CHURCH NOTES

Shrewsbery Parish Church Kennedyville

Robert W. Lewis, rector, 2.30 p. m. evening prayer and sermon.

Christ M. P. Church.

N. O. Gibson, Minister, Sunday Dec. 14. Divine worship and sermon 10.30 a. m., subject of sermon "Heirs of Promise," the fourth in the series of sermons on the Christian life; Sunday school 2.30, missionary day, C. E. 6.45, evangelistic services 7.30, subject of sermon "Loosed Tacklings, Prayer and Bible study Wednesday evening 7.30, Junior C. E. Friday afternoon at 3.15.

Bond M. E. Church.

Sunday school 10 a. m., public worship and sermon 11 a. m. No preaching service on account of revival services at Mowbray. The Sunday school will hold the Christmas entertainment Friday evening, December 26. The Church Aid held an interesting and well attended meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Shinn last Thursday evening. Readings by Ralph Shinn and Mrs. W. J. Maslin, an instrumental solo by Miss Dorothy Hendrickson, a solo by Mrs. Wm. Faulkner, a duet by Misses Gene and Dorothy Hendrickson, a violin solo by Miss Frances Morris, accompanied by Miss Helen Shinn, helped to pass a pleasant evening.

Mowbray M. E. Church

Sunday school at 2.30 p. m., Epworth League song service followed by revival service at 7.30 p. m. Helpful and successful meetings are being held. Come, help with and enjoy the services. The Sunday school will hold a Christmas service on Christmas night, December 25.

Kennedyville M. P. Church

10 a. m. Sunday school, L. W. Ford. supt., 11 p. m. sermon by pastor, Dr. J. W. Trout; 7 p. m. Christian Endeavor, topic "Count and Share Your Blessings," led by Miss Anna C. Wiltbank; 7.45 sermon by pastor. All invited. Mrs. James Nickerson entertained the H. F. M. S. last Thursday at her home. The Ladies' Aid Society will meet at the parsonage on next Friday evening. The president desires a full attendance.

Salem M. E. Church

Rev. S. L. Hanby, pastor. Sunday school at 10 o'clock, preaching at 11 o'clock by the pastor, subject "Burning But Not Burning Out;" Epworth League at 7.30.

Union M. E. Church, Worton

Sunday school at 2 o'clock, preaching at 3 o'clock by the Evangelist, Miss Mary Garrett, also revival services in the evening at 7.30. Everybody welcome.

The Ladies' Aid of Christ M. P. Church, Mrs. J. H. Simpers president, met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Ellsworth Newcomb.

The C. E. business meeting was held Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. C. J. Reiche.

The Triangle Club of Christ M. P. Church, Miss Laura Nicholson president, held a successful bazaar and bake in Turner's Garage last Saturday, the total receipts being $155. In addition to this a "name quilt" is about completed from which was realized $91. It has over 750 names on it. (Further information will be learned next week when the ladies will decide what disposition to make of it.

Rev. and Mrs. Thomas J. Sard were called to Dorchester county on Sunday afternoon by the death of Mrs. Sard's mother, Mrs. Murphy, who died on Sunday morning at the ripe age of 89 years. There were no services at the M. E. Church on Sunday evening, the congregation worshiping at Christ M. P. Church.

St. James M. P. Church

Sunday school 10 a. m., morning worship 11 a. m. with sermon by the pastor, subject "Why do men go to church?" Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m., will be arranged for by the prayer meeting committee.

Lynch M. P. Church

Sunday school 2 p. m., preaching 2.30 p. m., subject "Why do men go to church?" The Ladies Aid Society will meet Wednesday afternoon at Mrs. Purnell Newcomb.

Chestertown M. E. Church

At the Chestertown M. E. Church, Rev. T. J. Sard, pastor, the services for Sunday and the week will be: Sunday school at 10 o'clock, preaching at 11, the Rev. E. C. Prettyman will be the speaker; Epworth League at 6.45, topic "The League Handclasp Around the World;" Gospel song service and preaching at 7.30, the pastor will preach, sermon subject "Preparedness." Official Board will meet on Monday night at the home of Rev. A. H. Covey, at 7.30, prayer meeting on Wednesday night at 7.30. T. J. Sard, pastor.

The By-Kota Club will hold their meeting Monday evening at the home of Mrs. J. S. Kreeger to be entertained by Mrs. Kreeger and Mrs. Townsend Anthony.

Betterton M. E. Church

E. M. Shockley, minister. Sunday school at 2 p. m., Archie Crew, supt., Divine worship 3 p. m., sermon subject "The Ancient Business Man;" Epworth League 7.30 p. m., leader, Mrs. Sadie Wheeler. Prayer and praise service 7.30 Wednesday at the home of Horace Brice. This is followed with the Bible study class at 8.15 p. m.

MILLINGTON ITEMS

The Ladies Bridge Club was entertained by Mrs. C. Hayden Metcalfe at her home in Sudlersville on Tuesday evening of last week. The prize for high score was won by Mrs. E. Thos Massey, of Massey.

Those delicious "Eskimo Pies" have just arrived at Sudler G. Wiest's Ice Cream Parlor.

