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Personal and Social

Mrs. Daniel Partridge and child, of Selma, Alabama, are spending some time guests at the home of Mr and Mrs. Lewin W. Wicker, on Water street.

Miss. May W. Ireland is a guest of her brother, Mr. J. H. Ireland, in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Hynson Rogers were entertained at dinner Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Chapman, Washington avenue.

Dr. Barrett Catlin, of Baltimore, was the guest over Sunday of relatives in town

Mr. Wm. Nickerson has removed to his home on Kent street recently purchased from Mr. Owen B. Cfow. Mr. Wood moved to Mr. Nickerson's home on Riverside Terrace. Mr. George V. Byron and family take Mr. Woods' house and Mr Anderson, of near Middletown, takes Mr. Byron's house.

Mrs. Florence Robinson is a guest at the Bell Cottage on Cottage Hill, preparatory to spending the winter in Orlando, Florida.

Miss Emma Knight, the efficient cashier at the telephone office, has been quite sick during the past week, but is now out again.

Miss Louise Stam has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Hooker, in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Edith Hudson and son, Raymond, are spending the winter in Baltimore.

Miss May Duyer, who has been home from Baltimore for her health for several weeks, has accepted a position as nurse at Gundry's Retreat, near Baltimore.

Miss Anna Wood, who sometime ago was hurried to the hospital in Easton and operated on, is doing nicely now. She is reported entirely recovered and is able to be about the house, and is spending the winter with her sister, Mrs. E. C. Newton, near Cemetery Hill.

Mrs. C. H. Jefferson entertained the Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. Church at her home on High street, Tuesday.

Miss Daisy Barnes was quite sick with grip several days last week.

Mr. Clarence Usilton has been confined to his bed suffering with the grip.

Miss Minnie Whitely is visiting relatives in Wilmington.

Mr. Frank Gardner has been confined to the bed for about two weeks with tonsilitis. Mr. Gardner is much better at this writing and able to be out.

Mr. Harry Rust, passenger brakeman on the Pennsylvania R. R. between New York and Philadelphia, is spending a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Rust.

Mr. Dodson, of near Worton, went to a Baltimore Hospital Saturday morning regarding his leg, which was injured many years ago.

GALENA ITEMS.

Miss Mary Scott is visiting her sister, Mrs James Davis, of Middletown.

Miss Mary Smith spent the week end with friends in Baltimore.

Last Monday evening the Galena Juniors held a very interesting cabinet meeting at the home of their superintendent, Miss C. M. Dempsey. Friday was "Hospital Day" and the Juniors responded royally bringing toys, etc, for the children.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bolton took their little daughter to Wilmington on Friday last to become a patient in the Delaware Hospital. Dr. Latimer the attending physician accompanied them.

Miss Abbie Wood, who has been spending some time in Wilmington, returned home Saturday evening and is very ill at this writing

Mr. and Mrs. McCoy, from Elkton, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Caldwell.

Mrs. Sallie Norris, of Still Pond, is visiting her brother, Mr. Samuel Caldwell

Misses Emily, Mary and Marion Caldwell and Miss Julia Moore visited Middletown on Saturday looking for Santa Claus

The Literary and Social department of the Junior League in charge of Guy Moore is planning a Christmas entertainment and treat for the Juniors for Christmas.

Next Sunday evening, Rev. C. N. Moore will preach a special sermon to members of the Epworth League.

DR. BACCHUS TO BE RECTOR EMERITUS

Two announcements of importance in the religious world was made in New York Sunday. One came from the Rev. Dr. John G. Bacchus, rector of the Church of the Incarnation in Brooklyn, well and favorably remembered in Baltimore, and a native of Chestertown, being a brother to Messrs D. A. and Jefferson D. Bacchus, and the other from the Rev. A. W. E. Carrington, rector of the Church of the Transfiguration, in Freeport, L. I.

Although Dr. Bacchus preferred not to say anything until the announcement was officially made by the wardens of his church to his people and would neither deny nor confirm anything until after the official announcement, it is known he desired to retire from the rectorship for some time. He was made rector emeritus.

Mr. Carrington's call to succeed him as rector of the Church of the Incarnation was confirmed in Freeport today.

Dr. Bacchus has been rector of the Church of the Incarnation since 1874, going there direct from the Theological Seminary, although he had been heard there during the previous year. He has always held a high place in the councils of the Episcopal Church, not only in the diocese of Long Island, but throughout the country. He has long been a prominent figure in the clerical life of Brooklyn.

When Dr. Bacchus went there from Baltimore, the church was known as the Transfiguration, but this name was legally changed many years ago. During his pastorate many improvements have been made in the property and a new and commodious parish house erected. He has always been regarded as an able preacher, an excellent organizer and a man of strong administrative ability. He was for four years in Baltimore. He is a graduate of Kenyon College, Cambridge, Ohio, and of the Cambridge Theological Seminary.

The Rev. A. W. E. Carrington was for a time assistant to Dr. Bacchus in the Church of the Incarnation, and went to Freeport three years ago.

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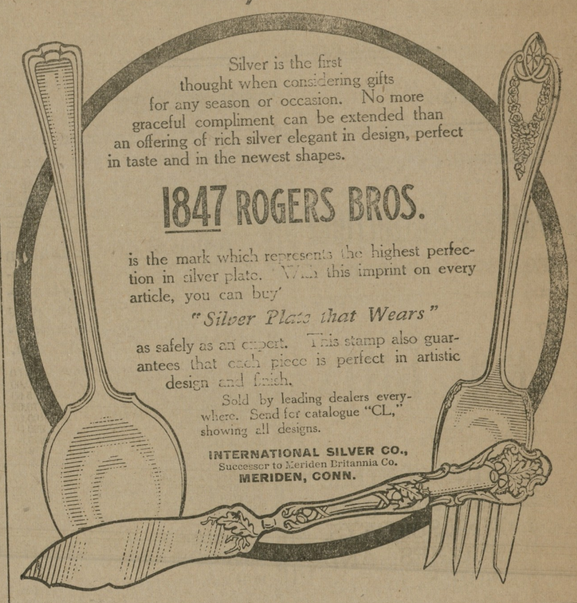
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