LOCAL NOTES.....

NO more **practical gift anywhere** than are shown at the clothing store of Albert L. Wheat, Chestertown.

THE Shore Radio Store, Chestertown, is showing a sensational 2-in-1 instrument. Go look at it.

THE little son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert F. Ward broke his arm on Wednesday. He was carried to Easton where the bones were set.

A CHIMNEY on Hinchingham farm, near Tolchester, was on fire Tuesday causing the Volunteer Fire Co. to come to their help.

FRIGIDAIRE is putting on a big $6,000 prize contest. Baldwin Electrical Corp., Chestertown, are the local representatives. See details elsewhere in KENT NEWS.

AT THE Regional Association of Deans of Women of Maryland, Delaware, Virginia and the District of Columbia, held November 14, at State Teachers' College, Fredericksburg, Va., Dean Margaret Brewer of Washington College, was elected secretary of the organization.

FRANK J. HANKS, owner of the Thompson farm in Elk Neck, is said to have spoiled the day's sport of a number of fox hunters and a score of hound dogs who were chasing a fox across his field by shooting the animal.

Master of Hounds Harry Keithley appeared before Magistrate Manley Drennen and had Hanks arrested. A fine of $10 and cost was imposed by the justice.

A Maryland law prohibits the shooting of any fox while being chased by hounds by a fine of not less than $10 or more than $100 or serve a jail sentence in default of paying the fine.

OLD KRIS comes to Chestertown today.

DURING the Xmas holidays The Lyceum Theatre will have fine pictures as usual.

NOLAND'S is worth a visit just to see the toys. Try it and you'll feel younger to enjoy the Xmas spirit.

WARNINGS to pedestrians to walk on the left of State highways facing traffic, are being prepared by the State Roads Commission and will be placed for several miles on roads leading from centers of population. More than 5,000 of the signs will be set up. The notice will have black backgrounds with white lettering to instruct pedestrians that they must "Walk to left facing traffic." It is hoped the signs will help reduce the number of pedestrian fatalities caused by automobiles, he added.

AMATEUR SINGERS

Selected from among thousands of ambitious young Americans, after months of elimination trials, the ten outstanding amateur singers of the United States will compete at New York city Sunday evening, December 13, in the finals of the Fifth National Radio Audition. To each of the five young women and five young men will go gold and glory. In the order of their rating by a jury of internationally renowned authorities on voice, they will share $25,000 in cash, medals and scholarships in music by the Atwater Kent Foundation. The broadcast of the audition finals will be from Station WEAF, starting at 9.15 o'clock, E. S. T. At that time the radio audience will hear the finalists in their bids for the amateur crown. Later in the evening the judgment of the jury.

The marriage of Mrs. Cora Scoon, formerly of Rock Hall, and Joel Tarr, of Baltimore, took place November 22nd at 7 P. M., at Union Square M. E. Church parsonage by Rev. Reginald Huber Stone. Mrs. Lola Scoo was the bride's attendant and Edward Scoon best man. After a short trip Mr. and Mrs. Joel Tarr will be at their new home to their many friends. 227 N. Calhoun street, Baltimore.

THE Galena Hardware Store, formerly owned by C. S. Church, is now under the management of J. E. Ireland. An experienced mechanic, Burton Edwards, is in charge of auto repairs. They are offering special reductions on all merchandise.

J. ARCHER TURNER, vice-president of the Turner Construction Co., structural engineers, was elected member of the board of managers of Swarthmore College at the annual meeting held recently at the college. Mr. Turner was also elected treasurer of the corporation to succeed the late Charles T. Brown. Mr. Turner is an alumnus of Swarthmore College and member of the religious Society of Friends.

Mr. Turner a brother of Howard Turner, was graduated from Swarthmore in 1905 as bachelor of arts in engineering, and in 1911 received his degree of civil engineer. He holds membership in the Swarthmore chapters of Sigma Tau, the honorary engineering society, and of Sigma Xi, the honorary society for scientific research. He has been president of the Swarthmore College Alumni Association and president of the Philadelphia Swarthmore Club. Mr. Turner is a member of the board of directors of the Kiwanis Club of Philadelphia. He is serving as a member of the Borough Council of Swarthmare, where he resides, and is a director of the Swarthmore Building Association. The NEWS joins in congratulation.

SPORTSMEN of the county who have noted the great scarcity of rabbits during the gunning season in practically all sections have expressed the opinion that to the ring neck pheasants may be chargeable the unusual lack of rabbits at this time. It is known that the pheasant makes a prey of young rabbits, and since the liberation of a large number of these birds in the county by the State Game Department, they have multiplied considerably. while the scarcity of rabbits has increased in the county since the liberation of the pheasants.

There is a great diversity of opinion regarding this phase of the hunting season among farmers and hunters as to whether the pheasant is more responsible for the gradual disappearance of the rabbit from its usual haunts in the county or whether the trouble is due to a disease known as rabbit fever with which the game has been attacked during the past several years.

