MARYLAND

Agents Note

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BARCLAY, MD.

Barclay, Md.—Services were well attended Sunday night. The new pastor, the Rev. Hollis, preached. ** Quite a number of our folks attended the meeting at Paultown Sunday afternoon. ** Mrs. Mamie Dickerson, of this town, motored to Harenton, Del. last Sunday to visit her brother, Mr. Arthur Gibbs. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Dickerson. ** Mrs. Dora Brown, of Pittsburgh, Pa., is visiting her sick sister, Mrs. Julia Murray, also her daughter, Miss Nettie Richardson. ** Those who attended the conference were: Mrs. C. J. Hines and Mrs. Dora L. King. ** Mrs. Rebecca Wright is suffering with the la grippe. ** Miss Flemming, local teacher, left for Pennsylvania Friday, where she will spend her Easter holidays. ** Mrs. Emma Mays is spending her holidays home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Rochester. ** Mrs. Ida Rochester has returned home after a 10 day trip in Philadelphia, Pa., visiting friends and relatives.

EASTON, MD.

Easton, Md.—Services as usual at Bethel A. M. E. Church. Sermon by the Rev. Drummond on, "The Resurrection of Christ." Invitation was extended by Evangelist Susan A. Murray. Exercises were held by the children at night. Collection for the day was $40. ** The Rev. S. R. Drummond preached in Miles River for the Rev. Rosier in the afternoon. ** Young People's Day will be observed at Bethel Church, April 19th, under the leadership of Mr. William Gibson. ** Virginia Howard is in Baltimore, in a hospital undergoing an operation. ** Mr. Charles Howard is improving after an illness. ** Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Parson, Mr. Harry Dobson and daughter, Julia, motored to Unionville on Sunday afternoon. ** Miss Mary E. Bond left for Philadelphia after a short visit as the guest of her sister, Mrs. M. Parson. ** The Rev. W. A. T. Miles, of Asbury M. E. Church, was welcomed back for another conference year by a large congregation Sunday morning. The Rev. Miles preached an inspiring Easter sermon in the morning. ** Those spending their Easter holidays with relations and friends were: Mrs. Susie E. Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Earle and friend, Miss May, of Tuskegee Institute, and Miss Beatrice Jefferson, of Morgan College. ** Mr. and Mrs. Dawkins, of Sparrows Point, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Camper. ** At 7 o'clock an Easter program was rendered by the Sunday school. ** on Tuesday evening, April 20th, the Young Woman's Auxiliary had a successful meeting. ** Thursday, April 9th a Dollar Hunt was given by Miss Laura Ballard. Mrs. Etta Smith was the successful one to find the dollar. ** Sunday, April 19th will be Young People's Day at Asbury.

HAGERSTOWN, MD.

Hagerstown, Md. The services at Ebenezer A. M. E. Church were well attended all day. At 8 p. m., the Easter services were held. Mrs. Martha Franklin, mistress of ceremonies and Sunday school superintendent. The senior choir rendered Easter music, led and conducted by Mr. Richard Bagnum. The Elks' Cornet Band, led by Mr. Job H. Bell, assisted. ** Mr. Charles Dearberry, who was buried in Good Samaritan's Cemetery on February 28th, was taken up by Undertaker J. B. Johnson and sent to his home in Barnesville, Ga., on April 2nd. ** Mr. William Kees, who has been on the sick list for a few months, has returned to his occupation at the Hamilton Hotel. ** Mrs. Helen V. Smith, the daughter of Mr. John Smith, of Germantown, Pa., spent a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Laura M. Bond, last week. ** Miss Mary E. Bond, who spent a few weeks with her brother, John T. Bond, returned to Easton Thursday. ** The Rev. John Barnum spent a few days here last week with his brother, Mr. Richard Barnum.

HAVRE DE GRACE, MD.

