American Union

COUNTY CALENDAR.

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 14, 1902.

LOCAL NEWS.

The city cousins are with us.

Oyster season is approaching.

Water melons are becoming plentiful.

Mr. W. A. Stewart is opening his stock of men's shoes.

John Wanamaker employs graduates of Goldey College.

Mr. H. A. Roe's cannery was running on peaches on Tuesday.

A Delaware editor remarks that these are dog days and cat nights.

Peaches have been bringing 50c per basket at Greensboro and Ridgely.

If you owe the UNION a dollar this is a good season of the year to pay it.

A few farmers have sold their crops of peaches at 50 cents per basket.

Mr. W. F. Murphy has been appointed baggagemaster on the Queen Anne's Railroad.

Mr. T. W. Smith packed several baskets of tomatoes last week at his cannery at Tuckahoe.

The farmers who shipped their potatoes early were lucky, prices are reported very low at present.

About twenty-five Bohemians have already arrived for the canning season at H. A. Roe's cannery here.

A few canners in the county have not contracted for tomatoes, but will buy at market price when the crop comes on.

150,000 shingles. Captain Z. T. Hutchinson has just received another cargo of fine Cypress shingles. For sale at Denton Bridge.

The machinery in the new cannery of the Denton Canning Company was tested on Monday and they will probably begin work this week. The other canneries will probably open too.

Mr. Solomon Reynolds is running his vegetable wagon to town every day and has secured quite a good trade. Fresh vegetables delivered at the house is quit a convenience to the people of town.

An all day meeting well be held at Pentecostal grove to-day. A meeting of the trustees of the Caroline County Holiness Association will be held at the Denton Mission at nine o'clock for the purpose of electing a new board of trustees.

At the meeting of the County Commissioners on Tuesday the most of the session was spent in hearing objections to the laying down of a county road in the Second district as recommended by the examiners. The road is known as the Richards road.

During the electric storm on Sunday a tree standing along the fence at the residence of Mr. Charles H. Bulleck was struck by lightning and running along the fence to the stable split a board off of the corner and did other slight damage. Several persons in the vicinity were slightly shocked.

Major Russel, a roan gelding owned by M. B. Slemmer, stepped a very fast mile about a week ago at Hillsboro track. The last half he finished in 1.07, a 2.14 gate. This is a remarkable performance in view of the fact that the horse has never received any training. Major will make his first public appearance at Easton fair.

Dates of fairs in Maryland have been fixad as follows: Easton, Talbot County Fair, August 19 to 21; Tolchester, August 26 to 29; Pocomoke City, August 12 to 15; Upper Marlboro, August 12 to 14; Timonium, September 2 to 5; Rockville, Agricultural Fair, September 7 to 9; Frederick County Fair, October 21 to 24; Hagarstown, October 14 to 17.

The Heptasophs of Ridgely will run an excursion to Rehodoth and hold a re-union at that place tomorrow. Various conclaves from Delaware and Maryland are expected to be present. The train will leave Denton at 12:41; returning will leave Rehoboth at 9:00 o'clock. Hon. Olin Bryan, Morris G. Cohen, S. H, Tattersall and Hon. Henry R. Lewis, will delever addresses from the piazza of the Hotel Brayton in the evening. Fare for round trip 75c.

The Anklam Manufacturing Co., of Caroline county, has been incorporated at Denton, with a capital of $3,000, for the purpose of "carrying on a manufacturing, mechanical and industrial business." The incorporators are Rudolph G. Anklam, Charles W. Hobbs, John Kemp Stevens, Fred R. Owens, and William J. D. Lucas. The directors are R. G. Anklam, C. W. Hobbs, J. Kemp Stevens and Fred R. Owens. The incorporation papers were filed yesterday.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NOTES.

Hon. H. R. Lewis spent Thursday in Philadelphia.

Mrs. W. F. Murphy and sister are visiting in Seaford.

Mrs. Olie Roe, of Williston, visited friends in town on Saturday.

Mr. Wheatly Holmes, of Baltimore, is visiting friends near town.

Mrs. Thomas R. Green and children have returned from Rehoboth.

Miss Alice Shriver, of Frederick City, is the guest of Miss Sophia Kerr.

