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CONCERT

Tuesday, Dec. 29th, 1925

8.00 P. M.

University Of Maryland

GLEE CLUB

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LYCEUM THEATRE

RESERVED SEATS

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

I have two friends that would make desirable citizens in our community that are anxious to buy a water front farm in Kent or Queen Anne's County and I have volunteered to try and find what they want.

This advertisement, therefore, is to say if you have a farm located on the water I will appreciate your writing me a full description of the place and how much you want for it. d19-3t* WILBUR W. HUBARD.

BOOKKEEPER WANTED

Bookkeeper and typist for a Chestertown business firm. Lady preferred. Position open January 1st. Apply to KENT NEWS. d19-tf

AGENTS WANTED

Salary and commission. Apply to UNITED LIFE INSURANCE CO., Cambridge, Md. d19-3t*

WANTED

Position for a middle-aged white woman as a housekeeper and plain cook in a small family. Farm no exception. MRS. SIDNEY YOUNGER, Church Hill, Md., care Mr. Raymond Younger. d19

FOR RENT

House on Front street, near Cannon. Possession at once. Apply to HOPE B. HUDSON, Chestertown, Md. n28-tf

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

Farm of 165 acres, 35 acres in timber, on macadam road. Good buildings. All kinds of fruit. Will take Chestertown property in exchange. Inquire at this office. d19-2t*

FOR SALE

Having been retired from driving the mail route beginning January 1, 1926, I have no further use for two horses, harness and mail wagon and will sell same on reasonable terms. CHAS. E. WOODS, Chestertown. dy9-3t

FOR RENT

Six-room House with Three Acres of Land for rent for balance of 1925 and 1926. For particulars apply to B. S. SUTTON, Black, Md., or Miss MAY GRAVES, Sanford, N. C. n28

APARTMENT FOR RENT

A second story apartment at 415 High street., Chestertown, for rent. Apply to M. deK. SMITH, JR., Chestertown, Md. n28tf

BISCUITS

We make Maryland Beat Biscuits and deliver them by parcel post for 20c a dozen. Special price to stores or festivals. MRS. MARGARET DOWNEY, Rock Hall, Md. n14-2mos

DOGS FOR SALE

One German Police Dog, female, from Francis X. Bushman, the Movie Actor stock, 2 years old; also my Aridale, about one year old, male both nice dogs. MRS. R. GERALD MYERS. d12-3t

Farm Bureau Members

If you stand for the uplift of your community—ATTEND your local meetings.

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MASSEY, MD.

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BIG SALE

NEXT WEEK

—ON—

FURNITURE—STOVES

RUGS—BLANKETS, Etc.

Wm. Medders & Co.

STILL POND, MD.

See advt. on 8th Page.

LOST

The medium brown Spaniel puppy about 4 months old in Chestertown. The finder will be rewarded by returning same to Mrs. C. E. Crane, Water street.

FOUND

A Ladies' Knit Bag in Chestertown. The owner can get same by proving property and paying for this adv. KENT NEWS. d26

LOST

Auto blanket lost last week in front of Cliff School or along road from Cliff's to Chestertown. Finder please return to Kent County School Board Office, Chestertown. HELEN JANE WOODLEY. d26-2t

STOCK TURKEYS

Giant Wonder Bronze Gobblers and Hens for sale. Old stock from Kentucky. Very large, $12 and $8. Phone 820-23. MRS. H. W. HADAWAY, Chestertown R. R. No. 4. d19

TO POULTRY SHIPPERS

I have on hand plenty of coops and good men to ship to who will get you good prices.

CHAS. J. REICHE,

Phone 113R Chestertown, Md.

d19-2mos.

MAMMOTH BRONZE STOCK TURKEYS FOR SALE

Raised 145 fine turkeys in spite of dog killing 37 of biggest size and our stock gobbler being poisoned in middle of breeding season. Therefore, our breeders are all early hatched. Our losses from sickness have been 10 per cent and we have no epidemic in the flock. Our birds are from pedigreed stock, most beautifully marked, and largest we have ever raised. As we specialize on breeders we offer new blood each year in order to be able to properly supply our old customers.

Gobblers $15. Pullets $10 and $8.

