Kent News.

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NOTICE OF MOVING

We wish to announce that we have moved from Rock Hall, Main street, to our new shop on the road, leading to Piney Neck and hope to give our patrons a better service than before. All our goods are handled by Mr. Nelson Rodney in Rock Hall fresh daily. Orders are taken by our drivers or by phone No. 26F22 Rock Hall, Md. (j9–2t) HUBER'S BAKERY.

FOR RENT

A bright, sunshinny room, heated and lighted with bath room conveniences on Kent Circle. Apply to KENT NEWS. j2-3t*

ROOMS FOR RENT

Two large furnished rooms, completed for light house-keeping with electric lights and gas. Also privilege of bath or a large front bedroom well heated. Apply to MRS. M. EMBERT, 112 East Cannon street, Chestertown, Md., Phone 232. j2-3t*

START THE NEW YEAR WITH SUNSHINE

Read "Dale King, the Apostle of Sunshine" by Gus Ward. Newspapers everywhere claim it a master piece of wit and humor. Fifty funny stories. Cloth bound. It is being sent to the hospitals to cheer the sick. What critics say. The New York Times says it is a sure cure for the blues. Quincy Evening Times says it is a laugh from start to finish. Dr. Wilbur F. Cochran says it beats Peck's Bad Boy. A hundred hearty laughs guaranteed or money refunded. Price $1.25. Address WARD BOOK CO., Crisfield, Md j2

We take this method of thanking the public for their liberal patronage during the year

1925

We hope to merit a continuance during

1926

And Wish All A

Prosperous New Year

Fairlee Public Garage

Howard C. Jones

Raw Furs Wanted

I am prepared to pay the highest market price for all kinds of raw fur including weasel, muskrat, opossum, otters, racoon and beef hides.

Will be in Chestertown EVERY SATURDAY.

MORGAN K. BENNETT

Phone 826F11 Chestertown, Md.

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,

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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

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"THE MYSTERY OF WHAT DOES HE SEE IN HER?" BY FANNIE HURST, HIGHEST PAID SHORT STORY WRITER

Sale Of Deep Point Farm

Mrs. Gladys R. Wickes has sold her Deep Point farm of 300 acres to Sifon Reif, of Baltimore. This farm is beautifully situated on Chester river and was formerly owned by Jack Westcott.

Mrs. Wickes has purchased four brick dwellings near Druid Hill Park. Nearly $30,000 are the figures mentioned in the above deals.

SUPPER

The Ladies' Aid of Worton M. E. Church will hold a Poultry Supper in the Hall, Thursday, January 21st. Menu will comprise turkey, duck, chicken, etc., etc. If stormy, next evening. Adult tickets 75 cents; children 35 cents. j9

LYCEUM THEATRE

Chestertown, Maryland

SHOWING ONLY THE BEST IN MOTION PICTURES

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY JANUARY 8th and 9th

Universal Feature

JACK HOXIE in "THE ROARING ADVENTURE"

"Fast Express" serial, News. Comedy and Lyman Howe Hodge Podge.

MONDAY, JANUARY 11th ONE NIGHT ONLY

First National Presents "TARNISH"

With MAY McAVOY, MARIE PROVOST, ROLAND COLEMAN, NORMAN KERRY AND HARRY MYERS.

Every woman in love should see "Tarnish"—no man can afford to miss it.

Also Lloyd Hamilton Comedy

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY JANUARY 12th and 13th

Metro Goldwyn presents "THE DIXIE HANDICAP"

Reginald Barker's Production With CLARE WINDSOR, FRANK KEENAN AND LLOYD HUGHES.

A true blue story of the blue grass country. The swiftest racing drama in a generation.

Also Comedy and Leather Pushers.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 14th ONE NIGHT ONLY

A Paramount Picture.

BEBE DANIELS in "MISS BLUEBEARD"

The gay love farce which Broadway roared at for a solid year.

The biggest laugh picture of the year.

Also Pathe News, Aesops Fables and Comedy.

FRIDAY and SATURDAY JANUARY 15th and 16th

Universal Film Co. presents HOUSE PETERS in "RAFFLES"

Also Chapter Play "Fast Express" International News and Comedy.

MAMMOTH BRONZE STOCK TURKEYS FOR SALE

Gobblers $15 each.

HELEN M. BAKER, Chestertown, Maryland, n14-tf R. F. D. No. 3 Phone 813F13.

