Queen Annes County

Harry Morris' sale of blankets and bed comforts will last one week longer.

Mr. Washington Finley Collins has assumed the duties of postmaster at Millington. He was appointed by President Woodrow Wilson last week.

The Hiawatha Camp Fire Girls, of Price, will hold a supper and bazaar in Wall's Hall, Price, Saturday evening, November 28th. The proceeds will be for the Club.

Work on the concrete crossings about town is going steadily on. A large force of workmen are employed for the construction, and Mr. William Yeates is superintending the laying of the crossings.

R. Frank Eaton, Centreville, gives notice that he will bake all fruit cakes free of charge when the ingredients are purchased at his store. The first baking day will be next Wednesday, December 2nd.

Representative-elect Jesse D. Price, of the First Maryland district, has certified that in his primary and general election campaigns he spent $1,711.18. Robert F. Duer spent $159.45 and Thomas S. Hodson $25.

On and after next Wednesday, Mrs. M. A. Keith, milliner, will have a full line of Christmas toys, tree ornaments, and appropriate holiday gifts. An invitation is extended to the public to call and examine her line. Advt.1t

Rev. E. T. Tagg, of Baltimore, will be in Centreville tomorrow. He will preach at Grace Methodist Protestant Church at both the morning and evening services. The old friends of Dr. Tagg will be delighted to have the opportunity of again hearing his sound, logical, biblical reasoning.

At the request of the local postoffice authorities, we call attention to the fact that it is always wise to mail Christmas packages early. Parcels sent now are much less likely to be damaged in transit than in several weeks time when mail pouches will be full and overflowing. Mail your packages early.

The stockholders of the Church Hill Cemetery Association will meet in the Directors Room of the Church Hill Bank, Church Hill, Monday, November 30th, at 2 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of electing directors for the year 1915. Harry E. Walls, Secretary of the Association, gives notice of the meeting by advertisement in this issue.

The following pupils of Willoughby school made an average of 85 per cent or more during the last term: Seventh grade, Martha Emerson. Fifth grade, Clara Boyles. Third grade, Elsie Bishop, Ruth Boyles. Second grade, Mabel Boyles, Melvin Simpson, Holton Rhodes. First grade, Herbert Simpson. Anna Sharp, Elsie Bartlett, teacher.

Mrs. Mildred Seward Dowing, Centreville, gives notice that on and after December 1st she will have on display at her store a complete line of new and up-to-date toys for Christmas. There will also be a splendid assortment of dressed and undressed dolls and a Santa Claus headquarters for everything in toys. Advt.1t

Mr. R. Frank Eaton, Centreville, has just received a splendid assortment of aluminum ware, which he is giving away as premiums with purchases. Inquire at the store and see how it can be had at all times free. Goods given with every purchase. Bring in your coupons and make your selections from a fully assortment there.

Charles Lowndes, Wm. Foster, Jr., Elmer Jones, Jesse Jones, Charles L. Dotson, all of the same place, were arraigned before Justice W. H. Thompson, Tuesday afternoon, charged with moral turpitude. The arrest was made by Constable George A. White, upon the complaint of Mr. Lowndes. The case was dismissed. Thomas J. Keating, Esq., was counsel for the accused.

Mrs. Florence Seward, Frank Clinginger and George Clinginger, of Winchester, were arrested this week charged with disorderly conduct. When arraigned before Justice Thompson Wednesday afternoon the charge against Mrs. Seward was dismissed. The two men were each fined $1 and costs which they paid. Thomas J. Keating, Esq., represented the accused.

The many friends of Mr. Thomas Herbert Skipper, of near Chestertown, a Justice of the Peace of the Second District, this county, were surprised this week to learn of his marriage on November 17th to Miss Nannie Brice, in Savannah, Georgia. After the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Skipper spent their honeymoon in touring the South. They are now at home near Chester Bridge, in Queen Annes.

Dr. Foster Sudler and Mr. Joseph M. George and families leave next week for Arizona where they will spend a portion of the winter to improve their health. Their first stopping place will be at Phoenix, Arizona, and while there they will decide on a permanent location for their stay. Dr. Sudler has had little respite from his strenuous professional duties during the last few years, and the strain has worn down his health. His friends all join him in the hope that he may soon experience a speedy return to his usual good health. Mr. George also expects to regain his usual rugged health. He has been in poor health for some months due to a slight catarrhal affection.

The churches of Church Hill will hold a festival and supper in Guest's Opera House, Church Hill, Friday and Saturday evenings, December 4th and 5th. The proceeds will be devoted to the fund to assist the sick and suffering in Belgium. The earnest co-operation of the people of Church Hill is asked for this most worthy cause. Everybody is invited to come and spend two pleasant evenings.

Many persons interested in the foot and mouth epidemic have called THE OBSERVER during the week to keep in touch with the fight made throughout the State to exterminate the disease. The offer made in the last issue to furnish information to all interested brought many responses, and scores of buyers, poultry and cattle raisers called by telephone or in person to learn of the developments day by day.

The "Perils of Pauline" will be shown at the Opera House Motion Picture Parlors next Monday evening. There will also be a good film depicting "Broncho Billy" in real Western life. Tonight an especially fine program has been arranged, and next week there will be numerous good westerns, and splitting comedies, and other features. Don't forget the regular Saturday matinee this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Messrs. R. W. Thomas & Son, proprietors of the Centreville Machine Shops, have installed an automobile repairing department. They have placed Mr. Paul J. Richards at the head of this part of their business, and he is now prepared to serve all his old friends and patrons. Thomas & Son have installed all the newest and most up-to-date machinery for automobile repair work and extend an invitation to the automobile trade for a share of their patronage.

