

**Three Lose Life,
Seven Injured In
Boat Explosion**

Three persons were killed and seven injured Saturday night in the explosion of the eighty-foot cruiser Koonyung of Georgetown, Cecil Co. The yacht was owned by Dr. Chas. Pancoast, of Philada., Sheriff Robert E. Lee, of Kent County, said seven or eight other persons were aboard. Lee said the dead were: Miss Mary Pancoast, 40, sister of Dr. Pancoast; Dr. Dorothy Childs, 50, Philada.; Mrs. Dorothy Berk Helms, 50, Chester, Pa. Mrs. Helms died in the Chestertown hospital, and the other two women drowned. The yacht was anchored in the Sassafras river. Fumes from a gasoline stove are thought to have caused the explosion. Doctor Pancoast and his friends had been cruising in Chesapeake Bay, apparently putting into the river at Georgetown for the night.

**Dental Association
Honors Three Members**

Three members of the Cecil-Harford Dental Association were tendered a testimonial dinner on Thursday evening of this week, in honor of their having practised dentistry for fifty years or more. The honored guests were Dr. T. B. Moore of Rising Sun; Dr. E. S. Boyle, of Port Deposit; Dr. T. A. Cronin, of Aberdeen. Dr. Donald S. Bartlett, formerly of Perry Point, came from Chicago to address the members. The testimonial was held at the Madison House, North East. Lt. Col. Daniel Bratton acted as toastmaster. Dr. George A. Willis, Jr., of Havre de Grace, Dr. J. L. Trone, of Elkton, and Dr. William E. Trail, president of the Maryland State Dental Association, also spoke before the group.

Hauu-Pearthree

Mr. and Mrs. John Pearthree announce the marriage of their daughter, Betty M., to George A. Hauu, son of Mrs. Edgar Brown, of Peach Bottom, Pa., and the late Frank Hauu, of Lancaster, which took place in Bel Air, Md., at 8:30 p. m. Wednesday, Sept. 10th. Rev. G. A. Ogg performed the single ring ceremony. The bride wore a tan suit with accessories to match and a corsage of pink roses. The bride is a graduate of Drumore High School and is employed in the W. T. Grant Store, Lancaster. Mr. Hauu is a member of Company B, 105th Infantry Battalion, stationed at Fort Meade, Md.

Lockjaw Claims

Life Of Lad
John Frederick Frazer, 4 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Frazer of Elkton, died at the Union Hospital early Thursday morning from lock jaw, where he was taken early the previous afternoon. The little fellow about 10 days previous fell from his bicycle and injured his knee slightly, and the supposition is that tetanus developed from the cut. On Tuesday, the lad was playing with his friends and not until late Tuesday night did he complain of feeling ill. A physician, who was called in, diagnosed the trouble as lockjaw and the little sufferer was removed to the local hospital. A specialist from Baltimore, was called in on the case and a serum used, without any effect. Besides his parents, he is survived by one brother and a sister. The funeral was held from his parents home Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment in Elkton cemetery.

Memorial Mass At Pilot

The Annual Memorial Mass in St. Patrick's Chapel at Pilot (near Conowingo) Md., will take place next Sunday, October 5th, at 11 a. m. The Very Rev. J. Francis Tucker, D. D., Rector of St. Anthony's church, Wilmington, Del., will preach the sermon for this occasion. Services at this historic church were held for the first time more than 150 years ago, and burials have taken place continuously in the churchyard since then. In recent years because of a widely scattered congregation, the chapel is open only once a year for services. It is now a Mission of St. Teresa's Church, Port Deposit, Md. A sign will be placed on the Lancaster Pike (Route 222) about 7 miles north of Route 1, to indicate the road leading directly to the Chapel.

