Kent News.

VOL. 87. CHESTERTOWN, MD., SATURDAY, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1928 NO. 40

BAKE

The Y. P. S. L. of Shrewsbury Parish will hold a Bake Saturday, Feb 18, 1928, in Gill Bros. Ice Cream Parlor, at 10.30 o'clock. Cakes, pies, rolls, biscuits and poultry will be on sale. Proceeds for the building of the Parish House. f11-2t

VALENTINE SOCIAL

The Ladies' Aid of Union M. E. Church, Rich Neck, will hold a valentine social at the home of Mr. Foster Smith on Friday evening, February 17. Lot of fun promised. Admission 25 cents. f11

DANCE

The Queenstown Community Club will hold a Dance at Queenstown Friday evening, February 17th, 1928. Oscar Apple's Orchestra will furnish music.

PLATE SUPPER

Still Pond P. T. A. will hold a Plate Supper in I. O. O. F. Hall, Saturday, Febraury 11th, at 5.30 p. m. Fried oysters, creamed chicken, salad and vegetables. Price 50 cents.

CARD PARTY

The ladies of St. Dennis Catholic Church, Galena, Md., will hold a card party on the evening of February 15 1928, at 7.30 p. m. in the town Hall. Admission 50 cents. Prizes will be offered. Bridge, 500 and Euchre will be played. j28-2t

WOOD FOR SALE

Good white oak and red oak wood for sale. Delivered at curb at reasonable price. WM. H. NEEDLES, Phone 114M. f4-3t

FOR SALE

House on East Mill St., now occupied by Mr. Russell Starr. Easy terms to right party. Apply to T. G. WROTH, Court street. f4-3t

TOMATO SEED

We offer special selected tomato seed grown and saved under the supervision of the University of Maryland. Marglobe $5.00 per pound, Radebaugh Selection $4.00 per pound, Cash with order or C. O. D. TRI-STATE PACKERS' ASSOCIATION. Easton, Md. f4-3t

PURINA FEEDS

We carry a full line

FEED THEM for

MORE EGGS and MORE MILK

METCALFE BROS.

Chestertown Phone 209

Kennedyville Phone 65F14

Worton Phone 830F3

'm. Medders & Co.

n our advertisement you will see

Men's $2.00 Dress Shirts $1.35.
Ready Made Sheets $1.25.
Good Pillow Cases 22c.
Best Table Oil Cloth 22c.
Extra Large Towels 15c.
Window Curtains 49c.
Large Agate Cook Pots 29c.

Look it up and see for yourself, erything right here as advertised. See advt last page.

Medders & Co.
STILL POND, MD.

FOR SALE

A 2-seat light carriage, cheap, suitable for one horse. E. W. EMORY, Chestertown. f11-3t

LOST

A pocketbook was lost on streets of Chestertown Thursday night containing a key and a sum of money. The finder will be rewarded by leaving at the KENT NEWS Office.

WANTED

A young man as clerk in grocery store in Chestertown. Experience is not necessary. Apply by letter or person at KENT NEWS. f11-3t*

TREE SPRAYING

I am now ready to take care of your orchards and can spray them on short notice, on reasonable terms. SAMUEL SPRAY, Chestertown R. D. No. 5. f11-2t*

Basket Ball
AT
WASHINGTON COLLEGE
WITH
UNIV. OF BALTIMORE
TO-DAY, SAT. 11, 8.15 p.m.
Prelim. 7.15 p. m between
St. James vs. W.C.Freshmen
Reserved Seats at
Stam's, Sterling's, Bordley's
For all W. C. Games

MUSIC BOOK LOST

Lost in Chestertown week of Jan 27, one "Modern Graded Course of Studies" music-book. Finder please communicate with Kent News. f11-2t

FLOWERS

Pot flowers, Cyclamen, cinerarias in bloom, cut flowers, carnations and lillies. Funeral work a specialty. Phone 200, WALTER L. ELBURN. j28-3t*

WOOD FOR SALE

Good hickory wood for sale by the cord. C. R. RASIN, Worton Station, Kent Co., Md. j28-3t*

EAT MORE TURKEY

Off color and late hatched turkeys for sale. Milk fed and in fine condition. All weights at 50 cents per pound alive. BAKER MD. TURKEY FARM, Chestertown, Md. Phone 813-F-13. j14

MONEY TO LOAN

We have $20,000 to loan on first mortgages in sums to suit. Apply to HARRISON W. VICKERS, Chestertown, Md. d31-tf

FURS WANTED

We want all kinds of furs such as
MUSKRAT
COON
OPOSSUM
SKUNKS
HORSE HIDES
BEEF HIDES

We will pay the highest cash market price.

