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SATURDAY, JULY 30, 1889.

LOCAL ITEMS.

New wheat is being received in large quantities at the steam mills and warehouses in this city.

Mr. Mordecai Babylon has erected a back building to his residence, on Pennsylvania avenue, this city.

The sessions of the May term of the Circuit Court for Carroll county will be resumed on Monday next, 22d inst.

The County Commissioners were in session on Monday and Tuesday and transacted general routine business.

Attention is called to the professional card of Dr. J. W. Helm, surgeon dentist, of New Windsor, in to-day's SENTINEL.

A valuable family horse belonging to Mr. Ephraim Lindsay, of Liberty street, this city, died with lockjaw on Sunday last.

David J. Crowl and David J. Bankard, residing on the Manchester road, near Cranberry Station, are ill with typhoid fever.

A lady writing to the SENTINEL from McKinstry's Mills to renew her subscription says the "paper is very much esteemed."

The oats crop in this county is being harvested and is reported to be very satisfactory. The yield of both straw and grain will be large.

Mr. Joseph E. Wagner, of Liberty, Md., while angling for bass in Little Pipe Creek, last Saturday, caught an eight-pound golden carp.

Mr. George E. Matthews, of the firm of Haller & Mathews, of this city, has been confined to his residence this week with a severe attack of cholera morbus.

A two-months-old colt belonging to Mr. S. Carr Wickert, of this city, died on Tuesday, of paralysis of the bowels and limbs. It was of fine breed and quite a valuable animal.

The Eighty-seventh Pennsylvania Regiment is preparing for a re-union to be held at York, September 24th. A number of the members of the regiment reside in this county.

The prosperity of the *Advocate* is shown by the introduction of a new steam Cottrell printing press, with the latest improvements, of larger size and capacity than the machine heretofore used.

Haugh's Church Lutheran Sunday School will hold its annual Harvest Home Pic-Nic in D. C. Warner's woods, on Saturday, July 27th, with a good band of music and plenty of speakers to entertain the people.

The *Village Record*, published at Waynesboro, Pa., by William Blair, who was its founder, has entered its forty-third volume. The *Record* is a good paper and well deserves the success which has attended its publication.

The ladies of the New Windsor M. E. Church will hold an ice cream festival in the Pavilion, in New Windsor, on Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Monday evenings, 25th, 26th, 27th and 29th inst. Proceeds for payment of church debt.

The fete to be held by the ladies of St. John's Catholic Church will begin on Monday evening next and continue every evening during the week, in the grounds adjoining the parochial school. The Westminster Band will be present every night.

New Windsor Division No. 40 Sons of Temperance will hold a public meeting in a grove near New Windsor on Saturday, August 2nd. Eminent speakers from abroad will address the meeting. Choice brass band of music will be present.

The Reformed Sunday School of Trinity Church, Manchester, will hold a Floral Festival on the coming Lord's Day, July 21st, at 10 A. M. The services will consist of music, recitations and an address suitable to the occasion. The public is cordially invited to participate in the services.

Mr. T. A. Wastler, of Sabillasville, Frederick county, has been appointed Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue for the district comprising Frederick and Carroll counties, in place of H. J. Krise, removed. Mr. Wastler, who is a very excellent and worthy man, will enter upon the discharge of the duties of the office the first of August.

Mr. Lovelace Gorsuch, of this city, lost an excellent draught horse on Sunday night last. The animal was taken sick while Mr. Gorsuch was on a trip with his team to Woodberry, some days before, but the character of its malady was not discovered until after death, when it was found that its "net" was burst. Mr. Gorsuch lost another valuable horse some months ago.

Annie B., only daughter of the late Simon Shaffer and Mrs. Keziah Shaffer, died at the residence of her mother, near the village of Mexico, on Wednesday night, of typhoid fever, in the 14th year of her age. Her remains were interred at Krider's Cemetery, Friday morning, by the side of her brother who died of typhoid fever June 11th, and her father, who died of paralysis on the 1st inst.

Carroll Division, No. 42, Sons of Temperance, of this city, at a special meeting on Thursday evening, adopted a plan for the new building to take the place of Carroll Hall, which is to be removed. The new structure will have a front of thirty feet on Main street with a depth of sixty feet. The first floor will contain the entrance and stairway and a room to be rented for business purposes. The second story will contain the hall and anteroom for meetings of the Division.

We are pleased to learn that our young Republican friend, Mr. George E. Lippy, who was confined to the house for four weeks by the formation of abscesses in his injured leg, is able to be out again. The disease was quite painful, and at one time it was thought amputation would be necessary. He was attended by Dr. M. L. Bott, under whose care he has so far recovered as to be now quite comfortable.

