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LOCAL MATTERS.

Personalty Sales.

Hope H. Barroll, Esq., attorney for T. R. & W. W. Hubbard will sell at public sale on Tuesday next, the 18th, the personalty of John R. Howell.

Henry W. Catlin, Esq., attorney for owner, will sell at public sale on Thursday next, a fine lot of personalty of Barney J. McCauley, on the Palmer or Dennis McCauley Home farm, where his son Dennis J. McCauley now resides, near Lambson's station.

The Weather.—A visitation of cooler weather is promished for to-day or to-night.

Real Estate Sold.—Hope H. Barroll, Esq., assignee, sold at mortgagees sale on Tuesday the David Stewart farm of 219 acres near Sassafras to Mr. Andrew Woodall for $6,600.

Corn Cutter and Shocker.—A novelty in the way of labor-saving machinery is placed on the market this season by Mr. George W. Smith, in the shape of a corn cutter and carrier. The machine not only cuts the corn but carries it to the bunches where it is shocked, ntroducing a complete revolution in corn harvesting. Six Queen Anne county farmers used the machine last year, and endorse the claim of its being an entire success.

School Board's New Office.—The board of county school commissioners have fitted up a roomy and comfortable office for their use in one of the public school buildings. The new quarters of the board are sufficiently large to enable Examiner Smythe to work to the greatest possible advantage in handling the large number of new books for the public schools under the new system of free school books. The office is in the old brick church building.

Railroad Warehouses.—The contract to build the warehouses and other necessary buildings on the large railroad pier at Queenstown has been awarded, and a large coal bin has been completed. The next structure will be a double building, one 28x40 the other 30x40, two stories high. One of the buildings will be used for heavy freights, the other for express packages and an office for the wharf agent, while the upper room, the whole size (58x40) will be used as a waiting room.

Fruit Being Injured.—The intensely hot weather has commenced to seriously affect fruit. The intense heat is tending to damage peaches, and a prominent farmer said on Tuesday, that should the high temperature last another week the fine outlook for tomato yields would be cut to a one-fourth crop. Mr. Charles S. Smith went to Baltimore last week to purchase bananas, but could not, and states that two ships came up to their wharves loaded with the fruit, but it was literally cooked and worthless.

The Season Closed.—The Chestertown base-ball season closed on Saturday and the club disbanded. Deakyne, of the old club, has signed with Dover; Steinman with Smyrna, Bader has gone to his home in Philadelphia, and Manner will return to his first love, the McDonough's, at Baltimore. The Peninsula tour, while barren in games won, demonstrated that the local team could put up fine ball either at home or abroad. The Chestertown team lost to Smyrna by a score of 7 to 6; to Dover, 4 to 1; to Salisbury, two games, by scores of 5 to 4, and 5 to 2.

Tow a Mile Long.—One of the longest tows ever seen on the Chesapeake, passed Betterton on Thursday of last week, on its way to Norfolk. The tow was over a mile in length. The three sea tugs, John I. Brady, Volunteer and Virginia Ehrman, were hauling three dredging machines, two pile drivers and three barges of machinery, making a string of eleven vessels, including the tugs. There were six hundred feet of hawser between each craft. The tow, which started from Philadelphia, is to be used in dredging the Dismal Swamp Canal.

School Book Contract Awarded.—The board of school commissioners for Kent county on Tuesday awarded the contract for furnishing the school books for the public schools of Kent county to W. J. C. Dulaney & Co., of Baltimore. Mr. Byrne, representing Dulaney & Co., was before the board. Mr. Byrne and Examiner Smythe spent yesterday in making out a full list of all the books needed under the new system, which will be supplied before the opening of the schools in September. The appropriation for Kent county under the new law is $3. 057.47.

Horse Stolen.—The fine black driving mare belonging to Dr. W. Frank Hines, was stolen from his stable between midnight and day yesterday. Mrs. Hines heard a commotion in the stable and so told the doctor, but he supposed that it was only the horses stamping and paid no attention to it. The stable door was securely fastened and the horses haltered. As soon as the loss became known telegraph and other messages were sent throughout the county and every effort made to find the stolen animal. She was found during the day at Mr. Thomas Maslin's, where she went after being used and turned loose. The horse was one of the finest drivers in town.

Orphans' Court.—Present, Judges Burgess, Byron and Harper. Letters testamentary were granted on the estate of Jesse Morris to William Morris, and Josiah Massey and G. S. Biddle were appointed to appraise said estate. The will of Ann W. Shallcross was admitted to pr[illegible] Letters testamentary on the estate [illegible]nn W. Shallcross were granted to Robert A. Shallcross, and Jas. W. Hurtt and Robert Comly were appointed to appraise said estate. Letters of administration on the estate of John Rodney, deceased, were granted to Edward W. Rodney, and John W. Joiner and John T. Beaver were appointed to appraise said estate.

