GEORGE WRIGHT NOT GUILTY.

Johns Sentenced To Prison For Eighteen Years.

LYDIA MILLS GETS 9 YEARS.

Florence Wright Admitted Not Guilty By The State.—The Charge Of Perjury Against The Mills Girl Dismissed.—The Cost of Trials.

The trial of George Wright for the murder of Columbus Nichols was concluded on Monday evening at 10 o'clock when the jury retired and by eleven o'clock they returned with a verdict of "not guilty".

This was a genuine surprise to many, but was heard with evident favor by others. The public sentiment regarding the case was changing somewhat in regard to Wright.

George was the only one of the four persons under suspicion that kept his mouth shut. He is a mulatto, 20 years old, 5ft. 8 in. high, and will weigh perhaps 150 pounds. He sat in the prisoner's box with a calm demeanor and took great interest in the proceedings of his trial.

The testimony in this case was the same as admitted in the two cases previous minus the two confessions of Johns and Lydia Mills.

On Saturday George Wright, colored, has testified in his own behalf and told with great circumstantiality the events of the day and day after it was alleged Columbus Nichols, colored, was murdered in Wright's house at Trappe, Talbot county.

He denied positively the whole story of a murder as told and then denied by Lydia Mills and Tora Johns. He said Nichols was recognized by himself and his wife as a beau of Lydia Mills, who is his wife's niece, and when she was at his house, as she was during January and February last, the deceased frequently visited her there.

He came the Monday after the blizzard, stayed Monday night, Tuesday and Tuesday night. Wednesday morning he was about leaving and Wright invited him to stay to dinner, which he did, and then left on the river ice for George A. Mullikin's, where he lived.

Neither was Tom Johns at his house that Wednesday night, he said. He gave his testimony very deliberately and had the closest attention of the court, the jury and the spectators. The State's attorney cross-examined him long and closely, but the witness maintained his equanimity and made no varying statements.

A good character for honesty, sobriety and truthfulness was proved for him by highly respectable white people who have known him all his life.

Much of Saturday's session was taken up with the testimony of physicians summoned as experts to testify to the question as to whether it can be told that wounds were made before or after death when a body had been six weeks in the water, and as to whether it could be told that Nichols was drowned.

They would not contradict the physicians who witnessed the post-mortem and who testified that he was not drowned; that the wounds were inflicted before death and the body put in the water after death.

There was also the expert testimony of Wm. H. Withers and others as to the effect of the blades of a steamboat propeller on a human body coming in contact with the screw. It is possible such wounds as were found on the body of Nichols could be made that way, but there is no certainty of it.

Tuesday morning Judge Stump pronounced sentence on Lydia Mills and Tom Johns. In sentencing Johns he said, "Mr. Johns you have been found guilty of murder in the second degree. It the case had been tried before the court instead of a jury, my duty in pronouncing sentence on you would be a much more unpleasant one than it is. The sentence of the court is that you be confined to the penitentiary for a term of eighteen years from this date."

In addressing Lydia Mills the Judge said that she being a woman, and a recommendation of mercy being made by the jury, he would give her only half of the regular term for such an offense. He then said, "The sentence of the court is that you be confined in the penitentiary for a term of nine years from this date."

Senator Gibson moved that the case of Lydia Mills be again tried on the ground of newly discovered evidence. The motion was overruled by the Court, after which the sentence was pronounced.

A plea of not guilty was confessed by the State in the case of Florence Wright, who was indicted by the grand jury as an accessory in the murder, and George and his wife went to Trappe Tuesday morning.

There has been reports circulated that Wright will not be allowed in the district by the other negroes, but careful investigation reveals that no disturbance will be made.

Johns and Lydia Mills were taken to the penitentiary Wednesday morning by Sheriff Dukes on the B. C. & A. train.

Deputy Clerk Martin has almost finished figuring out in detail the exact cost of the case to the county. Here are the items:

Jury in Johns case	$ 240 00
Jury in Mills case	180 00
Mileage for tales	15 00
Regular jury not in Johns case	385 00
Witnesses in Johns and Mills cases	495 20
Tales in Mills case	155 60
Tales in Wright case	128 50
Crier and bailiffs	105 00
Crier	10 00
Bailiffs	15 00
Jury in Wright case	90 00
Sheriff	94 50
Clerk for issuing tales	32 30
Clerk's costs	163 20
Total	$1909 10

To this must be added the costs for witnesses in the Wright case, the expense of the coroner's inquest and the cost of taking Johns and Mills to the penitentiary. This will make a total of over $2500.

Easton.

