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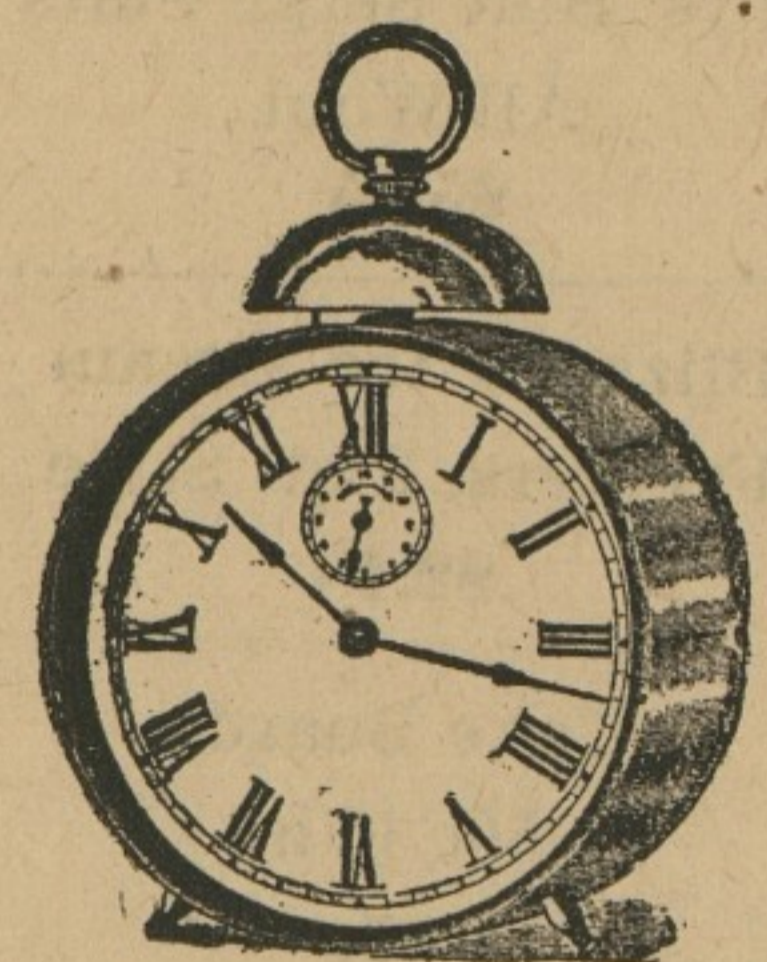
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LOCAL MATTERS

Lieut. Kibler Again To Front--Lieut. J. Thomas Kibler, who was wounded in France some months ago, serving under the Stars and Stripes, is well again and has resumed his duties in the thick of the battle. Lieut. Kibler says a "high, fast one" took off the roof of his "dug-out" the other day but none of his crowd were injured.

Variety Store Changes Quarters--The Chestertown Variety Store, Mr. Muller, proprietor, has moved from the Ellason Bldg., corner High and Queen streets, to the Carmine store room, between Lofland & Culp and A. L. Sparks' Bldg. This store does a good business, the proprietor and the clerks are congenial and accommodating and, no doubt, they will continue to do well in their new location.

Waste Of Potatoes--About a thousand bushels of potatoes are going to waste on the home farm, belonging to the Cattle and Live Stock Company, recently purchased from Mr. and Mrs. W. Irving Walker. These potatoes are below the standard size of potatoes and were put into immense kilns for preservation during the winter and to wait for a good market. These potatoes were not removed from the kilns and have begun to sprout through the earth. The market has been low and, consequently many of them will be lost.

New Dog Law Effective July 1--The new dog law, which applies to Kent and the counties of the state, goes into effect July 1. A license for all dogs, six months old or over, must be obtained before that date, as follows: male dog or spayed female, \$1; female, \$2; 25 dogs, \$10; over 25 dogs, \$20. A tag will be given each year with each license, which will be replaced for 25 cents when lost. Each county will maintain a "dog license fund," which is to be applied to reimburse persons who lose poultry, etc., from dogs, the balance to go toward the public schools and public roads.

Red Cross House Opening--The Red Cross House at Atlantic City, May 23, 29 and 30. The delegates appointed on Wednesday to represent the Red Cross banks were: Chestertown Bank of Md., Allan A. Harris and Wm. B. Usilton; Kent County Savings Bank, W. F. Russell and C. S. Snowden; National and Peoples Bank did not appoint their delegates.

Engagement Announced--Mr. and Mrs. William F. Russell, of Chestertown, Md., announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen Tabitha Russell, to Mr. George Pendrey Chandler, of Salisbury, Md.