See us at our office under the Voshell House.

ROBERT MOFFETT.
Chestertown. Md. d31-tf

HOUSES AND LOTS FOR SALE

One double house and one single house, suitable for two apartments. Both situated in a desirable section of Chestertown.

Also two building lots on Queen street, two on Cannon street and one on Kent Circle. Any of these are for sale. For particulars apply to

T. G. WROTH,
Chestertown, Md. j21-4t*

FOR SALE OR RENT FOR 1928

Six-room house with three acres of land at Black, Md. For particulars apply to B. S. SUTTON, Black, Md., or MISS MAY GRAVES, Pinehurst, N. C., Box 925. j14-tf

LIVE STOCK WANTED

Having an order for one hundred fat cows and bulls, we are in a position now to pay good prices for same. See us before you sell, or call phone 14 Still Pond.

SMITH & ROBINSON.

WANTED

Only one more married man with car needed to distribute 100 samples per week for Fuller Brush Company in Kent County. Steady position. Good pay. Write at once 207 Delaware Trust Building, Wilmington, Delaware, or phone 1615. 1t

SERIOUS ACCIDENT

William Crow, Jr. of Kennedyville lost his horse and narrowly escaped serious injury Saturday when an automobile driven by Walter T. Pippin, of this town, collided with the horse young Crow was riding on the State road. The accident occurred near a large snowdrift when the horse went pell-mell into the car in getting out of a bad place in the road. William was knocked off and the horse was so badly injured that it had to be killed shortly afterward. William himself escaped with minor cuts and bruises. The horse's leg was broken and the car was slightly damaged.

CANDIDATE FOR COMMISSIONER

Having been urged by my friends to succeed myself as Commissioner of Chestertown, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Commissioner, subject to the votes of the tax payers at the next election to be held on April 23rd, 1928.

f11-tf GEORGE W. FRENCH.

AUTOMOBILES TO ALL POINTS

We will carry passengers to all points at reasonable rates.

We have good cars and careful drivers.

We wash cars by electricity at our Chestertown Garage.

Give us a trial.

WM. H. COOPER,
Corner of Kent and Calverts Sts.,
f11 Phone 256J. Chestertown, Md.

FEEDING OATS

We have a limited supply on hand of feeding oats in 50 bushel lots at 65 cents; less than 50 bushel lots 70 cents. Bring your bags along. METCALFE BROS., Chestertown, Worton and Kennedyville. f11-tf

WANTED MONDAY POULTRY

Will pay market price. Also calves and hogs over 150 lbs.

RED HEAD MAN,
Bibb Hotel. Chestertown, Md.

LOST

A pocket book containing cash and two checks payable to Thos. Shinn, was lost in Chestertown last Saturday. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to B. F. RASH, Worton, Md. 1t

WANTED

Men's clothes to mend, clean and press. Prices right. R. H. STARR, Pomona, Md. f11-3t

COWS FOR SALE

On account of my recent fire I will sell two young cows, 2 years old. T. B. tested and producer bred. D. W. INGERSOLL, Chestertown R. R. 3. Phone 815F3. f4-3t

WANTED

Man and wife on dairy and grain farm as farmer and cook. Must furnish good references. Apply THIS OFFICE. f4-2t

WANTED

Baby Lambs weighing 35 pounds. I. HELLER, Chestertown, Md. j28-3t

Dairy Feeds

We grind Cob Corn every Tuesday.

When mixed with a high potine, Feed gives good results and cuts the cost of your feed.

Can recommend for mixing.

Larro Dairy, Cotten Seed Meal.

24%—34% and addition of best pulp.

LADIES

At The Home Demonstration
Firemen's Hall, Jan. 27
We will give for the best loaf of bread made from
ROSE BUD FLOUR
First—98 lb. Flour.
Second—49 lb. Flour.
Third—24 lb. Flour.
We also carry Whole Wheat Flour.

BROOKS' MILL
Chestertown and Worton, Md

WM. G. SMYTH IN P. O. CONTEST

It was thought that John N. Bennett would have no opposition for reappointment as postmaster at Chestertown, but on Tuesday a new Richmond entered the list in the person of that well-known citizen Wm. G. Smith and a warm fight is developing in consequence.

