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CHICKEN AND WAFFLE SUPPER
WORTO MANOR
Home of Mrs. Nora C. Maxwell
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12th, 1931
Starting at 5.30 P. M.
Benefit of Old St. Paul's Church.
8aug1t

FESTIVAL AND PARK FETE
The Christian Endeavor of Christ M. P. Church will hold a Festival and Park Fete in Kent Square Saturday, August 15, 1931. Cake, ice cream, watermelon, candy on sale. 8aug2t

WANTED TO BUY
100 broilers. Still Pond 77F3. Grove Inn. 1t

BASKETS
We have new baskets for sale at reasonable prices. Rock Hall 3414. 8aug2t

WILLIAMS GARDENS
Tolchester Road
One Mile from Chestertown
Special for Sunday . $1.00 bouquets for cemetery or sick rooms.
Keep fresh the memory of those who are gone, and send flowers to the sick while they can enjoy them.
Plants, Annual and Pernnial.
Shrubs and Rose Bushes.
WILLIAMS GARDENS
Tel. 382 W.
8aug-tf.

POSITION WANTED
A middle-aged married man with a life time of experience in farming and dairying wants position on farm. Good references given. Apply KENT NEWS. 8aug2t*

FOR SALE
East Neck Island Peaches
Renowned for flavor—Early Elbertas and Wilmas—Due Aug. 15th.
Wickliffe Farm
Phone: Rock Hall 31-F-3.

FOR RENT
A furnished home located at 119 Queen street, Chestertown, which is only within one block of High St. Has seven rooms, wired for electricity. Fine garden and an ideal home. Apply to Jesse Medders, 208 Queen St., Chestertown, Md., Phone 147M. jy18-3t

FOR RENT
Modern Cottage, 5 rooms and basement, furnished, electric light, bath, screened, garage. For August and September or for year. Open Sundays for inspection. Howard Turner, Betterton, Md. a1-3t

NOTICE
Bring your Eggs, Chickens and anything you have to sell to the Sandy Bottom Store and sell or exchange for groceries and merchandise. Phone us or write and we will come to see you. Phone 811F14. jy25-3t*

FOR RENT
Westminster Inn at Betterton, Kent County, Md. Immediate possession given. John D. Urie, Attorney, Chestertown, Md. jy11-tf

FOR SALE
Thoroughbred Boston Terriers for sale cheap, 6 or 7 weeks old. Chas. Brown. Tolchester Estates, Phone 810F11. a1-2t

SEED RYE FOR SALE
Good clean seed Rye and Rye and Vetch Mixture. Send for sample and price. Joseph H. Carroll, Denton,Md. jy25-3t

TOMATOES WANTED
Harris and Silcox, Betterton, Telephone Still Pond 69F3, now buying green tomatoes. Special price on ripe tomatoes. jy18-6t
Tomatoes received Tuesdays and Thursdays.

FOR RENT
Apartment 211 Washington Ave., 6 rooms and bath. Large lot, shade trees, best of location. Near High School and College. Hugh H. Hartman. j6-tf

FOR RENT
Nine-room house on High street; all modern conveniences; also Arcola heat; $25.00 per month. Apply to (Miss) Lucie J. Frazier, 1819 G St., N. W., Washington, D. C. jy4-tf

USE
'NIAGARA DUST'
Insecticide to prevent the weavil in your seed wheat.
Give it a fair trial.
Cost is very little.
WM. MEDDERS CO.
Still Pond, Md.
(See advt. Last Page.)

PEACHES
I have peaches all varieties, some ripe now. Come and pick them yourself. Price reasonable. Between I. B. and Sudlersville. Henry Stewart. jy25-2t

PEACHES
Hiley, Georgia Belle, Elberta and Bracket, in season. These peaches were sprayed under the supervision of U. S. Dept. of Agriculture. Will start picking August 12th. J. Weldon Walbert, Phone 802F21.. Fairview Farm. a1-3t

PEACHES FOR SALE
Peaches, Bell of Georgia and Alberta; Bell of Georgia towards last of July; Alberta first of August. Bring baskets. Thomas M. Jefferson, Crumpton, Queen Anne's county, Md. jy18

