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LOCAL MATTERS.

Who Can Beat This.—Mr. Wm. H. French, living on the J. Rees Beck home farm, near Hanesville, has 14 ewes who have given birth to 25 lambs, 22 of which are living, the other 3 died during the severe winter weather.

Senator Foxwell Robbed.—Senator Foxwell, Mr. John M. Comegys, and Mr. James Robinson, all of Kent, were robbed of $200 in all on Monday night while they slept in their room at the Maryland Hotel, Annapolis. The door of the room was left unlocked. The thief has not been caught, and it is likely that he never will be.

State Teachers Association.—The executive committee of the State Teachers' Association met Saturday afternoon at the State Normal School. The date for the meeting was fixed for July 13-15, at Ocean City, Md. An interesting program is being arranged. The members of the executive committee are Arthur G. Smith, chairman, Lonaconing; Irving L. Twilley, J. Newton Wickes, Baltimore; Dr. J. W. Cain, Chestertown; Miss Edna March, Solomons.

LITTLE LOCALS.

† Farmers report wheat looking well.

† Several of our carpenters struck for a 9 hours labor day this week.

† The crocus and the daffodil, spring-time's first flowers, have made their appearance.

† The Chestertown W. C. T. U. will meet at Mrs. H. B. Simmons Wednesday, April 13, at 3 o'clock.

† A case of scarlet fever is reported in town. Every precaution should be taken to prevent the spread of the disease.

† The election for town commissioner to succeed Mr. Wm. B. Coleman, whose term expires this year, will be held on Monday, April 25th.

† The thermometer registered 26 degrees on Monday morning, but we have heard no reports that fruit buds are injured.

† A well eight feet in diameter is being dug at the Chestertown Electric Light plant to insure an abundant supply of water.

† The first shad of the season was caught last week by Mr. George Gardner. Herring are becoming quite plentiful and prices have dropped in consequence.

† The first base ball game of the season will be played on the college campus on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock between the crack Syracuse University team and Washington College. A fine game is expected.

† Mr. George E. Lambert, Jr., is not only an up-to-date hotel man, but he has proven his skill as a painter. He has been beautifying the interior of the hotel this week with appropriate coats of paint.

† Messrs. Usilton and Bacchus have received a boatload of debris from the Baltimore fire which will be used in filling in their wharf property at the foot of Cannon street. The debris has created a great deal of interest and quite a number have taken souvenirs therefrom.

† The office of the Kent Mutual Fire Insurance Company has been moved to the company's room over the store of Mr. J. B. Burchinal. Mr. George B. Westcott is ready to attend to all business purtaining to the company's interest there.

† Mr. Wm. G. Evans who has leased "Kentmere" the fine summer residence of Mrs. Helen Kent Shaw, of New York, has purchased from the Cambridge Boat Works, a fine 7-horse power Naptha launch which will undoubtedly afford his family much pleasure during the summer upon the waters of the Chester river.

CHURCH NOTES.

At a meeting of the vestry of St. Mary Anne's Parish in Cecil county on Monday afternoon, a call was extended to Rev. Dr. Gantt, of Berlin, Md., to become rector of the parish which includes St. Mary's Church, North East, and St. Mark's Church, Perryville, to succeed Rev. Giles B. Cooke, who resigned some months ago to accept a call to a church in Kentucky.

Rev. W. L. White, the new pastor of the Chestertown M. E. Church, preached to large congregations both morning and evening last Sunday, and created a most favorable impression.

There will be no preachihg service morning or evening in Christ M. P. Church tomorrow (Sunday.)

Rev. K. M. Bull was called to Kennett Square, Pa., last Thursday to attend the funeral of his much lamented mother. He expects to return in time to hold his usual Sunday services to-morrow, April 10th.

At the annual session of the Baltimore Conference M. E. Church, held in Fayette Street Church, Baltimore, last week, a resolution was adopted making overtures to the Maryland Annual Conference now in session in Baltimore, for a union between the two denominations. Bishop Bowman, the senior bishop of the M. E. Church, Revs. J. P. Wright, J. St. Clair Neal, W. G. Herbert, S. Reese Murray and E. L. Watson were appointed a committee to present the matter to the Conference. The M. P. Conference will discuss the matter of proposed union with the United Brethern and Congregational denominations at this session and will prepare memorials to be submitted to their General Conference which meets in Washington in May.