The annual excursion of the employes of the Western Maryland Railroad, to Tolchester, on Saturday last, was a decided success. Five special trains were required to transport the excursionists who numbered about 1400. All speak in the highest terms of the affair. The assurances that no liquor would be sold on the boat were fully realized and a very pleasant time was experienced at the Beach. Quite a number joined the excursion at Westminster.

An all day meeting will be held in Mr. John M. Snowden's grove, adjacent to this city, on Sunday next, 21st inst., by the congregation of the Union street M. E. Church, Rev. R. R. Riggs, pastor. Rev. C. G. Kee, of the Metropolitan Church, Baltimore, will preach at 11, A. M., and Rev. P. G. Walker, of Ames Church, Baltimore, at 2.30, P. M. Rev. Walker will preach a special sermon to the Church Aid Society at 8, P. M., at the church on Union street.

The date of the excursion of the Lutheran and Methodist Protestant Sunday Schools of Union Bridge, to Gettysburg, has been changed from Saturday, July 29th, to Saturday, August 3rd. The train will start at Westminster and stop at all stations west to and including Mechanicstown. Particulars have not been received, but the train will probably leave Westminster about 7 o'clock, A. M., and the fare be $1.10; children under twelve years half price.

On Wednesday Mr. Edward Awalt, with a force of five masons, including himself, commenced laying the foundation walls of the new building about to be erected by Mr. Charles V. Wantz, on East Main street near the railroad. With propitious weather the work will be completed to-day. The walls will contain one hundred perches of stone from the quarries of Mr. Charles E. Goodwin, near this city. This stone is well adapted to the purpose, and makes a very handsome wall.

Ezra Hostetter, of Littlestown, Pa., the young man who was recently duped by a gipsy girl into giving his watch and other articles in return for a prophecy that he was soon to fall heir to a large fortune, shot and dangerously wounded his friend, Charles Keller, on Tuesday night. Keller called at Hostetter's lodgings about eleven o'clock and rapped at the door, when the latter raised his window and fired four shots from a revolver with the result stated. Hostetter says he thought burglars were trying to enter Huber's drug store, which is in the building in which he lodges.

Mr. David M. Shorb, who was so frightfully burned by the explosion of a coal oil lamp at his home near Roop's Mill, on the 28th of April, 1888, and was confined to bed from the effects of his injuries until a few months ago, was in this city on Saturday last. He carries the marks of the accident on his person, being terribly scarred about the neck and shoulders. He narrowly escaped with his life and, indeed, his recovery seems almost a miracle. Mr. Shorb was superintendent of Messrs. Roop & Zile's poultry yards and seed and stock farm, at the time of the accident, and the lamp that exploded was being used in an incubator.

A man who gave the name of Wm. H. Young, of Baltimore, broke into the coach factory of Mr. John E. Eckenrode, George street, this city, on Saturday night last. He broke a window sash to effect an entrance and the noise was heard by Mr. Andrew Roop, on Liberty street, who notified Mr. Eckenrode. Deputy Sheriff Tyler and Bailiff Matthews were informed of the matter and proceeded to the factory where they arrested Young, who had in his possession a coat and putty knife that he had picked up on the premises. On Monday he waived an examination and was committed by Justice Crapster for the action of the Grand Jury.

The following persons contributed to the Westminster Branch of the Baltimore Flower Mission, Thursday: Flowers—Mrs. R. Wagoner, Mrs. George W. Matthews, Mrs. John H. Mitten, Mrs. James A. C. Bond, Mrs. Fiddis, Mrs. Rev. Charles A. Reid, Misses Ella and Katie Murray, Lillie Woodward, Gussie Shriver, Cora Pfeffer, Lou Bixler, Emma Fowble, Carrie Rinehart, Nora Showers, Ellie Yingling, Lucinda Coalman, Masters Victor Zepp, Winnie Roop, Willie Utz; flowers and fruit, Miss J. Fringer Wilhide. Receivers for July 26th, Mrs. Dr. H. C. Nelson, Miss Eva Blanchard; packers, the Misses Shriver; boys to assist, Eltinge Shriver and W. Baker.

Camp-Meetings.

The camp-meeting at Emory Grove will commence August 8th. About 500 tents will be erected, and it is thought that the camp population will amount to about 2,000 persons.

Wesley Grove camp, at Dorsey's Station on the B. & O. R. R., will commence July 26th and last thirteen days.

Wayman's Grove camp, on the B. & O. R. R., between Baltimore and Washington will commence August 2nd and continue one month.

Summit Grove camp, near New Freedom, Pa., on the N. C. Ry., 38 miles from Baltimore, will commence August 1st and continue till August 13th.

The camp at Asbury Grove, near St. George's Station, W. Md. R. R., will commence August 16th and close September 3rd.

The Glyndon Park Prohibition camp will commence July 25th and continue ten days.

The M. E. camp-meeting at Mt. Airy will commence August 8 and last two weeks.