W. W. Beck, Esq., On State Tax Commission--The governor has appointed W. W. Beck, Esq., former senator from Kent county, to succeed Lewin W. Wickes, Esq., on the State Tax Commission. Mr. Beck will assume his duties on June 1. Mr. Wickes will resume his law practice here. Mr. Beck's appointment means, of course, that Chairman Gorman and Mr. Beck will control the Commission. Judge Oscar Lesser being the minority member.

Day Fixed For New Registration--June 5 has been fixed as the date for registration of youths who have attained 21 years since the first army draft registration June 5 last year. The resolution authorizing the new registration has been signed by the President and preparations have been completed for carrying it into effect. It is estimated that about 800,000 men available for military service will be found among the new registrants this year. During the year beginning June 5 it is planned to have quarterly registrations.

Everyone Invited To Help--The Rich Neck Red Cross working unit will meet every Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. W. Corwin and Mrs. W. I. Walker, near the bridge, for the purpose of making Red Cross bandages, etc., for use of the boys in France. Everyone is invited to help in the good work. Mrs. E. W. Corwin and Messrs. W. I. Walker and S. W. Corwin, acting as a committee, are soliciting in the section and report that the people of Rich Neck are responding liberally. The Second District of Queen Annes county has exceeded its quota.

Bankers' Convention--The bankers' convention will meet at Atlantic City, May 23, 29 and 30. The delegates appointed on Wednesday to represent the Kent county banks were: Chestertown Bank of Md., Allan A. Harris and Wm. B. Usilton; Kent County Savings Bank, W. F. Russell and C. S. Snowden; National and Peoples Bank did not appoint their delegates.

Buy Automobile Route--Mr. Vernon M. Barnett has purchased of Mr. Walter U. Lushy his automobile route to Tolchester and takes charge at once. Mr. Lushy has served the public well and faithfully as manager of this route, and we regret to see him retire. Mr. Barnett is an admirable successor to Mr. Lushy and we are sure the public will be well taken care of under his management. See advertisement for some changes in the business. Mr. Lushy's cars will be for hire to the public.

Choral Club Elects--The Chestertown Choral Club on Tuesday evening elected the following officers for the coming year: Mr. A. M. Culp, President; W. F. Jarrell, Vice-President; Miss Hallie Toulson, Treasurer; Mr. J. Hydie Thompson, Secretary. The above-named and Mr. F. G. Usilton compose the Executive Board. After the election of officers the Choral Club enjoyed an evening in the drug store of Dr. A. L. Sterling. \$110 was turned over to the Red Cross as a result of the concert.

"The Honor System" Coming--"The Honor System," a powerful human interest drama, will be presented by William Fox at the Lyceum Theatre, next Friday, May 31. The staging of this spectacular play from California caused a sensation in the far West. The resources of the state and the wealth of one of the largest film corporations were taxed to produce a work the direct appeal of which is to the hearts of the people. This is because "The Honor System" deals with the here and now of one of the world's most perplexing questions. It shows the individual in a tragic battle against the forces of society. Since "Way Down East" and "The Old Homestead" on the legitimate stage nothing else has been produced of such vital dramatic fiber.

Rich Neck Red Cross Unit Formed--A Red Cross Working Unit was organized Monday evening at the home of Mrs. W. Irving Walker, to be known as Rich Neck Unit. Thirty-eight members were secured. Mr. E. H. Brown, Jr., Chairman of Queen Anne's county, and Mrs. J. F. Rolph, vice-chairman, were present and conducted the meeting. Mr. Brown gave a very interesting talk on the Red Cross and Mrs. Rolph gave a short talk on "Child Welfare." Mr. and Mrs. Walker have very generously offered their home to be used exclusively by the unit for work rooms. The following officers were appointed: Chairman, Mrs. John Boulden; Treas., Miss Clara McGinnis; Sec., Mrs. E. W. Corwin. Messrs. W. Irving Walker and E. W. Corwin have been appointed a committee to collect for Red Cross on Rich Neck and are making a house to house canvass this week.

LOCAL ITEMS OF INTEREST

The boys swimming off the Chestertown wharves is a sure sign that summer is here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Anthony have purchased a Maxwell auto from the Noland Motor Company.

The Maryland State Volunteer Firemen's Association will be held at Hagerstown June 12 and 13.

Strawberries in Kent are being damaged by bugs, as usual, but the crop promises to be a big one.

The U. S. Merchant Marine wants 50,000 Young Men. Apply to Sterling's Pharmacy for particulars.

J. W. Skirven & Co. have contracted for 150 flocks of lambs for which they will pay \$12 a head.

Mr. Wm. G. Smyth, of near Fairlee, has qualified as a member of the board of school commissioners.

Mr. A. H. Tyson's stable of 14 horses at Radcliffe Park is worth a trip to Chestertown to see them.