Rev. I. Rider, who has very acceptably filled the pulpit of Kent Charge (Chesterville) Southern M. E. Church for the past several years, has been transferred to Charles and St. Mary's. He will be succeeded by Rev. J. H. Kuhlman.

The following vestrymen were reelected on Easter Monday for Emmanuel P. E. Church, Chestertown: Judge James A. Pearce, Dr. W. Frank Hines, Richard D. Hynson, George B. Westcott, Lewin W. Wickes, Allen A. Harris, Hiram M. Brown and William W. Beck.

A SUCCESSFUL ANNIVERSARY.

Christ M. P. Sabbath School Renders a Beautiful Programme and Raises a Large Sum for Home Missions.

The anniversary exercises of the Juvenile Home Missionary Society of Christ M. P. Church last Sunday evening were a success in every respect. From the recitation of the tiniest tot to the beautiful symbolic exercise "The First Easter Morn," every part of the programme showed careful study and perfect direction. Much credit is due the committee in charge of the arrangements for the splendid manner in which each number was rendered. The primary exercises of the little folks are always very interesting but on this occasion the singing of the little Misses Russell, and the "speeching" of Masters Wilbur Hubbard and Henry Gill, and of little Misses Emily Lusby, Katherine Fowler, Helen Kendall and Mary Maslin would have done credit to older folks, and showed how deeply interesting little children can be when properly trained. Scarcely any of these little tots are six years old and yet the ease and grace with which they rendered their parts captured the large audience present. The symbolic exercise enacted by Misses Edith Fallowfield as "Angel," and Addie Hurlock, Bessie Wheatley, Ellen Bacon and Flora Wheatley as the women at the tomb on the "First Easter Morn" was particularly beautiful and impressive. Easter carols entitled "The Gates of Gold" were sung by the school under the direction of Mr. A. M. Culp, with orchestral accompaniment. One of the most interesting features of the evening, however, was the collection, which proved to be one of the largest in the history of the church. A spirit of friendly rivalry pervaded the entire school and each class made a noble effort to win the banner. The collection for the evening amounted to $183.14, the banner class being the one taught by Mr. J. D. Bacchus whose collection was $21.10. The next four classes were so close that there were only a few pennies difference in their amounts—Miss Clara Usilton $19.41, Miss Nettie Russell $19.07, Mrs. Ralph Barnett, $19.05, and Miss Fannie Baker $18.40. These classes deserve special mention for the efforts they made to secure a large contribution. The total collection for the year, including the plate collection, amounted to $395.26, one of the largest collections in the history of the society. Master Earle Latham, as president of the society, delivered an appropriate address on the subject of "Cheerfulness," and the banner was presented to the successful class by T. D. Bowers. The superintendent of the school, Mr. Wm. B. Usilton, presented the premiums—five in number—to the five classes contributing the highest amounts during the year. These prizes consisted of five handsome and appropriate books—one, a handsome Oxford bible, the gift of the pastor, Dr. Greenfield, as the first prize, being given to Mr. Fred G. Usilton's class, it having contributed for the year $58.36; second prize was won by W. W. Hubbard's class, amount $47.42; third prize, J. D. Bacchus' class, $30.43; fourth prize, Miss Clara B. Usilton, $29.66; fifth prize, Miss Nettie Russell, $23.71.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Messrs. Eldridge, John and Holt Eliason spent the Easter holidays at home.

Mr. Clarence Gale, who has a lucrative position with the B. & O. R. R. in Baltimore, spent Saturday and Sunday the guest of relatives and friends in town.

Miss Kate Howard, of Baltimore, spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Mary J. Howard, in Still Pond.

Mr. Charles B. Dodd, who is employed with Bridges & Co., printers, Baltimore, spent Saturday and Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Mamie Dodd, in Still Pond.

Mr. Roland Parks, of the Maryland University Law School, Baltimore, spent his Easter holidays at home.

Mr. Milton Peregoy, of Wilmington, Del., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs William E. Peregoy, on Mill street last week.

Mr. Charles Cox Hopper, who holds a lucrative position with the Baltimore *Herald*, spent Saturday and Sunday in Chestertown.

The Misses Stewart, of Baltimore, have been the guests of Miss Pearl Hendrickson near town.

Miss Sallie Sheridan, a student at Western Maryland College, spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Sheridan, at Hanesville.