The Linwood Camp-meeting will be held from August 9th till August 16th, inclusive. Boarding and lodging can be had on the ground at reasonable rates. Orders for tents should be sent to Ezra B. Garner, Linwood, Md.

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Personal.

Mrs. E. O. Grimes and son Ollie left for a visit to Cape May on Thursday.

Mr. James C. McSherry, of Baltimore, is visiting Mr. B. F. Shriver, of Union Mills.

Mrs. John Hymes and family, of Pikesville, are visiting at Mr. Ezra Shugh's, Green street.

Rev. A. S. Weber, of Baltimore, spent a few days with friends in this city and vicinity during the present week.

Mrs. Jennie Emmons, of Washington, is visiting her father, Mr. John Smith of Wakefield, West Main street, this city.

Mr. Wm. D. Stevenson and family, of Roanoke, Va., are visiting Mr. Stevenson's father, Washington road, near this city.

Mrs. Sallie West and her son, Mr. Frank West, of Philadelphia, are visiting Mrs. West's father, Mr. Francis Shriver, West Main street.

Miss Emily Grace Holloway, daughter of Rev. H. C. Holloway, of Middletown, Pa., is visiting Mrs. E. J. Rippard, East Main street, this city.

Rev. C. S. Slagle, pastor of St. Paul's Reformed Church, and family, of this city, have returned from their visit to relatives in Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Isaac Haifleigh and daughter, formerly of Westminster, but now residing in Harrisburg, Pa., are visiting Mrs. Haifleigh's cousin, Mrs. S. A. Smith, New Windsor.

Miss Annie R. Yingling, of Baltimore, is visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Coon, Liberty street. She has just returned from a visit to her brother Charles J. Yingling, Tiffin, Ohio.

Mrs. W. W. Dallas and Miss Dallas Roberts, of this city, and Mrs. Charles Stewart, who was visiting her father and mother, Hon. and Mrs. Charles B. Roberts, went on Wednesday to Spring Lake, N. J.

Mrs. John H. Baltzley, of Chambersburg, Pa., who had been visiting friends and relatives in Westminster and Baltimore, returned home to-day. Miss E. Grace Weaver, of this city, accompanied her.

Dr. R. B. Weaver, Demonstrator of Anatomy at Hahnemann Medical Institute, Philadelphia, Pa., spent a few days with Dr. Jacob Rinehart, of Frizellburg, last week. Dr. Weaver will sail from New York to-day for an extended tour of Europe.

Messrs. R. L. Shamleffer and W. S. Shamleffer, of Kansas City, Mo.; Miss Josie Wherhein, Miss Jennie Oursler and Miss Neta Oursler, of Manchester, Md., have been spending several weeks with Mrs. M. V. Kendall, East Main street, this city. Mrs. Kendall's sister, Mrs. Peter Baile, of New Windsor, also paid her a short visit this week.

Heavy Rainfall.

A tremendous rain lasting about half an hour visited this city between four and five o'clock last Saturday afternoon. Many persons are of the opinion that it was a veritable cloud-burst. As described by an intelligent gentlemen, a cloud came up from the south and another from the north and meeting poured out their contents in terrific volumes. A darkness, deep as twilight, settled over the city and in a few minutes the streets were covered with rushing torrents of water which, on Main street, met at the railroad and rose to such an extent that the wheels of the blue Mountain Express, which arrived in the midst of it, were half submerged and the platform at the railroad was partially covered. Fortunately there was little or no wind and the area of the rainfall was circumscribed, having been very slight south and west of Westminster; otherwise serious damage would have resulted. As it was, some cellars were flooded and gardens washed by the rapidly accumulating waters. Some loss was sustained by Mr. Edward Lynch who had about three tons of hay and some fencing washed away adjacent to the city limits. Mr. Henry Morelock lost a lot of lumber. The stream above Winters' dam, at Cranberry Station, carried down a quantity of logs, rails and hay which lodged in the dam and caused some apprehension that it might break under the pressure. The flood-gate was washed away and the meadows and low-lands along the Patapsco submerged to the distance of eight or ten miles below. Mr. R. C. Matthews' brickyard at Carrollton Station suffered to some extent and at Tannery, where the water was very high, considerable damage was inflicted. The waters of Meadow Branch and Bear Branch, northwest of this city, rose to an unusual height, and on White Oak Run, five or six miles east, three small bridges were washed away. A small bridge known as Crowl's a short distance north of this city, was destroyed. The loss in all these cases is inconsiderable. Along the path of the storm, however, the cornfields were badly washed and a considerable quantity of hay carried out of the meadows. The rain was very heavy at Manchester, where the streets were flooded.

Proceedings of Orphans' Court.

Monday, July 15th, 1889.—Letters testamentary on the estate of Simon Shafer, deceased, were granted to Aaron Shafer and Geo. L. Shafer.

The last will and testament of David Geiman, deceased, was admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted to Jeremiah Geiman and Abraham I. Geiman.

