IMPORTANT NOTICE.

production notwithstanding, it is not possible for us to keep up our series of letters to subscribers, as the post-EVERYBODY.

Civil Service Examination. A civil service examination will be beld in Centreville on Friday, Febru- pany last year, through advertiseary 15ht, for clerks with knowledge of ments in The Observer, advised the stenography and typewriting.

Purchased Benton Property. purchased the Benton residence on yellow is bringing. Those who took Broadway. Centreville. Dr. McPher their advice last year have had no Cross." We have always known that son has been living in the property for cause to regret it. a number of years The price pa'd WBB \$3,800.

Moving Picture Party. tertained the members of the Board Wednesday evening

St. Valentine's Day. together in verse to convey a july greeting You may get one, for St. Valqu'itte's Day will be here per Thursday.

"Continental Measles" Now.

No "German" measies in the house of a woman with two first lieutenant sons in the army, and so when the younger son broke out with the prewalent trouble she promptly dubbed it "Continental measles" So when you get it now, you know what to call it

Express Office Invaded.

Evidently be was a "dry "

Farmers May Exchange.

Millers may make exchange without Insisting on farmers taking substitute stitution regulations.

Bank Teller Resigns.

teller of the Kent County Savings Transcript Bank, Chestertown to take effect Feb runry 28th. Mr Perkins has been with the institution for more than 20 years. He has been appinted mana ger of the Noiand estate, which comprises seven or more farms

Saw His Shadow (?).

Day and as the sun peeped through county farmers have made clearings the clouds about noon we suppose his for the birds and have fed them, and hogship saw his shadow and marched in this way saved them from certain back' to his furrow for another eight death, but this has, by no means, been weeks. But there is one consolation, a universal practice the weather can't be much worse than It has been since the first of the year

Centreville Ice Plant Soid. The Centreville Ice Plant, operated for the past fourteen years by T R . Price and Howard E. Price, trading as Price Brothers, co-partners, was sold at public auction in front of the Court House last Tuesday afternoon. and was purchased by T. R. L. Price. senior member of the firm, for \$10,000.

Government Engines On M. D. & V. Two. Federal Government engines

In place of the late Professor Smith. Dr. Charke to a graduate of St. John's

to the License Division of the U. S. and Sunday without any interruption. ed Mr. Butler to invent this device for more than 100 are missing

age would wipe out what little profit there are 510 persons in Queen Annes A Literary, Social and Parlor Meetthere is in the subscription list. At the county who are subject to the income ing will be held at the home of Mr. Brot of each month bills are sent to tax law for the year 1917, and it is and Mrs. William H. Hollingsworth, all expirations of that month, but no incumbent upon each and every one near Starr, Friday evening, February of these to make their returns to the 22, under the auspices of the W. C. other notice will be given. REMEM- Collector of Internal Revenue before T. U., of Starr, for the benefit of the SER, OUR TERMS ARE \$1.00 PER March 1st. For failure to do this, Navy League. The money thus pro-YEAR, STRICTLY IN ADVANCE TO heavy fines and imprisonment are the cured will be used to purchase mapenalties.

Corn Over 90 A Berrel.

The Baltimore Pearl Hominy Comfarmers of 'Queen Annes county to plant white corn. Now they are of Philadelphia Record says:" W. Claude fering over \$9 a barrel for it, which Dr. H. F. McPherson has recently is about a dollar more a barrel than

Elected President.

The annual meeting of the Delmarvia press association, held in Wilming-Mr. B. Clay Coppage, member of the ton Friday of last week, comprised Board of County Commissioners, en a majority of the newspapers of the Eastern Shore of and the clerks at a moving picture ware and Eastern Shore of Virginia. party at the Centreville Opera Huse elected S E Shannahan editor of the Easton Star-Democrat, president Mr. Shannahan is the first Maryland man to be elected to this post

R. R. Examination Today. Edmund Dewing, local Civil Service Examiner will give an examination today at the Centreville Grammar School for rural mail carriers to fill the vacancies occasioned by the deaths of James McD Faulkner and Robert P Bryan, drivers respective. ly of routes numbers 2 and 3. Centre-About 20 persons are expected to be present to take the examination

Engagement Announced.

