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WESLEY CHAPEL PLATE SUPPER

On Tuesday evening, September 2, beginning at 5.30, the ladies of Wesley Chapel M. P. Church will serve a plate supper in the church hall. Menu: Crab Cakes, Chicken Salad, Fish, Slaw, Potato Salad, Jellies, Pickles, Biscuits, Rolls, Coffee, etc. Supper tickets 50 cents. For sale Cake, Ice Cream and Home-made Cake. a30

SUPPER

The Union Aid Society of Union M. E. Church, Rich Neck, will hold a Supper on Thursday evening, Sept. 4 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tilden Storey, near Union Church. Supper cinsisting of chicken salad, fried chicken, ham, cold slaw, potato salad, Md. biscuit, rolls, etc. Supper beginning at 5 P. M. Also ice cream, cake and candy for sale. If stormy, supper will be held the following evening. Price, adults 60c, and 30c for children. a23

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH
will hold
FESTIVAL
THURSDAY EVENING, SEPT. 4
Supper will be served at 5.30 P. M. Tickets 75 cents. a23-2t

LABOR DAY DANCE

Blue Bird Inn, Millington, Md., on Monday, September 1st, 1930. Music, Peck Morris and his Radio Boys, of Wilmington, Del. Welcome. 1t

MALE HELP WANTED

Reliable man wanted to call on farmers in Kent county. Wonderful opportunity. Make $8 to $20 daily. No. experience or capital needed. Write today. McNess Company, Dept. P., Freeport, Illinois. 1t*

WANTED SALESMAN

To represent a good live line of advertising specialties, leather goods, calendars and Xmas greetings. Liberal commission paid twice monthly. State age and give reference. Address, Advertising Specialties, , P. O. Box 3, Westchester, Penna. 1t*

ROCK HALL INN

Boarding and Meals at All Hours. Try our Shore Dinners for Tourists. Delicious sandwiches served at all hours, day or night.
Steamed Crabs a specialty.
Mrs. J. Frank Usilton,
Rock Hall, Md.
a12-3t*

LOST

A bunch of keys near the Protestant Episcopal Church, Chestertown. Any information leading to their recovery will be appreciated. Charles Ryckman. a23

LINCOLN CAR FOR SALE

Several years ago when the "Blind Pool Co" failed they had a 7-passenger Lincoln Limozine reputed to have cost over $9,000 which had not been used very much; I bought it at a bargain price. It is still in good running order but want a smaller car in its place and will sell it cheap to anybody that wants a handsome family automobile. Apply to Wilbur W. Hubbard, Chestertown, Md. a16-3t*

FOR SALE

Seven-room dwelling and bath, with garage and chicken and coal house for sale. Situated on 123 Queen St., Chestertown, Md. Apply to Joseph R. Lambert, Chestertown, a23-3t*

SAND AND GRAVEL

Bank run of sand and gravel mixed for concrete for sale; also fine sand for brick laying and plastering. H. P. Skipper, Chestertown, Md. Phone 216W. a16-tf

SEED WHEAT FOR SALE

Three hundred bushels "Leafs Prolific" Seed Wheat (smooth head) free from smut, cockle, cheat and garlic. This wheat produced 35 bushels per acre this season. Price $1.25 per bu. cash at barn. Jesse R. Copper, Lynch, Maryland. a9

Good Things Coming for Early Fall Season

William Knight has rented from Ethel Knight her farm of 368 acres located at Black's Station.

6.00 Bed Blankets at 3.75
4.50 Bed Blankets at 2.75
A Wonderful Blanket at 1.00

———New Axminister Rugs.
———New Beds and Mattings.
———All at Lower Prices.

When you visit our store you have the advantage of a good selection and a big saving.

WM. MEDDERS & CO.
Still Pond, Md.

See Advt. last page.

