County Correspondence

ROCK HALL

Death has taken two of our older men: Jacob Shriley and Henry M. Donaldson, both useful men and good citizens for many long years. A younger man, Charles Brown, who lived here as boy and young man, but later moved to Chester, Pa., also Mrs. T. Milton Jones, who spent several summers here and, with her family, has numerous friends in this section, died Sunday after about ten years of invalidism, at her home in Baltimore.

Among people visiting the auto show in Baltimore were noted Trew Durding. Herman Jacob, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Joyner.

Basketball seems to be the most popular game here at present. Fridays match was between the Wesley Athletic Club and the Juniors. There was a game between two girl teams also.

"Roads." An almost universal topic. Impassible because ruined by truck traffic and trucks are indispensable. State roads increase taxes and they are already heavy enough. It will take a wise head to find the solution to the road problem. At least the prospect for the bay span grows brighter. It seems queer to some of us that the bridge suddenly loomed so great after years of hopeless imagininings.

The ferry has been rather unaccommodating in changing her hours without much advertising. On foggy days people who go to the pier at Bay Shore must return to Baltimore or spend hours waiting for the evening trip. Uncomfortable for them and trouble and anxiety for friends who expect them on this side.

Rock Hall lost a teacher of several years standing when Miss Isabel Jones was married January 22nd to Mr. Paul Stokes, of Betterton. The goodwill of her pupils go with her to the new home. Mrs. Elwood Burgess is in charge of the class at school.

Mrs. Susan Hague is having the recently purchased cottage in the town improved by new shingle roof and sides, with some other repairs. It is nicely located and will make a fine little home.

A birthday social held in K. of P. Hall Monday evening by ladies of the M. P. Church was greatly enriched by selections rendered by about twenty-five members of the local band. They certainly deserved the rising vote of thinks given them by the large audience. Other musical numbers of the interesting program were a duet by the Misses Minnie Jacob and Blanche Carter, a solo by Eugene Taylor, a piano solo by Miss Laura Porter, duet by Eva Jacob and Doris Downey and song-recitation by Mrs. Annie Davis. There were recitations and readings by Erma Jacob, Beatrice Donnelly, Norma Carter, Mrs. Yillian Rodney and Mrs. Mattie Davis. Refresnments of ice cream and cake were served and were followed by games for the young people.

The weather Sunday was not conducive to church attendance but those who did go felt themselves helped spiritually. Rain, mud and disease keep so many little children away from Sunday School, which, almost invariably, they love. Two classes composed of young folk at the M. E. Church have projected a Masked Valentine party in K. of P. Hall the evening of the 14th. That sounds like a double attraction. The resident minister, Rev. W. H. Revelle, announced that the district superintendent, Rev. O. E. Jones, will both preach and hold 4th quarterly conference the morning of March 6. His own sermon was preached that morning from Malachi 3:1.

More cases of scarlet fever have appeared, among them, Madeline Rich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Rich; Mary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Davis. Unfortunately, this little girl was taken ill at the home of her uncle, Lawrence Davis, and his little girl must remain from school. He, himself, is is better of a heart disorder and able to be out doors some. Charles W. Carter has three children with scarlet fever. Henry Hubbard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tilghman Hubbard, is quite sick of the disease.

A much afflicted family last week was when Mrs. Annie Kendall, her daughter, Mrs. Mary Hayes, and granddaughter, Mrs. Edward Kendall, were all suffering from grippe.

Mr. Charles Ayres has returned from Chester, Pa., where he was called by the illness and death of his foster son, Charles Brown. He has as guests Mrs. Brown and a friend from Chester.

Mrs. Harold Lambert, of Wilmington, was guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Donaldson, her foster-parents when Mr. Donaldson was called by death Saturday. Other recent guests to see the ill man were his son and grandson, Messrs. Thomas and Earl Donaldson, of Wilmington, with their wives: Elder Pickard, of Baltimore, and Elder Spencer, president of Chesapeake Conference of the S. D. A. Church.

Mr. Elwood Taylor, student at Dickinson College, spent from Thursday to Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James T. Taylor.

Mrs. Wright Colder, of Baltimore, was guest Saturday and Sunday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Thompson.

Mrs. Joseph Hogans has been a sufferer from neuritis the past four months.

