WILL BUILD A CYCLE TRACK.

Avon Cycle Club To Push The Scheme.

WORK WILL BEGIN AT ONCE.

The Six Acre Lot At Foot Of Federal Street Extended The Probable Site That Will Be Selected.—A Complete Athletic Park.

Not to be outdone in enterprise by other bicycle clubs in the State or on the Shore, the Avon Cycle Club, of Easton, will build a bicycle track and athletic park near Easton in the near future.

The matter has been under consideration by the club for some time, as no action was cared to be made hastily in so important a step.

The meeting on Tuesday evening was called for the special purpose of coming to some conclusion on the matter and it was then positively decided to build a track and all necessary buildings.

Several sites were discussed, but in all probability the one that will be selected is at the extreme end of Federal street extended, on the right hand side just before reaching Hammondtown, and belonging to the Dawson estate.

The lot contains about six acres and is in every way suitable for such an enterprise, being comparatively level, and consequently no grading will have to be done except on the track. The track will be a quarter mile and on the inside of it will be a baseball diamond. At the other end of the lot is tennis court and foot ball ground will be laid out.

The buildings will be but three in number at first, a grandstand capable of seating five hundred people, a judges stand and training quarters, the whole to be surrounded by a high board fence.

Other buildings may be erected by private individuals for the sale of refreshments, etc., upon securing the privilege from the club. In time other buildings will be erected, and the club will have everything that an athletic association should have.

The track will be graded and built on the same principle as that of the Park Cycle Club of Baltimore whose grounds are but four acres in extent.

The lot on which the track will be built is within the limits of the town and extends from Federal street to Bay street and would allow two entrances.

The club proposes to do this work by private subscription, which, if it cannot be done that way, will form a stock company. The former plan will be tried first, and under it those subscribing a certain sum will be admitted to honorary membership in the club, and entitled to free admission to all parts of the grounds during any or all occasions.

A number of prominent citizens were spoken to on the subject who expressed themselves in favor of the project, and promised ready subscription to the fund necessary to build the track.

Bicycle racing has now become not only the fad but events of great importance. Last year the meet of the Avon Cycle Club at the fair grounds attracted to Easton nearly five hundred strangers, and considerable business was done by the merchants on that day which otherwise would not have been so.

This year the races will be of more importance than ever and will draw people from all over Talbot and surrounding counties, and it will be to the interest of the business men of Easton to help along this enterprise.

The matter is now in the hands of a committee, of which H. Harry Patchett is chairman. Any information can be had by applying to him. The GAZETTE will have more to say on the subject in the future.

CHESAPEAKE BAY YACHT CLUB.

The Annual Regatta To Be Given July 8 and 10 At Claiborne.

The open regatta for canoes given annually by the Chesapeake Bay Yacht Club will be sailed this year in Eastern Bay on Tuesday and Wednesday, July 9 and 10. Claiborne being the starting point. The boats will enter as one class, the proper time allowance being given for length. Measurement will be made over all and not on the water line.

Eighty-five dollars will be distributed in prizes as follows: The winners $40 cash and a silver cup worth $10; the second $30 cash and a silver cup worth $5; the third, $10 cash.

The start will be made at 10.30. The steamer Cambridge will leave Baltimore at 7, arriving at Claiborne at 10.

There will probably be as many as twenty entries, embracing canoes from St. Michaels, Oxford, Tilghman's Island, Baltimore and other places. The object of appointing two successive days for the regatta is not to have two races, but to provide against the contingency of a calm day. Should there not be wind enough on Tuesday, the race will take place on Wednesday.

Capt. Jacob G. Morris, Capt. Hedge Thompson and Zenus Burns compose the regatta committee.

The Peach Prospects.

According to a report given out by the Agricultural Department at Washington, the damage done the crop by the cold weather of last month is much less than was anticipated, and prospects for the Maryland crop are good, notwithstanding the late frosts. They predict an average of 63 per cent. for Maryland, against 21 per cent. last year, and 86 per cent. in 1895. With the exception of Ohio, 22 per cent., and Michigan, 50 per cent., all the states rank above 70 per cent., while last year thirteen out of 21 states had percentages below 10. About three-fourths of a crop is reported for Virginia, and an unusually abundant crop is promised for Georgia, where the acreage has been greatly increased.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down with pneumonia succeeding La Grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little intermission and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results." Trial bottles free at J. C. Henry's Drug Store. Regular size 50c. and $1.00.

There Are Many Like Him.

"Whenever you hear a man finding fault with his local paper, open it up and ten to one he hasn't an advertisement in it; five to one he never gives it a job of printing to do; three to one he does not take the paper; two to one that if he is a subscriber he is a delinquent; even odds that he never does anything in any way that will assist the publisher to run a good paper, and forty to one that if the paper is a good one and full of life, he is the most eager to see the paper when it comes out."—Ex.

