Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Easton Gazette.

Saturday, Aug. 4, 1894.

Thousands of new patrons have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla this season and realized its benefit in blood purified and strength restored.

—Be sure to go to Ocean City next Friday.

—Several bears are said to be at large in the woods near Newark, Worcester Co.

—Wilmington, Del., has never had a pawn shop until recently, one being now operated by a Jew.

—Next Friday may be the last opportunity to visit Ocean City this year.

—Two colored men while sitting on the railroad track near Middletown, Del., fell asleep and were run over by a train and killed.

—Ocean City! What delightful bathing! What cool breezes! Take your family and spend the day on one of the B. & E. S. R. R. Company's "Cheap Excursions."

A little girl of Cambridge swallowed a six inch hat pin. A few days after it was discovered protruding from her side and was removed by a physician.

—Summer drinks, cheaper than that bought at the soda fountains and so much superior is the verdict of those who try my lemon or sarsaparilla beer. W. G. Stoops. 23jn68w4t

—Trinity M. E. Sunday School will give an excursion to Ocean City next Friday.

—It is a gratifying fact that hereafter all fires occurring under suspicious circumstances will be investigated by a regularly appointed State officer, who will have no interest in anyone interested in such fires.

—An exchange says that young men are like fish. The girls put all sorts of bait on their hooks and the young men nibble here and there. Finally one of them goes too far and suddenly finds himself landed.

—A young lady of Claiborne is very fond of bathing. She dons her bathing suit in the morning about 7 o'clock and doesn't remove it until about 8 p. m. She is very attractive and is considered an excellent swimmer.

—First class order and special attention to comfort of ladies and children by the committee of next Friday's excursion.

—Easton is setting a pace for rival towns on the Eastern Shore. It has established a town library, is advocating the improvement of the county roads leading from the city, and wants a new court house. This is the kind of enterprise that tells.—*Centreville Record.*

—The forests of Sussex county are fast being depleted. White oak for ship building, for which Delaware has been so famous, is a thing of the past. Hundreds of trees are being felled daily which are being used in Philadelphia and New York as piling. It is said that in a few years the pine patches of Sussex will be known only in history.

—One dollar will take you to Ocean City next Friday. Be sure to go. You'll enjoy yourself.

—The best time to use a lawn mower is at the close of the day, when the cut grass should be left throughout another day before removal. Any other course subjects the uncut grass to too much heat in hot weather and harms it. when artificially wet the evening instead of the morning is the best time for that purpose.

In order to introduce Chamberlain's Cough Remedy here we sold several dozen bottles on strict guarantee and have found every bottle did good service. We have used it ourselves and think it superior to any other. W. L. Mowrey, Jarvisville, W. Va. For sale by Harry Roberts, druggist, Easton; A. D. Harrison, St. Michaels.

—Train leaves Easton at 7.15 a. m. for Ocean City next Friday.

—Now is the time to plant the very valuable crop of scarlet clover. Its value seems to be comparatively unknown to our farmers judging from the small quantity sowed. Every farmer should have a few acres. It makes excellent hay, either to feed green or cured, but is not good for pasture. The seed may be sown between now and September. Every farmer should sow this valuable crop.

—The Elkton Fair managers met on Saturday last and made arrangements for the coming exhibition in September. A company of four trotting dogs from Ohio will participate in single, double and tandem races. Miss May Stewart and her trained horse will give morning exhibitions before the grand stand. A large baloon from Trenton, N. J., will make daily ascensions.

—The absorbing thing with the young people now seems to be base ball. It is the talk day and night. The church, the young peoples' meeting and the Sunday school are mostly given the go-by, while the game field is never too hot, and the peculiar lingo that belongs to such exciting contests is readily absorbed by these young hopefuls. A simple game of ball for diversion is all right, but parents can hardly look upon demoralizing associations and bad language so prevalent in exciting contests, as a good thing for boys of an impressible age.

—The Baltimore & Eastern Shore Railroad Company's "Thursday Excursions" to Ocean City are very popular and largely patronized. Don't fail to avail yourselves of this advantage, for a cheap day's outing with your family.

When moving in our present home I found a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm left by a former tenant. On the label I found the statement that it was good for cuts or burns. I can testify to the truth of this. Nothing in all my experience has found its equal for treating blisters or burns. F. E. Barrett manager Le Sueur Sentinel, Le Sueur, Minn. Pain Balm is also a sure cure for Rheumatism For sale by Harry Roberts, druggist, Easton: A. D. Harrison, St. Michaels.

—Rev. Andrew Jackson Potter announced himself as a candidate for sheriff and tax collector of Tom Green, Texas. This is the man who some years ago arose in the pulpit at Uvalde, Texas, where the toughs had been in the habit of rotten-egging and running out of town every minister of the gospel that attempts to preach to them, and with a big shooter in each hand, mildly remarked that if there was any flop eared, swallow mouthed galoot in the congregation who imagined himself man enough to put him out of that pulpit, he would be glad to have him present himself right then and take hot medicine, otherwise he had better keep his bazoo closed, and he wanted it further understood that by the help of God and those two forty-fives in his hands, he proposed to preach to the people that day without interruption. There seems little doubt he will be elected.

Genius Rewarded.

Mr. Victor L. Emerson, of Baltimore, a native of this county, whose inventive genius in boyhood attracted the attention of all who knew him intimately, recently sold a half interest in a dry kiln of his invention to a western concern, which has heretofore monopolized that business, for $54,000 and a like amount of stock in the company. Mr. Emerson has been elected vice president of the concern which will control the manufacture of his invention, the reliance automatic compression kiln for drying bricks, lumber, &c., in the United states. He receives a royalty on each kiln made.