W. C. Brown Starts.—William C. Brown, of Princess Anne, Somerset county, who was recently appointed by President Cleveland as consul at New Castle, New South Wales, left on Tuesday for San Francisco, from whence he will sail on August 20 for his new post. Mr. Brown has the honor of being the very youngest consul in the service of Uncle Sam, he having attained his majority in December last, and having never yet cast a vote. He is a Democrat and Mr. Bryan will lose the first vote of the young Marylander on account of his new appointment. Congressman Miles, of the First district, was instrumental in securing the appointment of Mr. Brown, who has been teaching school since his graduation. Mr. Brown was an honor graduate of Washington College in 1895. New South Wales is one of the divisions of Australia, and has a population of 1,500,000, while New Castle, where the Marylander is to be stationed, is a town of about 50,000. It is an important coaling port.

Foreign Cannery Labor.—About seventy-five Hungarians, men, women and children, were brought over on the Sassafras on Monday for the Kennedyville cannery, which commenced operations on Tuesday afternoon. The Philadelphia steamer, which touches at Betterton, left about one hundred and fifty foreigners who had been engaged for Eastern Shore canneries, standing on her wharf in Baltimore, on the same day. The man who had engaged the laborers failed to put in an appearance and pay their way, so with bag and baggage they were left behind. The Lamotte cannery at Chestertown, is now running at full blast.

Love at First Sight.—Miss Harriet Amelia Seemuller, of New York, but well-known in Kent from several protracted visits to Chestertown friends, culminated a pretty little romance on Tuesday. Miss Seemuller with her father and brother, was spending several weeks at Atlantic City. About two weeks ago she was introduced to Mr. Harry Donaldson, of Philadelphia, and on Tuesday she left Atlantic City ostensibly for Point Pleasant, her brother taking her to the railroad station. At Philadelphia she was met by her fiancee. They went at once to Union League Club for lunch and were united shortly thereafter. A telegram to her brother late in the evening was the first intimation received by the family of either that they had been married. They immediately left for an extended tour North, and in the fall will take up their residence in Philadelphia.

The Tolchester Fair.—The interesting programme arranged for Tolchester's three days fair, as given in this issue, is not altogether satisfactory to Kent county horsemen. They think that of the three great trotting events one at least should have been set apart for Kent and Queen Anne county horsemen, and have asked the Tolchester management that this concession be made. Certainly hundreds of persons would be attracted from this section who would not otherwise go, were it known that Sailor Girl, Victot B. or some members of Edward B. Emory's Poplar Grove stable were to appear. The following prizes on the third day's programme are of peculiar interest, and some splendid exhibits may be expected: For best piece of needle work, a silver service; best loaf of bread, a silver coffee pot; best apple pie, silver tea pot; best pound cake, bowl, cream; best collection cut flowers, cash $5.00; best can peaches, $2.00; best can pears, $2.00; best collection canned fruit, $5.00; best home-made quilt, $5.00; second best home-made quilt, $1.00; finest bed spread, $2.00; best bushel wheat, $3.00; second best bushel wheat, $2.00; best basket apples, $2.00; best basket peaches, $2.00; best watermelon, $2.00; second best watermelon, $1.00; best basket pears, $2.00; best basket potatoes, $2.00; best ear corn, $1.00; best dressed doll, $5.00.

The "Good-bye" Nuisance.—The nuisance of persons boarding the steamers of the Chester river company at the different wharves and occasioning unnecessary delays has, assumed an intolerable extent. On Saturday last two young men and a young lady bent on having a good time, accompanied several friends on board the Emma Ford at Kent Island, and with no consideration whatever for the wishes or rights of others, remained until the steamer had gotten well out in the stream, then asked that they be landed. With his usual gallantry to young ladies and consideration for even thoughtless young men, Capt. Taylor, at a loss of some minutes of valuable time, landed the parties. When the steamer left Baltimore several belated visitors on board also came near causing a similar delay. It is an injustice to the traveling public and shippers of valuable freights to force the accommodating management and officers of the Chester river company into the unenviable position of either carrying thoughtless persons unprepared from their homes, or wasting valuable time in placing them ashore. The gallantry and consideration of Capt. Taylor was admired and commended, rather than criticised on Saturday, but it was none the less an imposition that he should have been placed in so trying a position.

Church Notes.

Emmanuel Church will be closed for service on next Sunday morning and evening.

Tuesday of last week was Temperance Day at Wye Camp, and Mrs. Boole, of New York, was the principal speaker of the occasion.