Miss Sue Smith, of Philadelphia, is the guest of her sisser, Mrs. T. R Green.

Mr. Harry Bice, of Wilmington, is visiting at the home of Mr. Samuel Griffin.

Mr. Elon S. Hobbs, of New York, spent Sunday with his mother and sisters in town.

Mr. Henry Wilkinson of the Ridgely Sun, spent Sunday in town with Mr. H. K. Tubbs.

Prof G. H. Cockle and wife have returned after spending their vacacation in Buffalo.

Mr. George Gochnour has returned to "Oak Hill" after spending several weeks in Denton.

Miss Florence Jones, of Cynwyd, Pa., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ormond W. Downes.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parris, of Philadelphia, have been yisiting Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Lewis.

Mrs. Annie Downes and Miss Ella Downes have returned from a two weeks stay at Rehoboth.

The Misses Allen, of Wilmington, Del., are guests of the Misses Dukes, at "Plaindealing."

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Stewart returned on Monday evening from a visit with Baltimore relatives.

Miss Helen Hooper, of Easton, has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. K. Scotten, in West Denton.

Miss Bessie Nowell and Miss Clara Clifton spent several days last week with Mrs. James Mallalieu.

Mr. P. H. McShane, of this place, has resingned his position with the Levering Company, on account of his health.

Mr. Chas. W. Byrn, of Baltimore, was in town on Monday. Mr. Byrn represents the American Book Co., of New York.

Mr. Albert Howard has resigned his position in Baltimore and will take charge of the Two Johns property and business.

Mr. A. R. Wright is assisting with the work at the Denton National Bank during the absence of Teller J. Dukes Downes.

Mr. P. O. Sparks and wife, of Wilmington, are visiting the parents of Mrs. Sparks, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stafford, at Burrsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. H. Thawley and Mr. and Mrs. Willard H. Thawley, attended the Holiness camp near Harrington, on Sunday.

Mr. Charles P. Ramsdell who has been spending a couple of weeks with his parents near town, left for St. Louis on Saturday.

Miss Mary Horsey and her friend, Miss Nellie Gorton, of Baltimore, spent last week with the Misses Pennington at Ridgely.

Mr. Charles H. Todd, of Fowling Creek, was in town on Monday morning and took the stage for Ridgely on a trip to Philadelphia.

Mr. Wm Stevens has been filling bookkeeper Todd's position in the Peoples Bank while the latter has been away on his vacation.

Mrs. S. A. Cline and Mrs. R. E. Fountain, of Ridgely; Miss Maggie Lyons, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. R. A. Emerson, of Church Hill, visited friends in town on Tuesday.

C. Harry Whitby and Steele Bradley left for Pocomoke City on Monday morning, where they will assist Prof Moore and the band of that place, to furnish music for the Pocomoke Fair.

Mr. and Mrs S. L. Carpenter, expected to start for their home in Kansas yesterday, but Mrs. Carpenter was so weak her physician advised them not to start. She died verry suddenly about 1.30 o'clock in the afternoon.

J. Dukes Downes, of this place and Ed. R. Downes, of Baltimore, left on Saturday by a Merchant and Miners Line steamer, for Boston. They will spend some time in and around the city and return by rail and a trip down the Hudson river.

Mr. and Mrs. George Butler, and Mr. Homer Turner and Miss. Nora Turner, of North Adams, Mass., spent a few days last week with their sister, Mrs John Boggs. Mrs. Butler, nee Miss, Cora Turner, attended school in Denton for several years and has many friends and acquaintances here. They went from here to Baltimore and will take a trip up the Hudson on their way home.

CORN FOR SALE.—800 bushels of good yellow corn. A part of it on the cob. LEVI KING.
Denton, Md.

Church Notes.

Revival services are in progress at Williston M. E. Church and will likely continue during next week.

The Centreville M. E. Sunday School will run a special low-rate excursion to Cape May and Rehoboth Beach on Thursday, August 21

Presiding Elder C. S. Baker, D. D., will preach in the M. E. Church on Sunday morning. Rev. J. T. Richardson will preach at Harris' Chapel on Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Z. H. Webster, of Delmar, who has been spending several days in town, preached in the M. E. Church on Sunday morning to a large congregation. Mr. Webster has many friends here who are always glad of an opportunity to hear him preach.