It is said that the company will establish an office in Baltimore, in addition to those it maintains in two western States. As Vice-president Mr. Emerson is to receive a yearly salary of $5,000. In the future he will devote himself to introducing the kiln in Europe, having contained exclusive control of the foreign trade. He is to sail for England in a few weeks. Mr. Emerson's patents have revolutionized the dry kiln business.

Mr. Emerson is a son of the late Capt. Robert Emerson, of this county and the Emerson farm near town is still one of the finest estates in this section. Mr. Emerson's many friends will be pleased to hear of his success.—*Denton Union.*

—Take your baskets with a few table articles and table linen, your family, train No. 1, a cheap Thursday excursion ticket on the B. & E. S. R. R., and go to the "Excursion House" where tables and chairs are provided "Free of Charge" and have a picnic all to yourselves, and get goodly cooled off, basking in the breeze on an easy chair after dinner with a "tu fer" at Ocean City. 4t

OF A SOCIAL NATURE.

Items of Personal Interest about You and Your Friends.

Harry J. Hopkins, of Annapolis, was in Talbot this week.

John Denny of Baltimore, is visiting his father in Easton.

Miss Lena Blount of Baltimore is the guest of Miss Bessie Poole.

Miss Georgia Scott, of Camden, N. J., is the guest of Mrs. Joseph H. White.

Miss Maud Collins, Dover Street, is visiting relatives and friends near Trappe.

Miss Mineah P. Avery of Baltimore is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. N. Tuthill.

Clifford Jump and Johnnie Shanahan are at J. Percy McNett's, near Trappe.

Henry Rieman shipped some extra fine peaches to Philadelphia Wednesday.

Miss Clara Fish, of Philadelphia, is visiting at the residence of Mr. Willis Flowers.

Mrs. Lucy (Tuthill) Ross, of Germantown, is at her parents on a few weeks' visit.

Brad Merrick commission merchant of Baltimore, is in Easton drumming up trade.

Mrs. James A. Spence, has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Swing in Denton.

Col. F. P. Dimpfel is about again, having been confined to his room for several days.

Mr. E. A. Powell, of Trappe, is erecting a handsome new dwelling house in that town.

Mr. Wm. C. Meintzer, of Reading, Pa., is home on a two weeks' visit with his parents.

Miss Nellie Treganown of Springfield, Mass is visiting her father, Mr. J. R. Treganowan.

Mrs. John Y. Todd is expecting to start for Deer Park Monday where she will spend some time.

Mr. James F. Hartnett is visiting friends and relatives in Philadelphia, Pa., and Dover Del.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Corkran have returned from an extended visit with friends in Baltimore.

Miss Grace Schepler and Vincent De Pasquale, were guests of Miss Lulu Roberts last week.

Mr. John Meintzer has returned to Easton to engage in the bakery business with his father.

Mrs. Jos. Kirby returned to Baltimore after having spent a few days with friends in Talbot.

Miss Daisy Becker, of Baltimore has returned home, after having spent three weeks with Miss Lena Collier.

Miss Nellie M. Queen, of Prince George's county, returned on Thursday to her home. She was much pleased with Easton.

Mr. Thomas D. Murray, of Galveston, Texas, who has been in Talbot for some weeks, has returned to his western home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McElhiney, daughter Miss Mary and son Willie, of Baltimore, are visiting Mrs. Annie M. Barton and family.

Reginald Mobray, formerly of Easton, but now of Baltimore, is spending his summer vacation in Easton with his parents.

Rev. W. M. Jones, the Baptist minister, will occupy the pulpit of Ebenezer M. E. Church Sunday evening in the absence of Dr. Avery.

Miss Feldmyer, of Annapolis, who has been visiting Miss Lelia Rathell, on Rail-road Ave, has gone to Trappe to visit Miss Artie Barnes.

S. E. Wittman, manager of the Star, was in Baltimore last week and witnessed the first game of ball between the Baltimore's and Boston's.

Dr. Fred Dunning, who left Easton some time ago for the West, has secured an important position in one of the Detroit hospitals. He has charge of the disinfecting department.

Mr. Thos. W. Stapler, well known commission merchant of Phila., in company with Mrs. Jones of Germantown, and Mrs. Hopkins of Newtown, are the guests of M. E. Atkinson, Easton.

EASTON ICE COMPANY.

Plant Running Night and Day.—The Demand Greater than Ever.

The ice machine of the Easton Ice Company has been running night and day since April the 24th. When it was first started the demand was small and most of the ice was put in the cold storage room. This room when full holds one hundred and fifty tons. The capacity of the machine is six tons a day and requires night work. When the warm weather set in the demand became so great that the storage room was soon emptied and the machine run to its greatest capacity. It was soon utterly impossible to fill the orders that came pouring in, and a standing order for several tons daily was placed with the Cambridge Ice Company. Even this additional supply found ready consumption.

Orders are filled for many towns and stations on both the railroads and other points throughout the county.

BROKE THE DRIVER.

Baltimore & Eastern Shore train Disabled.—Engineer Injured.

Last Friday evening train No. 10, of the Baltimore and Eastern Shore Railroad was disabled by the breaking of one of the drivers, The train was near Riverside at the time and running at high speed when the driver broke. The huge bar whirled around and smashed the entire side of the cab off, seriously injuring the engineer, Peter Beauchamp, who was thrown to the opposite side of the cab. The train kept on with the heavy driver whirling through the air. Seeing that something was wrong express messenger J. W. Smith pulled the air brake cord, thus stopping the train.—The injured man was taken to St. Michaels where he received medical aid.

The accident delayed the Ocean City express about two hours, and the Cambridge did not arrive in Baltimore until midnight.

THE GOLD FEVER INVADES EASTON.

MIDNIGHT MINERS AT WORK.

Four Young Men of Easton, under the belief that there is gold buried in the Easton Primary School yard, proceeded to dig for the hidden treasure.