HELEN M. BAKER,

Chestertown, Maryland,

n14-tf R. F. D. No. 3 Phone 813F13.

BUY YOUR

Pure Pennsylvania BUCKWHEAT

FROM

Metcalfe Brothers

Wholesale Retail

FOR SALE

1 2 Hole Power Corn Sheller

1 4 Hole Power Corn Sheller

Priced very low to move quickly.

JONES & SATTERFIELD

d12-3t Chestertown, Md.

FUEL

Beth O Coke

Not a substitute.

It is the perfect fuel.

Holds its heat as long as hard coal.

Lasts as long ton for ton.

No soot, no gas, or smoke.

Clean dependable heat all the time.

Burns like anthracite coal. Costs less.

W. S. & A. M. CULP

d19 CHESTERTOWN, MD.

MEN AND WOMEN IN THE FIELD OF SCIENCE, POLITICS, RELIGION AND ECONOMICS HAVE CONSENTED TO ANSWER: "HOW AND IN WHAT WAY HAS MANKIND BENEFITED?" AND "WHAT CLASS HAS GAINED MOST AND HOW?" IN "THE QUARTER CENTURY NOW ENDING—THE MOST WONDERFUL AND EPOCH MAKING IN HISTORY" IN SUNDAY'S BALTIMORE AMERICAN.

WEDDING NOTES

Walls—Bartlett

Ennis Walls, of Wilmington, and Mrs. Eva Bartlett, of Millington, were quietly married Monday evening at the home of the bride's parents, near Millington. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burris, of Millington, and Mr. Walls is a son of Mr. and Mrs. McCosh Walls, of near Millington. The ceremony was witnessed by only a few friends.

Rachel J. Stradley, of Sassafras, announces the engagement of her daughter, Helen C., to William H. Reynolds, of Middletown, Del.

The wedding of J. Marvil Seney, son of Mrs. J. Carroll Seney, of Queen Anne's, near Chestertown, and Miss Dorothy Burns, of Birmingham, Alabama, took place in that city on Saturday, December 12th.

CARD OF THANKS

We thank our many friends and neighbors for their many kindnesses during the illness of my late husband. MRS. FRANK D. O'LEARY.

LYCEUM THEATRE

Chestertown, Maryland

SHOWING ONLY THE BEST IN MOTION PICTURES

MONDAY, DECEMBER 28th
ONE NIGHT ONLY
First National presents
"HER HUSBAND'S SECRET"
With ANTONIO MORENO and PATSY RUTH MILLER.
Also Comedy.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29th
NO PICTURES
Theatre rented for University of Maryland Glee Club Concert.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 30
ONE NIGHT ONLY
Metro Goldyn presents
JACKIE COOGAN in
"THE RAG MAN"
Camp Fire Girls will sell tickets in advance.
EXTRA ATTRACTION
Exhibition of Dancing by Miss Doris Bell's pupils.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 31
ONE NIGHT ONLY
A Paramount Picture.
THOMAS MEIBHAN in
"TONGUES OF FLAME"
Popular Tommy as the fighting hero of Peter Clark McFarlane's Greatest novel.
Also Pathe News, Fables and Comedy.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
JANUARY 1st and 2nd
Carl Laemmle presents
BABY PEGGY in
"FAMILY SECRET"
Also Serial "Fast Express," International News, Lyman Howe Hodge Podge and Comedy.

To the readers of our ads which appear in each issue of this publication. To the good friends of Metcalfe Brothers, whether customers, prospects or competitors, we extend our heartiest Christmas Greetings and our best wishes for a joy filled holiday season, and a New Year overflowing with the good things of life, May 1926 prove a Happy and Prosperous Year to you and those near and dear to you. It is our sincere wish to each and all of you

A Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year

Bananas and Fruits

Yes we have plenty of Bananas and Fruits at the Chestertown Fruit Market. Bananas are 20c, 25c and 30c per doz. Wholesale and retail. Under the Voshell House, Chestertown Md. m7

HAS A NARROW ESCAPE WHEN BOAT OVERTURNS

Narrowly escaping drowning last Friday morning about six o'clock, when his boat capsized in Wye River off the shore of the Henry McClyment farm, James E. Thompson, a Queenstown business man, was compelled to paddle his way to safety with his hands while lying on the bottom of the overturned craft.

