UP AND DOWN THE Eastern Shore

Shore Society Dinner

Easton—John Sharpe Dickinson, Assistant Attorney General of the United States and a native of Talbot County, will be the principal speaker at the annual dinner of the Eastern Shore Society to be held tonight, Thursday, in Baltimore. Former U. S. Senator Phillips Lee Goldsborough, a native of Dorchester, will act as toastmaster.

Cain in Liberty

Chestertown—"Double Indemnity", a new novel by James M. Cain, son of a former president of Washington College, will be serialized in Liberty Magazine beginning with the current issue. Author of the best seller, "The Postman Always Rings Twice", Cain once wrote a bitter piece in Henry L. "Bilious Hank" Mencken's American Mercury about Chestertown for which the townsfolks have never forgiven him.

Phoebus Flays Casey

Princess Anne—Irked by the reluctance of Governor Nice to call a special session of the Legislature until the report of William J. Casey's committee to study Maryland's relief problems has been completed, State Senator Harry T. Phoebus expressed himself in this fashion to the Board of State Aid and Charities: "It's all right for millionaires living in beautiful homes to write out a report on the relief situation . . . but he certainly has had long enough to report, and he doesn't know how the poor people are faring these cold days. How could a rich man write a report to aid a poor man?"

Fingerprinting Rush

Federalsburg—With the passage of the Soldiers' bonus requiring fingerprints on all applications, Chief of Police Floyd Phillips anticipates busy days for his complete fingerprinting equipment recently obtained from the Federal Department of Justice. Mr. Phillips has announced his intention to establish evening hours if the demand warrants.

Nix on Murals

Easton—This town's new postoffice now under construction and for which wall paintings are slated will remain free of such "decorations" if Mayor Wrightson can stay the hand of Uncle Sam. The Mayor was in Baltimore recently, viewed the interiors of public buildings and returned home with the report: "The murals are a mess". He will now work through Congressman Goldsborough to head off the work.

Double Appendicitis

Princess Anne—Early one morning last week Charles Gibbons took his 12-year old son to Peninsula General Hospital and stood by while the lad was operated upon for appendicitis. Returning home the father also suffered an attack and was rushed to the hospital for an emergency operation. Father and son are convalescing together.

Boondoggling Begins

Salisbury—With words by the millions now pouring into Washington from other sections of the nation for the forthcoming American Guide, compilation of Eastern Shore material is to start in earnest. Frank J. Reall, State Director of the Federal Writers' project was here last week organizing personnel. Dorchester, Somerset and Wicomico and Worcester will be covered from Salisbury, with Caroline, Kent, Queen Anne's and Talbot's data to be assembled at Easton.

P. O. Deadlock

Port Deposit—Deadlocked 3-to-3 over the recommendation of a postmaster here after several meetings, the Democratic State Central Committee for Cecil County will make one more attempt to agree on a candidate. Meanwhile Raymond Westerfield continues as acting postmaster. His opponent is George Hohn.

Geology, Anthropology

Easton—Possibility that the Eastern Shore was formed by sediment washed downstream by the Susquehanna River and Delaware Bay by the set of the tides down the Atlantic seaboard was advanced by Dr. E. C. Hallman, Superintendent of the District M. E. Conference, in an address here. Oyster shells and marine fossils found far inland bear out the theory that the entire peninsula was once under water. He also said pottery and other relics found in various excavations indicate Mayan tribes first inhabited the Shore.

Mrs. Toulson Appointed

Salisbury—Mrs. John M. Toulson, granddaughter of former U. S. Senator James Alfred Pearce and niece of James Alfred Pearce, onetime Chief Judge of the Second Judicial Circuit, has been named Postmistress here. Mrs. Toulson came to Salisbury 29 years ago from Chestertown.

785-Lb. Porker

Massey—A 785-lb. hog was among several butchered near her last week by Thomas McKinney who lives on the Cochran farm. The hams each weighed 75 lbs., the head 50, and the middlings 63 pounds each.

Canal Rejected

Snow Hill—U. S. War Department Engineers have rejected the proposal to build a canal connecting the Pocomoke River with Chincoteague Bay. In sufficient commerce to warrant the cost was cited as the cause for rejection.

Cupid Hits New High

Elkton—This "Gretna Green" is out to top all previous records. January figures reveal 583 marriage licenses issued during the month. January, 1935, had 308; 1934, 331.

