NEWS OF CHURCHES

Lent is an opportunity for self-discipline, for the development of one's spiritual life and character. Or it may be merely regarded as the appropriate time for gesture which has neither meaning nor effect.

The season begins this week, solemnly observed in many of the churches and by multiplied thousands of earnest men and women.

What you put into observance in the six weeks before Easter will be the measure of what you get from it, precisely.

Bond M. E. Church. Sunday school at 10 a. m., Divine worship and sermon by the pastor at 11 a. m.

Mowbray M. E. Church. Sunday school at 2.15 p. m., preaching service at 3 p. m. Rev. W. L. McClintock.

Sunday was missionary day in Christ M. P. Church. The collection amounted to $34.45 and the banner was won by Miss Louise Russell's class. J. W. Russell awarded the banner in an appropriate address.

Kennedyville M. P. Church, Sunday, February 21, at 10 a. m. Sunday school, 11 a. m. sermon by Dr. J. W. Trout, 7 p. m. Christian Endeavor, topic "Lives Transformed by Christ," led by Miss Carrie Lipscomb, 7.45 p. m. sermon by pastor.

On Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. George Rasin entertained the monthly meeting of the "Ladies' Aid Society." After the business meeting a fine program was rendered after which refreshments were served. Mrs. James Nickerson had charge of the programme.

Salem M. E. Church, Fairlee

Rev. S. L. Hanby, pastor. Services for the week: Sunday school 10 a. m., Walter Barnes, superintendent, preaching at 11 a. m., subject "Marks of Spiritual Mindedness;" Junior League at 2.30 p. m., Mrs. Morris Bramble, superintendent; Epworth League at 7 p. m., subject "What Makes a Methodist," preaching by the pastor.

Union M. E. Church, Worton

Sunday school at 2 p. m., B. F. Rash, superintendent, preaching by the pastor at 3 p. m.

Wesley Chapel of Kent. Services as usual at our churches. Sermon by pastor on the topic "An Educated Christian." Every Sunday until annual conference is Decision Sunday. If you have not decided for God, as yet, now is the accepted time. Everyone is cordially welcomed.

Emmanuel P. E. Church

The Lenten services this year will be: Wednesday and Friday evenings at 7.30 and Thursday afternoon at 3.30; at this service the address will be especially, but not only for the children and young people. At the Wednesday and Friday night services the addresses will be on the "Sermon On the Mount." The Rev. Mr. Trapnell, of Wilmington, Del., will speak on Friday evening, March 12th; Rev. F. M. Heil, of Darlington, Md., will speak on Wednesday, Mar. 24. Other speakers will be announced later. On Thursday evenings at 7.30 p. m., the congregation is asked to join with the surrounding churches in services at St. Luke's Church, Church Hill. The speaker, in every instance will be Bishop Davenport.

The season of Lent was ushered in here Wednesday by service in Immanuel Protestant Episcopal Church. The first of a series of group discussions to be held during Lent under the direction of the Women's Auxiliary of the church took place in the afternoon under the leadership of Mrs. Wm. T. Brown.

At the Chestertown M. E. Church, Rev. T. J. Sard, pastor. The services for Sunday and the week will be: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Public worship at 11, sermon subject "The Management of the Church." Epworth League at 6.45, topic "What Makes a Methodist?" leader, Howard I. Reed. Evening worship at 7.30, sermon subject, "The Sovereignty of Jesus." Prayer meeting on Wednesday night at 7.30, the TeacherTraining Class meets on Wednesday night at 8.30. Dr. J. K. Warren, is the teacher. All who want to know more about how to teach the Sunday school lessons are invited to join this class. Junior League on Friday evening at 6.45.

Still Pond M. E. Church, E. M. Shockley, Minister. Sunday School 9.30 a. m., A. J. Hackett, superintendent; Divine worship 10.45 a. m., preaching by the pastor, subject "Job and His Comforters," Epworth League 7.30 p. m., subject "What Makes a Methodist?" leader, J. Wm. Clark, Junior League Wednesday at 3.30 p. m.

Betterton M. E. Church, E. M. Shockley, Minister. Sunday School at 2 p. m., Archie Crew, superintendent; Divine worship at 3 p. m., preaching by the pastor, subject "Job and His Comforters." Junior League 7.30 p. m., subject "What Makes a Methodist?" leader, the pastor. Prayer service Wednesday at 7.30 p. m.

