...AY LADIES AID

Peace ... the M. E. Church. Interesting Personal Gossip.

Barclay, Oct. 9th. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams, of Wilmington, spent the week-end with Mrs. Williams' mother, Mrs. Steven Bostic.

Mrs. John Hall and daughter, Ethel, and Mrs. Sallie Roe were guests of Mrs. Isaac Newton last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Booker and Mrs. William Starkey visited Ocean City, Del., last Sunday.

Mrs. T. G. Hall had as her guests last Tuesday Mrs. J. N. Godwin, Mrs. Leslie Booker, Mrs. John Hall, Mrs. Laura Butler, Mrs. A. R. Butler and little son, Charles, Mrs. Joseph Price, and Misses Ethel Hall and Cecil Booker.

Miss Mary Wallace was Miss Ethel Hall's guest Monday night.

Little Mildred Cooper, who has been quite sick, is improving.

Mr. J. E. Nickerson, who has been sick the last two weeks, is better, the doctor says.

Mrs. Neavitt Booker spent Wednesday with Mrs. John Booker.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. Church met Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. N. A. Johns, in Centreville. Seventy-five members and friends were present. A delightful evening was spent by all. A program consisting of recitations, vocal and instrumental music was rendered, after which refreshments were served. The collection amounted to $...

Peace Day was observed in the M. E. Church last Sunday afternoon. Rev. L. P. Corkran preached an eloquent sermon on the subject and offered prayers for peace in Europe. The benevolent collection for the Conference year was then taken and it was announced that revival services would begin here Sunday evening, Nov. 1st.

CANNERY INSPECTOR GUEST OF CHURCH HILL MAN

Is Making Tour of the County. Also Local and Personal News of a General Nature.

Church Hill, October ... Rev. J. L. Clark and Miss Mary ... spent Tuesday with friends at Cambridge. The trip was made in the pastor's new touring car.

Dr. ... of Washington, is making a tour of the Eastern Shore inspecting canneries. He recently was a visitor at the canning factory here.

Mr. ... spent the week with Mr. John M. ... Rochester, Minn., where he has been.

Mrs. N. S. ... and daughter, and Mrs. H. ... Bowen, and Miss Leslie Wa... spent the ... of the week in Baltimore.

Mr. Brad... and Mrs. Brad... of Philadelphia, spent the week-end with Mrs. Eat... daughter, Margaret.

Mrs. Charles ... was taking care of Mr. and Mrs. W. ... in the last week.

Washington ... Lodge ... meeting in Masonic Temple ... large number ... present. Mr. Frederick Hankins, of Cambridge, New York, was a visitor ... Nat... Lodge ... week.

... entertained ... Mrs. Frederick ... Mrs. Tucker ... week.

Mr. W. ... and family ... week.

Mr. ... spent ... week.

Mr. ... week.

Mrs. ... week.

PRICE ITEMS

MRS. LEAGER ENTERTAINS RUTHSBURG LADIES AID

Splendid Meeting Last Saturday Evening. Newsy Personal Matters.

Ruthsburg, October ... The Ladies Aid of Ruthsburg M. E. Church met at the home of Mrs. Luther Leager Saturday evening. Quite a large crowd was in attendance.

Mr. Marvin Jester, of Wilmington, spent the week-end at the home of his uncle, Mr. William Jester.

Mr. Casper Norris, of Sudlersville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Arringlake last week.

Mrs. Cook is visiting Mrs. R. L. Skinner.

Mr. Daniel Jester, of Wilmington, spent last Thursday with his brother, Mr. John Jester.

Mrs. Peter Cook returned to her home last Sunday after a pleasant visit with friends in Virginia and Baltimore.

Miss Helen Mason spent the week-end with Misses Blanche and Delma Quimby.

Mrs. William Turner spent last Friday with Mrs. Luther Leager.

Misses ... Sarah Cannon ... visited ... last Sunday.

Mrs. Annie Warrer is spending the week with Mrs. John Jester, near Centreville.

Miss Helen Mason visited friends in Ridgely Tuesday.

Mr. Edward Harwick and family, of Church Hill, spent last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Harwick.

MIDDLE CONVOCATION

To Be Held by P. E. Diocese of Easton This Month. County Rectors to Attend.

The Middle Convocation of the Protestant Episcopal Diocese of Easton will be held at Trinity Cathedral, Easton, on Wednesday and Thursday, October 21st and 22nd, and a large attendance is expected. Lay delegates from each parish of the diocese have been earnestly urged to be present.

Several Queen Anne's county rectors will participate in the program and laymen from the various parishes will be in attendance.

The convocation will open Wednesday morning with the celebration of the holy communion at 10 o'clock. The sermon will be preached by Rev. Henry Davies, Ph. D., rector of Christ Church, Easton. At 2 P. M. there will be a business session and at 3 P. M. a missionary service, also addressed by Rev. S. ... Hepburn, Dean of the Eastern Convocation. Dr. W. W. Davis, of the Laymen's Missionary Alliance of Maryland, at Rev. ... Brate's church, Dr. ... Rev. Dr. Davis, at ... system and the Work ... Episcopal Synod.

