LOCAL NOTES

The Standard Oil Company is erecting immense gasoline and oil tanks on their lot on Chester river recently purchased from Massey and Kilbourne.

William A. Burk is about to install modern up-to-date electrical machinery and in a short time will be prepared to give quick service both in hand and electrical shoe repair work.

Wm. S. Bennett will tenant Walter Wright's farm near Goose Hill next year.

Early tomatoes brought $2.00 per basket in Baltimore this week.

It costs just 10 cents to bathe at Rolph's!

A Base Ball League mentioned fully in News last week has been formed between Easton, Centreville, Chestertown and St. Michaels, season to begin July 19th.

Master Walter Alcott, of Chestertown, is visiting friends in Pikesville and Annapolis.

The meeting of the League of Women Voters will be held at The Chestertown Inn on next Friday, July 21, at 2.30 p. m.

The American livestock judging team, composed of three boys from Cecil county, who won the trip to the English Royal Stock Show at Cambridge, Eng., by defeating thirteen other State teams in a contest at the Southern Fair at Atlanta, Ga., were victors in a similar contest July 5th with English judges. The prize was a gold cup.

M. Elwood Baker and force of painters are at "Riverside" putting the residence and outbuildings in apple pie order.

A meeting of Old Kent Chapter D. A. R. was held at the residence of Mrs. W. Irving Walker on Tuesday, July 11th. A program of unusual interest was presented by the Chapter Historian, Mrs. Wm. G. Smyth. Thru historical research she has perfected a plan by which the "Continental Congress" was given by the members of the Chapter. The inspiring speeches which gave life to the struggling colonies were so presented that the members taking part realized their obligations to their ancestors who made American Independence possible.

The store fronts of G. E. Noland, H. B. Rote and Dr. Power have been improved by a coat of paint.

Fairlee is proud—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hudson, on the Gears farm, were visited by the stork on Monday and a pair of twin girls left. This village has a right to be uppish over such an event.

The estate of the late George W. Hatcherson has been divided among the heirs this week, the amount of same being about $20,000 and all in cash. All the heirs are of age with exception of the late Bartus Hatcherson's two children. These received $2900 in trust, Mrs. Gibson and C. D. Wood being guardians.

The Board of Education of Caroline, on Wednesday appointed H. Leonard Leary principal of Caroline High School at Denton. Prof. Leary is a graduate of Washington College and has specialized at Johns Hopkins and Columbia Universities.

One lonely, forelorn, colored boy who is serving a five-months' sentence for forgery, is the sole occupant of Queen Anne's county's $25,000 jail in Centreville. Kent is a close second with only six.

"Smilin' Thru" a picture of merit was shown to fine audiences in Lyceum last Friday and Saturday evenings. "Soldiers of the Cross" Sunday school class of the Chestertown M. E. Church shared in receipts to amount of over $100. Miss Daisy Barnes, a member of the class, sold over 100 tickets.

The sum of $25,665 to pay for damages done by the storm of February 15 has been authorized by the directors of The Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company, most of the damage occuring on the Eastern Shore. This is one of the storm items amounting to $103,000 for Maryland passed on by the directors. Total new work to be done in Maryland this summer amounts to $700,000. This will provide plans and facilities for 1500 new telephones in the State by October 1.

"If you want to regain your health try riding a bicycle across the continent." This is the advice of Robert K. Noble, World War veteran, and brother to Mrs. W. R. Huey, who has arrived in Los Angeles after a trip from Maryland on a bicycle. He left Federalsburg, Md., on May 10, thus making the trip in 41 days, averaging 78 miles per day. He followed the National Old Highway toward Los Angeles. Outside of getting stuck in the mud in Kansas and Missouri, the trip was fine. But the main thing is that he fully regained his health.' Noble made but one change of tires on his continental trip, and that was in Colorado.

On account of rain the fine show at Rock Hall was interferred with, but on next Friday night at Mechanics Hall, Rock Hall, "Wanted for Murder" will be shown for the benefit of the United American Veterans. This is a fine picture.

Don't forget W. C. T. U. Convention at Pomona Wednesday, July 26.

BOYS OFF TO CAMP FAIRLEE

The first contingent of 48 boys from Salisbury left Monday for the Young Men's Christian Association Camp, at Fairlee, which will remain open until July 25th.

The trip was made in 10 private automobiles, which were furnished by the local Rotarians and other persons interested in "Y" work there.

Chestertown Beats Centreville.

Last Friday afternoon Chestertown put one over on Centreville with Usilton in the box. Perry pitched a good game for visitors but his men failed to connect with the sphere at opportune times. Loller and Armstrong made the two runs while the visitors had but one man to cross plate. Our line-up was: Ford, 1b, Howard, cf., A. Perry, 3b., Blackway, 2b., Armstrong, ss., Russell, rf., Loller, lf., Robinson, c., Usilton, p.

GIRL'S CLUB IN CAMP

Miss Hill has had her hands full this week with more than 50 girls from Kent Clubs in camp at Washington College. Yesterday the Boys Club spent the day there. Thursday night the girls were addressed by Rev. Omar E. Jones on the "Ideal Woman."

