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SATURDAY MORNING, SEPT. 7, 1912

Items of News from All Parts of the County Solicited Under this Head.

The Local Department

DASHES HERE AND THERE.

Wheat, 99; corn, 90.

Great show Monday.

Seaside visitors are returning home.

W. J. Rickards, attorney, advertises some valuable live stock.

Highest cash prices paid for eggs.—W. J. Blackiston.

Kodaks and all films for sale at F. J. Wright's, Denton.

T. Alan Goldsborough, trustee, advertises a large tract of land in the Fourth district.

The new telephone building will have a front which will present an attractive appearance.

Mr. Walter Beauchamp is building a dwelling on his land, a short distance north of Denton.

Mr. Clark Markshall, a Baltimore artist, has been painting some scenes in the vicinity of Federalsburg.

Social items, personal notes, etc., as well as other news matter of interest, are gladly received by the JOURNAL.

The W. C. T. U. will hold its next meeting in the Sunday School room of the M. E. Church on Tuesday evening next, at 8 o'clock.

Labor Day was observed by the closing of the banks. Denton postoffice was closed a part of the day, and rural carriers had a rest.

E. H. Hirs, Denton, will pay from fifty cents to $1 each for 2000 single comb white leghorn pullets, according to size and quality.

Mr. J. F. Swartz, owner of the flour mill in West Denton, uses a auto delivery wagon and sends his products to neighboring towns.

A telescope sanitary drinking cup will be given free to each child purchasing 5 cents worth of school supplies at F. J. Wright's Monday and Tuesday next.

One of the most active campaigners this year will be Congressman Covington, who has been called on to speak in many States and has accepted a number of the calls.

The tomato crop of Caroline county is likely to disappoint nearly all growers and packers alike. The vines are badly blighted and the fruit cannot mature properly.

The State Roads Commission will on September 17 likely award the contract to build three and one-fifth miles of macadam road from Dover Bridge toward Preston.

Foreman Timmons, who for several years has had charge of a section of the M. D. & V. road, uses a hand car equipped with a gasoline engine, and he and his men travel to and from their work at railroad speed.

Placards in the postoffice in Denton invite patronage of the postal savings department, but although this branch was authorized some months ago there have been no deposits. The local banks occupy the entire field, no doubt.

Quite a good audience heard Messrs L. Stanley Dealkyne, Marshall Gantt and Norman W. Voss speak before the Democratic club in Denton on Saturday night. There are considerably more than a hundred members of this club.

Messrs. Charles B. Harrison, of Preston, and Henry Wilkinson, of Ridgely, have been reappointed magistrates by Governor Goldsborough, Messrs. Edward T. Moore, of Preston, and George H. Imler, of Ridgely, having failed to qualify.

Some days ago Messrs. John W. Funk and Thomas R. Green were traveling at a pretty fast rate in an automobile when they met a swarm of bees going in the opposite direction and exactly in the road. The swarm was pretty badly shattered by the auto top passing through it. The gentlemen luckily escaped a stinging.

The Nantucket, considerably damaged by fire in Baltimore a few days ago, was the ship to which Mr. Robert Downes was assigned by the government as a wireless operator. The Nantucket's run was from Baltimore to Boston. The Persian takes the Nantucket's route, and Mr. Downes will take his position on the substitute boat some time this month.

The directors of the Farmer's National Bank of Annapolis, recently elected Mr. Harry J. Hopkins as president, to succeed Mr. John Wirt Randall. The selection of Mr. Hopkins, notes the Easton Star-Democrat, furnishes an odd coincidence, in that the two leading banking institutions of the city are now presided over by brothers-in-law. Mr. George T. Melvin is at the head of the Annapolis Banking and Trust Co. Mr. Melvin married a sister of Mr. Hopkins.

A little Denton girl came near losing her life a few days ago by choking. She had a piece of candy, known as a sour ball, in her mouth and the smooth sphere slipped into her throat and lodged. Skilled assistance happened to be near and the child was saved. This recalls a similar incident reported recently, elsewhere. A child was given a sour ball and left on the porch to amuse herself. The mother returned in about a half hour and was horrified to find that the little tot had been choked to death by the candy.

The annual tri-county teachers' institute, embracing the counties of Queen Anne's, Talbot and Caroline, was begun at the Centreville High School on Monday last and continued until yesterday. About four hundred teachers, representing the schools of the three counties, and a corps of instructors were in attendance. Senator Harper, of Centreville, delivered the address of welcome, and Superintendent Noble, of Caroline, responded. There was a reception and dance in honor of the visitors at the Opera House on Monday night.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NEWS

A Large Number of Summer Visitors In Denton and Elsewhere.

