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Construction to Begin on New Church on K. I.

PERSONALS

FOLKS YOU KNOW

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Willis are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter. The little one arrived on Thursday Sept. 23 at the Easton Memorial Hospital .She was given the name Nancy Karen. Mrs. Willis is the former Dorothy Walters of Centreville, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Walters.

Mrs. Stella Harris of Cordova is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Paul Buckle.

Mrs. Nathan Morris and Mrs. William Crouch arrived home on Tuesday evening after spending several days in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lippold of Baltimore, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Faulkner.

Mr. and Mrs .Tilghman Cook and family spent Sunday in Salisbury visiting Mr. Stant, a patient at Deer Head hospital.

Mr .and Mrs. Cooper Jewell of Crumpton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jewell and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter White spent several days last week on a tour of Virginia.

Mrs. Mildred Anderson and daughters spent Sunday in Chester with friends.

The M.Y.F. held their first meeting of the season on Sunday evening at the Fellowship Hall.

Miss Virginia Walters of Baltimore spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Walters.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin anahan of Easton, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Crouch, Jr.

Mrs. Harriet Canterbury and Mrs. M Good of West Chester, Pa., were the weekend guests of Mrs. Harriet Cockey.

Dr. Hoyt is on a needed vacation this week .He fully intends to take in several world series games.

Mrs. William Martin and Mrs. Franklin Burris gave a surprise "Stork Shower" on Thursday evening for Mrs. Lester Hogue at Mrs. Hogue's home near Bryantown. Among those present were Mrs. Earle Hogue and Mrs. Phil Hogue, Mrs. William Crouch, Jr., Mrs. Robert Swann, Mrs. Ross Swann, Mrs. Jas. Hughes and Mrs. Elmer Whithy. Many useful gifts were presented, and refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Comegys were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Anthony and daughter.

Mrs. Maggie Metzdorf left on Saturday to spend a week in Baltimore with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cross and son John, spent the weekend at their Summer home here.

Mrs. W.H. Sellers of Baltimore spent the weekend with Mrs. Annie Lane.

Miss Winnie Mae Jester and Miss Helen Howeth of Red Jacket, W. Va., both student nurses at Easton Memorial Hospital spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. George Steinfelt.

Mrs. W.E. Higdon left on Monday to visit friends in Baltimore.

Mrs. Ida Dishler of Baltimore, spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. George Saddler, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dishler and daughter Dotty joined them for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reese visited Miss Martha Dietrich in Cambridge on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Goodman of St, Michaels were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Antnony.

Mrs. William Kersey of Chester, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Edawrd Goodhand and daughter.

Grasonville

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Diggs entertained Capt. and Mrs. [illegible]mer Calis; Mrs. Fran[illegible]ughter and Mr. [illegible]nia over the week[illegible]

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Kin Seek Centreville Native Beieved "Lost" in Oregon

Lost, in the state of Oregon, one 50-year-old Centreville native.

If found, there is bad news for Frank French. A house he owned in North East, Md., burned to the ground Sept. 11.

His wife (and relatives still living in Centreville) are looking for Mr. French who walked out of the house in Canyon City, Oregon, on Labor Day with the statement that "he was leaving."

Mrs. French, who flew into North East from Oregon when she heard the news of the house burning down said her husband left a note leaving his bank account to her, but that she has no idea where he could be. She notified Oregon State Police before she left, and plans to remain in North East to see if he might see newspaper articles about the fire or of the search for him, so he will come East.

The house, about five miles south of North East, was tenanted by Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lockard and their one child. Mrs. Lockard is a daughter of Mr. French by a former marriage. Luckily, they were visiting friends when the house burned under what is described as "very mysterious circumstances." They saved only the clothes they had on their backs.

State Police and the North East town officer, Otis Ferguson, are investigating the cause of the fire.

Born in Queen Anne's County, Mr. French is a brother of Mrs. Helen Tarbutton, who lives near Centreville and an uncle of Charles Tarbutton, Centreville newspaper distributor.

Plan Classes for Adults To Begin October 1

The Board of Education would like classes for adults to begin around the first of October.

Persons interested should contact local high school principals. These classes are for adults 16 years and over who are not attending public schools. The class should have fifteen members since an average of 10 has to be maintained.

Several communities have already expressed an interest in Industrial Arts, Agriculture, Arts, andCrafts Home Nursing, Nutrition, Shorthand Typing, and County Government.

Get a group together so an organization meeting may be planned. Several communities may have to join according to their interests in order to have the required number for the class.

