

LOCAL INTERESTS.

DENTON, MARYLAND. SATURDAY, JULY 22, 1882.

Baltimore Markets.

The new crop of Southern wheat is coming forward freely, and prices have declined with unusual rapidity. The inquiry from millers is comparatively light, and shippers' views are regulated greatly by the prices of Western. The latest business on Thursday was at \$1.15-1.16 for full and \$1.18-1.22 for low berry showing a decline of 10 to 12 cents in the week. The supply of Southern corn is very bright and the market firm. Sales of slightly mixed at \$1.05-1.06 and prime white at \$1.02-1.03. Oats ruled active and very firm early in the week, but have since reacted and close dull and lower. New Maryland sold at 72-83 cents, and new Georgia, heavy weight, at 53-62 cents. Rice is firm with small sales of new new at 85-90 cents.

The July Registration.

The July sitting of the registers resulted as follows: In the first district 69 names were registered, 19 of them being colored; in the second district, 150, 113 white and 37 colored; in the third district, 192, 144 white and 48 colored; in the fourth district, 107, 68 white and 39 colored; in the sixth district, 91, 78 white and 13 colored. The fifth district cannot be heard from.

Serious Effects of a Fall.

Miss Annie, daughter of Col. R. C. Carter, who fell from the portico to the ground, sustained serious and it is feared fatal injuries. She now is as helpless as a baby, the use of her limbs being impaired by the terrible shock which injured the spinal column. The accident occurred nearly four weeks since, but there has not been a report of improvement to last longer than a day or two. She has grown constantly weaker, and now languishes in inertia—in striking and distressing contrast to her former sprightly movement. The young lady and her family have the sympathy alike of all our people; for the distress of father, mother and brother over their loved and sad condition is as anguished as the pain of the sufferer severe.

Changes on the Railroads.

A new time-table went into effect on the Delaware and Chesapeake Railway on Monday, and by it an important change is made in the running of freight trains. Instead of the freight train going up in the morning, it now leaves Oxford about the middle of the day, and instead of coming down late in the afternoon, it now reaches Oxford at 11 A. M., having remained at Clayton over night. In other words, the train makes the trip down from Clayton and returns there the same day. This arrangement is considered advantageous to fruit shippers. There is no material change in the running of the passenger and mail train. A difference will be noticed, however, on the Delaware Railroad. See corrected schedules in this morning's paper.

Concord Campmeeting.

The managers met on the ground July 8. The several committees reported progress; that to have the ground prepared for occupancy, consisting of Jas. R. Manship, F. P. Covey and Jas. H. Thawley, were instructed to proceed promptly. Mr. Wm. Stevens, Mrs. Wm. Morgan and Mrs. Charles Todd were appointed the committee to furnish the music. S. J. Collins, whose postoffice address is American Corners, Md., was assigned one of the two boarding tents. Persons wishing the privilege of the office can apply to Jas. R. Manship, Concord, Md. The managers and all who are willing to render help are requested to meet on Thursday, July 27, at 8 A. M., for the purpose of seating and preparing the ground for occupancy. The managers will hold a business meeting on that day at 2 P. M. A large number of tent sites have been taken, and indications are favorable for a large and successful campmeeting.

Dedication at Ridgely.

The dedicatory services of the German Reformed Church at Ridgely were impressive Sunday last, and were very impressive and successful. Rev. Mr. Hannabury, the highly esteemed pastor, was assisted in the ceremonies by Rev. J. H. Johnston of Philadelphia and Rev. N. J. Miller of Wyoming, Del. Mr. Miller preached the first sermon; it was in German, and undoubtedly a fine effort, but to such ears as ours it was only a series of chucked sounds and gutturals. Still many of us sat it through bravely, not caring to let our neighbors know but that we could understand as well as they. Mr. Johnston preached the dedicatory sermon, a searching and exhaustive effort, just what might be expected from such a man. The people have done themselves great credit in the erection of so fine a church. It is a very pleasant edifice, nicely built and furnished, and no doubt worthy of mention in any way. The present pastor, it is said, is to be retained in charge, and it is to move his family to Ridgely, where he will be welcomed as a Christian worker.

The City Cousins.