FOR SALE
The property of the late John B. Parrott, Still Pond, Md., consisting of a Ten-room House, bath, with modern conveniences. Barn, hen house; about one acre of ground improved with lovely shrubbery. Can be seen any time. Further information address Mrs. H. T. Bidwell, Still Pond, Md. jy25-3t

FOR RENT
Nice Little Farm of 45 acres on State road, 2 miles from Chestertown, Kent county. Possession Jan. 1, 1932. Robert Moffett. jy25-3t

FOR SALE
Peach and Tomato Baskets. Price right. Morgan Bennett, Phone 826F11 Chestertown. jy25

SALT WATER BATHING
TOLCHESTER BEACH
NO SEA—NETTLES
Entire bathing beach inclosed with an iron meshed fence. You bathe in comfort at TOLCHESTER. j18

$25.00 REWARD
For information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who cut my line fence at Shallcross Wharf on or about July 2nd. Apparently for purpose of securing sand or gravel. A. S. Reckords, 1111 Jefferson St., Wilmington, Del. jy11-tf

Betterton Casino
—and—
Pleasure Pier
DANCING
EVERY MORNING
EVERY EVENING
SPECIAL DANCES
Monday Night—Havre de Grace Excursion. Lucky Number Dance—Prizes given.
Tuesday Morning—Each Week—10 o'clock, Boys' and Girls' Carnival.
Tuesday Night—Spot Dance.
Wednesday Night — German and Carnival. Fun and Favors.
Thursday Night, Elimination Dance Two Prizes Given.
Friday Morning — Each Week—10 o'clock—Special Feature Dances and other attractions.
Friday Night Box of Candy given.
Saturday Night, the usual BIG DANCE.
MOVING PICTURES
Saturday, August 8th—"Meet the Wife. Laura LePlante, Lew Cody and Joan Marsh. Two 1-reel Comedies.
Monday, August 10th — "Finger Prints." Fay Wray, Regis Toomey, Robert Elliott.
Tuesday, August 11th—"Dracula." Bela Lugosi, David Manners, Hel Chandler, Leather Pushers.
Wednesday, August 12th—"Little Caesar." Edward Robinson, Douglas Fairbanks, Jr.
Thursday, August 13th—"Five and Ten." Leslie Howard and Irene Rich
Friday, August 14th—"Rider of the North." Bob Custer. Also Comedies.
Saturday, August 15th — "Lover Come Back." Betty Bronson, Jack Mulhall and Constance Cummings. Two 1-reel Comedies.
Bathing! Bowling! Canoeing! Bingo
And Other Amusements
HOWARD TURNER, Prop.

FARM FOR SALE
I have a Miller Farm of 179 acres for sale cheap. Terms to suit.
HARRISON W. VICKERS,
Trustee.
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APARTMENTS FOR RENT
Three nice apartments for rent in Chestertown, formerly occupied by J. H. Clendaniel and Mr. Valliant. Possession of one on June 1 and the others about June 10. Apply to Jas. E. Cooper, Chestertown, Md. m30-tf

CHANCE OF LIFETIME
Reliable Man Wanted to call on farmers in County. Wonderful opportunity. Make $8 to $20 daily. No experience or capital needed. Write today. McNess Company, Dept. P, Freetport, Illinois. 1t

FOR SALE
27-foot Speed Boat, model A Ford engine, recently overhauled, splendid condition, fully equipped, will deliver to buyer. $250 for quick sale. J. C. Bowdle, 408 N. Gov. Ave, Dover, Del. a8-3t

MAN
for light outside work; about 58c per hour to start; plenty overtime; permanent; must be clean cut and have car. Write P. O. Box 44, Wilmington, Delaware, for interview in Chestertown. 1t

APARTMENT FOR RENT
In the Riverside apartments, on Water St., overlooking the Chester River. Apartment has 5 rooms and bath, with Frigidaire, Gas Range, Kitchen Cabinet, Heat, and Hot water. George W. Baldwin, Chestertown, Md. 8aug3t

LOST
Tuesday, Aug. 4th, a platinum bar pin with small diamond setting on North side of High street between Grammar School and Hudson's store. The finder will receive a suitable reward if returned to A. H. Covey's residence, 402 High street. Mrs. W. E. Griffith. 1t