Letters of administration on the estate of Magdalena Fleagle, deceased, were granted to John T. Fleagle and Ezra D. Stuller.

Mary Jane Shipley, executrix of Brice Shipley, deceased, settled 1st account.

Noah L. Stansbury and Wm. Crouse, executors of John Peter Yingling, deceased, received order to sell real estate Tuesday, July 16th.—Letters of administration on the estate of Sarah A. Hull, deceased, were granted to Jacob P. Hull.

Distribution among creditors of Thos. Berry, deceased, finally ratified.

Uriah Englar, Administrator of Thos. M. Haley, deceased, settled 2nd and final account.

The G. A. R. Encampment.

All soldiers and their friends in this county who desires to attend the National Encampment at Milwaukee, Wis., August 27th, should communicate without delay with Adjutant John H. Mitten, of Burns Post, Westminster, who will supply all necessary information concerning the trip. By doing so they will be enabled to procure tickets at the reduced rates over the B. & O. R. R. Tickets for the round trip will not be more than $19.55, and may be less.

Serious Accidents.

A sad accident occurred to Mr. Samuel Roop, one of the most esteemed and best-known citizens of this county, at his home at Meadow Branch, near this city, on Sunday last, by which he lost his left eye entirely. Mr. Roop had some bottled cider in his cellar, which he was examining when one of the bottles burst, particles of the glass cutting his cheek and eye. Dr. D. F. Shipley, of this city, was called and applied the proper remedies to alleviate the pain and reduce the inflammation, but expressed the opinion that the eye was irreparably injured. On Tuesday Mr. Roop, accompanied by Dr. Shipley, went to Baltimore and consulted Dr. Chisholm, the well-known specialist, who fully confirmed Dr. Shipley's opinion, and accordingly removed the injured eye. Mr. Roop met the trying ordeal with great fortitude, and no further evil effects of the accident are anticipated. Mr. Roop has the sincere sympathy of a host of friends in his affliction. Mr. Roop is rapidly improving and if all goes well will be home to-day or Monday.

On Monday evening between 8 and 9 o'clock, while Mr. Harry P. Albaugh, of this city, who is engaged in the huckstering business, was loading empties in his wagon at the railroad, the mule attached to the vehicle took fright and ran away. Mr. Albaugh, who was in the wagon, attempted to jump to the mule's back for the purpose of getting hold of the bridle rein and stopping the animal's flight, but was thrown against the curb-stone with great violence. The wagon ran over his left arm, breaking one bone of the forearm, and also over his hip which was severely bruised. He was taken to the office of Dr. E. D. Wells, who gave the necessary surgical attention and Mr. Albaugh is able to be about and is rapidly recovering. The mule was caught on Liberty street without having done further damage.

On the 20th ult., Scott Starr, the little six-year-old son of Mr. Milton Starr, of Uniontown, met with a serious and painful accident. He was sitting on the seat of the reaper which his father was driving, when his left foot was in some way caught by the master-wheel and he sustained an extensive laceration of the tissues of the ankle and foot down to the toes. The tendons were torn, the metatarsal bones of the foot injured, and some of the bones of the ankle joint exposed. Dr. Luther Kemp, of Uniontown, was called and rendered all possible surgical aid. On the 14th inst. Dr. Kemp called Dr. M. L. Bott, of Westminster, in consultation. The child is cheerful and his physicians express the opinion that if necrosis, or mortification does not set in he will recover from the accident, with no further permanent injury than a stiff joint, and that in that case amputation of the foot will not be necessary.

For Seining.

A number of cases, which caused considerable interest and excitement in this city, were brought before Justice George W. Matthews on Thursday afternoon. Wm. Stone, Wm. Oursler, Noah Barnes, Kimmey Oursler, Edward Cress and J. Milton Swartzbaugh, were arrested on the charge of violating Section 36, Article 7, Code of Public Local Laws, entitled Carroll County, by fishing with a seine in Winters' dam on Monday. The law in question provides that no fishing shall be permitted in the Patapsco river, except by angling, above the bridge on the old turnpike road between Baltimore and Washington. The accused claimed that they did not fish in the Patapsco river, but in Cranberry Branch which is only a tributary of the river. Wm. Oursler was first tried and found not guilty, not having participated in the seining. Wm. Stone was then tried and the justice adjudged him guilty and fined him $10 and costs. An appeal was taken to the Circuit Court, and the case made a test. The remaining cases were continued until the appellate court shall have rendered its decision on the subject. Warrants are in the hands of constable Thomson against Wm. Cress, John Stem and Charles Swartzbaugh on a similar charge. The State was represented by State's Attorney D. N. Henning and the accused by Messrs. Roberts, Bond and Brooks.

A Hop at New Windsor.