Adult Education consists of learning experiences formal and informal, which result in personal development and community improvement.

Gunston School Starts Its 34th Year

Gunston School, located on the Corsica River, began its 43rd year last week and welcomed Miss Edith Keating of Centreville who will be teaching the first three grades, and Miss Elizabeth Bogert, a Gunston alummus from Long Island, who will be in charge of riding and music.

Day students from Kent and Queen Anne's counties make up about half of the total enrollment. Boarding pupils come from New York, Philadelphia, Washington and other cities.

The board, the faculty staff, the children, the horses the dogs, and the unwelcomed cats are ready for the year ahead and expect an interesting and educational year.

NOTICE—1000 Angus and Hereford Feeder Calves at Auction on Wednesday, October 13, 1 p.m. All calves polled or dehorned, sired by registered bulls, vaccinated against Blackle gand Shipping Fever, out of herds tested and clean of Bangs and T.B. Fredericksburg Livestock Market, Fredericksburg, Virginia. Geo. D. Williams ,Secrertay, Fredericksburg, Virginia.

FOR SALE—Two Duro Therm oil [illegible]ters. Good condition. Phone [illegible]enstown 2534.

James E. Boyle Returns To U.S. For Home Leave

James E. Boyle, of Queen Anne, Maryland, has returned to the United States for home leave, consultation and reassignment after serving two years with the U.S. Information Agency as Cultural Affairs Officer in Dusseldorf, Germany.

The Agency conducts the U.S. overseas information program which supports and explains American policy abroad and combats communist proaganda. In reaching the peoples of foreign nations, the Agency uses many means of communication including radio, motion pictures, press and publications, libraries and information centers.

Mr .Boyle will spend most of his home leave visiting his father, Charles I Boyle, and his brothers, Frank and Thomas Boyle, all living in Queen Anne, Maryland. In about three months he will leave for Seoul Korea, where he has been assigned by the Information Agency as Provincial Public Affairs Officer.

A native of Queen Anne, Mr. Boyle graduated from the Queen Anne Tri-County High School and received his Bachelor of Arts degree in political science from St. John's College, Annapolis, Md., in 1939. He engaged in farming for several years before receiving his Master of Arts degree from Catholic University, Washington, D.C., in 1947. In that year he went to Germany, where he served as a civilian in the military government and later, (1948-49), as local military government officer. From 1949-52, he was a resident officer under the U.S. High Commission for Germany.

Mr. Boyle joined the Foreign Service in 1952 and was assigned to the overseas information program in Kassel, Germany, and later in Dusseldorf, which is located in the most heavily-populated area of Germany.

Working closely with the State Ministry of Education, Mr. Boyle was responsible for the distribution of thousands of the Agency's pamphlets about the U.S. in the secondary schools as text materials to better acquaint the German youth about this country. He speaks German fluently, and he frequently addressed German groups, attended university functions and prompted a program of American studies in the institutions of higher learning. Mr .Boyle referred to one pamphlet entitled "USA—Its Land and Its People" which received wide distribution in the secondary schools.

Mr. Boyle says the exchange of persons program was an important activity of the Agency in Dusseldorf, and through it thousands of Germans in many fields of endeavor have visited the United States. He personally talked with more than 1,000 exchangees from the North Rhineland-Wesphalia area and met about 200 German teachers who had been to this country to see firsthand how Americans live and to become well-acquainted with Americans in their homeland.

Registrations are Still Invited for Clergymen

Registrations are still invited for the second annual Institute on Religion and Mental Health for clergymen of the Eastern Shore, which starts next week. Name, Address and fee of $2 should be sent to William A. Martin, Route 1, Easton. The Institute will be held at the Eastern Shore State Hospital, from 10 to 2:30, on the five consecutive Thursdays beginning with October 7.

Discussions led by outstanding leaders will stress the role of the clergyman in working with the mentally and emotionally ill and their families. Topics to be considered include the diagnosis and treatment of the mentally ill, working with the emotionally ill in the community, pastoral counselling, group therapy and education for mental health. The Institute, sponsored by the Mental Hygiene Society ofMaryland and the Eastern Shore State Hospital ,is open to clergymen of all faiths and demoninations without distinction as to race.

State Trooper Killed In Crash With Truck

A Maryland State policeman, en route to his Eastern Shore home to be with his wife at the birth of their child, was killed early Friday morning when his car crashed into the rear of a standing tank truck on Route 50 near Queenstown.