Arrested For Stealing a Horse.

Constable Loockerman arrested on Sunday Charles Wright, colored, for taking a horse and carriage from the stable of Edward H. Hardcastle and using same. Mr. Hardcastle missed the team and summoned Constable Loockerman, who waited until the return of Wright at about five o'clock in the afternoon when he arrested him. A hearing was held before Justice Nicols Tuesday afternoon who fined him five dollars and costs.

4th Of July Excursions.

In pursuance of its usual policy, the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company will sell round trip excursion tickets between all points on its lines east of the Ohio River at reduced rates.

Tickets will be sold for all trains July 3d and 4th, valid for return passage until July 5th, inclusive.

Lovers of sports can spend a pleasant day at Idlewild Park July 4.

LIQUIDS can't cure Dyspepsia, neither will drastic griping pills of mercury.

Dr. Deane's

Dyspepsia Pills

will and do. You can get a sample sent you, free for the asking, to prove it. They contain no mercury nor opium. If you have dyspepsia, better send for them.

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

HIS DEPARTURE IS REGRETTED.

Richard T. Martin Severs His Connection With The Circuit Court and Moves To Baltimore.

Mr. Richard T. Martin, Deputy Clerk of the Circuit Court for Talbot county, who has been for many years identified with the business of the Clerk's office, has severed his connection therewith and has gone into business in Baltimore. Mr. Martin leaves Easton this morning. His many friends will regret his departure from this town, as he was known as a gentlemen of affable manner and an excellent officer.

In taking leave of our esteemed citizen, we give the following personal sketch of his career and wish him success in his new field. Mr. Martin will take his family to Baltimore shortly, and it is needless to say they will be greatly missed in this town where they have so long been identified with its business and social interests. It is said that their house will be occupied by Dr. E. M. Hardcastle in the fall.

Mr. R. T. Martin is the son of the late John S. Martin, born in Trappe; his parents removed to the old homestead in Island Creek Neck, known as "Hampden." He was educated in the public schools and by private tutors in his family.

At 16 years he commenced his life in the wholesale grocery and commission business, with the firm of Lockington & Co., Baltimore. After three years in business, Mr. Martin moved to St. Louis, Mo., where he remained in business for seven years, and learned the drug business. Afterwards he went to the far south-west Missouri, in Newton county, on the border of the Indian Nation. Here he stayed until the breaking out of the Civil war, when he returned home to look after his father's farming interests.

In 1863, upon the death of his father, Mr. Martin came to Easton and entered the well known mercantile house of Cheezum & Emory, as bookkeeper.

In 1865, he commenced the mercantile business at Oxford and remained in it for two years. He disposed of his business to H. A. Hatemaa, and in Sept. of 1867 moved to Bel Air, Harford Co., and opened up the first drug store that was ever started in that town. This he conducted until July, 1875, when he received the appointment of Chief Deputy Clerk of the Circuit Court for that county, and had sole and entire control of the office until January 1884, when he returned to his native county, having been appointed Chief Deputy Clerk of the Circuit Court of this county by Col. Thos. Hughlett, who had been appointed Clerk vice J. Frank Turner, elected Comptroller, and has remained in charge of said office to the present time.

Mr. Martin comes from an old, honored and noted family. Thomas Martin, from whom he is descended, settled in this county in 1662, and came from Hertfoshire, England. His family have, for many years, been politicians and some have been honored by the State. Ex-Gov. Samuel Stevens was his great uncle, and Governors Daniel Martin and P. Frank Thomas were his cousins, and others of his family have held various offices of trust.

Mr. Martin takes pride in knowing that at the large ball given in 1824 in honor of Gen. Lafayette's last visit to this country by Gov. Stevens at Annapolis, that the General selected his mother to lead the opening dance and had the pleasure of dancing with him three times during the evening. His family were relatives of the great lawyer, Luther Martin, and always visited his grand father when he was attending the sessions of court in Easton.

OLD BURIAL GROUNDS

Easton's Cemeteries Have a Most Interesting And Impressive History.

From the Baltimore Sunday Herald.

The burial grounds used by the citizens of Easton form by no means an uninteresting chapter in its annals.

The old White Marsh burying ground in Trappe district contains the remains of not only Eastonians, but of many of the earlier settlers of the county. Tradition says that the square bounded by Washington, Bay, West and Court streets was at one time a repository of the dead. But the first spot in or near Easton that is known to have been used for this purpose is the lot on Railroad avenue, whereon was built the M. E. Church in 1790. In the year 1812 the citizens purchased by subscription the lot now known as "Potter's Field" for the use of several denominations of Christians, strangers and people of color.

