American Union

COUNTY CALENDAR.

Orphans' Court will meet June 9
School Board will meet June 9
Levy Court will meet June 16

THURSDAY, JUNE 4, 1903.

LOCAL NEWS.

A. T. Reichman has this week completed the bathroom outfit at M. P. parsonage.

Mr. J. Dukes Downes is having a large barn built on a farm near Anthony's Mill.

Mr. Thomas Dulin, who has been in Baltimore working at carpenter work, has returned to town.

Several of the young men of town are arranging a tennis court on Sixth street, near Gay street.

Miss Stafford invites the attention of her patrons to a new consignment of goods just opened.

The steamer Vesper was so heavily loaded with freight for down the river points that she failed to make but one trip last week.

The Citizens Band, of this place, has recently added a new drum and several silver-plated horns to their outfit of band instruments.

Thousands of tomato and sweet potato plants were put out last week after the rains which put the ground in good condition all over the county.

Mr. Joseph Spence has opened a grocery store in the old bakery. Mr. Spence recently sold his stock of goods and business to J. Ed. Nichols.

Mr. James H. Nichols is having three of his houses over the bridge brightened up with a new coat of paint. Painter Stevens and his men are doing the work.

Business in town has been unusually dull for the past three weeks with the exception of Saturdays The farmers are attending strictly to business and do not have time to come to town.

The Hardcastle Cannery has been busy for sometime putting up strawberries. Nothing but the finest fruit that can be obtained is used, and the goods will be among the finest on the market.

C. Harry Whitby, deputy clerk to the County Commissioners, attended the trial of the Downes-Messick case in Easton this week, having in charge the tax assessment records of the county since 1876.

The members of John Wesley M. E. Church have moved the parsonage to the opposite side of the lot from where it has been standing and will erect a new one. The old building, we understand, will be remodeled for a hall.

T. Pliny Fisher, as attorney for the heirs of the late Louisa Garrett, on Tuesday sold the farm, near Burrsville, containing about 67 acres, at public auction at the Court House. M. Bates Stephens was the purchaser at $1,470.

Every carpenter, mason and painter in town is busy and for the last month there have been from three to ten workmen from the city employed in town besides the resident workmen, and there are no brick buildings going up at present either.

Strawberries sold in town on Saturday at 4 cents per quart, and some of them were very nice, the rains having greatly benefitted the late varieties. The poor fruit, however, has ruined the market in the city and those shipped have brought very unsatisfactory prices.

The linemen of the telephone company have been stringing wire for the past week and on Monday left here to make their headquarters in Greensboro. When they left town they had two wires up as far as the new cannery, near Piney Church Garey & Co., will have a 'phone in the cannery when the line is completed.

The commencement exercises at the High School will be held in the Assembly Hall on the evening of the 16th. The sermon to the graduates will be preached by the Rev. B. P. Truitt at the M. P. Church on Sunday morning, the 14th, and the address to the graduates will be delivered by Hon. Thomas A. Smith, of Ridgely.

Saturday was Memorial Day, but business went on as usual in town except at the banks and some of the public offices. Many of the berry growers had overlooked the fact that the banks would be closed and had to depend on the merchants for money to pay their pickers with. Very little decorating of graves in the cemeteries here was done.

The members of the Stephens Literary Society, of the High School, will give "An Evening With Longfellow" in the Assembly Hall on Thursday evening, June 4th, at 8 o'clock. The program will consist of essays, recitations and songs from the poems of the famous poet. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the school library and an admission fee of fifteen cents will be charged.

Additional Locals.

Cashier Wallace, of the Peoples Bank, has been attending court at Chestertown this week.

Painter Boon Beauchamp is painting the residence, occupied by I. D. Anderson, for T. Pliny Fisher.

Miss Katherine K. Hobbs, of the Normal School at Frostburg, spent Sunday in town with her mother.

Justice Z. P. Steele, whose recent illness was reported in these columns, is able to be in his office again.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Nicholson, of Baltimore, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. VanGesel this week.

Swinney & Co. had their store lighted with gas from the town plant for the first time on Tuesday night.

