CHURCH NOTES

Shrewsbury Parish Church, Kennedyville, Robert D. Lewis, Rector.

There will be service in Shrewsbury Church on Sunday next (septuagesima Sunday) at 2.30 p.. m. This is the first of the three Sundays before Lent and observance of same is regarded as the first step in preparation for that important season. Visitors to this historic church are always extended a cordial welcome.

Kennedyville M. P. Church

10 a. m. Sunday school, 11 a. m. sermon by pastor, Dr. J. W. Trout; 7 p. m. Christian Endeavor, topic "The Conquest of Selfishness," led by Miss Anne Rasin; 7.45 sermon by pastor.

On Tuesday afternoon a business meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held at the home of Mrs. Shafer.

The Sabbath School Board Association held its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Shafer on Tuesday evening.

Salem M. E. Church, Fairlee

Rev. S. L. Hanby, pastor. Sunday school at 10 o'clock, preaching at 11 by the pastor, Epworth League 7.30 o'clock, Medford Keiser, leader; subject, "China Struggle for Faith;" short sermon by pastor; Junior League at 2.30.

The Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Pricey Watson, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Feb. 12.

Worton M. E. Church

Sunday school at 2 p, m., preaching by pastor, Rev. S. L. Hanby at 3 p.

The W. H. M. S. of the M. E.Church met at the home of Mrs. George McWhorter Wednesday.

The Parsonage Aid Society of the Chestertown M. E. Church met at the home of Mrs. T. S. Bordley on Tuesday afternoon.

The By-Kota Club of the M. E. Church met at the home of Mrs. Alfred Crew on Monday evening.

The Board of Stewards of the M. P. Church met at the parsonage on Tuesday evening.

The Christian Endeavor Society of Christ M. P. Church met at the home of Owen C. Smith Friday enening.

The attendance at the Chestertown M. E. Sabbath School on Sunday was 200. The same attendance the first Sunday in February last year was 156.

The business and social meeting of the Epworth League was held at the home of Mrs. G. Frank Clark Friday evening.

The regular monthly meeting of the "Soldiers of the Cross" will be held on Monday evening, February 9th, at the home of Mrs. Edward Pennington, at 7.30 p. m.

Bond M. E. Church.

Sunday school at 10 a. m., public worship at 11 a. m., service in charge of a speaker in the interests of the Near East Relief. The Epworth League will hold a special service at 7.30 p. m.

The Maria Corey Y. P. B. will hold a public meeting in Bond M.E.Church on Thursday evening at 7.45 p. m., an address will be given by Rev. T. J. Sard, of Chestertown, All invited.

Mowbray M. E. Church

Sunday school at 2.15 p. m., public worship at 3 p. m., service in charge of a speaker in the interests of the Near East Relief.

Christ M. P. Church.

N. O. Gibson, Minister, Sunday Feb. 8. Divine worship and sermon at 10.30 a. m., a Near East Relief worker will speak; Sunday school at 2.30 p. m., Christian Endeavor at 6.45 p. m. Wednesday prayer and Bible study 7.30 p. m., Friday Junior Christian Endeavor at 3.15 p. m.

Dr. Forrest E. Dager, of Philadelphia, Pa., will deliver his famous humorous lecture "Stung" in the Lecture Room of Christ M. P. Church, on Monday evening, February 16th, at 8 o'clock, under the auspices of the Young Men's Club. Doctor Dager is a lecturer of national reputation. He is an entertaining and instructive speaker. Plate offering at the door. The public is cordially invited to hear him.

Christ Methodist Protestant Sunday school has begun a novel contest to stimulate the attendance at the sessions. The classes have started an airplane race around the world, leaving New York and already there is a noticeable increase in the attendance many of the classes at the sessions having 100 per cent attendance. Every teacher present has been noted for several Sundays. Interesting lessons taught by skillful teachers, splendid music with orchestra accompaniment makes the Sunday school one of the most pleasant places to spend a short time Sunday afternoons.

