Local Notes

**A call has been issued for 200,000 men between June 20 and 24 besides 40,000 colored at same time. This call will likely take about 30 whites and 15 colored from Kent.

**Ernest Bros., of Sassafras, have sold their store at Sassafras to Mr. Nickerson, of Massey, who will continue in the merchandise business at this stand which has been run by the Ernest family for fifty years. The Ernest Bros. will continue farming.

**The annual banquet and reunion of the Chestertown Public School Alumni Association will be held at the Chestertown High School on next Thursday, June 13th. The treasurer is J. A. P. Blyman.

**Jones' bakery was out of commission for a few days this week and there was a dearth of bread.

The war spirit seems to have invaded the college and President Cain with the co-operation of his Faculty suspended nine of the students for hazing. The war spirit is all right when it works in the right channels.

**There will be a total eclipse of the sun this afternoon, June 8, visible in the United States. In this vicinity the eclipse will begin at 6.30, (new time), and the sun will be totally hidden for about two minutes.

**A new and attractive sign, in gold-leaf letters, now adorns the front of Toulson's drug store.

**The Fox "Kiddies," and 1300 children take part in the wonder play "Jack and the Beanstalk," to say nothing of the giant 8 ft. 6 in. tall. See the play Saturday evening at Lyceum Theatre.

**The firm of G. E. Leary & Son is making extensive repairs to the M. D. & V. wharf, at Gratitude, having about forty piles and other timbers to replace with new.

**The Fourth of July will be celebrated without fireworks this year. The output of every factory will be used in supplying the army with flares and signal lights.

**The following prize winning girls of the County Canning Clubs left for College Park last Friday morning where they will take the Junior Short Course at the Maryland State College from May 31 to June 3rd. Miss Mary Cornelius, Locust Grove; Miss Marian Dempsey, Galena; Miss Clara Medders, Still Pond.

**The people of the town and county are given a cordial invitation and asked most earnestly to co-operate in the Lawn Fete, Tuesday, June 11th, which is to be held at Lauretum, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Medford Brooks, near Chestertown. The proceeds are to purchase a large supply of materials for surgical dressings and hospital supplies. This auxiliary is given an allotment each month from the government which so far they have succeded in sending. We are very desirious to send for materials to keep us busy for 6 months. Come and help. Let every one who has been asked to serve on a committee do so willingly and for those who have not been asked, let them offer their services. A cordial welcome is extended to all by Mr. and Mrs. Brooks and the Chestertown Red Cross.

**The following young ladies took the teachers examination at the school on Saturday last: Misses Cynthia Clendaniel, Margaret Atkinson, Dorothy Dill, Helen Rasin, Helen Baxter, Mary Moore, Dorothy Edwards.

**Norval H. Nichols, brother of the Rev. R. H. Nichols, formerly of Still Pond, was on the Carolina on his way to the States. He was to have visited his brother in Wilmington, and the Rev. Mr. Nichols is very anxious to know whether his brother is among the survivors. Norval Nichols is a merchant of Porto Rico, and before leaving for the States, wrote to his brother, the letter reaching there last week, stating that he would leave on the Carolina for the States.

**A big excursion will arrive here today, Saturday, about five o'clock, from Baltimore. It will have aboard the Christian Endeavorers of Baltimore who will spend an hour here.

**Be sure and pay your fire insurance. A gentleman across the river received his notice of insurance, put it in his pocket and neglected to pay same. Two weeks after the expiration of the time a fire destroyed his home and his $900 insurance was lost to him. He took his loss philosophically.

**The rector of Sacred Heart Church, Chestertown, Father Earner, went to Wilmington Wednesday to attend the funeral of his brother, John, who was killed at San Antonio, Texas, last Saturday. Mr. Earner enlisted in the aviation corp and was flying when his machine fell and killed him instantly. He was 24 years of age.

**Coal for Gas plant, electric company, C. W. Kibler and J. D. Bachus arrived by special train Sunday.

WEDDING NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Russell announce the marriage of their daughter, Helen Tabitha, to George Pendrey Chandler, of Salisbury, Thursday, June 20, 1918, at 7.30 p. m., at Christ M. P. Church, Chestertown.

The marriage of Miss Bertie M. Brockson, formerly a school teacher of Galena, and William J. Kelley, of Baltimore, took place on June 2nd, at Ellicott City. The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. M. Engle, of the Presbyterian Church. Mr. Kelley left Baltimore with Hopkins Hospital Unit on June 6, and is now in France with the unit known as U. S. Army Base Hospital No. 18.

Miss Mary L. Paxon and Martin Evans, of Chester county, Pa., were married at the M. E. parsonage on Thursday evening, May 30th, by Rev. T. F. Beauchamp.

