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CHICKEN AND WAFFLE SUPPER
Benefit Old St. Paul's Church at the home of Mrs. Nora C. Maxwell, Worton Manor, Wednesday, July 24, beginning at 5.30 p. m. 1c

LAWN FETE
The Annual Lawn Fete of Mother of Sorrows Catholic Church, Centerville, Md., will be held on Friday and Saturday evenings, July 19 and 20th, on the church green. jy13

BAKE
The ladies of Mowbray Chapel will hold a Bake in Turner's Garage, in Chestertown, this Saturday, July 20, beginning at 9.30 a. m. jy20

BAZAAR AT BETTERTON
The Ladies Aid of Still Pond M. E. Church will hold their Annual Bazaar at Betterton Saturday evening, July 27th. Bread, cake, candy, vegetables and fancy articles for sale. jy20-2t

PLATE SUPPER
A Plate Supper will be held Wednesday, July 24th, at Harris Cannery on Grollman farm, Worton Point. Supper 5.00 p. m. Benefit of Worton Ladies Aid. Supper 35c; adults; children 25c. jy20

Lawn Fete

The Mite Society of Grace Presbyterian Church, Kennebecville, will hold a Lawn Fete on the lawn of Charles Smith, on the McCauley farm, near Kennebecville, on

FRIDAY, AUGUST 2nd, 1929
An address will be made by MAYOR BROENING, of Baltimore. Ice cream, cake and orangeade will be served. Come hear an interesting talk and help a good cause. Music by an orchestra.
Admission 25c; children under 12 years, 15c. jy20

FOR SALE
Four New Top Buggies, leather top and leather cushion in back. One Second-hand 2-seat Carriage, good, leather top; 2 Old Buggies painted and in good order.
HENRY S. DEFORD,
jy20-3t

AUCTIONEER
James L. Lee, Personal and Real Estate Auctioneer. Sales called on short notice. Phone Chestertown, residence, 342; Store, 238. jy22

AUCTIONEER
I am prepared to serve the public as Auctioneer and solicit the sales of any who may be in need of same.
JOHN H. DUYER,
jy29

FOR SALE
Several members in the Royal Swan Club for sale at reasonable prices. Apply to Kent News. j6

FARM FOR RENT
Farm of 275 acres, 2 miles from Millington, on 2nd road, tillable, for rent for 1930. Good buildings and silo. Frank Slez, Millington, Md. jy6-3t

FOR RENT
Furnished room with private bath or partly furnished 3-room apartment. 415 High street, Chestertown. jy6-3t

MAN
Active and reliable, to take orders for high grade fruit and ornamental stock; pleasant work, good pay, permanent position, advancement if successful. Write Hoopes Bros., 1000 Thomas Company, Stephen Girard Building, Philadelphia, Pa. Nursery men since 1853. jy6-4t

FOR SALE
A 3-Ton White Truck in good running condition. Apply at the Wrecking Boat, Ellison farm, Fairlee Creek. jy6-3t

FOR RENT
The Lockwood Farm at Chestertown, of 120 acres for year 1930. Apply to J. Waters Russell, Chestertown, Md. jy29

FOR SALE OR RENT
Well located House and Lot with garage and other outbuildings in the village of Worton, Kent County, Md. Immediate possession given. Terms very reasonable. John D. Urie, Attorney, Chestertown, Md. jy29-3t

MONEY TO LOAN
Money to loan in sums to suit good real estate. Apply to John D. Urie, Attorney, Chestertown, Md. jy6-4t

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We are selling the best merchandise at much under the market. We can afford to sell for less. Can you afford to pay more? Read our ad and best of all make us a visit.

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STILL POND, MD.
See Advt. Last Page.

