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SHOPPING MADE EASY AT THESE BUSY STORES

Watch our advertising space, you will find what you want; then go and get it. Our advertisers use our columns because they know it pays. They are not doing it for charity, and we are not pan-handling, but are offering the business man a business proposition. If he does not take it, he, and not the public, is the loser, for the people nowadays read the papers, find out where the goods are and don't wear out their shoes hunting for what they want. Shoes cost money, and they prefer to buy gasoline.

Go in and see C. H. Bullock's assortment, he's got every thing you want in the novelty line.

Join the 1925 Christmas club at the Farmers and Merchants Bank. Go in and let the cashier tell you all about it.

The Denton National Bank has a brand new ad, this week, "it's time to start an account."

Read Koenig's bakery ad, it will sharpen your appetite right away.

Go to the 5 cent to a dollar store and see the assortment at prices that will surprise you.

Read Nathan's furniture ad.

Poole Brothers. of Federalsburg have a full line of furnishings for ladies and gentlemen. Read about it in our paper.

There isn't a thing in the jewelry line but can be found at F. J. Wright's.

Read the timely talks by Long & Short; they'll tell you something interesting.

The Caroline County Bank, of Greensboro, has an attractive ad, read it.

Remember this paper treats all advertisers alike, no favorites, all pay the same price and get the same service.

Read our classified ads.

Read our miscellaneous ads. In fact, read 'em all.

When you have any news bring it in. You do us a service, for we like to say something good about you. Even if you fall down on a slippery pavement, somebody will probably enjoy reading about it. It's up to you to help us get the news; the editor wants to print it, but unfortunately he's not a mind reader.

Let's get together all around this holiday season, and help each other for the good of the whole community and not leave anybody out. Co-operation makes things grow.

See our subscription premium list. Earn yourself a Christmas present.

The Nuttle Milling Company comes out with a fresh, new advertisement this week. Read it.

Nuttle Hardware Company has a full line of toys and presents for the auto or kitchen.

Den Mar Mobile Company suggests giving the entire family a present. See what they say.

H. S. Burns would like to give the farmers some money so they could buy the lovely things at the stores here. See his add.

JOHN A. MACINTOSH

John Alexander MacIntosh, for many years a prominent business man of this place, died early Sunday morning at his home on Riverton avenue, after an illness of several weeks. Mr. MacIntosh was born in Washington, D. C. 72 years ago, his father, was the late Alexander MacIntosh, was a native of Glasgow, Scotland, and his mother Ann Blizzard of Westminster, Md. His early life was spent in Carrol county but for 22 years he had been a resident of Denton.

Mr. MacIntosh was twice married, his first wife being Temperance J. Butler of Westminster, who passed away several years ago. He is survived by his widow Mrs. Frances W. MacIntosh of this place and a daughter by his first marriage, Mrs. Frances Shrivener of Baltimore.

For many years Mr. MacIntosh was a fertilizer dealer in this place dealing extensively with the farmers and business men throughout the county. He was a life long Democrat, holding at various times positions of trust which he fulfilled with ability, at the time of his death being assesor, and door keeper of the grand jury room.

The funeral was held at his late home at 2 p. m. Monday, the Rev. G. J. Hooker of Methodist Protestant church, of which Mr. MacIntosh was a member, officiating, burial at Easton.

The passing of Mr. MacIntosh, removes from our midst a familiar and respected citizen who will be greatly missed by all.

THE KNOCKER

By THE CRACKER

He don't like the way that the country is run, so he knocks He avoids exertion to better it some; he spreads out his fingers with nose to his thumb, and knocks. He says that the whole thing is run by a clique, and knocks, won't go to the polls with a logical kick. He's contrary, ornery, lazy, or sick, so he knocks. He knows just how to straighten the wheels, but he knocks, and won't let the public in on the deal, won't lend his influence to welfare or weal, he knocks. He's not been called on to lead in the game, so he knocks. The public's not found out the size of his brain nor showed him the way to the ladder of fame, so he knocks. He serves his opinion 'til something is done, then knocks. He knows just how the thing should be run, but espouses no cause for fear 'twould be won; then he knocks. He lets the world know he's a professional grouch, and knocks; blames all failures on somebody else, sulks in his tent 'til the cards are all dealth, then knocks.

