every endeavor to arrange for it. Sufficient money is not available to take care of the free distribution of traps to all who want and need them, but a plan has been proposed whereby the State, County and Federal Government cooperate in buying efficient traps to make a loan of traps within limit to all farmers purchasing traps; that is, for each trap purchased by a farmer a loan of a trap will be made.

Not less than 1 trap for each 5 acres of open land should be used, however in instances fewer traps may be used advantageously. Last year in the trapping demonstration 1 trap for each acre of open land was recommended.

In an effort to obtain public reaction to the proposed program, a meeting was held Monday night at the Court House. Most of those present expressed a desire for the program. In addition to this, Mr Miller has sent cards to farmers in the county asking them to express an opinion. If the farmers and others in the county want the program they should fill in these cards and return them immediately. This is absolutely essential because it is getting rather late in the season and if traps are to be bought and delivery obtained on time, the program must be decided upon within the next few days.

LEADERS WHO BACK WAR PROPOSED AS FIGHTERS

The President of the United States would be required to serve as field commander of the nation's armies in a foreign war if Congress approves a bill introduced by Rep. Frank C. Osmers, Jr., (R.N.J.).

The measure, which Osmer termed the best peace plan ever proposed, calls for the first order of a selective draft to be as follows:

The vice-president, members of the cabinet, congressmen who voted for the declaration of war, corporation directors who sell munitions or secondary war materials for profit and on credit, and bankers who lend money to foreign nations to finance any war.

These men could not become commissioned officers, and would be required to engage in actual combat, or to spend the duration of the war in bed.

The bill would be inoperative in case of an invasion of this country.

MAYOR JASKSON WINS PRIMARY

Howard W. Jackson, popular Mayor of Baltimore, won the nomination for a fourth term, in the Democratic primary held last week in Baltimore. The Mayor easily defeated the State organization, candidate backed by boss Howard Bruce, National Democratic Committeeman.

Mayor Jackson will be opposed by Theodore R. McKeldin, Republican candidate in the May 2nd election.

Philip H. Close, Solicitor,
Bel Air, Maryland

ASSIGNEE'S SALE
of
desirable farm in Carpenter's Neck, in the Fifth Election District of Cecil County.

By virtue of the power vested in the undersigned, as the Assignee of that certain mortgage from Henry Nicoll, widower, to The Pennsylvania Joint Stock Land Bank of Philadelphia, dated the 13th day of July, 1926, recorded among the Land Records of Cecil County in Liber H. W. L. No. 19 folio 197, and thereon assigned to Philip H. Close for purpose of foreclosure, default having occurred under said mortgage, the undersigned, Assignee as aforesaid, will offer at public auction at the Court House Door, in Elkton, in Cecil County aforesaid, on

TUESDAY, the 25th day of April, 1939

At 11:30 o'clock A. M.

all that certain farm, tract, part of a tract or parcel of land containing one hundred thirty six and eight-tenths (136.8) acres, more or less, situate in the Fifth Election District of Cecil County aforesaid and lying on the Principio-Carpenter's Point road; it being the same lands described in the above recited mortgage; and also the same and all the lands which were conveyed to the said Henry Nicoll by deed from Walter T. Jackson and wife, dated the 3rd day of July, 1920, and recorded as aforesaid in Liber H. W. L. No. 1 folio 363; excepting and reserving, however, the right of way or strip of land thirty feet wide which is described in and conveyed by the deed from Henry Nicoll aforesaid to Augusta Nicoll and Francis N. Clark, dated the 19th day of November, 1923, and recorded as aforesaid in Liber H. W. L. No. 10 folio 544.

The improvements consist of a two story frame dwelling. 18x42 feet, containing seven rooms, 2 story frame tenant house containing six rooms, frame barn, 38x100 feet, with two open sheds, 12x50 feet each, second barn, 50x54 feet, cool house, garage, corn crib, tile pasteurizing house, 32x32 feet, two tile silos, 12x40 feet each, and other necessary outbuildings.

Terms of Sale:—One-third of the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day of sale, one-third in six months and the balance in twelve months from the day of sale or all cash at the option of the purchaser; credit payments to bear interest from the day of sale and to be secured by the notes or bonds of the purchaser, with surety to be approved by the undersigned.

The purchaser will be required to pay the State and County taxes for the year 1939, and also the whole cost of required revenue stamps, State and Federal.

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LOST!

Ladies Wrist Watch, in Rising Sun April 14, white gold, initials R J R. Liberal reward. R. Jannette Reed.

TO OUR PATRONS

Due to unforseen and unavoidable circumstances, I am compelled to discontinue the tailoring business here in Rising Sun.

We wish to take this opportunity to express our sincere thanks to our many good friends here in Rising Sun and vicinity for their friendly cooperation and patronage.

Fabio Traccarelli

WEST NOTTINGHAM OPENS WITH VICTORY

The West Nottingham Academy successfully inaugurated the spring sports season Saturday afternoon, April 8, at West Nottingham with a victory over Bel Air High School's baseball team. The score was West Nottingham 17, Bel Air 4.

The low temperature and generally over-cast conditions along with the fact that it was the opening game for both teams made the play rather regged. Al Newcomb of Lansdowne, Pa., went the route on the mound for West Nottingham, and although he was wild, issuing nine passes, allowed the Bel Air sluggers only two safe blows, and generally hurled a good game. The Maroon sluggers put on a nine hit attack which coupled with ten bases on balls and four Bel Air errors netted the large total of 17 runs in seven innings.

Jim Spillane of Collingswood, New Jersey, led the hitters with three bingles, two of which were doubles. His teammate, Roberts, formerly of Perryville High School, opened the fire works show in the first inning with a bombing home run to right field. This blow put Nottingham ahead and Bel Air never caught up.

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AND
Up The River

UP THE RIVER

Preston Foster **Tony Martin**
Slim Summerville **Phyllis Brooks**
Bill Roberson
The Spider's Web
Western starts about 7 & 9:30
Feature starts about 8 & 10:30

Monday-Tuesday **April 24-25**

Made For Each Other

Carole Lombard **James Stewart**
Feature starts about 7:30 & 9:50

Wednesday **April 26**

Tom Sawyer Detective

Donald O'Connor **Billie Cook**
Mark Twain's all-time all-American Boy.
Added: Abe Lincoln In The White House Community Sing.
Feature starts about 7:45 and 9:50
AWARD NIGHT

Thursday-Friday **April 27-28**
DOUBLE FEATURE

Wings Of The Navy

George Brent **Olivia Delviland**
Feature starts about 7 & 10:10

BLONDIE

Penny Singleton **Arthur Lake**

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FISH MARKET

W. J. Wilson has opened his Fish Market again at Port Deposit, Md., for the 44th season. See him for
Herring, Rock and other Fresh Fish
Boats For Hire

MARYLAND MILK PRODUCTION

Total milk prdouction on Maryland farms last year is estimated at 832,000,000 pounds or about 5 percent more than the 190,000,000 pounds produced in 1937, according to the Maryland Crop Reporting Service. The rise in 1938 was due to more milk cows on farms and a larger production per cow than in 1937. The 1938 production per cow in herd was 4,450 pounds, averaging 371 pounds per month.