FOR SALE
60 acre wood lot in Quaker Neck, of growing timber, estimated one thousand cords of wood. Will be on concrete road. Also one beautiful young mare. Henry Brown, Chestertown No. 3, Phone 813F21. jy20-3t

WANTED
Printing Salesman Wanted: Sales-books, Mailform Printing, Stationery, Restaurant Checks, Register Printing, Fanfold, Tags. Fall on part time. Splendid opportunity. Shelby Salesbook Company, Shelby, Ohio. 1t

FOR SALE
The Robinson property in Still Pond. Has an acre of ground, dwelling, stable and hen house. Apply to Wm. Clark, Still Pond. jy20-3t

FOR SALE
Piano in good condition. Price reasonable. Apply to 103 East Cannon St., Chestertown, Md. jy20-3t

FOR RENT
Two, Three or Four Room Apartment. Apply Bibb's Hotel, Chestertown. 1t

AT PRIVATE SALE
Two Small Farms, one of 29 acres in the 5th Election District, and one of 4 acres in the 6th Election District, of Kent County, Md. Terms very reasonable. John D. Urie, Attorney, Chestertown, Md. jy13

PEACHES
Those famous luscious peaches will soon be ripe at Old Field Point Farm, Phone 6F11, Galena, after this Saturday. jy13-3t

APARTMENTS FOR RENT
The apartment on 3rd floor Hotel Imperial Building is for rent. Apply to Mr. Elliott or W. W. Hubbard, Chestertown, Md. 13jy-3t

LAUNDRY
I have opened the store room on 305 Queen street, at the Todd house, for a first-class laundry. Washing and ironing done by electric. Reasonable prices. Mrs. LeRoy Needles, 305 Queen St., Chestertown, Md. jy13-2t

FOR SALE
Baby Reed Coach with top arranged to turn about. Apply Kent News. jy13-3t

SEED RYE
Will have in few days a fine lot of Clean Seed Rye for sale. Write to grower, Jos. H. Carroll, Ridgely, Md. jy13-2t

EXTRA GOOD FARM FOR RENT
Jarrell-McCauley Farm, 396 acres, to strictly first class and reliable farmer with his own stock and implements. If can qualify apply quickly to
W. FRANK JARRELL,
jy13-3t

APPLES FOR SALE
Transparent, Astrikan and other varieties as the season advances, by bushel, hamper or peck. You may be interested in some of them. None will excel in cooking. \$1.00 per bushel. Flower Grove Fruit Farm, Worton, Md., Phone 807F32. Benj. F. Rash, Prop. jy6-4t

FOR RENT
Farm near Chestertown, containing 230 acres for rent. L. R. Vansant, Agent. jy13-3t

WANTED
Customers wanted for country butter and heavy cream. D. W. Ingram, Chestertown, Md., Phone 815F3. jy13-3t

FOR SALE
Two Building Lots 103x150 ft. on Washington avenue and a Seven-Room House on Park avenue. Apply to Mrs. W. C. Copper, 308 Park ave., Chestertown, Md. jy13-3t

WANTED
First-class farmer to manage and operate Maryland farm, equipped with all modern farm machinery, thoroughbred live stock, new buildings, modern in every respect, excellent tenant quarters. About 225 acres under cultivation. About 1 1/2 miles water frontage. Party must be a good manager, hustler and have good references as to past experience, reliability, etc. This is an excellent opportunity to party qualified. In replying state age, number of members in family and your past experiences. Address by letter to "Kent News." jy13-3t

FOR SALE
New Crop Kale Seed, cleaned, ready to sow; 75c per lb., 5 lbs for \$3.50. Postpaid. E. R. Anthony, Chestertown, Md. jy6-3t

FOR SALE
10 Acres of Woodland in George town, 6th District, at \$200.00. J. Waters Russell, Phone 338R. jy6

FARMERS' DAY ON AUGUST 16

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Kent County Farm Bureau held on Thursday evening, it was decided to hold the annual Farmers' Day celebration at Tolchester Beach on Friday, August 16.

A committee composed of James D. Davis, Jr., secretary-treasurer; County Agent J. D. McVean, Miss Helen L. Schellinger, county demonstration agent; Mrs. Harry T. Williams, William G. Smyth, Stanley B. Sutton, and George V. Hendrickson was appointed to arrange a program for the occasion, which will be announced another meeting to be held in Farm Bureau headquarters here.

