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THE WORLD WE LIVE IN

War Clouds Hover

Madrid—With all continental Europe aligned on one side or the other of the sanguinary civil war between the government Reds and the insurgent Fascist forces, expectations of a war that will embroil all Europe is felt in every capital. England meanwhile declared a policy of complete neutrality, putting embargoes on all materials to both Spanish factions.

Maybe They're Cheaper

Atlantic City—George Rector, world famous chef is so fond of hot dogs himself that he objects to their being ridiculed. He says they are better food than many of the fancy stuff eaten and that figures show that the American people eat more pounds of hot dogs than any other meat.

Ambulance Chasing Up-to-Date

New York—Carl Wittekind an attorney, was charged with being an "ambulance chaser" when he sought to be counsel for a damage suit before the dead person was buried. Wittekind had a miniature village outlined in his office with small trains and automobiles allegedly to train witnesses in damage suits.

Air Travelers

Newark—What is believed to have been the first shipment of zoo animals by plane ended here when a half dozen four-months-old pronghorn antelopes were flown for the New York Zoo from the Belden ranch in Pitchfork, Wyo.

Pacifists

Fort Tyler, L. I.—Although Europe lives in perpetual fear of war citizens here have appealed to Secretary of War Dern to halt the use of old Fort Tyler as a target for dummy air bombs. The people say the planes and bombs scare both fish and fishermen.

Veteran Pilots

New York—Richard H. Dewey, Jr., and Beckwith Havens, two of the oldest American pilots in length of service celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their first flight by flying as usual. Dewey started out in France in the ancient box-kite type of pusher plane. They have always been extra careful while their dare-devil companions passed on.

Water Starts Fire

Woodland, Cal.—A glass jug of water helped to destroy a truck here. The jug was on a tow sack. Rays of the sun shining through the jug set fire to the sack and so to the truck.

Waiting To Be Found

Ashland, Ky.—There's an answer to the old joke about not advertising for a lost dog because dogs can't read. Theodore E. Hobbs put in a lost ad for the return of his black and white puppy. The linotyper in the newspaper setting up copy found the dog. It was sleeping under his linotype machine when the ad came upstairs.

Steady Job

New York—W. W. Hanold, tired of the seas hunted a permanent job ashore. He answered a want ad for shipping clerk. That was in 1872. He is still working for the firm as a clerk, but a higher one and rounded out 64 years on his permanent job this month.

Governor Stung

Johnstown, Pa.—A cat can look at a queen and a hornet can sting a governor. So Governor George H. Earle found out while fishing when yellow jackets "sat down" on him twenty-six times.

Not So Wild Today

Berlin—The United States may have won the Olympics, but— The men's field hockey team was eliminated by an outfit from Afghanistan, the Asiatic country which Kipling pictured less than fifty years ago as a wild outpost of savagery.

Expensive Tooting

New York—Mrs. Adele S. Mossler, a school teacher was charged with tooting her auto horn in violation of the anti-noise ordinances. She admitted honking three times . Magistrate Dryer said $1 a honk or $3.

For Better Or Worse

Pittsfield, Mass. — Unexpectedly marrying into a family when he thought he was taking a bride Louis Dallessandro sought and obtained a divorce. When the wedding was over and things quieted down six children ranging up to seventeen years of age appear for supper. The bride had not mentioned them.

Might Use Army Talk

Savannah, Ga.—All mule whips for use on city animals were confiscated and locked up on complaints of citizens about methods used in making the mules move along. Hereafter only language, mild or otherwise, is the only persuasive allowable.

Big Railroad Diner

Washington — After searching the city for a hotel that could accommodate 3,000 diners the committee in charge of the third World Power conference were forced to hire the Union Station as the only place large enough. Benches are to be moved out and the big doorways temporarily closed.

Goodbye, Mule

Columbus, Ohio—Colonel R. J. Foster chief veterinarian says that the army mule is almost a thing of the past. In 1920 the army had 80,000 horses and mules. Now it has only 23,000 horses and these kept for reserve. New York City, meanwhile, points out that horses are coming back among fruit and vegetable dealers, there being as many horse drawn wagons as trucks.

