American Union

Thursday, October 13, 1898.

COUNTY CALENDAR.

School Board will meet Oct. 18.
Orphans' Court will meet Oct. 18.
Levy Court will meet Oct. 25.

LOCAL NEWS.

Jack Frost next.

The coal wagons are busy.

Chestnuts will soon be ripe.

Wye River oysters at Park's.

Autumn leaves are coloring.

The boys have the hoop fever.

Farmers are husking their corn.

Pumpkin pies are on the bill-of-fare.

Evening sessions of court began Monday.

The cooler weather is very gratifying to all.

Court convenes next Monday at Chestertown.

The farmers are rushing their wheat seeding.

Eggs are a profitable farm product at present prices.

The attendance at court has not been as large as usual.

Editor Wilkinson, of the Milton Times, spent Monday in town.

A change in the time table of the Q. A. railroad is published to-day.

The "intending to discontinue farming" sale bills will soon begin to appear.

Constable's Sale blanks and magistrates' blanks of all kinds for sale at this office.

Dr. Manship will open an office at Brown's drug store and be ready for practice in a few days.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. Church will meet with Mrs. A. R. Wright this afternoon.

Mrs. Jennie Stevens retured on Thursday of last week from a visit to friends in Huntingdon, Pa.

Mrs. J. N. Craft died at Choptank on Thursday morning last and was buried from the M. E. Church.

The steamer Avalon did not reach her wharf here until dark on Saturday on account of heavy freights.

Use "Listar's" Special Fertilizer for wheat to insure to insure a big crop. Sold by J. H. Barrow, Preston.*

Mr. W. B. Stanton left on Tuesday for Wilmington on his bicycle, on a trip comprising both business and pleasure.

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[illegible]s opening week in th[illegible]ores in town and the la[illegible]ail to call to look at the l[illegible]ty styles.

Sapp & Raughley sold their young mules on Thursday at fair prices although the bidding was not as spirited as is sometimes witnessed.

W. R. Breeding, at Williston, is selling the best timothy seed at $1.25 per bushel; granulated sugar at 5¼c per pound, and is paying 20c a dozen for eggs. *

Mr. R. B. Bond left on Tuesday to attend a four days' shoot in Baltimore. The match will be for a prize of $300 and clay pigeons and live birds will both be used.

Rev. Dr. Brown, colored, a former minister at this place has been doing a good business with his herb medicines during court. The doctor's remedies are said to be good.

Mr. M. H. Smith has purchased Mr. Kinnamon's stock of fruits and confectionery and removed the same to his store on the opposite side of the street where he will continue the business.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Stafford at Choptank, have issued cards for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Nannie Gootee to Mr. William Andrew Hamilton, Oct. 18, 6.30 P. M. at the M. E. Church.

Several communications were unavoidably omitted from last week's issue on account of being received too late. All news letters intended for publication should reach the office not later than Tuesday.

Mr. J. H. Nichols is arranging to have the machines at the shirt factory run more rapidly. By this improvement it is expected considerable more work can be turned out. Mr. Nichols is also thinking of putting electric lights.

Cards have been issued to the marriage of Miss Juliett Goover Streett of Belair and Mr. William J. Price, Jr., editor of the Centreville Observer. The ceremony will be celebrated in Emmanuel Church, Belair, on Tuesday, October 18, at 12 o'clock.

We have few of last week's supplements left over, giving an account of the receipts and expenditure of the County Commissioners for the past fiscal year, which can be obtained free of charge by applying at this office. They were sent out this year in book form, a decided improvement over former years.

The Holiness Association is still conducting meetings at Clough's woods and the services are well attended and very interesting. Miss Lizzie Smith, of Philadelphia, is expected to be present this week and Mrs. Hester A. Middleton, of Milford, will be present on Sunday.

Campaign thunder will soon be in order.

Hay can now be bought in city markets for $8 a ton.

Rev. P. Baker will preach at Harmony M. E. Church Sunday morning at 10.30.

Judge Russum's house is nearing completion and he is occupying a portion of it.

Mr. H. S. Mancha, of Glen Burnie, formerly a resident of this county, spent Monday in town.

At the beginning of court Sheriff Rice had two prisoners, but ten days later had twelve prisoners.

