THE LOCAL NEWS FIELD.

SCHOOL BOARD LOSES.

End of a Suit Against the Fidelity and Deposit Company.

The decision in the long-pending case of the State, use of the Board of County School Commissioners of Howard county, against J. E. Hill and the Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland by the Court of Appeals on Saturday last in overruling a motion for reargument puts at final rest this interesting suit. The suit was instituted to recover a sum of money, aggregating about $1,300, which had been used by a former School Board to defray certain expenses incurred by the Board's order. State's Attorney Joseph D. McGuire was engaged as counsel by the Board, with whom he entered into a contract to take the case on a contingency. The case was tried in Baltimore, resulting in a verdict in favor of the defendants, and was then taken to the Court of Appeals, with a like result.

At the last meeting of the School Board Mr McGuire called upon the Board for the necessary amount of court expenses due for the prosecution of the suit. To this request, however, he met with strong opposition from Commissioner Devries, who is the only member of the present Board who was serving on the old Board when the contract was made. Mr. Devries said he was opposed to the suit from the first, believing it to be groundless. He further said that as Mr McGuire had taken the case upon a contingency, it was no more than right that he should bear at least a portion of the expenses. After a considerable interchange of opinion the Board passed an order for the payment of a part of the expense account, leaving the unsettled portion open for future consideration.

Vandalism, Pure and Simple.

The dastardly work of miscreants in this place has been very wanton from time to time, but nothing has exceeded the recklessness or utter disregard of the rights of those possessing property, on the part of the perpetrators, as that which occurred in this place early Thursday morning—the smashing of the windows of the Patapsco National Bank and the store of Messrs. H. D. Dunkel & Bro. The work was done with stones. Three of the heavy plate glass of the bank are wrecked and nine at the store of the Messrs. Dunkel will require renewal, the latter also losing a quantity of groceries in bottles and jars, having been struck by the missiles sent through the windows.

It would be difficult to ascribe a motive for the outrage and to say that it came from an anarchal tendency, pure and simple, we would probably come nearest to it. Main's circus which gave a performance here on Wednesday night, got away from the depot about one o'clock and it is believed the acts were committed after that hour. The authorities are at work on the matter and nothing will be left undone to apprehend the perpetrators. Mr. James H. Gaither has offered $25 reward for the arrest and conviction of the guilty parties and doubtless other rewards will follow.

Newly Registered.

The following is a list of the newly registered in the Second district of Howard county, the result of the two registration days:

FIRST PRECINCT—SECOND DISTRICT.

Green, Joseph, white.	Schrader, Aaron, white
Stricker, C. B., white.	Powers, Thos. J. white
Bowman, Ephraim, col	Young, C. D., col.
Shawen, H. C., white.	France, W. H., white.
Conner, Chas., white.	Scaggs, C. W., white.
Reichenberger, John, white.	Baugher, W. H., white.
Palmer, Jno. H., col.	Jackson, Wm. P., col.
Abbott, Cornelius S., white.	Dawson, Danl., white.
Davison, Jas. M., white	France, Edw., white.
Long, Benj. F., white.	Fryfogle, W. H., white
Neal, Geo. W., white.	Fryfogle, G. D., white.
Barrett, A. J., white.	Goodman, S. E., white.
Barrett, G. W., white.	Williams, Alexis, col.
	Henson, A. M., col.
	Fuller, James, col.

SECOND PRECINCT—SECOND DISTRICT.

Anderson, Peter, white	Howard, John, col.
Brown, Hezekiah, col.	Hobbs, Jos. L., white.
Barnes, Aquilla, col.	Jason, Larkin, col.
Boone, John A., white.	Kraft, H. J., white.
Boone, Charles, white.	McCauley, J. W., white
Costley, Thos. J., col.	Miller, Aug., white.
Coates, J. W., col.	Nelson, Josh. P., col.
Clagett, Elie J., white.	O'Brien, J. M., white.
Clark, J. L., white.	Ruppanier, George F. white.
Carden, Will O., white.	Shipley, Walter, col.
Cavey, J. F., white.	Williams, C. LeRoy, col.
Cavey, Dennis, white.	Iglehart, V. B., white.
Dorsey, B. H., white.	Derr, Saml. B., white.
Frey, Wm. A., white.	Mellor, R. H. white.
Greenfield, Wesley, col.	Smith, Elisha, white.
Hatwood, Willie, col.	

Wife-Shooting and Wife-Beating Cases.

Peter Reynolds, colored, under indictment for attempting to kill his wife at Guilford, Sixth district of this county, with a shotgun, was lodged in jail here Friday morning last by Chief Deputy Sheriff Jas. E. Vansant. Reynolds, it is charged, after leaving his wife, returned to his home and finding her on the porch shot her, the load taking effect in her face and breast. Reynolds was arrested by Round Sergeant Dempsey on the 6th inst., on the McDonogh road, near Pikesville. The shooting is alleged to have occurred on September 5th.

Hunter Johnson, colored, who was also indicted by the recent Howard county Grand Jury on the charge of wife-beating, was arrested Friday by Deputy Sheriff Vansant and lodged in the county jail. Johnson had not been located by the authorities until Friday. He will probably remain in jail until the March term of court.

Dwelling Burned at Jessups.

Shamrock, the country home of Mr. Clarence Cottman, near Jessups, was destroyed by fire early Wednesday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Cottman, their two children, a niece of Mrs. Cottman and two servants were asleep in the house when the alarm was given, about 3 A. M. Happily, no one was hurt. The dwelling, however, is a total wreck, and but few articles were rescued from the flames. Occurring at such an early hour, sufficient aid in fighting the blaze was unavailable, and the flames met with little opposition.

Shamrock was known as one of the most picturesque places in Howard county. Mr. Cottman estimates the loss at $10,000, which is fully covered by insurance. Mrs. Cottman, who was sick at the time the fire occurred, was removed to the home of Mrs. J. C. Havez. She was greatly interested in antiques, and had a valuable collection, which was entirely ruined. No cause can be ascribed for the fire.