Mid-Summer styles in handsome millinery now on exhibition at the store of Miss Jennie Stafford on Main street.

Mrs. Edward H. Ringgold and little son, of Philadelphia, spent the week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Field.

Mr. T. C. West has sold a part of the Swann lot, on Main street, to Mr. Somers Blake, who will build a handsome residence on it.

Mrs. Z. H. Webster, of Delmar, Del., has been spending the past week in town with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Stevens.

Very few of the farmers will make any money off of their pea crop this year. Most of the crop will be harvested and canned by the end of this week.

F. J. Wright, the Refracting Optician, has moved into the Journal Building with Mr. C. H. Bullock, where he will be pleased to meet his many patrons.

Mrs. J. T. Richardson and little son, Vincent, have been spending several days in Baltimore, where Master Vincent has been operated upon for a serious throat trouble.

Messrs. Ben. F. and Will Field, of Philadelphia, attended the funeral of their grandfather, Mr. James G. Redden, on Thursday last and stayed over Sunday with their parents here.

A copy of the "State Institute Manual" just published by the State Superintendent of Public Education, Prof. M. Bates Stephens, is on our table, and he has our thanks for same.

Mr. Philip C. Matthews, of Sycamore, Del., attended the funeral of Mr. James G. Redden, of this place on Thursday last, and was taken sick and compelled to remain in town with friends for several days.

The June drop of fruit is now on and the growers will soon be able to see what there is left to make a crop of. From present prospects there will not be a full crop of any kind of fruit in this part of the county.

Mrs. W. P. Draper, who has been in poor health for sometime, has submitted to an operation and is being treated for kidney trouble in Baltimore. Her many friends hope for speedy recovery, and the latest report indicates that she is doing well.

Miss Sopha Gates Kerr, of Pittsburg, Pa., is spending a two week's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kerr, near town. Miss Kerr is the society editor of two prominent papers of that city, and has been quite successful in the work she has chosen.

C. D. Bennett and Benniah Heavilow were before the County Commissioners on Tuesday asking for the appointment of examiners on a company ditch, petitioned for in the First district. Robert Jarrell, John F. Dawson and Walter J. Hoffman were appointed examiners.

The funeral of Mr. Louis Kibler, of near Greensboro, aged about 60 years, took place at the Catholic Church on Tuesday morning. Mr. Kibler came to this country from Germany. He was twice married and leaves a widow and seven children, five boys and two girls, most of whom are grown.

Mr. Alda P. Whitby entertained his young friends in town on Wednesday evening of last week at the home of his parents, the occasion being his twenty-second birthday. About seventy five guests were present including the members of the band of which Mr. Whitby is a member. Music was one of the features of the evening. A bountiful supply of refreshments were provided and a most delightful evening was spent by all present.

The marriage of Mr. DeWilton Lee Anderson, formerly of this county, and Miss Harriett Foden Hepworth, of Garfield, N. J, is announced to take place in the First Presbyterian Church, of that city, on June 16th. A reception will be held at the home of the bride's father, 42 Palisade avenue, from 8 to 10 o'clock. The bride is the daughter of the Mayor of the City, and the groom is the son of Mr. Isaac D. Anderson, of this place, and is well known in Denton and vicinity.

It is the month of June,
The month of leaves and roses,
When pleasant sights salute the eyes
And pleasant scents the noses.

GREENSBORO.

F. P. Roe & Bro. have been canning peas for about a week. The crop is a very light one.

The telephone exchange will be located in Butler's jewelry store The switch board and other appliances are already about completed.

A Government dredging machine is at work in the river about opposite Zacharias' mill. It will probably be at work there for several months.

Mr. Charles C. Brown and bride, of New York, spent a few days of their wedding tour with friends in Greensboro last week.

Miss M. E. Hoffecker, who recently graduated from the Savage School of Physical Developement, in New York City, is at home with her parents.

Mr. J. A. Davis leads this section, as usual, in the shipment of strawberries. His fruit is reported to be fine for the season and he is receiving good prices.

Mr. Fred Henning is now the proprietor of the bakery in this place. He has purchased the interest of Mr. Mitchell and hopes to be able to increase the patronage.

