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A Very Merry Christmas to Everyone

PERSONALS

FOLKS YOU KNOW

Mrs. Dewey Anthony and sisters of Baltimore, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Brownie Anthony.

Nathan Pinder of Derr Head Hospital, Salisbury, will spend the Christmas holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. William Pinder.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Skaggs and Mrs. Robert Lowery and son, Jay, motored to Owings Mills on Sunday to bring Niles home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dudley spent Monday in Baltimore.

Mrs. Ross Swann and son Bobby, spent one day last week in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reese and Mr. and Mrs. George Steinfelt spent Friday afternoon in Baltimore.

Mrs. B.H. Lane and sister Florence Melvin, visited their brother, Clarence Melving in Millington on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Melvin and Miss Florence Melvin attended the wedding of their neice, Miss Patsy Melvin and James Miller in Millington on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Clara Thomas was a Baltimore visitor on Tuesday.

Gerald Horney and friends of Cambridge, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Clara Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bronson Willis spent a few days with Mrs. Robert Hitch in Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barton, Jr., of Tilghman, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barton, Sr.

Thomas Quimby is recovering from a bad case of the flu.

S1c Donald Anthony is home for a 10 day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Anthony.

KennardRhodes and JackDavidson of Silver Springs, Md., spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Kennard Rhodes.

Mr. and Mrs. Kennard Rhodes visited Friday with their daughter, Mrs. Margaret Brantley in Washington, D.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Larrimore of Centreville, spent Friday evening with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Quimby.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pinder of Baltimore spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Pinder.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anthony of Baltimore, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Brownie Anthony.

Mrs. Annie Anthony is returning home from the hospital for the Christmas holidays.

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MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL

Mrs. Alphonza Thomas was a Baltimore shopper on Wednesday.

Mrs. May Thomas has returned home after receiving treatment at a Baltimore hospital and is much improved at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Smith celebrated their 49th wedding anniversary last Tuesday, Dec. 14.

Mrs. Marie Jewell was a Baltimore shopper on Saturday.

Mrs. Freda Thomas, Mrs. Kitty Clevenger, Mrs. Betty Clevenger and Mrs. Leola Clevenger, spent Thursday in Glenburnie shopping.

Mr. Jimmy Saddler has returned from Washington Sanitarium and hospital, Takoma Park, after undergoing an operation for appendecitis. He convalescend at home a few days last week and returned to his studies on Monday.

Mr. Carl Smith spent the weekend in Baltimore, with friends.

The kiddies enjoyed seeing Santa at the Pythian Hall on Saturday.

Mrs. Morgan Chance, Mrs. Oscar Legg, Jr. and Miss Shirlee Chance were shoppers in Wilmington on Wednesday.

Mrs. Grethel Beecher and Mr. and Mrs. Henry O'Donnell spent Sunday in St. Mary's County.

Mr. and Mrs. Keller Hoxter spent Friday in Glenburnie.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Butler and daughter, Claudia Gene of Chestertown, spent Saturday with her parents, Mr .and Mrs. Morgan Chance and Miss Shirlee Chance of Easton spent the weekend with them.

Mrs. Patsy Jane Clendaniel spent

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Bishop Miller's Christmas Message to The Diocese

My Dear Friends:

There is something pery final about the age in which we live. Power mocks peace, tyrany traffics in slavery, evil nibbles at freedom and nature wavers bewildered by the suggestion of extinction. Knowledge has wrenched itself from its natural burden .Human life which knowledge has carried to the limit of value and of usefullness has started with gathering momentum to roll back down hill into the unknown and darkness from whence it came.

How contrary is this behavior to the intention of God! Christmas both confronts us with this contrast and also reminds us of an opportunity to recover our faith before the twilight of creation, in final gesture, spreads its pall upon us. For Christmas tells us the story of the mercy of God and of His plan for a world of peace and of good will. There is a Chritsmas consciousness which, despite the fact that it may get a bit lost or shabbily treated along the long cycle of the year, makes us newly aware of God's mercy and happily sensitive to our obligation to share His mercy and His love. So long as this consciousness can be revived there remains hope for man and his world, no matter how dark and bleak the landscape of human behavior may become.

Rejoice, good people, and praise God in that this Holy Season is a time of renewal, of awakened souls and recovery of conviction—a time when hearts bring charity and love out of hiding to the benefit of man and to the glory of God.

May the peace of God which we now find in the heart of Jesus enter your home and with blessing abide with you everyone

ALLEN J. MILLER
Bishop of Easton.

Income Tax Aid Due County Farmers

B. Wayne Kelly, County Agent of Queen Anne's County announced that special instruction will be given to persons interested in aiding Queen Anne's County farmers in preparation of their 1954 income tar forms.

This training will be given Tuesday, Jan. 4, in the community room of the county agent's office, Centreville.

The training will be given by Geo. Stevens, Agricultural Economics Department, University of Maryland. It is further planned that a representative from the Bureau of Internal Revenue and the Social Security will be on hand to answer any specific problems.

People receiving this instruction will receive due publicity and a small charge may be made for this service.

Any individual interested in receiving this special course should notify the county agent's office but not later than Dec. 27.

On Jan. 5, a general meeting on income tax information will be held in the same room for the purpose of enlightening farmers on the new method of individual machinery inventory and charging depreciation rates.

Since a large number of farmers in Queen Anne's County may be paying more than necessary, providing sufficient records are available on the individual farm, this may be materially reduced.

