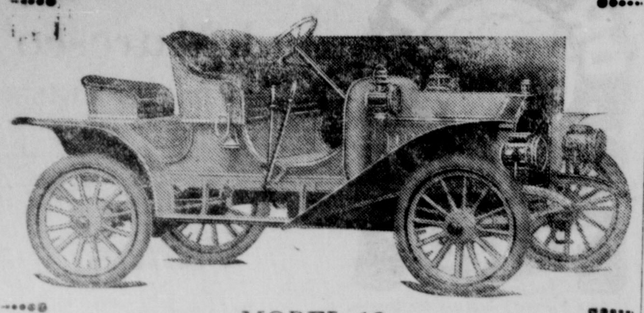
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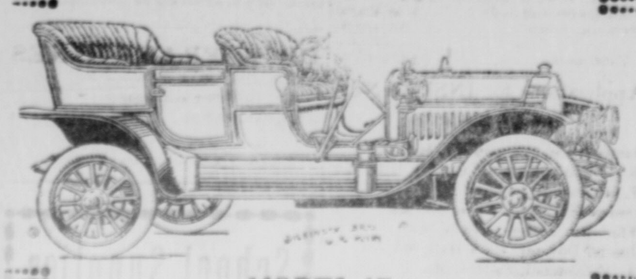
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ROCK HALL NOTES.

Mrs. Mary Baber is extremely ill at this writing.

Capt. G. T. Sewell has been quite indisposed the past week with boils and chills.

Mr. Jas. Jewell, our worthy cemetery caretaker has been quite ill, but is on the improve at this writing.

Mr. C. H. Jones is improving his property on Catholic avenue by erecting a back addition to the dwelling.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis H. Porter, of Rock Hall, Md., died Tuesday morning Dec. 7, at 10.30 o'clock age 6 days. Interment in Wesley Chapel cemetery.

Friend Senior, many in this section join in extending congratulations. May the journey upon which you have just entered be "one sweet song" to you and Mrs. Usilton far beyond the alloted time of man.

Mr. John Beaver, who removed from this place to near Camden, N. J., six months ago has been spending the week here with his mother and other relatives. He returns to New Jersey next week. He has a good situation on a farm on which the peach crop of this year netted the owner $15,000.

Our merchants are very busy these days in Christmas preparations. Mr. W. R. Wilson has been somewhat inconvenienced by the big fire in the city last week. He had purchased a large bill of goods which were destroyed by the fire and he was compelled to go to the city this week for another purchase.

Miss Lydia V. Apsley, who because of her constant attendance upon an invalid mother for six or more months, has been deprived from performing her duties as teacher in the Sunday school, is again in regular attendance much to the pleasure of the young men composing her class. These young men are to be commended for their holding together as a class during these months of unsatisfactory tutorship.

Rev. J. T. Richardson conducted Quarterly Meeting services at Piney Neck M. E. Church on Sunday afternoon. The R. H. Sunday School of which Mr. Richardson is superintendent was in charge of the Asst. Supt. Mr. Taylor, and Mr. Joseph C. Kendall addressed the school upon the theme of the day's lesson, "The Grace of Liberal Giving," laying earnest emphasis on the acceptation af the Best Gift the world has ever known. The Son of God first, then the grace of giving will come easy and natural.

Our oystermen put in good time on the bars last week. Some catching as many as 71 bushels a day and others 400 bushels for the week. The buyers endeavored to run the catch to the city by loading their vessels full under deck and carrying several hundred bushels on deck in order to accommodate the tongmen. The canning house, too, has been running full time with full force. Swan Point bar is crowded with finer oysters than it has ever produced in many years. In spite of the "Hamanites," the bars of the bay and tributaries have repleted themselves to a wonderful extent. No wonder the Shellfish Commission are advocating certain amendments to the Haman Law. Some of our tongmen who have failed to sell their bedded stock are removing them to deeper water for safe keeping during the winters cold. Others are hiring vessels to run their stock to the city market.

MILLINGTON ITEMS.

The Euchre Club met this week with Mrs. Wm. Comegys on Tuesday evening.

"The Hub" has purchased F. S. Bottomley's grocery store and will occupy the same about March 1st, 1910, or sooner if improvements are completed.

Miss Birtie Reed, of Millington, has returned home after spending sometime with friends in Wilmington and Philadelphia.

Mrs. William F. York, of Baltimore, is visiting her sister, Mrs. B. W. Harris.

