Dry Weather Speeds Up Clover; Barley, Peas Being Harvested

Dry weather is giving Queen Anne's farmers some concern as June, a busy month on the farmer's calendar rolls in.

Canning peas are now being cut with indications of a short crop because of the dry May. Swing's cannery at Price and the Phillips Packing Company of Cambridge are handling most of the county crop. Fewer acres of canning peas were planted in Queen Anne's than usual.

Barley harvest ended last week. The Marno barb smooth-awn barley which matures a week earlier than the Tennessee winter variety, was the first harvested. One of the largest and also one of the finest fields of the Marno variety was the 110-acre field on Arthur Kudner's Talisman farm, cutting of which was finished Monday.

The probability is for a normal barley crop as dry weather did not hurt it much. However, in many fields the lower rows on the heads were not pollinated due either to weather or lack of nutrition and this may cut the yield. Spring Cove Farm has another fine barley field while David D. Taylor has an excellent field of Tennessee winter barley. The Pioneer ˜ int barley is another top ranking field.

The dry weather has materially cut the hay crop which looked like a bumper possibility in April. It has caused clover to mature earlier than usual. Practically all the clover is ready to cut now. Clover is thick enough but short. Three fine fields are those of Milton Seney, of Centreville, Frank S. Dudley at Queenstown, and W. H. Davidson of the upper county near Chestertown.

Young clover especially that in barley fields that are being cut is being parched by dry weather and hot sun. Pastures have been hurt considerably by the weather. Scarlet clover is being harvested for seed this week.

The first cutting of alfalfa has been made, about the same quantity as usual. There has been some alfalfa put in silos, as at Blakeford. John Ashley has a fine field of lespedeza. The soy bean acreage is about as much as last year, or perhaps a trifle more, and 1938 had a big acreage. More soy beans of the hay variety will likely be cut for seed this year than heretofore.

Wheat is very spotty. There are some fields as fine as in any year and others as poor as in the worst years. Excessive rains earlier in the year and the drought recently have hurt the crop. All lowland wheat is in poor shape, thin and short. A two-thirds crop is the best that can be expected for the county and that is not certain. J. Olin Pippin has a fine stand of wheat, as does Carl Morris.

Practically all the corn intended has been planted. The acreage of field corn may be up slightly and that of sugar corn down slightly. The grain is doing all right, some fields being a foot high.

Plowing is almost impossible now, barring rains, because of the caking of the soil. As far as moisture is concerned the condition of the land on Kent Island is better than anywhere in the county, somewhat more rain having fallen there.

The tomato acreage is decidedly down this year due to the lack of contracts for the crop. Most tomatoes will have to be sold on the open market. Farmers' gardens are generally in very good shape.

The milk outlook is poor. Production has been very good, and fairly cheap because of good early pasture. The price of fluid milk is at the lowest in years. Jack Cannon right now is nursing along a fine crop of grade Guernsey heifers.

Beef cattle for feeders are not increasing much in Queen Anne's S. L. Morris has some fine young animals.

Money is somewhat tight among farmers and will be until after wheat is threshed.

Old Glory Marches To New Milestone

Proud embem of a liberty-loving people for 162 years Old Glory celebrates a new birthday on June 15. U. S. Marines are shown (left) displaying the National Flag and their regimental colors, and (right) hoisting our flag over a captured stronghold at Derne, Tripoli, in 1805. Above: Betsy Ross, traditional maker of the first Stars and Stripes.

Beloved by the citizens of a united nation, the Stars and Stripes will pass another milestone on June 14, marking its long march through the years since its adoption by the Continental Congress in 1777.

There is a certain mystery surrounding its origin which thus far has proved unsolvable because no one knows definitely who designed it. Flags bearing either stripes or stars existed before Old Glory. A well-established tradition points to Betsy Ross, a Quaker City seamstress, as the maker of the first Stars and Stripes.

Ghosts of Old Glory's ancestors haunt the shadows of early colonial history. Colonial flags bore pine trees, anchors, stripes, stars, rattlesnakes, beavers and other insignia in endless variety.

Hosts of marching men as well as citizens, young and old, have looked up to the Star-Spangled Banner for more than eight score years, finding it a rallying point of patriotism, a symbol of our national unity. Save for occasional changes in the number of its stars or stripes, as authorized by Congress from time to time, it is much the same as it was in the beginning.

INGLESIDE

Rev. and Mrs. William Clough and daughters Thelma, Ruth and Alice May, and Mrs. Anna Kuffer, of Uniontown, Pa., visited Mr. and Mrs. James Clough last week.

Mr. Joseph Clough has returned home after spending some time with his son, Rev. William Clough of Uniontown, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Holden and children, Bertha May, David and Billy, visited Mr. and Mrs. William Thawley on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Cannon entertained friends and relatives from Baltimore on Sunday . They also had Mr. and Mrs. Rembert Cannon and children as their guests. Mr. and Mrs. Cannon are entertaining Mr. Cannon's mother for a few days.

Mrs. Percy Bittle left Monday morning for College Park where she will attend the Rural Women's Short Course at the University of Maryland for a week.

Rev. John W. Newnam and Mrs. Newnam are spending some time in Virginia. Rev. Newnam is attending a bible school.

GUERNSEY SALES

Seven registered Guernsey cows have been sold by J. C. Benton of Stevensville to Charles S. Todd of Easton, according to word from the American Guernsey Cattle Club.

