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CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Jos. A. Sutton and family wish to express their appreciation for the many acts of kindness and words of sympathy in death of husband and father, Jos. A. Sutton. a11

PEACHES

We will have several hundred baskets of Elberta peaches for sale from Aug. 15 to 25, at the farm occupied by Geo. W. Hurd, Worton. ADAM SCHAUBER, Chestertown, Md. au4-1yr

FOR SALE

Half Ton Ford Truck, panel body, 4 brand new cord tires, demountable rims, 1 extra tire and rim. WALTER T. PIPPIN, 205 Washington Ave., Chestertown, Md., Phone 109 a11-3t

FOR RENT

An apartment, 3 rooms with bath, 2nd floor, electric lights and gas. Located at 213 Queen street. Possession September 1st. Apply to MISS E. B. WICKES, Chestertown, Md. a4-2t

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AT TOLCHESTER BEACH

THURSDAYS

Beginning July 19th, 1923

In the Dancing Pavilion in the Park

8.30 to 11.00 P. M.

Get your dancing slippers and be there.

Admission, Ladies 35c; Gentlemen 50c

jy21 TOLCHESTTR CO.

INVESTORS! STOP, LOOK and OFFER

We sell for highest offer by August 1st, 1923, double dwelling, five rooms each; adjoining Goodwin's Garage, Cross Street, Chestertown, Md. Lot about 30 x100; sewerage. J. W. RUSSELL, 11 E. Lexington St., Baltimore, Md. jy7

FOR SALE

One of the best Houses on Queen St., Chestertown. CALL KENT NEWS.

FOR SALE OR RENT

My home with two stores on High and Kent streets. Will rent or sell all or will rent residence alone. Possession September 1, 1923. E. L. PYLE, Chestertown, Md. jy14

FOR SALE

Fine lot of Celery Plants, two kinds, Pastel and Golden Self Bleaching. JAS. E. ALLEN, 513 High St., Chestertown, Maryland. jy28

FOUND

There came adrift on the shore a Bateau which I took in charge and is held for the owner. The said owner can get same by proving property, paying costs and removing same. WILBUR JOINER, Rock Hall. jy28-3t

The NuBone Corset Co.

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Which has been used for years and proved satisfactory in every way.

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We have what you need.

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Cheaper than bran can be used in cow, horse and hog feeds.

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A real Kansas non-irrigated seed.

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We will have about 500 bushels of Rye for sale for seed. Ready about 15th of August. Will sell low. P. V. HENDRICKSON, Chestertown R. R. a11-2t

FOR SALE

One Roll Top Desk, 1 Buffet, 1 Feather Bed, 1 Extension Table, Lot Chairs. R. S. CREW, Rock Hall, Md. a11-3t

SUPPER AT MILLINGTON

Supper at Four Corners, Millington, on Thursday, September 6th, for benefit of Community Fire Company. a4-tf

PEACHES FOR SALE

At my orchard near Crumpton, Md., call or write or apply to THOS. M. JEFFERSON, Crumpton, Md. au4-3t

A CARD

I hereby announce my candidacy for Treasurer of Kent County subject to the Democratic Primaries.

J16 JOSIAH MASSEY.

WANTED

Shore property, about one acre, unimproved, bay preferred, between Tolchester Beach and Claibourne. Write full particulars giving price in answer. Address KENT NEWS. jy28

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It will pay you to get Allcut's prices. The old reliable tinsmith. My material is of the best. My prices are lower than the lowest. Get my prices before having your work done.

Also, shop work of all kinds promptly done. Shop in the rear of Thawley's Plumbing Shop.

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August 10 and 11

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SALE RECORD

Tuesday, August 21—John R. Ernest, Sassafras.

Thursday, August 23—Thomas J. Dunn, Massey.

Saturday, August 11—Mary E. Watts personalty, Chestertown.

Wednesday, August 15th—Clem Davidson, Galena.

Monday, August 13—L. G. Dill, Still Pond.

Wednesday, August 22—S. Thomas Bramble, Black's.

