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MUSICALE

December 11th, Betterton.

MRS. HAZEL KNOX BORNSCHIEN, of Baltimore, will sing and give impersonations in Weer's Hall, Kennedyville, Friday, December 10th, and at Betterton in the new School Building, Saturday, December 11th, at 8 P. M. at each place. Proceeds at Kennedyville will be given to the Shrewsbury Organ Fund, and at Betterton to the Ladies' Aid of the M. E. Church. Mrs. Bornschien's program will be entirely new.

ADMISSION—Adults.....25 Cents
Children.....15 Cents

New Year's Eve Dance

The Driving and Improvement Association will hold a DANCE on NEW YEAR'S EVE,

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Free Refreshments.
String Music.

Admission 25c

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CHESTERTOWN

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Saturday, December 11
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2.30 P. M.—"Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm"—10 and 20 cents.
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A. H. COVEY,
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BRADLEY CASE SETTLED

As announced in the NEWS last week, the Bradley case came up for further testimony Monday before Judge Hopper. Before the case had progressed very far, however, the suit was compromised. Mrs. Bradley gets $8,000 on or before the first day of January. Upon payment of same Mrs. Bradley releases all her claim and right of dower in the real and personal property of her husband should she survive him, he doing the same in event he survives her. The costs of the case will be divided.

Messrs. W. W. Beck and John D. Urie represented Mr. James S. Bradley, and Mrs. Bradley was reprerented by Messrs. Herbert E. Perkins and Frank Harper.

DEATHS

Mrs. Emily J. Stewart died at her home, 421 N. Monroe St., Baltimore, on Monday at 10 a. m. of heart disease after a short illness of three days. She leaves the following children: Wm. H. and James Stewart, Mrs. Wade Sordon, Mrs. Amos Wickes, Misses Lena, Grace and Reba Stewart, all of Baltimore. She also leaves three brothers, William, Robert and David Ford, all of Kent county. The remains were brought from Baltimore via Tolchester Wednesday and the funeral held at the residence of her brother, William Ford, at 10 30 o'clock Thursday morning. Interment at St. Paul's cemetery; undertaker, C. L. Dodd.

Rev. H. B. Jester, of St. James, officiating. The bearers were Wm. Scoone, Wm. H. Morris, Geo P. Hendrickson, Jos. Brice, J. Romie Byron and D. B. Ford. The floral offerings were beautiful.

The death of Judge T. Ireland Elliott, of Baltimore, well known here, occurred at his home in Baltimore Sunday afternoon of heart disease after an illness that dates back to the summer of 1913, when he was stricken with pneumonia in Paris. He retired from the Bench last November, and his condition has been gradually getting critical. He was on the Supreme Bench for nine years. Judge Elliott married Miss Corinne Vickers, of Chestertown, and leaves a daughter. He was 60 years of age. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon.

T. Albert Hulme, son of Mrs. Hanna E. and the late Thomas A. Hulme, died early Sunday morning at the home of his mother, 2201 St. Paul St., Baltimore, of a complication of diseases. He had been ill for about a week.

Before going to Baltimore Mr. Hulme lived in Kent county, where his family is well known. Besides his mother, he is survived by five sisters—Mrs. S. Harry Conover, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Fannie De Shields, Mrs. J. Herbert Johnston and Misses Charlotte C. Hulme and L. Zaidee Hulme, all of Baltimore. Mrs. J. Monroe, and Miss M. C. Hulme, of Philadelphia, are aunts, and Mrs. Thomas J. Boyce, of Philadelphia, is a cousin of the deceased. Miss Charlotte Hulme, in company with Miss M. C. Hulme, left recently for California to spend a year and are now in San Francisco. They have been notified of the death and are expected to return at once.

On Monday of last week, Mr. Patrick Dorsey was laid to rest in Old Bohemia Cemetery, near Warwick, Md. Mr. Dorsey was born in Ireland nearly 88 years ago, while yet a young man he came to this country and settled in Cecilton, Md. After several years he moved to Warwick, thence to the farm on which St. Francis Xavier's Church stands. Mr. Dorsey is survived by 12 children and 6 grandchildren.