A jolly hop inaugurated the season at "Windsor Sulphur Springs" on Wednesday evening last. The numerous guests present were favored by a charming night, brilliant music, and Terpsichore on tip-toe. Miss Crane, of Baltimore, who has the management this season, is to be congratulated upon her success. Among those present were the following from Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia, New York, Virginia and New Windsor and neighboring towns: Mrs. Van Schoic, Mrs. Howard Miller and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Whyte and daughter, Mrs. Dr. Kneass, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McIntire, Mrs. Geo. Swindell and daughter, Mrs. Lawter, Miss Olivia Golibart, Misses Ella and Eliza Williar, Bessie Guinn, Katie Crane, Laura Graddick, Maud and Virginia Miller, Katie Kneass, Pearl and Lillian Thompson, Eliza Whyte, Messrs. Jos. Garrett, R. B. Crane, Alfred Miller, Richard Thompson, Mrs. Macomb, Miss McKelden, Archie Loomis, Miss Lizzie Smith, Mrs. Howard Mettee, Miss Carrie Gillen, Miss Schumacker, Mr. Louis Dielman, Misses Lena and Aggie Dielman, Mr. H. A. Jelly, Miss Addie Jelly, Miss Blanche Bennett, Mr. Blessing, Misses Grace and Lena Lambert, Cora and Allie Stouffer, J. Stoner, Charles Roop, Edward Barnes, John Norris, Robert Weaver, R. Stoner, Mrs. Col. Wishart, Miss Grace Wishart, L. Leavett, Mr. Brown, Mr. Smith, Mrs. R. H. Thompson, Miss Louisa and Helena Klecfisch.

For the SENTINEL.

A Remedy for Chicken Lice.

MR. EDITOR.—About this time of year look out for lice on the chickens; especially the half grown ones. I thought my chicken-house the cleanest in town, and believe it is. I cleaned it every week and put dry road dust on the floor winter and summer. Yesterday in passing through the yard I picked up a half grown chick that seemed to be ailing. On examination I discovered thousands of those nasty fast-running lice. Then I remembered that the roosts had not been coal oiled. Coal oil the roosts about once a week; and you won't have scaly leg, nor lice. There will be enough oil get on from their sitting there over night to do the business and you wont endanger the chicken's life by getting too much on.

A CONSTANT READER.

NEW WINDSOR, JULY 18TH, 1889.

The Exposition.

Now that the farmers of Carroll county are getting through the pressing work of harvest and hay making, it is hoped they will turn their attention to the approaching Exposition at Pimlico. In the seven weeks yet remaining before the opening of the Exposition a great deal may be accomplished towards giving the county a respectable standing in exhibits at the Exposition. Something is being done outside of the agricultural department of industry; but it is desirable that every branch of business enterprise in the county shall be well represented. The members of the committees for the several districts appointed sometime ago by Mr. Francis H. Orendorff, will be doing the county a genuine service by interesting themselves and awakening interest in others in regard to the matter. The names of the gentlemen comprising these committees, which were published in the SENTINEL of June 1st, are again inserted that they may have the widest possible publicity. Persons who may have any articles or products worthy of exhibition, are requested to confer with some one of these gentleman, who will communicate with Mr. Orendorff, the Secretary for the county. These committees are as follows:

District No. 1—Dr. C. Birnie, Taneytown; Dr. George T. Motter, Taneytown; T. H. Eckenrode, Taneytown; Edward Reindollar, Taneytown.

District No. 2—Dr. Luther Kemp, Uniontown; Thomas F. Shepherd, Uniontown; Dr. Jacob Rinehart, Frizellburg.

District No. 3—B. F. Shriver & Co., Union Mills; H. Wirt Shriver, Union Mills; John T. Motter, Silver Run.

District No. 4—Latrobe Swann, Finksburg; Nat. Bay, Finksburg; Samuel H. Patterson, Louisville; L. A. J. Lamotte, Lamotte.

District No. 5—Samuel D. Shipley, Eldersburg; Milton Day, Berrett; A. A. Dorsey, Porter's; Johnzie Baseman, Sykesville; Wm. Devries, Freedom; Melville Bros., Haight.

District No. 6—E. J. Crumrine, Manchester; Samuel Hoffacker, Alesia; Oliver Hoover, Melrose.

District No. 7—Wm. Fenby, Westminster; Wm. G. Rinehart, Westminster; Hashabiah Haines, Westminster; Saml. Roop, near Westminster; Edward Lynch, Westminster; Charles Schaeffer, near Westminster; Dr. John S. Mathias, Westminster; Dr. J. Howell Billingslea, Westminster.

District No. 8—Wm. A. Abbott, Hampstead; Alexious Wells, Hampstead; C. C. Wooden, near Hampstead; J. W. Kelbaugh, near Hampstead.

District No. 9—William Y. Frizzell, Bloom; Dr. R. O. D. Warfield, Taylorsville; Howard M. Zile, Winfield.

