LOCAL NOTES.....

Local buyers were paying 77½ cts. for wheat yesterday. A Kent Farmer says he sold wheat in 1895 for 56 cts. and corn for 29 cents.

Gill Bros., our local ice cream manufacturers, have fresh peach ice cream, also Amos 'N Andy ice cream which is quite a favorite among the people.

Workmen for the State Roads Commission are repairing the bridge over Radcliffe Creek, in Quaker Neck near Chestertown. The bridge is being strengthened temporarily and will likely be replaced by a new structure in the near future.

The active members of the Chestertown Volunteer Fire Co. participated in a crab feast Friday, July 18, at Quaker Neck Wharf, this county. The trip to the scene of the feast was made on boats furnished by local yachtsmen.

George Taylor, aged 13, is in Easton Emergency Hospital with a fractured hip suffered when he fell from the roof of the Metcalfe grain elevator here, where he was playing with other boys Sunday. The boy was taken to the hospital in the firemen's ambulance after passersby had picked him up.

The local ambulance was called to Betterton Beach Friday when J. D. Guthrie, local representative of a national fertilizer company and native of Emporia, Va., was taken ill with acute indigestion at the joint outing and dinner of the Young Men's Bible class of the M. E. Church of this town and the Bykota Club of the church.

Mr. Guthrie was unconscious for two hours. He was brought here and treated by Dr. H. B. Simmons and has now recovered.

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Another candidate for Democratic nomination of Sheriff of Kent County filed his papers with Supervisor o Election this week. It is George W. Townsend, of Quaker Neck, whose card appears elsewhere in KENT NEWS.

Former Mayor John W. Barnes, of this town, quietly observed the 74th anniversary of his birth on Thursday. For 58 years Mr. Barnes has been connected with the Chestertown Transcript in charge of the composing room, and for 33 years has been officially connected with practically all of the fraternal orders in the town. He closed a successful six-year term as a member of the Board of Town Commissioners and Mayor last May.

Fire destroyed five acres of wheat standing in a field on the farm of Judge Lewin W. Wickes, near Locust Grove, Friday morning, while a combine was at work in the field.

Farm hands and neighbors dug a trench around the field to prevent the spread of the fire to other fields. The Chesapeake Volunteer Fire Company responded to an alarm and assisted in preventing the spread of the blaze. It was soon put out. It was insured.

Sheriff J. T. Hadaway has taken fingerprints from the store of Arthur Emerson at Betterton which has been broken into for the second time this summer and several cartons of cigars cigarettes and several dozens of bottles of soft drinks, taken. The front window was smashed while the exit was made through a back door, it is said.

Kent county farmers who are shipping their wheat out of the county are making use of the grain laboratory established at Easton by the University of Maryland Extension Service for that purpose. An inspector from the laboratory has notified County Agent J. D. McVean that he will come here to inspect grain whenever called upon.

BOY LOSES LEGS IN MISHAP

A month after his father was fatally injured in a friendly wrestling match with his employer, Mortimer Jones, 16, was Tuesday so badly hurt by a threshing machine that scant hope for his recovery was being held at the Easton Emergency Hospital, here, where both of his legs were amputated.

The boy, sole support of his widowed mother, Mrs. Raymond Jones, who, with two younger children lives near Easton, was at work on the same farm where his father was fatally injured, that of Robert Goldsborough, at the time of the accident. He was working near a thresh machine when, in some unexplained manner, one of his legs became caught in the apparatus. In his frantic attempt to free himself, the other leg became caught. Both legs we badly mashed before the machine could be stopped.

Jones was rushed to the Emergency Hospital where it was found necessary to amputate both legs at the knee. He had been working at the Goldsborough farm since his father's death.

The Home Department of Calvary Church, at Sudlersville, was entertained at supper at Owens Cottage Betterton. Those in the party were Mrs. Spencer Walls, Mrs. Annie Sudler, Mrs. Addie Sudler, Mrs. Mary C. Roe, Mrs. I. M. Redden, Mrs. Mary M. Roe, Mrs. Bessie Johnson, Mrs. Neavitt Booker, Mrs. W. W. Margan, Mrs. Anor Joslin, Mrs. Joanna Walls.