The desire to suddenly acquire riches seems to have taken root in the minds of certain Eastonians, especially four young men who procured four brand new shovels and started out to hunt for gold. This sudden gold fever was the result of information that they had received to the effect that the precious metal, in very large and heavy chunks, was hidden in the rear of the Easton Primary School. The hour was midnight when they arrived at the scene of action. The selection of this time of night was on account of the fact that Easton is not lighted after that hour, and promptly at 12 or thereabouts the electric lights go out with startling suddenness, enabling a man to successfully fall over several barrels of gold should they be in his path without knowing of the treasure he had run afoul of.

These young men proceeded to their task, and after having posted a sentinel, the repeate thud told that mother earth was being disturbed to an alarming extent, in fact it was a question whether or not the foundation of the school must give way, so large was the excavation. The steady tread of the trusty sentinel could be heard at least three blocks. Of course all this precaution against discovery was necessary as it was not intended that the entire town should share in the prize. But the terrible noise occasioned by such hard digging coupled with the extra noise of said trusty sentinel had its effects and those who were not dead in the neighborhood had to awake. Two gentlemen passing were of the opinion that Hubbard's canning-house must be doing night work, or the B. & E. S. train must be extra late. They would have been wondering yet but just then they came upon the sentinel, who at their approach had quieted down somewhat, and inquired of him if he could tell the meaning of this terrible noise, but gaining no information they decided to make a little backward attack and came upon the gold hunters who immediately took to their heels leaving everything behind even unto their shovels and coats, ditto a big hole in the ground resembling the High School cellar.

They were summoned to appear before Squire Nicols to give an account of their invasion upon the school property. After the investigation they were discharged with instructions to proceed to Cripple Creek or some other field in the future when they wished to hunt for for gold.

A VERY HONEST (?) MAN.

Arizona Bob's Halo of Honesty disappears With him.

A big, red-faced, western looking individual made his appearance in Easton last week in company with another individual of the same stamp and a suspiciously negro-looking Indian. The man claimed to be Arizona Bob, a cow boy and United States government scout, which claim was generally disbelieved. He came to Easton with no money and presented a check on a Phillisburg Pa. bank to Mr. Geo. Sheppard, Adams Express Agent. The check, which was for $100, was sent to Phillipsburg and word was received that it was not collectable.

Bob's business was selling soap and a consumption remedy. He succeeded in drawing a large crowd before him on the first evening of his arrival and began to talk. He began by saying that he had no education, which statement was believed, as his language was of that picturesque character which did not savor of the school room in the least. He also claimed to be a thoroughly honest man, and had no sooner made the statement than the gasoline lights around him immediately flared up and went out. This looked rather dark for Bob and his honesty, but he lit his lamps again and succeeded gulling a few people.

He had made several debts, and business being poor, decided to skip town. His intentions, however, were found out, and before he could get away Deputy McHale waited upon him with several bills, which he was compelled to pay, though with very bad grace.

COMMISSISNERS MEETING.

The Board of County Commissioners Meet on Tuesday and Transact Important business.

County Commissioners met on Tuesday; all present.

Receipts were: John H. Holt, collector 1893, $450.

Disbursements were $45.52.

Permission was given the Universal Engineering Co. to erect telephones along the county roads, provided they do not interfere with public travel, the consent of the owners of adjacent land being necessary also.

The resignation of Samuel R. Skinner, constable, Chapel district, was presented and accepted.

The board will visit and inspect the new road near Matthews, Cornelius O'Daly builder, tomorrow.

Messrs. Dawson, Dexter and Leonard, commissioners under Art. 25 sec. 35 of Code, reported in favor of draining the lowland of Samuel J. Merrick by a ditch through the lands of St. Clair Watts, 3 feet wide, 43 rods long, with a depth of from 8 inches to 3 feet. They assessed the damages to Watts, to be paid by Merrick, at $25.

EASTON'S TOWN CLOCK.

It has not been Dropped.—The Committee still at work.

Since the last draw back towards the placing of the town clock in a permanent place, the public have about concluded that the matter has been dropped. Such, however, is not the case. The committee has experienced too many difficulties to be so easily discouraged. It will be remembered that all the sites proposed were passed over in their turn and the tower of the new High School was finally settled upon as the site for the clock. The public thought that this settled the matter and we would have the clock in a short time. When an inspection was made of the tower preparatory to setting the clock it was found that it was entirely unfit, both too low and too small. The committee then turned to the Court House again. They waited upon the county commissioners and asked that they repair the Court House steeple so as to receive the clock. The commissioners appointed J. Frank Turner to find out what such repairs would cost. Thus the matter stands.



See anything green in my eye, Brother Todd?
No flies appear lighting on me.
I'll run this shebang now. And so help me Bob,
You must bark up some other tree.

OUR MAN ABOUT TOWN.

The news of a week in brief form—Items of Local Interest.

A heavy fog on Thursday morning considerably tempered the heat through the day.—It also delayed the Baltimore boats.

A fifty candle power electric light has been placed in front of Ebenezer M. E. Church, instead of the usual eighteen candle power.

Many Eastonians will leave this week for Ocean Grove and remain until after the close of the great Methodist camp meeting.

The luscious Caroline watermelons are here in great abundance. Ten cents will buy as big a mellon as one could wish for.

Chicken thieves are again bringing themselves into prominence. Several coops have been emptied during the dark nights of this week.

The old town mule which has done such excellent service for years died last week. The mule was old and worked hard, which is thought to be the cause of his death.

The tall scaffold around the spire of Trinity M. E. Church, South, which was used last by the painters, has been taken down, and the spire can now be seen in all its beauty.

A Mr. Jones, of Pennsylvania, is in Easton and is thinking seriously of settling here. He is a victim of malaria and says he likes Easton better than any of the peninsula towns he has visited.