Memorial for Doctor

Cambridge—As a memorial to the late Dr. Brice W. Goldsborough, founder of Cambridge-Maryland Hospital, a new X-Ray department is to be added to the institution. The addition will bear a bronze placque dedicated to Dr. Goldsborough.

Board Withdraws Suit

Easton—Talbot's Board of County Commissioners have withdrawn as complainants against the appointment of Russell Summers as County Roads Engineer. The original action charged violation of the State merit system in making the appointment. Willis R. Jones, attorney for the Maryland Classified Employees' Association, said the suit would continue on behalf of other complainants.

The Queen Anne's County Social Register

STEVENSVILLE

Church services on Kent Island for Sunday, Feb. 9 are as follows:

Stevensville M. E. Church—Church school, 10 a. m.; morning worship, 11 a. m.; Epworth League, 7 p. m.

Kingsley M. E. Church—Church school, 2 p. m.; afternoon services, 3 p. m.

Dominion M. E. Church—Church school, 10 a. m.; evening service, 7:30 p. m.

Stevensville M. P. Church—Church school, 10 a. m.; morning worship, 11:15 a. m.

Christ P. E. Church—Church school, 10 a. m.; evening prayer, 7:30 p. m.

The Ladies' Aid of Stevensville M. E. Church will meet on Thursday, Feb. 6, at the home of Mrs. J. W. Eckstorm. The hostesses are Mrs. J. W. Eckstorm, Mrs. Paul Palmer, Mrs. Council, Mrs. Cooke Lowery.

Mr. James White, a student at Washington College, spent a few days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter White the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Belbin Thomas were Sunday guests of Mrs. Thomas' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kinnamon, at Wye Mills.

Mr. Clinton White, of Baltimore, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Whitman White.

Mr. Billy Lowe, a medical student at the University of Maryland, returned Monday after spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Lowe.

We are glad to report that Ralph Cockey(small son of Mr. and Mrs. Sudler Cockey, Jr., who has been quite ill of pneumonia is much improved.

Mrs. William Porter is ill at her home near town.

Mrs. Wade Arledge is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Whitefield Coleman.

Mr. James E. Kirwan and Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Kirwan were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Golt at a turkey dinner on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Taylor and daughter Gladys were Denton visitors on Sunday.

QUEENSTOWN

The contract tournament which will soon be held for the benefit of the fire company is being lined up very satisfactorily. In the interim partners of nearby towns are practicing as well as local ones.

Mrs. Harry C. Onley entertained a foursome one evening and Mrs. John T. Bishop entertained on Monday evening. And so it is going.

Mr. S. E. W. Friel, Jr., visited New York on business this week.

Mr. Harry C. Reynolds and Mr. Charles Chance motored to Baltimore Thursday. Mrs. Reynolds returned with them.

A meeting of the Fire Company on Monday reelected James Reynolds Friel as president and Mr. Benjamin R. Cook, chief, after Mr. George E. Lane resigned.

Miss Margaret Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thompson has entered training at Union Memorial Hospital in Baltimore.

Three tables of contract were entertained by Mrs. S. E. W. Friel on Friday afternoon. Mrs. Harry Cross, of Baltimore, nee Miss Anna Morris, won top score and Mrs. Conrad P. Carter carried off the floating prize.

At the weekly meeting of the Lions Club, Mr. Franklin D. Day of Centreville was chief speaker.

CHESTER

Mrs. Alfred Sparks was a Monday guest of Mrs. Altonia Tolson.

Mrs. Anna Arledge is spending several days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Whitefield Coleman.

Miss Lynette Timms, of Stevensville, was a visitor this week of Mrs. Wallace Chance.

Miss Violet Tolson was a Sunday guest of Miss Alma Harris.

Mrs. Hobart Kelley and sons Charles, Weldon and Hobart, Jr., of near Matapeake were guests Saturday of Mrs. Daniel Crouch.

Mrs. Emma Foebus is spending several days with Mrs. Mary Thomas at Stevensville.

A Mum Social was held at the home of Mrs. Jacob Tolson. There was a penalty for laughing. Prizes were won by Delma Coleman and Alma Harris. After the games, refreshments were served. Everyone spent an enjoyable evening.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Crouch, of Stevensville, were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Brown were visitors Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Madison Brown, of near Matapeake.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfonza Thomas and children, Mary Catherine and Patsy Jane, of Grasonville were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenly Thomas.

