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WHEREVER your thought goes your voice may go. You can talk across the continent as if face to face. Your telephone is the latch to open for you any door in the land.

There is the web of wires. The many switchboards. The maze of apparatus. The millions of telephones. All are parts of a country-wide mechanism for far-speaking. The equipment has cost over two billion dollars, but more than equipment is needed.

There must be the guardians of the wires to keep them vital with speech-carrying electrical currents. There must be those who watch the myriads of tiny switchboard lights and answer your commands. There must be technicians of every sort to construct, repair and operate.

A quarter of a million men and women are united to give nation-wide telephone service. With their brains and hands they make the Bell System live.

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The Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company

To Our Many Patrons

We wish to thank you for your hearty support and patronage, wishing you a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

A. S. TURNER & SONS

PHONE 151

Chestertown, Maryland.

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ought to be in every musical but space and cost sometimes prohibit the installation of a pipe organ. However, an

ESTEY

manual reed organ, built on the exact principles and measurements of a pipe organ—and used in the studios of such organists as Gibson, Dethier and others—such an instrument closely approximates a pipe organ and has everywhere given great satisfaction. It can be built to the special specification of organist and to match the design any room. Adapted for lodges. and hear it.

W. P. NEWNAM
CHESTERT MD.

CHARLES I LED IN ARTCRAFT

Declared He Could Make His Living at Any Trade Save That of Hanging.

"Little Korea, now being urged by its leaders to use only articles of Korean manufacture," says Horace B. Cheny, "is advocating nationalism in art and industry today just as Charles I did during his reign.

"The Jacobean period of decoration has been called the most distinctly national of the English periods; for while largely inspired by Low Country models, it was yet developed originally by English craftsmen. And these had displaced the foreign workers of Elizabethan times.

"The Jacobean period was ushered in with James I, 'The Wisest Fool in Christendom,' but not until the times of Charles, 'saint and martyr,' were its possibilities of beauty fully developed.

"Charles was the spirit of its efflorescence. He, like Francis I and Lorenzo the Magnificent, loved beauty for its own sake. Indeed, he was himself a craftsman, saying of himself, 'I believe I could make my living by any trade save that of making hangings.' The friend of Rubens, the patron of the brilliant Van Dyck, a connoisseur who was also a king—and yet a king, alas, 'who knew all the arts except the art of governing.'

"In his reign, the turned and twisted woodwork of his father's day came to a softer, more delicately crafted beauty, and the characteristics of modern renaissance ornament manifested themselves in geometrically patterned arrangements and a growing use of inlay. The great hall (still the most important feature of the majestic English home), was then indeed a thing of stately splendor—rich with tapestries and hangings, warm with paneling, exquisite with ornamental ceilings, mantelpieces and lofty bay windows."

COMMON PEDDLERS NO MORE

Canvassers and Agents Are Now Known as Specialty Salesmen.

There are no more peddlers, canvassers and agents. At least those engaged in the business of selling from house to house would so have us believe. These gentlemen prefer to be called specialty salesmen, and the custom today is to call any individual a specialty salesman who does not sell for resale—in other words, who sells directly to the consumer.

The specialty salesman of today who sells from house to house is not the canvasser or peddler of yesteryear. In fact, there is a wide difference in the methods employed, the characteristics of the individual and in the method of selection of the individual. In some remote and more or less isolated cases, however, the old style of selling is still used to some degree. As a general rule, however, the specialty salesman is better educated, better fed, better clothed and a far more clever salesman than the agent of a decade ago.

Not that some of the old-style agents and canvassers were slouches at selling! Far from it. As a matter of fact, many of the old-timers were very smooth articles, and their very smoothness and adroitness made them individuals worth watching.—Nation's Business.

Stamp of Approval.

There's a certain man who is well known as a tyrant in his office but a very docile husband at home. The contrast is so decided that a friend finally asked if he were a sort of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde.

"No," said the man, "and I'll let you in on the secret. The gas company is really to blame.

"We had been getting the same-sized gas bill month after month; just the same number of cubic feet consumed, and I began to figure that there must be something wrong with the meter and wrote the gas company about it. They inspected the meter and then wrote to me saying:

"'There is nothing wrong with the meter. It merely goes to show that you have a well-ordered and regularly conducted household routine.'

"And I, like a chump, showed the letter to my wife, and she hasn't let me have a thing to say about running the house ever since."

Too High Up to See Him.

A man about town meeting a friend who had recently become a judge extended his congratulations and then said: "And I will now tell you goodby."

"Why," asked his honor; "are you going away?"

"No."

"Neither am I. So why this goodby?"

"It is this way," explained the party of the first part. "I have known many men who became judges, governors or what not. After their elevation very few of them were able to see me again."

Shakespeare Had Vision.

"What a man Shakespeare wuz," said the man on the train.

"What has aroused your admiration now?" inquired his seat mate.

"You know he speaks of a woeful ballad to a lady's eyebrows," answered the other.

"Well?"

"Have you noticed the eyebrows lately?"

"Yes."

"Any ballad to one of them would naturally be woeful."

FOR SALE

Good White Potatoes delivered in Chestertown, at 60 cents per basket. ADAM SCHAUBER. aug4-1yr
n17 Chestertown, Md.

