THE CIRCUIT COURT.

The September term of the Howard County Circuit Court was convened Monday, with Judge Jones on the bench. The following grand jurors were selected for the term: Samuel J. Radeliffe, foreman; Stephen R. Hobbs, Harry C. Griffith, James B. Hashup, Nathan Chew learned that the horse is owned by Hobbs, William Davis, Louis N. Getz, near relative of the Messrs. Leahy. James E. Dorsey, Upton W. Dorsey, Elisha C. Tittsworth, Benjamia F. Keyes, of Mr. John D. Day, this county, was Daniel J. Saylor, Henry S. Hutchins, J. Asbury Haines, Thomas M. Johnson, Charles H. Melien, Benjamin Mellor of Mark John A. Color Obstation 2015 Augustine C. Brinker, James T. Clark, Paniel J. Saylor, Henry S. Hutchins, J. and windows were torn out and other Mark, John A. Coles, Christian Eckett, John D. Alcock and Thomas Christian. In his charge to the grand jury Judge Jones referred particularly to the local option law and to that against the carrying of concented weapons. The docket contained sixteen trials, four foreign trials, four appeals, four criminal cases

Senator John G. Rogers, was admitted struggle against Mexico. to practice at this court. The judgment docket was next taken up, and cleared. The first case on the through a hay mow, last week appeared up, and cleated. The first case of state in the Baltimore papers. Mr. Tracey vs. Clarence Oldfield, who was charged was but slightly hurt and is out and with carrying a pistol openly with the about attending to his affairs as usual. intent of doing bodily barm to one John Johnson, colored. Messrs. Henry E. Wootton and Martin F. Burke appeared for the accused and Joseph D. McGuire for the State. Mr. Oldfield was acquitted.

TUESDAY. Judges Jones and 'Revell presiding. Chappelle. The case of Henry Prosenne vs. Julius Wosch was called. This was an appeal from Justice Wallenhorst's court. Wosch, the plaintiff in the court below sued for damages to a horse and carriage sustained by coming in collision with a runaway team belonging to Mr. Henry Brosenne in September last. The case was argued before a jury and a judgment in favor of Mr. Wosch for \$55 was given. John G. Rogers was attorney for Mr. Wosch, and Charles K. Dorsey appeared on behalf of Mr. Brosenne.

WEDNESDAY. Judges Jones and Revell presiding. The attention of the court was occupied the entire day in hearing the case of the State vs. Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company. This suit was brought on the complaint of a number of citizens residing in the neighborhood of Annapolis Junction, who charge the company with maintaining a nuisance there in the shape of Irving Park. The park is a favorite resort of colored picnics and camp meetings. The court adjourned at 3 o'clock, at which time the State closed its testimony. Henry E. Wootton appeared for the Railroad Company and Joseph D. McGuire for the State.

### THURSDAY.

Judges Jones and Revell presiding. The defendants in the case of the State vs. Baitimore and Ohio Company consumed the morning session in setting up their defense. At noon the jury was given a brief recess, and on reassembling were addressed by State's Attorney Jos. D. McGuire, who closed at 1.15. Mr. Henry E. Wootton presented the case on behalf of the Railroad Company finishing at 2 30. Col. George King closed

The County Commissioners. The County Commissioners Tucsday awarded the contract furnishing the court house and jail with coal for the ensuing year to Mr. Joshua W. Dorsey, of Ellicott City.

Specifications were submitted for the contemplated new iron bridge over the Little Patuxent river at Savage, for the construction of which the sum of \$5,500 has already been appropriated. The work will be commenced as soon as possible, provision already having been made for it in this year's county levy. Mr. M. D. Crapster, collector 2nd collection district turned into the county commissioners this week, in cash and vouchers the sum of \$9,253,94; to the State \$3,000 of '93 taxes and \$1,059,49 '92 taxes, the sum total being \$13,313,54. The collectors of the other districts tur-

### ned in sums in a like proportion. Searching for Title

Mr. B. Armbruster, an attorney from New Orleans, La., was busy all day Tuesday examining the records of the Clerk's office at the courthouse. He was searching for title for the heirs of James Allen as far back as 1815. The property in question is on the Hilton road in Effect City, recently vacated by Mr. Thomas Day, and consists of a house and lot. It is held at present by Mrs. Rebecca Henderson, of Baltimore, daughter of John Collier, deceased, to whom it came in settlement of her father's estate. The Allen heirs are in New Orleans. Mr. Armbruster says the books and records of the Cierk's office here are in better condition than any he has ever seen.

## Morgan Suit Settled.

The case of the county commissioners against ex-Treasurer George W. Morgan and his sureies, which had been removed from Towson to the Howard County Court, was settled Monday by agreement of counsel. Mr. D. G. McIntosii represented the county commissioners and Mr. John I. Yellott was attorney for the defence. The defendants, according to the agreement, are to pay the county \$4,250, each party to the suit to pay its own costs. The county had claimed about \$15,000. The case was tried some time ago at Towson, but the jury failed to agree.