A large number from here were to Wye Mills Sunday to enjoy skating. Among them were: Mr. Gordon Seward, Mr. Thomas Ringle, Mr. Eldred Coleman, Mr. Herman Kelley, Mr. Howard Chance, Mr. Emory Wyatt, Mr. Purnell Coleman, Mr. Apsley Coleman, Mr. Billy Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Banning and daughter Doris, Mr. and Mrs. Holton Harris and daughter Rita, Mr. and Mrs. Kennard Harris and daughters Eunice and Edythe, and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Timms.

Mrs. Howard Seward is spending some time in Baltimore.

Miss Reba Jones was a week-end guest of Miss Vernice Seward. She suffered a sprained ankle while there.

GRASONVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ireland and son Francis, and Miss Mamie Bryan attended the funeral of Mrs. Charles Ireland at the Ruthsburg Church last Tuesday.

Mr. Benjamin Jewell, of the University of Maryland, spent some time last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jewell.

Mrs. Bascom Eaton and Mrs. Harry Draper, of Centreville, were Friday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ireland and family.

Mrs. Sadie Tolson is spending some time in Baltimore with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bosse.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Ford, of Marcus Hook, Pa., spent last Tuesday at their home in town.

Miss Virginia King, who has recently been operated on for appendicitis is now back at her studies at Maryland Normal School, Towson, Md.

SUDLERSVILLE

At the regular monthly meeting of the Mite Society of the M. E. Church, South, last Friday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: president, Mrs. J. Edward Stevens; vice-president, Miss Eva Merrick; secretary, Miss Mary Esther Wallace; treasurer, Miss Rebecca Walraven.

Samuel Blades entered upon his duties Monday as rural route carrier to succeed Harrington Knotts whose term of office has expired.

Mrs. Dudley G. Roe and Mrs. John F. Stokes with friends from Wilmington are spending the week in New York.

Miss Trixie Phillips was a week-end guest of friends at College Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Vinton Marvel, of Richardson Park, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Marvel's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. Noble Hardesty.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Truitt left on Sunday for a ten-day motor trip to Florida.

Miss Jane Anderson, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Anderson and a student of Beacom's College will work in the office of William D. Roe and Son during Mrs. Truitt's absence. Mr. Truitt will have a competent substitute in his barber shop at night and on Saturday.

The firemen wish to thank all those who contributed in any way or helped to make their annual supper and dance a success. About $135 was cleared and this fund is used to keep the equipment in proper condition, also to add new equipment when necessary.

The Ladies' Aid of Calvary M. E. Church met Wednesday evening and was entertained by Mrs. Homer Benton, Mrs. William Jarman and Mrs. Franklin Green.

Mrs. Dudley G. Roe and Mrs. Paul N. Phillips gave a benefit card party Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Roe for the Kent and Queen Anne's General Hospital.

The Farm Bureau banquet set for Tuesday, Feb. 11 to be served in Cox Hall, is expected to be the largest ever given by the farmers. This banquet is an annual affair, and this year, over two hundred guests are invited to attend.

Members of the Civic Betterment Club are making plans for a "Valentine Social" to be given in the club rooms on Thursday evening, Feb. 13.

Mr. G. Edward Gillespie, who has not been well for some time, went to Philadelphia on Saturday, where he entered Jefferson Hospital for special treatment. His many friends hope he will soon be improved sufficiently to return to his home.

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Melodious Film Headed For Stevensville

Pert and vivacious Alice Faye has the leading role in "Music Is Magic", film fare at the Stevensville Opera House for Friday and Saturday. Pictured above, reading in the usual manner, are Frank Mitchell, Ray Walker, Miss Faye and Jack Durant. Others in the cast are Bebe Daniels, Rosina Lawrence and Thomas Beck.

Examiners For Boy Scout Merit Badges Are Named By Valliant

Several new names appear among the thirty-seven Queen Anne's residents included in the official list of examiners for merit badges for the Boy Scouts of Centreville Troop issued on Tuesday by T. Rigby Valliant, director of the Court of Honor and the Board of Review.

Each of the examiners is an expert in his specialty. Boy Scouts who aspire for merit badges in any of the numerous fields of scouting are required to pass an examination which may be taken at any time convenient to the examiner.

The official list includes Ernest W. Grubb and Letha Taylor, for agriculture, animal industry, corn farming, dairying, farm home and planning farm layout and building arrangement, farm mechanics, farm records and bookkeeping, hog and pork production, poultry keeping, sheep farming, soil management.