Mrs. A. J. Elliott, who resides near Wye Mills, seven miles from Centreville, had 35 valuable turkeys killed by either stray dogs or foxes. The animals had dug a large hole under the turkey coop to gain an entrance. The turkeys were about half grown.

Foozle—Terrible links, Caddy, terrible!

Caddy—Sorry, sir, these ain't the links—you got off them an hour ago.

Personal and Social Items of Interest

John H. Mittens, Esq., editor of the Times, Westminster, was a welcome caller at the News office Tuesday.

Mrs. Thurston Branham, of Washington, and Miss Elizabeth Majors, of Virginia, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Rogers, Chestertown.

Mrs. Austin F. Shure, of Baltimore is the guest of Mrs. Brown Metcalfe, Chestertown.

Misses Gladys and Marian Aldridge, of Chestertown, have been guests this week of their aunt, Mrs. Paul Wilkinson, in Baltimore.

John Townsend has resigned as agent for the Prudential and Lieut. A. Doehler, of Centreville, has been appointed in his place.

Miss Isabel Crowder, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Miss Katherine Baker on High street.

Mrs. E. Bonwill Dukes is at Atlantic City with her small daughter, Margaret Ann, to spend three weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Mair, of Philadelphia, at the Colton Manor Apartments.

Misses Irene Tickner, Margaret Gollery and Ellen Gollery are spending several weeks at their summer home at Cliff City before returning to their home in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ward and young son, Herbert, Jr., are spending a month in Boston as the guests of Mr. Ward's parents.

Mrs. Naomi Russell, who is attending summer school in Baltimore, spent the week-end in Chestertown.

Mrs. Annie Hudson has been spending the week with firends in Bustleton, Pa.

Mrs. Ida M. Vannort, Philadelphia, is the guest of Mrs. Mollie Simpers, on Queen street, Chestertown.

Mrs. David Worrell and Mrs. Bertha Bowman, of Baltimore, are guests of Mrs. Dukes on Kent Circle.

Mrs. Charles H. Wheatley and children and Mrs. Geo. H. Cannon are spending a few weeks in a cottage at Rehoboth.

Paul N. Adams has been in Washington this week studying gas refrigeration.

Fred. Davis, Jr., of Wilmington, is the guest of his grandparents.

Mrs. S. C. Hearn, of Wilmington, is the guest of E. E. Hudson and wife on High street.

Miss Amanda Roe, daughter of Medford Roe, of Sudlersville, has accepted a position in Washington in the U. S. Census Bureau.

Mrs. Fannie Seney, who was seriously injured in an automobile accident on March 21st, and has since been in Emergency Hospital, Easton, has now returned to the home of her sister, Mrs. W. A. Butler, where she is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Douglas entertained over the week end Messrs. Earle Hickox, Samuel White, and Dave DeCosta, of Phila., Pa. They enjoyed fishing in the Chester River and Mr. White received the congratulations of his friends on his large catch.

A. S. Turner, Jr., and wife, of Chestertown, attended the 34th Rotary District Conference this week at Altoona, Pa., as representative from the Chestertown Rotary Club.

Miss Frederica Metcalf, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Brown Metcalf, of Chestertown, is one of the happy campers at Camp Carvel on the Chester River.

Duke Brown, of New York, and Mr. H. A. Smock, of Red Bank, N. Y., were guests this week of Mr. A. C. Loud and sister, near Chestertown.

Mrs. Ralph Kellar, of Boston, is the guest of Mrs. Frank B. Hines, of Chestertown.

Miss Alice Marion Sterling is visiting friends in New York and elsewhere.

Mrs. Thomas Whaley visited Westminster, Gettysburg and elsewhere with Baltimore friends last week.

Mrs. Thomas Holdson has been quite ill the past week.

Clark Fontaine, Jr., and Ivon Culver are spending the week in Washington, D. C., visiting the former's relatives.

Miss Bobby Brown, of Brooklyn, N. Y., was the guest this week of Miss Louise Brown, on Queen St., Chestertown.

