msa_sc2901_scm1628-0849 ©Maryland State Archives

ROCK HALL NOTES.

Tomorrow (Sunday) will be observed as "Universal Fraternal Day" at the M. E. Church where appropriate exercises will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. W. Prettyman. The seven or eight secret benevolent organizations with headquarters in this town have been invited to attend in a body. The secret orders and this entire community are fortunate in having such a whole-souled and liberal minded minister of the Gospel as Mr. Prettyman has proved himself to be during his pastorate here, and this is as it should be. The secret benevolent organizations perform a work that the church can not or does not do. As it required both peaks of Ararat to hold Noah's ark, so both the church and secret benevolent organizations are necessary for the uplift and amelioration of humanity. Mr. Prettyman's liberality toward our secret orders recalls the days of Father George Ott, whose delight was to entertain the orders of this place at St. John's church with appropriate discourses. Every "Frater" in this section should make it a point to be in atterdance tomorrow morning if possible.

Mr. Henry Bullen while assisting Mr. Gus Harding on Thursday of last week to saw fire wood with a power rig lost several fingers by his hand coming in contact with the circular saw. Dr. Selby rendered surgical aid.

Mr. George A. Coleman, who has been in the U. S. navy for nearly three years, is now at the home of his father, Capt. J. B. Coleman. Because of long continued ill health, George has been finally discharged from Uncle Sam's service.

Mr. Charles Downey, a 74 year youngster, who is employed on our public thoroughfares is doing the work in amount and quality of men 30 years his junior.

The body of the colored boy who was lost from Capt. Smith's bugeye recently has been found and was brought here for burial on Tuesday.

Capt. J. B. Downey is quite ill and under the care of Dr. Beale.

—OUR—
THANSGIVING
TO YOU

It is our sincere desire to extend to you at this Thanksgiving time our whole hearted gratitude for your patronage of the past year.

It is through you that we have been able to grow to our present size.

It is through your liberal patronage that we have been able to succeed and enjoy our present profitable business.

It is through your appreciation of our efforts to give a better store service that we have been able to extend and improve our service until it is now one of the most important features of our store.

And in recognition of our obligation to you we most earnestly thank you and wish you the happiest of Thanksgiving days.

H. Sachs & Son
Leaders in Ladies and Men's Wear
Toulson Building Chestertown, Md

Why Should You Buy Your Shoes From Us?

FOR QUALITY
We sell Shoes made of the finest materials that can be put into them at the price, because we want you to come again.

FOR STYLE
We keep our line modern and up-to-date. All the new things when they are new.

FOR COMFORT
Because of the large assortment of different shape shoes from which to take your selection.

Let Us Put A Pair o fOur (Good Shoes) On You Today

C. C. JONES
PHONE 222-2
"The Shoe Man" Chestertown, Md.

Don't you know that we're making a good many OVERCOATS

DON'T YOU BUY ONE unless you let me show you the saving It's the same on OVERCOATS as on Suits. Then you're measured and then they're tailored by clean people, both from a sanitary view point and manner of trading, insuring you absolute security in more ways than one, and this superior service is at your command for less money than you're now asked for ready-made clothes.

WHY?

No large stock to carry and carry over, large rents, general losses and large expenses generally. This is the plain solution. Look and you'll see.

A nice line of Raincoats direct from a large manufacturer just in and will be sold likewise.

Give me six days to make a Sui or Overcoat, two days on Rain coats and I can deliver them to you from our New York plant.

W. E. MOODY
CHESTERTOWN, - - - MARYLAND
Office under Voshell House, next to Robt. McWhorter's.

CHURCH NOTES.

Sunday was observed in Christ M. P. Church as a day for the study of the life of Moses. In the morning Dr. Graham preached a strong sermon on "The Promised Land." In the Sunday school Miss Bessie Wheatley read the beautiful poem by Mrs. Alexander on "The Burial of Moses." Other selections were given by Misses Mamie Thompson, Maud Duyer, Messrs. Robert Huey, Frank Elburn and Lewin Howard. At the night service Dr. Graham preached on "Truth in the inward parts."