Mr. D. B. Stewart, of the commission firm of Stewart & Co., Baltimore, visited friends in the county on Saturday and Sunday.

J. Bibb Mills, Esq., of the Baltimore bar, spent Saturday and Sunday the guests of friends in Worton.

Mr. Walter R. Gale, of Baltimore, spent Saturday and Sunday with his father, Mr. John Gale and family near Hanesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion deK. Smith were registered at the Belvedere, Baltimore, during the early part of the week.

Miss Strong, of lower Kent, has been the guest of Miss Bessie Nichols, near town.

Mrs. Albert Lane and grandson, of Wilmington, spent Easter with relatives near town.

Mr. Hubert Massey, of Philadelphia, is spending some time at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Massey, near town. Mr. Massey is recovering from a severe illness, and the firm with which he is employed has granted him a leave of absence on full pay in order to recuperate.

Mr. Hynson Rogers, of Sparrow's Point, is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Marian Rogers, on Front street.

Mrs. Senator Garrett Foxwell and daughter, Miss Eva, have been on a protracted visit to Wilmington, Chester and Philadelphia. Miss Eva attended the Easter ball at Smyrna on Monday night.

Mrs. J. W. Skirven moved to Baltimore the early part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Crouch spent the Easter holidays in Washington. While there Mr. Crouch visited the National Congress and heard Senator Beveridge, of Indiana, speak.

Miss Anna Smith entertained in honor of Miss Eliason's friends, Miss Weaver and Miss Bigler, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Charles T. Chester, of Ashville, N. C., is the guest of her niece, Mrs. Colin F. Stam.

Miss Jane D. Roberts, of New York, is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Colin F. Stam.

Miss Irma Eliason gave an afternoon tea Tuesday in honor of her guests Miss Weaver and Miss Bigler. Tea, wafers and mints were served.

Mr. F. M. Miller entertained the officers and crew of the U. S. Fish Commission Ship, Fish Hawk, very pleasantly yesterday evening.

Friends of Miss Nettie Sutton gave her a pleasant surprise Thursday evening.

Mr. Ellsworth C. Bowers, of Lynch's is quite sick with fever and grip. He is under the care of Dr. Hessy.

Rev. J. B. Jones was robbed of his satchel containing a sermon and $100 in money at Union station, Baltimore, on Wednesday. Mr. Jones was on his way to attend conference.

Mr. E. G. B. Wright has resigned as District Manager of the Diamond State Telephone Company, resignation to take effect April 15th.

Dr. H. G. Simpers, we regret to state, is confined to his bed with an attack of typhoid fever.

Mrs. H. S. Barnett has been quite sick at her home on Kent street extended, during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter U. Lusby and little daughter Emily, visited Baltimore this week and viewed the ruins of the great fire.

Mr. James W. Lambert is attending the session of the Maryland Annual Conference now being held in Baltimore.

Mrs. A. M. Bowers is the guest of her son, Rev. J. S. Bowers, at 35 E. 25th street, Baltimore.

Mr. Kent Lambert is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Lambert, at the Hotel Voshell.

Mrs. M. G. Janvier and Miss Alice Gemmill have returned to their country home near Worton after spending the winter in Wilmington and Pennsylvania.

Miss Mary Hurtt, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Vickers, 1327 Eutaw Place, Baltimore.

Miss Marie Westcott, daughter of former State Senator Charles T. Westcott, 906 St. Paul St., Baltimore, has been the guest of Miss Nannie Brice, on Washington avenue.

The wedding of Miss Daisy Walbert to Mr. Wm. E. Duyer is announced to take place on Wednesday April 13th, at the residence of the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs Theodore L. Walbert, near Church Hill. The ceremony will be performed at 7.30 o'clock.

We were in error last week in stating that Mr. John E. Morris' limb is not mending as sucessfully as was hoped. We misunderstood our informant. Mr. Morris' condition is very much improved, his present slight indisposition being caused by another trouble. We make this correction out of deference to Mr. Morris as well as to his physician Dr. W. Frank Hines, of whose surgical ability we can personally testify.

Miss Mary Gooding has resigned as assistant teacher in Betterton public school. Miss Gooding has accepted a lucrative position elsewhere.

Mrs. A. Blum is in the city this week selecting new millinery.