The Baltimore News of Tuesday contains a lengthy and nicely illustrated article on the sections traversed by the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway Company. This is what it has to say of Easton:

Easton, reached by both the railroad and Choptank lines, and located in the centre of the rich county of Talbot, presents a charming and progressive community and historic relics the oldest Quaker meeting-house in the country. This meeting-house was erected about 1684, and in it William Penn and Lady Baltimore at one time attended the same meeting. The town has its flour mills, fertilizing works and other industries.

Returns Measure Values.

Success never comes to the man who waits for it to fall on him, nor the man who buys his advertising in the cheapest market without regard to value. There are cheap rates in good papers, and then again there are cheaper rates in poor papers. Returns measure values in advertising. If you don't get any there is no value. You should try the Easton GAZETTE.

Examine the list of advertisers in the GAZETTE and you will find that they are among the best and most prominent business men in the county.

The Ideal Panacea.

James L. Frazee Alderman, Chicago, says: "I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as an Ideal Panacea for Coughs, Colds, and Lung Complaints having used it in my family for the last five years, to the exclusion of physician's prescriptions or other preparations." Rev. John Burgis, Keokuk, Iowa, writes: "I have been a minister of the Methodist Episcopal church for fifty years or more, and have never found anything so beneficial, or that gave me such speedy relief as Dr. King's New Discovery." Try this Ideal Cough Remedy now. Trial bottles free at J. C. Henry's Drug Store.

Died.

Mrs. Frank Adams died at her home near Matthews, Talbot county, Sunday morning, in the 19th year of her age of dropsical trouble. Her maiden name was Miss Emma Sheubrooks, and she was a niece to Mr. Jas. Hunter, who resides in Corsica Neck, this county, at which place she was married in the winter. Her remains were interred in Centreville cemetery Monday afternoon.

Don't Diet.

If you have dyspepsia, indigestion, habitual constipation or sick headache, don't diet. You need the strength that good food gives. Eat whatever you want, but take one of

Dr. Deane's Dyspepsia Pills

after meals until cured. If you are constipated, get bottle with white label, otherwise with yellow. At all druggists, 25 cents. Send to us for free sample.

DR. J. A. DEANE CO.,
Kingston, New York.

SOMEWHAT PERSONAL.

The Names of Visitors Here and at Other Points.

Miss Lelia Wooters is visiting in Baltimore.

Miss Wright of Long Island is visiting Mrs. T. Clark Mason.

William Speakman returned from school this week.

Miss Josephine Warfield is visiting her sister in New York.

Miss Mary Sifford, of Baltimore, is the guest of Miss Mary L. Martin.

Wilmer Adams returned from St. Luke's School, last week.

Josephine Wright spent Saturday and Sunday with his mother.

Mrs. W. T. Elben and grandson are visiting relatives in the north.

Mrs. L. B. Fleming and Miss Elma Fleming of Baltic. spent Tuesday in town.

Miss Nannie Hambleton is home from school in Winchester, Va., for vacation.

Mrs. Henry Clark of Cordova spent a few days with Mrs. N. E. Clark this week.

Mr. W. A. Ford, of Corona, Alabama, is the guest of Mrs. Lizzie Ford, Dover road.

Miss Blanche Montague has returned from a visit with relatives at Henderson, Md.

Mr. James F. Hartnett, of St. Mary's Seminary, Baltimore, is home on his vacation.

Hollyday Semple of Louisville, Ky., is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Charles H. Gibson.

Miss Mary Jenking, Mrs. Valts, her sister, and Mr. Valk spent Saturday and Sunday at Ocean City.

Mrs. Mary J. Jones is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Avery in Easton, Md.—Cecil County News.

Miss Annie Ross, of Marydel, has returned to her home after spending two weeks with Mrs. Lizzie Ford.

Miss Elizabeth T. Wright is home from St. Hilda's School, Morristown, N. J., where she graduated this year.

O. F. Sturmer returned Thursday after spending several days with his parents at Pittston, Pa., and visiting old friends.

The Avon Cycle Club has received its Rambler Tandem purchased some weeks ago of Shannahan & Wrightson Hdw. Co.

Mrs. R. Lockwood Jones and daughter arrived last Saturday with Mr. Jones and have taken up their abode at Mrs. Annie Hambleton's.

Richard T. Martin and family will remove to Baltimore July 1, and Mr. Martin will then resign as Deputy Clerk of the Circuit Court. The Talbot bar has unanimously recommended Henry Hollyday, Jr., for this position.

Dr. E. R. Trippe has located his family for the summer on salt water, the Dr. Martin place, known as "Springfield." The Doctor's friends will be pleased to hear that he has fully recovered from his sprain received in the winter, and can be found at his office on Washington street except when professionally engaged.