Mrs. George M. Christle and daughter, Miss Helen, and Mr. and Mrs. George Boarman and children, Master Harry and Miss Ruth, have all returned to their homes in Baltimore, after spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Pepper, in Tuckahoe Neck.

Mr. J. L. Hild, of this place, and Miss Ruth Vagler, of Washington, were married on Thursday of last week at the Fifth Baptist Church, Washington. They will reside in Denton. Mr. Hild is a machinist at the Hughes Garage.

Mr. E. Lynn Stevens, who some time ago was certified by a government official as a competent wireless operator, has been appointed to a position on the steamer Virginia, of the Baltimore-Norfolk line.

Mrs. R. H. Russell and daughter, Miss Anna, of Philadelphia, and Miss Ida Park Lumb, of Poughkeepsie, N. Y. were recent visitors at the homes of Mr. E. D. Park and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Cade.

Mrs. George T. Melvin, of Annapolis, was a visitor among relatives and friends here recently, going from Denton to Talbot, where she is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Thomas Dudley.

Miss Thelma Everngam has this week entertained a house party composed of Misses Minerva Todd, Anna Ottinger, Roberta Everngam, Miriam Todd, and Hazel Everngam.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Porter and daughter, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Fred Hannom, of Camden, N. J., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Porter this week.

Mrs. Martha Bailey and daughter, of Wye Mills, spent several days this week with Mrs. Bailey's sisters, Mrs. Emily De Ford and Mrs. William D. Anthony.

Mr. S. S. Payne, of Richmond, Va., has returned to his home after a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kline and other Caroline friends.

Miss Carrie Dean, of Baltimore, after spending four months in the South, is now spending two weeks with her mother, Mrs. L. M. Dean, Denton.

Mrs. J. J. Beasley, accompanied by her children, De Ford and Garnette, of Coleraine, N. C., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Emily De Ford.

Misses Hope Saulsbury, Isabel Swing, and Hilda Turner, of Ridgely, are guests of Misses Frances and Alice Tubbs.

Miss Caroline De Ford has returned home, after spending the summer with her sisters in Virginia and North Carolina.

Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith, having sold their home on Second street, are now boarding at Mrs. T. F. Johnson's.

Mrs. John Yates Scribner, of Baltimore, is a visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mackintosh.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jester, of Philadelphia, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Gootee last week.

Mrs. John Coulbourn, of Philadelphia, is a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hill Mercer.

Miss Dessie Carter, of Ashland, Va., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kline one day last week.

Mr. R. T. Carter has returned from Bedford Springs, Pa., where he has been spending some weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown Dunning and children, have been visiting Mr. and Mr. C. P. Dunning.

Miss Blanche Seiple, of Philadelphia, is spending a week with her aunt, Mrs. C. S. Kauffman.

Misses Lena Dalton and Florence Rishard, of Baltimore, are guests of Mrs. M. B. Stephens.

Assistant Cashier James A. Trazzare, of Denton National Bank, is taking his vacation.

Mr. Henry Hollingsworth has spent the summer clerking in a Hurlock hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Hardcastle have returned to their home in Baltimore.

Mr. J. Harry Rose, of Baltimore, was in town on Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. James A. Garey is now a student at the Virginia Military Institute.

Miss Caroline Short, of Harrington, is the guest of relatives here.

Miss Mary Nichols has been spending some days at Ocean City.

Dr. Horace Jones, of New York, has been visiting his mother.

Miss Helen Griffin, of Hoboken, is visiting in Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Field are at Asbury Park.

Mr. H. A. Paine was in New York this week.

Miss Grace Dyer has been visiting in Seaford.

Mr. Earle Brumbaugh was here this week.

Mr. Grier Bull Moose Candidate.

Messrs. Charles W. Hobbs, Samuel T. Norris, H. C. Hobbs, Somers Blake, Thomas R. Green, Warren Van Sant, Robert D. Bradley, O. J. Redden, A. J. Bennett, J. W. Carroll, Thomas B. Saulsbury and Levi Spicher were on Tuesday named by a Roosevelt meeting as delegates from Caroline to the Progressive Congressional Convention at Easton Thursday. There is a considerable amount of energy manifested by the friends of President Roosevelt here in Caroline county. They will make quite a showing in comparison with the Taft following at the November election. An Easton dispatch dated Thursday said there was a large crowd in attendance, every county on the Shore being represented. Judge Charles W. Hobbs, of Caroline, called the meeting to order, and Thos. S. Hodson presided. Mr. R. D. Bradley, one of the Caroline delegates, made a speech attacking both the old parties. There were speeches also by former Congressman Schirm, Senator Clapp, of Minnesota. Robert D. Grier, of Salisbury, was nominated for Congress.