Lewis is somewhat excited over a Norweg an steamer landing a yellow fever victim at the breakwater.

A Mr. Staton is getting material on his lot in East Denton, preparatory to building a house this fall.

Mr. Edward Parsons, of Salisbury, who for a number of years clerked in town, spent a short time here this week.

Sheriff Rice took Geo. P. Hargraves who was convicted of murder in the second degree, to the State penitentiary on Tuesday.

Listar's Celebrated Harvest Queen Fertilizer, it is the thing for wheat; try it and be convinced. Sold by J. H. Barrow, Preston. *

The Third Quarterly Conference of the M. E. Church will meet at the parsonage Friday evening. The Elder will preach at Harris Chapel on Sunday afternoon.

The foundation for the M. E. Sunday School room in the rear of the church has been laid a number of days and is now awaiting the carpenters who are driven beyond their limit of supply.

Mrs. Beniah Kinnamon has purchased of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Stewart, a building lot on Lowe street and will erect two six-room dwellings at once. We understand they are rented for next year.

Mr. M. M. Andrew, an account of a pen of birds appeared in our last issue, had the misfortune to lose all the young one, a rat having got into the cage and bit them through the head and sucked their blood.

The colored members of the A. M. E. Church, Rev. Arthur Jones, pastor, held their annual rally on Sunday. Presiding Elder Collett, was present and enough money was raised to clear their church of debt.

The "Acme Harrow" is acknowledged to be the best in the world to work up ground. Try it on your wheat land this fall. Sold at prices and terms to suit the times, at Barrow's, Main street, Preston. *

Mrs. Regina D. Jones, of Philadelphia, daughther of late Peter Pritchett, of this town, departed this life on the 4th inst. She was the wife of late Robt. Jones, who was born and reared in this town.

"I wouldn't take $2000 and be without the course," says A. H. Grosh, book-keeper, North East, Md. in catalogue of Goldey Com'l and Shorthand College, Wilmington, Del. Send for cat.(See adv.) *

Samuel B. Needles of Greensboro, died at the residence of his sister in Clayton Sunday evening of last week. He has been a sufferer for the past six months with consumption. He was in his 22 year. Interment was made at Greensboro.

A concert will be given at Masonic Hall, on Wednesday, Oct. 26th under the direction of Miss Jessie Vivien Kerr, assisted by barytone and soprano soloists, violinist, and elocutionist. The concert is under the auspices of the Epworth League of Denton.

Messrs. George W. Spurry, Alex. Smith and Capt. Mat. Garey were seated opposite the UNION office on Tuesday, engaged in social conversation when a representative of this paper said it was not often that three gentlemen, whose ages would aggregate more than these would be found grouped together. Upon inqury it was found that the three gentlemen aggregated 220 years

The first political gun was fired in Denton on Saturday by the free silver Democrats. The speakers were Wm. Toner, of Baltimore, and Robt. Mattingly, of Washington. The speakers were bright and interesting, and proved themselves to be masters of their subject; not that either of the two great parties were berated, but the speakers endeavored to show the merits of their own party.

A few of the sportsmen about town tried their hand at "blue rocks" on Saturday. Mr. R. B. Bond furnished the birds, trap and amunition and the sportsmen furnished the fun. It was the intention to shoot for a gun but a sufficient number of chances were not sold. Grant Alburger, of Denton, made the best score. Mr. Bond gave the boys some pointers at the close of the match by breaking ten straight. Judging by the shooting of Saturday the birds are in little danger from these gentlemen this fall.

The Lewes National Bank has been organized and John F. Sipple, cashier of the Third National Bank of Baltimore, is its president, and D. W. Burbage, Dr. H. R. Burton, Elmer Outten and Mrs. William A. Dodd are the directors. Walter Sparklin was elected cashier and they expect to be ready for business some time this week. Mr. Sparklin was formerly principal of the Lewes public schools. Coming from there to this place where he practiced law. Later he became teller of the Peoples National Bank, but now holds a similar position at Crisfield, to that held at Lewes. Mr. Sparklin accepted the bank position this week.

Don't fail to see Barrow's samples of wheat Fertilizer before buying the largest and finest line that has ever been in Preston. Comprising 14 different brands at prices and terms to suit the times. Office on Main St., Preston, Md. *

COURTHOUSE NEWS.

