

WYE OAK BECOMES STATE PARK

Now The Property of State of Maryland—Purchase Price \$6,150

Historic Wye Oak, a giant tree located along the Centerville-Easton highway, reputed to be four centuries old, together with a house and lot shaded by its 165-foot spread, became the property of the State of Maryland on Thursday for use as a park. The purchase price was \$6,150, according to announcement at ceremonies pertaining to the title held in Governor O'Connor's office.

At a brief ceremony Governor O'Connor handed over a State check to Alexis Shriver, director of historical markers for the State Roads Commission, thus taking title to the historic oak.

The tree formerly was the property of Mrs. John E. Kinniman and Mrs. Susie Straughn, for whom Shriver acted as agent in the transaction. With the tree went a house and part of an adjoining lot. It is located in Talbot County.

Experts have termed the tree the finest example of white oak on the American continent. It has attracted sightseers from many states. Fifty-four inches from the ground, its bole measures 27 feet 8 inches in circumference.

Governor O'Connor termed the purchase a "distinct achievement" and thanked representatives of Eastern Shore societies and garden clubs for their interest in assuring preservation of the famous landmark.

Shriver asserted the state had done a "splendid thing" in deciding to create a public park, under jurisdiction of the State Forestry Department, around the huge oak which, he added, was "something that cannot be duplicated in America."

Sandy Cove Dog Show

"Sandy Cove," exclusive vacation resort near North East, Maryland, will play hostess to one of the largest dog shows ever staged in Cecil county when on Sunday, October 15, a First Annual licensed A. K. C. All-Breed dog show will be held. The grounds will be thrown open to the public and the aristocracy of Dogdom. Society, Press and exhibitors spectacle in a setting of magnificent natural beauty.

Calvert P. T. A. Elects Officers

At the first full meeting of Calvert P. T. A., on Wednesday evening last, Mrs. C. R. Clements, president of the State Parent-Teachers Association, was the principal speaker. Mrs. Milton Moore of Hagerstown vice-president, also spoke.

The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Ivy McKinney; vice-president, Mrs. Florence England; secretary, Mrs. Florence Brown; treasurer, William Little.

Fisherman's Paradise Closed

Fisherman have long enjoyed the privilege of fishing in the Susquehanna river from the Conowingo Power Company plant. The Philadelphia Electric Company owners of the Conowingo Power Company, located on the Susquehanna River, recently put a curb on local fishermen when notices were issued prohibiting anglers fishing from the breast of the dam at Conowingo. Guards have been also placed on each side of the river.

The Company also has established further restrictions in prohibiting fishing in the river within a thousand feet below and above the dam.

THE TOME SCHOOL REOPENS

Begins 40th Year and Second Under Alumni Control

Port Deposit, Md., Sept. 29, 1939. The Tome School started its 40th year as one of the leading preparatory schools in the country, and its second year under Alumni control, when the boarding boys were registered on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. The new boys were registered on Tuesday and the old boys on Wednesday and both groups were entertained at teas given at the Headmaster's residence by Mrs. Trentwell Mason White.

The school opens this year under the leadership of a new Headmaster, Dr. Trentwell Mason White, who was appointed by the Alumni Board of Managers last July. Dr. White comes to The Tome School from The Curry School of Boston, where he has been Headmaster after having served on the faculty of other leading preparatory schools in the Eastern part of the United States.

Dr. White began his teaching in 1922 as Englester master and art instructor at Hotchkiss School, where he also coached football. From 1923 to 1928 he was English and public speaking master at Williston Academy and Dedham. In 1928 he became a professor of English and Director of Educational Research at Northeastern University.

Two years after he accepted five posts simultaneously; he replaced the late famous Dallas Lore Sharp as lecturer in creative writing at the Breadloaf (graduate) School of Middlebury College, he became state extension lecturer at Harvard in the same subject, joined the English faculty at The Curry School, and became an editor of D. C. Heath & Company, text book publishers, and of Education magazine.

Dr. White's understanding of the boyish mind and heart is illustrated by his fiction for boys. Among his many books are: "Opportunity Ahead," "The Things in the Road," "Three Rookies at Morton" and "Famous Leaders of Industry." An editor of Education Magazine since 1930, able and active contributor to the national press and advisory editor of various textbook publishing companies. As President of the publishing firm of Lothrop, Lee and Shephard of Boston, he gained experience that assures for The Tome School a sound and economical business administration with a complete understanding of modern effective methods of enrollment promotion.

Mrs. White shares her husband's interest in boys and their problems. Her understanding presence supplies the sympathetic counsel that is so necessary in the life of a boy at school.

The Reverend Frederick P. Houghton, D. D., Executive Secretary of Pennsylvania Diocese, will conduct the first service in Memorial Hall Chapel, Sunday, September 24th. The organist will be Mr. Joseph N. Conlin, instructor in music at The Tome School. The non-denominational services are open to the public to join with the student body.

The members of the football squad returned to the school Monday, September 11th, and have been practicing under the guidance of the new football coach, Mr. Robert Williams, who is assisted by Mr. Charles B. Thompson, Director of Athletics. The entire school will accompany the football team to the opening game of the season, to be played Saturday, Sept. 30th, against Mt. St. Joseph's High School at Irvington, Baltimore.

