LOCAL NOTES.....

Easter Sunday is April 8th.

Tuesday next is Shrove Tuesday or Pan Cake Day.

Wednesday, February 22nd, is Ash Wednesday, first day of Lent.

A dozen property owners on Campus avenue and elsewhere have asked the State Tax Commission for another assessment for Chestertown.

A notice has been posted in the local postoffice to the effect that a Civil Service Examination for Clerk Carrier in the Chestertown Postoffice will be given in the near future. No date has been set for the examination but all applications must be in by March 7th, 1928.

Thieves last week entered the home of Charles Meredith of near Chestertown, and made off with Mr. Meredith's pocketbook and a sum of money in a vase on the mantel. The thief entered and left by a window in the living room and was tracked by footprints in the soft earth to the main highway where all imprints disappeared. No clue to the identity of the crimiual has been learned.

William Smack, of near Snow Hill went to his muskrat traps the other day and found in one of them, an otter. An otter skin is worth from $30 to $40.

A county-wide meeting of the teachers, officers and the clergy of the Protestant Episcopal Churches Kent and Queen Anne's Counties was held at Emmanuel Church, Chestertown Feb. 9th. Rev. McEwan, of Easton, was chairman for the Diocese and is conducting a series of these meetings throughout the Eastern Shore of Maryland together with Bishop Davenport and Commander C. T. Jewell of the U. S. Navy. Out of town clergy in attendance were Rev.Alwyn Chamberlaine, of Centreville, Rev. Garner, of Massey and Millington, Rev. Robert Lewis, Shrewsbury Parish, Rev. Insley, Church Hill, Rev. John White, Fairlee. A supper was served in the Parish House by the Woman's Auxiliary and a helpful day spent by all.

World Day of Prayer February 24 1928, in M. E. Church, Chestertown at 3 o'clock.

The trustees of Clarence S. Hurlock estate offered two residences in Massey at public sale Tuesday. The dwelling tenanted by Mrs. James D Lucas was purchased by her for $2,800. The Woodall Jones dwelling was held up and may be bought at private sale from the trustees Messrs. Baker, Rogers and Vickers.

The Maryland News, published in Montgomery county, has six pages of tax sales ranging from indebtedness of $2 to $600.

Raymond East has resigned as Standard Oil agent here and Mr. Porter, of Stevensville, named.

E. D. Lambert has resigned from the Texaco Co. and Frank Ford, of Rock Hall, appointed.

Jas. G. Beck has moved his insurance office in Chestertows from the Imperial to the Rockwell Building opposite the public square.

Roy Mitchell, of near Kennedyville, sold to H. S. Startt 17 baby lambs at $10 each, which breaks all records of Mr. Startt's experience.

M. E. Baker and force are repainting and decorating the interior of the Kent County Circuit Court room. O. C. Smith is putting in new electrical fixtures.

Edward George, a tenant of the late Lieut.-Governor Colen Ferguson farm near Blackbird has purchased of Jesse L. Shepherd, banker of Middletown, his 136 acre farm on the road leading from Cold Well to Sassafras, situated in Kent county, Md., now tenanted by Edward Brown for $10,000. Mr. George will move on this farm January 1 next, and continue farming.

At the official board meeting of the Chestertown M. E. Church, held on Thursday evening, it was decided to ask for the 1929 session of the Wilmington M. E. Conference to be held in Chestertown in the local church.

The By-Kota Club of the M. E. Church will meet at the home of Mrs. G. Frank Clark on Monday evening next and will be entertained by Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Ruth Emerson.

The By-Kota Club of the M. E. Church will hold their annual banquet in the Sunday school room of the church Tuesday, Feb. 21st.

The Chestertown High School team defeated Oxford School in a basket ball game at the college Thursday evening by score of 56 to 13.

MILLINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. George J. Smith were guests last Sunday of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. H. Lee, of Chestertown.

Misses Emma Jones, Pauline Comegys, Frances Turner and Mildred Neal, of the Salisbury Normal School spent the week-end with their parents in and near town.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Heighe Hill, of Chestertown, are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a fine daughter. Mrs. Hill was formerly Miss Helen Stevens, daughter of Howard Stevens, of this town.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Woodall entertained at a turkey dinner last Sunday, their children: John H. Woodall, of Wilmington; Lester R. Woodall, and formerly of Philadelphia; Walter M. Woodall, of Elkton, and Frank Lambert, Jr., and family also Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bailey, of Hollywood, Pa., and Fred Bramble and family, of Elkton.

Mrs. J. P. Ahern is visiting relatives in Baltimore.

Mrs. Mamie Higman, of Milford, Del., was the guest of her sister Mrs. Alenda Smith.

Miss Elizabeth Stevens, of Philadelphia, spent the past week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stevens, near town.