Miss Lillian Orr has been sick and lost Monday from school.

Mrs. LeRoy Jacquette visited her mother, Mrs. Medcalf. who was sick at her home in Baltimore, and had her son, LeRoy, Jr's eyes examined by a specialist.

Mr. LeRoy Crosby, of Waterbury, Conn., was guest of his mother, Mrs. Sarah Crosby, from Saturday to Tuesday.

Some recent visitors from Chestertown were Mr. Jacob Thompson, Mr. Randolph Waddell and Mr. Fred B. Westcott.

The Misses Louise and Anna May Coleman are sick at the home of their parents. Mr. and Mrs. Ulysses Coleman, east of town.

Mr. Fred Williams and family entertained Monday week his sister, Mrs. Annie Elliott, of Baltimore, and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Michael Wachowiz, and daughter, Miss Edith Wachowiz. Evening guests were a son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jones, of Quaker Neck. Tuesday another daughter, Mrs. Alvin Shreck and daughter, Mildred, were visitors. Miss Clara Williams is feeling quite badly from grippe. Mrs. Fred Williams, Jr., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Yammer, in Baltimore, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Joyner were guests Monday and Tuesday last week of the latter's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hunter, in Baltimore, and there met another daughter, Mrs. J. W. Sappington, of Waterbury, Cann., who was their guest for a few days until Tuesday when all visited Wilmington and Mrs. Sappington returned to her home.

Mr. Frank Shreck, who has been ill for a long time at his home in Baltimore, remains about the same, Mrs. Josephine Vansant has been assisting in the sickroom the past three weeks.

Friends have word that George, son of Capt. and Mrs. Hillry Akers, is still in a hispital in Baltimore with pneumonia, he having had a serious relapse. He is again improving. It is hoped the little one will soon be well again.

Miss Freida Ashley, of Baltimore, was a recent overnight guest of her sister, Mrs. Howard Happersett, who visited her mother, Mrs. Agnes Ashley, last Thursday in Baltimore.

Mr. C. A. Blackiston was feeling much better last week with considerably lowered blood pressure but is not so well again now.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wheeler are both improved from an attack of grippe.

Mrs. Afred Walbert has been quite a sufferer from grippe.

Mrs. C. L. Dawson spent last week in Baltimore with her mother.

Mr. Lawrence Davis was taken to St. Agnes Hospital yesterday for extensive treatment.

Mr. George Kendall was bruised and cut about the face by a fish pole while helping Cecil Taylor unload them from a truck at Joshua Thomas shore a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ashley had as guests Tuesday the latter's father and brother, Messrs. Harry and George Cooper of Worton.

Capt. Charles Kendall spent from Tuesday to Friday at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Pinder, in Centreville. Mrs. Pinder is taking treatments from a Baltimore physician for stomach, nerves and hearing and is making progress. Especially is this true of hearing. Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Kendall spent Friday and Saturday in Centreville. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reeder, of Baltimore, spent from Wednesday to Friday with the latter's parents, Capt. and Mrs. Kendall, the latter of whom is troubled with cold and abscess in the head.

About thirty friends appeared at the door of Miss Bernice Colemen's home Tuesday evening of last week and gave her the surprise of her life. They were welcomed and music and games were enjoyed. Refreshments were served. The guests were the Misses Marie Jacog, Elizabeth and Mary Parsons, Charlotte Hubbard, Louise Akers, Alice Thompson, Thelma Downey, Alice and Fannie Willson, Carrie May Ashley, Mary Bryden, Laura Porter and Mary Moffett; Messrs. Leslie and Clifton Simms, Eugene Taylor, Franklin Jacob, Randolph Burgess, Casey and Albert Dowling, Aubrey and Frank Hogans, Joseph, George and Francis Williams, Frank Sappington, Harry Skirven, John Hersch, Farnsworth Sewell and Oscar Vansant.

Mr. and Mrs. William Collison gave a birthday party to their daughter, Thelma, Tuesday, the 25th of January, in honor of her twelth anniversary. All spent a pleasant evening with games. Refreshments were served. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Atkinson, Misses Thelma Collison, Miriam and Myrtle Walbert, Ethel Davis, Ruth Mamber, Gertrude Collyer, Sadie Davis, Daniel and Arthur Downey, Vernon Atkinson, LeRoy Collyer and Alfred Walbert.

