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MOON'S PHASES.

First Quarter	5	1:58 a. m.	Third Quarter	19	7:57 p. m.
Full Moon	12	10:38 p. m.	New Moon	26	8:27 p. m.

CHILDREN'S DAY AT ST. JAMES.

On Sunday, June 3, 1900, St. James' Church was filled to overflowing. All the pews in lower floor were filled, aisles filled with chairs, galleries packed, all available space where mankind could get was taken; in the vestibule and yard were many who were unable to get in the audience room; the occasion being Children's Day. The church was beautifully decorated with plants and cut flowers and presented a very pretty appearance. Those who took part in the exercises did their parts well and too much space would be required if we were to attempt to tell of the nice performance of those who were in the program. Suffice it to say they all did well and all were pleased. Mr. Samuel Vannort, superintendent of the school, had charge of the exercises and was ably assisted by a corps of faithful workers. The collection was good, amounting to over thirty dollars. The following program was rendered:

Voluntary.
Singing, "Joyfully we Come" .....School
Responsive Reading...Jesse Plummer leader
Prayer.
"Welcome".....Edna Edwards
Singing, "Happy Hours".....School
Recitation, "Room for the Children"..Minnie Rasin.
Singing, "Praise Him".....School
Recitation, "Five Pennies".....John Sutton
Dialogue, "Mary and Maje".....Mable and Louise Beck.
Singing, "Send it on, Farther on".....School
Reading, "The Twentieth Century".....May Willis.
Recitation, "Sweet Voices of Hope"....9 girls Addie Long, Addie Gale, Morgan Hessey, Emily Plummer, Ethel Gale, Mary and Maggie French, Estelle Gebhart and Francis Morris.
Duet, "The Reapers are Few".....May Willis and Arsula Moffett.
Recitation, "The Cross Transfigured," Minnie Jones.
Singing, "Rock of Ages".....School
Recitation, "Condemned Voices".....3 girls, Nannie Gale, Elma and Ethel Biglow.
Recitation, "So I Send You".... Stella Biddle
Singing, "Tell the News".....School
Recitation, "Pleading Voices"...Nannie Gale Nora Litey, Minnie Jones, Linda Morris.
Solo, "River of Life"...Mrs. Frank Plummer
Recitation, "Give and Work and Pray," Susie Trimble.
Recitation, "Voices of Hope"....Willie ——, George and Eddie Carroll, Andrew Sutton, Arthur Mason, Arthur Bacon, Lambert Plummer.
Solo, "Tis Children's Day".....Katie Kelly
Recitation, "Voices of Duty"..Minnie Jones, Bessie Long, Elma Biglow, Goldie Smith Emma Younger Susie Trimble.
Recitation, "Dollars and Hats". John Hessey
Duet, "Jesus Loves the Children"..Mary and Maggie French.
Recitation, "Beginning and Sacrificing"..Ida Mason.
Recitation, "Come Out".....Willie Kelly
Singing, "Light from the Cross".....School
Recitation, "The Christian Church" ...Sarah Hessey.
Collection.
Closing Song.....School
Benediction.

W. C. T. U.

The usual county executive meeting following the annual convention unfortunately came in the busy harvest season among farmers and farmers' wives and somewhat conflicted with the college commencement exercises. It is to be deplored that notices given through the local papers are so often not seen by members, even those living in Chestertown not always knowing of these meetings. The attendance of the three new Superintendents of Departments elected at the late convention gave encouragement for greater work the ensuing year. The financial report stated that the receipts from the convention yielded a surplus of $6.40 above expenses. To aid the superintendents, it was voted they be allowed to order literature to the amount of $1.00. The president stated that the unions were asked to raise an amount equal to 50 cents per member, in any way they saw fit, to aid in the good work carried on at the State headquarters. Also that Hon. John G. Woolley had proposed to give an address free at the State Convention, to be held in Baltimore, provided one hundred subscriptions to the "New Voice" were secured in Maryland. The unions were urged to solicit same. Reports from the Department of Narcotics gave 100 pupils in the Chestertown public school as having signed the Honor Roll and 15 in Miss Laura Thomas' school, in Quaker Neck, the entire number present at the time. Miss Hammond, State Y Secretary, and Mrs. M. B. Simmons presented the matter to the schools. The resolutions passed at the late convention were discussed, and articles 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 voted to be made a special effort for the year's work. Superintendents are expected to follow the plan in accordance with the same.

It having been reported that several wharf owners had refused to assume responsibility for liquor deposited on their wharves, it was voted that others be asked to follow their most worthy example.

Suggestions were given towards a more complete method of providing delegates with credentials for future conventions.

PRESS SUP'T.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

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COLLEGE COMMENCEMENT.