American Legion Rally

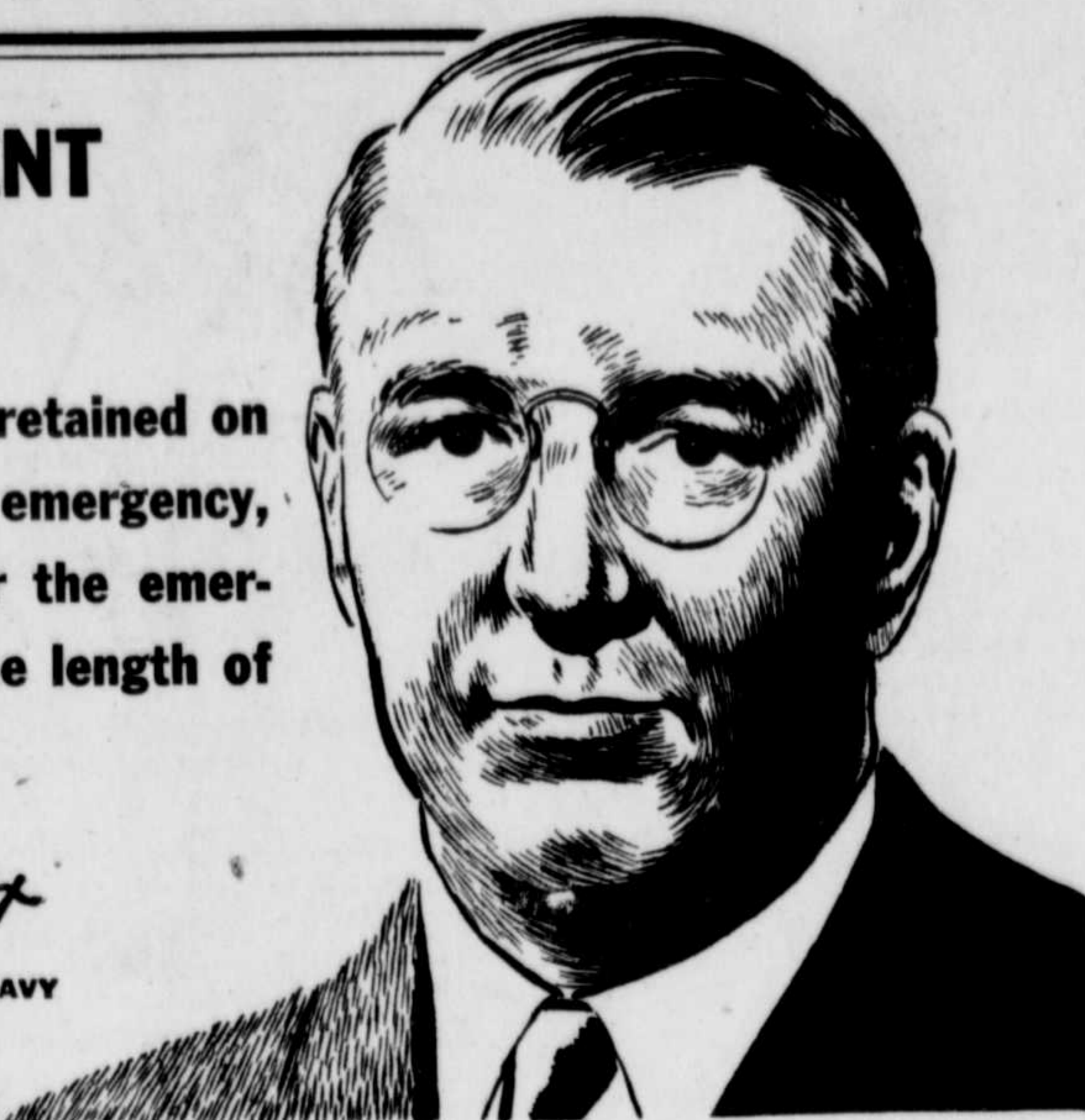
Cecil Post No. 15, American Legion, of Elkton, were host at a rally of the Posts of the North-eastern Shore District held at the Elkton Armory on Wednesday, October 1. Among prominent guests present were Department Commander Roy L. Pyle, Department Membership Chairman Joseph A. Control and Past National Vice Commander James B. Fitzgerald.