Beginning with today the ladies of the Aid Society of the Methodist Church will hold a sale for the balance of the week in Mozart Hall, consisting of books, furniture, clothing, hats, etc. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the new church.

"Strength and vigor come of good food, duly digested." Force, a ready-to serve wheat and barley food, adds no burden, but sustains, nourishes, and invigorates.

FEDERALSBURG.

Mr. John W. Stowell was in Seaford last week.

Miss May Sparklin is spending a few days with friends at Concord.

Rev. J. H. Kenney and wife, of Philadelphia, are visiting relatives in town.

Miss Eva L Sparklin returned home last week after spending a few days with friends in Seaford.

Mrs. Charles S. Bradley and sister, Luanna, visited Mr. and Mrs G. T. Chambers last Monday.

Miss Laura and Iva Davis attended the commencement exercises of the Seaford High School last week.

Mr. C. H. Nuttle, of Dickinson College, who is home for a few days, visited his uncle, Mr. E. E Nuttle, last week.

Mr. J. Raymond Charles left last week for Lonaconing, Allegany county, where he will act as manager of the Lonaconing Base Ball Club.

The steamer Granite City will go on dry dock for repairs this week Such freight as can, will be handled by schooner until the steamer resumes her trips.

Sixteen of its members represented Nanticoke Lodge, No. 172, A. F. and A. M. at the laying of the corner stone of the Charity Hospital at Cambridge last Tuesday.

Many friends and relatives attended the marriage of Miss Mary Andrews, of Hurlock, daughter of Mr. J. M. Andrews, to Mr. John H. Loux, of Clayton, Del., last Tuesday.

Saturday afternoon the members of the Watkins G. A. R. Post assembled and decorated the graves of their fallen comrades, after which they marched to Music Hall where they were addressed by Rev. T. S. Holt.

Rheumacide is a powerful blood purifier. It cures rheumatism, sciatica and other stubborn diseases permanently. This is proof that you want to take it to purify your blood this spring. At druggists.

RIDGELY.

Mr. W. J. Evans was a visitor in town on Wednesday.

Miss Mable Wright, of Seaford, is the guest of Miss Mattie Day.

Mrs. George Sigler, who has been visiting in Philadelphia, has returned home.

Mr. John Grabill has opened a confectionery store and ice cream parlor in the Smith Building.

Ralph, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. John Swing, died Saturday night. Interment was made at Denton on Tuesday.

Thieves broke in the stores of W. T. Temple and Rickards, Smith & Rickards on Sunday night and got about $50 in money and berry checks.

A lamp exploded in the home of Dr. Madara on Monday night but the fire was extinguished before much damage was done. The doctor was severely burned.

—There are eleven members of the graduating class of the Wilmington Conference Academy, who expect to receive their diplomas at the commencement exercises to be held in Wesley M. E. Church, Dover, on Wednesday, June 16.

PRESTON.

Mrs. Bessie Noble visited Cambridge friends last week.

Mrs. J. Frank Lednum and her mother, Mrs. Callahan are visiting friends in Wilmington.

Mr. Will Whiteley is in Philadelphia.

Col. J. H. Douglass and Messrs. R. L. and J. Frank Lednum attended the cornerstone laying of the new hospital in Cambridge on Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fletcher, of Cambridge, visited Preston friends last week.

A great pest among the farmers, the caterpillar worm, has disappeared since the rains

Messrs. Alex. Noble and R. L. Lednum have bricks in place to pave the sidewalk in front of their residences.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Cornell, Dr. L. D. Kelley and Miss Julia M. Kelley spent Monday with Mrs. Peter Willis and family at Penn's Grove.

Mr. T. R. Hubbard, of Chestertown, and Mr. Ned Hubbard, of Easton, are visiting their sister, Mrs. W. E. Todd.

John J. Cornell and wife, of Baltimore, John Barber and John M. Wilson and wife, of Talbot, Dr. L. D. Kelley, of Washington, D. C., and Dr. W. T. Kelley and family, of this place, spent Sunday at Oakland Grove with Mrs. William T. Kelley, her son and two daughters.