Stam's Hall was the centre of attraction Wednesday morning. There was not standing room at the hour for the opening exercises. The faculty of the College and students marched down with Webers' band in the lead, and when they reached the law office of L. W. Wickes, Esq., the members of the Board of Visitors joined the procession and all proceeded to the hall.

The following program was observed:

Prayer.....Rev. Eugene A. Robinson
First Honor.....J. Wilson Sutton "Beyond the Alps lies Italy."
Class Orator.....Alfred T. McDorman "The Outlook." This is the address that took second prize at the oratorial contest last Spring.
Second Honor.....M. Adele France "Castle Builders."
Normal Address.....Isabelle P. Barber The Relation of Aesthetic Culture to Character" read by Miss Clara Jones.
All of which was interpersed with delightful music by Weber's band.

The mandamus was read by Prof. J. R. Micou, after which the degrees were conferred by Judge James Alfred Pearce in his usual masterly manner.

President Reed announced the college honors and the averages.

GRADUATES—*College Department*—Hiram Staunton Brown, Magna Cum Laude; Julia Merritt Burchinal, Mary Adele France, Magna Cum Laude; Charles Clayton Gum, Cum Laude; Raymond Edward Jones, Alfred Trickett McDorman, Cum Laude; Joseph Wilson Sutton, Maxima Cum Laude; Purnell Toadvine White.

Normal Department—Harry Delano Anthony, Isabelle Pauline Barber, Julia Merritt Burchinal, Mary Adele France, Clara Louise Jones, Alfred Trickett McDorman, Bessie Morton Nicholson, Elizabeth Virginia Williams, Eva Wright.

The Reception.

The reception by the Faculty to the Alumni, friends and visitors was held in beautiful Normal Hall on Wednesday evening between the hours of 8 and 11 P. M. In its beautiful parlors the faculty received the large company, while strains of sweet music from Weber's orchestra floated over the bewitching scene. Refreshments were served in the dining room.

Honors Conferred.

D. D. Degree—Given to Rev. Samuel J. Smith, '76.

A. M. Degree—Given to Edward F. Webb, '97; John I. Coulbourn, '97; O. M. Purnell, '80.

Senior Prize $20, given by M. deK. Smith, Esq., Dr. Gilpin, Mrs. James A. Pearce and H. H. Barroll, Esq. —To J. W. Sutton, 96.

Junior Medal, given by the Board of Visitors and Governors to the best member of the Junior Class—To Dudley G. Roe, 88.1.

Sophomore Prize of $20, given by T. W. Eliason—To E. T. Noble, 88.1.

Freshman Prize of $20, divided between Ida Downes, 92.7, and Albert S. Walls, 92.5.

Third Preparatory prize of $20, given by Dr. H. B. Simmons—To J. W. Sutton, 94.4.

Students having no demerits during the year are: Messrs. Sutton, Gill, I. Lynch, Baynard, Coleman, L. Lynch; Misses J. Burchinal, M. L. Brown, McFeely, Hendrickson, Howerth, Hurlock, Peddicord, Staats; Mr. Smith.

Prize of $15, given by Mrs. W. J. Vannort to the student keeping the most orderly room—Messrs. Insley and Morris.

Averages.

The following students having made a general average in recitation and examination during the year 1899-1900 of not less than 90, are *distinguished* in scholarship:

J. Wilson Sutton	98 0	Emma A. McKeely	91.0
M. Adele France	94.5	Nora V. Boston	91.0
John W. Sutton	94 4	H. S. Brown	90.4
Ida W. Downes	92.7	C. C. Gumm	90.0
Arthur S. Walls	12.5		

The following students having made a general average in recitation and examination during the year 1899-1900 of not less than 90, are *meritorious* in scholarship:

J. E. Burchinal	89.1	E. W. Woodoock	84.6
Alice E. Hepburn	88.2	I. R. Barber	83.7
Fred. B. Noble	88.1	Frank C. Kirk	83.6
Mary L. Brown	87.8	Simeon Jester	83.3
S. E. Andrews	86.7	H. R. Insley	83.2
G. M. Andrews	86.3	P. T. White	83.0
Clara W. Staats	86.2	Geo. R. Biddle	82.2
Dudley G. Roe	85.3	John F. Stevens	91.5
Maud A. Hurlock	85.3	Nan R. Hall	91.5
A. G. McDorman	85.0	John T. Baden	81.4
Leonard B. Smith	85.0	L. M. Peddicord	80.9

The Ball.

