in the yard of Mr. George Wolfe, keeper other than cases of malaria and that there of the Triadelphia pike toligate, totally was a general desire among the command demolishing it and severely shocking the to embark for the front. He says that he

occupants of Mr. Wolfe's residence. Bone and Chemical Works at Elkridge, toning considerable damage to the dam, amounting in all to about \$1,000. The at the mill about twenty barrels of grease and neats-foot-oil.

## Howard County School Board.

At a regular meeting of the Howard county School Board, on Tuesday, blds were received from several Baltischolastic year.

The appointment of the following ley Hyatt, school No. 6, Fourth district; Miss Naomi Leishear, school No. 9, Third district; Miss Bessie Leishear, school No. 8, Third district. Examinations for filling vacant scholarships were ordered for August 9 and 10.

A delegation from the Mayfield public school, in the Third district, appeared for the appointment of an assistant teacher to the school. It was claimed that the register showed a daily average of 50 pupils during the summer term which, under the regulations of the School Board, justifies the appointment of an assistant

### Who Is He?

The Baltimore Sun of Tuesday publishes a diary of one of the boys on the "Dixie," doing blockade duty along the Cuban shores. The following item appears in the chronicle:

"June 28.—Rained last night. On our Clara. Cubans are seen on shore. Launched whaleboat, sending food, clothing, arms and ammunition ashore to them. Three came aboard. Their captain is from Ellicott City, Md. The lieutenant Lee-Metford carbine. The sergeant and Tuesday and Wednesday and already private wore little clothing and carried | there is a noticeable improvement in the machetes. They said they had nothing to eat but some grass. They were a sad availeth much, says the good book, but sight—half starved, and badly clad, but the infidel will still sav—"prove it." full of fight." Just who left Ellicott City to become a

not been made out. Killed by a Passing Train.

as the train was entering the tunnel, above Marriottsville, going west, Tuesday evening last, about 5 o'clock. Mr. Taylor was on engine 1250 and the cause of his death was due to the fact that he was down on the steps of the engine looking into the ash pan when he was struck | Rev. Evin and Rev. Cole. by a passing train, drawn by engine 1251. His death must have been instantaneou as his body was badly mangled.

His body was placed aboard a passen ger train and taken to Camden Station and forwarded to his home at St. Denis. The funeral services took place at St. Denis, and the interment was in Loudon Park Cemetery.

## A Murderer's Employment.

Joseph America, the colored murderer of Isaiah Neison, who was condemned to be hanged here, and later received a commutation of sentence to life impris- National Progressive Order of Odd Felonment, is developing into a first-class marble worker at the Maryland Penitentiary. America has the frame of a giant home previous to his unfortunate fit of temper during which he killed Nelson. The colored man expresses great gratitude at having been spared from a death by the noose.

# Orphans' Court.

The following business was transacted in the Orphans' Court on Tuesday: The will of the late Ephraim Scott, of this county, was admitted to probate and letters granted to his widow, Mrs. Ellen Scott, who was named in the will as sole executrix. The will devises the whole estate, both real and personal, to the widow during her lifetime, after which it is to be divided equally among the surviving children.

Letters of administration on the estate of the late Stevens G. Haynes were granted to Launcelot Haynes. Included in the estate are life insurance policies amounting to several thousand dollars.

# Bur Raspberries.

Mr. John E. L. Hanna, of this city, says the Westminster Sentinel, showed us a curiosity in fruit, a day or two ago, in the shape of what might be called bur rasp- semi-monthly meeting at the residence berries. Several sprigs loaded with these of Mr. John F. Kirkwood. The meeting berries were sent Mr. Hanna by his niece, the little daughter of Mr. Byron Dorsey, of Mt. Airy. Such of the fruit as was not thoroughly ripe was covered by a soft bur. Apparently the bur bursts as the berry Dorsey, at Gary, this county, had one of ripens and at last opens entirely.

Dorsey, at Gary, this county, had one of his hands terribly lacerated by being

# Jurisdiction of Trasis Assumed.

Judge Burke, of the Baltimore county court, has signed a decree assuming jur isdiction of the trusts created by the will of the late William J. Dickey, and directing that the further execution of the trusts be conducted under the supervision of the court, and further providing for the maintenance of the dispensaries at the Wetherdville and Oella Mills as beneficial to the business of W. J. Dickey &

## Mr. Alcorn Goes West.

Mr. Robert Alcorn left last week for Denver, Col., to join his wife, who is an invalid and went to that State upon the They had quite an enjoyable time dancadvice of her physician. Mr. Alcorn has ing and the ride home was enjoyed by been a resident of Howard county for a all. number of years and owns a farm near Scaggaville. He discontinued farming last fall. He was also a member of the firm of George W. Alcorn & Co. Mrs. Alcorn went west last fall and her hushand remained here to settle up his busi

Divorce Granted. Mrs. Mary H. McKim has been granted an absolute divorce from Sears Sterett vell-known banker and soci ty man, who formerly resided at lichester, this county. The decree was signed in Circuit Court No. 2, of Baltimore. Mrs.

M. Fare for the round trip, \$1.00. McKim is given the custody of her child. Mary Sterett McKim, and \$800 a year allmony, payable quarterly. The decree August 16. Mr. Seth Warfield, manager, was signed June 8, 1898, and was granted is arranging to make it one of the most on statutory grounds.

List of Unclaimed Letters Remaining in Ellicott City Postoffice, July 22 1896. Joseph Ford, Mr. Monebles Gassaway, Mr. F. Nenolman, Mr. Howard Yearby 3.

Persons calling for the above letters will please say they are advertised.

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Local and Miscellaneous.

A Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor was organized in Christ Independent Church here on the 10th inst. with the following officers: President, Joseph Straughn; vice-president, William Lilly; recording secretary, Miss Sa-

Mr. Booker Clark, of Hilton, this counbadly damaged by overflows in lowlands | Clark, who is a member of the Fifth and many of the upland fields were Maryland Regiment, which has been stationed at Tampa, Flo. Mr. Clark stated Lightning also struck a large oak tree | that there was no disease in the company enjoyed several successful hunts after The storm on Wednesday night did game, ferocious and otherwise, that

considerable damage to the Bruckner's abounds in the neighborhood of Tampa. Mr. Thomas O'Neil, of O'Neil Brothers, Md. washing away about one acre of the proprietor of several steam wheat land, with heavy timber on it, and occas- threshers, states that the greatest quantity of wheat turned out this season in one day by his best thresher was 850 water arose so high that it carried away bushels, whereas last season it was not unusual for him to thresh by the same machine 1,200 bushels in a day. This imal having received a kick from one of goes to prove the proportionate shortage of this year's crop in Howard as com-

pared with that of last year. Dr. G. S. Ward, Professor of history in the Western Maryland College will demore dealers for furnishing text books liver his lecture on the war between the for the county schools for the coming United States and Spain, at Jennings' Chapel, Methodist Protestant Church, on Thursday evening, July 28th, at 8 P. M. teachers was confirmed: Miss Sadie Snyder, school No 3, Third district; J. Bradoptican views, and is highly entertainoptican views, and is highly entertaining and instructive. Admission—adults, 25 cents; children, 15 cents.

A few days ago residents in the vicinity of St. John's, this county, were quite surprised to learn of the presence of a deer which had been seen browsing in the neighborhood. Mr. Henry Scott, a trucker, said it was quite tame as he was able before the board to ask for an appropria-tion to enlarge the school building and

of the Druid Hill Park menagerie. Grover Hobbs, the fourteen-year-old son of Mr. James L. Hobbs, manager for Senator Gorman on his farm, near Laurel, had one arm broken in two places and received internal injuries by being thrown from a colt on Sunday afternoon. His condition is serious. He was a page in the Senate, for which he had been select-

ed by Senator Gorman. A pardon was received here Monday from Governor Lowndes for Thomas Jones, who is serving a term in the Maryland House of Correction for larceny. Jones belongs in Baltimore. He had way now up the cost to Province of Santa | been employed by Harry Shipley, of this county, when he disappeared with one of his employer's horses, which he sold in

Baltimore. The oppressive atmosphere of Sunday last had the effect of stimulating prayers wore a suit of bed ticking. He carried a in the churches for rain. It came on fields. The prayers of the righteous

Genevieve Cordray, age four years, youngest daughter of Charles J. Cordray of Baltimore, who is boarding for the captain in the insurgent army as yet has summer in Howard county, near Ellicott City fell, and cut her leg near the knee cap Tuesday. The wound, which re-Joseph Taylor, aged 26 years, a fireman on the B. & O. railroad, whose home Dr. Linthicum, of Savage.

auspices of St. Luke's A. M. E. Church, is in progress in Sunderland's Park. Sunday's services were well attended by both black and white. The morning services were conducted by Rev. Harity, the afteriff G. E. Flower, near Marriottsville. noon by Rev. Martian, and the night by

Examinations for free scholarships in the State Normal School, St. John's College, Agricultural College, Charlotte Hall Academy, Washington College, Md., slso, for teachers' certificates, will be conducted by School Examiner Shipley on August 9th and 10th. Further particulars next week.

The corner stone of the new Mt. Gregory colored M. E. Church, near Cooksville, this county, will be laid on Sunday, August 14th. The services will be under the direction of the Improved Order of Sons and Daughters of Joshua, and the

News has been received here by Mr John M. Collier, bookkeeper in the Patap and a wonderful degree of strength, with sco National Bank, of the severe woundconsiderable natural ability. He is a ing of his brother, William B. Collier, in hard worker, and manifests in his life at the fight before Santiago between the the "pen" all the characteristics by which | Spaniards and Roosevelt's Rough Riders,

he was known about his Howard county to which command Mr. Collier belonged. Mr. Goldsborough S. Griffith, of Balti more, the well-known president of the Maryland Prisoners' Aid Society, was the guest Thursday of Rev. and Mrs. George II. Nock, who are spending the summer at "Bonemma," the home of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Bone, at Gray's.

The initiatory steps, it is stated, have been taken to organize an anti-civil service club in the Becond district of Howard county. It is understood that a number of prominent gentlemen of both the ville, spent this week with James E. leading political parties are in sympathy | Shreeve, of this place. with the movement.

Albert Weber, whose quarries are on the B. & O. Rallroad, near this city, has secured the contract for building the atone abutments for the new bridge to be tion, is visiting relatives in Leonardtown, built over the Patapsco River at Oakland, between Carroll and Baltimore counties.

The congregation at each of the masses last Sunday at Doughoregan Manor was Mr. Jackson Isaac. large. Greater interest is being manifested lately in church affairs there. The members intend to have a social reunion at Carrollton Hall August 24th.

The Lighting Club of the Presbyterian Church, of Ellicott City, held its regular of Laurel. was well attended and watermelon was served at the adjournment.

Joshua Thompson, an engineer at the steam creamery establishment of Messrs. caught in the machinery of the mill while operating it a few days ago.

In the Orphans' Court at Westminster last week James Freese, known as Brother Maurice, President of Rock Hill College, bonded as guardian to Wm. T., Frank H. and John G., infant children of the late Dr. Edward D. Wells.

Rev. F. X. McKenny, of St. Charles' College, is discharging the pastoral duties at St. Stephen's Church, Bradshaw, Baltimore county, during the absence of the pastor, Rev. William Clements, who has gone to Europe.

A party left here Thursday night at 7 o'clock for Gwynn Oak, in Mr. Jas. H. Gaither's four horse 'bus, "Patapsco.'

The County Commissioners on Tuesday paid over to the County School Board through Treasurer L. M. Shipley, \$3,500, being the fourth quarterly instalment due the county schools for the year just ended. A large amount of entertainment may be expected in Mr. F. M. Brown's grove, Scaggsville, this county, on Wednesday, August 10, at which time there will be a tournament and other amusements. The 17th annual excursion of the B

Watch for notice of the grand tournament to be held near Cooksville, on

enjoyable occasions of the season. Dr. M. Gist Sykes, of this city, and Miss Lottle D. Cavey and brother, (Saturday) afternoon at Marriottsville. Edward, of Ilchester, attended the musicale given at Nelson's Hotel, Bidgeville,

dent Methodist Church, and had to be conveyed home in a carriage. Crowds of white and colored people

congregated at the Newport and Sykes-

ville colored camp meetings last Sunday.