Haddaway S. Golt and his mother, Mrs. Thomas Golt, are in from Chicago. Mrs. Golt was called there several weeks ago by the illness of her son, who had a long siege of pneumonia. Mrs. Golt was herself taken sick while in Chicago, but both have now recovered. Mr. Golt will remain in Easton until the first of July.

Lemuel Dunbracco and his sister, Mrs. W. Scott Roberts, of Centreville, and Mrs. Nina F. Aldridge, of Easton, sailed Thursday from New York city by steamer on the steamer Normannia, of the Hamburg American line. They will land at Southampton, England. The Rev. L. B. Baldwin and Dr. E. M. Hardcastle, also, will sail July 4 from New York to Amsterdam on the Netherlands line steamer Werkendam.

Postmaster Leonard's Salary Increased.

The net increase of receipts at all postoffices throughout the country during the year ending March 31, 1895, was $1,739,953. This is shown in the results of the annual readjustment of presidential postmasters' salaries, made public today. The changes take effect July 1. The total number of presidential offices is 4,466. The salaries of 1,057 are increased and 303 decreased, the gross increase in receipts was 1,894,092, and gross decrease $154,139. Eight States report a decrease, and practically all of these are in the West. Changes in classification of postoffices are made.

The business of the Easton postoffice having increased greatly the past year, Postmaster Leonard has his salary increased to $1,900. There are only four offices in Maryland whose salaries are increased, while five have their salaries decreased and some changed from third to fourth class offices. According to this new readjustment Easton postoffice is the most important on the shore and is salaried higher than any other on the peninsula.

Board of Missions Meet.

The Missions Board of the Protestant Episcopal church met at Bishop Adams' residence on Wednesday and made appropriations for the first quarter of the year, beginning July 1. They confined their action to one quarter because the General Board in New York deemed it prudent to do so, awaiting the result of their present effort to make up a large deficiency. There were present, Rev. Messrs. Mitchell and Cooke, deans of the Middle and Upper Districts respectively, and Dr. J. E. M. Chamberlaine. Bishop Adams was also present. The Board found that the disbursements of last year exceeded the collections by about $500. Their large balance enabled them to meet all their appropriations; but the present condition of the fund rendered it necessary to somewhat reduce the appropriations the present year. An effort will be made this year to largely increase this fund.

Goes Into Effect Today.

The summer schedule of the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway which will go into effect today provides two daily trips to Claiborne on the steamer Cambridge except on Sundays. The Saturday afternoon train will be known as the "Ocean City Flyer," as the time between Baltimore and Ocean City will be reduced to five hours and twenty minutes. There will be a train from Ocean City on Sundays for the convenience of the Saturday excursionists. This train will leave Ocean City at 4.30 o'clock Sunday afternoon, arriving in Baltimore at 10.15 pm. The publication of the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway Company's Official Bulletin has begun. The bulletin is an illustrated weekly paper of ten pages and will be distributed gratuitously on all the lines of the company.

A Card Of Thanks.

At the meeting of the Avon Cycle Club, Tuesday evening, the following card of thanks was adopted and ordered published in the GAZETTE:

The Avon Cycle Club of Easton desires to express its heartfelt thanks and appreciation of the kind services of the ladies, whose aid in their recent garden party made it such a success, and to the public which has never failed to support the club in all its undertaking, for their kind patronage.

R. Herbert Martin, Secretary. Frank A. White, President.

Interesting Advertising Statistics.

A single page in a single issue of the Century taken for advertising cost $800, Harper $600, and other magazines $300 to $500. A yearly advertisement of one column in the Chicago Tribune costs $28,550 for the lowest, and $50,000 for the highest price column. These figures will probably astonish men who pay from $10 to $20 a year for advertising space, and seem to think they are liberal advertisers. It is evident from the above figures that it does for the shrewd business men who do not invest thousands of dollars without being well assured of satisfactory returns.

Mr. Baldwin's Lecture

Rev. L. B. Baldwin, rector of Christ P. E. Church, Easton, delivered his popular lecture on "Grays Elegy," last Tuesday evening at Parsons Hall, Oxford. This lecture has been given by Rev. Mr. Baldwin in a number of other towns, and always to the edification and delight of all who have been so fortunate as to hear it. The many hearers went home glad of such a literary treat. Proceeds were for benefit of the "Old Stone Church." The same lecture was delivered in Easton a year or so ago by Mr. Baldwin and was enthusiastically received by a large audience.

A Delightful Evening.