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the Board of Kent County Commissioners at their office in the Court House in Chestertown until 12 o'clock, noon, September 1st, 1931, for building a pile and timber wharf approximately 10x125 feet at Long Cove in Piney Neck. Plans and specifications may be obtained from the Clerk to the Board.
MARION E. CALDWELL, Clerk.
9aug4t

ANNOCNCEMENT
Mrs. Louise B. Dutcher, formerly of New York, and manager of the Gray Beauty Shoppe here, will open her Shoppe, Monday, Aug 10th, at 306 Park Row.

ANNOUNCEMENT
Dr. S. Holt Wright will move his office from Spring St. and Maple avenue to the Turner Building on High street, Chestertown, on about August 15th. 8aug2t

Good Bathing
At Betterton
NO SEA NETTLES
Every facility at our Bath Houses —Showers.
RATES—WEEK DAYS
50.....Room and Suit
25c.....Without Suit
35c..... Single Rooms
Rates ..... Sundays, 50c
Good, clean Bath Houses well Kept.
One of the few places on the Chesapeake where bathing is good.
BETTERTON CASINO AND
PLEASURE PIER
HOWARD TURNER, Prop.

APARTMENT OR ROOM
See Mrs. Blades for furnished apartment, room (with or without board.) Part of house to suit or would share apartment with desirable landy. Phone 212M, 226 Kent Circle, Chestertown. 8aug.

4TH DIST. DOG TAXES
Anyone wishing to pay dog taxes in 4th dist. can be supplied with tags if they will call at my home at 507 High street, Chestertown.
ALFRED A. CREW,
Collector of Dog Taxes for 4th Dist.
Saug2t

MAN
Permanent employment. good wages, advancement to active, reliable man; soliciting orders for dependable Fruit and Ornamental Nursery Stock. Full instructions. Write for terms. Hoopes Bro. & Thomas Co., Stephen Girard Bldg., Philadelphia. 78th year.
a1-5t*

H. C. LUSBY is buying tomatoes at Shipyard, Rock Hall, at market price. He was paying 18 cents yesterday.

LOCAL BUYERS were paying 41 cents yesterday for wheat.

REGATTA PLANS NEAR COMPLETE

John J. Raskob Offers $200.00 In Gold For Power Work Boat Championship Races.

These power work races will be a thrilling part of the Chester River Regatta which is to be held on Aug. 21 and 22. There will be two events —one for the dead rise boats and the other for the motor log canoes.

Watermen are very enthusiastic over the races. Already more than forty entries are assured.

The cash prizes of $200.00 in gold which Mr. Raskob offers are to be divided equally between the dead rise boats and canoes. In other words, the winners of each will receive gold prizes as follows: $50.00 for first place; $25.00 for second; $15.00 for third, and $10.00 for fourth.

These two events are limited to work boats that have been regularly employed during the past year for oystering, fishing, or crabbing. There shall be at least two men in each boat. The race will be held at Chestertown on Saturday, August 22, over the regular speed boat course length, which is two and one-half miles.

According to the race committee, interest at this time is about evenly divided between the Kent and Queen Anne's counties. Fishermen in Talbot and Dorchester counties have some mighty fast dead rises and canoes. They are not saying much but are tuning up their motors and getting their boats in condition to give the Rock Hall and Jackson creek boys a real race, determined to get some of this Raskob prize money and carry it down the Bay.

In addition to this thrilling event the Chester River Regatta will have a race for every boat that ever sailed the Chesapeake. There will be a big handicap event for sail and motor boats, star yacht race and the gold cup sailing championship of Chesapeake Bay, which starts Friday morning. The spectacular fireworks display will be at Chestertown Friday night. On Saturday the program includes the log sail canoe race, small sailboat championship, free-for-all outboard marathon, as well as special events for all outboards and speed boats.

KENT CO. 4-H GIRLS' CAMP

Kent County 4-H Club Girls will have a Camp this year at Camp Fairlee, August 17 to 22.