John J. Cornell, a noted Friend minister from New York, but now of Baltimore, held large meetings at this place last Sunday, both morning and evening. His sermons were feasts and many who heard him expressed their belief that they were the finest they had ever heard.

Mr. C. A. Whiteley and sisters, Celia and Ella, entertained for dinner last Sunday Mr. W. Penn Willis and family from Harmony, or Penn's Grove, a name suggested by the writer in honor of a worthy descendant of the founder of the place, Peter Willis, Sr. Frederick county, this State, has now a Harmony postoffice.

A Serious Mistake.

E. C. DeWitt & Co., is the name of the firm who make the genuine Witch Hazel Salve. DeWitt's is the Witch Hazel Salve that heals without leaving a scar. It is a serious mistake to use any other. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles, burns, bruises, eczema and all skin diseases. Sold by Hugh Duffey, Hillsboro, Md.

Hartly.

Strawberries have been coming in lively for the past two weeks.

The Ladies' Aid Society has had the church repainted, which makes a decided improvement.

Miss Clara Honay, of Smyrna, is being entertained by Mrs. Stella Artis.

Misses Addie Davis, Elva Taylor and Carrie Taylor are spending the summer at Buck Hill Falls, Pa.

Miss Mary Daly was entertained at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. J. Sparks, in Marydel first of the week.

The Ladies' Aid held their monthly meeting at the home of the president, Mrs. O. H. Nickerson.

Messrs. E. C. Daly and Howard Rash attended a meeting of the P. O. S. of A. Death Benefit Association in Baltimore last Saturday.

Mr. E. C. Daly, National Organizer P. O. S. of A., was in Wilmington last week.

Mrs. T. Henry Davis visited her mother, Mrs. W. A. Clark, last week.

Mrs. George Craigg, of Wilmington, is visiting her father, Mr. John Virden.

Miss Mamie Bowen, of Collins Beach, is visiting relatives and friends in town.

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Pennsy's Double Tracks for Delaware.

The work of laying a double track on the Delaware division of the Pennsylvania railroad, throughout the State, is being rapidly pushed, and the latest stretch to be completed is between Harrington and Woodside, a distance of ten miles. The double tracking has almost been completed between Clayton and Dover, and with this new piece already for use, travel, especially during the busy fruit and berry season, will be greatly facilitated.

—The following rural free-delivery routes have been established in Maryland, to take effect June 1. Crisfield, Somerset county, length of route, 21 miles, population served, 1278. Marion station, Somerset county, length of route, 24 miles, population served, 850. Newhope, Wicomico county, length of route, 20 miles, population served, 416.

Church Notes.

Sand Hill Camp on Georgetown Circuit, Rev. W. H. S. Williams in charge, will begin Aug. 21st and continue ten days.

The salary of Rev. Thomas E. Martindale, pastor of the Elkton Methodist Episcopal Church, has been increased to $1,100.

The stewards of the Easton District of the Wilmington Methodist Episcopal Conference have decided to increase salary of the presiding elder, Rev. William G. Koons, $50 a year, making his annual salary $1,775.

The following charges on Dover District have each advanced their salary $100: Canterbury, Del., Rev. E. C. Sunfield, pastor; Williston, Md., Rev. S. P. Shipman, pastor; Houston, Del., Rev. J. H. Wilson, pastor.

The Apostolic Holiness Church at Hurlock will be dedicated on Sunday, June 7th. A meeting there beginning June 5th (Friday) will continue ten days. Captain A. A. Price and Rev. James W. Pierce will be in charge.

Children's Day services in the M. E. Church on Sunday evening at 7.45. Sermon in the morning by the pastor on the subject of Christian Education. All the collections throughout the day will be for the educational fund.

On Thursday evening, June 11, the Dover Singing Society will give a concert under the auspices of the M. E. Church, of this place, in Masonic Hall. Among those who will participate will be Mrs. Miriam Sheppard Davidson, soprano; Miss Matilda B. Conwell, contralto; Miss Mary B. Wharton, soprano; Miss Edna Cariss, alto and pianist, Mr. J. M. Davidson, tenor and flutist; Mr. J. B. Wharton, basso; Mr. William T. Smithers, reader. The program will be a varied and pleasing one, with selections from "Carmen," "Semiramis," "Il Trovatore," scenes from "Pinafore" and "Richelieu," and classical and humorous numbers.

