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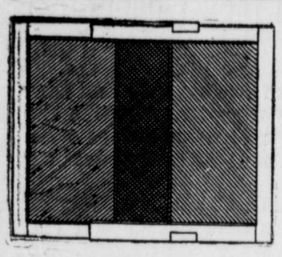

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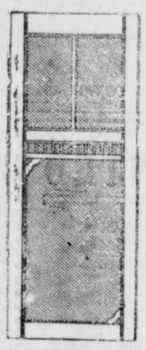

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GALENA NEWS.

Rev. Mr. Shipman Soundly Pounded by his Congregation.

The Galena M. E. Church choir has been greatly improved by its new tenor singer, Mr. Edward Nickerson.

Mrs. F. H. Ruth has been confined to her house for the past week with pink-eye.

Mr. W. A. Whitaker made a business trip to Baltimore Monday and returned on Tuesday.

Mr. W. A. Hyland, Jr., is home recuperating after two months overwork canvassing for McCormick Machine Co., in North Carolina.

Mr. Charles E. Lane, our hustling butcher, has added much beauty to his store by painting the wood work.

Rumor has it that a wedding is approaching. Who can it be?

Mr. J. Thomas McIntyre will have, when finished, one of the prettiest residences in Kent county.

Mrs. Sophia Hurtt is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Frank Woodside, of New York.

Mr. Stafford, blacksmith at Mr. W. A. Hyland's large foundry, was painfully hurt last week while shoeing a wild, unruly horse.

Mr. W. A. Hyland, who sells the Deer and Black Hawk corn planters, has sold out and finds it impossible to get more, the demand in other States being so great that the house can not manufacture them fast enough.

The ladies of the M. E. Church surprised their pastor, Mr. Shipman, and family, last Monday night by giving a donation at the parsonage. The crowd began to gather at eight o'clock and at ten the house was packed to its utmost capacity. Members of the Locust Grove and Sassafras M. E. Church were also present. Music was furnished by Miss Edna, charming daughter of the pastor. Young and old indulged in games which made it an evening long to be remembered. The preacher said he enjoyed it beyond mention and thanked one and all for their generosity. At 9 30 a duet was sung by Miss Edna Shipman and her brother, Willard, the former singing soprano and the latter, baritone. At ten P. M. those present were led in prayer by the pastor after which was sung "Blest be the tie that binds."

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Davis and son, Mr. and Mrs. Sheppard, Mrs. Townsend and Miss Allee, of Sassafras; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hill and daughter, Miss Hettie; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dukes, Miss Lillian Powell, Mr. Wm. H. Kelley, Sam'l Comley and Mr. Truitt, of Locust Grove; Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Dempsey, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Steel, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Dempsey, Mr. and Mrs. Comegys, Mrs. Chas. Lane, Mrs. Jas. R. Hicks, Mrs. Jno. Briscoe, Mrs. E. Cannan, Mrs. V. Nickerson, Mrs. Thos. McIntyre; Misses Daisy Lane, Fannie McIntyre, Anna and Bessie Hayes, Lidia Jenkins and Ernest Hicks, Katie Tarbutton, Etta Whitaker, Hettie Hicks, Etta Briscoe, Rhoda Mulford, Lillie Boyd, Anna Smith, Carrie and Gertie Dempsey, Ida and May Nickerson, Mary Wood, Hennie Voshell, Katie Cannan, Mary Steel and Miss Ryder. Messrs. Raymond Sparks, Wm. Tarbutton, Robt. Shallcross, L. J. Hayes, Harry Vansant, Wm. Folks, Dan Steel and Arthur Hyland. At 10.30 the crowd left for their respective homes wishing the pastor a prosperous year.

Mrs. H. P. Kelley, of Butler, Pa., has returned home after a three weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Price, of Locust Grove.

WORTON ITEMS.

Miss Hope Wallis, of Chestertown, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wallis, near here.

Mr. J. W. Ivens took a trip to Baltimore last week to purchase new goods for his store.

Miss Bertie Willis, who has been quite sick for the past week, we are pleased to report much improved.

Miss Mary Cooper spent Sunday in Rock Hall, at the home of her sister, Mrs. George Ashley.

Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Merritt are away from home on a visit to their daughter, in Baltimore.

Farmers in this neighborhood are about through planting corn.

Master Willie Wendling, of Wilmington, has been visiting his grandmother in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Truitt, of Baltimore, spent several days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Fowler, near here.

Mrs. Welch Crew returned last week from a pleasant visit to her son, Mr. Robert Carter, in Wilmington.

Mr. Harry Williams is suffering greatly with boils on the back of his neck.