Havre de Grace, Md.—The Easter Pageant, entitled, "From the Gates of His Garden," held at St. James's A. M. E. Church, the Rev. Williams, pastor, was indeed an excellent affair. Mrs. Thomas Caswell, Miss Jessie Johnson, and Mr. George Mitchell are to be complimented for their untiring efforts. Among those on the program were: Mrs. Lillie Mitchell, Mrs. Florence Tasco, and Mr. Dave Garland, of the U. S. Y. B., at Perry Point, Md., J. Offenbach, Miss Esther Mitchell, Mr. A. Mitchell. ** The buffet luncheon held at the residence of Mrs. Samuel Ennis, of 560 Revolution street, on Tuesday evening, April 9th and given by Mrs. James Holmes of New York City, and Miss Elva Ennis and Miss Ella Lisby, of this city, was in the honor of Mr. James E. Holmes, who is here for the spring meeting at the local racetrack. The out of town guests present were: Mr. Beauford Hall, and Mr. Joseph Gay, of Kentucky, who are also here for the spring meeting; Mr. Belmont Alexander Conns, of New York City; Mr. Harry Lasco, and Prof. D. K. Noble, of Atlantic City. The local guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williams, the Misses Mildred and Hermon Harvey and Miss Edna Wing, of this city. ** Mr. Lawrence James Howard University, Washington, D. C., spent the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmore James, of 566 Lewis street. ** Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Dixon, of Philadelphia, Pa., spent the Easter holidays visiting their father, Mr. Jas. Stiner, of 401 S. Stokes street. ** Mr. John Galloway, of Baltimore, spent the Easter holiday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Galloway, of South Union avenue. ** At the regular meeting of the "American Woodmen" Tuesday evening, April 7th, after general routine business there were three new members initiated in the Order, Miss Martha Barnes, Mr. Benjamin Brooks, and Mr. George Minor. With the assistance of Neighbor Virgil Franklin, supervisor of the Fifth District of Maryland, of Baltimore City, another outstanding feature of the meeting was a brief reading fo the history of the foundation and organizing of the American Woodmen, by Neighbor Frank Ridgely, clerk of Camp No. 5. ** Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hughes and son, of Media, Pa., spent the Easter holiday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse White, of 214 south Freedom street. ** Mrs. Willmore James and son, Robert James, have assumed the management of the cafe located at 419 south Stokes street. ** Boy's Day will be held at the St. James's A. M. E. Church, the Rev. S. T. Chew, pastor, on Sunday faternoon, April 19th, at 3 p.m. Mr. Charles Pinderhughes, of the Y. M. C. A., of Baltimore, Md., will be present and address the boys. Mr. Harry Durbin, president; Mr. Robert Jones, secretary.

CHURCHVILLE, MD.

Churchville, Md.—A large crowd was present at Asbury M. E. Church, Sunday, April 12th at 11 a. m. The Rev. Charles E. Jones preached a very interesting sermon. ** A large crowd was present at John Wesley M. E. Church at 3 p. m. ** Miss Hester Smith and Miss Mary Thompson, attending school in Baltimore, spent the Easter holidays home. ** Miss Hannah Banks, Miss Susie Banks and Miss Estella Banks, all of Philadelphia, Pa., spent Easter holidays home. ** Mrs. Carrie Smith, Mrs. Lizzi eCowper, Mr. Raymond and Mr. Henry Harris, and Mr. James Jones, all of Germantown, Pa., and Mr. Robert Smith, of Baltimore, Md., spent Easter Sunday with Mrs. Hester and Banks. ** Dr. C. T. Irving, district superintendent of the North Baltimore District, will hold Quarterly Conference at Clark's Chapel M. E. Church Saturday, April 18th, at 11 a. m. He will preach at Clark's Chapel Sunday, April 19th at 11 a. m.

EASTON, MD.

Easton, Md.—The Rev. J. T. Molock, of Berlin, Md., is dead. Funeral services were held at Berlin, Md., Thursday, April 9th by Dr. R. E. Ford, presiding elder of the Easton District. Other ministers were present. On April 10th he was brought home to Easton, Md. Funeral services were held in Bethel A. M. E. Church, the Rev. S. R. Drummond, pastor. Order of services: First hymn announced by the Rev. Henry Thomas; prayer, the Rev. Redmond; first scripture lesson read by Dr. S. R. Drummond; song by choir; second scripture lesson read by the Rev. Heath, of the M. E. Church; obituary read by the Rev. J. G. Gains; song by choir; sermon, R. R. Ford; remarks by Dr. J. S. Collins; remarks by the Rev. Ward; remarks by the Rev. Purnell, Master of ceremonies, the Rev. J. R. Nelson. He leaves a wife, eight children, six nieces, five nephews, five sisters, Mrs. J. G. Banks and Mrs. Henrietta Patterson, of Baltimore; Mrs. Charles Harris and Mrs. Melvin Holland, of Easton, Md.; Mrs. Helen Jones, of New York; two brothers, Mr. Frederick Johns, of Baltimore, and Mr. James E. Johns, of Easton, Md., and a host of other relatives.

SWAN CREEK, MD.

Swan Creek, Md.—At Union M. E. Church, the Rev. C. C. Nelson, pastor, at 10 o'clock, Love Feast was conducted. 10:30 sermon by the pastor, at which time two persons joined church. Sunday school entitled, "The Risen League, 6:30 p. m. At 7 o'clock a pageant was rendered by members of the Sunday schoo lentitled, "The Risen King." The service for Sunday was well attended.

BLADENSBURG, MD.

Bladensburg, Md.—At Dent A. M. E. Church, at the 11 a. m., sermon, Sunday April 5th, was preached by the Rev. J. W. Armstron, the pastor. The H. Communion was served. The Rev. L. Rand, pastor of the A. M. E. Zion Church, of Brentwood, Md., conducted the 3 p. m., services. His choir and congregation were present. * Dr. and Mrs. LaComte Matthews, of Washington, D. C., and Miss Elizabeth J. Quander, niece of Mr. W. O. Lee, were the guests of Mrs. A. S. Gunn and Mr. W. O. Lee, Sunday, March 29th, at their residence. * Miss Olivia Thomas and Mr. Cornelius Carter, of Washington, D. C., were the guest sof Mr. Howard Davis and sisters last Saturday evening. * Mrs. Lily Welborn and Mrs. Mildred Thomas are on the sick list.
Preston News Service—

ELKRIDGE, MD.

