

MILLSBORO

By Mrs.
E. E. Carey



There was great rejoicing in Grace Methodist Church, Millsboro, Delaware, Sunday, January 13, when Mr. Edgar Timmons, chairman of the Finance Committee for the new church and parsonage, announced that the church and parsonage were free of debt. In the last drive to pay off the debt, one hundred and twenty-four contributors gave \$27,982. The congregation sang as never before, "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow".

The new church was opened on October 8, 1950. The pastor, Rev. John Edward Jones, moved into the new parsonage on May 26, 1950.

The building program was started under the leadership of Rev. Walter Beckwith, continued under the leadership of Rev. Robert Lass, and completed during the present pastorate.

The united effort on the part of all members and organizations of the church and the friends of the church have made this victory possible.

The church will be dedicated on Palm Sunday, April 6, 1952, at 10:00 a.m. The Rev. Dr. O. A. Bartley, Dover District Superintendent, will dedicate the church, assisted by the pastor, Rev. John Edward Jones.

The Millsboro Fire Company had its annual election of officers, Tuesday night, January 8, in the fire hall, with twenty-four members present.

Ralph Brittingham was elected president, the youngest since the organization of the company in 1926, and Harley B. Mitchell was elected to the vice presidency. E. E. Carey Jr. was reelected secretary for the fifth consecutive year. The treasurership went to Vollie C. Gray, the third man to hold that office in the history of the company. He replaces William T. Moore, who, after serving since January 1, 1946, asked to be retired from active service.

William Batchelor was reelected as fire chief and his assistant is Joseph C. Lingo. Chief engineer elected was Winford Brittingham, who has served that capacity for the past eighteen years. Ralph McCabe was elected assistant.

The House Committee is comprised of R. Elwood Godfrey, L. Emory Ellis and Roy E. Jones, the retiring president.

A total of 73 alarms was reported for the year.

Beginning January 27, in Grace Methodist Church, Millsboro, there will be a Ten Week Church and Evangelism Campaign. The morning sermons will be centered around the great words of the Bible and human speech. The evening sermons will be Christ centered evangelistic sermons. Six area captains will assist the pastor. They are, Mr. Edward Cordrey, Mrs. Edward Collins, Mrs. Harry Hastings, Mr. Edgar Timmons, Mr. Ralph Brittingham and Mr. John Gordy. Each captain will keep a record of the church attendance of the people in his area.

On January 27 a large class of young people will be received into full membership of the church at the 10:00 a.m. service.

The Band, of Hope Sunday School Class, met Tuesday night, January 15, at the home of Mrs. W. Elmond Gray.

Mrs. Clayton Dukes entertained the Gleaners at her home, Wednesday evening.

The Be Ye Faithful Circle met with Mrs. H. B. Mitchell on Tuesday night, January 15.

Mrs. Roy E. Jones entertained the Firemen's Auxiliary last Thursday night at her home, on Church St.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Rickards and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hancock, of Highstown, New Jersey, left Saturday on a month's vacation to the south and the west coast. They expect to spend sometime with relatives in Hollywood, Pasadena and Santa Barbara, California.

Mrs. Lettie Ellingsworth returned recently from a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jarmean, of Schwenksville, Pa.

Mrs. Jennie Jones and Miss Belle McKague were dinner guests, Sunday, of Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Jones, in Lewes.

Mrs. Elmer West returned Sunday from Pennsylvania Hospital,

Philadelphia, where she received surgical treatment.

Joseph Lingo and Alex Tingle are on a two week's vacation in the south.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ades entertained at a bridge-supper Thursday night, Dr. and Mrs. Henry Briele and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Johnson, of Salisbury, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Graies and Mr. and Mrs. Chester V. Townsend Jr., of Ocean View, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ayres, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Godfrey, and Mr. and Mrs. John Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Joseph, of Georgetown, left Wednesday for a few weeks' vacation in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Esham, of Frankford, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williams and Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Atkins were Saturday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gardner.

