Local Notes

Lent begins February 17th.

Tuesday, February 2nd is Ground Hog Day.

Radio fans of Chestertown on Monday and Tuesday night heard special programs broadcasted from South America, Cuba, Canada, Mexico, Spain, etc.

The sale on Thursday of the power boat Chester advertised by C. W. Kibler and others was withdrawn at a bid of $8,800.

Henry C. Lusby, fur dealer, purchased from Alex Wilson, colored, an exceptionally fine otter pelt, for which the dealer paid $17.50. The otter was caught in the marsh on Robert R. Hill's farm, Still Pond Neck.

John W. Barnes, Clerk of Chester Camp, No. 8745, Modern Woodman of America, on Saturday last paid to Mrs. F. D. Leary a check for $1000, being the amount of insurance her late husband carried in the Woodmen. Mr. Leary had been a member of this Camp since October 1900, when it was organized in Chestertown.

The annual election of officers of the Kent Building and Loan Association was held Monday evening as follows: President, L. Bates Russell; vice president, Fred. G. Usilton; secretary-treasurer, Chas. N. Satterfield; attorney, John D. Urie, Esq.; directors, the officers and Charles S. Smith, James H. Sides, A. M. Culp, Wm. F. Russell, M. A. Toulson, The association is in a splendid condition.

The Washington College Champion Basket Ball team struck a slump last week and lost two games — one to University of Maryland 30 to26, and the other to Georgetown University 27 to 23. Up to these games the college had won 24 straight games. A close game is expected here tonight against Loyola.

The steamer Express will be withdrawn from the Baltimore-Tolchester route on February 2nd for general overhauling and repairs, and the steamer Annapolis will run in her place until such overhauling is completed.

At a meeting of the Rock Hall Building and Loan Association Monday, January 18th, G. E .Leary was elected President; T. B. Durding, Vice President, and J. D. Ayres, Secretary and Treasurer for the year.

Chestertown Council No. 58 Daughters of America celebrated its 25th anniversary on Monday evening at Fraternal Hall. There were present about fifty members including one from Millington, four from Rock Hall and nine from Crumpton Councils. After a short program including an address by J. B. McIntire, who was a charter member, a fine supper was enjoyed including delicious ham, chicken and potato salad, cold slaw, pickles, jellies, olives, celery, biscuit, coffee, ice cream and cake.

A cold wave struck Kent yesterday. The mercury recorded all the way from 0 to 8. Take your choice.

Clarence Pierce was loading shells Sunday and one of them exploded and mangled his left hand and fingers. He was taken to Easton Hospital by Edward Hudson and Milford Carr.

Dr. J. P. Franklin, Deputy State Health Officer for Cecil, Kent and Queen Anne's counties, addressed the Elkton Rotary Club on Tuesday evening on "A full Time Health Officer.'

Mrs. Hope H. Barroll last week presented to the Washington College Library a fine revolving book case which had belonged to her husband, the late Hon. Hope H. Barroll. The gift is especially appreciated at this time when the library is under a process of reorganization.

What may be done on a 38-acre farm is proven by Henry Anderson, of near Fairlee. He realized $1200 from his asparagus and $3,000 from other crops making a revenue of $4,000.

A clinic for disease of the chest will be conducted in The Health Center, Chestertown, Wednesday, February 17th, at 1 p. m. Individauls complaining of any of the following —Cough, expectoration of blood (spitting), tired feeling, loss of weight and appetite, indigestion, hoarseness, etc., should see their family physician and obtain permission to attend at the place announced above.

A sow and nine young pigs, bought for $35, in April last, by George Huber, of the Huber Baking Company, were brought to his farm, t Town Point, below Chesapeake City, where they fed mainly on stale bread, hauled from the bakery in Wilmington. Last week they were sold to the Wilmington Provision Company for slaughter. The live weight of the sow and pigs was 3,-270 pounds, the sow's 480 and the pigs' average 311 pounds. He received $400.56 for the ten. Their dressed weight showed a killing yield of 38½ per cent.