Among those who have gone to the World's Fair, well known here, are: Hon. Edwin Warfield, accompanied by Mrs. Warfield and her niece, Mrs. Watters; Messrs T. A. Johnston, James P. Curley; L. K. Shipley, of Lisbon, Howard county; J. W. Dorsey, Jr., Marion P. Macgill, Thos. H. Hunt, Jr., Mrs. Gaston Manly, in company with Mrs. Thos. Wyman; C. R. Sykes, Henry Bentefisch, Mrs. James E. Shreeve and two children; Mr, and Mrs. Charles A. Herrmann, Mrs Thomas H. Gaither and Miss Gaither, Mrs. E. P. Dennis, Mrs A. D. Johnson, Mrs. Reuben D. Johnson.

An Ancient Ring. Mr. John M. Bone, of this city, has ir his possession, received from Mr. Wm Cavey, who found the same while digging potatoes in a patch opposite Gray's, a large seal ring which may have a history. An impression on wax reveals a man on a rearing horse or mule with something like a dragon underneath. It is believed the seal represents the escutcheon of some old English family, probably early settlers of Maryland. THE TIMES will be indebted to any one who can trace its history and will send lyn, N. Y. ns the same. The material of the ring is

### believed to be beil-metal. School Reciprocity.

At a meeting of the Carroll county school board Monday the secretary reported that arrangements were in progress for the execution of a contract with the Howard county board for the accommodation of pupils living along the line, similar to the one recently made with Baltimore county, and that it appeared probable that the Frederick county board would agree to a similar arrangement.

A Gentle and Satisfactory Remedy. Of late years I have been troubled considerably with indigestion, constipa-tion, and gas in the stomach. Found no particular benefit in the different reme dies I tried until I used Dr. Deane's Dyspepsia Pills, which removed all those troubles in a gentle and satisfactory manner.

WM. RUTLEDGE, Prop. Continental Hotel, Martinsburg, W. Va.

Messrs. N. L. and James P. Leaby were among those of THE TIMES' friends present at the Baltimore county fair on the 1st instant. Both young gentleman were greatly interested in the races, especially with the horse "Kilceloo", which won several prizes. It has been

Recently the untenanted dwelling lumber where thrown into the well, which renders it untit for present use. No arrests have been made.

Sheriil Wm G. Owings, has received letter from Rhoads P. Fisher, Jr., of Austin, Texas, inquiring for the relatives of John II. Philips, a Maryand eight appearances. Mr. Jacob J. H. land farmer, who died in Texas in 1837, Mitnick, of Baltimore, on motion of baving gone there to assist in that State's

Exaggerated statements of the condi tion of Hon. John S. Tracey, who fell Eighteen French seminarians who

bave been spending a two weeks' vacation at St. Charles College, near Ellicott City, left Tuesday for Sante Fe, N. M. where they will be assigned to missionary work under the charge of Bishop Mr. William Boykin, who spent the

summer at Patapseo Heights, Ellicott City, with his father an mother, Dr. and Mrs. T. J. Boykin, has return to the Virginia Military Institute, where he will pursue his studies for the next year. Mr. J. B. Rawlings and sister, Miss Tillie G. Rawlings, of Falls church, Va, left Washington last Monday for Chica-40. Returning Mr. and Miss Rawlings will visit relatives and friends in Cincinnati, Ohio, and Covington Ky.

Rev. William E. Starr, of Corpus Phristi Catholic Church, Baltimore, delivered the sermon at the High Mass at St. Paul's Church, last Sunday. Father Starr was warmly welcomed by his former parishioners, having been a former pastor of St. Paul's.

A very enjoyable dance was given by Messrs. Walter Richardson and Clinton Linn in the unoccupied residence of Miss Elizabeth Young, near Fulton. It was largely attended and pronounced a tent as to cause half-ripe peaches to thorough success.

bridge on the county road near Me-Kendree, his horse broke through, and Mr. Dorsey was thrown out of his vehicle and badly hurt, but no bones were broken.

The sheepfold on the farm of Mi William Davis, at Marriottsville, was in- natural development of the pit and fruit week and twenty-five of the best sheep condition of the circulating sap which in Mr. Davis owned were killed and crippled.

of School Commissioners Tuesday it was perfect development of the frait. The At the regular meeting of the Board decided to build a new schoolhouse near pit or stone of the peach is more exhaus-Glenelg, in the Third district, and one live to the tree and soil than the edible ing at 2.30. Col. George King closed for the State. The jury retired and in about fifteen minutes brought in a verdict of guilty.

At Oakland Mills, in the Sixth distinct.

Dr. and Mrs. E. P. Keech and their daughter, Miss Bessie Keech, who spent the summer at Patapsco Heights, Ellicott at Oakland Mills, in the Sixth distict. the summer at Patapsco Heights, Ellicott City, have returned to their home or Cathedral street, Baltimore.