Letha Taylor, gardening, Indian lore, insect life, leathercraft, leather work, metal work, weather, zoology; T. Rigby Valliant, business, camping, canoeing, cooking, First Aid, leathercraft, life saving, safety ,salesmanship, swimming.

Clarence E. Woodward, bird study, botany, forestry, fruit culture, gardening, insect life, landscape gardening, nut culture; Franklin D. Day, scholarship, public speaking; Dr. H. F. McPherson and Dr. James A. McCallum, personal health, public health.

William E. Grose, journalism; Norman P. Walters, carpentry, cement work, handicraft, masonry; Francis E. Thomas, pathfinding, Roy H. Wilson, bookbinding, printing; Owen L. Phillips, seamanship; Edward Green and John F. Blunt, electricity; F. Asbury Bartlett, firemanship.

Dr. James W. Crowl, first aid to animals; John Hall Price, taxidermy; Charles E. Anthony, hiking, marksmanship; William R. Horney, reading, stamp collecting; Paul B. Smith, angling; Charles M. West, Jr., art; John T. Bruehl, Jr., machinery.

Thomas J. Keating, Jr., horsemanship; Walter Voshell, automobiling, cycling; A. Howard Johnson, beekeeping; Walter L. Blackwell, archery, pioneering, surveying; John T. Bruehl, athletics, basketry, physical development, woodcarving, wood turning, woodwork.

Paul Rose, photography; E. C. Walls, chemistry; M. B. Slemmer, plumbing; John W. Perry, conservation; Alfred M. Green, aviation, textiles.

Guy Harmon, beef production; H. W. Moore, blacksmithing; A. A. M. Dewing, bugling, music; W. Purnell Brown, civics; C. S. Thomas, signaling.

BARCLAY HOMEMAKERS ELECT

Organization of the Barclay Homemakers' Club took place last Friday at the home of Mrs. J. L. Wallace when the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. J. L. Wallace; Vice-President, Mrs. Elmer Leary; Secretary, Mrs. John Lane; Treasurer, Mrs. John Ware; Publicity, Mrs. Lemuel McGinnis; Song Leader, Mrs. Ethel Leary.

Miss Isabel Bewick, Home Demonstration Agent, gave an instructive talk on planning and serving meals. The next meeting is scheduled for Feb. 21.

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Their easons for preferring the stew are persuasive. Easy to make, the stew gave a festive air to the one breakfast of the week when the whole family was invariably present, and the cold trip to church required the fortification that only a piping hot oyster stew could give.

An elderly Connecticut woman, whose memory of the Sunday oyster stew is still fresh, has written to the Oyster Institute of North American, telling her story of the custom. She is sorry to see the century-old practice vanish.

"In the town in which I was reared (in the Naugatuck Valley)," she wrote, "the serving of oyster stew for Sunday morning breakfast was most common among the townspeople—a sort of tradition. It was the one morning when the entire family sat at the breakfast table together, and to enjoy an old-fashioned oyster stew to its fullness, it must be served immediately after cooking."

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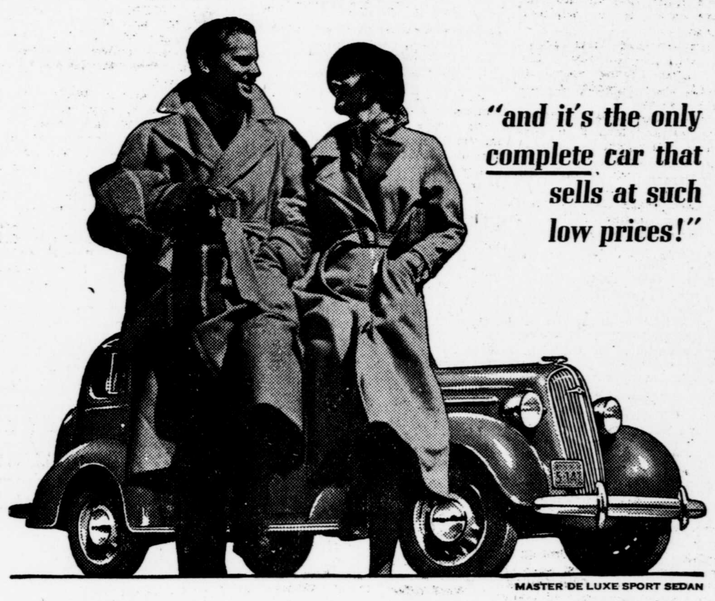

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