Monday, August 20—Mark E. Rogers, near Crumpton.

Thursday, August 30—Mrs. Drusilla Coleman, Swan Point.

Friday, August 24th—George W. Wheat, Worton Point.

FRIED CHICKEN AND ROAST PIG

The Union Aid Society of Rich Neck will hold a lawn fete and supper at the home of Mr. George Carter's on Thursday Evening, August 23. The menu will consist of fried chicken, roast pig, fish, Maryland biscuits and all the delicacies of the season. Price 50c. If stormy the next evening. a11

SUPPER AND BAZAR

One of our well-known Suppers will be held on school yard in Fairlee by Salem M. E. Church, on THURSDAY, SEPT. 6. Supper served at 5 p. m., adults 75c, children 40c. Bazar of useful and ornamental articles. Ice cream and cake served. Also grab bag. If stormy will hold in basement of Fairlee public school.

ST. PAUL'S SUPPER

St. Paul's P. E. Supper will be held on FRIDAY, SEPT. 7. The public invited to be present. a11

RENT FOR 1924 OR AT ONCE

Lawrence-Titter Property on Comegys Bight and Back Creek. No. 1, Dwelling, outbuildings and garden; No. 2, Farm of 31 acres; No. 3, Oyster house and very desirable bedding grounds for fattening oysters. Will rent separately or together. Apply to C. C. BROWN, Chestertown, Phone 813-F4. a11-tf

MAN WANTED

Single white man for general farm work on small farm. Must be steady and industrious. Good home for right man. Write, giving age and wage expected. J. E. PROVAN, Boothwyn, Del. County, Pa. a11-3t*

WANTED

Man and wife wanted on farm near Chestertown for 1924. Wife to keep house and man to do milking and attend to stock. Apply to "M" KENT NEWS, Chestertown, Md. a11-tf

WANTED

Man and wife for 1924, for farm work. Good wages and good home. Apply to Kent News. a11

SEED WHEAT

I have some Miracle Wheat which is very fine for seed and will take orders for same. NORMAN LEE, Phone 815-21, Chestertown No. 3. au4-2t

DWELLING AND STORE FOR SALE

Dwelling and store in Fairlee for sale with about five acres of land. Dwelling has nine rooms, store room 20x30. Also complete store room fixtures and good stock of goods. Also all growing crops and horse, carriage and dearborn. Good bargain to a quick buyer. Apply to S. D. LEAVERTON, Fairlee, Md. a4-3t*

FARM FOR RENT

A farm of about a 187 acres, situated a mile from Massey on the Smyrna road, tenanted by John N. Naylor, who would give any information asked, he having been on the place 15 years and leaves because he has bought a farm and wishes to live on it the coming year. (Miss) ETTA C. PRICE, Green St., Middletown, Delaware. a4-3t

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FALL CHICKS

Having received numerous calls for fall custom hatching and fall day-old chicks, we have decided to put on a hatch August 20th, which makes the hatch come off September 10th. Condition from then on will be almost similar to the weather of April and May. Custom hatching $5.40 per tray of 180 eggs. Barred Rock, S. C. White Leghorn and Rhode Island Red Chicks $15 a hundred. Other breeds if you want them. We are taking orders for chicks and will not have any for sale unless ordered.

BRAMBLE POULTRY FARM,

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Appel's Orchestra of five pieces.

Dance Pavilion enlarged giving 1,000 square feet more floor space.

From June 30th Until After Labor Day

Dancing every morning and every evening.

Plenty to interest and amuse.

All resort attractions.

We have a fine fleet of canoes to hire.

Bath houses and bath suits.

Tables and chairs for Sunday Schools and Picnic Parties.

Howard Turner, Prop.

Betterton, Md.

HAND OF DEATH

Mrs. Dudley Clough died at Jones' Hospital, Wilmington, on Tuesday last. The funeral took place on Friday afternoon from her mother's home near Middletown. She leaves a husband, Dudley Clough, and three children. They live on Reybold's wharf farm of Andrew Wilson, on Bohemia river.