FOR RENT

Two or three rooms for light housekeeping with heat, light and bath room conveniencies. Apply 234 KENT CIRCLE. j9–3t

A. FULLER BRUSH and Old Full 'o' Gloom.

Old Full o'Gloom the grouchy shirk,
Just stalked from room to room
And shadowed all the house wife's work,
With everlasting gloom
For this is the season of mud and slush,
And old Full'o'Gloom is around.
But you wield a FULLER DUST PAN BRUSH,
And he'll go out with a bound.
There are some things he can't seem to stand,
That lazy Full'o'Gloom,
And that's to see in a house wife's hand,
A FULLER BRUSH OR BROOM.
For A FULLER BRUSH and old Full'o'Gloom
Are not the least relation,
For while Full'o'Gloom is the scum of the earth,
FULLER BRUSH is the Pride of the Nation!

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FIRE DESTROYS FERRY BOAT AT ROCK HALL

Blazing Craft Cut Adrift To Save Wharves And Other Vessels; No One Aboard—Chestertown Firemen Fight Flames Threatening Along Nearby Docks.

The ferry "Baltimore" of the Baltimore and Eastern Shore Ferry Co. was burned to the water's edge on Wednesday night at Rock Hall.

Catching fire shortly before 8 p. m. while no one was aboard as it was tied up in its slip at Rock Hall pier, it was cut adrift and allowed to float out, a mass of flames, in order to prevent destruction of its sister ship, the "Eastern Shore," and the pier and warehouses.

The flames leaped through the craft quickly, and in little more than an hour the last of its charred hulk smouldered in the Chesapeake Bay.

The fire was discovered by W. Reybold Wilson, retired merchant and stockholder in the Ferry Company, as he was strolling on the pier. The flames, apparently originated in the engine room where the fires had been left banked, already were breaking through the upper deck near the forward pilot house.

Mr. Wilson notified Frank Jester, night watchman, who was aboard the "Eastern Shore," in an adjoining slip. Capt. Hillary B. Akers, of the Ferry Companp, was on the scene in a moment after the fire was discovered and ordered whistle blown on "Eastern Shore." also phoned to Chestertown for the Chestertown Volunteer Fire Company.

When the firemen arrived with their chemical truck the ship was a mass of flames and the fire was attacking the pier.

Residents of Rock Hall, fearing for the other ship and the warehouses on the pier, cut the Baltimore loose and with poles shoved it out into the channel. The firemen confined their efforts to putting out the incipient blazes set on the pier by flying sparks sent up in a great shower from the steamer.

The Baltimore and the Eastern Shore, which had been laid up for several days by the fog and ice floes that covered the bay, were to have resumed their regular trips to Bay Shore Thursday.

O. L. Tunis, manager of the company, visited Rock Hall Wednesday and arranged for resumption of schedules.

Both ships were purchased by the company about six years ago in New York at a price reported to be $125,000 each, when the ferry service was begun.

This boat was valued at $150,000 with $70,000 insurance.

CARD OF APPRECIATION

We wish to thank our kind friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness during the illness and death of my brother. MRS. GEORGE BACON AND FAMILY. j9

AGENT WANTED

A good live cigar, cigarette and tobacco salesman. We have the sole agency for the following well known cigar brands:

Geo. W. Childs, Five cents.

Popper's Eight Center, Two for fifteen.

Lord Baltimore, Three for a quarter.

El Principal, Ten cents to Three for a half.

Don Julian, Ten cents to Three for a half. Made in Tampa, Fla.

Cortez, Ten cents to Three for a half. Made in Key West, Fla.

A Liberal Commission will be paid. Reference required.

CENTRAL CIGAR CO., Inc., 124 Hopkins Place, Baltimore, Md j9

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Betterton Ice and Electric Company will be held at the office of Turner & Son, Betterton, Maryland, on

Wednesday, January 20, 1926,

at 8 p. m., for the election of directors and transaction of any other business that may come before the stockholders. By order,

HOWARD TURNER, President.

Chas. H. Brice, Secretary. j9–tm

WANTED

HIDES OF ALL KINDS

Highest Market Price

Will be at Rock Hall every Friday from 11 a. m. until 1 p. m. at cross

HOTEL FIRE IN EASTON

The Chestertown Volunteer Fire Company was called to Easton at 11 o'clock yesterday morning. The fire started in Hotel Avon and was held in check there. The loss will be about $15,000. Salisbury, Centreville and other companies were on hand.

TILLER FOUND GUILTY SENTENCED 15 YEARS

Joshua Tiller, colored, on trial in Elkton on a charge of criminally assaulting four-year-old Marian Walls, of Millington, was convicted Monday night and sentenced to fifteen years in the Maryland penitentiary. The defendant denied the charge. Attorneys for the State asked for the death penalty. The court deliberated about two hours before announcing their decision. Tiller was taken to Baltimore under heavy guard.

The child before admitting her testimony, was questioned by the court and stated her belief in God and answered other questions intelligently showing herself to be unusually bright.