The trooper, William Howard Travers, 26, was pronounced dead on the scene by Dr. Henry W. Fisher, county medical examiner. He had suffered multiple fractures and internal injuries. An autoposy was performed to determine the exact cause of death.

Trooper Traver's wife, Mrs. Gloria Lee Travers, was expecting her baby the same day, colleagues of the dead policeman said. The Travers home is in Fruitland, Wicomico county.

Trooper Travers, stationed at the Waterloo barracks, had left the barracks for four days leave of absence and was driving his personal car when the mishap occurred at 4:15 a.m.

According to Trooper J.W. Eckstorm,who investigated the accident Trooper Travers was eastbound on the highway. The truck driver, Robert Lee Green, 36 of Baltimore, reported that he had pulled the truck off the highway and parked on the shoulder to light the burners under the tank of asphalt he was hauling.

Green said that he had lit one of the burners when his attention was drawn to a car approaching from the rear.

The auto was abuot 500 feet away ed, and it veered off to the shoulder. ed, and it eered off to the shoulder. As it came toward the truck, Green said, he waved his arms and shouted in an effort to attract the attention of the driver.

But the vehicle continued to bear down on the parked truck, and at the last moment, Green said he leaped into a ditch to prevent being hit himself. The auto wedged itself under the rear of the tank, and the doors flew open, Green reported.

Trooper Travers was appointed to the State Police Deartment in July, 1953, after serving two years in the Army in Korea. Previous to his military serice, he was clerk in the State police barracks atSalisbury for five years.

Following the investigation,Green was charged with automobile manslaughter and released on his own recognizance for a later hearing, Trooper Eckstorm reported.

Green Charged In Inn Shooting

James Elijah Green of Chester, charged with attempting to kill two men, posted $2,000 bond for the November term of court before Trial Magistrate J.W. Thompson, Jr.

He is charged with assault with intent to kill James Jackson, 50, and William Single, 37, and also with carrying a concealed deadly weapon.

Green is alleged to have fired several shots from a .22 caliber pistol on the night of Aug. 22 in or around a beer tavern at KentNarrows, wounding Jackson and Single.

George M. Reed, 26, also of Chester, was implicated at the hearing and charged with assault on Herbert Single and William Single, put was released for lack of evidence.

A cannery worker in Chestertown, Alejandro Olavarrio, 26, was committed to the county jail in default of traffic violation fines amounting to $175.

He was stopped py state police near McGinnis Corner, Sept. 4, and arrested for speeding, operating under the influence of alcohol. He was fined $25 on each count except the last, on which he was fined $100 and costs.

FOR SALE—Chesapeake Bay puppies with excellent pedigree. Female $50.00, male $100. PhoneGoldsborough Hall, Stevensville 2631 or tenant, Stevensville 2115.

FOR SALE—A child's crib and mattress. Call Harriet M. Cockey, Queenstown 3384.

G.O.P. Plan To Import Oysters "Ruinous"—Byrd

Harry C. Byrd, Democratic candidate for Governor, this week cited his Party's State platform as Maryland's reply to the national Republican administration's foregin trade policies ,which he termed "ruinous" to Maryland's seafood industry.

Referring to recent reports that the State Department is negotiating agreements to increase the importation of oysters and clams from Japan, Holland, Iceland, Mexico and Australia, Byrd declared:

"The importation of shellfish, caught and processed by low-paid foreign labor under sanitary conditions which we could not possibly supervise, threatens not only the economic well-being of our people, but the health of the nation.

Shore Native

"I am especially interested in fighting such a program, because I grew up in a crabbing and oystering community."

Byrd is a native of Crisfield.

Byrd pointed out that the Democratic platform calls for a conference of watermen and packers to formulate "the soundest practical measures" to develop the Maryland seafood industry and pledges the appointment of "representatives of watermen and packers" to the Tidewater Fisheries Commission.

New Markets

The platform also calls for an aggressive program to develop new markets for the seafood industry. On this point Byrd declared:

"Properly promoted, the products of Maryland waters could rightfully assume such a dominant position in the American market that shellfish imported from Japan or Australia could not possibly compete with them.

"As other states are known for their products—Florida and California for oranges ,for instance—we want Maryland immediately identified with qaulity seafood."

The Republican administration's efforts to import seafood, Byrd declared, rank with the G.O.P. stand for higher Swiss watch tariffs, as part of a foreign trade program "which seems to have the ruination of a large segment of Maryland's economy as its goal."

