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ROCK HALL ITEMS.

Watchfulness and Prayer, or Activity, the Christian's duty, was the subject of a most excellent sermon, instructively delivered by Rev. Mr. Burr on Sunday morning at the M. E. Church before a large audience. The subject of the reverend gentleman's evening sermon was "The Man who came in at the Eleventh Hour," which was also a splendid discourse in the presence of a very large and appreciative congregation. The interests of the church numerically, financially and spiritually, is very much in the ascending since the late revival meetings which calls forth pleasing comments from the old stagers and outside observers.

The delightfulness of Saturday and Sunday's weather put new life and vigor in many of our people. The still balmy air of Monday morning was resonant with the chuck, chuck, of gasoline boats on their way to the fishing camps at Love Point. About two dozen of them, it is said, left our harbors from daylight to 8 o'clock. Fishermen at Love Point are catching some fish since the cold snap of last week, and what is very unusual for this time of year, they are catching some very fine shad. One crew on Saturday having caught eight, and each crew caught several. Other watermen are rapidly preparing to get away from here before freezing weather catches them on this side. All are anticipating a good winter work, barring severe freezing. The oyster business with us is still a small thing, whittled down to a very fine point.

Mr. Charly Kerr, Jr., has moved down to East Neck Island and Mr. James Quick, having purchased the property vacated by Mr. Kerr, has moved thereto. Mr. Newt. Harrison has moved from the Reiche property on Allen's Lane to a dwelling further down the lane and Mr. Jos. R. Ryan, Jr., with his young bride, will occupy the Reiche property.

Mr. William Culley, who has been quite ill for a long while but was thought to be convalescing, was taken with a relapse on Sunday necessitating the attendance of Dr. Selby. He was removed to the Hospital on Wednesday.

Mr. Joseph R. Ryan, Jr., and Miss Ella A. Sanford were quietly married on Tuesday evening at the M. E. Parsonage Rev. Mr. Burr officiating. Best wishes of a host go with them for a long blissfull voyage.

Mr. S. J. Wickes and Madame are still enjoying home grown roasting ears.

Mr. Singleton Bryden, who during the past summer was disabled by a cow, we are sorry to say, is still compelled to use crutches.

George W. Mowbray Esq., a prominent attorney of Baltimore, and the present head of Maryland Odd Fellowship, paid Maxwell Lodge of Odd Fellows a business and fraternal visit on Tuesday evening. He made a most excellent address before an interested audience. He also made a glowing report of the progress of the Order in Maryland. There will be about 1000 increase in membership for the currant year.

As announced in the News last week, Mrs. Anna May Prettyman, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Downey, was married last week in New Castle, Del. The groom is Mr. Geo. H. Matthews. They will make their home at Hotel D'Arles, St. Louis, Mo.

SASSAFRAS ITEMS.

There will be The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper administered in the Rehoboth M. P. Church on next Sunday morning, December 15th. Special service will be held and the church choir will render some elaborate music. Every one is invited to join in these services.

Mr. and Mrs. Royden Caulk entertained for several days last week his cousin, Mrs. John Elliott, nee Miss Fannie Caulk, of Newark, Delaware, and Miss Crawford.

Word has been received here of the serious illness of Mr. Phenus Johns, formerly of Sassafras but now of Wilmington, who is visiting relatives in Baltimore. His son, Bayard, has been to his bed side.

The handsome new home of Capt. Andrew W. Woodall on "The Kitty Knight" estate owned by him at Georgetown has been newly renovated by contractors, Messrs. W. S. & A. M. Culp, in fact, nearly all newly remodeled. It is now one of the most modern and elegant country homes on the Eastern Shore.

The Aid Society under the auspices of the Rehoboth M.P. Church will be entertained on Thursday evening at the home of Mr. Jacob F. Shalleross.

The poultry and oyster supper and country store under the auspices of the Jr. O. U. A. M. was greatly enjoyed by all and was most successful, about 35 dollars being realized. The Sassafras council wishes to take this method through your valuable paper to most hearty thank the ladies and all who so kindly assisted in this function in helping the lodge members to make their supper a success. T. A. Walter, Esq., State Councilor was present and made an eloquent address.

Little Miss Lucy Griffith was one of the bright scholars that attended the teachers association with her sister and father, Mr. Harry Griffith, at Chestertown, last week and won fresh laurels by her brightness.

STILL POND NOTES.

Misses Edna Wroth and Mary Parsons, of Worton, have accepted positions in Wm. Medders & Co.'s for the holidays.

Mrs. E. H. Collins and Mrs. S. E. Severson spent several days with friends in Baltimore this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hatter, of Philadelphia, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Atwell.

Miss Lelius Walters has returned home after spending several days in Baltimore.

Next Sunday morning our pastor will continue his sermon, "Ruth's Choice." Don't fail to hear him in the evening. Subject will be "How can Epworthians Become Soul Winners."

Our Sunday School will soon be practicing for their Christmas entertainment to be held during the holidays. Old Santa Claus will remember the old as well as the young.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hackett and little daughter, Marghuerite, spent Sunday with relatives in Worton.

The Evenining News in commenting on the asininе statement of Governor Warfield on the late Senatorial primaries asks: "Has the Governor ever heard the story of the Irishman who bet on the horse which came in lengths behind the field? Going up to the jockey and taking him carefully to one side, he asked, curiously, 'I say, bye, what detained yez?'"

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CHURCH NOTES.

Mr. Wm. J. Vansant has been elected president of the Christian Endeavor Society of Christ Church and not Col. Vannort as heretofore announced.

Dr. F. T. Little preached a grand sermon Sunday morning to the Junior Order of U. A. M., his theme being the principles of the order.

Miss Mary Elliott lead the song service at Christ Church Sunday and read a splendid paper on "Dark Days and Their Lessons." Miss Addie Hurlock sang a solo and Miss Bessie Wheatley read a pretty selection. A quartette was rendered by Mrs. Carl Russell, Miss Edith Fallowfield, A. L. Sparks and F.G. Usilton.

Master James Bacchus presided at the pipe organ in Christ Church Saturday and Miss Anna Smyth at the piano, in the absence of the regular organist, Miss Clara Usilton.

IN MEMORIAM.

"Mr. Richard Spencer Wickes died at his home on Eastern Neck Island on Monday, Nov. 25th, of organic heart trouble, aged 54 years. The deceased was born at Wickliffe, and was a son of the late James F. Wickes. He was widely known and highly esteemed by all who knew him, for his integrity and kindly genial disposition. He will be sadly missed by his relatives and many friends by whom he was greatly beloved. He is survived by four sisters and one brother, namely, Mrs. T. Romie Strong, Mrs. Mary A. Bogle, Miss Mattie S. Wickes, Mrs. J. H. Roth, the latter residing in Washington, D. C., and Mr. Robert Wickes. Funeral services were held at St. Paul's Church on Nov. 28th, conducted by Rev. S. R. S. Gray. The pall bearers were: Dr. J. Page Strong, Messrs. Elwood S. Strong, Notley Willson, Frank Sappington, Howard Reese and Wickes Sappington. Interment in St. Paul's cemetery."

The new firm of H. R. Graham & Bro. have taken possession of the Smith & Graham stock and will continue to sell at 10 per cent. discount for cash until end of year.

Murphy & Gibson's Minstrel Company will show in Stam's Hall on Friday, Dec. 27. This is a fine show with a big band and has played for the past ten years at the Steel Pier, Atlantic City.

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