The Queen Anne's County Social Register

QUEEN ANNE

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Tharp, of Harrington, visited with Mr. and Mrs. William C. Stevens on Monday afternoon.

The Ladies' Aid is sponsoring a play "The Path Across the Hill", which will be given in Tri-County High School on Thursday evening, May 7.

A miscellaneous shower was given Mr. and Mrs. Benson Skinner at the home of his parents, Mr. John Skinner in Hillsboro on Saturday evening.

Mr. Ted Norris of Denton, was the dinner guest of Mr. L. J. Sneed and family on Sunday.

Mrs. Ella Jump spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jump at Centreville.

Mrs. Byron Barton was a week-end visitor in Washington, D. C. This week she is visiting with relatives in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Willis, of Easton spent Sunday with Mrs. Minnie Carter and the Jackson brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Stevens, of near Denton, expect to move into the Mrs. Thomas Willis property near the depot about June 1. Mr. Stevens is employed by Mr. Howard Eley, contractor and builder.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Pinder and sons Carlton and Howard visited with Mr. Linwood Pinder and family near town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill Anthony of Centreville spent Sunday with Mrs. Anthony's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Cannon near town.

Mr. James Briscoe, who is employed by the Eastern Shore Public Service Co., and is working out of Kennedyville, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Briscoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland L. Suter, of Baltimore and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Johnson, of Denton, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Horace M. Morgan on Saturday.

Miss Ida Mae Sneed, of Wilmington, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Sneed.

Miss Helen Sullivan is nursing at the Eastern Shore State Hospital at Cambridge.

The Rev. and Mrs. Clarence L. Fossett were dinner guests of Mrs. Byron Barton and Mrs. Elizabeth Barnette at the home of Mrs. Barton on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Neavitt, Mrs. Emma Hall and Mr. O. K. Neavitt motored to Somerset County and visited with friends on Tuesday. Mrs. Hall remained for a longer stay with friends at Fairmount and Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schall visited with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cooper near Harmony on Sunday.

Mr. W. D. Bishop has returned from a visit with relatives in Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Olin Ford, of Marydel were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Gibson on Sunday.

Misses Peggy Gibson and Nancy Jane Kline, of Tri-County High School, attended the Youth Conference at the State Teachers' College at Salisbury last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Eveland spent Sunday with Mrs. Eveland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Messix near Ridgely.

Mrs. Mollie Diggins and her sister, Mrs. Della Mullikin have returned from a visit with relatives in Finksburg, Berlin and Wilmington.

Mrs. Reynolds Murphy is a patient at Emergency Hospital, Easton. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery and that she may soon be home with her family.

Mrs. Horace M. Morgan is attending the annual convention of The Grand Chapter of Maryland Order of the Eastern Star at the Lord Baltimore Hotel this week.

Rev . and Mrs. Clarence L. Fossett with Misses Ruth Reynolds, Helen Chaires, Byron Barton and Elmer Murphy attended a Youth Conference of the Epworth League on the Western Shore last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Messick and children Douglas and Constance with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Messick, of Dover, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kendall Messix at Cordova.

SUDLERSVILLE

The Civic Betterment Club is sponsoring a bake to be given next Saturday morning from 10 to 12 o'clock in the "Boys' Centre" for the benefit of the girl scouts. The proceeds will be asked to buy merit badges for those who have earned them during the year.

Mrs. J. Nevitt Booker attended a family dinner on Sunday given by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Holden at their home near town in honor of their daughter, Annabelle's sixteenth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley G. Roe, Miss Martha George Roberts, Mr. William Roberts and Mr. John George attended the wedding in Baltimore on Saturday of Miss Elizabeth Bailey and Mr. William Kahl.

Mrs. Drusilla Weedman entertained the members of the Mite Society of the Southern Methodist Church last Friday evening at her home.

Mr. Spencer Walls, Mr. Alan Walls and daughter Harriett, visited Mr. and Mrs. Al Chance and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Walls in Philadelphia last Sunday. They were accompanied as far as Prospect Park by Mr. and Mrs. Larry Peters, who spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Scott Hazel.

Mr. John Warner, who is under treatment and observation at the Homeopathic Hospital in Wilmington, is reported to be improving very nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Rutter, of Chester, Pa., visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith on Sunday.

The Ladies' Aid of Calvary M. E. Church met at Cox Hall Wednesday evening and was entertained by Mrs. Rose Green, Mr. Charles B. Chance and Mr. John W. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Edward Gillespie, Mrs. John Stokes, Miss Emma Gillespie and Miss Gertrude Goodhand were guests of Mrs. Edgar Yarnall, of Philadelphia, Tuesday and Wednesday.

About forty members of the Epworth League of Calvary M. E. Church motored to Bridgeville last Sunday and took part in the services there conducted by the Rev. J. C. B. Hopkins, a former pastor of Calvary.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrington Knotts spent the week-end with Mrs. Knotts' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earle Bishop near Centreville.