Miss Sina Trippe, with the aid of her friends, gave a beautiful little garden party and tea at her residence last week. The proceeds were for the benefit of the Sunday School Fund of Christ Church. Refreshments music, dancing and sociability were the features of entertainment.

All your wants and comforts will be attended to at Idlewild Park July 4.

All day basket picnic and round of amusements at Idlewild Park July 4. 25 cents.

HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT

In Assembly Hall Of School Building Thursday.

FOUR SCHOLARS GRADUATE

Miss Rosa Covey The Valdictorian.—An Interesting Musical And Literary Programme Arranged.—Dr. W. E. Avery Makes Address

For the first time in quite a number of years the annual commencement of the Easton High School will be held this year in the school building.

The old school building was too small and cramped for such occasions as the commencements have now grown to be, there being no room large enough to even seat all of the schoolars.

The event this year promises to be a most attractive one, and, as it will inaugurate the custom of having the commencement exercises in the school building, will no doubt be doubly welcomed.

The exercises this year will be held in Assembly Hall, on the north side of the building. This is a large, airy room of twenty-six by seventy seven feet dimensions, as is capable of seating almost as many as the Opera House, baring the gallery.

The commencement will take place Thursday, June 27th, at eleven o'clock in the morning. The graduates are Miss Maude Collins, Miss Fannibel Walker, Miss Rosalie Covey and Mr. Leroy Lane.

The addresses to the graduates will be made by Dr. W. E. Avery, pastor of Ebenezer M. E. Church, and the presentation of diplomas will be made by Prof. Chaplain. Dean Sutton will pronounce the benediction.

Miss Daisy Welby has charge of the musical feature of the exercises, and, as in former years, will make it a perfect success.

The final examinations at the Easton High School have been finished so far as the senior class is concerned, and teachers and scholars are busy preparing for the commencement.

The class motto is: "Nihil sine Magno Labore," which freely translated means that you cannot catch any fish unles you first take the trouble to dig bait.

The commencement program has been arranged as follows:

Chorus, "Rejoice in the Lord,"	by H. A. Lewis
Prayer	Very Rev. G. C. Sutton
Chant	"The Lord's Prayer"
Salutatory	Miss Fannibel Walker
Chorus, "Yatching Glee,"	by F. D. Jacobs
Essay	Leroy Lane
Chorus, "Let the Hills and Vales Resound"	by R. Richards.
Recitation	Miss Maud Collins
Valedictory	Miss Rosalie Covey
Chorus, "Before the Sun Awakes the Morn,"	by W. B. Goate.
Address	Rev. Dr. W. E. Avery
Presentation of the Nichols Medal	
Awarding of Diplomas	Examiner Chaplain
Singing of Shield.	
Honorable Mention of Pupils	Principal Hardcastle.
Hymn, "Once More Before We Part,"	by Dr. Mason.
Benediction	Very Rev. G. C. Sutton

Handsomely engraved invitation cards have been sent out for the commencement, which were secured through the GAZETTE.

Children's Day at M. E. Church South.

Children's Day services were appropriately observed at trinity M. E. Church, South, Sunday evening. The preparations made for the occasion were quite elaborate. The Sunday School room, the largest and prettiest of its kind in our midst, was artistically and tastefully trimmed with flowers and potted plants and presented a beautiful appearance. Long before the time appointed to begin the room was filled to overflowing and hundreds could not gain admittance. The program was excellent and well rendered under the direction of Rev. W. Y. Regester, pastor: Alonzo M. Robson, superintendent; Miss Maude Chaplain, organist; Wm. C. Meintzer, cornetist. The program was lengthy and well rendered, and reflects credit on the participants. The collection amounted to a goodly sum.

Presented a Busy Appearance.

The wharves at Easton Point for several days last week presented quite a commercial appearance. On Thursday six schooners, five of which were loaded could be seen lying at the wharves. Four of the vessels were loaded with muriate of potash and South Carolina rock for the Nickerson Fertilizer Co., and one with a cargo of wheat for Barber's flour mills. One of the vessels, a two topmast schooner, is a beautiful specimen of marine architecture and was the admiration of many persons who made an inspection of her. "Kate Darlington" is the name of this beautiful vessel and she hails from Cambridge, Captain Hopkins commanding. Three of the vessels belong to the fleet of Capt. H. E. Leonard, and the others were under charter to him.—Star.

More New School Houses.

The Board of School Commissioners met on Tuesday. It was decided to build another schoolhouse at Island City, Tilghman's Island, as the schoolhouse at Fairbank has a seating capacity of 35, while the membership is 70. Another schoolhouse on Double Mills road will also be built as soon as the people there can agree on a site.

