

EASTERN SHORE WOMEN'S CLUBS ACTIVE

Appointments Made Of Directors And District Officers

The appointment of two director heads of the department of work and standing committees for the fiscal year have been announced by Mrs. Harry L. Harcum, of Salisbury, president of the Eastern Shore District, Maryland Federation of Women's Clubs. Mrs. Harcum was elected several weeks ago at the annual district meeting.

Other district officers are: Vice-president, Mrs. Edgar F. Bradley, of Hurlock; recording secretary, Mrs. H. M. Hollis, Preston; treasurer, Mrs. Arthur Todd, Princess Anne; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Albert G. Allen, Salisbury.

Mrs. Samuel L. Byrn, Cambridge, has been appointed historian, and Mrs. James Bayard Noble, Cambridge, parliamentarian.

Heads of the Departments of Work were named as follows: American Citizenship, Miss Elizabeth Mundy, of Snow Hill; War Veterans, Miss Alice E. Miller, Port Deposit.

American Home, Mrs. John K. Burkley, Elkton.

Education, Mrs. Philip S. Richardson, Hurlock; Conservation, Mrs. Oliver Jones, Centerville; Library Extension, Mrs. Frank R. Flounders, of Ridgely.

Fine Arts, Miss Agnes P. Lowell, Princess Anne; Drama, Mrs. Conover Crouse, Federalsburg; Literature, Mrs. Alvin Caulk, St. Michaels; Poetry, Miss Bertha Schull, Greensboro; Music, Mrs. Elijah Nostrand, Easton; Community Singing, Mrs. J. Kemp Stevens, Denton.

International Relations, Mrs. Ida Belle W. Thomas, Salisbury.

Legislation, Mrs. John Kay Lang, Pocomoke.

Press and Publicity, Mrs. Martin L. Enders, Jr., Salisbury.

Public Welfare, Mrs. Wm. E. Lennon, Federalsburg; Safety, Mrs. Ralph H. Reese, Chesapeake City.

Standing Committee appointed. Clara Benson Boley Memorial Student Loan Fund, Mrs. Reginald Constable, Elkton, chairman; Mrs. Allen R. Hurlock, Hurlock; Mrs. Harry L. Harcum, Salisbury.

Club Extension, Mrs. Otho W. McWilliams, Rhodesdale. Junior Membership, Miss Margaret E. Hearne, Salisbury.

State Scholarship, Mrs. Reginald Constable, Elkton. Resolutions, Miss Myrtle Wright, Hurlock.

Revisions, Mrs. James Bayard Noble, Cambridge, chairman; Mrs. Walter S. Sheppard, Salisbury; Mrs. J. H. Summerfield, Denton.

BI-STATE LEAGUE

Standing Of The Clubs	Points	Percentage
Newark	13	3 .813
Perryville	12	5 .706
Aberdeen	10	6 .625
Providence	5	10 .333
Elkton	4	12 .250
Havre de Grace	4	12 .250

Result Of Games Saturday

Perryville 5, Elkton 0
Newark 7, Aberdeen 1
Providence-Havre de Grace—rain

Result Of Sunday Games

Perryville 2, Elkton 1
Newark 9, Aberdeen 8
Providence 7, Havre de Grace 4

Schedule For August 29

Newark at Perryville
Providence at Elkton
Havre de Grace at Aberdeen

Schedule For August 30

Perryville at Newark
Aberdeen at Havre de Grace
Elkton at Providence

The race for the leadership in the Bi-State League will center on the Perryville-Newark games Saturday and Sunday, as the Perryville aggregation is right on the heels of Newark, and by taking both games can go into first place.

CECIL COUNTY LEAGUE

Rain forced all games in the Cecil County League to be postponed on Saturday last.

On Saturday, August 29, Rising Sun plays at Perryville; Leslie at Bay View; Triumph Fusee at Calvert.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Poplar, of Havre de Grace, announce the engagement of their daughter, Carrie Virginia, to Mr. Ralph E. Lawrence, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Lawrence, of Elk Mills. No date has been set for the wedding.

