FIREMEN'S BENEFIT SHOW

Next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday

"Hip Hip Hooray" With Cast of Over 100 People to be Seen in Novel Performance—Many Unique Features on Program—Professional Producers in Charge.

"Hip Hip Hooray".—Chestertown's big novelty show, which is being given as a benefit for the Chestertown Fire Company, is to be presented at the Lyceum Theatre, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights of next week, May 4-5-6, with a cast of over 100 of Chestertown's best singers, dancers, and comedians, and judging from the interest shown about town, and the local players in the big novelty show.

The show has been in preparation for some time under the direction of the Wheeler Producing Company, professional producers, who have staged very successful plays in all the largest coast cities, and an entertainment of the highest order is assured. "Hip Hip Hooray" is entirely different from the usual home talent show, being a big Minstrel Musical Revue in five big scenes, each scene bting complete in itself, the program consisting of many attractive and unique features. The show is to be elaborately staged with special scenery, costumes and electrical effects, and bid fair to be the outstanding amusement event of the present season.

One of the big hits of the revue is sure to be made by the children, over 50 of the little folks, ranging from four to 13 years of age, appearing in a big Mother Goose fantasy, entitled, "The Birthday Party" the children impersonating the characters familiar to Mother Goose rhymes. In this scene Lucille Rasin appears as the little Hostess, Betty Thibodeau, as the Good Fairy, Mrs. Merrick Clements as Mother Goose, Miss Harriette Welch as The Old Woman Who Lived In The Shoe, Alice Marion Sterling as Red Riding Hood, Lewis Hess as Boy Blue Frank Gardner and Charlotte Price as Jack & Jill, Mary Godfrey Rogers as Bo-Peep, Angelina Nigro as Mary Quite Contrary, Eleanor Russell as Miss Moffett, and Margaret Ann Turner as Golden Locks also large groups of little tots as fairies, part guests, clowns, and children of the Old Lady Who Lived In The Shoe.

Numbers by the adults include several unique offerings, each scene being in a special setting. The "Kiss Me Dolls" is a singing and dancing number by the following young ladies: Soloist, Kathryn Ford, the girls: Nancy Jean Usilton, Margaret Cooper, Dorothy Pennington, Louise Simpers, Helen Coleman, Kathryn Shakespeare, Emily Jewell, and Margaret Russell.

"My Dream Girls" a feature number of the revue, in an electric setting, has as soloists: Miss Helen Connelly and Mr. Dan Hall, assisted gy the following young ladies as the dream girls: the Misses Perkins, Virginia Jones, Helen Simpers, Dorothy Woodall, Gladys Worrell, Elizabeth Dukes, Cora McWhorter, and Mrs. Richard Carvil.

"Limehouse Nights," is a story of old Chinatown, the scene opening with an artistic Chinese dance by the Mah Jong ballet, followed by an unusual offering, with several principals, in a characteristic dance, entitled, "The Dance Of Death." Soloists in this scene are: Miss Dorothy Shriver as the Chinese girl, Mr. Vernon Kirby as the Chinaman, and Mr. Jimmie Galvin as the American visitor to the tea house, with the Misses Mary Power, Elizabeth Culp, Ann Welch, Cornelia Davis, Kathryn Wright, Anna Cook Coleman, Elizabeth Richardson, Margaret Rasin, Mesdames Roland Corey and Barber Bartley, in the Mah Jong bullet.

The comedy end of the program will be taken care of by the "Hip Hip Hooray" Minstrels, featuring four of our best known comedians as end men, several well known soloists, a double quartete, and a large chorus of our best singers in the latest Broadway song hits. The end men will be Eddie Keenan, Clarence Newcomb, Phil Sewell and H. S. Russell, and this quartette of funsters are sure to give a good account of themselves. The double quartette is composed of the following: Messrs Thomas Perkins, L. R. Carroll, John Barnes, Thomas Bowers, J. H. Thompson, Roy Woodland, A. L. Sparks, and Julian Coleman. Single quartette, Messrs Julian Coleman, Norman Graves, Price Rolph, and Phil Sewell, with the following as soloists: Messrs L. R. Carroll, Roy Woodland, Norman Graves, Dan Hall, Roth Stavely

The Fire Company are taking this means of raising some needed funds to help meet the debt on the new pumper and the support of the community is solicited. With the addition of the new pumper, which has been in service a little over a month, Chestertown can lay claim to having the equal, if not the best fire apparatus of any town on the Shore of equal population, and the boys feel that the residents of Chestertown and vicinity appreciate this fact, as well as their volunteer services as fire fighters.