Mrs. Preston Anderson had as dinner guests on Sunday her son, Mr. Arlie Anderson and Mrs. Anderson, of Barclay.

Mrs. Harrington Knotts entertained Mrs. Grant Taylor, of Boston, Mrs. Frank Herbert, of New Castle and Mrs. George Hart, at bridge last Friday night in honor of Mrs. Hart's birthday.

Plans for a benefit card party are being made by the teachers and pupils of the grammar school to be given Friday night in Cox Hall, beginning at 8 o'clock. Bridge and pitch will be played and the proceeds are for the benefit of the school.

The Homemakers' Club met Friday afternoon in the club room with the president, Mrs. Thedore J. Walbert, presiding. Mrs. Dudley G. Roe had charge of the demonstration and mixed formulas on how to combat insects on plants and Mrs. Austin F. Roberts gave an interesting talk on her recent trip to the D. A. R. Convention in Washington. The club meets the fourth Friday in every month.

Mrs. Harry Peters is in Cumberland with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William T. Roe. Mr. Roe has been transferred to Hagerstown and will remove his family there next week.

Mrs. Millard Bull is the guest of relatives in Baltimore.

TEMPLEVILLE

Services for Antioch M. E. Church, May 3: Sunday school, 10 a. m.; Epworth League, 7:30 p. m. with Mrs. Oscar Lord as leader. Sermon by the pastor at 8 p. m.

Mr. Harry Myers, of Philadelphia, spent the week-end with Miss Mazie Clois and Miss Jennie Clois.

Mrs. J. L. Starkey, of Massey, visited her aunt, Mrs. Dora Everett from Thursday until Saturday.

Mr. Charles Maske of the C. C. C. at Lewes, Del., spent several days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Maske.

Rev. and Mrs. Connor attended the funeral of Mrs. Montgomery in Wilmington on Friday.

Mr. Allen Stafford was a week-end visitor of friends in Baltimore.

Mr. Ernest Davis, of Kenton, spent Sunday with relatives in town.

Mr. Oliver Purnell, who has not been well for some time, was taken to Kent General Hospital Sunday for observation.

The regular monthly meeting of Templeville P. T. A. will be held in the schoolhouse Thursday evening, April 30, at 8 o'clock. A health topic will be discussed with Dr. James A. McCallum, of Centreville, as guest speaker. Members are requested to answer roll call by pantomining a Mother Goose rhyme.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Kinnamon and children Billie and Ruth Ann, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Purnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Butts and Mrs. Mary Smith, of Marydel, were week-end guests of Mrs. Erva Butts.

HILLSBORO

Dr. and Mrs. Depew Duffey and little daughter, of Washington, D. C., were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jarrell.

Miss Blanche Spry, of near Roe, spent Sunday at the parsonage.

Mr. John Russum, of Baltimore, is spending some time with his sister, Mrs. Albert Cahall.

Miss Mary Louise Dadds is the guest of friends on Kent Island.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Benson Skinner gave them a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Skinner Sunday evening.

Mr. Thomas Eveland and friend from the University of Maryland were week-end guests of Mr. Eveland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Eveland.

Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Smith and children, of Hobbs, Mr. and Mrs. George Blades and Mr. Harlan Blades, of Burrisville, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Russell.

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Figures On Wildlife, Oysters, Crads Cited In Annual Report

Queen Anne's Second To Somerset In Oyster Catch And Planting, Conservation Survey Reveals. Skunk Increase Laid To Belief. Ducks Down

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crease of 50% over the 1934 season. At the same time reports from the lower part of Chesapeake Bay at the latter part of the season showed immense quantities of small crabs existing which is accepted by the Commission as forecasting a good season this year.

Queen Anne's County reported 14,676 barrels of hard crabs for the 1935 crop as compared with 3,744 in 1934. However, this was considerably less than the average of 25,000 barrels for 1931-1933. Of peelers and soft crabs Queen Anne's showed 297,313 caught, the lowest number in four years and well below the 1933 total of 630,516 crabs.

The 1935 fishing season was unfavorable. The shad run was poor all over Chesapeake Bay, the herring crop the lowest in years and white and yellow perch below normal. The outlook at the close of the season indicated a better year in 1936, as small striped bass or rock were numerous.

Plans are being considered for stepping up the production of Bay hatcheries of shad, herring, white and yellow perch, all of which would increase the profit of commercial fishermen and the growing number of watermen who take fishing parties out.

In the field of game State Warden E. Lee LeCompte states that no single species of game native to Maryland has become extinct or so thinned out as to require a closed season.

Private game preserves, he reports, are encouraged to bring back wildlife especially as birds frequently escape from preserves to supply broodstock to surrounding territory. Besides the Woodmont Rod and Gun Club five owners of beneficial game preserves mentioned in the report are Mrs. John J. Raskob, Pioneer Point Game Farm, Centreville; Walter P. Chrysler, Pakety Lodge near Cambridge; R. R. M. Carpenter in Cecil; Morris Clothier on the Sassafras River in Kent; and Samuel A. Riddle in Worcester.