Game of Baseball by Priests.

A game of baseball, lasting nine innings, was played at St. Charles' College Monday between a team composed of young priests, alumni of the college and the best team of college boys. The score was 24 to 13 in favor of the priests. The priests' nine was made up as follows: Rev. P. Gavin, St. John's, Baltimore, 1b.; Rev. John Dowling, Sykesville, 2b.; Rev. John Gaynor, Clarksville, s. s.; Rev. William Clements, Bradshaw, 3b.; Rev. Lawrence McNamara, St. Ann's, Baltimore, l. f.; Rev. Fathers Harig, Ripley and Feeley, of the college, in the outfield, and Revs. John Tobin and James Duggan, pitcher and catcher, respectively. The game was enjoyed by the college faculty and the boys, and the defeat was gracefully accepted.

Orphans' Court.

The Orphans' Court held a special session Friday, 7th inst., its principal business being to determine the matter of the account of Mrs. Marie A. Ridgely, against the estate of the late William A. Ridgely, of Howard county. The bill was for nursing Mr. Ridgely during his last sickness. The court allowed Mrs Ridgely $200 for such services.

List of Unclaimed Letters Remaining in Ellicott City Postoffice, Oct. 14, 1898.

Miss Josephine Johnson, Mrs Susan A. Lloyd, Mr. V. J. McGready, Mr. Pink Winn, Mrs. Anna B. S. Phillips.

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

HAMILTON OLDFIELD, P. M.

Local and Miscellaneous.

A very interesting revival service is being held in St. James' M. E. Church, near Alpha, Rev. Mr. Curley, pastor. The services have resulted in quite a number of conversions and added a large accession to the church. The meetings have been in progress for the past three weeks and will continue indefinitely. There is much interest and the church was crowded Sunday night last.

Mr. Harry Frazier, of Ilchester, Howard county, who has accepted the position of assistant engineer of the American Chinese Development Company, of which ex-Senator Calvin S. Brice is the head, and which proposes to start work on one of the projected great railroads to be built in China, sailed Wednesday for Shanghai from Vancouver, B. C., on the steamship Empress of India.

Rev. Edwin L. Earp, who graduated from Drew Theological Seminary last spring with highest honors, winning a fellowship which entitles him to a free scholarship in Europe, will sail from New York on October 29, on the steamship Bremen, for Berlin, Germany, where he will remain for two years. Mr. Earp is well and favorably known in Howard county.

Mr. James Mackubin received Tuesday a telegram from Halifax, Nova Scotia, announcing the death on the night previous, after a brief illness, of his niece, Mary C. H. Wood, a daughter of Col. John Taylor and Lola Wood, of that place. Colonel Wood was formerly in the United States navy, and afterward in the Confederate navy.

An amicable settlement was arranged Tuesday between the County Commissioners and Mr. A. J. Disney, of Anne Arundel county, for damages claimed by the latter for injuries to his horse and buggy by falling through a bridge on the county road. Mr. Disney accepted $15, although his bill was for a much larger amount.

Among the attractions at the Hagerstown fair next week will be the horses, Joe Patchen and John R. Gentry, believed to be the fastest harness horses in the world. At a match given at the Readville (Mass.) track in September last the former won the first heat by a nose in 2:05¾ when the conditions were poor.

We have received from Dr. W. B. Gambrill, Alberton, some specimens of the Paragon chestnut. They are three or four times as large as the ordinary chestnut, and very fine when boiled or roasted. The Doctor planted several trees procured from a nursery which are now getting into bearing condition.

David E. Evans, the contractor, who is engaged in building the 2,100 feet of track between the Consolidated lines and the Edmondson avenue line, to Ellicott City, has been running the railway engine that was used by Jones & Pollard. The engine is being used for hauling rails and ballast from the city.

The Misses Merrick will spend the winter at their country place on Merrick avenue, instead of going to Washington. Miss Mildred was the guest this week of the Misses Dammann, Lanvale street, Baltimore. Mr. Richard Merrick will return to Washington for the winter.

The several lodges of Odd Fellows in this section of Maryland will jointly attend divine service at Emory M. E. Church Sunday morning next, Rev. Wm. M Mitchell, Grand Chaplain of the Grand Lodge of the State, will preach the sermon.

It is stated that a petition is being circulation in Howard county, its object being to ascertain the strength of the colored voters who are favorable to the naming of an independent colored Congressional candidate in the Fifth district.

Miss Anna Remington, of Philadelphia, and Miss S. Byles, of Baltimore, were calling on friends here the latter part of last week. The former came out more especially to visit the old Quaker burying ground, where relatives were buried.

The wheat crop from Senator Gorman's farm this year amounted to over two thousand bushels, being fine quality. He attributes his success to the use of good fertilizers and excellent supervision of his overseer, Mr. James L. Hobbs.

Don't forget the fair and festival of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Lutheran Church, next week—20th, 21st and 22nd—in Mrs. Easton's Hall. Plenty of young ladies will be present to show the fancy articles and serve the refreshments.

Rubi Singer and Jacob Singer, trading as Singer Brothers, of Ellicott City applied in the United States District Court on Friday, 6th inst., for the benefit of the bankruptcy law. Their liabilities are about $2,700.

The record in the removed ejectment case of Samuel S. and John G. Jay against John M. Michael, brought in Harford county, has been received by John H. Owings, clerk of the Howard County Court.

Private Gus Kaiser, of the District of Columbia Volunteers, formerly of Ellicott City, who came back from Santiago with an attack of fever, and has been ill at his home at Laurel, is now able to leave his bed.

Quite a number of persons from this vicinity attended the Frederick fair this week. The attendance was unusually large, there being about 35,000 persons present on Thursday; many from Baltimore.

Miss Catharine Denny, of St. Louis, Mo., who spent the first part of the summer with her aunt, Mrs. H. Branch, and who has been visiting relatives in Brooklyn, is stopping here on her way home.

Typhoid fever is almost epidemic in the neighborhood of Alpha, but under the skillful treatment of Dr. B. F. Shipley, no deaths have occurred. There are a number of serious cases at present.