The Johns Hopkins University is advertising "Entrance Examinations" and "State Scholarships" in this issue.

Mr. Harry C. Willis, of Worton, has been appointed advisor of the State Bureau of Labor and Statistics.

A matinee for benefit of Red Cross will be held on Saturday, June 15th, at Radcliffe Park. Particulars later.

Messrs. W. O. Anderson and Chas. Merrett, of Rich Neck, have some of the best corn we have seen so far this season.

Local trappers and fishermen are catching large numbers of turtles these days. They seem to be very plentiful.

Mr. H. R. Graham picked the first train in Chestertown in Friday last. Mr. C. C. Jones was a few days behind Mr. Graham.

Mr. Elwood Baker and force of expert painters have considerably improved the interior and exterior of the Candy Kitchen.

Marcus & Son, who operate the Chestertown sewing factory, are giving every employee one Thrift Stamp that purchases two stamps.

Messrs. W. T. Newsome, W. C. Spielberger and Clarence Newsome are on their way here with three Chevrolet cars from the New York plant.

Mr. J. Romie Byron has purchased the Toulson or Phillips farm in Quaker Neck from W. W. Beck, Esq., assignee, for \$5,500. It contains 93 acres.

Warning to Kent chicken thieves: "A negro chicken thief, George Cox, was given 30 lashes and 1 year in the workhouse in Wilmington one day last week."

Another big band of gypsies entered Kent from Queen Annes county on Monday. The Compulsory Labor Law is probably keeping the gypsies on the move.

Here in Chestertown we become so accustomed to see figuring in millions and billions that it almost reconciles us to pay 50 cents a dozen for bananas.

Mr. John Dwyer has been made rural route carrier for Route 5. Mr. Dwyer lives in Still Pond Neck and stood second in the recent civil service examinations.

Mr. Daniel Woodall, of Queen Annes, near town, will discontinue farming in the near future, and move to Wilmington. Mr. Woodall says he is unable to secure help.

As many people as possible should get their cars in line for the big Decoration Day matinee on May 30 and each one should be decorated so as to represent some patriotic feature.

Mr. and Mrs. Chilton L. Jarrell's handsome garage has been moved from the rear of the ruins of Washington avenue to Maple avenue near their present home. It was a big undertaking, but was accomplished successfully.

W. W. Beck, Esq., has sold at private sale the Walker farm located in the fifth district to Harvey Cooper, Esq., of Denton, for \$10,000. This farm is tenanted by Joseph Sutton.

The Clerks and City Carriers at the Chestertown postoffice, beginning on July 1st, will receive a \$200 increase in salary. Assistant Postmaster R. Snowden Thomas will receive a fifteen per cent increase.

Contractor Harry Cannon is making considerable repairs to the home recently purchased by Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Baldwin on Queen street. This will be a big improvement to the neighborhood.

Centreville is to have another industry in the shape of a tomato sauce factory, to be operated by the Serto Packing Company of Centreville, Md., a branch of the Serto Packing Company, of New York.

Thieves were abroad on last Saturday night in Chestertown and many things were taken from the teams and autos about town. Mr. W. O. Anderson, of Rich Neck, had a pair of reins stolen, among other things.

Mr. R. G. Warren, of Still Pond, will succeed Mr. George French as head of the Prudential Insurance Company in Chestertown. Mr. Warren will make a good man to succeed Mr. French, who goes with the Third National Bank.

Judging from the large number of mosquitoes that have made their appearance thus early in the season, we are almost led to believe that someone has an incubator putting an extraordinary early "brood" upon an unwilling and protesting public.

"Uncle" Bill Wright, a Chestertown colored man, tells us of a "new" way to keep a dog home as follows: "Take a piece of meat skin, put it in the heel of your shoe; wear it for nine days, then give it to the dog. You can't drive him away." Next.

A big War Savings Stamp Drive is scheduled in an advertisement in this issue from May 30 to June 9. Every man, woman and child in this county should be interested in this movement. Read the dates of each meeting and attend as many of them as you can and buy as many stamps as possible.

FARMERS TO CHANGE

Mr. Jacob Shirley, of the Popular Grove farm, will discontinue farming and his son, Mr. William Shirley, of Broad Neck, will take charge of the farm.

Mr. T. W. Trew will move from Broad Neck to his farm recently purchased at Lankford now occupied by Mr. J. D. Gale. Mr. Gale goes to the farm on Lankford Bay where Mr. William Shirley now resides.

Mr. Howard W. Hadaway, who has tenanted the S. M. Usilton Cacaway farm for the past three years, will move to the farm now occupied by Mr. T. W. Trew.

Mr. J. R. Lushy will move from the B. F. Beck farm at Lankford to the Cacaway farm. The Beck farm has not yet been let.