Statistics for private preserves for game breeding included that from John P. Corcoran of Pioneer Point Farm listing 4 Canada geese, 1,212 bob-white quail and 25 mallard ducks produced.

Bob-white have been scarce owing to lack of cover from the elimination of hedges by farmers, skunks and other vermin and the after effects of the 1933 hurricane.

The warden attributed the poor season for wild fowl to drastic Federal regulation and to "bluebird" weather which prevailed generally during the open season. Birds were plentiful in State waters although the kill was low. Experienced counters estimated 250,000 canvasbacks off Aberdeen and large rafts of prime birds in other areas. whistling swans was plentiful and baldpates, black ducks and blue winged teal more numerous than for a few years past.

The muskrat industry has returned to normal following the disastrous effects of the 1933 hurricane with the 1935 season showing an increase in number of pelts taken and prices ranging from $1.35 to $2.

Wild turkeys propagated by the state has brought back turkey shooting in Western Maryland. Deer showed sufficient increase to result in liberation of surplus from state refuges.

No report was made on doves owing to a closed season due to conflict of state and Federal regulations. Squirrels also passed with little comment as hard to check upon.

Control of vermin was a problem both for game refuges and outside. Thousands of crows were reported killed by sportsmen, the crow being branded as a destroyer of the eggs of the black duck and of ground and tree nesting birds. Skunks, wild dogs, house cats, weasels, hawks and owls were also treated as vermin.

Regarding skunks the State Warden notes their spread from the Western Shore to the Eastern Shore as far down as Caroline. The increase in the number of skunks is attributed to less trapping by farmers' sons and welfare relief which has led trappers to quit this business in order to receive government funds.

Included in the statistics furnished are these for Queen Anne's and adjacent points:

Angler's licenses, 24 resident; 3 non-resident.

Commercial fish hatchery operations. Crumpton, yellow perch, 48,800,000 eggs collected, 43,920,000 hatched; white porch 5,600,000 eggs collected, 3,360,000 hatched; herring, 3,600,000 collected, 2,520,000 hatched; shad, 324,000 collected; 226,800 hatched.

Millington, yellow perch, 48,000,000 collected, 39,200,000 hatched; white perch, 36,800,000, 22,080,000; herring 28,000,000, 16,800,000; shad 264,800, 184,800.

Distribution of fry, Wye River, 1,000-000 yellow perch; Skipton Creek, 1,300,-000 yellow perch; Chester River, 28,480,-000 white perch; 97,020,000 yellow perch; 16,800,000 herring, 411,600 shad.

Duck blind licenses issued, September 1, 1934 to September 30, 1935, 76. Hunting licenses, same period, county resident, 1,564; state-wide, 62; non-resident, 12; short term, 70.

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Regional Drug Meeting Held At Church Hill

Dewing Offers Legislative Program. Dudley Talks On Pasteur

Approximatey sixty Maryland druggists with the greater number from Baltimore and the Western Shore attended the regional meeting of the Maryland Pharmaceutical Association at the Community Hall in Church Hill Thursday from 2 to 8 p. m.

Dr. E. W. Sterling of Church Hill was chairman of the committee on arrangements. A. A. M. Dewing of Centreville served as toastmaster at the dinner meeting in the evening.

The formal addresses at the evening session were given by President Gilbert W. Mead of Washington College and Dr. Norman S. Dudley, president of the Queen Anne's County Medical Society. Representative Joseph W. A. Evans of Grasonville spoke briefly as did A. L. Lyons, Havre de Grace, and Charles L. Myer, Baltimore, former presidents of the association.

Dr. Mead emphasized the importance of elastic courses of study in colleges and their adaptation to individual needs. Dr. Dudley spoke of the advances in medicine since the "saddle bag" days and gave credit to pharmacists for aiding physicians in keeping pace with progress. He also dwelt on the importance of Pasteur to medicine and pharmacy.

At the afternoon session devoted to trade matters a seven-point legislative program intended to advance high grade drug stores and pharmacists was presented by A. A. M. Dewing, chairman of the legislative committee.

Other speakers included Dr. Sterling, who extended greetings, Harry W. Matheney, Cumberland; George W. Brittingham, Wilmington; Robert L. Swain, M. G. Pierpont, Simon Solomon and Marvin J. Andrews, Baltimore.

A luncheon was served at noon and dinner in the evening by the Ladies' Aid of the Church Hill Methodist Church.

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Services Are Announced On Crumpton Charge

Services on the Crumpton M. E. Charge, of which the Rev. David E. Wood is minister, have been announced as follows: Crumpton—Sunday school at 10:30 a. m., church service at 7:30 p. m. Union M. E. Church—Sunday school at 10 o'clock, morning worship at 11. Double Creek—Sunday school at 2 p. m., church service at 3.

Prayer and Bible study will take place at Crumpton Thursday at 7:15 p. m. with choir practice to follow at 8:15 p. m.

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