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Rock Hall Notes.

Nineteen and fifteen years ago there were born in Chestertown Blanche and Lillian Vain. Through the influence of a reverend gentleman then stationed as pastor in Chestertown and whose name cannot now be recalled, these girls were placed in an orphan asylum of Talbot county. The girls have lost all trace of their relatives and are anxious to get in communication with them, and will appreciate it as one of the greatest favors of their lives if any person of Chestertown or the county will furnish them with information leading to the location of members of the Vain family. Blanche is now the happy and charming wife of Capt. Jos. A. Harrison, of Tilghman's Island. Any information relating to the family can be sent to Joseph A. Harrison, Tilghmans, Talbot county, P. O. Box 46, or to Capt. G. T. Sewell, Rock Hall, or may be published in the KENT NEWS.

An interesting moving picture exhibition will be held in Amusea Hall, this (Saturday) evening. The subjects will consist of scenes in the Life of Christ, and other religious scenes. Half the proceeds will be for the benefit of the M. E. Church. A small fee will be charged at the door.

Business at Leary's factory is causing an earlier start-up of the big machinery than usual. The whistle blasts is a pleasant sound thrice daily. Mr. Leary has the services of a Mr. Hasting, of Cambridge, as head sawyer.

Little Margaret Jerome, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Jerome, of Gratitude, has been very sick the past week, but she is now convalescing.

Miss Ella Ryan, of the City, is home for a month's vacation.

Democrats and Republicans enjoyed reading in Monday's Sun the statement of Mr. John J. Mahon, in reference to the Sun's efforts to muster a silk stocking crowd as members of the next legislature.

Wheat in this section has made a fine growth during the Spring-like weather of the past two weeks. It looks as luxuriant as it usually does the first or middle of April.

Mr. Hero Kelley, tenant on Rock Hall farm, has grubbed up the locust thicket adjoining the Ascher property and it makes a fine improvement. He will plant it in potatoes.

We are sorry to report Mr. R. A. Shallcross on the sick list during the past week.

There is also much regret for the wounded feelings of our young friend, F., who has received an invitation to the marriage of a popular young couple out of the county. The bride-to-be was his best girl and he says he was nearly engaged to her, now his hopes are shattered but he says he will pull up O. K. And why shouldn't he? Rock Hall has just as fine, as sweet, as pretty and as talented young ladies as can be found on the peninsula, and several of them look with favor on the young man. He is in good pasture.

Mrs. J. W. Boyer has gone to the city to nurse Mrs. James H. Marine who was paralized from shock caused by the fire which wrecked Harlem Ave Methodist Church some time ago.

SASSAFRAS ITEMS.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick E. Vansant, of Stanton, Delaware, have issued cards to the weddidg of their daughter, Leah E. Vansant, to James B. Conlyn. The nuptials will take place Marth 9th in the Stanton M. E. Church at half past seven o'clock in the evening. Reception from 8 until 11 at her parents home.

Misses May Dreka, Marv Davis, and Messrs. John R. Ernest and J. Paul Rosin, of different colleges in Wilmington, are visiting their parents here.

Don't forget the big Oyster Supper to be held in the Jr. O. U. A. M. hall of Sassafras on March 2nd, next Tuesday evening. If stormy next fair evening.

Mr. Smith Burris, formerly of Kennedyville, has been seriously ill at his daughter's, Mr. and Mrs. J. Toulson, of near New Castle. Mrs. Frank Sylvester, of this town, was called to his bedside on Wednesday last. At this writing he is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis H. Dreka tendered their daughters a beautiful party on Monday evening at beautiful "Water Ledge," in honor of their company, Miss Dugan, of Bryn Mawr, Pa. A most delightful evening was enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Griffith are entertaining Mr. R. M. Griffith, his brother, and a friend of Pittsburg, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Staats are entertaining Mrs. Winker, nee Spear, of Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. H. Price, of near Warwick, entertained her sister, Mrs. John F Ernest and Mrs. Therza Shallcross on Tuesday.

CHESTERVILLE NEWS.

Rev. J. A. Anderson Presiding Elder of the East Baltimore district held the Fourth Quarterly for Chesterville and Trinity Millington Saturday the 20th. The reports indicated that the Church has had a successful year financially and spiritually. At this coming session of the annual Conference Presiding Elder Anderson's term will expire, and much to the regret of the pastors and laymen of the district. Not in many years has the district had a man who in all repects indicated the efficiency that the present incumbent has, and withal a popularity seldom seen.

Chesterville Church has a Senior and Junior Epworth League. The Senior League meets every Sunday night at 7 o'clock.