District No. 10—R. Wyndham Walden, Middleburg; J. W. Weant, Double Pipe Creek; James H. Koontz, Middleburg.

District No. 11—Dr. John Buffington, New Windsor; Dr. George Brown, New Windsor; Louis P. Slingluff, near New Windsor; Hon. P. J. Bennett, Denning's.

District No. 12—Dr. Jas. Watt, Union Bridge; G. S. Haines, Union Bridge; M. C. McKinstry, Union Bridge.

District No. 13—Robert Sellman, Mt. Airy; Jas. A. Clary, West Falls; Jas. H. Steele, Watersville.

Gamber Items.

Mt. Pleasant M. E. Sunday School will hold its annual picnic in the grove near the Church on Saturday, 27th inst. A band of music will be present and several addresses will be made. Ice cream and confectionery will be served; proceeds for the benefit of the school. Every effort will be made to render the occasion pleasant and agreeable.

Fully two-thirds of the grain in this vicinity was damaged in the shock by the late rains. It will cause a serious loss to the farmers and will make a very poor quality of flour. The grain in some fields is actually not fit for flour at all.

In consequence of the inclement weather on Saturday last the attendance at the festival at Pool's Chapel was slim and the net proceeds small.

The growing corn was very much damaged by the storm of Sunday last and the Thursday previous. A great deal of it was broken off near the ground.

During Thursday's storm lightning struck Joshua Murray's barn near this place and burned it to the ground. Fortunately the barn was nearly empty and the loss outside of the building was very trifling. A horse in the stable was gotten out without injury.

Pleasant Valley Items.

During the rain-storm, Thursday of last week, lightning struck the church at this place and produced some singular results. It entered beneath the cornice and ran between the plastering, tearing it off, and then striking the centre girder and passing from one to another split about fifteen of them, shattering everything with which it came in contact.

The rain-storm on Saturday afternoon last struck this place about 5 o'clock, but only in a narrow streak. Strange to say after the storm passed and the sun was shining the flood came, overflowing the meadows and carrying away bridges and fences, and really doing more damage than the flood about the first of June.

Farmers took advantage of the beautiful but warm weather of last week to get their harvest over and hay pretty well secured.

The present prospect for a good apple crop is not encouraging.

George Wantz, near this place, has purchased a new Geiser traction engine, with which he is traveling from farm to farm threshing grain.

Finksburg Items.

The anniversary of Mt. Zion M. P. Sunday School, which was to have taken place in June, was postponed until tomorrow, 21st inst. Rev. J. T. Ward, D. D., and Dr. J. W. Hering, of Westminster, will be present to address the school.

The heavy rains and wind have done great damage to corn by breaking it down.

There is still a great deal of hay to make. The wet weather has been very much against farmers completing their harvest.

There have been two deaths here from cholera infantum, one being the youngest child of Mr. St. Clair and the other the only child of Mr. Uhler.

Mr. William Gorsuch, who has been traveling for David E. Foutz, of Baltimore, for some time past, has returned home.

Harry C. Stocksdale, of the Baltimore city postoffice, paid a visit to his home last Sunday.

Cooksville Items.

Quite a severe storm visited this neighborhood on Saturday last, and many of our farmers were made to feel the effects of it. The lightning was vivid and did much damage to trees and live stock. It is reported that many horses were killed all over Howard county. Mr. J. H. Peddicord, of this place, lost a valuable horse which was struck by lightning on the Saturday mentioned. His four sons were in the stable at the time, one of whom was removing the harness when the horse fell. The bolt tore off some boards and went out without harming any one; then crossed the yard by the dwelling and struck a large tree near the house.

A woods meeting is being held in the beautiful grove surrounding the large new school house at Glenelg, this county, 4 miles from Cooksville, under the management of Revs. J. R. Andrew and J. K. White, which commenced on Sunday last, July 14th. A tremendous crowd was present. Among the charming young ladies from this village were noted the following: Miss Maggie Brian, Misses Nellie, Carrie and Fannie Hobbs, Miss Florida Peddicord, Miss Josie Forsythe and Miss Mary C. Hobbs. The meeting will last all this week and probably next with three services daily. May success attend our Christian brothers' efforts to spread the gospel throughout this region.

Miss Ida Shipley, of this vicinity, is very ill at present and has been for the past two weeks.

A quiet little wedding took place in this neighborhood at the home of Mr. Somers. The contracting parties were Mr. Earnest Hartsock and Miss Alta Sanners. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. C. Cook, on Saturday night last. May the couple live long and be happy together forever, is the wish of many friends.

Misses Gertude and Annie Delashmutt, of Baltimore, are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Walter Dorsey, of this place.

Miss Alice Ball, of Woodstock, Va., is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Charles Hobbs.