Messiah Lutheran Church, near Woodbine, has been thouroughly removated, the painters now being engaged in giving it the finishing touches. It will be rededicated at an early date.

The revival meetings at Emmanuel church, Howard county, were postponed from October 2, to Sunday next, October 16, at which time the pastor proposes to begin services at 7.30 P. M.

We are indebted to Mr. Hugh T. Harrison for a copy of The Spokesman-Review, published at Spokane, Wash., giving an account of the wonderful fruit fair held in that city last week.

County Treasurer Frank Parlett Tuesday appointed Mr. Michael H. Cooney appraiser of property on which taxes are in arrears and which is to be advertised for sale.

Mr. Chas. Barnes, of Sykesville, expects to commence butchering in Lisbon some time next month at the stand previously occupied by A. W. Baker & Son.

Rev. R. A. Poole and wife, of this city, are visiting in New York state. Mr. Poole's pulpit was occupied Sunday by the Rev. Mr. A. R. Maers, of North Carolina.

Mr. John A. Denton, here, raised in his garden this year a second crop of the English raspberry. He gathered some the other day and more are getting ripe.

The contract for painting the exterior of the courthouse has been awarded by the County Commissioners to Messrs. O. H. Mercier and Charles Radcliffe for $180.

Mr. F. L. Bailliere, of this place, will commence next week to build a residence, barn and other necessary buildings on his hundred-acre lot at Oakland Mills.

Miss Myrtle Day, who has been sick several weeks at her home in Baltimore, is better, and for a short time will be the guest of Miss Marie Talbott, here.

"McCardell" has been adopted as the name of the school at Gaither's, recently erected by the Carroll county school commissioners.

A marriage license was issued in Baltimore on Tuesday to Mr. Vivian James and Miss Bertha Maitland Pattison, both of Howard county.

Dr. Thomas Wilson, of the Smithsonian Institute, Washington, D. C., was the guest Sunday of State's Attorney Joseph D. McGuire.

Mrs. Collin McKenzie, of Baltimore, who has been quite ill at Patapsco Heights, was taken to her home in a hack Saturday.

Mr. J. Albert Dicus and family, of St. Denis, Baltimore county, spent Sunday with Mr. Julius Wosch, of the West End of town.

Messrs C. M. Junkins, Dudley Hobbs and Benjamin Brown, of Sykesville, were in town Wednesday and attended the circus.

Miss Lillian Mercer has returned to her home, near Cooksville, after spending a delightful time with relatives in Baltimore.

Naturalization papers were on Tuesday granted by Judge Jones to John E Eckman, a native of Germany.

The Misses Reeder, of Washington, are visiting Mrs. Charles Macklin at her country home near Ilchester.

Mr. M. B. Walker and Mr. S. W. Cox, both of Baltimore, were the guests Sunday of Mr. J. B. Morrow.

Miss Olie Isaac, of Anacostia, Washington, D. C., spent Sunday here with Miss Clemmie Makinson.

Miss Alice Johnson, of Baltimore, spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Addie Mellor, of this place.

Miss Daisy Grimes, of Ellicott City, who has been away on a visit, has returned home.

Mr. Lawrence, of Pikesville, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. B. J. Byrne, of Ellicott City.

Mr. Ralph Aldred, of Baltimore, spent Saturday with Mr. Bromwell Branch, of this place.

Miss Katie Haller, after a visit with friends here, has returned to her home in Baltimore.

The Misses Malfish, of Salisbury, are visiting Mrs. E. William Talbott, of this place.

Mr. William Cabel, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with Mr. Makinson, of Ellicott City.

Rev. H. Branch, D. D., of Ellicott City, is visiting relatives in Clarksville, Tenn.

Miss Maude Small, of Baltimore, spent Saturday with Miss Morrow, of this place.

Miss Alice Groverman is home after a ten months' stay with friends in Chicago.

Mr. Martin O'Brien, of the Druid Outing Club kennels, was in town Monday.

Mr. Walter Poole, of Woodbine, is improving slowly from typhoid fever.

Mr. Chas. Betts and daughter, Miss Ethel, spent Sunday in Catonsville.

The new addition to the Woodbine public school has been completed.

Mr. Thomas McClelland is ill at his home on Main street.

Main's Circus and Menagerie.

Ellicott City Wednesday thronged with a multitude of people with pleasurable anticipations occasioned by the presence of Walter L. Main's great circus and menagerie. Mr. Main has become the prince among showman in this country and his "aggregation" was fully up to expectation. People were here from afar and near and there were probably hundreds of persons in Ellicott City who had never been here before, such was the magnetic power of advertising what the people evidently thought "a good thing."

Mr. Main looks upon his show as a legitimate business and claims to run its affairs on business principles—giving the public what it expects, paying all his bills and keeping about him trustworthy men who can afford to be affable and polite when dealing with the public.

The street parade was extra good there being a large number of wagons with the usual gorgeous band wagon and fierce beasts glaring from behind bars. Four excellent bands in different parts of the procession furnished music. The baby elephant attracted unusual attention while diminutive ponies, chariots, actors in brilliant array, queer and comic characters, including Uncle Sam himself, passed along galore. Last but not least was a monkey riding a donkey which was very lively and mischevous enough to pull boys' hats off as it passed by.

They spread a large amount of canvas, had two rings and the acting was all that could be desired. The attendance was large for a small place.

Mr. Main's expenses are $2,100 a day while on the road.

Foot Ball.