The Millington Troup Boy Scouts of America, last week celebrated the 18th anniversary of its founding. On Friday they took charge of the school assembly exercises and gave a varied and interesting program. They repeated the Scout Oath and gave the Scout Law. A history of the Scout movement was given by one of the patrol leaders. The "Star Spangled Banner" and two scout songs were sung by the group. This week they exemplified the Scout slogan "Do a good turn daily."

Rev. Frank A. Baker, who has been quite sick at his home on W. Cypress street the past ten days, is much improved, we are glad to state.

F. S. Bottomley is also on the sick list.

James Moore returned home last Monday after spending a few days with his brother, Charles D. Moore, of Baltimore.

Miss Etta Price, of Middletown, visited Miss Ella Jones last week, who is quite sick at her home on North Sassafras street.

James Pennington, of Baltimore spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Liston Pennington.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of Asbury M. E. Church was held last Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. N. A. Wallen.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Anthony, Mr. Charles P. Jones and John Anthony spent last Tuesday in Wilmington.

Mrs. Alenda Smith and Miss Clara H. Bryan attended the funeral last Wednesday of the latter's aunt, Mrs. Mary E. Bryan, of near Tolchester which was held in the M. P. Church Chestertown.

Victor Stevens, of Baltimore, was the guest this week of his parents. Mr. and Mrs. James B. Stevens, near town.

Miss Mary E. Wilson visited relatives at New Castle, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Griffin, of Salisbury, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. George B. Jones.

A birthday party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Lee on Thursday, Feb. 9, in honor of tehir daughter, Catherine. Quite a number of friends were present and all spent an enjoyable evening together. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Eldridge Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Haupt, Mrs. Nat. Bramble Mrs. Heston Bramble, Olan C. Duling, Misses Mary E. Wilson, Elsie George, Margaret Redmond, Pauline Jones, Dorothy Haupt, Florence Gale, Genevieve Bramble, Thelma Haupt, Charlotte Jones, Frances Bramble, Florence and Margaret Moore and Louise Hollett.

Dr. B. W. Hazell, of Baltimore, was the guest last week of his sister, Miss Mattie G. Hazell.

J. P. Ahern visited his daughter Mrs. P. H. Wood, Jr., of Wilmington, last week.

J. C. Numbers, of Parlin, N. J., and Howard Lambertson, of South Amboy, N. J., spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. uNmbers.

Earle Stevens, who had been ill the past week with pneumonia, was taken in the ambulance of J. A. Tobin last Tuesday to the Delaware Hospital, in Wilmington, where he died on Wednesday. He was accompanied to the hospital by John H. Tobin and Dr. Merritt Brice. Arrangements for the funeral unknown at this writing.

Don't forget the Chautauqua to be given in Comegys Hall on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week by the Swarthmore Chautauqua Association. Ge sure to attend.

Mrs. Anna V. Taylor returned home last Saturday with friends in Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stouffer, of near Rock Hall, were guests last Sunday of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lee.

Mrs. Kate Garton visited her son, Wm. Garton, this week.

Mrs. Leo Gole spent the week-end with relatives in Wilmington where she entered the Delaware Hospital on Monday and was operated upon on Thursday.

Mrs. John H. Wiest was given a dinner in honor of her 72nd birthday on February 1, 1928, at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Sudler G. Wiest. Those present beside the host and hostess were Mrs. John E. Wiest, of near Sudlersville; J. Harry Wiest and family, of near town; Mr. and Mrs. John H. Wiest, Mrs. Kate Garton and Misses Belle and Carrie Wiest. A feature of the occasion was a cake containing 72 lighted candles, refreshments were served. The relatives returned to their homes, wishing Mrs. Wiest many more happy birthdays.

Miss Mary Quinn was the guest last week of friends in Washington.

Lemuel Leager whose death is noted elsewhere in the Kent News is survived by a widow, three sons and one daughter. He was buried on Monday. Rev. J. H. Garner officiating. The bearers were James C. Vansant, Leonard Wilson, John H. Wiest, C. W. Nickerson, Howard Stevens and A. J. Lockerman. Interment was made in Millington Cemetery with J. A. Tobin and Son, untakers.

Jaywalk Into Cars

Five per cent of the automobile accidents of the country are caused by persons who walk into the sides of moving machines. Like automobiles running into the sides of trains.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NOTES

Mrs. John D. Urie, of Chestertown, has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Albert Leffinwell, near New York City.

Dr. George Peterson, a prominent physician of Washington, D. C., and a brother of Mrs. Eben F. Perkins, of Chestertown, is in a Washington hospital for special treatment. His Chestertown friends hope for his ultimate recovery.

Miss Anna Perkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Perkins, of Chestertown, was operated on for appendicitis at a Baltimore Hospital this week. She is doing very nicely.