MUSIC—PIANO

Miss Louise B. Russell, holder of Teacher's Certificate from the Peabody Conservatory of Music, will start her Fall Schedule on Monday, September 8th, 1930, and offers her services to those desiring to study the piano. Studio on Spring avenue. Telephone 68. a30

LOST

In Chestertown Saturday night a small pocketbook containing $30. The finder will be rewarded by returning same to KENT NEWS. 1t*

WANTED FARM, WATER FRONT

To buy for spot cash, a small farm or forest, on Chesapeake Bay. north or south of Rock Hall. Give full particulars as to location, roads and produce, etc. Address Edward H. McKeon, 25 South Gay street, Baltimore, Md. a30-3t

ANNOUNCEMENT

We wish to thank our many friends and the public for their past patronage and as we are in business again solicit a continuance of same. S. G. Wiest and Wife, Millington, Md.
a30-2t

FOR RENT

Farm known as the George W. Crossley farm in the Third District, containing about 200 acres, 175 Tillable, 2 miles from Betterton, about 1 mile from stone road, possession January 1st, 1931. Apply to Geo. W. Rodensiser, Lynch, Md. a23

WANTED

Exchange twelve building lots, value $2200.00, half mile from Chester, Pa., city water, gas and electricity, for small water front. A. C. Oesterla, Eddystone, Pa. a23-3t*

NICE PLACE FOR SALE

Having no further use for same I will sell on reasonable terms my property at Hanesville. It consists of residence of 10 rooms, porches, etc., barn, cow and horse stable, garage, hen house and a good well of water. 15 acres of fine land. State road, convenient to church and school This is the Dr. J. H. Hessey place at Hanesville. Possession at once. Jas. A. French, Worton. a23-3t

SPEND LABOR DAY AT BETTERTON

Betterton Casino

AND PLEASURE PIER

DANCING
Every Morning—Every Evening.
Moxie Cunningham's ALL STAR Orchestra.

SPECIAL DANCES

Monday Night — Havre de Grace Excursion.
Lucky Number Dance—Prizes given.
BIG LABOR DAY DANCES BOTH MORNING AND EVENING
Tuesday Night, September 2nd—ELIMINATION DANCE. Prizes.
Wednesday Night, September 3d—GERMAN and CARNIVAL. Fun and Favors.
Thursday Night, September 4th—OLD TIME SQUARE DANCE and WALTZ CONTEST. Prizes.
Friday Night, September 5th—FOX TROT CONTEST. Prizes.
Saturday Night — THE USUAL BIG DANCE.

MOVING PICTURES EVERY NIGHT

Saturday, Aug. 30th, Richard Arlen in "LIGHT OF THE WESTERN SKIES."
Monday, Sept. 1st — Harold Lloyd in "WELCOME DANGER."
Tuesdap, Sept. 2nd, Billie Dove in "HER PRIVATE LIFE."
Comedy—"Own a home."
Wednesday, Sept. 3rd, Maurice Chevalier in "LOVE PARADE."
Thursday, Sept. 4th, Corinne Griffith in "LILLIES OF THE FIELD.
Collegians—Serial.
Friday, Sept. 5th, Ken Maynard in "MOUNTAIN JUSTICE."
News Reel.
Saturday, Sept. 6th, Dorothy Mackaill in "THE WHIP."
Tolchester Line runs Special Excursion to Betterton Sunday, Sept 7. Leaves Baltimore 9.30 A. M. Returning leaves Betterton at 5 P. M. D. S. Time.

SUNDAY NIGHT CONCERT 8.30
Everybody welcome.

BETTERTON CASINO AND PLEASURE PIER.
HOWARD TURNER, Prop.

SPEND LABOR DAY AT BETTERTON

FOR SALE

TATMAN FARM, between Church Hill and Centreville, one-fourth mile from State road. 158 acres, 100 tillable. Meadow and 16 acres wood land. Easy terms. Possession at once. W. S. and A. M. Culp. j28

10 Local Singers Will Enter Audition

Sunday, September 14, at 3.00 P. M., has been announced by Mrs. Cleveland S. Smith, chairman of the Fourth National Radio Audition committee of Easton, as the date when the young singers of Kent and adjacent counties are to compete for the honor of representing their city in the State audition to be held in October. Ten young men and women from Kent have already declared their intentions of competing, and Mrs. Smith announces that inquiries have been received from many more from other counties.

The rules of the audition, which will be held in the New Theatre in Easton provide that each young singer must be prepared to sing three songs. The judges, to be announced on the evening of the audition, will select which of the three songs each competitor will sing. The judges will then hear but not see the competitors and at the completion of the audition the names of the young man and young woman to represent this district will be announced.