Dr. Ennals Martin, in 1827, gave to the vestry of Christ Church the lot of ground for many years used by that denomination. When the Methodist Church on Railroad avenue was abandoned in 1839 the congregation secured the lot on the Trappe road in the northeast corner of the field adjoining the property whereon stands the Friend's Meeting-House, which is by itself nearly 900 years old, and this was used as their burial ground until 1842, when the lot opposite that used by the congregation of Christ Church was purchased, and Messrs. Perry Stewart and N. E. Nicols planted therein those beautiful and appropriate "weeping willows" that now adorn the spot.

Mr. Stewart, an eminent man, has long since gone to his rest and lies among the trees he planted in the cemetery, while Capt. Nicols is still a hale and hearty man of nearly 80 and an honored justice of the peace in Easton at this time. Subsequently the spot was enlarged by the addition of the lot on the east side, and in 1877 this ground was united with that of Christ Church, the street between the two and several acres belonging to the late Samuel Hambleton, of revered memory, and the whole surrounded by one enclosure, forming the beautiful and well-kept "city of the dead" known as Spring Hill Cemetery.

John Coats, the first grand master of Maryland Masonry, is buried there, his grave being marked with a graceful marble shaft erected in his memory by Coats Lodge of Easton.

THE EASTON POSTOFFICE.

The Largest Increase In The Business Of Any Maryland Town.

The GAZETTE referred to the increase of Postmaster Leonard's salary last week. Below will be found a table showing the business done by postoffices of Maryland towns, that of Easton being the best.

While the depression of business all over the United States was so severe during the past year or two, Maryland has apparently escaped to some extent. This is shown by a tabulated statement of the gross receipts of its presidential postoffices for the year ending March 31, 1896.

The gross receipts from the twenty-seven presidential offices was $974,141, and for the corresponding period last year were $950,841, an increase of $23,300. While this is a very small increase the fact remains that it is an increase and is much better than a deficiency. At the same time the Baltimore office is responsible for this increase, as is shown by the fact that the receipts of the Baltimore office increased from $746,000 to $827,432, giving an increase of $52,414, so that for the remainder of Maryland the decrease must have been $29,114.

The following table will give the gross receipts of the other presidential offices which change salaries:

	Receipts. 1896.	1895.
Easton	$6,754	$7,656
Laurel	1,997	2,151
Pocomoke City	2,978	3,003
Rockville	2,654	2,725
Annapolis	14,601	10,304
Emmitsburg	2,233	1,919
Princess Anne	2,413	2,308
Snow Hill	2,547	2,246
Sparrow's Point	2,305	2,154

Of the offices showing an increase Easton did the best of all showing an increase of $892, and comes within $344 of becoming a second-class office. An the other hand the Annapolis office made a very poor showing, the receipts falling off $4,296. This decrease was due to the fact that the State Legislature was not in session. If the receipts of the Annapolis office had fallen off $305 additional the department would have been at liberty to have discontinued the free delivery system there, and this would have probably been done.

The News In Brief.

The weather has been favorable—Crops have made advance—Farmers have been making up for lost time—Tomato planting about finished—Wheat about all cut—Hay crop reported good—The rose bug is very destructive, will probably destroy a great number of grapes—All the growing crops seem to have improved—Cut worm diminished greatly in number during the warm spell much to the advantage of corn and vines—Good crop of tomatoes is anticipated though the tomato beetle is reported to be troublesome—The strawberry crop, though excellent in some localities, upon the whole has not realized expectations—The outlook for peaches is not as dark as was first supposed—Raspberries not as abundant as they have been previous seasons.

Shreve's Crop Report.

The dry weather has been favorable for hay making and grain harvesting. The wheat is about half cut; it headed well and the crop is generally good. Oats are low and the heads short in some localities, but a fine crop is reported in Cecil county. Corn and potatoes are doing but fairly well; they need rain; as also do the tomato plants, and all other growing crops. Fruits of all kinds hang on well, although the yields will be below the average.

Mr. Shreve says: "Wheat harvest and haymaking have progressed with little interruption. Nights cool. The languishing tomato plants were greatly benefited by Friday night's rain."

THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS CLOSE

The Easton High School Commencement.

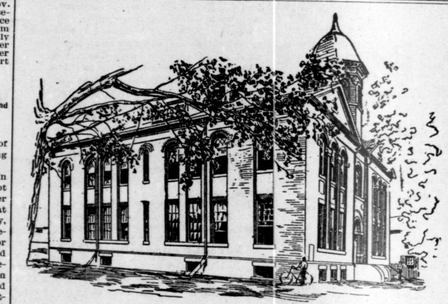
FOUR SCHOLARS GRADUATE

Dr. Avery Makes An Elloquent Address To The Graduates.—With Flowers And Song The School Doors Close.—Valadictory.

