BETTERTON

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brice entertained their relatives and a few friends at a Turkey Dinner last Saturday evening. Amang those present were Mr. and Mrs. Horace Brice, Mr. and Mrs. George Brice and children, Miss Elizabeth Brice, Mr. and Mrs. William Wheeler and children, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Silcox and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Briscoe and son, Miss Louise Crow and Miss Lillian Leager.

Mrs. Floyd Crownhart gave a most enjoyable party to the members of St. John's Sunday School last Monday afternoon at her home. The children each received candy and fruit. The rector, Rev. John White received a gold piece and another was sent to the former rector, Dr. Hepbron and Mrs. White were presented with gold pieces; Little Billy White also who is at present visiting his daughter in Nuttal, Va.

The M. E. Church gave their annual treat and entertainment on Monday of last week. The program follows: Silent Night by the school; Prayer by Dr. Walter Stone; Address by the pastor, Rev. Claude Clark, followed by the offering; Song by the school, "A Choral of Gladness;" Exercise, three boys Paul Crew, Emerson Moore and Hanson Crew; Bells of Christmas by ten children, Glad Christmas Bells, Mary Covey, Ruth Harris, Anna Hepbron, Charles Wylie; Chorus, "The World's' Redeemer;" The First Christmas Tree, Helen Harris; Pantomine, It Came Upon a Midnight Clear, Misses Florence Owens, Edith Smith, Anna Crew; Exercise, Elmer Brice, Ernest Briscoe, Harry Hickman; Holly Wreath song and drill by six girls; Recitation, Glory to God Evelyn Crew; Song, "Glory to God in the Highest" by the school; Pageant, "What the Months Bring," at the end of which Santa Claus entered and gave candy and an orange to each child present and presented a gift to the pastor also one to the Supt. Mr. Archie Crew. Another present was given Rev. by the Bible Class and one from the Ladies Aid Society. Dr. Walter Stone received a gift from the Epworth League.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brice and Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Moore entertained at family dinners on New Years Day.

Mrs. Mattie Tull, we are sorry to report, still remains critically ill at The Howard Kelley Hospital in Baltimore.

The January meeting of the Ladies Aid Society was held at the home of Miss Florence Jewell on Friday evening. Mrs. Frank Young entertained the Womens Foreign Missionary Society on Thursday afternoon at her home.

Mrs. Arthur Brice attended the wedding of her brother in Baltimore on Tuesday evening.

tives is at Annapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brice entertained at a New Years party on Saturday evening.

Miss Gladys Hickman, of Wilmington, was the week end geust of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hickman.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Owens, of Middletown art spending a few days with Mr. Owens parents.

Miss Louise Crew entertained a few friends at htr home, "The Ferncliffe," on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Covey and family, who have resided in Betterton since last March have moved to Fairlee where Mr. Covey has recently purchased a farm.

During the winter months the Epworth League is endeavoring to make theSunday evening devotional services more interesting and helpful to those who attend. There will be a speaker, as far as possible, each Sunday evening Last Sunday evening, ou rown Dr. Stone was the speaker and Mrs. George Brice the leader. To-morrow evening Miss M. Elizabeth Brice will be the leader and Dr. Paul Titsworth, President of Washington College, will be the speaker everyone is cordially invited to attend these services.

STILL POND

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson, Jr., and grandson, John Ben spent last week in Baltimore, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Holten Parr have returned to their home in Baltimore, Md., Miss Lucille Parr went with them.

About twenty-two attended the Ladies Aid Society which met at the home of Mrs. Wm. Anderson on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. S. B. Parrott is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. John N. Bennett in Chestertown, Md.

Miss Mabel Norris spent last week end with her sister, Mrs. Harry Wheeler in Baltimore, Md.

Friendship Rebekah Lodge meets on next Thursday evening. This will be the first meeting of this year and the election of officers, so a good attendance is hoped for.

Miss Sophie Miller has closed her house for the winter and is boarding in town with Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Matthews.

MILLINGTON

Dr. B. W. Hazell, of Baltimore, and Miss May Green, of Holesburg, Pa., spent the week end with the former's sister, Miss Mattie.

Miss Lydie Jones returned last Sunday to Nevasink, N. J., after spending the Christmas holidays with relatives in and near town.

Dr. and Mrs. Merritt Brice were guests last Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Brice, of Fairlee.

Rev. F. A. Baker and family visited relatives in Wilmington last week.

Mr. William Vansant and little son, William, Jr., and Mr. George Butler, of Elkton, Md., spent the past week end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Jones.

Miss Martha Pennington returned last Sunday to Nevasink, N. J., after spending ten days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Liston Pennington.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Numbers and daughters, Misses Helen and Mary, were guests of relatives in Denton, Md., on Wednesday of last week.