Lots of nice, sweet city cousins with short-tailed coats and grand-daddy watch fobs are coming out to the country, making anxious inquiry for the tree that bears the strawberry. —Middletown Transcript. Yes, and with them the pretty little girls in polka-dots and strawhats, who with open eyes wonder and admiration say that the daisies are "just too awfully beautiful for anything" and run to gather the hen feet every time the roosters crow. Bless their little souls for their enthusiasm, but it is amusing to see them light the mosquitoes and dance at the sight of an eel on the beach. —Middletown Transcript. Just so. And isn't it nice when they see a big black bug to have them cry, "Oh please come and hold me up while I faint." —Middletown Transcript. Yes, yes. And how very

interesting it is when the nice young man from the city climbs a tree to keep the crows from eating him, and how very pathetic it is when the sweet young girl in the polka-dot, gathers a hornet's nest under the impression that it is a water-melon blossom. —Chesapeake Transcript.

The Boy and His Pistol.

Tom Taylor on Wednesday shot Brooklyn Thomas probably fatally. They are two negro boys of town between ten and twelve years old. Taylor was the owner of a cheap revolver, and the two boys were down on the river shore near town, shooting alternately at anything and everything. Taylor supposed the boys had all been shot out and then aimed at his companion, when a cartridge exploded and the ball took effect just above the groin. Dr. Downes probed deeply but failed to reach the bullet and is of the opinion that it passed up through the right lung. Thomas does not feel much pain from his wound but a serious result is anticipated. Taylor was committed to jail to await the result of Thomas's injuries. Thomas says he believes Taylor did not mean to shoot him; while Taylor gave conflicting accounts of the shooting, which State's Attorney Bryant thinks warrants his retention.

1,000 Bushels and Over.

Beginning with the 18th inst. Cape May puts on holiday attire, and from that time until the close of the season sojourners there will be at no loss for amusements. The famous Baltimore regiment, the "5th Maryland," with three hundred men and a band of forty, will encamp on the 18th and remain until the 28th, during which time there will be balls in their honor, exhibition drills, lawn concerts, parades, target exercises, and all the features incidental to camp life. On the 29th and 30th the Grand Musical Festival will take place, and it is promised by those in charge that it will be the greatest event of the kind ever held at a watering place. M. Arvickie, the famous cornet virtuoso, and other distinguished soloists, have already been engaged. Simon Hasler, Carl Sente, and J. F. Zimmerman will lead an orchestra of one hundred and twenty-five and a chorus of three hundred voices. The programme will embrace numbers from the most prominent composers of the German, Italian, and French schools, and among those already decided on are selections from "Stabat Mater," "The Creation," "Fanny," "Moses in Egypt," "The Messiah," &c. Commencing on the 29th inst. there will be excursions in a captive balloon, one of the largest ever constructed in this country, for manufacturing and conducting which the famous aeronauts, Prof. Chas. E. and John Wise have been engaged. By the attachment of strong cables and suitable machinery, the balloon will be held captive and permitted to rise to the height of one thousand feet, at which altitude a view of fifty miles in every direction around Cape May will be obtained. These excursions will be of course for the public. Cape May was never more popular than at present, and with the best of the finest in the world, illuminated by electric lights; its improved ocean drives; beach railroads, excellent surf, etc., stands number one among the watering places in this country. The Pennsylvania Company have arranged to give excursions covering the Musical Festival from all stations on its lines at less than half the usual rate, the particulars of which may now be had of the ticket agents.

Personal Mention.

—Hon. Michael Bannan was in town Thursday on professional business. —Mrs. Ella Hopkins of Baltimore has been visiting Miss Clara Horsey for the past week. —Mr. Howard Melvin will leave to-day for Oxford, Md., where he will take a week's recreation. —A. M. Fisk, Esq., Edgely, started Wednesday morning up in Western New York to spend a few days among his old acquaintances there. —The school teachers whose certificates had expired and who passed successful examination recently, together with several new candidates, are as follows: Messrs. I. T. Sausbury, Walter Sparklin, C. W. Byrn, W. S. Cronin, John Duhulaway, Jas. N. Todd, Heuben Garey, Edwin Mowbray, David H. Corkran, and Misses Belle Harrison, Annie E. Taylor, Katie Hobbs, Lella Simpers, Sally Mowbray, E. A. Dennis, Annie Draper, Katie Dixon, Martha Towers, Jennie Smith, Dora Powell, Annie Greenly, and Ella Coursey. —Edwin T. Mowbray, son of Mr. Wm. Mowbray, of Fowling Creek, was last Tuesday appointed by the school board and approved by Senator Roe to the free scholarship to which Caroline county is entitled in the Western Maryland College. The appointment is made under the condition that the school board will not be held accountable for any deficiency of State appropriation for the free scholarship, which deficiency seems to exist owing to Governor Hamilton's failure to sign a bill passed by the recent legislature appropriating funds to this school for free scholarships.