Singleton T. Bryden, a highly respected citizen of Piney Neck, died at his home on Saturday last, Aug. 4th, after a long illness of complications, aged 73 years. He leaves besides a widow, the following children: Mrs. Matilda A. Wilson, Thomas J. Bryden, Mrs. Ruth A. Oliver, Gilmore and Arnold Bryden, Mrs. Laura Weinberger, and John and James A. Bryden, also a sister, Mrs. Mary Dowling, twenty-four grandchildren and ten great grandchildren. Funeral service was held from his home on Monday at 11 a. m., conducted by the Rev. Mr. Barrett, of Piney Neck; interment at Weslay Chapel. The pall bearers were Jesse, Arnold, John, James, Claude and Arlington Bryden. C. L. Dodd, undertaker.

Joseph Andrew Sutton, a highly respected citizen died at his late home near Rock Hall on Saturday, August 4th, of heart trouble, aged 74 years. The deceased leaves a widow, Mrs. Martha E. Sutton, also the following children: Linwood A. Sutton, Miss Elma E. Sutton, J. Bayard Sutton, Mrs. Helen P. Shirley and Raymond F. Sutton, also fourteen grand children, one brother, Charles Sutton, and a sister, Mrs. Ella P. Clayton. Funeral was held Tuesday at 2 p. m. from his late home, conducted by Rev. C. H. Reed, of Wesley Chapel and was largely attended by relatives and friends. Interment in Chester Cemetery. The bearers were his nephews, James, Stanley and Herbert E. Matthews, John, Clifton and Milbourn Sutton. Chas. L. Dodd, undertaker.

DELAWARE STATE FAIR

Get ready for the Delaware State Fair at Wilmington. The Fair this year will be bigger and better than ever before because there will be speedier horseflesh, more blooded cattle, fancier show horses, fatter pigs and sheep, more tasty-looking preserves, jams and jellies, a bigger midway, longer and better vaudeville, more exciting auto and motorcycle races, niftier chickens, and a greater display of women's work than in other years. Monday, August 27th, the opening day will be Children's day, when all children under 16 years of age will be admitted free of charge.

LOST

Ford tire and rim lost on road from Millington to Chestertown or in Chestertown. Reward if returned to owner. CLARK & CO., Millington, Md. 1t

FIRE! FIRE! FIRE!

All contributors to the recent campaign for additional fire equipment for Chestertown are urged to pay same at once thru the committeeman in your district.

J. HYDIE THOMPSON,
JOHN C. DAVIS,
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W. P. NEWNAM,
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FOR SALE

A few Choice High-Grade Dairy Cows, fresh and springers. R. D. HOOPES, Worton, Md. Phone Chestertown 817F12. a11-3t

FOR SALE

Desirable residence property in village of Fairlee. 8-room house with stable, barn and poultry houses, 10 acres of land. Also 5-room house in said village with one-quarter acre of land. WM. G. SMYTH, Chestertown, Md. a4-tf

FARM FOR RENT

Farm with all stock, implements, etc., for rent for 1924 on shares. H. THEO. WOOD, Chestertown R. R. 3. a4-3t

FOR SALE

A walnut extension table, large enough to seat 14 persons. MRS. ELLA CLOUGH, Queen street. a4-3t

A VERY PRETTY PARTY

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Hill was the scene Tuesday evening, August 7th, of a very enjoyable occasion when their daughter, Kathleen, celebrated her 18th birthday. A platform had been built upon the spacious lawn and was attractively decorated with Japanese lanters and electric lights which added greatly to the enjoyment of the young folks who danced to music furnished by "Whitey" Graves' Orchestra of Chestertown, until the wee small hours. Delicious fruit punch was served in the yard during the evening from a cut glass bowl which had belonged to Grandmother Hill. Refreshments of ice cream, cake and candy were served in an enclosed porch decorated in pink and green embroidered with asparagus and flowers. The candelabras and birthday cake were lighted with eighteen candles of pink and blue which added greatly to the table decorations. There were 90 present. Among the out of county guests were Miss Florence Boulden, of Cecilton, Miss Cora E. Schutt, of Cherrydale, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. A' D. Torreyson, of Falls Church, Va., these ladies assisting Mrs. Hill in receiving. Many beautiful gifts were received which were very much appreciated by the petite young lady. Every one pronounced the evening a huge success and one long to be remembered.

