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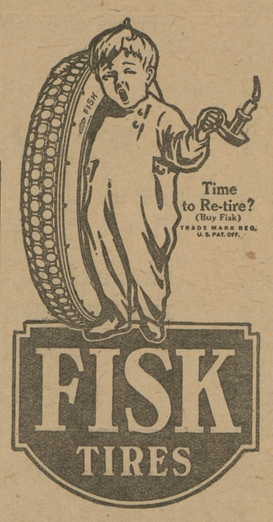

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RESULTS OF SCHOOL ATTENDANCE IN APRIL

The attendance of elementary grade pupils throughout the county has begun to show a marked improvment over that of the winter months. During the month of April six hundred and thirty-one pupils were in school every session and each of two hundred and thirty-five children lost but one day. The total of these two groups is more than one-half of all the elementary pupils in the schools.

The median per cent of attendance for all of the schools, or the per cent of attendance of the middle school in the group as arranged below, is 88.1, and the average per cent of attendance of all the schools is 87.1.

This is an excellent record but it would have been much better had not so many of the one-hundred-day pupils, those who are thirteen years of age or older, stopped school in April to accept regular employment. It is most regrettable that so many of these boys and girls are denied the privilege of completing successfully the work of the elementary grades. That is what it amounts to inasmuch as it is impossible for any child to accomplish in one hundred days of each year the same amount of work that he could could do in one hundred and eighty days, the minimum length of the school year. It is hoped that each parent who requires his children to leave school in the early spring and to wait until November 1st of each year to return to their studies, will give serious thought to this matter and ask himself the question, "Am I giving my child a square deal" when I deny him any part of the educational opportunity that the State and County provide for him?

Following are the per cents of attendance of all the elementary white schools for the month of April.

1.	St. Paul	98.8
2.	Worton Point	98.2
3.	Quaker Neck	97.8
4.	Lankford	97.7
5.	Hanesville	97.3
6.	Broad Neck	95.8
7.	Lynch	95.
8.	Pomona	94.8
9.	Cliff's	93.7
10.	Chestertown	92.2
11.	Turner's Creek	91.7
12.	Betterton	90.9
13.	Fairlee	90.8
14.	Locust Grove	90.7
15.	Rock Hall	90.6
16.	Golt	89.4
17.	Sassafras	88.8
18.	Cherry Lane	88.1
19.	Morgnec	87.9
20.	Worton	87.2
21.	Cedar Grove	87.
22.	Massey	86.9
23.	Piney Neck	86.8
24.	Skinner's Neck	85.2
25.	Still Pond	84.8
26.	Kennedyville	84.7
27.	Swan Creek	83.9
28.	Melitota	83.5
29.	East Neck	80.
30.	Chesterville	78.3
31.	Millington	76.4
32.	Janiver	76.1
33.	No. Ten	73.4
34.	Flatland	62.5
35.	Galena	60.9

CAPT. C. W. BUTLER DIES

Funeral services for Capt. Charles Wrightson Butler, who died at his home on the Wye Farm, near Queenstown, Friday last, were held Tuesday at his late home, conducted by Rev. O. E. Jones, a former pastor of Queenstown M. E. Church, assisted by Rev. Henry Covington, pastor of the church, and Rev. Frank A. White, of Centreville. Interment was in Chesterfield Cemetery, Centreville.

The pall bearers were Dudley G. Roe, A. Howard Johnson, Frank T. Price, S. Charles Walls, B. Hackett Turner and W. J. Massey. Services at the grave were conducted by Centerville Lodge 180, A. F. and A. M. of which Captain Butler was a member.

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KENNEDYVILLE

Mrs. Acca Crew spent the week-end with Mrs. Samuel Loller, near Worton Station.

Mrs. Willie Redmile is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Hersog, in Baltimore.

W. T. Ritter motored to Baltimore to visit relatives over the week-end.

Miss Eunice Lambert was the guest of Mrs. Gus Nickerson over the week-end.

Mrs. Charles Hague and sister, Miss Mildred Melvin spent Saturday in Wilmington.

Presbyterian Church service Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, Rev. B. B. Staats, pastor.

M. P. Church Sunday school at 10 o'clock, Wilmer Ford, supt: Preaching at 11 by Dr. Trout; Christian Endeavor in the evening.

Mrs. Elwood Baker, of Chestertown, spent Tuesday with Mrs. John Hessner.

We are sorry to report Master Linwood George with pneumonia.

The Order of Odd Fellows of Still Pond attended service at the M. P. Church on Sunday morning.

William King and family and Homer King, wife and baby moved to their new home in Philadelphia. We are sorry to lose them from our community.

We are glad to report James Van Dyke improving at this writing.

Mrs. Henry Boggs and Mrs. Cleve A. Tucker spent Wednesday in Philadelphia.

Mr. Richardson spent the week-end with his parents.

Miss Marcia M. Sheffro, Mrs. Emma Battersby, Mrs. Ada Marsing and Miss Emma Peiffer, of Philadelphia, and Charles Sieman and wife, of Baltimore, have been spending some time with Dr. J. W. Trout at the parsonage.