Rev. R. K. Stephenson preached to a large and attentive congregation last Sunday night. Mr. Stephenson is a former pastor of our church.

Mr. Glenn Anthony moves this week to his farm near town and Mrs. J. A. Orem, of Crumpton, will occupy her home vacated by him next week.

Mr. David Anderson has moved into his new house on Cypress street.

Mrs. Dulaney, of Philadelphia, is visiting Mrs. C. W. Moore.

Mrs. Ross and Mrs. Carlyle spent Friday with Mrs. J. E. DeFord, of Smyrna, Del.

Miss Marian Lockerman is visiting Miss Anna Lancaster, of New Castle, Del.

Mrs. Anna Price, of near town, is visiting friends in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Mollie Chandler and mother, Mrs. Godwin, of Smyrna, and Mrs. Carson, of Baltimore, spent the week with Crumpton friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Moore and friend, Mrs. Dulaney, spent Monday in Chestertown.

The Foreign Missionary Society met this week with Mrs. R. J. Taylor on Thursday at 2 p. m.

The M. P. C. took a short trip Sunday afternoon to Massey to see friends there.

Quite an interesting play entitled "The Wreck of Stebbins Pride" will be given in the town hall about New Year's Day.

STILL POND ITEMS.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Severson and little son, Lindsey, spent part of this week in Baltimore buying Christmas novelties.

Mrs. Gulie Benson, of Anne Arundel county has been visiting relatives in our town.

Miss Gladys Hackett has been under the treatment of Professor Piequart, of John Hopkins Hospital. She is much improved and will be home next week.

Miss Ida Wood has been visiting Miss Ethel Rash, of Worton.

Mrs. Lavinia Harper and Mrs. Sallie Parrott spent Tuesday in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ford spent Sunday with relatives in Crumpton.

"Bake Day," held by the Junior League last Saturday was well attended and quite a little was realized.

Mr. Holton Parr, of Washington College, spent Sunday with his parents at Hotel Parr.

Mr. William Stanley and son, Harry spent several days in Baltimore.

Old Santa Claus has visited all our stores and he can easily get suited in toys and other things for the little folks and big folks as well. He says no more sleighs and reindeers for him, now that he has his airship, so we will expect him here to do his buying. Look for him little folks he will now soon come.

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CHESTERVILLE ITEMS.

Emmanuel M. E. Church, South—Sunday school at 10, preaching at 11. League meeting at 7 conducted by Mr. W. M. King.

Trinity, Millington—Sunday school at 2, Preaching at 3. League at 7 conducted by Miss Dasie Felton. Thursday night service at 7.30.

Since the last items from this vicinity appeared four persons have moved into the state of matrimony. Mr. George W. Smith and Miss Laura V. Smith were married at the parsonage. Mr. Leo Gale and Miss Mamie Skinner were married by the bride's uncle, Rev. W. Spencer Skinner, in Wilmington, Del. Mr. and Mrs Gale are of Emmanuel church this place. They are to live in the community much to the satisfaction of their many friends, who all join in wishing them the richest blessings of the present and of the hereafter life.

Miss Etta Jones, of Millington, is spending the week with Mrs. Alday Clements.

The people are begining to move. Mr. Burris of near No. Ten is moving his effects into the Wm. Dill house. Mr. John Stephenson is preparing to move to his farm near Chesterville. Mr. Howard King is about to move to his house in the village and Mr. John Wallace has taken the Crittenden house near the store.

Mr. Andrew Vansant, wife and Miss Bernice made a trip to Baltimore last week.

Miss Minnie Bridsfield was home from the High School for a few days.

The different committees of Emmanuel Sunday School are preparing for the Christmas treat and programme to be given on Tuesday A. M. December 27th.

Mrs. C. M. Moore, of Millington, and Mrs. Dulaney, sister of Judge Tydings, of Anne Arundel county, spent Wednesday at the parsonage.

IN MEMORIAM.

In loving remembrance of my dear husband and brother, JOHN JEFFERS, who departed this life three years ago, Dec. 9, 1906.

I sit alone tonight and gaze
Upon an empty chair.
And memory takes me back to days
When my dear husband sat there.
And now three lonely years have passed
Since I have seen his face.
I think of him just as when last
He sat in his old place.

BY HIS WIFE, MARY E. JEFFERS.

