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Plans Made For Cecil County Fair

Cattle Breeders Exhibition Will Be Held At Fair Hill Sept. 5th-6th

A meeting of the cattle committee of the Cecil County Breeders' Fair, Inc., was held at Fair Hill, Maryland on June 17th. Plans and arrangements were made for the forthcoming fair to be held t the Foxcatchers Hunt Club on September 5th and 6th.

Mr. William DuPont expressed the opinion that since the cattle parade was so excellent, it should be staged later in the afternoon program. The parade is the best of its kind in the state and is witnessed by the twenty to twenty-five thousand spectators gathered to see the Foxcatchers Hunt Club races, which are held the same day as the dairy cattle judging.

Committee members forecast improvement in all breeds this year in both number and quality. This show, which is one of the best dairy cattle exhibits in the east, should attract a large number of farmers from Cecil and neighboring counties.

Mr. John Clark, Field Representative of the Maryland State Fair Board, after a few comments regarding the program which had been outlined by the committee, showed movies in technicolor of the 1940 show.

Quarryman Injured By Explosion

Albert Casimo, 60, of Havre de Grace, employed by the Standard Lime & Stone Company, at their quarry, was seriously injured at noon on Thursday when a half stick of dynamite which he was placing, prematurely exploded.

He was taken to Harford Memorial Hospital where it was found he had received serious injuries about his face, arms and legs. Both of his eyes were painfully injured also.

To The Citizens Of The Sixth District

Last August, there were six children in your community that had no one to care for them. You were concerned that they were motherless, neglected, begging for food and called on the Children's Aid. Three years ago, two babies--the youngest six months-old were abandoned on your street corner. You called on the Children's Aid. Eleven years ago, a mother deserted her family. Today, the youngest child is still under the care of the society, and you would be proud of him, as he has become a self-reliant, self-supporting citizen.

Today, all of these children are housed, clothed, and happy in foster homes that have been selected for them and are supervised by the society. Do you forget, or are you only conwhen they are neglected and cerned about your children hungry on the streets? Last year, the Cecil County Children's Aid spent approximately $1570.00 or 1-5 of all money used for care of children in Cecil County, on children from your district. Next year it will spend the same amount or more It costs fifty cents a day or fifteen dollars a month to board each child. These children have been placed in other parts of county for their best welfare.

Your district workers will be calling on you during the Children's Aid drive from June 16th to July 14. The society is a local organization and needs $800.00 of privately raised funds for care of children from your district. How much of this do you consider is your responsibility to contribute, or do you only want to be relieved of the sight of hungry neglected children? Your contribution will be your answer.

Cecil County
Children's Aid

FIREWORKS BAN PREVENTS USE OF EXPLOSIVE PIECES

Court Decides That Sparklers, Snakes And Colored Lights Are Legal

John B. Gontrum, insurance commissioner, has pledged "strict enforcement" of his ban on "explosive" fireworks, and served warning on all Maryland storekeepers in meant what he said.

The term "explosive" was not Mr. Gontrum's. Under authority granted him at the last session of the Lesiglature, he had promulgated regulations forbidding the sale and use of all fireworks in Maryland.

But two corporations and a private citizen--the latter a lobbyist for fireworks interests--filed injunction suits against these regulations.

In deciding these suits Saturday, Judge Eli Frank, in Circuit Court, divided fireworks into two categories

Mr. Gontrum has the right, he said, to forbid the sale or use of "explosive" fireworks. But the "non-explosive" varieties, he explained, may be sold and used, and he will issue an injunction against Mr. Gontrum's regulations on this latter score, he added.

It appears as though I will be able to ban the general use of about ninety per cent of all fireworks," Mr. Gontrum said.

"I shall get in touch with the State police, the State's Attorneys of all the counties and all the County Commissioners. I will call the attention of all local law enforcement agencies to the regulations.

"In addition, I shall order the deputy fire marshals--there is one in nearly every county--to take immediate steps to ban these fireworks and if I find I have not enough deputy marshals, I will swear more in.

