LOCAL NOTES.....

Richard Leaverton, of the Hearn Oil Co. plant on Cross street, says the thieves who broke into the office recently failed to get any money as there was no cash left in the drawer. They did get some cigars.

The regular meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Chestertown Volunteer Fire Company will be held at the Fire House on Monday March 26th, at 7 p. m.

The freshiest thing in town is that fresh strawberry ice cream that Gill Gros. are making. They received a shipment of fresh strawberries this week that came from Plant City, Fla., They certainly were beauties.

At a recent meeting of Middletown City Council the local lighting rate was reduced from 16c to 15c per kilowatt. Mayor and Council have been considering a reduction in the rate for several weeks and hope to make a more substantial cut in the near future. Chestertown would welcome a reduction also.

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The Men's Bible Class of the M. E. Church held a successful ham and oyster supper in the social rooms of the church Tuesday night, the net proceeds from which were donated to the church improvement fund.

Thieves raided the hen roost at the country home of Robert G. Nicholson, near town on Sunday night and stole about 20 of his best chickens. They also got 11 chickens from Charles Meredith Thursday night.

Clerk of the Court Robert Shallcross has issued the following marriage licenses here during the past week: Wm. C. Lane, 20, and Elizabeth Fischer, 18, both of Philadelphia; Burton E. Houser, 23, Fairview, N. J., and Marion Zehring, 21 Philadelphia; Carl F. Hanson, 32, and Anna T. Sedlowski, 23, both of Philadelphia; John P. Collins, 21, Chester Pa., and Mildred M. Boulden, 19, of Trainor, Pa.; Wm. H. Turner, 52, and Laura Scott, 50, both of Chestertown; Norman Milby, 36, and Edith Arnett 32, both of Easton, Md., and the following Chestertown couples: Clarence Smith, 22, and Lula Ashley, 18; George Forman, 33, and Stella Graves 28; Ernest T. Waters, 22, and Ardela Wright, 18, and Edward E. Fowler 38, and Mary R. Legg, 18.

The farm equipment week at Jones & Satterfields' store in Chestertown was a great success. More than 300 persons visited the place and about 200 partook of the free lunch Saturday.

J. Frank Davis, representing Jas. T. Mullin and Sons, Inc., Men's and Boys' Outfitters, of Wilmington, Del., will have on display at the Voshell House, Chestertown, Md., Wednesday and Thursday, March 28 and 29, the newest creations of what men and boys wear, and when and where to wear them for Spring and Summer styles. Mr. Davis will be glad to have you call. They are local distributors of Boy Scouts of America and have a display so that every Scout in Chestertown should call and look them over. The Mullin's plan—First, buy at home every article you can select in men's and boys' wear; you owe it to your community. Mullins will be glad to supply the remaining wants.

Citizens of Wicomico are much disturbed and rightly so, concerning the financial condition of the county as made public by a special audit of the Commissioners books. The audit covering the period from June 1, 1918 to May 31, 1927, reveals, accroding to the auditors that "there has existed gross negligence and apparent indifference to a certain degree in the handling of the financial affairs of your county." There are over $342,000 of uncollected taxes.

Some one stole H. B. Rote's big clock from the front of his jewelry store.

Mrs. Eva R. Adams, of Philadelphia, is instituting habeas corpus proceedings in the Kent County Circuit Court to obtain possession of her eleven-year-old son, Loyd Henry Adams, Jr., who was placed in care of Norman Wyatt, of Millington, by relatives. Mrs. Adams is said to be living apart from her husband, Lloyd H. Adams, of Philadelphia, and several years ago, the child was temporarily adopted by Wyatt, who now refuses to give up his youthful charge. The Court granted the mother's petition.

The regular Lenten service at Emmanuel Church, Chestertown, will be on Wednesday evening, Thursday afternoon and Friday evening of this week.

Associate members of the Chestertown Volunteer Fire Company are requested to meet at the headquarters Sunday evening at 7 p. m. to attend service at Christ M. P. Church.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NOTES

E. Scott Thompson, who has been in Wilmington Hospital, has returned home.

Allan A. Harris and wife returned from a trip to Florida Wednesday.

Mrs. Walter T. Pippin has been nursing an injured foot all the week.

James W. Chapman, Esq., and wife, of Baltimore, visited Chestertown on Wednesday to reopen the Vannort home. Mrs. Lydia Vannort expects to return here in a few days.

Alfred C. Loud is able to be out after several weeks ilness.

Mrs. Wm. R. Maul while on her way to chucrh Sunday morning slipped and sprained her ankle. She has about recovered at this writing.

John J. Scoone, one of Rock Hall's reputable citizens, has been confined to his home by sickness for two months. He is much better.

Harry Nicols has purchased of Frank Worrell a tract of wood land located in Lover's Lane.

J. C. Loud and Edw. Wilkins each lost their ducking guns in the Riverside fire.

Dr. Charles Comegys is able to be out after several months illness at his home in Chestertown.