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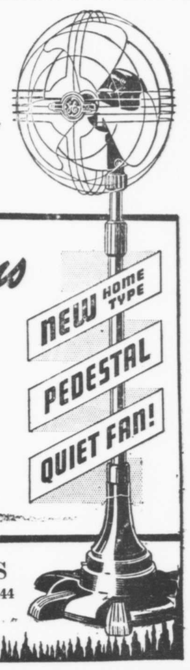

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CHESTER

Mrs. Claude Lowery and daughter Isabelle; Mr. and Mrs. Medford Golt and daughter Jane, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Kirwan, Thursday evening.

Miss Marcia Raskob of Pioneer Point was the guest of Miss Catherine Kirwan Wednesday and Thursday. Miss Kirwan and Miss Raskob were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob E. Gardner, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Jones and daughter, of Chestertown; Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Kirwan and daughter Catherine, were dinner guests of Mrs. Lee Bell, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Abbott and daughter Dot, and son Whitefield, of Baltimore, were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F .W. Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Collier, of Salisbury, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. S. G. Jones, and brother, Mr. Carroll ones.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barton, of Queenstown spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Livingston.

Mr. and Mrs. John Comegys and Mrs. Ella Kersey, of Chestertown, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ellison Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tarbutton and son Atwood, and Mrs. Susie Jones, and Mrs. Nelson Nelms and daughter Melba Lou, of Baltimore were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Jones had as their dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Brown and Mr. Marion Brown and Miss Roxanna Jory, of Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Shores and son Billy and daughter Janet Lee, of Baltimore, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis H. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Robinson and daughters, of Baltimore, spent the week end at their summer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Beauford Jones and son Noland, and Miss Virginia Livingston, of Baltimore spent Thursday, Friday and Saturday with his mother, Mrs. Sadie E. Jones.

Mrs. Louis H. Jones and daughter Lois spent Friday and Saturday in Baltimore with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coursey and Mr. and Mrs. Luther V. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Legg entertained several of their Baltimore friends over the week-end.

Miss Beverly Sewell is spending some time in Centreville with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Pharis Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor had as their week-end guests her sister and brother-in-law from Baltimore.

Mrs. Walter Kelley is a patient at Easton Emergency Hospital. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Children's Day services will be held at Kingsley M. E. Church Sunday evening. Everybody is invited to be present.

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GRASONVILLE

Miss Marie Althoff, of Baltimore, was home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Althoff for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Jewell and daughter Vicky, of Muirkirk; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bain; Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Oehm and daughter Janice, of Baltimore, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Jewell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Jerome and Miss Margaret Jerome, of Baltimore, spent the week-end with Mr. James Jerome.

Mr. Anthony Jewell spent a few days in Baltimore this week with relatives and friends.

Mr. John F. Horney visited his son, John R. Horney in Baltimore over the week-end.

Mrs. Norman Chew and daughter Norma, of Baltimore, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Calvert Hoxter. Her husband, Mr. Norman Chew, joined them for the week-end.

Miss Jean Brown, of New York, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Gardner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupp Rupphert and children Shirley and Gilbert; Misses Mamie Kirwan and Esther Mitchison, of Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Greaves, of Queenstown, were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Harry O'Donnel and family.

Miss Betty Melvin is in Easton Emergency Hospital for treatment. Her many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Miss Agnes Walters, of Baltimore, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. Herbert Edenfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow O'Donnell and son Frederick, Mrs. Herbert O'Donnell, Messrs. Norman Haleman and Junior Long, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Omer O'Donnell and family.

Miss Leah Quail and friend, of Baltimore, passed the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis King.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar South and son Vernon, of Baltimore, were guests for the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Charles South.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Ruth and son Billy, joined the throng at Tolchester Beach, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Smith and son Billy, passed the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Beck at Chestertown. Mrs. Smith and son Billy remained for this week with them.

Mr. and Mrs. William F ooks and Mr. Thomas Lynch motored to Baltimore in a motorboat, and visited relatives this week.

Mr. William H .Jones, of Cambridge, was home with his wife, Mrs. Josie Jones for the week-end.

Messrs. Floyd White, Charles White and Lee Burns, of Ridgely, were week-end visitors of Mrs. Daisy Burns.

Mrsfl Henry Davis, of Cordova, visited Mrs. Maud Thomas and family on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lynch and family were week-end guests of relatives here.

QUEEN ANNE

The recreational group under the direction of Mrs. Pauline Curry spent a very pleasant evening at Garland Lake, near Denton, on Friday evening. A wienie roast was the main event.

Rev. A. W. Strickland distributed the copies of the Conference Minutes to those of the congregation who had ordered them, on Sunday morning; also the little booklets, "The Quiet Hour."

Mr. and Mrs. Forde Adams moved last week back to their farm home near Cordova.

Master Carlton Pinder is spending some time wtih Mr. and Mrs. Freeland Clopper ,of Tuckahoe Neck. Master Howard Pinder is visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Blades, of the Neck, for this week.

Miss Juanita Howard entertained the graduating class of Tri-County high school ,the faculty of the high and elementary schools, Mrs. John Mandrell and son, John Kenly, of Easton. The invitations were in the form of little ships of black and gold, with the class motto, "Sailing, Not Drifting", on them. Small models of these same ships were used as favors and bonbon holders on the tables at supper. The evening was spent in playing games, etc., until a late hour. Mrs. Francis Moore, county director of recreational activities directed the games.

Mrs. M. F. Garrigues, of Baltimore, was a caller at the home of her sister, Mrs. Bernard Sparks, on Wednesday. Miss Sarita Alegre ,also of Baltimore, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Sparks.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of Hillsboro Methodist Church met on Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. May Dean as hostess.

Mr. Harry Gibson, jr., will begin his job as beetle trap tender for Queen Anne and Hillsboro where 180 traps will be set out.

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Mussel-man's Apple Sauce, 3 No. 2 Cans 25c
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