CHURCH NOTES

RADIANT LIVING

His Ever Livingness

By Rev. C. M. Griffeth
Pastor Calvary M. E. Church
Sudlersville

What Christian is not, fascinated with the experience of those two disciples who trudged their weary way along the road to Emmaus?

Sad through the loss of Jesus, they were joined along the way by a stranger to whom they poured out their grief. Reaching their humble home in Emmaus they urged their unknown companion to accept the hospitality of the evening meal.

Sitting with them at their frugal meal, as he was breaking bread with them, they became conscious of his identity.

It was the risen Christ!

How they must have rubbed their eyes in astonishment, and looked again. But He was not there! At the moment they had recognized Him, He had vanished!

The two disciples hastened out into the night. Back to Jerusalem they flew, possessed of the glorious fact that Jesus was risen!

Bursting into the upper room like the gust of a whirlwind, they announced with uncontrolled joy that they had talked and eaten with the resurrected living Jesus!

Vital Christianity always has a startling announcement. The living Chirst gives a radiant life to every 'whosoever will.' 'I am come.' He declares, 'I am come that ye might have life and that ye might have it more abundantly'.

Blessed is that soul to whom Christ reveals His ever livingness!

STILL POND M. E. CHURCH
Raymond W. Hallman, Pastor

August 9, 1936—

9:30 A. M.—Church School. F. B. Harper, Jr., Supt.

11 A. M.—Morning Worship with sermon by the pastor. You are earnestly requested to be present at your preaching service.

7:30 P. M.—Epworth League. Mrs. N. V. Walters will be the leader.

BETTERTON M. E. CHURCH
Raymond W. Hallman, Pastor

August 9, 1936—

10 A. M.—Church School. Mrs. Archie Crew, Supt.

8 P. M.—Evening Worship with sermon by the pastor. The church doors are always open for you. Come and worship with us.

Mowbray M. E. Church

Rev. F. H. Truitt, Pastor.

Sunday School 2.30 p. m.; Mrs. Ida V. Kirby. Superintendent. Worship service 8 p. m.; Sermon by the Pastor.

Bond M. E. Church

Rev. F. H. Truitt, Pastor.

Sunday School 10 a. m. Elmer M. Starr, Superintendent. Worship service 11 a. m.; Sermon by the pastor; Epworth League 8 p. m.

Kennedyville M. P. Church

Rev. W. F. Bauscher, minister.

Sunday 10 a. m. Church School. Men's Bible Class same hour. Supt. Mr. Joe McHenry. Lesson Topic, 'Paul Converted and Commissioned.'

11 a. m. sermon. This will be the second sermon on the series of Spiritual Education. Theme, 'The Teacher.' Choir selection.

8 p. m. song service and sermon theme, 'Hand in Hand Together.'

All are cordially invited to these services. Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hopkins will entertain at their home the business and social monthly meting of the Christian Endeavor.

Members urged to be present.

There will be no preaching service here on August 6th as the pastor will be on his vacation.

St. James M. P. Church

Rev. J. Lee Marker, Minister.

10 a. m. Sunday School. An hours study of the lesson under the superintendency of George Carroll.

11 a. m. morning worship with sermon by the pastor. This occasion will be Stranger Day with us. Every member is expected to be present and bring some one with you.

7.30 p. m. Christian Endeavor under the leadership of Miss Laura Rees and Ann Clark, using the topic 'Dishonest Practices in Our Daily Life.'

Lynch M. P. Church

2 p. m. Sunday School, Mrs. Harry Jewell supeintendent. 3 p. m. afternoon worship. Sermon by the pastor.

ROCK HALL M. E. CHURCH
F. Charles Louhoff, Jr., Pastor

Services Sunday, August 9—

Bible School at 9:45 A. M. Stanley Grant, Supt.

Morning Worship at 11:00. Mrs. Robert Shallcross, organist. Mrs. Lillian Lamb, of Baltimore, will be the soloist for this service. Sermon by the pastor.

7:30—Evening Worship. The first half hour will be in charge of a group of young people. A good live song service followed by sermon.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
701 W. High St., Chestertown, Md.
Paul G. Amt, Pastor

Sunday, August 9—

10:00 A. M.—Sunday School for children of all ages.

11:00 A. M.—Divine Worship. Sermon by the Pastor: "The Unjust Steward." Holy Communion will be celebrated for the membership.

We sincerely invite you to worship with us. We preach salvation for human souls through the death of the Son of God.

WORTON

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Taylor and son, of Philadelphia, spent last week with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Joiner.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Joiner and son, of Baltimore, visited her father, Mr. B. F. Sewell, Sunday.