The congregation of Kenedyville Methodist protestant Church and their pastor, Rev. Mr. Rowe, carried out a pleasant program at Sundays service. The services closed with the burning in the pulpit of a $250 promissory note given for repairs to the church.

Brandywine Summit campmeeting began Thursday evening of last week with Rev. R. H. Adams in charge. There are about 100 tents. Rev. W. T. Lewis preached on Sunday morning, Rev. F. B. Short in the afternoon and Rev. W. L. S. Murray at night.

Salem Camp, in Dorchester, will be conducted this year as formerly —a regular Union Camp— participated in by the Baptists, Methodists Pretestants and Methodist denominations. Every pleasure will be arranged as perfectly as possible. The camp will continue ten days from August 8.

In his sermon at All Saints' Church, Rehoboth, on Sunday, Bishop Coleman alluded to the fact that some women had appeared without hats, and denounced the practice. He said it was unscriptural and unchurchly, and the church of Delaware had no such custom. Women would be surprised, he said, to see men appear in church with their hats on, but it would be no worse than for women to appear with their hats off.

The second quarterly conference for Williston Charge, M. E. Church, will be held at Concord Church on Monday morning, Aug. 18th, beginning at 10 o'clock. Quarterly meeting at Harmony M. E. Church on Sunday, Aug. 17th. Services begin at 9 o'clock a. m., with a love feast followed by a sermon and the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Preaching at the 3 o'clock p. m., by the presiding elder, Dr. Baker.

School Board Business.

At the meeting of the School Board on Tuesday Misses Leonora Valliant, Bertha Blades, and Maud Morgan, were appointed to scholarships at the State Normal school.

Huntley J. Sinclair was appointed as a State student at St. Johns College and Roy C. Smith, to Western Maryland, both subject to the confirmation of Senator Roe.

Lulu Clark, of Greensboro, to a scholarship at St. Mary's Seminary.

The resignation of Miss Ida Downes, teacher in the Denton Primary school was accepted and Miss Dora Gelletly was appointed to fill the vacancy.

Misses Ella Harrison and Elizabeth Phillips were appointed assistants at Preston, and Miss Mary Sparklin at Smithville.

The white schools of the county will open on Sept 15, and the colored schools on Oct 6.

Orphans Court Proceedings.

At the meeting of the Orphans' Court on Tuesday there were present: John A. Sigler, C. J.; Thomas L. Day, Jesse T. Dennis, JJ.; Robert J. Jump, Register.

W. Frank Williams, executor of Daniel A. Williams, deceased, presented an inventory of the personal estate of deceased, which was approved and order to sell granted.

William B. Nuttle was appointed guardian to his minor children. Bond filed and approved.

William H. Norris, administrator of John F. Straughn, deceased, presented final receipts and release from the distributees, which were approved.

Daniel W. Moore, executor of Jas. H. Moore, deceased, presented an account of sales, list of sperate debts and final account of administration, which were approved and passed.

The Court passed an order appointing Thomas Frederick Garey, Jr., to fill the vacancy in the scholarship at Washington College.

It Needs a Tonic.

There are times when your liver needs a tonic. Don't give purgatives that gripe and weaken. DeWitt's Little Early Risers expel all poison from the system and act as tonic to the liver. W. Scott, 581 Highland ave., Milton, Pa., says: "I have carried DeWitt's Little Early Risers with me for several years and would not be without them." Small and easy to take. Purely vegetable. They never gripe or distress. H. Duffy, Hillsboro.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL ITEMS.

The Talbot county fair begins next week.

The painters are all busy and the town is looking brighter.

The plasterers are busy in Prof. E. M. Nobles new houses.

Liveryman White has moved his teams to the stable adjoining the feed store.

The frequent rains keep the land in fine order for plowing for those farmers who are late turning fallow.

Mr. E. T. Boyer is building a new dwelling for J. Dukes Downes on the farm near town tenanted by Spencer Ross.

The basket factory hands are working overtime in order to supply the demand for baskets.

Carpenters began raising the new residence of Mr. G. T. Redden on Monday and it will be shut in in a short time.

Some fine yellow peaches are now ripening and the busy housewives will soon be in the midst of preserving and canning.