RECOVERING LOST TREASURES

An American engineer describes a new invention which he plans to use in rescuing gold, silver and jewelry from wrecks at the bottom of the sea. Read about this interesting invention in the August 30th issue of the BALTIMORE AMERICAN. On sale by all newsdealers.

If you're paying all your bills you're doing pretty well.

DEATHS

THEODORE L. KIRK

Theodore L. Kirk died Saturday, August 22, at his home in Philadelphia, aged 82 years. The deceased was a native of Calvert, where his body was brought for interment on Monday afternoon.

One sister survives, Mrs. Sarah Grier, of Philadelphia.

MRS. INDIANA DEVALINGER

Mrs. Indiana DeValinger, aged 76 years, died at her home on East Main street, Elkton, Thursday morning, after a long illness. She was the widow of the late Charles DeValinger. One son, Harry DeValinger, survives her. The funeral was held from Pippin's funeral home, Monday afternoon. Interment in Elkton cemetery.

MRS. SARAH P. SPRINGER

Mrs. Sarah P. Springer, widow of the late Samuel B. Springer, died August 16, at her home in Wilmington. Mrs. Springer was born at Iron Hill, this county, but the greater part of her life was spent in Wilmington. Four children survive: August W., Robert R., and Elsie W. Springer, and Mrs. James E. Tweddle, all of Wilmington; a sister, Mrs. James Osborne, Ardmore, and seven grandchildren.

MISS ADA MEREDITH

Miss Ada Meredith, an aged resident of Elkton, died Aug. 13 in Union Hospital, in that town.

Miss Meredith was 84 years of age. She was the daughter of the late John and Rachel Pope Meredith, and was born in First District, but the greater part of her long life was spent near Elkton, the family residing on the Gilpin Manor farm. Interment was made in Cecilton cemetery.

JOSEPH H. CARTER

Joseph H. Carter, 83 years old, a native of Elk Mills, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John S. Cooke on Stockton Street in Elkton, on Thursday after 14 years illness from paralysis. The deceased formerly was a textile weaver.

He is survived by three sons and three daughters: Joseph Carter, Daniel Carter, Henry Carter, all of Philadelphia; Mrs. John S. Cooke, Elkton; Mrs. Bert Whistle and Mrs. Paul Polson, Philadelphia. The funeral was held from Abernathy's Funeral Home, Cherry Hill, Sunday afternoon, with interment in Cherry Hill M. E. cemetery.

ADDISON W. LEE

Mr. Addison Wilson Lee, aged 72, died at his home near Darlington on August 17 after an illness of about a week. He was a native of Harford county, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Josias Lee.

The deceased was well known as a lumberman and farmer. He was a great lover of good horses and at times owned some very fast ones.

Funeral services were held at his late home Wednesday morning with burial in Darlington Cemetery. He leaves a widow, Mrs. Stella Street Lee and two daughters, Mrs. Mary Lee Whistler, of Baltimore, and Mrs. William W. Lee, of Darlington.

ALLEN A. BOND

Allen A. Bond, veteran in Minneapolis lumber circles, died at Minneapolis on Monday, July 27, at the age of 76, after a short illness.

Mr. Bond who was born at Port Deposit, Md., located in Minneapolis fifty-three years ago, and engaged in the lumber business. Later, founding Allen Bond & Son, he took his son into the business with him, handling white pine and west coast products. This firm, well established in the northwest wholesale lumber trade, has been doing business continuously until the time of Mr. Bond's death.

Funeral services were held at the Baptist church at Richfield, Minn., at 2 o'clock p. m., Wednesday. Interment was at Lakewood cemetery. Surviving him are his son, Arthur C. of Minneapolis, a daughter, Virginia A. Pardee of Chicago and four sisters, Esther Bond, Georgia Bond and Florence Bond, all of Port Deposit, and Mrs. Kate Folk of Huntington, W. Va.