A dance at "The Villa" Wednesday evening of this week attracted many of Easton's pleasure seeking young people. Quite a number went down and enjoyed the hearty hospitality of Mr. Bailey.

A party of Eastonians enjoyed a trip around the Choptank on Sunday in the steam ferry boat used at Oxford. They made stops at Oxford and Cambridge and returned at nine o'clock in the evening.

The church building society of Trinity M. E. Church, South, which was recently organized to secure funds for the completion of the church, is doing splendid work. They propose giving an excursion next month.

Mrs. S. E. Jump is having a new house built on Railroad avenue on the site of her former residence, which has been torn down. The new house will be large and comfortable and will be completed before the winter. W. T. Wright is the builder.

Mr. R. N. Pullen, well known in Easton, and traveling agent for a fresh meat firm, fell from a moving train at St. Michaels on Monday and seriously injured the index finger of his left hand. The finger had to be amputated.

The Avon Cycle Club is discussing plans by which a tournament can be held in connection with the annual club race which occurs some time next month. A wheelman of national repute is expected to execute some fancy riding on that occasion.

The new High School building is now nearing completion. The work is now confined mostly to the interior, the outside work being almost finished. The commissioners have decided to heat the building by steam, the apparatus for which, is now being put in.

The new office of the Workingmen's Permanent Building and Loan Association in the Moreland Building is said to be one of the handsomest and most conveniently arranged in the town. It is fitted up with oak and brass furniture, and is certainly very pretty.

The reports of the condition of the Eastern Shore banks published in an exchange shows the Easton National Bank to be ahead of the other banks by over $200,000 in loans and discounts and over $100,000 ahead in individual deposits. This is flattering to both the bank and the county.

Some of the pavements on our principle streets are very much in need of relaying. They are so rough and uneven and so full of holes that during or after a rain a person can not walk without stepping into little puddles of water. So many pavements are in this condition that it is a general nuisance.

SUED FOR THE LANTERN.

An interesting suit in which a $40 magic lantern was involved.

About two years ago, the Rev. H. L. Jones and Jacob Augusta, both colored, dissolved partnership. They were engaged together in giving magic lantern exhibitions in the various colored churches on this district for which they usually received two thirds of the profits. The business seemed to be such a good one and Augusta arranged to buy out the Rev. Jones' interest and conduct the business himself. It was agreed that Jones was to relinquish all claims on the outfit on the payment of $40. Augusta paid half that amount and signed a sixty day note for the balance. The note, however, was no good and Jones tried to make Augusta return the lantern as per agreement. This Augusta refused to do. Jones let the matter drop until last week when he entered suit against Augusta for the lantern. The case was tried before Justice Hubbard on last Friday afternoon. As Augusta had no evidence and appeared to have no claim the Justice decided the case in favor of Jones, who now has the lantern in his hands.

FLAVORED SNOW BALLS.

It Has Become a Profitable Business in Easton During the Hot Weather.

There are two establishments in Easton where snow balls are made out of shaved ice and nicely flavored with choice extracts, and sold to the irrepressible small boy at a pecuniary consideration of one cent per ball. During the past few months the establishments making these luxuries have been reaping quite a harvest.

It is no uncommon thing nowadays, when the theremometer is climbing up toward the century mark, to see a group of urchins gathered in front of these establishments devouring snow balls. While the average citizen mops the perspiration from his fevered brow and complains of the suffocating weather the small boy is in high glee. With an arm full of snow balls he looks upon the rising thermometer with contempt.

The Easton and Chestertown Railroad

The incorporators of the proposed railroad from Chestertown to Easton, as a continuation of the Elkton and Southern, held a meeting at Chestertown on Monday for the purpose of organization. Messrs. John S. Wirt, of Cecil; James A. Pearce, Charles T. Westcott and Lewin Wickes of Kent; P. H. Feddeman and J. Frank Harper, of Queen Anne's, and William Goldsborough, of Talbot, were elected directors. Mr. Westcott was afterwards elected president, Lewin Wickes, secretary, and Mr. Fhelen, of New York, treasurer. The stock for the proposed road is said to be taken and the necessary ten per cent. has been paid in.

Two Lives Saved.

Mrs. Phoebe Thomas, of Junction City, Ill., was told by her doctors she had consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida St. San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching Consumption, tried without result everything else then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in Coughs and Colds. Free trial bottles at J. C. Henry's drug store. Regular size 50c. and $1.00

Knocked Him Down.

One Charlie Frisby, a negro boy who used to be well known in Easton, and who has been making himself obnoxious in Smyrna by abusive and insulting language to many people, became involved in a wrangle with one James Camac Saturday. Young Camac in self defense struck Frisby with an iron pick and knocked him down. The negro has been dangerously ill ever since and it has been reported that he was dead several times

Off to Virginia.

Mr. John H. K. Shannahan has contracted to sink a large artesian well for a firm in Onancock, Virginia, and has shipped his machinery to that point. Mr. Shannahan has just completed a deep eight inch well at Lewisetta, Va., and was successful in getting a large flow of splendid water.

Banana Boat at the Point.

Another boat from Baltimore loaded with bananas arrived at Easton Point this week. A ready sale is found for the fruit, which is all of an excellent kind. They are selling at fifty cents a bunch, and may possibly drop lower than that before they are all disposed of.

Steamer Ida Rebuilt

The steamer Ida, of the Maryland Steamboat Company, which was burned at her wharf in Baltimore last spring, has been rebuilt and had her trial trip on Thursday of this week. She starts on her trip to Baltimore to-day and will resume her old route next week.

FIRST SUNDAY OF WYE CAMP.

WILL BE ATTENDED BY CROWDS.

The old Trysting Place for the Peninsula Methodists is ever a resort of Interest.—Many Eastonians will attend tomorrow—Diagram of the Camp Grounds.

