Eastern Shore Happenings

Elkton, Md., Jan.30—The Rev. Henry S. Johnson, 62 years old, who for 35 years was an active minister in the Maryland Conference, Methodist Episcopal church, died at the home of his sister, Mrs. Thompson Reed, near Bayview, last night. Two years ago he was stricken with paralysis, from which he never recovered.

Mr. Johnson was a son of the late Henry Clay Johnson of Cecil county. He served a number of charges in Delaware and Maryland, his last work being at Laurelville, Md. He is survived by one son, W. W. Johnson, Eddystone, Pa. The funeral will be held Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock in Bayview Methodist Protestant church.

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Salisbury, Md., Jan. 30—"Church School" is an institution peculiar to Wicomico county, and is not found any place else in Maryland. Once a week, on Wednesday afternoons, the children of the schools in grades from 4 to 7, inclusive, are dismissed for one hour to attend their own churches for religious instruction.

The idea originated with the ministers of the different churches two years ago, and the work in 1923-24 was largely experimental. With the school year of 1924-25 half gone, James Bennett, superintendent of schools of Wicomico, says he feels sure this year's work in Bible instruction will prove of great benefit to the children.

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In a jail delivery at Georgetown about 5 o'clock Thursday evening, three men made their escape from the county prison and Deputy Sheriff Coy received an ugly cut on the back of his head from a blackjack blow delivered by one of the prisoners. The men jumped the fence and made off in the direction of Selbyville.

The three prisoners were Marion Johnson, Negro, of Concord; Fred Goins, Negro, of Seaford.

Deputy Sheriff Coy had the three men out in the jail yard of the jail carrying wood for the night. They had about finished the work and he was about to round them up and place them back in their cells, when he saw Johnson run into a lower part of the barn at the end of the yard, which is used as a chicken house.

Coy followed and when he stuck his head in the door Johnson hit him with a blackjack. Five stitches were taken in the wound. Although dazed Coy pulled his revolver and fired at Johnson. His aim was not true however and Johnson grabbed the weapon from him and bolted over the fence. The other men quickly followed.

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By the puchase of another motor driven fire engine which was made by the Mayor and the City Council at ther last regular meeting, Crisfield's fire department has equipment second to no city in the state, and should be well prepared to save the community from a dangerous fire should such a fire occur.

The new engine which has been purchased by Crisfield, is of the La-France model, similar to the other motor engine which Crisfield owns, except that it is much larger and more powerful, with a pumping capacity of 750 gallons of water, and is modern and up-to-date in every respect.

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The new Children's Home in Easton is nearly completed and in a few days will be opened for public inspection. The building is very handsome, commodious, and splendidly adapted for the purposes of a home. It presents a very pleasing appearance and is a credit to the Diocese and to Easton. It is expected that the marons and children will move into it by February 1.

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Selbyville, Del., Jan. 30—Entering the feed store of William G. Williams and Company, in this town, four Gipsy women, who were on their way to Snow Hill, asked one of the clerks to give them a five cent piece so they might leave good luck with them. The clerk in getting the piece was forced to open the safe and when he did one of the women grabbed the money in the drawer.

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The remains of Harry Roach of New York city, where he had resided for the past 20 years, spending about 6 years of this time in San Francisco, Calif., were brought to Seaford last Saturday evening to the home of his brother, Frank Roach, where funeral services were held Monday afternoon in charge of Rev. N. C. Clough, pastor of Mt. Olivet M. P. church, with interment in Odd Fellows cemetery. He was the son of the late Henry and Jerusha Roach, of this town, and was 46 years old. Death was caused after a short illness of pleurisy. He is survived by the following brothers and sisters: George W. and Frank A., and Miss Martha Roach, Seaford; Lewis Roach, Denton; Mrs. P. W. Sullivan, Mrs. Sarah Morris, Federalsburg; Charles Roach, Philadelphia; Mrs. James Dulin, Trappe.

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Dover, Del., Feb. 2—Efforts to abolish Delaware's whipping post will again be attempted at the present session of the Delaware Legislature, as indicated by a bill introduced in the Lower House of the Assembly this afternoon by Speaker Downward at the request of George B. Miller of Wilmington, former president of Delaware's State Board of Education.

Speaker Downward had a letter read from Mr. Miller in which he styled the whipping post as an "out of date, ineffective and cruel form of punishment."

The Senate late this afternoon, desiring to express its desires as to action on the child labor amendment, after hearing the report from the committee on the resolution presented to that body last week as "unfavorable," immediately called for action on the resolution, the vote to ratify being lost by 17, the entire vote of the Senate.