The Young Men's Club of Christ M. P. Church were entertained Thursday evening at the home of its new president, Prof. A. Roy Woodland, and wife. There was a large attendance. The program comprised solos by Miss Helen Rouse and Earl Carroll, readings by W. L. Fowler and local sketches by Jos. N. Wheatley. Chicken salad sandwitches and coffee were served.

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, preaching at 11 sermon subject "The Coming Age"; Epworth League at 6.45, topic "China's Struggle for Faith," Miss Mary Anderson, leader; song service and preaching at 7.30, sermon subject, "The End of the World." The Official Board will meet on Monday night at the home John C. Davis at 7.30. The regular monthly meeting of the "Soldiers of the Cross," will be held on Monday night February 9, at the home of Mrs. Edward Pennington at 7.30. The regular monthly meeting of the "James Alfred Perkins Class" will be held at the parsonage, on Tuesday night at 7.30. In connection with this meeting there will be held a birthday social Wednesday night at 7.30, the Scripture Lesson will be the parable of "The Two Foundations." The Young Men's Bible Class will meet on Friday night February 13th. Junior League Friday night at 6.45.

The Triangle Club held its regular meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Newnam on Kent Circle.

A meeting of the congregation of Emmanuel P. E. Church was held on Wednesday evening, Thos. G. Wroth, treasurer of the church, and Miss Ada Schreiber, Sunday school treasurer, submitted reports.

Mr. Wroth reported total receipts for the year amounting to $8,897.25, and total expenditures amounting to $8,784.21, leaving a balance in the treasury to be applied to this year's budget of $113.04. Of the total amount raised during the year $1,692 was contributed to Foreign and Home Missions; the rector has been paid a salary of $2,000, with coal and gas bills for use of rectory paid by the board.

Miss Schreiber's report showed that the Sunday school with a total attendance of less than 100, has raised during the year $952, of which $456 has been contributed to missions thru the general church treasury and $60 to the Near East Relief. The sums do not include about $1,000 raised by other organizations of the church. The success of the church financially is said to be due in a large measure to the duplex envelope system.

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. There will not be an Epworth League service Sunday night. All are invited to Betterton Church to worship. Chancellor George Henry Bradford, of the Swarthmore Chautauqua will be the speaker.

Betterton M. E. Church

E. M. Shockley, minister. Sunday school at 2 p. m., Archie Crew, supt., The evening service will be a part of the Chautauqua program. Chancellor George H. Bradford will speak. The community is invited. Prayer service and Bible Study Class Wednesday at 7.30 p. m.

BETTERTON ITEMS

Johnny Boone, Jr., has returned home from a trip to Florida in the steamship Berkshire, of Philadelphia.

Mrs. Anna Taylor, of New York, spent the past week-end with her mother, Mrs. Mary Hurlock.

Mrs. Howard Owens and son, James, were quite sick the past week with grippe.

Mrs. Mattie Tull is visiting her daughters in Baltimore, Mrs. Charles Elezy and Miss Grace Tull.

George Elliot while going from his aunt's, Mrs. Florence Clark, Betterton, Friday, slipped and sprained his ankle.

Mrs. Wm. E. Adkinson and daughter, Miss Beatrice, of Kennedyville, have returned home after spending a week in Wilmington the guests of relatives and friends. While there they were very much entertained following the announcement of Miss Adkinson's engagement. Several enjoyable affairs were tendered her and one of them we take from the Delmarvia Star, Wilmington, of Sunday. February 1st, as follows:

A surprise variety shower was given Friday evening to Miss Beatrice Adkinson, of Kennedville, Md., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burris, S. Howell, of 1002 N. Eighth street. Miss Adkinson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Adkinson, former resident of this city, but now of Kennedyville, Md., and her engagement to Philip T. Jones, of Betterton, Md., was formally announced to society. The evening was spent in an enjoyable manner, music and dancing was the feature. Refreshments were served in the dining room amidst beautiful floral and table decorations. The center piece of the tastefully decorated table being a handsome bride's cake adorned with a miniature bride and groom. Among the guests were several classmates, of Wilmington High, class of '16. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Burris S. Howell and son, Billy; Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Howell, Mr. and Mrs. John Camac, Mrs. Wm. E. Adkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Denny and children, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Edwards and son, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Denny, Mr. and Mrs. George Morland, Mrs. Hattie Pennington, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Curriden, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison People's and son, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gilland, Misses Ann Hickman, Dorothea Moreland, Ruth Pennington, Hilda Nickerson, Margaret Erwin, Wm. E. Snyder, Jacob F. Snyder and Wesley Davis.