STATE ROAD ENGINEER SAVED BY DOG

Mr. Eugene Anderson, District State Roads Engineer, slipped from the solid ground while inspecting the work on the new spillway at Willistown on Wednesday of last week. He was plunged waist deep, and attempts to extricate himself only resulted in rendering his position more precarious. Being directly under the temporary bridge, he could not be seen by passing traffic, and as the workmen on the job were all on the other side of the dam his shouts were unavailing. He maintained presence of mind, however, and whistled to his police dog, who instantly came to his assistance. Clinging to the dog, which being well trained obeyed his commands and pulled away from him, he succeeded in extricating himself by slipping his feet from his boots. We are of the opinion that it would be useless for anyone to ask Mr. Anderson to put a price on the dog!

DENTON FIREMEN CLEARED OVER $2,000

At the regular meeting of the Denton Volunteer Fire Company last Friday evening the treasurer, Mr. Sherman L. Tribbitt reported that all bills pertaining to the carnival had been settled and made the following report on the carnival receipts and expenditures:

Total receipts	$4,834.16
Expenses	2,589.91
Paid on fire engine	2,090.00
Balance	154.25

THE FIGHT AGAINST TUBERCULOSIS IS ON

Tuberculosis in the United States kills yearly 150,000 persons. Most conservatively estimated, there are 1,000,000 active cases of tuberculosis today in the United States.

According to the best records available, there were 1991 reported deaths in the State of Maryland alone. Active cases in the state totaled approximately 17,000. In Caroline County there were 21 deaths during 1923, and 189 estimated cases of tuberculosis.

A vigorous campaign is now being waged under the leadership of the National and State Tuberculosis Associations. Every county in Maryland is lending its aid in the eradication and prevention of this terrible scourge.

This fight against tuberculosis is your fight. It is being made for you. The disease comes so quietly; gets its hold on its victims so slowly, and is so general that we are apt to neglect it.

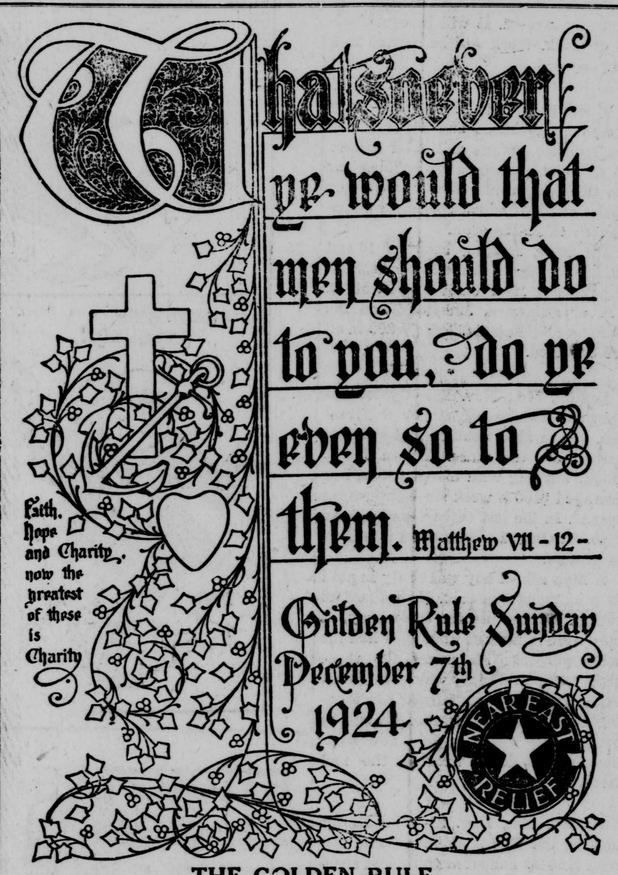
In contributing to the work of the Maryland Tubeculosis Asssociation, and its County Branches, you are not giving to charity, but are helping to prevent the need for charity. You are investing in a protection to yourself and your family as well as to the community in which you live.