Frank B. Hines, Jr., is the guest of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Frank B. Hines, here.

Mrs. G. Frank Clark spent several days last week in Baltimore.

Miss Daisy Williams, of Baltimore, has been visiting Mrs. John H. Clendaniel, Jr., for several days.

Eben Perkins, of Baltimore, was the week-end guests of relatives here.

Miss Elizabeth Mahool, of Baltimore, visited Miss Virginia Jones here last week.

Walter B. Strong, who spent several days in a Philadelphia hospital last week, is again at his home here and improving nicely.

Little Nancy Jean Strong, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence B. Strong, is improving at the home of her parents here.

Mrs. C. H. Eshman, Miss Madeline Eshman and Mr. and Mrs. Barclay Eshman are spending some time in Georgia. They made the trip to the south by automobile.

Paul Wilkinson, of Baltimore, was the guest last week of friends here.

Catherine Kennard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kennard, of Chestertown, returned to her home on Sunday. She had been a patient at Easton Hospital for two weeks Her condition was not thought necessary.

Mrs. D. W. Ingersoll, of Quaker Neck, has returned to her home after a visit of some weeks in Chicago. While in Chicago Mrs. Ingersoll painted a number of miniatures and received orders for work which will keep her busy for some time. Last Fall, the artist was invited and became a member of the Pennsylvania Society of Minature Painters, which, in spite of its name, is not limited to residents of the State of Pennsylvania. Mrs. Ingersoll's work that was exhibited in Philadelphia resulted in two French magazines requesting an account of her career. These write-ups have appeared recently and are most favorable to the work of the artist.

Mrs. J. Waters Russell is substituting at the Chestertown Elementary school in the place of Mrs. Rolph Townshend, who is sick.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bramble have returned to their home in Chestertown after spending the winter months the guests of their son in Landenburg, Pa.

The National Bank of Elkton has established a trust department, appointing Edward S. Dorous, trust officer, and Wm. D. Fowler, assistant trust officer. Mr. Fowler is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fowler, of Chestertown.

ROTARIANS DEBATE ON LOCATION OF BRIDGE

If the vote of the Chestertown Rotary Club has anything to do with it the new Chester River bridge when it is constructed will lie at the foot of High street. The members of the club after listening to six Rotarians debate whether the High street site or the Barroll's Hollow location should be chosen decided that the affirmative— the High street group— had won.

On the winning team were Marion edK. Smith, Jr., Harry F. Jefferson and Conlyn Noland. The defeated debators were Paul E. Titsworth William B. Usilton and Richard Collins.

Eleven members voted for the affirmative and ten cast their lots for the negative. This number included three visitors from Centreville Rotary Club.

Miss Inez Russell was operated upon for toxic goiters last Saturday morning at Hahnemann Hospital, in Philadelphia. Telephone reports from the hospital indicate that her condition was highly satisfactory to the attending physicians.

Newton Ellis, mother and two sisters have started for home after spending the winter in California.

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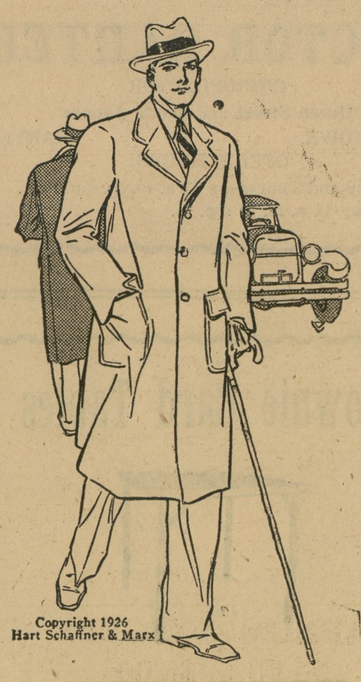
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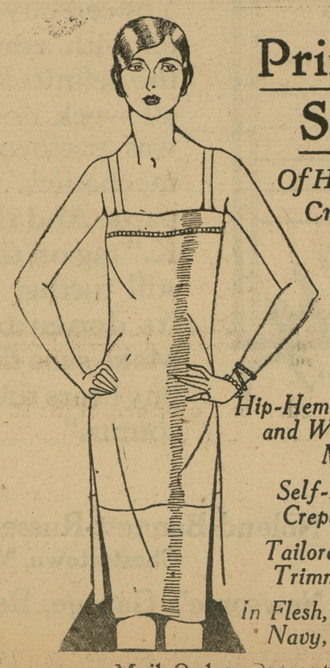
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The new Ford connecting rods are of steel forgings "X" beam section, giving more effective distribution of the steel than the "I" beam section used on most other cars. The center-to-center length of the new Ford rods is 7.5 inches which is one-half inch longer than on the Model T Ford, thus reducing the angularity of the rods and the side thrust on the cylinder walls. In spite of their greater length, the new rods weigh but 1 pound 6 ounces.

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