CAUTION

All persons are warned against trespassing upon the lands, marshes or shores of the undersigned farms known as "Stoneton," "Yap" and "Gunneries" with dog, gun or otherwise. The law will be enforced against all violators. MRS. MARY C. PRICE, HENRY B. PRICE, IVAN RIGBY, JR. n10-2m

CAUTION

Having rented Mr. Wm. R. Price's shore, marsh and woods known as "Bloomfield," near Betterton, notice is hereby given that no trespassing will be allowed with dog, gun or otherwise. The law will be enforced against all violators. HENRY B. PRICE. n10-tf



JOS. N. WHEATLEY & CO
INSURANCE
CHESTERTOWN, MD.

COLLEGE AID URGED FOR 3 YEARS

Continuance of State aid to privately managed colleges and institutions in the State for a period of three years was recommended by the commission appointed to study the relationship of the State to State-aided colleges and institutions in the report forwarded to Governor Ritchie today.

The commission also recommended the abolition of the free scholarship system as it now exists, and the appointment of a permanent College Commission to insure the carrying out of the recommendations contained in the temporary commission' report.

In a rough estimate, the commission placed the capital, endowment and investments available for college courses in privately managed colleges of the State at $25,000,000.

Continuance of present annual appropriations during the next three years was recommended for St. John's, Washington College, Western Maryland, Blue Ridge, Johns Hopkins School of Engineering and Morgan College.

In addition to the annual appropriation of $50,000 to St. John's, the commission recommended a sum not in excess of $125,000 be appropriated to equip laboratories and library of the Annapolis institution, the payment to be conditioned upon the completition of the $300,000 endawment fund now being raised by St. John's.

In the case of Washington College, the commission advised the appropriation of an additional sum not over $75,000 to buy proper laboratory equipment and provide a library. This sum, however, is payable only when the College shall have raised from other sources a sum not less than $150,000.

COLDEST FOR 6 YEARS

A cold wave struck this section Saturday evening and sent the mercury down to 7 degrees. It was the coldest January 5 since 1918.

A gentleman from Massey says he got up at 3 a. m. and looked his furnace over. A prominent business man in Chestertown got up at 4 a. m. and stirred up his fire. But, as usual, the ladies are the most watchful. A lady resident on High street visited her furnace several times during the night and slept but little. Chestertown is fortunate that no fires have occurred. It is by careful watching that prevents them. Cambridge had fire in one night.

KENT NEWS $1.50 PER YEAR



So They Voted for "TH"

The question in the Graham home was whether it was to be TH-rift or a D-rift. The vote was for TH-rift after Mrs. G. presented it thusly:

"Are we content to drift along with no preparation for the future?

"Or, are we thriftly going to save money for the future?

"A bank account will help us meet possible misfortune without a qualm.

"And when opportunity knocks it will make it possible for us to take full advantage.

"Now—what do you say, shall it be thrift or drift?"

This bank helps people save by paying 4% interest on saving accounts.

START YOURS THIS WEEK.

The Peoples Bank

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NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Kent County Savings Bank for the purpose of selecting directors to manage the affairs of said bank for the ensuing year and for any other business, will be held at their Banking House, in Chestertown, on Wednesday, January 16th, 1924, at 12 o'clock noon. By order of Board.
d22-tm WM. F. RUSSELL, Cashier.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Peoples Bank of Chestertown, will be held at the banking house in Chestertown, Md., on Wednesday, January 16th, 1924, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing Directors and transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting. By order of Board of Directors.
CHAS. F. WHEATLEY, Cashier.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the Shareholders of the Kent Building Loan Company will hold their annual meeting in the Court House, in Chestertown, Md., on Monday, Jan 14, 1924, at 8 p. m., for the election of Directors and the transaction of such business as may properly come before said meeting.
CHARLES. N. SATTERFIELD,
d22-tm Secretary.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Betterton Bayside Land Co. for the purpose of selecting directors for the ensuing year and for any other business, will be held at the Kent County Savings Bank, Chestertown, Md., on Friday evening, January 18, 1924, at 7.30 p. m.
j5 WM. F. RUSSELL, Sec'y.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Betterton Ice and Electric Co., will be held at the office of Turner & Son, in Betterton, Md., on Wednesday, January 16, 1924, at 8 p. m., for the purpose of electing Directors and transacting such other business as may come before the meeting. By order
j5 CHAS. H. BRICE, Sec'y.

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THE ACME OF HONEST QUALITY!

DAIRY FEEDS

For your Dairy Cows we have FEED that is incomparable. Quantity milk production is the aim of the modern dairyman. And milk, like most every other generative product, is easily susceptible to scientific nourishment. The man who doubts the wisdom of the use of feed, prepared by a formula of scientific exactness, is the same kind of a man that doubts if the Automobile has come to stay. QUIT GUESS WORK, drop around to Radcliff Mills and we will show you a feed that will materially pay dividends in a larger milk supply from your herd.

POULTRY FEED

For several years we have preached correct feed as the only way to a maximum egg supply. We have regular stock feed, and in addition do our own mixing by a formula prepared by the Maryland Agricultural College. Further, the poultryman oftimes has a formula of his own. In these instances we cheerfully mix the ingredients strictly in accordance with directions. If you are not using a feed for your chickens we would like to have you call, and we will point out the many undeniable advantages of starting such a practice.

ROSE BUD FLOUR

Consistently we have talked to you of Rose Bud Flour. We have done this because we know that Rose Bud has a quality of which we cannot say too much—cannot praise too highly. For purity, whiteness, flakiness in crusts, featherness in dough it stands paramountly ahead of the ordinary run of flour. The hundreds of constant users of Rose Bud are our best salesmen. It pleases a family! The good news is passed on to a neighbor. Presto! we have a new customer.

THE RADCLIFF MILLS
OF CHESTERTOWN, MD.

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