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Centreville, Md., Ftb. 2—Substantial reduction in rates for electricity and power furnished by the Centreville municipal plant are in prospect for consumers here and in nearby towns as the result, it is held, of the business acumen and far sightedness of the Board of Town Commissioners and Superintendent L. D. Shank in installing a modern turbine engine to replace the old steam units formerly used.

It is likely that a reduction in rates of approximately 20 per cent. may be effected at the expiration of the next year and within 18 months town officials are confident that the outstanding indebtedness of $11,600 will be wiped out.

Last week Superintendent Shank was preparing his annual report for submission to the Public Service Commission. The electric plant fiscal year closed December 31.

The total receipts of 1924 were $30,044.40 and the expenditures are listed at $20,601.81. This shows a profit of approximately $10,000 during the last year.

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Marked and gratifying improvement in the milk situation throughout the Centreville area was reported yester day morning at the local Harbinson plant. Within a week the quantity of rejected milk has dropped from 13,500 pounds a day to barely 5,000 pounds. Three weeks ago the quantity of condemned milk had reached the appalling daily total of approximately four tons.

Within the last week corrective measures have been adopted generally with the result that both dairymen and milk experts are confident that the worst has been passed and that from now on there will be steady improvement in conditions.

HURLOCK

Mr. W. H. Stevens, who has been out of the post office for quite a while due to ill health, is very much better and is able to be on duty again. Miss Eunice Colbourne of Federalsburg took care of the work while Mr. Stevens was absent.

Miss Lyle Dashiell was the guest of friends and relatives in Cambridge, Sunday.

Miss Margery Willoughby was out of school several days this week with grippe.

Dich Dashiell and Edgar Marine were the Sunday guests of Henry and Jack Wright, Cambridge.

Mrs. Helen Smith, who has been quite sick with the grippe, is very much better now.

Mrs. Catharine Dean and Miss Anna Kirby of Cambridge were the guests of Miss Myrtle Wright, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Caesar Krauss are the proud possessors of a baby girl which arrived last Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Wright, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Nettie Le Compte, in Washington for several weeks, has returned.

Mrs. Lewis Biery of Easton is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Stevens.

Prof. and Mrs. B. C. Willis were the guests of Mrs. Willis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Webster on Sunday.

Miss Mary Charles was hostess to the "500 Club" last Friday evening. Those playing were Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Crippen, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rhodes, Rhodesdale; Misses Louise Harper and Mary Charles, Messrs. Spence Phelps and James Carter.

Miss Katharine Harper entertained "The Entre Deux Club" Friday afternoon. Quite a number were present and a very pleasant time was spent.

Miss Gay Hurlock who has been visiting friends and relatives in Cape Charles, Va., has returned.

Mr. Charles Phillips spent the week end at home.

VERNON

John L. Hopkins, who has been on the sick list, is much improved.

Not knowing there was any steam on while turning the gauge at his sawmill, Benjamin Draper had the misfortune to get badly scalded in the face, but it is somewhat improved.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Outten recently entertained company at a big dinner.

Mrs. Alice H. Ross attended the roast chicken and chicken salad supper at the M. P. parsonage at Cannon, the proceeds of which were applied toward the new M. P. church.

George Williams of Millsboro will address the P. T. A. meeting at Cannon on February 24, at 1:30 p. m. All are invited.

Miss Anna Ross has been quite ill. Dr. Chipman is in attendance.

Lou Pleasanton has had a paralytic stroke. We sympathize with him in his affliction.

Mrs. Mitchell has been confined to her bed with an attack of grippe.

Hr. H. V. Holloway will address the patrons of Cannon school on Friday afternoon, February 13th at 1:30 p. m. All are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Porter entertained the Mite Society of the Union M. P. church recently. After the business a fine program was rendered and delicious refreshments served.

George R. Ross and Willard Wright have been Dover visitors.

FLUFF—HYNSON

Miss Sallie Harper of Hurlock is spending some time with Mrs. Mary Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wagner and son of Federalsburg spent last Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Corkran.

Mrs. Margaret Rowins entertained last Sunday a week, Mr. and Mrs. Fuchs, Charles E. Morris and children of Easton and Mr. Charles Rowins.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Fuchs and family visited Mr. and Mrs. John Fisher, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Williams were Friendship visitors last Sunday.

Mr. an Mrs. John Williams visited relatives in Easton, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Cohee had as their guests on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. John Cohee of Harmony, Mr. and Mrs. Lentz Caulk and children of near Federalsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Harper and daughter visited Hurlock Friday.

Mr. and Mrs Wilmer Rowins and children visited relatives and friends in Hurlock last Wednesday.

Master Charles Hurst of Federalsburg is visiting Mrs. J. C. Coulbourn.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Rowins had as their supper guest Saturday, Mr. Howard Pool of Perryville, Mr. William Preston of Glasgow, Scotland, Master Charles Morris, and Miss Margaret Morris of Easton.