Christ M. P. Church, Chestertown.

N. O. Gibson, minister, Sunday, February 21th. Divine worship and sermon at 11 a. m., Sunday school at 2.30 p. m., Junior Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m., Christian Endeavor at 6.45 p. m., gospel song service and sermon at 7.30 p. m. Wednesday, prayer and bible study at 7.30 p. m.

The Ladies Sewing Club of Salem Church met with the Ladies' club of Quaker Neck, at the home of Mrs. Percy Hendrickson Wednesday afternoon.

Rock Hall Notes

Miss Rose Williams is quite sick of fever at the home of her father, Fred Williams.

Frank Ford has been confined to his home by illness.

Mrs. Ringgold Jones returned from a week's trip to Florida bringing North the children of her brother, Leonard Willson. Two of the children have been placed in a Catholic school in Baltimore and the other two are with their aunt here.

Jacob Kendall is quite sick.

Dr. W. W. Beall and patient, Geo. Ashley, went to Baltimore Sunday where the latter has entered a hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Chales E. Jones is convalescent after grippe.

Mrs. Charles Stevens has pneumonia at her home east of Rock Hall.

Columbus Blackiston celebrated his forty-ninth anniversary Tuesday.

A handsome colonial clock on display in G. E. Leary's hardware store was won by Mrs. Edward Hudson.

J. Wilmot Crosby writes frmo New York that his apartment was entered by burglars while he was at an evening party and six suits of clothes dressing gown and other things taken. It will be of interest to some that Hal Gresham, son of Harry Gresham, who lived at Edesville some years ago, now with the Knox Hat Co., of New York, was a guest at the evening party.

Janes M. E. Church, colored, Chestertown, Sunday, February 21. 10.30 a. m., pastor will preach, subject "The Revelation of God;" 2.30 p. m. Sunday school, 7.15 p. m. Epworth League, conducted by Harrison Jenkins; 8 p. m. the Lincoln and Douglas Birthday Program which was postponed will be held. Next Thursday, Feb. 25, the wonderful pageant entitled "Life's Strugle to the Kingdom" will be rendered talent from Easton, Md., compose of thirty persons. The public is invited. Rev. L. H. McArthur, pastor.

Smithville and Vicinity

Mrs. Belle T. Smith is improving slowly.

Mrs. Mary M. Clair had a fall on Wednesday, February 17, Dr. Simmons was called, and after an examination he said no bones were broken. At this writing she appears to be resting easy.

Mr. McCublin has been on the sick list, but is improving.

Mrs. Roby Rasin is no better. Mr. Rasin is out again.

Our public roads are bad.

Our neighbors so far as we know are generally having good health.

At home enjoying the soft coal gas. Since the coal situation settled we hope for better things in the near future.

Business is very much unettled in this and adjoining vicinity.

Millington Notes

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, of Asbury M. E. Church was held on Tuesday evening of last week at the home of Mrs. Ella White.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace entertained at their home near town, on Saturday evening, in honor of the 18th birthday of their daughter, Miss Eva. The evening was much enjoyed by all those present, they being from New Castle, Del., Chestertown, Sudlersville and Millington. At a late hour refreshments consisting of ice cream, cake, fruit and candy were served after which the guests departed for their homes, wishing Miss Wallace many more happy birthdays.

F. C. Miller, of Wilmington, spent the week-end at Hotel Bailey.

Hurrah for Chautauqua! Despite the weather, we, last week had three joyous days of delightful entertainment. The best ever and while the highways leading to town were blocked by snow banks, preventing many who would like to have joined us on this joyous occasion, the guarantors met their obligation cheerfully and with small loss to themselves and again contracted for another year. Hurrah for the guarantors! Their courage and tenacity deserves the sympathy and support of every person in the community, great and small, young and old, and bery nearly have it, I'm quite sure. We may never have Chautauqua again under the very trying weather conditions we had this time, and if we do, we cannot afford to let Chautauqua d s Many of us were more than pleased with the program this year and feel that many of the numbers alone were worth the price of a full season ticket —so let us all work together to make the next season a big success. Let us lighten the labors of the guarantors and show our appreciation of things that are worth while. Here goes, all together!

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sloane and Mrs. Charles Weldon, of Elkton, visited Mss. Sloane's mother, Mrs. Mary E. Bailey, last Wednesday.

