THE TRANSCRIPT

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CHESTERTOWN has been honored this week in having assembled here a large body of distinguished Christian workers—the Wilmington M. E. Conference—who have received a hearty and cordial welcome from our citizens. This body of men are here for the furtherance of the Christian uplift of humanity. They have not assembled here as a body of men seeking worldly pleasures and selfish ends, but have assembled here as soldiers of the Cross, and, indeed, there never was a time in the history of the world when their valiant services were more needed than now. The spirit of unrest is upon the entire earth and man's personal responsibility to his God will be the largest factor in bringing peace to the troubled world. Their help and prayers are much desired among us and we welcome their coming and regret their departure.

CHURCH NOTES

St. James M. P. Church Sunday, March 30. Sunday School at 10 a. m.; preaching at 11 by Rev. W. D. Hubbard, of the Wilmington Conference; Sunday School at Lynch at 2 p. m. and preaching by Rev. C. W. Moore, of the Wilmington M. E. Conference, at 3 p. m.

Regular monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U. next Wednesday, April 2, at the Red Cross Chapter House, at 11 a. m. Members are urgently requested to be present as business of importance will be taken up.

Christ M. P. Church is particularly fortunate in having two very distinguished Methodist Episcopal clergymen to fill the pulpit tomorrow, Sunday, in Dr. Sumwalt and Dr. Hubbard. The former is pastor of Grace Church, Wilmington; the latter is pastor of St. Paul's Church, Wilmington. These are the two most prominent churches in the Wilmington Conference. While the sermon of Bishop McDowell will, of course, hold the center of the religious stage in the morning at the M. E. Church, those who hear Dr. Sumwalt will, no doubt, hear a great sermon.

While the interest of the Eastern Shore is naturally centered upon this town as the seat of the sessions of the Wilmington Conference, it will be interesting to note that the Maryland Annual Conference of the M. P. Church will hold its annual session in Lowe Memorial Church, Baltimore, on Wednesday, April 2, with Dr. L. E. Warner, the president of the Conference, presiding. Rev. W. A. Melvin is pastor of the church where the Conference will be held. It is believed that Dr. J. L. Ward, who is pastor of the M. P. Church here, will return next year.

Dr. T. F. Beauchamp preached what was probably his last sermon here on Sunday evening. Dr. Beauchamp stated that the financial condition of the M E. Church was in first class condition and perhaps had never been better in the past. Dr. Beauchamp and family have made many friends here during their stay of three years who will regret to see them go. Dr. Beauchamp has been a hard worker, and not only has the M. E. Church prospered during his pastorate, but the religious life of the whole community also has been quickened by his efforts along many lines.

Bishop Adams has received from Monell Sayre, secretary and manager of the Church Pension Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church a statement of the operation of the Fund. He pointed out to the bishop that the amount of annual grants of the fund make it one of the half dozen largest pension-granting corporations in the world. The Protestant Episcopal Church contributed in two years $1,181,057.76 for the protection of its clergymen through the Church Pension Fund. This was the amount of the assessments paid into the fund by churches throughout the country at the close of the two years of operation just ended. Mr. Sayre has announced that this total of $1,181,057.76 was 98½ per cent of all possible assessments payable on the salaries of Episcopal clergymen in the United States and foreign missionary fields. Seven and one-half per cent of all salaries, which is the assessment rate, would amount to $1,200,000 for the two-year period. The Church Pension Fund began operation on March 1, 1917, with $8,712,000 raised in a campaign for $5,000,000 to protect clergymen then in office. The fund embraces 8,000 parishes scattered throughout the United States and foreign missionary fields, and more than 5,000 clergymen who are protected by old age pensions, disability allowances and benefits for their widows and orphans.

Dr. L. E. Barrett has announced that he desires to be placed on the supernumerary list of preachers this year, thus retiring from active pastoral service temporarily in order to recuperate his health. Thus there is removed from the religious life of the Peninsula a man who has had a long and useful career in active service of the church and one of the most prominent figures on the Peninsula. Dr. Barrett is well known to nearly every churchgoer in the conference and his temporary retirement is greatly regretted by all, with the hope that he may soon recuperate his health and secure a regular charge again. Dr. Barrett will, no doubt, be seen in the pulpit many times this year. He is a pulpit orator of recognized ability and has few superiors. We are glad to state that Dr. Barrett will make his home in Chestertown. Rev. J. P. Otis, another well-known pastor of the Eastern Shore, has retired from the pulpit.