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FREE! FREE!

2500 Free Presents and they go to children who come to meet me. I will arrive at Chestertown on Tuesday, Dec. 21st, by train at 11 o'clock. Should it be a bad day I will go somewhere else and come to Chestertown on the next day, Wednesday, Dec. 22, 1915.

I will have a big crowd of Brownies with me. Lot of fun and Free Gifts. Don't miss this the biggest treat Old Kriss has ever given.

MILLINGTON

Mrs. F. Maddox, of Chestertown, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Spear.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Baxter were guests last Sunday of her sister, Mrs. Benjamin Stevens.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of Asbury M. E Church met on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. John L. Smith.

Mrs. Olan C. Duling spent the week-end with friends in Wilmington, Del.

Don't forget the minstrel show to be given by the DeRue Bros. in Comegys Hall tonight, Dec. 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. John Slaughter are receiving congratulations on the birth of a fine daughter.

Mr. William R Mabrey, of Livingstone Heights, Va., visited his mother, Mrs. Anna Mabrey, near town, this week.

It has been reported that several poultry buyers and commission merchants from Wilmington, Philadelphia and New York will be at Millington to purchase dressed geese, ducks and turkeys for Xmas. The outlook for good prices is encouraging.

Services to-morrow, Dec. 12th, at Asbury M. E. Church will be as follows: 10 30 a. m. and 7 30 p. m. preaching by the pastor, Rev. G. P. Smith; 2 p. m. Sunday school, subject, "Jehovah Yearns Over Backsliding Israel"; Friday 7 30 p. m. prayer meeting.

CHURCH NOTES.

Rev. Dr. T. J. Lacey, rector of the Church of the Redeemer, Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting here. He came in today by motor bus accompained by Dean Byran, of Easton. Dr. Lacey is widely known as a missioner. He has been holding evangelistic services throughout Penna and has come down to the Eastern Shore for fortnights rest and recreation. He is a graduate of Columbia University and has a wide reputation as a writer and lecturer.

Chestertown M. E. Church—Rev. L. E. Barrett, D. D., Pastor—Services next Sunday Dec. 12th, as follows: 10 30 a. m. preaching by the pastor; 2 15 p. m. Sabbath School and Pastor's Bible Class; 7 to 8 p. m. Epworth Service and short sermon by the pastor. All are invited.

Christ Methodist Protestant Church, Rev. W. R. Graham, D. D., pastor. Services on Sunday, December 12th, preaching by the pastor at 10 30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.; Sunday school 2 30 p. m. Christian Endeavor service 6 45 p. m.; Mid-week service Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

Salem M. E Church, Fairlee—Services Dec. 12th as follows: Sunday School at 9 30, preaching at 11 by Rev. Alfred White, of Wilmington, Del. Union M. E. Church, Worton. Sunday School 2 p. m., preaching 3 o'clock by Rev. Alfred White, of Wilmington, Del.

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One Double barrel Gun, price $8 00. Also Gunning Coat.
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FROM PLOW TO PULPIT

FORMER ADOPTED CHILD OF THE REV. IVANHOE WILLIS TELLS MOVING LIFE STORY OF TILGHMAN'S PASTOR.

Both Are Now Ministers of The Gospel And Hold Happy Meeting After Separation of About 14 Years.

Standing out against the scoffing of his friends, feeling in every fiber of his being the call of God to go forth and preach, the Rev. Ivanhoe Willis, of Tilghman, five years ago gave up farming and entered the ministry. The moving life story of this pastor, who has filled with credit several Talbot county charges and earned the admiration of scores of people, was told this week in a communication received by The Star-Democrat from the Rev. Ralph Curtis Jones, who as a lad of fourteen was adopted by Mr. Willis when the latter was a farmer living in Kent county. From the plow to the pulpit is the history of this Talbot minister whose former farm boy, now himself a pastor, says "is as near a saint as any mortal could expect to be."