The State Commission will award a contract to build something over three miles of macadam road between Dover Bridge and Easton.

Burrsville.

The over-Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Thawley recently were Mr. and Mrs. F. Baynard and three sons, of Denton; Miss Pearl Todd, of Greenwood, and Mr. Clarence Helms, of West Chester.

Rev. J. M. Mitchell, pastor of Mt. Pleasant Circuit, Laurel, Del., preached and administered the sacrament of the Lord's Supper in Wesley M. E. Church, Burrsville, on Sunday morning last.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hopkins and daughter, Miss Pauline, spent Sunday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Stafford in Tuckahoe Neck.

Misses Jennie and Clara Saulsbury, Mrs. Reyner Saulsbury, of Dover, were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Theodore Saulsbury a part of last week.

Mr. Lyman Porter, of the University of Maryland, is spending a part of his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Porter.

Mrs. William Cooper, of Philadelphia, and Miss Maggie Melvin have been visiting relatives and friends in and near town.

Miss Florence Melvin, accompanied by her brother, Mr. Homer Melvin, spent last week with Sharptown relatives.

Mr. Lyman Porter spent the latter part of this week in Dover, the guest of his sister, Mrs. Townsend Rust.

Mr. John Smith, of Chester, is the guest of his brother-in-law, Mr. G. L. Blades.

Mr. Howard Hopkins has improved his property with a concrete wall and steps.

Mrs. J. L. Stevens and children were guests of her parents at Henderson last week.

Mrs. Wm. H. Satterfield has as her guest Miss Mollie Pepper, of Harrington.

Miss Ruth Cannon, of Centreville, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. A. M. Dulin.

Mr. Fred Melvin took his daughter, Gladys, to Philadelphia for treatment.

Mrs. Thomas H. Wyatt spent the early week with her parents here.

Miss Addie Hopkins has returned from a visit with Felton relatives.

Miss Mary E. Raughley is spending this week in Centreville.

Miss Pearl Satterfield is with Laurel friends this week.

Mr. Arthur Stephens is with Chester friends.

Hillsboro.

Mrs. G. H. Bright entertained at tea on Saturday evening Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Dickinson, Mrs. Lillian Mancha and Miss Alma Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Neal and son, Dallas, of Andersontown, were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Garrettson Smith, Jr., on Sunday.

Mrs. Carrie Bishop, son and daughter, of Wilmington, have been visiting the former's sister, Mrs. George H. Beaven.

Miss Pearle Sharp returned to her home in Baltimore on Monday, after a visit to Miss Elizabeth Stewart.

Mr. Tourbert Collins, of Philadelphia, was the guest of his mother, Mrs. Annie Collins, over Sunday.

Mrs. Nettie Seward, of Baltimore, is visiting Miss Margaret C. Jarrell, at her home near town.

Mr. Jack Wilson, of Philadelphia, is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Annie Beaven.

Mr. Chester Wheeler, of Baltimore, is the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Annie Jump.

Mrs. R. MacSorley entertained at cards on Friday afternoon of last week.

Mrs. W. P. Fleming is spending some time with relatives in Delaware.

Mrs. Ed. S. Rowens entertained at cards on Friday night of last week.

Mr. H. M. Thompson has purchased a 1913 model Buick touring car.

Miss Ruth Hoffecker, of Wilmington, is visiting Mrs. Ed. S. Rowens.

Mrs. Harris Legg, of Kent Island, is visiting in town.

Mrs. W. L. Mason is visitlng relatives in Winchester.

Preston.

Several teachers in Preston and vicinity have attended the institute at Centreville this week. Misses Ethel Fletcher, Helen Parker and Grace Dennis have attended at Cambridge, as they intend to teach in Dorchester county.

Rev. Robert Whiteley and daughter, Miss Ethel, have returned to their home in Pennsylvania, after visiting Mr. Whiteley's mother, in town, and sister, Mrs. A. J. Messick, in Bethlehem.

Rev. Wilbur Noble and wife, of New Jersey, and Mr. Fred Noble and wife, of Florida, have been visiting their mother, Mrs. M. E. Noble.

Rev. Wilmer Jaggard and wife have returned to town, after spending some time in Rehoboth and other parts of Delaware.

Miss Inez Noble is in Baltimore. She will also visit her sister, Miss Jane, who is at Sabillasville for treatment.

Mrs. Stafford, of Virginia, widow of the late Dr. Stafford, has spent the summer at her home on Main street.

Mrs. J. H. Barrow and children, of Baltimore, are visiting Mrs. Barrow's mother, Mrs. Annie Fluharty.

Miss Emma Lowe, of Baltimore, and Mr. Ernest Conaway, of Brooklyn, are visiting Mrs. J. T. Parker.