"My main effort will be directed at the stores that sell fireworks, although cases of violations through use will not be overlooked whenever they are observed.

"I should like to call attention to the fact that a fine of $500 is possible for a violation. I should also like to warn everyone, particularly the storekeepers, that I mean what I say when I promise 'strict enforcement.' "

The commissioner said a preliminary scrutiny of the judge's decision indicated to him that only three types of fireworks would be legal this Fourth of July. These are sparklers, snakes, and colored lights.

Rockets, cherry bombs, firecrackers, flower pots, torpedoes and the like, he added, obviously were banned.

Non-explosive fireworks--the legal variety--he defined as "sparklers and other fireworks which attain only visible and non-explosiive display by combustion."

Explosive fireworks he described as "explosive or audible pyrotechnic display."

Selectees Called To U. S. Service

The Selective Draft Board for Cecil County has notified the following registrants to appear in Elkton, on Thursday, June 26, for induction into the U. S. Army:

Benjamin F. Earhart, Colora; G. Curtis McGlothlin, Liberty Grove; Ernest W. Logan, Elkton, R. D., No. 5; Clarence E. Blaylock, Colora; W. Julian May, Darby, Pa.; Milton J. Powell, Baltimore; Gilbert R. Mackie, Elkton, R. D.; Paul H. Dillinger, Rising Sun; Henry Luthringer, Cecilton; Clarence E. Fogleman, Colora, R. D.; Clarence C. Moran, Port Deposit; Michael Shagala, Chesapeake City; Michael Luzetsky, Chesapeake City; Frank Tyson, Principio Furnace; Willard P. Heverin, Chesapeake City; Harry G. Stubbs, Chesapeake City; Mike Basalyga, Chesapeake City; Frank Andrese, Elkton; Fredie D. Turman, North East, R. D.; James M. Campbell, Port Deposit; Chas. B. Lowe, North East; Paul Nichols, Chesapeake City.

Those called for Monday, June 28, are: George A. Clark, Port Deposit, R. D.; Edward S. Hayden, Chesapeake City; Elmer Franklin Talbot, Elkton, R. D.; Gorrell Williams Elkton; Daniel D. Jones, Conowingo, R. D.; Richard Brady, Rowlandsville; Rodney L. Gould, Warwick.

Masons Honor Three Members

Susquehanna Lodge No. 130, A. F. & A. M., of Havre de Grace, honored three of its members Tuesday evening who had rounded out fifty years of continuous membership in the fraternity.

The half-century members are: William H. Cole, of Perryville; W. N. Coale, past master, and A. Lincoln Lyon, of Havre de Grace. They were initiated in the Spring of 1891 in the order named.

As a reward for their long membership and loyal service to the lodge they received from the Grand Lodge of Masons of Maryland handsomely engraved Fifty Year Medals presented by the Hon. Frederick Lee Cobourn, Associate Judge of the Third Judicial Circuit and a member of the Masonic fraternity.

Barnard--Schroeder

Miss Mary Louise Schroeder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schroeder, of Perry Point, and Mr. Homer Nelson Barnard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nelson Barnard, Havre de Grace, were married Sunday afternoon, June 14, at the Methodist church by Rev. Custer Cromwell. A reception was held at the home of the bride. They will reside in Havre de Grace. The groom is employed at the Aberdeen Proving Ground.

Invitations Issued

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pearce have issued cards to the wedding of their daughter, Miss Mary Jane, to Robert Denny Shelton, Jr., in the Methodist Church, Cecilton, on Friday evening, June 27th, at 7 o'clock. Immediately after the ceremony a reception will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Shelton, Sr.

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Abner R. Burrows, of Perryville, announce the engagement of their daughter, Bertha Lee, to Mr. Cameron J. Heimiller, of Baltimore. An early date has been set for the wedding.

Ernest H. Suerker, director of the disbanded Newton School of Newton, N. J., which was absorbed by the Tome School, Port Deposit, last June, has been appointed to succeed William K. Cumming, as supervisor of the Jacob Tome Institute.

