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Twenty per cent of the total number of white and colored children born in Kent county last year, died before they were one year old. During 1925, the last year for which figures are available, the infant mortality rate in this county was very little higher than that of any other county in Maryland, but was higher than the average of the nation. These facts were revealed in a statement given out by the office of the deputy State health officer for Cecil, Kent and Queen Anne's counties.

The situation is regarded as alarming by State health officials. They point out that from 1922 to 1925 the number of births, both colored and white, has been less each year, and that the total population of Kent county has become increasingly less. Last year the infant mortality rate among colored people of the county was 254. Widespread ignorance, indifference, bad milk and a low moral standard with the incidence of diseases are held responsible by the officials. In that same year, the infant mortality rate among whites was 162, which was far too high, according to health officers, considering that the white rate in all the counties of Maryland was but 78 for the same year.

From 1922 to 1925 the total population of Kent county has decreased from 14,529 to 13,933. The number of births has decreased, among both whites and blacks from 345 to 264 annually.

State officials believe this unfortunate and dangerous situation may be met when it is more generally appreciated and understood, and the public is better educated by State and local officials in public health matters. The weekly bulletins issued by the Maryland Bureau of Child Hygiene to all county papers in Maryland; the study of pamphlets, distributed by the State and setting forth the importance of periodic physical examinations by married folks; attendance of public lectures given in Kent county by representatives of the bureau on maternity and child health topics; attendance on the regular visits of the State "healthmobile;" attendance by children and their mothers at the child health conferences held monthly, all, are expected to remedy the situation.

Margaret Foote, a colored nurse has been sent here to work among the Negroes under direction of the deputy health officer and the white public health nurse. Dr. John M. Nicklas, specialist of the Maryland Tuberculosis Association, says that fewer patients come to his clinics in Kent county than in any county on the Eastern Shore, and that this is not because there are fewer cases of tuberculosis in Kent. He attributes it to indifference.

FAIR SHO' POLOIST IN CINCINNATI TILT

Miss Alverta Brice, captain of the Eastern Shore Women's Polo Association played with the Maryland Women's Polo Association in an indoor polo match at Cincinnati Saturday night against the feminine contingent of that city, but were defeated. On the Maryland team were Mr. T. J. Randolph Nicholas, Mrs. Amos Koontz, Miss Catherine Bosley and Miss Alberta Brice.

Early in March Miss Brice will take all her horses to Baltimore and set up a riding academy in the Green Spring Valley. She will also coach the boys' and girls' polo teams recently organized among the Valley younger set.

Miss Rowena Woods, star of the Shore feminine team, and one of its organizers, entered one of her mounts in the gymkhana and music ride held by the Philadelphia Saddle Horse Association, February 23. Miss Woods entered the lady rider class, the musical chair ride for ladies, the night shirt race and the jumping horse race.

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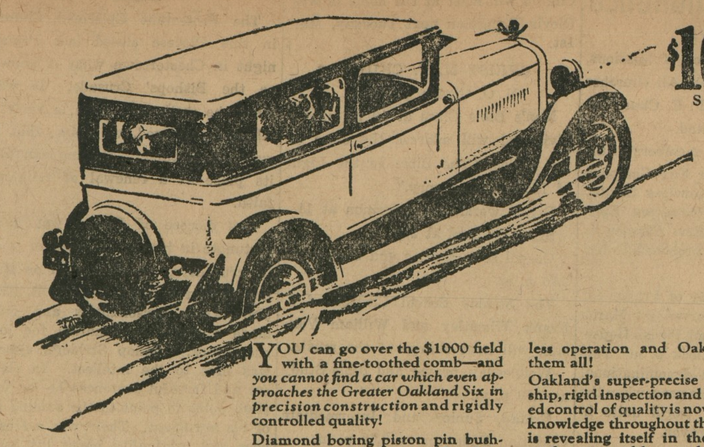

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