Dr. L. D. Kelley and family, of Baltimore, have been visiting the doctor's mother, adjoining town.

Miss Marguerite Melvin, of Baltimore, has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Jesse Wright.

Two Johns.

Mr. and Mrs. Butler and daughter, of Baltimore, spent the latter part of the week with Mr. and Mrs. H. Trice.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Callahan, of Queen Anne's, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Towers Sunday.

Mr. George Towers, Jr., and sister, Miss Lillian, and Miss Maude Trice were at Tolchester Wednesday.

Mrs. S. K. Fulton, of Baltimore, is on a two weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Towers.

As autumn approaches coal prices go up.

FIRE NEAR HOBBS STATION

Mr. J. C. Willoughby's Loss Considerable—Other Notes of Interest.

Rural carriers, Cohee and Howard, of Hobbs, last Monday attended The Letter Carriers Association meeting, held in the Postoffice Building, Baltimore. Mr. Cohee is president of the association.

Mrs. H. Becker and infant daughter, who have been on an extended visit with the former's sister, Mrs. S. F. Jopp, have returned to their home in Brooklyn, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Willey and daughter, Miss Esther, have returned from an enjoyable sojourn with Mrs. Willey's brother, Captain A. B. Corkran, Claiborne.

Miss Annie Prettyman left Friday to visit Delaware relatives and spend some time with her sister, Mrs. Dr. R. Stevens, Dover, before returning to Philadelphia.

Mr. J. C. Willoughby sustained the loss by fire Sunday night of all of his farming machinery, together with a large lot of hay. Origin of the fire is unknown.

Mr. S. L. Waters, representing the Hanger Artificial Limb Company, of Washington, D. C., and wife spent Wednesday night in Hobbs.

Mrs. S. M. Harrington, sister of Mr. J. H. Merriken, last Tuesday celebrated at her home in Felton, Del., her 76th birthday anniversary.

Mr. Elmer Horney, lady friend and sister, of Philadelphia, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. Francis Willoughby, near here.

One dozen young people, principally of Hobbs, were last Saturday evening treated to a nice straw ride by Mr. R. Gordon and brother.

Rev. H. Carroll and daughter, Miss Helen, of Lawsonia, Md., have been sojourning among Caroline relatives recently.

Misses Mary and Agnes Horney, of Philadelphia, have been recent guests of their cousin, Miss Ruth Willoughby.

Saturday evening's east-bound train became disabled just below the station, causing considerable detention.

Miss Sarah Langrell, of Philadelphia, is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Willoughby.

Mr. Louis Bickling and little son, of Goldsboro, spent last Sunday with Mr. C. E. Bright, near here.

Messrs. G. L. Jopp and J. B. Welch on last Thursday motored to Tolchester fair via Chestertown.

After several weeks absence from home, Mrs. S. J. Chaffinch has returned very much invigorated.

Miss Dellie Wooters, of Harrington, is visiting Misses Alice and Blanch Butler, here.

Mr. W. P. Carroll is traveling salesman for the American Seeding Machine Company.

The new pack of tomatoes is being shipped from this point by the car-load.

Mr. E. W. Smith, son of Mrs. S. Smith, is enjoying a trip in the North.

With the coming of Spark's Show, comes the increasing interest.

Mr. C. C. Merriken, of Federalsburg, was a visitor in Hobbs Sunday.

Miss Ella King has returned from a visit to Surry county, Va.

Walter H. Kelley made a trip to Baltimore this week.

Williston.

Miss Rhoda Marine, who has been touring in the West, spent ten days with friends here and at Andersontown and has returned to Bristol, Pa., where she is engaged in teaching. While at Salt Lake City, Miss Marine attended the wedding of her sister, Miss Catherine, to Mr. Ralph Nelden, a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania. Their home is 66 South Thirteenth Street, Salt Lake City.

The B. C. & A. agent received a telegram on Wednesday that there would be no boat to Williston on Thursday of this week, which made quite an inconvenience to the merchants.

The circus at Denton next Monday, September 9th, is being talked of considerably in our neighborhood and very likely a large delegation will attend from this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Henry, who went to Tolchester last week, missed their boat to Love Point which caused them quite a little inconvenience.

Mr. R. H. Maloney, who has been suffering with Bright's disease for some time, died on Tuesday morning of this week.

Miss Ethel Roe, who has been spending the summer with her cousin, Catherine Thawley, has returned home.

Mrs. Mary Neal and children, of Baltimore, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Neal.

Mrs. Elmer Wheeler and children have returned to their home in Baltimore.

There are plenty of tomatoes in this section. But the quality is poor.