Mr. and Mrs. William Short, of Rehoboth, and Mr. and Mrs. Preston Outten have returned after spending two weeks in Florida. In Tampa they visited a service friend of Mr. Outten, Mr. Tony Marretta, and Mrs. Marretta. They spent some time at Fort Lauderdale and Key West, and on their return trip, they called on Mr. Short's sister, Mrs. Blanche Hamblin, in Georgia.

A benefit card party will be given by the V.F.W. Auxiliary on February 14, at 8 o'clock, in the post home. Admission is \$1.00 per person and table reservations may be had by calling Mrs. Lillian Lvnch, Mrs. Helena Carmine or Mrs. Vivian Ellingsworth.

The V.F.W. is having bingo parties each Saturday night, in the post home, at 8 p.m. A jackpot prize of \$80 awaits the lucky person.

Mrs. Ida Tingle and Mrs. Lydia Quillen were the winners in the Merchandise Club, sponsored by the

V.F.W. Auxiliary, on January 5, and the winners of January 12 were Mrs. Edna Donovan and Mrs. Dora Donaway.

Mrs. Lillie MacFarland, an invalid in our community, is appreciative of the many acts of kindness shown to her at Christmas time.

Mrs. Helen Matthews Long, 62, of Frankford, a former school teacher and the wife of William Long, died at her home, Thursday, January 10, after a short illness. Mrs. Long had a heart ailment. She was the daughter of Stewart and Henrietta Sulton Matthews and had lived in Frankford for the past 30 years. For about fifteen years she taught in the schools of the county. She was a member of Frankford Presbyterian Church, the Ladies' Auxiliary of the church and a member of the Frankford New Century Club. Besides her husband she is survived by a son, William Jr., of Newark, Delaware; two grandchildren; and a brother, James Matthews, of Wearton, Md. Funeral services were held Monday, at 2 p.m., at her home, with Rev. Dr. Turner Foster, pastor of Frankford

Presbyterian Church, officiating. Interment was in Carey's Cemetery, Frankford.

Hoyt Carmine, 65, of Millsboro, passed away at his home, Saturday, January 12, after a short illness. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Edith Bunting Carmine; a son, Hampton Carmine, of East St. Louis, Illinois; one daughter, Mrs. Laura Owens, Clifton Heights, Pa.; four grandchildren; one brother, William Carmine, Millsboro; two sisters, Mrs. Lillian Ryan, Millsboro, and Mrs. Thomas Ellingsworth, of Wilmington. Mr. Carmine was bookkeeper at the Cordrey Feed store and was a member of Franklin Lodge No. 12, Georgetown, and Evergreen Forest No. 49, of Milford. Funeral services were held Tuesday, at 2 p.m., at the Watson and Gray Funeral Home, Millsboro, with Rev. John E. Jones officiating. Interment was in Mechanics Cemetery, Millsboro.

Mrs. Onieta Turnley Warren, 71, died Sunday morning, January 13, at 1:45, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Calvin Boyden, 895 West 47th Street, Richmond, Va. Funeral

services were held on Tuesday, at 1 p.m., at the Joseph W. Bliley Funeral Home, in Richmond. Burial took place at 3:30 p.m., in the cemetery at the Wrenn Home Place, in Surrey County. Mrs. Warren is survived by seven daughters and one son, who are Mrs. G. V. Wood, of Millsboro; Mrs. H. W. Trollinger, Burlington, N. C.; Frank P. Warren, Petersburg, Va.; Mrs. Roy L. Tawes, Milford; Miss Myrtle Warren, Mrs. Calvin Boyden, Mrs. James Gordon Smith, Richmond, Va.; Mrs. J. M. Thomas, of Hilton Village, Va. She is also survived by one sister and a brother, in Richmond, thirteen grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Honor Army Doctor

The state of Virginia paid honor to the memory of Major Walter Reed by naming a school, the Walter Reed School in Arlington, Virginia, after the famous Army doctor and scientist. Two years ago, a bust of Major Reed was presented the school by the Walter Reed United States General Hospital.

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