Miss Maggie Brian, one of the loveliest ladies in Howard county, spent Sunday with the Misses Delashmutt. Miss Brian is from the vicinity of Morgan Station, B. & O. railroad.

Corn in this section is doing all the farmers expect. Many fields are in tassel, and look exceedingly well.

Harney Items.

The quarterly meeting of the U. B. Church, which was held here last Sabbath, was presided over by Rev. J. T. Shaffer, of York, Pa. Mr. Shaffer was a resident of this neighborhood previous to entering the ministry about twenty-four years ago. He is a self-made man and stands high in his profession.

Charley Harner, who was killed by lightning last week, resided near here for many years and was well known in this community; consequently much sympathy is felt for his bereaved family.

J. A. Shildt, residing in Frederick county near here, lost a horse last week. This is the second horse he has lost since last fall.

A. J. Lightner is having his dwelling house improved by having shutters hung at the windows and the walls papered.

Week before last we came near having a fire in our town. W. J. Lightner's summer house caught fire from the oven which is attached, but it was discovered by the time the flames had reached the roof and with the free use of water it was extinguished. The building was damaged to the extent of about twenty-five dollars.

Jonas S. Harner had his wheat crop threshed last week by A. DeGroft and obtained 758 bushels. His straw rick is 40 feet in height, 76 in length and 27 in width. Who in Carroll county has a larger one?

As Mr. DeGroft was leaving Mr. Harner's with his threshing rig, last Saturday evening, he broke something about the eccentric of the engine which delays him in his threshing operations until he can get the repairs.

Union Bridge Items.

The farmers in this vicinity have about finished their harvest work and now the sound of the steam thresher is heard in the land.

The M. E. Sunday School of this city held its annual picnic in Mr. Granville S. Haines' grove on Thursday.

The Citizens' Æolian Band and a number of other persons, of this city and vicinity, went to Tolchester on the excursion of the employes of the railroad, last Saturday.

The Union Bridge Drill Company has accepted an invitation to attend the Maryland Exposition in September.

Mr. Will Haines delightfully entertained a small party of ladies and gentlemen, boating, on Thursday evening.

Mr. David Holtz, Master Machinist of the Western Maryland Railroad Co., was taken suddenly ill Sunday evening, but is able to be about again.

Mrs. Jacob Snider and son, of Woodsborough, Md., are visiting Mrs. Snider's daughter, Mrs. Howard Winter, of this city.

Union Mills Items.

There is a good hay crop this year and this is excellent weather to secure it.

Work on the Dunkard Church is at present at a standstill.

The ladies of Moorhead M. E. Church will hold an ice cream festival in the school house yard, on Saturday evening, July 20th.

Reports of a deficiency, both in the quantity and quality, of the wheat crop, continue to come in

Herbert Yingling, of E., had his left arm broken near the wrist, and Wm. Yeiser received slight internal injuries, by being thrown from a load of wheat that upset, last Saturday, on the farm of B. F. Shriver & Co. Dr. J. J. Stewart attended both gentlemen.

Woodbine Items.

Mrs. Mary Wilson and Mr. Jesse King and family, of Westminster, who were visiting Mr. James A. Albaugh, at this place, have returned home.

Rev. Mr. McLinn, of Union Bridge, preached here on Sunday last to a large audience. He will preach here again on the 28th, at 3.30 P. M.

Mr. Richard Thomas, who for eleven years past has been buying grain at Point of Rocks, has commenced buying here.

Mr. S. D. Waters, late of DeLashmutt, Waters & Co., of Baltimore, has opened a store at Morgan's.

Mr. F. B. Kidd, of Morgan's, has been employed by Fink, Bros. & Co., of Baltimore, and has removed his family to Jessup's Cut.

Double Pipe Creek Items.

After a long silence your regular correspondent at this point, aroused by the inquiries of your last week's "special," encloses a few items of news from this important village. After some inquiry as to the meaning of that correspondent in denominating this as the seat of a great deal of gossip, it looks to your "regular" as if he, or she, whichever it may be, was putting it in a mild form, and might have enlarged somewhat on the subject.

Mr. John Weybright, Sr., is having the large locust trees in front of his blacksmith property cut away in order to give some younger ones, that have been lately started, a chance.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dotterer and Mrs. F. J. Shorb spent Thursday with friends in Graceham, Frederick county.

Elder James Beam, of Bridgewater, Va., passed through this section this week, working in the interest of the college at that place.

The Misses Young, of Hagerstown, have been spending some time with their aunt, Miss Clara Young, of this place.

Mrs. Wm. Fogle spent a few days in the mountain near Fountain Dale, Pa., visiting friends.

Mr. W. W. Crabster will commence to rebuild a barn at once on the same site where the one was burnt last week. The size will be 70x40 feet. It will be a bank barn. The old barn and outbuildings were insured. Mr. Crabster thinks there must have been from 350 to 400 bushels of wheat burnt. There was very little hay in the barn. The boys that were struck by the lightning are doing very well. The widow, Mrs. Harner, has a grown son in Washington, who will come home and take charge of the farm.