Rock Hill College Reserves on Saturday afternoon defeated the Druid Athletic team at Forty Acres by a score of 16 to 6. The features of the game were the long runs by Malone and Hanrahan, and the pushing of the line by the Reserves. Patterson also played a very strong game. Line-up:

Druids.	R. H. C. Reserves.
Tuck, f. b.	f. b., P. Davis
Hise, r. h.	r. h., Malone
Patterson, l. h.	l. h., Hanrahan
Pue, q. b.	q. b., Neer
Tatem, c.	c, Molina
Billups, r. g.	r. g., May
Hechheimer, l. g	l. g., Billups
Shafer, l. t.	l. t., Alcock
Hechheimer, Gott, r. t.	r. t., Larin
Hechheimer, r. e	r. e., McCool
Gott, l. e	l. e., Horan

Touchdowns—Patterson, Malone, Davis, Hanrahan. Goal—Neer (1), Tuck (1). Time of halves—Two 20-minute halves. Umpire—Reeves. Timer—H. Lastra and McMullen. Referee—Howard. Linesmen—F. Wells and F. O'Kane.

At Maryland Oval, Saturday afternoon, the first eleven of Rock Hill College was defeated by the University of Maryland eleven by the score of 30 to 0.

Attempt at Robbery on a Train.

A daring attempt at robbery occurred on the Frederick train which left Baltimore at 4.20 o'clock Saturday afternoon. An unknown man was asleep on the smoker, and when the train had reached the vicinity of Orange Grove he was aroused by a heavy tug at his watch by a colored man. The would-be thief immediately sprang for the door, pursued by the owner of the watch and several of the passengers, whose attention had been attracted to the incident. The negro leaped from the train while it was in rapid motion, and was hurled to the ground. He picked himself up and scampered off into the woods. He did not succeed in securing the watch. When the train arrived at Ellicott City the Baltimore and Ohio detectives were notified by telegraph of the occurrence, and several of the force were at once put upon the case. Lloyd Fowler, colored, was arrested at Catonsville Sunday, charged with the attempted theft.

Two Assault Cases.

A number of colored people indulged in a free fight at a festival Saturday night, near Pine Orchard, resulting in the serious wounding of two of the participants, named John Johnson and Douglas Williams. The former received a pistol bullet in his body, and the latter's head was badly disfigured. Edward Jackson and William Fuller, two of the gang, were arrested Sunday and lodged in the jail here, charged with being the principals in the affair.

They had a hearing Tuesday before Justice Chas. A. Frey. Fuller was held for court on the charge of assault with intent to kill. Jackson was sentenced to jail for 90 days, charged with assaulting Douglas Williams.

A Dance.

Mr. William Schotta, of this place, gave a dance last Friday night. Those present were: Misses Bessie, Emma and Mary Cramblett, Ida and Rosa Jenkins, Flora Kelbaugh, May Smith, and Messrs. Spencer Wiles, James Jenkins, William Cavey, Emanuel Curran, Samuel Curran, Frank Shipley, George C. Cavey, Thos. Cramblett, Chester and Edgar Jones. The music was furnished by Mr. William Frey, of Oella. All enjoyed themselves greatly, the party breaking up between twelve and one o'clock.

NO LADY'S TOILET IS COMPLETE without Dr. Isaac J. Martin's Sons' new line of toilet articles. ROYAL CREAM has no superior for curing chapped hands and lips, and a roughened complexion can be softened to equal that of an infant. Their VIOLET TALCUM POWDER, at 10 cents, has no superior where a toilet powder is needed. QUININE HAIR TONIC and CARBOLIC TOOTH WASH speak for themselves whenever used.

LAFAYETTE DAY.

It is proposed to signalize the participation of the United States in the Paris Exposition of 1900, by the erection, in Paris, in the name of the youth of the United States of a monument to General Lafayette, the same to be unveiled and dedicated at the Exposition, July 4th, United States Day. It is also proposed that the means necessary for the building of such memorial be secured by popular contributions from the people of America through the agency of the Schools and Colleges of the United States. To further this laudable object Gov. Lowndes by proclamation has designated Oct. 19, 1898, to be known as Lafayette Day, and it is recommended that the day be observed by the Schools of this State both public and private, by devoting part of the same to exercises appropriate to the occasion and to telling anew the story of Lafayette to the youth of the land. It is further recommended by the Governor that the young people and children of the State contribute toward the erection of the monument to Gen. Lafayette by forwarding such sums as they are willing to give, to Joseph M. Cushing, President of the State Board of Education, Baltimore, Md.

Prof. E. B. Prettyman in a letter to School Examiner Harman, suggests that the Gov's. proclamation be read in every school and that on Lafayette Day the essays and addresses might consider, 1st, Lafayette and the Revolutionary war; 2nd, Lafayette and Washington; 3rd, Lafayette and France; 4th, Lafayette's second visit to America.

HYMENEAL.

GARDNER—PRICE.

The marriage of Miss Laura Estelle Price, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Price, of Green Valley, Frederick county, to Dr. John Gardner, of Hyattstown, Montgomery county, took place Wednesday at noon at the Christian Church, Hyattstown. The sanctuary was decorated with potted plants and large masses of golden rod, and a large number of wax lights adorned the altar. The bridesmaids and ushers were Miss Edith Grimes, of Washington City, and Miss Minnie Owings, of Howard county, and Messrs. Levi Price, Jr., brother of the bride, and D. T. Dutrow, of Hyattstown. Following them up the aisle were the flower girls, nieces of the bride, Misses Eloise Davis Price and Laurette Price Smith. The bride wore a dark blue broadcloth, trimmed with turquoise and white. She was escorted by her brother, Mr. E. E. Price, of Baltimore city, and was followed by her maid of honor, Mrs. Richard Bagby, who wore white organdie over white brocade taffeta and carried pink roses.

The groom and his best man, Dr. John P. Sellman, of Kemptown, met the bride at the foot of the main altar. The Rev. Richard Bagby, of Louisa, Va., assisted by Rev. William S. Hammond, of Baltimore, read the marriage service. The wedding marches were played by Miss Ruth Owings, of Howard county.

A reception was given to the family and bridal party at Minbedale, the bride's home. Dr. and Mrs. Gardner left for Atlantic City on the afternoon train.

JAMES—PATTISON.

Mr. Vivian James and Miss Bertha Pattison were married at the residence of the Rev. Francis Mackall, in Laurel, Md., at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Pattison, near Guilford, this county, after which Mr. and Mrs. James drove to their new home at Atholton, Howard county.