Worst of All Experiences.

Can anything be worse than to feel that every minute will be your last? Such was the experience of Mrs. S. H. Newson, Decatur, Ala. "For three years," she writes, "I endured insufferable pain from indigestion, stomach and bowel trouble. Death seemed inevitable when doctors and all remedies failed. At length I was induced to try Electric Bitters and the result was miraculous. I improved at once and now I'm completely recovered." For liver, kidney, stomach and bowel troubles Electric Bitters is the only medicine. Only 50c. It's guaranteed by R. J. Colston, druggist.

Public Health Board Meeting.

Extensive preparations are being made for the seventh annual meeting of the Maryland Public Health Association, which will meet in the Assembly Rooms, Annapolis, June 4 and 5.

Among the subjects to be discussed will "The commercial value of thorough vaccination" by Dr. Edwin J. Derrickson, of Berlin, and "Health as a State investment" by Dr. De Courcy W. Thomb, of Centreville. These gentlemen will represent the Eastern Shore on the program which is quite lengthy, and physicians from Baltimore and the Western Shore will present various other subjects.

The officers of the association are: President, Henry Brauns; vice-presidents, Dr. T. B. Owings, Ellicott City; Dr. E. R. Trippe, Easton; Dr. James Bosley, Baltimore; Dr. August Stabler, Brighton; Dr. Clotworthy Birnie, Taneytown; treasurer, Dr. L. Gibbon Smart, Roland Park, secretaries, Dr. John S. Fulton and Miss E. M. White.

A Most Interesting Trial.

The ejectment suit of Downes vs. Messick, came up in the Talbot county court at Easton on Tuesday.

The suit is to determine the title to a tract of 15 acres of land near Harmony, which Mrs. Messick, wife of former State Senator Robert M. Messick, claims through her father, the late Col. A. J. Willis. The plaintiff Mrs. Annie H. Downes claims the disputed land is a part of a farm purchased by her father, Edward B. Hardcastle.

Hon. Henry R. Lewis and T. Alan Goldsborough, of Denton, and Gen. Joseph B. Seth represent the plaintiff, and State's Attorney Albert G. Towers and William H. Deweese, of Denton, and State's Attorney Clayland Mullikin, of Easton, represent the defendant. There is a mass of testimony as to boundary lines, adverse possession and other things, and about 50 witnesses are in attendance. Both sides are making a determined and exhaustive fight and the trial will probably last all of this week. The case was removed to Talbot at the last session of court in this county.

Mr. J. W. Wheatley, of Easton, delivered a fine piano for Miss Ethyl Griffin this week.

Real Estate Record For the Month of May.

The following transfers of real estate have been placed on record in the office of the Clerk of the Court during the month just passed.

James E. Harding and wife to James W. Stanford, 11 acres, 5 sq. chains and 7 sq. rods in 4th District; $105.

Mary M. Perkins and husband to Jeannette Kelley, confirmation deed, 25 acres in 5th District; nominal consideration.

Charles W. Jackson and wife to Tilghman C. Thomas, Ridgely property; $100.

James B. Wright and wife to S. F. Nichols, Federalsburg property; $90.

Annie H. Downes, executrix, to Ormond W. Downes, Denton property; $300.

James P. White and wife to Jas. C. Gambrill, Federalsburg property; $70.

Daniel A. Thompson and wife to Louis M. Carr, 83¼ acres in 5th District; $835.

George W. Porter and wife to Jas. H. Nichols, 200 acres in Tuckahoe Neck; $5,000.

Thomas L. Day and wife to Frank R. Flounders, Ridgely property; $750.

Lutitia Camper and others to Wm. H. Camper, 83½ acres in 2d District; $300.

Matilda M. Richards and husband to David M. Swing, Ridgely property; $40.

Harvey L. Cooper and wife to Wm. H Brooks, Ridgely property; $176.