Tiller worked for the little girl's near Millington. After the assault he was locked up in Centreville jail and a mob attempted to break into the jail and lynch him. Tiller was then taken to Baltimore for safe keeping. He was brought to Elkton under heavy guard and was guarded during the trial.

Madison Brown, the prosecuting attorney stated to the court, in outlining the case, he would produce testimony to show Tiller's physical condition had been communicated to the little girl as a result of his alleged attack upon her. The statement created a profound impression in the court. J. H. C. Legg, Esq., appointed by the Court, represented the prisoner.

A Rotary Club for Chestertown

Representatives of the Rotary Club of Easton met and dined with a group of Chestertown men on Monday night at the Voshell House for the purpose of organizing a Rotary Club in Chestertown. At the close of the dinner a tentative organization for the Chestertown Rotary was formed with Dr. Paul E. Titsworth as President, Marion deK. Smith as Vice President, and Robert R. Huey as Secretary and Treasurer. A Charter has been applied for from the Rotary International and as soon as it arrives Rotary in Chestertown will be firmly established.

President Shanahan and Rotarians Harris, Jefferson, Marshall and Fogle represented the Easton Club at the meeting and dinner.

Miss Regina Rasin, deputy county treasurer, reports that the bulk of the county's taxes was collected during the past two weeks, between $90,000 and $100,000 being collected in six days. The total amount of money levied in cash by the Board of County Commissioners to meet the expenses of the county is $222,447.09 and Treasurer George Sutton is making an effort to secure the entire amount before the first of April, when the property of all delinquents will be advertised for sale for taxes. During 1924 there remained on the books of the County Treasurer $52,000 uncollected in taxes, which resulted in considerable embarrassment to the County Commissioners in meeting their obligations and Treasurer Sutton has given notice that he intends to clear his books before April 1st.

FOR SALE

Stock Gobblers for sale at $15.00 each. HELEN M. BAKER. Chestertown, Md., R. F. D. No. 3. Phone 813F13. j9–tf

FURNITURE FOR SALE

(Private)

As we have decided to make a change, will sell our entire lot of Household Furniture.

MR. AND MRS. D. R. WOODALL, 100 N. Cross St., Chestertown, Md j9–3t*

WARNING

No one is authorized to buy anything in my name, not sell anything belonging to me nor make any contract in which I am involved without written authority from me. I will not pay any bills nor be bound

WEDDING NOTES

Howard G. Byrd and Mrs. Margaret Shure Mullikin were married at the home of the bride, the Avon Apartments, Baltimore, on Thursday, Dec. 31, 1925. The wedding was quiet only a few being present.

On Thursday, December 31st, 1925, at North East, Md., Miss Rose W. Walbert became the bride of Gilbert M. Hadaway. Rev. Daniel Givan performed the ceremony.

The bride was becomingly attired in China Blue Crepe back satin and metal cloth hat with shoes and gloves to match.

They motored to North East, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Waddell, the latter a sister of the groom who witnessed the ceremony.

Immediately following the ceremony they took a train for Baltimore where they were met at the Caswell Hotel, on New Year's Eve by the bride's brother, J. Weldon Walbert, and his bride, where they were all entertained at a dinner party, after which they were sufficiently showered with rice and congratulations.

Upon their arrival home on Saturday evening, they were given a poultry dinner at the home of the bride and groom's mother, Mrs. James Walbert near Lankford. The immediate families of both parties being present.

Mr. and Mrs. Hadaway will reside on Queen street, Chestertown. The groom being engaged in business here.

Mr. and Mrs. Walbert will reside at Fairview farm near Chestertown, where the groom is engaged in farming.

The home of Walter B. Greenwood near St. James Church, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Saturday, December 26th, 1925, at 2 p. m., when his daughter, Helen Ford, became the bride of Albert H. Ivens, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ivens. Rev. Colvin Randall performed the ring ceremony, under well draped Christmas garlands, with large Christmas bell in center.

The bride wore a dress of white silk messaline trimmed in wide Spanish lace, with bridal veil, caught up with band of rhinestone, and carried white roses. She also wore a three-strand string of pearls, gift of the groom, and an old fashioned, but handsome gold brooch that belonged to her grandmother Moore, of Dorchester county.

Mrs. Carrie LeSage acted as bridesmaid and wore light blue silk with pearl trimming and carried pink roses.

The groom wore a suit of navy blue. E. P. LeSage acted as best man and wore a suit of gray.

Mrs. J. W. Ivens, mother of the groom wore a dress of gray. After the ceremony the relatives and friends were invited to the dinning room, which was decorated in pink and white, where ice cream, cake, lemonade, candies and fruits were served.

