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Change of Schedule

Chester River Line

In effect April 4, 1923

On and after Wednesday, April 4th, 1923, Chester River-Line steamers will leave Baltimore, Pier 9 Light street, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 11 a. m. for Rock Hall and Chester River Landings to Chestertown.

Returning leaves Chestertown for Baltimore Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7.30 a. m. stopping at all wharves enroute to Baltimore.

No change in present schedule to and from Rock Hall on Saturday and no change in Sunday schedule to or from Baltimore, Rock Hall, Love Point and Queenstown.

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SPRING SCHEDULE

(Weather Permitting)

SASSAFRAS RIVER LINE

In Effect 2.45 p. m., April 21, 1923

Tuesdays and Saturdays steamer will leave Baltimore at 2.45 p. m., for Tolchester, Worton Manor, Betterton and Fredericktown. (Does not stop at Tolchester on Saturdays.)

Mondays and Wednesdays steamer will leave Fredericktown at 7 a. m., Betterton 8 a. m., Worton Manor 8.45 a. m., Tolchester 9.45 a. m.

NOTICE—Saturday, May 19th, Steamer will leave Baltimore at 10 p. m. instead of 2.45 p. m.

PORT DEPOSIT AND HAVRE DE GRACE LINE

(In Effect 2.45 p. m. April 23, 1923)

Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays steamer will leave Baltimore at 2.45 p. m. for Tolchester, Betterton, Havre de Grace and Port Deposit.

Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays steamer will leave Port Deposit at 6.30 a. m., Havre de Grace at 7 a. m., Betterton 8.15 a. m., Tolchester 9.45 a. m.

TOLCHESTER SPECIAL

(Effective April 21, 1923)

Saturdays—Leave Baltimore for Tolchester at 7 a. m. and 2.45 p. m, Leave Tolchester for Baltimore at 9 a. m. and 4.45 p. m.

For further information apply to the Agents at different wharves or

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has obtained from the Orphans' Court for Kent County letters Testimentary on the personal estate of

WILLIAM W. BECK,

late of said county, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 17th day of October, 1923, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's personal estate.

All persons indebted to this estate must settle at once.

Given under my hand this 17th day of April, 1923.

M. PAGE BECK,
a21-4t Executrix.

LUDEN'S
COUGH DROPS
Nose and throat
Quick Relief

A Comedy of Mishap

By GRACE W. ABBOTT

(© by McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

Jane Elizabeth Scott trudged doggedly through the pouring rain, her dainty, gauzy dress quite drenched, her satin slippers sloshing miserably in the puddles. Jane was mad! In fact, Jane was more than that—she was exceeding wroth both with herself and the world in general, but in particular with the masculine half of it.

Three hours earlier she had preened for 30 minutes before her mirror, and, satisfied with the picture she saw reflected there, she had joined her handsome escort and started for the most important event of her young life.

After much worming and squirming she had been invited to the supper-dance at the Fitz-Carlton, the party including the most socially important members of the exclusive South side set. Her escort had been Jimmy Laneman, a creature of her own modest class, and he had been the cause of Jane's wrath.

The very first dance! With perspiring brow and fast wilting collar, he had bravely started the dance, but alack and alas, he had slipped in the centre of the floor, sprawling ungracefully, which was bad enough, but in his mad attempt to regain his footing he had clutched at her skirt, which partially gave way, and reduced her in a heap on the floor beside him, with an undignified expanse of silk stocking furnishing the last straw.

Jane never knew how she left the hotel. She had jammed on her hat, ignoring poor Jimmy's frantic pleadings for forgiveness, and had walked determinedly out into the pouring rain.

Such was Jane's hard-luck story. Never again! She was through with men! Fire fairly popping out of her dark blue eyes, Jane trudged on, regardless of the looks of passers-by. One block from her home she caught the light of the street lamp glistening on the badge of the policeman on the beat. She pressed on, reached the curb, slipped in the mud, and went splashing into the biggest puddle for

"Are You Going to Sit There All Night?"

blocks around. Her satin slipper went flying off into the darkness. Jane sat perfectly still and cried. This was the limit.

"Well, well, this is too bad. Are you hurt, miss?" Without waiting for a reply the policeman attempted to lift Jane from her damp seat, but with frantic, puny fists she fought him off.

"Don't touch me!" she cried hysterically.

He stood back, surprised, but said nothing. She continued to sit there, striving for self-control.

"Are you going to sit in that there puddle all night?" It's against the law, you see—obstructing traffic."

She glanced up angrily. "Will you please go away from here and leave me alone?"