Mrs. Esther Duyer, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Duyer.

Miss Anna Joiner, of Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. W. A. Joiner.

Miss Louise Wolf, of Baltimore, spent last week end with her aunt, Mrs. Marion Rash.

Mr. Hyland Smith has been visiting relatives in Philadelphia and Atlantic City for the past ten days.

Mrs. Wm. Campbell, of Philadelphia, visited Mr. J. W. Carter last week.

Mr. W. T. S. Rasin was given a surprise birthday dinner at his home here Sunday those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Rasin, of Atlantic City, Mr. Selby Rasin and son, of Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hadaway and daughter, of Lynch.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Horsey, of Betterton, visited Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hadaway, Sunday.

Quite a few from here attended the Fair at Harrington last week.

Mr. Marvin Williams who visited an ear specialist in Wilmington last week and had a slight operation is doing nicely.

We are indeed glad to hear Mrs. R. A. Loud is able to be out again after a three weeks illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest DeWitt and children, Robert and Nina have returned to their home at Fort Harrison Long Island, Roger, Jr., and Frances Harris accompanied them home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cooper, Harold George, Jr., and Jean Cooper and Miss Jean Benson, of Newport, Del., visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rasin, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Diblin, of Philadelphia, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Williams.

Miss Hazel Mason spent several days this week with her aunt, Mrs. Hope Dill.

U. S. Growth Slows Down

The United States is growing only about half as fast as it was ten years ago. Since 1930 it has added scarcely 1,000,000 a year to its population. For the present decade, if the same rate holds, it will have grown but about 9,000,000 by 1940, or to about 132,000,000. This is the lowest rate of growth since the decade following 1860. And at that time we had but 23,000,000 people. In the decade ending with 1879 the United States grew about 7,000,000; in ten years ending with 1880 its growth was more than 11,000,000; 1890, over 12,000,000; 1900, about 13,000,000; 1910, about 16,000,000; 1920, a falling off to 14,000,000 during the war. The decade ending with 1930 saw the greatest growth of any similar period—17,000,000. But during the five years of depression it had grown only 4,500,000. —New York Herald-Tribune.

Complete Mourning

According to the Kadelpian Review mourning in many isolated sections of Europe is put on everything on the place, including the front door, beehives, silos, pigsties and barns that belonged to the deceased. Even the house cat displays a bit of black crepe tied around its neck.

LOCAL TEAM VICTOR OVER VISITORS

Rock Hall and Chestertown combinations were too much for the Five Points Athletic Club, of Wilmington, the Kent nines winning both of the games played in the county over the week end.

At Rock Hall on Saturday the Kent countians were victorious by a 6-4 score and at Chestertown on Sunday the home team came out on top, 8-7, as the tying run for the visitors in the ninth, was short by a few inches, Oploch, shortstop for the Five Points nine, being tagged out at the plate on what was mighty near a homer.

The lineups and summaries:

Saturday Game

Rock Hall	Ab	R	H	O	A	E
Porter, ss	5	0	1	2	2	0
Grant, c	3	0	0	9	2	0
LeCates, cf	2	2	1	0	0	0
J. Williams, 2b	4	2	2	4	1	0
Bennett, 3b	4	1	1	0	1	1
Rodney, 1b	3	0	0	5	0	0
Nichols, rf	4	1	2	3	0	0
Urie, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Harris, p	4	0	1	1	2	0
Oliffe (a)	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	6	9	24	8	1

Five Points	Ab	R	H	O	A	E
Szosda, 3b	5	0	2	1	5	1
Ruff, rf	5	0	0	2	0	0
Klemski, cf	5	1	1	1	1	0
McCrea, lf	5	1	1	1	0	0
Oplach, ss	3	1	2	0	4	0
Fallon, 2b	0	1	0	7	0	0
Long, 1b	4	0	0	5	0	0
Haley, c	1	0	0	7	0	0
Riddle, p	4	0	0	0	1	1
Myers (b)	1	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	33	4	7	24	11	2

(a) Batted for Rodney in 9th.
(b) Batted for Ruff in 9th.

Runs batted in—Oplach 2, Bennett 2, Nichols 1, Williams 1; Two base hits—Oplach, Williams, Urie; Three-base hits—Bennett; Left on bases—Chestertown 5, Five Points 9; Struck out—by Riddle 7, by Harris 10; Bases on balls—by Harris 8, by Riddle 3; Wild Pitch—Riddle; Losing Pitcher—Riddle; Winning Pitcher—Harris; Double play—Porter to Williams to Rodney; Umpires—Kauffman and Robinson.

