ACTIVITIES AT THE LOCAL HI SCHOOL

Now that the Chrismtas Holidays are over, the students of the Chestertown High School settle down for another semester of work.

The drama class is making wonderful progress now. They are preparing three one-act plays to be given in the class periods. There is a possibility that there will be a night performance later. The plays are as follows: "The Unseen" with Alice MacKenzie as Hilda, Calvin Robinson as the husband, and Ruth MacVean as the wife: "Sweethearts" with Donald Latham as Mr. Spreadborrow, Harriet Coleman as Jennie; Joseph Ruppert as the Gardner, Laura Greenwood as the maid; "Circumstances Alter Cases" with Catherine Newton as Eve, Milton Dorf as Donald, Nina Ford as Betty, Robert Logan as Stephen, Laura Greenwood as the Maid. These plays will be given the 25, 26, 27 of January.

The economics class listened to President Roosevelt's address to congress on the school radio and discussed it the following day.

Basketball is coming into the sportlight since the 1938 season has opened. There has been no special date set for the intra-mural games but we are sure that we can use the Washington College Gymnasium. Around the school you can hear a constant stream of conversation about this subject.

There were plays at the college on Tuesday, January the eleventh. Most of the seniors attended these because of the reduced rate on tickets. The plays were "Julius Ceasar" in the afternoon beginning at 2.30: "Macbeth" in the beginning at 8 o'clock.

Movies were held in the school auditorium on Tuesday, January 4, 1938. The program was a good fight picture exposing the racket of fake bouts. Mickey McQuire and Song of the Skies made up the short subjects.

The senior prom is being planned for January 21. All seniors must have their activities dues paid up. Each senior may bring one guest. All people from the school must have their dues paid up. The guest does not have to be from the school. There will be trimmings and refreshments. Bill Miller's Rythmatics will furnish the music.

Miss Russell's civics class are advancing into the study of the history of the State of Maryland.

ROCK HALL

Mrs. Edward Stevens is making a ten day visit in Baltimore with relatives.

Mrs. Harry Eisemrevin and daughter, Louise visited frineds last week in Allentown, Pa.

Mr. Maurice Kelley spent the week end here with his family.

Mrs. Helen Davis Rodney was a visitor here this week of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis, Sr., and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Kendall spent the week end from Baltimore with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Downey were visitors last week of the latters' relatives in Reading, Pa.

Mrs. Susie Jones has returned to her home here after spending some time with her sister, Mrs. William Luthinger and family in Cecilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Kelley entertained a number of friends at their home on Friday evening. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Grant, Miss Mabel Webb, Mrs. Albert Bryden, Rev. and Mrs. Charles Louhoff, Mr. and Mrs. George Berger and daughter, Miss Beatrice, Mrs. Allen Simpson, Mrs. Samuel Dowling, Mrs. Alex Tyler, Mrs. Allen Urie and daughter, Anna Mae, Mildred and Florence Thomas and Mr. Charles Thomas. The evening was spent in games, music and later in the evening refreshments were served.

Mr. Alex Tyler has gone to Crisfield to spend several months as game warden.

The Rock Hall Fire company was called out early Tuesday morning at Edesville to the store and dwelling operated by John C. Stewart. The buildings were completely destroyed.

Rock Hall M. E. Church had 148 present at Sunday School on Sunday. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. Louhoff. Mrs. Irving Crouch was soloist. Miss Virginia Stinchcomb lead the Epworth League. The Fourth Quarterly conference was held on Thursday night at the church. The district superintendent, Rev. E. C. Hallman presided.

Piney Neck Sunday School had an election of officers on Sunday as following: C. S. Vansant, superintendent; Mrs. Cora Edwards, assistant superintendent; Miss May Elbourn, secretary; Mrs. Marie Taylor, treasurer; Mrs. Cora Hynson, superintendent of cradle roll; Dewey Hynson, librarian; Mrs. Daisy Edwards, organist.