WALTER A. LAYFIELD

Walter A. Layfield, aged 64 years, died in Union Hospital, Elkton, on Thursday morning last, following an operation for appendicitis. The deceased was a retired vice-president of the Atlas Powder Company, of Wilmington, Del. He was born in Wilmington, October 22, 1871, a son of the late John T. and Martha E. West Layfield. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Mary F. Hazard Layfield; two daughters, Mrs. Martha L. Winder, of Baltimore, and Mrs. Grace L. Simpson, of New York; and a brother, Elwood N. Layfield, now living in California. For several years past he had occupied the Wallace Williams residence, near Elkton.

GRANGERS MEET AT UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND

Five States Represented At Tenth Annual Conference

More than four hundred Grangers from the five states of Maryland, New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, and Delaware attended the tenth annual Grange Leaders' Conference, held under the auspices of the Middle Atlantic Grange Lecturers' Association, at the University of Maryland, from August 11 to 14. Highlights of the week included an address by the National Master, Louis J. Taber, a trip to "Greenbelt", the low cost housing development of the Federal Government, inspection of the National Agricultural Research Center at Beltsville, and a tour of points of interest in Washington.

In addressing the Grangers Wednesday evening, Mr. Taber pointed out "The challenge of 1936 is to develop from the grass roots of American Agriculture—community, county, state—a national organization of rural life that will enable the farmer to help preserve liberty and opportunity in America."

"The farmer must hold his own", he said, "and secure a fair share of the wealth he creates if American Agriculture is to continue to progress." He warned that the liberty of this country's "great middle class", must be preserved and called upon organized agriculture "to build an enduring structure for liberty and opportunity" on the "cornerstones of education, organization, cooperation and legislative and economic equality."

The Grangers were officially welcomed to the University by Dr. H. C. Byrd, president; Dr. T. B. Symon, director of the Extension Service; Miss Venia M. Kellar, state home demonstration agent; and T. Roy Brooks, master of the Maryland State Grange.

Others who spoke during the week were: James C. Farmer, lecturer of the National Grange; Dr. O. E. Baker, U. S. Department of Agriculture; W. A. Ross, U. S. Office of Education; Edward William, Baltimore Bank for Cooperatives; and Dr. S. H. DeVault, Dr. Theodore F. Manny, Dr. J. B. S. Norton, Miss Martha Manahan, Professor Charles S. Richardson and Harlan Randall, of the University of Maryland.

ORPHANS' COURT

Bond Approved—Mary Craig Thomas, administratrix of James V. Craig.

Accounts Passed—First and final account of John Randolph Field, executor of Thomas Maxwell Field; first and final account of James S. Merritt and Bessie R. Reynolds, administrators of Lydia R. Merritt; first and final account of Mayfield Holmes, Sr.; executor of Mayfield Holmes, Sr.; first and final account of Isabel Clark Manlove, administratrix of Joseph Edgar Manlove.

Sundry claims against estates were examined and approved.

JOSEPH T. BOULDEN

Joseph Thomas Boulden, 72 years old, a resident of Elk Mills for many years, died Monday in Union Hospital, after a short illness. He was a weaver by trade. One daughter, Mrs. Myrtle Boulden Warren, survives him. The funeral was held from the home of Mrs. Ernest Kay, a relative, in Elk Mills, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with interment in Cherry Hill M. E. cemetery.

MRS. DORA HOPKINS DUYER

Mrs. Dora Hopkins Duyer, aged 31, wife of L. Ricard Duyer, Jr., of Elkton, linotype operator on the Cecil Star, died at her home in that town, Thursday afternoon, after a lingering illness. She was a daughter of Harry and the late May Hopkins, of Millington. Her mother died about four years ago.

Besides her husband, she is survived by two children, Dora May, age 11, and Rebecca J., age 4; also the following sisters: Mrs. Sarah Carter, of Axton, Va.; Mrs. Raymond McKinney, of North East; Mabel, of Chestertown, and Anna May, at home in Millington. Her father also survives.

The funeral was held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from Pippin's funeral home and interment made in Elkton Cemetery.

WOMAN HURT IN ROAD CRASH

Mrs. Clara Guldin, of Coatesville, Pa., is a patient in Union Hospital, Elkton, suffering from a probable fractured skull, lacerations, and other injuries. While driving on the Cherry Hill road her car was struck by a machine driven by George K. Owens of 313 West Twenty-sixth Street, Wilmington, and badly wrecked. Another woman, who was in the car with her, escaped with slight injuries. Owens was placed under arrest charged with driving a car while under the influence of liquor, which he denied. He gave bond for hearing.

