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## Rock Hall Items.

The commencement exercises of the Rock Hall High School were held at the M. E. Church last Monday evening, and though the evening was disagreeable there was a large attendance. The singing was well selected and rendered beautifully; the recitations by Misses Durding and Wheat were well delivered; the solos sung by Mrs. Bordley, of Baltimore, and Mr. James H. Shuster, of Chestertown, were appreciated by all, and Dr. Barrett's address was one the like of which the people of Rock Hall have not heard in many years. The following was the program: March, Judefind's Orchestra; opening chorus, "Sunset Peace"; Invocation, Rev. C. M. Compher; solo, Mr. Judefind; recitation, Miss Durding, chorus, "The Rally"; solo, Mrs. Bordley; essay, "True Nobility", Frances Viola Sweitzer; selection, Orchestra; solo, Mr. Jas. H. Shuster; address, Dr. L. E. Barrett; chorus, "Medley"; class poem, Miss Bessie Wheat; solo, Mrs. Bordley; presentation of diplomas, Supt. Milton Melvin; chorus, "Sing"; benediction, Rev. J. T. Richardson.

After the exercises the faculty entertained the graduate at the home of Miss Edna Durding on Main street.

These warm days you may find the boys in the water; it is fine.

The rain in the past few days has spoiled the cherry crop in this neighborhood.

Miss Rachel Griffin, of Denton, has been visiting her sister, Miss Pearl, for the past week. They attended the commencement exercises of Washington College at Chestertown this week.

Misses Gertrude Kramer and Helen Strong left for Knoxville, Tenn., where they will attend the University of Tennessee this summer. Prof. Greenhawk will attend Columbia University, New York city, during the vacation.

Howard Donnelly has opened a photograph galery in Rock Hall, just above the postoffice on Main street.

Mrs. Abe Casey was in Baltimore this week on a short visit.

Ben Coburn is still talking politics. Hurrah for Ben!

The Children's Day exercises at the M. E. Church were very interesting last Sunday, the following is the program which was rendered: Organ voluntary, anthem, lesson, prayer, singing, "Processional"; recitation, "Welcome," Howard Jones; recitation, "June," Hilda Cully; recitation, "Gift to Thee," Myrtle Shreck; singing, "Children of Yesterday"; recitation, "Flowery Band," two girls; recitation, "Glad Children's Day," Mary Smith; recitation, "Butter Cups," Gibson Middleton; singing, "God's Children's Day"; recitation, "The Children's Guest," Francis Davis; recitation, "The Boy Who Wins," Bennie Coburn; singing, "Welcome to June"; exercise, "Children's Day," twelve children; recitation, "But What did we Speak To-day," Medford Taylor; singing, "The Sacrifice of Praise"; recitation, "Pansies Brighten the World," Caroline Richardson; recitation, "'Tis Children's Day," Lelia Elburn; song by children, recitation, "Specially Children's Day," Amanda Hogan; recitation, "Wandering," O'Zella Andrews; singing, "Enduring Beauty"; recitation, "Child of Slums," Catherine Davis; recitation, "Messages of Flowers," by four girls; singing, "God Bless Our Lord"; recitation, "Summer Flowers," Nanny Kerr; recitation, "An Offering," Mary Lewis; collection, singing, "Go Tell His Love"; benediction.

## Betterton Briefs.

The Ladies Improvement Association held its monthly business meeting at the Betterton Hotel, Tuesday evening, the 15th. A large attendance was present.

The public school held it annual closing picnic at Bayside Tuesday afternoon. Refreshments were served, and a pleasant time enjoyed by all

Dr. J. Lane Finley, of Westminster, Carroll county, spent a few days in Betterton, last week, and was cordially welcomed by his many friends.

Mr. John Brice has completed his pretty cottage on Ericsson avenue.

Mrs. Wm. B. Price has been visiting in Baltimore.

The fast day boats of the Ericsson Steamboat Co, made the first trip of the season Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sutton, and son are visiting relatives in Annapolis.

Miss Mary Smith has returned to her home in Galena

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brice and children, have returned to their home in Philadelphia after a pleasant visit with relatives in Betterton.

Mrs. Robert Young and daughter, are now occupying the Ferncliffe Cottage

Mrs. Dan Cruden entertained a number of friends from Philadelphia, last week.

We have had three weddings in our town, and rumor says there is soon to be another.

## Still Pond Notes.

Mrs. John Boulden and sister Pearl, spent a few days in Baltimore

Miss Jennie Bowers is home from her duties as teacher at Lambson's school.

Miss Lucille Parr spent a few days of the past week in Chestertown.

Miss Mabel Gears returned to her home in Worton, after a visit to her sister, Mrs. Maggie Hackett.

Mr. Carl Norris and sisters, Mabel and Laura, Miss Mary Capps, Mr. Thos. Mann and Mr. Arnold Davis spent Sunday at Galena.

Little Miss Edna Reynolds, of Townsend, is visiting her grandparents, Rev. and Mrs John Beauchamp.

Mr. A J. Hackett made a flying business trip to Baltimore.

Services at our church both morning and evening on Sunday. Try to be present.


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(Weather Permitting.)

IN EFFECT JUNE 5th, 1909.

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Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays, leaves Baltimore 8.30 A. M., 2 P. M. and 6.20 P. M. Leaves Tolchester 10.30 A. M., 4.10 P. M. and 8.39 P. M.

Schedule in effect June 17th.

### SASSAFRAS RIVER LINE

Leaves Fredericktown week days except Saturdays at 7 A. M., Betterton 8.15 A. M., Buck Neck 9.30 A. M. Returning leaves Baltimore week days Friday and Saturday at 3.00 P. M. Saturdays at 10.30 A. M. (Does not stop at Gales and Buck Neck on Mondays and Wednesdays trip from Baltimore.

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