Mr. Harvey W. Morris, at present on the Ellason-Rasin farm at Lankford, will move to the Rev. Samuel Thomas farm now occupied by Mr. Arthur G. Loller, Mr. Britton Townsend, of Quaker Neck, going to the Rasin farm.

Mr. Wm. E. Greenwood will move from the Vickers' farm in Broad Neck to Mr. Chas. A. Jessop's farm at Lankford; Mr. Winnie Powell, the present tenant, will remove to Queen Annes. Mr. Roland Mepham, of Baltimore, has moved to his recently purchased farm, "Newark," in Broad Neck.

WORKSHOP FOR THE BLIND

The Md. Association for the Blind is in need of funds to carry on its most helpful work and support is being made through the state by voluntary contributions to raise one hundred thousand dollars to put the Workshop for the Blind in a condition that will not only enable it to meet the ordinary requirements, but to prepare it to take care of our young men who have been called to the front some of whom will return blind by their life in the trenches.

There are about 1600 blind in the state. This number may be largely increased by the war experience. These would be helpless and useless members of society but for this institution which fits them for taking up life's work.

It is proposed to raise \$1500 in Kent as our proportion of the amount needed. To that end a committee has been appointed to take the matter in hand and canvass the county. They will get down to work in a few days and through their sub-committees make personal appeal to contributors.

The need is great, the cause a most laudable one and we hope for a cordial response.

S. S. HEPBURN, Co. Chairman. T. W. PERKINS, Secty. W. F. RUSSELL, Treas. Committee.

WEDDINGS

William Frazier Russell, Esq., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Russell, of Chestertown, and Miss Ethel Goss, a well-known young lady of Birmingham, Alabama, were married recently in the southern city. Mr. Russell is now attached to the Judge Advocate Department at Annapolis. He has many friends here who wish him a long and happy journey over the matrimonial sea.

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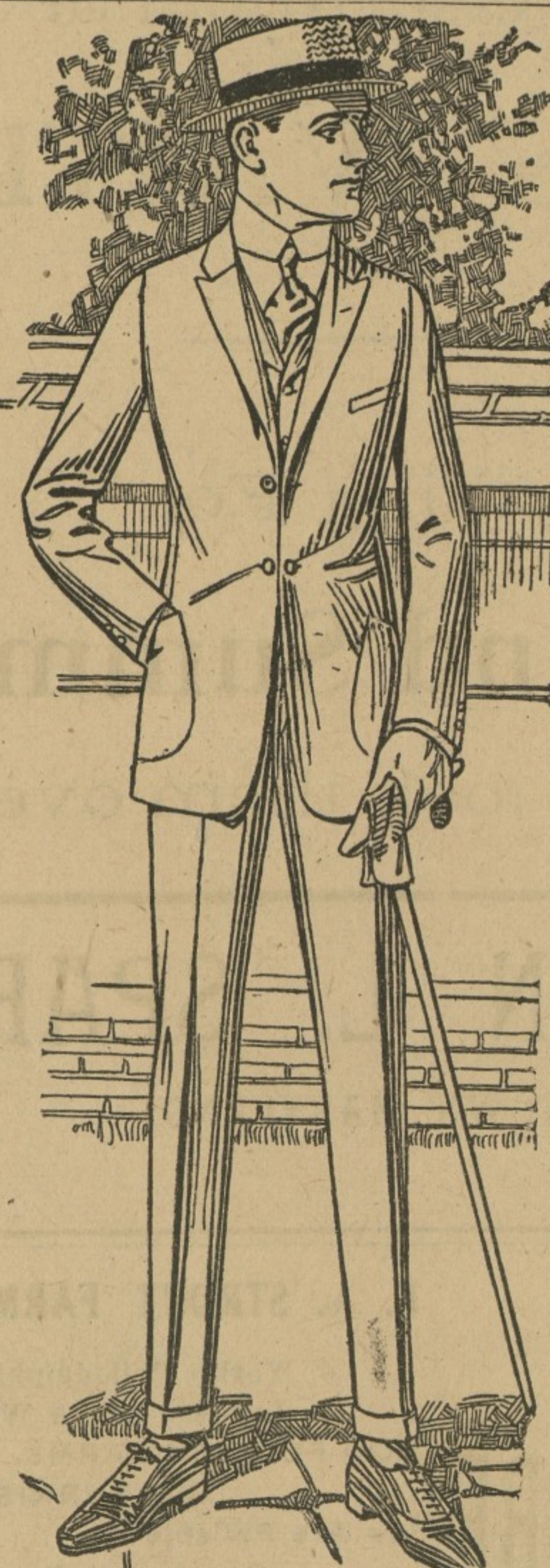
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