Jenkins--MacMurray Wedding

Pretty Nuptial Event Solemnized In Janes Methodist Church

The Janes Methodist Church of Rising Sun, Maryland, was the scene of a four o'clock wedding of interest Saturday when Miss Ruth Ellen Jenkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Jenkins, of Rising Sun, was united in marriage with Donald Hoos MacMurray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph MacMurray, 515 39th Street, Baltimore, Maryland.

Officiating at the ceremony was the pastor of the church, Rev. J. B. Dickerson.

The altar was banked with palms, ferns, and assorted flowers, their arrangement being especially artistic.

Organ music was rendered by Miss Dorothy Keilholtz, organist of the church, and the soloist was Mr. Loy Kutz, Harrisburg, Pa., instructor of music at West Nottingham Academy, who rendered two numbers.

Attending the bride was Miss Jane E. Jenkins, Maid of Honor and sister of the bride.

Lynn MacMurray, little niece of the bridegroom, was the flower girl.

Mr. Ralph MacMurray, father of the bridegroom, served as best man, and the ushers included E. Newell and Richard Jenkins, Rising Sun, Ralph MacMurray, Jr., and King Drinkwater, both of Balto.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, Mr. E. A. Jenkins. She looked lovely in her wedding gown of embroidered organza, fashioned with a long train, and her finger tip veil was of silk tulle.

She carried white roses, babys breath and larkspur.

The Maid of Honor was charmingly dressed in a gown of blue marquisette and a large leghorn hat trimmed with blue ribbons. Her bouquet was yellow roses and blue delphinium.

The flower girl looked dainty in her flood length dress of yellow organdy. Her bouquet was of daisies and blue delphinium.

The bride's mother wore a becoming dress of green and white sheer with white accessories and a corsage of gardenias. The bridegroom's mother wore a pretty dress also of green and white with white accessories, also a corsage of gardenias.

A reception for immediate families and friends was held in church parlors, following the ceremony, after which the couple left on a wedding trip to Virginia Beach. The bride wore for traveling a light weight suit of green with accessories of luggage and white. They will reside at 1024 Calvert Street, Baltimore, Maryland.

Friday evening a rehearsal for the bridal party and a buffet supper for the immediate families and a few close friends was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Buck, Port Deposit, Maryland.

Littleton--Mackie

Miss Alberta M. Littleton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Littleton, of Snow Hill, and Mr. F. Reynolds Mackie, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Mackie, of Providence, were quietly married Friday evening, May 24, by the Rev. Switzer in the Presbyterian church at Bel Air. The ring ceremony was used.

The only attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde England, of Oxford, Pa.

Miss Littleton is a graduate of the Snow Hill High school, and the State Teacher's College of Salisbury, and is a member of the Upper Marlboro Elementary school faculty.

Mr. Mackie is a graduate of the Calvert High school of Calvert, and attended the University of Delaware at Newark. He is vice-president of the George W. Biles Company. They will reside in Cecilton.

BRIEFLY MENTIONED NEWS

During the rain and hail storm last week, a cow shed and a wagon shed were blown down on White Marsh farm near Earlville. It was at this farm where a large barn was struck by lightning recently and destroyed.

The vacation Bible school, that is holding sessions at the Methodist church here during the mornings, has an enrollment of 120. About fifty of these are from Hopewell church.

The Walter Nesbitt property at Mt. Pleasant has been purchased by Wessells Pusey. Mr. Nesbitt has has purchased the adjoining property of his mother, Mrs. Sophia Nesbitt.

While swinging from a branch of a tree little Michael LeBrun of Port Deposit, fell and fractured two bones in his wrist.

A number from here attended the Children's Day exercises at Mt. Pleasant Methodist church on Sunday evening. The program rendered was an excellent one. Seven children and one mother were baptised during the service.

An undentified colored man was found lying gaged in a ditch near Aiken last week. Investigation showed that he was a Brooklyn garage attendant and had been kidnapped and a car stolen from the garage.

Happy Valley Camp for Girls near Port Deposit, under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher P. Wililams will open on June 28 with an enrollment of about 40 girls.

