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OUR DEATH RECORD.

MRS. MARGARET E. PEACOCK.

Mrs. Margaret E. Peacock died Friday evening at her home at Cherry Hill. Mrs. Peacock was in her 72nd year. She married Charles Peacock, of Kent county, and is survived by five children, viz: E. Maude Martin, of Staunton, Va.; Annie L., wife of Thompson Hawk, of Wilmington, Del.; Alice, wife of Fred Megill, of Ocean Grove, N. J.; Mary E., wife of John H. Vansant, of Galena, Md., and Charles S. Peacock Deputy Clerk of the Circuit Court for Cecil county. She is also survived by one brother, Joseph L. Gibson, of Galena. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon, with services at the Cherry Hill M. E. Church. Interment was made in the adjoining cemetery.

MRS. JOSEPHINE FOGWELL.

Mrs. Josephine Fogwell, wife of Mr. Frank Fogwell, died at her home, on the Walter Morris farm, near Worton, on last Monday morning, after a lingering illness, aged 31 years. She leaves five children, two sisters, a brother and was the daughter of Mr. Joseph Porter, of Worton Point. Funeral services were held at Union M. E. Church on Thursday afternoon at 2 30 o'clock, Rev. Mr. Jester, of St. James M. P. Church, officiating. Interment was in the Porter lot at Union cemetery. The pall-bearers were: George and Ralph Williams, William and Robert Fogwell, William Ivens and Charles Ford. Undertaker W. H. Krusen had charge of funeral arrangements.

MRS. HARRIETT BRIGHAM.

Mrs. Harriett Brigham, the mother of Mrs. R. P. Nichols, died at the M. E. parsonage, in Still Pond, on last Friday night, aged 70 years, of celerosis of the arteries. Funeral services were held at the home on Sunday afternoon at two o'clock, Rev. S. S. Hepburn officiating, and the remains were taken to Amhurst, Mass., for interment on the four-thirty train Sunday afternoon. The bearers were: Taylor Baxter, F. Baynard Harper, John N. Bennett, Samuel G. Roseberry, William Ford and Wilmer Ford. Undertaker Wm. H. Krusen had charge of the funeral arrangements.

MR. WILLIAM EVERETT.

Mr. William Everett died at his home on Eastern Neck Island, Tuesday last, after an illness of five weeks. He is survived by a widow and one son, John L. Everett. Funeral services were held Thursday morning at Wesley Chapel M. P. Church, conducted by Rev. A. Travers, of Piney Neck M. E. Church. Casey & Bro., undertakers. The bearers were: John C. Wood, James A. Pearce, John Goodman, Notley O. Wilson, Notley O. Wilson, Jr., and Jarrett T. Price. Interment was made in the adjoining cemetery.

MR. EDWARD PARKER.

Mr. Edward Parker, a member of the well-known Toy firm of Parker Bros., Salem, Mass., died at the home of his son, Mr. Foster H. Parker, in Queen Annes, on Wednesday morning. Mr. Parker had been visiting his son and was taken ill during his visit. The firm of which the deceased was a member is known throughout the country, and has an immense trade in fancy toys which it manufactures.

MRS. FRANCES REED.

Mrs. Frances Reed, widow of the late George R. Reed, died at Dover, Del., this week, aged 87 years. Her remains were brought to Chestertown yesterday (Friday), and interred in Chester cemetery. Rev. Dr. L. E. Barrett officiated. J. E. Ferguson, undertaker.

In Memoriam.

On the morning of the 8th inst, every home in Betterton became a house of mourning, and every heart was bowed down with sadness. During the night, while the town was wrapt in slumber, in one of the homes fond parents, sisters and friends were watching by a bedside with almost breaking hearts, hoping against hope; but in the stillness of the night death entered and plucked therefrom a lovely flower, a sweet young life.