At four o'clock the bride and groom left for The East New Market Hotel, Dorchester county. On Sunday they were entertained at dinner by Mrs. Roy Hurst, of Secretary, and had supper with Mrs. Alva Colburn, also of Secretary, and an aunt of the bride. They returned to the bride's home Monday and left Sunday for Baltimore where the groom is employed. They will be at home to their friends at 432 South Paterson Park Avenue, Baltimore.

Mrs. Carson Greenwood played the wedding march and wore a pretty dress of navy blue silk crepe de chine.

In the presence of the members of the families of the contracting parties a pretty double wedding took place Thursday afternoon of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Embert, near Starr, when their attractive daughter, Miss Edith Embert was married to Harper Jester, and Miss Sadie Embert, another charming daughter, became the bride of Rayfield Tarr. The home was prettily decorated with evergreen and potted plants, and the double ceremony was performed by Rev. R. L. Kirby, pastor of the Starr and Wye Mills M. E. Churches. Both brides were charmingly gowned in dark blue back crepe, with accessories to match, and carried bride roses. They were unattended. Mr. and Mrs. Tarr will reside in Kent county, and Mr. and Mrs. Jester will reside near Starr.

TWO BIG ENTERTAIN FEATURES — 8 PAGE JC AND PUZZLE BOOK ANI WORD FAMOUS COMICS COLORS — BOTH IN S DAY'S BA

Miss Miriam Stauffer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Stauffer, of Fairlee, was married in Baltimore, Dec. 23, 1925, to George Houck, of Baltimore. They spent ten days with the bride's mother. They will reside in Baltimore.

John W. Hill, of Rock Hall, and Miss Hilda Ashley, of Piney Neck, were quietly married at Grace M. E parsonage, Piney Neck, by the Rev. T. S. Barrett, on Wednesday evening, December 30th. The happy couple will reside in the new house which they have recently built in Rock Hall.

Charles Hamacher, a merchant of Rock Hall, and Miss F. Irene Ecker, of Frederick county, Md., were united in marriage by the Rev. T. S. Barrett, at Grace M. E. parsonage, Piney Neck, on Saturday evening, Jan. 2nd.

Miss Delila Melvin, of Queen Anne, and William Robinson, of Carmicha were quietly married Saturday eve ing, December 26, at the parsona of the M. P. Church, Chestertov Rev. N. O. Gibson officiated, and t ceremony was witnessed by Mr. a Mrs. Howard Melvin and Benjam Melvin, Jr. The bride is a daught of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Melvin, Carmichael, and the groom is a s of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Robins also of Carmichael. He has for so time lived at Linwood Heights, P where the young couple will ma their home.

Mrs. Charles E. Elliott annou the marriage of her daughter, Margaret Loller, to J. Weldon Walbert. Due to the recent death of the bride's father the weddinf was witnessed only by the immediate family and solemnized at the home of her sister, Mrs. Emory Ech, 34 Murray avenue Annapolis, Md., Thursday, Dec. 31. After a buffet luncheon Mr. and Mrs Walbert left for Baltimore and other northern points. They will be at home after January 15, Chesterto where the groom is engaged in f ing.

Announcement. — Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Skirven announce the engagement of their daughter, Angelin Bard, to Wm. Belt Townshend, of Chestertown, son of Mrs. Lottie Evans Townshend and the late Sidnep P. Townshend. The wedding will take place in the near future.

Miss Pauline Nichols announced her engagement to Henry Muessen on Saturday afternoon at a bridge party held at her home on East Market street, Denton. Among the guests were the Misses Ann and Harriett Welch, Chestertown.

FOUND IN CHESTERTOWN

Nellie Mae Turner, 15 year old Wicomico High School Student at Salisbury, Md., missing from her home since Sunday, was located on Wednesday at Chestertown, Md., the guest of a Washington College Student. The girl was located by John Turner, her father, who went to Baltimore in search of her. He learned of her whereabouts through Miss Marion Simpkins, a former Salisbury chum, with whom she spent the holidays. Through Miss Simpkin, Mr. Turner said he had learned that his daughter had gone by bus to Chestertown when ice in the bay had blocked the ferry Sunday.

Police of four cities had been asked to join in a search for her, who had been missing since last Sunday. The parents held to the belief that she had been kidnapped.

The first real game of ice h ever staged in Chestertown played between the Washingto lege Club and the well-known brook Club of Baltimore tomorro 1 o'clock p. m. on the large pond Urieville. Among the Baltimo skaters and followers of the p will be Rodger H. Pippin, Sports tor of the Baltimore News, St Cofall, famous All-American ball guard and accomplished Joe Eichelberger, noted ice star, and others equally s on the ice. Dr. Rand former Penn hoc captain the free. Mo The ice Uriev

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