Gilbert Hadaway and a friend killed six wild geese in Cecil on Wednesday.

CHESTERTOWN WINS

The second biggest upset of the Playground Athletic League State fieldball tournament occurred when Chestertown High School, dark horse in the event, overturned Tilghman, defending champion of the Eastern Shore, 4 to 3, at Preston Tuesday.

An extra quarter was necessary to break the deadlock, 2 to 2, after four quarters of play.

The first quarter was scoreless. The second was the same for the ultimate winners, but the defenders tallied two. Chestertown recouped in the third and fourth, in which it added one each period while holding Tilghman scoreless. The extra quarter saw Chestertown casting in two goals to Tilghman's one.

Chestertown, representing Kent county, will meet Marion's team in the finals Friday at Hurlock.

This was the second surprise game of the week in the State event. Catonsville, State champion three years ago, felled the defender of the State title, Central, Lonaconing. The winners are scheduled to play the survivor of the Marion-Chestertown match next week.

CHESAPEAKE CITY High School soccer team Tuesday afternoon won the championship of the Eastern Shore by defeating Cambridge High School 6 to 0.

ON Thursday, December 24th, the Mayor and City Council will open bids for the sale of a bond issue of $25,000, the proceeds of which will be used to liquidate the city's indebtedness of $22,000 and to provide for the improvement of Cross street, one of the important thoroughfares in the city leading to the new Chester river concrete bridge. The bonds will be issued in denominations of $1.000 each, and will bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent payable semi-annually on and after January 1st 1932.

The bonds will be paid with interest at the rate of two bonds each year, beginning January 1, 1933, until the entire issue is liquidated. An act of the Legislature passed at the last session, which provided for the bond issue gives the City Council authority to increase the city tax rate to a sufficient amount to provide for the payment of interest and the retirement of two bonds each year after 1933. The present bonded indebtedness of the city is $33,500. The present tax rate is 75 cents on the $100 on an assessed valuation of property of $2,285,000.

CENTREVILLE ROTARY VISIT CHESTERTOWN

The Centreville Rotary Club were guests of the Chestertown Rotary Club last Monday evening at Maryland Inn, Chestertown. Ray Horney, President of Centreville Club, presided. Addresses were made by Editor Chas. A. Walls, of the Centreville Observer, Prof. Theo. Shea, Principal of Centreville High School Pual E. Titsworth, Governor of 34th District, and Clinton C. Jones, President of Chestertown Rotary Club.

A REPRESENTATIVE of the Fletcher Company, sewerage disposal plant engineers, met with the Mayor and Council for Chestertown at their regular monthly meeting for December Monday and submitted plans and a bid for a plant for Chestertown. No action was taken on the project by the Council.

In addition to paying a number of bills the Council voted to extend the sewer line from Mt. Vernon Place and Campus avenue to the line of Mrs. M. A. Toulson's lot and to remove the traffic button at the intersection of Queen street and Maple avenue.

THE basket ball season at Washington College will begin this Saturday night on the home floor with the Osteopaths of Philadelphia, as the opponents.

Coach Kibler has a number of new men to try out for his star five. A fine schedule of 18 games has been arranged by Graduate Manager Fred. W. Dumschott, with ten games at home.

ILLEGAL TO HAVE MEAT OF MUSKRATS IN POSSESSION UNTIL JANUARY FIRST

State Game Warden E. Lee LeCompte says that Section 59 of Article 99, Public Code of General Laws of Maryland provides it to be unlawful for any person to hunt any muskrat within the State of Maryland, or have the meat or pelts in possession if trapped, caught or killed between the 15th day of March and the 1st day of January following in each and every year, both dates inclusive, whether same are trapped, caught or killed within the State of Maryland or any other State, territory or country; provided, however, that this shall not prohibit the possession of skins of such animals for business purposes when dried and cured.

PERSONAL AND SOCIETY NOTES

Mrs. Harrison W. Vickers quietly observed her 80th birthday Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Perkins, and son-in-law, Herbert E. Perkins, Esq. She is enjoying excellent health and received her many friends with a cheerful smile.

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William F. Russell, cashier of the Kent County Savings Bank, returned from Easton Hospital Sunday and is now recuperating at his home on Spring avenue. He has a trained nurse in attendance who speaks encouragingly of his condition.

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Dr. Esther M. Dole, head of the department of history at Washington College, sailed Wednesday for a tour in Italy and Egypt.

Tours about Italy and France as well as a trip down the Nile will be part of the program of the Washington College professor before she returns to Chestertown late in January. She is making the tour as a guest of a friend.

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Dr. H. C. Hughes returned from a hunting trip to New Jersey with two deer.

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H. Clay Hendricks is ill in Emergency Hospital, at Easton.

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Mrs. George Harrison, who met with a most painful accident by falling down a flight of stairs, is improving at her home in Crumpton.