Sunday Game

Chestertown	Ab	R	H	O	A	E
Grant, c	5	2	3	7	0	0
Oliffe, 1b	4	2	1	13	0	0
LeCates, cf	5	1	2	0	1	0
J. Williams, 2b	5	2	4	5	0	1
Bennett, 3b	4	0	2	0	6	1
Nichols, lf	4	0	1	1	1	0
O. Porter, ss	5	1	0	1	4	1
Cornell, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Loller, p	4	0	1	0	2	0
Totals	40	8	14	27	14	3

Five Points	Ab	R	H	O	A	E
Szozoda, 3b	5	1	2	1	5	3
Ruff, rf	3	0	1	2	0	0
Klemski, cf	5	0	0	1	0	0
Oplock, ss	5	1	2	0	4	1
Fallon, 2b	4	1	0	7	3	0
Long, 1b	4	0	0	8	0	0
Roberts, lf	4	0	1	2	1	0
Beison, c	4	2	3	3	0	0
Wooldridge, p	1	1	1	0	1	0
Redder, p	3	1	1	0	0	1
Haley, (a)	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	39	7	11	24	14	5

(a) Batted for Ruff in 9th.
Chestertown . . . 2 1 0 1 0 0 1 3 x—8
Five Points . . . 0 0 2 0 0 0 3 2 0—7

Two base hits—J. Williams, Wooldridge. Three base hits—LeCates, Oplock. Sacrifice hits—Oliffe, Ruff. Struck out—by Loller 6, by Wooldridge 1, by Redder 1. Base on balls—off Rudder 2. Umpires—Kauffman and Sutton.

Purchased First Government Land

Gloucester county, says the Philadelphia Bulletin, claims the honor of containing the first tract of land purchased by the federal government, the 100-acre plantation at Billingsport, bought by order of the Continental congress on July 4, 1776, and deeded to the Thirteen United Colonies by Benjamin Weatherby and his mother the next day. An immense redoubt and fort, planned by General Kosciusko for the defense of Philadelphia, was built there, over a thousand workmen under the direction of Col. John Bull being engaged in its construction. After the Battle of Brandywine, however, it fell undefended for lack of a garrison.

Guard Rare Plant

To protect a rare plant, a pact signed by nine governments is in effect. The plant is the Welwitschia, which grows only in the Kalahari desert of South Africa. It has no stem, and its long straplike leaves spring straight from its roots and end in a cluster of red cone blossoms. The leaves are renewed from the base as they fade at the tip and are thought to be the oldest leaves in existence. The plant was discovered in 1860, and all efforts to grow it outside the Kalahari desert have failed.

Grass, Relative of Corn

The nearest relatives corn has are large grasses. There are two genera or groups, one is euchlaena, from Mexico and Central America. The other is tripsacum, native to this country in part, some of the species reaching into the euchlaena territory. The former is known as teosinte and our grass as gama-grass or sesame-grass. The latter ranges from Connecticut, Illinois, Kansas and south to Texas. These are are the only plants that will cross or hybridize with maize or corn.

A College

A college, as defined by the National Conference Committee on Standards of Colleges and Secondary Schools, is an institution requiring for admission graduation from a standard secondary school, or the equivalent, and offering a four-year curriculum leading to the first degree in arts or science, of such character as to qualify for admission to a graduate school of recognized standing.

Blue Heaven

Color symbolism has some of its roots in mythology. For instance, divine beings were supposed to inhabit heaven which was in the blue-sky region. As a result, blue became symbolic of much that was associated with divine beings.

Slightly Embarrassing

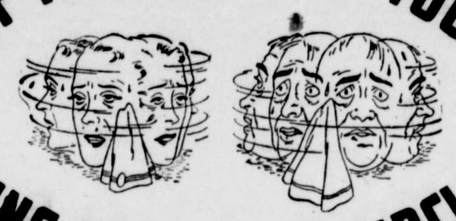
Young Doctor—I'm afraid I made a mistake in filling in a death certificate today.

Old Doctor—How was that?

Young Doctor—I absent-mindedly signed my name in the space left for "cause of death."—Pathfinder Magazine.

A little Scotch boy was being quizzed by his teacher. 'How much are six plus six?' asked the teacher. 'Twelve,' said the little boy. 'Correct—and here are twelve chocolates for having been correct,' said the teacher. And the little boy said: 'Teacher, next time give me something hard in multiplication.' —Atchison Globe.

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