Seafood Heads Confronted By Variety Of Ideas

Ocean City Conference Active. Conservation Policies Deferred Until November

The magnitude of the task of bringing order out of the chaos besetting the crab, oyster and fishing industries of Chesapeake Bay and adjacent waters was brought home to more than a hundred leaders of the seafood industry from Maryland, Delaware and Virginia who assembled at Ocean City on Friday and Saturday for the second annual conference of the Tri-State Seafood industry.

Two days of vigorous discussion disclosed the wide divergence of opinion even among the heads of the industry as to the best way of leading the seafood business out of the depression. Steps were taken through the appointment of committees for oysters and crabs to sift out the best ideas advocated and formulate them into a working policy for the association.

Former Mayor W. W. McCabe of Ocean City, a leading figure in Federal groups working with oystermen was named president of the Association. Five vice-presidents were selected including Floyd W. Moore, Hampton, Va.; H. M. Tarry, Willis' Wharf, Va.; C. A. Loockerman of Crisfield; J. W. Chew of Baltimore and J. M. Robinson of Crisfield. Sterling G. Harris was re-elected secretary-treasurer while J. Calvert Jones of Chester was chosen one of the twenty-six directors.

The program was divided between prepared addresses by invited speakers and discussions among members themselves. Like most sessions of legislative bodies much of the best work accomplished was at informal gatherings in members' rooms which served the double purpose of bringing together leaders from adjoining states and threshing out their common problems in friendly conversations.

No direct plan of action was determined upon as the result of the floor discussions. However committees representing Maryland and Virginia in the crab industry were appointed to work out policies satisfactory to both states and present them at the November meeting of the the board of directors. A committee was also appointed to lay down the policies for the oyster groups. The association expects to use the reports of these committees if adopted as the basis for seeking proper legislative action.

Prepared addresses were delivered by

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Big Family Group At Birthday Feast

Mrs. Martha Downes Holds Birthday Feast

Mrs. Martha Downes Ireland ,of Ridgely, widow of John F. Ireland, formerly a farmer in Queen Anne's county celebrated her eighty-first birthday anniversary by inviting her nine children, 42 grandchildren, and 27 great-grandchildren for a family reunion and dinner at her home in Ridgely, where she resides with her daughter, Miss Clara Ireland. Sixty of her immediate descendants were present.

Mrs. Ireland's husband died six years ago at the age of 90.

Despite an illness from which she was eight months in bed two years ago, Mrs. Ireland is now very active and had a large share in the preparation of the dinner. Her eye-sight and hearing are apparently unimpaired. She raises chickens, turkeys and ducks in addition to her housekeeping.

The nine children who were present are: Mrs. Herbert Starkey, Kennedyville, Md.; Mrs. Edward McLoughlin, Centreville; Mrs. Charles Cohee, Chestertown; Mrs. James Ross, Greensboro; Mrs. Julia Walls, Mrs. Lawrence Smith and Miss Clara Ireland of Ridgely; William H. Ireland, Ridgely, and Calvin M. Ireland of Easton.

DR. HOLLOWAY HERE TODAY

Dr. Fred G. Holloway, president of Western Maryland College, will be in Centreville today, Thursday to meet prospective students of his institution. Dr. Holloway will arrive about noon and will use the Sunday School room at Grace Methodist Episcopal Church for interviews.

PREACHES HERE SUNDAY

Rev. C. W. Strickland will conduct the morning services next Sunday at Centreville Methodist Episcopal Church in absence of Rev. H. V. Branford who is away on vacation.

Trouble Doubles Up

Troubles, as Shakespeare said in better words, came in bunches for Asa B. Cohee of Easton Tuesday all starting with some zigzag driving on the road between Willoughby and Wye Mills. Cohee was picked up about 1 o'clock in the morning by State Patrolman Albert F. Anderson for driving while drunk. The officer locked and parked Cohee's car beside the road and freighted Cohee into Centreville.

He was tried later in the forenoon by Police Justice J. West Thompson and fined $100 and costs for drunken driving, and $1 and costs for reckless driving. His daughter came up from Easton to pay the fines and she was given the key to the parked car. She drove out to the car, looked into it and left it to come back with a driver.