Elkridge, Md.—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pearson have returned to their home in Camden, N. J., after a visit to Mrs. Pearson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Blackston. ** The Stork visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nelson, leaving a daughter. Mr. and Mrs. George Gardner also received a visit. The Stork left them a son. ** Mr. C. S. Blackston has opened his barber shop for business on Meadow Ridge avenue. ** Easter services will be held at St. Stephen's Sunday afternoon.

DARNESTOWN, MD.

Darnestown, Md.—Mr. and Mrs. Russel Randolph and Mr. Benjamin Jenkins, of D. C., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jackson, Sunday, April 5th. * Mrs. James Branison and her wee son are improving. * Mr. Jerry Mason was married to Mrs. Dona Mason, of Clarksburg, last Wednesday night.

DARLINGTON, MD.

Darlington, Md.—Sunday, April 5th, was Woman's Day at Hosanna Church. Services were well attended. In the morning the Rev. Davis preached. In the afternoon and night platform services were conducted. There were visitors from Bel-air and Clark's Chapel, who took an active part in the program. Mr. Isaac Washington has resigned as superintendent of the Sunday school on account of his work. He has served 12 years and was only absent from Sundays during the time. ** A fair was given by the young girls of this community April 7th to 10th, at the Odd Fellows Pavillion. Proceed for conference claims. ** Mr Steward Smith, age 34 years, the youngest son of Mrs. Mary Smith and the late Henry Smith, was buried from Hosanna Church Friday. He is survived by his wife, five children, a mother, three brothers and two sisters to mourn his loss.

BURKITTSVILLE, MD.

Burkittsville, Md.—Special services were observed at Burkittsville A. M. E. Church on Sunday. The Rev. W. L. Snowden, pastor, in charge. An Easter program was rendered at 3 p. m. under the direction of Miss Mollie L. Bruner. Prof. Henderson, district superintendent, was present Sunday and gave a very instructive talk on Sunday school work. The bazaar given by the ladies of the Mite Missionary Society came to a successful close on Friday night. Proceeds for the conference claims. ** Schools Nos. 1 and 2 are preparing for their field day, April 20th.

ABERDEEN, MD.

Aberdeen, Md.—Mt. Calvary Church, the Rev. Wm. Rich, pastor; Morning services, 11:45 a. m. Sunday school, 2 p. m. Epworth League, 7 p. m.; evening services, 8 p. m. ** Mr. Charlie Preston, of Philadelphia, was buried from Mt. Calvary Church, April 12th. ** The Epworth League was led by Master Philip Ricks. The Easter services were very well attended. ** Master Clarence East was a visitor in Philadelphia last week. ** Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Cooper entertained at dinner Sunday, April 12th, Mrs. Mary East, of Philadelphia, Pa., and her mother, Mrs. Cook. ** Miss Beulah Thompson visited, Mrs. McPherson Cooper Sunday afternoon. ** Mrs. Mary E. Saunders and daughter, John Cotton, and the young daughter, Beulah, made a trip to Summit Bridge, Del. ** Mr. Cotton took part in the contest and won the second prize, a white gold watch. ** The Community League held its regular meeting last Tuesday evening, April 7th. After business the league was entertained by a 20 minute program by the Young Men's Boys' Club of Mt. Calvary Church. ** Miss Gwathney, teacher, spent Saturday in Baltimore. ** Mr. Samuel Thompson, of Belmar, N. Y., visited his sisters, Mrs. Anna Giles and Mrs. C. Williams. ** Mrs. C. Williams had as her guests at dinner Sunday, April 12th, Mrs. Giffwin, of Baltimore and mother, Mrs. L. Clark. ** Miss Ida Washington, of Baltimore, is visiting her ill mother, Mrs. Moulton.

Master Clarence East spent a week in Philadelphia with his mother and sister and his cousin, James Turner. ** Mrs. Mary E. East spent Sunday, April 12th, with her mother, son and friends.

BRUNSWICK, MD.

Brunswick, Md.—Sunday was communion day at Burkesville A. M. E. Church. A larger crowd attended than any Sunday during the year. The pastor preached, after which palm was distributed. At 3 p. m. service was conducted at Petersville. A large crowd also attended. Communino was administered and two members received into the church. This church after being closed for several years has taken on new life. At 8 p. m., the pastor, the Rev. M. I. Snowden, preached at Brunswick, and administered Holy Communion. The vested choir rendered excellent music. ** Mrs. Elizabeth Bell was in Frederick last SaturDay night. ** Mrs. Christina Marriott, who for years has been an invalid and unable to walk, is now able to walk with the aid of crutches. ** Mr. Samuel Ownes and Mr. Samuel Johnson, both are much improved.