Miss Catherine Beck suffered an injured knee in an automobile accident near Aberdeen and is recuperating at her home. Miss Margaret Smith who was with her was unhurt.

Miss Dorothy Pennington and Martha Crossley have been elected delegates to the annual conference of church workers to be held at Western Maryland College, Westminster, July 21 and 28. They will represent the Triangle Club of Christ Church.

Jos. S. Trew, Jr., of Newark, N. J., is home for a few weeks holiday with his parents in Kent. He has a fine position as auditor with the Sun Oil Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hague, son and daughters, Rock Hall, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hague Fogwell, near Betterton.

Mrs. E. B. Mauge, of Boston, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mallalieu and son, of Garden City, were the week end guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. Jennie V. Johnson.

Mrs. Thomas Rodney, of Rock Hall, is the guest of Mrs. J. Webster McIntire.

Misses Betty and Virginia Barnes are the guests of relatives in Wilmington, Del.

Mr. and Mrs. John Crough, of Rock Hall, are parents of a fine son about ten days old.

Mrs. Elizabeth Casey has returned from Baltimore leaving her niece, Mrs. William Vesper, improved from sinus trouble.

Joseph Downey's store at Rock Hall was robbed Sunday night of two pistols and some money.

William H. Bolton has purchased the J. H. Benson property in Earleville, Md.

Miss Maragaret Russell is visiting friends inPhiladelphia.

Harry Schreiber, of Washington and Miss Audrey Sard, of Wilmington, Del., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Schrieber.

Miss Kathryn Jarrell, of Baltimore, has been visiting friends in town.

Jesse Latham, and Mr. and Mrs. William T. Henery, of Baltimore, were week end guests of relatives in town.

Mrs. George Latham and Mrs. Thomas Kennard were operated on at Easton Hospital last week. Reports from both patients are that they are improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Strong and their daughter, Helen, left for a week's visit with Mrs. Strong's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Dwyer, in Harrisonburg, Va.

Mrs. Don Falls, who returned last Saturday from a Philadelphia hospital, where she has been a patient for several weeks, is able to be out and is greatly improved.

Gilpin Brown, who underwent an operation last week for the removel of his tonsils visited at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Clay Brown, here. He is much improved and returned to Philadephia this week.

Alber., Jr., and Jean Brotemarkle, children of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brotemarkle, of Cambridge, are the guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. David Kendall here.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Barnes, two sons, Jack and Wilbur, and Miss Alice Smith, spent the past several days at Ocean City, Md.

Miss Kathryn Smith and Mrs. Leonard A. Winkler, are spending two weeks the guests of their sister, Mrs. G. N. Burns ofAtlanta, Ga.

Mrs. Horace Needles has been quite sick at her home for several days.

Beade Webber, a white employee of the Old Line Construction Company, fell off a truck near Betterton Thursday and was carried to Easton Hospital suffering from a concussion about his head. Mr. Webber is from Greensboro.

The golf team of the Chester River Yacht and Country Club was defeated by the Dover Country Club, 18½ to 17½, in the annual tilt between the two teams last Sunday. The annual handicap tourney for the cup offered by President Stephen R. Collins is played this week here.

Master Jack Newnam, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard C. Newnam, while playing in the road opposite his home on Kent Circle, was run into by a passing car and the end of his foot injured. He made a narrow escape.

The Gloucester Male Quartette gave a fine concert in Norfolk, Va., Tuesday eveing. The program was broadcast and was under the direction of Mrs. Marguerite Dodd Harris, formerly of Kent. She also presided at the piano.

MINIATURE GOLF COURSE

Arrangements are being completed for the installation of a miniature Golf Course in Chestertown. The course is being installed by the City Club Golf Course Co., of Dover, Del., and is expected to be finished in about three weeks.

Officials of the Chester River Yacht and Country Club are arranging the details for the second annual regatta which will be held on the Chester River and the Chesapeake Bay Aug. 22 and 23. The program of events for the two-day carnival will shortly be announced. Among the prizes will be a gold cup, one of the most expensive offerings ever seen in a boat race.

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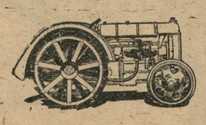

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