Dr. I. J. Martin arrived home Monday from a visit among friends at Clear Spring, Md. The Doctor says the late terrific storm was but slightly felt in that neighborhood.

Naturalization papers were granted district, and to John J. and Charles what dwarfed in size. In the latter Obenland, of the Sixth district, Howard

Among the appointments made this week by Collector Internal Revenue Vandiver is S. D. Stackhouse, of Woodbine, storekeeper, vice R. C. Pindel. Hundreds of barrels of cider are being nanufactured by Howard county farm-

ers from the apples that were blown down by the recent storm. Mrs. H. G. Ransburg, of Evansville, Ind., who, during the summer has been with her relatives in Howard county,

left for her home Tuesday. Mr. Daniel F. Shea has moved his gro ery store to the room lately occupied by Mr. Clements as a barber shop, having

purchased the building. A fine horse belonging to Mr. G. W. Brown, of the Third district, was found Tuesday morning lying in his stall badly sprained in the back.

A valuable horse belonging to Mr. William Crawford, near here, was choked to death a few days ago while eating oats.

Miss Amanda Helm who has been visiting friends in Frederick has returned home accompanied by Miss Tillie

A ten-acre tract of land at Hiiton, near Ellicott City, has been sold by Grafton Ray to John L. Clark for

Wheat at the Mills of the C. A. Gambrill Mfg. Company here was quoted Friday as follows, Fultz: 65-67; German;

Miss Mary Thomsen, a German lady from Brooklyn, N. Y., spent two weeks with the family of Mrs. Fisler here. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley and two children,

of Laurel, Md., are the guests of the Misses Tyson at "Mt. Ida." Miss Denton and Miss Williams,

Baltimore, spent a few days with their uncle, Mr. John A. Denton. Deputy-Sheriff L. P. Schultz, of Sykesville was attending court here this week

with two prisoners in charge. Mr. Mitchell Cartwright, wife and child, of Baltimore, were the guests of iclatives here on Saturday. Mr. E. Green Selby, of the Fourt! district, who was reported so ill with

fever last week, is better. Mrs. Rumpstein and child, of Baltimore, were the guests of Mr. William McKenzie and family. The Patapsco River, just below Elk

ridge Landing, is said to be teeming with rock and white perch. Mrs. Earl Keyser and daughters have returned to Washington after a short

Miss Minnie Helm, of Baltimore, who has been visiting her parents here has

returned home. Miss Elia Morrow returned Saturday from a six weeks' stay with friends in Virginia.

Mrs. Kuhn and children, of Orange Grove, were the guests of relatives here on Sunday. Mr. H. Waters, of Baltimore, is spending a week or more with friends in Elli-

cott City. Mrs. Hamilton Oldfield has returned home from a few weeks visit to Brook-Mrs. P. Coslello, of Baltimore paid a

flying visit to relatives and friends this horse having ran away, throwing them

Mrs. Scott Mercier has returned home from a visit to her parents at Woodbine. Miss Lizzie and Miss B. Snowden, of Voodberry, are visiting friends here.

Mr. William Macgill, of Woodberry, was the guest of his mother here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Johnson have eturned from their visit abroad. Miss Blanche Trucheart, of this city s spending sometime in Laurel.

Mr. George Haines, of Washington, C., spent Sunday with friends. Mr. and Mrs. G. Becker, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with relatives. The Ellicott City school had enrolled

here for a few days,

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a visit to his parents. Dr. T. B Owings, attended the Pan-American Medical Congress at Washington, D. C. this week. Mr. and Mrs. Schuller, of Blaltimore, spent Sunday here.

SYKESVILLE NEWS. SYKESVILLE, Sept. 7 .- On Thursday evening of last week a most enjoyable dance was given at the residence of Mr. John Hammond, near Eldersburg. The music for the occasion was furnished by to bear upon the occasion. Prof. Johnson, of Baltimore. At twelve o'clock splendid refreshments were served in profusion, after which dancing was continued. Among those present

Mr. and Mrs. John Hammond, Mrs. and the Misses Sprigg, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hattie Blake, Miss Dryden and Miss Gans, of Baltimore; Mrs. Augusta Bushey, of Baltimore; Misses Mary Bell, Lizzie Hewitt, Mamie Yohn and Katie McDonald, Messrs. S. D. Shipley, Simon and Jerome Golibart, Jas. Hewitt, John Pearce, L. Kearney, Pierce Prugh, Jas. Dorsey, Shriver Brandenburg, Clinton Brandenburg, Hammond Bros., Vernon Dorsey, M. J. McDonald, Wm. Wilson

and many others.