Mrs. Cora Roe, of Cordova, was a visitor here this week.

Miss Mary Towers is in Baltimore this week.

Templeville.

Mr. Enos Pippin is critically ill with typhoid fever at his home in Philadelphia. He was removed to Hahneman Hospital Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Knotts and children, of Sudlersville, were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gurney Knotts this week.

Rev. Mr. Chaires and son, Irving, were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Pippin Sunday.

Mrs. J. Vansant and children, of Georgetown, Del., are visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Margaret Smith has returned to the Wilmington High School to resume her studies.

Messrs. Tyson Heather and John Robinson attended the carnival in Dover this week.

Mr. Charles Smith, of Wilmington, is visiting his uncle, Dr. J. R. Smith.

Mr. Irving Moore will enter Goldey College this fall.

The scanty showers now and then are helping.

Marydel.

Misses Cora M. Pippin and Maud T. Hummer are attending the tri-county institute in Centreville this week.

Mrs. C. W. Jacobs left Friday to join her husband in Buffalo. Mr. Jacobs is looking after peach deals there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Scotton now have the foundation laid for their handsome new home on Main street.

Mrs. B. R. Kahler and sister, Miss Ford, have returned home after a pleasant stay in New York.

Mrs. Jacob Rickards and daughter, Miss Hylda, have returned to their home in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Walter Ross and little daughter, Pauline, of Camden, visited her parents this week.

Mrs. Floyd P. Hummer and sister were with Cheswold relatives a few days this week.

Mrs. G. Walter Stevens, of Sudlersville, visited relatives here this week.

Miss Kahler, of Philadelphia, is the guest of relatives at the "Hotel Price."

Miss Ruth Hall has returned home, after a pleasant stay in Wilmington.

Miss Myrtle Heather was the guest of Miss E. W. Heather on Saturday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hall and son, George, spent the week-end in Hartley.

Mr. Joseph Diggins spent the week-end with Mr. Edgar McKnet.

Mr. Hyland George has resumed his studies at Delaware College.

Mr. B. R. Kahler, of Harrisburg, spent the week-end at home.

Miss Amy Todd, of Dover, visited relatives in town this week.

Mr. Linwood Cohee has accepted a position in Wilmington.

Mr. E. H. Collins, of Parsonburg, was a visitor here last week.

Miss Mae Deal has returned to her home in Philadelphia.

Mr. Snowberger was a Philadelphia visitor this week.

Mrs. Charles Jump was a Kenton visitor this week.

Mr. Olin Higgins was an Oxford visitor this week.

Concord.

Among those who attended Tolchester on Wednesday of last week from near here were: Messrs Thomas Hignutt, Cannon Wright, Charles Price, Earl Horsey, John Johnson, Edwin Trice, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Welch and Mrs. Ida Horsey.

The Bible students will meet at the home of Mr. Arthur Givens on Sunday afternoon, the 8th, at 2 o'clock; subject: "The living know that they shall die: but the dead know not anything."—Eccles. 9:5. All truth seekers are invited.

The Epworth League services began last Sunday evening with a good attendance. We hope that every member, and as many more as can, will be present every Sunday evening and join in these services.

Mrs. F. H. Wright and Mrs. J. A. Wooters were visitors at the Cambridge Hospital on Wednesday as the guests of the former's husband. We are glad to report that Mr. Wright is recovering, though slowly.

Mrs. Nora A. Vanscoy, who has been visiting Laurel, Del., friends and relatives and attending the camp there, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Seeders were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Nichols last Saturday and Sunday.

Our pastor, Rev. G. S. Thomas, is conducting Sunday evening services at Harmony.

Miss Bessie Fountain has been spending this week at Atlantic City.

Miss Helen Johnson, of Georgetown, is a guest at the parsonage.

Farmers are busy with their fodder and tomatoes.

Mr. W. C. Todd is running his cannery on full time.

The canning factory is very busy with tomatoes.

Tomato picking and fodder saving!

Trinity.

A party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Melson last Saturday evening. After games were indulged in all were invited to the dining-room, where there was a table laden with refreshments.

Epworth League services were held last Sunday evening at Trinity Church, the first after a vacation lasting during August. Next Sunday evening Mrs. Wagner will be the leader. All are invited.

Miss May Seymour and Miss Emma Willoughby were the guests of Miss Carrie Wheatley last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. White, of Liberty, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wagner last Sunday.

Rain is needed in this vicinity. No ground plowed for wheat as yet. Cowpeas are below normal.

Our farmers are busy with their fodder and tomatoes and the canning-houses are running steadily.

Mrs. Walter Melson, of Wilmington, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Melson this week.

Miss Lois Banning left last Saturday for Millsboro, where she will take up her school duties.