It was practically decided to hold the Teachers' Institute this year five days during the first week in September. The board will meet July 8 to appoint teachers for another year.

Literary Entertainment.

The attendance at the Literary Society entertainment Thursday night was large, and a very pleasant evening was spent. Mrs. Pattison read an original paper on "Dress", which was keenly enjoyed. Dr. Barton read a paper on Hypnotism that was favorably received. Miss Helen Pratt favored the society with one of her laughable recitations. Mr. Norris continued "Tribby" and Mrs. Norris read a paper of her own on Colonial times. Mr. Norris closed the program with a short poem from Tennyson. Meetings are held on Thursdays from 8 to 9.30 p. m.

Nearly everyone needs a good tonic at this season. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the one true tonic and blood purifier.

The St. Michaels Fire.

Says the Baltimore American:

"It is the same old story, with only a change in the name of the place. This time it was St. Michaels, in Talbot county, that was visited by fire, and the only apparatus for fighting the flames was a force pump, and that was too far away to be of any use. The loss was heavy. If a part of the total amount had been invested in a fire engine and hose, a large portion of the property could have been saved. The short sighted policy that prevails in too many Maryland towns has been condemned again and again. Fires are bound to come, in spite of every precaution, and a town that rests in financial security with no protection against such outbreaks is certain to pay a heavy penalty for its folly. There can be no possible excuse for such neglect."

Another Garden Party.

The Young Peoples Society Christian Endeavor of the Methodist Protestant Church of Easton will hold a lawn party next Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, June 25th and 26th at the residence of Editor Samuel Smith adjoining the church. Ice cream, cake, lunch caromels, lemonade, etc., will be served by the ladies. The beautiful grounds will be illuminated and decorated and a brass band will discourse music. A good time is anticipated and we bespeak for them a large attendance as the scene will be one worth seeing.

Clay Pigeon shooting, base ball and horse racing at Idlewild Park July 4.

Price's Execution.

The citizens of Denton are lamenting the fact that that town is to be the place where the man, who so cruelly took the life of an innocent school girl, pays the required penalty for such a crime by having his own life taken upon a gallows. Many of the Denton people will leave the town, some before the 4th, and stay away until all that passed shall be a thing of the past.

How To Cure All Skin Diseases.

Simply apply "Swayne's Ointment." No internal medicine required. Cures tetters, ectzema, itch, all eruptions on the face, hands, nose, etc., leaving the skin clear, white and healthy. Its great healing and curative powers are possessed by no other remedy. Ask your druggist for Swayne's Ointment. 6-22-1y

Baltimore, Chesapeake & Atlantic R'y. Co. will sell special low rate excursion tickets to Clayborne good for the day on all regular trains July 4 '95 for the benefit of those wishing to attend the big pic-nic there that day. Dancing in the pavilion, boat racing, pigeon shooting, bicycling, &c., &c. Bathing, crabbing and boating. 2t

CHURCH CHIMES.

Interesting Items Concerning Our Different Churches.

The Standing Committee of the Diocese of Easton met in the chapter room of Trinity Cathedral Wednesday. There were present the Revs. J. A. Mitchell, S. C. Roberts, D. D., W. Y. Beaven and A. Batte. The Rev. Oliver H. Murphy was the only absentee. The only business transacted was that of confirming the election of the Rev. Frank R. Milspaugh, B. D., as Bishop of Kansas, which was unanimously done and the testimonials were duly signed.

The Christian Endeavor Society, of Calvary M. P. Church, will hold a garden party in Samuel N. Smith's yard adjoining the church next Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, June 25 and 26. Music will be furnished by Prof. John Valliant's orchestra, of St. Michaels. The public is invited to attend.

Baptist Mission. Sunday School 2.30 to 3.30 p. m.; preaching 3.30 p. m., subject, "The Sabbath." Pastor, Rev. W. H. Savage. Preaching at Longwoods 10.45 a. m., Sunday School 9.45 to 10.45 a. m.

At Ebenezer M. E. Church tomorrow Class Meeting 10 a. m.; preaching 11 a. m., subject, "Our Love to God and Man"; Sabbath School 2.30 p. m.; Epworth League 7 p. m.; preaching 8 p. m., subject, "Faith and Works." All are welcome.

Preaching services in Calvary Methodist Protestant Church tomorrow, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Morning Subject, "Forethought and Afterthought." Evening subject, "Religious Climbers." S. School 2 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. 7 p. m.

Services at St. Peter and Paul's Church tomorrow (Sunday) are High Mass and sermon at 11 a. m., Sunday School 2 p. m., Vespers, sermon and Benediction at 8 p. m.

Shreve's Weather Report.