The Public Schools of Talbot closed yesterday for the summer. The work done throughout the county has been of a high character and well merited praise is given to the efficient Board of managers and to the Examiner for placing and keeping Talbot one of the foremost in the state in point of educational institutions and systems of instruction. It is not necessary to allude in this connection to the encomiums that have been showered upon Talbot by the city press and from gentlemen high in the calling of education from other parts of the country who have had their attention turned to the way the schools are run in this county. But today they stand higher than ever.

While we have not the closing exercises of the various schools in the towns outside of Easton, yet it is safe to say that the High Schools of Cordova, Trappe, St. Michaels and Oxford, under the management, respectively, of Profs. Jackson, Long, Crouse and Dunnock, with their assistants, have won laurels for themselves and are more of an ornament to the County to day than at any time in their past history.

At the Easton High School Thursday, the collection room was used for the Commencement exercises. A temporary platform was erected in the east end of the room and was richly dressed with rugs and upholstered furniture On the right of this were seated the four graduates, Miss Rosalia Covey, Miss Fannibel Walker, Miss Maud Collins and Mr. Leroy Lane. Near them were seated Examiner Chaplain, the President of the Board of School Commissioners, Dr. E. M. Hardcastle; also Mr. Baldwin, rector of Christ P. E. Church; Dr. Sutton, Dean of the Cathedral, and Dr. Avery, of the M. E. Church. The Principal, Dr. Hardcastle, Jr., and the young ladies and gentlemen of the school who participated in the singing under the charge of Miss Welby, graced the other wing of the platform. The audience were all comfortably seated in the spacious room, while the acoustics were perfect, for those most remote heard distinctly.



Easton High and Manual Training School, Erected 1894.

The program opened with a chorus, "Rejoice in the Lord," beautifully rendered, which was followed by a prayer from Dean Sutton, after which "The Lord's Prayer" was chanted by the choristers. Miss Fannibel Walker, becomingly dressed in immaculate white, stepped to the front and in a clear and attractive voice made the Salutatory address. It was short, well worded and graceful. For this she received a profusion of flowers that occupied the ushers some moments. After the music Mr. Leroy Lane read a highly finished essay upon the subject of Journalism as the product of attainments and of mind labor. It was made evident that field of mind labor. It was listened to with much attention and interest and was appreciated with a round of applause. Flowers were also showered upon him.

Miss Maud Collins, who has so often been called upon to appear in public either in song or recitation, was the next graduate. She recited Gray's Elegy in a manner which was both a credit to her self and a compliment to the author of the piece. Miss Maud never looked better nor received greater applause than on the occasion of her graduation. A large number of flowers and presents were handed her. Miss Rosalie Covey took the highest honors of the class. She is a graceful young lady with an attractive face and behind it all an air of intelligence which showed her observation that the honors had not been misplaced. Her valedictory was distinct and meritoriously omitted that profusion of endearments that are generally used by the valedictorians of the average schools throughout the land. It was as follows:

Gentlemen of the Board of School Commissioners, Honorable Examiner, of the public schools of Talbot county, teachers of the High and Manuel Training School, ladies and gentlemen:—To-day marks the most memorable event in the history of the Class of '96. Today this class takes leave of the institution that has been, for the last four years, its home, its guide and foster mother.

After these brief exercises we will no longer form an active part of this school work. A turning point in the lives of each member of this class has arrived. Though our study and education has but begun, the school days, which we have known them, are over, and work hereafter has to be done on a far different plan.

Whereas responsibility heretofore has rested on others, it is now transferred to us, who are to see to it that we carry out diligently and well the duties that all must share.

Upon entering this High School our class was composed of a goodly number, about forty, but since then it has undergone many changes and losses. Some have been shipwrecked on the examination shoals; others have been compelled to leave school, until our class roll numbers but twenty-four, reduced to four. Still we, cherishing a love for our grade, and a pleasant memory for those who have left, are proud to stand to the last and say, "Hail, and God speed to the Class of '96."

Yet, as this is the last opportunity that we shall have to publicly express our appreciation, in even this humble way, of the advantages and privileges we have enjoyed in this institution, it is a satisfaction to ourselves to be able to speak the unanimous gratitude of all.

To the Honorable Members of the School Board, we, as a class, extend our heartfelt gratitude and thanks for the many educational advantages that they have secured for us, and for the many advantages shown to us as members of this school, during our course here.

To the Honorable Examiner who has done so much for us in the last few years, and who has stood by us to the end, we have not the words to express our appreciation. So we will only say "I thank you," for in those few words a world of meaning lies.

To the several teachers who have labored with us, strengthening our minds, who stood by us, leading us through wisdom's paths, which were at times, to us, steep and stormy, were the first to welcome us, to them, we express our humble and grateful thanks.

Dear fellow students, we must now bid you farewell after several years of happy association, and, though we may not always be with you in person, our hearts will ever turn to you in affection, wishing for your success. We welcome the class of '96, and wish them God speed in their work, not only here, but in the life that will follow, when their school days have ended.