A most delightful musicale was given on last Saturday evening by Mrs. E. J. Thomas at "The Manse," Springfield. Miss Bessie Anderson and Mr. F. J. Taylor, of Baltimore, contributed. Both were in excellent voice and rendered some beautiful selections. Delicious refreshments were served during the evening. Among

those present were:
Mrs M. H. Green, Miss Minnie Brooks, of Baltimore; Miss Louise Davis, of Washington, D. C.; Misses Lowndes, of Easton, Md.; Misses Bessie and Emma Anderson, Hattie and Nellie Bennett, Nellie Warfield and Minnie Thomas Messrs. Frank J. Taylor, Jno. C. Brooks, P. T. Bennett, Howard Warfield, Lucien Kearney and others. Mr. Taylor will render some selections in Springfield Presbyterian Church on next Sabbath morning. Mr. Atlee Hickman, of Philadelphia,

Pa., is the guest of Mr. Guy W. Steele, at his home, "Kildare," near Eldersburg.

FACTS FROM FULTON, FULTON, September 6 .- Since the rain peach pits have grown to such an excrack open. Some varieties of late Mr. Albert Dorsey, while driving over peaches are affected in the same way. Specimens can be seen on the trees from which the stone is protruding from the stem end of the fruit. In this county this season peaches generally were stunted in their growth by the drought. The vaded by worthless dogs one night last | was arrested owing to the impoverished most cases was caused by a lack of moisture in the soil necessary to render soluble certain minerals needed for the portion of the fruit. We have known free-stone peaches to be converted into clings. This season in an orchard under our observation the fruit on trees among which corn was grown and left to mature was affected this way. On another portion of the same orchard from which the corn was removed for feeding purposes in the early stages of the drouth, the fruit maintained its by the court to Erdwig Holste, of Fifth natural characteristics, only being someinstance the fruit had the benefit of what little moisture was left in the soil after the corn was removed. In the first case there was a double draught on the soil for the crop of corn and peaches, hence the impaired condition of the fruit. Rev. Mr. Turner, of St. Mark's P. E. Church, assisted by ministers from Laurel and Baltimore, conducted an all-

day's service at the above mentioned church on Tuesday of last week. The services were of an interesting character. Mr. Richard Simpson is confined to his bed with a severe spell of rhompatism.

Misses Annie and Sarah Moore are spending several days of this week in Highland neighborhood.

to its prostrated and tangled condition. Everybody is busy this week, myself included, and news around our diggin's is as scarce as hen's teeth. F. L. O.

## ALBERTON PTEMS. Alberton, Sept. 7 .- Mr. Thomas

Hanes, recently signed over two of his children, Masters Tommie and Eddie, to the Manual Labor School at Arbutus, on the B. & P. R. R. The B. & O. R. R. iron bridge is under going repairs. Heavy plates are being put on the beams to strengthen

Rey. Mr. Barr, conducted several services in the Alberton Opera Hall last week. Sunday morning he held sacramental services. Mr. D. M. Shawn is

Two accidents happened in our vicini ty this week. Both were with horses. Mr. John Allen's team ran away throwing him out and injuring him very severely. Mr. Jos. Katzen, commonly known as "the Jew," had a very frightful accident. His team ran away, throwing him under the wagon and breaking his arm and two of his ribs.

Gathered in and About Gaither's.

GAITHER'S Sept. 6-Mrs. Rachel Penn and son who have been the guests of Mrs. J. H. Carroli have returned home. Mr. Jonathan Thomas, who has been ill is slowly improving. Miss Fannie Carroll and Grace Hard-

ing, who have been visiting their aunt, returned home Sunday. Miss Bessie Armstrong and Olivia Hobbs have gone back to Baltimore for the winter. Mr. J. II. Carroll and son were visit-

ing friends in Ellicott City Tuesday. Miss Bertha Hatfield, who has been visiting friends in Baltimore has returned to her home at Sykesville. Miss Agnes Day, of Baltimore, who was visiting her relatives at Gaither's, has Sunday with appropriate ceremonies by returned to her home.

tending the World's Fair and will return Odd-Fellows from Catonsville and Ellithe last of the week. Mr. John R. Sutch was visiting his aunt, Mrs. John Biddinger, at Gaith-

Mrs. Robert Day has returned home after a two weeks' visit to her relatives in Howard county. Charles Thomas, son of Jonathan Thomas, while out driving with his brother Walter, was very badly hart the

Our Public Schools Are the main stay of our republic. In them are being cultivated the minds which are to be our future lawmakers and leaders in every walk in life. How essential it is that these minds should be united to strong, healthy bodies. So many children suffer from imputities and poisons in the blood and that it is a wonder that they ever grow up to men and women. Many parents cannot find words strong enough to express their gratitude to Hood's Sarsaparilla for its good offect upon their children, Scrofula, sait theum and other diseases of the blood are effectually and permonently

EX-CONFEDERATES WILL TAKE PART.

