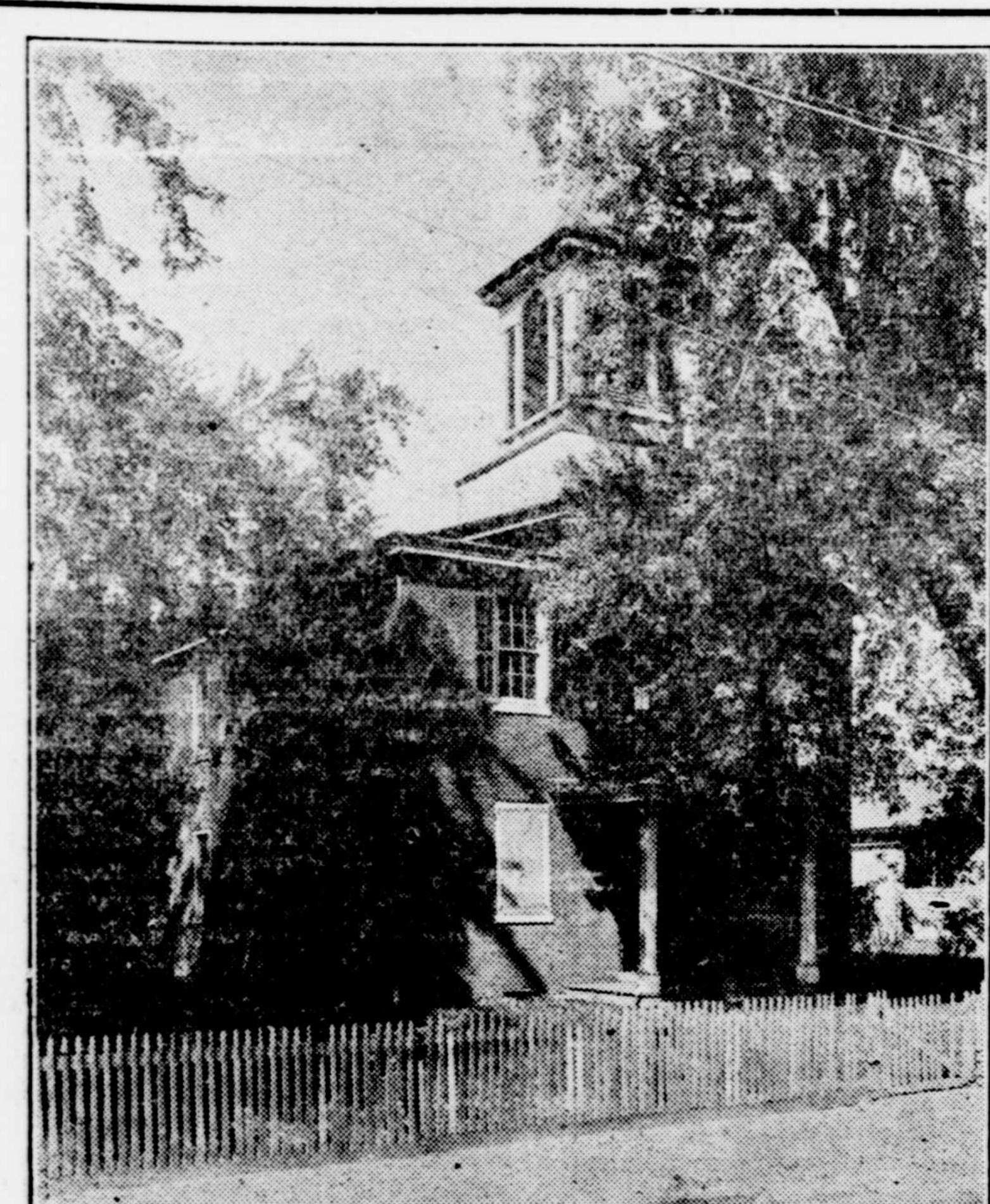
Pages From The History Of Elkton By Catherine Eckels Wilson

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It was not, however, until 1818 that vival was started at the Academy, the Legislature ordered that "The which created a desire for churches in "we decided that if you got a new morning at 11 followed by preaching at Town's School be erected into an Acad- the town, resulting in the building of formal it wasn't to cost over twentyemy for the liberal education of youth," the Episcopal and Presbyterian Church- five bucks." and an annual appropriation of \$300.00 es. All denominations were welcome

was given to it. The Academy board met March 5th. However in 1843 the Board decided "That seems to be your theme song." 1818 and elected Dr. John Ruan Presi- the time had come to have principals dent: Tobias Rudulph, Secretary, and who made teaching their only profes-Dr. John Groome, Treasurer. The Rev. sion. That year they organized the fe-Mr. Duke was elected Principal and Mr. male department under a precoptress. Philip Sweetzer Assistant Teacher. The school increased rapidly until they well in the office, or as if we didn't From that day the Academy had both a had a hundred pupils and a larger have money in the bank," she sulked. common and classical department.