Ten days ago it was reported that the Republican State Central Committee consisting of Olin Davis, of Galena, Robert R. Hill, of Kennedyville, and Charles H. Hutchins, of Chestertown, had indoresd Mr. Bennett for reappointment, but it is now known that Wm. G. Smyth, a former member of the county school board and now secretary-treasurer of the Kent County Farm Bureau, has made application for the position.

Mr. Smyth stated that he proposes to make an aggressive campaign to secure the place. He also stated that he has powerful support among the rank and file of the Republican party, and believes he will have the indorsement of at least all or part of the State Central Committee. Meanwhile Mr. Bennett feels confident of reappointment, and is known to have influential backing for the position, which pays $2,800.

If is should happen that the Republicans get tied up on the question we feel confident an adv. in the Kent News would procure a competent man or woman to fill the position.

There are said to be a prominent politician and a merchant who may throw their hats in the ring for this plum.

COMMERCE SCHOOL TO OPEN HERE

Wednesday, February 15, has been announced as the opening date of the Chestertown School of the Georgia-Carolina School of Commerce. The first day session will begin at 9 o clock on that day and the first session for night students will start at 7 o'clock next Wednesday.

The suite of offices on the first floor of the Imperial Hotel Building, now occupied by James G. Beck's Insurance Agency will be the location of the school.

This school here will be operated for a term only and those who expect to attend should enroll now and enter at the beginning of the term Wainwright Bridges is the authorized representative here. He can be reached at the Voshell Hotel.

Enrollments now include residents of Chestertown,, Rock Hall, Galena, Betterton, Fairlee and Worton, and some are expected to come from Queen Anne's county, it is said.

Subjects taught in the new school will include Bookkeeping, Banking, Gregg Shorthand, Touch Typewriting, Business Arithmetic, Business English, Business Correspondence, Spelling, Penmanship, Rapid Calculation and General Office Practice.

A colored couple from Pennsylvania "eloped" to Chestertown last Friday, and after getting a license and a ring, were directed, to the paster of Janes M. E. Church who married them.

BETTERTON-STILL POND

Chautauqua

FEB. 24RD-FEB. 25TH

BETTERTON HIGH SCHOOL

Oratorical Contest Betterton High School, Feb. 22nd, 8 p. m.

Gold Medal and Certificate of Award given to winners.

Admission to this contest 25c, but to all persons holding season tickets to the Chautauqua, admission free.

Chautauqua begins Feb. 23rd, at 2.30 p. m.

One of the most interesting programs ever presented by the Swarthmore Chautauqua will be given this year.

Season tickets—Adults, $1.75.
Children under 15 years, $1.00
Six performances.

Buy your tickets early and be prepared to enjoy the splendid three-day program.

Music—Lectures—Magic — Drama.

The play this year will be "Daddy Long Legs," given Friday Evening February 24th.

Hon. Frank B. Pearson gives his celebrated lecture, "Whither Goeth Thou."

Frederick Trappe, Ventriloquist, S. S. Henry & Co., Magic.

Sunday program in the churches.

BETTERTON-STILL POND CHAUTAUQUA

AMBULANCE FUND GROWS IN PAST WEEK

Together with the names and amounts of contribution listed below, the Kent County Ambulance Fund has reached the sum of $811 in collections and nearly two hundred more in promises:

Mrs. S. Scott Beck	5.00
Miss Susie Roberts	5.00
Mr. Crew	1.00
Miss Fisher	1.00
Mr. Malin	1.00
Mrs. Parks Rasin	1.00
Capt. Gilbert Brown	1.00
Miss Maude Duyer	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. Thos. D. Bowers	20.00
Cash	5.00
Cash	5.00
E. Clarke Fontaine	10.00
Fred G. Usilton	10.00
Mrs. H. Fowler	1.00
Mrs. Herman Blackway	1.00
Town Relief	25.00
Total	$811.00

DUBIOUS OF THE BRIDGE

John N. Mackall, Chairman of the Maryland State Roads Commission in an address before the Chestertown Rotary Club Monday evening said that in his mind there was but scant hopes of the present proposed Chesapeake Bay Bridge being built. He stated that about a month ago, Mr. Bonsal, head of the Bridge Company, had told him that the revised plans as called for by the Government had added a million and a half dollars to the building program and that the bridge company did not see how it would be able to carry this additional expense.

He said, however, that the Chesapeake Bay Bridge was a necessity and inevitable. According to the Road Commissioner the present ferry and road system is inadequate to properly care for the traffic between the Eastern and Western Shores.