DOINGS OF THE CIRCUIT COURT.

News of the Past Week as Gathered at the County Seat.

The following gentlemen were selected as jurors in the case of the State agains George P. Hardgraves, and were chosen shortly after noon on Wednesday as reported in the UNION of last week: Clarence D. Smith, R. T. Bryan, James E. Johnson, J. O. Brown, Bascom N. Chambers, Jonathan Evitts, Fred. Hyde, G. Lacy Stevens, William H. Beachamp, N. L. Tribbett, John H. Nichols and John W. Clark, Jr.

Geo. P. Hargraves was convicted last Friday of the murder of Joshua Miller, of Cecil county on July 20. The jury after being out for several hours rendered a verdict of murder in the second degree and he was sentenced to 18 years in the penitentiary. The jury on the first ballot stood seven for acquittal and five for murder in the first degree. After hours of deliberation the jury got together and rendered a verdict above stated. After the trial Hargarves was asked concerning the sentence and replied: "I am feeling all right. I don't feel bad over it. I am as innocent of the murder of that old man as you are, but I don't say that I do not know something about it. Two Italians killed him with a pickaxe, and I was standing by when they did it." Hargraves did not take the stand in his own defense, as he is not over bright his counsel thought it best not to put him up. The evidence was purely circumstantial and the links were well counected, but for the prisoner's past life he would not have been convicted on that evidence.

On Friday the Grand Jury completed its investigations and was discharged after submitting the following report:

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court for Caroline County, State of Maryland:

The grand inquest of the State of Maryland, for Caroline county, has been in session five days and most respectfully begs leave to submit their report. We have examined 34 witnesses and the following constables: John H. Williamson, L. Mowbray, W. T. Tuff, Howard Towers, A. F. Murphy, John E. Faulkner, John A. Comegys, Andrew Baggs, and F. H. Beachamp.

We have examined 21 cases and found ten bills of indictment. A committee of five members have visited and inspected the jail house and report it unfit for the purpose for which it is intended. We also find that the well of water is unfit to drink; the stables, also, need underpinning. We have also visited and examined the iron bridge. The draw is very much out of repair and the piling is in a dilapidated condition. The abutment at the East end of the bridge is also in bad condition.

A committee of three members visited and examined the Alms House and report the same to be in a first-class condition. There are twelve inmates. We recommend the building of a carriage house.

We conclude with the usual recommendations for better roads and improved methods of managing and working the same.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

R. Y. COLINS,
Foreman.

On Friday the case of Boyd vs. Wright was taken up; jury trial; verdict for appellant for one cent and costs; Towers and Russum for appellant, Lewis & West for appellee.

Todd vs Stevens; plea of debt; jury trial; verdict for plaintiff; Towers and Russum for plaintiff; Lewis & West for defendant.

Smith vs. Brockway; plea of damages; jury trial; compromised; Lewis and Brown for plaintiff; Fisher and Dewese & Owens for defendant.

Roe and Coursey vs Town Commissioners of Greensboro; claim of trespass; plea of not guilty; jury trial; Roe & Coursey are awarded one cent damages.

Early on Friday Sheriff Rice accompanied by a deputy drove down near Friendship for the purpose of arresting Thomas Larrimore. Some time ago a constable went to the Larimore home for the purpose of arresting one of the sons when the father ordered the officer off of the place, he and his boys threatening him with guns and pitchforks. For this offense the court ordered his arrest. Sheriff Rice on arriving at the farm found the father and sons at work in a field some distance from the house and drove out to them. When he announced his business he was curtly ordered off the farm and considerable talk about shooting was indulged in. The old gentleman then seized a chain lying near the plow and said "git." At this order the sheriff drew his gun and jumped from the carriage. Larrimore then started to run and the sheriff after a short footrace captured his man by firing a shot at him, which persuaded him to halt. In the meantime the son wanted had taken to the woods. Two of the other sons were also arrested and on Saturday morning Orlando, another son, came to Denton and surrendered to the Sheriff.

The Maltby May Reopen.

