LOCAL NOTES

School reopened Monday after two weeks of holiday.

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W. C. A. Thompson killed 2 canvas back ducks from off Hubbard's pier at edge of town Monday.

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Harry Smith, assistant superintendent of the Chestertown Electric Light Co., pitched in and repaired the storm damage in quick time. Mr. Hudson was away on his vacation but Harry was on the job.

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The storm did great damage to telephone lines. Chief Wright with his big force have worked like trojans repairing the damage. Chief Pyle had a big force at work near Elkton. It was one of the most damaging storms to telephone lines since the storm last year.

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There will be a Tuberculosis Clinic for known tuberculosis cases, contacts and suspects in Health Center, Chestertown, Monday, January 12th, at 10.30 a. m. John M. Nichlas, M. D., Medical Director.

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The 65 shares of Millington Bank stock belonging to the late Isaac Gibbs was sold at public sale Tuesday by S. Scott Beck, attorney, for 50.25 per share. The purchaser was the Peoples Bank, of Chestertown. The par of this stock is $25 per share. It pays 6 per cent dividends and has a fine surplus.

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Charged with trespassing on Pennsylvania R. R. property and stealing ties, Richard Smallwood, colored, said to be from Rock Hall, Md., was held under $300 bail by Magistrate James K. Phillips, in default of which, he was committed to Georgetown jail. The arrest was made Saturday by Constable George Bowden, of Seaford.

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How many millions of dollars worth of implements are now standing to the weather, which might be saved by a little effort on the part of owners? There is no way of estimating the loss suffered by farmers of the country every year through neglect to properly care for farm tools and machinery, but it is a tremendous sum. While we are exercised in this respect properly, there is still an enormous waste which should be stopped.

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About 7 inches of snow fell in Kent on Friday of last week and most of it is still with us. Rural carriers and others served their routes by herculean efforts.

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A force of efficient clerks consisting of Misses Regina Rasin, Helen Baxter and Edmund P. Sutton, have been employed at the office of the county treasurer during the week receiving taxes. At least $90,000 was received in taxes by the close of the week, $25,000 having been collected Wednesday and nearly an equal amount the day before. There is always a rush on the last two or three weeks of the year to pay taxes to save interest from September 1.

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The Kent Building and Loan Association on Monday reopened its books for the sale of installment stock at 25 cents per share weekly. This offers an exceptional opportunity for people, including the children to invest regularly from their savings in Building and Loan shares. These payments will mature the shares purchased in six year and six months. This stock has been paying nearly 6 per cent for a long period of years. It is surprising to see how a small saving each week will give a comfortable investment. The directors are L. B. Russell, Fred. G. Usilton, C. N. Satterfield, J. D. Urie, J. H. Sides, W. F. Russell, A. M. Culp, C. S. Smith, M. A. Toulson.

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I. Heller has purchased the store property on Cross street, Chestertown, recently vacated by Charles Wright. Price reported to be $2750.

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Gunners at Ringgold's Point recently killed a black wild duck, on one of the feet of which were these markings: "Banded at Lake Scugog, Ontario, on September 29, 1924, by H. S. Osler."

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The annual dinner at the County Home was given Wednesday. Miss Sue Ford prepared a menu fit for the King and served to the Queen's taste.

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At the Lyceum Thursday night a half ton of coal was won by John S. Vandegrift and a half ton by Arthur Cooper, of the News force.

Like Other Animals.

Roy had returned from a visit to his aunt, and was trying to describe the folding bed he had been sleeping in. "It lays down at night, mamma, and stands on its hind legs in the daytime," he said.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NOTES

Miss Dorothy Woodall is doing well after a minor operation in Mercy Hospital on Wednesday.

J. D. Bacchus suffered from hiccoughs for five days the past week. He is now convalescent.

Henry W. Catlin, Esq., last week was re-elected president of the Maryland Society in New York. This is quite an honor.

Mrs. Nichols, wife of Rev. Ransom P. Nichols, of Pocomoke City, formerly of Still Pond, is critically ill of typhoid fever and little hope is held out for her recovery. Her friends here, however, are hoping for a change and that she may be spared her devoted family.

Mrs. Ruth Cahall has been quite ill for several days, but is reported somewhat improved at this writing.

Mrs. Bradford Mason, of Baltimore, was the guest of Mrs. Owen B. Crow last week.

Mrs. Clements Jester and two children, of Alexandria, Va., have returned home after spending the holidays with her sister, Mrs. J. S. Kreeger and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlington L. Sparks spent New Year's the guest of their son in Baltimore.

Miss Kathleen Hill, of Philadelphia returned Sunday last after spending the Christmas holidays with her parents.

Mrs. Mae Mills Beck is quite sick with La Grippe at the home of Mrs. Earl Nicholson, near town.

William Kirkbride, of Philadelphia, spent several days last week with his family at Fairlee.

Mrs. Estella Vickers has returned to Baltimore for the winter.

Miss Marian Caldwell has returned to her duties in the Register of Wills office after being away several days with a deep cold.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Brice have returned from their honeymoon trip spent in Philadelphia and are residing with the bride's parents at Lynch.

James Greenwood has been sick at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Mary Moore, in Betterton.

Miss Eva Moore entertained a number of her young friends at her home Monday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. L. P. Atwell and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Atwell and children, of Still Pond, were Sunday guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Alfred Crew.

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Prof. Roy Woodland is teaching Physics and Mr. Culley, a senior at the college, is teaching chemistry at the High School. The other teachers are taking care of the remaining studies during Professor Creasy's absence.