Celebration of the Anniversary of the Rattle of North Point, September 12th, at the M. L. C. Soldiers' Home, Pikesville. PIKESVILLE, MD., Sept. 4.-As the old Pikesville arsenal was the outcome of the war of eighteen hundred and practical success, and as yet the cause of twelve, and as it is now the home of the old veterans who wore the gray, they

The arrangements for the different parts of the programme will be under a committee appointed by the Confederate Society of Maryland, who are the movers in the commemoration of the day.

have determined to celebrate it with all

Major Mortimer Kilgour, of Leesburg, Va., has been selected as the orator of Frank Shipley, Mrs. Brooks, Misses Ella the day. The Major is considered one condition of Mr. Selby's placevery good. Hogan, Gertrude Drextel, Phyllis Kuhn. of Virginia's greatest orators. Then will The well water was found to be slightly follow a presentation of a U. S. flag to impure, but after a thorough examinathe Home by the Junior Order of American Mechanics, and it will be accepted produce the tever. by Mr. James R. Wheeler, the President of the Board of Managers of the Home. A tournament will then be ridden by young knights of the vicinity on their beautiful and thoroughbred steeds. The riding will be splendid.

As the shades of evening fall around, a grand display of fireworks will be given -"bombs will burst in the air" from balloons carrying them high up, and every conceivable design bearing upon the day will be flashed off. The crowning of the Queen and he maids of honor will take place in the grand hall; promenading and a ball will tollow. There will be no charge made

for entrance to the grounds. The culinary department will be under the care of the ladies who will be assisted at the ice cream tables by the beauty and grace of Maryland's lovely girls. Those who have never visited this, the first Soldiers' Home in this country, should take advantage of this display of patriotism. The railroads generally refrom Baltimore on the electric road to storm, the blades are quite inferior, being duce the fare and it is only ten cents the door of the Home.

LAUREL AND VICINITY, LAUREL, Md., Sept. 4 .- The citizens of Laurel are now discussing the advisability of constructing a system of water late in the fall, and furnish good feed for works for the town. Nearly all of the this season of the year, have almost been buildings in Laurel are of frame, and with the present inadequate supply of water it would be impossible to stop | will be a smaller fallow wheat acreage the flames if fire should break out. Messrs, John E. Beall and Ralph at Bethesda, Montgomery county, to

Edwin W. Haight for \$28,660. The new school and institute at Ammendale, started by the Christian Brothnow preparing plans for the erection shortly of a large and handsome college two or three hundred students.

OELLA, Sept. 7 .- Mrs. S. E. Cotterill has returned from a visit to friends in West Virginia.

was on Sunday visiting friends at Oella. Ministerial Union. is spending some time here. Miss Laura Shipley, of Woodberry, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shaffer.

spending sometime here. There is quite an influx of gold here at present the employes of the mills having been paid for the month in that

Mr. Albert Clements, left Wednesday for Elkton, where he will attend the fair. Messrs Nicholas Jones, Warren Gaugh and Fletcher Hogan, were Sunday visiting in Baltimore.

## LONG CORNER NEWS.

Long Corner, Sept. 1.—The Howard Christian Temperance Union, combined with a basket picnic, was held at Howard Chapel, on Saturday, August 29th. It visiting friends and relatives in the was well attended and was most successfui. Mr. Tucker, of Baltimore, an emi-Corn cutting is in progress in this nent speaker and a prohibitionist was vicinity this week. The crop is very in- present and gave an excellent address. different and troublesome to cut owing Rev. C. J. Burdette, the G. C. T. of Maryland, was present and addressed the convention. There were also readings and recitations by some of the members of the Long Corner Union. OBITUARY.

MRS. ARIAMA D. BANES, One of the most prominent and highly esteemed residents of this county, died at her home, near Roxbury Mills, in the Fourth district, Sunday the 3rd inst, aged sixty-five years. She had been suffering from a protracted illness which terminated in heart trouble. The deceased was a large real estate owner, and since the death of her husband, the late Henry Banks, several years ago. had until compelled by ill-health to retire, successfully conducted her extensive farming interests. She was the sister of Mr. Thomas O. Warfield, of Howard county and Mr. Charles A. Warfield, of Sykesville, Carroll county, and also of the late ex County Commissioner John D. Warfield, of Howard county. She leaves six sons and one daughter, all

grown. MRS, ELIZABETH POTTS Died at her residence at Oeila on Saturday last, aged sixty-six years. Mrs Potts was a member of the Methodisi Church, and was in possession of a bright, Christian faith. Religion was ing. Mrs. Potts was a native of Germany.

MR EDWARD J. HASTINGS, An old resident of Elkridge, died at that place Tuesday in the sixty-fourth year of his age. He was a native of England, and for many years a prominent contractor and builder at Elkridge.

Colored Church at Elkridge. The corner-stone of Gaines Chapel, of the African Methodist Episcopal Church, at Elkridge, Howard county, was laid

Rev. John W. Becket, pastor of Bethel Mr. L. H. Schultz and daughter is at- Church, Baltimore, Lodges of colored City joined those at Elkridge and took part in the exercises. The new church will be a frame, with a truss roof, and will be 42 by 25 feet, with a senting capacity of about three hundred. It will have an octagonal pulpit recess and will spending some time with Miss B. Robin at Philadelphia, paid a flying visit to Gaither's last Monday.

