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James Alfred Pearce

In the death of Judge James Alfred Pearce on the 9th of December, 1920, in the eighty-first year of his age, Washington College lost one of her oldest and most distinguished alumni.

He was more closely identified with the College during an extended length of time than perhaps any other man had ever been.

Beginning as a student, then a professor, then one of the Visitors and Governors, secretary of the Board for thirty years, its president for ten years, he was intimately associated with the institution for an unbroken period of sixty-five years. And during all of these years, he was unremitting in his loyalty and application to College interests, and unflagging in his encouragement to everything that stood for the highest ideals of College life.

As a lawyer, Judge Pearce was representative of the loftiest ethics of the profession. Endowed with unusual mental attainments, a gifted speaker, trained by constant study and application, he acquired an eminent position at the bar of Maryland, when there were many great and accomplished lawyers.

As a Judge, and succeeding a singularly honored and impressive bench, he maintained, without pretense or ostentation, its conspicuous dignity and deserved reputation for recognized ability, fairness and virtue. He was called the scholar of the Court of Appeals and gave to the legal profession, through the reported opinions of that high Court, a permanent memorial of his splendid learning and sound legal knowledge.

As a citizen, he was in the forefront of all proposals towards betterment, giving unstintedly of his time and purse and rendering willing service in counsel and effort. And a private life of wonderful beauty and purity.

He was one of those men who have made the government of the United States a real, living thing, whose Americanism never faltered and was a part of their being. A devoted and persistent student of the constitution and law making bodies, apace with the changing thought and development of the country, keenly perceptive of the tendency to cast aside and disregard restrictions and limitations in legislation, he had a firm faith in the wisdom of our fathers and an unyielding opposition to a departure from fundamental principles of constitutional government for the purpose of a temporary expediency.

Upon the teachings of such men rest the stability, permanence and usefulness of our State and Federal governments, and the confidence, happiness and prosperity of the people of this land.

The life and works of Judge Pearce have been and must continue to be a vital inspiration to Washington College men, and the memory of this true Christian gentleman will ever be revered.

December 29th, 1920. LEWIN W. WICKES.

[Taken from Washington College Bulletin].

View of Victrola Department in NEWNAM'S MUSIC STORE, 319 High Street, Chestertown, Md. Phone 224. See new advertisement in this issue.

FARMERS PURCHASE FERTILIZERS

The purchasing committee of the Government County Agricultural Association has received orders for nearly 200 tons of fertilizer from the members of the association. The committee at this time is only receiving orders for potato fertilizer and have sufficient orders to make carlot shipments to the following stations in the county: Loretto, Princess Anne, King's Creek, Westover, Costen, Kingston and Marion.

The association prices of fertilizer are, 7-6-5, $57.50; 5-8-5, $51.25. The prices are guaranteed against decline up to delivery date, March 1st.

The association has also received orders for several cars of Maine grown Cobbler seed potatoes at $4.93 for an 11-peck sack delivered. Additional orders can be filled at lower price due to a recent decline in the market.—Sumerset Newspaper.

WASHINGTON COLLEGE NOTES

The American Legion basket ball team was defeated by Washington college last Saturday in one of the best games seen on the local floor. Coach Kibler was seen in action for the first time this season, and was well worth seeing. Coach always played a good game and the spectators could not have been disappointed in this game.

Due to injury Usilton was not in the line up and Capt. Robins played a guard position.

During the first half the Legion team took the lead and at the end of the period were leading 10 to 7.

Washington started with a rush in the second half and overcame the lead of their opponents.

Goals by Robins and Lohran put Washington in the lead and the game ended 21 to 16 in Washington's favor. The line-up:

Washington	pos	Amer.Leg.
Russell	F	Kibler
Lohran	F	Jarman
Gordy	C	Bartley
Johnson	G	Ford
Robins,(Cap)	G	Usilton

Substitutions—Rouse for Bartley; Goals—Kibler (6); Jarman, Bartley, Russell, Lohran (3), Gordy, Johnson, (2), Robins (3); Fouls—Gordy 1 in 7; Referee—Woodland, Hopkins.

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Washington will entertain the Loyola squad at Chestertown next Saturday. Usilton will be back in the lineup and a good game can be expected.

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The second team went to Cambridge last Friday and defeated the team representing the National Guard 22 to 9. The Cambridge team scored all of their points during the first period and held Washington to six points.