Tomorrow will be a great day at Wye Camp. And among the large number of people who will be present, not a few from Easton will be recognized.

It is expected that over two hundred Eastonians will go. The liverymen have teams engaged two weeks ahead, and it is now reported almost impossible to secure good teams for less than five dollars for the day. The bussmen will also carry passengers for one dollar the round trip. Wagon parties have been arranged, and some of our venturesome wheelmen will make the trip. In fact, every possible means of getting to Wye Camp will be used tomorrow.

On account of the absence of Dr. Avery at camp there will be no service at the M. E. Church tomorrow morning. A great part of his congregation will be at Wye.

The journey from Easton to Wye is a long and tiresome one, and the way to escape the heat and fatigue is to start early so as to arrive before the heat of the day.

Wednesday being Epworth League day at Wye, a great many members of the Easton chapter will be present. Dr. Avery will preach on that day.

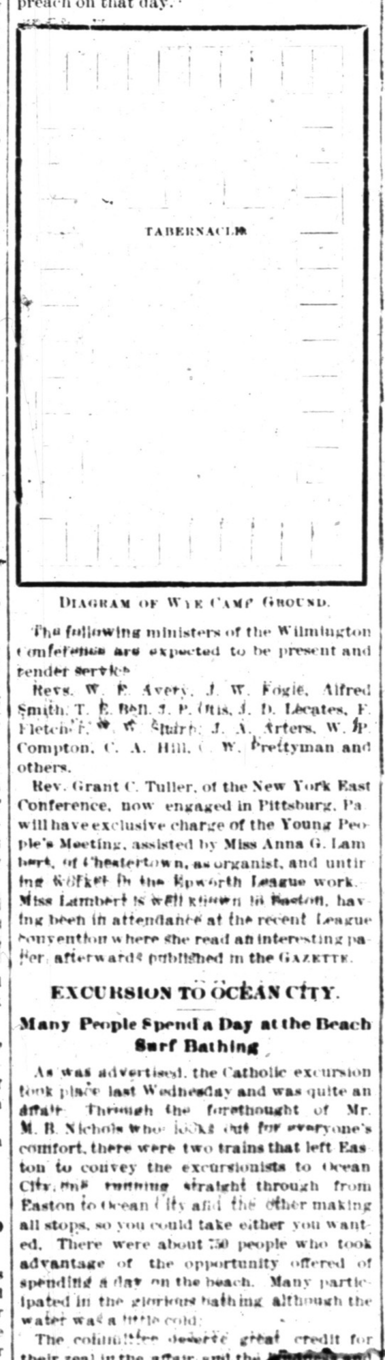


Diagram of Wye Camp Ground.

The following ministers of the Wilmington conference are expected to be present and render service:

Revs. W. F. Avery, J. W. Fogle, Alfred Smith, T. E. Bell, J. P. Otis, J. D. Lecates, F. Fletcher, W. W. Sharp, J. A. Arters, W. P. Compton, C. A. Hill, C. W. Prettyman and others.

Rev. Grant C. Tuller, of the New York East Conference, now engaged in Pittsburg, Pa., will have exclusive charge of the Young People's Meeting, assisted by Miss Anna G. Lambert, of Chestertown, as organist, and untiring worker in the Epworth League work. Miss Lambert is well known in Easton, having been in attendance at the recent League convention where she read an interesting paper, afterwards published in the Gazette.

EXCURSION TO OCEAN CITY.

Many People Spend a Day at the Beach Surf Bathing.

As was advertised, the Catholic excursion took place last Wednesday and was quite an affair. Through the forethought of Mr. M. B. Nichols who looks out for everyone's comfort, there were two trains that left Easton to convey the excursionists to Ocean City, one running straight through from Easton to Ocean City and the other making all stops, so you could take either you wanted. There were about 750 people who took advantage of the opportunity offered of spending a day on the beach. Many participated in the glorious bathing although the water was a little cold.

The committee deserve great credit for their zeal in the affair and the kindness and politeness of the conductors not only to the committee [illegible] to the passengers, was unbounded. [illegible] were careful that everybody should feel at home and apparently everybody enjoyed themselves. Too much cannot be said of the energy of Father Waldron as everyone who knows him appreciates that as one of his characteristics. He feels a deep interest in his church and people and tries to do everything for their comfort and in return, he should receive politeness and attention.

TELEPHONE EXCHANGE.

A Baltimore Firm Propose to Put in a Telephone Exchange in Easton.

Mr. Leopold Stern, representing the Universal Electrical Engineering Company of Baltimore, was in town this week looking over the field for telephones. He proposed to establish a central office in Easton and place a number of phones in the private residences, places of business, etc. He received enough encouragement to enable him to assure his subscribers that immediate steps would be taken to erect the system.

The cost will be for the use of a telephone, one dollar per month at a private residence, and two dollars per month at a business stand. This will include all charge, as the Company will place the instrument, connect it and keep it in repair. In course of time other points will be connected throughout the county and Easton will be the Central office, thereby enabling all parts of the county to be in easy reach of each other by ordinary conversation.

Easton is not slow to take on improvements and will keep apace with the times.

DIED.

ATKINSON.—At her late residence, Washington St., Easton on July 31st, Eliza P. Atkinson, aged 78 years.

The deceased was the daughter of the late Isaac Atkinson, who was a prominent business man in this place some years ago. She had resided here all her life and was known for her gentleness of disposition, being quiet and unobtrusive in her conversation, as well as her sweetness of character. She was a member of the Society of Friends. Two sisters survive her, Martha E. and Hettie Atkinson Hopkins.

The funeral was on Thursday and interment at Friends' burial ground. The bearers were Robt. B. Dixon, John C. Bartlett, Jos. Bartlett, Isaac Barber, Robtert L. Kemp and John M. Wilson.