GALENA ITEMS

Revival meetings are being held in Olivet M. E. Church. Rev. Mr. Rowenson, of Cecilton, preached on Tuesday evening and Dr. O. E. Jones, of Middletown, on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Woodall are being congratulated on the birth of a nice little daughter on Sunday last.

Mrs. Annie Deshane, who has been suffering with neuralgia, is better.

John Barnaby, Jr., of Westminster, spent the week-end with Harry Redding, Jr.

Rev. G. E. Sterling attended the preacher's meeting in Wilmington on Monday.

The sermon Sunday morning at Olivet M. E. Church was on the theme "The Face of Christ," and the text was taken from Luke 9: 51.

The fourth quarterly conference of Olivet M. E. Church was held in the church Wednesday evening at 7.30.

Miss Helen Bolton had her knees badly skinned while coasting Saturday evening, and Master Rodman Sterling had his face and ear cut by a barb wire fence on Friday evening.

Mrs. Kathryn Hyland, who has been visiting in Dover returned to her home last week.

Mrs. Linda Walls and son, John, spent Sunday at the home of her brother, Harry Redding.

One hundred per cent of the teachers of the High and Elementary School, Galena, are enrolled in the National Education Association, according to a report received today by J. W. Crabtree, Secretary of the Association, from Miss Lelia N. Ware, the principal. In a letter to Miss Ware, Mr. Crabtree says: "The officers of the Association congratulates you and your fellow workers on this one hundred per cent record of membership in the National Education Association. It is a fine showing and means that you appreciate the importance of an alert, well-trained, and means that you appreciate the importance of an alert, well-trained, and responsible teaching profession. You will soon receive the special certificates granted by the Executive Committee to Schools which have enrolled all their teachers."

ROCK HALL NOTES

The ferry has been battling with heavy ice and missed several trips.

John Atkinson's home was burned to the ground early Thursday morning. The family was residing in a tenant house on the Wickes farm at Grey's Inn and when awakened by smoke flames were already licking into the bedroom and the house was doomed. They saved only a few things that could be gotten out easily. Luckily the wind carried the heat away from the outbuildings and none of them was injured. The family went to the home of Mrs. Atkinson's father, Charles Smith, and the community has been kind in rendering assistance.

Walter Stevens visited his daughter, Miss Olympia, at Eudowood Sanatorium Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Leary entertained a few days ago their daughter, Mrs. John Hubbard and Mrs. Nelson Rodney.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Carter tendered them a variety shower several evenings ago at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Edwards. A very enjoyable time was spent. The presents were varied, beautiful and useful.

Mrs. Charles Davis and children have returned to Baltimore. The bungalow will be occupied in the spring by Walter Clark and family.

Mrs. Horace Willson has not been very well for several days.

Rev. Charles H. Reed has resigned the pastorate of Wesley Chapel, the same to take effect at the coming spring conference.

Mrs. Lewis Ayres, of Tolchester, is spending a couple of weeks with her sister-in-law, Mrs. William Downey, who has returned from a visit of several days in Baltimore.

Claire, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Thomas is quite sick with fever.

MILLINGTON

Ennis Walls, of Wilmington, spent the past two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. McCosh Walls, near town.