A fitting climax to a series of most enjoyable entertainments was held on Wednesday evening in Stam's Hall. The Commencement Ball was an affair par excellence. Under the management of Mr. H. W. Vickers, Jr., everything was most appropriately and successfuly arranged. The ladies were beautiful; the men handsome and gallant, and the music by Weber's full orchestra enchanting. Among those present were:

Kent.—Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Barroll, Mr. and Mrs. George Brice, Judge J. A. Pearce and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Beck, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. G. Beck, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. E. Beck, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Beck, Prof. E. J. Clarke and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis E. Crane, Dr. J. A. Catlin and wife, Mrs. J. D. Welch, Mrs. Marion Rodgers, Mrs. C. W. Whaland, Mrs. Allan Harris, Mrs. Wilbur Eliason, Mrs. Thos. W. Eliason, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Westcott, Mrs. Gooding, Misses Grace Whaland, Cora Emory, Sallie, Isabelle, Mary and Violet Beck, Lottie Wickes, Mary Rodgers, Sophie and Bertie Beck, Anna and Julia Wilson, Mattie Davis, Mary Fleming, Nina Roberts, Pricie Maslin, Louise Price, Hallie Westcott, Irma Eliason, Olevia Wilkins, Grace Wilkins, Cora Massey, Stella Crew, Nannie Brice, Veyla Perkins, Lillie Greenwood, Maud Wilkins, Emma Beck, Hallie Connelly, Eva Connelly, Hope Wickes, Mrs. W. H. Brown, Mary A. Brown, Burtie Burchinal, Mrs. H. L. Boyd, Miss Fogwell, Messrs. H. W. Rickey, Wm. Maslin, H. W. Vickers, Jr., Frank W. Hines, Samuel Green wood, Dr. Gilpin, George Vickers, Eben F. Perkins, Jr., T. W. Perkins, George Perkins, Henry Deaver, Joseph Brice, Rudolph Tull, Ambrose Carroll, Scott Beck, Snowden and Allie Thomas, Horace Constable, W. W. Chapman, Harry Rickey, C. C. Hopper, Unit Rasin, Thos. Massey, Brooks Massey, C. H. B. Massey, Rudolph Stam, Edward Wilkins, A. B. Burris, N. F. Cameron, Earle Nicholson, Messrs Kirk and Jones.

Baltimore.—Misses Isabelle Earle, Rose Earle, Lucy Hines, Bessie Robertson, Reba Knight, Laura Carpenter, Beulah Winters, Marie Westcott, Mary Hopper, Lula Dryden, Miss Parsons, Clyntonia Legg, Miss Nichols, Miss Sedwick, Miss Rodney, Miss Peters, Miss Gray; Messrs. Jack Westcott, Arthur Plenciman, Malcolm Hill, Arthur Ewens, Guy Groff, Messrs. Williams, Legg, Gray, Bunting, McKaig, Jenkins, Eccleston, Miss Glasscock.

Queen Anne's.—Mrs. Spencer Newnam, Miss Holyday, Miss Amber Holyday, Miss Nellie Valliant, Misses Maud and Cora Newnam, Jessie Jones, Chester Coursey, Jack Brown, John Wilson, Mat Bordley, Chas. Tucker, W. B. Earle, Jr., Edwin Brown, Jr., James Earle, Miss Friel.

Riverton, N. J.—Alexine Solomon, Grace Solomon, Miss Wistard, Mrs. Wistard, Miss Groves, Robert Ernshore, Mr. Hillard, Mr. Groves, Mrs. Fred. Groves.

Annapolis, Md.—Mrs. M. P. Miller, Miss Eloise Spencer.

St. Louis, Mo.—Messrs. Merritt M. Beck, M. M. Beck, Jr., Misses Lease and Florence Beck.

Philadelphia, Pa.—Mr. Shermerdine, Foster Perkins.

Talbot.—Miss Beauchamp.

Pocomoke City—Miss Mary McMasters.

Princess Anne.—R. F. Duer and wife.

New York.—Jack Guion.

R. F. Parks.

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11½C } Fitlers Standard Binder Twine. Our price spot cash 11½ cents.

Negligee Shirts.
49C } Man's Soft Finish Negligee Shirts, regular 69c value, our price 49c.

Silk Front Shirts.
49C } A Man's All Silk Front Shirt, others ash 69c for, our price 49c cash.

Cloth Skirts.
89C } Ladies' Covert Cloth Shirt, 2 rows braid on skirt, others ask $1, our price 89 cents, spot cash.

Lawn & Calico Wrappers.
69C } Ladies' Lawn and Calico Wrappers Trimmed waist, price them elsewhere 75c to $1, our price 69c spot cash.

Men's Overalls.
48½C } Men's Double Knee heavy weight made Overalls, worth today 62½c to 75c, our price for this month 48½c cash.

Men's Work Shirts.
39C } Lot Men's well-made 50c value Work Shirts, our price today 39c cash.

Leather Fly Nets.
93C } Leather Fly Nets, 5 bar Houston patent, price elsewhere $1.00 to $1.10, our price spot cash 93 cents.

Wagon Harness.
7.75 } Wagon Harness, full body parts, 1¼ in traces, extra leather, prices everywhere 8.50 to 9.00, our price till June 30, $7.75 spot cash.