KALB—WARFIELD.

Miss Blanche Kalb, daughter of Mr. David Kalb, was married Wednesday evening to Mr. Thomas J. Warfield, of Baltimore, at the residence of the bride's parents, near Hollofield, Baltimore county. Rev. M. A. Kennelly, of Hebbville Evangelical Church, performed the ceremony. After the ceremony a luncheon was served.

OBITUARY.

OWINGS.

Mrs. Achsah Owings, widow of the late Edwin U. Owings, of Lisbon, Md, died Tuesday morning, Oct. 11, in the seventy-second year of her age.

Mrs. Owings was stricken with paralysis four years previous to her death and owing to her advanced age never completely rallied from its effect, but has been an invalid ever since, and while comparatively free from suffering, gradually grew weaker, until Friday, the last day of September, when she was taken to her bed. Her remaining strength then failed very rapidly, and the end came peacefully on the morning of the eleventh. Mrs. Owings was a member of the Methodist Protestant Church, for many years, and led a quiet, consistent, Christian life. She was perfectly resigned to the orderings of God's providence in her affliction, and ready when the end came. She leaves a family of six children—two daughters and four sons—and one brother. Her two daughters are Mrs. S. D. Waters, of Baltimore, and Miss Mattie Owings, of Lisbon, Md., and her sons are, W. T. Owings, of the Baltimore Sub-Treasury; E. W. Owings of Middletown, Va.; G. A. Owings, of Lisbon, and Clarence Owings, of Florence, Md., and her brother, I. L. Bradford, of Colesville, Md. Her funeral took place from the Presbyterian Church, Lisbon, at 10.30 on Thursday morning and the interment was in the cemetery adjoining the church. Her pastor, Rev. B. P. Truitt, assisted by Rev. J. J. Duncan, officiated.

SWANN

Miss Mary Estelle Swann died at her late home, at Savage, this county, on October 9th, aged twenty-five years. The deceased was the daughter of Mrs. Annie E. and the late George F. Swann. Her funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the interment being at Mt. Olivet Cemetery.

The Old Indian Defense Line.

The feature of the meeting of the Maryland Historical Society Monday night last in Baltimore, was the talk given by Rev. Dr. George A. Leakin, describing his investigations of the famous old Indian defense line of Maryland. Rev. Dr. Leakin said that this old defense line was the father of all roads in Maryland. He said that he had succeeded in tracing the line to its full length going east, and mentioned the various links in the chain which had enabled him to do this, the first being the old Garrison forest fort, about ten or twelve miles above Baltimore. He is now trying, he said, to trace the line through Howard, Montgomery and Prince George's counties, and believed that he had discovered signs of another old fort on the property of a Mrs. Blunt, near Woodstock.

He referred to the publication in the Baltimore Sun of August 1 of a letter from York, Pa., announcing the discovery of a fort on the Susquehanna river. Dr. Leakin investigated this and declared he is firmly convinced that this Susquehanna fort is the termination of the Maryland defense line, the State at the time of its construction extending twenty miles farther north than at present. The line, he believes, runs from Piscataway on the Potomac to this fort on the Susquehanna. He will continue his researches and hopes within a reasonable time to trace the old line from start to finish through the state.

HEADQUARTERS FOR HIGH GRADE STATIONERY.—Call and examine our new fall line of box papers and tablets. All the latest sizes and tints to meet the taste of the most fastidious, from 10 cents up, at Dr. Isaac J. Martin's Sons' Pharmacy.

DASH APRONS for sale at Frank Mayfield's, opposite the Engine House, Ellicott City.

If you have but one item of news send it

FACTS FROM FULTON.

FULTON, Oct. 12.—Protracted services were concluded at Zion M. E. Church last Sunday night. One candidate was baptized and fourteen were received into church membership. The meetings were well attended and interesting, the song service being excellent. Miss Sarah Moore, the organist, is deserving of commendation for holding her post so faithfully having missed but one service during three weeks, on which occasion Miss Cora Iglehart presided very creditably. The Epworth League rendered effective service during the meetings. The League meets again next Sunday at 7.30 P. M., and will hold a general prayer service to which there is a cordial invitation to all.

The L. A. S. of St. Paul's Lutheran church met last Wednesday at the home of Mr. Herman Wessel and was interesting and well attended. The meeting for this month will be held at the home of Mr. Geo. H. Wessel on the last Wednesday, 26th inst.

Mr. Chas. N. Harding has the third case of typhoid fever in succession in his family. His daughter, Miss Ellie, lately recovered and his son, Arthur, is now considered out of imminent danger, but his son, Montello, is dangerously ill at this date.

Mr. E. C. Brady, we are glad to say, is getting better from a serious illness.

Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Ide visited friends and relatives in this vicinity on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Messrs. Louis, Alpheus and Marcus Ide, of Catonsville, made several brief calls in the vicinity of Highland and Fulton last Tuesday.

Mr. L. Bennick, of Baltimore, is having a residence built on his farm near Fulton. Mr. Jos. O. McCauley, is the contractor and builder and Mr. F. Rentz, of High Ridge, is doing the plastering. Mr. Bennick has arranged to celebrate the completion of the building by a german for which the following couples have been selected: Mr. and Mrs. L. Bennick, Mr. and Mrs. F. Hnevsa, Mr. and Mrs. F. Rentz, Mr. and Mrs. Plummer Cross, Mr. James Edelin, and Mrs. G. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kolpack, Mr. Jos. O. McCauley and Mrs. Georgeana Pierpont, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Ossman. The monumental brass band and a select orchestra from Baltimore have been engaged for the occassion.

The Atwood family have been holding a tent concert on the farm of H. H. Smallwood, this week. F. L. O.

OELLA NOTES.

The Young Men's Lighting Club, of the Ellicott City Presbyterian Church, held its regular semi-monthly meeting on Friday night last at the residence of Mr. Jos. H. Holmes, of this place. After the business hour the entertainment committee gave a pantomine show which greatly pleased all present. Refreshments in the way of ice cream and cake were served later in the evening, soon after which the guests departed having enjoyed the evening to the full.