Thirteen member sof Rising Sun Boy Scout Troop enjoyed the Scout Camporee at Longwood, the duPont estate near Kennett Square, Pa., on Friday and Saturday.

State Firemen's Association

Austin Case, of Havre de Grace, was elected first vice-president, unanmously, at the annual convention of the Maryland State Firemen's Association in Cumberland last week. Roland B. Duke, Leonardtown, was elected president; Thomas Tozzolo, North Beach, second vice-president; B. R. Benson, Cockeysville, secretary; Elmer S. Kight, Frostburg, treasurer; E. J. C. Raney, Kensington, trustee; Rev. James W. Minter, Hereford, chaplain. Frederick was elected as the convention city for 1942.

Evening Trap-Shooting Series

The Rising Sun and Oxford Gun Clubs are holding a series of evening trapshooting events, alternating from one place to the other. The first shoot was at Oxford on the evening of June 16. The remaining dates are June 30, at Rising Sun; July 14, Oxford; July 28, Rising Sun. The ten high scores in each club to count in the team race. At the close of the season a special trophy will be donated to the high gun, all the shoots counting. A special trophy will also be given the runner-up.

The checks drawn through all the banks in the United States of America have a combined average value of over a million and a half dollars--each minute!

Boy Falls From Second Story

After Mrs. Harold Perkins, of Elk ton, wife of Lieut. Harold Perkins, who is with Company E, 115 Infantry, at Camp Meade, placed her 3-year-old son, Stewart, in his crib, Wednesday evening for the night the youngster climbed out of his resting place and went to one of the windows in the second-story room, worked out the screen and fell to the ground below.

As soon as the accident had been discovered the child was hurried to Union Hospital, where it was discovered he had escaped broken bones and apparently was only slightly injured.

Volunteer Firemen Complete Course

The following volunteer firemen of Cecil County, who took the course in fire fighting and fire control during the past winter and spring under the direction of the University of Maryland Extension Service, have been awarded certificates of award:

Cecilton Fire Company—Richard S. Wright, Lewin F. Steele, and C. Harry Long.

Elkton Fire Company—Walter Boulden, Mitchell Boulden, Chief Richard Masemore, Ernest Foster and Henry Metz.

Chesapeake City Fire Company—Chief City Fire Company—Chief William Cooling, Asher Bramble, James Mackey, Harold Reynolds, President Z. T. Coolling, Jr., J. Albert Stapp, James R. Wharton and Herbert Wilfong.

National Prohibition Leader To Speak

Prohibitionists of this area are expected to rally at a meeting to be addressed by Edward E. Blake of Chicago, chairman of the Prohibition National Committee and editor of "The National Prohibitionist." This meeting is to be held Friday, June 27--8 P. M., in the Methodist Church at North East, Maryland.

Mr. Blake has a nation-wide reputation as a forceful Prohibition speaker, and is to talk on the topic, "Liquor's Threat to Democracy and Religion." Mr. Blake is familiar with liquor conditions throughout the United States, and especially with phases of the problem connected with the national defense program. He will present new facts and figures, and speak of present day phases of the liquor problem.

Suits For Damages

Four suits for $25,000 each have been docketed in the Harford Co. Circuit Court by Anthony R. DiLorenzo, Leslie E. Hilton, Peter D. Languis and Tony Leodore against Mary E. Krebs, administratrix of the estate of John Robert Krebs, deceased. The suits come as the sequel of a fatal automobile accident on December 28, 1940, on the Philada. road near Havre de Grace.

Krebs was the driver of a car which went over an embankment, resulting in his death. The four other men were riding in the machine and each is said to have sustained injuries.

Elkton Company Will Remove Buildings

At the office of Lieut.-Col. Harry B. Vaughn, U. S. District Engineer for this area, on Thursday, bids were opened for the removal of build ings, grading and top-soiling of the new New Castle County Airport to be constructed on the duPont Boulevard, at Basin Road, near New Castle, Del. The low bidder was the Dutcher Construction Corporation of Elkton, with an estimate for the work at $246.636.45.