It has been suggested that the Sunday School raise missionary money on the first Sunday in March by giving a cent for every year that you are old. It is a good idea, will you do it?

Next Sunday, Feb. 28th the subject for the day will be, "The Temptations of the Times and How to meet them."

Miss Katherine Merrick is visiting in the home of Mr. Alday Clements.

A cat put its teeth through the cheek of little Andrew Vansant. The family physician gave the necessary attention and the little fellow is doing well.

Chesterville M. E. Church South Sunday School at 10, preaching at 11, League at 7. Illustrated sermon at close of League service. Service at 7.30 Wednesday night.

Trinity Church, Millington, Sunday School at 2, preaching at 3, League at 7.

WAIT for Jefferson's millinery opening as his buyers are now in the city and his display will be better than ever this time.

STILL POND ITEMS.

Mr. George Smith, of Philadelphia, spent the past week with his sister, Mrs. Edward Ford.

Rev. E. H. Collins spent Wednesday and Thursday in Philadelphia, to attend the funeral of a relative.

The Ladies Aid Society met on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Chas. Walters. A good attendance was present, considering the rainy afternoon.

A delightful annual Pan-cake Social was held on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Edward Schofield. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs.—Edward Schofield, John Schofield, Howard Rasin, William Krusen, John Boulden, Spencer Boulden, J. L. Price, Dr. L. P. Atwell; Mrs.—Rebecca Boulden, John Harding, James H. Warren, Edward Ford, Chas. Severson, J. B. Crowding, J. C. Bowers; Misses—Daisy Severson, Pearl Coleman and Maggie Harper; Messrs.—C. W. Hague, Penn Toulson, Willie and Chas. Ford, Golie Warren and many others.

Mr. William Stanley spent Sunday with his son, Mr. and Mrs. Price Stanley, of Delaware City.

Miss Maud Hummer, of Marydel, was the guest of Mrs. E. H. Collins over Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Harper's Sunday School class will hold a conundrum tea at her home Thursday evening, March 4th, beginning at 8 o'clock. Everybody welcome. Admission 10 cents.

Mrs. Sallie Norris is the guest of relatives at Galena.

A Sunday School prayer meeting was held last Sunday morning in the Sunday School room. An earnest exhortation was made by our Supt., A. J. Hackett, which was followed by the pastor. An invitation was given to the unsaved to seek Christ. So great was the interest that the morning preaching service was not held and the audience upstairs was invited to come down and the entire remained until after 12 o'clock and 3 precious souls found Christ and the school and church greatly helped.

Our 4th quarterly Conference was held on Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

Splendid reports came from all departments of Church work here in Betterton.

Resolutions were passed in reference to our pastor, Rev. E. H. Collins although unanimously invited to return another year he desires a change at the coming Conference and most soul stiring speeches were made in a most complimentary way of the pastor and his most blessed work on this charge.

Miss Mabel Morris will lead the Epworth League service next Sunday evening, subject. "Shepherds and Hirelings."

At the Fourth Quarterly Conference of Still Pond and Betterton charge, the following officers and committee were elected for the ensuing year for Still Pond church:

Church and Parsonage Trustees—J. S. Harris, Wm. J. Coleman, C. B. Krusen, Joshua Jarrell, G. W. Covington, Wm. Medders, J. L. Price, F. H. Cornelius, G. W. Harper.

Stewards—A. J. Hackett, L. W. Ford, Wm. H. Krusen, J. S. Harris, Mrs. Lavina Harper, Mrs. Wm. Medders, Mrs. Sallie C. Rasin, Mrs. Charles Ford, Mrs. Sallie Price, Mrs. Walter Harris.

Recording Steward—J. S. Harris.

District Steward—L. W. Ford.

Foreign Missions—A. J. Hackett, Mrs. Wm. G. Rasin, Mrs. Lavina Harper.

Home Missions—W. L. Ford, Mrs. J. L. Price, Mrs. Sadie Severson.

Church Extension—L. W. Ford, Mrs. Sallie C. Rasin, Mrs. A. J. Hackett.

Sunday School—Wm. Clark, Mrs. Wm. Medders, J. S. Harris.

Tracts—Charles Ford, Mrs. E. M. Taylor, Mrs. Sallie Price.

Temperance—Geo W. Covington, Mrs. W. D Pennington, C. B. Krusen.

Education—Mrs. J. S. Harris, Mrs. Charles Walters, Mrs. J. B. Parrott.

Freedman's Aid—Edward Ford, Chas. Walters, Harry Ricksards.

Hospitals—Miss Mary Capps, Miss Daisy Severson, Mrs. L. W. Ford.