Chestertown M.E.Church—Rev. Louis E. Barrett, D. D., pastor. Services next Sunday, Nov. 23rd, as follows: 10.30 a m., preaching by the pastor, subject, "The Great Statesman"; 2.15 p. m. Sabbath school and Pastor's Bible Class; 7 p. m., Epworth League Song Service; 7.30 p. m., preaching by the pastor. All invited.

Union Thanksgiving Services will be held in the Chestertown M. E. Church on Thursday, Nov. 27th, at 10.30 a. m. Appropriate music by the choir, and a sermon by Rev. Dr. Graham, of the M. P. Church. All the churches are requested to unite in this service.

Christ Methodist Protestant Church, Rev. W. R. Graham, D. D., pastor. Regular services on Sunday, Nov. 23rd, and preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Subject for the morning sermon, "The Two-fold Blessedness of Life." Subject for the evening sermon "Two Boys brought up in the same home and what became of them." Sabbath school 2.30 p. m. Christian Endeavor service 6.45 p. m. Mid-week service Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

Still Pond and Betterton M. E. Churches, F. X. Moore, Pastor:—Our Third Quarterly Conference will be held at Betterton next Friday night, Nov. 28th, at 7.30 o'clock. All official members of the charge are earnestly requested to be present.

Work on the new Betterton Church is progressing rapidly. The corner stone will be laid on Sunday, Nov. 30th. The Still Pond congregation will be asked to worship with the Betterton people on that occasion. Rev. Dr. Barrett has kindly consented to preach and assist in all the services. Many people of this county and elsewhere have a special interest in Betterton because of its amusements during the summer months. We trust they will show a special interest in her religious life by being present at the corner stone laying and assisting in the finances. Further notice will appear in next week's papers.

Order of services for tomorrow:

Still Pond—Sunday School 9.30 a. m., preaching 10.45 a. m., subject, "The Christians Joy"; Epworth League 7.30 p. m; Evening Sermon 8 p. m.

Betterton—Sunday school 2 p. m., preaching 3 p. m., Epworth League 7.30 p. m.

In the absence of pastor called away for a funeral, Rev. E. H. Derrickson, of Church Hill will preach at Union M. E. Church Crumpton charge at 10.30 a, m. Nov. 23rd, and at Double Creek M. E. Church at 3 p. m. and at Crumpton M. E. Church at 7.30 p. m.

Advices from the Virginia Conference state that Rev. Dr. Carey, for the past four years pastor of Trinity Church, Salisbury, has been appointed Presiding Elder of Farmville District. This is a splendid appointment and is quite a promotion for Dr. Carey. Dr. Carey graduated here and is favorably known in Chestertown.

Revival Services at Salem M.E Church Sunday and all the week.

Rev. G. R Neese and other ministers will assist. All welcome.

STILL POND ITEMS.

Mr. Ben Quimby, of Seaford, spent Tuesday in our town and attended the funeral of Mr. Harry Laymen, of Baltimore.

Mrs. Laura Birth and Mrs. Georgia Norris returned home for the winter after spending six weeks with friends in Wilmington.

Mrs. Maude Drewe, of Baltimore, spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. James Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ricards have moved to our town and will make this their future residence.

Messrs. James and Ralph Geary visited Baltimore during the week.

Mr. George Atwell we are very glad to state is daily improving.

The Epworth league leader for Sunday evening is Mrs. Amy Bennett. Topic, "What is my greatest cause for gratitude."

Rumor has it one of our young men is soon to become a benedict. Guess!

Pasture and lime were discussed at the meeting of the Still Pond Farmers' Club at Mr. E. B. Pennington's. Mr. Pennington told how he had kept the same field in pasture for twenty-seven years. It is better now than it was twenty-five years ago. He used one bushel of rye, half peck cloves, half peck of timothy and two pecks Orchard grass per acre, and has limed, manured and fertilized at intervals. His experience proves that it pays to give the grass crop some attention. At least one-fifty of every farm can be used profitably as a permanent pasture.