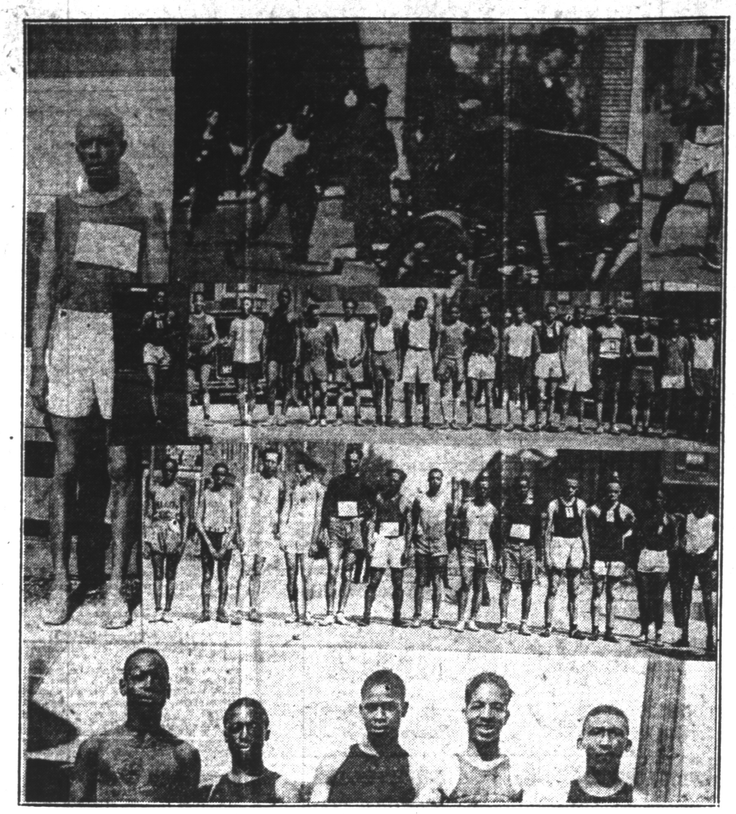
SHADY SIDE, MD.

Shady Side, Md.—Mrs. Mathel Carter gave a luncheon in honor of her sister-in-law, Miss Eleanor Carter Burney, at Shady Rest, their country home. Those Rachel Johnson, Mrs. Mamie Scott, Mrs. present were: Mrs. Evelyne Scott, Mrs. Susie Gross, Mrs. Bertie Thompson, Miss Susie Brown, Mrs. Gussie Scott, Mrs. Florida Offer, Mrs. Mathiel Carter. * Miss Eleanor Carter Burney, daughter of the late Rev. Virgil Carter, attended the 62nd annual conference of the M. E. Church in Frederick, Md., in company with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Janie H. Carter, and Mrs. Gertie Carter. They returned by the way of Annapolis. Miss Burney will visit the home of her childhood in Shady Side for a few days.

COPPERVILLE, MD.

Copperville, Md.—Women's Day was observed at DeShields M. E. Church Sunday, March 15th, under the leadership of Mrs. Helen B. Kellum, the principal speaker of the day was Mrs. A. B. Clark of Philadelphia, the evangelist. Those on the morning program were: Mrs. Mary Goldsborough Cooper, Mrs. Ida Moody, Mrs. Annie Holden, Mrs. Mary G. Cooper, Mrs. Minnie DeShields, Mrs. Lottie Roberts, Mrs. Mary Goldsborough, Mrs. A. B. Clark, Miss Alease Washington, Mrs. Ella G. Cooper, Mrs. Fannie Lane, Mrs. Nettie Flamer. Afternoon session, 3 p. m.: Mrs. Katie Cooper presiding. Others on the program were: Mrs. Mary Cooper, Mrs. Mary Deshield, Mrs. Ella G. Cooper, Mrs. Anna Moaney, Mrs. Mary E. Cooper, Mrs. Anna Moaney, Miss Alease Washington, Mrs. Helen B. Kellum, Mrs. Mary E. Cooper, Mrs. H. B. Kellum, Mrs. Ella Moaney, Mrs. Mary Mrs. Ella Moaney, Mrs. Elizabeth Moaney, E. Cooper. Those on the evening program were: Mrs. Minnie Deshields, Mrs. Katie Cooper, Miss Alease Washington, Mrs. Elizabeth Moaney, Mrs. Marie Blake, Mrs. Mary E. Sherwood, Mrs. Marie Blaks, Mrs. Lottie Roberts, Mrs. Ella G. Cooper, Mrs. H. B. Kellum, Mrs. Ella Moaney. About $73.63 was realized. * Miss Alice Byrd, of Philadelphia, spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Holden. * Miss Washington gave an entertainment at the school benefit for the declamation contest. * Little Allen Holden has been on the sick list. * Mrs. Mary Cooper visited the Rev. and Mrs. Holden Friday afternoon.