Mr. Thompson and James Boyles were ducking from a blind on the McClyment shore, when they crippled a whiffler, and Mr. Thompson took the boat to go to the river for the injured fowl. When he reached the bird he lost his balance and the boat overturned, throwing him into the icy water. He managed to crawl to the bottom of the upturned boat, and under the direction of Mr. Boyles paddled his way to shallow water a distance of seventy-five yards.

He was hurried to the home of Mr. McClyment where he was furnished dryclothing, and has suffered no bad effects from his experience.

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KENNEDYVILLE NOTES

School closed on Wednesday with an entertainment and treat for the children.

The Patrons Club met in the school building on Wednesday and it was decided not to serve hot lunches this winter.

Joseph Guery and Miss Elvia Walls spent Sunday with friends in Coatsville, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rasin are spending the holidays in Chincoteague.

Prof. Byron was a week-end visitor with friends.

Mrs. Sadie Pippin, of Chestertown, has been visiting her parents a part of the week.

Mrs. Pearl Walls and children are spending the holidays with her parents, in Baltimore.

Miss Mary Hill and Miss Anna Rasin, of the State Normal School are home for the holidays.

William Archibald and Miss Edith Walls have been on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. William King, of Philadelphia, are visiting their son and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer King entertained the family to Christmas dinner on Friday.

William Urie is home for the holidays.

Miss Sue Johnston, of Washington, is visiting her sister, Mrs. James Weer.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kennedy will entertain the family at Christmas dinner on Friday.

Miss Elizabeth Hurlock, of Philadelphia, is spending the holidays with her parents.

Mrs. Wiltbanks is entertaining her sister.

Louis Walls and family moved to the Jones property on Thursday.

Merry Xmas

Send some friend a 98 lb. bag of—

ROSE BUD FLOUR

With your best wishes and put one in the pantry.

You will eat well and feel fine.

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ROSE BUD can not be surpassed for CAKES and PASTRY

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Phone and Mail Orders Filled Promptly.

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P. M. BROOKS

Chestertown and Worton

HERE'S YOUR LAST CHANCE TO GET A BEAUTIFUL AND USEFUL SET OF MOVIE STAR SPOONS, MADE OF ONEIDA COMMUNITY PAR PLATE, GUARANTEED FOR 20 YEARS—THIS WEEK'S COUPON WILL GIVE YOU RAMON NOVARRO, MAE MURRAY, RICHARD DIX AND LOIS WILSON 19 CENTS EACH WITH COUPON FROM SUNDAY'S BALTIMORE AMERICAN.

CHESTERTOWN OFFICERS MAKE A RAID ON THE BOOTLEGGERS

Officer Samuel E. Cooper In Co-operation With States Attorney S. S. Beck Obtain Evidence Against 12 Colored Men And Women In Kent County—Arrests Made Wednesday Night.

An awakened public sentiment against the flagrant violation of Kent County's Local Option Law caused our officials to make one hereculean effort to bring some of the alleged offenders to justice.

That courageous and efficient officer, Samuel E. Cooper, in co-operation with our able State's Attorney, S. Scott Beck, worked out the plan which resulted in the wholesale arrest Wednesday night. Warrants were procured quietly by these officials during the past several weeks and then at the psychological moment Sheriff Goodman, Rufus Collins and others were let in to the secret and made the round-up.

The following persons mostly from Chestertown, were arrested and placed in jail to await a hearing on the charge of selling intoxicating liquor:

Steve Bratcher, Bud and Sarah Murray, Will Walters, Asbury Fletcher, Sadie Taylor, Oscar Johnson, Kate Chester, Amelia Johnson, Dave Sterling. Sam Linsey, Nathan Roy.

There was reported a still at Davis' Hill but when the officers went there it had been put out of commission.

KENT'S POULTRY INDUSTRY A CLOSE RIVAL TO THAT OF DAIRYING

The Farmer's Wives And Daughters Learning How To Raise Fine Turkeys---Eggs Supply The Pantry With Grocries---A Big Year For Turkeys---Market 40 Cents Alive And 45 Dry---Picked.