"No, ma-am! It's my duty as an officer of the law to see you safely on your way." He bent and, in spite of her, lifted her from the street. One glance told him her shoes were gone. Her gown was clinging to her shamelessly, a wretched mess of torn chiffon and mud.

"You can't be walking far, miss; your shoes are gone."

Weakly she leaned against him and cried. In spite of himself the officer laughed. "You poor kid! Where do you live?" Humbly now, she told him, and he picked her up and carried her the one block and left her at the door.

"Take better care of yourself hereafter, miss! Keep out of the puddles."

She slammed the door in his face. Although the rain poured consistently all the rest of his watch, Officer Robert Atwater kept smiling to himself as he thought of the girl in the puddle.

A week later Jane, retiring for the night, wrote in her diary: "For a whole week I have not spoken to a single man I hate them—one and all!

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

Today it was Locksley Hall. I never went in much for poetry, and Bill doesn't. He's all tennis and business—which is fine, of course. Paul's a journalist. I think that's a more romantic occupation—but of course you have to have all kinds. Aunt Em's still below, but O. K., as far as I can see, and she can always ring for the stewardess.

Sixth Day Out.—Paul's been reading "The Last Ride Together," and I'm more all in than Aunt Em, only different. She's going to dinner tonight and looks great and I can't eat, and I think I'm a little pale. I feel as though something were going to happen. I ask myself what is this suttle—or subtle—change that has come over me, and I can't answer. If it's love, then the other wasn't, that's all. I feel vampish tonight. I almost wish Bill hadn't thrown over Nell Stuart. And then I ask, "If I were a free woman, would Paul speak?" I mean, except with his eyes. I think, "yes." And, my dear, if he did?—But enough of this. I must write a dinky letter to Bill and then cammoflage (I guess that's wrong, but never mind) for dinner. I must use plenty of rouge. We land tomorrow. How can I bear it?

Day After Landing.—"Ye Gods!" as Bab would say. What a woman can live through! There was a moon that last night and we went up to the hurricane deck and for a long while there was silence between us. And suddenly Paul put his hand over mine and repeated some lines from "The Last Ride." Something about being together and breathing and riding side by side and ending: "Who knows but the world may end tonight?" And me, poor thing, I just cuddled up to him and emitted one dry sob. And that was just about enough! Well! . . . Of course I told him everything and he was simply magnificent! He saw that we must part and after a thrilling scene I went to my stateroom to cry my heart out and incidentally write to Bill. It was just like "The Prisoner of Zenda," my favorite romance, if it is old. About two o'clock in the morning I woke with a sort of inspiration. I got up and wrote two letters. One to Paul to tell him that I had decided I had no right to wreck his life and that if he still cared. Love had conkerred. (Is that right, I wonder?) The other was to Bill, confessing humbly that I had come to love another and that as he had not scrupled to follow the dictates of his heart when he left Nell, perhaps he would pity my weakness and forgive. I quoted something I read once, "Revenge is sweet," said the knight; "but forgiveness is sweeter," said the lady. It was a fine womanly letter and then I went to sleep calmly. I got up early and sent Paul's letter to his stateroom and went bravely to breakfast.

Imagine my sensations at finding this cablegram from Nell Stuart: "Bill and I married today. We couldn't help it. Forgive us." It was dated the day before. And that's that!

It seems that Paul's people are very wealthy so Aunt Em has been simply peachy and is going to fix up everything with dad.

Isn't life wonderful!

WARM DISPUTE OVER GRAPE

Alabama Claims to Be Ancestral Home of the Scuppernong, but Texas Writer Denies It.

Here comes the Montgomery Advertiser charging that we are an ignoramus so far as the Scuppernong grape is concerned, and it claims Alabama as the ancestral home of that grape, writes George M. Bailey in the Houston Post. There is in Manteo, Roanoke Island, N. C., a Scuppernong grape arbor whose history is known for more than three hundred years. The grape itself gets its name from the Scuppernong river, the dividing line between the counties of Tyrrell and Dare. There never was a Scuppernong grape in Alabama until that domain ceased to be a part of Louisiana, and after England had acquired it by conquest in 1763. Then the settlers from the Carolinas entered that country through Georgia, bringing the Scuppernong with them. We have seen some nice Scuppernong arbors in Alabama, which is a fine state, but Alabama is not the ancestral home of the Scuppernong. The grape is a native of North Carolina, and was cultivated there by settlers early in the Seventeenth century. A comparatively new state like Alabama ought to be more careful with its claims in the presence of an ancient commonwealth that boasts the earliest white settlers on the North American continent.