Auto Notes.—The auto commissioner's deputies were in town Tuesday. A dozen or more were given permits for licenses, several violators of rules were arrested while a number were fined for minor offences. Some of the methods employed by these officers were severely criticised. The commissioners promised to help break up speeding on the avenue, so beware Mr. Autoist.

Oscar Pleasanton has purchased a Ford.

Walter Wright has received a seven passenger Packard from Mr. Magruder, the affable salesman.

An automobile hearse, carrying a casket evidently containing a corpse, with a Virginia license attracted much attention at Middletown, last Friday. Many people thought it queer that a trip of such great distance as from Philadelphia to Norfolk, should be made with a hearse with the most excellent railroad facilities, existing between the two cities. The mystery was explained, however, after the hearse with the "corpse" had left the town, from a remark the driver dropped while here. The casket was filled with bottled whiskey, which was being transported to "somewhere" in Virginia, which recently went "dry."—Middletown Transcript.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIETY EVENTS IN KENT COUNTY

John Evans Townshend was operated on Thursday night at Easton Hospital for appendicitis.

Wm. R. Pippin has been spending two weeks in New York.

Mrs. George Beck went to Easton Hospital Thursday to have an X-ray taken of an injured arm.

Walter Wright has been suffering this week from an injured foot. A small gas engine dropped on his foot.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Eliason, Jr., announce the arrival of a baby boy, Thomas W. Eliason, the 3rd, on June 6, 1918.

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Anthony moved into their new home on south Front street on Monday. This house has been thoroughly repaired and renovated, and presents an attractive appearance.

Mrs. Edgar Clark and little daughter are spending the summer at Pen Mar where it is hoped the mountain air will be of benefit.

Charles L. Gill is nursing an injured foot.

William Lusby, of near town, is nursing an injured hand as the result of a kick.

Mrs. Allie Thomas and son, of New Orleans, La., are guests of relatives in Chestertown.

Mrs. J. Carvil Maslin hurt herself severely one night last week by falling down a whole flight of stairs at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Loud, near Chestertown. At this writing she is able to be out of bed but still quite sore.

Mrs. Mellinger, formerly Miss Louise Armstrong, of Wilmington, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Armstrong, for the week-end.

Gilbert T. Hadaway, who has been employed in government work at Perryville, is at home suffering with a painful wound caused by stepping on a nail.

Claude Clifford, of Hinton, W. Va., joined his wife at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Tucker, and is spending a few days.

Charles Parker and family, of Massachusetts, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Foster Parker, near town.

Miss Eunice Morris has been quite sick for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wilson Crossley and Mrs. Carl Crossley Perkins and children, Montgomery and Margaret, are at Walnut Cottage for a few weeks, Lynch, Md.

Capt. Jimmy Taylor, so long with the Chester river line, is also filling a responsible position with the Wilson Line.

James G. Metcalf, the Chestertown grain dealer, has been spending several days autoing in Virginia and visiting his old home in that state.

Albert and Frank Lewis, two former well-known citizens of Fairlee, are now with the Wilson Line of steamers with headquarters at Wilmington and both have very lucrative positions.

Misses Pearl and Frances Taylor, formerly of Kent county, have successfully passed the examination and taken United States government positions and entered upon their new duties June 1.

Rev. Dr. T. J. Lacy, of Brooklyn, N. Y., registered on Sunday at the Voshell House and made a little stay in town. He dropped in at Sunday service at the Episcopal Church and spent the evening with Dr. Martin. Dr. Lacy is a staunch advocate of the Eastern Shore and spends brief vacations here frequently.

Lewin Burris, son of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Burris, of near Chestertown, has enlisted in the Naval Reserves.

Misses Helen and Esther Urie are at home for vacation.

Mrs. John Brice, of Hagerstown, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. D. B. Ford, in Chestertown.

Miss Catlin, of St. Louis, Mo., is the guest of her cousin, Miss Catherine Beck, Chestertown.

George W. Clendaniel is at Cambridge, Mass., attending the Naval Aviation School of Uncle Sam.

Walter Pippin, Jr., has been made inspector on the State road near Sandy Bottom.

Miss Elizabeth Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Brown, is spending sometime with schoolmates camping at Kineowatha, Maine.

Mrs. Harvey Boggs, of Clayton, Del., visited Chestertown this week.

Dr. Irwin Oliver Ridgely graduated this week at the University of Maryland Medical School. He is a Washington College graduate and has many close friends in Kent who wish him success in his chosen profession.

James Lambert, of Washington, is visiting his grandmother at the Voshell House. Mr. L. has been in the U. S. army for four years and is now on a furlough.