The teachers and officers are very much pleased at the increase in attendancce. There are 100 members on roll and last Sunday there were 100 present.

GALENA

Mr. and Mrs. William Boyd, John and Fanny were in Wilmington the first part of the week.

Rev. O. H. Connelly and family, of Townsend, visited in town Tuesday.

Miss Mattie Whitaker, of Wilmington, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Ella Whitaker.

Rev. G. L. Sterling is planning special exercises to be held on the playground May 30th.

Terry Mitchell was in town over the week-end. Mrs. Mitchell is spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Vansant.

Misses Eva and Agnes Jarman, of Baltimore, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jarman.

Mrs. Ariminta Woodall visited relatives near Chestertown on Saturday.

William Moore, of Pennsylvania, is visiting his son Edgar.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hyland were in Baltimore Monday and Tuesday.

Milbourn Sutton, of near town and Miss Louise Sutton, of Worton, were married at Cecilton parsonage by Rev. Mr. Rowlenson on Saturday evening last.

Everyone is glad to see such nice strawberriees brought to town from near-by farms.

Rev. E. C. Prettyman, of Wilmington, was with us Sunday morning in the interest of the Anti-Saloon League and told us of the advance along the lines of temperance, some of the needs of the hour and our part in the fight, in a most forceful manner. He was entertained at the home of his uncle, Rev. A. P. Prettyman.

Miss Mary Scott, of Baltimore, is visiting her father, Dr. E. A. Scott.

Miss Abbie Wood visited relatives in Wilmington last week.

Mrs. Linda Walls and son, John, visited in Cecil on Sunday.

Mrs. Leo. Gale was in Wilmington on a business trip on Monday.

Lots of coal being hauled from Lambson Station this week.

Harry Bolton and family, F. H. Ruth and family, James Hicks, Edmund Faulkner. Jed and Robert Welch and Capt. J. Woodall went to Philadelphia Sunday.

Dr. Omar E. Jones, District Superintendent, from Middletown, preached a very helpful and inspiring sermon on Sunday evening at Olivet M. E. Church.

Miss Gladys Moore led the Epworth League having a very nice service.

RURAL WOMEN TO HOLD CO. MEETING ON JUNE 5

The Executive Committee of the Kent County Council Home Demonstration Work have arranged to hold the next all-day meeting of the Council on June 5th in the auditorium of Chestertown High School, beginning at 10 a. m. sharp.

The out-of-town speakers for the day will include Miss Gwinneth Gminder, of the Health Department of Baltimore City, Mrs. Marian Bell, Specialist in Home Management, University of Maryland, and Dr. J. H. Mason Knox, of the State Health Department.

The public is cordially invited to attend this meeting.

CHAUTAUQUA DATES FIXED

The dates for the Chestertown Chautauqua this year have been fixed by the Chautauqua Association and the local committee have been advised of them. They are the week of August 30 to September 5. This is a little earlier than the past two years and will meet with general approval because of this.

Zay Davis and Miss Hobson accompanied by Tracy Burlin and wife and Mr. Weldin, all of Wilmington, were guests over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Davis, Chestertown.

Convocation Postponed One Week

Announcement was made this week that the date for the Middle Convocation of the Diocese of Easton had been changed from Tuesday, May 22 to Tuesday, May 29. The convocation will be held in St. Luke's Church, Church Hill and will open with a celebration of the Holy Communion by Rt. Rev. George W. Davenport, Bishop of the Diocese of Easton.

ALL IN BATHING SUITS

The greatest concentrated downfall of rain in the United States was recorded at Beaumont, Texas, May 19.

John Bender, in charge of the United States Weather Bureau station here, declared the guage showed 13.54 inches precipitation within three hours, all but one-half inch falling in two hours.

Between $500,000 and $750,000 property damage is estimated in a checkup today. Henry Franks was probably fatally burned. He slipped through a pool of burning oil when lightning struck two Magnolia oil storage tanks of 55,000 barrels capacity each.

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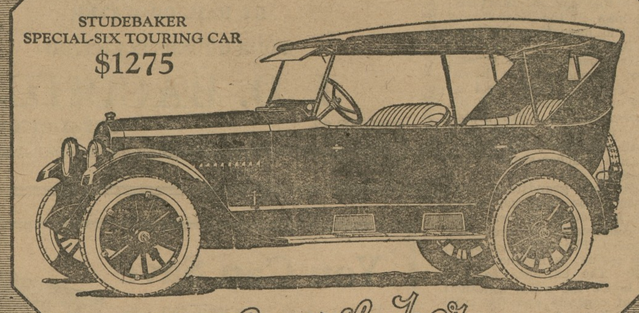

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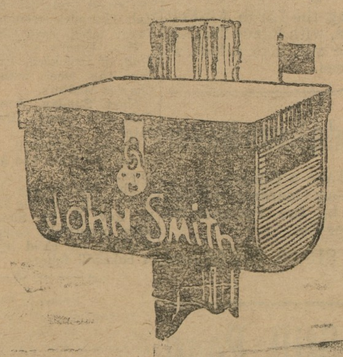

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