The following members of Rock Hall Council No. 25, D. of A., were guests Monday evening of the Chestertown Lodge at their anniversary supper and entertainment: Mesdames Kattie Harris, councilor; Agnes Lewis, warden; Tina Jones, inside sentinel; Ada Wirts, Anna Jacquette Katie Chaires, Bertha Clark, Annie Carter, Mary M. Rodney, Margaret Tucker, Annie Coleman, Emma Downey, Susie Whaland, Fannie Wickes Wood and Mary Willson Wood. Also Mr. Maurice Jones. A delicious supper was followed by a session of the society and literary entertainment.

The senior class of the High School held a successful chicken and waffle supper in the domestic science room last Thursday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. C. L. Dawson were invited to be present last Friday evening at Wesley Chapel church hall and found themselves in the midst of a large party of parshioners, each of whom had brought some gift to the popular pastor and his wife, who were greatly pleased at such an expression of appreciation and goodwill. The evening was spent in games and music. Refreshments were served.

Monday night a fast game of basketball between Rock Hall Juniors and a team from St. James M. P. Church, played in Junior Hall here, was won by the local team 26 to 14.

The lineup was: Rock Hall: Dawson, rf; Bratt lf; Warner, c; Wood, rg; Bryden, lg. St. James: Loller, rf; M. Sutton, lf. Everett, c; P. Sutton; rg; Crew, lg.

These two teams will play a preliminary game Saturday in Washington College gymnasium at 7:15 o'clock. Next Friday evening Rock Hall Juniors will play Chestertown High School at Junior Hall here.

JR. O. U. A. M. HALL
Rock Hall, Md.
PICTURE PARLOR

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 5th
Carl Laemmle presents
JACK DAUGHERTY,
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"THE RUNAWAY EXPRESS"
A thrilling railroad melodrama jammed with thrilling action.
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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 9
Jesse L. Lasky presents
RICHARD DIX in
"WOMANHANDLED"
Hats off to DIX as the skirtshy star of this Saturday Evening Post story. How he hands out the golden laughter in this great comedy.
Also Chapter 3 of "Buffalo Bill" and Comedy.

BETTERTON

The Golden Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. William Reese Young was celebrated at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Crew on Tuesday evening of last week. The wedding march was played by their granddaughter, Miss Evelyn Crew. Music was furnished by the Betterton orchestra under the direction of Mrs. Charles Brice. Mrs. Harvey Moore had charge of a fine musical and literary program of which a tribute written by Mr. Frank Ruth of Galena and read by Mrs. Moore was a very interesting feature. O, Promise Me, was sweetly sung by Mrs. James Brice. Mrs. Young was formerly Miss Evelyn Watkins, of St. Michaels, Md. After their marriage in the year of 1887, Mr. Young entered the merchantile business at the above places later moving to Betterton after the marriage of their daughter to Mr. Walter Crew, of Betterton, where Mr. Young again established himself in the merchantile business, retiring a few years ago. While a merchant of this place he made many friends by his honest and courteous dealings. The couple were the parents of two children Reese, who died in his twenty-first year and Mrs. Walter Crew with whom they have made their home for several years. There are three grandchildren, Reese, Walter, of Philadelphia and Evelyn at home. There were over a hundred guests present. They received many handsome presents and about two hundred dollars in gold. The home was beautifully decorated with yellow roses and shaded lights of the same hue. Among those attending from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Young, of Baltimore, Mr and Mrs. Robert Young of Kennedyville, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Young, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gooding and daughter of Wilmington, Mr. Horace Wheeler of Chestertown.

Messrs. Arthur Harris and Arthur Willis are on an automobile to the south Cards to friends stated that they had reached Georgia.

Mrs. Cornelius Crew is making a visit of several weeks with her neice Mrs. Calvin Hughes at Cape Charles, Va.

Mr. Charles Joiner, of Chestertown, spent the week end with his family here.

Mrs. Littleton Crew entertained several of her friends at a card party last Friday Evening.

On Friday evening of last week, Mrs. Florence Clark entertained at cards.

Mr. Richard Moore, of Philadelphia, was a week end guest of his aunt, Mrs. Elwood Bramble.

The dense fog of the past week caused a temporary break in the schedule of the Ericsson Line. The Ericsson Boat docked at the pier here several hours before the captain deemed it safe to continue on their voyage.