The dry weather has been favorable to the ripening of wheat, but unfavorable to the tomato plants which have been set out; many of these have died. The wheat harvest will be general next week; good yields are expected. Corn is looking well. Oats are fair. The hay crop is not up to the average, and in Wicomico county the vines from which peas have been picked are being cured for Hay. Crimson clover has been cut, and the fields have been planted in corn. The future fruit prospects are poor. Strawberries were a satisfactory crop. In some localities peaches are reported fair.

Have had a good week for growing crops. Wheat harvest will be general next week. A good yield is expected. Potatoes look very flourishing. Corn doing well.

HENRY SHREVE.

More Books For The Library.

The Mercantile Library received this week two hundred and fifty volumes. Hon. Enoch Pratt, of Baltimore, was the donator. They are all standard works by the most popular authors, and among them are many which members of the Library have frequently asked for but have been unable to get. Some of the authors in the lot are Miss Muloch, translations by Winter, Julia Kavanagh, Marlitt, Mrs. Ann Stevens, Oliver Wendell Holmes, F. Marion Crawford, Mary J. Holmes, Mrs. Southworth, DuBoisgobey, Castleman, Worbois, Alger, Oliver Optic, Lever, Mark Twain, Jules Verne, Dickens, B. P. Roe, Lewis and Trollope. There are also two bound volumes of Judge and two of Puck in the lot.

Think They are Thoroughbred Jackasses.

From the Baltimore Argus.

Charlie Gibson won down in Talbot county "hands down". We knew he would win when that fellow Goldsborough shot off his mouth in the Evening News, with the spittle of misstatements and Munchausen yarns. We think it would be a good idea if Senator Gibson could hire Goldsborough and Preston B. Spring to travel all over the Eastern Shore, as a sort of menagerie of Anti-Gormanite, Anti-Gibsonite. It would convert Democrats into more sensible party men, by showing just to what base conditions a man gets who continually howls Reform without having sense to know all the time that he is in reality a thoroughbred jackass.

No Clemency For Price.

Governor Brown said yesterday that he had received several appeals for executive clemency in the case of Marshall E. Price, now under sentence of death for the murder of Miss Sallie Dean, in Caroline county. "But from all the information I have gathered," said the Governor, "I do not see any cause for me to interfere with the execution of the sentence."

Low Rates To Denver.

The B. & O. R. R. Co. will place on sale at all ticket offices on its lines east of the Ohio River round-trip tickets to Denver, Colorado Springs, Manitou and Pueblo, for all trains of July 2, 3, 4, and 5, valid from starting point on day of sale and good returning from Colorado points July 12 to 15 inclusive. The rate from Baltimore and Washington will be $47.50, and correspondingly low rates when from other stations. Tickets will be good via St. Louis or Chicago. 6-22-3t.

Low Rates To Boston.

The Christian Endeavor, United Society of the National Young People's Union meets in Boston July 10 to 14.

For this occasion the B. & O. R. R. will sell excursion tickets from all points on its lines east of the Ohio River, July 8 to 11 inclusive, valid for return passage until July 31. These tickets will be sold at rate of one fare for the round trip going and returning same route. Tickets will also be placed on sale good going via one route and returning via another, at slightly advanced rate.

For rates of fare and full particulars, call on or address nearest B. & O. Agent. 6-22-3t.

A Handsome Book On Summer Travel.

The Baltimore & Ohio R. R. Co. has just issued a handsome book descriptive of the various summer resorts, in the mountains and by the seaside, adjacent to or reached by its system of lines.

It is finely printed and illustrated by a number of very fine cuts. Send 10 cents to Chas. O. Scull, Gen'l Passenger Agent, Baltimore, Md., for a copy.

Royal Oak Items

Mr. Ralph Bingham, the well-known elocutionist, gave an entertainment here last Saturday night for the benefit of the Epworth League of the M. E. Church.

Mr. Alphonso Boley who has been spending the past winter in Baltimore has returned home for the summer.

Rev. Alfred Smith, Presiding Elder for Easton District, was here last Monday and held our first Quarterly Conference.

Rev. and Mrs. Wm. H. Benford, son and daughter left here on Thursday morning for Centreville, New Jersey where they will probably spend a month.

The pulpit of the M. E. Church will probably be filled on Sunday in the morning by Dr. Jos. A. Robinson and in the evening by Rev. J. H. Lightbourne of Sayville, L. I.

Mrs. Henry Banning, of Baltimore, is visiting her sister Mrs. Harrison of Deep Neck.