Mr. Metz, telegraph operator, now congregation in 1886 by Mr. James W. nition of the Cardinal's silver jubilee.

Tyson, but the deed contained respectively. tions which prevented building. Rev. John Hurst, pastor of the church, succeeded in having the restrictions re-

moved. Mr. Dobbin Receives an Appointment. Mr. Robert A. Dobbin, of Howard county, a son of the late Judge Dobbin, of Baltimore, has been appointed postmaster of the United States Senate. Mr. Dobbin is a lawyer and has an office on St. Paul street, Baltimore. He is also board and has served in the Maryland lem divison of the Hudson River read president of the Howard county school Legislature. He is fifty five years of and one near Chester, Mass. Thirty-five

Mr. Wm. Moxley, of Baltimore, visited here for a few days,

Mr. Frank Oldfield, of Chicago, is on

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POPLAR SPRINGS.

POPLAR SPRINGS, Sept. 7-Mr. E. G. Selby who has been suffering with typhoid fever is improving and is thought

to be out of danger.
Every pains have been taken to locate the cause of the disease but without the fever is unknown, but is believed by the attending physicians to have been contracted by Mr. Selby's daughter while away from home. While typhoid the patriotism and gusto they can bring is not supposed to be contagious it is more than probable that Mr. and Mrs. Selby could have taken it while nursing their daughter whom they were facessantiy with. The case was reported and lists of licenses and found them correct; the Board of Health of Baltimore sent also examined the books of the County an officer up to Mr. Selby's place, who Commissioners, Orphans' Court and thoroughly examined the premises and Clerk of the county and found them cortook samples of the spring and well wa-ter as well as of ice and milk which were We also examined the analyzed. They reported the sanitary tion nothing could be found that would

The report in the Sun a few days since that the well water was contaminated with drippings from a milk box is incorrect as the said box was removed in the presence of Mr. Brown (the officer from our attention and have been informed Baltimore) and was found to be thorough- that there is none, and we therefore ask ly dry thus proving that there had been | your Honors to dismiss us. no drippings from it to the well. Mr. B. F. Selby, son of Mr. E. G. Selby, was also reported to have had the fever which is incorrect.

The farmers of this vicinity are slowly

setting up the corn which the storm knocked down so badly. THE STATE OF MARYLAND.

EFFECTS OF THE DROUTH .- In Queen Anne's county and the same thing may be said of most of the state, fodder saving is now an important work among the farmers. The scarcity of feed this year and its high price has induced the farmers to make an effort to save more than usual. Owing to the great damage done to the corn crop by the recent badly torn and heaten to the ground. For this reason the expense of pulling the blades will be greatly increased. Farmers are already becoming alarmed about the scarcity of feed for their stock. The pastures, which generally last until entirely killed by the long drouth of the summer, and the hay and fodder crop of the past year is about exhausted. There for this fall than for many years past. The farmers are still unable to plow the Walsh have sold thirty-one acres of land ground for the want of rain, and many have given up all intention of seeding more than their corn ground fields.

THE STATE TEMPERANCE ALLIANCE. The first meeting of the Maryland State ers, opened today. Brother Tobias is Temperance Alliance since July was principal The Christian Brothers are held Monday afternoon, at the headquarters, No. 216 North Charles street, Baltimore. Rev. II. Branch, the presiat Amendale capable of accommodating | dent, occupied the chair, and Rev. W. G. Herbert acted as secretary. Reports of meetings held in the various sections of the state were made. The matter of providing funds to meet the obligations of the Alliance was considered, and a good sum was pledged. The meeting in October will be a conference between Miss Katie Robinson, of Baltimore, this body and the representatives of the

MURDERED IN COLD BLOOD .- Jesse Anderson, aged 28 years, a son of Oliver P. Anderson, formerly of the Frederick police force, was deliberately shot down and killed Tuesday morning on the Bal-A juvenile party was tendered Miss timore and Ohio railroad between Minnie Jenkins on Wednesday night. Buckeystown and Lime Kiln, where he Miss Emma Jenkius, of Woodberry, is was working with a railroad repair gang, of which he was a member. His murderer is William Leonard, of Baltimore, aged 49 years, who came to Buckeystown a few weeks ago to work in the canning factory there. The deed was done in a spirit of revenge, Anderson having informed Leonard's brother inlaw of a debauch he had been on.