Afro's Marathon Photos



Left, John Carroll, winner of Marathon. Top, Dorsey of Community House, winning Relay Team. Middle insert, Clarence Pendleton, running; Relay teams lined up at start. Third row from top is start of Marathen. Bottom, Community House Relay Team First to finish.

PRINCESS ANNE, MD.

Princess Anne, Md.—The pastor, the Rev. D. W. Henry, has returned for another year. Among the visitors who worshipped at the church Sunday morning were: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Waters, of Crisfield; Mrs. Hilda Benson, and Mrs. Mary White, of Coston; Mr. John Rector, of Morgan College, and Mrs. Ella Peterson and friend, of Philadelphia. At night the Sunday school under the leadership of Supt. W. H. Hayman, rendered a splendid a splendid Easter program. * Mr. Horatio Jones, of Dover, of State College, has been visiting his parents on Beckford avenue. ** Miss Sadie Moore and friends, Miss Johnson, of Morgan College, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Eliza Moore, Princess Anne Academy. ** Mr. and Mrs. Leon Ballard, fo Wayne, Pa., have moved into the home of their new home on Washington Heights. They and Mr. Ballard's brother, James Pollit, Jr., were added to the church Sunday morning. ** A. M. and Mrs. R. L. Cordery, Prof. and Mrs. Barton White, Mrs. Hattie D. White and Mrs. Annie Maddox motored to Philadelphia Easter Sunday. ** On Thursday evening, April 9th, the seventh grade of the Princess Anne public school gave a banquet in honor of the graduating class. Mr. B. L. Corday, toast master. Mr. Wm. James, president of Parent and Teachers Association, and Miss Jane Roberts, member of the fourth, fifth and sixth grades, made addresses. ** The body of Mrs. Emeline Allen, formerly of Princess Anne, was brought from Philadelphia Saturday and buried in Wesley Cemetery.

POCOMOKE CITY, MD.

Pocomoke City, Md.—Service at St. John's Church was well attended Sunday morning. The Rev. J. H. Fitchett preached and in night an Easter program was rendered by the choir and Church was well attended. The Rev. school. ** Service at Mt. Zion M. E. R. N. Davis has returned for another year. He preached Sunday morning. ** Mr. James Robins was burned about the face and hands while lighting an oil stove. ** The Rev. J. H. Dodson is back and preached Sunday morning at Macedonia Baptist Church. ** Mr. Horace Dickerson has installed a public telephone at his barber shop. ** Mr. Noah Gunby has moved back to his old stand on Bank street. ** Mr. James Hailey, a Civil War veteran, died last Sunday morning. ** The remains of Mr. Julius Long, of Philadelphia were brought home Wednesday morning for burial. Funeral services were held at Tindley Chapel. The Rev. J. H. Fitchett, of St. John's officiated in the absence of the pastor. He leaves one wife, one son, two sisters, two brothers, a host of friends. ** Mrs. Sarah Taylor, of Laurel street, who has been quite sick for the last three weeks, is much improved. ** The Rev. J. H. Dodson is back after spending some time at the Baptist Association. ** The funeral of Mr. James Bailey was held at Mt. Zion Church Thursday afternoon. The Rev. J. H. Fitchett officiated. He leaves four sisters, three daughters and eight grandchildren.

SANDY SPRINGS, MD.

Sandy Springs, Md.—The house of Mr. Lewis Hill was destroyed by fire Thursday. The origin of the fire was not known. Mr. Hill lost most all of his household belongings. ** Mrs. Rach Wilte, of Norbeck, lost her house in a very destructive fire. Twice the blaze was extinguished. But at 10 o'clock at night, when all the occupants were asleep the fire again broke out and they barely escaped. ** The Rev. V. E. Johnson, pastor of Sandy Springs Church, has been returned to the above church. ** Mrs. Christina Marriott, who for years has been an invalid and unable to walk, is now able to walk with the aid of crutches. ** Mr. Samuel Ownes and Mr. Samuel Johnson, both are much improved.

FEDERAL HILL, MD.

Federal Hill, Md.—Preaching was observed at Federal Hill Church Sunday night by the new pastor, the Rev. M. H. Hayman. Sunday morning were: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Waters, of Crisfield; Mrs. Hilda Benson, and Mrs. Mary White, of Coston; Mr. John Rector, of Morgan College, and Mrs. Ella Peterson and friend, of Philadelphia. At night the Sunday school under the leadership of Supt. W. H. Hayman, rendered a splendid a splendid Easter program. * Mr. Horatio Jones, of Dover, of State College, has been visiting his parents on Beckford avenue. ** Miss Sadie Moore and friends, Miss Johnson, of Morgan College, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Eliza Moore, Princess Anne Academy. ** Mr. and Mrs. Leon Ballard, fo Wayne, Pa., have moved into the home of their new home on Washington Heights. They and Mr. Ballard's brother, James Pollit, Jr., were added to the church Sunday morning. ** A. M. and Mrs. R. L. Cordery, Prof. and Mrs. Barton White, Mrs. Hattie D. White and Mrs. Annie Maddox motored to Philadelphia Easter Sunday. ** On Thursday evening, April 9th, the seventh grade of the Princess Anne public school gave a banquet in honor of the graduating class. Mr. B. L. Corday, toast master. Mr. Wm. James, president of Parent and Teachers Association, and Miss Jane Roberts, member of the fourth, fifth and sixth grades, made addresses. ** The body of Mrs. Emeline Allen, formerly of Princess Anne, was brought from Philadelphia Saturday and buried in Wesley Cemetery.