During the second half Washington held their opponents scoreless, running up a large score themselves.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

In the interest of game protection will you kindly give space to the following:

The open season for upland game has closed and I hereby notify all owners or keepers of dogs that the law strictly forbids the hunting of birds or chasing or running of rabbits during the closed season, which is from January 1st until November 10, 1921. All persons violating that section will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

There is no open season in Queen Anne's or Kent counties for foxes and the law prohibits the shooting or trapping or killing in any way a fox only by the pack of foxhounds running or chasing him, under a fine of $20.00.

For the information of the public I will state the privileges of a foxhound. There is a law upon the Statute Books of Maryland that has never been repealed, and has been there for nearly a hundred years that gives the foxhound the right of way over all land owned by whomsoever, and no person has the right to molest him going to, on the chase, or coming from the chase.

S. A. WALLIS,
Deputy Game Warden of Queen Anne's County

FARMERS AND CANNERS

At the annual meeting of the Peninsula Tomato Growers' Association, Thursday, Brook L. Ross, Seaford, was elected president, J. H. Carter, Centreville, vice-president, Isaac O. Taylor, Hurlock, secretary and treasurer.

It was decided to change the name to the Peninsula Growers' Exchange, the point being made that the association was interested in many other crops besides tomatoes, in fact everything that is grown by the farmers on this Peninsula.

The tomato question was discussed at length, and from the discussion it was seen that the farmers will not grow many tomatoes this year, the reasons being that they are not willing to grow this crop after their experiences with the 1920 crop, and that the canners are not ready to discuss the matter with the growers. The growing of English peas will also be curtailed. They are not willing to sow peas at three cents per pound, which is the price the canners are offering. The farmers pointed out while there is some reduction in the prices of fertilizer, it has not reached the figure whereby they can use it extensively in growing crops for canning purposes.

"The Heart Of A Child"

Nazimova, the screen's greatest actress, comes to the Lyceum Theatre Friday and Saturday of this week in picturization of Frank Danby's most celebrated novel, "The Heart of a Child."

In this, her newest production, the Russian star appears in a character entirely different from any she has essayed in the past, that of Sally Snape, a cockney girl from the Limehouse district of London who is forced to face the world with no other means of protection than her innate goodness, her inborn sense of what is right, her child's heart.

"Nazimova" in "The Heart of a Child"

There is in "The Heart of a Child" a georgeousness of pictorial beauty. The early tenement-street scenes are done with amazing fidelity to detail, yet created with an eye to the picturesque that brings their shabbiness to border on the quaint. Such later bits of the story as the Bohemian revel, the theatrical dressing-room scenes, the glimpses of Lord Kidderminster's hunting lodge, with its manorial dignity, and later the superb beauty of his family estate all go to make up a series of strikingly pleasing scenes.

In support of Nazimova in "The Heart of a Child," is a cast of exceptional brilliancy. Charles Bryant who wrote the scenario for the piece enacts the part of Lord Kidderminster and others who have important parts are Ray Thompson, Nell Newman, Victor Potel, Eugene Klum, Claire du Brey, Jane Sterling, John Steppling, William J. Irving and Myrtle Risbell. Direction is by Ray C. Smallwood, photography by Rudolph J. Bergquist, and special are effects by Allen Ruoff.

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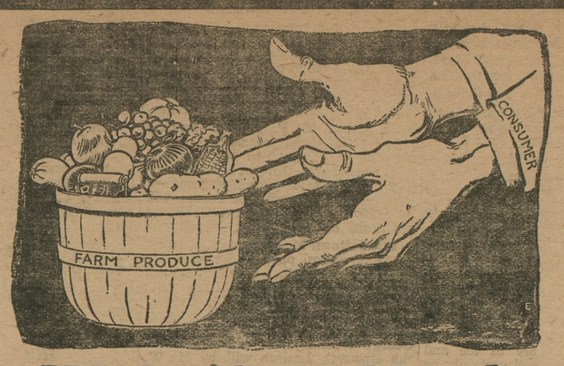

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The hands of the Grange are clean. All its acts have been for the benefit of producer and consumer alike. Because it has helped the farmer to do his share in producing, it can fittingly say to the city consumer: "Yours and yours only is the task of remedying food distribution evils."

On the score of its clean record for service the Grange merits your support. And it urges, too, your support for the work of THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN, which has stood with the farmer in his cleanly-fought fight for a decent living—has thrown light on what happens between the producer and the consumer. It will keep you informed of the newest methods in the management of your farm business and provide wholesome entertainment for your whole family.