Before she returned Tuesday afternoon a State Roads Commission truck ran off the road at just the right spot to hit the car and demolish it.

Warns Against Fires

In view of the dry conditions of fields and buildings in Queen Anne's county Chief F. Asbury Bartlett of the Good Will Fire Company issued a warning this week against carelessness which may result in serious fires.

There is always danger of bonfires getting away through dry grass or stubble and setting fire to buildings. Farmers burning brush or householders burning trash or bushes when cleaning up around the home or garden should be on the lookout for flying sparks or flames stealing along the ground. Lighted matches or cigarettes should not be tossed into dry grass or other inflammable material.

Caution should be exercised at all times especially as fields which seem to be green may burn easily during the present drought. Farmers who are burning out fence rows or ditches should exercise extra caution as fires starting in fields from sparks may communicate to straw stacks or outbuildings.

Old Age List Nearing Peak With 2 More

John Cannon Named To Welfare Board When Thompson Quits

The Old Age Pension list in Queen Anne's is nearing the saturation point with only two more applicants added to the list for August, it was indicated by figures released this week by George Chesbro, Executive Clerk to the County Welfare Board.

In other months additions to the list have ranged from a dozen to a score or more, Mr. Chesbro said, and it is now believed that the list will remain fairly stationary. There are now 242 on the list and disbursements for August totaled $2,593.25.

Following the resignation of Philemon H. Thompson from the Welfare Board, John Cannon has been named as his successor for three years and sat with the board at its last meeting. Mr. Thompson withdrew at the expiration of his one-year term. W. Rodgers Wilson, of Ingleside ,accepted reappointment to a three year term. When the Board was formed a year ago, two members were appointed for one year, two for two years, and two for three year terms. Under the Board of State Aid and Charities regulations, a member of the Board of County Commissioners must be Chairman and Mr. Charles I. Boyles fills the post.

Other figures released by Mr. Chesbro for August indicated that there are 25 families with 85 children receiving aid of dependent children. The disbursement for that classification for August was $409.12. The County Commissioners are forced to levy 1% on the tax rate to pay for this form of aid.

There are three blind persons receiving public assistance and the disbursement was $34. Fourteen families or single persons living alone are receiving general public assistance, Mr. Chesbro said, and payments in August amounted to $88 The total amount disbursed for all forms of aid was $3,124.37.

The cost of administration ranges from 11% to 14% Mr. Chesbro said, and the Welfare office now has four employees.

C. C. Jones Appointed Inspector In Oyster Patrol

Clinton C. Jones of Stevensville received an appointment as deputy in command of a patrol boat of the State Conservation Commission late last week following an examination at Centreville High School recently in which six candidates appeared.

Mr. Jones who succeeds Captain James G. Ruth of Grasonville is a well known resident of Kent Island. He has served several appointments as postmaster of Stevensville and has been an oysterman and waterman for most of his life.

CHECK SOIL COMPLIANCE

Supervisors under the soil conservation program started checking acreage for compliance Tuesday. In addition to those previously appointed W. Purnell Brown was added as a part time supervisor.

MAULES BACK FROM TRIP

Mrs. Paul S. Maule, of Sudersville, accompanied by her son Clifton and daughter Betty have returned from a week's trip with relatives in New Jersey and New York. They visited Radio City and other points of interest.

Shore Political Leaders Chew Fat On Island

Mayor Jackson Guest Of Honor At Dr. Cooke's Log Cabin

With Baltimore's Mayor Howard W. Jackson as guest of honor, Dr. Theodore Cooke put on another of his parties that have come to be an institution at his log cabin near Stevensville last week-end.

Chieftains big and little from the Susquehanna to Chincoteague Island with a sprinkling drawn from across the Chesapeake gathered to eat the Doctor's crabs, drink his beer, commend his water view and hospitality—and talk politics.

The Mayor, who has been on the Eastern Shore frequently in the past six weeks, cruising, attending the regattas, and incidentally not doing himself any harm for the 1938 gubernatorial race, is reported to have received wide assurances of support when that day rolls around.