Miss Dorothy Emerson, State Girls Club Agent, will have classes in public speaking and dramatics. Miss Pricilla Pantacoast, Cecil County Home Demonstration Agent, will teach hand work. Miss Ann Keyser, of Fairlee, will teach swimming. Miss Julia Williams, one of the All-Stars of Kent, will have charge of Vespers. Miss Helen N. Schellinger, Kent Co. Home Demonstration Agent, will have charge of the camp.

Wednesday afternoon there will be a Local Leaders' conference.

We know there will be a great many who will want to visit the Camp, so Friday, August 21st, has been set aside for visitors. You will all be welcome that day.

Cecil County 4-H Girls have been invited to join the Kent girls. About forty girls are expected.

KENT COCNTY at this time has three prospective entries in the Atwater-Kent Audition which will be held in Easton September 6th. These are Vernon Corey, Raymond Moffett and Charles Harris. The committee for Kent county comprise Mrs. W. Frank Jarrell, Mrs. Albert Mitchell, Mrs. W. Earnest Griffin and Mrs. D. B. Ford.

A SHIPPER in Quaker Neck sent some sicle pears to Baltimore Monday and received a check for $6.00, out of which he was to pay $10 freight besides commission, baskets and picking. The market in pears is vieing with the wheat market.

THE H. N. Baldwin cannery at Chestertown will not open this year. Capt. W. H. Cooper will buy tomatoes at the wharf foot of High St. and Kibler's Sons will have their headquarters at foot of Cannon St. Rock Hall cannery opened last week paying 20 cents in patch.

THE steamer Express broke a paddle in a wheel Wednesday and was delayed several hours in the Bay.

BEAUTIFUL new automobiles appeared this week with Mr. Fox. the 5 and 10 man, at the wheel; Mr. Dorf, the Oriole Shoe man, also has a shiny machine and Mr. Bonnett, the price-slasher, takes delight in the latest model.

SAYS HE KILLED A MAN

Welford Braxton, age 29, who has been making his home at Still Pond for some time, will return to Prince George county, to face a two-year-old charge of murder as a result of his alleged confession after a companion in a speakeasy raid had "Squealed."

Braxton signed a confession that he stabbed Tate Smith, age 27, to death about two years ago in a fight at Newkirk, Prince George county. Since the fatal stabbing, the authorities of that county had never been able to fully solve Smith's slaying or find Braxton.

Braxton and Nathan Roy were among a number of men rounded up Monday night in a raid on speakeasies, but Braxton, who happened to be in one of the places, was released

Roy is alleged to have been grilled by State Highway Officer Carl G. Storm and Sheriff John T. Vickers about his movements in Kent county and in the course of the inquiry is alleged to have told the officers that Braxton was the man who had stabbed the Prince George's county man to death.

The officers went to Braxton's home Monday in Still Pond and found him drunk. They arrested him on this charge, and later after he had sobered began questioning him about the murder. They say he finally broke down and confessed, when he was told that Roy had "squealled" on him.

The Prince George County authorities have been notified and they are expected to come for the prisoner to take him back to Hyattsville.

ROTARIANS VISIT TO CHESTERTOWN

Following a day's cruise on the Chesapeake Bay on the steamer John Cadwallader, 160 rotarians, of the thirty-fourth district Rotary International, who held their annual executives' assembly aboard the steamer, docked at Tolchester at 5 o'clock on Monday evening.

The party, in many automobiles, made an inspection tour of Chestertown and a number of interesting historical spots in the county. In Chestertown the party visited historic Washington College, the president of which is Dr. Paul E. Titsworth, governor of the thirty-fourth rotary district; the Chester River Yacht and Country Clubs and took a drive over the new concrete bridge spanning Chester river.

Upon the return to Tolchester a banquet was held at Hotel Tolchester, at which Governor Titsworth presided and short addresses were delivered by prominent Rotarian executives from Baltimore, Lancaster, Hagerstown and Georgetown, D. C.

Following the banquet the party re-embarked on the steamer for a cruise down the bay by moonlight. Tuesday was spent in cruising up and down the bay, with business meetings and addresses aboard the steamer. The tour ended at 3.30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in Baltimore. Everyone was delighted with the novelty of the affair as well as all the arrangements for their comfort.