THE GERMAN SPY SYSTEM EXPOSED

An American's sacrifice of life and all it holds dear to him, to save his countrymen and learn the secrets of the German spy system forms the theme of the stirring William Fox production, "The Spy," which, with Dustin Farnum in its lead, comes to the Lyceum Theatre on Saturday June 15.

Dustin Farnum, one of the few popular men stars of the screen, plays the role of Mark Quaintance, a man of wealth and social position, who undertakes the hazardous task of gaining a list of the Teutonic spies in the United States.

In Berlin he finds it necessary to enroll himself among those spies before he can learn where the book containing their names is kept. Then he gets possession of it and sends it to the American Ambassador, while he himself is court-martialed.

The odd feature about this thrilling drama is that it contains all the vigor and excitement of war, without a single battle scene being flashed on the screen. Realizing that the public has a surfeit of such views, the Fox company arranged its story in such fashion that it was found unnecessary to fire a single shot during the taking of the picture.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has obtained from the Orphans' Court for Kent county letters of administration on the personal estate of

GEORGE ALEXANDER HYNSON,

late of said county, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 10th day of December, 1918, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said deceased's personal estate.

All persons indebted to this estate must settle at once.

Given under my hand this 8th day of June, 1918.

Date, June 8th, 1918.

IDA ELIAS,
Administratrix

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COMMENCEMENT DAYS

The program for Chestertown High School Commencement is as follows:

Sunday, June 9, 10.30 a. m., annual sermon to the graduating class by Rev. J. L. Ward, in the M. P. Church.

Monday, June 10, senior class picnic.

Tuesday, June 11, 8 p. m., in the High School Auditorium, Declamation Contest for the L. Bates Russell Medal. Admission free. The following students will participate in the Declamation Contest: Mildred Catherine Melvin, Walter Skirven Startt, Talmage A. R. Strong, Thomas Jefferson Davis, Olive Pennell Kent.

Wednesday, June 12, 8 p. m. in the High School Auditorium, Class Night program. Admission 15 cents. The following students will furnish the program: Dorothy Elizabeth Ward, Helen Beck Rasin, Mirian Elizabeth Potts, Mabel Downey Hatcherson, Annie Semans Wallis, Alice Dunn Hynson, James Hyland Jewell, Sarah Henrietta Seney, Sarah Elizabeth White, Helen Tilghman Connelly, William Daniel McKee, Dorothy Wilmer Dill.

Thursday, June 13, 8 p. m. in the High School Auditorium, Alumni meeting and banquet for all Alumni of the school.

Friday, June 14, 8 p. m. in the Lyceum Theatre, Commencement, for all who present admit cards. Class was named in News last week.

The Commencement address will be delivered by Prof. F. B. Bomberger, of the Maryland State College of Agriculture.

There will be two medals presented commencement night. One from Prof. J. S. W. Jones for the highest average in mathematics during the four years of the High School, and one from M. Wilbur Thomas for highest general average attained during the four years of High School.

Thursday, June 13th, has been selected for the commencement exercises of the Rock Hall High Sschool. There are eight graduates: Gladys Culley, Walter Culley, Doris Ashley, Horace Willson Albert Strong, Kathleen Hubbard, Anna Hamilton.

The Chestertown Elementary School will hold its closing day exercises on Friday, June 14.

The grammar grades will present a program of compositions, recitations, dramatization, songs and a drill in the Assembly Hall at 10 a. m.

In the afternoon at 4 p. m. the primary grades will have their folk dances, games and drill on the front lawn.

The patrons and friends of the school are cordially invited to be present at both exercises.

If the weather should be unfavorable for the little folks they will give their entertainment Saturday evening at 7 p. m.

The sale of Thrift Stamps up to June 1, is as follows: "Over There" $603.21; "Rapid Fire" $703.35; "Wilson" $710.01; "Liberty" $590.54; total $2,607.11.

Christ M. P. Church, Rev. J. L. Ward, pastor, Sunday services as follows: Morning worship, sermon to the Graduating Class of the High School, 10.30 a. m.; Sunday school at 2.30 p. m.; Children's Day Exercises, 7.30 p. m.; Junior Endeavor, Thursday at 4 p. m.; prayer meeting, Thursday at 8 p. m.; Intermediate, Friday at 7 p. m. Everybody welcome.

NEWSY TIDINGS FROM OUR BOYS

The "News" Will Be Glad To Mention Any Items of Interest You May Send About Your Soldier Lad —Let's Help Each Other In This Way.

Harry W. Jarman has been changed to 81st Aero Squadron, Post Field, Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

Word was received this week from James L. Bacchus that he had arrived on the other side all right.

A letter from Corporal Earle R. Stouffer in France says that he is getting along fine in the hospital and says he has been attended to fine. He was wounded in March. He is in Co. B 26 Infantry. He says the weather is fine there now.