Mr. Jackson, however, let it be known that the first job to be tackled is to roll up a thumping majority for President Roosevelt in November. In that endeavor he told his friends he would see them again at Ocean City today, Thursday, where a Shore-wide rally is to be held.

Somerset county friends of J. Millard Tawes injected a mild disturbance into an otherwise peaceful scene by introducing Mr. Tawes as the next State Comptroller. Presently speculation ran through various little groups as to whether Congressman T. Alan Goldsborough might have made a deal with Mr. Tawes along that line to keep him out of the Congressional race this year.

The Mayor did not get to Dr. Cooke's cabin until Sunday morning. He was busy Saturday night handing out trophies at the Chestertown regatta and cruised on C. Markland Kelly's yacht, Fleet, to Matapeake.

Congressman Goldsborough and former Governor Emerson C. Harrington arrived around 1 o'clock Sunday. Senator George L. Radcliffe put in appearance about 4 o'clock after many had departed.

Queen Anne's Countians who were overnight guests at the cabin were Senator William R. Wilson, County Commissioner Joseph M. George, ex-Senator Dudley G. Roe, Robert W. "Uncle Bob" Thomas, and Charles M. Bright. The latter is major domo for Dr. Cooke and had a big hand in planning the affair.

Few Changes In Teaching Staff

Nides Only Newcomer. Three Other Changes

Relativley few changes have been made in the teaching stfaff of Queen Anne's county preparatory to the opening of schools on September 8, according to the list made public by County Sulperintendent F. D. Day. The only newcomer to the teaching group is Nicholas Nides of Centreville who replaces John T. Bruehl as manual training teacher at Centreville High School.

Transfers within the system account for three elementary changes. Mrs. Marie H. Jester has been transferred from Price to Centreville Elementary making one additional teacher at the latter school. She will not be replaced at Price, Mr. Day said. That school will have only one teacher unless an increase in enrollment makes another necessary.

A leave of absence to Miss Elizabeth Anthony to teach in Talbot county near St. Michaels resulted in the shifting of two elementary teachers. Miss Anthony taught at Stevens school last year but the enrollment did not encourage her to continue. She will be succeeded at Stevens by Mrs. Catherine Covey who taught at Chester. Miss Ruth A. Kolata was transferred from Wye Island to Chester, and the post on Wye Island was reported unassigned Wednesday.

DINNER ON THE CORSICA

Captain and Mrs. Phillip W. Reeves were hostess to a dinner party at their Corsica River home, "The Moorings", on Thursday last. The occasion was for Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Rault and Mrs. Bertha W. Morgan, of New Orleans, La., who were visiting them.

Other guests present were Dr. and Mrs. C. V. Rault, Mrs. A. K. Goebel and Miss Violet Goebel, of Washington.

Company K Joins 29th Division In Maneuvers; Home Saturday

(Special Dispatch to the Record)

Indiantown Gap, Pa., Aug. 17—Company K along with the rest of the First Regiment left Camp Ritchie Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock. The regiment was transported by a motor convoy of about 150 trucks divided into three convoy sections.

It was some sight to look at the line of trucks rolling along, just like Covered Wagon days except the present speed is so much faster. The regiment arrived here at noon after covering seventy-five miles.

Company K was the first company in its battalion to establish camp. The company electricians soon had the Kaymen's area wired for lighting at night.

On Thursday and Friday the Kaymen were out on overnight maneuvers according to camp schedule.

Returns from Camp Ritchie showed that Company K qualified nine automatic riflemen out of eleven candidates.

Lieutenant John F. Walraven, Corporal Bell and Private James E. Price left for Camp Ritchie Monday to try for the Maryland National Guard rifle team that goes to the national competition at Camp Perry in Ohio next week.

Sergeant Smith, Private Joseph Connolly and Private Donnell were granted urloughs from camp and returned home Sunday.

The remainder of the camp period will be devoted to problems for the entire 29th Division.

Company K has orders to go home by train on Saturday although the exact schedule has not been announced.

Last Sunday was Visitors' Day. About sixty relatives and friends visited Company K in camp.

