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Town To Construct Incinerator

Work Already Under Way---Garbage Will Be Collected And Burned

Through the initiative of the Lions Club, Rising Sun is to have an incinerator, and means of disposing of garbage, always a troublesome problem for the house-wife, will be solved for our town.

Efforts of the Lions Club, whose members sponsored this move for the much needed public convenience, have borne fruit. The Club was instrumental in having a canvass of the citizens, then had plans drawn and cost determined.

This data was submitted to the Board of Town Commissioners, who gave favorable consideration of the matter, deciding the plan feasible and took steps to carry through the construction of the plant, which will be accomplished without any additional increase in the town tax rate.

Preliminary work has already begun, and the building will be located at the sewage disposal plant, west of town.

The building will be of brick, one story, with basement, and a brick stack sixty feet in height.

The plant will be large enough to take care of all town garbage, which will be collected and disposed of. There will be no offensive odor from the burning garbage, and practically no smoke, the intense heat virtually drying up and evaporating all the refuse. The small amount of residue left, in the form of a fine ash, is always in great demand as a high grade fertilizer for lawns and gardens.

Auto Thieves Captured

The auto belonging to Harry Rogers, Peach Bottom, was stolen between 6:00 and 6:30 o'clock Thursday morning. Mr. Rogers gave chase and the pursuit becoming too close for the theives they wrecked the auto and escaped over the line into Maryland.

Mr. Rogers notified the Maryland police of the theft and they captured the three men who had been in the car. Quarryville Motor Police were notified and they brought the men before Justice of the Peace James G. Herr, of Fulton Township, in which township the theft had been committed.

The three men, who are alleged to be the thieves, were taken to Lancaster Jail to await a further hearing. They gave their names as William H. Nelson, Detroit Mich.; Geo. V. Veasel, 1923 W. Fairmont, Ave., Baltimore, Md., and James C. Austin, 2108 W. Saratoga St., Baltimore, Maryland.—Sun, Quarryville, Pennsylvania.

Play By Academy Dramatic Club

On Friday evening of this week the members of the Dramatic Club of West Nottingham Academy will present their annual play in the auditorium of Rising Sun High School at 8 o'clock.

The offering "Crashing Society", a comedy in three acts by James C. Parker, has proven a success in school dramatic circles. The cast of male and female parts gives wide range for impersonification.

The following students, will appear in the production:

John J. Bustraan, Bristol, Pa.; David B. Feltman, Arlington, Va.; Richard D. Mackie, Elkton; Frederic B. Vogel, Philadelphia; Walter D. Jenkins. Glenolden, Pa.; Donald C. Pletts, Burnswick, Maine; Gwilym A. Price, Jr., Carnegie, Pa.; David R. Snow, Burnswick, Maine; Arthur G. Turner, Washington, D. C.; Delos H. Reynolds, Washington, D. C.; Henry G. Harner, Lancaster, Pa.; George W. Cairnes, Jarrettsville, Md.

The Academy orchestra, directed by Mr. Eldon Basney of the Peabody Institute, and Mr. Richard Henstein of the Academy Science department, will furnish music during the intermission.

Mrs. O. Harold Williamson, State President, was the guest speaker at the meeting of Cecil County League of Women Voters, on Monday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Donaldson Brown near Port Deposit.

Briefly Noted News

The Wilmington District Woman's Foreign Missionary Society held an all-day meeeting, Tuesday, April 23, in Rising Sun Methodist church.

The Rising Sun Parent-Teachers Association will hold a bake in Allee tnd Shepherd's Store on Saturday, April 27. Cakes, pies, candy, bread, and rolls will be offered for sale.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of Elkton Methodist Church will observe the fiftieth anniversary of the organization on Friday, May 10, with an appropriate program.

The property of the late Scott Benjamin, at Bay View was purchased at public sale by Lawson Trimble, who will occupy it, after making a number of improvements. The price paid was $2,000.

Patrick Hickey suffered a fracture of left knee by a fall from the new highway bridge over the Susquehanna river, at Perryville. He was taken to Havre de Grace hospital for treatment.

Percy Claggett, former cashier of the Walkersville Bank, in Frederick county, has been appointed cashier of the National Bank of Perryville. He will move his family to this county in June, after his children have completed their school year in Frederick.

School Boy Struck By Automobile

Edward Graybeal, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn H. Graybeal, and a pupil at Rising Sun Elementary School, met with a serious and distressing accident on Thursday afternoon last, while returning to his home east of town.

The lad was walking along Route No. 1, when struck by an automobile. Dr. R. C. Dodson was called and took the injured boy to Union Hospital, Elkton, where examination revealed he had suffered the fracture of a leg in two places above the knee. He was later taken to the Maryland General Hospital, Baltimore.