Church News.

Services at SS. Peter and Paul Church tomorrow, are as follows: Low Mass at 11 a. m., Benediction and reading of meditations at 8 p. m.

At Calvary M. P. Church, A. M. Sheridan, pastor, tomorrow morning communion. At 7 p. m., Christian Endeavor. 8 p. m., Miss Maggie Wilson, who was a delegate from this church to the C. E. Convention in Cleveland will deliver an address on what she saw and heard at that great conventions. It will be an interesting address.

Peninsula Packers

A meeting of the packers of canning goods on the Maryland and Delaware peninsula was held in Dover last week. The meeting was well attended by representative packers from the whole Peninsula, and an organization was effected under the name of the Peninsula Canned Goods Association. The object of the association is to foster friendly relations among the packers for cooperation to secure mutual advantage. A committee was appointed to wait on the transportation companies with a view to a more equitable arrangement of freight rates.

—Ocean City can be seen at its best next Friday, Trinity's Sunday School excursion.

The Mercantile Librarian.

The executive committee of the Mercantile Library of Talbot county met on Tuesday of this week and selected Miss Ella B. Robson as librarian. The selection is a most excellent one. The library is now open, and members may secure books at any time. About 150 volumes are in place.

My boy was taken with a disease resembling bloody flux. The first thing I thought of was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. Two doses of it settled the matter and cured him sound and well. I heartily recommend this remedy to all persons suffering from a like complaint. I will answer any inquiries regarding it when stamp is enclosed. I refer to any county official as to my reliability. Wm. Roach, J. P. Primroy, Campbell Co., Tenn. For sale by Harry Roberts, druggist, Easton; A. D. Harrison, St. Michaels.

BOAT RACES AT TILGHMAN.

Close and Exciting Races Result in a Victory for the "Golden Rod".

The canoe race on the 31st of July was close and exciting. The canoes "Golden Rod" and "Mabelle" got off about half a minute ahead of the "Albatross" and "Island Bride", which crossed the line in the order named while the "McKinley" brought up the rear of the first class. The second class consisting of the canoes "Sadie B" and "West Wind" were given five minutes start of the first class flyers.

The first buoy boat anchored in the hollow of Lone Point was quickly reached and turned, with the "Golden Rod" and "Mabelle" leading, and there the "Island Bride" split her main step, and dropped out of the race coming back to the starting point (M. S. B. Co's Wharf) under easy sail. From the first to the second buoy boat was a beat of three miles dead to windward, and about half way the first overtook the second class and the six canoes were so close together, passing and repassing on the different tacks, that it was almost impossible to tell which was leading.

The "West Wind" was the first to get clear of the tangle as she dropped astern, and when the buoy boat was turned the "Golden Rod and "Mabelle were still leading with the "Albatross and "McKinley" close astern The run back to the first boat was very close and exciting, as first one and then another of the four first class boats (the Sadie B having now dropped astern) forged ahead. As they neared the buoy boat however, the "Albatross" went to the front and hauled up for the Judge's boat with a decided lead which she increased gradually on the run over turning the mark and starting on the second round a good hundred yards ahead. From that point none of the other boats ever passed her, and she came in about one and a half minutes ahead of the "Golden Rod" while the "Mckinley" finished a bad third, the "Mabelle" having dropped out.

In the second class the "West Wind" dropped out at the end of the first round and the "Sadie B" had a walk over.

The Base Ball games were a failure, as neither of the visiting clubs would play and the upper and lower Island boys had it all to themselves.

A DISTRESSING DEATH.

A Couple Engaged to be Married Die About the Same Hour.

A sad story comes from Salisbury. A young couple who were to have been married in a short time. F. C. Richardson, who resided near New Hope, and Miss Alice Davis, near Pittsville, were engaged to each other, and the friends of the happy couple were rejoicing with them that the day was fast approching when the dream of life would be realized; when they would be made happy in the holy bonds of matrimony. But fate decreed otherwise, and the bodies of both repose beneath the shade of the trees in Pittsville cemetery, in the same grave.

About ten days ago young Richardson was stricken with typhoid fever, and the doctor was called to attend him. Scarcely had his wants been administered to by the doctor, when a call was made for the physician to go see Miss Davis, who lived about four miles from the home of young Richardson. The doctor found the lady suffering from the same malady. Both rapidly grew worse, and at every visit the lovers would enquire the condition of each other, the state of the pulse and the chances of recovery. On Thursday morning last, at 8 o'clock young Richardson succumbed to the disease while the doctor was at his bedside. Hastening to the bedside of Miss Davis, the doctor found her also in the throes of death, and then within the space of two hours, the spirits of the two young lovers had taken their flight to the unknown world.

Friday the funerals took place at Pittsville, in the presence of a large and sorrowing concourse of people. In the same grave, side by side, the bodies were laid, while the minister read the solemn burial service.

ANNIVERSARY SERVICE.

Haslup W. C. T. U. celebrates its first Anniversary on July 16th.

The members of the Haslup W. C. T. U. assisted by some of the members of the Loyal Temperance Legion celebrated the first anniversary of their Union on July 16th, 1894. The program was entertaining one consisting of readings, recitations, addresses, and music was well rendered. The meeting was opened with singing and prayer. Addresses were made by Rev. Mr. Otis, of St. Michaels, Rev. Mr. McKinsey, of Bayside, and by the pastor, Rev. J. T. Prouse, of Broad Creek Neck. The admission fee was 5 cents for members of the Loyal Legion and ten cents for all others. The proceeds, $8.01, will be used to replenish the library of the Union. The Union during the year of its existence has done much work. On Flower Mission Day the Union and Legion sent a box of flowers to Baltimore to be distributed as those in charge of Flower Mission work thought best. Below is an address on the "Haslup W. C. T. U." by Miss Josephine N. Collins, assistant leader of the Loyal Temperance Legion.

