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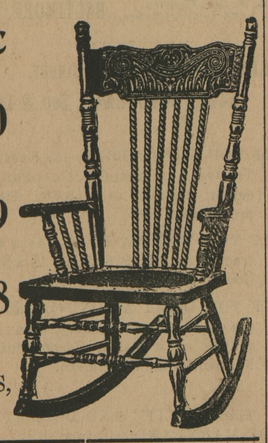
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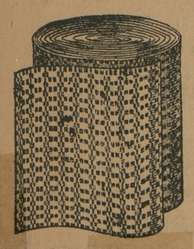
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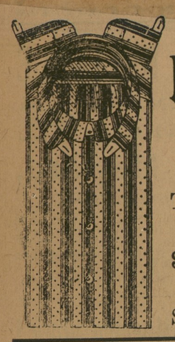
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NEWS OF THE CHURCHES.

Box Sociables and Musicales—M. E. Conference at Easton—A "Quiet Day" at P. E. Church.

The box social at W. H. Rambo's on Friday evening was for the benefit of the Presbyterian Church at Worton and about $20 was realized. Auctioneer Hurlock sold the thirty boxes, prices ranging from 25 cents to $1.50. Music was furnished by Misses Maggie and Essie Gears, Nellie Ivens, Mary Cooper, Charles H. Hurlock, Harry Barnett, J. H. Rollison and others.

A delightful Colonial Tea was held at the home of Mr. George S. Biddle on Friday evening for the benefit of St. James' M. P. Church, and nearly $50 was realized. Over one hundred persons were present and all spent a most delightful evening.

Mrs. Mary E. Haslup, State President of the W. C. T. U., will be at Still Pond on Sunday, and in the absence of the pastor at conference has kindly consented to address the audience of the M. E. Church in the morning. All are invited to hear her.

The Sabbath school classes taught by Mrs. J. H. Thompson and Miss Mayme Thompson held a bazaar in Mr. Wm. R. Maul's new store room Tuesday evening and about $23 was realized. The Opera House Band furnished excellent music during the evening. Miss Nettie Russell's class will hold a festival and entertainment next Wednesday evening.

During the absence of the pastor, Rev. J. W. Talley, arrangements have been made for preaching services next Sunday in the Rock Hall M. E. Church. Rev. G. H. Nock and Jas. M. Downey are on the eligible list, and one of the two will preach at both the morning and evening service. There will be no preaching service at the Chestertown M. E. Church on Sunday.

A sermon will be delivered at the Sacred Heart Church next Tuesday evening by Rev. William Toolen, S. T. B., of St. Pius' Church, Baltimore.

Wednesday, March 25th, will be the Feast of the Annunciation. It will be observed as a "quiet day" by the Woman's Auxiliary of Chester Parish, in Emmanuel Church, from 10.30 to 11.30 A. M. and from 3 to 5 P. M.:

10. A. M.—Holy Communion and Meditations upon the "Five Weapons of the Christian Soldier."
1. Introductory address, "Lenten Penitence a Duty for All."
2. "The Aim of the Christian Life."

3 P. M.—Meditations.
1. "Distrust of Self and Trust in God."
2. "Spiritual Effort."
3. "Prayer."
4. "Holy Communion."

Prayers for Missions and the Litany.

All women are most cordially invited to attend these meditations, whether they are members of the Woman's Auxiliary or not.

M. E. CONFERENCE.

Marked by a sympathetic expression for the bereavement of the presiding bishop, Earl Cranston, in the recent death of his wife, the thirty-fifth annual session of the Wilmington M. E. Conference was duly opened in Ebenezer Church Wednesday morning. This is the bishop's first conference work since his great loss. With tears in his eyes he heard the reading of the resolutions of sympathy, and after a few remarks thereupon, turned to the business of the conference, decrying the gossip which does not make for the welfare of the churches and announcing that the policy of the appointments would be that they might best serve the cause of God and the church.

