LOCAL NOTES.....

Dr. E. A. Sexsmith and bride returned to Chestertown Thursday and were met at the parsonage by a committee of ladies and a splendid dinner. A public reception will be held at the M. P. Church Monday evening to which all are invited.

The County 4-H Poultry Judging Team, composed of Wilbur Morris, Howard Moffett, Clarence Sutton and Bayard Sutton, are representing Kent at the Hagerstown Fair in the competitive judging of poultry. They are accompanied by J. Z. Miller, assistant county agent.

Ella M. Reasin, colored, 22, of Warwick, was found dead at Bohemia river bridge Sunday having bled to death from injuries received in an automobile collision. The woman was motoring with Gilbert Hollingsworth when it is alleged, Preston Lambert, also colored, crashed into Hollingsworth's car, throwing the woman through the windshield. An artery in her shoulder was cut. She ran down the road and dropped to the ground where she bled to death. Coroner Green took charge of the case and is making an investigation. Lambert and Hollingsworth were arrested and are awaiting the outcome of the investigation.

FOUR STILLS IN KENT RAIDS

Four stills were seized by prohibition agents operating from the office of George A. Hill, prohibition director for Delaware in four raids made Tuesday in the western part of Kent county, near the Maryland State line.

Three of the stills were seized on a farm tenanted by E. Ditman. They had a total capacity of 110 gallons. In addition to the stills 1,000 gallons of mash and thirteen gallons of alleged liquor were confiscated.

No arrests were made in any of the raids.

In another raid the agents confiscated six barrels of mash. In the third raid just east of Golt's, Md., 15 barrels of mash and a 75-gallon still were found.

The fourth and last raid netted the agents 10 gallons of alleged liquor.

The Kent County Choral Society met Thursday evening and the young folks especially were helped by the instruction given by Mrs. Wheeler, the director. Four new members were enrolled, three active and one associate. The next meeting will be held at the College Thursday evening, Nov. 1st. The membership committee consists of Mrs. W. F. Jarrell, Miss Mabel Toulson, Mrs. Esther Dole and Thomas W. Perkins, to whom all who desire to join the society may make application.

The following contributions were recently received by the Kent County Ambulance Committee:

H. Theodore Jewell	$10.00
Wm. R. Maul	5.00
Mrs. Middleton Crew	2.00
Mrs. James Sutton	1.00
Mrs. Mary E. Goodman	1.00

The fund now totals $1,604.

On October 13, the Kent County Chamber of Commerce reached its first membership milestone with one hundred members. These are not mere names enrolled on the books of the organization but are actually one hundred good, live, active and progressive Kent County men and women who are interested in and are working together for the agricultural, civic and commercial welfare of Kent. Dr. Paul E. Titsworth is the President and Mrs. Nell C. Westcott executive secretary. There is much work planned for the future and all business men and women are urged to join.

The first edition of the Chestertown High School monthly, "C. H. S. Broadcasting" will be out this week. The staff of the school paper for this year is as follows: Editor-in-Chief, Emily Jewell; Associate Editor, Betty Anthony; Business Manager, Robert Penn; Exchange, Frances Hodgson; Humorous, Lucille Rasin; Alumni, James Collins; Distribution, Theodosia Chapman; Sports, Allan Barnes and Nancy Jean Usilton. The class reporters are: Blanche Hurd, 29; Alfred Hodgson, '30; Nellie Lee, '31; Miriam Ford, '32. The subscription committee is composed of M. Smith, '31; S. Cloud, '31; H. Hadaway, '32, and J. Kreeger, '32. Miss M. Ermyn Jewell is again faculty advisor to the editors.