Miss Glenna Wright was the guest of Miss Lily Melson last week-end.

Cantaloupes are gone, also sweet corn.

Harmony.

Mrs. Sallie Sullivan and two daughters, of Easton, were the guests of Mrs. Will Thomas a part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Lloyd, of Big Flats, N. Y., are spending some time at the home of Mr. McConnell.

Mrs. George Skirven and daughter, of Denton, have been the guests of Mrs. E. P. Foote recently.

Mr. Mac Frampton, of Baltimore, has been a recent visitor at the home of his parents here.

There will be preaching at this place on Sunday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

Mr. C. C. Deen was in Baltimore on Tuesday of this week.

A number of the Peninsula towns have been using oil to keep down the dust on the principal streets.

THE RIDGELY NEWS LETTER

Some Cases of Illness—Mr. Saulsbury's Return.

The White Manufacturing Company is making 300,000 bricks for the Ridgely Agricultural School building, for the erection of which Lane & Lang have the contract. For the face black leaders and red stretchers are going into the walls, laid up in Flemish bond. The foundations and basement walls are to be of concrete. The architects of this structure are Messrs. Thomas L. Jones & Son, of Baltimore. Work on the walls it is hoped to have completed before the advent of severe freezing.

Mr. William Marvel's family, who reside on one of Messrs. Saulsbury's farms, near Downes Station, have been afflicted with malaria fever for several weeks. The disease began with Mrs. Marvel and has been going through the family. It is hoped by their many friends that they may soon be released from the malady.

We are glad to note that Mr. A. G. Saulsbury, who has been seriously ill for several weeks at his cottage in Rehoboth, has returned home with his family greatly improved in health, looking and feeling better than for years.

Rev. R. M. Rigdon, pastor of the Emmanuel Baptist Church, will return from his vacation this week, and will preach as heretofore every Sunday night at Ridgely Church at 8 o'clock. Everybody will be kindly welcomed.

Mrs. John Tinley, who has been treated for several weeks in one of the Baltimore hospitals for skin eruption, has returned home and has almost fully recovered from that which threatened her life at one time.

Mr. Roger Ringgold, our popular barber, who was operated on several weeks ago for appendicitis, returned home from Easton Hospital much improved.

All the cannerymen are now getting busy on tomatoes and it is thought next week and the week following will be the biggest in quantity of the season.

Of Course the Puritans Were Captivated

From the Baltimore Sun.

Score another achievement for Baltimore's Democratic Convention. It introduced the country to many good things it knew little or nothing about before, and not the least of these, in the opinion of the Springfield (Mass.) Republican, is the Maryland baked peach. Served as a breakfast dish and prepared according to the Baltimore cuisine, it has captivated the severe New England palate and fascinated a Puritanical imagination which had never soared beyond the ecstasies of apple pie.

The Maryland baked peach is a peach and no mistake, and it is enough to have made the mouths of the gods water, to have made Jove pawn his thunder and Neptune his trident for a second helping. No wonder our staid and judicial contemporary of Springfield renown forgets his famous newspaper scales and balances and becomes eloquent and enthusiastic at the mere recollection.

We tremble to think what would become of his beautiful journalistic equipoise if he could stay with us all the year round and, with the varying seasons, test Maryland's gastronomic offerings, all the way from strawberries, peaches, watermelons and crabs to oysters, duck and terrapin. We fear when Massachusetts called the roll of her favorite sons the editor of the Springfield Republican would be reported as having deserted the rocky coasts of New England and cast his lot with the happy and care-free lotus-eaters of the Eastern Shore or of Southern Maryland.

Henderson.

Rev. W. N. Conaway preached a very instructive sermon to the P. O. S. of A., and P. O. of A. Lodges here on Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cullis and daughter, Elsie, of Chester, spent part of the week with Mr. and Mrs C. E. Hollingsworth.

Mrs. C. E. McIlvaine and daughters, Misses Helen and Grace, of Philadelphia, have been visiting Mrs. G. H. Wilson.

John H. Sparks' "Big Circus" will undoubtedly draw a large crowd from this section to Denton on Monday next.

Mr. Harvey Jones, of Mount Clare, N. J., is spending some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jones.

Mrs. C. H. Clayville and children, Viola and Esther, are visiting relatives in Baltimore.

The Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. R. H. Dill on Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Olivia M. Coffin is attending the Teachers' Association in Centreville this week.

Miss Bertie Dill has returned from a visit with relatives in Wilmington.

Mr. Milton Kemp, of Chester, spent part of last week with friends here.

Mr. William Lumb is seriously ill at his home near town.

Miss Lola Jones is spending the week in Denton.