G.O.P. "Target"

The watch tariff policy, Byrd declared, "may have been a blow at Southern Maryland's tobacco industry, which depends heavily on the Swiss market," but, in the seafood negotiations, "the Republicans now seem to have all Tidewater Maryland as their target."

He urged the election of "Democratic Congressman who will be vigilant in protecting local agriculture, fisheries and industry from the national administration's ruinous policies," and a Democratic State administration pledged "to restore Maryland to its rightful place as the leader in the seafood industry.

Governor Proclaims October 4-10 G.O.C. Week

Governor McKeldin announced today that he has proclaimed October 4-10 Ground Observer Corps Week.

In his proclamation, the Governor said "twenty-five hundred patriotic volunteers are now doing an excellent job in Maryland—guarding against sudden invasion by air."

The Governor said he had made the proclamation "to stress the need the importance and opportunities" of serving in the GOC program.

He said the Ground ObserverCorps "must keep pace with our expanding air defense system."

At present, there are 105 posts in operation in Maryland. The Air Force says that there should be 118 in the State.

Air Force and Civil Defense officials have emphasized the importance of the program because they say enemy planes could either "fly under" or "jam" radar.

Recently Brig. Gen. James W. McCauley, Commander of the 26th Air Division, (Defense) said" our initial warning of an enemy attack might well come from a GOC post."

Volunteers may enroll in the program by contacting their local Civil Defense director.

Construction To Begin on Catholic Church on Island

Bids are to be let Sunday, Oct. 3, for the construction of the first Roman Catholic Church on Kent Island, according to an anouncement today by the building committee of Saint Christopher's Roman Catholic Mission.

Committee members said the edifice will probably cost approximately $50,000.

The architect, John Walton, of Washington, D.C., will meet with contractors and any other parties at the temporary chapel of the church in the Kent Island Shopping Center just outside of Stevensville at 2 p.m. Sunday. Detailed plans of the structure will be shown and questions answered at that time. Mr. Walton owns a home in Talbot county.

The church members are hoping that bids may be let and construction started in the near future.

In the past week the first anniversary of the founding of Saint Christopher's Mission was observed Actually, petitions from a number of the Catholic residents of the Island who had to drive nearly 20 miles to Centreville or 14 miles to near Queenstown, were started back in 1948 to hold services on Kent Island. Just last year the Rev. Columban McGeough, O.C.D., from Washington, began holding services at Love Point and then moved into the temporary quarters loaned by David M. Nichols in the Shopping Center.

The building to be constructed on a plot of ground in Harbor View, directly across the highway from the Shopping Center, given by Mr. Nichols, will be designed to seat between 250 and 300 people. It will be of brick construction and in colonial style in keeping with the traditional English buildings on Kent Island.

Members of the original building committee are Felix Goldsborough, Sr., treasurer; Mrs. Frank Taylor, assistant treasurer; Mrs. Eanshaw Cook, fund chaiman; Mrs. J. Walton Bolgiano, co-chairman; Mrs. Lee G. Bell, secretary; and Mrs. Mary Holbein, corresponding secretary.

Of the original committee, Mr. Goldsborough and Mrs. Bell are on the present guiding force along with Dr. C. Gilbert Dunn, assistant treasurer and publicity; Mrs. Ben Scharnus, corresponding secretary; Mrs. G. Edward Hartwell, social activities chairman; and William F.Mack, building fund chairman.

Three Grasonville Members Win Pythian Posts

Three Grasonville members of the Pythian Sisters were apointed to state posts at the 87th annual convention of the Grand Lodge,Knights of Pythias and the 4th annual convention, Grand Temple Pythian Sisters in Hagerstown recently.

Mrs. Mabel Paswater was elected grand junior of the Temple and Mrs. Rebecca Ruth named district deputy of District 4. Elmer Pierson was named a district deputy for the same district in the Knights of Pythias.

Other Queen Anne's County residents who attended the meetings were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ireland, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Miller, Mrs. Anna Mae Jones, and Mrs.Katherine Burkett, Mrs. Pierson attended as a guest.

Rotary Club Backs Youth Leader

The Centreville Rotary Club is sponsoring a Centreville HighSchool rural youth leader to the United States of America Conference to be held at Jackson's Mills, W. Va., Thursday through Sunday.

The local club will pay room and board for Henry Comegys, a senior at Centreville High and president of the Future Farmers of America Chapter. He is also a leader in his 4-H club.

Others going to the conference from this area are: Kay Kelly, Sudlersville; Joyce Moore, Centreville; and Howard Meredith, Talbot county.