Mr. J. Raymond Simpers, bookkeeper in the Kent County Saving Bank, spent a few days of this week in Wilmington.

Mrs. Frederick K. Russell, has been the guest of Baltimore friends.

Mrs. Joseph Guest and Mrs. Elwood Whaley are attending conference in Baltimore.

Rev. Dr. H. L. Elderdice, President of Westminster Theological Seminary, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur W. Hubbard on Washington avenue.

Mrs. Mollie Farranger is the guest of friends in Baltimore city.

Mrs. Walter E. Hill, of Baltimore, is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. S. Wallis, in Kennedyville.

Mrs. Dr. H. B. Simmons has been the guest of her mother in Cecil county.

The young ladies of Chestertown gave to their gentlemen friends a delightful leap year dance at Stam's Hall Thursday evening. A large crowd was in attendance, among whom were many from a distance. Salad and coffee were served during the evening.

Mr. H. N. Baldwin, of Harford county, spent part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Weer, at Kennedyville.

Mrs. L. J. Smyth, who has been quite sick for sometime, is improving as a result of a delicate operation performed last week by Dr. W. Frank Hines.

We are glad to report Mr. Robert G. Nicholson able to be out. He, with his son, Charles, has been housed nearly the entire winter.

Among those attending the Maryland M. P. Conference from Chestertown besides those already mentioned in this column are: Mrs. D. L. Greenfield, Mrs. J. M. J. Byron, Mrs. C. V. Newnam, Mrs. George Lofland and Mrs. C. J. Reiche.

Senator Foxwell has lost his valuable family driving horse "Andrew Johnson." He was 28 years old.

Mrs. Mary A. Hynson is spending sometime with her daughter, Mrs. C. U. Carpenter, in Glendale, Ohio.

A large centerpiece embroidered by Miss Fannie Smith, disposed of by chance drawing last week, was won by Miss Emma Knight, cashier for Sparks and Jefferson. The drawing was done by little Miss Helen Kendall.

Mr. Ellsworth Leary, of Rock Hall, a student at Jacob Tome Institute, has the typhoid fever in a mild form, and was unable to be at home during Easter. The Institute will be closed for a short time until the cause of the epidemic has been located.

Miss Mary Trew, of Chestertown, is visiting her sister, Mrs. V. W. Kendall, near Rock Hall.

Mr. Arthur Greenwood, of Rock Hall, has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. George Oettinger, Camden, N. J.

Miss Sallye Joiner, of Massachusetts, is the guest of her father, Mr. Samuel E. Joiner, Rock Hall.

Mr. Stanley R. Downey, salesman in Alexander's department store, Rock Hall, spent Easter in Chester, Pa.

Mrs. Mary J. Howard has returned to her home in Still Pond, after having spent the winter in New York with her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Hyland, and in Bridgeville, Del., with her daughter, Mrs. John Hurlock.

Mrs. Anna May Prettyman and Miss Edna Downey have been the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Downey, at Rock Hall.

Mr. J. Alfred Palmer who has been ill of pneumonia for some days is greatly improved under the skillful treatment of his physicians, Drs. Hines and Simpers, and the careful nursing of his brother Joseph, of Philadelphia.

Misses Ida and Mary Smith, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Smith, delightfully entertained a number of their little friends on Monday evening. Among those present were: Misses Gladys and Rebecca Aldridge, Marguerite and Martha Skipper, Rebecca and Sophia Levine, Jesse Anthony, Reba Davis, Helen Gale, Josephine Wheatley, Ethel Hines, Carmeta Russell, Mary and Francis Miller, Marguerite Howard, Rebecca Toulson, Ruth Lambert, Elizabeth Russell, Hallie Kelley, and Masters Walter Simmons, Roberts Greenfield, James Bacchus, Russell Wheatley, Joseph Wheatley, Frazier Russell, Lewin Howard, Irving Sparks, Arthur Skipper, Townsend Anthony, Laurence Russell, and Charles Smith. "Never had such a nice time time in all my life" was the exclamation of all present.

A check for five hundred and forty-seven dollars and forty-one cents ($547.41) a few days ago was sent to a policy holder in the Mutual Fire Insurance Company, it being the amount due him on several cancelled policies of insurance in the company. A clear net saving of this sum of money by holding policies in the "Kent Mutual." A wise man puts his insurance in a company where such savings are secured.

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