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Mrs. G. Bates Chaires, of Chestertown, and Mrs. Elmer Thomas, of Betterton, Md., attended the dedication of the Woman's Field House, at the Women's Dormitory, at the University of Maryland, College Park, Md., December 1st. Prior to the dedication they were guests at a luncheon at which Governor Ritchie and many noted Maryland women spoke.

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Mrs. Woodrow Wilson was the guest of honor at a tea which the Woman's National Democratic Club gave in Washington last Friday.

Mrs. Wilbur W. Hubbard, of Chestertown and Washington, presided at the tea table, as did Mrs. Cordell Hull, Mrs. Harry N. Rickey, Mrs. Edward P. Costigan, Mrs. Edward Keating, Mrs. John B. Kendrick, Mrs. Burton K. Wheeler and Mrs. Charles Warran.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. L. Shirley announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Helen E., to Stanley B. Sutton on December 26th, at St. James M. P. Church at 11 A. M. No invitations issued.

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A linen shower for Miss Addie F. Nuttle, Denton, Md., whose approaching marriage to R. Ellis Clark, of Chestertown, has been announced, was given by Miss Edwina Nichols and Miss Elizabeth Pastorfield, of Denton.

The guests included: Miss Addie Nuttle, Mrs. F. G. Nuttle, Miss Mary T. Nuttle, Mrs. William H. Nuttle, Mrs. Layman Redden, Mrs. Eugene Anderson, Miss Bernice Wooters, Mrs. Ormond Andrew, Mrs. Mark Breeding, Mrs. Owen Knotts, Mrs. Lester Everngram, Mrs. Edwin Breeding, Miss Ann Wilson, Miss Mirian Taylor, Miss Katherine Taylor, Miss Louise Norris, Miss Francis Johnson, Miss Emily Johnson, Miss Blanche Croll, Mrs. Martin Voss, Miss Stephanie Ford, Denton; Miss Eleanor Willis, Cambridge; Mrs. Thompson Swing, Mrs. Mulford Swing. Ridgely; Mrs. Thomas Holdder, Easton; Miss Mary Simpers, Margaret Jefferson, Mrs. Henry Kratzer, Jr., Chestertown; Miss Ellen Brown, Greensboro; Mrs. Harry Knotts, Queen Anne, and Mrs. Milton C. Willis, of Media, Pa.

Mrs. Ormond Andrew and Miss Margaret Allaband entertained in honor of Miss Nuttle.

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Miss Ann Welch, of New York, visited home folks in Chestertown the past week-end. She is with a big steamship company of which Col. Harry C. Blackiston, a former Chestertown boy, is the president.

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Eric Wood, of the Equitable Life Insurance Co., New York, was a guest of Chestertown friends the past week-end.

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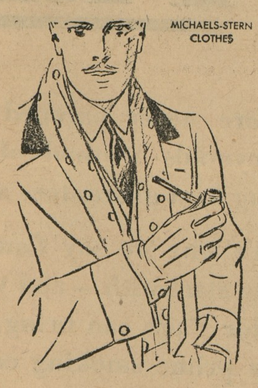
William Baker, of Quaker Neck, a recent graduate of the Chestertown High School, acted as editor of the Freshman Issue of the Washington Elm, student publication at Washington College.

The publishing of the paper for one issue by the first year class was an innovation started this year.

Irving S. Ross, of Waterbury, is editor of the college paper and John J. Luddy, also of Waterbury, is the business manager.

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John W. Barroll attended the first Monday German of the Batchelor's Cotillion held in the Lyric, Baltimore on Monday night.



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1 lb. Best Creamery Butter	36c	Fresh Pork Loin Roast	17c
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Round Steak	20c
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Sirloin Steak	28c
Porter House Steak	35c
Fresh Shoulder	12c
Fresh Hams	15c
Fresh Sausage	18c
3 lbs Scrapple	25c

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Spring Leg Lamb	21c
Loin Pork Roast	17c
Fresh Shoulders	12 1-2c
Fresh Hams	15c
2 lbs. Pure Lard	19c
Fresh Ground Meat	16c
Best Round Steak	22c
Sirloin Steak	28c
Brookfield Butter	36c
Veal Shoulder Roast	20c
Quick Arrow Chips	2 for 15c
Swifts Premium Hams	19c



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1 doz. Florida Oranges	23c
2 large Grape Fruit	13c
Jug Maple Syrup	17c

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Veal Roast	19c
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Lean Pork Chops	15c and 17c
Fresh Shoulder	12c
Fresh Hams	15c
Our Own Make Fresh Sausage	18c
Our Own Make Cased Sausage	21c
3 lbs. Scrapple	25c

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1 lb. Spredit Oleo	17c
2 cans Pork and Beans	15c
2 Boxes Rolled Oats	17c
2 cans Legrande Peas	25c
3 Bars P & G soap	10c
2½ lb. can Golden Crown syrup	17c
Best Pork Chops	18c
All Pork Sausage	18c

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