Farmer Injured By Angry Bull

Henry D. Hammer, 60 years old, a farmer of Calvert section of this county, is a patient in Union Hospital Elkton, suffering from a fractured arm, several broken ribs and chest slightly crushed, as a result of an attack by a vicious bull.

Mr. Hammer was knocked down and the animal started to gore him but a son and an employee, armed with pitch forks, drove the infuriated animal off.

Dr. R. C. Dodson of Rising Sun, had the injured man removed to the Elkton hospital.

Purchases Milk Route

Robert W. Cameron, of this town, has purchased the milk route of the late Wilmer R. Bird, and hopes to begin daily deliveries in Rising Sun by the first of May.

Building operations on Mr. Cameron's new milk plant, on Stubbs Hill, southwest of town, are progressing as rapidly as the unfavorable weather conditions will permit.

An up to date plant will be established there, with the most modern equipment for the sanitary handling of milk.

Will Preach At West Nottingham

Dr. Paul Hutchison, president of Washington and Jefferson College, Washington, Pa., will spend the week-end of April 27 at the West Nottingham Academy, Colora, Maryland. Dr. Hutchison will preach at the West Nottingham Presbyterian church Sunday, April 28, at 11:00 A. M.

Natl. Christian Mission

The opening meeting of the National Christian Mission, a nation-wide religious movement, was held in the Methodist Church at Elkton. on Monday evening. The speaker for the occasion was the Rev. Dr. Daniel A. Poling of Philadelphia, a member of the national committee and president of the International Christian Endeavor. The meeting was attended by a large number of residents of this section.

School Closing Date In County

High School Graduates Number 229---Senior Class Of Local High Schools

The High and Elementary schools in Cecil county, will close for the school year on Friday, June 14th. The commencements of the various high schools will be held Thursday, June 13th, while the closing exercises at the Elementary school will be held the following afternoon.

The prospective graduates of the High schools number 229. The members of the graduating class of Rising Sun High School are:

Academic Course—Lillian Irene Connelly, Laura Marie Hanna.

General Course—William D. Baird, Albert Wallace Biggs, Melvin Lester Conrad, John Elmer Eastridge, Clifton Lincoln Jackson, William Isaac Johnson, Robert Norman Jugler, Arthur Benjamin Lieskie, Howard Earl Nickle, John Wayne Sebold, Joseph Amos White, Mary Martha Burkins, Sarah Elizabeth Coulson, Hazel Irene Graybeal, Isabelle Kennedy, Josephine McCardell, Virginia Idabelle McGlothlin, Ruth Anna Reynolds, Lorraine Rhenodia Riale.

Calvert High School

Academic Course—Benjamin Johnson King, William Derrick Cissel, Ferne Leone Kincaid, Elizabeth Longacre Fell, Lillie Elizabeth England.

General Course—Donald C. Way, Andrew Clifton Campbell, George Thomas DeMond, Olin Franklin Grubb, Samuel Nivin Logan, James Edward Mink, James Harold Shea, Anna Marie Racine, Eula Vancy Van Dyke.

Heads Woman's Club

At the annual election of the Elkton Womans Club on April 16, Mrs. James W. Hughes was chosen as president. The following officers were also elected: Mrs. Theodore Ott, vice-president; Mrs. Jesse E. Pierson, second vice- president; Mrs. E. Kirk Brown, recording secretary; Mrs. Leslie Pippin, corresponding secretary, Mrs. John E. Gonce, treasurer.

Four directors are holdovers and the following new directors were elected for 1940-42: Mrs. F. H. Leffler, Mrs. Dewey Patterson, Mrs. J. W. Roberson, and Mrs. James F. Evans.

Historic Mill Passes

Russell Mitchell, of New Jersey, who purchased the Ricketts farm two miles north of Elkton, has sold the historic mill property, located on Big Elk creek. It was built in 1760 and for many years was operated as a nail factory. It was later converted into saw mill and for the past 75 years has been used as a grist mill. The building was purchased by Harry Biddle, a farmer in the vicinity who will sell the machinery for junk and remove the timber to his farm.

Fire Company Auxiliary

A Woman's Auxiliary of the Water Witch Fire company Port Deposit, was organized under direction of Mrs. Call, State organizer. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Ira Brannan; vice-president, Mrs. William Cain; secretary, Miss Mary Hohn; treasurer, Mrs. Frances Tyson; chaplain, Miss Mary G. Campbell.

Republican Congressional Candidates

There are three republican Congressional candidates from the First Maryland District. They are: Delegate William Lloyd, of Dorchester county; State's Attorney F. Kirk Madden, of Somerset county, and former Judge Robert F. Duer, of Somerset county.

Church School

On Sunday the Church School officers and teachers will be installed at the Morning Worship Hour. The minister will preach on the subject "Using What You Have". The Evening Sermon theme will be "The Region of Galilea", another personal visit to the Holy Land.