Bennett Todd to Harvey L. Cooper, Denton property; $200.

Wm. C. Wharton and wife to Geo. E. Smith, Goldsboro property; $125.

Tilghman C. Thomas and wife to Jas. P. Swing, Ridgely property.

Mary E. Noble and others to Levin P. Williams, Preston property; $240.

Jas. E. Nichols and others to Addie S. Stafford, 46 acres in 4th District; exchange of land.

Jas. A. Willoughby and wife to Jas. H. McCotter, 10 acres in 5th District; $225.

Dudley W. Young and wife to J. R. Young, 69¼ acres in 5th District; $600.

Margaret A. Whiteley and others to Mamie J. Messick, 150 acres in 4th District; $2,000.

American Packers Association to Walter M. Wright and others, canning property at Choptank; nominal consideration.

Mary R. Stewart and husband to Annie H. Downes, Denton property; $350.

Mary E Thawley and others to Wm. T. Baker, 93 acres in 3d District; $1,500.

Wm. E. Saulsbury and others to Harvey L Cooper, 2¾ acres in 6th District; $710.

Robert H. Dill and wife to Theodore Taylor, 1 acre in 1st District; $30.

Thomas J. Williams and wife to Harvey C. Barton, Federalsburg property; $100.

Harvey C. Barton to Elizabeth A. Barton, Federalsburg property; $100.

James M. Andrews and wife to Benjamin F. Nichols and others, Federalsburg property; $200.

Nan. Cook and wife to Thomas E. Blades, 2 9-10 acres in 5th District; $50.

Harry A. and F. P. Roe, trustees, to John F. Jarman, Greensboro property; $980.

Wm. R. Phillips to Thomas O Jefferson, Federalsburg property; $25.

Rosena Prettyman to Harvey L. Cooper, Denton property; $75

Sarah C. Gross and husband to Harvey L. Cooper, Denton property; $75.

Harvey L. Cooper and wife to Martha J. Johnson, 59 1 25 acres in 1st District; $1,298.88.

Annie H. Downes, executrix, to Wm. H Casho and others, Henderson property; $50.

Alice R. Spencer and husband to Oakley Spencer, 32 98-100 acres in 1st District; nominal consideration.

Harvey L. Cooper and wife to Alice R. Spencer, 32 98-100 acres in 1st District; $1,000.

Rhoda K. O'Day to Charles H. O'Day, 36 acres, 2 roods 15 perches in 5th District; nominal consideration.

Benjamin F. Dill and wife to Fred. R. Owens, 21 acres in 1st District; $175.

George W. Bryant and wife to The Commissioners of Denton, Denton property; $300.

Jas. S. Rickards to Mollie E. Rickards, Greensboro property; $600.

A. Thurman Garrett and wife to John E. Webber, 140 acres and 29 perches in 3d District; $1,000.

John W. Stephens and wife to Jas. H. Garrett, 5 acres in 3d District; $50.

Harvey L. Cooper and wife to A. E. Johnson, 4 acres in 1st District; $48.

Harvey L. Cooper and wife to J. P. Wilkinson, 14 68-100 acres in 1st District; $261.

Harvey L. Cooper and wife to Frank Henry, 8 32-100 acres in 1st District; $169.

Harvey L. Cooper and wife to John Horney Black, 16 56-100 acres in 1st District; $396.

Harry A. Roe and wife to Alfred Clark, 108 acres, 114 perches in 3d District; $2,500.

Thomas H. Chambers and others to Walter M. Wright, Federalsburg property; $700.

Conrad H. Imler and wife to Geo. F. Kauffman, 101¼ acres in 7th District; $6,000.

American Packers Association to Caroline S. Messick, canning property in 4th District; nominal consideration.

Jas. H. Roe to Joseph W. Gibson, Ridgely property; $1,400.

Clara E. Barnhart and husband to Lizzie G. Redden, Denton property; $410.

James E. Spence and wife to Wm. T. Baker, Burrsville property; $875.

Clara E. Barnhart and husband to T. Pliny Fisher, Denton property; $250.