DEATHS

Columbus A. Blackiston, one of the best known and most prominent men of Rock Hall, died at his home just east of that town at 6 o'clock Thursday evening, October 11th, 1928. Mr. Blackiston was the only son of the late John J. and Julia C. Leary Blackiston and spent his entire life of 51 years in the house where he was born, having purchased it from his mother after his marriage to Miss Sarah E. Walbert who survives him. He leaves also six children: Mrs. Ray Wallace, of Edgewood; Weldon, of Baltimore; Ralph, chief engineer of the U. S. S. Siwash; Noble, of Rock Hall; Miss Ione and Laurel, at home. Also many relatives and friends in the county and elsewhere.

The deceased became a member of the Seventh Day Adventist Church when he was nineteen years old and continued consistently in that faith, being an elder and Sabbath school superintendent for a number of years until ill health stopped his activities several years ago. Funeral services were held at his late home.
hour has not yet been announced.

Robert Leroy Stevens, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Stevens, of Chestertown, died at Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, on October 11, aged eleven months. Funeral was held last Saturday from the home of his uncle, Lloyd Porter, with interment in Chester Cemetery. Dr. Corkran officiated. C. L. Dodd, undertaker..

The historic Kitty Knight home at Georgetown on the Sassafras river, now owned by C. S. Stine, narrowly escaped destruction by fire which originated in the chimney. The Millington Fire Company was summoned, but Mr. Stine succeeded in extinguishing the blaze with a garden hose before the arrival of the firemen. The damage was about $100. The house is one of the historic spots on the Eastern Shore, having been the home of Kitty Knight, who prevented the British army from destroying the town in the war of 1812.

HID WEALTH ABOUT THE HOME

A sad case is noted in that of a highly respected citizen living until recently alone in Lynch. It is that of Thomas A. Parsons, bachelor, who became ill some months ago. He was possessed with the idea that he was very poor an dthat he must lay in store for a rainy day. Therefore, he hid about $3,000 in boxes, cans, under the matting and elsewhere, while a safe was found to be empty. Dr. Simpers, of Chestertown, and a sister, Mrs. Bennett, of Milford, Del., prevailed upon him to go home with the sister and he is now in Milford Hospital receiving especial treatment.

Mr. Parsons is estimated to be worth at least $50,000 so that the thought of being poor was without foundation. Since his leaving the house it has been discovered that some persons have entered the house looking for more money.

On the back of a door of one of the rooms which was kept locked was discovered a chart on which was indicated each of the hiding places of the treasure.

The Chestertown Rotary Club, at its regular meeting last Monday, had as speakers, Henry Hopkins, architect, who designed the club house recently constructed at the Chester River Yacht and Country Club and also the gymnasium at Washington College, and Ernest Baugh, who has charge of the dining service on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad system. The meeting next week for the local club will be in charge of C. C. Jones and on the following Monday the Kent 4-H Calf Club will be the guests of the local Rotarians.

Whew! What a smell has been over Chestertown from five cars of fish tankage for a local factory! We are glad the smell was only temporary.

Patronesses at the weekly dance at the Chester River Yacht and Country Club this Saturday night will be: Mrs. David B. Ford, Mrs. Roland R. Corey, Mrs. Don T. Falls, Miss Nancy Price, Mrs. Harry H. Derringer and Mrs. E. Dale Adkins.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NOTES

Mrs. S. Scott Beck and Mrs. Jas. G. Metcalfe gave a supper and bridge party Thursday evening at the Chester River Country Club. About 85 persons enjoyed their hospitality.

Dr. Frank B. Hines was in New York this week at the bedside of his sister, Mrs. Harold Curry, who was operated on in a New York Hospital. Mrs. Curry's husband is also sick at the Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore.

Dr. Charles W. Whaland, Chestertown's oldest physician, celebrated his 79th birthday last Sunday. He and his wife were entertained at dinner that day by his daughter, Mrs. Charles Nicholson. The doctor is really a wonder. He drives his new Ford every day alone for many miles. May he enjoy many more years of good health.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Rambo, Franklin Rambo and Miss Bertha Finnegan of Baltimore, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Rambo at their home near Sudlersville.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hopkins, of Baltimore, were guests this week of Miss Ann Smith and brother, Marion in Chestertown.