An address? yes, an address it must be;
But what is the subject kindly chosen for me
On a warm summer night, when the people are weary?
The subject, I'm sure, should be something quite cheery
But no methinks I can read on the faces
Of those very comfortably fixed in their places
Preparing to take a nap, that the subject
The "Anniversary of this W. C. T. U." and its object,
Is not the most interesting one to some men,
Because, as they say, from their sphere it takes women;
Breaks up the home-ties and makes them bold;
But if the whole truth and that only be told,
We believe that is only half the reason,
The other half, conscience will tell them in season.
Oh! that for aid to the muses I could fly,
To invest this subject with interest, or try,
But alas! to mortals it is now denied
Intercourse with spirits by the ancients tried
So to my subject I will call your attention
And this year's work of the Union will mention.
Organized on the fifteenth of July, ninety-three,
With thirty two active members, as I see,
And twenty-three honorary, in the book
of the secretary; the place to look
For all such statistics, and I find
That each has increased to forty nine.
Perhaps some will say the increase is slow,
But the Master has told us it would be so,
That the seed sown in earnestness here,
Will not produce fruit in the full ear,
Except into the ground it fall and die;
But the harvest will surely come by and by.
Our president the business has attended to with zeal;
Her aim has always been for the common-weal.
The other officers, none the less zealous
That the work be well done, have been jealous.
The members earnest, we find have been working
All through the year, no duty shirking,
When the call for a temperance thank-offering came,
It found them ready with ever the same
Desire to help the national cause along,
For the cause is universal to which we belong.
Their donation to the state headquarters they sent;
This money they gladly gave to be spent
By the state guardians of the temperance cause
To help the poor and defenseless where the laws
Which should protect them, fail to do so.
If the temperance people don't help them we know
The politician will never lift a hand
To save the fallen and helpless in our land.
Out of love and sympathy on Flower Mission Day
The Union and Legion sent all the way
To Baltimore, boxes of beautiful flowers
Messengers from our Heavenly Father's bowers.
To cheer the poor, the lonely, the oppressed,
And their efforts for good, I'm sure, have been blest,
The money collected has been well expended
In purchasing books for a library intended,
And also leaflets distributed with a surety.
To promote the cause of temperance and purity.
The members propose, ere another year has flown,
To agitate the cause until the membership has grown
To double its present numbers, and then
The work must go on; we appeal to the men
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—Excursion to Ocean City Friday.

AT ST. MICHAELS.

An Interesting News Letter Chronicaling the doings in that busy town.

St. Michaels needs a good tailor, not one in the town.

Lightning last Monday eve struck a tree in the yard of Adolph Dodson, Esq.

Rev. Mr. Watkins, of Washington, was the guest of John W. Dean last Sunday.

Eugene Benson, of Easton, is the guest of his grandfather, William Harrison, Esq.

Mrs. Owen Morton, of Brooklyn, is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. H. Willey.

Miss Hessie Hubbard, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mrs. Coffin, Grace street.

John Neal and wife, of Philadelphia, are the guests of James Harrison, Chestnut street.

Columbus Long and family, of Somerset county, are visiting Mrs. Thomas J. Spencer.

At this time of the year we have water huckleberries. Do you know what they are?

Mrs. H. A. Reed and daughter, Miss Bessie, were the guests of Mrs. John W. Dean this week.

Miss Maggie Hambleton arrived in St. Michaels last Tuesday morning from Pittsburgh, Pa.

Joseph Marshall and family, of Baltimore, are spending the summer at Mr. Marshall's farm near St. Michaels.

George W. W. Haddaway, a well known resident of Bay Hundred, died at his residence last Monday morning, aged 65. Interrment at the home place.

John K. Skinner, one of our oldest and most respected citizens, has been confined to his room the last several weeks on account of ill health.

Yes, let it be known to all that we are a local option town, but you'd be surprised to see or know the amount of cussedness in our midst caused by strong drink.

One day this week two gentlemen perambulated our streets selling some kind of soap powder guaranteed to remove all the real estate that might gather on one's person.

John Perry, Esq., was before Justice Gibson last Monday morning charged with assaulting Miss Annie Thomas. It cost John one dollar and costs.

Col. H. C. Mulliken and wife were in St. Michaels last Sunday. The Col. visited the M. E. Sunday school and made a speech just one-half inch long, promising more when the thermometer stopped kicking up didos.

Captain George Tarbutton, of steamer St. Michaels, was before 'Squire Gibson charged by Charity Jim, Esq., with assault on said Charity. The Captain proved by two witnesses that he did not strike him. On account of the Captain's arm being shorter than he imagined, the Squire dismissed the case.

Last Friday afternoon, as the west bound express was nearing Riverside station, a pin became loose, causing the rod that connects the drive wheel with smaller ones to act in a frantic manner, at the same time to almost demolish the cab, hitting the engineer back of the head, wounding him severely. Our railroad is noted for accidents and several other things.

Tomorrow morning Rev. Mr. Otis will take for his subject, "A Welcome, Reception of Members" Rev. Alva C. Willey will fill the pulpit in the evening. Syracuse University in June, on examination in Christian evidences, bestowed upon Mr. Willey the degree of Ph. D. We congratulate the reverend gentleman, and hope that in the years to come he may have quite a number of letters at the end of his name.

