RECIPROCITY

When a stranger comes to your town, you are pleased to find him favorably impressed with its beauty, its social and business advantages. You take pride in acquainting him with the flourshing condition of its High School; its churches, the properous condition and stability of its banking institutions. You boast, and rightfully so, of the high moral standing and integrity of its merchants and business men. You point with pride to the many achievements of its many professional men, in their fields of earnest endeavor.

When your base ball team goes after the pennant, you root for them, you believe they have the ability to win; you are with them heart and soul, your loyal support accelerates them to a "win or bust" determination, and their success is in a great measure due to the fact that the old home town was behind them, to the last man.

Your banks give you efficient service, and are successful, because of your loyal patronage; you depend on them, and they on you. You do not go to some distant town or city, for your every day needs; you patronize the home merchant, because you want your money to go to the up-building of the old home town. You divide your patronage among the various businesses because you desire mutual success, and prosperity all around. Your business men and professional men, your banking institutions, your stores, your schools and your churches, are successful, because of mutual reciprocity. They give you the best there is in them, and in return you give them your loyal support.

This same rule applies likewise to the local newspaper. No business is of more importance to the maintenance of healthy business, and social conditions, no profession more worthy of your undivided support, or more essential in your home life, than the old home paper. It is the medium by which merchant and customer are brought together. It gives you the news of the surrounding country, tells you what your friends are doing, boosts for the schools, social up-lift, better conditions, cleaner politics, and is a constant support of civic righteousness. However, its success in its field of endeavor is measured by the support of the community; the more it comes it enter the greater its efficiency, the larger its circulation, the greater its power for good.

The American Union is, we believe, the best newspaper in the county. We have been giving the public news of the town, county, and neighboring sections. Farm Bureau, Church and society doings, in fact every thing in which the general public is interested, and we greatly appreciate the generous support which the community has given us. In fact we have prospered, our business has grown to such an extent as to necessitate the installment of much new equipment, and extra help to handle it. We have added new features to our paper from time to time, and are now planning for further addition to our staff and we desirous of adding to our subscriber's list, so that more may benefit by our new attractions. We want to give service and more service. Get in the game with us! Help us boost the circulation of the American Union.

We need your money, and we need your support. Give us an opportunity to greater serve the public. Give us the same reciprocity which you give other fellows who work for the interest of the old home county, and we'll show you that the benefits derived will pay you a hundred fold. Let E Pluribus Unum, be our watch word.

Caroline Circuit

Chas. I. Cummings, Pastor

The Christian Endeavor social of Ames Methodist Protestnat Church held at the Parsonage last Friday was thoroughly enjoyed by all The younger set occupied one section for pleasure while the older ones selected the library for their evenings fun. Games of all sorts and amusements to create laughter were the order of the evening after which light refreshments were served. All went home happy especially the older folks who pronounced it the best attended for many days.

Next Sunday at 10 a. m. the Men's Bible Class of Thawley's will be organized and officers elected. This class has the promise of doing great things in the community as the members are anxious to accomplish results. The women of Thawley's Sunday school are also planning to organize their Sunday school class and compete with the men.

The services at Piney Chapel on the Sabbath were enjoyed by all who attended. The church was nearly filled and the interest in the service is noticed Sabbath after Sabbath. The Sunday school is preparing to hold its Children's Day service next Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m.

The childrens day exercises at Ames Methodist Protestant sunday school will no doubt be the best that have been held in this church for years if the interest by the school counts for anything. The classes are now endeavoring to excel each other in every way especially in raising missionary offering. The exercises as heretofore stated will take place in the church next Sunday evening at 8 p. m.

Last Sunday the Methodist Protestant Sunday school at Burrsville presented a fine program to the audience that filled the church and ilses. Many were unable to gain admittance. One of the features of the day was the duet rendered by the "Howard sisters" entitled "In the Garden." The offering was the largest received from this church on childrens day and amounted to $50.47. Those who had charge of the children are to be congratulated for the excelency attained.

Last Thursday the first quarterly conference of the Caroline Circuit was held at Thawley's Chapel at 2 p. m. The regular routine of business was transacted. A portion of the pastors report relating to visiting in the neighborhood of Hobbs showed the following information. Number of visits, 60; number in families 219; number in M. P. church 21; number in other churches 28; number not in church 80; number in M. P. Sunday school 51; number in other Sunday schols 7; number not in Sunday school 120. It would seem from the above figures that there is certainly a chance for Home Missionary work and it certainly presents a fine opportunity for the Home Department.

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RIDGELY

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lane and little son, of Philadelphia, have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Lane, and her mother, Mrs. Virginia Hayes.

The congregation of the Reformed Church gave their pastor and his wife a reception in the basement of the church on Monday evening.