CARROLL MD.

Carroll, Md.—The Up-and-Doing Social, the West End Motorcycle Club, the Victory Industrial, and the Triangle Club, of Baltimore, spent Sunday here. Rev. Ida Diggs and daughter were the guests of their mother and brother's family, Mr. and Mrs. Virginius Davenport and Mrs. Mary J. Johnson, a few Sundays ago. * Mr. Frank Thomas and Mr. Elmer Governs spent a few days in Towson visiting relatives. * Miss Mary Thomas is visiting friends in Philadelphia. * Mr. Albert Hall and Miss Eva B. Tittle, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Wm. Hall, spent the week-end in Oxford, Pa., with his mother, Mrs. James Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walton. * Mrs. Elenora Mitchell, of Stewartstown, Pa., spent a few days visiting relatives. * Mrs. Chas. Carey and son, of York, Pa., is visiting her mother-in-law.

EAST NEW MARKET, MD.

East New Market, Md.—Services were largely attended at Mt. Zion M. E. Church last Sunday, both morning and evening. The pastor, the Rev. M. H. Waters, preached the Easter sermon in the morning. The Easter program was rendered in the evening conducted by Mrs. M. H. Waters. * Mrs. M. V. Waters, Miss Viola Young and Mr. Frank Young attended the teachers' meeting in Cambridge last Thursday. * Miss Thelma Waters, Miss Elva Waters and Master Martin Waters were entertained at dinner last Sunday at the home of Mrs. Ida Young. * Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Tribbitt and Mrs. Brown, of New Jersey, and Mrs. Cora Tribbitt, of Denton, Md., called at the M. E. parsonage last Sunday. * Miss Viola Young motored to Denton, Md., Easter Monday and were entertained at dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tribbitt.

ROYAL OAK, MD.

Royal Oak, Md.—At St. Paul M. E. Church, the pastor, the Rev. E. F. Showell, has returned for another conference year. On Sunday morning class meeting at the church was led by the morning the Lord's Supper was administered. At 8 p. m., the Easter service was rendered. Over $28 was realized. * Mrs. Charity Gross is ill at her home. * Mr. Hall Lawrence, Sr., who is now in the Emergency Hospital of Easton, Md., is slowly improving. * Mrs. Carrie Gibson is on the sick list. * The following people spent Easter at home: Miss Helen Haskins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Haskins; Miss Mary E. Moore and friend, Miss Hilda Moore, spent Easter with their mother, Mrs. Georgia E. M. Moore. * Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lawrence, spent Easter Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hall Lawrence. * Mrs. Bertha Long, of Baltimore, is home for a while.

VIENNA, MD.

Vienna, Md.—Class meeting at the M. E. Church was conducted as usual. The Rev. J. O. Stanley preached in the morning. Services were well attended at the A. M. E. Church. The Easter service at the M. E. Church Sunday night were under the care of Mrs. J. H. Fletcher. The program was rendered by the Cambridge high school are spending the Easter holidays at home with their parents. * Miss Missouri Hill entertained a number of her friends at her home Thursday night last. * The marriage of Mr. Richard Parker and Miss Angelina Spencer, of Baltimore, took place Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pinkitt and friends motored to Westover Sunday.

RIDGELY, MD.

Ridgely, Md.—The services were well attended all day Sunday at Trinity A. M. E. Church. At 11 a. m., the Easter sermon was preached by the pastor, the Rev. E. H. Purnell. At 3 p. m., the Knights of Pythians had their annual sermon preached by the Rev. R. Bell, of Chester, Pa. There were many visitors from Greensboro, Denton, Hillsboro, and Milford, Del., churches. At 8 p. m., the Sunday-school rendered the Easter program, conducted by Miss Marjorie Eaton and Mr. Clifton Henry. * Sunday, April 19th, is conference claim rally day. Each member is asked to contribute one dollar. ** On last Wednesday, April 15th, the Rev. E. H. Purnell organized "The Jolly Surprise Club at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Flammer's. Mr. Earl Brown is president. Mrs. Verona Thomas, secretary, and Mrs. Elizabeth Harris, treasurer. * Mrs. Estelle Downs is on the sick list. * Miss Della Wilson, who is attending training school in Baltimore, spent Easter vacation at her home. * Mrs. Russell Wilson gave a party on Thursday evening, April 9th. Many of her Delaware friends and relatives attended. * Those from Ridgely who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clark Wayman, Alice and Lyda Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Harford Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Truxton. * Miss Carrie L. Jones left Friday morning for her Easter vacation, which she is spending in New York City with her sister. She expects to return on Monday and take up her school work. * The Caroline County contest will be held at Replanted Zion M. E. Church, Ridgely, Md. on April 17th. * Mrs. Janie Jackson Thomas, a former supervisor of Caroline county, motored from Smyrna, Del., and spent a few hours with Mr. and Mrs. Harford Ward, on Easter Sunday.