The drive wells for the waterworks are being put down, and the pump to be used in filling the tank arrived on Monday.

Mrs. John H. Horsey is very ill at a hospital in Baltimore. We hear that an operation for appendicitis was performed yesterday. Dr. F N. Nichols accompanied her to Baltimore.

Mr. B. G. Stevens represented the Caroline Republican State Central Committee at Ocean City on Thursday, going as proxy for Mr. T. R. Green. A call for primaries appears in another column.

LOST—Between the residence of Mr. John Boggs and the depot, a gold brooch set with pearls. The pin was a present to the owner and is highly prized. The finder will be suitable rewarded by returning it to. MRS JOHN BOGGS

At the colored people's camp at Chilton's on Sunday 24, Rev. Jefferson, of Ridgely, will preach at the afternoon service and Rev. T. B. H. Coleman, of Greensboro, in the evening. Rev. L. Robbins, of Bridgeville, will preach on Thursday.

The directors of the Denton National Bank advertise in another column for bids for the building of the bank. The Baltimore American yesterday presented a picture of a front view of the building made from the architects drawings. It is expected to cost about $17,000.

The Kent and Queen Anne's county Fair at Tolchester this year will be one of the best since the inauguration of the fair at Tolchester. The dates are Tuesday to Friday, August 26th to 29th. Superintendent Noland has spared no pains to make it a success. The racing will be first class and the purses offered will be large enough to insure a large number of entries. Special excursions will be run by the Queen Anne's railroad company.

Mr. J, W. Kerr will take a Trip West.

Mr. J. W. Kerr, Commissioner of Immigration, will start about September 10, for a trip through the West and to California in the interests of the State Bureau of Immigration. Mr. Kerr will boom the advantages of Maryland, and the Eastern Shore especially, for all branches of Horticultural work. He has on his schedule a number of sections where fruit groming has proved unprofitable to the farmers from various causes over which they have no contol, and if they are anxious to secure homes where they can follow this enjoyable line of work he will endeavor to have them visit our state. Mr. Kerr is well known as one of the leading horticulturists of the Peninsula, and the State could not find a better representative for a mission of this kind. He will visit Minesota and Nebraska, then Iowa, and later central and northern California.

In the northern states the climate will be a strong point for argument in favor of Maryland, and in California, where the San Jose scale and numerous other equally fatal fruit orchard pests continually worry the orchardist, the freedom of Maryland from these troubles will be told in Mr. Kerr's most clever and interesting style, and of course there will be some plums in it.

To My Friends.

It is with joy I tell you what Kodol did for me. I was troubled with my stomach for several months Upon being advised to use Kodol, I did so, and words cannot tell the good it has done me. A neighbor had dyspepsia so that he had tried most everything. I told him to use Kodol. Words of gratitude have come to me from him because I recommened it.—Geo. W. Fry, Visla, Iowa. Health and strength, of mind and body, depend on the stomach, and normal activity of the digestive organs. Kodol, the great reconstructive tonic, cures all stomach and bowel troubles, indigestion, dyspepsia. Kodol digests any good food you eat. Take a dose after meals. H. Duffy, Hillsboro.

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A Successful Caroline Lady.

We clip the following from the Centreville Record: "Miss Katharine K. Hobbs, A. M., principal of the Normal Department at Washington College, has resigned to accept the vice-principalship of the new Normal School at Frostburg. No action has as yet been taken by the board of visitors and governors on the resignation. Miss Hobbs is a native of Caroline county and has the honor of being the only lady in the State that was ever principal of a high school, she having been principal of the Denton high school before going to Chestertown. She is a woman of marked ability and is considered one of the best lady instructors in the State, and at Washington College College she was very successful. No appointment has yet been made to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Edith R. Riley, A. B. who has accepted a position in Alabama."

Miss Riley has been the guest of Miss Hobbs at her home here on a number of visits and is known to many of the latters friends.

Steamer Greensboro Burned.