Dr. G. H. DANA and wife removed to their elegant new residence on Washington avenue Monday. This is one of the most unique homes recently built here. The Pennington Construction Co. erected this building.

THE final auction sale of store goods will be held at Thompson's Up-Town Saturday night. A large crowd attended last Saturday and Auctioneer Startt kept the bidders in good spirits.

S. SCOTT BECK, ESQ., attorney, on Thursday sold to Hillary B. Akers and wife the Geo. Akers residence in Rock Hall for $1500.

SPENCER BIDDLE won first and second prizes on his honey exhibited at Harrington Fair last week. Raskob was a competitor.

THE Annual Kent County Horse Show will be held as usual in October.

W. P. NEWNAM, Chestertown, is putting in a full line of furniture and floor coverings. See adv. next week.

FRED C. Kilgore contracting agent of Downie Bros. Circus, spent the day here making arrangements for the appearance of that circus here on Monday, August 24th, and this week we received word that Downie's Circus would cancel its date here on account of the circus changing its route to another section of the country.

NEW OFFICIALS ASSUME DUTIES

Chestertown now has a Mayor and four City Councilmen. Mayor Chas. N. Satterfield took the oath of office at noon Monday before Robert A. Shallcross, Clerk of the Circuit Court. At the first regular meeting held at the office of R. Hynson Rogers, Esq., Mayor Satterfield administered the oath of office to the following members of the City Council: R. Hynson Rogers, First Ward; George W. French, Second Ward; John W. Barnes, Third Ward, and George W. Rash, Fourth Ward.

Resolutions were adopted by the Council providing for an audit by Raymond Simpers and Thos. W. Perkins of the books of the city from May 1 to August 1, 1931, and for the appointment of a committee consisting of G. W. French and George W. Rash to select an office in which future meetings of the Council will be held.

Appointment of a clerk to the Council, police officers and Superintendent of Streets was deferred.

According to the provisions of the new charter, Mayor Satterfield, Councilmen Rogers and Barnes will serve for a term of two years, while the term of Councilmen French and Rash will be four years.

The first new work ordered is the laying of a cement walk on College and Calvert streets about the property of Wm. Patrick. Mr. Patrick offered to pay all excepting two feet which was considered a liberal proposition.

The Council also ordered weeds to be cut.

The Chestertown Council will hold a special meeting August 14, when representatives of the State Board of Health and the Kent County Public Health Association will confer with the Council relative to the erection of a modern sewage disposal plant at a cost of $25,000.

ROCK HALL CARNIVAL

The Fire Company Carnival at Rock Hall will be continued until Monday evening. Several thousand people witnessed the big parade Wednesday evening.

Five companies, Chestertown, Millington, Church Hill, Sudlersville and Ridgely, contested for prizes offered. The Chestertown Fire Company Band under the direction of C. Arthur Bacon, won the prize for the best band. Ridgely won the prizes for the company coming the longest distance and Church Hill captured the award for the company having the most men in line.

An electric radio refrigerator and automobile will be given away Monday night. Prize winners this week have been W. G. Clifford, a blanket; a roadster to Robert Jacobs, of Baltimore; blanket to Mrs. Thos. G. Willson and an outing jug to Samuel Jacob.

WINS HEALTH AWARD

On Tuesday, August 4th the local Health Department was notified by the headquarters of the National Negro Health Week movement at Howard University, Washington, D. C., that Kent County has again been awarded highest honors for the Negro Health Week program as conducted here this Spring.

Last year Kent won the cup for ranking highest among rural communities during the same campaign.

This award makes the third received by Kent within less than two years for its health program the first having been the silver cup in 1930 for National Negro Health Week, the second occasion being the ranking of Chestertown as highest among cities of its class (under 20,000 population) in the 1930 Inter-Chamber Health Conservation Contest for which a handsome bronze plaque was given the local Chamber and this second award for National Negro Health Week.

In the Inter-Chamber Contest Chestertown's two weak points were emphasized and improvement recommended by the judging committee in regard to a proper milk ordinance which has since been passed by the Town Council under the chairmanship of E. Scott Thompson, and, secondly, the serious lack of sanitary sewerage disposal facilities for Chestertown. Should the sewerage disposal plant become a reality Chestertown could for 1931 undoubtedly take first place again among cities of its class in the coming Inter-Chambe Health Conservation Contest.