After cautioning the Rotarians to make sure that any bridge placed across the bay would be one that would remain there and be operated Mr. Mackall told of the system that The Maryland Roads Commission had in battling with snow storms to keep the highways clear. Twenty-five hundred miles of State road can be kept open in any ordinary snow storm, he said, but added that no company at the present time could have kept the roads open during the recent blizzard.

Senator S. Scott Beck and Delegate Arthur H. Brice, both present at the meeting, came in for loud praise from the State Roads head, for the part that they played in putting across the road program at the last General Assembly by which the people who use the roads are the ones that pay for them.

HUNTERS HAVE RECORD YEAR

With a total bag of 726 wild ducks reported for January by the Ringgold's Duck Club in Kent county the record set brings to an end of the most successful season in the history of Kent county where 10,000 birds are said to have been brought down this winter. The season's total at Ringgold's Point was 900. January 13 was the banner day at the club when 116 fowl were brought in. Three other times during the month gunners went over the century mark and twice they totaled over 90 ducks. The club has maintained a policy during the year of shooting only two days a week, Monday and Friday. On two days they were hindered by lack of water at the gunning shores.

Members of the club, the most active gunning organization in Kent county, are W. B. Strong, Claude E. Truslow, Charles A. Jessup, E. E. Emory, Joseph Brice and Ernest Strong. In addition many Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia and Wilmington sportsmen were guests of the club on the Miller and Howard Strong farm, Grey's Inn, the Ducking Club have had a fine season. A new lease has been made and great improvements to the road, club houses etc., planned.

The ducking season on the Eastern Shore generally, however, has been poor and other gun clubs in Kent county did not fare as well as these groups. Veteran duckers say there were plenty of fowl in this region but because of the early light winter they were not forced to feed near the ducking shores.

Deputy Game Warden Watson has notified duck blind owners in Kent that the brush must be removed from the blinds at once. The state game laws require this, and he has been directed to enforce the law and penalties where the law is disregarded.

FIGURES SHOW $43,050 SAVED BY GAS TAX

New figures just announced by the State highway officials disclose the tremendous benefits to Kent County taxpayers of the gasoline tax bill passed at the last session of the Maryland Legislature. In round figures, the measure will save Kent countians the sum of $43,050 in road building costs during 1928.

Kent county will have about $80,000 to expend on State roads this year in addition to the amount appropriated for the Worton contract. This latter contract has been let to The Old Line Construction Company and will be started as soon as the weather will permit.

There are applications for roads from Lynch to Redding's Corner, from Massey thru Sassafras to Delaware and from Millington to State Line of Delaware. Strong presure is being made to divide the allotment among all three roads and thus distribute the benefit to as many residents as possible. It is estimated that about four miles of roads will be constructed in 1928 in addition to the Worton contract.

YACHT AND COUNTRY CLUB

Stock members of the Chester-River Yacht and Country Club met in the Court House here Tuesday evening and effected a permanent organization.

Stephen R. Collins was elected president; Edward W. Emory, vice-president; Dr. J. S. W. Jones, secretary, and W. J. Stenger, treasurer.

Governors, who with the officers, will form the Board of Governors, were named for periods of one, two and three years.

Names for the three year term were Thomas W. Perkins and Wilbur W. Hubbard. Governors for two years were M. deK. Smith, and P. M. Brooks.

Dr. H. C. Hughes and R. Hynson Rogers were elected governors for one year.

It was reported at the meeting that the work on eight greens and seven tees of the golf course had been completed and that construction would be begun again as soon as weather permitted.

Plans for the club house have been drawn and are on exhibition at the office of Thomas W. Perkins. Members of the club are conferring with architects concerning plans for the pier to be erected at the water front

WANT TO BUY NEW PIANO

The following characters have been chosed for the operetta, "The Gypsy Rover," which the High School is planning to give February 21st, at Lyceum Theatre:

Meg—Isabelle Crow.
Zara—Katherine Ford.
Marto—William Crow.
Sinfo—John Bennett.
Rob—Vernon Needles.
Lady Constance—Emily Jewell.
Lord Craven—William Kirkbride.
St. George Martendale — Weldon Townsend.
Nina—Ruth Brice
Captain Jerome—Charles Harris.
Sir Toby Lyon—Alfred Hodgson.
McCorkle—Allan Barnes.

There will also be three choruses—the Gypsy Children, Gypsy Chorus and Old Fashioned Chorus.

The proceeds will go towards purchasing a new piano for Righ School.