Samuel F. Nichols and wife to Nan. Cook, 1½ acres in 5th District; $300.

Joshua F. Covey and wife to Nan. Cook, 2 acres in 5th District; $50.

H. Clay Hobbs and wife to Virginia Draper, Hobbs property; $60.

Do You Enjoy What You Eat?

If you don't your food does not do you much good. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is the remedy that every one should take when there is anything wrong with the stomach. There is no way to maintain the health and strength of mind and body except by nourishment. There is no way to nourish except through the stomach. The stomach must be kept healthy, pure and sweet or the strength will let down and disease will set up. No appetite, loss of strength, nervousness, headache, bad breath, sour risings, rifting, indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach troubles are quickly cured by the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. Sold by Hugh Duffey, Hillsboro, Md.

A Stormy June.

The Rev. Irl R. Hicks issues the following weather forecast for the month of June:

We enter the solstice month, June, very near the center of a Venus equinoctial disturbance, this period having begun in May and extending up to and beyond the middle of June. All storm phenomena throughout the most of the month will show the presence of the Venus perturbation.

The first storm period in June is central on the 4th, covering the 2d to the 6th. There are good reasons to expect the crisis of this period on and touching the 3d. On that date the planet Mercury is between earth and sun, the moon is near first quarter and on the celestial equator, and Venus is really at the center of her equinox, although the storm diagram would indicate that the center of the Venus period falls on the 12th. Vicious thunder storms, accompanied with hail and possibly tornadic centers, are among the things reasonably to be expected at this period. Venus downpours of rain, amounting to cloudburst in many localities, are also more than probable.

On and touching the 9th and 10th, look for reaction to storm conditions—change to much warmer, falling barometer and more storms of rain, thunder, and heavy squalls of wind. The regular summer solstice disturbances will set at this time, making June thunder showers probable most any afternoon and evening.

The regular storm period covering the 14th to the 19th, will reach its culminating stages about Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, the 17th, 18th and 19th. The storm diagram shows that the summer solstice is in full force at this time Many electrical storms will be most natural, with some energetic and dangerous wind storms. Watch the clouds, your barometer and other indications—have a safe refuge available in case of manifest danger, and all will be well. Put away foolish foreboding and go about your business. Make careful plans to avoid the June showers, especially in your hay-making at this time. On and touching the 21st and 22d, look for the return of storm conditions, with renewed thunder and rain squalls, and much harmless lightning at night. Most sections will have sufficient rains at this and other June periods. Central regions may have too much while extreme north and south sections may suffer some shortage. The last week in June is covered by a combined Mercury and Vulcan storm period. About the 25th it will turn exceeding warm, the barometer will fall and persistent cloudiness and frequent storms of wide extent and much energy will mark the closing days of the month. Make careful study of our June forecasts and suggestions in our 1903 almanac.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses have been issued during May:

Wm. C. Cheffins and Elizabeth A. Morris.

Wm. H. Hunter and Martha C. Cain.

Harvey H. Dean and Margaret Boyles.

Fisher Sullivan and Alice Cartwright.

Manuel Lane and Ella Thomas.

Fletcher Gibbs and Amanda Hackett.

—John P. Marshall, of Lewes, claims to be the oldest member of the Masonic fraternity in Delaware. He is now 80 years of age and is exceptionally active for a man of his years.

—The catterpillar plague is raging throughout the State. The pest is destroying the beautiful foliage of ornamental and fruit trees. Citizens are endeavoring to destroy the pest by burning them in their web-covered retreats. There are millions of these worms, and every variety of tree is attacked by them.

—In pursuance of the purpose of the recent Legislature, which made an appropriation to encourage immigration, Prof. Wesley Webb, of Dover, and R. S. Johnson, of Stockley, have gone to New York to invite thrifty immigrants to come to Delaware. In this way it is hoped to solve the problem of farm help.

—The School Commissioners of Wicomico county have asked for an increased appropriation from the County Commissioners for the school year 1903-1904. The demand is made necessary by the increased number of pupils and teachers and from a decrease in the revenue heretofore derived from licences.

There is more catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore, requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address

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