Brown Muslin.
5C } Full 4-4 Heavy Brown Muslin 8c value, 10 yards only to a customer, our till June 30, 5½c

Fancy Percales

39c Ladies 50c Shirts Waists from now till June 30th, 39c.

3½c Regular 5c value Cotton Crash, our price 3½c till June 30 spot cash.

10c All Huck Towels, 24x24 in. worth everywhere 12½c, our price 10 cents.

25c All pure Linen, knotted fringe 26x43 in., worth in gold each, our price 25c.

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County Commissioners Notice.

OFFICE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, for KENT COUNTY, MAY 1st, 1900.

The traveling public is hereby given notice that the public road leading from Fairlee to Tolchester, known as the bay side will be closed to travel from Monday May 7th, 1900 and travel over said road will be suspended until the new bridge at "New Design" branch is completed.

By order of the Commissioners,
May 5-tf. H. THEO. JEWELL, Clerk.

GARDEN SEED from Johnson & Stokes Potatoes, Peas, Onion Sets, Beans.
WESTCOTT & DODD.

Petitioners Road Notice

To the Honorable, the Board of Commissioners for Kent county. We the undersigned citizens and taxpayers of Kent county do hereby petition your honorable body to make a public road at Betterton, beginning at Ericsson Avenue and running east along the private road between the property owned by Chas. S. Smith and Jas. T. Crew.

Signed: WILLIAM WHEELER, JAMES T. CREW, JOHN BRICE, GEORGE R. CREW, W. E. GREET, A. H. SUPLEE, W. A. CREW, THOMAS A. MOORE, HOWARD TURNER, JAMES S. HARRIS, and 20 others

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Petitioners Road Notice

To the Honorable Commissioners of Kent county. Greeting. We, the undersigned freeholders and citizens of the Fifth Election District, living in South Rock Hall, do hereby respectfully petition your Honorable Board to open the road known as "Allen's Lane" and leading to the "Public Landing" on Huntingfield Creek, as a public road, so the same may be kept in a passable condition, provided it does not encroach upon the front yards of the property holders as now laid down. Furthermore that present supervisors be directed to open the public road from the end of "Allen's Lane" to the said public landing the full width of the land purchased for said public road several years ago. That he also be directed to make such improvements at the said public landing as will enable it to be used as such without danger by your petitioners.

SAMUEL COLLYER,
R. I. HARRISON,
C. H. SMITH,
W. R. COLEMAN,
S. J. WICKES,
B. F. SEWELL,
J. THOS. SEWELL,
W. T. GEORGE,
GEORGE DAVIS,
J. J. BLACKISTON,
and 28 others.

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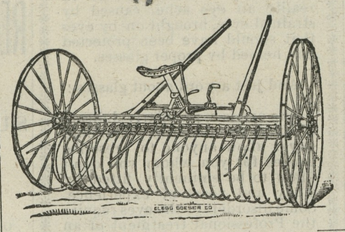

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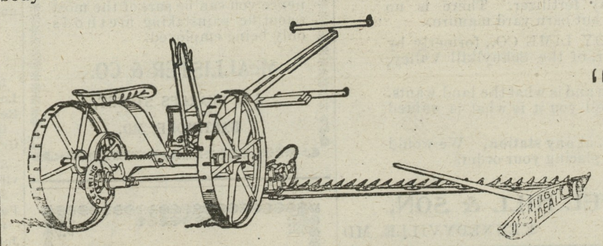

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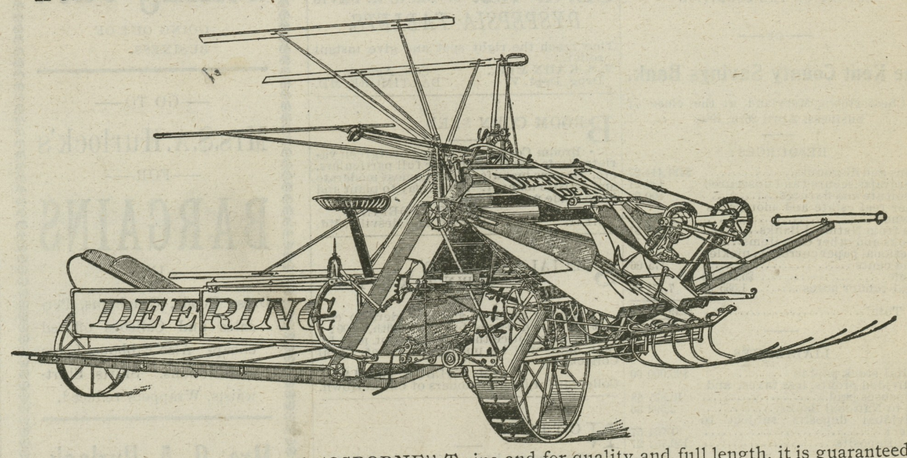

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