Seats are on sale at Stam's Drug Store, for all performances, or can be reserved by 'phone. Phone reservations will be held until 8 p. m. on nights ordered. Phone 30.

LOCAL COLUMN

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Church Notes

Catholics of the diocese of Wilmington, which includes all of Delaware, the Eastern Shore of Maryland and two counties in Virginia, will conduct a campaign, starting Friday, May 1, and continuing until May 11, to raise a fund of $100,000 with which to alter and restore old St. Peter's Church, Sixth and West Streets, in Wilmington, and consecrate it as a Cathedral.

This is the oldest Catholic church now in service in the diocese of Wilmington and has been continuously used as a place of worship for 109 years. Its records go back much further to the temporary missions at which Catholics worshipped before the founding of a permanent church.

Teams will be formed in every Catholic parish in Delaware, the Eastern Shore of Maryland and two counties in Virginia. This will be the first Cathedral in this diocese. Bishop John J. Monaghan, the clergy, and leading Catholic laymen in all parts of the Peninsula are taking part in the campaign.

Bond M. E. Church

Sunday School at 10.00 a. m.; Divine worship and sermon by pastor at 11.00 a. m., following the service the Junior Epworth League will be vice at 7.30 p. m. Bond Church Aid will meet on Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Shinn.

Members of Bond Church Aid and of the Congregation of the Church gave the Pastor and wife a reception at the Parsonage on Monday evening.

Mowbray M. E. Church

Sunday School at 2.30 p. m., the school will be reorganized for the ensuing year. Epworth League Service at 7.30 p. m., followed by Divine Worship and sermon by pastor.

Rev. J. F. Owens, of Baltimore, preached in Bond Chapel last Sunday morning and in Mowbray Chapel at the evening service. Good congregations enjoyed the message he brought, the total offering for the Near East Relief at both Churches was $59.57.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held in the Parish House on Monday afternoon, May 4th. at three o'clock.

All ladies in the Parish are earnestly asked to be present.

Salem M. E. Church, Fairlee

Rev. S. L. Hanby, pastor. Sunday School at 10.00 a .m.; preaching at 11 a. m.; Jr. League at 6.30 p. m.; Epworth League at 7.v0, topic, "True Freedom," leader, Mr. Weldon Walbert. Official Board meeting on Monday evening, May 4. A full attendance is desired. S. S. Candler Club will meet in Fairlee School on Friday evening, May 8th.

Union M. E. Church, Worton

Sunday School at 2.00 p. m. Preaching at 3.00 p. m. by Pastor, Rev. S. L. Hanby.

Grace Presbyterian Church

Services next Sunday morning at 11.00 a. m. A representative of the "Near East Relief" will be present, and will address the congregation in the interest of that vitally important cause.

Kennedyville M. P. Church

Sunday School at 10.00 a. m.; 11.00 a special sermon to parents by pastor, Dr. J. W. Trout. 7.30 p. m. C. E., topic, "How can we help to make Home Happy?" (Consecration meeting, led by Mr. William Newton); 8.00 p. m. sermon by pastor. Our school has set a part of this week, beginning Sunday, Ma y3rd, for "Children's Week" and we ask for the co-operation of the parents to help make it an enjoyable and profitable week for our children. The following is the outline for the week. Sunday, sermon to parents; Monday and Tuesday, "Home Visitation" and "Canvas for new Members" in the childrens and young people's division. Wednesday, 7.30 p. m., Sabbath School mass meeting, everybody urged to be present. Friday, 3.00 p. m., party for children's division and Cradle Roll story telling. Sunday, May 10th, at the close of S. S. there will be a 10 minute talk to children by pastor; at 3 p. m., Children's march through the village singing carols and distributing flowers to the sick. All invited.

WORTON

The Committee gave Mr. and Mrs. Preston Crowding a kitchen shower and serenade last Friday evening.

Miss Margaret Northamer and Miss Ruth Parker, of Baltimore, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams over the week-end.

Miss I. C. Cooper has returned home after having spent the winter with her neice, Mrs. S. J. Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. George T. Williams spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Van Dyke.

Mr. George Rasin spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Crowding, of Townsend.

The Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Samuel Wallis on Thursday night.

Miss Carrie Geiser, of Worton, and Mr. Patrick, of Chestertown, were quietly married on Saturday afternoon by Rev. Hanby, of Fairlee.

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