Rev. T. H. Haynes, an ex-pastor of the M. E. Church of Chestertown, now on the retired list, will deliver his lecture entitled, "My Life and Experience in the Ministry," in the M. E. Church of Chestertown, on Friday evening, Aug. 14th, at 8 o'clock. The interesting lecture will be free, but a voluntary offering will be taken at the conclusion for the benefit of the lecturer. It is hoped that this will be, in all cases, a silver offering, 1st—Because the lecture and entertainment will be worth it. 2d—Because the support afforded by the M. E. Church to its retired ministers, forms but a scanty supply to the needs of these worthy veterans. The Epworth League will furnish some special music, but all the proceeds of the occasion will go to the aged lecturer. Rev. Mr. Haynes, if his strength will permit, may remain over and occupy the pulpit of the M. E. Church on Sabbath morning, Aug. 16th. The evening service, at 6.30, will be under the direction of the Epworth League. Public cordially invited to all these services.

The pastor of the church, if sufficiently recovered from his recent slight indisposition, will start with his family on a month's vacation in Pennsylvania the last of the present week.

Rev. Mr. Thomas, pastor of the Baptist church at Vineland, N. J., occupied the pulpit of Rev. E. H. Nelson, at Still Pond and preached a fine sermon on Sunday last.

Resolutions of Respect.

The committee on resolutions appointed at the second quarterly conference, Millington charge, held Aug. 1st, 1896, reports the following:

WHEREAS, Our Heavenly Father in His providence has called from earth our beloved father and mother in Israel, Thos. MALLALIEU and his wife, MARY MALLALIEU, and whereas, their death has closed a remarkable career of usefulness and devotion, therefore be it

Resolved, That the community has lost two of its most valuable members, and the church two of her most devout and useful workers and counsellors.

Resolved, That too much cannot be said in commendation of their liberality of mind and heart, of their benevolent and charitable spirit, and of their sincere efforts to advance both the material and spiritual interests of the kingdom of Christ.

Resolved, That the community in which they spent so many years, has been profited by their Christian influence, and has been elevated by the example of their pure and upright lives; and of them it may be truly said, "Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord, that they may rest from their labors, and their works do follow them."

Resolved, That we tender the bereaved ones our heartfelt sympathy in this their great loss; that these resolutions be spread on the quarterly conference records, that a copy be sent to the family and to the local church and secular papers for publication.

Signed { T. C. SMOOT, B. F. VINCENT, H. TONKIN, } Committee.

AWFUL HEAT.

The Heat of Sunday Almost Unbearable in Chestertown and Elsewhere.

Sunday was a day of awful heat and many fatalities, but fortunately for sweltering, suffering humanity, it was not a work day and all were left free to devote themselves to the work of making themselves comfortable. The morning opened with the thermometer in the eighties, and as the day wore on the mercury stole up to 98° in the shade at 2 o'clock.

In New York the highest point reached was 95°. Over twenty deaths and seventy prostrations formed the mortality record of the day. It is estimated that 1000 horses died in the city as a result of the fearful heat.

Mr. Charles Miller, living on the Wilbur Stevens farm, near St. James, while driving a pair of horses, one of them a heavy draft stallion, on the public road on Monday, noticed that the stallion gave evidence of sickness. The team was stopped, and in a few minutes the horse was dead.

Harry McWhorter, while driving one of the most valuable horses of the stable of Mr. George B. McWhorter, when near Lynch's, became conscious that the animal was suffering, and in a very few minutes the horse fell in the road. Mr. McWhorter hastened to Lynch's and telegraphed for Dr. Jarman, but before he returned from the telegraph office the horse was dead.

The fine driver of Dr. W. F. Hines was overcome by heat on the road on Saturday, and only after three hours of hard work by Veterinarian Jarman were the effects of the heat overcome.

Several horses in Queen Anne have died from the heat and in numberless cases throughout the county it has been necessary to stop working horses to avoid fatal results from the intense heat.

Two hundred and five people died in New York City alone on Monday as a result of heat.

In some sections of Kansas and the west the thermometer has registered 115°; crops are burning to nothingness and fatalities are numerous.

PEACH SEASON NOTES.

Peach Line Discontinued—Steamer Withdrawn—A Shipper Missed His Chance.

The peach line of Apsley & Co., between Chester river and Lankford bay points nd Balto. has been temporarily discontinued. Mr. Apsley states that he gave the shippers entirely satisfactory shipping facilities and met the demand for a one cent reduction, but they refused to stand by him, and in consequence the boats were withdrawn.

The steamer Conoho, chartered by the Chester river company for the peach season, was withdrawn last week, the other steamers being adequate to the demands of the season.

Mr. John Bell sold a carload of 505 baskets of peaches to a Philadelphia buyer last week at 30 cents per basket. He sold over 200 baskets on the next day at the same price. The buyer lost on his carload purchase just $150.

A Sudlersville, Queen Anne, fruit grower was not so successful as Mr. Bell. A buyer, after having driven through his orchard, made an offer of 38 cents per basket for all the peaches he could deliver by 12.45 on the following day. The grower refused, stating that he would risk the run of the market, and sold his fruit the next day for 20 cents per basket, while a number of more fortunate growers, who had accepted the 38-cent offer, smilingly delivered their fruit.