Our brother is sleeping so free from all pain,
O wake him not sweet spirit to suffer again;
He slumbers so sweetly, O let him sleep on.
His sickness is ended, his troubles are gone.

BY HIS SISTER, SALLIE CASEY.

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WEDDING NOTES.

Christ Methodist Protestant Church was the scene of an early marriage Wednesday morning the contracting parties being Miss Addie Skirven Hurlock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hurlock, and for a number of years a faithful and efficient teacher in the Chestertown High School, and Mr. Frederick Gleaves Usilton, senior editor of the KENT NEWS. The Church had been tastefully trimmed with palms and ferns by friends of the couple and looked beautiful. To the strains of sweet music rendered by Miss Clara Usilton the couple approached the altar where they were met by their pastor, Dr. F. T. Little, who performed the impressive ceremony which made them man and wife. The bride wore a tailor-made costume of blue chiffon broadcloth and carried a white morocco bound bible. After the ceremony the couple boarded the train at Chestertown for points north. Upon their return home next week they will reside in their new residence on Washington avenue. Among the many presents were two of a public nature, viz., an onyx clock from the Kent County Savings Bank, of which the groom is vice-president, and a silver tea set and pearl-handle knives from Christ Church Sunday School.

BECK—PERRY.

Miss E. Mackey Perry, daughter of Mr. John M. Perry, of "Readbourne," Centreville, became the bride of Mr. S. Scott Beck, of Chestertown, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Louis E. Skinner, of Swarthmore, Pa., on Wednesday, Dec. 8th, at 1.30 p. m. The bride attired in a beautiful gown of London smoke broadcloth and a black picture hat with plumes, wore a huge bunch of violets and a beautiful diamond and pearl brooch, a gift of the groom. The bride was given away by her father and the groom was accompanied by his best man, Mr. Louis E. Skinner. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Walter A. Matos, priest in charge of Trinity P. E. Church, Swarthmore. Immediately after the ceremony a buffet luncheon was served. Those present included the immediate family of both the bride and groom. Mr. and Mrs. Beck left for a trip South and will reside at Chestertown upon their return home.

YOUNGER—BECK.

The wedding of Miss Mabel Browne Beck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Beck, of near Melitota, and Mr. Romie Younger took place on Wednesday evening last. The bride and groom were attended by Miss Louise Beck and Mr. Raymond Hudson. Rev. G. A. Morris performed the ceremony in the presence of over 200 persons. Many beautiful and useful presents were received. A splendid supper was served by the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Younger will reside on the Hudson farm and have the best wishes of many friends.

CLASSEN—RAYNER.

Miss Mamie W. Rayner, daughter, of Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Rayner, of 1824 Bolton street, Baltimore, was married to Mr. Henry W. Classen at noon Saturday by the Rev. J. Ross Stevenson. After a trip North Mr. and Mrs. Classen will occupy apartments at the Cecil, Baltimore.

GALE—SKINNER.

Mr. Leo Gale and Miss Mamie Skinner both of Chesterville, Kent, county, were married on Nov. 27th at Wilmington, Del., by the bride's uncle Rev. W. Spencer Skinner, pastor of the Whitehall Baptist Church of Philadelphia, Pa.

Mr. Hackett Emerson and Miss Edith Smith, of Crumpton, were quietly married in Philadelphia, Sunday, November 21st. Mr. Emerson is the affable headsalesman in C. C. Jones' large shoe store in Chestertown.

CHURCH NOTES.

The 3rd Quarterly Conference for Galena Circuit will be held on Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 11 and 12th. Business meeting at Galena, on Saturday, Jan. 11th at 3 p. m. Preaching by Rev. R. K. Stephenson, at Sassafras, Sunday, Jan. 12th at 10.30 a. m.

Miss Hope Sappington lead the early service at Christ M. P. Church Sunday evening and had a very interesting program. Mrs. Mamie Dodd rendered a pretty solo. Dr. Little preached the fifth sermon in the series on "Joseph" to a large congregation in Christ Church Sunday evening.

WE are in receipt of the new book, "Fairfield's Poultry Health and Profit," just issued by the Fairfield Mfg. Co., of Philadelphia, Pa., whose advertisements of their separate preparations for farm animals appear regularly in this paper. This book is the most modern, scientific and common-sense treatise on the care of poultry ever issued. Readers of the NEWS may obtain a copy of the book free of charge from the merchant who handles the Fairfield Blood Tonics in this town. Read Fairfield's advertisements on other pages for merchants name.

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