William Holtz, Chief of Wilmington Fire Department, will give a talk in Comegys' Hall next Wednesday evening, December 17. All the Fire Companies in Kent county and surrounding territory are invited to attend.

Mrs. Florence Mishel and little daughter, Pauline, of Union Hill, N. J., visited her sister, Mrs. George Curlett, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward Stevens and daughter, Miss Juliet, of Sudlersville, were guests last Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Sudler G. Wiest.

Mrs. Joseph N. Moffett, of Chester-Pa., spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kulley, near town.

Miss Edna Strong, of near Rock Hall, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Merritt Brice.

J. Philip Williams and W. T. Bennett, of Baltimore, spent the week-end with Dr. and Mrs. Merritt Brice.

Mrs. Eva C. Sykes has returned to her home from a visit with friends in Baltimore.

Rev. John L. Saunders, of Massey, gave a lecture in Greensboro, Md., on Wednesday evening.

Rev. and Mre. George F. Newton are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a fine daughter.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of Asbury M. E. Church was held on Thursday evening of last week at the home of Mrs. Louisa A. Hurtt.

ROCK HALL NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Weston Kendall are parents of a fine son who arrived on election day.

Woodrow, son of Mrs. Daisy Ashley, of Piney Neck, is wearing his left arm in a sling having sprained it while playing ball at school.

Mrs. Alfred Cornelius, who was burned very badly several weeks ago continues ill.

Mrs. Marion Coleman living east of Rock Hall, was painfully injured about a week ago when she stepped on a nail and it penetrated her foot.

Maurice Downey was operated on for appendicitis Thursday at a Baltimore hospital and is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Harry Lake came from Piney Neck last Wednesday to spend the winter in town with her husband.

Mrs. Susan Carter's anniversary was celebrated at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Thomas, Thursday, Nov. 28. A delicious supper had been provided and this was followed by an hour's entertainment by radio, and then the young folk had music and recited selections. The guests left at a late hour wishing Mrs. Carter many more birthdays and leaving numerous nice presents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Thompson had as guests last Sunday their daughter, Mrs. Maude V. Calder, of Baltimore. Mrs. Calder entertained on November 20th at her home 2212 Clifton avenue, in honor of the 21st birthday of the oldest son, Henry Calder.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Culley had as week-end guests, their children, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Guthrie and Miss Grace Culley, of Galena, and Alfred Culley, of Washington College. Over the holidays they entertained their daughter, Miss Myrtle Culley, of Baltimore. Mrs. Culley's left hand is painfully burned. A box of matches caught fire when she struck one of them and they clung to her hand and had to be knocked off.

Mrs. Howard Gesswein was called to Baltimore Friday by the information that her father was dead.

Mrs. Homer Larrimore, of Eastern Neck, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tilghman Hubbard, whose little boy, Henry, is sick.

Mrs. John Glenn tripped with a pot of hot lard Thursday and is severely burned about the chest and arms.

Mrs. Alfred Cornelius has been taken to a Baltimore hospital in an effort to improve her condition. The Cornelius family will move this week from Piney Neck to a house onBoundary avenue.

Mrs. John Bramble has gone to Shenandoah Valley Academy where her daughter, Miss Dorothy, is ill of pneumonia.

Mrs. Charles Jewell is ill at her home on Chesapeake avenue of neuritis and other ailments. Her brother, Bartus Wilkins, and other relatives are in attendance.

Still Pond M. E. Church

E. M. Shockley, minister. Sunday school 9.30 a. m., A. J. Hackett, supt., Divine worship 10.45 a. m., sermon subject "The Ancient Business Man" from the Book of Ruth; Epworth League 7.30 p. m., leader, Mrs. E. M. Shockley, subject "The League Handclasp Around the World;" Junior League Wednesday after school, at the church. Prayer service Friday 7.30 p. m. at parsonage.

KENT STORES ARE DRESSED FOR XMAS

Real Yuletide Spirit Pervades Air As Profuse Decorations Appear--Counters Banked With Appropriate Presents — Healthy, Friendly Competition In Chestertown Among The Merchants Works Out To Best Interest Of The Buying Public.

One of the most enjoyable features of the Christmas holidays and whose coming is heralded by the store windows that already have assumed their holiday attire, is found in providing for the children the eagerly anticipated gifts that bring with them the joy and happiness that only childhood can know. It is also the season for the interchange of gifts among older members of the family, their relatives and friends. Preparations for these, as well as other phases of the Christmas holiday, will involve a considerable amount of time and expense. It seems inappropriate to consider the question of money in speaking of a holiday around which are gathered so many hallowed associations, but the conditions under which we live are such that the question of cost enters into all the calculations of life.

The first question then that must be considered is, where are our Christmas supplies to be purchased. The most natural and logical answer is in Chestertown, our home town, because it is the largest town in Kent and its merchants carry larger and more varied stocks of merchandise than the stores of nearby smaller towns. They are able to buy the large stocks that a constantly expanding business demands, much cheaper and smaller towns can purchase their more restricted supplies and are thus in a position to share this saving with their customers. The greater the number of stores and the larger the stocks of merchandise the keener will be the competition with a consequent reduction of prices.