A pound party was held at the residence of Mr. Edward Tipton, last Tuesday night, by the young people, which was a very pleasent affair. Those present were: Misses Mamie Mooney, Ella Lingenfelter, Grace Conrad, Ashby Welch, Bessie Leister, Mattie West, Ida Boswell, Sadie Kirkwood, Kate Boswell, Stella Clements, Nellie Riley, Ida McKenzie, Rose Clements, Maggie Kirn, Maggie Stigler, Gertrude Burgee, and Masters Oliver Edwards, Arthur Hobson, Joseph Hogan, George Leister, Frank Green, Grover McKenzie, Joseph Stigler, Harry Tracy, Arthur McKenzie, Charles Rockenbaugh, John Riley, William Holland, Theodore France and E. Burgee.

The members of the Oella Cornet Band have written a second letter to the county commissioners disclaiming any intention of charging our officer, Mr. B. F. Frost, with neglect of duty, but only wish to know if the officer has authority to stop the noise complained of while the band is playing on the streets of the village.

Justice of the Peace J. C. Mooney, of this village, who has been ill from typhoid fever for several weeks, is now in an improved condition.

Mr. John Keigler, of Chicago, Ill., arrived here Thursday on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Keigler.

A child of Mr. and Mrs. William Storick was baptized last Sunday and afterwards Mr. and Mrs. Storick entertained a number of their friends at their home.

Mrs. Ann Lauman spent Sunday in Baltimore with her daughter, Mrs. J. Wesley Tice.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bassei, of Irvington, were here Sunday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shaffer.

Miss Mamie Ware spent Sunday at Towson with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shaffer were at Cooksville on Sunday visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burgee, of Powhatan, spent Sunday and Monday here with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burgee.

Mrs. Charles Godfrey returned home Sunday from a visit to relatives at Laurel.

The fair announced to be held the latter part of the present month by the Oella Cornet Band, has been postponed to the third week in November.

DAISY.

DAISY, Oct. 11.—The seeding season has about closed in this community.

Mrs. J. R. Shipley has sold her farm and will move to Montgomery county.

Mr. H. T. Weeks seems to be doing a flourishing business at Daisy.

Mr. Joseph Shipley, of Lisbon, has the contract to build the house at Daisy, for Mr. Ward.

The protracted meeting at Mt. Carmel, conducted by Rev. Mr. Litsinger, has attracted a number of young people from Daisy.

Blanche, the infant daughter of the late Lewis Myres, died in September

The friends of Rev. Harry Reck, are sorry to learn he has been compelled to give up his appointment in St. Mary's county, on account of impaired health.

The Japanese minister, Rev. Yoshi Suke Sacon, has had a call to California. His friends at Daisy heard last week he had arrived safely.

I was very much gratified when I read the suggestion from your Glenwood correspondent. If the young people would meet weekly for musical practice and reading, I think it would be much better than the surprise parties which have been so prevalent the last two years.

MAKE PEACE.

CATONSVILLE.

Bishop Curtis on Sunday consecrated the two new marble altars recently erected in St. Mark's Catholic Church, Catonsville, Rev. F. E. Dunn, pastor. The consecration services began at 8 o'clock and were very impressive. They were concluded with a high mass at 10.30 o'clock, at which Bishop Curtis was celebrant and Rev. F. E. Dunn and Father Hauser, of Ilchester College, were deacon and subdeacon, respectively. The decorations of the church were white and pink. The altars are of Italian marble and onyx, and were presented to St. Mark's Church by Miss M. C. Crowle, of Baltimore.

Sunday was also the tenth anniversary of the laying of the corner-stone of St. Mark's Church.

A "Calico Ball" will be given at the Catonsville Country Club on Saturday evening, October 22. It is being arranged by Miss Marguerite Baker and Mr. Roland West. As the title implies, the girls will wear "calico" gowns, and the entertainment will doubtless prove both novel and interesting. About 200 invitations have been sent out.

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ST. BARNABAS' MEMORIALS.

SYKESVILLE, Oct. 11.—The Church of St. Barnabas, Sykesville, Howard county side, was full of people from far and near on Sunday last. Never has there been seen so large a congregation on any occasion hitherto. The service with celebration of the Holy Eucharist was heartily rendered and received. The altar was ablaze with French beeswax tapers, and, with the mingled light of the rich stained glass window, illumined grandly the sanctuary, and lit up the many sacred memorials. The candelabra stood on pedestals of polished walnut at either end of the altar with an angel holding the many branches. These were to the memory of the late Captain and Mrs. Hugg. In the center and upon a block of polished walnut stood the magnificent cross of brass and ormolu with the emblems of the gospels, the Sacrifice in the calf, the Divine Strength in the Lion of the Tribe of Judah, the Humanity, and the Divinity as typified by the man and the eagle. This is a memorial to the late Susannah Warfield. On the altar is the book-rest in brass, an offering to the late Rector, and the altar-book, to a child. The sacred vessels, chalice and paten, are inscribed to the memory of the late Jacob W. Hugg. To him is also given, in token of his cultivated mind and love of doing good, the library. A ground rent has been deeded to the vestry of the Holy Trinity Parish of four hundred and twenty-six dollars, whose annual interest of sixteen dollars is to be used *in perpetuo* for the increase of this library. A framed declaration in parchment testifies to this. The most prominent memorial is the Eagle-Lecturn which stands in front of the chancel space on an oblong block of polished walnut. The eagle looks towards St. John, the Eagle of the New Testament, and on it rests the Holy Bible. This beautiful work of art is to the memory of the late Miss Hugg. All these gifts taken together with the six stained-glass windows, make the interior of St. Barnabas a place where one may interpret indeed, "O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness." The church walls on the outside overgrown with the ivy add grandeur to the whole, and the *God's Acre* around when kept soft and green with loving hands, make you feel like saying, "Let my dust be gathered here."

SAVAGE NOTES.