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Symptoms—Moisture, intense itching and stinging, most at night, worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form which often bleed and ulcerate, becoming very sore. Swayne's Ointment stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumors. At all druggists, or by mail for 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia. 6-22-1y

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With the advent of sweltering heat and long sultry days of summer, the attention of the great suffering town-wearied masses flying in the cities, who can and do spend a portion of the heated term in the country, is being directed to the selection of summer homes.

Quite shady nooks are being sought out, where wives and children may spend the summer without separating families and entailing unnecessary expense.

Fresh air, fresh fruits and vegetables, bowers, country milk and the unrestrained freedom and delights of a stay in the country are now being looked for.

Talbot Meets The Demand.

No county in the State can so fully meet every possible demand of the summer homeseeker as can Talbot, the garden spot of Maryland. The entire county is a delightful combination of fruit orchards, flower and truck gardens, interspersed with fields of ripened grain, while her pastures and meadows are dotted with as fine herds of stock as can be found in any of the great dairy sections of the country.

With improved sanitary conditions and most progressive system of land cultivation, malaria and chills have become dreams of the past, and in many sections the mosquito is almost unknown.

Located in the centre of the peninsula, known as the "Eastern Shore of Maryland" almost surrounded by two great arms—estuaries—of the Chesapeake bay and the bay itself. Pierced in every part by navigable waters that abound with fish, oysters, crabs, terrapin and wild fowl in their season. With water fronts on the Chesapeake bay, Choptank, Tuckahoe, Tred Avon, Miles and Wye rivers, which furnish transportation facilities to every farm, and make a landing near every estate, for sailing crafts, there being no farm more than 4½ miles from navigable water.

The land is high and slightly rolling, gently sloping towards the bay. Nature has provided for this system one of the best systems of drainage in the world; the rivers, creeks and their tributaries pervade every part and perform the same functions here that hundreds of thousands of dollars spent in tiling has not done in other localities.

The Climate Is Luxuriant

and healthful, being in latitude 38° and 39° N., and longitude 1° E., from Washington, the national capital, and 76° W. from Greenwich, with a mean annual temperature of 55° and 60°; on the same isothermal line as many of the favorite health and pleasure resorts in Italy and France, on account of the close proximity to the Gulf stream, which flows within 90 miles of this place, and the Atlantic Ocean dashes its mighty billows on the sand capped shores only 60 miles away. These climatic advantages render this particular locality comparatively free from pulmonary diseases, and contageous diseases are unknown in this vicinity.

Unlike most comparatively level countries the climate of Talbot county, Md., is most beneficial for health of mankind. With its salubrious breezes, comparatively even temperature and freedom from the great storms and intense heat and cold of other sections, it becomes as an earthly paradise to less favored portions of the country.

Broad acres, roomy, comfortable homes, with that degree of health which substantial food and pure country air always carry with them, has made the people cultured and extremely hospitable.

The door is always open to the guest, and the social environments of the average Talbot homes are such, that the summer visitor may rest assured that only the most pleasant relations wil exist.

On the other hand the class of persons from the cities, who seek residence in the country during the summer months are of a character to become a desirable addition to our social life.

Oxford

alone can accommodate over a hundred visitors in her hotels and cottages. For many years this town has been visited by a great number of city boarders, and a greater portion of those who were there last year were pleased and expect to return this year.

In Bay Hundred District, where the waters of the Eastern bay kiss its grassy graceful shores, may be found pleasant summer accommodations, and not a few have erected homes there. Ex-Postmaster Johnson, of Baltimore, has become so pleased with this section that he has purchased a pretty place there where he and his family spend the entire summer. Without specifying any particular district, it can be said that any part of Talbot county will be found more than acceptable to the summer visitor.

The hundreds of comfortable, beautifully located homes in this county, where the summer days with fishing, boating, and other pleasures to be offered could be made one continuous, delightful picnic, should be turned into sources of profit and pleasure during this season. Let the good housewives take hold of this suggestion.

To the summer visitor the heartiest welcome is extended. Many you come of and stay long and reap the benefits that a few weeks within our borders never fail to bestow.

The Strawberry Crop A Failure.

The strawberry crop is virtually over. Many finished last week. As indicated in our last issue, it has not been a satisfactory or profitable year. It could not be from the peculiarity of the season, with seven States, including those of New England, pouring their products into New York and Boston at the same time. Another feature has been that the good returns of the past several seasons has stimulated some greedy farmers to increase their patches of a few acres to fields the enevitable result being a glutted market. One of our growers tells us that for several previous seasons his returns has been at the rate of about $400 per acre. This year it will hardly be $100 per acre, and anything else less than this will not pay for expenses in land, tilling, fertilizers, crates and picking. Admitting all this the crop has been a great benefit to the community in putting a considerable sum of money in circulation through the pickers.