Among these were: Sudlersville Captain and Mrs. William T. Roe and daughter Helen, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Peters, Miss Lillian Philips, Miss Myrna Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cronshaw and son Bobby, Miss Anna

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State Roads Heads On County Tour Approve Three Projects

County Commissioners Recommend Carmichael Graveling, Straightening of "Dead-Man's Curve, And Shoulders For Queenstown-Stevensville Highway

Dr. Homer E. Tabler, Chairman of the State Roads Commission, and Chief Engineer Nathan L. Smith were in Queen Anne's Wednesday for a conference with the Board of County Commissioners.

It was learned that at the request of the County Commissioners the following projects have been slated for work:

1) Graveling of a section of the new 60-ft Wye Island road from the Eastern Shore Boulevard toward Carmichael.

2) Straightening of Dead Man's curve north of Centreville.

3) Shouldering and widening of the Eastern Shore Boulevard from near Queenstown to Stevensville subject to obtaining rights of way.

It was understood that about one and one half miles of the Carmichael road would be graveled. In the opinion of the State Roads officials a stretch that long is all that will have settled sufficiently to warrant the application of gravel. Continued dry weather has kept the road in an unsettled state. Graveling of the section is to become an extension of the county-wide road improvement program as announced several weeks ago. Grading of the Carmichael road had progressed this weke to a point opposite the farm of G. DeS. Canavarro.

Two accidents over the week-end at Dead Man's Curve are believed to have played a part in the decision of the State Roads Commission to eliminate that hazard. The County Commissioners have constantly urged the State for two years to straighten the double curve at that point. Rights of way and the removal of the telephone line to make the improvement possible have long since been taken care of.

Improvement of the Queenstown-Stevensville section of the Eastern Shore Boulevard has been eagerly sought by the Board in view of the heavy traffic to the Matapeake and Love Point ferries.

The officials also drove out to the new traffic bound macadam section being built toward Ruthsburg. Residents of the community watching the road under construction have already complained that the highway will be inadequate for year-around travel, claiming it will break through in bad weather. Messrs. Tabler and Smith sought to allay fears saying that this type construction has proved satisfactory for secondary traffic in other parts of the State. They said they were advocating this type construction at many points.

The County Commissioners take the view in the Ruthsburg construction that the State drew up the specifications, awarded the contract, and that the State must shoulder maintenance problems if the road fails to stand up. Numerous residents are reported to be considering an injunction to stop work on the project because of their dissatisfaction with the type of construction.

Draft Classes Announced For Breeders' Show

Work Types Fill Forenoon Program At Labor Day Event

Additional plans for the annual horse show of the Queen Anne's Horse Breeders Association to be held at the Centreville Race track on Labor Day were announced by Thomas J. Keating, Jr., chairman of the program committee on Wednesday. With the show an all-day affair this year ample parking space is to be provided as well as an opportunity to buy lunches and refreshments on the grounds.

Details of the draft classes which will be held in the forenoon from 10 o'clock until noon are as follows:

ClassI—Unregistered suckling colts and fillies. To be shown in hand or accompanied by dam.

Class II—Registered suckling colts and fillies. To be shown in hand or accompanied by dam. All breeds. Each breed will be judged separately and separate prizes awarded in each breed.

Class III—Unregistered yearling colts and fillies. To be shown in hand.

Class IV—Unregistered colts and fillies two and three years old. To be shown in hand.

Class V—Registered colts and fillies two and three years old. All Breeds. To be shown in hand. Each breed will be judged separately and separate prizes awarded in each breed.

Class VI—Pairs of unregistered mares or horses. To be shown in hand.

Class VII—Pairs of registered mares or horses. To be shown in hand. All breeds. Each breed will be judged separately and separate prizes awarded in each breed.

Class VIII—Stallions. All breeds. Will be judged together on suitability to produce farm horses.

Class IX—Pairs of mules. Shown in hand.

Sunday Fire Destroys Dr. McPherson's Garage

Fire of undetermined origin destroyed a wooden garage owned by Dr. H. F. McPherson of Centreville in a brief but spectacular blaze Sunday afternoon about 4 o'clock. The loss was estimated at $30, covered by insurance.