Miss Ivy Plantt entertained some of her friends at the home of her parents last Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mooney and children, of Baltimore, spent the week end with their cousins, Mrs. Harry Crew and Mrs. Clarence Crew.

Mrs. Edythe Turner Anderson is visiting friends in Baltimore.

Mrs. Howard Owens, Mrs. Clarence Newsome and Miss Helen Turner have been among those on the sick list the past week

GALENA

Mrs. James D. Davis and little daughter Clara Virginia, of Newark, Del., and Miss Mary Startt, of Baltimore, visited their father, Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Scott last week.

Emory Wood, of Wilmington, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William T. Wood.

Misses Elizabeth and Frances Ruth and Chester M. Davis, of Washington College, Miss Theresa Scott, of Delaware College, and Miss Nellie Dempsey, of Beacom College visited their parents over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Caldwell and Mrs. George Johnston spent Friday in Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert O'Neal moved this week to Mrs. C. O. Burns' farm near town.

Mrs. C. O. Burns and father Mr. Hanna, of New York, spent the week end at her farm.

Miss Marion Caldwell, of Chestertown, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Caldwell over the the week end.

Charles Stradley visited his sister Mr. and Mrs. William Stradley in Wilmington, a few days last week.

Miss Mildred Hoyle, of Fairlee, a teacher in our school, who met with a serious accident last summer, returned to her school duties last week.

Mr. James D. Davis and family, of Newark, spent Sunday with relatives in town.

Rev. and Mrs. Ivanhoe Willis entertained several days l ast week, Mrs. Carrow and son, William, of Cape Charles and Willie Jones, of Wilmington, at the parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry O'Neal, are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a fine baby boy.

Mrs. Sallie Gary, of Middletown, Del., is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Josephine Davis.

Mrs. Hilda Shaw Hutchens and son William, returned to their home in Wilmington on Saturday after a weeks visit with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shaw.

Walter O'Neal has returned home home after visiting relatives in Delaware.

The stork visited town last week and left Mr. and Mrs. Phil Jones a fine little daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Guthrie and Miss Grace Culley spent Sunday with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Guthrie at Kenton.

Mrs. John Warren, of Wilmington, is visiting her brother, Mr. and Mrs. John Naylor and family.

Revival services continue in M. E. Church with good attendance. Soul stirring sermons each evening. More than a dozen have accepted the Savior.

KENNEDYVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. John Atwell entertained over the week end a jolly bridal party from Philadelphia. The party consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Grover, the bride and groom, Miss Alice Grover, maid of honor, Mr. Carl Gibson, best man, Miss Reba Shisler, a cousin and Mr. Howard Boyd, brother of the bride. This happy crowd drove down from the city in two cars and when a short distance from Mr. Atwells home, they became stuck fast in the mud. Some one came along in a carriage and was kind enough to go to Mr. Atwell and report the dilemma in which the guests were placed. While Mr. Atwell harnessed four mules and horses to the wagon his wife was waiting patiently with the table spread for the bridal guests. The two cars were soon pulled out of the clay and they reached their destination safe and happy with sharpened appetites for the splendid supper of poultry, salads, Maryland buscuit, ham, jelly, pickle, coffee, block cream and cake served after midnight. The bride and groom returned on Monday but the four other guests returned Sunday, with Mr. Atwell escorting them with his able team over the muddy roads to Kennedyville. It was one jolly happy bridal party. Congratulations.

Mrs. Hill Beasten, Mrs. George Webb, Mrs. Miller and son Harold, spent Wednesday with Mrs. George M. Glenn.

Master Robert Spencer spent part of the week end with his siter at Galena.

Mrs. Linden Archibald and daughter, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Knight near Galena.

Mrs. Emma Shafer and Mrs. A. Hessner, are much improved of their heavy colds. These colds have almost become an epidemic in our midst. Not many homes have escaped them.

Miss Lulu Van Dyke is sick in bed from the colds and complications. She had been nursing her uncle for some time and while he is more comfortable, he is still in bed. Her sister Mrs. Crew is nursing her.

Mrs. Annie Johnston is very sick at her daughters, Mrs. James E. Weer and they have sent for her daughter Miss Sue to come home from Washington to help nurse her.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Redmile entertained at family dinner on Wednesday.