COLORA

Master Freddie Burkins is busy these days assisting in the store of his uncle Joseph J. Brown during the canning season, at which time Mr. Brown has quite an extra lot of customers of the Polish people employed here at the two canneries.

West Nottingham Presbyterian Sunday School will hold their annual picnic this Thursday in the Church Grove.

Mrs. Lawson S. Love's night blooming cereus, which produced four blooms July 15th, bloomed again, it having eight blooms which opened about 8 p. m. last Wednesday and were admired by several friends and neighbors.

Taylor Devonshire, son of Samuel Devonshire, and Miss Adeline Jackson daughter of Mrs. Harry Riter, West Nottingham, and the late Arthur Jackson, were quietly married at Bel Air Saturday. They will occupy part of the residence of Mrs. Harry Nickel, near Port Deposit.

Mr. and Mrs. Watson Lawyer, Mrs. Clara Frinis, son Bobbie, Donald Frey, of Lancaster; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lawyer, son Bobbie, of Cleveland, Ohio, and a niece from Newark, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. R. Earl Riley, of Christiana, Pa., and a relative from New Haven, Connecticut, called on Mrs. Lillie B. Johnson, Thursday last.

Andrew Strong, of near Porters Bridge, resumed work Monday at the Fitzgerald sawmill, after being off duty for sometime owing to an accident.

Samuel W. Fitzgerald is having improvements made to part of the interior of his home.

Mrs. Romie Ragan, Porters Bridge, felt the effects of lightning while pumping water during a storm the past week.

Leon H. Gallaher, Elmhurst, Del., has purchased a building lot between Richardson Park and Newport, where he will build a home.

Mrs. Annie Tyson, of Chester, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. William T. Jenness and Mrs. Eleanor J. Moore.

Mrs. Scott Pierce and daughter, of New Jersey, spent a few days with her niece Mrs. Samuel E. Ewing and family.

Miss Ruth Barrett enjoyed a visit with the Warren Taylors, Wilmington.

Miss Ruth McVey, Media, has been visiting relatives here; also at her grandparents, the Walter O. McVeys, Porters Bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hall, of near Rowlandville, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wilson, Rising Sun.

Mrs. Hanna M. Boyle entertained her brother Stewart Boyle and wife, Philadelphia.

Miss Mabel Barrett, of Rising Sun, was a caller at the home of the Robert Muldoons.

Lewis A. Coulson and nephew Wayne Foote, of Hockessin, Del., made a brief call here Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Arbuckle, of Perry Point, called on friends here.

Wanda Reynolds spent the past week with relatives at Elmhurst, Delaware.

Louis Taylor and Street E. Riley were on a business trip to Fredericksburg, Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lingo, Philadelphia, formerly of near Porters Bridge, lately called on friends in that section. They had visited in Baltimore and Washington, D. C.

David Rawlings is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wright.

The Emory Atkinsons were on a motor trip to Virginia where they visited friends.

Miss Lila Todd is visiting her sister Mrs. Fred Garris and family in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson, Mrs. Charles Porter and son Howard, Newark, Del.; Cecil Fitzgerald, Chester, were Sunday afternoon callers at the S. W. Fitzgerald home. Mr. and Mrs. Leon H. Gallaher, Elmhurst, Del., spent the week-end at the same home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Brown, son Donald, of Fairfield, Pa., called on the B. F. Caldwell, Sunday evening, Master Donald remaining for a visit.

WEST NOTTINGHAM PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

REV. A. H. HIBSHMAN, Ph.D., Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Worship 11:00 A. M.
Rev. Thomas P. McKee will preach next Sunday.

You are cordially invited to these services.

RISING SUN M. E. CHURCH

REV. FRANK WHITE, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship 11:00 o'clock.
Prof. Harold F. Grimm, of Lincoln University, Pa., will preach.
Evening Worship 7:30 o'clock.