Conditions due to the blizzard of last week are much improved now and business and traffic in our community are about at normal again. Many thanks are due John P. Ahern, who sent a snow plow over all the streets in our town, cleaning the snow and making it possible for walking on the street. This was a very thoughtful and kind thing for him to do and to hear him belong the thanks of the community. A rising vote. Mr. Ahern.

The students of Millington High School will give a play, entitled "Old Lady 31," in the school auditorium next Tuesday evening, February 23. The play is a delightful combination of humor and pathos, which every one will heartily enjoy.

Among those of our citizens to receive special enconiums of praise by our recent Chautauqua speakers was our very courteous postoffice force—George S. Stevens, postmaster, and his genial assistant, E. T. Stevens, also our very obliging railroad station agent, R. J. Taylor.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of Asbury M. E. Church, was held last Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Harry L. Higman.

Miss Clara Bolton, of Gaena, spent the past week-end with Miss Arlene Gale.

Richard Comegys, of St. John's College, Annapolis, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Comegys.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Vansant and little son, of Marcus Hook, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Everett, near town, last week.

Miss Lillian Pratt, of near Blackiston's, spent the past ten days with Mrs. George B. Jones.

"A MOTHER'S BLESSED TASK —ONE CHANCE IN TEN FOR HER BABE," BY FANNIE HURST, THE WORLD'S HIGHEST PAID WOMAN WRITER, IN SUNDAY'S BALTIMORE AMERICAN.

Johnny Schelberg, of Queenstown will wear a Reading Keys' uniform this year. The young Eastern Shoreman has agreed to terms offered by William Ashton, Jr., the business manager and secretary of the Keys The Queen Anne's county twirler is a son of August Schelberg.

TRIANGLE CLUB BANQUET

The Triangle Club of Christ M. P. Church, an organization composed entirely of young ladies, held its fifth annual banquet and birthday party in the lecture room of the church on Thursday evening. Covers were laid for 130 members and guests who enjoyed a fine dinner served by members of the Young Men's Club in return for the favor rendered by the ladies of the Triangle Club on the occasion of the men's banquet held in January. The Sunday school room's beauty was heightened by the skill of the ladies, the color scheme being pink.

Features of the program included greetings by the president, Miss Dorothy Woodall, piano solo by Miss Elizabeth Culp, a talk by Mrs. Bates Chaires, a double vocal trio by the Misses Wheat, Coleman, Beckley. Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Thompson, a humorous speech by Jos. N. Wheatley and music by the Chestertown Orchestra. The principal speaker of the evening was Mrs. N. O. Gibson, wife of the Rev. N. O. Gibson, pastor of the church. It was a most enjoyable occasion.

VALENTINE PARTY

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Urie gave a Valentine Party in honor of their daughter, Miss Catherine, on Friday evening, February 12th. The house was beautifully decorated. The color scheme being white and red with abundance of red hearts. At 8 p. m. the guests began to arrive.

The evening was spent in games and music. A fine luncheon was served, consisting of chicken salad on lettuce, biscuit, coffee, ices and heart shaped doughnuts with little red heart favor baskets filled witht candy hearts.

Those present were Misses Catherine D. Urie, Anna C. Wiltbank, Carrie Mae Lipscomb, Margaret E. Kennedy, Gladys S. Archibald, Mary Evelyn Spencer, Lydia P. George, Vera Beckley, Catherine Wheeler, Ruth Newton and Helen Baxter, Mr. and Mrs. George Glenn, Russell Fowler, Bert Newton, Vernon Fowler, Walter Kernan, Thomas Johnston, Norman Pennington, Marion Sutton, Arthur Cleaver, Joe Russell, Jr., Walter Alcutt. About 11.30 all left for their home, having spent a very pleasant evening.

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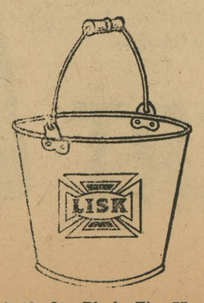
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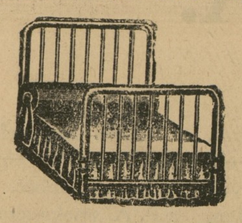


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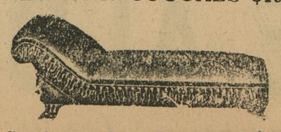
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