The markets are now open for poultry of all kinds. For several days buyers have been shipping to Philadelphia markets, and yesterday morning the railway and express officials announced that they would accept shipments for New York. This relieved the poultry situation very materially. The State Live Stock Board has announced that poultry is not considered a germ carrying product, and may be shipped from any section except an infected area.

Thursday was Thanksgiving Day, and in all parts of Queen Annes county the day was observed by feasting and merry making. Practically all the business houses of the county were closed and hundreds of visitors from the various cities were here to visit friends or relatives. Scores of turkeys were slaughtered for the annual feast, and cranberry sauce, pumpkin pies and other delicacies for which the Queen Annes housewife is justly famous were much in evidence.

After December 15th it will be impossible for Queen Annes Countians to purchase round trip tickets to either points in the county or cities. This will mean that local travelers will pay much more than heretofore for riding in the Ferry coaches. Now a Sudlersville resident can get a round trip ticket from Sudlersville to Centreville and return for sixty-three cents. After December 15th he must pay forty-five cents each way, an advance of twenty-five cents. All other rates increase proportionately.

[illegible] Phillips Lee [illegible] Dance given in honor of Miss Queen Annes [illegible] quarantine due to the foot and mouth disease [illegible] Mr. [illegible] Miss Queen Annes [illegible] Farmers Club [illegible] showing at the Maryland Show in Baltimore last week [illegible] the week when it became known that the Rich Neck Club exhibit was officially disqualified by the Maryland Show authorities on a technicality. The exhibits were shipped to Baltimore and everything placed in readiness and it was not until then, it is said, that the show officials stated that the entry blank had been received too late. The members of the Rich Neck Club are of the opinion that Queen Annes had been walking off with too many prizes and that the authorities took this method of eliminating Queen Annes from the race.

A force of workmen of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company is in Centreville placing a series of new poles in the business sections of the town. The line systems will all be changed, and in the place of dozens of pairs of exposed wires there will be one or two neat cables. As soon as the work of rebuilding the lines is completed the company will take steps to remove the exchange from the old building adjoining the Arlington Hotel to the upper rooms of the McKenney Building, adjoining West and Ryland, on Commerce street, which they recently leased for a period of several years. With the removal of the exchange the company contemplates beginning work on a new, substantial telephone building on the spot now occupied by the old exchange building. It will be a two-story concrete structure.

Guy Collins, a negro oyster shucker at the Narrows, was arrested by Deputy T. Frank Seward, this week charged with larceny and carrying concealed weapons. It is also alleged that Collins attacked one of the workmen on the steamboat running from Love Point to Baltimore. Collins is now in Centreville Jail awaiting trial. He will probably be given a hearing before Justice W. E. Thompson within the next few days.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

MARRIAGE LICENSE RECORD

The following marriage licenses were issued by the County Clerk this week:

Thomas Edward Walls, aged 25, and Sarah Elizabeth Watts, aged 25, both white, of Church Hill. William C. Hall, applicant.

Glenford Johnson, aged 22, and Effie Hutchins, aged 19, both colored, of Carmichael. Applicant Samuel Johnson, Jr.

Burgie Griffin, aged 24, and Mary Elizabeth Roberts, aged 18, both colored, of Corsica Neck.

SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of County School Commissioners will be held next Tuesday.

The following letter from County Health Officer W. H. Fisher was sent to all the teachers of the county this week by the County Superintendent:

"Owing to the wide spread prevalence of the foot and mouth disease in this state, and recognizing the contagiousness to man from infected cattle, you are instructed to co-operate to prevent its spread and to assist in eliminating it by performing the following duties: Children should not be allowed to attend school from premises known to be infected with foot and mouth disease. Wherever children from infected farms or infected premises are found in attendance at school such schools should be deemed infected and should be disinfected as soon as possible. So please notify me at once so I can perform this duty."

Notices were issued to teachers this week informing them that the usual Thanksgiving holidays would be observed. The schools were closed Thursday and Friday.

County Superintendent Grimes notified the teachers that the Reading Circle work would begin again, and appointed the following teachers to act as secretaries: Martha Phillips, Mable Ringgold, Nannie Keating, Helen McConnor, Edna Morgan, Mary Vansant. A circular letter issued this week to the teachers contained the following sentence: "The Centreville Observer kindly offers to publish monthly the names of all school children making 95 per cent attendance, the plan goes with such good effect last year."

ORPHANS COURT

Orphans Court met with Judge Price, Clerk and Clark present.

Minutes were read and approved.

Letters of administration were granted Mary Emma Roe and David E. Roe on the estate of Margaret A. Roe, late of Queen Annes county, deceased.

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Mrs. Flavel [illegible] estate.

George A. White [illegible] estate.

[illegible]

Court adjourned.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

[illegible] the following real estate transfers have been entered at the office of the County Clerk: James E. Knight and H. E. W. Mitchell, Trustees, and John H. Beckerson to John L. Boardly and William A. Boardly, lot of land of 12 acres at Starr. Consideration $[illegible].

Weston R. Loveday to John L. Boardly, 4 acres of land at Hall's Cross Roads. No consideration named.

Love Point Land and Improvement Co. to Caroline Redden, of Denton, lot of land at Love Point. Consideration $100.

Martha A. L. George, John E. George and others to Wm. W. Rochester, lot of land of four acres, in the first District. Consideration $204.50.

Charles M. Lloyd and Lizzie Lloyd to William Anderson, tract of land at Sudlersville. Consideration $3200.

John Curlett to William E. King, lot of land at Winchester. Consideration $600.

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