THE SOCIAL WANDERER

Dear Roamer:

The great day of giving thanks is past, but as we cast our eyes around, it seems to me that almost every day ought to be a private Thanksgiving within us. No matter what our lot, we have only to glance at some other one and find some one thing in which we are far better off. As I sat eating all the turkey I wanted, I wondered how many millions would have envied with longing eyes my plate. If only on days when the world seems all wrong, we bemoan our fate, and don't care whether "school keeps or not," we could hie off to a little corner and jot down just how much better off we are than Mr. A or Mrs. B, to say nothing of the poor souls across the Atlantic, maybe we'd let Thanksgiving come oftener than the last Thursday in November.

This is a family week in reality, a time when families are almost closer together than at Christmas, which is usually so packed with dates here and there these days. As I drove along the road, on Thanksgiving night, packed and jammed with traffic, it occurred to me, how many were there, traveling weary miles, just to be HOME at such a time. Certainly it wasn't to get a piece of turkey alone, but the joy and thrill of being together at surely one of the happiest of all days in the year.

Mr. and Mrs. James Springer and Miss Leonora Harris Springer, of Baltimore, entertained at dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Emory at the latter's home. Always in the nature of a family party, this merry crowd for the past two years have seen the old bird carved down here in Kent, whereas, previously, this annual dinner was held at the Springer home.

Mr. James Bacchus, of New York, spent the holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bacchus.

Miss Margaret Smith, of Baltimore, is the guest of Miss Harriette Welch, of Long Island, who is visiting her aunts Mrs. Etta Fountain and Mrs. Herbert Skipper.

Miss Betty Beck attended the dinner dance of Miss Poe's dancing class in Baltimore Wednesday evening, and while there, was the guest of Mrs. Jack Clendaniel of Towson. Mrs. Clendaniel returned with Miss Beck on Thursday to the county and is visiting Dr. and Mrs. Merritt Brice in Millington and eleswhere over the week-end.

Some of the boys home, from schools and colleges included Medford Brooks, Jim Metcalfe, Edward Johnson all from McDonogh, Bill Dixon from Princeton (apologies on the side to Bill for my mistake last week) Charles Chester Atwater and Lewin Wickes, Jr., from St. John's, and Charles Dole from Drexel University.

Gunning season opened on Thursday, and of course all the men with the yen tooted off in the wee hours to fill their sacks. The season, which is so extremely short, will be more appreciated than hitherto, and the gunnning widows will welcome the bacon brought home more than ever before, specially those who love the taste of a wild duck as much as yours truly.

For those who prefer the hunt, fox-hunting is becoming increasingly popular all the while. On Thursday, there was a big meet at Swaney Point, and the pink coats dashed over the country side, with baying hounds ahead, after Mr. Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. James G. Beck spent Thanksgiving in Philadelphia, having gone up on Wednesday, and returning yesterday. While there, they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Tull.

Mrs. H. Clay Brown and Miss Elizabeth Brown motored to Philadelphia on Wednesday and will remain over the week-end. Mrs. Brown is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gilpin Brown, who entertained at a family dinner following the Cornell-Penn game. Miss Brown, who is visiting friends will attend the Army-Navy game to-day.

Others from here who will attend that game include Mr. and Mrs. James G. Metcalfe, who will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson, of Lansdowne.

Mrs. Catharine Beck Jones left yesterday and will motor to St. Louis with Mrs. Walter Henson, who after a visit of several weeks in the county, is returning to her home there. While in St. Louis, Mrs. Jones will visit Miss Anne Beck Woolsey, whose marriage to Mr. Eugene Lovick Pearce, Jr., of Atlanta, Ga., will take place on Friday, December 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Usilton, 3rd, will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Beck in Baltimore over the week-end.

And now for next week, two parties are on the calendar. On Tuesday night the dinner followed by cards, at the Country Club will be held. This affair, for members only, promises to be a very pleasant occasion, and hear ye, hear ye, if you have that reply card still tucked in your pocket, not yet mailed, you had better do something about it fast, for the time is up, and don't blame the powers that be, if you can't get in on a last minute show up.

On Wednesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Browne Metcalfe and Mr. and Mrs. Rolph Townshend will entertain at dinner in honor of Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Dick. The party will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Metcalfe.

Dr. and Mrs. Ralph Beachley and Miss Eleanor Beachley who are now living in Virginia were welcomed in town this week, where they were guests of friends.

But now that I read signs everywhere of Shop Early, Mail Early, I'm going to take heed of the hand writing on the wall.

Yours on an expedition,

The Wanderer.

Chestertown Residents Victims Of New Racket

By using the name of the Rev. Winfred P. Roberts, pastor of Christ Methodist Protestant Church here, without his authority, two young men successfully worked a new racket on a number of his parishioners yesterday.

One of the men asserted he was endeavoring to raise money with which to enable him to study for the ministry in the Methodist Protestant Church by taking subscriptions for two church papers.

The men said that the Reverend Roberts had furnished a list of the parishioners, ano without taking the trouble to learn the truth from the pastor, quite a number of residents were victimized. When told about the matter, the Reverend Roberts stated emphatically that he had neither authorized anyone to use his name in connection with such a scheme nor had he furnished any list.

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The world may change from year to year,
And friends from day to day,
But never will the one we loved
From memory pass away.

God saw the way was getting rough,
The hills were hard to climb,
He gently closed his loving eyes
And whispered "Peace be thine."

His weary hours, his days of pain,
His weary nights are past.
His ever-patient, wornout frame
Has found sweet rest at last.

One by one they've gone before us,
They are fading like the dew,
But we know they're watching o'er us,
They, the good, the fair, the true.

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