Mrs. Cisco, from Daytona, Fla, has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Booker.

Misses Ethel and Redie Carroll, of Dover, have been spending a few days at the home of their sister, Mrs. Frank Long.

The Women's Community Club has discontinued meetings until after the summer. The club was unable at the final meeting to fill the president's chair. With this exception the officers for the ensuing year are as follows: Vice-president, Mrs. Harvey Sewell; recording and corresponding secretary, Mrs. Paul Sewell; treasurer, Mrs. J. J. Ivison; librarian, Mrs. Herbert Jones; parliamentarian, Miss Elsie Matthews; Lyceum chairman, Miss Ada Matthews.

At the last meeting of the Home Missionary Society held at the home of Mrs. J. D. Davis, Miss Jones, who was delegate of that meeting, which was supplemented by a reading by Miss Elizabeth Wilson, delegate from the Queen Esther Circle. Mrs. Wheatley gave a review of the lesson topic "Slavonic Mission Centers," and also gave a very interesting account of her friendship with a Slav who became a deaconess.

Miss Lorraine Swing, a member of the Junior class of the Ridgely High School, entertained the Seniors at a "Weinie" roast last Thursday evening.

Prof. and Mrs. F. A. Stayer entertained the Senior class last Friday evening.

Mr. Paul Neff and family of Oak Lane, Pa., are visiting relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Smith, Jr., and little daughter, of Baltimore, have been spending a few days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Smith.

Mrs. W. M. Wiley, Mrs. J. J. Ivison and Miss Elsie Matthews represented the Community Club in the interest of County Home Demonstration work at a meeting of the County Commissioners held in Denton.

Miss Minnie Holsinger, of Dover, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. William Wooters and Mrs. Leroy Detwiller.

Mr. F. M. Long and son, Armel, have been visiting relatives in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sides, of Chestertown, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Starkey.

Dr. and Mrs. Garrison, of Baltimore, have been visiting at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. T. L. Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Smith, Jr., with their little daughter, from Elizabeth, N. J., are visitors at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Smith.

Rev. M. E. Wheatley attended the funeral of Mr. William Hopkins at Centreville on Sunday week and assisted Rev. Frank White with the funeral service.

Mr. and Mrs. Sholfer, parents of Mrs. George Fitz, will make their home with Rev. and Mrs. Fitz at the Reformed parsonage. Shortly after his arrival Mr. Sholfer was taken to Easton Hospital where he underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. James P. Swing, Jr., of the University of Maryland, Baltimore, was home for the week-end.

Mrs. Thomas Cooper, of Wilmington, is spending the week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lane.

Mr. George Russell, of Greensboro, and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Russell motored to Cambridge recently to visit their brother, Mr. P. T. Russell, who is ill in the hospital tnere.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Peacock, of Jamaica, L. I., have been spending a few days with the latter's mother, Mrs. C. O. Starkey.

Samuel J. King, president of the graduating class of Ridgely, has been awarded a scholarship for Blue Ridge College.

Mr. T. W. Jones has returned form a three weeks stay in Norfolk, Va.

Mr. M. H. Swing is spending ten days with friends in New Jersey.

Mrs. Earl Godfrey, of Wilmington, has been visiting at the home of Mrs. Harry Robinson, Mrs. Godfrey, before her marriage, was Miss Bernice Austin and resided in Ridgely for a number of years.

Mrs. Joshua Van Sant, of Clayton, has been visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Sparks.

Mrs. Clinton Roberson and children of Oxford have been spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Pearsual.

On Sunday morning the new pastor of the Reformed Church, Rev. George Fitz, was ordained and installed. Services were in charge of the late pastor Rev. S. A. Troxell, of Baltimore. The sermon was preached by Rev. Clement de Chanb, of Waynesboro, Pa.

The garment factory here has been closed for a few days, waiting for new material to work upon.

Mrs. Frank Seward and Mrs. Carolyn Mancha went to Easton last Thursday, the former to visit her mother Mrs. Ralph, and the latter to visit her sister, Mrs. Joseph Muller.

Rev. M. E. Wheatley entertained the Wednesday night prayer meeting with a very interesting description of the general conference at Springfield which he attended.

Miss Mildred Swann, of Baltimore, has been spending a few days at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Swann.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Parsons, of Harrington spent Decoraton Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Thompson.

Mrs. Davis, with her granddaughter, from Wilmington, has been visiting at the home of her brother, Mr. C. O. Strakey.

Mrs. Harry Lobb and daughter, of Media, Pa., are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Weaver, and with other relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Holsinger, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Thompson, Mrs. Noah Turner and Mrs. William Cannon motored to Harrington on Sunday and were entertained at dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Parsons.

Mrs. Sallie Redhead, of Federalsburg, is the guest of Mrs. I. E. Mason.

