LOCAL NOTES.....

At the weekly meeting of the Chestertown Rotary Club last Monday night. A most interesting talk was given by County Agent McVean, Edwin H. Brown, Jr., and Queen Anne's Superintendent of Schools Bennett, were visitors from the Centreville Rotary Club.

County Game Warden E. Joseph Watson, has been notified by State Game Commissioner E. Lee LeCompte, to urge hunters and sportsmen to feed birds while snow covers the ground. They have also been notified that they will be paid for any grain they use in feeding and caring for game during the siege of cold weather.

C. Lee Gill, past commander of Frank M. Jarman Post, No. 36, American Legion, is chairman of the committee here in charge of American Legion Week, from Monday until Saturday. During the week, efforts have been made to enroll every ex-service man in the county in the local post. The local post will attend a banquet at the Southern Hotel, Baltimore, of the State post, at which time the national commander will address assembled legionnaires.

The Elburn Mill or Higman Mill property located in the First District of Queen Anne's county, was sold last week to James E. Higman, of Millington; the Walter Teat property also near Millington, was sold to Rolph G. Hall. Both sales were made by J. H. C. Legg, attorney.

Harry Lindsay, 35, formerly of Chestertown and a son-in-law of George Bacon, of Chestertown, was held up by two armed men as he started to put his car in the garage of his home in Media, Pa., Sunday night. They forced him to drive to a bridge over Crum Creek, two miles away.

There two companies of the robbers were waiting with another automobile. A search of Lindsay's pockets netted $150 in checks but no cash money. The robbers then drove away and reported the holdup. His car was recovered in Philadelphia.

L. C. Treherne, representing E. A. Strout Realty Agency, Inc., sold to The Prince Edward Fur Farm, Inc., of Philadelphia, two tracts of land and buildings, some 242 acres belonging to George Hollexy, at Deep Landing, in Rich Neck, in Queen Anne's county, transferred under lease with option to purchase within a stated period. The owners have engaged a native trapper, Mr. Nolle, as manager, who will have charge of the many improvements to be made in the buildings to be used in the propagating of muskrats and possibly other wild animals. The company will have a branch office in Chestertown, Md.

At the monthly meeting of the Board of Stewards of Christ M. P. Church the resignation of Charles L. Dodd as treasurer was accepted with regret and Walter U. Lusby named to fill the vacancy.

The Chestertown Bank of Maryland has donated a large clock which was used in the old bank building recently abandoned, to the Chestertown Volunteer Fire Company.

MISS BLUE BONNETT

Miss Olivia Abernethy, assisted by Miss Marie Bryan and Mrs. Robert Green, members of the Chestertown High School faculty, directed the annual play presented in the two nights this week by students. Music was furnished by the high school orchestra with Frank Jarrell and Raymond Moffett as instrumental soloists. Miss Rose Gordon, a senior, took the star role, while others in the cast were Frances Hill, Louise Crow, Carrie Walters, Anna Lewis, Jesse Moore, Lucille Rasin, Ruth Jones, Elizabeth Baxter, John Harwood, Paul Pippin, Marvin Williams, Alfred Hodgson and John Henry Crew.

Members of the chorus are Harriett L. Rogers, Alice Marian Sterling, Mary Cosden, Mable Smith, Mary J. Wheatley, Margaret Ann Brown, Miriam Cornelius, Deborah Brown, Emma Knight, Helen Miller, Elizabeth Fontaine, Betty Beck, Margaret Ann Dukes, Gene Cooper, Mary Legg, Elizabeth Wheatley, Mary Brown, Joe Fox, Jimmy Bringman, Ray Walbert, Louis Anthony, Chas. Rollison, Horace Needles, Grace Valliant, Marie McKenney, Marillyn Lancaster, Jimmy Biddle, Arthur Brown.

The play was well presented and thoroughly enjoyed by the audience.

Mrs. Herrington Wheeler, of Wilmington, will come here next Monday to begin rehearsals for the annual musical comedy of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the local fire company which will be staged February 24, 25 and 26.

Personal Events The Past Week

Charles L. Dodd continues to improve. He was able to sit up for a short while this week.

The choir of the M. E. Church and Rev. J. H. Wright and wife were delightfully entertained Friday evening by Mrs. Polk T. Bramble and Mrs. J. Paul Fleming at the home of Mrs. Bramble. The occasion being the birthday of Mrs. Fleming.

Mrs. Cecil Reilly Atkinson, of New York, formerly of Chestertown, has issued invitations to the marriage of her daughter, Miss Isabel Atkinson, to Captain Albert Carl Lieber, Junior Corp of Engineers, U. S. Army, on Saturday, March 1st, 1930, at four o'clock at Emmanuel P. E. Church, Chestertown.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Manlove announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Henrietta Morgan Manlove to Mr. David Henderson Riely, on January 3rd, at Baltimore. Mr. Riely is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Riely, of Charlestown, W. Va., and a graduate of the United States Naval Academy. After an extended trip through the north and the west Mr. and Mrs. Riely will return to New York City

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Elliott removed into their splendid new home on Mt. Vernon Avenue last month. Today they are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a fine daughter.