When the fire was discovered flames were shooting through the roof. The thick cloud of smoke rising so near the center of the town soon brought a crowd running, especially from the ball game.

A corn crib and a building nearby caught fire but the blazes were promptly extinguished by the Good Will firemen. Little could be done about saving the garage which burned like cardboard and was quickly consumed.

Minister Accepts Texas Call, Takes Bride Along

The Rev. Blake Hammond, who for the past several months has been rector of the parish at Cecilton, has accepted a call from the Bishop of Texas and will depart for Kingsville, near Corpus Christi, next Tuesday.

In departing the Rev. Mr. Hammond will take a bride to his new charge. He is to be married at high noon on Tuesday to Miss Minnie Irene Colestock at New Oxford, Pa. They will go direct to Texas from there.

The minister has been assigned to the Church of the Advent at Kingsville and will also serve Epiphany Church at Alice.

Mr. Hammond who is the nephew of Spencer C. Hammond, of Centreville, and the Rev. Ellwood Hannum, of Trappe, have been co-directors this summer at Camp Wright near Matapeake.

District Head Will Address Rotary Tonight

Ward Wilson On Tour Of Shore. Committees For Year Named

Ward O. Wilson, of Clearfield, Pa., district governor of the 34th Rotary district will address the meeting of the Centreville Rotary Club at the Blue Lantern this evening, Thursday at 6:30 o'clock following which he will hold conference with the board of directors. Mr. Wilson is at present making a tour of the Eastern Shore to visit Rotary organizations.

Rotary committees for the coming year were announced by E. Clyde Walls, president, at the meeting of the club at the Blue Lantern Thursday evening.

The slate includes club service, Robert T. Newell, Virgil Freeney, Spencer C. Hammond, John W. Perry and Norman P. Walters; classification, J. Thomas Holland, M. B. Slemmer; membership, Alfred M. Green, Dr. James W. Crowl, Tony Kontos; program, Dr. Norman P. Chanaud, Letha E. Taylor, Clarence E. Woodward; fellowship and attendance, Ernest W. Grubb, Vernon Grant, J. Olin Pippin; yuoth service, G. Myron Latshaw, W. John Connolly, John R. E. Turpin.

Vocational service, Mr. Slemmer, Mr. Grubb, William P. Horney, J. H. Eliason Legg, Dr. James A. McCallum; international service, A. Temple Blackwood, Charles C. Mickle, Messrs. Grant, Kontos, Turpin; community service, Kenneth W. Baker, F. D. Day, Messrs. Green, Holland, Turpin; boys' work, Dr. Crowl, Messrs. Pippin and Taylor; crippled children, Dr. McCallum, Mr. Holland, Mr. Walters; rural-urban, Messrs. Freeney, Legg and Perry; sidelights, Messrs. Day, Baker, Blackwood, Grant, Horney, Mickle and Newell.

Minor Changes Sought At Grammar School

Seeking minor changes at the remodeled Centreville Grammar School, another delegation from the P-TA was before the County Commissioners at Tuseday's session. The Board authorized additional shelving in the cafeteria kitchen and will also add another section of drainboard to the sink. A hot water tank and heater in all probability will be provided, but the type was not definitely determined.

Considerable progress has been made in the past week in decorating the building and after an inspection of the premises the ladies expressed themselves as in a much happier frame of mind than on their earlier visit to the Board. Mrs. A. Sydney Gadd, Jr., Mrs. Oliver C. Jones, and Mrs. J. Hall Barton were in the group accompanied by Supt. Day.

J. P. Corcoran Host To Bank Officers At Banquet

John P. Corcoran of Pioneer Point Farm gave a dinner in honor of Senator William R. Wilson's birthday at the Centreville Hotel Tuesday evening.

The guests included Senator William R. Wilson, Elmer Golt, Alfred M. Green, L. Tilghman Hayden, Senator James E. Kirwan, Dr. H. F. McPherson, J. Olin Pippin, Howard W. Ryland, E. Stephens Valliant, Lemuel Kirwan, W. Ray Tabler, Henry T. Deaver, Miss Katherine C. Morris, Mrs. Mabel Y. Shaw and Paul B. Smith.