The Sykesville camp will be in progress for the next three Sundays. As will be seen by the advertisement in another column a grand tournament will be held in Mr. Albert N. Dorsey' grove, near Cooksville, on Tuesday, July 6, commencing at 10 A. M.

Of the deputy game wardens appointed

for Howard county only three qualified within the time required by law. Most of the appointments will, therefore, have to be made over again. Mr. C. G. Sprecher, of Mt. Airy, Md representing the Hess Manufacturing Co., Hagerstown, was in Ellicott City this week delivering several buggles sold

to parties here. The Clarksville annual tournament and pic-nic, occurring this year on August 3rd, promises to be more attractive than ever. See the advertisement elsewhere in this issue.

School Commissioner Henry O. Devries, who has been confined to his home, in the Third district, for several weeks past by severe illness, is now able to be about. Mr. Charles Lethbrige, of Ellicott City.

lost a valuable horse Wednesday, the anhis other horses, breaking several ribs. Miss Florence McCauley, formerly of this city, is in Scranton, Pa., where she is spending some time with Miss Anna Bone, daughter of Mr. James L. Bone. On Saturday night last the office of James S. Gary & Son, at No. 106 West German street, Baltimore, was entered by thieves and the premises ransacked. Mr. L. H. Schultz and daughter, Miss

Ella, and Mrs. L. P. Schultz and daughter. Lillian, of Sykesville, are at Reho beth Beach for two weeks. Mrs. Berlin, Misses Sadie Welch, Maggie Buetefisch, and Carrie Meisenbacher, of Ellicott City, were among the visitors

at Penn-Mar Wednesday. A dinner in honor of Mr. and Mrs. A Howard Linthicum, recently married was given last week by Mrs. Georgiana

Mrs. Margaret E. Poland, Saturday, sustained severe injuries by accidentally falling down the stairs, at her home, near Ellicott City.

Bishop John Foley, of Detroit, Mich. and Cardinal Gibbons spent Sunday with Mr. D. J. Foley at his country place in Howard county. Rev. Frank Kunkel, a son of the wagonbuilder in Baltimore, will be a new addition to the St. Charles' College Faculty

next September. Miss Collier, of the Eastern Shore, who has been visiting Miss Alice Hunt, here, has returned to her home, accompanied

by Miss Hunt. Mr. Charles Cramblet, conducting a livery stable in Ellicott City, had to kill one of his horses Sunday, on account of a broken leg.

A marriage license was issued in Baltimore on Wednesday to Elliott Mills and Lizzie Menefee, both of Savage, this county. R. W. B. Dorsey, of this county, who was appointed to a place under Mr. Gary,

has, it is stated, been removed from

office. Mrs. W. S. Powell and son, Edward, of Annapolis Junction, have returned Mr. James R. Weer, of Sykesville, was

in Ellicott City on Wednesday and tendered The Times office a pleasant call. Mrs. Reese Flower, of Philadelphia, is the guest of her brother-in-law, ex-Sher-Miss Mercedes Roberts, of Prince George's county, Md., is visiting the Misses Maupin, of Ellicott City.

Mrs. J. Neal, of Annapolis Junction, has gone to Harper's Ferry on an extended visit to relatives and friends. Miss Estelle Hayden, of Washington is the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. Latch-

ford, at Annapolis Junction. Mr. Curvan Eckenrode, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Charles Meads, of this place.

State's Attorney J. D. McGuine and family left on Friday of this week for a month's stay in the north. Carl Smith, of Baltimore, spent several lays of this week with his grandmother,

Mrs. Kinsey, of this place. The Sykesville Perpetual Building Association has increased its capital stock from \$120,000 to \$300,000.

Mrs. R. S. Feigley and father, Mr. W . Robinson, left on Thursday to visit friends in Talbott county. The Cardinal, accompanied by Bishop

John Foley, of Detroit, visited Doughoregan Manor last Sunday. Mr. Philip Carroll, youngest, son of ex-Gov. John Lee Carroll, will enter Harvard

University next season. Mr. W. S. Macgill, of Baltimore, spens Sunday with his mother, Mrs. W. A.

Macgill, of Ellicott City. Mr. Earnest T. Litsinger, of Clarks-Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Stanley, of Laurel, spent part of this week with Miss Ida

lyson, at "Mt. Ida." Mrs. A. Latchford, of Annapolis Junc-St. Mary's county.

Mrs. Jones, accompanied by her daugh ter, Mary, is the guest of her father here Mr.: Theodore Artaud, of Baltimore

spent Sunday with Dr. B. J. Byrne, of this place. Mr. Guy Nichols, of Clarksville, has

been visiting his aunt, Mrs. A. E. Nichols, Mrs. George Wethered, of Columbia. has recently completed a large barn on

her farm. July 24 and 31 masses will be said at at 10.30. Mrs. H. E. Wootton and niece, Miss

O'Donnell, of Ellicott City, are at Atlantic City. Miss Mary Waddy, of Norfolk, Va

s visiting the Misses Hodges, of this place. Mr. Robert Davies, of Washington, D C., is the guest of Mr. John F. Kirkwood

Mr. Frank Vernay, of Baltimore, spen Sunday with his mother near Ellicott City Dr. A. C. Taylor and wife, of this place, are taking an extended trip South. Meredith. Mr. Watson Isaac, of Washington, D . is visiting relatives in Ellicott City. Mrs. J. B. Coomes, of Hilton, has as her guest Miss Kinsey, of Baltimore. Mr. Asa C. Sharp and family arrived here on Wednesday from Oklahoma.

Mr. R. Brent Scott, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with his sisters living here. Mr. John Ray has had water turned to his house from the Galther system. Miss Pauline Maytield, of Ellipott City, is visiting friends at Hood's Mill. James E. Shreeve, Jr., of this place, spent Sunday at Clarksville.

