

KENT CO. LOCAL NOTES

MILLINGTON

Miss Mary Stevens and Chester Bamberger was the guest of relatives in Lebanon, Pa., last week.

Mrs. Hanson Horsey, of Galena, spent a couple of days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lockerman.

Mr. Clayville, of Worton, relieved R. J. Taylor several days last week at the railroad station.

Miss Catherine Lee visited relatives near Wilmington, this week.

Mrs. Hurlock Gale, Mrs. N. A. Wallen, Mrs. A. J. Lockerman and Mrs. Alice Ahern spent last Saturday at Rock Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Taylor were guests last week of relatives in Belmar, N. J., and while there attended the wedding of his niece, Miss Helen Taylor.

Mrs. Anson Clough, of Clayton, was the guest on Thursday of last week of friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Robinson and Mrs. Katherine Stouffer, of near Wilmington, visited the latter's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lee, last Sunday.

Mrs. Alice Ahern, of Port Penn, Del., spent the past two weeks with her sister-in-law, Mrs. A. J. Lockerman.

Mrs. John Woodall, who has been recuperating at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Lambert, in Wilmington, returned home Thursday of last week.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of Asbury M. E. Church was held last Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Raymond Edwards.

A crab house in Tilghman has reached the 1,000,000 pound mark in handling crabs this season and it is still going strong. These crabs were caught in Talbot waters, and represent many thousands of dollars to the people of the community. Not only was an average of a cent and a half a pound paid for catching them, but the pickers realized considerable from their end of the work, not to mention the people employed in packing, steaming and shipping.

BETTERTON

Mrs. Ernest Briscoe was taken to a Baltimore hospital on Thursday for an operation.

Miss Sarah Harris has returned to Teachers' Training College, Fredericksburg, Va., for her junior year.

Miss Ruth Brice has entered Washington College. Miss Elizabeth Brice and Howard B. Owens have also returned to Washington College.

Mrs. Aubrey Lightner and baby daughter, of Baltimore, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hickman.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Anthony, of near Kennedyville, were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Taylor.

Mrs. Belle Lauer, Wm. Cooper and niece, Miss Belle Milbourne, have moved to Pittman, N. J. They have many warm friends here to regret their removal.

The Woman's Auxiliary of St. Johns By-The-Bay held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Caroline Lukie on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brice have closed the Rigbie Hotel and moved into their home on Bayside for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dwyer, who have been occupying the Lukie house have moved into the house vacated by Mrs. Belle Lauer.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith, Jr., have taken an apartment with Mrs. Florence Workman.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wilmore and son, of Lansdowne, Pa., were weekend guests of the week-end here.

Mrs. Rose Dempsey, of near town, had as guests over the week-end her sister and children, of Wilmington.

Mrs. J. L. Price has been spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. Howard Toulson, and assisting with the care of her granddaughter, Miss Betty Shalleross, who has been critically ill this week.

Miss Martha Rasin, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Worrell, of Philadelphia, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lotan Rasin.

KENNEDYVILLE

Mrs. Pearl Walls and daughter, Miss Edith Walls, spent the week-end in Baltimore.

Mrs. Minta Weer spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. James Weer and returned home to Baltimore on Sunday after a long visit with relatives.

Miss Gladys Archibald was a week-end visitor here.

Miss Lilly Roe returned home on Monday after a pleasant visit at the home of Mrs. E. T. Orthon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Kennedy spent the week-end in Atlantic City.

Miss Annie Weer, of Baltimore, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. James Weer.

Mrs. James Weer and children are spending a few days with relatives in Washington.

Vernon Hill, of near Phoenixville, spent the week-end here.

Service in the M. P. Church as usual.

Service tomorrow at Grace Presbyterian Church, 7:30 P. M. preaching by Dr. Humphreys. All invited.

Our little town has a town clock now. Any one wishing to know the time, just look in front of Mr. Robt. Young's store.

Miss Evelyn Anthony spent last week-end at her home here.

Mrs. J. T. Nicholson and grandson, with Mrs. Kendall, of Rock Hall, have returned home after visiting her daughter in Cumberland, Md.

The Radios were kept busy here on Wednesday and Thursday by fans listening to the World Series baseball games on Thursday.

