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SATURDAY MORNING, MAY 19, 1917

That Hindenburg line getting considerable bucking Appropriate and the control of the c

Prussian crown. Available source or no not observe and a service of the service of

Both kinds of war-brides are showing marked activity.

If America needs booze to fight on, God help America.

like a man these days.

And now the Germans are using cemetery vaults as miniature forts.

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for War!"

that fellow has!

Maryland's brain and brawn now are being whipped into shape as American officers. The students of Fort Myer ought to prove this State's finest! William Thomas McKenney, one of fighting material.

### WHAT FARM WORK MEANS.

ing at 6.30 or 7 A. M., after being called o'clock, after a lingering illness of six a dozen times, boiting breakfast and months. He was 65 years old. riding a few miles in a street car to a Mr McKenney was a native of well-kept office or factory it doesn't Queen Annes county and followed asmean performing a definitely limited ricultural pursuits all his life. He was William H Kirby, long a well-known amount of work and taking an hour off an especially successful farmer and resident of Chestertown, died last Satnoons and quitting to go home at 5 or 6 two years ago he retired from the urday at the home in Crumpton of his P. M. It doesn't mean evenings at the farm and moved to a home which he son-in-law. George W States. He was theatre or the dance or wandering purchased at Price. about in brightly-lighted streets wink. In early manhood, he married Miss daughters. Mrs. States and Mrs. all day until it's too dark to work to ad- at Girdletree; Miss Florence E. Mc Observer. vantage. It means swinging the rake, the hoe or the scythe methodically all day regardiese of fatigue, blisters and desired to lie down under the old apple tree for a snooze. And it means chores at night: cleaning, feeding and watering of horses, milking and feeding cows, feeding the pigs and getting fuel. Bedtime is when the chores are all done, not before. There is no division of work into periods, classes and "your work" and "my work" on the farm Your job is anything that needs doing. The boys who go from the city to the farm must remember that the work is hard, the hours long; there are no bands playing, no drums beating, no decorations or medals for heroismi against weeds and weather. The compensations are better health, better sleep, better health, better appetite, longer life, peace of mind. And this year, of all years, there will be the inspiring knowledge that he who is faithfully toiling to increase food suppries is toiling for the lives and safety of millions of mothers and innocent. trusting babes all over the world; toiling to establish the reign of liberty and

equality all over the earth.

BY LOVEY DOVEY. Verily, the political pot has passed the simmering stage and is assuming genuine bubbling proportions. The balmy weather of the early part of the week had considerable to do with the increased activity of candidates and their friends, and the visit of Governor Emerson C. Harrington to Centreville Wednesday gave added stimulus to the approaching fight. There have been no new developments, so far as can be learned, in the clerkship fight. This scrap is easily out distancing all others in interest. All the candidates are "standing pat" and insist that they are express to go to the finish. It was Downes, of the Sixth District would withdraw. This week rumor was current to the effect that Capt. Charles W. Butler, of the Fifth District, would bandon the fight. This week, however, both gentlemen were quite positive in declarations that they had no intentions whatever of withdrawing, and

were "to the fight to stay." The talk of a "dark horse" for Clerk to still going the rounds. It is reported that a prominent Queen Annes counto being groomed for the place ald the fight get so bot that a comcandidate would have to be ected for the sake of party barmony. bow much truth there to in this votor will have to decide me to be that the "dork borse" talk

Sixth District - Jefferson D. White, ment was in Church Hill Seventh District-Bamuel A. Wallen. The pall-bearers were James T. Sanford E. Spry.

an imposing array of candidates for D. Hurlock. Cercreville has quite a fascination for ties. He was a quiet, unassuming m those politically inclined, and these but always took the deepest interes

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as is known there is not a single citizens. Uneasy lies the head that wears the avowed candidate, and very few have been mentioned. It is known that quite a number have been secretly WORKING TO BOOST nursing ambitions to go to Annapolis. but they have not yet declared their intentions. The old adage about the "early bird" seems to have been entirely forgotten, or else it is considered The Russian bear isn't walking much dangerous form by those naticipating donning running trunks in the legislative scrap.

. . . Rumors persist that there will be an active factional fight in the approach-Headline for Wilhelm of Prussia ing primary Just what form this alleg-"America Votes 28,000,000,000 Marks ed fight will take is too uncertain to permit of even a speculation. The next few weeks will, more than likely. See the Kaiser has sent for his see some interesting developments American dentist. Gee, what a chance along this particular line. And if any thing does happen, it will be calculated to stir up considerable activity.