The engagement of Mrs Richard D Hynson, of Chestertown, and well known in Centreville, to Rogers Wil-Centreville. Wednerday night and Only the immediate families of the took therefrom one and one-half gal. bride and groom will be present lons of whisky Nothing cise was After the wedding trip Mr and Mrs Wilson will live at Indian Hill, near Newport

Some Difference.

Chester river, frozen from shore to commodities, but millers are request shore, with show caps several feet ed to urge farmers as a patriotic high dotting its surface where the duty to co-operate in flour conserva wind has tossed them presents a beausubstitutes for tiful sight these days, but, of course, the river in good old summer time. with the wind blowing gentle sephyra upon it and the motor and sail boats Thomas W Perkins has resigned as plying listlessly about Chestertown

> Dying of Starvation. Due to the unusual heavy fall of

spend the winter with us in a sad one Unable to procure their customary natural food, they are dying by the Last Saturday was Ground Hog thousands in some sections of the

Worst In 101 Years.

According to the Weather Man. who has searched the books of his department since its foundation, 1817 101 years ago January, 1918, was the And, during the month just passed, 22 inches of snow fell--- 6 inches more than any previous record.

New Building Completed. Washington College moved into its administration building. William

Referred to Finance Commit- and any production in which she appears is a guarantee that it is a topnotcher as a screen production.

The Government estimates that Literary, Social and Parlor Meeting. ticles which are being made by the Navy League. Everyone invited. Admission 20 cents at the door.

Can You Best It? A dispatch from New Jersey to the Bailey, of Pleasantville, claims the honor of being the first man in that vicinity to knit a sweater for the Red is news to us that he has taken up the artistic feminine art of knitting. Yet. why flot? Claude has always been liable to do a "funny stunt" most any

Named Chairman of Queen Annes.

Beginning February 11th, a campaign will be conducted for a week to raise \$98,000 in the State of Mary land for the Young Woman's Christian Association War Fund for Girls, at home and abroad. \$18,000 of which general chairman of the county campaign is Ma Lewis Dill, of Baltimore. and she has named a chaifman for the respective counties Mrs. Wm' E. Rolph of Centreville, has been named chairman for Queen Annes county

Leaflete Ready For Distribution. Miss Lucy E. Allen, County Home pared by the United States Depart ment of Agriculture on conservation and uses of foodstuffs, the first of a series of leaflets to be issued during the present emergency Others will follow in quick succession and all will . deal in simple language with the practical food economics that any house. wife will be able to effect These leaflets will be distributed as long as the supply lasts on the plan of the first applied for first served

Save The Hens.

farms before the first of May means supply of the nation. These bars are valuable food manufactured largely from insects weeds, and grass, garbage and waste. The eggs, therefore. are almost wholly a net gain in human food Moreover, the hen is just as good meat after she has laid these eggs as before have the bens is the message that the U.B. Department of Agriculture is sending broadcast through press notices and posters, an through its county agents, especialy in the Bouthern poultry raining

past two weeks to see persons of all Poole's Island. This is a feat never endment. ages taking a tumble into a friendly before attempted by any man. Mr. snowbank that happens to be near a Gale is engaged in Government contreacherous piece of ice on the Cen struction work on the island, and havtreville pavements. We see a great ing important matters to attend to many more of the older and less sure was not to be daunted by the ice emfooted ones preferring the middle of bargo. He is said to have made the the street to a sidewalk, where the trip across and back at a mile-a-minthin coating of ice is hardly discernicute speed.—Chestertown Enterpirse. ble Ofttimes a person who falls will artse and look about as if startled and coldest Jauary during all this cen in most cases wonder who saw them The English Starling, a species of

Sheep and Lambe Dying

crop considerably below normal.