Mrs. W. B. Coleman, of Chestertown, has three nephews who are ministers attending conference in Chestertown this week. These gentlemen are: Rev. Omar Jones, of Lewis, Delaware; Rev. Clarence Jones, of Clayton, Delaware; and Rev. John Jones, of Wilmington, Del. They are brothers and were formerly of this section. All three have been asked to return to their present charges for another year.

Christ M. P. Church, Rev. J. L. Ward pastor. Sunday services: Preaching by Rev. J. M. R. Sumwalt, D. D., of the Wilmington Conference, 10.30 a. m.; S. S., F. G. Usilton, Supt., 2.30 p. m.; preaching by Rev. C. L. Hubbard, D.D., of the Wilmington Conference, 7.30 p. m. Everybody welcome.

Service at both I. U. and Betterton Sunday at 10.30 a. m. Holy Communion at Betterton. There will be no service at Shrewsbury.

Who will fill the Chestertown M. E. Church pulpit next year is a question of considerable interest these conference days. There are five or six prominent clergymen being mentioned to fill Dr. Beauchamp's place, but we are unable to state who his successor will be at this time.

The Chestertown M. E. Church closed its Conference year with a splendid record. The S. S. reported for missions $591.31 for the year, and all other debts paid. The debt of building the beautiful parsonage has been paid in full, and the church has raised $7000 the past year as follows: Local Budget $2200, Missions $1000, Parsonage $1500, War Work $1200, other benevolences $600; conference claimants $500.

UNDER THE STARS AND STRIPES

(Other Items on page 6)

Dr. Eldridge L. Eliason, chief surgeon of the University of Pennsylvania unit, has been made a Lieut.-Col. Dr. Eliason was formerly of this town.

Lieut.-Col. H. Staunton Brown, son of Mrs. Hiram Brown, of Brooklyn, N. Y., formerly of Chestertown, left New York last Saturday for Europe at the head of the government commission aircraft business. Col. Brown will be gone several months, dividing his time between Paris and London. Col. Brown is a brother of young Burchinal Brown, who is also abroad with the 122nd Engineers. A farewell dinner was given Lieut.-Colonel Brown in New York on Friday before leaving.

PUBLIC ALE

—OF—

Farm Personalty

AND

Household & Kitchen Furniture

The undersigned, intending to discontinue farming, will sell without reserve on the farm situated on State road between Fairlee and Tolchester, where he now resides, on

THURSDAY, APRIL 10th, 1919,

beginning at 10 a. m.

8 HEAD OF

HORSES, MULES, COLTS

consisting of 5 head of good work horses, some also good drivers, 1 colt, three years old, 1 pair mules.

15 Head of Cattle

consisting of 6 head good milch cows, 4 close springers, 3 with calves by side, 2 yearling heifers.

SHEEP

15 Head Ewes, some with lambs by side.

HOGS AND SHOATS

3 Thoroughbred Poland China Brood Sows; 5 Shoats.

POULTRY

90 Laying Hens, 7 Roosters, 4 Kent Island Geese, 2 Ganders, 5 Bronze Turkey Hens, 1 Gobbler, 10 Muscovy Ducks, 2 Drakes, 10 Guineas.

FARM IMPLEMENTS

1 Manure Spreader, nearly new; 1 Deering Binder, new last year; 1 Drill, in good condition; 1 Corn Planter; 1 Corn Cutter; 1 Randel Harrow, nearly new; 1 Drag Harrow; 1 Roller Harrow; 1 Acme Harrow; 1 Drag; 1 Roller; 2 Mowers; 3 2-horse Cultivators; 4 1-horse Cultivators; 1 Hay Rake; 1 Pulverizer; 2 Wagons; 1 Dearborn; 1 Carriage; 3 Sets Double Wagon Harness; 6 Sets Chain Harness; Double Trees; Single Trees; Three Horse Trees; Four Horse Trees; 1 Weeder; Shovels; Forks; Dirt Scoop; Anvil; Vice; 1 Grass Seder; Mower; Knife Grinder; 2 Crow Bars; 1 Feed Box; Lot of Small Tools; 1 1-horse Plow; 1 3-horse Plow; Bag Truck; Thread Cutters; Bush Ax; 2 Axes; 2 Grubbing Hoes; 2 Garden Hoes; 1 Garden Plow; 3 Spray Pumps; 1 Gasoline Pump; Hand Saw; 2 Cross-Cut Saws; 3 Spades; 1 New Crab Net; 1 Harrow Chain; 1 Log Chain; 1 Wheel Barrel; 1 Slop Barrel on Wheels; 1 Meat Barrel; 2 Milk Cans; 2 Cream Cans; 1 Churn; 1 Grindstone; Lot of Tomato Baskets; Horse Clippers; Lawn Mower; 3 Tons Armour's Fertilizer, 1-10; 1-2 Ton Half and Half; Lot Good Bags; about 40 barrel Yellow Corn on Cob; 1 Tomato Rigging; Lot Collars and Bridles; 1 Carriage Pole; 1 Sleigh; 1 String Bells; 1 two-horse power Geizer Gasoline Engine; 1 Bull Tractor and Plow; 2 Tons Soft Coal, Lot of Sugar Cured Meat.