Seldom before in the history of the industry in Kent county has such a large number of turkeys been purchased for the Christmas trade as were brought to the warehouses at the Pennsylvania railroad station on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of last week. H. Stockton Startt, buying for J. Clark Helms & Co., of Philadelphia, bought twenty tons of fine birds paying close to $18,000 for the lot, while Prof. W. H. Rice and William G. Smyth, Secretary of the Kent County Farm Bureau, buying on the cooperative marketing plan tried in this county for the first time this year, handled between three and four tons of beautiful stock. Secretary Smyth packed these birds after they had been graded by Prof. Rice and shipped them by express to a previously selected market in New York City where they are to be sold.

J. Clark Helms, of the Philadelphia firm, was at the station and stated that the turkey crop in Kent county would be worth $100,000 to the county basing his estimate upon the amount of money which he has paid in for the squab turkey season in September, the Thanksgiving and the Christmas trade, which he said would be in excess of $40,000. This does not represent the hundreds of birds bought at Millington and those shipped to markets by individuals.

S. G. Caldwell, at Galena, bought several tons for which he paid 40 cents per pound alive and 47 cents dry picked.

Prof. Rice and Secretary Smyth, as well as the farmers are so well satisfied with the results of their first venture at cooperative marketing that it is believed that much of the selling of next season's crop will be done upon the cooperative basis. Farmers learned how to grade their stock and how to feed for the best preparation for the market, and they will put this knowledge into practice next season.

Mrs. Helen M. Baker Tells Of The Methods Employed.

Probably no one in Kent has done more to develop the turkey industry in the county, to a degree of success where it ranks a close second to the dairy business in net profits, than Mrs. Helen M. Baker. Mrs. Baker was born in New York, where she lived until her husband, Harold M. Baker, purchased their farm in Quaker Neck, about ten miles from here. Mrs. Baker had never spent any time on a farm, nor raised poultry, before moving to the Eastern Shore. She believes that what she has accomplished any woman or man can do.

Mrs. Baker takes great pleasure in telling that her husband has become such a convert to the value of raising turkeys that he will practically discard the staple products of the farm and endeavor to excel his wife in raising turkeys the coming year.

In an interview Mrs. Baker gave details leading up to her success. Asked as to what she attributed her sucess in raising large flocks each year, regardless of whether conditions, she replied:

"First, great care in the selection of the breeding stock; second, the wonderful climate of the Eastern Shore, which is very favorable to raising all kinds of poultry; third, heavy feeding of the right kinds of feed, and fourth, plain common sense in the management of the flock. In the selection of the breeding stock too many times the late, unsalable pullets are kept to 'raise what they can,' and usually what they accomplish in raising is trouble, for they lay small eggs that produce weak pullets, and the few that survive of these weak birds are merely harbarers and carriers of diseases that would never attack a strong flock from vigorous parents. So often the gobblers, which are fifty per cent. of the coming year's flock, are gotten from adjoinng farms or in the neighborhood, or from an ordinary farm flock.

"Gobblers that are to be used for breeding should be particularly raised from hatching until maturity. As most of the flocks on farms are raised for slaughtering purposes they cannot profitably be fed, from hatching until maturity, with the expensive foods that are absolutely essential to make vigorous breeders. My 1925 flock has averaged close to $4 per bird for food alone, to say nothing of the labor involved in caring for it. Such expensive feeding is unnecessary for turkeys intended for slaughter, but very necessary to make strong, large, vigorous breeders for successful results in the spring.

"I believe the next few years will see wonderful strides in the poultry industry because of these advantages. Philadelphia, Baltimore and New York markets pay fancy prices for prime Maryland turkeys and if there were great numbers raised in this State there would be keen bidding from such buyers. As it is now the farmers, most of whom grow small flocks, are at the mercy of a few buyers who pay as little as they can.

"The early-hatched turkey is the one that is prime for the Thanksgiving market, and that market is usually better than at Christmas. In any case, all birds that are ready for the Thanksgiving market should be gotten off then in order to get advantage of the high market price and to give the later hatched birds a better chance to get in prime condition for the Christmas markets.