RIDGELY

Chicken thieves visited the roost of Mr. Frank Kibler last Saturday night and took 12 out of a flock of 20.

Sheriff Temple located the chickens, which were marked, at the home of Mr. Paul Sewell, who buys poultry, A colored man by the name of Green, who said he had purchased the fowls from two boys, was arrested and landed in Denton jail.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrell Saulsbury took their little daughter, Ann, back to Mercy hospital, Baltimore, this week for treatment.

Mr. Frank Stevenson and father, Mr. J. T. Stephenson, motored to Delmar on Saturday and were guests of their sister and daughter, Mrs. Harry Gibson.

The Women's Community club have decided to purchase a set of reference books for the community library.

Nearly $80 was made from the sale of Red Cross Christmas seals in this community.

Dr. James Swing, of Cambridge, recently visited his parents here. He had with his a friend, Mrs. Sallie Kerr, also of Cambridge.

Messrs. J. M. Swing and son, Mulford, and B. H. Holsinger attended a canner's convention held in Cincinnati last week.

Mr. George Roberts is in Easton hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Emma Snowberger, of Marcus Hook, has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Hannah Freeman.

Miss Lola Mitchell, a teacher of Greensboro, spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mitchell.

Mr. R. E. Smith, Jr., of Baltimore, has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Applebaum and daughter, Shirley, have been spending some time in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Wooters recently entertained Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wothers, of Hillsboro, Mr. and Mrs. B. Greenlee and three sons of Greensboro, Miss Iris Leager and Mr. West, of Wilmington; Mr. Edwin Eaton, of Queen Anne, and Mr. J. A. Mitchell of Ridgely.

Mrs. Mulford Swing has been spending a few days with friends in Baltimore.

Mr. Herman Dukes, of near Ridgely recently lost three horses from a disease prevailing on the Eastern Shore.

The Men's Community Club held a citizen's meeting this week for the purpose of reorganizing the Ridgely fire company.

Miss Mildred Roe has resigned as telephone operator in the Ridgely exchange and has gone to Wilmington to take up a position with the telephone company there.

Mrs. J. W. Gruwell, of Greensboro, has been staying with her sister, Mrs. Harlan Harrington, while Mr. Harrington is in Cambridge hospital.

Mr. W. E. Jarrell motored to Cambridge last Friday and took Mrs. Harlan Harrington and Mr. and Mrs. Ord Rairigh to visit Mr. Harrington, who is being treated for a carbuncle at the hospital there.

Ann Smith has been spending a week at the home of her uncle, Mr. W. K. Smith. Her mother, Mrs. Mame Smith, came home for the week end and took her back to Centreville with her until the danger of the epidemic is past and she can return to her studies at St. Mary's Seminary.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gibson and little daughter, Hannah, of Delmar, were visitors last week at the home of Mrs. Gibson's brother, Mr. C. E. Stevenson.

Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Saulsbury were called to New York last week by the illness of their daughter, Miss Mary Rebecca, who was operated upon for appendicitis shortly after their arrival.

Miss Hilda Wooters has been spending a few days with Miss Mabel Eaton, Queen Anne.

Hours for service at the Ridgely Baptist church have been changed from afternoon to 10 a. m. for Bible school and 11 a. m. for preaching.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Willis, of Newark, N. J., are visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. T. Cahall.

Mrs. Joshua Vansant and daughter, Margaret, of Clayton, have been visitors at the home of her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Sparks.

The committee for the lyceum entertainments have decided to discontinue them another year. The need for public entertainment of this nature is not so great as when this series was begun, as our movies and the radio are so largely patronized.

The Emerson Literary Society has been organized by high school students, to meet once in two weeks. Officers elected are: President, Dorothy Holsinger; secretary, Gladys Rickards treasurer, Marian Hemmons.

Mr. R. E. Smith has recovered from an attack of pneumonia.

The play, "When Ma Took Office" has been postponed until some time in March, owing to the illness of two of the players.

Saulsbury Bros. are planning to pack string beans this season.

Mrs. Sue Latchum, of Milford, is spending some time with Mrs. W. H. Smith.

Mr. T. A. Smith, Jr., of Newark, N. J., has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Smith.

Miss Virgie Sparks has been spending a few days in Philadelphia.

Mrs. B. F. Rickards has been spending a few days with Mrs. William Gootee, of Denton.

Mr. Wilson Jackson, of Newark, N. J., has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Emma Jackson.

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Jasper—Uh-huh, I sho nuf did, want to see me demonstrate?

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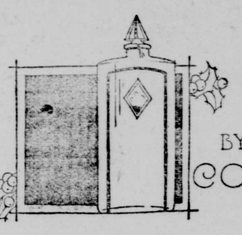

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