It is certain however that one of the outstanding features of the celebration will be a countywide horse-show pitching contest to determine who shall represent Kent county at a statewide contest to be held in Baltimore in September to determine who shall wear the State title for the coming year.

FOR SALE
Farm near Golt of 368 acres, close to stone road, village, etc. Price \$6,500. J. Waters Russell, Chestertown, Md. jy22

AT ONCE
Man to represent the Fuller Brush Company in Chestertown and vicinity. Write M. G. Garman, General Delivery, Chestertown, Md. 1t

FOR SALE
2 McCormick Mowers thoroughly overhauled; price right. Jones and Satterfield, Chestertown, Md. jy6-2t

PRIVATE SALE
House in Millington on West Cypress street, recently roofed and electric lights; lot lush with river; good garden and poultry yard; excellent drinking water. Apply to Mrs. William Reese, owner and occupant. jy29-4t

NOTICE
The Chestertown Volunteer Fire Company will hold an outing at Quaker Neck Wharf next Tuesday afternoon, July 23rd, leaving the steamboat wharf, foot of High St. at 5 p. m.

All active, associate and band members are expected to avail themselves of this outing. Eats and music free, but in order to know just how many to prepare for it is the wish of the committee to have each guest advise the Fire Company at its regular meeting next Monday night as to their intentions.

Transportation has been secured thru the Chester River Yacht Club and do not forget we want you to enjoy yourselves.
OUTING COMMITTEE.

THE SPIRIT OF CHESTERTOWN THE CHESTERTOWN FISH MARKET
Fresh Fish and Crabs in season. Steamed Hard Crabs and Crab Meat.
Fish cleaned while you wait.
L. A. WARD
118 Cross Street, Chestertown, Md. jy13-3t

Betterton Casino
BETTERTON, MD.
Dancing
EVERY MORNING
EVERY EVENING
ALDERSON'S ORCHESTRA

Motor in for the evening and enjoy the dance.
Lucky Number Dance every Monday Night.
4 Prizes given.
Excursion from Havre de Grace and Fort Deposit.
Meet your friends from across the Bay.

First German of the Season, Wednesday, July 24th, 8 P. M. Admission 50 Cents
Boys and Girls Carnival, Thursday Morning July 25th, 10 A. M. Admission 20c.

MOVING PICTURES
Saturday, July 20—Ken Maynard in "GLORIOUS TRAIL"
Monday, July 22—Billie Dove in "NIGHT WATCH"
Tuesday, July 23—Paramount "SOMEONE TO LOVE"
Wednesday, July 24—Charlie Murray in "DO YOUR DUTY"
Thursday, July 25—Zane Gray Story "AVALANCHE"
Friday, July 26—Dorothy Mackaill and Jack Mullan in "TWO WEEKS OFF"
Saturday, July 27—Paramount "THREE WEEKS OFF"
Bathing, Canoeing, Bowling and many other attractions. Lunch Tables for Churches, Sunday Schools and Excursionists
HOWARD TURNER, Prop.

AIR SHOW HERE TODAY

Under the auspices of the Kent County Chamber of Commerce one of the most elaborate air-show programs ever arranged on the Peninsula will be given at the Chestertown flying field next Saturday, July 20th. While there will be flights and much else of interest during the entire day, the formal program opens promptly at 2 p. m.

Arrangements for the aerial demonstration are in the hands of the Curtis Flying Service who own and operate the airport at Chestertown. They have cooperated with the Kent County Chamber of Commerce for the purpose of offering an opportunity to the people of this section to view what promises to be one of the greatest assemblages of airplanes and of the most varied programs in flying ever staged on the Del-Mar-Va Peninsula.

It is expected that the acting Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Aviation will be present in behalf of the national flying service and that several other men noted in the aviation world will also attend.