Church Records—A. J. Hackett, Charles Ford, L. W. Ford.

Auditing—J. S. Harris, A. J. Hackett, Carl Norris.

Music—Church Choir.

Parsonage Furniture—Ladies' Aid Society.

Estimating Salaries—Official Board.

MILLINGTON ITEMS.

Mr. Millard Willson and family, of Wilmington, spent the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. John Gillespie.

Mrs. B. W. Duling entertained Mrs. L. S. Price and children from near Lynchs last Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Rose Comegys has returned home from a visit to her brother, Clarence, at Gumbero, N. C.

Mr. Price Vansant, of Delmar, spent Washington's birthday with his parents at Central Hotel.

Mrs. D. B. Ford, of Chestertown, spent this week with her parents in this town.

Mrs. Oscar Roe, of Sudlersville, visited her sister, Mrs. John Higman, last Sunday.

Mr. Wright Medders is very ill at his home near town. Mr. Medders has been in bad health for several months.

The new store in the Catts building known as the Hub will be open Saturday, Feb. 27th. The lights from this store will brighten the center of our town. This store room has been dark since Mr. L. A. Vansant went out of business.

Frogs were singing Wednesday evening as though spring had really come. It is greatly feared that the ice harvest will have to be postponed until another year, but March is ahead of us.

Miss Gertrude Turner and Miss Anna Turner, of Philadelphia, spent the 22nd with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Turner, near town.

Revival services will continue at Asbury M. E. Church for another week. The evangelist, Robert Downing, has been attracting crowds to the church nightly. He left Saturday morning for another field but the pastor, Rev. C. W. Moore, announces that he will continue the meetings as long as there is any interest manifested.

Fire at Rock Hall.—The home of Mr. Tillman Hubbard, at Rock Hall, was destroyed by fire last Friday night. The dwelling and entire contents were consumed. At the time of the fire Mrs. Hubbard and two small children were alone in the building, the husband being down the bay fishing. The fire was not discovered until it was well under way and Mrs. Hubbard and her two children had a narrow escape from being burned to death. They were rescued from a second story window by heroic work of Mr. Charles Hynson and others. The origin of the fire is a mystery as it started in a part of the building in which there had not been any fire for months. The loss on building and contents is about $2000, partially covered by insurance.

MR. WILBUR ELIASON tells us that his hogs would always become infected with cholera whenever it would appear in the neighborhood. Last fall cholera was on all sides of his farm and he did not have one hog taken sick while in former years he would lose all. He attributes this great fortune to the regular feeding of Fairfield's Blood Tonic for hogs only.

George Washington Tea.

One of the most pleasant social events of the season was a six o'clock dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. George E. Noland in their hospitable home at Tolchester Beach on Monday, 22nd of February. It was a beautifully commemorative Washington's birthday celebration. The decorations of the dining room were exquisite in bunting, American flags and evergreens. A large American eagle richly gilded, and suspended at one end of the room, was emblamatical of freedom and liberty, for which the "father of our country" fought so heroically and faithfully.

The table decorations were in choice carnations and smilax, and the following menu was skillfully served, viz.: turkey, goose, salads, oysters, olives, fancy jellies, Maryland biscuit, Parkerhouse rolls, coffee, tea, cocoa, waterices, ice cream, fancy cakes, salted almonds.

While the hands of the clock on the wall noted eight, and while yet around the "festive board," the host, Mr. Noland, in fitting and pleasing remarks pertaining to the life of Washington, diverged, and called upon Mr. Wm. G. Smyth for some remarks, who responded gracefully and intelligently, setting forth many of the noble traits of "America's beloved one." Then again Mr. Noland was equal to the occasion with some timely remarks relating to the statesmanship of our great hero, and then called upon Prof. J. Thomas Kendall, who conservatively and entertainingly discussed the statesmanship of the "Father of our Country" versus The statesmanship of to-day. Then followed a particularly pleasing address by Mr. J. A. McCleary taking as his subject patriotism. At this juncture the happy company repaired to the sitting room where Mrs. Noland assembled all around and about another table, and placed thereon papers and articles where each guest in representation would find their name. Then the search began—a piece of coal setting forth the name of Blackstone, a heavy storm illustrated upon paper to name Gale, a nickel for Nicholson, the picture of a hen, a rick of hay and the heading of the Baltimore Sun for Hendrickson, and so on down the whole list. Potriotic music, instrumental and vocal, was beautifully rendered, Mrs. Wm. G. Smyth presiding at the piano. Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Nicholson, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. Smyth, Mr. and Mrs. T. Barclay Kilbourn, Mr. and Mrs. J. Thos. Blackiston, Mr. and Mrs. Azariah M. Kendall, Mr. and Mrs. P. V. Hendrickson, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Gale, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. W. Crew, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McCleary, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Watson, Mrs. S. C. Corey, Misses Bertha Jump, Florence Nicholson, Mae Sutton, Annie Bramble; Messrs. W. G. Skirven, Walter Sutton, Harry Todd, Conlyn Noland, J. Thomas Kendall.