SAVAGE, Oct. 12.—Miss Essie Swann, after a lingering illness of several years from consumption, died on Sunday evening last. The funeral services were held at the house on Monday by Rev. Mr. Amos, of the M. E. Church. Interment in a Baltimore cemetery. Mr. Milstead, of Laurel, undertaker, had charge.

The Savage cornet band will hold a fair and festival, from October 18th to the 22nd.

The M. E. Church, south, will hold an oyster supper on October 15, at 7 o'clock P. M.

Mr. Jessie Rutledge, from Renovo, Pa., paid a visit to his old home place in this village. When quite a youth he learned his trade at the foundry, that of molder. He moved away from here sixty years ago and paid a visit thirty-seven years ago. He was greatly surprised to see the improvements to the place and to note that there is but three or four inhabitants here of those he knew when he was here last. Mr. Rutledge is a man of great activity and interesting to converse with. He is 81 years old.

Mr. Walter Hayworth has returned home after spending two weeks with his sister in Illinois.

Education Before Wealth.

ED. TIMES:

I read THE TIMES with a great deal of interest yesterday. It was spicy and full of good matter. One of the subjects proposed for discussion—whether wealth or education is the most desirable—seems to be too easy to discuss, for not anything in this world, except spirituality exceeds education.

The Sabbath school lesson of October 9th is the great spiritual judge to decide whether wealth or education is the most essential, as Jehosaphat sent princes, Levites and priests throughout the kingdom to instruct the people. Power and rank, church and state, combining to bring the truth of God to the people leaves an intellectual impress upon the inhabitants, making and establishing virtually a strong nation, whereas luxury and ease weaken any government.

W.

Shippensburg, Pa., Oct. 10, 1898.

Crops at the House of Correction.

At the last meeting of the board of directors of the House of Correction, Superintendent C. M. King reported that twenty-three acres of barley and twenty-two acres of rye had been sown. Two tons of broom corn had been raised as an experiment, and quite an extensive plot will be used for this purpose next year, as the experiment proved a successful one, and a large percentage of the prisoners are engaged in this industry.

The building committee reported progress on the new woman's prison. Work was begun on the building about two weeks ago, and bricklayers are now engaged in constructing the foundation, which is of brick.

There are now 317 men and 47 women prisoners in the institution.

FORD'S GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

Week Oct. 17th—The Distinguished and Successful Actor, Chas. Coghlan—In a Brilliant Production of His Famous Play, "The Royal Box."

Charles Coghlan comes to Ford's week October 17th direct from a brilliant run of six weeks at the Fifth Avenue Theatre, New York, where his famous play, "The Royal Box," has proved one of the prominent successes of the season. It is a very strong, romantic drama, adapted from Dumas "Kean," wonderfully dramatic in situation and effect, dealing with the political, royal and social life of England when the Prince of Wales was patron to the drama, and introducing many celebrated royal personages, etc.

The company is exceptionally clever and will be the same seen during the long Metropolitan run of the play, including among its conspicuous members, Katherine Grey, Gertrude Bennett, Gertrude Coghlan, Lottie Linthicum, Andrew Robson, Alexander Kearney, Charles Stanley, Claude Brooke, Palmer Collins, etc., etc. The scenic reproductions are superb, picturesque and accurate, the public room of the "Cat and the Fiddle" being particularly effective The costuming is magnificent, especially the ladies' gowns seen during the reception at the Swedish embassy. Matinees Wednesday and Saturday. Admission 25 and 50 cts.

Week October 24th, West's (Primrose and West) Great Minstrel Jubilee.

How to Prevent Croup.

We have two children who are are subject to attacks of croup. Whenever an attack is coming on my wife gives them Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it always prevents the attack. It is a household necessity in this county and no matter what else we run out of, it would not do to be without Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. More of it is sold here than of all other cough medicines combined.—J. M. Nickle, of Nickle Bros., merchants, Nickleville, Pa. For sale by druggists

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SERIOUS TIMES FOR CHURCHMEN.

The New York Herald of Oct. 3rd gave one of the remarkable sermons of the day from Rev. Dr. Benj. F. DeCosta, rector of the Church of St. John the Evangelist, of that city. He said: "What are we going to do? Are we going to build a new church to take the place of the old one and care for the people of this land? The time has come to think; it is simply criminal to attempt to shut our eyes to the facts presented showing the spread of irreligion in the land. Millions of young men of three generations have gone down to unsanctified graves."

Now Dr. DeCosta utters only what our leading reviews have for some time uttered. But will he think? Will he let anybody think? I hope he will; but if he will he is an exception to the rule. Ministers utter these very truthful declarations and exhibit no indication whatever of following them up to their logical conclusions. Hence, the church continues to decay, the masses get more and more away from it, some running into direct infidelity and some into indifference toward the church, while maintaining an appreciation of Christianity. The latter is the larger body for whom some "new religion" must ultimately appear.

CHURCH AND STATE MUST SEPSRATE.

"This morning Christianity is ignored by the masses of the people. Sectarianism has played a high game and it has lost. Even among its membership, if reports be true, there are men who reflect little or no credit upon its work."—DeCosta.

And who are these men that, while appearing the most zealous, reflect no credit upon Christianity? Of course there are absconding bank cashiers and rascals here and there in the church, who represent the Judases; but these are not the ones that most seriously affect the attitude of the world—they are to be expected. The ones that repel are they who have set up the *policeman's club* as the symbol of Christianity and who seek by its power to compel sinners to leave their sins and flock to the church. The most illiterate man feels conscious that such action has no warrant in Christianity and he turns in disgust from the churches that so pervert its gentleness and its forgiveness. Who are these perverters? They are the temperance reformers, the Sabbatarians, the vice suppressers and a dozen others who say that the nation must "be born again" and that it never will until the law takes hold in connection with the church, forcing men to the living waters of Christianity and compelling them to drink. We can force the horse to the water, but we cannot compel him to drink; but men are not going to allow themselves to be even forced to the water.

POLICEMAN'S CLUB VS. CHRISTIANITY.