The Maltby House, on Pratt street in Baltimore, well-known and for many years the favorite stopping place of Easternshoremen, is about to be re-opened. Mr. O. W. Fowler, the manager, has been in New York, with a well known restaurateur, arranging with the owners of the property for making some elaborate improvements. It is proposed to make the dining hall one of the prettiest in the city. If satisfactory terms can be arranged the improvements will be begun at once. The opening of the Maltby would be very gratifying to residents of this vicinity, as it is convenient to both lines of boats by which our citizens go to and from the city.

DOINGS OF COUNTY OFFICIALS.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS.

William T. Baker and wife to F. P. Stafford, 61 acres, $600.

William J. Blackiston to James H. Smith and wife, Denton town lot $30.

Catherine R. Emerson and husband to H. A. Roe, Greensboro town lots, $150.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Edward D. Fountain and Lavinia Victor, both of Delaware.

Medford C. Meredith and Lulu E. Wyatt, of Ridgely.

Oscar Clark and Catherine S. Duffy.

William H. Faulkner and Sallie Rich.

William A. Hamilton and Nannie Gootee.

Colored— Daniel B. Pearce and Rachel E. Johnson.

Rufus H. Washington and Annie Gibbs.

Wm. L. Dickerson and Victoria E. Johnson.

ORPHANS' COURT.

At the meeting of the Court on Tuesday Judges Sigler, Orrell and Wright were present.

Thos. L. Day, guardinan to Evelyn Pippin, minor, presented his final account of guardianship, which was passed.

Letters of administration on the personal estate of John R. Griffin, deceased, were granted to T. Pliny Fisher. Warrant to appraise the personal estate was issued to W. D. Taylor and Jonathan Evitts.

LEVY COURT.

At the meeting of the County Commissioners, on Tuesday, a telegram was received from J. S. McIlvain, requesting them to meet at Dover Bridge on Friday Oct. 14, which they decided to do. The bridge is now about completed and will be inspected by the board at the meeting.

Commissioners Zacharias and Lord met the Commissioners of Talbot county in joint session on Friday last and decided to tender Mr. Leslie Beachamp a fair compentation for damages sustained by his horse breaking through Hillsboro bridge. Mr. T. Pliny Fisher attorney for Beachamp, appeared before the Commissioners on Tuesday and refused the tender of $200, but said he would confer with his client.

Willed His Teeth.

Mr. George A. Ward, of Abingdon, Ill., broke the record in curious wills. He was a member of the Congregational Church, and when he died it was discovered that he had willed his false teeth to the church. The church took the same utilitarian view of things that Mr. Ward did, and the treasurer sold the teeth for $27, that being the value of the gold in them. That was decidedly better than burying the gold to be mined by some future graveyard gold miner. If the single gold standard is to prevail throughout the world they will eventually have to mine the graveyards and tear up the pavements of the New Jerusalem to get enough to keep the people from forgetting what it looks like.—Louisville Dispatch.

Adamsville News.

What has become of our Greenwood correspondent?

M. M. Davis is slowly improving.

Protracted meetings at our church will begin on October 23.

Leon A. Davis, who graduated from Washington College last June, leaves on the 13th for Fisherville, Va. where he will assume the duties of principal of a graded school.

Our church was pleasingly trimmed with fruits and flowers, on Sunday last, in honor of Glad Tiding's Day. The choir rendered appropiate music which, with the preaching, was thoroughly appreciated by a crowded house.

Greenwood Gleanings.

Miss Linda Todd has been appointed 2nd assistant in our school.

The colored school at St. Johnstown opened last Monday,

Miss George Hamilton has decided to open a new millinery store in Ricards' Block.

Miss Lottie Morris is visiting friends in Bridgeville.

Mrs. J. Willey and little son have been visiting friends in Washington for the last few weeks.

Mrs. E. R. Dawson, of Federalsburg visited Mrs. S. C. Atherton last week.

Friends from town spent a very pleasant evening with Mr. Will Lynch last Friday evening.

Free Pills.

Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of Constipation and Sick Headache. For Malaria and Liver troubles they have been proven invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to stomach and bowels, greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c. per box. George & Redden Druggists. 2

Woolen Mills to be Operated.