Miss Vernie Diller spent Sunday last with Miss Betty Horner in Finksburg.

Mr. Wm. H. H. Saylor and Jesse Kolb left on Wednesday morning for the battle-field of Gettysburg where they will spend a few days in going over the field.

[The SENTINEL is very glad to hear again from its old correspondent and hopes to have a letter every week.—Ed.]

Sam's Creek Items.

On last Saturday and Sunday evening we received very heavy showers of rain, making the ground very wet and favorable for vegetation.

Most of our farmers are now through with their harvesting and some few have commenced to plow for another crop. The farmer seems to have but little rest and not much pay for his services. Some persons who have been threshing their wheat say the yield is nothing extra; neither is the quality of the wheat very good, it being damaged by too much rain and cloudy weather. The corn on the improved land, in our section, is looking most excellent, but not so well in the clay lands, having been planted late.

The Stornoxys fly has commenced attacking the cattle in our neighborhood. This fly seems to make its lodging place around the base of the horn. As a remedy the people who are most interested are making an application of tar to the spot attacked.

Hon. P. J. Bennett and family will leave home July 26th for Atlantic City, N. J., where they will stop at the Mansion House.

The stubble fields never were set any better in grass than they are this season.

There has been a very heavy crop of hay made in our valley this harvest. It is supposed that Senator Bennett will make, on his two farms, one hundred and fifty tons.

Edward W. Taylor and wife, of Baltimore, are visiting Senator Bennett and family.

Mrs. Lizzie Bankard, of Baltimore, is visiting at Charles H. Roop's.

Prof. Isaac Beahm, of the Bridgewater College, Va., is visiting Prof. William R. Franklin.

It is said that Gov. Hill will call an extra session of the New York Legislature.

The postmaster at Gain, Ala., was shot and killed by a man named Burrows on Wednesday.

James F. Blaine, a nephew of Secretary Blaine, was married at Minneapolis, Minn., on Tuesday, to Miss Anna Kelly.

Horace A. Taylor, the recently appointed commissioner of railroads, has taken the oath of office, and entered upon the discharge of his duties.

The Virginia prohibition State convention, which met at Lynchburg, on Wednesday, nominated a full State ticket and adopted a strong platform.

Dr. McDow, who was tried and acquitted of the murder of Capt. F. W. Dawson, at Charleston, S. C., has been expelled from the South Carolina Medical Society.

Arsenic was placed in the food of the four children of Jos. Hunter, a planter, living near Star City, Ark., Tuesday, and three of them have died. The criminal and his motive are unknown.

Zim Filman, a colored man, at the last term of court in Grenada, Miss., reported quite a number of parties for gambling, for which they swore vengeance. Last Thursday night week he was murdered and his body thrown in Yallabusha river, where it was found Tuesday morning. Several arrests have been made.

A. W. Callen shot and instantly killed Byron J. Charles and Frank Work at his mining camp, at Oro Fino, Arizona, on Monday evening, in a quarrel over a mining claim which Callen had been working and from which Charles and Work attempted to drive him. Callen served one or two terms in the Kansas Legislature.

DIED

Near Hahn's Mill, June 25th, 1889, George Motter, son of George A. and Susanna Formwalt, aged 5 months and 22 days.

Near Littlestown, Pa., July 11th, 1889, Joseph Rohrbach, aged 75 years, 7 months and 8 days.

Near Trummel, July 17th, 1889, Annie B., only daughter of Keziah and the late Simon Shafer, in the 14th year of her age.

How long she struggled 'gainst disease
Which baffled skill and care,
And long she lingered racked with pain,
And sufferings hard to bear.

And yet through all at times she'd smile,
A smile of heavenly birth;
And, when the angels called her home,
She smiled farewell to earth.

What is home without our Annie?
'Tis our cottage robbed of flowers,
Where our broken, bleeding hearts
Will spend many lonely hours.

We have laid her in the silent grave,
Beside our father and brother dear to rest;
We know her happy spirit now
Is numbered with the blest.

Heaven retaineth now our treasure,
Earth the lonely casket keeps;
And the sunbeams love to linger
Where our sainted Annie sleeps.

MARRIED.

At Double Pipe Creek, July 14th, 1889, by Elder D. R. Sayler, Mr. Edward H. Marshall and Miss Fanny F. Pew, both of this county.

In Manchester, —— 1889, by Rev. N. J. Miller, Mr. Wm. E. Lucabaugh and Miss Cora E. Myers, both of Alesia, this county.

In New Windsor, July 14th, 1889, by Elder Joel Roop, Mr. Emanuel Yingling and Mrs. Susie T. Lemon, both of this county.

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

*Methodist Protestant Church