Important Form Invention. plication by mail the change being made over Saturday replanting of corn to a minimum mov- tom of the North Atlantic Co. Imhistration, Washington, D. The new building was erected on the his own use. It worked so well, how-Nessee to conduct their bust same foundation, and, with the ex- ever, that he decided to put it on the only 101, according to a di ofter Pebruary 15th, 1918. No ception of inside improvements, is market. In his first use of the me- London. This to

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Motored Across Chesapcake Bay. It has not been an unusual sight the the ice-locked Chesapeake Bay to ratify the National Prohibition Am-

English Starting Plentiful.

tury, with a mean temeprature for the fall. But in one instance a young lady bird unknown in this locality until remarked that she had fallen at least recently, making their appearance for were only a few days when the ther a dozen times and had really gotten so the first time about two years ago, ometer rose as high as 38 degrees used to it that she did not mind at all. are now seen in numbers in various sections. The Starting is near the master Woodford, however, believes size of, and resembles comewhat, our that there are one or two more who of this county. weeks has proven very disastrous to pled all over with faint gray spots enemy alien must register with the young lambs, and not a few old sheep noticeable only on close inspection. Heatless Mondays To Continue. young lambs, and not a few old sheep noticeable only on close inspection, postmaster at his address, and a Virginia branch of the Pennsylvania After conferences Tuesday between have been lost on the same account. These birds use and build around change of residence cannot be acquired to plant White Corn. We Virginia branch of the remassivants Director General McAdoo and Fuel It is said that the primary cause of barns and grainaries and gather in set without the conquest of Postmaster are in the market every day tention. They are batleship gray, and Administrator Garfield, it was definite the loss of the sheep is the scarcity of quantities about dusk. They are said Woodford, of Centrevile. are larger than the average type of ly decided that the heatless Mondays green food, and that where farmers by our State authorities to be as eagine that usually comes down this cannot be abandoned, as had been have siles with ensilage the loss has worthless as the Eaglish Sparrow, GONE, BUT NOT FORGOTTEN. hoped, because storms and cold have been largely prevented. Of course, and should be exterminated Marvil. A new variety of service flag has Corn is bringing over nine fuel. As Mr. McAdoo and Dr. Garfield ble for loss of lambs, and it is esti- the Hurlock farm, near Chestertown. Beeing a flag bearing seven stars dollars a barrel, which is about At a meeting of the Kent County went into their conference reports mated that many hundreds of them which he recently purchased, it is flying from a saloon on Ensor street a dollar a barrel more than School Board Dr. Edward J. Clarke, came in showing coal movements east have died in Queen Annes'county. It said, delights in the extermination a reporter of The News entered to of the faculty of Washington College, of the Mississippi cut more than 15 is also said that the lamb egop of the process with his gan, and, as many of learn the details. was elected superintendent of schools per cent. in the two days previous. entire West will be from 15 to 30 per them can be seen there most any time. "Yep," said the dispenser of liquid Write or telephone our office cent. below the average, and the calf he is getting some "real sport" out of joy, "there's seven of 'em. Four of the job.

TRANSPORT TORPEDOED. Torpedoed and sunk by a German, building was destroyed by fire two ty farmer, was on January 5th grant- submarine Tuesday night, the Cunard "Them's regular customers—and good years ago. Recitations were held on ed a patent oh a ridger, an attachment liner, Tuocanta, bearing 2,179 officers once, too."—Baltimore News. All persons engaged in Seh, crabs, the preceding Friday in the tempor- to be used on corn planters, etc. The and men of the Thirty-second Natand clam industries are re- ary rooms the college has been using, necessity for something to reduce the local Division, lies at the bot- MAS GASOLINE MACHINE GUN.

Goes To Third Reading In House The Probibition amendment was Gale, road engineer, connected with passed to the third reading in the the Shafer Construction Co. drove his House by a vote of 58 to 42 This is icy Pavements Cause Many Fails. automobile from Worton Point across sufficient evidence that Maryland will

Enemy Alien Registration.

Beginning last Monday, it has been the duty of the various postmasters of Queen Annes county to register the German enemy altens of this county and this registration closes at o'clock tonight. Consequently, those who have not rigistered must do so before the hour above mentioned or else be imprisoned for the entire pertod of the war. It is not believed that there are many enemy altens in Queen Annes county, as but one had regis tered at the Centreville postoffice up to the hour of going to press. Post

'em's to Prance, too." "Are they brothers?" seked the to sell.

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