The use of finely ground stone lime was recommended. It costs about $1.75 for 98 per cent. pure and 75 per cent. fine. It was agreed that lime would make at least ten or fifteen bushels per acre increase in the yield of corn.

The address of both the Host and Hostess were excellent. The minutes of a club meeting held twenty-five years ago were read showing that Still Pond Farmers' Club was very full of energy and enthusiasm at that time. Mrs. Pennington called the attention of the members to the fact that they had drifted away from some of the old established rules. It was resolved that the old rule in regard to bill of fare and the regular rotation of meeting places be re-established and the old question box was revived.

The next meeting will be held at Mr. S. G Roseberry's on the last Friday in November. Aid for the farmers wives will be the subject for discussion.

Mrs. Annie Alexander spent a few days here last week. To the gratification of her many friends in this section her health continues good.

Eight Men Rescued—The crew of the Susquehanna, of the Tolchester Line, saved eight men from death in the Susquehanna river on Tuesday morning by taking them from a burning gasoline launch between Port Deposit and Havre de Grace. The second officer on the steamer drew Capt. John Kirwin's attention to a red glare an the water and by the use of glasses the blazing launch was plainly seen. The engine of the launch, which was used daily to convey men to Keystone Company's quarries, had suddenly backfired and ignited the the gasoline. Two of the men, Samuel Ward and William Price, are residents of Hrave de Grace, and the other six are laborers.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

DEATHS.

Mrs. Emily Kent Robertson, beloved wife of William H, Robertson, died suddenly at her home on Princess, street, Chestertown, at 3 P. M. Saturday, aged 64. Some months ago Mrs. Robertson sufferod a stroke of paralysis from which she seemed to have recovered. Thursday evening she attended prayer service at her church and on Friday seemed to be especially bright and cheerful. Friday night she was taken sick but improved sufficient to come down stairs and lie on the sofa. Mr. Robertson, ever solicitous about her, gave her medicine as prescribed by Dr. H. B Simmons, and was almost constantly at her side. Just before 3 o'clock her husband went outside the door to get her some oysters and upon his return found her unconscious. Dr. Simmons was summoned but life had gone in an instant and he pronounced it paralysis of the heart.

For 43 years, these two, Mr. and Mrs. Robertson, have journeyed happily together. Their home life was ideal, each living for the other, while their neighborliness could not be surpassed. Ever since their removal to Chestertown in 1887, the deceased has been a loyal, devoted and faithful member of Christ Meth. Prot. Church and Sunday school where she had a host of sincere and tender friends. She was aetive in all the work of the church and nothing was too hard for her when good was its object. She had high ideals and lived for these things rather than for the things that perish. Oh, how we'll miss her, and this whole community will feel her loss. He life was gentle and her death sublime. She loved the good and all the good loved her. Her husband has lost his devoted friend; the church an earnest worker; the community a good christian.

The deceased leaves, besides her husband, one daughter, Mrs. Annie T. Plummer; three brothers, Samuel Davis, of New York; David and George Davis, of Philadelphia; and two sisters, Mrs. Mary Green, of New Jersey; Miss Sarah Davis, of Philadelphia.

The funeral was held Tuesday at one o'clock at the home of her husband Dr W. R. Graham conducted the funeral services. Music was rendered by Misses Clara Usilton, Flora Wheatley, Mrs. J. H. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred. G. Usilton and Webster Hague. The floral offerings were beautiful. Interment was in Chester cemetery; the pall bearers were: Messrs. William A. Burk, Wm. A. Wheatley, Chas. S. Smith, Fred. G. Usilton, A. S. Crawford, Jas W. Lambert; Undertaker, Charles L. Dodd.

Miss Hallie Ireland died at her home on Water street early Wednesday morning. She had been sick for many months with spinal trouble but when the end came she passed quietly away without a struggle. During all the months of her illness she had the loving patient care of her devoted sister, Miss May Ireland, who did everything possible for her comfort, as did other members of the family and friends. She was 40 years of age and leaves two brothers J. Herman Ireland, of Baltimore, and William Ireland, of Philadelphia, also two sisters, Mrs. John Comegys and Miss May Ireland. The funeral was held yesterday with interment at Shrewbury. Dr. H. B. Martin officiating. The bearers were Sam'l E. Emory, Paul Comegys, Spencer Comegys, Jesse Ireland, Edw. Hurtt and John Nivin. J. E. Ferguson undertaker.