Mrs. Anna Busick and Miss Lillian Busick, of Baltimore, spent this week with Mrs. Ella Pennington.

Epworth League Rally will be held tomorrow evening in charge of the cabinet.

Charles Clark of Wilmington, spent last week-end at his home here.

Mrs. Tomb, of Wyomissing, Pa., spent several days last week here with her father, Chas. W. Hague, and aunt, Miss Laura Hague.

Mrs. Susie Shalleross is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Toulson helping to nurse her granddaughter, Miss Elizabeth Shalleross, who is quite sick.

Until the week inherit the earth, there seems to be very little that can be done about the movie master of ceremonies.

TWO FAIL TO GET MARYLAND LICENSES

Harry Tasker, 833 West Fourth street, Wilmington, was refused an automobile driver's license this week, by Maryland authorities, because he was found driving an automobile without authorization.

Franklin W. Gordy, of Delmar, Del., was also refused a license when it was shown he had been guilty of driving while intoxicated.

The Delaware men were among seventeen motorists of the Delaware Peninsula penalized by Maryland officials during the week ending today, according to State Highway Officer Carl G. Storm, here.

The following licenses were revoked: Ernest Nickle, Rising Sun, Md., operating while under the influence of liquor; Paulet Owens, of Queen Anne, Md., operating while intoxicated; Elmer B. Pennington, Snow Hill, Md., operating while intoxicated, and Herman Phillips, Willards, Md., operating while intoxicated.

Suspended licenses were: Charles C. Baynard, North East, Md., reckless driving; George Hynson, Worton, Md., permitting the use of a license to another than the one issued.

The following were refused licenses: Leland Caldwell, Cambridge, Md.; Reo Corbin, Salisbury, Albert Foreman, Berlin; Walter Long, Denton; James Parker, Rock Hall; G. Rose Phillips, Rising Sun; Charles Smith, Crisfield; Rollo Tilden, Port Deposit; and Frank W. Willett, Accomac, Va., operating while intoxicated.

E. Clarke Fontaine and Harry S. Russell, members of the program committee of the Chestertown Rotary Club, were the speakers before that organization last Monday evening.

At the meeting next Monday, A. S. Turner, Jr., will have charge and the meeting will be devoted to classifications.

Democrats and Republicans were busy on the first day of registration, getting the names of all voters on the poll books who will be entitled to vote in the November election. Tuesday of next week will be for revision of the poll books, while Tuesday, Oct. 14 will be the last day for registration.

The Town Relief Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Dan Jones next Tuesday evening, October 7th.

Next Summer Will Be Hot And Dry

John R. Weeks, state meteorologist, of Baltimore, made a tour of inspection of the Eastern Shore last week. Mr. Weeks was asked about conditions as seen by him in this section of the State. He replied that the drought had apparently done more damage in Kent than any place he had seen so far.

Mr. Weeks unconsciously cited the reason why the Eastern Shore will eventually take the place of Florida for beautiful homes. Asked what caused the hurricanes, three of which occurred so far this year, he replied that the conditions in the Caribbean Sea, due to the coolness of the ocean in that locality, was the primary cause.

He said he had hopes of an abundance of rain when the hurricanes broke forth, for they generally produce rain. But after the hurricanes leaves the Caribbean Sea they travel up as far as Florida most every time. These last ones were headed for a section farther north, but for some reason were directed out to sea and wound up off the coast of England. And they brought no rain to this state at least.

But Florida is generally hit by these violent storms and considerable damage is done. The fact that this is true is causing many people to leave that state and move to the Eastern Shore, the most desirable spot on the Atlantic seaboard. In fact, people who have made annual visits to the southern state say that from the last great storm, which so much damage to property and also cause some loss of lives two or three years ago.

Mr. Weeks was further asked about the future weather conditions. Some people believe that the coming winter will be most severe. The state meteorologist said that where the summer shows such a large number of days with temperature over 90 there can be looked for an equal number of days this winter with the mercury 32 degrees or lower. The winter as a whole may show a slight variation from normal, either above or below.

He did say that another dry hot summer could be expected, meaning that next summer would be hot and dry.