Greensboro

Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Nichols, Mr. Earl Nichols, Miss Mabel Nichols, Master Ira Nichols and Miss Sarah Cannon, of Ruthsburg; Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Strannahan, of Ridgely; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kelley, of near Denton; Mrs. Harry Willoughby and daughters, Misses Eva and Gladys, of Lester, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Strannahan, of Burrsville; Mrs. Charles Willis and son and daughter, Master Walton and Miss Evelyn, Mr. E. Breeding and Mr. J. Moore, of near Greensboro, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Willoughby, near town.

Mr. E. A. Jones, of Philadelphia, has returned home after spending several days with Mr. A. Willoughby, near town.

The associated automobilists of the country have lately completed new routings and are making maps by which auto travelers can find their way without trouble on the long trips over the country, and escape the worst of the roads.

The Death Roll.

After a little over a week's illness Mrs. Sarah Wiley Hubbard, wife of Mr. William L. Hubbard, the president of the Hubbard Fertilizer Works, died at her home in Baltimore on Tuesday last. Death was due to a complication of diseases and came as a surprise and shock to her many friends and relatives in the city and in the county. Mrs. Hubbard had a wide acquaintance in Talbot and Caroline counties. Mrs. Hubbard made her life a useful one and took active interest in charitable and church work. Besides her husband, Mrs. Hubbard is survived by four children, Messrs. Howard Hubbard, president of the Maryland Transportation Company; William L. Hubbard, Jr., of the Hubbard Fertilizer Works; Mrs. Walter P. Summers and Mrs. Joseph S. Garrison, of Chillicothe, Ohio. Mr. Wilbur W. Hubbard, vice-president of the Hubbard Fertilizer Works, is a nephew of Mrs. Hubbard. The funeral was held on Wednesday evening and interment took place at Easton on Thursday.

Mrs. Mary Catherine Nichols, wife of James A. Nichols, died at her home at Federalsburg Thursday of last week. Besides her husband she leaves four children, Walter and Harry Nichols, Mrs. Bessie Nagle, of Federalsburg, and Miss Lucy Nichols, of American Corner. Capt. Johnson Frampton, of Baltimore, is a brother of the deceased.

Rev. E. A. Furgison, one of the best known of the visiting ministers at the campmeeting at Denton for several years, died of typhoid fever one day last week in Texas. He was considered an effective preacher by those who heard him here.

Church News.

Rev. Melvin E. Wheatley writes: "Roll call" service will be observed at Central M. E. Church, Burrsville Circuit, tomorrow, Sunday morning, September 8th, beginning promptly at ten thirty. Announcements have been sent to each member and a grand service is expected. At seven-thirty p. m., a special effort will be begun to quicken the church life, and to reach the unsaved. These services will continue during the coming week. All are invited.

Mrs. R. J. Walbert, who is deeply interested in church work at Harris', writes to remind friends of that church that there are services every Sunday afternoon—Sunday School at 2 o'clock and preaching at 3 o'clock, and asks all to gather togethter, with new energy, and do whatever possible for the advancement of the church. Mrs. Walbert urges that children be brought to the Sunday School.

Rev. E. R. Rich, D. D., for fifteen years Dean of Trinity Cathedral, Easton, has resigned. The trustees held a meeting and declined to accept the resignation. It is hoped by the Eastonians that Dr. Rich will yield to their wishes and remain in Easton. He is greatly esteemed by the people of all the churches and the community generally.

Ministers of Seaford are preaching against the failure of the authorities to suppress disorder in that town.

The Sunday School of Christ Church begins its sessions on Sunday at 2 p. m.

Provisions of the Parcels Post.

The parcels post law, recently passed by Congress, goes into effect on January 1st. Any article is mailable if not over 11 pounds in weight nor more than 72 inches in length and girth combined, nor likely to injure the mails or postal equipment of employes. Flat rate 1 cent per ounce up to four ounces, regardless of distance. Above four ounces, for first pound, each additional pound and 11 pounds upward, respectively, rural route and city delivery, 5, 1 and 15 cents, respectively; 50-mile zone, 5, 3 and 35 cents; 150-mile zone, 6, 4 and 46 cents; 300-mile zone, 7, 5 and 57 cents; 600-mile zone, 8, 6 and 68 cents; 1,000-mile zone, 9, 7 and 70 cents; 1,400-mile zone, 10 cents, 9 cents and $1; 1,800 mile zone, 11 cents, 10 cents and $1.11; over 1,800 miles, 12 cents, 12 cents and $1.32.

The Postmaster-General may make provision for indemnity insurance and collection on delivery, with additional charges for such service, and may, with the consent of the Interstate Commerce Commission, after investigation, modify rates, weights and zone distances when expense has demonstrated the needs therefor.