An attempt to rob the ticket office in the Pennsylvania railroad station at Golt was made some time Wednesday night. The agent at the station found the ticket window smashed and the cash drawer pulled open when he arrived at the station at an early hour.

An interesting "Spelling Bee" was held at the Parish House of Emanuel P. E. Church, Chestertown, Wednesday evening last. Miss Susie Roberts was the winner. A well-known college professor and a doctor of divinity both fell down on the word Hawaii. Another word that stumped the younger ones was the word aisle. Prof. Mark Creasy, the popular High School Principal, gave out the words and managed the affair in an expert manner.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NOTES

Mrs. Paul Adams and little daughter attended the 52nd wedding anniversary of her parents near Atlantic City, N. J., the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Starr returned to their home in Chestertown, last Sunday after a three weeks stay at the home of his mother, Mrs. T. R. Starr, at Pomona. During their stay in Pomona, a six-pound baby girl was born to them January 8th. Before returning home the Rev. McClintock, pastor of Bond Chapel, christened the little lady.

Miss Ellen Fisher has been the guest of friends in town this week.

Mrs. A. L. Sparks is improved in health, a change for the better occurring Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Glenn, of Rock Hall, are being congratulated —its a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Sparks, of Baltimore, were week-end guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sparksi

Miss Eunice Lambert, of Philadelphia, was the week-end guest of Dr. and Mrs. Harry L. Dodd.

Eben F. Perkins is nursing a sprained right wrist received from a "kick" from his automobile crank.

Miss Mary Scott, of Baltimore, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Webster McIntire over the week-end.

Mrs. Alex Herzberg has been confined to her room by sickness the past week.

Little Doris Savington is quite sick with pneumonia at the home of her grandparents on High street.

Mrs. G. Bates Chaires has been confined to her home the past week suffering with sinus trouble.

Mrs. Helen Chanler, of Salisbury, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William F. Russell in Chestertown, received a telephone call from her husband at 12 o'clock on Monday night from Florida. Mr Chandler has been in Florida the past month in the interest of the Adkins Company from Salisbury. He found out he had to stay several months longer and phoned his wife to join him. Mrs. Chandler left Chestertown Tuesday for her home in Salisbury, to make preparations to leave at once for the southern State.

Mrs. Dudley G. Roe, of Sudlersville, entertained Tuesday and Thursday of last week at bridge luncheon. Among those present were Mrs. A. F. Shure, Miss Francis Perry, Mrs. Claude Everett Truslow, Mrs. S Scott Beck and Mrs. J. Thomas Kibler, of Chestertown; Mrs. Isaac Gibbs,(Mrs. Frank Huey, Mrs. Jos. Gibbs and Mrs. Woodall, of Massey. The first prize was awarded to Miss Francis Perry and Mrs. S. Scott Beck won the second prize.

Mr. and Mrs. James G. Beck, of Chestertown, entertained a large company on Tuesday evening last, it being the anniversary of their wedding.

MANY CHANGES IN PASTORATES

A number of changes in the pastorates of various local Methodist Episcopal Churches are expected to be made at the approaching annual meeting of the Wilmington Conference, although no definite announcement has yet been made.

St. Paul's Church presents a vacancy to be filled, due to the recent resignation of Rev. Carlisle L. Hubbard, who accepted a call to Newburgh, N. Y, He expects to leave the pastorate here in March. It is said that no local minister has as yet asked for the charge, and the general impression prevails that a minister from the west, or middle west, may be chosen.

A number of the present incumbents have been asked by their congregations to retain present charges. Among those who have not yet acknowledged the invitations are Rev. W. Ernest Greenfield, pastor of Brandywine Church; Rev. W. A. Wise, pastor of Scott Church; Rev. O. B. Rice, pastor of Chester-Bethel; and Rev. Thomas Pardee, who has been acting as supply at Christiana.