"There is considerable more enthusiasm this year regarding the National Radio Audition in Maryland than has been shown during the three previous years," Mrs. Smith stated in announcing the date her committee had chosen for the local event. "We are informed by Atwater Kent Foundation, which is sponsoring the auditions, that this condition exists generally throughout the country. More than a thousand committees are preparing to hold local auditions such as we are having here, and reports indicate that at least 50,000 young singers have been interested enough to compete. This number approximates the total of those competing in the combined audition of the last three years.

"Under the conditions of the contests, every singer who reaches the final stage will be assured a year of study under the best masters and will also have money adequate to care for his material needs during this period of study.

"We have met with a very hearty response so far in our work in this locality and are anxious to have every ambitious young man and young woman singer understand that he or she is eligible, if between the ages of 18 and 25, and providing he has accepted no professional engagements. Mrs. Smith will be glad to explain the simple requirements and provide candidates with entry buanks."

FOR RENT OR SALE

Westminster Inn for rent or sale. Tenant wanted for Westminster Inn, Betterton, Kent County, Md. Apply to John D. Urie, Attorney. a30

FOR SALE

One Case Tractor 12-20 and Two-Furrow Grand Detor Plow and One Nine-foot 18 in. Double Disc Harrow. This outfit as good as new, been used very little. Will sell cheap. Leo Plummer, near Rock Hall. a30-3t*

FOR SALE

Poung Fresh Cow with heifer calf by side, also beautiful young Bull, first class stock. A lot of good Locust Posts at a bargain. Am leaving the State, reason for selling. Mrs. Lea Sniderman, Box 4, Rock Hall No. 1, Md. a30-4t*

FOR SALE

A Used Manure Spreader, just been overhauled. One Used Fordson Tractor and Plows ready to run. Farm Wagon and Dearborn. Get our prices. Jones & Satterfield, Chestertown, Md. a30-3t

TOWN HALL THEATRE
Millington, Md.

FRIDAY & SATURDAY, AUG. 29-30

All Talking—"The Sky Hawk with John Garice and Helen Chandler. The mightiest epic of the air-minded age with more thrills than the land battles of history. Six million people terrified....A daring defender, in a tiny, uncertain plane, bullet riddled, motor failing—just one of the countless breath-taking thrills you should all see and enjoy.
Added Attraction — Talking Comedy.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 3

"Follies of 1930"—All Talking, Singing and Dancing. Bigger and snappier than ever, more girls, more laughs and liveliest songs.
Added attraction—Talking Comedy

FOR SALE OR RENT

Nice little farm of 65 acres with good buildings, between Still Pon and Betterton, State road. Clarence W. Crew, 1521 Rodney St., Wilmington, Del. a23-tf

Chester River Regatta Big Success

JOHN J. RASKOB At The Helm of "PATSY"

Chester River Regatta Winners

The above is the picture of John J. Raskob's boat as it crossed the line a winner. Mr. Raskob was sailing the boat himself and he was present at the Chestertown Club on Saturday night and received the $5,000 cup. He made a most becoming speech when he received the cup from President Stephen R. Collins.

The Third Annual Regatta of the Chester River Yacht and County Club was a grand success. Thrill after thrill was furnished the participants while the spectators enjoyed the occasion to the full.

A strong east wind furnished the propelling force for the first on Friday, which furnished thrills for hundreds of spectators, who followed the racers in sail and motor boats over courses in the Chesapeake Bay and Chester River.

The first race was the Chesapeake Bay sailing championship, which was contested over a triangular course of 19⅝ miles on the bay, starting at Love Point at the mouth of the Chester river at 10 A. M.

There were eight entries in this event, representing the Chester River Yacht Club and other prominent groups in tidewater Maryland. John J. Raskob's 12-meter boat was the first across the line, winning the $5,000 gold cup donated by the Raskob family. John J. Raskob, Jr.'s, entry finished second.

The second event was for star boats, raced over a nine-mile triangular course on the Chester River from Love Point as the starting place. Gibson Island craft carried off all the honors in this competition The Cod, owned by A. Murdock Norris, Gibson Island Club won. The Sole, owned by J. Rulon Miller, of the same club, was second, and the Urchin, owned by Harold Wharton Smith, of that club, took third place.

The racers sailed up to the mouth of the Corsica river, opposite the home of the Raskobs, for the night, and Saturday morning they went up the river to Chestertown, where an all-day program of races was held.