The steamer Greensboro, of the Greensboro Transportation Co., plying between that place and points on the river to Baltimore, commanded by Capt. Perry, was burned to the waters' edge at her wharf in Greensboro on Wednesday night, of last week. The fire was discovered shortly after midnight and was raging below deck. The crew was hastily summoned and barely escaped with their lives, not being able to save their clothing. The fire apparently originated in the engine room and had been burning for some time when Capt. Perry was awakened by the smoke. The steamer had unloaded freight at Denton and had arrived late in the afternoon with a heavy cargo of phosphate, box shooks and merchandise, all of which was burned. The danger of the boiler bursting, and the presence of coal oil and gasoline in the cargo, made the work of fighting the fire very dangerous. The boat was recently purchased of Capt. D. S. Brockway by Messrs. F. P. Roe, W. P. Manlove, and J. B. Draper, of Greensboro, and Hon. H. A. Roe, of this place. It is said that the loss will amount to about $7,000, which is covered by insurance.

Rehoboth.

The crowded hotels and the throngs of people on the board walk, all go to tell that Rehoboth is at its heighth.

Saturday and Sunday last were two largest days of the season so far, every train brought hundreds of people who came mostly from Baltimore, Washington and Wilmington. The hotels were packed and many were turned away from the Casino, Henlopen and Atlantic, but everyone found comfortable places elsewhere. All resorts of amusement were well patronized, especially the ping-pong rooms at the pavilion, which were crowded from morning till night with enthusiastic pingpongers. Most of the people who came on Saturday will remain several weeks.

The Wilmington excursion on Thursday was the largest of the year and a large excursion from Baltimore came the same day.

Saturday night was the scene of much animation at the Rehoboth Club House. The club is one of the finest appointed in Delaware, and every Saturday night a dance is given. Last Saturday's was the best of the year. The building had been beautifully decorated with lillies and cut flowers. An orchestra from Baltimore furnished the music and after the enjoyable evening, a slight repast was served on the club porches.

Another enjoyable affair was a dinner given in honor of Governor Hunn at Col. L Jefferson Pyle's cottage on Virginia avenue. Many notable guests were present from Baltimore and Washington.

Men have been at work for the past week grading Baltimore avenue above Columbia Square, in order to make better drainage for the Hotel Atlantic.

The Delaware College Outing Club have rented a cottage for August, and about fifteen are there now. They are jolly boys who come down for a good time and have it.

Rehoboth has the best base ball team in this end of the state. They have beaten everything in this vicinity, and are hunting larger game game now. Recently in a game with Georgetown, Daniel Layton, who pitched for four years on the U. of P. team, struck out nine men in succession in the three innings he pitched for Rehoboth.

Sailing parties are popular in the bay, and this year the skippers report business brisk. Many parties go out sailing, then anchor and crab.

Much complaint has been raised about the postoffice here. With the amount of mail that comes to Rehoboth during July and August the best service possible should be given the people.

A FRUIT EXHIBIT

At the Annual Meeting of the Peninsula Horticultural Society.

It is desired to make an exhibit of fresh fruits at the next annual meeting of the Peninsula Horticultural Society at Newark, Delaware, January 14, 15 and 16, 1903. The sessions of the society will be held in college oratory, one of the finest audience rooms on the Peninsula Some of the most noted fruit growers in the country have already been selected as speakers, and every indication points to a most instructive and successful meeting. The college buildings afford excellent opportunities for displaying fruits and vegetables and the opportunity should not be neglected. The advertising thus secured for the products of the Delaware and Chesapeake Peninsula, at a nominal cost to the fruit growers, will be of the most valuable character.

Arrangements have been made with the Reading Terminal Market Cold Storage Company, Philadelphia, to store all fruit free of charge from the time of shipment to the date of the meeting, a most generous offer on the part of the company. George H. McKay, sperintendent of this immense plant at 12th and Market streets, will be present at the meeting to see how the fruits come out of their long period of cold storage, and will make an address on the general subject of handling fruits before, during and after cold storage.

Fruit growers are requested to furnish small quantities of fruit for this purpose. Pick only perfect specimens, full grown and colored, but not quite ripe, and ship to George H. McKay, No. 1118 Arch street, Philadelphia, Pa., and in every case plainly mark every package "For Peninsula Horticultural Society Exhibit." The package need not be large; it should be closed and securely fastened; boxes are preferred to baskets; and all fruit should be most carefully handled and every specimen wrapped in tissue or parchment paper. Only a small quantity of each variety should be sent, but the greater the number of varieties the better. Several varieties can be placed in a single package. Apples and pears will keep perfectly if properly handled, and it is desired to test some of the latest and best keeping varieties of peaches and plums.