Officials of the Kent County Chamber of Commerce announce that the program will call for the largest and most interesting gathering of flyers and airplanes to have been arranged for anywhere in this section. An unusually large gathering is anticipated and every provision is being made to care for those who attend.

A BIG CHECK

The Kent County Commissioners were the recipients this week of a check for \$962,140 from the National City Company of New York for the county road bonds recently purchased by that firm. The Commissioners had previously received a check for \$20,000 which the National City Company had deposited at the time they bid on the bonds.

The contracts for the roads to be constructed from the proceeds of the county bonds are rapidly being let by the Roads Commission and the County Commissioners. It is expected that within a short time the construction on practically all of the roads to be built will have started.

The Commissioners last week let the contract for the 45 miles of slag roadway that is to extend into the necks and connect with the present highway system. The contractors have stated that they expect to finish the work of laying the slag by November 15th.

The million dollars in bonds were carried to the Union Trust Company, Baltimore, by Treasurer Newsome accompanied by Deputy Sheriff Lee and Secretary Wheatley. Treasurer Newsome was handed the check and he in turn gave it for deposit to Cashier Allan A. Harris, of the Chestertown Bank of Maryland. Mr. Newsome has divided the money among four of the banks.

CHAUTAQUA NEXT WEEK

The Chautauqua next week will be held at the big tent located on the lot in rear of Elementary School. Tickets will be sold for \$2.00 each.

There are 75 guarantors. Elsewhere will be found the excellent program.

Owing to an arrangement made by the railway mail service the afternoon motor truck mail from Chestertown does not leave here until 4.30 instead of 4 as formerly, which is a great convenience to banks and the general public in dispatching afternoon mail. Beginning July 22, Mass. Millington and Sudlersville will have an early morning mail delivery by a star route service from Galena which will put the daily papers in these towns two hours earlier than at present.

HOW TO SOLVE FARM RELIEF

Nationwide reversion to the ancient art of barter will ultimately solve the mooted farm relief problem. Mrs. Evelyn Harris, pioneer feminine agriculturist of Maryland and owner here of the largest pear orchard in the East with 40,000 trees, told Secretary of Agriculture Arthur M. Hyde in a letter addressed to the official.

Similar sentiments were lately expressed by the Eastern Shore of Maryland woman farmer in the course of an interview with Senator Gilbert P. Nye, of North Dakota in his Washington office.

For many years Mrs. Harris, a frequent contributor to magazines and farm journals, has maintained that the solution to the farmers' economic ills lies in his produce for something he wants. China, she told Secretary Hyde, has valuable commodities of interest to American rural dwellers and China is in dire need of wheat, corn and other edibles right now. Why not import Chinese goods, duty free, and let farmers send their surplus products to the Far East where they will do the most good? she asks. Elimination of the middleman will thus be effected, Mrs. Harris asserts, and the fair exchange be made at minimum expense.

Meanwhile the local orchardist has suggested to the Secretary as well as to the Dakota Senator that before officials are selected to administer farm relief measures their wives be first interviewed.

"Whenever you find a worthwhile farmer who has progressive and sane ideas about his business you will find in most cases he has a sensible wife," Mrs. Harris avers. "Though her influence is not always audible or visible, yet it is felt just the same and directly or indirectly her counsels are the compelling force in her husband's activities and managerial policies." Let President Hoover select his experts after ascertaining what sort of wives they have, Mrs. Harris admonished Mr. Hyde before the eight members of the Farm Board were chosen. Whether or not her advice was followed she has not yet learned.

Several years ago she experimented with barter as a means of satisfying her economic demands quickly and inexpensively and she is thoroughly "sold" on the idea. This week Mrs. Harris exchanged a quantity of mahogany logs, cut from her forest, for a piano. She received in value four times what she had formerly been paid in money for the same quantity of logs. All sales overhead was eliminated from the transaction. The Pennsylvania manufacturer got his logs and Mrs. Harris, her piano after the simplest of bargains and the buyer paid her just what he has been used to paying the middleman for the same logs.