Saturday's Program

The races of Saturday was marred here by the capsizing of three of the Chesapeake Bay log-sailing canoes one of the sailors, Samuel Seymour, of St. Michael's, Md., having a narrow escape from drowning.

Seymour was caught under a sail when the canoe on which he was sailing, the Margaret P. Hall, turned over in the water, and he was not discovered by rescuers until some minutes afterward. He was taken from the water unconscious and artificial respiration was applied. The workers were successful and after he had regained consciousness Seymour was taken to the clubhouse of the Chester river organization, where he was put to bed.

The Hall, which is owned by Duke Adams, of Baltimore, was just off Primrose Point of the second leg of the course, a run down the river when the foresheet let go. Her skipper shoved her up into the wind, forgetting there were no men on the springboard and over she went. Wm. H. Green's Chesapeake Bay champion Mary Rider, holder of the Governor's cup, and Howard B. Strong's Chestertown entry, the Mayflower were the other two canoes which capsized, the crews of each escaping unscathed, save for a wetting.

The race was won by the Bell M Crain, sailed by Mrs. Searles Rose, of St. Michaels. She sailed the course in 1 hour 53 minutes and 38 seconds beating the Island Blossom, the second boat in, by five minutes. Capt. Bob Wilson's Magic was third. The Island Blossom was entered by Stanley Evans, of Elkton, a member of the Chester River Yacht Club and Country Club.

The winning boat, the Belle M. Crain, was built many years ago by Capt. Curtis E. Crain, who was the pioneer of log racing on this section of the Chester river. Eight canoes started in the race, including the Mayflower, built fifty years ago by Edgar Strong, the father of the present owner; the Island Blossom, which has won many races in the old days; The Mary Rider, which has captured the Governor's trophy three times in succession, and the Belle Helen. Both the Mayflower and the Mary Rider, after capsizing, were righted by their crews and finished the race.

R. Hynson Rogers, of Chestertown won the sneak box race with his sloop, the Yo Yo, finishing the course in 55 minutes 50 seconds.

The second scow to finish was the Wee Wee, sailed by R. H. Collins, Jr., of Chestertown. The Class B outboard motor race was won by Norman Hill, of Baltimore, who finished the three-mile course in 11 minutes 12 seconds, while S. Scott Beck, Jr. of Chestertown, was second. The 110 horsepower motor boat race was won by the Desdemona, owned by Mr. Kuser, of Bordentown, N. J. John J. Raskob, Jr., finished second with the Thisll Duit, while Claude Truslow, of Chestertown, was third. The time was 9 minutes 33 seconds.

In the Class A outboard motor division there was only one starter, the Too Shoos, entered from the Raskob estate. The prizes totaled $8,000, including the $5000 William Raskob Jr., Memorial Cup, and eight silver trophies valued at $3,000. In addition a number of merchandise prizes were awarded.

A. Murdock Norris, who won the race for his class held Friday in the mouth of the river with Cod, duplicated his performance again Friday he defeated J. Rulon Miller's Junior Sole by the narrow margin of five seconds. Saturday with Mrs. Morris, his wife, as the crew, he defeated C. H. Reeves' Gibson Island Club entry Sail Fihs by a six-second margin. R. Hammond Gibson finished third with the Eel. Norris sailed the course in forty-two minutes and fifty seconds.

The greatest number of small sailing boats ever assembled on the Chester river, came to the scratch for the start of the free-for-all small sailboat race, open to craft sixteen feet on the water line and under. Seventeen boats started in three divisions sailing scows, starboats and sneak boxes.

The prizes were awarded by Stephen R. Collins, president, and Commodore E. W. Emory at the Country Club Sautrday evening and a delightful dance and social occasion enjoyed by hundreds. Earle Simpson and orchestra, of Baltimore, played both nights.

One of the features of the Saturday night program was an original historical sketch by Simon Westcott about the Chesapeake Bay log canoe.

Officers Of Club

Officers of Chester River Yacht and Country Club—S. R. Collins, President; E. W. Emory, Vice-President; Dr. J. S. Wm. Jones, Secretary; W. J. Stenger, Treasurer.

Board of Governors—P. M. Brooks, Dr. H. C. Hughes, R. H. Rogers, W. W. Hubbard, C. E. Truslow, T. W. Perkins.