Rev. A. S. Mowbray is secretary, Rev. W. R. Mowbray statistical secretary, and Rev. H. G. Budd treasurer. Tuesday night the annual missionary sermon was preached by Rev. J. T. Richardson. After the sermon a reception was given the members of the conference by the Easton Chapter of the Epworth League. Wm. E. Stewart presided. Rev. Dr. Grise welcomed the conference to Easton and Rev. S. P. Shipman responded. Mrs. Charles A. Stoops, Misses Blanche Love, Carrie Fish, Jennie Warner, Mrs. Eva Cox, Fred Wallace, Mrs. J. S. Garrison, Mrs. C. A. Grise, Miss Susie Cox, Miss Nellie Wrightson, Misses Anna and Florence Grise, Stella Wallace, Mrs. Jos. Frampton, Miss Ida Willis, Miss Maud Collins, Miss Lola Burkett, Messrs. W. L. Hull, Jos. Frampton, Henry Turner, Neal Shannahan, James Warner, J. W. Wheatley, Thomas Willis and Laurence Chaffinch were the League committee.

Included in the business to be transacted will be the election of successors to Presiding Elders T. E. Martindale, of the Salisbury district, and W. F. Corkran, of the Easton District. Rev. T. E. Terry, now stationed at Crisfield, is prominently mentioned as a successor to Mr. Martindale, while for the Easton district there is quite a contest between Revs. C. T. Wyatt, V. S. Collins and C. A. Grise.

The session will bring but few changes in the pastorates, but some of the more important ones decided upon are Rev. R. K. Stephenson, of Elkton, to Scott, Wilmington; Rev. C. W. Prettyman, of Brandywine, Wilmington, to Elkton; Rev. L. E. Poole, of Chesapeake City, to Pocomoke City. In Cecil county changes will also probably take place at Zion, Charlestown, Mt. Pleasant, Elk Neck and St. John's.

KENNEDYVILLE NEWS.

Mrs. Leonard Pendington left Monday for a trip to Virginia.

Mr. J. R. Bennett paid a flying visit to Baltimore last Saturday.

The Rainbow Social has been postponed on account of sickness.

Miss Lula Vandyke has been visiting at the home of Mrs. Eli Othoson.

Mrs. J. R. Bennett has been visiting at the home of her son, Mr. J. Bennett.

Miss Ada Hurlock has been quite sick the past week, but is much improved at this writing.

Miss Clara Redmile has accepted a position as clerk in the store of Mr. Henry Rawley.

Mrs. K. Pennington, of Wilmington, is visiting at the home of her son, Mr. Leonard Pennington.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Atwell have been visiting at the home of Mr. Joe Atwell, near Worton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Cleaver spent Wednesday at the home of Mr. C. Davis, near Middletown, Del.

Mrs. Strong and daughter, Miss May, of Wilmington, Del., have been visiting at the home of W. A. Pote.

Miss Elizabeth Hessner and Miss Bessie Webb spent the latter part of last week at the home of Mr. W. B. Cleaver, near here.

MILLINGTON ITEMS.

Mr. Robt. Catts spent Monday in town.

Mr. Albert Wilde, of Wilmington, Del., spent Sunday with friends near town.

Mr. C. M. Hurtt and Rev. E. R. Sidell spent Monday in Philadelphia.

Mr. Howard Clendaniel, of Kennedyville, spent Sunday with friends of town.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Yarnall, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday as the guests of Miss Vic Power.

Rev. E. R. Sidell is now at conference. We hope he may return to us for another year, as we are sure his place would be hard to fill.

Miss Vic Power is now visiting Philadelphia friends.

Mrs. Dr. Jacobs spent Sunday with relatives at Townsend.

Mrs. S. A. Foxwell and daughter, Mrs. T. A. Vansant, spent part of this week with relatives in Baltimore.

Miss Nettie Mallalieu is the guest of Mrs. H. L. Dulaney, Wilmington, Del.

Mrs. F. F. Bonsall, of Wilmington, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. W. J. Tolson.

Miss Nema Price is visiting relatives in Philadelphia.

Messrs. Roy C. Stafford and Linden Loper spent Wednesday in Smyrna, Del.

Miss Ollie Vansant is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. C. Clark, near Massey.

J. Harry Elliott, of near Millington, and Miss Maggie V. Cahall, near Centreville, were married in the M. E. parsonage at Ridgley Wednesday afternoon, the 11th inst., by Rev. W. O. Bennett.

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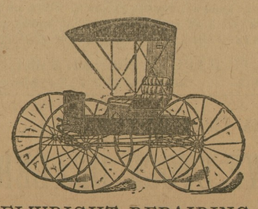
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