#### been at a white heat. The tournament season is on.

As everybody knows, the weather has

A game of baseball was played Saturday between an Ellicott City team and the Woodstocks, at Woodstock, resulting

Just opened, a large assortment of Box I began to feel better and I can now do

LETTER PROM MANILA.

Herbert L. Crook Writes of Happenings After the Great Naval Fight. In a letter dated May 12, Herbert L Crook, of the United States cruiser Raleigh, at Manila, tells of happenings there. the gallant sons of Howard county and writes the following spirited letter:

when I wrote my last letter," he states. We just wiped the Spaniards off the earth. Now we are running a blockade here, holding everything that comes in sight. A Spanish gunboat hove in sight this morning from some island, and the Raleigh 'didn't do a thing' to her. We got up anchor and went full speed toward her, fired a few small shells, but she did not stop. When we fired a six-inch shell about ten feet above her deck she stopped. The shell went through her awning. The captain of the Spanish ship came aboard. He said he thought the Spanish fleet was here, and when we told him what we had lone to them, he turned as white as a ghost, and had no more to say. Then we armed a crew and took charge of her. She is a very pretty little boat; has four guns and her speed is twenty miles an hour l'hey have one or two more boats out he re, off the city of Manila, waiting for the United States to send more troops here, and then we will shell the town and take "There are several other men of-war

ighting ships and lots of launches and tugs. We hear that at the home station they have not fired a shot yet. I suppose we will have to come home and do up that fleet like we did this one. "I tell you it was a great fight. They gave us a good fight all right, but we had the guns and never lost a man. They ay it was a regular slaughter-house on board their ships. We are living on 'government straight' not very much to eat, but we are just in fighting trim for these sort of people. We have had some fresh beef. There were twenty head of young cattle on board one of our captures and they were divided among the ships of the fleet. We butchered them on board the gunboat. The one we captured today had about 100 chickens, one cow and two little goats. The latter we have on board for pets. I've some of the Spanish shells, which l will keep for curios. Send me some papers about the war: we can't get any out here and nothing much to read."

here. Germany has two, England one, Japan one, France one. We have six

# OBITUARY.

CRIST. Died, at Glenelg, this county, Friday morning, July 15th, Mrs. Grafton Crist, after an illness of thirteen years, in the 67th year of her age. The deceased was formerly of Frederick county and was the oldest daughter of the late Henry Michael. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband and nine children—two sons and seven daughters, which are Mr. William Crist and Mrs. Edwin Smith, of near Ellicott City; Mrs. James Parsly, of Dayton, this county; Mrs. Stephen Branden-burg, of Roxbury Mills, and Mr. Edward Crist, Misses Mollie, Jessie, Minnie and Addie Crist, of Glenelg. Her remains were taken to Frederick and laid to rest in Mt. Olivet Cemetery.

Mrs. Mary E. Cavev, wife of Mr. Reuben Cavey, died suddenly Tuesday morning, at her home at Woodstock, this county, erly of the Baltimore city tax depar ment. She leaves, besides her husband, seven small children. Interment took place on Thursday at Woodstock College Cemetery.

BENTLEY. Peter Bentley, who for a number of years conducted a loan office at 669 West Baltimore street, died on Saturday afternoon at his home, 1325 North Gilmore street. Mr. Bentley was 75 years of age, and had been in ill-health for some time. He retired from active business about one year ago. Heart trouble was the cause of his death. He was born in England, and came to this country when 17 years old. He leaves a widow, who was Miss Emma Wilson, of Sykesville. The remains were brought to this county on Monday for burial.

A cablegram from Athens announces the death of Mrs. W. W: Rockhill, the eral months has so far improved as to be wife of the United States Minister to able to go to Washington Grove for a Greece. She died of typhoid fever Sun- season of rest. day. Mrs. Rockhill was formely Miss Carrie Tyson. She was the daughter of the late General Tyson, of Glenelg, Howard county, and spent much of her youth in Baltimore, where she was an acknowledged belle and beauty. She waseducated abroad and had travled extensively. Two daughters, Miss Dorothy and Miss Daisy

Rockhill, survive their mother. Amelia, second daughter of Stephen G. and E. A. Hood, of Howard county, died in Washington City, on the 14th inst., in

the 29th year of her age. Celebration at St. Inigoes. At the summer villa of the Society o Jesus at St. Inigoes, St. Mary's county, an interesting event took place Monday. It was the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of Brother James O'Kane as a member of the society. The religious ceremony was followed by a day of enjoyment, during which Brother O'Kane received the congratulations of all the

fathers and scholastics from Woodstock College, who were at the villa for the annual summer vacation. Brother O'Kane has been in charge of the press of Woodstock College since its establishment, about twenty-five years ago. Under his direction some of the most learned works of the Fathers of the Society of Jesus have been published, the

majority of the works being in Latin and Greek, with copious notes from all the living languages. On Thursday the scholastics and others the 24th the Mayfields will play the Doughoregan at 8.30, and at Clarksville from Woodstock College returned from Albertons. St. Inigoes, reaching the college by an evening train.

New Advertisements. Tournament at Clarksville. Tournament, in Akers' Park. Order nisi, Birckhead vs. Gambrall.

Tournament in the grove of Albert N Dorsev. Late collector's sale, August 13, at 1 Late collector's sale, August 13, at 15

o'clock. Order Nisi, real estate of Samuel W. T. Shaffer, contractor and builder, Public sale of personal property near Marriottsville.

Order Nisi, real estate of Richard T.

Merrick, deceased. Tournrment, in Mr. F. M. Brown's grove, Scaggaville. Notice to Creditors, estate of Stevens G. Haynes, deceased. Tournament, under the auspices of the Glenwood Farmers' Club.

# Struck by a Train.

A colored man named James E. Brown. from Richmond, Va, presented himself at the office of Dr. Charles A. Wells, Hyattsville, on Tuesday, with his head and shoulders terribly lacerated. He stated that he was in the ampley of Mr. lack that he was in the employ of Mr. Jack the Catonsville Presbyterian Church, Dorsey, at Dorsey's, this county, and Rev. Joseph F. Jennison, pastor, a lot of The Norwood Giants baseball team, while on his way there sat down along ground adjoining the church, which was thartic. Easy to take, easy to operate. of Ellicott City, will play the Baltimore side of the railroad track where he went Blues, on Thursday, July 28th, at Oehm's asleep and was struck by a train. He Park.