Mrs. J. H. Hemmons entertained her Sunday school class at her home on Wednesday evening of last week.

Mr. Thomas Heather and family, of Marydel, were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Heathers sister, Mrs. Mame Smith.

The Sewing Circle of the Reformed Church have discontinued meetings until after the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Elliott and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wood were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wood, near Centreville.

Mr. Perry Hadlock, of Boston, has been visiting at the home of his cousin, Mr. L. M. Goodwin.

Mrs. Victor Camper and son, of Easton, have been visiting at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Charles Hammond.

Misses Dempsey Kinnamon and Eva Williamson, of Goldsboro, have been visiting Mrs. George Cherry.

Mr. J. Mulford Swing is remodeling his residence on Maple avenue.

Mrs. Gilbert Johnson, of Federalsburg, has been spending a few days with her father, Mr. Harry Reininger.

Mrs. William Culver, of Philadelphia, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Robert Dean, near town.

Mrs. C. C. Johnson is in Easton hospital where she underwent an aperation last week.

Mrs. Virginia Hayes has returned from a few weeks visit with her daughter in Philadelphia.

HILLSBORO

Mr. Carlton Smith of Richmond, Va., and Mr. Garry Smith and family of Corney's Point, N. J., spent a part of last week with their sister, Mrs. I. T. Sparklin.

Miss Ella Pennington is spending a few days with friends in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Sparks were in Kennedyville on Sunday.

Mrs. W. L. Thompson, William Thompson and William Cooper were guests of Mrs. Clara S. Evans in Sudlersville on Sunday.

Miss Dora Morris is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harry R. Covell.

Mrs. George B. Stewart was the guest of Mrs. Jno. A. Friel, Centreville on Friday of last week.

Miss Kathrine Jarrell a student of Penn Hall School, Chambersburg, Pa., is spending her vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jarrell.

Mrs. Jas. E. Hicks is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Wilson, George Wilson, Messrs E. S. Blades, Charles E. and Geo. B. Stewart, H. D. Knotts and R. M. Beaven attended the Easton-Dover ball game, at Dover on Memorial Day.

Mrs. Katherine Duffy and Mrs. Charles Jarrell were hastily summoned to Washington on Monday on account of the sudden death of their son and brother, Dr. H. C. Duffy, a prominent physician of Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Shannon Kreamer and two little sons, of Washington, spent the week-end with their uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jarrell.

HENDERSON

Miss Maxine Goodwin, has returned home after spending several days with relatives of Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Mitchell and family of Dover, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jones on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Clark and son, Pierce, and Mrs. F. B. Sweeny were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Carrow, of Greensboro on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Montague and two children and Mr. J. D. Long were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Golt of Wye Mills on Sunday.

Mrs. Ben Mahan and son, Robert, are visiting her father, Mr. Robert Pippin of Ridgely who is very seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sylvester, Miss Bertie Wood, and Miss Kathrine Melvin were Dover visitors on Monday.

Mrs. J. D. Long and Mr. Harvey Thompson spent Monday and Tuesday with Mrs. Long's daughter, Mrs. Wlliam Golt, of Wye Mills. They were accompanied home by little Miss Louise Golt who will spent a few days with her grandparents.

Miss Naomi Smith of Marydel spent the week-end with her cousin, Miss Elma Melvin.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Holland and daughter, Gertrude, of Chester were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Long over the week-end.

Miss Winfred Bell, of Marcus Hook has returned home after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Bell.

Miss Lillian Meredith, and some friends from Philadelphia were guests of her mother, Mrs. John Quillen on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Meredith, Mr. Raymond Meredith and friend of Camden, N. J., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Meredith on Sunday.

HOBBS

Mr. Charles Green of Chester, Pa., is visiting Mr. G. L. Jopp and family.

Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Larrimore and grandson, Thurman, of Gumboro, Del., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Towers and while there made several other calls.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith entertained at dinner last Saturday, Mrs. S. A. Smith of Denton and Mr. E. W. Smith and Miss Florence Buckwater of Philadelphia.

Mr. J. R. Starkey after spending some time here with his family has retuned to his work in Salisbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Boden, Mr. Roland Boden and Mrs. Ben Bausman of Harrisburg, Pa., were week-end guests of their uncle, Mr. G. L. Jopp and family.

Rev. and Mrs. C. F. Cummins have been visiting their son and daughter-in-law of Fairfax, Va.

Mr. William Lord and son, Emmett were Hillsboro visitors on Sunday last.

Mrs. E. M. Willey spent Sunday in Federalsburg with her sister, Mrs. Harry Merriken.

Mr. Charles Towers, of Philadelphia visited his brother, Mr. T. H. Towers on Saturday last.

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