The annual rainfall since January 1st up to the present time is 15 inches below normal. Equinoctial storms have not even appeared, and while the weather bureau has had every indication of rain coming this way, one disappointment after another has occurred.

September up to Tuesday last had experienced but .40 of an inch of rain, with a normal amount of a little over three inches.

HELD FOR THEFT OF YOUNG TURKEYS

William Hicks, Negro, from near Cecilton, Md., was placed under \$500 bail on a charge of buying stolen property by Magistrate Black Friday for the Court of General Sessions in Wilmington.

Hicks was arrested several days ago by Private Hession, of the State highway police, for driving an unregistered car. In the automobile, which was stopped at night ten half-grown turkeys and a turkey hen were discovered. It was found that the turkeys had been stolen from Mrs. Robert Shelton, of near Cecilton, Md.

While knowledge may be power, a power magnate has just shown in Berlin that power does not always convey knowledge.

DEATHS

Henry Rosin, 80, prominent retired farmer and landowner living in the upper section of the county, died at his home in Sassafras Friday evening.

Besides his widow, he leaves two sons, Scott Bosin, who operates his father's estate near Sassafras, and J. Paul Rosin, of Meadville, Pa.

Funeral services were conducted at his home at 1 P. M., by the Rev. C. S. Marshall, pastor of Sassafras M. P. Church. Burial in West Cemetery, Middletown, Del.

Francis M. Satterfield, father of former Mayor Charles N. Satterfield, died at the home of the latter here about 6 P. M., last Sunday, aged 80 years and ten months. The deceased had been seized with a coughing spell while at supper and had gone to the yard for relief. He was found a short while later, by his son, seated in a chair on the porch dead.

He was the husband of the late Mrs. Addie N. Satterfield and besides his son is survived by one brother, Nathan R. Satterfield, of Rock Hall.

He was born in Rock Hall and for many years conducted a merchandise establishment there. Some years ago he and his wife moved to Chestertown. Since the death of his wife he has made his home with his son, the former mayor. He was an industrious citizen, an upright man and of unusual bright and cheerful disposition.

Funeral services were held at 2 P. M. on Tuesday and were conducted by Rev. E. A. Sexsmith, pastor of the Christ Methodist Protestant Church here. Interment was made in the Wesley Chapel Cemetery, near Rock Hall.

The bearers were George Urie Herbert Urie, Walter Soone, George French, Hessie Miller and Marion T. Miller; Charles L. Dodd, undertaker.

Arthur Coleman, 30, farmer near Crumpton and formerly a resident of Chestertown, died Tuesday night of typhoid fever. The deceased had been in a coma for four weeks prior to his death.

He is survived by his widow, who before her marriage was Miss Bernice Schaubert, of Chestertown, and four children, the youngest of whom was born two weeks ago while its father was unconscious. He is also survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Coleman, with whom he made his home, two brothers, Clifton and James Coleman and two sisters, Mrs. Howard Reed and Miss Hilda Coleman.

The deceased attended the Chestertown schools while living here with his father, who for many years was superintendent of buildings at Washington College.

Funeral services were held in Sacred Heart Catholic Church here on Friday with interment in Chester Cemetery.

Mrs. Grace Ethel Gears passed away at her late home near Worton in her 32 year. Mrs. Gears was devoted to her home and family. Her gentle spirit endeared her to her many friends and acquaintances. She is survived by her husband, Noah P. Gears, who gave her every attention and care, and five children, Velma Perry, James, William, Laura May, and three brothers, George Oden and Clarence Crofoot, and two sisters, Laura May Crofoot and Mrs. James M. Doyle, of Baltimore.

Funeral services were held at the late home Thursday afternoon at 1 P. M. Rev. Wright officiated. Interment Still Pond Cemetery; B. R. Fellows, undertaker. Pall bearers the family relations.

The funeral of Mrs. Alice Crowford Todd, aged 86 years, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas R. Freeman, in Elkton, of paralysis, after about a week's illness, was held Monday morning in the Elkton M. E. Church, the Rev. S. M. Morgan, the pastor, officiating. The remains were taken to Federalsburg, Md., for interment. Mrs. Todd was the widow of the Rev. Robert W. Todd, for many years a prominent minister in the Wilmington M. E. Conference and at one time pastor of Chestertown M. E. Church.