Mr. Gambrill, a large manufacturer of woolen goods of Wilmington, Del., has recently purchased Mallalieu's mills, in Queen Anne's county, and is putting the buildings and plant in condition for operation. Mr. Joseph Mallalieu is superintending the work, and states that the mills will be running, according to the present calculations, in about two weeks, The factory has been idle several years. Caroline merchants well remember when the Mallalieu's sold a great deal of their good in this county, and why that trade cannot be regained, we can't see.

Mrs. Botkin Extradited.

Mrs. Botkin's case is likely to develop a sensation before she is removed from California to Delaware.

Governor Budd of San Francisco, signed the extradition warrant Monday and gave it to Chief of Police Lees. Attorney-General Fitsgerald thought it was legal, and that it was sufficient for her removal. Hearing that the warrant had been issued, Mrs. Botkin's attorneys hastened to the Federal Court prepared to ask Judge Hawley to issue a writ of habeas corpus to prevent the States authorities from forcibly taking the prisoner from the State, but Judge Hawley could not be found.

The Botkin attorneys appealed to Judge Cook, who issued the desired papers. The new writ was directed at Detective McVey, of Delaware. This was done in order to prevent Chief of Police Lee turning the prisoner over to the Delaware detective, who could get out of the state with his charge. The new writ was made returnable on Monday, when a number of other judges probably will sit with Judge Cook. Mrs. Botkin was ordered into the custordy of Chief of Police Lees.

Blind Staggers.

Several gentlemen residing on Kent Island have lost valuable horses during the past ten days, from the effects of blind staggers. The animals are attacked suddenly and in nearly every insance die, there being no know treatment which will effect a cure.

Dr. Thomas W. Sparklin, veterinarian, was on the Island has been called to diagnose the disease. The decease, he says, is enzootic cerebrospinal anaemia, which is prevailing in the State. Ninety-five per cent. of horses afflicted with the disease die. Dr. Sparklin has calls from many parts of the State from stock raisers, which he will respond to as soon as possible. The decease make its appearance in September and continues through the winter. It originates from the horses eating decayed vegetable matter. It is not contagious and can be prevented by proper care.

Col. Legg's Place.

It was rumored in Baltimore last week that Col. Wm. Henry Legg had been requested by Internal Revenue Collector Parlett to resign his position in his office, and that the Colonel had refused and had been suspended by Mr. Parlett. The latter when seen, refused to discuss the matter. The probabilities are that Col. Legg will be relieved of his office in order to make room for some party friend of the Collector, although the Colonel's position is covered by the provisions of the civil service laws. Mr. J. H. C. Legg received a letter from his father on Tuesday, in which the latter stated that he intended resigning.—Centreville Observer.

Beats The Klondike.

Mr. A. C. Thomas, of Marysville, Texas, has found a more valuable discovery than has yet been made in the Klondike. For years he suffered untold agony from consumption, accompanied by hemorrhages; and was absolutely cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. He declares that Gold is of little value in comparison with this marvelous cure; would have it even if it cost a hundred dollars a bottle. Asthma, Bronchitis and all throat and lung affections are positively cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Trial bottles free at George & Redden's Drug Store. Regular sizes 50c and $1.00 Guaranteed to cure or price refunded. 2

Canners After Pears.

Isaac Robinson of Baltimore owns and operates seven canning factories in lower Delaware, representing an outlay of $175,000. Recently Mr. Robinson conceived the idea of canning pears as soon as the tomato season was over, and began a hustle among his agents that all the accessible pear orchards of two counties might be bought ourright.

C. W. Baker of Aberdeen, Md., who operates eight plants—an investment of nearly a quarte of a million dollars, also decided upon the same course, and as a consequence the fruit-growers laughingly take 32 cents per basket for Keiffer pears,

Mr. Bayard's Will.

The will of Thomas F. Bayard has been entered at the Register's office. The estate is valued at $50,000 to $75,000, and consists of real estate in Willmington, and one house in Washington, all of which is left to his widow. The conditions are that she must dispose of the Wilmington property after the expiration of one year.

The only public bequest is $5000 to the old Swedes Church of Wilmington, and a legacy is left to H. W. Bryan of Washington, former private secretary to Mr. Bayard.

Walked off the Wharf.