Miss Irene Selz, of New York, Dr. Clarence Garland, of Morgantown, W. Va., and Frank Selz., Jr., and little son, of Wilmington, spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Selz, near town.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of Trinity M. E. Church, South, was held last Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. H. Burris. A large number of members and friends were present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Tobin celebrated their 26th wedding anniversary last Sunday by entertaining a number of relatives and friends. Those present were John Biggs, Mr. and Mrs. Alec. Biggs, Mrs. Lydia Biggs, of New Castle, Del.; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Groose, Harvey Groose and Miss Jennie Groose, of Wilmington, and Mr. and Mrs. John H. Tobin, of Millington.

Mathew Anton, aged 57 years, died on Friday, January 30, at his home near Lambson's. The funeral took place from St. Dennis Catholic Church, Galena, last Tuesday, Feb. 3. J. A. Tobin was the undertaker and interment was made in the Catholic Cemetery at Lambson's.

Mrs. Eva Bartlett and son, Roland, and Carroll Burris, of Wilmington, spent a few days this week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burris.

The Poultry Farm, of Frank Selz, near town, just received 2400 little chicks to start the season with.

Mrs. Spencer Stevens spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brice, near Chestertown.

Don't forget the Chautauqua to be held in Comegys' Hall on February 7, 8, 9 and 10. Be sure to attend.

Thomas Bradley, of Felton, Del., has succeeded F. C. Miller at the Cooling Station here, as manager.

Mrs. Mary L. Tarbutton returned last Sunday to her home in Crumpton after spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. S. McCosh Walls, near town.

Newnam Stevens and sister, Miss Mary, and Sidney Dixon, of near town, were guests last week of friends in Wilmington.

Miss Etta Price, of Middletown, visited Misses Ella and Etta Jones last week.

Mrs. Lester Woodall, of Philadelphia, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. John E. Woodall.

Mrs. Louisa A. Hurtt was the guest last week of relatives in Wilmington.

Frank Shahan and family, of near town, and Mrs. W. H. Minner attended the wedding of Miss Ethel Wilmer and Norman A. Crew, at Betterton, on Thursday, January 22. The bride is a great niece of Mrs. Minner.

Charles S. Church, of near town, visited his mother, Mrs. Belle Church, who is quite ill at her home, near Rochester, N. Y., this week.

Miss Marie Poore spent this week with relatives in Wilmington.

LYNCH

Miss Bertha Cooper spent last week end with her aunt Miss Sophie Miller.

The entertainment given on Tuesday evening by the grange was well attended and a delightful program was enjoyed by all. Much credit is due the Chestertown orchestra and all others that took part.

The grange will hold a special meeting on next Tuesday evening with important business, so all members are urged to be present.

Miss Nan Matthews is visiting her brother, Stanley Matthews.

The Rebekah Lodge holds their regular meeting on Thursday evening, Feb. 12th. This is an important meeting for the installation of officers.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Ford entertained at dinner on Sunday, Rev. and Mrs. E. M. Shockley, Miss Lucille Parr and Miss Anna Bowers.

Mrs. H. R. Melvin, of Middletown, is spending sometime with her sister, Mrs. Thomas O'Neil.

Miss Katherine Kinsey, of Chestertown, is spending some time with her aunt, Miss Ida Biggers.

Mrs. Earle Cooper spent Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Cornelius.

Mrs. L. J. Keyser has returned to her home after spending some time with her children in Wilmington.

Among those on the sick list are Frank Hepbron and sister, Thomas O'Neil, H. S. Jewell and son, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Duyer, Bruce Usilton and S. S. Price. It has been some time since there has been so much sickness. It keeps our faithful Dr. L. P. Atwell on the go.

Miss Lizzie Hepbron while going for some one to call the doctor for her brother, who was taken suddenly ill, fell on the ice and caused a painful sprain of the muscles of her left leg and arm. Miss Lizzie has been in bed ever since the accident, but we are glad to say she is better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Shaw, of Ohio, has for sometime been visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. F. H. Cornelius.

KENNEDYVILLE ITEMS

The Patrons Club will meet in the school building Wednesday evening, February 11. Don't forget the snap social instead of sock sicial.

Robert Hill, Bruce Dukes, Mr. Wiltbanks and Walter Wiltbanks are on the sick list.

George Johnston had a radio installed the past week.