Besides the vacancy created in the conference by Dr. Hubbard, going to Neuburgh, several other vacancies will also be created. Rev. W. R. Mowbray, pastor of Cookman Memorial Church, has announced that he will retire from active work at the close of the conference year.

Among the rumored changes is that Rev. W. A. Wise will be sent to Delaware City Church, where Rev. J. W. Easley, who has been acting as supply, has also announced that he will retire at the close of the conference year.

One change that has already been confirmed is at Grace Church, where Rev. L. E. Wimbrow, assistant pastor, has announced his intention of going to another conference. Frank P. Mitchell, now deputy warden at the New Castle workhouse, has accepted an invitation to fill Mr. Wimbrow's place.

Rev. W. Ernest Greenfield, who has expressed a desire to be transferred to another church, is thought to be slated for a change in the lower part of the State. He has already been pastor of several churches in Wilmington.

It is not thought likely that any of the ministers who were transferred there during the conference last year will be moved this year. All of them have been extended invitations to return.

GAME PRESERVE FIGURES

Maryland's game preserves, where game of all kinds find a refuge from the gunner's fire, total 19,276 acres, according to figures on game conditions in the State, just compiled for the fiscal year ended September 30, 1925, by the Game Department of the State Conservation Department.

This acreage under lease by the State Game Department is distributed in four counties, though it is the hope of the department to ultimately have a refuge, under the control of the authorities, in each county of the State. At present there are 7,500 acres under lease by the department in Garrett county, 1,956 in Allegany county, 7,800 in Baltimore county and 2,020 in Prince George's county. With a refuge in each county the increase of game under the most ideal conditions would be brought about, it is maintained.

During the fiscal year in these refuges and in private refuges the State Game Department distributed 11,349 cotton-tail rabbits, 2,140 Chinese ringneck pheasants, 246 ruffed and sharp-tail grouse, 124 wild turkeys, 46 racoons, 277 bob white quail, one deer and 475 pheasant eggs. The pheasants, part of the wild turkeys, the bob white quail and the pheasant eggs were products from the State Game Farm. Bad weather conditions last year caused the death of 3,500 young pheasants at the game farm which would have otherwise been distributed.

In the fight the State Game Department is making on hawks and other game-destroying vermin bounty of 50 cents each was paid on 19,-374 hawks killed during the fiscal year. During the year 436 persons were prosecuted for violations of the State game laws and 358 were convicted. The State's share of fines from these convictions amounted to $3,700.

During the fiscal period 51,843 county gunning licenses, 8,673 State-wide licenses and 1,791 non-resident licenses were issued. In revenue this brought the department $62,307.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan A. Harris, of Chestertown, entertained a large number of friends on Thursday evening last. Among the guests was their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Allan B. Harris, of Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. Fred Robinson, of Baltimore is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs Samuel E. Cooper. Mr. Robinson was their guest over the week-end.

R. Hynson Rogers, Thomas W. Perkins, Eben F. Perkins and Claude Truslow attended the motor boat show in New York this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Brice entertained a large company at their home in Fairlee on last Saturday evening. Among the 40 guests were the three brothers of Mrs. Brice, the Messrs. Hill, from Baltimore.

T. Ellsworth Newcomb and Thomas Holdson have rented the land of the late Robert N. Boston and will use same to raise vegetables and other produce. In addition to this Mr. Newcomb will still do contracting and building.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Beck, of Calvert, are guests of P. A. M. Brooks and wife on the Avenue.

We are sorry to report Miss Katie Trew as suffering from a relapse of the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Sewell and daughter, Miriam, Mrs. Thos. White, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Goss and daughter, Jane, were guests last Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Leily, near Centreville.

Dr. and Mrs. H. Benge Simmons entertained at dinner Wednesday the directors and officers of the Peoples Bank.

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