A Girl and a Wife.

"Most men marry a girl they love little to escape marrying one they love less."

"A wife is so irrevocable and interminable. You have to put up with her all day, and, what's worse, all night, too. And that not for an age but for all time. You've even got to do it, I suppose, in the life beyond. Fancy waking up in the next world and seeing your wife still there!"

"She had not the imagination to believe he could be as great as he dreamed. It wanted imagination to think that a child whose neck she had washed could be the equal of Thackeray or Dumas. 'But even Shakespeare,' thought David, 'must have had his neck washed by someone.'"—From "Rossenal," by Ernest Raymond.

An Ill Wind.

"Your 'usband 'as got to look shabby lately."

"Well, it's really a blessin' in disguise, Mrs. Miggs; yer see, it saves me all the expense of 'avin' to dress up to 'im."—London Punch.

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DAIRY

SELECTION OF DAIRY HEIFER

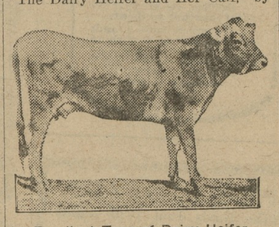
Head Is Excellent Index to Breeding, Quality and Value of Animal—Other Points.

A great amount of information can be obtained from a study of the head of the heifer calf. The head is an excellent index to the breeding, quality and value of the animal. The eye should be large, bright, clear, indicating good health; the face should be medium in length, free from fleshiness, showing an expression which the true dairyman cannot refrain from calling "sweet"; the nostrils large and well dilated to allow for the entrance of plenty of air; the muzzle large and broad, indicating a good feeder, and the jaw should be strong.

The constitution can be judged in part by standing in front of the heifer calf. We do not like a calf that stands with the front legs close together. This is an indication of poor constitution. The legs should be straight and wide apart, making room for a wide chest floor.

The calf should be examined next from the side. The neck should be neat, slim and medium in length. A short, thick neck is desired on the beef animal, but upon the dairy animal it is never associated with good dairy type or high milk production. The neck should blend neatly into the shoulder which should be rather spare in flesh and come to a point at the withers.

The above is from bulletin 193-A, "The Dairy Heifer and Her Calf," by



Excellent Type of Dairy Heifer.

B. W. Fairbanks, just issued. Copies may be had free on application to the extension service, Colorado Agricultural college, Fort Collins. While the bulletin was written primarily for use of members of Calf clubs, the information will be of interest also to adults who are beginners in dairying.

CLEANING MILKING MACHINES

Suggestions Prepared by Dr. A. F. Hanna for California Department of Agriculture.

The following suggestions for cleaning milking machines were prepared by Dr. A. F. Hanna, field veterinarian for the California department of agriculture:

1. When through milking run warm water through tubes.

2. Thoroughly brush with hot water and washing compound all parts with which the milk comes in contact.

3.—Place tubes, etc., in water which has reached the boiling point and permit them to remain therein for 30 to 60 minutes. Do not resort to further boiling.

4. Place tubes, etc., in brine and chloride of lime solution and drain three to five minutes before the next milking period. They will then be ready for use.

Small top pails are used for stripping the cows.

The four main points (1, 2, 3 and 4) are observed daily in the morning, and only the third point is omitted in the evening.

KEEP DAIRY UTENSILS CLEAN

First Thoroughly Rinse With Warm Water and Then Brush Well Inside and Out.

Clean all dairy utensils by first thoroughly rinsing them in warm water; next clean inside and out with a brush and hot water, in which a cleaning material has been dissolved; then rinse, and lastly sterilize by boiling water or steam. Use pure water only.

After cleaning keep utensils inverted in pure air, and sun if possible, until wanted for use.

DISPOSE OF BOARDER COWS

Wise Plan to Sell Any Animal That Does Not Pay for Feed What They Should Yield.

Sell the boarder-cow which doesn't pay for the hay you buy for her. Grade Jerseys giving less than 3,500 pounds, Guernseys giving less than 4,000, and Holsteins giving less than 5,000 pounds of milk in a year don't pay for their feed.

A Fly Spray.

The ravages of flies in the dairy barn can be partially checked by spraying the cows with a fly spray. A number of good sprays are on the market.

Keep Fowls Separated.

Keep growing chicks and laying hens separate throughout the summer.

Maintained for Revenue.

In these days cows are maintained for revenue only.

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Given under our hands this 17th day of April, 1923.

EDGAR P. MOFFETT,
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a21-4t Administrators.

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