About 95 per cent of the Maryland Tuberculosis Association, comes from the proceeds of the sale of the little Tuberculosis Christmas Seals. The larger the returns are for combating this terrible disease the greater will be the life saving results.

From 70 to 75 per cent of the funds raised from the sale of the little Christmas Seal in each county is spent in this county.

In 1924 the Maryland Tuberculosis Association conducted in Caroline County 12 tuberculosis clinics. In addition to this the State Association maintains the Children's Preventorium at Claiborne, Maryland, the Modern Health Crusade Work in the schools, Industrial and Educational Prevention work.

Do it now—Advertise



THE GOLDEN RULE

Motto Design for Golden Rule Sunday, Made in the Style of Ancient Hand-Lettered Manuscripts From the Middle-Age Armenian Monasteries, by the American Artist, J. Thompson Willing. Prizes Are Offered by Near East Relief to Children for Coloring This Design, Using Crayons or Water-Colors

ARCHITECT CHOSEN FOR NEW SCHOOL

Monday evening the building committee for the new high school for Denton, met in the office of the president, Mr. John T. Carter, in the Carter block and made their decision of an architect. Mr. Pietch, of Baltimore, was chosen and has been notified to this effect, and is now busily engaged in drawing plans and specifications for the new building, which is expected to be completed for use by next fall.

The county commissioners are advertising the sale of bonds for the purpose of raising funds to pay for the new building in the amount of $100,000.

ST. BENEDICTS' CHURCH IS DEDICATED

The dedication of the new St. Benedict's Church, Ridgely, took place on Thanksgiving Day, November 27th, at 10.30 a. m. The services consisted of a dedication ceremony, Solemn High Mass and a sermon by Dr. Lee, of Dover. The Very Reverend E. Mickle, V. G., of Cape Charles, Va., presided. The mass was sung by the Rev. John S. Gulz, of Wilmington. Among those present from a distance were the Rev. J. J. Doughtery, of Wilmington; the Rev. M. A. Cotter, of Princeton, N. J.; the Rev. C. McGoldric, of Centreville; Mr. Francis Lynch, Mr Steuart Lynch, Miss Mary Lynch, Miss Margaret Lynch, of Wilmington, Miss McKee, of Baltimore, Miss Agnes Brennam and the Misses Dougherty, of Wilmington. The altar was donated in memory of his wife, Isabella Lynch. The improvements were erected at a cost of $4200.00.

THE 1925 LICENSE PLATES

Now we are getting reminders through the mails that it's time to dig down into our jeans for the 1925 license. s fast as the applications arrive they should be filled out and returned with the necessary check and thus cause no delay, as the Commissioner's department will be overrun with last minute applications, and somebody will have to go afoot for a few days, as the road cops are always brim full of ambition and new resolutions at the start of the new year. And anyhow, we are all law abiding citizens, we would much rather leave the old flivver standing in the garage than to run without tags, even if no one saw us.

Order early and avoid the rush.

Mr. S. Alton McDaniel, formerly of this place but for the past several years teaching in high schools in New Jersey and Pennsylvania has resigned his position at Glen Rock, Pa., high school and has entered the employ of the New York Telephone Company and is located at Paterson, N. J.

Mr. McDaniel is the son of Mr. anr Mr. McDaniel is the son of Mr. and

XMAS SAVINGS CLUB SENDING OUT CHECKS

Nearly $5,000 will be checked out by the Farmers and Merchants State Bank on December 15, to hundreds of depositors who have been systematically saving through its portals for the past year. The '24 club is the third one and immediately upon its conclusion the '25 club will start for next Santa Claus time.