CANNERIES TO OPEN SOON

The Kent county canning houses will open next week. The Baldwin cannery in Chestertown will begin last of next week as will the others. The prospect now is for a good crop of tomatoes though the season will be about two weeks late. The tomato vines are looking fine and most of the fields seem to have a fair number of tomatoes on the vines.

Over in Delaware extensive preparations are being made by most of the canneries for the tomato season which will be on in another week. The rush, however, will not take place until the latter part of the month as the fruit has been ripening slowly and is maturing later this year than it did last season.

Canners are expressing some doubt as to the securing of adequate labor to properly handle the tomatoes brought to their places. Man labor, it is said, seems to be plentiful this year but there seems to exist a scarcity of women laborers. Practically all the peeling process is done by female help and canners who have carefully watched both sexes preparing a tomato for the vats say that their work is much faster and far less wasteful than is that of the man.

CLUB GIRLS TO GIVE DEMONSTRATION

Girls' Club members under the direction of the County Home Demonstration Agent have spent the month of July in carrying on home demonstrations in baking and canning.

The work for the month of July has grown out of the work carried on during the past year and was intensively carried on at the three-day meetings held in Chestertown on July 10th, 11th and 12th.

The meeting at Chestertown was planned for the purpose of training local leaders and leading club girls, who would carry on demonstrations in their homes during the summer months. As a direct result of this meeting, three demonstration teams have been trained who will assist in getting Girls' Club Work before communities who have not done Club Work.

Kent County Club Girls will assist at the Short Course at the University of Maryland this week by giving a baking demonstration, and will repeat the demonstration at Timonium Fair in September.

WANTED:

District Agent to develop Accident and Health Insurance Agency. Attractive policies and liberal commissions. If inexperienced, we will teach you the business. JOHN B. GREENE, Agency Director, Federal Casualty Company, 234 Equitable Building, Baltimore, Md. 1t

FOR RENT

Dwelling on High street. Possession July 1st. WALTER T. BRAMBLE, Chestertown, Md. j16-tf

BLOOMING NECK FRUIT FARM

Worton, Maryland.

PEACHES

FOR SALE

Carmin, Belle of Georgia and Elberta varieties.

Orchards at Harris' Wharf, 4 miles from Betterton. a4-4t

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MANY ACCIDENTS HAPPEN

Man Drowned in Chestertown—Automobile Accidents—Child Killed in Church Hill—Engineer on B. S. Ford Kills Self.

All the officials of the steamer B. S. Ford which runs from Baltimore to Rock Hall and Chestertown, were shocked on Tuesday at the death of Chief Engineer John H. Gardner.

With a bullet hole in his right temple and with a 32-caliber automatic revolver lying at his right side he was found Tuesday morning on the floor in front of the engine room of the steamer as it was tied to Pier 9, Light street, Baltimore.

Capt. Wash. I. Woodall, captain of the ship, and P. S. Crockett, dock watchman, who were in the dining-saloon of the boat eating their breakfast heard the shot and rushed to the engine room. They lifted the body of Gardner and had it sent to the South Baltimore General Hospital, where physicians said death had been instantaneous.

The body was then sent to the morgue in the Southern district patrol pending the investigation of Cronner Blades.

Engineer Gardner was about 64 years of age and lived at No. 2008 Cliftwood avenue, Baltimore.

Chestertown had its first drowning accident of the summer on Monday afternoon when Charles Marshall, 23 years old, of St. Michaels, Md., was drowned in the Chester river, near the Electric Light Company wharf. Marshall, who worked on the schooner Wm. H. Michall let himself into the water for a swin by a rope from that boat. Apparently he was stricken with cramps as soon as he touched the water and sank immediately, never regaining the surface. A colored hand on the same boat, not hearing the usual splash of a swimmer went to the side of the boat and not seeing the boy gave the alarm. His body was recovered about five o'clock two hours after he had been in the water by Elmer Batchelor, with a hook and line. Coroner Dodd rendered a verdict of accidental drowning.