After quite a long stay in Baltimore for kidney treatment Mrs. H.P. Townsend has returned to her home on South Front street, Chestertown.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Loller entertained at a turkey dinner Wednesday evening. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Samuel C. Loller, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Loller, Mrs. M. E. Crossley, Mrs. Ethel Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Ford.

Dr. G. H. Dana attended the Dental Cilnic held at the Lord Baltimore Hotel, Baltimore, this week.

The Rev. John White, rector of historic Old St. Paul's of Kent, Protestant Episcopal Church near Fairlee, is in Racine, Wis., attending the annual conference of executive officers of the Protestant Episcopal Church in America. He will act in his capacity as chairman of the field department of the Diocese of Easton, comprising all the churches of that denomination on the Eastern Shore.

Walter Barnes, of Wilmington, was the week-end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earle Barnes.

Dr. M. Earle Usilton, of Philadelphia, was the guest of his mother and sister on Sunday.

Mrs. Earle Gitt and children, of Baltimore, have been the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Frank Clark, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Frank Clark entertained their children and grandchildren at a turkey dinner at their home on Kent Circle on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Legg are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a little son.

Mrs. Sydney Manning, of Baltimore, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Brooks on Front street.

Miss Isabel Beck, of Baltimore, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Allan A. Harris on Front street. Allan B. Harris was also a guest last week.

Miss Edith Harley was hostess to a number of friends at a bridge party given last Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Nicholson, near town. There were ten tables of guests in attendance.

Miss Genevieve Boland, dean of women at Washington College, was the hostess at a bridge party given in Reid Hall on Friday evening of last week. The party was given for the members of the college faculty and their wives.

Eddie Keenan, 345-pound former Washington College football player, was painfully injured in Waterbury, Conn., last week when struck and knocked down by an automobile. The car, however, failed to make the steep grade over Eddie's body and stalled.

The former Washington gridder and songster is being featured in a minstrel show in Waterbury. He appeared on the evening of the mishap and put over his act in fine style, despite a broken rib.

Kent county oyster industry has been completely paralyzed by the weather conditions that have prevailed for the last few weeks, and hundreds of oystermen, shuckers and oyster house operators are idle.

The annual meeting of the Maryland Turkey Growers Association of Kent County, will be held in the Court House here on Wednesday, February 19, for the annual election of officers and for the discussion of annual reports to be submitted by retiring officers. This organization was established a year ago through the efforts of the Kent County Chamber of Commerce and during its existence it has demonstrated its value by the adoption of the cooperative system of marketing the turkey crop in the county.

Officials of the Sun Oil Company have appointed Harry Hill, of Wilmington, superintendent of the Chestertown territory to succeed Rollison Baxter, who recently resigned to accept another position. Mr. Hill will assume his duties Saturday.

Mrs. Bonwill Dukes entertained a number of friends at cards last Saturday evening in honor of Miss Louise Gray, who is visiting Miss Palmer Carroll here. Miss Carroll entertained for Miss Gray at the home of ex-Senator W. B. Copper, Washington avenue, Thursday evening.

The weekly tea at the Chester River Yacht and Country Club last Sunday afternoon saw Mrs. W. Dorsey Hines acting as hostess for the occasion. Mrs. Hines was assisted by Mrs. Benjamin LeSeur and Miss Anna Perkins. The weekly teas are scheduled for each Sunday from four o'clock until five-thirty. Sext Sunday Mrs. P. M. Brooks will be the hostess.

The Reverend and Mrs. Chasles L. Atwater gave a party last Monday evening in honor of the birthday of their son, Charles Chester. The 11 members of the Sunday School class of which Charles Chester is a member, were the guests of honor.

Announcement was made this week of the marriage on New Year's Day of Miss Hilda E. Hurd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Hurd, of Worton, to John S. Owens, Jr., of Chestertown. Miss Hurd was a senior in the Chestertown High School. Mr. Owens is the son of John S. Owens and the late Mrs. Lillie Owens, of Betterton. He is employed in the Peoples Bank here.

D. B. Ford, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. David B. Ford, was carried to a Baltimore hospital in the Kent County Ambulance Wednesday afternoon suffering from appendicitis.

Miss Louise B. Russell entertained a number of friends at bridge Wednesday evening.

Miss Marie Bryan, of the High School faculty, twisted her knee while playing basketball last week and was confined to her bed for several days. She is much improved and is able to be out again.

Miss Katherine Coulbourn, of Roanoke, Va., was the week-end guest of Miss Anne Bonwill at the home of Mrs. Norman Cooper.