Peace Disturbers Before Magistrate

A number of young men of Elkton, charged with disorderly conduct were rounded up and brought before Police Magistrate Weinroth last week. Each one was fined $25 and costs, or 30 days in the county jail. Those arrested and sentenced were: Arthur Ross, Walter Goodyear, Charles Purnell, Henry Short and Joe Hughes, the latter colored.

Honor Student At Salisbury

Miss Ruth Baugher, honor student of Salisbury State Teachers College is spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Baugher near Rising. Sun

Miss Baugher was graduated from Rising Sun High School in 1939, and has now completed her second year in Salisbury. She hopes to pursue her studies at Western Maryland College in September.

The Maryland Traffic Safety Committee's Slogan for the week is:

"Jay Walking Is Always A Short Cut To The Hospital. Cross At Intersections."

Burro Ball Game

The Burro Ball Game on the High School grounds, Tuesday evening, sponsored by the Lions Club of Rising Sun, drew a large crowd.

The game was a rollicking farce as far as base ball is concerned, but it was chuck full of laughs and fun for everyone.

The burros seemed to have ideas of their own about how the game should be played, and seldom did anything their player-riders wanted them to do, frequently dumping their riders over their heads onto the ground and going their way. When a batter made a hit and mounted, or attempted to mount, his burro to ride to first base, he seldom reached there in time, as the little animal always refused to hurry, as a consequence few runs were made. The official score announced was 6 to 3 in favor of the Lions over the Rising Sun team.

But one causualty was reported, despite the numerous spills, one of the Lions being thrown on his head and shoulders and painfully injured.

The attendance was over 800 persons.

Heads Tome Alumni

E. Kurtz Taylor, of Blythedale, former County Treasurer for Cecil county, was elected president of the Jacob Tome Institute Alumni Association for the 1941-42 year at the annual banquet held at The Inn on the school campus.

The address at the banquet was given by Mr. Leo M. Moore, editor of the Ledger, of Havre de Grace, and president of the school board. Other officers elected with Mr. Taylor, are vice-president, Norman Barnes, secretary, Mrs. Florence L. Gibson, treasurer, Miss Annetta Robinson.

Farm Bureau Picnic

The Cecil County Farm Bureau and the Cecil County Homemakers' Clubs have selected Wednesday, August. 13 as the date for holding their annual all-day picnic at Port Herman.

The Committee on entertainment: M. H. Cameron, Mrs. Walter Simmons, L. Wickes Davis, Mrs. Otisi McCauley, Mrs. Atlee Armour, and Miss Irene Smith. The horseshoe pitching contests will be continued as one of the features, with other contests to be arranged, by the committee.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. Mary Dinsmore entertained on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. William Dempsey and son of Aiken; Mr. Horace Tolinger and family, of Texas; Miss Minnie B. Carines and Miss Annie H. Carines, of Bel Air; Mrs. Edward Reeder and Mrs. L. Golden Smith, of Darlington, Md.

Miss Eva P. Nutter, of Newark, Del., was the week-end guest of Miss Mary Brumfield and Miss M. Lidie Stewart.

Mrs. Robert Brown and daughters, of Colora, are spending the week with her mother, Mrs. Emma Donache.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wright, of Rising Sun, attended the twelfth annual reunion of the Glackin Clan, held at St. Mary's church, Pylesville, on June 15.

Mrs. Effie K. Evans, of Oxford, Pa.; Miss Angela Nichols and Carlton B. Nicholas, of Wilmington, were Sunday vistors of Miss Mary Brumfield.

Mr. and Mr.s Timanus J. Wilson, North Tonawanda, N. Y., have been visiting Mr. Ralph T. Wilison and famiy at Maple Lawn.

Ralph E. Reynolds, wife and son, of Govans, Md., were Sunday visitors of his mother, Mrs. Eli T. Reynolds.

Mr. Jesse T. Cameron is receiving treatment in Union Memorial Hospital, Baltimore.

Mrs. Ada McCardell, Mr. and Mrs. Morton McCardell and children were Sunday visitors of Mr. George Hunter, at Tayloria, Pa.