But Myrtle Taylor did not fear death, being a splendid christian character, her life, though short, had been a beautiful one, and when the angel of death came, she could well have exclaimed: "Oh death, where is thy sting; O grave, where is thy victory." Although scarcely twenty years of age, she had been teaching school nearly two years, never was a teacher loved more by her pupils than was she. Being peculiarly fitted for the various duties of a teacher, ambitious, always bright, cheerful, full of hope and inspiration, she endeared herself to the hearts of her scholars, and with open hands and hearts she was welcomed into the homes of the patrons of the school, who counted it a joy and pleasure to have her with them. Myrtle was an affectionate daughter, and a kind and loving sister. She was never heard to speak evil of any one, but seemed to consider it her mission to scatter rays of sunshine into darkened hearts and homes, and to bring joy and gladness into the hearts of all with whom she associated. She was devoted to her church, active in Christian work, manifesting a deep interest in everything pertaining to the welfare of the church and the promotion of the cause of her Lord and Saviour, Whom she loved so well. During the few days of her illness she was patient and uncomplaining, grateful for all that was being done for her. A few minutes before the final separation came, conscious that her young life was fast ebbing away, she bade those at her bedside a fond farewell, and after giving some directions as to her burial, calmly and peacefully her young spirit took its flight to be with its Maker and to join the innumerable hosts of the redeemed around the throne of glory. On Sunday afternoon a large concourse of friends attended her funeral to pay their last tribute of love and respect. She was laid to rest in Still Pond cemetery.

The day was a beautiful one; the bright October sun, and the great mass of flowers contributed by her many friends as a mark of love, was indeed fittingly emblematic of the beautiful life that Myrtle Taylor had lived, and who had fallen asleep to this earth fully pepared for the breaking of Heaven's bright morning on her immortal soul.

"Asleep in Jesus, blessed sleep,
From which none ever wakes to weep;
A calm and undisturbed refose,
Unbroken by the last of foes.

Asleep in Jesus, peaceful rest,
Whose waking is supremely blest;
No fear, no woe shall dim that hour,
That manifests the Saviour's power."

The beautiful chrysanthemums, the queen of the fall flowers, is almost a total failure this year. None of the growers, including Miss Flora Wheatley, Mrs. Wm. H. Lambert, Mrs. John S. Vandegrift, Mrs. Belle Smith, Mrs. Thomas D. Bowers and Mrs. George B. McWhorter, will have any exhibition blooms. Mr. William H. Elliott has the best prospect, while Miss Phebe Maul has the largest bloom—a beautiful white—we have seen. We understand that the season is a failure all over the peninsula.

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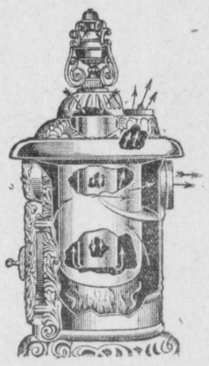
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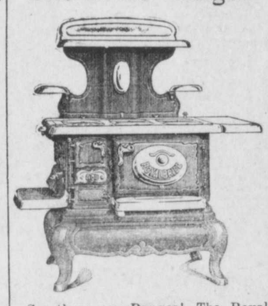
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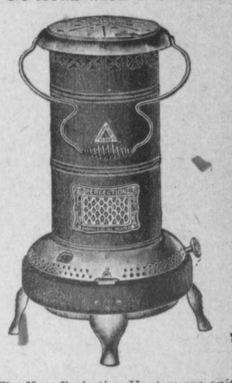
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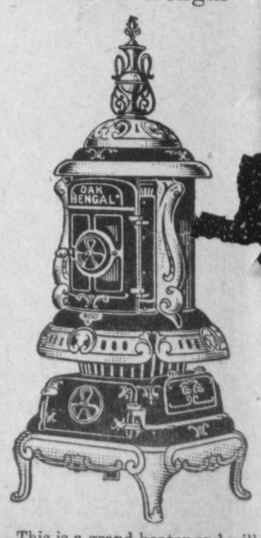
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