This method of systematic saving gives every one an opportunity to be amply prepared for the Yuletide season. A very little saved from each week's salary and deposited with the club is not missed and will be greatly appreciated next year to add to the happiness of the whole family.

These savings draw continuous interest, so you not only save but the amount grows. As you are taking out more than you put in, it promotes a spirit of thrift and a habit of saving, which is the best guarantee against want in old age,

All the old members will re-enroll together with many new ones. Get the spirit and join.

HENDERSON LOCAL'S ANNUAL MEETING

Henderson Farm Bureau local held its regular annual meeting in the town hall on November 20th with over 200 in attendance.

The committee, Mr. and Mrs. Darian and Mrs. Polson and Professor C. M. Wingate, with the aid of a number of the school children gave a splendid program, consisting of songs and recitations. Singing by the audience was led by Mr. Jones, who also gave several solos.

Prof. Trenk, of the state forestry service, spoke on the benefits of co-operative organization, which was followed by an address by County Agent Goodwin in his terse, practical way. Secretary S. G. Bye gave a synopsis of the work accomplished by the county organization and commended the local organization for its enthusiasm in the furtherance of the work.

The hall was lighted by the portable electric plant owned by the farm bureau which furnished the current for the use of the three reels of moving pictures shown.

M. P. CHOIR ORGANIZES

At the regular meeting of the choir of the M. P. church last Friday night it was decided to organize, and an election resulted in the selecting of Mr. Fleetwood as president, Mr. Baxter as secretary-treasurer, and Mrs. Clough as music secretary. Because of the many activities occurring this month, it was decided not to hold any extra meeting, but after the first of the year one Friday evening of each month will be used as a meeting night, when different members of the choir will act as hosts or hostesses.

M. & D. C. R. R. REPORTS BUSINESS IN GOOD SHAPE

A representative for this paper interviewed Superintendent Muessen one day this week, who reports the business which the road has done since its purchase by the company to be highly satisfactory, and of volume far in excess of their expectations. Indeed, so great has been the business that the equipment with which they sstarted has become inadequate and the result has been excess wear on the rolling stock, sometimes rendering it necessary for one locomotive to do the work of two, while the "Blackberry Limited" was undergoing repair.

Mr. Muessen is a hustling, sleeves rolled-up railroad man, who is not afraid of plenty of work. This attitude on the part of the superintendent goes far to explain the wonderful success of the road. Our reporter found him clad in overalls taking the lead in repair work. This section counts itself fortunate in having the railroad saved from the junk head to which its former owners consigned it. Its success is due largely to the executive ability of its managers, Messrs. Muessen and Reynolds, who do not find it necessary to park their feet on a roll top desk to maintain their official dignity, leaving all the details to others.

Mr. Muessen also said that the road is in good healthy finacial condition with obligations paid to date.

HONOR ROLL

MARYDEL SCHOOL

The following Marydel pupils had perfect attendance for the month of November:

Thomas Heather
Ralph Polson
Marion Seeney
Howard Sparks
Mildred Rambo
Frances Hummer
Evelyn Ford
Pauline Gulrich
Ruth Polson
Violet Hull

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GAREYS SCHOOL

The pupils from Garey's school who have perfect attendance and have not been tardy during the month of November are as follows:

William Anthony
Wilbert Anthony
John Carlisle
Carlton Greenlee
Walter Joiner
Homer Smith
Preston Anthony
Paul Anthony
Marion Dulin
Anna Karpinski
Anna Anthony
Clara Karpinski
Mary Carlisle
Emma Carlisle
Mildred Smith
Mabel Carrol

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HOWARDS SCHOOL

The following pupils of Howard's school made perfect attendance during the month of November:

Catherine Towers.
Francis Lord
Grover Towers
Louise Howard
Rosser Andrew
Lawrence Andrew
Owen Howard
Edna Wright
Linwood Schuyler
Mildred Schuyler
Helen Lord
Bertha Lane
Belle Lane
Emmett Lane
Ruth Howard
Lynnie Lord
Lester Green

Shop Early

17 More Shopping Days

FINE PROGRAM AT THANKSGIVING MUSICAL

Last Wednesday evening the choir of the Methodist Protestant church gave a musicale. While the audience was not as large as was anticipated, those who were there were delighted with the splendid music which composed the program. The numbers, all of them from eminent composers, were well suited to the possibilities of the choir, and the hard practise which they had given resulted in a wonderful rendition of the entire program. By one of the leading women in social and musical circles of Dorchester County, the choir was described as the "best on the Eastern Shore, Salisbury and Cambridge not excepted." By others the evening was called a rare treat for music lovers and it was generally felt by everyone that the choir was deserving of a great amount of praise.

Aside from the chorus numbers, the solos were also well received. Miss Louise Fisher, in Spite of a terrific cold that almost prevented her singing at all, charmed the audience with her solo. Mr. Fleetwood and Mr. Rue were in good voice and did excellent work. Two numbers by the male quartette, consisting of Messrs. Walling, Fleetwood, Hinderer and Rutter, were well liked. The Sunday School orchestra, with Mr. Kimmey playing the flute, Mr. Young the cornet, and Mr. Griffin the mandolin, gave two selections which were enjoyed.

Those who so ably took part in the chorus numbers were: Sopranos—Mrs. Reuben Rairigh, Mrs. Harry Clark, Mrs. Elias Hinderer, Miss Emma Clark, Miss Esther Dunham and Miss Louise Fisher; altos—Mrs. N. P. Kern, Mrs. L. C. Clough, Mrs. John Statum; tenors, Mr. I. R. Fleetwood, Mr. Elias Hinderer, Mr. Ralph Walling; basses, Mr. T. M. Baxter, Mr. Walter Rutter, Mr. G. H. Rue. Mrs. G. H. Rue, the director of the choir, accompanied.

Following is the program of the evening:

Selection, War March of the Priests Mendelssohn.

Anthem, Praise the Lord O Jerusalem, Maunder, From "The Song of Thanksgiving"

Solo, Out of the Deep, Capel, Mr. Rue

Anthem, Seek Ye the Lord, Roberts

Solo, Friend of Mine, Miss Fisher.

Anthem, Send Out Thy Light, Gounod.

Orchestra, Melody of Hope, deLeone

Solo, The Mystic Hour, Fowler, Mr. Fleetwood

Chorus, In This Hour of Softened Splendor, Pinsuti

Solo, (a) Duna, McGill; (b) In a Gondola, Clarke, Mr. Rue

Quartette, (a) Nellie Was a Lady, Foster; (b) Honey Town, Wilson, Mr. Walling, Mr. Fleetwood, Mr. Hinderer, Mr. Rutter

Chorus, Song of the Triton, Molloy

Orchestra, Merry Eyes, Kuenzel

SIREN TO SOUND FOR OUT-OF-TOWN FIRES

Friday evening at the regular meeting of the Denton Volunteer Fire Company it was ordered by the members that when the company is called to an out-of-town fire the siren would sound for one blast only, except during the hours between 7 and 10 p. m. at the discretion of the chief whether to sound the siren or the gong to avoid causing a disturbance during the movie show and church.

When there is a fire in Denton, the siren will sound more than once.

TOAD HOLLOW BREVITIES

Hank Alderbush says that paint may add something of a lustre to a woman's face, but it looks more durable on a barn.

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Pete Doolittle says, that there hasn't been any cave men heard of since the rollin' pin was invented.

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The cop arrested Abe Grimsley the other day for drivin' across Main street without blowin' his horn. Abe said he blowed it alright, but his flivver made so much noise that the cop didn't hear it.

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