LECTURE AT COLLEGE

H. E. Warner, of the Baltimore Sun, will speak at the weekly Assembly at Washington College on February 16th, on "The Making of a Newspaper." The talk will be illustrated. The public is invited to hear this talk which is scheduled for 11 a. m., on that date.

One of the largest snow plows ever seen on the Eastern Shore arrived here for use in clearing large snowdrifts from State highways. According to Austin F. Shure, district engineer of the State Roads Commission, the plow is capable of a speed of 30 miles an hour and can easily pass through six feet snowdrifts making a clearance of two feet on each side of the highway.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miller, of Betterton, had a narrow escape from serious injury Wednesday when an air pressure tank in the cellar of their home exploded, blowing a large hole through the side of the house. The occupants were on one of the upper floors at the time and were unharmed.

BANQUET NEXT TUESDAY

The Chestertown Volunteer Fire Company announced that the principle speakers at their annual banquet scheduled for Tuesday evening, February 14, will be B. C. Stavely, superintendent of the New Jersey State Firemen's Home, at Boonton, N. J., and G. H. Ford, president of the Maryland State Firemen't Association, whose home is in Crisfield, Md. The banquet will be served by the Parent-Teachers Association of Chestertown. President Wm. G. Smyth will act as toatsmaster.

W. C. DEFEATS MT. ST. MARY'S

Carrington Stars As The Flying Pentagon Defeats Mts. 37 to 26.

Washington College defeated Mt. St. Mary's here last Friday by a score of 37 to 26. The Mts. were considered Washington's strongest rival in the State title race, in which Washington, Navy, Hopkins and Mt. St. Mary's were running "neck an' neck,' none of them have been defeated by a State rival up to that time. But the pace set by the Washington entry proved a little too swift for the Mounts. who were forced to drop the lenght of one game behind the leaders.

The Washington pony, The Flying Pentagon, got off to a fast start and at the first turn it was out in front by a 10-point margin. At the half way post the lead had been widened to 14 points. But as the racers made the final turn into the home stretch the Mounts began to apply the whip and in their last burst of speed they cut their opponents lead to eleven points. The Flying Pentagon took it easy coming down the stretch and went under the wire with a safe margin winning by a score of 37 to 26.

The Pentagon was greatly handicapped by the absence of its Capt. and star guard, "Bobby" Cavanaugh, who is suffering with an abscess. However, what they lost by his absence was made up in fight and determination, "Gimp" Carrington played one of the best games any individual has played in years on this floor. His floor work had the Mounts bewildered while his shooting from the outside was a wonder even to the home folks.

Giraitis, Jacobs and Dopson played up to their usual high standard while Usilton played the best game of his short career with the champions.

Capt. Herrigan was the outstanding player for the visitors with McCall running him a close second.

In the first half Washingtons defense was mighty near perfect. Except for one "snow bird" in the first minute of play the Mounts were unable to get a shot under the basket. In the entire half they were able to score only 10 points while the deadly accuracy of Carrington and Giriatis rolled Washington's score up to 25.

Summary:

Washington	G.	F.	T.
Giriatis, f.	3	2-3	8
Carrington, f.	6	5-6	17
Usilton, c.	0	2-2	2
Jacobs, G.	2	0-0	4
Dopson, g.	3	0-0	6
Alexander, f.	0	0-0	0
Norris, g.	0	0-0	0
Totals	14	9-11	37

Mt. St. Mary's	G.	F.	T.
Ryscabage, f.	2	0-1	4
McGarlan, f.	2	0-0	4
McCall, c.	2	2-4	6
Herrigan, g.	3	2-3	8
Hemler, g.	2	0-0	4
Total	11	4-8	26

THE DREXEL GAME

At Drexel Institute on Wedensday afternoon Washington College got the short end of the basket ball score of 27 to 22. Tom Kibler's boys are not offering any alibis, but those who saw the game say if ever any team was given a raw deal it was certainly Washington College in that game.

Every basket ball game is more or less at the mercy of the officials, but in this game it was particularly so. Time and again Washington dribbled through the Drexel defense, only to be called for fouling. Then the same tactics by Drexel were overlooked.

Washington played at Swarthmore last night.

Tonight at Washington College the University of Baltimore will be entertained.

Wilbur Wansor, of Preston, was given a hearing Monday night charged with larceny of a gill net from Jack Johnson and held for action of the Grand Jury.

©Maryland State Archives, msa_sc6000_24_1-0041