Fredus Price died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. G. C. Wroth, Phila., Thursday, aged 65. Interment Monday 11.30 a. m. in Still Pond cemetery; Rev. F. X. Moore officiating; Wm. H. Kruseo, undertaker.

Mr. Owen B. Crow is expected home from Sabillasville this evening. He writes to the News that he will continue to do business with all customers and general public the same as ever until sale of goods is effected keeping always a full stock of everything. He will have his xmas adv. later.

BETTERTON NOTES.

While returning from Still Pond, Mrs. Morgan and Mrs. James Sutton narrowly escaped serious injury. Their horse becoming frightened and ran away, the ladies had quite a time stopping it and didn't get it under control until they were nearly at Betterton.

Mrs. John F. Green spent a few days last week at the nome of Mrs. Sewell Hepbron and while there attended the Auxiliary at Chestertown, being delegate from Betterton.

Mrs. William Owens spent a few days in Baltimore last week.

Mrs. A. Mair entertained a few friends at her home last week.

Mrs. Arthur Brice and children have returned home after spending sometime with relatives in Talbot county.

Mr. W. B. Councilman, Jr., has gone to a Baltimore hospital for treatment his mother accompanying him.

It is rumored that we are to have an Episcopal Chapel here. It is just what is needed, as there are quite a number of Episcopalians here. All who are interested should lend a helping hand to make it a reality.

Mrs. Howard Owens and young son are visiting relatives in Queen Annes.

Messrs. Scott Cownhart, Floyd Crownhart and Oscar Wilmer have gone to North Carolina.

The new State Road between Betterton and Still Pond is being shelled, the work is progressibg finely. When said road is finished it will be a fine one, and one that has been needed badly, as this road is used so much at all times of the year.

The Episcopal services are being held every Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs Hickman's, Hotel Belmont. Every one is cordially invited to attend. Services start four o'clock.

Littleton Crew and Mr. Bryant, of Alleghany, Pa., were out gunning last Wednesday and bagged twenty-two fine ducks. Crew is sure getting them. In four trips he and his parties have killed ninety-seven ducks.

Rumor says we are to have a wedding soon. Guess who.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant, of Alleghany, Pa., are stopping at the Betterton hotel.

Just Like 'Em.—Bordley & Sons will accept our thanks for one of their beautiful calendars "A message couched in jewels bright," is the title. It is a beauty just such a picture we would expect from Mr. Bordley and his sons.

FOR SALE
—THE—
General Merchandise Business
Of Owen B. Crow,
High Street, Chestertown, Md.

The undersigned is authorized by Mr. Crow to sell his stock of goods. Mr. Crow, on account of health, intending to engage in other business. This stand is one of the best established business stands in Chestertown. His books show an excellent business for the past five years and at the present time.

Stock consists of Groceries, Meats, Boots and Shoes, Notions, Tinware, Hay, Oil, etc

Price $2,500

The Dwelling and Store togethe with warehouse and stable is also for rent at a reasonable rental.

J. Waters Russell,
Real Estate Broker
CHESTERTOWN, - MARYLAND

THE BANK THAT PAYS 4 PER CENT. INTEREST ON SAVINGS DEPOSITS

SOME INTERESTING SATISTICS

A Comparison of Growth of the Four Chestertown Banks

The People's Bank of Chestertown, having recently completed the third year of its business career, the following figures showing its growth in comparison with the growth of the other Chestertown banks, during the early years of their existence, are timely and will prove interesting to all readers, and especially gratifying to the officers, stock-holders and friends of the first named institution.