A member of the School Board remarked at the close of the exercises that they had made no mistake in asking Dr. W. E. Avery to address the graduates. This was the case in order and was one of the most excellent addresses that could have been delivered. In the first place the Reverend gentleman is a polished scholar, and has a magnificent delivery. He held the large audience spellbound with admiration, as the eloquent and rounded sentences rolled from his lips. He told the class in choicest simile they stood as the opening bud to awaken to a more glorious and perfect conception of the attainments that were in store for them if they but took advantage of the opportunities. That they were only at the dawn of learning, but it was possible for each one to enjoy the noonday sun of brilliancy in the world of mind and culture if at the beginning they persevere to that end. He did not advise them to clothe the physical and starve the angel, those higher and imperishable qualities that they possessed were not given them to smother. After most beautifully calling their attention to the possibilities of the future, and reciting noted examples of attainments made by men whom the world recognize as great, how they began in early life, the speaker closed his remarks by eloquently calling them to associate with these great and illustrious men who have made the world what it is—to cultivate a taste for their companionship through their books. It was well remarked at the close that Mr. Avery's address was one that rsaid all to listen to, and that it was worth riding miles to hear.

THE COMMENCEMENT SEASON.

Much Depends Upon The Education Received As To Their Being Successful.

Now is the commencement season at hand. The young men and maidens who for years have been wrestling with books, new and old, are appearing upon platforms, and in words of ponderous length are instructing the world and their admiring friends. It is a glorious thing to be young, and being young to stand before a hall full of sympathizing listeners, and receive from the proper authorities the diploma, the written record of merit. They have reached the dividing line between childhood and adult life. Heretofore all the responsibility of their material well-being has rested upon the shoulders of their parents; now they are stepping out into the world, and henceforth must direct their own steps. Will they succeed or will they not? Much depends upon the education they have received. Knowledge is a good showing by their team.

Salisbury will be represented by Graham and Brewington. It is understood that one of these men had made a third-mile in 42 seconds some time ago, and has probably better than that going in training, but really nothing will be known of their ability until they meet on the track on July 4th.

The same may be said, so far as our knowledge extends, of H. B. Messenger who is expected to be Federalsburg's entry in the contest, and George Duncan will be the other man on the Easton team.

With so many elements of uncertainty and so much interest taken in the result of the race it cannot fail to be an object of great interest in the minds of all lovers of sport, and the moment when the men line up for the trial will be one of breathless excitement.

It is extremely probable that the one mile race between the five clubs will be ridden by the best rider from each of the five mile teams, and as it also counts towards the silver cup and the championship pennant, it may rank as the next most interesting event.

The one mile race open to all residents of the Eastern Shore for the gold watch which becomes the property of the rider winning the most of the five (one at each meet) will give a chance for riders not members of the associated clubs, to show their speed, and at the same time give the riders above mentioned another chance to try conclusions, while the one mile, ¼ mile and ½ mile opens will give the spectators a chance to see some of the fast riders of Philadelphia and Baltimore, and to compare them with our men.

Several other races of minor importance will be interspersed between the big ones to give the hard riders a chance to get their wind, and the entire program will be enlivened by music by the band.

With regard to the work of Patchett and Dunnock, much can be said, but it is best in reserving to await the result of the race when their ability will show to the best advantage.

SOMEWHAT PERSONAL.

The Names of Visitors Here and at Other Points.

Col. Mullikin and R. Lockwood Jones were in town a few days ago.—Times.

Mrs. Dr. Chaplain and her niece, Miss Maud Chaplain, were in Baltimore recently.

Mrs. Margaret Kemp, of Eastom, is visiting Mrs. S. A. Powell at Trappe.

Mr. Bertram E. Whitman left last night for a visit to friends in Baltimore.

Miss V. Rose Duer, of Baltimore, has been visiting Miss Fannie Barton.

Miss Manie Cook of Easton, spent Sunday with her grandfather Daniel P. Cox, Grace street.—St. Michaels Comet.

Among the many friends from a distance who attended the funeral of the late S. A. Benson last Sunday, was E. H. Pritchett of the Democratic Ledger, Havre de Grace, with his wife and two children.

Mrs. Dr. Greenley left on Monday for the Jackson Sanitarium, N. Y., where she expects to remain for several weeks for the benefit of her health. The Dr. accompanied her but returned in a few days.

The annual Pythian Memorial services which were postponed on the 16th, will positively take place tomorrow afternoon. Members of Star of the East Lodge, K. of P. are requested to meet at Castle Hall at 4.30 sharp.

Mrs. Harper Graham, the author and originator of the Harper System of Physical Education is at Hotel Avon and will give a lecture in the hotel parlor this Saturday morning at ten o'clock. It is to be hoped that the ladies especially and all interested in this great cause and reform will be present. Mrs. Harper has a National reputation and comes highly recommended.