U. S. ARMY ENLISTMENTS

The U. S. Army Recruiting Officer at Room 212 Hearst Tower Building, Baltimore, Maryland announced that War Department has authorized the enlistment of qualified white men for the following stations:

- Air Corps, Langley Field, Va.; 66th Infantry, Fort George C. Meade, Maryland;
- 5th Engineers, Fort Belvoir, Va.; First Medical Battalion, Fort Hoyle, Maryland;
- First Medical Regiment, Carlisle, Barracks, Pa.;
- 36th Field Artillery, Fort Bragg, North Carolina, and a limited number of Colored men for 48th Quartermaster Regiment, Fort Bragg, North Carolina.

The qualifications for enlistments are as follows: Applicants must be unmarried, without dependents, physically and morally qualified, Native or Naturalized citizens of the United States. Applicants for enlistment in the Air Corps must possess a high school education or hold a journeyman's rating in mechanical trades, but qualified cooks may enlist for Air Corps even though they do not possess all the educational requirements.

FRIENDS MEETING

The annual meeting of Friends will be held at West Nottingham Meeting House next Sunday, October 1st, at 2:30 P. M. Bliss Forush, of Baltimore, and Bernard Waring, of the Friends Service Committee, expect to be present.

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DEATHS

CLAUDE A. ROSS

Claude A. Ross, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wordell Ross, of Chesapeake City, died at the home of his parents in that town on Sept. 19, aged 36 years. His funeral was held on Thursday afternoon, with interment in Bethel cemetery.

EMANUEL J. EBY

Emanuel J. Eby, who formerly conducted the Village Restaurant in this town, died in a Philadelphia Hospital on Monday. He is survived by his wife and one son.

WILLIAM H. LAMBORN

William H. Lamborn, of Avondale, Pa., a well known dealer in electrical appliances and farm equipment, died Sept. 20, at his home in that town. He is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Nettie Ewing of Zion, Cecil county, and one daughter, Miss Grace Lamborn.

MRS. JAMES F. BURRIS

Mrs. Sarah J. Moffett Burris, wife of James F. Burris, died Sept. 15, at her home in Cecilton, aged 76 years. Her husband, one son and three daughters survive: Elwood Burris, Miss Grace Burris, Mrs. John D. Boulden and Mrs. Harry Boulden; also one sister, Mrs. Emma Sattedfield, of Townsend, Del., and six grand-children.

JAMES P. THORNTON

The funeral of James P. Thornton was held on Friday, and interment made in Bethel cemetery, near Chesapeake City. His death occurred Sept. 19, at his home near Kirkwood, Del. The deceased was 52 years of age, and was a native of Cecil County. His wife, Mrs. Maude G. Thornton, survives.

PINNED BENEATH TRACTOR

Cyrus Lindsey, residing on a farm near Forestville, Pa., met with a serious accident, Saturday afternoon. A wagon was being pushed by the tractor up over the barn bridge, when the wagon tongue slipped under the machine, causing it to rear up, upsetting it over the bridge and pinning Mr. Lindsey under the tractor. He was removed to University Hospital, Philadelphia, with a broken leg and broken collar bone.

FRANK SHUMAN

Frank Shuman, who resided on what is known as the Samuel Reynolds farm, north of town, was stricken with an attack of the heart at his home, on Tuesday, and expired before medical aid could be summoned. He was about 48 years of age, and is survived by his wife and four children.

Funeral services will be held at his late home Friday at 2:00 p. m., and interment made in Brookview cemetery, Rising Sun.

JOHN PEREGRINO

John Peregrino, husband of Mrs. Mary Peregrino passed away Sunday morning, Sept. 17, at the Endeavour Sanatorium where he had been under treatment for the past year. Besides his wife, he is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Tommy Fox, Miss Josephine Peregrino and Miss Helena Peregrino of Port Deposit, also one son, Frank Peregrino of Harve de Grace. Funeral services were held Wednesday morning with interment in Hopewell cemetery.

CASH INCOME OF FARMERS

The Bureau of Agricultural Economics estimates that the cash income of farmers for the present year will probably total about \$7,900,000,000. This includes farm products marketed, commodities placed under government loan in 1939, and receipts from conservation and parity payments. This compares with \$8,020,000,000 in 1938 and \$8,988,000,000 in 1937.

The value of farm products retained for consumption by farm households is expected to total about \$1,200,000,000 this year.

NEW OFFICIAL RECORD

Peterborough, N. H.—A new record, exceeding the average of the Guernsey breed for her age and class has just been completed by a seven and one-half year old cow Cherub King's Rose 319475 of Port Deposit, Md., tested and owned by Donaldson Brown. Her official record supervised by the University of Maryland and announced by The American Guernsey Cattle Club is 10099.7 pounds of milk and 595.7 pounds of butter fat in class A.

WEST NOTTINGHAM CHURCH

The Presbyterian World-Wide Communion Service will be observed at the West Nottingham Church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. The members of our church who have belonged to West Nottingham for fifty years or longer will be "Guests of Honor" at the service. Members and friends are cordially invited to attend.