SELLMAN, MD.

Sellman, Md.—Miss Julian Dorsey is on the sick list. ** At Poolesville A. M. E. Church, the new pastor, the Rev. Hall, preached. The Rev. P. W. Middleton was the former pastor. ** At Poplar Grove Church services were conducted by the pastor, the Rev. Botts. The Sunday school at Poplar Grove rendered an Easter program.

BRITTON, MD.

Britton, Md.—Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Helb, of Leonardtown, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Weale. * The parent and teacher meeting at the Medleys Neck and Red Gate schools Sunday afternoon was well attended. * Mr. J. Rhody Barnes has completed a new dwelling house on the Ford's farm, Medleys Neck. * Miss Dorothy Allen, local teacher, was called to her home on Saturday.

CRISFIELD, MD.

Crisfield, Md.—St. Paul A. M. E. Church, Sunday, April 12th: 9 a. m., class meeting as usual; 11 a. m., special sermon by pastor and remarks by the Rev. John S. Collins, presiding elder, of Hagerstown District; 3 p. m., a beautiful program was rendered by the Sunday school. At this service, the Rev. Daniel Quilling, the new pastor of Shiloh M. E. Church and congregation worshiped with the Sunday school. Also the Rev. A. D. Manuel, pastor of Zion Baptist Church, Broad street. The beautifully decorated church added much interest to the fine Easter program. Mr. Peter Broughton, superintendent; the Rev. W. T. Brown, pastor. ** Shiloh M. E. Church, Sunday, April 12th: 9 a. m., class meeting led by D. J. Waters; 11 a. m., sermon by the Rev. Daniel Quilling, formerly of Snow Hill, Md., now the new pastor of Shiloh. The Rev. Quilling preached from Phillipians 3rd and 10th; 2 p. m., Sunday school; 8 p. m., a great Easter program was rendered to a crowded church. The exercises mingled with the melodious choruses was great. The Revs. W. T. Spellman, I. D. Pitts, W. T. Brown worshipped at Shiloh. The Rev. Daniel Quilling, pastor. ** Union Baptist Church will resume services under the direction of the Rev. A. D. Manuel, of Pocomoke City. ** The Rev. G. W. Gunn preached at Enon Baptist Church Sunday. ** Mrs. Belle Collins, Mrs. Caroline Long, Mr. Woodie Long and Mr. Jmaes Coston motored to Tinley's Chapel Wednesday, April 8th, to attend the funeral of Mr. Julius Long. ** Mr. Edward Fletcher and Mrs. Genesta Hall made a busines strip to Salisbury, Md., Thursday, April 9th. ** Messrs. John Johnson, Douglas Sutton, Samuel Douglass, John Davis and Samuel Purnell departed for Bivalve, N. J., Thursday, April 9th. ** Miss Rehab Miles, age 25 years, of Hopewell, and Mr. George White, age 34, of Baltimore City, were recently married. Mr. and Mrs. White will reside at the home of the bride. ** Mrs. Sarah Thomas, of Philadelphia, Pa., was a visitor at the Thomas residence, south Fourth street, this week. ** Mr. Edward Sutton, of south Fourth street, has returned home fro a brief stay, after which he is expecting to return to Port Norris, N. J. ** Mr. George Little, of Baltimore, inspector for the Mutual Benefit Society of Baltimore, Md., was in town this week. Mr. Little is a very congenial inspector. ** Mr. D. J. Waters, Miss Thelma Waters and Mr. C. E. Hearn were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stora W. Chatman, Sunday, April 12th. ** Mr. Elmer Wicks and his Crisfield Giants motored to Onancock, Va., to play the Onancock Baseball Club. The APRO will be found at C. E. Hearn's store.

QUEENSTOWN, MD.

Queenstown, Md.—Quite a large crowd attended services at Bryan's M. E. Church, Sunday, April 12, 1925. The new pastor, the Rev. Neal, preached here at 3 p. m. A large number of visitors were present. Colection, $10. Sunday school was held at the usual hour. Many of Bryan's members attended the Easter services at Robinson's A. M. E. Church Sunday night. ** Mrs. Bertha Washington, Mrs. Beulah Hynson, and Mrs. Armes Butler, of Philadelphia, are visitors at the homes of their parents during the holidays. ** Miss Fridella Stevens, Mr. Ernest Hadrick and Mr. Edward Butler, of Baltimore, visited their homes during the holidays. ** Mrs. Mamie Williams, Miss M. B. Lytle and Mr. Paul Jones, left Friday to visit family and friends in other cities. ** Mrs. Florence Wilson has returned from the hospital much improved. ** "The Minister's Wife's New Bonnet," which was given at Bryan's M. E. Church, April 9th, received a great success. Many have requested that its performance be repeated. Miss M. B. Lytle, who represented "the City Milliner," triumphed when she sang, "O, Love, Dear Love, True Love."