Dr. R. G. Beachley is the health officer for Kent, Marjorie Forte is the colored nurse and Mrs. Nora C. Maxwell is president of the Kent County Public Health Association.

OFF FOR LOS ANGELES

Fred S. Russell, of Chestertown, will leave tomorrow to attend the National Rural Letter Carriers Asso. Convention at Los Angeles, Cal. He goes as a special guest of the Bal. Association of Commerce. He will help boost the claims of Baltimore for the 1931 Convention of the Letter Carriers. This organization is composed of 43,000 members and is one of the best organized of any branch of the U. S. Government. Mr. Russell is deupty postmaster of Chestertown.

THIRTY-FIVE YACHTS AT BETTERTON HARBOR

The entire fleet of the Maryland Yacht Club, under command of Commodore R. V. O. Swartout anchored off Betterton Sunday and remained there all night making a lovely scene. They spent Monday in Havre de Grace, Tuesday at Buck Neck, Worton Creek, and then proceeded slowly down the bay to arrive at St. Michaels for the Regatta August 7th and 8th. There were about 35 yachts in the fleet.

CAMP WRIGHT ON KENT ISLAND

THE girls session at Camp Wright near Matapeake on Kent Island closed the camping season on August 7. Although about seventy girls enrolled for two weeks from July 25 to August 7 not enough enrolled for the two following weeks to warrant keeping the camp open.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles L. Atwater were in charge of the girls, Mrs. Lewis G. Sheen was nurse and among the counselors were Miss Janet Atwater and Miss Ann Kreeger, of Chestertown. Margaret Bell, Kitty Bringman, Frances Kreeger, Catherine Strong, Betty Strong and Helen B. Westcott were campers from Chestertown.

Basket-weaving and art classes have been conducted by Mrs. Atwater, Miss Brown is in charge of pageantry and the counselors had busy hours teaching outdoor sports.

IN RESPONSE to advertisement in KENT NEWS of H. Stockton Startt he has purchased over 300 turkey hens in Kent. He purchased 200 turkey hens and 20 gobblers from Ernest H. Burns, of St. Michaels for shipment to Swedesboro, N. J., markets for which he paid 25 cents a pound live weight.

The 200 turkey hens which had been kept for breeding purposes averaged 14 pounds each, and during their laying season laid an average of 60 eggs each. Mr. Burns has devoted his 188-acre farm near St. Fichaels exclusive to raising turkeys and has a flock of 1,200 at present.

LOVE POINT HOTEL BOUGHT
Elsewhere in the NEWS is announced the reopening of Love Point Hotel and grounds under new management. Reduced rates and special inducements to the public. It will be open all year. Special dance Saturday evening with orchestra and entertainers from Baltimore.

MRS. Virginia Toulson, formerly of Kent, but now living in Centreville, quitely observed her 83rd birthday last Tuesday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Skinner Pinder. Altho confined to her bed she welcomed caller with a sunny smile. She received quite a few cards, flowers, fruits and other relatives the past week-end. Among sunny smile. She received quite a few cards, flowers, fruits and other gifts. Mrs. Toulson is the widow of the late Thomas W. Toulson, of Quaker Neck, and has many relatives and friends in and around Chestertown.

THE Medical Detachment of the Maryland Infantry will return from a two weeks' encampment this Saturday.

It was estimated that there were 13,000 visitors in camp on Sunday. The Medicoes had 27 guests during the day and those who stayed were served with a special chicken dinner.

Among the visitors were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bacon, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Waddell, Mr. and Mrs. Olin B. Stafford, Mrs. Herman Blackway and daughter, the family of Sergt. William Goodman, the family of Joseph Starkey, the family of Ed. Goodman, Private Mulford's brother and family, the mother and sister of Corporal Bill McMahan and Martin Sutton and friend.

AMONG the divorce cases scheduled for hearing at Reno this week was that of Clinton R. Hayes, of Chestertown, against Edith Margaret Hayes.

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