STILL POND

NEWS FLASH!

Little 1946 arrived as scheduled and all of us made new resolutions not to strike.

Miss Edna Wroth was called to Baltimore Wednesday by the illness of her cousin, Mrs. Richard Gray, who still contiues quite sick.

Mr. and Mrs. George French and Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Nicholson of Chestertown; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark and daughter Carolyn of Aberdeen, Md., were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. William Clark, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jarvis entertained several friends and relatives at a New Year's dinner.

The blanket winner from the County-Wide Club for this week was Mrs. James Geary, Still Pond, Md.

The Philathea Class held their regular meeting Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Ford.

Mr. Harry H. Jones Jr., spent the week-end with his family in North East, Md.

Sunday the newly elected officers of the W.S.C.S. will be installed by Rev. H. H. Conner.

Sunday marked the beginning of the Universal Week of Prayer, which we are observing at Still Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. Durward Gosman have had as their house guests their sister, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Biggers and son, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Biggers of Duncannon, Pa.

Miss Ruth Conner has returned home after spending the holidays with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Conner in Wilmington.

Mrs. Ralph Copper spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Casson in Cheswold, Del. Mrs. Casson still continues quite sick.

Mrs. L. P. Atwell and son Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hogans, visited with relatives in Washington, D. C., Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Scherwartz, of Wilmington, enjoyed New Year's with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schofield.

The W.S.C.S. held their regular monthly meeting Thursday with our president, Mrs. Clarence Ford, presiding.

Burial Services were held Wednesday 26th for Mrs. Allie Meeks, who died at her late home in Baltimore on the 23rd. Mrs. Meeks will be missed here as she visited with relatives here during the Summer months.

Rev. H. H. and Mrs. Conner were hosts to "Open House" from 2 to 5 P. M. New Year's day. Members and friends of both Betterton and Still Pond enjoyed Rev. and Mrs. Conner Ruth's hospitality.

Mrs. Florence Watson, was the guest of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Watson near Annapolis, Md., during the New Year's.

Miss Carrollton Nichols visited with her grandmother, Mrs. Pletzer Rock Hall.

Mr. Oliver P. Jervis was the Sunday guest of his daughters, near Kennedyville.

House plants grown for their leaves need large pots to assure luxuriant growth, while flowering plants will produce more blossom if kept in smaller pots, in which the soil is changed more often.

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GALENA HI-LIGHTS

Editor, Helen Starkey

Since our school was unexpectedly closed three days ahead of schedule, we were unable to have our usual Xmas party on the last day, therefore Thursday, of last week in the last hour, we exchanged gifts. The Sophomore girls served us some delicious cup-cakes which they made in their Shop class. We all enjoyed the party although Old Kris was a little late.

Parents, students of this school and their guests enjoyed themselves at a dance given by the P.-T. A. on Thursday, December 27th. George Feary furnished the music. 123 attended the dance.

On Thursday evening, January 3, the Kent County Council P.-T. A. met at the Galena Elementary School. Rev. Reynolds presided. The principal topic for discussion was "the need for better library facilities in Kent County." An investigation will be made as to how the provisions of the library bill passed in the 1945 state legislature might help this county in meeting the need. The Galena P.-T. A. invited the county group to a fellowship meeting in February. The date is to be set later on.

Following the county meeting a short business meeting was held by the local P.-T. A. Twenty-two members from Galena were present.

This week Mr. Startt submitted a list to publishers for prices of our 1945-46 library books. The names of many worn-out books were included in the list.

Sgt. Albert Moffett, after being discharged from the Army, visited our school on January 4, 1946. Other recently discharged service men who attended Galena School are F 2-c Louis Irvin Atwell, Jr., and Cpl. T. Irvin Spry. Cpl. Spry plans to return to his studies at University of Maryland.

The following pupils made a perfect attendance with no tardiness for the month of December:

Freshmen—Eugene Haley, Donald Turner, Joseph Woodall, Joan Woodall, Charlotte Mulford, Jane Clair Johnson, Betty Ann Jarvis, Rebecca Boyd and Joyce Arrington.

Sophomores — Robert Redding, Kent Wharton, George Wood, Louise Dwyer, Frances Cole, Rose Marie Behringer, and Agnes Ann Hadley.

Juniors — Carlton Wallace, Margaret Bingnear, Rita Donahoe, Clara Virginia Jarvis, Hester Miller, Dolores Otwell.

Seniors — Austin Davis, Francis Lamb, Evva Newnam, Carmine Woodall.

Accidents are more costly in human lives than war. Total combat deaths in World War II were about 265,000 and about 650,000 were wounded; while during the same period accidents on the home front killed 355,000 persons and injured 36,000,000, of whom 1,250,000 suffered some permanent disability.

DDT has proven excellent for control of codling moth in fruit orchards, but it has no effect on another serious orchard pest, the red mite.

Hay and silage cured to keep their green color enable the dairy cow in winter to produce milk and butterfat with a high content of vitamin A.

Liquid floor waxes give a better longer lasting surface if a thin coat of paste wax is applied under them.

Midland, a new variety of strawberry that yields well on the Eastern Shore, is tops in quality for both market use and for the frozen foods method of merchandising.

First step in a successful tobacco production season is the preparation of plant beds during open weather in the winter months, according to one of the Charles County growers who attended the December tobacco production committee meeting at Upper Marlboro. A number of other growers suggested custom sale of plants by some growers in each neighborhood would help offset any shortages of the plants in the spring.

Olives With Fish

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