Journal Gleanings.

—Daylight is now growing shorter and less at both ends. —The county commissioners have levied \$8,500 for the county schools. —Capt. Thos. E. Heather advertises sale of personal property on the 12th of August. —Squirrel shooting will commence shortly to the great delight of some of our sportsmen. —Mr. Charlie Blackiston keeps constantly on hand first-rate Baltimore made ice-cream. —Spring chickens are getting plentiful, and moderate prices will soon rule the markets. —Mr. E. C. Pritchett has been appointed agent for the Charles E. Elman marble works of Baltimore. —The school teachers of the county were paid the last instalment of their school year salary on Saturday last. —The county levy for the year ending June 1 is \$14 cents on the \$100. The State levy makes the tax rate \$1. —The watermelon season rapidly approaches, when the small boy and the "cullud" folks will be in their glory. —A camp meeting of the African M. E. Church will be held near Ridgely, commencing on Saturday, July 29th. —Mr. Wm. G. Horsey, on his oak farm, got 420 bushels from 27 seedling And on his Murphy Farm from 20 seedling he got 240. He has not threshed on his larger farms. —The newspaper man is never favored with vacations. He is expected to issue a paper fifty-two weeks in a year, for which he is paid punctually in some cases, in others, hardly ever—sometimes never. —The school-board on Wednesday last ordered the payment of \$51.70 to Mr. Wm. V. Lowe, agent for the Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Cecil

county, which is the amount of insurance for Caroline school house property.

—Mr. James C. Horsey, of Greenborough, pulled up a large potato vine, and found in the hill a beef bone through which a potato vine had grown, and in the lower end of the bone a potato had grown, completely filling the cavity.

—Mr. T. F. Green, Eastern Shore agent for L. P. Haslap & Co's. carriage works of Baltimore, whose advertisement appears in another column, has within the last three weeks sold twenty new carriages in Denton and vicinity. It would seem that our people are well equipped for the approaching camp-meetings. Among the number of new carriages, the Dayton wagons figure prominently.

500 Bushels of Wheat Burnt.

About five o'clock yesterday afternoon a straw stack on the farm of Mr. John George, in Tuckahoe Neck, was noticed to be on fire, and soon the whole stack yard was enveloped in flames and from them the fire was quickly communicated to the barn next by, which was destroyed with 500 bushels of new wheat. The barn was insured but the wheat is a total loss. The origin of the fire is not known.

Gala Times at Cape May.

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A Serious Question Affected the Validity of one of the laws passed at the recent session of the Legislature, has arisen in Allegany county and brought before court. The law in question was one of a number which were signed by Governor Hamilton at Speaker Keilholz's residence in the city of Baltimore, long after the Legislature had adjourned, and prohibited the sale of intoxicating liquor in Flintstone district of that county. One of the liquor dealers having persisted in selling intoxicants was arrested, and his counsel yesterday applied to Judges Pearce and Motter for a habeas corpus on the ground that the law was void because it was signed by the Governor more than ten days after the Legislature adjourned. As this question practically required a decision as to the validity of all the bills signed by the Governor at Mr. Keilholz's house, including the appropriation bills, the judges told the prisoner's counsel that the question was too important to be decided by a nisi prius court, and advised them to apply to Chief Justice Alvey for the writ, as he would have an opportunity to consult with the other members of the Court of Appeals. Counsel for the saloon-keeper claim that decisions in other States show that the Governor clearly had no power to sign the bills in the manner and at the time he did, and are determined to push the matter, even if it resulted in the overthrow half the Legislature. The petition will be laid before Judge Alvey in a few days. —Montgomery Advocate.

Messrs. J. M. Wooters and Charles R. Wooters procured their labor for wheat threshing in Baltimore, there not being available labor in their neighborhood. They got German and colored laborers. They were much pleased with the Germans they obtained, having found them faithful, industrious and intelligent hands. —Easton Ledger.

Mr. T. J. Ringgold, late editor of the Baltimore Telegram, proposes to publish, with the sanction and approval of Gov. Bradley T. Johnson, and others, a history of the Maryland Confederates, based on a series of articles which appeared in his paper some years ago. The price of the book will be five dollars, and the publication is conditional on obtaining five hundred subscribers. All interested parties are invited to send their names and addresses to Mr. Ringgold at 85 Broadway Avenue, Baltimore, and obtain prospectuses of the work free by mail. The book will be handsomely illustrated with portraits, places of battles, etc. For further particulars send to DANIEL P. BEATTY, Publishers, 31 Rose Street, New York.

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