J. E. Blackway, a member of the Chestertown Volunteer Fire Company, returned Tuesday from Easton Hospital where he was confined when threatened with blood poisoning as mentioned in NEWS last week. He ran a splinter in his hand while fighting a fire on Maple avenue.

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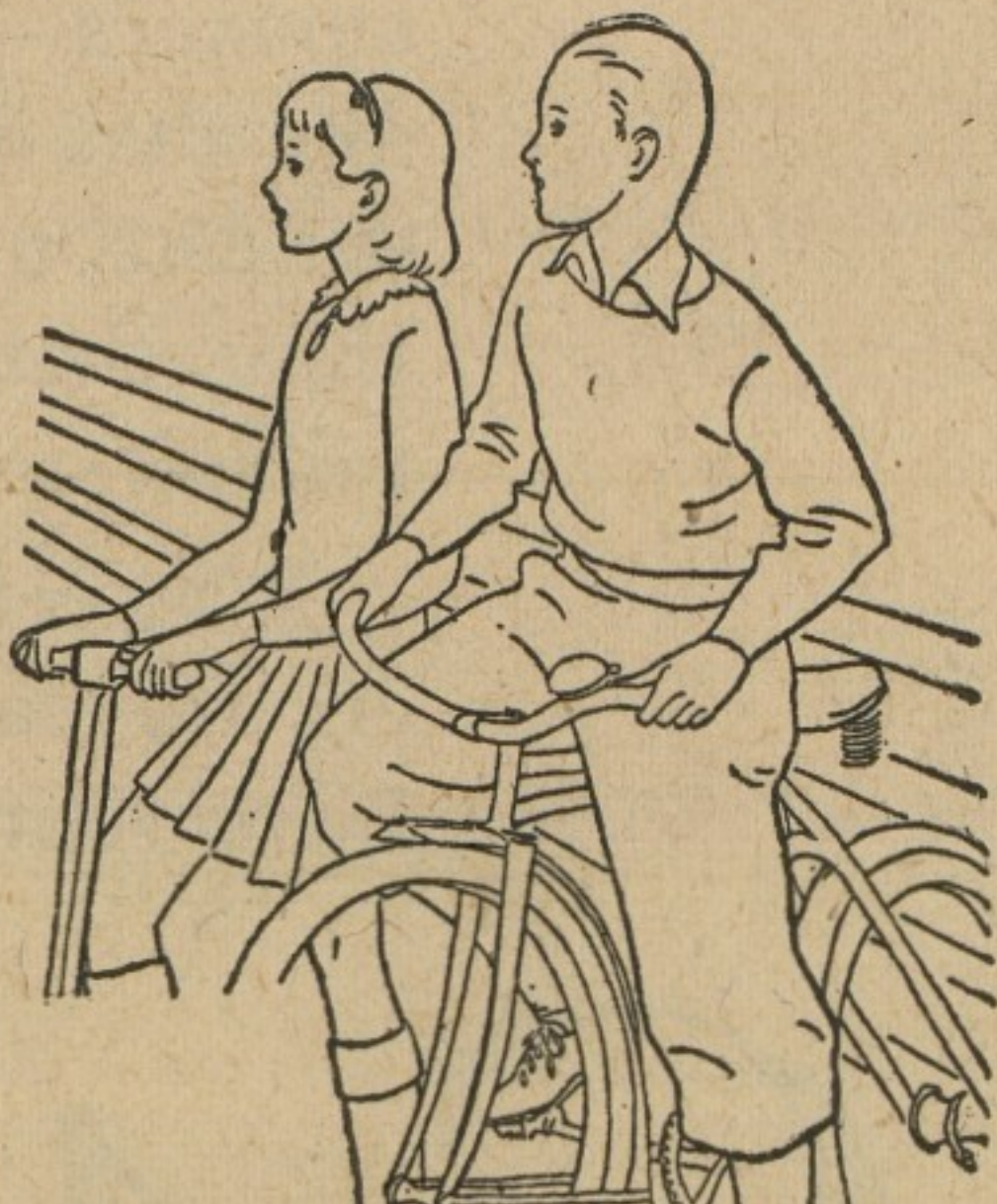
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