THE STOCK MARKET RECOVERING. Owing to a better feeling, in London Tuesday the New York stock market was active. with higher prices. The Baltimore market also showed more County Convention of the Woman's activity than at any time since the recent financial depression. Baltimore and Ohio stock was decidedly stronger. Exchange at 69. Sales were made in New York at 681, 69, 691, 70 and 71 closing at 70 bid and 71 asked. Consolidated Gas stock sold in Baltimore up to 571, one point over the highest price

THE CANNING BUSINESS IN CARROLL -On account of the severe drought it was thought that the yield of sweet corn in the vicinity of Westminster would not be sufficient to enable the canning establishments to fill their orders. The crop. however, has been fair, and because of the large acreage planted the canninghouses have been taxed to their utmost capacity.

A NEW ELECTRIC MOTOR that wil lrive cars at the rate of forty miles an hour is being tried by the City and Suburban Railway Company on the

## Boundary avenue line, Baltimore.

GENERAL NEWS NOTES. No Money to Deport Chinamen.--In the United States District Court Monday, at Los Angeles, Cal., the United States district attorney informed Judge Boss that he had received a telegram from Secretary Carlisle stating that there were has just died. He had a second son, no funds in the treasury to execute the Charles Joseph Bonaparte, who is a section of the Geary law as to deporta- prominent member of the Baltimore tion. On hearing this Judge Boss reserved his decision in the case of Chin Shong Yuon, who was being tried for

neglecting to register under the act. banks in Memphis, Tenn., were notified of smell and completely derange the terms up to the limit of six years they Monday by their New York banking ready to give a reason for the hope that connections that they are prepared to the mucous surfaces. Such articles was in her. Interment was in Oclia ship all the money necessary to Memphiz should never be used except on prescrip-Cemetery, Rev. D. M. Browning officiat- to move the cotton crop. This news was received with joy by local financiers. who regard the figancial stringency in that section as a thing of the past. The cotton crop will begin moving in earnest about September 15. If the receipts are favorable, several million dollars will be no mercury, and is taken internally, and, distributed in and about Memphis this

Another Novelty.-Edward Green, of San Francisco, has designed a novelty for the gaid-winter fair to be held in that city which he hopes will & Co. rival the Eiffel tower and the Ferris wheel. It is a colossal statue of Justice, 150 feet high, supporting an immense pair of scales, the extremities of which are cars holding fifty people each. The beam is a truss 300 feet long, oscillating like a walking-beam, thus lifting the

cars to a height of 350 feet. A GIFT FROM ROME .- Father Frederick Rocker, who has left Rome as the bearer of letters from the Pope to Mgr. have a tower in front 52 feet high. It | Satolli and Cardinal Gibbons in America, is named after Bishop J. W. Gaines, has also in his charge a magnificent president of the second episcopal dis- present for Cardinal Gibbons. It is a trict of the African Methodist Episcopal portrait of the Pope carved in stone. It Church. The church will stand in a is set in a frame of gold studded with Mr. Metz, telegraph operator, now pretty grove, which was given to the precious stones, and intended as a recog-

> ORANGES IN FLORIDA.—THE growth of the orange industry in Florida has increased from a production of 600,000 boxes in 1885 to 3,500,000 for the season just closed, and, according to conservative estimates, the combined crop will be fully 5,000,000 boxes, of which over 4,000,000 will be mark-DEATH ON THE RAIL.—Recently three serious railway accidents have

severaly injured. A Convention will be held at Albu-

HON. WILLIAM C. P. BRECKINBIDGE member of Congress from Kentucky has filed a demutrer to the suit of Miss Madeline V. Pollard for \$50,000 damages for breach of promise of marriage.

Grand Jury Report. TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF

THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR HOWARD COUNTY. The Grand Jury have the honor to eport to your Honors, that we have been in session five days, and have examined sixty-four witnesses, found twenty presentments and dismissed two cases. We have examined the Sheriff's and Clerk's We also examined the county jail, which structure we found clean, well-kept and the prisoners well cared for.

We then called the attention of the oners too much liberty. We further recommend that at least two sixteen candle power electric lights be placed in the jail. We have asked the State's Attorney FINE GROUND TANKAGE. if he has any further business claiming

SAMUEL J. RADCLIFFE,

CHURCH AND OTHER NOTICES The time of service in St. Paul's church will hereafter be changed to Low Mass at 8 A. M. and High Mass at 10.30 A. M. Vespers at 7 P. M.

Death of a Bonaparte. The death of Col. Jerome Napoleon Bonaparte, which occurred Monday last | 412 East Lombard Street, at his summer home, in Massachusetts, recalls one of the most famous and romantic episodes in modern history. The marriage of his grandfather, Jerome Bonaparte, to Elizabeth Patterson, of Baltimore, and the determined efforts of the brave and ambitious bride to enforce the recognition of her rights, forms one of the most celebrated social chapters of a period which was crowded with events of interest and importance. Colonel Bonaparte maintained the military traditions of the name he bore by gallant service in the Crimean war and subsequently in other fields. The story of Colonel Bonaparte began

two generations before his birth. His grandfather was Jerome Bona parte, a younger brother of the great Napoleon. The first Consul of France conceived the idea of making this counger brother one of the rulers of the earth, and with that end in view, early