1 DODGE AUTOMOBILE, 1917 Model

The Household Furniture will be listed in next week's issue.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 3rd, 1919.

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No bids will be received unless accompanied by a certified check for the sum of Two Hundred ($200) Dollars, payable to the State Roads Commission.

The successful bidder will be required to give bond, and comply with the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, respecting contracts.

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JOHN ANDERSON.

P. S.—I advertised a private sale for Saturday, March 29, but owing to the fact that I find I have quite a lot of stock on hand, I have decided to call this private sale off, and sell same at Public Sale, April 2, 1919.

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3 Sets Bedroom Furniture.
1 Set Light Oak, extra bed to match.
1 Set Walnut.
1 Set Ash.
1 White Enameled Bed.
4 Mattresses and 3 Feather Beds, lot of Feather Pillows.
1 Chiffonier.
1 Large Wardrobe.
4 Bureaus.
1 Writing Desk, 2 Writing Desks with Book Cases, 1 Revolving Chair.
2 Extension Tables, 4 Small Tables, 6 Stands, 2 Cherry Sofas.
1 Stieff Piano, 1 Violin, 1 Clarionet, 1 Phonograph.
6 Rocking Chairs, 4 Dozen Chairs.
1 Set Walnut Parlor Furniture.
2 Velvet Carpets.
2 Large Mirrors.
1 Mahogany Secretary.
1 Walnut Side-Board.

Commodes, Lamps, Chandeliers, Angle Lamps, 1 doz. other lamps, 3 Clocks, lot of pictures and frames, Quilting Frames, Rugs, Windowshade and fixtures, linoleum, hat-racks.

1 Beaver Oak Parlor Stove, 1 Garnet Stove, 1 Alton No. 9 Cook Stove with fixtures.

ONE METZ 5-PASSENGER TOURING CAR.

50 BUSHELS OF POTATOES.

KITCHEN UTENSILS

Tables, Benches, Cup-boards, Knives, Forks, Spoons, Crocks, Pots, Pans, Ham Boilers, Washing Machine, Wringer, Tubs, Buckets.

Davis Swing Churn, 1 Oak Revolving Churn, Butter Worker, Milk Cans, Chest of Tools, surveying instruments, Lard Press, Sausage Grinder, Rifles, Guns, Revolvers, 2 Muskrat Lights.

50 Gal. Oil Tank, Galvanized Iron Chicken Coops, Colony House, Turkey Coops, Wheel Barrow, Meat Barrels, Lawn Swing, 2 Lawn Mowers, Miscellaneous lot of China, Glass-ware, Books and other articles too numerous to mention.

1 FORD AUTOMOBILE (TOURING)
1 GASOLINE ENGINE

TERMS.—Sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of ten months will be given on bankable note with approved security. No goods to be removed until terms are complied with.

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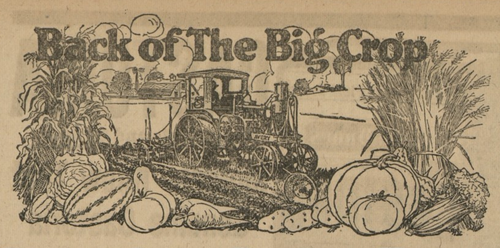

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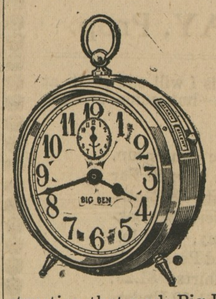

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