REAL ESATE SALES

H. Theodore Jewell, real estate dealer, sold on Saturday last, Buck Neck farm, containing 378 acres, to Harry C. Hamilton, of Betterton, for $14,500.00.

Mrs. J. A. Wickes has sold the Stam house on Princess street, Chestertown, to H. T. Jewell, who is now occupying it.

Harry J. Hill, of Kennedyville, has sold the Daniel Hill home place of 6 acres adjoining Kennedyville, to H. M. Rutter. Mr. Rutter now occupies the property.

Richard Groves has sold his place at Lankford to Joseph Watson. It contains 80 acres. Price said to be around $6,000. Possession Jan. 1st.

The Walraven Farm, located near Ingleside, and containing 57 acres, was sold at private sale to Louis Plugge and wife, of Ingleside. The price paid was $5,000.

Charles Hague has purchased of Mr. Winchester the store property at Lankford for $300.

J. E. Goodman has bought of Thos. G. Wroth the residence on High St. occupied by Wm. T. Henry and mother for $1300.

HELPING SOLVE THE FARMER'S PROBLEMS

The threshing of the present wheat crop is what is worrying all farmers of Kent and Queen Anne's counties due to the scarcity of smooth running threshing machines in operation.

With the thought in mind of helping the farmers to prevent loss thru not being able to get threshing rigs on their farms C. A. Goodwin has placed at the disposal of the farmers three specially built threshing machines to be operated by three of his Fordson Tractors with a capacity of five to seven hundred bushels a day.

Feeling that every dollar that can be saved to the farmer is a help to this community he has put out all necessary fuel and two men; this in itself is a big saving to the farmers. Another feature of the small threshing rig is that a minimum amount of help is required (nine men and four wagons) this makes it possible to thresh at any time the wheat is fit—without the subsequent lend out of help for an indefinite time.

The machines up to the time we go to press are making a remarkable showing and all who have witnessed their operation are high in their commendation of the Fordson Tractor and the Frick Thresher. The machine now at Norman P. Massey's farm near Wornton is easily averaging 60 to 65 bushels the hour; while the one on Oscar Faucett's farm has averaged 58 to 62 bushels the hour.

Mr. Goodwin suggests that anyone desiring to see the machines in operation should call him on the phone and he will advise just where the machines are working. If any farmer has not arranged for threshing it might be well to communicate with Mr. Goodwin on the subject.

The mercury on Wednesday and Thursday reached 92 degrees. Boys in the Prudential offices moved into the Park for business.

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Personal Tidings

Dr. Ralph McFeely and wife, of Bogota, N. J., has been visiting the doctor's grandmother, Mrs. Fannie Usilton, on High street. They made the 180 miles in an auto in ten hours.

Mrs. W. W. Baldwin, Mrs. Margaret Jarrell and Mrs. James Brice are among the Kent countians at Ocean Grove, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Sangston Insley, of Cambridge, announce the engagement of their daughter, Frances Rouse, to J. Kent H. Jacobs, son of Mrs. Nannie McKenney Jacobs and the late Dr. J. Kent H. Jacobs, of Centreville. The wedding will take place in the fall.

Master Allan Robinson is visiting his uncle near Centreville.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip G. Sewell entertained the Young Men's Club of Christ M. P. Church Friday evening of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Barber Bartley are enjoying a vacation visiting friends in Philadelphia and vicinity.

Col. William J. Vannort quietly observed his 87th birthday, Sunday. He was a guest for dinner at the home of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Samuel Vannort.

William Wallace, choir leader in the M. E. Church, has closed his barber shop, and accepted a position in the music store of W. P. Newnam.

J. W. Russell, wife and two children, of Baltimore, are guests of relatives in town.

Little Harriett Louisa Rogers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Hynson Rogers, of Chestertown, fell down in the bath room one day last week and injured her shoulder very severely. Dr. H. G. Simpers was called in and she was taken to Easton Hospital for an x-ray examination. She is at home and getting along very nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan A. Harris are entertaining his sister, Mrs. Chapman and daughter, of Wilmington.

Prof. James Johns and Wm. D. Straughn, of Washington College, are taking a summer course at Columbia University.

Prof. Woodman, of the Washington College faculty, spent several days in town last week.

Wilmer Coleman and family, of Philadelphia; Arthur Coleman and family, of Chester, Pa.; Prof. and Mrs. Stone, of New Jersey, Mrs. John K. Gladding, of Annapolis, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilson, of Baltimore, have been visiting Wm. B. Coleman and sons.

Miss Nannie Bordley is quite sick at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Toulson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Morris and little daughter, Patricia, have been guests during the week at the home of Mrs. Morris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur W. Hubbard.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Carter, Sr. of Chestertown, celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary at Tolchester on Monday. There were present about 40 members of the family including the children, grandchildren, great grandchildren, also sisters.

Misses Rebecca and Cornelia Davis visited Baltimore this week.

Miss Evelyn Russell is spending two weeks with friends at Brunswick, Frederick county.

Mrs. George Broome and little daughter, of Baltimore, are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Dunbracco.