On Thursday there will again be a communion service at 7 A. M. followed at 10 by morning prayer and sermon by Rev. William H. Darlington, rector of Christ Church, Kent Island.

The afternoon program begins at 2 o'clock with a paper by Rev. William Roberts, rector of Christ Church, St. Michaels, followed by Rev. George C. Sutton, D. D., rector of Trinity Church, Oxford.

The convocation will close with evensong and an address by Right Rev. Joseph Kinsman, D. D., LL. D., Bishop of Delaware.

The diocesan officers are: Right Rev. Wm. F. Adams, D. D., LL. D., Bishop; Rev. J. ... Bishop, Rev. J. ... Dean; Rev. H. ... president; and Rev. Thomas ... M. ..., secretary and treasurer.

EMPLOYERS WARNED

Must Take Out Insurance For Employees Under New Workmens Compensation Law, Effective Oct. 31st.

With everything ready for putting into effect the Workmen's Compensation Law enacted at the last session of the legislature, and which comes into operative at midnight October 31st, every employer in Maryland is now familiar with the provisions of the law and the requirements. A employer who employs one man or more, and who fails to comply with the provisions of the law, will be subject to the penalties provided in the law.

Briefly, the law provides that employers must take out insurance in some company authorized to write such insurance in Maryland, or must give security to the State Industrial Accident Commission that they are able to pay the compensation provided for in the law. The premium for the insurance is based on the hazard of the employer, and on the payroll. The premium is payable in advance, and is based on the payroll for the ensuing year. The premium for the first year is based on the payroll for the preceding year, and at the end of the year the premium is adjusted according to the payroll for the year just ended. The premium for the first year is therefore only an estimate.

The law does not compel the employer to pay the premium all at one time, but he may pay it in quarterly, semi-annual or annual payments, as he may prefer.

The law does not compel the employer to pay the premium himself, but he may collect from his employees a pro rata share of the premium, based on the payroll, but he must pay at least one-third of the premium himself.

The law does not compel the employer to pay the premium for all his employees, but he may select those he desires to insure, and may pay the premium for those he selects, but he must pay the premium for at least one-third of his employees.

The law does not compel the employer to insure his employees, but if he does not insure, he must give security to the State Industrial Accident Commission that he is able to pay the compensation provided for in the law, and if he does not insure or give security, he is liable to be prosecuted for violating the law, and if he does not insure or give security, his employees may sue him for damages for personal injuries, and he can not plead the defenses of contributory negligence, the fellow servant act, or assumption of risk.

The law does not compel the employer to insure his employees against injuries received while they are not at work for him, but if they are injured while at work for him, he must pay them the compensation provided for in the law, or they may sue him for damages, and he can not plead the defenses of contributory negligence, the fellow servant act, or assumption of risk.

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CIVIC BETTERMENT LEAGUE FORMED

MEETING MONDAY EVENING

Mrs. J. Fletcher Ralph Named President of Town Improvement Organization; Miss Susie Mitchell, Vice-President; Miss C. E. Rose, Secretary and Miss Nannie Wright, Treasurer.

With assurances on every hand of hearty co-operation and assistance, the ladies of Centreville met in the Court House, Centreville, last Monday evening at 8 o'clock and organized a Civic Betterment League, for the improvement and betterment of the town. Fully two hundred persons were present and great enthusiasm was manifested in the undertaking.

Nearly one hundred members were enrolled during the evening and officers for the first year were elected as follows:

President, Mrs. J. Fletcher Ralph; Vice-President, Miss Susie Mitchell; Secretary, Miss Clara Estelle Rose; Treasurer, Miss Nannie Wright.

Advisory Committee, Mrs. C. H. Kenton, Mr. M. M. Tarrington, Mrs. J. Lemuel Roberts, Mrs. H. F. M. Phelps, Mrs. Hattie Dulany, Mrs. M. Miss, Mrs. Madison, H. Hockley, Mrs. W. Hopper Clayton.

The meeting was called to order at 8 o'clock by Prof. H. J. Grimes, County Superintendent of Schools, who was named temporary chairman. After the opening of the meeting addresses were made to explain the purposes and ambitions of the proposed League. It was stated that a League of women could work great good for the town. Many improvements of a beautifying nature were suggested, and it was explained that in the event of the organization of a League this suggestion could be carried out.

A committee to select officers for the organization was then named. This committee was composed of Mrs. ..., Mrs. J. Frank Harper, Mrs. J. Lemuel Roberts, Mrs. J. ... Earle and Mr. J. Thomas Hicks. They selected the officers named above, who were afterwards unanimously elected.

In accepting the position of President, Mrs. Ralph said in part: "I believe that the League would have the co-operation of the people of the town generally. She pointed out many improvements that might be made that would be of great benefit to the town in various ways. It was suggested that a paper be put out in the interest of the League, and that the League should take up the matter of improvements to the streets outside of the thoroughfares from time to time as might appear necessary."