Miss Myrtle Faulkner, of Parkville, Md., visited her aunt, Mrs. John Moore, last week.

Mr. Alfred Wallis, of Annapolis, Md., spent last week with Mr. Richard Comegys.

Miss Anna Jones returned last Tuesday to Salsbury Normal School, after spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Jones.

Miss Addie Vansant, of Wilmington, Del., and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Kaufman, of Raleigh, N. C., were guests last week of the latter,s aunt, Miss Marie Vansant.

Mrs. James Griffin, of near Northeast, Md., visited Mrs. George Jones last week.

Miss Mary Wilson spent last week with relatives and friends in Wilmington, New Castle and Bear, Del.

Miss Ruby Ahern returned last Sat., to Pittsburgh, Pa., after spending ten days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Ahern.

Mrs. Arlie Stewart and two children, of Linwood, Pa., spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. E. B. Green, near Massey.

Mrs. Jennie Johnson moved last Frday from her apartment in Central Hotel to Chestertown.

Mr. William Benton, of Marcus Hook, is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Annie Barnes, near town.

Miss Dolly King returned last Tuesday to Salisbury Normal School, after spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard King.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Nelson, of Pitman, N. J., visited his sister, Mrs. Ella White this week.

Miss Helen Vansant is the guest of her brother, Mr. William Vansant, of Elkton, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Green, of near Massey, spent Christmas with relatives in Marcus Hook and Linwood, Pa.

Mr. A. J. Lockman, efficient track foreman of the Pennsylvania Railroad with head-quarters at Millington, was retired on pension on December 29, 1926, after thirty-five years of faithful service. Mr. Lockerman has received letters from the officials of his company, expressing congratulations and appreciation for the years of faithful satisfactory service, which he has satisfactory service, which he has ceeded by a Mr. Benny from Cambridge, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, of near Sudlersville, visited Mr. and Mrs. James Moore last Friday.

Miss Mary Feddeman, of Baltimore, was the guest last week of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Feddeman.

Miss Arlene Gale spent last week with relatives in Galena.

Mr. Richard Comegys returned last Monday to St. John's College, Annapois, Md., after spending two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Comegys.

Rev. and Mrs. O. H. Connelly, formerly of Millington, but now of Townsend, Del., are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a fine daughter.

Harry and Josephine King, of near Massey, spent last week with their aunt, Mrs. James Moore.

Services at Asbury M. E. Church, to-morrow, January 9 will be as follows: 10 a. m., Sunday School, Mr. H. L. Higman, Supt.; 11 a. m., and 8 p. m., preaching; 7.30 p. m., Epworth League. Friday 7.30 p. m., prayer meeting. All are invited to attend these services.

Miss Julia Cacy left last Sunday for Baltimore, where she will spend the remainder of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Harrison and son, Stanley, of Sherwood, Md., visited Rev. and Mrs. F. A. Baker, last week.

Mrs. Clarnce Clough entertained Mrs. Anna Taylor on New Year's Day.

Mr. Victor Stevens, of Baltimore, was the guest last week of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stevens, near town.

Frank Kennard Barnhart and little Ethel Stevens are quite sick with measles. Among others on the sick list are: Mrs. Ella White, Miss Ella Jones and Rev. F. A. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. James Stack entertained at a Turkey dinner on New Year's Day in honor of Mrs. Stack's father, Mr. John Lynch, and Mr. Stack's birthdays. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. John Lynch, Miss Lucy and Mr. Owen Lynch, of Oxford, Pa., Mr. Frances Lynch, of Greensboro, Md., Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lynch, of Ridgely, Miss Louise Fleetwood, of Denton, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Stayed, of East New Market, Md., Mr. A. C. Dixon and family, of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. B. W. Duling, of Millington.

The revival services, which were started last Sunday evening at Asbury M. E. Church were postponed for two weeks on account of the illness of the pastor, Rev. F. A. Baker.

Miss Mary Numbers returned last Monday to Northampton, Mass., after spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Numbers.

Mrs. J. P. Ahern visited relatives in Wilmington last week.

Mrs. R. J. Taylor is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Mary Young, of Franklin City, Va.

Mrs. Lizzie Anderson and son, Mr. Burgess, spent last Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Jennie Leager, of Prices.

Mrs .Eva Sykes left last Monday for Atlanta, Ga., where she will spend a few weeks with friends, after which she will leave for St. Petersburg, Fla., to spend the remainder of the winter.

Mrs. Mollie Boggs, of Clayton, Del., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Henry Stevens near town.

Mrs. Merritt Brice delightfully entertained a number of friends recently at Bridge. Mrs. John Stokes, of Sudlersville, won the first prize, Mrs. Edward Gillespie, of Sudlersville, the second and Miss Frances Fisher, of Millington, the consolation prize.