Mr. Duke was well known in Elkton. An Episcopal clergyman he had preachthat they had crumbled so from age it," Marjorie struck back impulsively, ed in old St. Mary Ann's in 1793. He that it was a question whether to repair "Mamma warned me to go easy about had taught school and was a writer of or rebuild. This question was answered falling in love with a Forner-'a ability. He had had a school on Bow by fire. Street, Elkton, for three years following which he had taught at Charlotte Hall, returning to Elkton to be the first ary, 1834, that the Academy was deprincipal of the "Academy." A man of stroyed. It was found burning around torted Dave with crescendo acridness. great learning and high ability his influence was great and he set a lofty the twenty-first. The snow was two pockets. 'The Cartwrights are all standard for the school. Mr. Duke also feet deep and drifting in the gale. The spendthrifts, my Dad told me. 'In one

Sunday at the Academy. Hollingsworth, to promote not only helpless and the building was com- "Davie-" She conjured up a halfeducation but Christianity. It the early pletely consumed with all its contents. apolegetic smile. days of the Academy this wish was ful- The fire in the stove had been nearly had charge a Presbyterian service was no one could ever account for the startties of the town. When Mr. McIntire held regularly. Mr. Reese, who follow- ing of the blaze. ed Mr. McIntire, was an Episcopal

Slashes Throat When

Deputy Sheriff Lewis A. Seth attempt- cial music at both services. The public ed to serve a warrant on Lou Miller at is cordially invited to attend. his home in Rising Sun Monday night, he ran to an upstairs room, secured a safety razor blade and attempted to take his life by slashing his throat before the officers could interfere.

He was bleeding profusely from deep gash in his neck when the officers rushed into the room. Deputy Seth wrapped a towel around the man's neck in an effort to stop the flow of blood and he was taken to Havre de Grace . Egg . Hospital. Attendant physicians believe he has a fifty-fifty chance of recovering. Twenty-one stitches were used to close the gash inflicted by the razor blade. He lost a great quantity of blood before the officers could get him to the hos-

Miller served several months time in the Elkton jail for some minor offense about a year ago. The warrant for his recent arrest was sworn out by his in 2,000 lbs. delivered in Elkton or law, William McFadden, and was said within 2 miles each additional to have been prompted by family trouble.

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afternoon services will be in charge of

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clergyman and so eloquent that a re- Marjorie asked brightly.

to hold services at the Academy. .

building was needed.

On examining the walls it was found

It was during the blizzard of Febru- said." held an Episcopal service every other roads were impassable and people walk- pocket, out of the other." ed over fields and gardens to reach the Marjorie frowningly bit her lip. It It was the desire of the founder, Col. en from the fire-house, all hands were were saying these things. filled. The school was the centre of the out when Mr. Lewis, head of the com- was going on in a more deadly tone, educational, religious, and social activi- mon school, had left the Academy, and "I suppose you haven't the slightest

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Rev. L. V. Pratt, of Bethel Church, and you haven't given up a damn' thing. in the evening the Rev. C. A. Kirk, of It's been getting me down for a long Officers Attempt Arrest Kirkwood, Del., will preach. Christening services will also be held once for all." When Sheriff Eugene Racine and in the afternoon and there will be spe-

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The Orchid Dress

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WNU Service.

politan department store's fashion severed. salon and turned quickly to make the orchid dress swirl around her ankles.

strap arrangement and the color-" ached. appealing suddenly to the young man "I think I can make my old white who sat stiffly on the saffron settee- formal do," she said "Come on, Dave." "stunning with your dark hair and fair

skin, isn't it?" "Yeah," muttered the young man

warily. "How much is it?" asked Marjorie, prompted by his tone. It was a nuisance to have to ask cautiously the price of things. Before

she had married-just a year ago now -she had gone in any store in the city and said, "Charge it, please, to my fa- conductor. ther-Gaston Cartwright, you know." "Fifty dollars." The clerk's voice honeyed the words. "Of course," she went on, "the little peach taffeta at

compare with this." Marjorie glanced at her husband and squared her lovely shoulders. "I'll change back into my own clothes

twenty-five is sweet, too, but it can't

and then decide," she said. When she emerged from the dressing room in her trim black street suit, the clerk discreetly hustled away with an armload of rejected frocks. "Well, Davie, which shall it be?"

"You know darned well," said Dave, will meet at the usual hour in the combustion continues.

"Oh, but this is a dress that comes once in a lifetime."