James Burge, a waiter of the Queen Anne's Railroad, after returning from a trip over the road one day last week made a misstep and stepped off the wharf at Queenstown, and before help could reach him he had sunk to the bottom. Herman Reed, the clerk on the wharf, succeeded in finding him by means of a boathook, and brought him to the surface, when he was given into the hands of Dr. Davidson, who worked on him till 2 o'clock in the morning before he was fully rescitated.

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Mrs. McKinley's Brother Shot.

George D. Saxton, a brother of Presiden McKinley's wife, was shot and killed Friday evening, and Mrs. Anna C. George, whose alleged relations to Saxton have figured in a number of case in court in recent years, has been placed under arrest on suspicion of connection with the crime.

Mrs. George was arrested at the home of Mrs. Oberliu, where she had taken rooms. Her clothing contained a number of burrs and other evinence that she had been off the the usual roads of travel before her arrest.

The funeral services took place on Monday at Canton, Ohio, and was attended by President McKinley and his wife.

NEWS NOTES

The Rev. Alfred Smith Sunday night condemned horse racing in his sermon. He said that W. T. Moore had been a Methodist class leader during his pastorate on the Easton district. He became so infatuated with turf that on the fatal morning he declared: "I'll go for first money to day or go to the lower region."

Last week Constable Allen, of Queenstown, arrested and carried to Centreville Washington Collins and Fred Metzdorf on the charge of selling liquor without a license. They were arraigned before Justice W. W. Bryan, Jr., where they both pleaded guilty and were fined.

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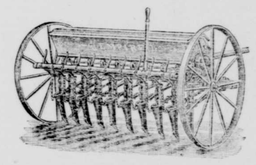


Daily Round Trip.
Beginning Wednesday, June 1st: 1898,
STEAMER EMMA A. FORD
will leave Chestertown at 7 o'clock a. m., dailey except Sunday, stopped at Rolph's Booker's, Quaker Neck, Bogles' and Queenstown; leave Queenstown at 8.45 arriving in Baltimore about 11:45; leave Baltimore at 3:15 p. m., arriving at Queenstown at 5:45 p. m.; Centreville 7:30.

STEAMER B. S. FORD,
leaves Centreville at 7.00 a. m., stopping at landings on Corsica River, Bogles, Jackson Creek and Kent Island, arriving in Baltimore at 11 a. m.; leave Baltimore 3:30 p. m., arrive at Centreville 7:30.

THE STEAMER GRATITUDE
leaves Rock Hall at 8 a m., arrive in Baltimore 10:15 a. m. Leave Baltimore 4:00 p. m., arrive at Rock Hall 6:15 p. m.
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Schedule in effect October 6, 1898 Steamer connections between 9½ Light Street Wharf, Baltimore, and Railroad division at Queenstown.

Eastward.			Westward.	
3 Exp.	1 Mix'd		2 Exp.	4 Mix'd
Leave		STATIONS	Arrive	
P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.
3.20	6.00	Baltimore	11.45	10.15
6.25	9.00	Queenstown	8.55	5.35
6.31	9.07	Bloomingdale	8.49	5.25
6.38	9.14	Wye Mills	8.42	5.17
6.44	9.22	Willoughby	8.36	5.04
6.51*a*		D. & C. Junc	8.29*a*	
6.53	9.35	Queen Anne	8.27	4.49
6.55	9.37	Hillsboro	8.25	4.45
6.59	9.43	Downes	8.21	4.40
7.02	9.46	Tuckahoe	8.18	4.37
7.07	9.54	Denton	8.12	4.30
7.16	10.10	Hobbs	8.02	4.15
7.22	10.18	Hickman	7.56	4.05
7.27	10.22	Adamsville	7.52	3.58
7.31	10.27	Blanchard	7.48	3.53
7.37*b*	10.35	Greenwood	7.42	03.45
7.44	10.53	Owens	7.34	3.25
7.47	10.58	Oakley	7.30	3.20
7.58	c11.15	Ellendale	7.21	3.12
8.06	11.24	Wolfe	7.13	2.58
8.11	11.30	Milton	7.08	2.51
8.19	11.38	Whitesboro	7.00	2.43
8.22	11.41	Overbrook	6.57	2.40
8.26	11.45	Greenhill	6.54	2.35
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