Orphans' Court Proceedings.

In the Orphans' Court on Tuesday last, Judges Clark Rawlings and Stevens present, John Rice was appointed administrator of Martin F. Rice, deceased. Bond filed and approved. Notice to creditors ordered. William T. Jarman and Robert Jarrell, Jr., were appointed appraisers of the personal estate.

John W. Greenlee and Eliza A. Greenlee, administrators of William H. Greenlee, deceased, presented an inventory and appraisement of personal estate, which was approved. Order to sell granted.

Isaac T. Fleetwood, administrator of Augustus Cannon, deceased, obtained an order to sell the personal property of said deceased.

John Howard, executor of Andrew C. Griffith, deceased, presented an account of sales of personal estate of said deceased, which were approved.

The Camp Brings Big Court Expense.

Commenting on court cases here following in the wake of colored camps, an exchange down the Peninsula has the following: "The improper trend of such meetings is emphasized each season among the colored population by reports of brawls, fights and sometimes murder. Only last week the newspapers contained accounts of the most outrageous conduct in one of the upper counties of the Shore. Liquor, it seems, was imported, cards were played and quarrels ensued. To such an extent has the trend been wrong that it has been questioned if the law should not prevent such gatherings entirely."

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STILL ANOTHER NEGRO KILLED

The Third Recent Homicide Occurred at Ridgely Saturday Night.

Caroline county officers are looking for John Wilson, colored, who last Saturday night, according to a charge, shot and killed William Henry, colored, at Ridgely. It is thought Wilson has left the county. After the shooting he ran toward his home, but officers failed to find him there a little later. The killing took place in front of Ephriam & Ephriam's store, and there were many people on the street when the shooting occurred. Wilson was only a few paces away from Henry, who was advancing on him, when the fatal shot which sent a bullet nearly through his body, was fired. Several other shots had been fired, it was said, to stop Henry's advance, but he paid no attention. The quarrel between Wilson and Henry grew out of an attempt, it is said, of Ridgely negroes to run a young brother of Wilson out of town, and it is said this had been successfully done once and greatly exasperated the man who is now a fugitive. This is the third homicide among the Caroline colored people which has occurred recently. The negroes, as a rule pay little attention to the law which forbids the carrying of concealed weapons, and herein lies the cause for most of the murders and serious difficulties. Officers who arrest negroes for other crimes very frequently find them armed with revolvers, etc. The fact that scores of their race are annually sent to the House of Correction for carrying deadly weapons does not seem to deter the others.

Our Ridgely correspondent writes: "Quite an exciting time prevailed over our town Saturday night, when William Henry, one of the most respectable young colored men of this community, was shot down and killed by a notorious outlaw, without any seeming provocation. The fellow escaped in the darkness, and up to this date has not been seen nor heard of, though efforts were put forth by Deputy Sheriff Temple and many of the citizens of the town and community all day Sunday to find him. This is another convincing evidence of the necessity of some restriction being inforced in regard to selling deadly weapons to careless, irresponsible or vicious people; also upon the transportation of whiskey or any stuff that fires the brain of men in this local option town or community. The criminal was said to have been under the influence of whiskey when he did the deed. Much drunkenness and disorder prevailed up and down the public road between Ridgely and Downes Station all day Sunday, so much that our peaceable, law-abiding citizens, who go to church or spend the day in honor of Him who established the day as a day of rest and worship, feel their lives and the lives of their loved ones are in danger. Things and conditions are getting worse in this community since James Temple left."

Much Noise is Hurtful, Says Dr. Evans

We have received a copy of the Italian Messenger of August 24, which contains a sketch of Dr. Britton D. Evans, and references to him of interest to many people in this section of the State. The Messenger says: "The photograph which is reproduced on this page is that of Dr. Britton D. Evans, Head Director of the State Hospital at Morris Plains, and one of the highest in authority in America on pathological mental science and on nervous diseases. At present he is attending the International Congress of about five hundred physicians and scientists coming from all parts of the world, which is in session at the Medical School of Harvard University at Boston. The International Congress this year has for its aim the abolition of noise from public life.

"Dr. Evans whose figure is one of the most prominent in the Congress, has made known to his colleagues the convincing and indisputable proof of how many people are subject te nervous diseases and often lose their minds on account of various noises to which they are subjected while working, traveling, or sleeping. A great many people, he says, lose their hearing on account of the shriek of the locomotive and the noise and rumbling of electric cars and railways.

"The elimination of noise, Dr. Evans continues to say, is a scientific problem, and although it ought to be diminished, if not abolished, with scientific means and inventions, this would not in any way heap up the adoption of legal measures to oblige the public to have