spleasing to the ruler of France. But the lovers persisted, and eventually they were married in great state in Baltimore by Archbishop Carroll. Captain Bonnparte had not consulted his brother. But such a match could only result in trouble. When Napoleon heard of it he was very angry and positively refused to recognize his brother's American wife. He sent word to America that he

would never permit her to set foot on French soil. He doubtless thought his dictum would settle the matter forever. The great Napoleon, however, was mistaken. He did not know of what stern stuff his American sister-in-law was made. Mme. Napoleon laughed at the royal decree and declared she would go to France with her husband. Jerome agreed and the two set sail for France. But the rule of France was not to be thwarted. As the ship approached the shores of France it was met by two menof-war. Captain Bonaparte was taken Four shares were sold on the Stock off, but his American wife was driven away and forced to take refuge in En-

land. Once in France Captain Bonaparte quickly yielded to his brother. Napoleon promised him to care for his wife, granting her an income of 60,000 francs a year. He coupled this with the condition, that she should not retain the name of Bonaparte-a condition, however, which the plucky wife refused to accede to. Napoleon endeavored to have the marriage declared void by the Pope, but Pius VII. refused to grant the request. Napoleon, however, was not to be halked and caused a royal

decree of divorce to be passed. The subsequent career of her band may be summed up in a few words. In 1807 he was made King of Westphalia and was married to the Princess Catherine of Wurtenburg. In 1813, on the fall of the Bonaparte, he was depos-

ed and exiled. Meantime, Mmc. Bonsparte, proudly disdaining the offers of the royal family, remained in England until after the birth of her son, and then returned to-America. This son was the late Jerome Napoleon Bonaparte and the father of Col. Jerome Napoleon Bonaparte, who

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COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

Attorney-General Poe's Opinion As to Their Tenure of Office. The question as to the validity of the legislation of 1892 in regard to the

an opinion from Mr. Poe on the follow-

ing question: "Can the present session of the General Assembly constitutionally enact any law under the provisions of the amend-

report of your committee on judicial proceedings submitted on the 26th of Pebruary ult., in which the opinion is clearly and strongly stated that the General Assembly at its present session not only have the power, but it is their duty to carry into effect the recent constitutional amendment by defining and limiting the terms of the office of the county commissioners elected in November last, not to exceed in any case the period of six years. In this opinion I entirely concur. When the constitutional amendto carry into effect the recent constitutional amendment by defining and limiting the terms of the office of the county six years. In this opinion I entirely concur. When the constitutional amendment was adopted it displaced and superseded the pre-existing section, and as by its terms it embraced the county commissioners elected on the same day upon which it was adopted, it necessarily repealed the limitation of two years for which, prior to its adoption, county commissioners were elected and left the county commissioners elected last November without any definite and prescribed tenure, but it manifestly conemplated and its framers and the people who adopted it expected that this Gen-

eral Assembly would by appropriate legislation define and limit their terms of office, and thus make definite and specific that which it purposely left to be 'prescribed by law.' "If this General Assembly should adjourn without enacting a law fixing the tenure of the county commissioners who were elected last November, those commissioners would hold office without any precise limit to their term, and in November, 1893, serious embarrassment and difficulty would arise. To avoid this result it is plainly the duty of this General Assembly to legislate upon the subject, and in prescribing by law the periods not exceeding six years' for which the county commissioners new in office are to remain in office, it is clear that in order to carry into effect the provisions as to the enlargement of their

designed to apply to the county commissioners elected last November very clearly appears from the first clause, which provides that the election for county commissioners shall be held on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in the month of November, 'commencing in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-one. "The law which it requires this Gen-Assembly to pass was not intended to be made prospective in its operations and to apply for the first time to the county commissioners who may be hereafter elected, but the contemplated law was to apply to cover and fix the terms not exceeding six years of those who were elected, commencing in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-one. I answer your question, therefore, by expressing my pinion that the present session of the General Assembly can constitutionally enact a law prescribing for the county

years 'he time or times for which some

of the commissioners are to hold. That

the constitutional amendment was

continue beyond the period of two The constitutional amendment referred to is as follows: "County commissioners shall be elected on general ticket of each county by the qualified voters of the several counties of the State on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in the month of Nover the year 1891; their number in each county, their compensation, powers and duties shall be such as now or may be hereafter prescribed by law; they shall be elected at such times, in such numbers and for such periods not exceeding six years as may be prescribed by law."

commissioners who were elected last

November terms of service which shall

Annapolis May Have a Future. A story comes from Annapolis to the effect that a hen belonging to an eminent citizen laid two eggs in a bake oven. The oven afterward being heated the eggs hatched and the chickens are alive and doing well. A few more such efforts and the grand old city on the Severn will emerge from its long sleep and spin down the track of progress faster than

a trolley car.—Balt. Herald.

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Mr. Poe's opinion, which was published on March 5, 1892, is as follows:

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