## WILLIAM THOMAS MCKENNEY.

the most highly respected citizens of the Second Election District of Queen Annes county, died at his home in Miss Emma W. H. Scott, Field Secre- Anne's county within ten days from M5t3 Working on a farm dozen't mean ris. Price. Tuesday morning at 12.45 tary and Library Organizer of the the 19th day of May, 1917.

ing at half-clad girls Farm life means Sarah Catherine Walls, of this county, George T H Whiteley, or incitnations. It means driving the Kent county; Samuel T. McKenney, and James W. Kirby. mower, the binder, the corn-cutter, the a prosperous farmer of near Price; hay-rake, the wagon, over rough fields John W. McKenney, railroad agent. Try a Classified Adv. in the

M. E. Church, Price, of William Scott, W. J. Massey. This might well be considered quite Leager, Jefferson Davis and Th

this office, especially so early in the Mr. McKenney had a large circle game. The splendid jail building in of friends in this and adjoining counmay be only the forerunners of a in the welfare, advancement and prowhole regiment of candidates for gress of his county. He was a devoted husband and father, loyal to. h friends and his death is mourned by And in the meantime little interest may who had been his close friends appears to be developing in he select for years. In his death, the Second tion of men for the Legislature. So far District loses one of its most useful

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Courtery Baltimure News Maryland Public Library Commission, who is here this week.

## WILLIAM H. KIRBY.

76 years old and is survived by two

none of these things. It does mean up who survives him. He also leaves a Funeral services were held Monday. at 5 A. M. or earlier and getting to the brother. Robert McKenney, of near conducted by Roy J. L. Ward, of stration. field at 7 or before it means working Millington, and the following chil Chestertown, the pallbearers being G. all day behind the plow or the harrow dren. Mrs. Clarence Cornelius, of W States, Herbert Brinsfield, Albert or the cultivator, regardless of hot sun Kennedyville; Mrs. R. F. Cole, of Godwin, Harry Pheffer, Harry White

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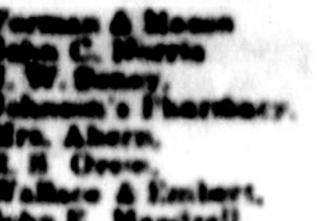
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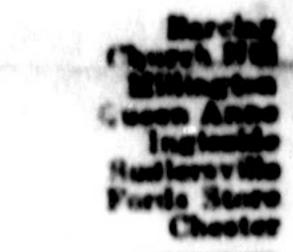


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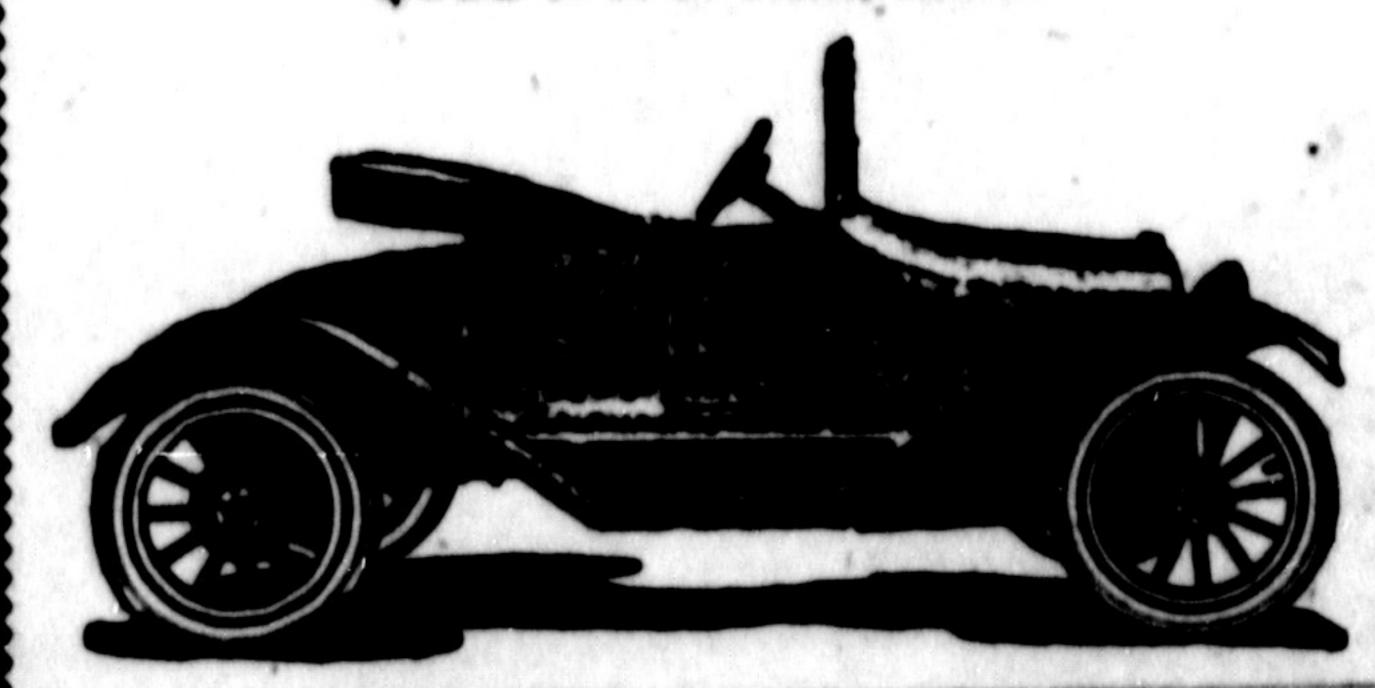
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