Mrs. Cleve Tucker is visiting her sister, Mrs. James Weer.

The Embroidery Club of Grace Presbyterian Church met at Mrs. Staats Friday afternoon.

Service at Grace Presbyterian Church Sunday morning at 11 a. m., preaching by the pastor, Rev. B. B. Staats.

Services at M. P. Church. Sunday school at 10 a. m., preaching at 11 a. m., Christian Endeavor at 7, led by Miss Anna Rasin; preaching 7.45 by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Trout.

Mrs. Glenn, mother of George Glenn, died at the home of her daughter in Baltimore on Monday.

Arrangements are being made to hold the play from Worton in the near future.

POMONA

LeRoy L. Asay, of Wilmington, spent Sunday with Miss Minnie M. Starr, of Pomona.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Starr held a wedding dinner Sunday, Feb. 1st, for their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Russell L. Starr. Those present were: Rev. and Mrs. McClintock and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hurd and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer M. Starr and son, and LeRoy Asay, of Wilmington. The bride and groom received a number of useful gifts which were greatly appreciated. And we all wish them a happy and prosperous married life with a few little "stars" to brighten the home.

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Of Life's fitful drama—last act on its stage.
God's acre—ah yes—where the past looms above
All else of the world with a passionate love;
Where mem'ry flits over a cycle of years,
Recalling their pleasures—their deluge of tears.
God's acre—ye sacred, ye bless-ed retreat,
Who dare would pollute thee with unhallowed feet?
No voice from your fastness—no tongue ever calls—
The Echoes are quiet—a dread silence falls.
A silence supreme, 'tis the hush of the dead
That lulls the night winds as they sweep over head.
The stars hold their vigil through summer and frost,
Keep watch o'er our loved ones—the friends we have lost.
The birds of the forest and those of the glen
Sing sweetest when 'bout thee; and often 'tis then
The owl in the gloom from his perch up above
Gives heed to the slumber of those that we love.
Our loved ones lie here 'neath the turf and the rose,
As they sleep through Eternity's quiet repose;
The angels seem present, seem hovering near
The sod that enshrouds them—protecting them here.
Sleep on my belov-ed,—no dreams come to you
Of him who is waiting reunion with you;
About us, between us the deep Hidden Mist,
Through which we'll soon meet in one long endless tryst.
Sleep on my belov-ed,—nor trouble nor fear
Disturbs the calm rest of the Glorified here;
Sleep on through the ages where years you have lain
Awaiting the day when I'm with you again.
God's acre—ye blessed, ye holy retreat,
How near you must be to God's merciful seat;
I love thee, ah yes, 'tis your dust and your mold,
The bond that affection will never withhold.
So,—bring me at last to this spot on the hill,
When to me the Old World has forever grown still;
Just lay me aside of my kindred, my own,
For here would I rest with the loves I have known.

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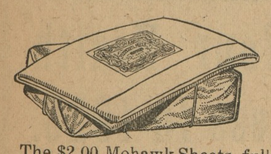

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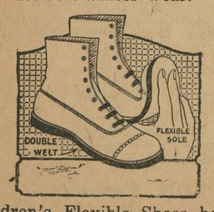

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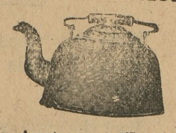

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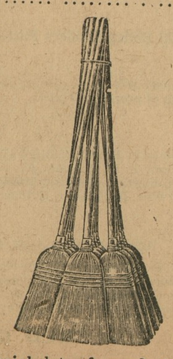

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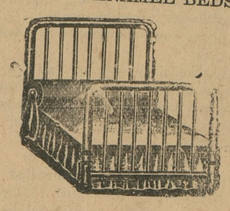

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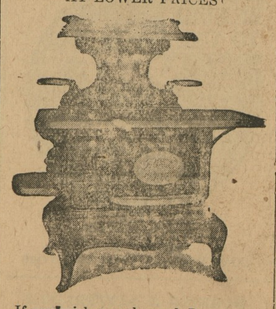

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