Shippers should prepay all transpostation charges, which will be repaid by the Horticultural Society when the proper vouchers are presented.

A Cure for Cholera Infantum.

"Last May," says Mrs. Curtis Baker, of Bookwalter, Ohio, "an infant child of our neighbor's was suffering from cholera infantum. The doctor had gievn up all hopes of recovery. I took a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy to the house, telling them I felt sure it would do good if used according to directions. In two days' time the child had fully recovered, and is now (nearly a year since) a vigorous, healthy girl. I have recommended this Remedy frequently and have never known it to fail in any single instance." For sale by R. J. Colston, Denton; Hugh Duffy, Hillsboro, and J. D. Davis, Ridgely.

An Interesting Tournament.

The social event of the coming week will be the tournament at old St. Joseph's Catholic Church, near Willoughby's, today. The Knights will ride as professionals and amateurs. All knights having taken six out of nine rings in a bona fide tournament are to be classed as professionals. There will be three prizes in the professional class and two in the amateur class.

Col. W. Scott Roberts, of Centreville, will have charge of the knights and Hon. J, Frank Turner, of Easton, is to deliver the coronation address. Bowman's Orchestra will go from Easton and give a concert in the evening.

All Were Saved.

"For years I suffer such untold misery from Bronchitis, writes J. H Johnston, of Broughton, Ga., "that often I was unable to work. Then, when everything else failed, I was wholly cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. My wife suffered intensely from Asthma, till it cured her, and all our experience goes to show it is the best Croup medicine in the world." A trial will convince you it's unrivaled for Throat and Lung diseases. Guaranteed bottles 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free at George & Redden's, Denton; Hugh Duffy's, Hillsboro.

New Bank for Easton.

The directors of the Easton National Bank have contracted with Mr. U. G. Ross for the erection of the new bank building, as planned by the architect. This will necessitate the tearing down of the present building and making one grand architectural effect of both bank and postoffice. The front on both Washington and Goldsborough streets will be composed of Pompeii brick and terracotta and will undoubtedly be one of the handsomest structure of its kind on the Eastern Shore. The work is to be completed by January 1, 1903.

His Sight Threatened.

"While picnicking last month my 11-year-old boy was poisoned by some weed or plant," says W. H Dibble, of Sioux City, Ia. "He rubbed the poison off his hands into his eyes and for awhile we were afraid he would loses his sight. Finally a neighbor recommended DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. The first application helped him and in a few days he was as well as ever." For skin diseases, cuts, burns, scalds, wounds, insect bites, DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is sure cure. Relieves piles at once. Beware of counterfeits. H. Duffy, Hillsboro.

Hick's Forecast for August.

The Vulcan storm period central on the 9th, covering the 7th to 12th, will be marked by changes in the thermometer an barometer, common to the storm period, and the culmination into storm, with more or less precipition, may be expected on and touching the 9th, 10th and 11th. This period may be watched with interest, as it may indicate one way or another, much that may be in store for us for weeks to come. We fear that in the main, warm and dry will prevail. On the 14th, 15th and 16th a reaction storm conditions will be noticeable—the barometer will fall, warmth will increase, cloudiness will ensue and rains, according to the abundance or lightness prevailing in the Mars period, will visit many parts in transit from west to east. Change to cooler should normally appear with the rising barometer following these perturbations. Coming to the Vulcan storm period extending from the 18th to 23rd, we see that Mars, Earth and Mercury all lend their disturbing powers to the period. During this period we also find that the moon is at her full on the 18th and on the celestial equator on the 31st. Earth will have entered far enough into the autamal equinox at this time to make it possible for dangerous storms to appear on the southern seas and coasts. West India hurricanes are not at all improbable at this period. If the present Mars period should take the stormy side all the periods in the last half of August will bring general storms, some of them furious and fatal. The reactionary storms on or about the 26th to 28th, at the center of the Mercury period, and near the moon's last quarter, will possibly be fraught with violence and danger, especially along the south coasts. We enter a regular storm period as we pass out of August, the crisis of which will fall in the first three days of September.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured

with Local Applications, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quick medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surface. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props.,
Toledo, O.