Mrs. G. H. Cannan and Miss Flora Wheatley attended the funeral of their cousin, Miss Belle Wheatley, who died in Baltimore last week.

John M. Robinson, of near Chestertown, is quite ill.

Mrs. Ida Trice and John Roung both of Federalsburg, were quietly married Wednesday afternoon at the parsonage of the Methodist Proteseant Church, by the pastor, the Rev N. O. Gibson.

Mrs. Sally Rasin gave her husband a birthday surprise party which was held February 11. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell Crew, Mr. and Mrs. Will Sykes, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Glenn, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Meeks, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crew, Mrs. Thos. Wilmer, Mrs. M. B. Turner, Mrs. Mary Myers, Miss Martha Rasin, Miss Anna Wilmer and Ben Crew. The evening was very much enjoyed by the old time square dances and all other numbers including the lancers and all other dances. The music was furnished by Caldwell Crew who play the violin. The refreshments couldn't have been any more delicious and every one seemed delightful.

The Easton Gazette says that Miss Ann Robinson, daughter of "Polly" Robinson, of Oxford, formerly of Chestertown, fell while roller skating Saturday and is suffering in the Emergency Hospital. Xray photographers do not reveal a fractured skull, it is said.

C. Warwick Perkins, son of Clarence W. Perkins, former Kent Countian, and a nephew of Thomas W. and Eben F. Perkins, of Chestertown has been promoted as a foreign service officer, the State Department announced Tuesday. Young Perkins is stationed at Vienna. He was born in Baltimore and is a graduate of Johns Hopkins University. He was appointed to the Consular Service in June 1924 and was assigned as Vice-Consul, October 1924, at Vienna. He has often visited his relatives in Chestertown.

Mrs. W. B. Coleman and son, Julian, attended the funeral of the former's sister, Mrs. D. B. Hubbard, at Federalsburg.

Miss Deborah A. Jackson, of Blythedale, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. B. Simmons, who is seriously ill.

W. R. Huey, cashier of the Third National Bank, left Tuesday for Florida. He will return in a few days, making the trip North with H. N. Baldwin by automobile.

Miss Romanie Taylor, of York, Pa., his been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Blackway.

Mrs. Thomas H. Bryan is spending the month of February with her daughter, Mrs. Leonard L. Howeth, in Wilmington.

. R. Lewis, a well known shoe salesman from Baltimore, died last week. He was a well-known figure at the conference of the Methodist Protestant Church.

Mrs. E. E. Hudson is at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Wm. H. Krusen, in Philadelphia. Mrs. K. is quite ill.

C. N. Satterfield and wife, Conlyn Noland and Randolph Waddell attended the big hardware convention in Philadelphia this week.

Miss Catherine Elliott has been quite sick the past ten days.

Former Judge of the Orphans' Court Samuel Burgess entertained at dinner at his home in Edesville on Sunday in celebration of his 81th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Davis and Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. Walter U. Lusby spent Sunday with Thomas J. Davis and wife in Salisbury.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Heighe Hill are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a fine daughter at the Elkton hospital on February 14.

Thomas Green, of Baltimore, visited in town on Saturday his daughter, Mrs. Owen C. Smith.

Miss Elizabeth Richardson, of Baltimore, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Kreeger.

We are sorry to report William Vansant as confined to his bed by illness.

Mrs. H. B. Simmons continues quite ill at her home on Spring ave.

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WEDDINGS

Charles Nelson Thomas and Miss Lillian Lorraine Lewis were married in Baltimore February 4th by Rev. E. Clyde Miller, pastor of Sailor's Bethel. Mr. Thomas is the oldest son of Capt. and Mrs. Charles Thomas, of Rock Hall, where the ceremony would have been performed had not the blizzard and lack of boats caused a change of plans. The young people live at 1272 Riverside avenue, Baltimore, where a reception of a few friends was held after the ceremony.

William A. Bramble and Mrs. Sarah F. Younger were married on Saturday morning, February 11th, at 10.30 o'clock, at Memorial Methodist Episcopal parsonage, Millersville, AnneArundel County, by Rev. Eley. After dinner at the home of the bride's son, Hollis Higgins, the couple proceeded to Baltimore via the W. B. & A. line where they boarded the ferry Express for Tolchester and went to the groom's home near Rock Hall. Mrs. Bramble is a sister to Mr. Bramble's former wife, formerly a Miss Hall, and is well known in Kent county.

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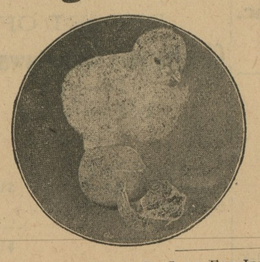

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