The figures given are from the sworn statement made by the cashier of The Peoples Bank, October 28, 1913, and from the Bankers Directory, issued July 1897, as applicable to the other three banks as follows:

	Established	Period	Capital	Surplus	Undivided Profits	Deposits
PEOPLES BANK	1910	3 years	$25,000	$5,000	$2,176	$214,488
Kent Savings	1893	4 years	20,000	none	3,170	112,000
Second National	1890	7 years	50,000	10,000	2,500	120,000
Chestertown National	1885	12 years	60,000	12,000	13,000	170,000

Summary—the figures show

That in THREE years the Peoples Bank has $102,000 more in deposits than the Kent Savings held after its FOUR years; $94,000 more than the Second National held at its first SEVEN years, and $43,000 more than the Chestertown National held after tts first TWELVE years.

The figures further show that the Peoples Bank, with a capital of $25,000, has accumulated in THREE years a surplus of $5,000, and undivided profits of $2,176, being a total of $7,176, while at the end of FOUR years, the Savings Bank showd no surplus and only $3,170 in undivided profits. The Second National starting with a capital of $50,000 and surplus of $10,000, showed but $2,500 undivided profits at the end of SEVEN years, and the Chestertown National starting with a capital of $60,000 and $12,000 surplus, showed but $13,000 undivided profits at the end of TWELVE years.

The splendid record of the Peoples Bank has been achieved despite the combined and strenuous opposition of three well established banks in the field, and in the face of a slanderous criticism that predicted dire results of the effort to conduct a banking business along any lines other than dictated by the said combined opposition.

The results shown above prove that the public appreciate a "square deal," liberal treatment and courteous service in banking as in every other branch of human endeavor.

Remember—The Peoples Bank is the ONLY Bank in Kent County that pays

4 PER CENT.

on all Savings Deposits, and Four Per Cent. is one-third more than THREE per cent.

Investigate.

Cordially,

THE PEOPLES BANK

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

DR. H. B. SIMMONS, President
WILLIAM M. SLAY, Counsellor
CAPT. DANIEL HILL
JAMES S. BRADLEY
WILLIAM T. BROWN
WILLIAM G. SMYTH
L. BATES RUSSELL, Vice-President
A. PARKS RASIN, Cashier.
W. IRVING WALKER
JOSEPH DOWNEY
JOHN C. DAVIS
HOWARD F. OWENS

H. F. Jefferson & Bro.
"The Ladies' Store" CHESTERTOWN, MD.

FALL
Announcements

TWICE during each year a store (especially of this sort) presents to the buyer entirely different aspects. In fact, due to our local climate, the Dry Goods Merchant has but two seasons—Fall and Winter merge to make one season, and Spring and Summer the other. To prepare for one of these seasons (six months long) is no small task.

To assist us in this preparation the policy of this store has been to buy only from wholesale houses which are considered foremost in the country, both as to style and quality of their goods. This policy has been the bulwark of whatever success we have achieved as distributors of good merchandise.

In the Departments mentioned below the best the market affords is here NOW for your critical inspection.

Millinery Department

Our stock of Hats is now complete. Our buyers have procured from New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore what in their judgment represented the best tastes in Millinery. We have a remarkable showing indeed to greet you.

Dress Goods Department

The piece goods are so pretty that this season promises to be a record one.

BROCADED VELVETS
VELVET CORDUROYS
SHEPHERD CHECKS
LARGE PLAIDS
SERGES, DIAGONALS
RATINES, Etc.,

are here in abundance.

Suit Department

The stamp of Strawbridge & Clothier is on all our Ladies' Suits. This means for you correct style and value received for your money. Buy your Suit or Coat early, so as to get the pick of our splendid assortment.

Shoe Department

You need not look further than this store to find FASHION'S FAVORITES FOR FALL, 1913.

THE J&K SHOE
FITS THE ARCH

J. & K. SHOES FOR LADIES,
$3.50, $4.00, $4.50, $5.00
MONOGRAM SHOES FOR CHILDREN AND MISSES.
SKUFFERS AND TRAMPWELL,
for Children's School Shoes.

If you come in early, we have all widths and can fit you perfectly.

H. F. Jefferson & Bro.
The Ladies' Store CHESTERTOWN, MD.