BOYD, MD.

Boyd, Md.—Mrs. Mary Diggens spent the Easter holidays in Cumberland, Md., as the guest of he rniece, Mrs. Nellie Ashbie. ** Mr. and Mrs. Jesse James motored from Bladensburg, Md., Easter Sunday to visit Mrs. James' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hebron, also Mrs. Ezikia Robinson, of Washington, D. C., at home for the holidays. ** The Boyd Baseball Club played their first game of the season Easter at Dickerson, Md., score 14-3 in Boyd's favor. ** Miss Mabel Turner opened Sunday school Easter Sunday with a very encouraging number. ** Mr. John Parker has purchased a new Ford touring car. ** Master Randolph and Theodore Diggens spent their Easter holidays with their grandmother and brother, in Barnesville, Md. ** Mr. William Dutton motored from Frederick Sunday to visit his sister, Mrs. Clara Dimes.

GRASONVILLE, MD.

Grasonville, Md.—At Robinson A. M. E. Church, the new pastor, Rev. R. C. Stansbury, conducted Easter services Sunday. He preached at 11 o'clock. A pageant was rendered at night. Many out of town visitors were present and worshipped, among whom were the Mesdames Bartha Chambers and Ida Hall, of Newark, Del., and Sarah Crockett, of Baltimore, Md. ** The Rev. R. C. Stansbury was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Simen Washington, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Williams, Jr., and Mrs. Ella Wilkins, Sr. ** Mrs. Stansbury and Mrs. Rachel Herroed spent the week-end in Baltimore. * Prizes were awarded the Misses Mildred Gordon, Bessie Little and Irene Butler for faithful church services. ** The pastor and members of Robinson's Chapel A. M. E. Church and community visited Bryan's M. E. Church and assisted in welcoming the new pastor, the Rev. Neal, to his parish. ** The closing services for the year will be Sunday, April 19th, beginning with general class and ending with the closing sermon and reports for the year at 7:30 p. m. ** Mrs. Ida Butler was slightly bruised in an automobile accident Sunday evening, April 12th. She is much improved. ** The Rev. Stansbury will leave for conference on Tuesday, April 21st.

TURNERS, MD.

Turners, Md.—There was a birthday party given at home of Mrs. Erma Franklin, at Turner's Station, Md., on Wednesday, April 8th. The honored guest received many useful presents. The guests numbered 20. Many interesting games were played, after which a lovely repast was served.

DENTON, MD.

Denton, Md.—The Easter services were well attended at the churches on last Sunday. The collection at Bethel Church was $30. The Rev. A. J. Ward is the pastor. ** Dr. C. H. Reed, of Exmore, Va., also Prof. Adams, of Camden, N. J., were the principal speakers at Bethel A. M. E. Church. Prof. Truxon's orchestra furnished music for the occasion. ** Among the many visitors here to spend the Eastertide holidays were: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reed, of Baltimore, Md.; Dr. and Mrs. Reed, and son, Charles, of Exmore, Va.; Prof. E. L. Adams, of Camden, N. J.; Prof. and Mrs. J. F. Walker, and Mrs. Willie Gibbs, of New Jersey. ** Mrs. Anna Sampson left on last Saturday to spend the Easter holidays with her children, in Philadelphia and Frankfort, Pa. ** Mrs. Mary Greenage, of Philadelphia, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Holmes. ** Miss Mildred Mitchell, Maggie Satterfield and sister, Mrs. Lizzie Dickerson, are visiting relatives in Baltimore. ** Miss Lulu Holmes and Mrs. Mary Greenage, of Philadelphia, were the house guests of Mrs. Viola Boston on last Sunday.

BURRSVILLE, MD.

Bursville, Md.—Mr. Arthur L. Deaton, of Baltimore, spent Easter with his wife. ** Mrs. Walter Mason, of Wilmington, Del., spent Easter with her aunt, Mrs. Amanda Frazier. ** Messrs. Edward H. Cheers and Oscar Hawthorne, spent the Easter holidays in Baltimore. ** The pastor preached Sunday morning from St. Luke 24:5-6. ** Mr. James H. Wilson met with a painful accident when he had his arm broken Thursday by a fall. ** Mrs. Mamie Crowner and Estelle Teat were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clayton Friday evening. ** An Easter program was rendered Sunday evening. Mr. Wilson, superintendent; Mr. R. C. Barnard, organist.

COLEMANS MD.

Colemans, Md.—Church services were well attended on Sunday. The Easter sermon was preached by the pastor, the Rev. J. H. Nutter. * On S