"Today there are fifty million out of the seventy million people in the land who are either hostile or indifferent to the teachings of the church."—DeCosta.

Exactly! And the New York Truth Seeker of Oct. 8th has just had a cartoon drawn upon hearing a sermon of Rev. Dr. Wilbur F. Crafts, of Washington. It represents a long file of saddened people being forced into a church by a policeman with uplifted club and a haughty minister with a long blacksnake whip, while in the background is a policeman clubbing a poor fellow who preferred to exercise his choice on church attendance. To all who know Dr. Crafts this cartoon will be timely. He has made frequent incursions into this State, sometimes in company with Rev. Dr. Wharton and sometimes with Anthony Comstock, and his cry has ever been for the law. Upon the occasion of one of these crusades in Hagerstown, a letter appeared in the Mail of that city setting forth the absurdity of mingling law with Christianity. The people of the city told Dr. Wharton, who remained on the scene, that he would preach the best sermon of his life if he answered that letter. He never did. What was the result? Just that many more people became lukewarm or hostile to the church. That is just where the churches lose. People expect leaders to answer and if they cannot they drift away. A similar thing happened with Evangelist Moody through the "question box."

ANTHONY COMSTOCK'S SOCIETY.

But the most ultra living example of this imposition of law is that furnished by the "Society for the Suppression of Vice." Ministers, churchmen and the Y. M. C. A. were the direct formulators of this society and church dignitaries, from Cardinal Gibbons down, have sanctioned it with money and words of cheer. It does its work in the name of God and Christianity and its pictorial symbol is a policeman clubbing a hand-cuffed man and a ministerial looking personage wrathfully burning some certain kinds of books. After Mr. Comstock does his year's work as a detective and gets some dozens of people in jails and penitentiaries, he says in his report to his society: "Earnestly and faithfully I have endeavored to do God's will, and thus to prove myself worthy of your confidence." When the world reads such sacrilege as this it asks, When did Jesus and His apostles ever put men in jails and penitentiaries? What was the dismissal of Jesus to the woman "caught in the act," whom the churchmen of that day would have stoned to death? All over the country papers can be picked up in which the condemnation of the people can be heard against such a doing of *God's will*. People know that no such work can be attempted in the name of Christianity, no matter how much society may need it. Still ministers support Mr. Comestock and like storekeepers with bad articles, gradually the people leave them.

CHURCH UNITY IMPROBABLE.

"What we need is a combination of all existing bodies animated with the spirit and thought, 'One Lord, one Faith, one Hope, one Baptism.'"—DeCosta.

Exactly! The Pope has long made a similar call; but when the test comes, the churches are unwilling to "give and take." What Cardinal Gibbons recently said on "Conscience" was enough for the basis for a genuine foundation upon which all the sects could unite. If the Cardinal would follow up his utterances on this line, he could revolutionize the religion of the world, because, literally accepted, all sects from frethinkers to Catholics; could accept it. But events have proven that he is actually ashamed of his own utterance, since he finds the world can really accept it. He said: "The man who follows his Conscience has but one master—God—and he will enjoy the liberty and glory of the kingdom of God." Every man knows that Conscience is not found in a church and that, hence, heaven can be attained here and hereafter, through obedience to a principle entirely aside from it. The Cardinal now sees this leaves the church no occupation and he and his friends seek to treat with "silent contempt" the grateful acknowledgments that have been made in favor of his utterance. Here again, so many more people become estranged from the church. The church, or the churches, thus continue to dig their own graves in their every effort. OBSERVER.

PUBLIC SALES.

Following is a list of the public sales advertised in the THE TIMES. These notices remain, free of charge, until day of sale. Sale bill printing done on short notice except on Fridays.

On Wednesday, October 19, by Chas. E. Eagan, large sale of personal property at Mt. Hebron farm. Jos. W. Berret, auctioneer.

On Wednesday, October 26, by Mrs. Martha Litchfield, administratrix of Thomas Litchfield, at Catonsville, personal property. Wm. Crawford, auctioneer.

On Friday, November 4, by Frank Parlett, treasurer of Howard county, tax sales.

On Tuesday, November 8, by A. Howard Earp, late collector for Third collection district, tax sale.

On Thursday, November 10, by Edward T. Jones and Jno. G. Rogers, trustees, leashold property in Ellicott City. Marcellus Wright, auctioneer.

THE CHURCHES.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, H. Branch, D. D., Pastor.—Sunday, 16th October: 9.30 A. M., Sunday School; 11 A. M., preaching by Rev. Oliver Hemstreet, Secretary of the Sabbath Association of Maryland. A collection for this cause will be taken after the sermon. 3 P. M., Mr. Hemstreet will preach at Oakland Mills and a collection will be taken for the Sabbath Association. 7.30 P. M., Y. P. S. C. E., Subject: "Better Work." Wednesday, 7.30 P. M., prayermeeting, Westminster Assembly's Catechism.

IN MEMORIAM.

GRIMES.—In remembrance of Charity E. Grimes. Died one year ago today—October 14.

You're not forgotten, Mother, dear,
Nor ever will you be,
For as long as life or memory last
I will remember thee.

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43rd Annual Fair at Hagerstown, Md.—Reduced Rates via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

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The rates between Baltimore and Hood's Mills and Baltimore, Washington and Langdon, inclusive, will be $2.50, for the round trip, which includes admission to the Fair.

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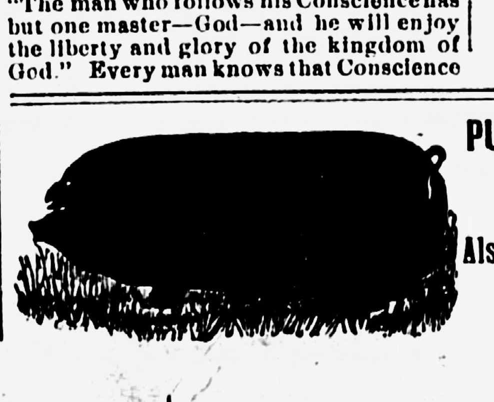

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