Mrs. Morris Bramble and son, David, spent the New Year in Washington, the guest of her sister, Mrs. David Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Derrick and children have been visiting relatives in Washington during the holidays. Mr. Derrick returned home on Saturday. His family will remain for a longer visit.

Mrs. John N. Bennett is confined to her room with the grip.

Mrs. M. E. Ringgold is spending the winter in St. Augustine with her daughter.

Thomas J. Davis, Jr., of Wheeling, W. Va., is spending several weeks with his parents on the Avenue.

Dr. Clarence P. Gould left on the afternoon train Saturday enroute for Cleveland, Ohio, where he will resume work at the Western University. He was accompanied home by his mother, Mrs. W. D. Gould, who will spend the remainder of the winter with him.

Miss Esther Urie, of Chestertown, has been spending several days with Miss Rosabelle Gould in Cambridge.

[illegible] of the winter with Mrs. Clements' daughter, Mrs. Roger Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Bennett, of near Price's Corner, Del., entertained a number of relatives and friends at a turkey dinner on Sunday, January 4th, in honor of their 35th wedding anniversary. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. James C. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin C. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan K. Bennett, Chestertown; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Stewart, Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Roberts, Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Cooper, Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Roeder, Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hudson, Chestertown; Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Clare, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Whaley, of Chestertown; Mr. and Mrs. George Bolton, Elkton; Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Jarvis, St. George's, Del.; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Richards, Wilmington; Dr. Wm. Fennimore, Price's Corner, Del.; Mrs. Anna Smyth Brice, Betterton; Mrs. Robert Morgan, Mrs. Harry Yerger, Wilmington; Mrs. Margaret Ford, Mt. Cuba; Miss Sarah Elizabeth Morgan, Miss Phylis Bennett, Miss Evelyn Bennett, Chestertown; William Roeder, Baltimore; John Ford, Mt. Cuba; Robert Porter, Mt. Cuba; John Jester, Chestertown; Geo. Venabal, Walter Chatlain, Baltimore; Earl Conley, Wilmington; Robert Cooper, Jr., Baltimore; Robert Morgan, Jr., and Ashton Ricards, Wilmington.

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ALL KENT COUNTY IS PROUD OF THE SUTTON BOYS' WORK

Members of the Maryland Vegetable Growers' Association who congregated at Cambridge January 7, 8 and 9 for the annual meeting held in conjunction with the annual meeting of the Maryland Agricultural Society-the Maryland Farm Bureau Federation, heard about the success of a community tomato bed handled by Stanley Sutton, a Kent County club boy.

It is worth while mentioning at the outset that the plant bed prepared, seeded and cultivated by young Sutton was one of the largest in the State last season and, despite the unfavorable weather, succeeded in producing approximately half a million plants which were sold to many growers in the vicinity of Chestertown. In some respects the project was one of the largest and most important ever undertaken by a club boy in Maryland and its success points to the ability and energy of young Sutton and to the value of agricultural club work in training farm boys for real farm work.

Stanley Sutton is nineteen years old and the son of L. A. Sutton, of near Chestertown. He has taken an active part in one phase or another of club work for seven years and while his community tomato plant bed is undoubtedly his biggest undertaking he has had a real success as a grower of seed corn, as an exhibitor of purebred dairy calves and as a judge of purebred dairy cattle.

Stanley started his club work with the production of corn. In a few years he was joined by his younger brother, Albert. The two have since succeeded in growing each year a considerable quantity of good purebred seed corn which they have sold at satisfactory prices to Kent county farmers. In 1922, Stanley entered the judging contest at the Timonium Fair and by placing fourth among the high individual contestants, returned home with a purebred Holstein bull calf. This animal gave him a start with purebred dairy cattle and he later purchased two purebred dairy calves of Holstein breeding. In 1923 Stanley was selected as one of the club members to represent Maryland at Camp Vail at the Eastern States Exposition, Springfield, Mass. In the dairy cattle judging contest there he placed first. His interest in club work has never waned and he has served as the leader of his club and done much to enlist the interest of other boys in the work.

Last spring when County Agent H. B. Derrick was looking around for someone willing to undertake the production of quality tomato plants, he mentioned the proposition to young Sutton. With characteristic energy, Stanley tackled the job. With the help of Mr. Derrick he located a suitable piece of ground about an acre in size which had formerly been planted to alfalfa. The preparation of the soil was in itself a big task for after the land had been plowed and harrowed, it was found necessary to go over the field and pick up several wagon loads of alfalfa crowns.

Proper fertilization was, of course, necessary and this required the application of about eighteen tons of well composted manure, ten tons of chicken manure, fifteen hundred lbs. of 2-8-5 fertilizer and about two and ane-half tons of leaf mold and 700 pounds of eight per cent tankage as a mulch. It was estimated that the bed produced more than a million plants but owing to the unfavorable weather only about half of this number were suitable to sell. However, about half a million plants of fine quality were sold to Kent county tomato growers at $1.50 per thousand, an excellent showing considering the season.

Stanley is not the only member of the Sutton family to win honors. Martin, seventeen, owns a purebred Holstein heifer which placed sixth at the Timonium Fair in 1923 and ninth at the National Dairy Show. This year the same heifer as a yearling placed fifth at Timonium. In addition, Martin was one of the high scoring boys in the dairy judging contest and was on the team that represented Maryland at the National Dairy Show at Milwaukee. Stanley's other brother, Albert, fifteen years old, has already done well with seed corn and will probably soon be ready for other enterprises.

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