Spring Meeting State Press Association

Newspaper Men See Demonstration Of War Weapons

A demonstration of some of Uncle Sam's war weapons and an afternoon at the races featured the spring meeting on Tuesday of the Maryland State Press Association.

A large number of newspapermen and guests from Delaware attended the meeting, with Gov. Herbert R. O'Conor addressing a luncheon at Aberdeen.

The group toured the Aberdeen Proving Grounds from 10:15 A. M. to 12:15 P. M., with demonstrations of some big guns and airplanes.

The association members were guests of the Harford Agricultural and Breeders' Association at Havre de Grace racetrack in the afternoon and guests of the Havre de Grace Chamber of Commerce at dinner in the evening.

Other invited guests included Mayor Howard W. Jackson, Senator George L. Radcliffe, Senator Millard E. Tydings, Howard Bruce, candidate with Radcliffe for the Democratic Senatorial nomination; former Governor Harry W. Nice and William F. Broening, candidate for the Republican Senatorial nomination, and Trentwell Mason White, headmaster at Tome School.

Loses Life Returning From Races

An automobile bearing a quartet of New Jersey race fans, en route home from the Havre de Grace track, collided with a building-supplies truck three miles south of Elkton late Thursday afternoon, killing one man and slightly injuring three others.

The man killed was Frank Taylor, 35, of Salem, N. J. His companions all of Salem, were Harry Thompson, Arthur P. Smith and John Richie. They suffered cuts and bruises.

Dr. J. B. Slicer, Cecil Co., coroner, said Cantwell Janney, of Nerth East, Md., driver of the truck, told him the passenger car skidded on the wet pavement as it approached the truck. Taylor, driving the New Jersey car, was crushed by the impact and was dead upon arrival at Union Hospital, Elkton.

Janney was held without charge pending completion of the investigation.

Pack Of Herring Begins

The Tilghman Packing Company began operations last week at its plant in Havre de Grace and up to Friday had cut about 30,000 herring. The season is later than usual, but it is expected the company will make about the same pack as in recent years.

Gallagher--Boyd

Miss Alice Marie Gallagher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel J. Gallagher, and Mr. William Henry Boyd, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Boyd, Havre de Grace, were married Friday evening April 12, in Havre de Grace, at the rectory of St. Patrick's Church by the pastor, Rev. William M. Canning.

The bride's aunt, Miss Mae Boyd, and Mr. Francis Eberhart, of Perryville, were the only attendants. The bride wore a corsage of roses. They spent the week-end in Washington, and have moved into one of the Baynes Apartments on Union avenue in Havre de Grace.

Mrs. Boyd is a graduate of the Havre de Grace High School, class of 1936, and Mr. Boyd is employed by the Pennsylvania Railroad in Wilmington, Delaware.

Hamilton--Meeks

Gladys, daughter of Carl Hamilton, of Rising Sun, became the bride of Mr. Glenn E. Meeks, of Watertown, New York, of Friday evening, April 19, at the Methodist Parsonage in this town, the Rev. J. B. Dickerson performing the marriage ceremony.

She was dressed in powdered blue, with hat and shoes to match.

The bride is a graduate of Rising Sun High School class of 1931, and the groom of High School in New York. Mr. and Mrs. Meeks will reside at the home of the bride.

"No truth was ever in vain."

Personal And Social

Miss Florence Yocum was the recent guest of her sister, Mrs. Parker Mahan, West Chester.

Mrs. Luther Ragan is a patient in Union Memorial Hospital, Baltimore, where she sustained an operation.

Mrs. Francis Kennard entertained the Komrade Klub at her home on Walnut street, Thursday evening last.

Mrs. Taylor McVey has returned from Union Memorial Hospital where she was a patient for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hartenstine, of Principio Furnace, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Hartenstine's sister, Mrs. Sara Wagner.

Miss Lorraine Fassitt has been visiting Mrs. Harry Schoar, Philadelphia, and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Fassitt, Springfield, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Holden, of Delta, visited friends here on Saturday. Mrs. Holden is organizing a Chapter of the Daughters of America here.

Mrs. H. D. MacLellan, who has been spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil E. Ewing, returned to her home in Pittsburgh on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roman McVey, of Elim, Pa., are receiving congratutations on the birth of daughter, April 13th, who has been named Linda Ann; weight 8 pounds, one ounce.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. McNamee entertained at a family dinner Sunday last, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Ringler and two sons, Oxford, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. William McNamee, Rising Sun.

Mrs. Feree Johnson, who has been a patient in the Lancaster General Hospital for the past month, was able to leave on Sunday and is spending some time with Lancaster county relatives.