Regatta Committee—E. W. Emory, Commodore; P. M. Brooks, Vice-Commodore; J. P. Corcoran, R. H. Rogers, T. H. Moyer, E. F. Perkins, R. H. Collins, Jr., Col. I. P. Ewing, M. deK. Smith, Jr., Senator S. S. Beck, N. A. Truslow, P. G. Wilmer, H. C. Brown.

Race Committee — T. H. Moyer, Chairman; H. T. Hartman, J. T. Kibler, N. A. Hill, Dorsey Hines, Thomas Massey, W. E. F. Armstrong.

Reception Committee—T. W. Perkins, Chairman; Mrs. T. W. Perkins, Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Bonwill Dukes, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Stenger, Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Barroll, Mr. and Mrs. Ringgold Strong, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Stam, Dr. and Mrs. G. B. Dana, W. R. Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Ford, W. S. Collins Mr. and Mrs. Rolph Townshend, Mr and Mrs. E. R. Strong, Mr. and Mrs. Brown Metcalfe, Mr. and Mrs. J. G Beck, Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Flick.

Registration and Information Committee—R. H. Rogers, Col. I. Price Ewing, Raymond Wilkins, E. Clarke Fontaine.

Program — N. A. Truslow, Chairman; W. G. Smyth, Capt. Albert Johnson.

Publicity—R. H. Collins, Jr., Chairman; W. B. Usilton, Harry Russell.

Trophy—J. S. Kreeger, Chairman; R. D. Wilson.

Finance—E. F. Perkins.

COWS SELL WELL

Wm. B. Anthony's sale near Kennedyville on Monday was largely attended. Cows and implements sold well but horses were a drag. Among the sales of cattle were the following: $191, $150, $151, $141, $136 $137, $139, $115, $90. Heifers sold for $140, $78, $72, $71, $70, $60, $55 $46, $33, and a bull for $100. Horses brought $86, $50, $43, $21, $20, etc.

At Norman's Lee's sale in Quaker Neck on Tuesday two of the cows sold for $63 and $64. Two horses somewhat aged, sold for $7 each.

MARYLAND WINS RECORD

Sixty-two days of drought is the Kent record which beats New York Old Kent believes in being first ever if it is in dryness- At this writing it is still dry.

Festival Parade Draws Thousands

The Community Festival of the Volunteer Firemen has certainly had the support of the public to a hundred per cent degree, the gross receipts up to this writing being nearly $5,000.

Parade night is looked upon as the apex of the Festival and this year was no exception. Chestertown's unparalleled High street was lined from one end to the other whenever the marchers past by sight seers who enjoyed the various entries.

Headed by Edmund Hurtt and Wm. Toulson on horseback the parade marched down High to Queen and up Maple avenue to Spring to High. "The Fresh Air Taxeacab Co., Incorporated" came next represented by Raymond Moffett and Phil Sewell, while the State Prize Band set the pace for all others.

The awards were as follows: Church Hill prize for most men in line; Ladies' Auxiliary of Chesapeake City, prize for best appearance; Denton for best band in State; Middletown, best band outside of State; Sudlersville band in organization.

The American Legion's fife and drum corps received the plaudits of of every one and received honorable mention. They added greatly to the parade.

The judges were Dr. H. L. Dodd, Walter Wright, J. R. Simpers, Jos. N. Wheatley, W. Belt Townshend.

Rock Hall with its fine band and Millington with its brave men attracted considerable attention all along the line of march.

The prizes were $35 for best band in State; $25 for best band outside of State; $20 most men in line; $10 youngest band in line; $10 for ladies' prize. Fourteen companies and five bands, together with the Fife and Drum Corps of the Elkton American Legion were in the line of march.

Last night was to have been horse men's night. The carnival will close Monday night when all the prizes will be awarded.

NEW BANK DIRECTORS

At a regular meeting of the Directors of the Chestertown Bank of Maryland on Wednesday of last week two new directors were elected. They are Dr. Henry G. Simpers and State's Attorney Stephen R. Collins, both of Chestertown.

At a regularly called meeting of one of the largest Methodist Protestant congregations in Seattle, Washington, last week a call was sent to Dr. E. A. Sexsmith, of Christ M. P. Church, to become their pastor. His many friends here will be delighted to know that the devoted pastor declined the invitation. This call is quite a compliment to Dr. Sexsmith.

As will be noticed by advertisement in another column the Baltimore-Tolchester Ferry fall schedule goes in effect September 2nd.

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