A Pleasant Social.

A pleasant social was enjoyed at the residence of Mr. Craig Johnson on Wednesday eve, Feb. 17th, by quite a number of his friends. The most honored guest was his mother, Mrs. James Johnson, of Kennedyville, who enjoyed the hospitality of her children and the merry-making of the young folks. Dancing was the chief feature of the evening. Music was rendered by Profs. Cranor and Faulkner. The hostess, Mrs. Frank Johnson, was busy in a more secluded part of the house with a number of ladies and at eleven o'clock the guests were invited to the dining room where they were served with all the delicacies of the season. Among those present were:

Andrew Medders, candidate for Sheriff, and Howard Dodd, of Chestertown; Thomas Connor and Misses Mamye, Julia and Marguerite Connor, Mary and Lula Smith, Wm. Smith; John Connoe, Mr. Biddle, Mr. Raymond and Lester Edwards, of Millington; Messrs. Scott Knight, Samuel and Jos. Dunn, Wm. Startt, Mrs. Mamye Startt and Miss Martha Knight, of sassafras; Messrs. Ben Jarvis, Andrew Woodall, Miss Mary Woodall, of Galena; Messrs. Paul Dunn and Aaron Bostic, of Massey; Messrs. Lloyd and Carl Dill, Robert Ringgold, Misses Louise and Flora Johnson, Nora Wiltbanks, Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson, of Kennedyville; Messrs. Elwood Coleman, Robert Logan, Ben Cranor, Arthur Coleman, of Crumpton; Miss Eisenheart, of Locust Grove; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Price, of Betterton; Messrs. Henry Minner and Feilligan, of Cecilton; Misses Dora Sheats and Hallie Kelley, of Chestertown; Miss Nora Hardesty, of Sudlersville; Messrs. Wm. Johnson and Craig Johnson, of Kennedyville.

Delightful Surprise Party.

A delightful surprise party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper Jr., last Thursday evening at their home near Melitota. Various games and music were indulged in until 10.30 o'clock when refreshments were served after which all left for their home. Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. James Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fowler, Mrs. Frank Meredith, Mrs. Perry Price, Misses Agnes Lewis, Mable Beck, Katie Fowler, Ruby and Annie Leaverton, Reba Joiner, Ollie and Violet Bowers, Katie Capps, Estella and Ethel Cooper, Elsie Coleman, Ruth Maul, Messrs. James, George and Clifford Cooper, Lester and Vickers Bowers, Howard Leaverton, Walter, Frank and Grover Coleman, Ernest Robinson, Eddie Fowler, Harry Price, Romie Hudson, Will Anderson, Claude Hackett, Mr. Jacquette.

Birthday Party.

A surprise was given Miss Irena Coleman in honor of her 18th birthday. Games and music, both vocal and instrumental, were enjoyed until 10 p. m., when refreshments were served. Among those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Leary, Mrs. William Carter, Mrs. William Coleman, Mrs. John Hubbard, Misses Mamie Middleton, Ida Sewell, Ivy Coleman, Pearl Walbert, Lillie Hubbard, Hallie Dowling, Elsie Joiner, Lillie Coleman, Mary Coleman, Avis Carter, Ina Carter, Etta Coleman, Gladys Coleman, Messrs. James Walbert, Berttie Coleman, Newton Downey, Morris Dowling, Walter Coleman, Charlie Parsons, Allen Stevens, Allen Urie, Eddie Sewell, Millard Carter, James Coleman, Jennings Carter.

Miss Irena received many useful as well as ornamental presents. A few minutes before midnight the party left, wishing her many more bright and happy birthdays.

Dance and Supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Hero Kelley gave their many friends a dance and supper at their pretty home on the Bay on the evening of February 17th. There were about 40 present. Supper was served at 9 o'clock. Among those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wheat, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stokes, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Middleton; Misses Ada Kelley, Annie Stokes, Pearl Middleton, Emma and Stella Boulter, Eula Kelley, Mary Hoffman, Fannie Blutcher; Messrs. Clifford Boulter, Frank and James Kelley, Herbert, Pete and Wilbur Stokes, Philip and Harry Perry, George Hudson, Walter Kendall, Russell Kelley, Thos. Loller and others.