In securing our supplies from the home merchants, whether it be Chestertown, Still Pond, Black's or Sandy Bottom, we are dealing with those who expect our trade throughout the entire year and thus have a strong reason to sell as cheap, if not cheaper, than their competitors in other places. They have a reputation to sustain and realize that in order to hold their trade, they must have the quantity to supply all the needs of the community and the price and quality that will satisfy.

Local pride, morever, should urge the people of this county, who have grown up with its growth and have become a part of its life, to give their own town the preference in their purchases whenever practicable and thus help in swelling the tide of trade that will inure to the benefit of our county.

Under these conditions, it scarcely will be believed that any considerable part of the trade, legitimately and logically belonging here will be diverted to other points. Money expended here will be circulated in this community and among our own people. It will be used in strengthening our financial institutions and in improving and building homes and business houses, thus giving employment to labor and increasing the wealth of the county.

A good slogan for every buyer is "shop early and look over local stores before purchasing elsewhere."

KENNEDYVILLE ITEMS

Miss Blanche Redmile has returned from a pleasant visit in New York.

John Cullin spent a few days with his sister, Mrs. Annie Johnston.

Miss Elizabeth Jones, of Galena, spent the week-end with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward's friends gave them a shower last Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Pennington.

Robert Vandyke has been quite sick at his mother's, but is better at this time.

The Mite Society of the Presbyterian Church will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Roeder, Still Pond, onWednesday evening, December 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Crew spent Sunday with Miss Lula Vandyke.

Services at Grace Church as usual.

The farmers are busy with their butchering at this time.

Mrs. Pearce, of Talbot county, spent Wednesday with Mrs. Thomas Jones.

Mrs. Harry Redmile is spending a few days in Wilmington.

QUAKER NECK ITEMS

Mrs. T. W. Toulson, of Centreville, formerly of Pomona, spent Thansgiving week at Mrs. T. R. Starr, at Pomona, returning to Centreville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sigel, spen. Thanksgiving with Mrs. Sigel's aunt, Mrs. T. R. Starr.

Mrs. Mary Beck is spending some time with her parents at Rock Hall.

Mrs. John Crossley, who is visiting R. R. Walbert, near Pomona, has been sick with grippe, but is better now.

Quite an epidemic of grippe has been experienced in Quaker Neck lately.

People of Quaker Neck are anxiously waiting for the finish of our State road. After the rains it is a poor imitation of a safe highway. People very frequently getting stuck in the mud on the sides.

STILL POND ITEMS

Miss Katherine Gilpin, of Chestertown, visited her friend, Miss Lucille Parr, this week.

Mrs. J. W. Robinson, Jr., has returned home after spending several weeks with her daughter Mr. Davis, in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Witmore and family, of Baltimore, spent this week with their aunt, Mrs. Susie Toulson.

Miss Lucille Parr spent this week end in Baltimore.

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Inasmuch Rev. Stanley Jones will speak in the church on Thursday, Dec. 18th, the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society will meet on Friday, Dec. 19th, at 2.30 p. m., at the home of Mrs. J. L. Price with Mrs. Shockley as program leader.

Betterton talent will give an Entertainment in Harper's Hall, on Monday evening, December 15th, for 25 cents. Benefit of Still Pond Ladies' Aid Society.

The devotional service of the Epworth League will be lead tomorrow evening by Mrs. E. M. Shockley.

Lt. Howard Harper is spending some time here with his mother,

Mrs. Elmer Atwell and children spent several days last week with her parents, near Middletown.

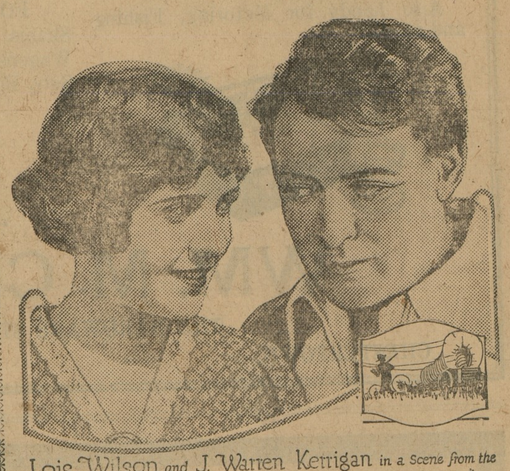
Mr. and Mrs. John Jarvis spent last week-end with his brother, Caleb Jarvis at St. George's.

The Soldiers of the Cross of the M. E. Church met at the home of Miss Ruth Clark Monday evening.

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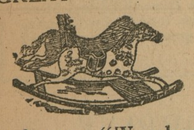
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The Boy or Girl drawing the number of this Large "Guiding Coast Sled" will be presented with the same on December 25th.

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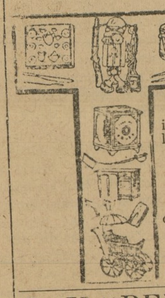
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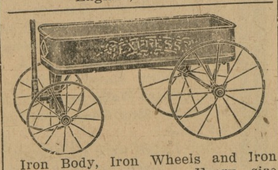
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