Mrs. Louise Brokaw, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Roberson, and Kirk Brokaw were Sunday visitor of Miss Ann Roberson, in Washington, and also viewed the beauty of the Cherry Blossoms.

Miss Florance E. Huber and Robert N. Culley, of Rising Sun, were united in marriage on the evening of Thursday, April 18, at the home of Rev. William H. Haney, near town.

Miss Ruth H. Dixon was a member of the graduating class of St. Luke's Training School for Nurses, New York City. Her parents the Rev. and Mrs. Sidney H. Dixon attended the exercises held on Sunday and Monday of this week.

The engagement of Miss Clare M. O'Brien, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis P. O'Brien, West Grove, to Mr. Perry Barr, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis T. Barr, Port Deposit, was announced at a luncheon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Green, at Coatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ashby had as their guests Sunday Mrs. B. R. Edwards, Beverley Hills, California; Miss Agnes Kean and Mr. John Kean, Chicago, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Trego, Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Gillespie and Mrs. Daniel Mathers, Elkton.

Awarded Scholarship

Joseph A. Mendenhall, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Mendenhall, Blue Ball, graduate of Calvert High School, and Senior at the University of Delaware, has been awarded a tuition scholarship for the academic year 1940-41 to Harvard Law School, Cambridge, Mass.

Harvard Law School awards about twenty scholarship each year to the entering class. Mendenhall was among the twenty selected from approximately three-hundred applicants from all over the United States.

Beer License Refused

The Board of License Commissioners for Cecil County, after hearing objections, refused to grant a beer license to Mrs. Ethel Gregory who operates a place at the corner of Queen and Cherry streets, in this town, formerly conducted by Thomas S. Riale.

The U. S. produces 2,500 pounds of cottonseed oil every minute.

Candidates Tour Cecil County

Rival U. S. Senatorial Aspirants Have Busy Week Meeting Voters

Politics in Cecil county speeded up last week, when the Democratic aspirants for the U. S. Senatorial nomination toured the county, and spoke at Elkton.

U. S. Senator Geo. R. Radcliffe, and his rival for nomination, Democratic National Chairman Howard Bruce, on Wednesday were brought together at a luncheon meeting of the Women's Democratic Club, at the Ritz Hotel, Elkton.

Governor Howard R. O'Conor was also a guest of the Women's Club, as were several of the candidates for First District Congressional nomination.

Senator Radcliffe met voters at Perryville, Port Deposit and Rising Sun before attending the luncheon, and then visited North East, Chesapeake City and Ceciltoin, returning to Elkton in the evening, where a reception and supper, attended by about 130 persons was held at Howard Hotel.

John K. Burkley, manager of the Radcliffe campaign in the county, presided. Mayor Mitchell extended the welcome for the Town Commissioners. Carroll Eder, chairman of the exservice men's committee, spoke briefly.

State Senator C. C. Squier introduced Senator Radcliffe who stated he stood on his record in the Senate in asking the voters to return him to that body.

The following ticket has been named to the Democratic State Convention: Bayard Vinyard, Ralph Rees, Robert J. McCauley and C. C. Squier.

In addition to the two candidates for U. S. Senatorial nomination at the luncheon of the Woman's Club, E. Moores Lee, Chesapeake City, Louis C. Merryman, Salisbury; Thomas F. Johnson, Snow Hill; Dudley G. Roe, Sudlersville and H. Herbert Balch, Easton, spoke and presented themselves as candidates for the Congresional nomination.

Saturday was Bruce day in the county, when Mr. Bruce and a large delegation carried out a schedule, despite the rain, that included Perryville, Port Deposit, Rising Sun, Calvert, Zion, North East, Warwick, Cecilton, Chesapeake City; Elk Mills and Elkton.

At the latter place luncheon was had at the Ritz Hotel, at 3:00 p. m., and Mr. Bruce delivered a public address.

Republican Convention Ticket

The Republicans, like the Democrats, are split on the U. S. Senatorial situation, with former Governor Nice and former Mayor Broening seeking the nomination, and two sets of delegates to the State convention have been named. The delegates for former Gov. Nice are: J. E. Brumfield, A. A. Armour, S. Ralph Andrews and Charles Biddle.

The Broening delegates are: Dr. James W. Hughes, Wallace Williams, E. D. Rollins and Rufus Wells.

Group Named To Purchase Incubator

Cecil Post, American Legion of Elkton, has appointed the following committee to select and purchase the baby incubator for Union Hospital at Elkton, Dr. J. H. Mason Knox, chief of the Bureau of Child Hygiene; Dr. Charles H. Peckman, obstetrician at John Hopkins, Baltimore; Murray Ewing, director of Union Hospital, and John K. Burkley, a member of the Post.

The money with which to purchase the incubator has been raised by the Post by holding various kinds of entertainment.

The Cecil News

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