Sold by all druggists, price 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Thomas S. Clark Released.

Thomas S. Clark was released from the New Jersey State Prison at Trenton on Aug. 1st and went to his home in Dover. He appears to be in fairly good health, notwithstanding his imprisonment of over four years. Clark was convicted June 27th, 1898, in the United States Court, Wilmington, of aiding and abetting William N. Boggs, the defaulting teller of the First National Bank of Dover, and conspiring with him to unlawfully abstract funds from the bank, being sentenced by Judge Bradford to be confined in the New Jersey State Penitentiary at Trenton, for five yerrs and to pay a fine of $5,000 and the costs of the prosecution. He was taken to the Trenton prison on June 30th, 1898, by United States Marshall Short and Deputy Marshall Clark. His time was up July 5th, having earned the maximum number of days off, 360 days in a five-year sentence, and would have been released on that day but the fine and costs were not paid, and, being unable to liquidate that indebtness, he was required to serve 25 days additional, and, at the expiration of that time, after making oath that he was unable to pay the fine and costs, was released.

Shatters All Records.

Twice in hospital, F. A. Gulledge, Verbena, Ala., paid a vast sum so doctors to cure a severe case of piles, causing 24 tumors. When all failed, Bucklen's Arnica Salve soon cured him. Subdues inflammation, conquers aches, kills pains. Best salve in the world. 25c at George & Redden's, Denton; Hugh Duffy's, Hillsboro; drug stores.

Excursion to Atlantic City.

Six hours on the beach; only $2.00 for the round trip. The Queen Anne's Railroad Company will run another special low rate excursion to Atlantic City on Wednesday, August 20th. A special train will carry the excursionists to Lewes, Del., and thence to Cape May on the palatial steamer Queen Caroline, and from thence to Atlantic City via the Atlantic City Railway. This is the best and cheapest pleasure trip of the season. Remember only $2.00 for the round trip, Wednesday, August 20th. Leaving time of special excursion train as follows: Wye Mill, 5.42 a. m.; Willoughby, 5.48; Queen Anne, 5.57; Downes, 6.03; Denton, 6.11; Hobbs, 6.17; Hickman, 6.25. Arrive at Atlantic City at 11.15 a.m.

Cable Across the Bay is Completed.

The first telephone message over the new cable from Love Point, Queen Anne's county, to Sandy Point, Anne Arundel county, was received in Baltimore last week from Centreville.

Heretofore all telephone communication between Baltimore and the Eastern Shore has been around the head of the bay. A cable across the bay was laid last winter, but broke before there was any business over it.

This new cable will give Baltimore communication with the entire Eastern Shore below Cecil county. It will be a great convenience to the people of these counties, and good telephone communication will doubtless promote business beween the Shore and the city.

The voice sounds very clear and distinct over the new line, which crosses the bay at its narrowest point.

Look Pleasant, Please.

Photographer C. C. Harlan, of Eaton, O., can do so now, though for years he couldn't because he suffered untold agony from the worst form of indigestion. All physicians and medicines failed to help him till he tried Electric Bitters, which worked such wonders for him that he declares they are a godsend to sufferers from dyspepsia and stomach troubles. Unriveled for diseases of the Stomach, Liver and Kidneys, they build up and give new life to the whole system. Try them. Only 50c. Guaranteed by George & Redden, Denton; Hugh Duffy, Hillsboro; druggists.

Reduced Rates to Butte, Mont.

On account of the meeting of the International Mining Congress, at Butte, Mont., September 1 to 5, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Butte and return, on August 16, 20, 21, 26 and 27, good to return to original starting point not later than September 30, at reduced rates. For specific rates, stop-over privileges, etc., consult nearest ticket agent.

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On account of the National Fraternal Congress to be held at Denver, Col., August 26 to 30, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Denver, Colorado Springs, or Pueblo, Col., from all stations on its lines, at rate of single fare for the round trip. Tickets will be sold and good going on August 25 and 23, and will be good to return until September 30, inclusive. Tickets must be validated for return passage by Joint Agent at any of the above-mentioned points for which service a fee of 25 cents will be charged.

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