Miss Catherine Shakespeare, daughter of Mrs. C. S. Shakespeare, of Chestertown, was recently elected House President of MacKenzie Cottage, Elmira, New York, Elmira, the oldest woman's college in America, is now entering upon its seventy-fourth year. It was a pioneer in introducing the student government system in which Miss Shakespeare now has a responsible post.

Mrs. J. D. Bacchus is visiting her daughter and son in New York.

Mrs. Hope H. Barroll has returned to her home here after an extended motor trip to Montreal, Quebec, Saranac Lake and other northern places. Mrs. Barroll and her brother, Dr. John Wethered, will leave shortly for a tour of Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. M. Hurlock announce the marriage of their daughter, Elizabeth Gertrude, to Arthur Vernon Fowler, September 26, 1928.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Sparks, of Baltimore, were week-end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sparks here.

Walter B. Strong has been attending the P. E. Conference in Washington, D. C., for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. James G. Beck spent the past week-end in Baltimore.

Mrs. Austin F. Shure has been visiting friends in Washington for the past week.

Mrs. Arthur Hurlock, of Cambridge is visiting her sisters, Mrs. L. P. Strong and Mrs. Barclay Kilbourne, here.

Prof. L. J. Thibodeau, of Waterbury, Conn., visited relatives here part of last week. He returned to Waterbury on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Rouse, of Havre de Grace, visited relatives in the county over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Matthews, of Baltimore, were week-end guests of his father, John E. Matthews.

Mr. and Mrs. John Covington Boulden and Miss Pearle Coleman, of near Still Pond, Kent county, attended the reception given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Buckley, at the home of her father, Henry George, near Newport, Del., from 5 until 11.

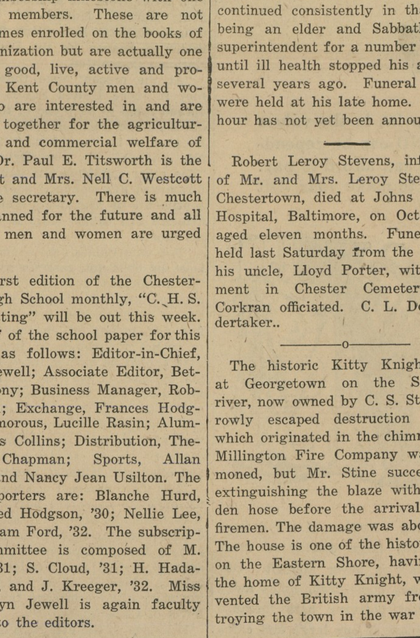
Miss Phoebe Pyle was awarded five dollars in gold by the Rev. John White, rector of Old St. Paul's P. E. Church, before a large audience in the Lyceum Theatre, for having sold the highest number of tickets for the first annual revue staged by the Kent County Public Health Association. Miss Ruth Newcomb, who sold 24 tickets was awarded two-and-a-half dollars in gold. The association netted $300 on the play, proceeds going to the new county hospital here.

County Agent H. B. Derrick has named November 7 and 8 for the annual fall turkey meet, which is expected to draw hundreds of growers from Delaware, Pennsylvania, New Jersey and all parts of Maryland. The gathering will be held on the large turkey farm of Mrs. H. M. Baker, foremost woman poultry producer in Maryland.

WEDDING EVENTS

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Money, of Townsend, announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Lelia Louvenia Money, to Leslie Crowding Schofield of Wilmington. The wedding took place on September 22, at the parsonage of Grace M. E. Church, the Rev. B. M. Johns officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Schofield will live at 2917 Franklin street, Wilmington.

The marriage of Miss Mattie Jarman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Jarman, of Sudlersville, to Chas. Anthony, of Centreville, took place Thursday, October 11, at Church Hill. They were married by Rev. L. P. Corkran, Mrs. Anthony is teaching in the Sudlersville Grammar School and is one of the popular young ladies in Sudlersville.



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