BANK TO PAY 10% DIVIDEND

The Church Bank of Maryland will pay another 10% dividend on its certificates of beneficial interest on August 22, it has announced by the Board of Directors.

This marks the second dividend in the same amount that the bank has declared, another having been paid last year.

Struck By Car, Aged Man Killed At Grasonville

Wm. E. Reese, 70, Hit Crossing Road With Water. Negro Held

William E. Reese of Grasonville, 70 years old, was instantly killed at 11:30 Wednesday morning when he was struck by a car driven by John Harris, 30, a Negro living at Kent Narrows. The victim's skull was crushed and one leg broken.

Following an investigation by Coroner J. West Thompson Harris was arrested and held for hearing in Police Court on charges of manslaughter, reckless driving and operating without a license.

At the time of the accident the aged man was crossing the highway toward his son's store at the eastern end of Grasonville carrying two buckets of water. After striking Reese the car left the road, continued for 200 feet, knocked down two eight inch fence posts and careened into a field, badly damaged.

The Negro driver is almost crippled in the right leg from infantile paralysis. He has no driver's license and said he had never applied for one. He was riding alone in a Studebaker allegedly owned by a man named Tolson.

No inquest was held by Coroner Thompson following an investigation in which he was assisted by State Patrolman Albert F. Anderson. Dr. James A. McCallum viewed the body.

Several automobile accidents of a less serious nature occurred in the county during the week. Dead Man's Curve between Centreville and Church Hill accounted for two. Dr. J. W. Stack of Crumpton and Miss Ruth Rittenhouse of Centreville each was reported as overturning a car at the gooseneck turn, with considerable damage to each car.

An automobile owned by Richard Sneed of Queen Anne was torn up when it left the road near Starr and overturned with slight injury to two occupants.

Miss Dorothy Briscoe, Centreville, was seriously injured when she drove into a freight train which blocked the highway near the Queenstown railroad station on Wednesday night of last week.

Practice Trip For 4-H Squad

Boys Judge Cattle Near Norristown, Pa.

Candidates for the Queen Anne's County 4-H cattle judging team together with squads from Kent, Cecil, Talbot and Caroline left by automobiles Wednesday morning at 6 o'clock for Norristown, Pa., for a day's practice judging cattle near that town. The boys will try their skill on Ayrshire cattle at the Penhurst and Normandy farms in that neighborhood whose herds are considered among the best in the entire country.

Those from Queen Anne's in the party were County Agent Kenneth W. Baker, Marion Chance, Hodge Coleman, Jr., Carlton Davis, John M. Holden, Jr., and Samuel McGinnis.

The boys will judge five rings of cattle and heifers with four animals to a ring. On Saturday the group sharpened their eyes on purebred Jerseys at the farm of Robert Simpson near Easton and on purebred Guernseys at the Thomas Hughes farm near Miles River.

Further practice sessions will be held after which a team of three with an alternate will be selected to represent the county at the state judging contest at Timonium Fair.

At the Fair five purebred heifers will be entered by county 4-H clubs, the entrants being winners at the recent Achievement Day.

Those who will exhibit are Edwin Atkinson, Guernsey; Marion Chance, Jersey; Hodge Coleman, Jr., Holstein; Billy McFarland, Ayrshire; and Ralph McGinnis ,Guernsey.

Dixon's Tavern Schedules Harness Races August 29

Matinee races for trotters and pacers will be held at Dixon's Tavern near Sudlersville Saturday afternoon beginning at 1:30 o'clock under the direction of Robert Everett. Four races are carded with two heats to a race. Trotters and pacers will be thrown together in four classes.

Harness racing is coming back into favor in Queen Anne's county. At least sixteen horses will be entered at the coming matinee. No prizes are being hung up, the races being 'all-for-glory." Several matinee events have been held in rotation in and around the county this summer, with the one held previously at Dixon's Tavern drawing the banner crowd.

Abner *says*-

Gals with wasp-like waists often have the same kind o' tempers.