A watch crystal was purchased the other day in a local jeweler's store for a quart of berries and a fertilizer bill was paid in piling cut from the woods on Mrs. Harris' farms. Some time ago she bought a permanent wave with a basket of fruit grown in her orchards and her children had haircuts and bus transportation to school for potatoes and cucumbers.

"If you have a commodity I need in my business and if my farms produce something you want why go through several transactions when one single exchange will do?" Mrs. Harris said. "Why does the American farmer have to buy in a rising market," she asks. "That," according to Mrs. Harris, a "what" recently faced with the necessity of supporting her children and carrying on her husband's farm, "is the impossible situation facing the American agriculturist."

"Let Congress take the tariff off Chinese goods, she argues, and return to barter for farm relief. She declares she will continue the art in her own transactions until her idea attains a wider hearing and is taken up by farmers now crying for relief when there is no relief.

KENT COUNTY MAN WEDS IS LOUISIANA

Doctor and Mrs. A. M. Kinchele, Hardinsburg, Ky., announce the marriage of their daughter, Miriam, to James Berns Miller, of Chestertown, Md.

The ceremony was performed at the home of Doctor and Mrs. John C. Calhoun, Rayville, La., on July 5. Miss Kinchele had been Red Cross nutritionist in Richland Parish, La., for the last four months. Previous to that time she did similar work in Kent county, Md. Mr. Miller is assistant county agent of Kent county. Mr. and Mrs. Miller will return to Chestertown on Monday.

WHEAT PRICES HAVE BEEN FINE

All Kent county, as well as the rest of the United States, is much pleased at the rising price of wheat the past ten days.

What to do with the crop is the question. Is with the market going up or going down? Who can answer? The price in Chestertown offered by the local buyers reached \$1.31 on Wednesday and on Thursday dropped to \$1.27. Yesterday the price in Chestertown was \$1.23. What it will be today no man can tell.

Olin Davis, of Upper Kent, threshed his crops off two farms and got 3800 bushels from 130 acres.

H. H. Legg, of Flatland, captures the record for best yield of wheat in Kent this year. He threshed 40 bushels per acre from one field.

Dr. Spranklin on the Walker farm threshed 38 bushels per acre off of 15 acres and an average of 30 1/2 bushels off 30 acres. Leon Brown threshes this farm and is proud of this yield as is his landlord.

Mrs. Myra Roseberry, of near Still Pond, threshed an average of 31 1/2 bushels per acre off her home farm of 30 acres.

CHAUTAQUA PROGRAM JULY 22ND TO 25TH

FIRST DAY
Afternoon—The Faubels—in Sketches from Life. Music—Ventriloquism. Junior Chautauqua.
Evening—The Faubels—Concert. A romantic travel Lecture by Ellery Walter—"Around the World on One Leg."

SECOND DAY
Afternoon—Lecture by Dr. Frank Bohm, "Open Doors to Fascinating Worlds." Junior Chautauqua.
Evening—The Beachwalkers in a fantastic comedy drama—"The Romancers"—by Edmund Rostand.

THIRD DAY
Afternoon—Theater by the Boston Musicians Quintet—Music masterpieces by Music Masters. Junior Chautauqua.
Evening—Feature Lecture, Tom Skellyhill, Soldier, Lecturer, Writer, at Chautauqua next Wednesday evening.

FOURTH DAY
Afternoon—Molarisky's Marionettes. Junior Pageant.
Evening—This year's Broadway Comedy Success—"Skidding"—with a New York cast.
Tickets are \$2.00 for adults and \$1.00 for Juniors.

FINE HOME SOLD
It is reported here that Henry W. Catlin, of New York and Kent County, has sold the Catlin-Pearce fine dwelling on Front and Cannon Sts., Chestertown, to Father Howell, an Episcopal preacher from Connecticut.

It is understood that Father Howell will take possession in about three weeks and make his summer home here. He is interested in yachting and will build a boat house on the river side of the property.

