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OUR DEATH RECORD.

REV. EDWARD ROBINS RICH

Rev. Edward Robins Rich, formerly Dean of Trinity Cathedral, Easton, died early on Sunday morning at his residence, 751 W. North Avenue Baltimore, death being due to heart trouble. Mr. Rich was born in Baltimore in 1841 and was, therefore, 75 years old. He was ordained in June, 1873 and his first charge was St. Paul's Church, at Clinton, N. C. He resigned from active work some three years ago. His wife, who survives him, was Miss Virginia Miller, of Virginia. He is survived also by two sons, Edward L. and Dr. Clinton Rich, and by one daughter, Mrs. M. H. Dawson. Dean Rich was one of the best known Clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the State.

J. S. SIMCOE.

John Summerfield Simcoe, one of the most respected citizens of North East, died Sunday night at his home in that town, after a long illness. Mr. Simcoe was born at Carpenter's Point May 18, 1831, and spent his entire life in Cecil county, being engaged in farming as a young man, and later conducting a mercantile business at North East for a few years. Recently he had lived a retired life. He is survived by his wife, who was Miss Mary Jones, also of Cecil county, and a sister of Mrs. George D. Lofland, of this town and of Mr. Julian S. Jones of near town.

EARLE R. STRONG.

Earle R. Strong, a prominent citizen of the Fifth District died at his home in Piney Neck Thursday, May 4, aged 63 years. He is servived by a widow, Mrs. Anna T. Strong, one daughter, Miss Helen and two sons, James P. and Percy R. Strong. His funeral will be held from his residence to-morrow, Sunday, afternoon at 2.30 P. M. Interment in Wesley Chapel cemetery, Rev. Mr. Dixon, of St. Paul's P. E. Church and Rev. Mr. Travers, of Piney Neck M. E. Church will officiate. The pallbearers will be: James W. and Charles C. Wood, Walter H. and John E. Hadaway, M. Wilbur Thomas and D. W. Crosby. Clarles L. Dodd undertaker.

REV. THOMAS LOWE

Rev. Thomas Lowe for 40 years pastor of Lewis Memorial Church, Baltimore, died at his home in that City on Wednesday. At the last session of the Maryland Annual Conference in Baltimore, the Church and Rev. Mr. Lowe were admitted into the Conference. Rev. Mr. Lowe was given a pension of $1200, and Rev. Wm. A. Melvin was made pastor of the new Church, which has a membership of over 500. The deceased was one of the most popular ministers in South Baltimore.

Fund For Europe's Blinded.

The thousonds of French Belgium and British soldiers who nave been blinded in the European War are in a pitiable condition, according to an appeal of American bankers, philanthropists and business men, through the B. F. B. Permanent Blind Relief War Fund, 590 Fifth Avenue, N. Y. City.

The appeal is sent locally by Hon. James A. Pearce, President of the Third National Bank, who is Sub-Treasurer of the Fund in this locality and will receive all local contributions.

Unaole to work at former trades, these numerous blind war-victims cannot support themselves and their families. Their governments overburdened with more immediate problems, are able to do very little for them, the appeal states.

Six months training, on the other hand, the bankers, business men and philanthropists say, can educate almost all of these thousands of now useless blind men in practical, paying trades, in which they can support themselves and at least partially support their families. Work of this kind has already been begun by C. Arthur Pearson, the blind English newspaper proprietor and philanthropist, at St. Dunstan's in England, by M. Rene Vallery-Radot thru, "Les Amis des Soldats Aveugles,,in the "Maison duConvalessence" in France, and by Miss Winifred Holt of the Comite Franco American pour les Aveugles, of which the Hon Joseph H. Choate is President. The B. F. B. Permanent Blind Relief War Fund seeks to assist, develop and enlarge these efforts.

The first work of the Fund will be to enlarge and modernize all the present blind institutions of Europe by means of financial donations. The Fund later intends to organize in various European cities additional modern equipped blind schools, blind workshops, blind employment exchanges for commercializing blind products.

Millington Items.

Mrs. Corbett, of Wilmington, Del., visited Mrs. A. J. Lockerman last Monday.

Mrs. Emma Shahan returned home on Monday of last week, after spending three months with relatives in Chestertown.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of Asbury M. E. Church met on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. N. A. Wallen.

Miss Kathryn Downes, of Wilmington, was the guest last Monday of Mrs. John Slaughter.

Mrs. Isaac Cleaver, of Kennedyville, spent last Tuesday with Mrs. Mollie Aydelotte.

Mrs. Marowitz, of Baltimore, visited her daughter, Mrs. I. Hollis, this week.

Mrs. J. P. Ahern was the guest this week of her daughter, Mrs. Philip H. Wood, Jr., of Wilmington.

Mrs. H. L. Disharoon went to a Philadelphia Hospital last Tuesday, to be operated on for appendicitis.

Mrs. W. C. Rolph, of College Park, Md. spent a few days this week with friends in town.

Miss Beulah King, of Wilmington, was entertained last week by her aunt, Mrs. James Moore.

Services at Asbury M. E. Church, to-morrow, May 7th, will be as follows: 10 30 A. M. and 8 P. M., Preaching by the Pastor, Rev. G. P. Smith; 1.45 P. M. Sunday School, Subject, "The Missionaries of Antioch." Friday, 8 P. M. Prayer meeting.

Miss Clare Ahern, Miss Edna Spear and Mrs. Guy Campbell and son, visited friends in Chestertown, last Tuesday.

Mr. Frank Nickerson moved last week to Wilmington.

W. C. T. U. Meeting

The Women's Christian Temperance Union held a very enjoyable and profitable meeting on Tuesday afternoon in the lecture room of the M. E. Church, with Mrs. William Brown, the president, presiding. The following was the program:

Prayer ..... Rev. T. F. Beauchamp
Solo ..... Miss Cain
Address ..... Mr. James T. Anthony
Recitation ..... Marion Collins
Male Quartette—Messrs. Bowers, Thompson, Usilton and Sparks.
Address ..... Rev. J. L. Ward
Violin Duet—Messrs. Joseph N. Wheatley and Merritt Twilley.
Solo ..... Mr. Monzanie
Address ..... Rev. T. F. Beauchamp
Solo ..... Miss Ida Smith

Mr. Wm. C. Dempsey, the new postmaster at Kennedyville, has assumed his new duties.

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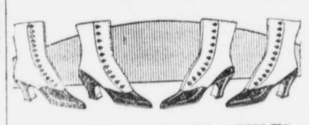

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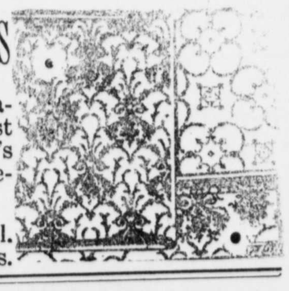

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