> Care Up Wark. "I was troubled with my stomach and persuaded to take Hood's Sarsaparills. | during the storm Tuesday afternuon. After the first few doses of this medicine

If you have but one item of news send it

OELLA NOTES.

Mr. Clarence Rockenbaugh, formerly of this place, but now a member of the Maryland Naval Reserves, who has been Saturday and Sunday here with his par-ents, prior to his transfer to the monitor flowers, flags and bunting. The follow-As is well known to many, he is one of Ajax, at Philadelphia, to which vessel he ing program was successfully rendered

"My nerves are more settled now than friends here wish him success. an operation on the hand of Mr. John Kingdom Come," by Pearl Brown; recita-Davidson's five-year-old son a few days tion, "Bunch of Flowers," by three little ago. It was the cutting apart of the girls; recitation, "What I Would Do," by second and third fingers which had three little girls; recitation, "Little grown together. The boy was put under Foxes and Little Hunters," by eight boys the influence of ether and the operation and girls; solo, by Pearl Harding; ques-

William Thompson, which has stood at the gate of "Rosewell," the residence of Miss Annie Thompson, on Westchester avenue, since 1863, had to be cut down this week owing to its rapiddecay, caused by the week owing to its rapiddecay. Caused by the week owing to its rapiddecay by the week owing to its rapiddecay. Caused by the week owing to its rapiddecay by the week owing to its rapid by the week owing to its rapid b by the warm weather, much to the regret Fairall; closing song, "We'll Never Say of its owner.

Mr. John Imhoff, of Woodberry, spent Sunday with his brother, Mr. Louis Im- Mr. George and Anna M. Bauer, died on hoff, of Westchester avenue. Mr. Wil- the 13th inst. of cholera infantum, aged liam Bierly and family, of Baltimore, six months and twenty-one days. The Sunday School wil also spent Sunday on Westchester avebut we cannot find them. Are now lying | nue as the guests of Mrs. Sarah Bierly. Mrs. James Hackley and Mrs. Mollie Hobson and daughter, Bessie, of Woodberry, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Klausman here Sunday. Mr. Oliver Brandenburg, of Damascus,

> Montgomery county, was the guest this | erick Renn. week of Mr. William Molesworth, near Mrs. Israel Jones has been spending the past week with relatives in Montgomery country and Washington, D. C. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hynes, of Baltimore, are spending the summer at the home of Mr. John Hynes, near here. Mr. Joseph Straughn has been engaged

this week repainting one of the dwelling houses of Mr. John Atkinson here. Mr. William Grine and Miss Edith Clark of Laurel, were here Sunday visiting Mr. Grine's mother, Mrs. Alice Grine. Miss Lydia Thomas returned Wednesday from a month's stay with friends at | Methodist Protestant Church were a suc-Roland Park and Govanstown.

Mr. Nicholas Engle, of Baltimore, came out Sunday and spent the day with his sister, Mrs. William Robinson. Mr. Victor Diffy, of Baltimore, was here this week visiting his daughter, Mrs. Charles Schotta, Jr.

Mr. John Richie, of Baltimore, spent Wednesday here with his sister-in-law, Mrs. Alice Grine. The Oella Cornet Band will hold alawn | Misses Lizzie and Laura Clark and Mr. J ete in the public school yard next Wed- E. Litsinger; "Welcome," Mr. Claude

Miss Zenobia Pattie returned to Balti-

Kelbaugh

the guest of friends at Catonsville Sun-Mr. Louis Gaugh, of Frederick, is on a visit to his parents here.

DAISY.

Daisy, July 18.-Last night we hoped we were going to have rain. About nine Hosannas," by the School; recitation o'clock the clouds were black and heavy, "The Church organ," Miss May Hall o'clock the clouds were black and heavy, with thunder and lightning, but only a singing, "Parting Song," by the School from Atlantic City, after ten-days sojourn.

Miss Rose Morrow, of Ellicott City, five years. She was the only daughter of the late Horace M. Key, of this county, friends in New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

At her home at woodstock, this county, of congestion of the lungs, aged thirty-five years. She was the only daughter of the late Horace M. Key, of this county, is perishing for rain. I saw a beautiful is perishing for rain. I saw a beautiful melon patch this morning on low ground Miss Eva Si slight shower came. In an hour the on Mr. J. R. Stier's farm, also cantelopes as large as a tea-cup. Mr. J. Marlow has the care of them, a North Carolina man, who surely understands his business.

A number of our neighbors have threshed. All report not much more than a half crop of wheat, the average per acre being from 3 to 22 bushels. And this yield on some of the best farms. The most exciting topic of conversation appears to be the tournament to be held on the fourth of August by the 'Farmers Club." We hope none of our

leavy weights will tumble off their horses

in their efforts to take rings. Mr. Edwin Wartield's home is about completed. The family are going to occupy it this week.
Children's Day services at Jennings Chapel were well attended yesterday. Mrs. J. T. Flynn, who has had a severe attack af neuralgia of the limbs for sev-

Mrs. George Danner and Children, of Catonsville, are sojourning at Mrs. J. A. Peddicord's. The visitors at Daisy on Sunday were: Misses Elsie Shipley, Isabel and Mamie Henderson, of Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. Belden D. Patrick, Messrs Stanley D.

Shipley, M. L. and C. W. Stier, G. C. Snyder, C. Walz and Charles Warthan. I think hunters will have a good time next autumn from the present outlook. I took a drive of ten miles last week and saw a number of young rabbits, squirrels and partridges. MAKE PEACE. DAISY, July 19.-May H. H. Hickok

of Terrell, Texas; Mr. B. T. Bowen and wife, of Baltimore; Mr. A. C. Wolfe, wife and daughters, of Union Bridge, visited their aunt, Mrs. Horatio Griffith, Wednesday, July 13th, spending several

Thursday will long be remembered at 'Blenhill" as many relatives and friends gathered together. At 3 o'clock all were invited to the dining room to enjoy a bouutifuldinner. Darknesscame toosoon, as the company seemed loth to depart.