Mr. Price Stanley, of Still Pond, has accepted a position as salesman in the store of Messrs. Turner & Boyles, in this place. MADGE

No Loss Of Time.

I have sold Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for years, and would rather be out of coffee and sugar than it. I sold five bottles of it yesterday to threshers that could go no further, and they are at work again this morning.—H. R. Phelps, Plymouth, Oklahoma. As will be seen by the above, the threshers were able to keep on with their work without losing a single day's time. You should keep a bottle of this Remedy in your home. For sale by M. A. Toulson.

MASSEY ITEMS.

One of the most pleasant social dances of the season was given by the young men of Massey and Millington to their lady friends in the town hall, Millington, last Tuesday evening. The hall was tastefully trimmed for the occasion with flags and bunting, and an orchestra of three pieces furnished superb dance music during the evening. At midnight coffee and sandwiches were served, after which dancing was resumed and continued until the wee sma' hours. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lucas, Mr. and Mrs. William Crow, Mr. and Mrs. Holt Woodall, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Deringer, Mr. and Mrs. John Comegys, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Massey, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Cochran, Mr. and Mrs. William Comegys, Mr. and Mrs. Finley Collins, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Massey, Mrs. Mollie Spear and Mrs. Edward Comegys; Misses Sophie and Bertie Beck, Anna and Lula Strong, Helen Dudley, Mary Rankin, Mattie and Emma Davis, Susie Sutton, Susie Edson, Mabel Comegys, Miss Erickson, Daisy McCauley, Beulah Crawford, Dell Cochran, Eva, Mary and Lillian Comegys, Evelyn Cochran, Mary Hazell, Carrie Benson, Annie Gillespie, Julia Benson, Ella Roberts, Mamie Kennedy, Mabel Emory, Mattie Hazell, Mabel Spear, Addie Vansant, Sallie Finley, Miss Byron, May Green, May Roe, Effie Murray, Florence and Nellie Hurlock and Miss Woodruff; Messrs. Samuel Greenwood, Brose Carroll, Paul Massey, Will Hepbron, Harry Hendrickson, Walter Davis, Edward Wallis, Edwin Hurtt, Andrew and Herman McCauley, Keith Cochran, Bert Ireland, Archie Crawford, Edward and Wallis Beaston, Douglas Cochran, Edward Gillespie, Dr. Coppage, W. B. Faithful, Paul Comegys, S. H. Ford, S. S. Hurlock, H. B. Massey, James Vansant, B. Vansant, Edward Spear, Bradford Dudley and John Barnes.

Mr. M. P. Dunn paid a flying visit to Smyrna last Monday.

Miss Anna Cacy has returned from a visit to friends in Philadelphia.

Miss Alice Emory, of Sudlersville, is visiting Mrs. Thomas Massey this week.

Miss Ida Reese, the efficient teacher of school No. 5 has been on the sick list several days the past week.

The new school building here is completed. Miss B. expects to hold school in it next Wednesday.

Quite a number of large consignments of asparagus are being shipped from here daily, Mr. T. P. Cochran being the heaviest shipper. Mr. C. is shipping from 25 to 30 crates daily.

Most of the farmers in this neighborhood have finished planting corn.

H. B. Massey & Co., have quite a novelty in the wireless corn planter. It is one of the latest and most up-to-date droppers on the peninsula. Quite a number of these planters have been sold and so far they have given entire satisfaction. VISITOR.

MILLINGTON MATTERS.

The W. C. T. U. held its regular meeting Thursday evening in the M. E. church. A number of Children recited and sang. Mrs. S. Mallalieu and Mrs. L. S. Price were elected delegates to the county convention. Next month will be the election of officers, and it is desired that all members be present if possible. New singing books have been secured, so that there might be good, stirring music for the meetings. All interested in temperance are invited to attend and join this organization.

Mrs. John Bryan and daughter, Miss Clara, spent several day's last week with relatives in Chestertown.

Mrs. R. T. Thompson has returned to her home near Newark, after spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Frank L. Smith

Dr. Frank Gardner, of Cheswold, Del., spent Sunday with friends in town.

Mrs. H. S. Dulaney and son, Earl, of Wilmington, are visiting friends in town.

Mr. Arthur Tonkin spent last Sunday the guest of his father, Mr. H. Tonkin.

Mrs. Lewis Price and Miss Ollie Vansant spent several days of this week with friends in town.

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Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent County, letters testamentary upon the personal estate of

JOHN BORDLEY,

late of Kent county, Md., deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 25th day of October, 1902, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. Given under my hand this 15th day of April, 1902.

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