The meeting was one of the most enthusiastic ever held in Centreville. Wednesday was the day for the ... Weatherly ... of Baltimore, ... Weatherly was struck in the face and head with a piece of brick or gasoline ... and knocked down. During the ... he was struck ... Levin Deal, of ... exhibiting with a railroad ... showing a large ... Around the railroad station, where the circus was loading a train, there was throughout one of the wildest scenes of the circus coach, several performers barely escaping injury. Many shots were fired during the melee, but the bullets went wide of their mark.

The circus train left here shortly after midnight and between here and Oak Grove it was fired upon twice, supposedly by some of the gang who were in the fight at the station. Great excitement prevailed on the circus train, especially among the women and children performers. The train was stopped after each volley, the circus hands giving chase and returning the fire.

Railroad Detective Heisley was accompanying the train. He and the officers here are said to know many of the offenders and several arrests are expected tomorrow.

SPOKE AT OPERA

T. H. H. Messinger, of Wilmington, Delivered Lecture on "What is Death" Fair Sized Audience.

Quite a good sized audience was present at the Opera House, Centreville, last Sunday afternoon to hear Mr. T. H. H. Messinger, of Wilmington, deliver his lecture on "What is Death."

The speaker said that many persons had various ideas of what constituted death, and that all of the religions of the various heathen nations set forth the doctrine that death was not death, but merely a change of life from one life to another, and this was the theory set forth by all their philosophers. He states that this theory had also been inculcated into much of the Christian doctrines of this day, but that according to the meaning of the word "death" in our language, it was the opposite of life and could not, from a reasonable stand point, mean life or a change of life. He states that the Bible gives us the only reasonable account of what death is, and how it came upon us.

Next Sunday Mr. Messinger will speak on "Judgment Day" a lay blessing, and "Who Go To Church."

OYSTERMEN AT WAR

Swepson Earle, of Centreville, is Having His Troubles As Engineer of Maryland Shellfish Commission.

Mr. Swepson Earle, Hydrographic Engineer of the Maryland Shellfish Commission, was in Centreville this week. Mr. Earle has been having some stirring experiences in Somerset county, where the oyster wars have been in progress for the last three weeks. After the first troubles the Commission thought that perhaps there would be no continuance of hostilities, and they sent Engineer Earle to repair the damage done to buoys, etc. He completed the work as he relates, but no sooner had he left than they were again destroyed.

The difficulty is between the oystermen and the planters. The oystermen assert that the planters have taken up natural bars that they have fished on for years. From all appearances the oystermen are determined that these bars shall be owned by the planters.

The difficulty has by no means settled, and Mr. Earle fears that it may be some time before peace and harmony can be arranged between the two factions.

WEEKLY JINGLES FROM THE HIGH SCHOOL

By M.

Oh, skies of cerulescent hue,
It's mighty good to look at you.
And ponder, as our pulse beats fast,
That autumn has arrived at last.

It's great to be alive and know
That Winter's just a step or so
Around the corner of the year
And Christmas time is drawing near.

It's fine on lovely days like this
When sunny warmth and zephyrs kiss,
Make thoughts within us strive
To say it's fine to be alive.

To feel the tang of crisp air,
To note revival everywhere
Of spirits crushed by summer's heat
Say "This is my weather can't be beat."

Let's drink it in, let's all indulge
On rare wine from Nature's vat.
Here's looking at you "Autumn, dear"
The snappiest season of the year.

There's a certain ... from Church Hill
Whom I think is impossible to kill.
All things avail him ... he
He eats every day,
Let get ... I think he will.

Some young folks ... have become quite enthused
Over riding the ponies
Down ... grade.

For Society Entertains

The Edgar Allen Poe Literary Society entertained at the Centreville High School last Friday afternoon. The program was as follows:

Song—School.
Prayer and Scripture Reading.
Address by President.
Appointment of Committees.
Selection by E. A. P. ...
Declamation—Ruth Seney.
Duet—Julia Casey.
Society Notes—Ruth Jones.
Vocal Duet—Anna Wright and Margaret Kemmyer.
Current Events—Lorista Dulany.
Piano Duet—Anna Wright and Marcella Thomas.
Song.

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NOVEL THEATRE COMING

Attraction to Arrive at Centreville Landing Tomorrow Morning. To Stay a Week.

Perhaps the most unique of all traveling attractions that have ever visited Centreville will be the show in Centreville all next week. To-morrow morning a fully equipped theatre, with stage, scenery, electric lights, auditorium, balcony and everything that goes to make up an up-to-date opera house will arrive at Centreville Wharf. The theatre is built into a huge boat and is known as the "Floating Theatre."

It will arrive from Chestertown some time during the early hours to-morrow morning and anchor at Larrimore's Wharf at Centreville Landing where it will remain for a full week. On board the "Floating Theatre" there will be twenty-four actors and actresses, a complete Marine Band and Concert Orchestra. The players will participate in seven complete plays, a different one for each night, and a matinee and an afternoon.

The opening performance of the marine and will be to-morrow afternoon at ... when ... will render ... Court House ... Every ... thereafter there will be ... Court House ... at ... and at the other at seven.

Monday night the sensational Western drama ... Eastern Shore ... will be the attraction at the Floating Theatre. The ... town ... large crowds have ... attendance this week and the audiences have been greatly pleased with the various productions.

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