MAYFIELD MUSINGS. MAYFIELD, July 18.-A game which promised to be very interesting was supposed to have been played last week be tween the Mayfield and Woodbine base ball clubs, but on account of the non-appearance of the Woodbines, the game was forfeited to the Mayfields, 9 to 0. Or

The Messrs. Jennings, of Baltimore visited Mr. J. A. Renehan last Sunday week, and had a very enjoyable time. Mrs. Jos. Gillin and daughter, Miss May, of Washington, D. C., are visiting

Mr. Thos. J. Fahey, of Loyola, and Mr. Edward J. Carroll, of St. Charles College, are spending their vacation at the residence of Mrs. J. A. Renchan, of Master John Bloom, of Columbia, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. G. Wolfe.

Miss Regina Hobbs, of Baltimore, is spending her vacation with her uncle, Mr. Wm. Renehan. A party of young men went spearing one night last week and caught quite a number of fish and cels, one cel, in particular, being about the largest ever caught around here.

CATONSVILLE.

There was much excitement Wednesday at the Catonsville Country Club, over a mail dog that was running about the place feaming at the mouth. The animal was snarling and biting at everything that chanced in its path. The dog was killed by Samuel Espey. It had been prowling about the place for several

recently purchased by Mr Gary and Mrs. 25c. William Nolan has been elected president and T. E. Doyle secretary of St. Mark's Lyceum, Catonsville.

CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

SCAGGSVILLE.

SCAUGBVILLE, July 21.—Children's Day was celebrated by the Emanuel M. I Church Sunday school last Sunday after serving on the Dale, in Baltimore, spent | noon and was largely attended. The has been assigned. The monitor is com-manded by Lieut. Edwin Geer. Mr. R. song, "Sunshine in the Soul;" responsive makes an ideal looking sailor. His many service; song, "Music and Love;" pastor' riends here wish him success.

Dr. Winslow, of Baltimore, performed We," by five little girls; recitation, "Thy as far as known was successful.

A large willow tree, planted by the late
William Thompson, which has stood at
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Children Read," by Myrtle Welsh; recitation.

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> and Friday last. Good-bve.' Delia Pauline, the infant daughter of Fulton. Mrs. Carrie Burton, of Washington,

D. C., is visiting her sister, Mrs. M. A. Pearl. Miss Carrie Renn, of Baltimore, i visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred-

Miss Emma Kruhm, of Fulton, is visit ing her sister, Mrs. George Bauer. A game of baseball was played between the Scaggsville and High Ridge teams on the grounds of the latter at High Ridge, forms of amusement will be provided. which resulted in a score of 3 to 2 in avor of the home team. Mr. Geo. Bauer is waging war against of the season. The moderate fee of 25 the stumps on his place by bombarding cents will be charged for supper. Ad-

#### them with dynamite. CLARKSVILLE.

CLARKSVILLE, July 17.—The Children's Day services held at the Clarksville cess, financially as well as otherwise. The interesting programme was said by several to be the best ever held in that church. The exercises were opened by an organ voluntary, by Miss Susie Linthicum; "Joy to the world," by all; responsive reading was followed by the Gloria Patri; prayer, by the pastor, Rev. W. D. Litsinger; opening address, Mr. Stanley Litsinger; trio, "We owe it," Ridgely; recitation, "The Psalm of Life," Mr. William Baker, of Thistle, was lere Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Kelbaugh.

Miss Verdie Owings; singing, "We Must not grow weary," by the school; recitation, "We've Always Been Provided Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mills had as their guest Sunday Miss Mamie Nixon, of Bal- With Jesus," Miss Daisy Beane; recitation, "The Macedonian Cry," Miss Edith Walz; recitation, "The Flower Girl," nore on Sunday from a visit to her mother Miss Sadonia Ridgley; singing, "Worl To-day," by the school; recitation, "Noth-Mrs. Mollie Simons, of this place, was | ing To Do," Miss Minnie Hall; duet The Cross is not Greater Than His Brace," Miss Pearla Litsinger and Mr. J E. Litsinger; recitation, Mr. Frank Owings; singing, "Lift up the Banner," by the school; recitation, "The Starless Crown," by Mr. J. E. Shreeve, solo "Heart's Ease," by Miss Sadie Ridgley address, by the Pastor; singing, "Gla

> Mrs. Thomas, of Martinsburg, Va., is on a short stay at the home of Miss some time with Miss Laura Dorsey, and is the recipient of much attention. Miss Maude Dorsey is entertaining Miss Nelle Wright, of Mt. Washington. Miss Anna Forsythe is also in Clarksville at the home of Miss Virginia Cashell.

ROVER. ROVER, July 21.—This section of the county was visited by a heavy storm l'uesday afternoon, which made the farmers rejoice as the crops were perishing. If it had not occurred, I think the populace would have had to adopt the meeting Wednesday S P. M. Young New England plan, when it was first colonized. They had prayers and assembled in all the villages.

The sick in this locality are improving rapidly. The omission of Miss Case's name last week was an oversight, but hope she has not taken offense as she is one of the most popular young ladies who visit in the neighborhood, and has been the reciplent of much attention from her Many of the folks are rejoiced to know

to begin shortly above Cooksville, and then Mr. A. N. Dorsey will be better located as most of his (gentlemen) friends assemble there to participate in the good Mrs. E. E. Shipley is attending camp

R. MC. Q.

at Washington Grove.

MARRIOTTSVILLE. MARRIOTTSVILLE, July 20.—Children's Day services were held at Salem M. E. Church last Sunday, and were largely attended. The exercises were very interesting and the teachers and superindeserve much credit for their work. Mrs, W. T. Ridgely presided at the organ. The recitations and singing were well rendered and much credit is due Miss Minnie Carr for the pleasing manner in which she spoke. The servi-

ces were conducted by the Rev. F. A. Miss Daisy S. Bopst, of Baltimore, is spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Bopst. Quite an excitement occurred here last unday morning. A locomotive set fire to a dwelling house and had it not been for the prompt work of the men it might have done considerable damage.