CHURCH CHIMES.

Interesting Items Concerning Our Different Churches.

At Baptist Mission, Easton, Rev. W. H. Savage, Pastor, Sunday School 2.30 to 3.30 p. m. Preaching 3.30 p. m., subject, "Man a Sinner." Prayer meetings Wednesdays 8 p. m. Long woods—Sunday School 9.45 a. m., Preaching 10.45 a. m.

Bishop Curtis has announced the transfer of the Rev. George S. Ott from Chestertown, Md., to Newark. He has appointed Fathers McSweeney and Hughes, who were ordained to the priesthood to the pastorates of Chestertown and Galena, respectively. Their pastorates will begin July 7th.

Services at SS. Peter and Paul's Church tomorrow (Sunday) Low Mass at 10 a. m., and will be at this hour during July and August; Sunday School 2 p. m.; Benediction 8 p. m.

Preaching services tomorrow at Calvary M. P. Church at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Morning subject, "A promise made to the ear; was it kept or broken to the heart?" Evening subject, "Eutychus the Sleeper."

Services at Ebenezer M. E. Church tomorrow, Class Meeting at 10 a. m.; preaching 11 a. m., subject, "Our Legacy;" Sabbath School 2.30 p. m.; Epworth League 7 p. m.; preaching 8 p. m., subject, "Soul Wealth." All are welcome.

Running Extra Time.

The Weaver Organ and Piano Company this week shipped a carload of organs to New Zeland, and within the last few days have booked orders for over one hundred organs. This, together with their regular orders received daily, compels them to run the factory on extra time to turn out the goods.—York (Pa.) Daily, June 8, '96. J. W. Wheatley is agent for Easton. See his ad.

Druggists say that their sales of Hood's Sarsaparilla exceed those of all others. There is no substitute for Hood's.

THE FOURTH OF JULY.

Ample Round Of Amusement Provided.

THE BICYCLE TEAM RACES.

Racing, Base Ball, Shooting Matches And Other Attractions At The Talbot Fair Grounds.—Avon Cycle Club At Federalsburg.

The Fourth of July will not pass this year in Easton without some fitting observance. No announcement has been made of a masquerade parade such as amused Eastonians on the last Fourth of July, but the Talbot Fair association has provided an ample round of amusement for the day.

The program for the day is such as will afford an all-day picnic, and embraces first a shooting contest, for four prizes. Second a base ball game between the nines of Easton and Cordova, for two prizes, and third two horse races, with prizes of $50 and $80 respectively.

The shooting contest will be at ten clay pigeons each, thrown from traps, for cash prizes, 1st, $25; 2nd, $12.50, 3d, $7.50; and 4th $5.00. This contest is open only to residents of Talbot county. As there are a number of most excellent marksmen in the county, whom it is understood, will enter the contest, the match will be very interesting and exciting. The contest begins at 10.15 a. m.

The merits of the two base ball teams who will play on that day are well known, and need no comment. The game will no doubt be close and exciting. The prizes will be 1st., $30; 2nd., $5.

The races will be two in number, the first, a gent's road race to cart. Talbot county horses elegible to 3.00 minutes, trotting. Mile heats two or three, purse $50.

The second race will be a 2.50 trot or pace for peninsula horses, mile heats three in five. The purse is $80.

In addition to these attractions the management have secured a band of sixteen pieces which will discourse music all day. The dining room under the grand stand will be thrown open to the public with the privilege of using the tables by basket parties and families.

Refreshments will be served on the grounds at moderate prices. Everything for the enjoyment of the visitor will be arranged by the management.

The Avon Cycle Club, of Easton, and in fact, everyone interested in bicycle racing in this county will, on July 4th, attend the big bicycle meet of the Eastern Shore Wheelmen's Racing circuit, at Federalsburg.

Quite a number of Eastonians have been made, and in the team race for the championship of the Eastern Shore, R. Harry Patchett and George W. Duncan will represent the Avon Cycle Club. They will also give an exhibition mile run on the new tandem.

The question will again be open, as to which of the Eastern Shore counties can claim the supremacy in bicycle racing, that new sport which is exciting so much interest in the country today. We say it will be opened, as practically it cannot be settled until next fall when all the meets of the E. S. W. R. A. shall be over and the points shall be counted up at the close of the season, and yet in all probability it will be an easy matter to predict the final winner with some degree of certainty at the close of the meet on July 4th, and without doubt the Easton boys will be able to claim that honor.

At any rate the teams will have been brought together and there will be chances to compare their work, from Cambridge, Easton and Federalsburg.

In regard to the riders, Phelps and Lecompte of Cambridge and Patchett and Morse of the other two teams nothing need be said here as they and their work of last season are too well known to need comment.

People who saw them ride last year are well aware that when they meet the struggle will be a close and warm one. Cambridge is perhaps the only town with the advantage of having two good riders whose qualities are known.