Mrs. Bessie Brown and son have returned to their home at Earleville after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wiltbank.

Their daughter Mrs. Hilda Bennett has been very sick at her home.

A meeting of the board of stewards was called for Wednesday night at the home of Mr. E. L. Redmile.

Messrs. Robert Kennedy, Lloyd Kennedy and Robert A. Kennedy spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Mary Kennedy of Baltimore.

Miss Arrie Devine, of Elkton, was week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Jewell and family.

Messrs. Norman Pennington and Bert Newton, of College Park spent a few days at their home this last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Bedwell are receiving congratulations on tme arrival of a big baby boy born Friday.

Mrs. Walter S. Hill entertained the Embroidery Club on Thursday of last week and Miss Emma C. Shafer will entertain them this Thursday.

Miss Elizabeth Hurlock was home for a few days this week end. She was exempt from her examinations at school and surprised her family by walking in on them.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Groves, Jr. entertained at cards last week.

The Christian Endeavor topic for Sunday, February 6th, IInternational Fellowship through Christian Endeavor. Leader Miss Emma C. Shafer, sermon by Dr. J. W. Trout.

STILL POND

Misses Earl Thompson and Emory Hogans, spent Monday of this week in Philadelphia.

Mr. Paul Jones spent several days last week with Miss Esther Porter in Millington.

Mr. George Harper, of New York, visited his sister Mrs. Walter Harris here on Monday.

The business and social meeting of the Epworth League will meet this Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bowers.

Mr. Wm. Medders, Jr., is spending this week at his home here.

Miss Henrietta Matthews spent the past week end with Mr. and Mrs. Robertson at Oxford, Md.

The Devotional service of the Epworth League will lead on Sunday evening by Miss Mabel Norris.

Mr. J. W. Robinson, Sr., is quite sick at this writing.

Your Birthday
Is it this Week?

FEB. 6th—FEB. 12th

If your birthday is this week you are affectionate, affable, and courteous. You are very loyal and sincere, and while not suspicious, you are quick to detect a lack of those qualities in others.

You have a fine, active mind, and much latent talent, which, if devolped, will carry you to great heights. Many of the world's most eminent and useful people have been born during thees dates. You are artistic, musical, and have refined tastes and high ideals. You are a brilliant conversationalist, and usually win any argument. because of the convincing manner in which you present your side.

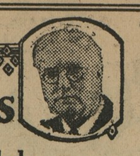
You are very modest, and seldom worry about anything. You do your best in everything—and leave it there. You have a sence of duty that is exceptionally strong.

Women born during these dates become teachers, librarians, and musicians. Men become business executives, politicans and orators.

Abraham Lincoln was born February 12th.

Charles Darwin was born February 12th.

Dr. Frank Crane Says



The Troublers A re The Troubled

A sentence worth pasting in the proverbial hat and remembering is.

The troublers are also the troubled.

Those six words explain a lot in life. They help give perspective to the irritations of the day.

In the schoolroom the children hard to manage who cause most of the trouble are the ones who are troubled themselves—who are in some sort of ill health, who have poor home environment, who are unhappy.

In large families where one child occasions more worry poorer health or more highly strung nerves.

Ill-health of some sort is the secret of most of the cantankerousness of childhood.

Among the grown-up the trouble makers are also the troubled.

The criminal class is, almost without exception, composed of those who are physically or mentally sick.

The jealous husband or wife is a trouble maker who is troubled. He lives in constant torment himself, tortured by his doubts and suspicions.

The cruel are often those who themselves are tormented by fear.

The sarcastic, cutting tongue often indicates inward wounds that have never healed.

Dyspepsia and constipation are

The braggart is troubled with a secret of being inferior, the surly person hides behind the mask of his sensitive timidness, the irritable person has nerves stretched to the breaking point.

The nagging woman is usually worried, nervous, overworked.

Socrates' famous sentence: "The men and women who are gentle and good are also happy and the unjust and evil are miserable," derives much of its truth from the obverse fact that the happy are usually gentle and good, the miserable unjust and evil.

When daughter comes to the door with red hands, she has been frescoeing her cheeks, not washing the dishes.

Don't overrate yourself. No man is really great until the world is interested in whether he wears a belt or suspenders.

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