Through curiosity, having lots of valuable time to invest and wishing to let the world at large know something of our town, I came to the conclusion to count dwelling houses store rooms, etc. We have two hundred and fifty-four dwelling houses, but few, if any vacant (these do not include Chew avenue and the northern suburbs), thirty-eight store rooms, with but four vacant, two halls, four churches; yet with all this accumulated wealth we are not happy and still sigh for the unattainable—but there, I came near forgetting one thing, mention it I must. We have a town pump. It is a grand affair, with an immense wheel so large that it takes two men to manipulate it, and that pump cost money, good money of the kingdom. That's one reason we are so proud and eager to show it to the stranger in our midst. When shown, he or she will look, examine attentively, then ask. "Who were the men that had this man killer put down?" When that question is answered, then they will ask again, "Are they living?" When answered in the affirmative, there comes a look of disappointment over their countenances which would seem to say that things are not done according to Grenter in this world, like they used to be when George the Third was King.

Sinepuxent Beach, Ocean City. Every Thursday during August, cheap family excursions from stations on the B. & E. S. R. R.

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Grand Encampment of the Knights of Pythias of the World.

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The rate from Philadelphia will be $4.00 Pittsburgh $8.00, Cumberland $4.55, and correspondingly low rates from all other stations.

CHAS. O. SCULL,
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Kenneth Bazemore had the good fortune to receive a small bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy when three members of his family were sick with dysentery. This one small bottle cured them all and he had some left which he gave to G. W. Baker, a prominent merchant of the place Lewiston, N. C., and it cured him of the same complaint. When troubled with dysentery, diarrahoea, colic or cholera morbus, give this remedy a trial and you will be more than pleased with the result. The praise that naturally follows its introduntion and use has made it very popular. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Harry Roberts, druggist, Easton; A. D. Harrison, St. Michaels.

Ocean City excursions are popular Go next Friday with the Trinity Church people and enjoy yourself.

Removal of Chas. E. Shanahan.

We notice by Baltimore City and county newspapers that our old friend, "Charles E. Shanahan has removed his law office to No. 102 East Lexington street, (near St. Paul street), and opposite northwest corner of Court House Square; first floor front." He has now one of the best located offices in Baltimore City; and it may be of interest to his many friends to know that the office he now occupies, in the old "Taney Building," was the one used by the late Chief Justice Roger Brooke Taney, while living and practicing law in the city of Baltimore. His nearest neighbors are among the most distinguished and brilliant legal lights in the city and State. Mr. Shanahan has a branch collection office at Easton, Md., with R. Herbert Martin, Esq., attorney.

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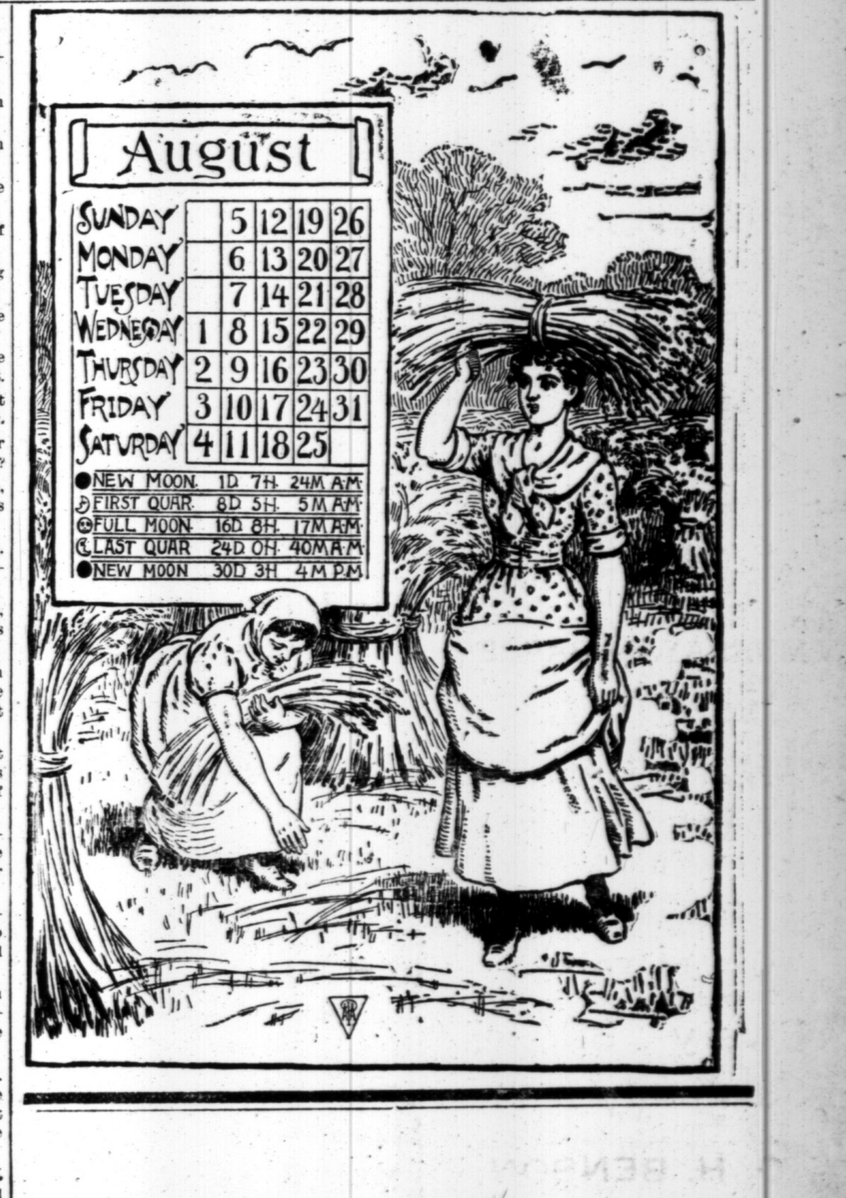
He Kicked the Bucket.

Theodore Smith, a faithful old colored man employed by Robt. B. Dixon & Co., at their stables was considerably jostled Thursday while in a stall attending to Mr. Kemp's colt. His escape from serious injury was remarkable. the animal kicking the bucket to pieces with which he was watering him. The old man, though no bones are broken, feels somewhat used up.

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