William Lynch, of Wilmington, spent part of last week the guest of his sister, Mrs. J. B. McIntire.

Jerry Solomos, one of the proprietors of the Chestertown Candy Kitchen, was granted naturalization papers on Monday. Jerry says he is proud to be an American citizen.

Robert Colborn, of Princess Anne, has taken a position as druggist in Toulson's drug store.

G. Francis Beaven, of Caroline, has been awarded a scholarship at Washington College.

Misses Maud Miller and Ethel Usilton are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Satterfield on Queen street.

Robert K. Pippin, after a week's schooling, has been assigned Delaware as his territory to sell a well-known literary work.

Foster Cannan has resigned as assessor for the 4th district and John E. Barnes has been appointed.

Edward Jones, of Philadelphia, visited his parents on Queen street for the week-end.

Tylden Hadaway's family are camping at Rolph's Wharf.

Wm. A. Wheatley has been confined to his home this week by sickness.

C. D. McCleary has been on the sick list this week.

George C. Younger, a motor police in Clifton Park, is in St. Joseph's Hospital, Baltimore, from injuries he received Sunday when a large auto struck him, breaking his right leg in two places so bad they had to remove four inches of the bone, also taring his left leg, bruising his face and body badly.

Mrs. William Hines and daughter, of Baltimore, are guests of Mrs. Lucy Dodd.

Clarence Crew, of Wilmington, has been visiting his brother in Kent.

Misses Adele and Elizabeth Crow, of Kennedyville, are entertaining over the week-end Miss Natalie Comegys, Elliott Warshire and Dana Pyles, of Wilmington.

A GREAT LECTURE BY DWIGHT HILLIS

Senator Wm. F. Russell and wife, Fred. G. Usilton and wife and W. F. Russell, Jr., Esq., enjoyed hearing Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, pastor of Plymouth Church, Brooklyn, deliver his celebrated lecture at Delaware University Monday night. Dr. Hillis is one of the most noted pulpit orators and lecturers of the country. His subject was "The Ten Commandments and the Constitution of the United States.' This lecture was a feature of the summer school program. There are 315 teachers attending the course.

In his opening remarks Dr. Hillis said he could very easily take an optimistic view of conditions in this country today. He then compared conditions here, especially as to our debt and ability to pay, with conditions in England, France and other countries. The revenues of our government, he said, are sufficient to pay our entire national debt with the revenue of the first five months of the year, while in the countries mentioned it will require generations for them to pay their debts. He referred to the troubles of the country, but added he believed that we had the institutions to cure them.

Dr. Hillis said the most important book of the year is the United States census. This country is now but ninth as to education among the nations of white people of the earth. The census shows that seven out of every 100 of foreigners of the country confessed they could not read or write, and figures show that out of 53,000,000 foreigners, 20,000,000 of them cannot read or write. The percentage of native born who cannot read or write is, of course, much smaller.

"There never was a great nation and never will be a great people," said Dr. Hillis, "who are an illiterate people. As a rule failure is ignorance and success is knowing how." There is something perfectly appaling in conditions in the United States, he said, when it is considered there are 20,000,000 people here who cannot read or write.

Salaries have been raised in every line, said the speaker, except in the school room. He told of recently visiting Lexington, Kentucky, where he saw a man who specialized in just the training of one promising two-year-old colt at a salary of $5,000 a year. Just before that he had visited a high school, where in various rooms he saw one teacher teaching from 40 to 50 children, who was receiving not more than $1,500 a year.

The advancement and betterment of the country he pointed out has got to be through education. There is only one way, Dr. Hillis said, to make money for the state and that is by the manufacture of souls of good quality. Of the 15,000,000 boys and girls in the rural districts of the country there are only 46 out of every 100 who are attending school regularly. The states, he contended, are neglecting the schools as to appliances and books. They have the Pulman palace car methods, he said for everything else, but still hold to the old one-room, small school house.

Dr. Hillis told of some of the methods of education in France, and said if we should go to our Congress and ask for appropriations to carry out such methods the politicians would be paralyzed. The speaker gave a definition of a politician, and a statesman. A politician, he said, was one who gives the people what they want so as to get the votes from them, and the statesman is one who simply gives the people what they want.

The census figures show, said Dr. Hillis, that there are 45,000,000 people in the United States below the average and that there are 25,000,000 defectives.

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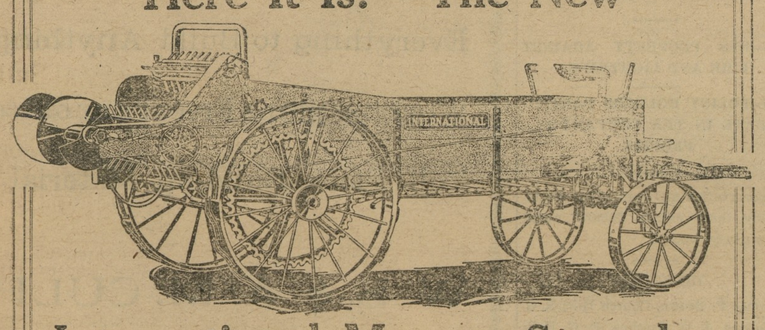

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