KENT BOY IN ACCIDENT

Leroy Faucett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Faucett, of Chestertown, now residing in Bloomfield, N. J., met with a serious accident of a cracked skull and other bruises when an auto collided at Bloomfield avenue and Grove street, Bloomfield. Faucett's car being driven on the avenue and that of Peter J. Donnelly, of Lynbrook, L. L., which was turning into the avenue from Grobe street, where the first crash. Jack Werner, of Newark, also driving on the avenue was so near at the time that he couldn't avoid driving his taxicab into the wreckage. Faucett was then rushed to the Mountainside Hospital in Glen Ridge and his condition at this writing is somewhat improved. His car is also a wreck. Mr. Donnelly who was driving a Cadilac at the rate of about 70 miles an hour was under arrest and he is out on $2,500 bail.

"Farmers have not the time to leave their homes and market their own crops, but they can become members of their County Farm Bureau, and as the bureau stands for service to its members (and many times to farmers not members), it should, and no doubt will, sell the farmers' turkeys to the best markets, if so requested. In two counties of Maryland is has been done successfully, and the Kent Farm Bureau has adopted the cooperative marketing plan for the sale of the Christmas stock."

Young Man Meets With Accident

Denwood Culver, of Hebron, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Culver, met with a painful accident while crossing the Rock Hall ferry with a sudden jar catching the young man between two trucks. He was rushed to the University Hospital in Baltimore and it was found that his collar bone was dislocated and his shoulder and breast bruised. He returned home Friday and is getting along nicely.

MEETING OF FARMERS IN BALTIMORE

Plans for the tenth annual convention of the Maryland Agricultural Society—The Maryland Farm Bureau Federation which is to be held in Baltimore City on January 6, 7 and 8, 1926, are rapidly assuming definite shape and from the enthusiasm being shown in the Farm Bureau counties of the State, it's going to be the biggest gathering of farmers and Farm Bureau members ever held in this State under similar auspices. All that is needed to bring about a realization of this conjecture is good weather aided by a willingness on the part of the members to sacrifice a little time on the farms.

This year's program, on which State Farm Bureau Secretary M. Melvin Stewart has been working for weeks will outstrip that of previous conventions in many ways and the delegates and others who attend are going to hear some excellent talks by men of prominence in agriculture and other walks of life. A special effort is being made to have the delegates bring their wives to this meeting and it is assured that there will be ample entertainment and recreation to make the sojourn in the Maryland metropolis a pleasant one. The woman will also be keenly interested in the annual meeting of the Home and Community Department of the State Farm Bureau Federation which will be held on the second day of the meeting, January 7.

Among the speakers who have already been scheduled for addresses at the different sessions of the parent body are: Governor Ritchie, Daniel Williard, president of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, E. P. Cohill, president of the Maryland Farm Bureau Federation, Charles J. Brand, secretary-treasurer of the National Fertilizer Association, Washington, D. C., John L. Alcock, President Baltimore Association of Commerce, Rev. Dr. David Hughes, of Baltimore, Edward A. O'Neal, President of The Alabama Farm Bureau Federation, James W. Davis, of Harford county, Vice President of the Maryland Farm Bureau Federation, Dr. A. F. Woods, President of University of Maryland, and Miss Mary Mims, Louisiana Farm Bureau Federation.

One of the principal features of the convention will be the Farm Bureau banquet which will be held on Thursday night at the Hotel Rennert. The banquet committee is not divulging just what will be "pulled off" on this occasion but it may be depended on to be some thing out of the ordinary as in the past. The convention headquarters will also be located in the Hotel Rennert.

MODERN QUARTERS FOR FIRE COMPANY

Monday evening bids were opened for making extensive improvements to the Chestertown Firemen's Hall on Cross street. The Pennington Construction Company was awarded the contract at $710.50. Other bids were Walter T. Pippin $1550; HarveyBlyman $953.20; T. Ellsworth Newcomb $947.

The auditors showed that the net receipts of the recent carnival was $5607.50 and highly complimented the treasurer, B. R. Bartley, for his efficiency. The gross receipts were $10,869.64.

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"HOW TO SETTLE THE OLD YEAR OUT SO AS NOT TO AFFECT THE EYES" A POTASH AND PERLMUTTER STORY BY MONTAGUE GLASS, IN SUNDAY'S BALTIMORE AMERICAN.

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