This section had a number of auto accidents the past week. A large touring car went over the embankment on the State road near Betterton, severely injuring several of the occupants.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Newton while driving on the State road near Goose Hill were run into by another car and Mrs. Newton received painful wounds about the face and head.

Jack Hackett and Budd Potts met with an accident to their car, resulting in severe injury to the former.

William Coppage Hall, Jr., the one year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Coppage Hall, of Church Hill, died on Monday morning while on the way to Emergency Hospital, Easton, after being injured by a fall from a play express wagon.

The little boy was being pulled in the wagon by a colored boy when he fell out and struck his head on the pavement. He was picked up and Dr. Norman S. Dudley was called, who ordered him removed to Emergency Hospital, and although it is little more than one hour's ride, the child died about seven miles from his destination.

LATER. Admitting he had murder a year-old infant with "rat poison," and had planned the deaths of the baby's father and mother, as well as their two other children, a twelve-year-old negro waif on Wednesday at Church Hill expressed joy that his plot had partly miscarried.

The baby was the son of William Coppage Hall, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Hall, of Church Hill. It had been believed that he died from injuries sustained when he fell out of a child's express wagon as stated above, pulled by the negro. At two o'clock Wednesday afternoon the funeral procession was stopped, however, on order of Justice Robert Coursey. An examination of the baby's stomach showed it contained strychnine.

The negro taken into custody is said to have readily admitted poisoning the child and to have placed the strychnine in salt, sugar, oatmeal and coffee about the Hall house.

"I didn't want to kill her" (meaning Mrs. Hall), he told Justice Coursey, "but I did want to kill Mr. Hall and all the children."

The negro is now in Centreville jail.

The circumstances surrounding the case are probably the most remarkable in the criminal annals of Queen Anne's county. Two years ago the boy came to Queen Anne's county from Delaware and had worked on various farms in the vicinity. A short time ago he was arrested for stealing a bicycle and placed in jail. Because of his youth it was decided to give him another chance and he was placed in the home of the Halls.

Burton Edwards, proprietor of a garage in Massey, is recovering from a dose of carbolic acid. He was found in his garage in an unconscious condition and was rushed to the Elkton hospital, where is was found that he was in a serious condition. He is now getting alright.

CRAP SHOOTERS ARRESTED

Quite a lot of disorder took place in upper section of Chestertown on Saturday night and Sunday morning among colored folks. Sheriff Hadaway and deputies arrested Joe Brown and Jennings Hollins for shooting crap and were fined $5 and costs. Lucy Jones and Lillie Scotten were arrested for fighting on the street and fined $5 and costs.

Instead of sixty cents per horsepower for automobile registration in 1924, Maryland motorists will pay only 26 cents. The registration of a 30-horse power car will cost next year $7.80 instead of $18, the 1923 cost. After January 1st, next the 2 cents a gallon tax on gasoline becomes effective. Kent auto owners will welcome this reduction in licenses. Those who use the roads most will pay the greatest tax in proportion to the amount of gasoline they use.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Centreville, Maryland,
August 3, 1923.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF MARYLAND:

By the Constitution of Maryland, provision is made for the election, by the people, of Judges for the several Judicial Circuits into which the state is divided, among other things, the qualifications therein mentioned for Judges are as follows:

They shall be selected from those who have been admitted to practice law in this state, and who are most distinguished for integrity, wisdom and sound legal knowledge."

If my reputation, after having engaged in the practice of law for practically thirty years, and my record, after having served as Associate Judge of your Judicial Circuit for nearly one year, leads you to believe that I possess the above mentioned necessary qualifications, I will be very grateful should you determine to support me at the approaching Democratic Primary Election.

The duties incident to my present position preclude me from making the usual personal and political campaign.

Very truly yours,

THOMAS J. KEATING.

(Political Advertisement)

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