Wesley Chapel M. P. Sunday School had 162 present on Sunday. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. A. G. Lynch. The evening service was in charge of the Misses Blanche Dowling and Ida Kelley. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. This district conference will meet at Denton on Thursday.

The Sunday School elected their officers for the coming year. S. Elwood Burgess, superintendent; Leroy Jacquette, assistant superintendent; Miss Edna Shriley, secretary; Mrs. Hackett Moffett, treasurer; Wilbur Joyner, librarian; Edward Stevens and Hackett Moffett assistan librarians; Marian T. Miller, chorister; Mrs. Helen Hague, organist; Mrs. Jesse Downey, assistant organist; Jesse Downey orchestra leader. Officers for the primary department are: Miss Louise Coleman, superintendent; Mrs. S. E. Burgess, assistant superintendent; Mrs Walter Hadaway, secretary and treasure; Miss Evelyn Townsend, organist; Mrs. Walter Hadaway, assistant organist; Franklyn Hogans, librarian; Billie Bean, assistant librarian; Treasurer of Christmas fund, Noble Moffett; Superintendant of the missionary department, Miss Mary Leary; superintendent of cross and crown, Milton Glenn; superintendent of cradle roll, Mrs. Walter Hadaway, Jr.; treasurer of birthday fund, Miss Jennie Hadaway.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Boulter entertained a number of friends at a birthday party on Friday evening in honor of their son, Charles, it being his birthday.

QUAKER NECK NEWS

The Volunteer Fire Co., of Chestertown, was called at the home of Mr. O. E. Y erkie near Pomona on Monday A. M. to put out a chimney fire.

Mr. and Mrs. Lister Crouch, of Rock Hall visited at the home of his sister, Mrs. Lulu E. Startt and family on Sunday.

Edgar Walbert while fishing with his linen gill netting on Monday caught a Rock fish weighed 18 lbs. here in Chester River. This size fish is unsaleable.

Mrs. J. Frank Hadaway was leader at Bond Church this Sunday night past. Scripture Lesson taken from 8th Chapter of St. Luke, subject, "Success in the Christian Life," Duet "Royal Telephone" by Grace and Arthur Starr. Discusion of subjects were by the leader and Mrs. Roy Walbert, Mr. George Carroll, Mr. Elmer Starr. Prayer by Mr. Robert Goodman. This service was very well attended.

The Quaker Neck Neighborhood Club will meet next Wednesday at Mrs. Wm. E. Davis. January will be the month of music appreciation. Quaker Neck's song, will be "Morning Comes Early." Costume Czecho-Slovakia and will be represented by the different clubs in the county. A good crowd is expected. Each club in the county represents a different country.

Word has reached us at this time of writing, of the death of Mrs. Henry Brown who died at the home of her daughter in Mannington, West Va., She lived here in Quaker Neck and was at one time a faithful member at Bond M. E. Church. She will be remembered long by the writer who wishes to extend sincere sympathy to her family and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kimble, of Rock Hall, were guests of Mrs. Edgar Walbert and family on Tuesday evening.

Mr. R. N. Whaley with Sherman Starr and Carl Brown motored last Monday, to New York to attend a boat show. Mr. Whaley is very much interested in boat building, having build a fine yacht on the Chester River at his farm where he is well equipped to build boats.

We are sorry to lose the Kratzer family at Pomona who will move to Chestertown.

Mrs. Ellen Davis Goodman has returned home here after spending a week in Virginia with her people. She was accompanied home by her brother for a couple of days who has now returned to Virginia.

Mrs. Nelson Watson and family have had as their guest her sister-in-law from Locust Grove.

BETTERTON

The funeral service of Mr. Howard F. Owens was held at his home on Tuesday afternoon, with Rev. R. W. Hallman and Rev. Walter Stone, officiating. The members of the Chestertown Masonic Order and the members of the Still Pond-Betterton Boy Scout Troop were honorary bearers. Mr. Owens, who was one of Betterton's leading citizens, has been an invalid for the past three years, and in that time nothing that loving care of a devoted wife and sons could do for him, was left undone.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cooke, of Bushkille are spending the week with Mrs. Howard Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brice left on Tuesday for a months visit with their daughter, Mrs. LaDow Beardlye, in Seattle, Washington.