Since Queen Anne's County farmers' incomes are somewhat limited, any saving that can be made will mean an increase in the net income of the farmers.

Mr. Kelly stated that this meeting is open to women as well as men in as much as the ladies of the farm families handle much of the book work, thus would gain materially by attending this meeting.

Farm income tax blank's are available at the County Agent's office.

FOR SALE—Cheap—1949 Chevrolet pick-up truck. [illegible] W.B. Short, Chester On Wye, Queenstown, Md.

Police Probing Knifing Hit-Run at Kent Narrows

A stabbing and a hit-run accident brought police to Kent Narrows on Saturday night, but no one has been arrested in either case.

Ned King, about 30, waterman, was cut about the face and throat according to County Constable Walter Clough, sometime during the night.

Constable Clough said the incident is believed to have happened in or near a beer tavern operated by Benjamin Clough following an argument. King is reported to have known who did it, but said, "I'll handle it." No charges have been filed, pending further investigation.

Wesley Lloyd, 49, a resident of Queenstown, received a broken leg when he was struck down by a vehicle on Route 18, at the Narrows about 8 o'clock Saturday.

He was taken to the Memorial Hospital in Easton by the Kent Island Fire Company ambulance. State Police are investigating several witnesses' stories.

Notice to Town Commissioners

Residents and taxpayers of town would appreciate it if you would notify business places and residents of town about burning and dumping garbage on the side of the streets and curbs. It is very unsanitay and unsightly. This notice came to my attention by a taxpayer.

WANTED—Car Salesman. Apply to W.H. Bishop, Queenstown, Md.

WANTED—New and Used Car Salesman. S.E. Hallowell & Son, Inc. Denton, Md. Phone Denton 390.

Thomas Lucke to Spend Holidays With His Parents

Thomas M. Lucke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Lucke of Courcy Point, near Queenstown, is completing the first term of the freshman year.

The class was granted Christmas Leave from December 18 to January 2 to visit families and friends.

The studies for the past term at Annapolis have included engineering drawing, mathematics, chemistry, composition and literature, and foreign language.

Due to the complexity of modern weapons, an able officer must be familiar with a wide range of subjects. The mission of the Academy is to furnish the U.S. Navy with young officers capable of directing men, ships and planes so necessary to maintain the nation's defenses.

COMMUNITY LOCKER PLANT AT CENTREVILLE, EXPANDS

James E. Reynolds, of Queenstown, proprietor of the most up-to-date Frozen Food Center in Queen Anne's County invites you to inspect his plant. Retail Center for meat.

Cured ham and bacon, smoked with hickory only under automatic control, slaughtering, chilling, aging and complete processing of lamb, veal, beef, pork and poultry.

Jim is very proud of his plant. He also handles a large variety of frozen vegetables, a well known brand. He wishes to take this opportunity to wish his many friends and patrons, who help make his plant a huge success, a Very Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Cubs Deliver Gifts To Hospital Folks

The Cub Scouts of Den 1, Troop 129, Centreville, delivered 60 favors for the trays of patients at the Kent Queen Anne's Hospital in Chestertown on Friday to brighten the Christmas season.

The Den Mothers, Mrs. Edith Moore and Mrs. Carter Rash, announced the eight boys in the Den made favors out of candle sticks and wrote on each one, "Troop 129, Cub Scouts, Merry Christmas."

The boys are: Joseph Haymaker, Stevie Callahan, Ray Freeney, Bunky Meredith, Billy Dulin, BillyPrice, William Thomas is the Den Chief. The annual Christmas Party for the Cub Pack will be held Wednesday, Dec. 29, at the Epworth Church House.

CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY IN ADVANCE

Mr. Johnny Kinnamon, a retired farmer and merchant, who lives on Charity Ave, in Queenstown, celebrated his birthday last Friday morning between 2 and 3 a.m. Two young ladies of Queenstown stopped in and helped him celebrate. When asked why he celebrated so late in the morning he said, "I didn't want to disturb the neighbors." His birthday was last Tuesday, Dec. 21. He said, "The reason he celebrated in advance was because the girls would be out of town on his birthday. A good time was had by all.

FOR RENT—Four room apartment with bath. Apply to J.T. Bishop, Queenstown, Md., Phone 2761-2451.

Two Formal Dances During Holiday Season

The only two formal dances of the year will mark the Christmas holiday season in Queen Anne's County.

Accompanied by numerous parties before, during intermission and after the dances, the alumni associations of both the Centreville and Sudlersville high school present their Christmas affairs that mark reunions for many classmates and friends.

This year, for the first time, Lew Startt and his orchestra will play for both events. This popular Eastern Shore musical aggregation has played for many other dances in the county in past years.

The Centreville High School Alumni group will hold their dance Monday, Dec. 27, from 10 to 2 at the Centreville Armory.

Two nights later, Wednesday, the Sudlersville High School Alumni Association will present their dance in the school aditorium from 9 to 1 a.m.

A New Year's Eve dance will be sponsored by Headquarters and Headquarters Company, Maryland National Guard, 2nd Battalion, 115 Infantry at the Centreville Armory, Friday, Dec. 31, with the music of Melvin Johnson and his Orchestra.

FOR SALE—40 ft long, 10 ft. wide oyster boat, with cabin. 7 h.p. Palmer engine. Both motor and boat in good condition. Can be seen at St Michaels. For information call Preston 2682.