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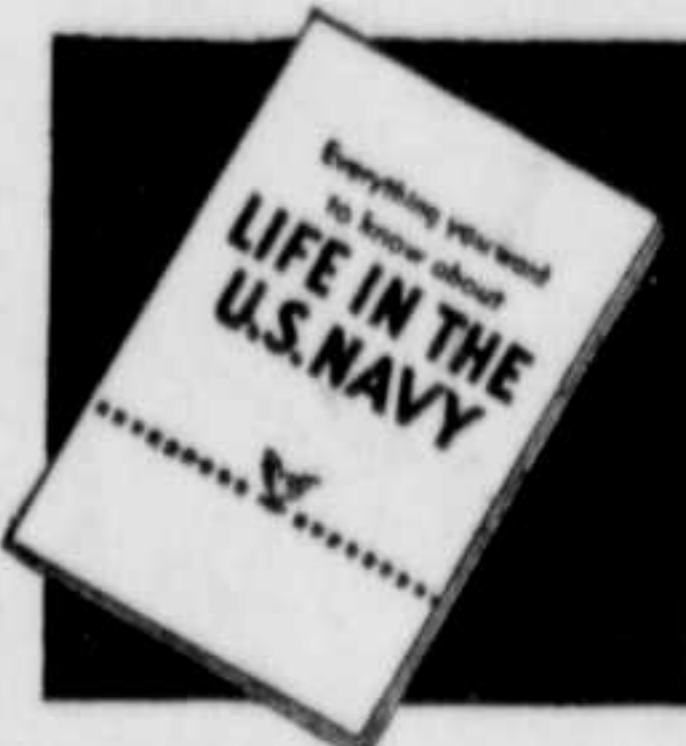
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William Keetley's public sale was well attended last Saturday afternoon and good prices were obtained. The household goods of the late Mrs. Emma Matthews will be sold at public sale at her late home next Saturday afternoon. The Women's Society of Christian Service took in around thirty dollars from their lunch sale Saturday at the Keetley public sale. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Ewing, Mrs. Annie Ewing attended the Pierce-Morgan wedding at Trenton, N. J., last Saturday. This Sunday will be Rally Day at Mt. Pleasant Methodist church. The District Superintendent will preach at 2:30; Clinton Campbell will be the guest singer. Dr. J. S. Venable, West Nottingham, preached in Zion Presbyterian Church Sunday afternoon. Miss Hazel Ewing spent the weekend with Miss Jean Poist, Lansdowne, Pa. Mr. and Mrs. Francis McDowell and little daughter; Mrs. William Coulson, Mrs. Ella Coulson, son Ernest, were Sunday afternoon callers here. The Girl's Choir of West Nottingham church met at the home of Mrs. W. T. Jenness Saturday afternoon to practise. Mrs. Laura Wigton and son John, of Greenhurst, were callers here.

Tuberculosis Clinic

The tuberculosis clinic for Cecil County will be held on October 8 at 10 A. M. This month the clinic will take place at County Health Department in Elkton. This is one of the clinics that are held every month in all the counties of Maryland by the Maryland Tuberculosis Association. All of these clinics are free. Dr. A. W. Bridges, the clinician, will be in charge of the examination. **DRUNKEN DRIVER SENT TO PRISON** Landon W. Bourchard of White March, Md., who has been employed on a dredging machine in the North East River, was given a hearing before Police Magistrate James Weinroth of Elkton, on a charge of operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor. He was sentenced to one year in the Maryland House of Correction. **RED CROSS BEHIND IN KNITTING** The Cecil County Chapter of the American Red Cross reports that it is far behind in its quota of knitting garments, and has made an appeal to the women of the county, to render the necessary assistance. Eden doesn't wish to see Germany "economically crushed," but why shouldn't she be like the rest of us?

GRACE BIBLE CHAPEL

Calvert, Maryland
A. W. Konrad, Pastor
10:00 A. M. Sunday School.
11:00 A. M. Worship Service.
7:45 P. M. Gospel Service. Message: "What Provisions?" (part of a series on Romans.)
7:45 P. M. Friday: Bible Study and Prayer.

SUES FOR DIVORCE

Mrs. Rose Gayan Hoffacker of Cecil County, through her attorney, E. Kirk Brown, has filed suit in the Circuit Court at Elkton for an absolute divorce from her husband, Samuel Hoffacker, on the grounds of desertion.

JOHN McVEY

John McVey, aged 60 years, died Sept. 24, at his home in Reading, Pa. He had for years been employed in the Reading Steel Mill. The deceased was a son of the late D. Webster McVey, and was born at Symar. Surviving are one brother, Blaine McVey, of Symar, and one sister, Mrs. Howard, of North East. Services were held at the Tyson Funeral Home in Rising Sun on Saturday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, and interment made in Brookview cemetery.

When Knudson pleads for co-operation, he tells the whole sad story. No battle is won unless somebody can give orders.

LARGE FRESHMAN CLASS AT UNIV. OF MD.

The largest freshman class in the history of the University of Maryland has enrolled for instruction, which started last week, according to figures released by Miss Alma H. Preinkert, registrar. Tabulation shows that 1070 freshman had registered when classes started, and Miss Preinkert estimated the total registration of new students to reach 1200 as a result of late registration. The present figure shows an increase of 15% over last year's number of freshmen. The total registration is 3177 and is expected to reach 4000 by the end of the year, according to Miss Preinkert.

NO TRESPASSING

Notice is hereby given that gunning or any other form of trespassing on the premises of the undersigned is positively forbidden, and any person so trespassing will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

JOHN L. TOSH,
Rising Sun, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. James P. McVean, of Chestertown, Md., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Grace Robertson, to Mr. John Wallace, of Chesapeake City.

When some men entertain an idea it is extremely cheap hospitality.

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