Captain Robert E. Jones has been on a visit to his sister, Mrs. Clara Williams, in Worton. He has been changed from Camp Fremont, Cal., to Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va. His brother, Charles R. Jones, has been promoted to Captain in the 27th U. S. Infantry, and is now stationed at Fort Douglas, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Charles Budd Ford, son of Mrs. S. E. Ford, and Clarence Usilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Gale Usilton, left town Tuesday to enlist in the Naval Reserves.

Lieutenant Allan A. Harris, who was prevented from going over seas last week because of lost equipment, has been ordered to an aviation camp in Texas.

R. H. Collins on Monday received a card from his son, Stephen, who is in the signal service, training at a camp in Florida, stating that his corps was all in readiness for over seas duty.

Howard Stevens, Jr., of near Millington, has enlisted in the Naval Coast Reserves.

Henry Lambert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Lambert, who is serving on one of Uncle Sam's big battle ships, was at home for a few days the past week. Henry has made several trips across the ocean convoying transports, but like a good soldier he is "mum" as to the name of his ship or the docking location. He looks well and enjoys the service.

Among the Chestertown boys from Camp Meade who were at home for a week-end furlough, we noticed: Sergeant-Major James Edward Blackway, Sergeant Elmer Sterling, Privates Ralph Payne, William Denny, Frank Jarman and Albert Wheat.

Private Reuben Kastner, of Camp McClellan, Anniston, Ala., spent a short furlough last week, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kastner, Roch Hall.

Private Leonard Leary had a furlough from Friday to Sunday. He was accompanied as far as Chestertown by his brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Leary.

Private LeRoy Crosby reports that new men are put under quarantine for a fortnight and they certainly go to bed and get up "on time." It is supposed they will be transferred elsewhere in a couple of weeks more.

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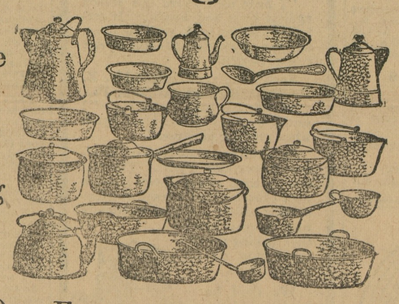

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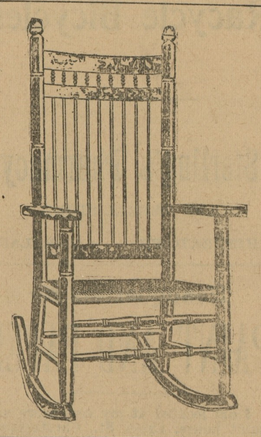

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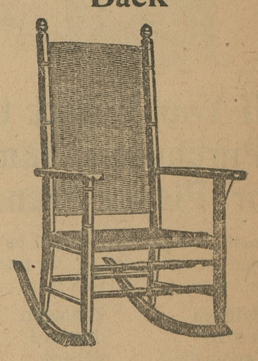

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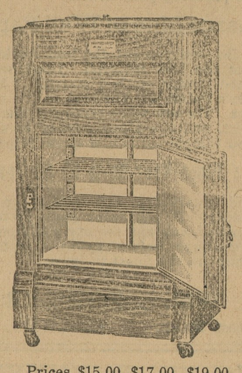

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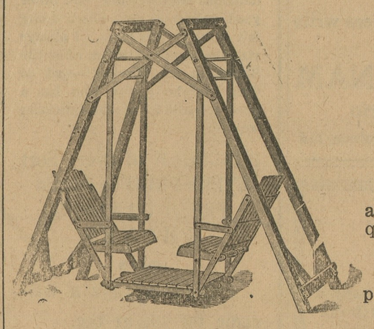

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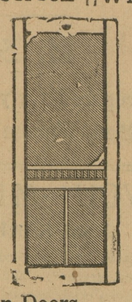

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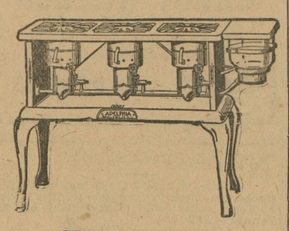

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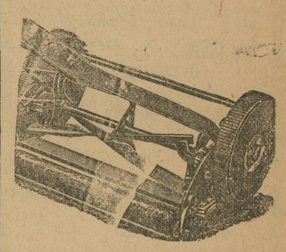

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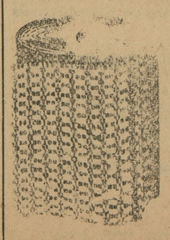

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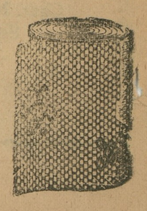

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