The other members of the league must put in at least one untried man, with the exception perhaps of Chestertown of whose riders we know little with the exception of Chapman who is acknowledged as easily the champion of Queen Anne and Kent, and who has no rival for that position.

It is not known who will be his team mate but with the whole upper part of the Shore to select from he should be a good one. Residents of that section seem to have no doubt of a good showing by their team.

The races will be two in number, the first, a gent's road race to cart. Talbot county horses elegible to 3.00 minutes, trotting. Mile heats two or three, purse $50.

The second race will be a 2.50 trot or pace for peninsula horses, mile heats three in five. The purse is $80.

In addition to these attractions the management have secured a band of sixteen pieces which will discourse music all day. The dining room under the grand stand will be thrown open to the public with the privilege of using the tables by basket parties and families.

Refreshments will be served on the grounds at moderate prices. Everything for the enjoyment of the visitor will be arranged by the management.

IN ADAM AND EVE'S TIME

One could get along without clothing; but in these days you must DRESS UP; and why not when you can dress genteel with such a small outlay of cash? You ask the price of a suit of clothes. Well, we will sell you a man's

Nice, Nobby Dress Suit for $5.50, $6.50, $8.00 & $10.00

You never saw such nice suits before for the prices. Boys suits cut and made in latest styles from $3.00 to $10.00.

Children's Suits from $1.25 to $7.00. Men's, Boy's and Children's Single Pants from 25 cents up.

Are we heaquarters for shoes? Well, I should say so. We have

SHOES FOR EVERYBODY.

From the heavy working shoe to the finest Hand Made Shoes in Black, Russet and Patent Leather for Men, Women and Children.

When You Ask For Hats

we are right with you with all the "up-to-date" styles. If its

Gents' Furnishing Goods, Trunks, Satchels or Umbrellas

you want we are strictly in it with all the latest things,

You are respectfully invited to call and examine the above goods. If you are not pleased, don't buy.

J. J. WRIGHT,
EASTON, MD.

THE CLASSES FOR NEXT YEAR.

The List of Pupils of the Easton High School as Determined so far by Examination.

At the close of the examinations on Wednesday at the High School, the general averages determined who make up the classes of 1896. A number were absent and others who did not pass will appear at the fall examinations which will doubtless change to some extent the lists as they now stand.

TENTH GRADE.

Boys.	Girls.
1 Minne Wrightson,	8 Nellie Wrightson,
2 Forest Shreve,	9 Byard Cook,
3 Lizzie Fleckenstein,	10 Anna White,
4 Edith Ford,	11 Alfred Wilson,
5 Maggie Montague,	12 Lizzie Brown,
6 Cora Russell,	13 Bertram Whitman,
7 Martin Ryan,	14 Nellie Weston.

NINTH GRADE.

Boys.	Girls.
1. Ethel Ross,	5 Ethel Cook.
2. Hughlett Henry,	6 Henry Turner,
3. Eleanor Chaplain,	7 Edward Roberts.
4. Sadie Thompson,	

EIGHTH GRADE.

Boys.	Girls.
1 Helen Wrightson,	16 Willie McMillan,
2 Mamie Fairbank,	17 Edith Gale,
3 Harvey Wilson,	18 Lina Seay,
4 Eugene Benson,	19 Emory Ross,
5 Richard Roberts,	20 Kenneth Byerly,
6 John Mason,	21 Augusta Covey,
7 May Soulsby,	22 Thomas Symons,
8 Julius Hayward,	23 Edwin Willis,
9 LawrenceChaffinch,	24 Ormond Goit,
10 Susan Saulsbury,	25 Davidge Warfield,
11 Benj. Montague,	26 Nellie Hartnett,
12 Samuel Hambleton,	27 Eugie Cook,
13 Neva Parlett,	28 Anna Duncan,
14 Amy Hambleton,	29 George Duncan.
15 Alpheus Frampton.	

SEVENTH GRADE.

Boys.	Girls.
1 Percy Aikenhead,	1 Daisy Cooper,
2 Earl Barber,	2 Marian Avery,
3 George Ferguson,	3 Vera Wright,
4 Carroll Wrightson,	4 Effie Hann,
5 Yellott Hardcastle,	5 Caroline Wilson,
6 John Shannahan,	6 M. Goldsborough,
7 Bayly Hayward,	7 Clara Bartlett,
8 Norman Willey,	8 Birdie Hann,
9 Harry Nichols,	9 Ruth Hubbard,
10 Malcolm Anderson,	10 Fannie Roberts,
11 John Brady,	11 Sallie Shannahan,
12 Avery Buckley,	12 Mattie Shannahan,
13 Merrick Collins,	13 Mary Dukes,
14 Lewis Lachmar,	14 Helen Rawlings,
15 John Denny,	15 Nora Wright,
16 Clifford Jump,	16 Nettie Harden.
17 Dodson Lee,	
18 Neal Shannahan,	
19 Ernest Legates,	
20 Orville Shannahan,	
21 Carlton Polsal,	
22 Hoburg Lee.	