Rev. Walter Stone, of Baltimore, spent several days this week with his mother, Mrs. Walter Stone.

Mrs. Harvey Moore entertained the members of the Ladies Aid Society at her home on Friday afternoon. A friendly contest for attendance has been in progress for three months and thirty two persons were present of the membership of sixty one. Three new members joined on Friday.

For the purpose of adding to their treasuries, the different organization of the Mehodist Church, are making biscuits in the church basement each Wednesday morning. Sixty dozens were sold this week by the Women's Foreign Missionary Society. The Ladies Aid Society will make them next week.

Mr. Preston Heck, of Chestertown, will speak at the Epworth League service at seven thirty, Sunday evening. Mrs. Floyd Smith, the president of the Betterton Epworth League was the speaker at Cecilton on Sunday evening.

The members of the Parent Teachers Association are serving hot lunches to the school children during the winter months. Most of the children come in from the country where they must necessarily leave home early and return late.

Mrs. Rose Dempsey entertained the Womens Auxiliary of the P. E. Church at the home of Mrs. Anna Wilmer on Wednesday evening.

KENNEDYVILLE

The Christian Endeavor social and business meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Anthony in Locust Grove on Friday evening.

Mrs. James Weer and children visited her brothers, near Middletown, Del., on Sunday.

Mr. Abner Schultz spent the week end with his family in Collegeville, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Lipscomb, of Rock Hall, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Lipscomb.

Miss Catherine Lusby left on Monday to attend Goldey's College in Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hopkins spent Sunday with her parents.

Miss Francis Bennett led Christian Endeavor on Sunday evening. Mr. solos and played his guitar.

Mrs. George Ringgold spent Tuesday with her parents near Crumpton.

Mrs. Robert Hill is spending some time with relatives in Wilmington to be near Mr. Hill who is in Dr. Jones hospital.

The stork left Mr. and Mrs. Lindin Archibald a baby girl in the Chestertown hospital last week.

Mr. William Hague has returned home from a pleasant visit with his son and family in N. J.

Mrs. Edgar Pennington is on the sick list.

Miss Marian Pennington is visiting relatives in Still Pond.

Mrs. Acca Crew spent the week end with her friend, Miss Linton in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. George Sutton left on Monday to spend some time with her daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Duball, in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rutter spent Monday wtih relatives in Galena.

Miss Marie Miller, of Wilmington, spent the weke end with her parents.

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Marietta is Hebrew and means "little Mary." It is also a flower name, from the mariet, another name for the Canterbury bell, which in florigraphy means "acknowledgement."

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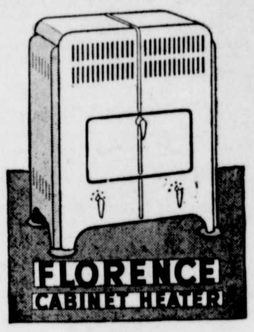
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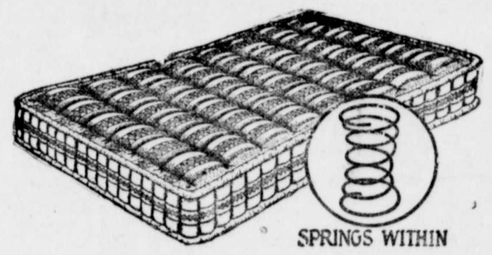
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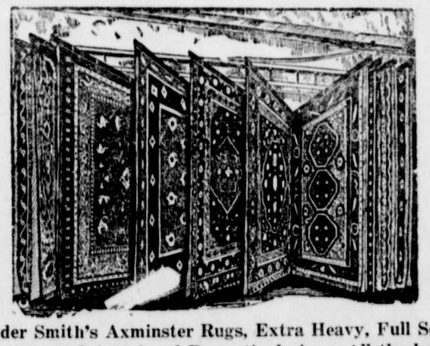
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