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MOON'S PHASES.

Full Moon	6	5:38 a. m.	New Moon	21	7:01 p. m.
Third Quarter	13	5:42 p. m.	First Quarter	28	8:48 p. m.

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FAIRLEE NOTES.

The mad dog that passed through our community semetime ago, played havoc on its way. The extent of damage cannot be told. Last week a horse in the neighborhood of Georgetown, near Tolchester, it is reported was attacked with the rabies, became violent and had to be killed. On Monday a hog at Fairlee mill, belonging to Mr. Anderson, went mad and while raging tried to bite everything in reach.

Rev. John M. Arters preached his first sermon as pastor of Union Church in the fine new building, to a large and appreciative audience.

On Sunday morning, to-morrow, at 10.30 a. m., Rev. Mr. Arters will preach a sermon to the Jr. Order American Mechanics, who will visit the church in a body.

Mrs. Geo. W. Bramble is anxiously awaiting the qualification of her successor as postmistress at Fairlee. Mr. Bramble left Wednesday for Warrenton and is very desirous to have his family with him, which will be as soon as the post office matter is adjusted. Mrs. B. has made a very efficient, affable and satisfactory mail official.

Mr. M. M. Rasin delivered a large consignment of coal in this neighborhood last week. He has just been able to get it otherwise it would have been delivered sooner.

The corn crop among our farmers is very short this season and but very few will have any to sell and our corn shellers will have but little to do this fall.

Mr. J. P. Price thinks he will have to get his corn supply from Balto. Last year he used 45,000 bushels of grain in his milling business.

The revival is still progressing at Salem and the services are well attended. Great interest is manifest both in the church and among the ungodly.

This is the time of the year when the farmers send sufficient wheat to the renowned roller mills of Mr. J. P. Price to make their flour for the year. Many large grists come in daily, and the flour manufactured from good wheat is unexcelled.

Our people expect the new P. O. centrally located.

Very shortly the farm hands who are employed by the day will soon be able to find but little employment as the corn will soon all be husked and our agriculturists will not have the work for them to do. A long time between now and April when work begins.

Not many apples in Kent this year.

Rabbits are reported plentiful but birds scarce.

There has been but little sickness around Fairlee this Autumn for which we are very thankful.

Mr. F. H. Ward has returned from a trip to Va.; he visited his mother.

GALENA ITEMS.

Farmers are about through husking corn and the crop is the lightest for a number of years.

Hog butchering is the order of the day now. On Tuesday last Mr. Edwin Crisfield killed most of the town hogs, among them being several big ones.

The trustees at their meeting last week extended a unanimous call to Mr. Prettyman to serve them as pastor for another year.

A new firm of undertakers is about to start business in one of our colored villages within a mile of Galena. All the members of the firm are colored men. They have bought a very nice hearse and other paraphernalia requisite for the undertaking business. They want to have everything up to date.

Everything has quieted down since the election. All were disappointed both vanquished and victors.

Several of the members of Kent Lodge, I. O. O. F. visited Rock Hall Lodge last week and were much pleased at their reception.

Mr. Robert Wilson is packing quite a quantity of straw. He uses steam power. Mr. John Quinn is also packing straw by horse power.

There is quite a rivalry between Mr. Whitaker and Mr. Dempsey for postmaster for next four years. Mr. Dempsey is the present postmaster.

The health of our town is fairly good.

Rev. Mr. Prettyman while in Phila. the first of the week, met with quite an accident. In stepping off a street car he slipped and to prevent striking his head against the curb he put his hand out to catch himself, in so doing he sprained it. It was quite painful for some time, but he is now getting over it. He made a narrow escape from a very serious accident.

CRUMPTON LOCALS.

Rev. Geo. H. Stocksdale will open his extra services Sunday next. The services have been in progress for two weeks at the M. E. Church. It is now an excellent opportunity to accomplish great good for the town, and the entire people should put forth every effort, regardless of creed and denomination, to save the sinner. The stores will now, for two weeks, close for one hour and a half each night while the meeting goes on.

Mr. Thomas M. Jenkins, wife and mother, of Trappe, Md., are visiting Mr. Joe Mallalieu near Millington.

Miss Katie Wallis and Mrs. Mollie Sparks are in Baltimore doing fall and winter shopping.

Miss Mary Fennimore, the beautiful daughter of the late Geo. Fennimore, is developing into quite a writer. Most of her articles are in verse. We understand she is turning her attention entirely in that way.

Mr. Edward Smith and sister, Miss Mary, of Wilmington, have been here for a week's visit to their cousin, Mrs. Ella Walls.

Messrs. Harrison & Sons have been in the city this week buying coal.

Alday Clements delivered around town a vessel load of coal this week.

The Misses Roe, of Sudlersville, were here for a few days.

Chas. Trace is here on a visit to his children.

Miss Gertie Hart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hart, of this town, died at the home of Mr. Kimble near Chestertown last Thursday and was brought home last Friday. Her remains were burried at Double creek Sunday, and the services were held in the M. E. Church of this town and conducted by Rev. G. H. Stocksdale assisted by Rev. F. E. Bloxton. A large concourse of friends followed her body to its last resting place. We learn that she died in the faith of Christ.

Messrs. Geo. Butler and Geo. Ryland spent Sunday here with their families.

With pleasure we chronicle the improvement of Mrs. Isaac Snitcher's condition. She has been recently very ill with typhoid fever, but is now on the road to recovery.

Miss Evans, of Rolphs, and Mr. Harry Gould, of Church Hill, were in Crumpton Wednesday.

WESLEYAN CHAPEL ITEMS.

Sunday, 25th inst., six of the fraternal organizations of Rock Hall will attend the Chapel services at 10.30 a. m., at which hour the pastor, by special request, will preach a sermon in the interest of said organizations. The public is most cordially invited. Inasmuch as the date named is "World's Temperance Sunday" special reference to this subject, which is a world wide issue, will be made in all the services of the day.

Revival services are continued with increased interest and the members and friends of the church are urged to attend these meetings and make them seasons of "refreshing" both to the church and in the salvation of the unsaved. Members and friends of all denominations of the church are most cordially invited.

A joint meeting of the Quarterly Conference, Board of Trustees and special committee on Bazaar and Supper was held in the church on Monday afternoon, at which time considerable business was transacted in the interest of church work and church enterprise.

There seems to be great interest taken in the Bazaar and Supper which is to be held in the hall over Mr. Marion T. Miller's store in Rock Rall, under the auspices of the Chapel Ladies Aid Society, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings of the 29th and 30th of the present month and December the 1st. On the first evening refreshments alone will be served; second evening oysters in all styles, and the third evening a general supper.

Considerable repairs have been recently made to the parsonage property and other improvements are very much needed, so that the proceeds of the Bazaar and Supper above named will be used for most worthy purposes. All the members and friends of the church are earnestly solicited to help make this effort a great success both socially and financially.

PRESIDENT Daniel C. Gilman, of the Johns Hopkins University has notified the board of trustees of his intention to retire at the close of the present scholastic year, after a service of a quarter of a century.

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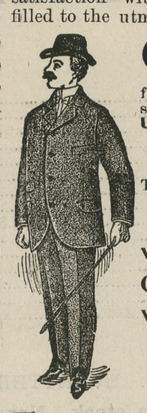

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