SIXTH GRADE.

Boys.	Girls.
1 Allen Bray,	1 Maud McHale,
2 Christie Lachmar,	2 Mary Cooper,
3 Thorndyke Roe,	3 Mary Frampton,
4 Harry Weston,	4 Ethel Aldridge,
5 Walter Whitman,	5 Susie Benny,
6 Ellwood Smith,	6 Mary Turner,
7 Charles Ball,	7 Marceline Dunham,
8 Norman Davis,	8 Grace Hubbard,
9 Elwot Dunham,	9 Ida Hubbard,
10 Elliott Mullikin,	10 Lottie Hathaway,
11 Denver Roberts,	11 Anna Montague,
12 Joseph Ross,	12 Hattie Taylor,
13 Russell Soulsby,	13 Nellie Treganowan,
14 Edgar Warner.	14 Minnie Todd,
	15 Alberta Warrington,
	16 Emma Lee,
	17 Minnie Wright,
	18 Annabell Ball,
	19 Elsie Leonard,
	20 Gertrude Flynn,
	21 Sophie Denny.

COURT HOUSE DOINGS.

The Proceedings of The Orphans' Court and County Commissioners.

Orphans' Court met on Tuesday, all present.

Edward Spring, heretofore appointed guardian to Florence R. Spring, legatee under the will of John H. Hiker, of New York City, filed an approval bond as such in the penalty of $3,000; passed and ordered to be recorded.

Joseph H. Gray, administrator of Irving Martin, presented account of debts, estate, first and final account of administration and distribution of balance due thereon.

County Commissioners met; all present.

Receipts, J. H. T. Hubbard, J. p. fines $25.75.

The tax collectors for 1895 can get their books by calling at the office and receipting for same.

The Board gave a hearing to Capt. Spedden of the St. Michaels Steamboat Company who is asking permission to build a steamboat pier at Miles River Bridge. The Board would like to hear from the residents of Miles River Neck before taking action.

Were Nearly Drowned.

On Tuesday last Misses Mae and Mattie Edmond, daughters of George Edmond, of Broad Creek Neck, were out in a boat with their little brother, Herndon. The little fellow accidentally fell overboard in deep water, and, although neither of the two young ladies can swim, they promptly jumped in after him. All three came near drowning, but finally managed to get back in the boat. Two weeks ago Mr. David Edmond, their brother, while riding horseback, had his horse fall on him. He suffered a severe fracture of the elbow, and it was at first feared amputation of the arm would be necessary. He was taken to Johns Hopkins Hospital.

A Snake Sucked The Cows.

When the cows of Frisby Newcomb, who lives in Caroline county, were driven from the field on Saturday, June 13th for the purpose of being milked a large cow-sucker snake followed them to the barn. The snake was not noticed at all by the man who was driving the cows, and who went into the stable to halter the cows before milking. The snake, which had been seen crossing the pound glided into the stable door, and just as the man approached the door, made a dash as though to seize a cow which stood near. The cow was frenzied with fright and jumped away from the snake, which was in a few minutes dispatched with a club. The snake was over four feet long, and in its ever-mastering desire for milk showed no fear of persons whatever.

Electric Bitters.

Electric Bitters is a medicine suited for any season, but perhaps more generally needed in the Spring, when the system is exhausted feeling prevails, when the liver is torpid and sluggish and the need of a tonic and alterative is felt. A prompt use of this medicine has often averted long and perhaps fatal bilious fevers. No medicine will act more surely in counteracting and freeing the system from the malarial poison. Headache, Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness yield to Electric Bitters. Only fifty cents per bottle at J. C. Henry's Drug Store.

DIED.

In Baltimore, on Wednesday morning, June 26, 1895, after a brief illness, Jonathan B. McNeal, formerly of this county, aged 56 years. He leaves a widow, two sons and one daughter. His remains were brought to Easton and interred in Spring Hill Cemetery yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. Walter E. Avery conducted the funeral services.

Easton National Bank of Md.

JUNE 27, 1895.

This Bank will be closed on the 4th of July. Bills maturing on that day must be paid on the 3d.

6-29-1t. S. & L. R. THOMAS, Cashier.

NO NEW TRIAL FOR PRICE.

Judge Wickes Overruled The Motion.

PRICE SEEMS INDIFFERENT

Price's Counsel To Try The Court Of Appeals.—He Throws A Bucket Of Water At A Visitor.—Won't See The Minister Who Call.

Marshall E. Price, who is now under death sentence for the murder of Sallie E. Dean, and date of execution fixed for July 5, has made an effort to save his life through his