Mrs. Anna Taylor spent the Christmas holidays with friends at Clayton, Del.

Mrs. Thomas Phillips, of Wilmington, Mr. Luther Jones, of Philadelphia, and Miss Ethel Phillips, of New York, were guests last week of the latter's aunt, Mrs. Ruth Bowman.

Mrs. S. S. Comegys is visiting friends in Washington, D. C.

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Fisherman's Lunch

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TERTIA was busily painting letters on the bow of her comfortable, safe-looking rowboat. "Fisherman's Luck," said the old man who had been sitting on a rock watching her as she traced the white letters on the spic and span green surface of the bow.

Tertia laughed. "Look again," she said, merrily. "I suppose nine out of every ten who read it will see it the same way." Then she remembered that the old man's eyesight might be failing and she read for him, "It's 'Fisherman's Lunch,' Uncle."

Everybody along the shore called him "Uncle" although no one who had the right by kinship had ever been known in these parts.

"Wall, what does that mean, Tertia?" he asked. "And why did you paint out the letters your father had put on the boat?"

"I'll answer your first question last, Uncle," replied Tertia. "Father named the boat after me, Tertia. He had named me Tertia because I was the third child and his fancy was for naming all his children by numbering them in Latin. I don't like the name for a boat, and now that Dad is gone he can't be hurt. And—your second answer: I have gone into a business of my own with this boat and the new name is an advertisement."

In this cove where Tertia Miller meant to ply her new trade there was good fishing.

She was going to carry sandwiches, cakes, home-made doughnuts and pies in season in her small boat and row about among the silent groups of fishermen each day at mealtimes.

Her mother was no longer young and they lived together in the little cottage that belonged to the club and which they were to be permitted to use as long as they liked. This was in the form of a pension to her mother in appreciation of the long services of old Captain Miller.

Her brightly painted boat caught the eye of every fisherman as she rowed along and it was not long before she was handing out lunches to those who hailed her. If coming alongside disturbed the home-life of the gentle fish, no man cared since he was to be refreshed by so splendid a lunch as Tertia provided.

Rain or shine, early and late, she was out with her lunch boat and she and her mother were both surprised at the amount of profit they found to their credit.

Tertia was happy. She told herself it was the success of her project that made her heart sing. It was, she argued, because of the joy that achievement brings to one.

Perhaps that was a part of the reason. But there was another cause for her gladness. Tertia was experiencing the first treasured moments of romance.

Archie Dove had put into the harbor one stormy night and for lack of knowledge of the water had anchored his craft until dawn should give him a better idea of his locality. And—at dawn, when the fishermen began to come out to get their catch on the flood tide after the storm, had come the little craft which bore the letters, "Fisherman's Lunch."

It seemed almost to Archie as if Tertia in all her beauty had come toward him out of the very dawn itself, so whimsically, so fancifully had he first beheld her.

He had come out of his cabin to begin to get under way. He was cruizing alone so as to work out his novel. The green boat was approaching and the soft morning light shone on the gold of Tertia's hair.

"Fisherman's Lunch," he read to himself when he could discern the letters. "Fisherman's Luck, I'm thinking," he added.

Tertia rowed slowly, as was her custom.

"Have you—something to eat?" he asked.

Tertia smiled. "I should think I had—fresh coffee cake and doughnuts and—"

Archie stopped her then and there. He was too hungry to listen without acting.

"May I have—some?" he asked, still with a boyish shyness.

It was only a moment before she was alongside his boat and he had climbed down into the one bit of seat that remained empty in her boat.

When she explained to him her work he suggested that as it was early and that there were few fishermen out she might wait for a cup of coffee that he could make in his own galley?

Tertia did. He deftly came aboard her boat with mugs of coffee and for the first time Tertia ate of her own wares.

Archie did not get under way. He found reasons for remaining in the harbor to write his book and he found himself too busy to go ashore to buy provisions, thereby making it necessary for him to get almost everything he ate from Tertia.

His novel progressed and his heroine suddenly began to look like Tertia.

He had told her all this—and more—and that is why the little captain of "Fisherman's Lunch" was so thrillingly happy.

"They say it's bad luck to change the name of a boat," muttered old Uncle one evening when he watched Tertia walking along the beach with her new-found lover. "But—that don't look much like bad luck to me," he added, grinning his wrinkled old grin.

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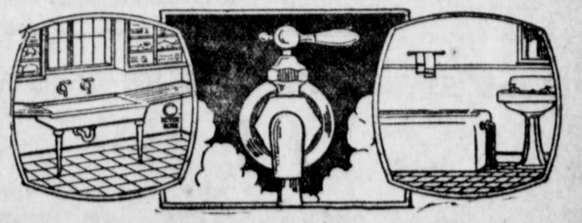
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