"At the age of fourteen the writer was taken from an orphanage and given in adoption to a farmer (Mr. Willis), who used a crutch, residing on a large farm in Kent county, Md.," writes Mr. Jones. "This man worked continuously from 4 o'clock in the morning until sundown, and often later, bent on accumulating money and he worked others, including myself. It puzzled my mind to understand what joy life had in store for him, his family and those who toiled for him, and all the while my mind was taken up with the misfortune of losing my parents and being compelled to work at something foreign to my nature, or in which my inclination did not run. My desire was to leave the farm and obtain an education, contrary to the contract provision for me to work there until the age of 21 was attained. My stay was about three years. Notwithstanding these tendencies to make me toil out in the boiling hot sun and put in long hours, there was kindness, humor and forgiveness. He was no saint and made no claim to that title.

Farmer Willis Becomes Preacher.

"We met about one year after my departure, and that was the last time we were destined to see each other for fourteen long years. He had not left the State of Maryland, but fate had taken me to many places. The constant change of natural scenery, new, bad and good environment, new ideas, and a better understanding of human nature were the things that came to me. Studying theology and preaching gave the prefix of "Rev." to my name.

"One night last winter my brother visited me after an absence of twenty-one years. Various papers ran the story and as a result letters came to me from lost friends. But the first one opened with eager eyes was a letter which had printed in the corner of the envelope these words: 'The Rev. Ivanhoe Willis, Pastor M. E. Church, Tilghman, Md.' It was perused with surprise, pleasure and admiration—a letter from the ex-farmer who has gone out of my life indirectly, if not directly, for about fourteen years. Several letters were exchanged, and an invitation for me to address his two churches was accepted. One church had a general gathering of about 250. The other did not have very many, for it was well in the rural district.

As Near Saint As Mortal Man Could Expect To Be.

"During my stay many interesting things were related by this preacher," continues Mr. Jones' letter, "which proved to me the divine inspiration that has and will come to mankind in all walks of life, without any theological seminary training. Ivanhoe Willis, as before stated, was not a saint when he was a farmer—neither was he a villian. Now he is as near to a saint as any mortal could expect to be, but he is not famous, though he is as marvelous as any of those above mentioned from my point of view.

Was The Butt of The Ribald.

"The Rev. Mr. Willis is now aged 41 years, though he looks to be about 30—well built, clean shaven, dark hair, and lame. For five years he felt the call from God to preach, and, while there were many obstacles, nevertheless they cannot stop the will of God. Mr. Willis was scoffed at and told he would make a failure, but the will of God was obeyed. A 500 acre farm, stock of various descriptions, farm implements, etc., were disposed of, money sacrificed, all for the will of the Master, who said, 'Give up all and follow me.' The Rev. Mr. Willis had a high school training and was gifted with a good flow of English, but, most of all, he was full of 'milk and honor' religion. Ivanhoe Willis was first licensed and later ordained at a conference held at Wilmington, Del., into the Methodist Episcopal ministry. During the thirteen years since his ordination he has built five new churches in Talbot county, Md., that will seat 300 persons. He is certainly a character designed to heavenly glory, if not earthly fame. The Rev. Mr. Willis is a fluent speaker, imbued with unction, power to sway the masses, and they want to hear him again and again.

Has Eleven Brothers And Three Sisters.

"An interesting fact must be told before this narration ends. The Rev. Ivanhoe Willis has eleven brothers and three sisters, all living and doing well. They are not stepbrothers, but born and begotten of the same mother and father, who also are well and happy at a ripe old age."

THE will of Judge Thomas Ireland Elliott, who died last Sunday, directs the payment of all his just debts and funeral expenses and leaves the residue of his estate to the Safe Deposit and Trust Company, to pay the income to his widow, Mrs. Corinne B. Elliott, for life. At her death, the principal is to go to his daughter, Clara V. Elliott, provided she has then reached the age of 25. If not, the trust is to remain until she reaches that age. The estate is valued at $50,000.

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