Mr. Charles Kraul, of Alpha, paid a flying visit here last Sunday evening.

OAKLAND MILLS. OAKLAND MILLS, July 20 .- Many farm ers in this locality have threshed their wheat and reports are general to the effect that the crop for '98 is short, being from five to ten bushels short per acre of the crop of '97.

Mrs. Amanda M. Geaslen, widow of the late Jas. L. Geaslen, left on Monday the home of her daughter. Mrs. John Miller, for a visit to her son, Jeseph Geaslen, now a baggage agent in Cincinnati, Ohio. Mrs. Geaslen will be absent from Howard until next fall, taking Chicago in her trip, where she also has relations. The health of this section is good. Judge Reuben Dorsey is sick just now, temporarily, we hope. Mr. Dorsey has on his farm a poplar tree six and one-half feet in circumference at the base, and carries this size for

G. W. G.

LAUREL.

wenty feet upward.

A fire destroyed the stable of Robert McNulty at Laurelearly Sunday morning. Two horses, feed and harness were burned up. The stable was occupied by Rey. G. Wilhur Shipley, of the Presbyterian church, who owned one of the horses, and the other was the property of Mr. McNulty. The flames spread to the barns of Robert Dalton and Mr.

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Elizabeth, N. J., Oct. 19, 1896. Ely Bros., Dear Sirs:-Please accept my thanks for your favor in the gift of a bottle of Cream Balm. Let me say the Woodstocks, at Woodstock, resulting in a score of 24 to 20 in favor of the former. The same teams will play this several days at a time. I was at last the old Glenn estate, south of Catonaville, if recommendation are followed. Your struky. directions are followed. Yours truly, (Rev.) H. W. HATHAWAY. No clergyman should be without it Cream Balm is kept by all druggists. Full size 50c. Trial size 10 cents. We mail

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P. M., prayermeeting, Westminster Assembly's Catechism. EMORY M. E. CHURCH, Wm. Rogers Pastor.—Services Sunday next: Sunday

School 9.30 A. M.; Preaching 11 A. M

SYKESVILLE NEWS.

SYKESVILLE, July 21 .- Mr. and Mrs.

Mrs. L. H. Schultz is suffering from a

Misses Carrie Richter and Annie Carr,

The camp will continue three weeks.

s'ock and fixtures at public auction on

was the guest of Wille Hepner Thursday

Mr. Guy McCrone, of Washington, D.

C., visited his parents here several days

The annual picnic of St. Paul's M. E.

Sunday School will be held on Hotel

FACTS FROM FULTON.

Fulton, July 21.—An Epworth League

picnic will be held in the grove adjoin-

ing Zion M. E. Church South, near High-

land, next Thursday afternoon, 28th inst.

Firstclass refreshments will be on sale.

A game of baseball will be played in an

adjoining field at 3 o'clock and other

Supper will begin at 5 P. M. and will

consist of the delicacies and substantials

mission to the grounds free. Vocal and

instrumental music and a lecture is pro-

gramed. Proceeds for the benefit of the

church. All are cordially invited and

an enjoyable time is promised all.
The L. A. S. of St. Paul's Lutheran

Church will meet on the last Wednesday

of this month at the home of Mr. Henry

An Outing at Gist.

GIST P. O., Carroll Co., July 14.—The

batchelor home of the Messrs. Klee,

"Wainut Grove," was the scene of an

unusually pleasant and gay time today.

By invitation to visiting friends Mrs.

Phillinger, of Sykesville, a number of

pastime. Those composing the party

were: Misses Carrie Richter and Annie

Mrs. Wm. Selby, Misses Minnie and Elsie

Carr, of Baltimore; Mrs. Rettle Carter,

Phillinger, Miss Lillie Phoebus, Beulab

McCrone, Lelia Hepner, Mr. R. W. Carter,

Dr. Arthur Gimpel, Clinton Branden-

burg, John and Henry Klee, of Sykesville.

PUBLIC SALES.

Following is a list of the public sales

Edvertised in THE TIMES. These notices

remain, free of charge, until day of saie.

Sale bill printing done on short notice

On Tuesday, August 2, by Charles D.

At private sale, 125 acres more or less,

At private sale, by Robert Alcorn,

Laurel, Md., farm of 108 acres in Howard

THE CHURCHES.

PRESRYTERIAN CHURCH, H. Branch, D.

of the Akers farm. See advertisement.

Pickett, Sheriff, lot on Merrick avenue,

except on Fridays.

Ellicott City.

Timmerman, at Highland.

Charles Grant, of Alpha, Howard county,

llepner, of this town.

Phillinger.

last week.

severely sprained ankle.

Our Losses at Santiago, The final report of casualties in the army and missing. The killed number 246, of grows in the open preserves its individuwhom twenty-one were officers; wounded 1.584, of whom ninety-eight were officers,

that the M. E. Church tent meeting is cers. Of the wounded only sixty-eight have died. Our baby has been continually troubled his birth, and all that we could do for him did not seem to give more than temporary relief, until we tried Chamberlain's Colle, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. Since giving that remedy he has not been testimonial as an evidence of our grati-

your meritorious remedy.-G. M. Law, Keokuk, lowa. For sale by druggists.

BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD. Popular Excursion to Niagara Falls Thurs day, July 28. A Ten (10) Day Tour to Niagara Falls, America's Greatest Natural wonder, via B. & O. Royal Blue Line and the Lehigh Valley Route, through the Lehigh and Wyoming Valleys—the Switzerland of America. Special train of elegant day coaches and parlor cars will be run on Thursday, July 28th, leaving 

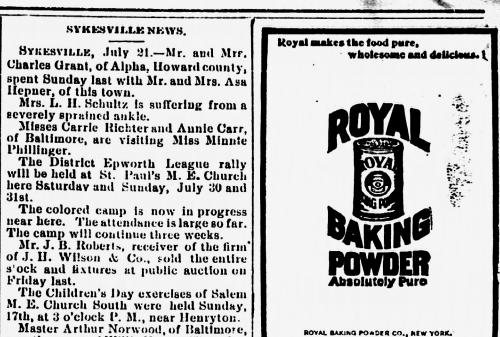
Round trip tickets for this excursion will be placed on sale at Ellicott City, Md., at the rate of \$10.15. rate of 510-16. Stop overs allowed on return trip at Buffalo, Rochester, Geneya, Burdette, (Watkins Glen), and Mauch Chunk. Special arrangements for dinner and supper en route at very reasonable rates. Call on Ticket Agents, Baltimore & Ohio R. R., for full

The Mountain Chautauqua The 16th Annual Session of this famous Chautauqua will be held August 4th to 26th, 1898. It is the most superb and sensible summer resort in America, 2,800 feet above sea level on the line of the picturesque B. & O. R. R. The climate and scenery and social surroundings are all that could be desired. \$300,000 have been spent in improvements. Mountain Lake Park is furnished with electric lights, and water works are now being put in. Five splendid hotels and two hundred and tifty cottaves, many of which receive boarders, open their doors at reasonable rates to tourists. The charming lake furnishes excellent boating and tishing. The Chautauqua Summer Schools are in Session for four weeks. They include thirty departments of important study under the care of enthusiastic and capable teachers out of leading American colleges. The Chautauqua program with three entertainments daily furnishes the best things in lectures, entertainments and music which The 16th Annual Session of this famous in lectures, entertainments and music which genius can devise or money procure. The beautiful detailed illustrated program can be secured by addressing the agent of the Balti more & Ohio R. R., Mountain Lake Park Maryland.

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EDUCATORS, CONSCIENCE AND CARDI NAL. Mr. Editor : According to "H. S. B." in THE TIMES

of July 16th, Howard county was well represented at the National Educational Association, which recently met in Wash. ington. It would be interesting if "II. S. B." could give the readers of THE TIMES a little account of the discussion that ensued at the meeting on "The Social Basis of Conscience," as it is rather remarkable to hear of such a subject being discussed among a body of educators. Press dispatches merely state that the paper was discussed by a number of persons, among them being Henry R. Sanford, State institute conductor, Penn Yan, N. Y., and H. E. Kratz, superinter lent of Sioux City public schools. Con has, however, of late, engaged the attention of many of the most advanced think-

ers in the realms of philosophy and re-

ligion, and seems destined from this wide

reception to become the basis of a new

life, philosophy, or religion. From Catholic to Freethinker this recognition has been made and a volume would be required for the recapitulation. Let me note a few. Cardinal Gibbons has devoted an entire sermon to conscience in the old Baltimore Cathedral and his utterance, taken literally, at once abrogates the office of the church, in toto, to the man who accepts conscience as a guide. The Cardinal, be it known, has for a long time been considered in advance of the body of his church, and while his church has in many voung folks gathered for a day's outing directions been seeking the unification of along the banks of the river nearby. Fishing and boating were the leading Christendom, it has remained for the Cardinal to unwittingly propose that which will prove the most efficacious in the solution of the problem. He asks. What is the greatest need of our times?' and, after discanting on churches, schools and various charities, he adds, "but none of these is the most important necessity of the age"-not even the church and the

> stand no longer pre-eminently before the people as the beacons to a happier land? Has the school falled of the magnificent reward it has offered men in all things temporal? Verily, they have both failed, when conscience can be commended as our present greatest need. The Cardinal continues: "What the times need is sturdy manhood, which will be persistent in the carrying out of the dictates of conscience in social, political and religious life." Here we have a new basis proposed for the better guidance of the world's social, political and religious conduct. What the school, the home and the church have been expected to accomplish is now devolved upon conscience,

school does he deem the most important.

Is not this news to the churchman and

the educator? Has the church, or have

the churches lost their hold that they

D., Pastor.—Sunday, 24th July, 9 30 A. M., Sunday School; 11 A. M., preaching; 7.45 P. M., Y. P. S. C. E., subject: "How to Have a Happy Home" Wednesday, 8 "The times need men who will follow "The times need men who will follow their conscience rather than expediency, principles rather than popularity." Like all observing men, the Cardinal sees that the church and the school have not preserved man's individuality and that his proneness to succumb to fashion, custom and popular opinion has undermined manhood in all the walks of life. He says: "Many of us are willing to face unflinchingly the cannon's mouth, but will fail amid the irony and ridicule of the public." Of course this is the result of our collecsince it landed in Cuba three weeks pre- tiveism in education. Like the trees of vious to Saturday last has been forwarded | the woods, our youth are educated toto Washington. It shows an aggregate gether in crowds and all look alike and of 1,914 officers and men killed, wounded act alike in after years. The tree that

ality and becomes a tree in the full sense

of the word, with its branches reaching and missing 84, of whom none were offi. to every side. But, from a solely religious point of view, the Cardinal has capped the climax. Hear him: "The man who follows his conscience has but one master-Godwith colic and cholera infantum since and he will enjoy the liberty and glory of the kingdom of God." Where is the church in this admission? Nowhere. Conscience is not found in the church, but in the man -that is admitted-and the following of it brings to the one Master troubled. We want to give you this only-God. The church, at her best. could do no more, and, as is apparent, she tude, not that you need it to advertise is not even approximating that duty. Conscience further brings to the enjoyment of "the liberty and glory of the kingdom of God," says the Cardinal. Where, then, is the church needed for the conscientious man? With conscience bringing to the most glorious realizations for time and eternity, man has a new dispensation offered him and a new life before him. Has the Cardinal meant all that he has said on this subject? He could hardly do otherwise. We see on every hand, from the servant that does our housework to the servant that sits in our Congress, duty imperfectly and dishonestly performed, solely from the absence of an impress that should exist as the result of conscientious principle. Cleveland, Ingersoll, Jewish Rabbis, Mormons, Swedenborgians, Baptists and the minis-

> voiced the same. What the educators said it would be pleasing to know. OBSERVER. The ICE CREAM SODA at the pharmacy

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