Miss Dorothy Knotts, of Smyrna, spent the week-end with her parents, here.

Mrs. Julia Roberts visited friends in Baltimore last week.

Miss Virginia Jones, of New York, was the week-end guest of her father, Dr. J. S. William Jones.

William B. Usilton, III, of New York, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Usilton, over the week-end.

THREE STUDENTS TAKE JOY RIDE

Three Washington College freshmen were brought here 4 a. m. Monday after driving off with the automobile of Preston Crowding, a local insurance man, the previous night without the owner's consent. George Fliegler, aged 19, 142 Morton Place, New York City; Frank H. Turner, of Palmyra, N. J., and Robert C. Frick, of Williamsport, Md., were given a hearing before Jutice Stafford and fined $25 each and costs.

The young freshmen, who admitted that they had taken the machine, a five-passenger sedan, from in front of Mr. Crowding's home here for a joy ride, made no objections to returning to Maryland after they were overtaken on the duPont highway in Delaware shortly after midnight on Monday morning.

This was the second automobile that had been taken from Mr. Crowding within a short time. A few nights ago, several Negroes stole his machine and wrecked it on the highway near here. The car that was taken Sunday afternoon was new.

The machine was taken about 7 o'clock while it was parked in front of Mr. Crowding's home. It was not missed by the owner until later. The officers were notified and a search was begun. Sheriff Hadaway finally learned that a car bearing the license number sought was seen driving toward the duPont highway. The officers took up the pursuit, which ended near State Road Station, not far from Wilmington.

The freshmen, who bear good reputations in the college, are said to have told the officers that they fully intended to drive the machine back and leave it some place where it could be found, and that they had no other motive in taking it, other than to ride about the country.

The boys were caught when they stopped to ask the road to Elkton.

State's Attorney Stephen R. Collins was not notified of the hearing and following a conference with Mr. Crowding, declared that he intended to prosecute the youths further. A warrant was issued charging the boys with the larceny of a tire cover. They were arrested and held for a hearing Monday.

Robert C. Frick, 19, of Williamsport, Md., made a confession to the effect that he had a pistol in the car and threw it on the floor when arrested. It is said the Delaware authorities will take some action against the youths.

Dr. Walter W. Spelsburg, a graduate of the Maryland Cniversity, and Miss Marion A. Reid, who has been associated with the Fidelity Trust Company of Baltimore, for several years were united in matrimony at the M. P. parsonage at Kennedyville, on Friday, February 6th.

Miss Reid is a cousin of Mrs. McLain Brown and formerly lived at East New Market, Dochester county, Md.

Dr. Coonan, a college mate of the groom, was best man, and Miss Virginia Reid, of Westminster, sister of the bride, was the bride's maid.

A weddingbreakfast was served at noon, and immediately after the ceremony the young people left for New York city, and other points East.

The happy young couple will reside in Clarksburg, W. Va., where the groom is establishing himself in his profession. Rev. J. McLain Brown performed the ceremony.

All aboard for "All Aboard," Chestertown's big musical comedy Feb. 24. 25 and 26.

Notwithstanding the inclement weather several members and officials of the Boy Scout troup of Betterton attended the annual meeting of the Wilmington Council. Among those who attended were: Howard Turner, Council representative; J. William Clark, Walter B. Harris and Baynard Harper, troop committeemen; Howard B. Owens, and Allan Bonwill, assistant scoutmasters, and Walter Brice.

At the Cedar Point Hunt Club 2,300 ducks were killed during the season.

The Kent county jail is almost taxed to capacity with prisoners awaiting trial, twenty-eight now being held here. The maximum capacity is thirty-three prisoners.

The latest petty theft was committed Saturday, Thomas Williams, a Negro of North Carolina, working on the bridge is alleged to have stolen a case of 18 pairs of women's shoes from in front of the store of Baurice Fox on Cross street. He was arrested with the goods in his possession and was given a preliminary hearing and held for Court.

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This year's production, "All Aboard," is a nautical musical comedy, the action taking place on board a ship bound for Southern waters. The story is an unusual one, full of comedy, tuneful music and brilliant dances. The cast, which will include the best vocal and dramatic talent of Chestertown and Kent County, will be announced in a later issue of this paper.

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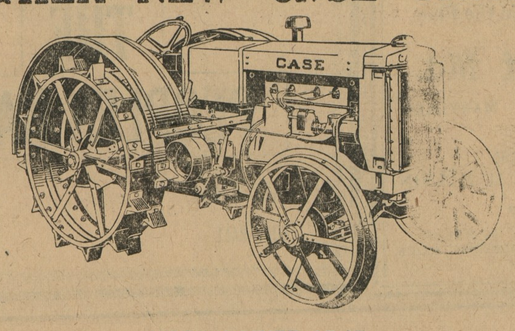

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