Marjorie smiled mischievously, but the Sunday services. her smile crumpled against the hard indignation on Dave's lean face. "It isn't as if you weren't doing

"It wouldn't be there if you had your way." "You know now what I think about

whole clan of fishhook pockets,' she

fire. The fire engine could not be tak- seemed fantastic that she and Dave

But Dave wasn't looking at her. He memory of an April night about a year ago when you promised you'd sacrifice anything-even your daily coke-so I could start in business for myself. You knew how much it meant to me and

time. We're going to settle it now, So that was all that sacred night meant to him. Of all the things they had talked about he remembered only this. All these precious, blithersome twelve months he had been thinking how extravagant she was. He didn't remember how on the same night he

had promised her the very moon for a fraternity pin if she wanted it. "We'll settle it right now. This pennypinching is getting me down, too. We'll buy the orchid dress, or I'll leave for Reno tomorrow. It has been

done you know." "Good-by!" Dave snorted. Too late now. She couldn't-she wouldn't--take it back. The rubynailed clerk was coming toward them, brows lifted inquiringly. Dave was opening his lips. Proud young lips, white with anger, quirked down a bit

at one corner with pain. He clipped them together with annoyance when another clerk hurried up from across the room.

"Is this size sixteen?" she asked in an undertone of Ruby Finger Nails. "The young man I've been waiting on saw it over here and says it's just

what he's been looking for He wants it for a burial dress for his wife. So sad. They'd just been married a year. She's—she was a size sixteen. It isn't sold, is it?" She smiled gently. Copyright by Public Ledger, Inc. "Is it?" Ruby Finger Nails turned to

her customers. Marjorie and Dave were staring transfixed across the room at the sag-ARJORIE smilled at herself in ging shoulders of the other young man. IVI one of the mirrors of the Metro- "Do you want it?" the clerk per-

"Yes," said Dave.

"No," said Marjorie. "Oh, it's perfect on you," sighed the She discovered that somehow she clerk with the ruby finger nails. "That was holding Dave's hand and it was ruffled skirt and the smart shoulder- squeezing back until her knuckles

The Scientist's Dilemma

of apprehension. "Can I help you, sir?" asked the That is, not until the magician tries

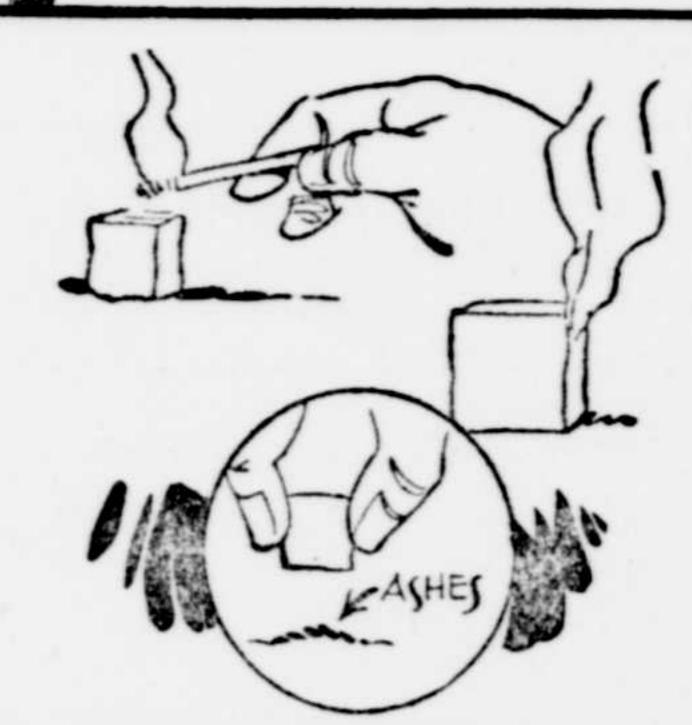
lief. "Hold on to this strap for me flame results. The sugar burns stead-

Sunday Services On

The Rev. John C. Boulden, pastor, cept when cigarette or cigar ashes are has announced the following services handy. for the Elk Neck M. E. Charge for Sun- For you must first dip the corner day, September 13. At Harts, Sunday of the lump into the ashes. Do this School will meet at 9:30 a. m., and the secretly. Then apply the match. The preaching service in the evening at 7:30. presence of the ashes will enable the

11:45. The Ladies Aid will meet at Racine school house on Friday evening. September 18 at 8 o'clock. All members are urged to be present and a welcome is extended to everyone to attend

RY THIS TRICK By PONJAY HARRAH



INTILL sugar burn? The easiest way He was, in fact, the absent-minded VV to answer the question is to try it. professor, and he was strap-hanging At the magician's suggestion, people in a tram. The other arm clasped half experiment with matches and lumps of a dozen bundles. He swayed to and sugar. They find that sugar will blackfro. Slowly his face took on a look en and melt, but apparently will not

SUGAR THAT BURNS

it. The moment that he applies a "Yes," said the professor, with re- match to the lump of sugar, a bluish while I get my fare out."-Santa Fe ily, the tiny flame eating away a corner of the lump.

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