Music by Profs. Stokes and Pierce.

SALLIE W. CULP.

Mrs. Sallie W. Culp, wife of the late Edmund S. Culp, formerly of Cecilton but recently of Philadelphia, died at her home at 4245 Stiles street in that city, on Sunday morning, aged 61. She is survived by five children—Mrs. John W. Taylor, of Baltimore; Mrs. Fred Robinson, of Sassafras; Edward L. Culp, of Philadelphia, and Misses Mary R. and Maud V. Culp, who resided with her. Her remains were brought to Galena, Kent county, for intermant Tuesday.

FRANCES ANASTACIE QUINN.

Mrs. Frances Anastacie Quinn, wife of John T. Quinn, and daughter of Bernard J. and Elmina A. McCauley, died suddenly at 10 a. m. Thursday, February 25th inst. Funeral services at St. Denis Church, Galena, on Monday, March 1st, at 10 a. m.; interment in St. Denis cemetery, near Lambson's Station.

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The price that I have put on these special lots will make lively selling, they'll tumble off the tables and roll out of the door, so be one of the first on Wednesday morning if you really want a shoe bargain.

Ladies' Patent Colt Lace Shoes
Perforated Tip, $3.50 grade, this week, only $2.95.

Ladies' Russia Calf Shoe Reduced
$3.00 ones, this week, $2.50.
$2.50 ones, this week, $2.00.

Special Lot Ladies' Shoes
Patent Colt, Gun Metal and Kid; sewed soles, all sizes, but not in each style. $3.50 and $3.00 grade this week, only $2.25.

Ladies' Dongola Kid Blucher
Hand sewed, all sizes, B C and D widths, $3.50 Grade, this week, for only $2.90.

Very Special Lot Men's Shoes At $2.50
A few of the well-known "ALL AMERICA" Shoe for Men in Box Calf and Gun Metal, double soles, blucher cut. Following sizes: 1-6, 2-62, 2-8, 2-82, 2-9, 4-10, 1-11. Regular $4.00 values, this week $2.50.

Men's Hand-Sewed Dress Shoes
All Leathers and sizes, but not in each style, well worth $3.50, this week, only $2.50.

No Bidders.—The government has made the mail route between Chestertown and Rock Hall such that it is said there is not a man who wants it at the price offered. Bids were asked for last year and only one man bid and this was rejected. Mr. Wm. Scoone's time expires in June and he says he has enough and no one could give better service than "Rocks." The route as now planned will give Rock Hall very poor service and should not be tolerated.

This case is not, however, equal to the following: Uncle Sam will pay William, Decker, of Delhi, Delaware county, New York, 1 cent for carrying the mails between that place and Bloomville, eight miles, twice a day for the next four years.

In previous years the Government has paid big sums for the work, but Decker now conducts a large passenger and express business between the two points and would sooner carry the mail for 1 cent than have another person take the route in competition for the passenger and express trade.

THE Jarvis sale, advertised in the NEWS, took place near Chesterville Wednesday. There was a large crowd present and everything brought fine prices.

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BETTERTON NEWS.

The reports from Betterton M. E. Church to the Fourth Quarterly Conference held at Still Pond on Monday morning, February 21, 1909, were excellent in every respect and brought out much praise from the District Superintendent, Rev. W. G. Koons. The pastor, Rev. E. H. Collins and District Superintendent were paid in full and all other obligations except missions (which service will be held in March) have been met and the treasury of each department show a balance still on hand—some as much as thirty dollars. Thus, the little church by the sea, has had one of the best years in its history. The following officers and committees were elected for the ensuing year:

Church Trustees.—William H. Crew, Harry Owens, Harvey Moore, Frank Young, John H. Crew, George Moore, James T. Crew, John Brice and William Owens.

Stewards.—George Owens, William H. Crew, Reese Young, Mrs. Horace Brice, Harry Willis, Walter Crew, and Archie Crew.

Foreign Missions.—Archie Crew, Mrs. Violet Crew and Mrs Horace Brice.

Home Missions.—George E. Owens, Miss Helen Crew and Mrs. Hannah Moore.

Church Extension.—Lewis Sykes, Mrs. Matilda Newcomb and Mrs. Cecilia Crew.

Sunday School.—Reese Young, Blanche Young and Mary Clark.

Tracts.—Miss Hettie Crew, Mrs. Horace Brice and Mrs. Walter Crew.

Temperance.—John H. Crew, George E. Owens and Mrs. Lizzie Crew.

Education.—Miss Lola Crew, Mrs. Mattie Hill and Gertrude Emerson.

Freedman's Aid.—Clarence Crew, John Price and Harry Owens.