Sale Of Rogers Farm.

Col. Oswald Tilghman, attorney for Mrs. Mary N. Rogers, has sold her "Cosey Point" farm on Hunting creek in Miles River Neck, containing 90 acres, to Allan H. Jennings, of Catonsville, Baltimore county, for $7000. Mr. Jennings is the son of Hynson Jennings, the well known Baltimore druggist.

Of Literary Interest.

Most readers will be surprised to learn, as any one may from an excellent illustrated article in McClure's Magazine for July, how the telegraph has now crept into the remotest crannies of the earth, and is transmitting its hundreds of millions of messages a year at a constantly lessening cost in money and trouble to the public. The same number contains a dramatic chapter from the history of Tammany—the autocratic reign of Tweed, with all its barbaric and illicit splendors, splendors maintained by the theft of untold millions of public money. An article by Sir Robert Ball, Professor of Astronomy in the University of Cambridge, England, shows that recent scientific discoveries tend to support the theory that other planets, as well as the earth, maintain life. Hamlin Garland describes the home and studio life of Edward Kemeys, and relates, mainly in Mr. Kemeys's own words, how, without instruction and under the irresistable urgency of natural bent, he became a sculptor of frontier life and wild animals. Portraits of Kemeys, and reproductions of his chief sculptures illustrate the paper. Cy Warman, the poet engineer, describes a ride on the locomotive of a London and Paris express. Cleveland Moffett supplies, from the Pinkerton archives, a history of the stealing of an express parcel containing $41,000 and the discovery of the theft and the recovery of most of the money after years of search and pursuit. A poem addressed by Edmund Goose to Robert Lewis Stevenson, which reached Stevenson but a day or two before his death; Stevenson's rare address of thanks to the Samoan chiefs who built him a road, and his will; and several excellent short stories, among them one by "Q." and one by Stanley J. Weyman—are the other noteworthy features of the number. The publishers announce with this number a reduction of price to ten cents a copy, or one dollar a year.

Everybody can find plenty of amusement at Idlewild Park July 4.

COURT HOUSE DOINGS.

The Proceedings of The Orphans' Court and County Commissioners.

Orphans' Court.

All present on Friday. Wm. F. Watson, admr. Jno. W. Glanville, presented acct. debt sperate, and first and final acct. administration, passed. P. Howard Hubbard, admr. J. P. J. Hubbard, presented release from Winnie B. Fountain and husband and Emma S. Hubbard.

All present on Tuesday. Nannie B. Highley, extr. Emily C. Bowdie, presented inventory personal estate; passed; authorized to sell and give notice to creditors. Edward A. Powell, gdn. to Geo. E. Wilson, presented fourth and fifth and final accounts; passed. Letters of adm. c. t. a. on estate Mary Hettie Hall granted to Hedge Thompson, renunciation of Sarah J. Carpenter extx. being first filed, who filed approved bond in penalty of $5,000. Edw. A. Powell, admr. c. t. a. Ellen Sherwood, presented inventories real and personal estate; passed; authorized to sell and give notice to creditors. Court authorized P. Howard Hubbard admr. J. P. J. Hubbard, to transfer Denton National Bank Stock to heirs at law. Court passed order authorizing Hubbard admr. Hubbard, to convey certain real estate in Caroline county to Daniel I. Patchett upon receiving $304.44 balance of purchase money due.

County Commissioners.

All present on Tuesday. No receipts. These vouchers for court expenses were presented; $3,350 having been left with the Clerk to pay same: Grand jurors and bailiff, 337.50; witnesses to grand jury, $200.65; witnesses to court, $1,005.17; tales, $804.19; 19 petit jurors, 2 bailiffs, $1,092.00; total, 3,330.12. The board suggested and the tax collectors consented to postpone the publication of list of delinquent taxpayers until after July 9th. The board passed order forbidding crabbing and fishing from Miles River Bridge. Captain J. G. Morris and L. W. Trail were before the board protesting against granting the St. Michaels Steamboat Company permission to attach a pier, to Miles River bridge and use the bridge as a means of approach to said pier.

State And County Conventions.

The County Executive Officers held a meeting at their headquarters Saturday, June 15. Mrs. Longfield was authorized by the Oxford Union to invite the County Convention to that place, which invitation was accepted for July 9th. It is now important for the Superintendents of Departments to send immediately to their respective State Superintendent for blanks in order that the annual report may be prepared. Each union should appoint delegates to the County Convention without delay.

Misses Natalia Robinson and Josephine Collins are to arrange for the evening entertainment. Our good friends at Oxford may look forward to a very delightful evening,