Dr. S. J. Venable, Pastor.

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Ar. World's Fair	9:50 A. M.
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Lv. New York (Penn. Sta.)	10:15 P. M.

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BIBLE SCHOOL

Evening Classes—Lancaster School of the Bible

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COURSES OFFERED—A Survey of New Testament Books, Mr. Paul H. Wilson. Scriptural Life and Prayer, Mr. Henry J. Heydt.

EVERYBODY WELCOME!

WOODLAWN

Asbury Methodist Church Home Coming Day is Sunday, the first, with services in afternoon and evening.

Miss Ola Keilholz has returned to Balto., after a week's visit at Bloomingdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Burlin are staying with Mrs. Clarence Mahan. Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hall, Richard and Howard spent Sunday in Baltimore with friends.

Mr. Hamblin has returned to the Parsonage to spend the Winter with his son and family. He was with friends on the Eastern Shore, the past few months.

Mrs. Sena Owens returned to her home at Bay View, Monday, after a pleasant visit with Mrs. Milton Fletcher.

Miss Ruth Baugher has enrolled at the Salisbury State Teachers College for her Freshman year.

Mrs. Arthur Mahan of Aberdeen, spent last Thursday with Mrs. Clarence Mahan.

Mrs. E. C. Williams and Mrs. Horace Hall were in Balto., Monday.

Mrs. Milton Fletcher had as her guest the past week her aunt, Mrs. Harriet Lambert of Wilmington.

Amos Burlin, Jr., and Norman Barnes, University of Maryland, spent the week end at their homes.

Messrs. Raymond, William, Thomas and S. Rowland Tome, Jr., spent the week end in New Brunswick, New Jersey.

Invitations have been received to the marriage of Miss Mary High Riley and Israel Gehman, Saturday,

October fourteenth, at seven thirty, Mennonite Gospel Mission, Reading, Pa. Her parents were the late Harry and Annie Riley, who resided near Hopewell Church, where Mary was born.

Curtis Paxton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Paxton is a Freshman at Johns Hopkins University. He graduated in June from the Tome School for Boys with honors.

UNEMPLOYMENT CLAIMS

The first fifteen days of September show a falling off in the number of benefit claims filed in the office of the Maryland Unemployment Board. From September 1, to 15, inclusive claims of all classifications filed amounted to 24,320 compared with 34,660 in the corresponding period of August. However, the most of this difference was due to the large number of claims filed in the Cumberland office as the result of a wage dispute in the Celanese industry located in that territory. These claims, as a group, the Compensation Board turned down on finding that the cessation of work was due to trouble over a wage scale. The law creating the Board specifically covers such cases.

Filed in the Cumberland office in the first half of August were 8,441 claims, compared with 1,692 in the corresponding period of September.

Payments for benefits in the first half of September amounted to \$222,252, while the figure for the first half of August was \$236,546.

Payments of benefits from the beginning of full operations in January 1938 to August 15, last aggregated \$14,681,486.

FIRE LOSSES

And a \$1,000 fire insurance policy can't cover a \$2,000 loss. Yet how often a home owner will regularly renew his fire insurance for the original amount, although he may through the years buy housefurnishings whose combined value far exceeds the investment he first sought to protect by insurance. Let this office assist you to prepare a properly planned protection program.

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THE JANES METHODIST CHURCH

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Rev. J. B. Dickerson, B. D., Minister
The Services at the James Methodist Church will be Church School at 9:45 a. m., Mr. Claude Buck, Supt. The School will observe Rally Day in all departments and will assemble in the main auditorium for the Rally Day program. Morning worship at 11 a. m., Sermon by the pastor, "Christians Rally". The evening service at 7:30 o'clock, with two members of the Youth Society guiding the services. The leaders will be counseled by Mr. E. L. Haines. A special service will be presented at this service as a climax to a great Rally Sunday.

Announcements for the Week

The Church School Board meets Tuesday, Oct. 3rd, at 7:30 p. m., at Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Haines' Home. Wednesday, 7:30, Mid-Week service. Thursday, 2:30 p. m., Ladies Aid Monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Ruth Reed. 7:30 Senior Choir rehearsal, Mrs. John B. Fassitt, Director. Friday, 7:30 p. m., Business and Social meeting of the Youth Society.

LEADERSHIP TRAINING SCHOOL AT RISING SUN

The Cecil County Council of Churches will sponsor a Leadership Training School at the Janes Methodist Church, of Rising Sun, beginning Oct. 9, at 7:00 p. m., and continuing for five more Monday evenings. All Churches of Cecil County will cooperate in the School. Outstanding Clergymen of the county will lead the various courses dealing with the life of the Protestant Church. Paul Slaybaugh, Headmaster of West Nottingham Academy is the Dean of the School.

SERVICES AT ZION PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A special Sunday Evening Service will be held in the Zion Presbyterian Church, Zion, Md., on next Sunday, Oct. 1st, 1939 at 7:30 p. m. Dr. S. J. Venable of West Nottingham Church will preach the sermon, and special music has been arranged for the service. The members of Zion Church and friends are invited to attend.
The Session of Zion Church