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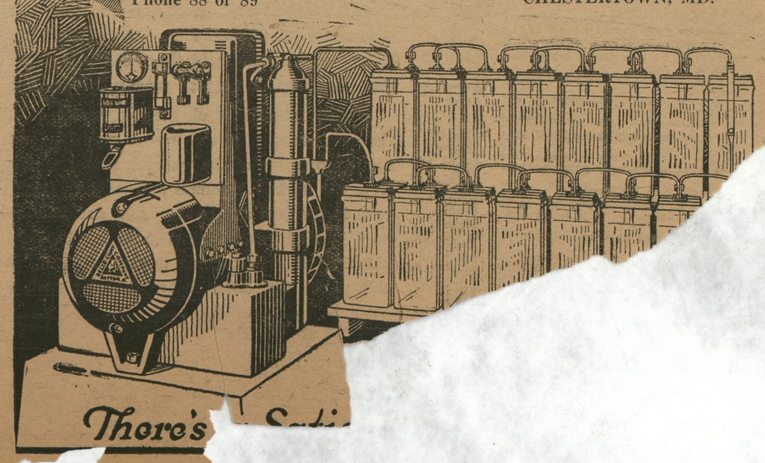

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Statement from Electric Light and Power Company.

January 17th, 1921.

Public Service Commission of Md.,
Calvert & Fayette Sts.,
Baltimore, Md.

Gentlemen:

We beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of December 24th with enclosed copy of protest of A. S. Turner & Sons and one hundred and forty others to which we desire to make reply as follows:

Our first lighting rate on a meter basis went into effect on July first, 1918. As nearly as it was possible to do so this rate was made the same as the flat rates which had been into effect for the previous ten or fifteen years. The cost of service to some customers was increased because they made more than the average use of their service while the bills of other customers were decreased because they used less than the average but the change in rate had practically no effect on the annual revenue of the company.

The first increase in rates was put into effect on July first, 1920, after the company had undergone five years of practically continuous increases in costs.

The present rate, which went into effect January first, 1921, has increased the rates in effect in 1914 by approximately 50 per cent.

A comparison of operating costs for the years 1914 and 1919 shows the following figures:

The cost per ton of coal in 1919 was approximately 80 per cent above the cost in 1914.

The cost of wages in 1919 was approximately 90 per cent. above the cost in 1914.

The total power house cost in 1919 was approximately 100 per cent. above the cost in 1914.

The total cost including interest, taxes, etc., in 1919 was approximately 87 per cent. above the cost in 1914.

While the company regrets the necessity for the increase in rates it is self evident from the figures set forth above, that the increase is absolutely necessary and is caused by advances in the price of commodities over which the company has no control. For the purpose of comparison it might be desirable to direct the attention of our customers to the prices of wheat, corn, shoes, clothing and other commodities with which they are familiar as compared to the prices before the war.

The coal we were compelled to buy at excessive prices in the late summer and early fall of 1920, in order to insure our winter supply, added over $3,000.00 to the fuel expense which we had expected when our rate of July 1st, 1920, was put in force.

The present freight rate on coal is about $3.50 per ton and the hauling charge is about 50c per ton. These two items alone amount to more than the total cost of coal delivered in our bins in 1914.

The protest makes the statement that coal has been "reduced $4.00 to $5.00 per ton," but we would [illegible] your attention to the fact that [illegible] our rate of July 1st, 1920, [illegible] into effect coal advanced a maximum of more than $6.00 per ton and that this advance has already cost the company over $3,000.00.

A large part of our customers seem to overlook the fact that the company serves a small community and therefore does a comparatively small business which means that unit costs are high as compared with larger places. This is for the reason that the amount of labor which it is necessary to employ could handle several times the business which is available and it therefore follows that an increased business could be done at a smaller unit cost. For example the town water supply could be pumped at a price which would show a saving to the town and at the same time probably enable the company to show a smaller unit cost of operation. This in turn should tend to reduce the rates.

The company has always regretted that its customers did not see fit to participate to a larger extent in its financial ownership. An investment of approximately $200.00 by each customer would place the entire company in the hands of its customers who would then, by means of the returns on their investment, be assured that they were obtaining their service at actual cost. The company has paid its bond interest for more than twenty years and since electric service is a necessary part of the life of the community the safety of such an investment is apparent. Such participation would definitely settle the question of rates.

Yours very truly,
THE CHESTERTOWN ELECTRIC LIGHT & POWER CO.
By A. H. TRACY,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Note:—I find that our Mr. Tracy is in error as to the present freight rate which is now and was at the time this coal came in $4.14 including the war tax. This statement may be verified by Mr. A. E. Culver, Agent for the Penn. R. R. at Chestertown.

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SAMUEL VANNORT

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 24th day July, 1921, otherwise they may be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's estate.

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