TWO DRY MONTHS—TWO YEARS TO RECOVER

The drought overshadows everything else as it did in 1934. What was merely a threat a month or so ago is now grim reality. The devastation has gone on from wheat to potatoes and other food crops and to the feed crops—corn, oats, pastures, and ranges. Thousands of acres of new seeding have been killed, the effect of which will not be apparent until next year. Once more we see the long-drawn effect of drought working itself out through the animal industries. There is not going to be any acute shortage of food-stuffs. Where the farmers and ultimately the whole community are going to feel the pinch is in the reduced supply of pork, beef, chicken, and dairy products. And not so much this season as next. There is a better supply of hay and roughage than in 1934. But grain is short. The increase that has been going forward in hogs will be checked and possibly reversed. It probably means fewer pigs in 1937 than this year. The cattle industry will be hit much the same way—an increasing tendency reversed and presumably fewer cattle on farms a year hence. The deceptive thing about such liquidation is that for the moment more meat than usual will come to market—but that vast reservoir of animals representing crops of two or three years stored on the hog is being depleted. Aside from this livestock aftermath, the immediate effects of the drought are most striking in the short wheat crop, short potato crop, reduced supplies and higher prices of milk, butter, fresh vegetables, and fruits. Only the far West has largely escaped the devastation. It, fortunately, had good crops and a good market for them. Meanwhile, the farmers of the prairies are tightening their belts to get through to next spring as best they can. And farmers throughout much of the territory from the Rockies to the Atlantic must make such shift and retrenchment as will meet the added costs of production and carry their crop and animal units along to a better season. The wages of farm hired help, averaging the country as a whole, have gone up 20 per cent in two years, although that is approximately in line with the percentage increase in gross farm income.

Suppose there were no such thing as property insurance. . . . that you would have to face each day wondering if your house would be destroyed by fire; if your automobile would be damaged in a collision or by other means; if your furs and jewelry would be stolen; if your business would be suddenly stopped by fire; if your house would sustain serious damage by wind or explosion in your own or a neighbor's house?

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Given under our hands and seal this 14th day of July, 1936.

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Administrators.

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LAND BANK LOANS IN CECIL

Federal land bank and land bank commissioner loans made to Cecil County farmers from May 1933 up to July this year amounted to more than \$707,000, according to a statement today from E. P. Crider, vice-president of the Federal Land Bank of Baltimore.

A total of 271 loans have been made in the county in the 3-year period since the Farm Credit Administration was organized. While farmers here and elsewhere in the State used most of the money to refinance their old debts into long-term loans, a larger proportion of loans is now going to finance the purchase of farms.

The Federal Land bank loaned Cecil County farmers \$400,000 on first mortgages in the 3-year period, and loaned \$306,600 from funds of the land bank commissioner on first and second mortgage security.

Commissioner loans, first authorized in 1933, were made in amounts not to exceed 75 per cent of the appraised normal value of the property. These loans were used almost entirely at first for emergency refinancing. The Farm Credit Act of 1935 authorized using them to refinance farm purchases with the idea that this would give many farmers, particularly young men and tenants, a better chance to buy farms. Experience, equipment, and a reasonable down payment are required.

Since the act was passed, Maryland farmers have obtained over \$10,050,000 from the land bank and commissioner to assist in buying farms.

Many people feel that the reason they are alive is because of pure luck.

As soon as one bad account is collected another seems to take its place.

No man can go completely to the dogs without a good deal of determination.

Next to making a sale the most pleasant experience is collecting the money.

If you're determined to be good-natured you must expect to be imposed upon.

Love lives on, and hath a power to bless when they who loved are hidden in the grave.—Lowell.

Protect What You Have

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Twenty men with Cars to sell Hoards Dairyman to Dairy-men throughout State of Pennsylvania. Men are averaging around \$20.00 and expenses. Travel with crew manager. Men 40 to 60 preferred. Apply **BENJ. F. DENSMORE, R. D. 1 Rising Sun, Md.**

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of 800 families. Write today, Rawleigh's, Dept. MDH-111-8A, Chester, Pa.

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