This is one of the oldest landmarks in the town, having been erected more than a century ago by the late United States Senator James Alfred Pearce, father of the late Chief Justice James Alfred Pearce, each of whom resided there for many years. Since he purchased the property some years ago, Mr. Catlin has restored much of its exterior and interior architectural beauty, and has greatly improved the spacious fower yard, but has removed some of the shrubbery to his county estate, which is enclosed with high brick wall. The sale price of the property is reported to be \$27,500.

John Bibb, the 16-year-old son of Mrs. Violet Bibb, fell from a tree yesterday morning and broke a bone in each of his two wrists. Dr. Simmons set the fractured bones.

A brilliant display of hydrangeas now is in full bloom in the garden at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Schmidt in Rock Hall.
In what is considered to be the most extensive cultivation in the state are 2,000 mammoth blooms of the popular garden plant, ranging in color from the beautiful French red and purple to the graceful blue and pink shades. Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt make a specialty of cultivating the plants, which are grown from cuttings in their greenhouses and transferred to the garden.
In front of their home are some of the largest plants ever grown in the town now crowned with as many as 200 light blue blooms, many of which will measure 20 inches in circumference.

At present the garden is one of the most popular show places in the county and hundreds of tourists from Pennsylvania and Delaware are driving down to get a view of the display. Mr. Schmidt has been cultivating the plants for several years and he has recently imported a number of red and purple French varieties which are new to this section.

Mr. and Mrs. David Ford Barr announce the marriage of their daughter, Charlotte Adele, to W. Gordon Williams, on Friday, July 12th, 1929, Philadelphia. Miss Barr has many friends here having been the guest of Miss Sue B. Ford.

BETTERTON ELECTRIC PLANT SOLD

At a special meeting of the stockholders of the Betterton Ice and Electric Company held at the office of the company, Tuesday, July 16th, 1929, the resignations of all the directors and the officers of the company were accepted; after which the following new directors were elected:

James W. Cryder, President, Continental Publicity Utility Company, Philadelphia; Eugene A. Edgett, Attorney, Baltimore; Clarence W. Miles, Baltimore; Charles H. Duffield, Philadelphia; Charles H. Brice, Betterton.

A meeting of the directors was held and the following officers were elected:

Charles H. Duffield, President; Charles H. Brice, Vice President and Treasurer; Eugene A. Edgett, Secretary.

MASSEY ROAD BIDS

The State Roads Commission on Tuesday last opened the bids for the Massey-Sassafras concrete road as follows:

W. W. Truitt and Lincoln 65,905.00
Layfield and Waler 67,675.50
P. D. Phillips and Bro. 67,675.50
Salisbury.

The W. W. Truitt Company were the lowest bidders and will get the contract which is for 3.9 miles of road.

RAM SALE BIG SUCCESS

The Third Annual Ram Sale fostered by the Maryland Stockmen's Association was held at Centerville on Tuesday, July 16th, and was a big success in every way. Forty-five fine registered Hampshire and Shropshire rams were sold at an average of nearly \$60, which speaks for the quality of the offering. The price range was from \$31 to \$131.

H. Stockton Stitt, of Chestertown, bought five of the good rams. Jim Hall, of Church Hill, bought the top-priced ram, also one other good one. Page Gale, of Tolchester, vicinity purchased a Shropshire ram from M. C. Sherman, of Queenstown.

Following the sale, a lamb infested with internal parasites was killed and opened to reveal the type of worms found in sheep. The lunk revealed by its scrubby, unthrifty, under-sized appearance that it was infested. The treatment for the different kinds of parasites was explained. The demonstration held the attention of a large crowd of interested sheepmen.

Attendance was estimated at 83,000. The sale was well handled, and much credit is due K. A. Clark, Extension Animal Husbandry Specialist, who was sales manager; B. E. Carmichael, secretary of the Maryland Stockmen's Association and to County Agent Grubb, who perfected many of the local arrangements for handling the sale.

The Kent-Sussex Fair will start on Monday at Harrington. A fine program will be presented to the thousands who visit this great Fair.

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