An amusing incident occurred at the residence of a Chestertonian last week. A tramp went to the home and asked for something to eat. A meal was spread and the man was devouring it when the proprietor came in. After viewing him carefully from head to foot, the tramp asked: "Isn't this, calling his name?" The answer was that it was. The man then asked: "Where and how are, calling by their first name two prominent citizens?" I used to know them as students of the same class at Washington College." No amount of questioning could draw from the stranger any clue to his identity.

New Advertisements.

In this issue appears the annual advertisement of that old reliable firm Hubbard & Son, the excellence and reliability of whose goods have become well-established facts with hundreds of intelligent, progressive farmers in and out of their own State. In Maryland, Delaware, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and even more distant States, the goods prepared by this firm are used by thousands of tons on grains, fruits and vegetables. The fact that year after year these farmers, fruit growers and truckers annually register renewals of their orders, is a standing endorsement of the goods furnished by the Chertertown manufacturers. Combined with broad experience, these gentlemen have expended both time and money in putting themselves in possession of all the essentials to enable them to give to the agriculturist, fruit grower and trucker the best possible formula at the least possible cost.

Beck, Walker & Brown, the merit of whose phosphates has become so well-established, announce in this issue that they are ready to supply their old patrons and others with goods which can not be surpassed in all of the essentials of the very best crop producers. Mr. P. B. Hollis, whose life has been devoted to practical chemistry and analysis in their relations to soil enrichment and plant production, states that their goods this season will be up to their usual standard of excellence, and will be in splendid condition. This firm's goods stand the acknowledged equals of any offered to the public irrespective of price, and, too, their prices are such as to defy competition for the same quality of goods. The gentlemen composing this firm are too well known for reliability in every respect to need any endorsement at our hands.

Crane & Trenchard Brothers, basket makers of our town, by working night and day, have about filled all orders, and can now supply peach growers with all the baskets they may want at reasonable prices. Give home industry a call, and when doing so, Messrs. Crane & Trenchard Brothers will be found first on the list.

R. Bergen, advertises in this issue large discounts in his summer line of goods. 50 per cent. discount is offered on some of the articles. See advertisement.

We desire to call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of the Maryland Agricultural College in another column in this issue. This college ranks with any of the other colleges in the State as an educational institution. In technology it stands at the head; it has four courses of instruction, Agricultural, Mechanical, Scientific and classical. This college prepares its students for general practical business life as well as thorough instructions in classics and science. It is located at College Park, Md., a healthy and good location, and is well equipped in all its departments.

Young men and women who desire to prepare for college, or for business, or for teaching in the public schools, where a high school education is becoming a condition of employment and of success, will send to the Conference Academy for its new illustrated catalogue. Address, W. L. Gooding, Dover, Del.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Miss Lottie Wickes, of Chestertown, is the guest of the Misses Deaver, in Frederick county.

Rev. and Mrs. S. C. Roberts are spending several weeks at Cape May.

Mrs. Eugene Blake and three children, of Baltimore, spent several days in Chestertown last week, the guests of Rev. S. C. Roberts.

Miss Ethelind Crisfield, of Baltimore, who has been spending some time in Chestertown, left on Saturday for Atlantic City.

Mrs. Hallie R. Gooding and Miss Lucile Rasin have been summering at Lynn Haven, in Frederick county.

Miss Rebecca Wickes left last week for Yonkers, N. Y., where she will spend several weeks.

Miss Mary Thomas is visiting friends in Baltimore.

Miss Laura R. A. Thomas is spending several weeks in Lansdowne, the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. A. Perkins.

Mrs. M. C. Ringgold and daughters, Maud and Ethel, are visiting friends near Philadelphia.

Mrs. Cecil Morgan and children, of Baltimore, are the guests of Mrs. Morgan's mother, on Maple avenue.

Mrs. James A. Wheatley and children, and Miss Maggie Wheatley, of Baltimore, are visiting Mrs. J. F. Wheatley, near Edesville.

Misses Alice Whiting and Barbara Moulder, of Baltimore, are guests of Miss Lollie Lusby, near town.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Wilson have been visiting friends near Port Deposit.

Miss Nena Boyd, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Miss Ellen Massey.

Mrs. Annie Link, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mrs. Edward Lusby.

Miss Reno McIntyre, of Baltimore, is visiting Miss Rosa McIntyre, on Kent street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Boggs, of Baltimore, have been the guests of Kent county friends.

Mr. Harry Kirby, of Warwick, has been visiting Mrs. John A. Dwyer, near Worton.

Miss Janie Cooper and Miss Katie Parsons have been visiting friends in Virginia.

Mrs. Martha J. Vandyke, of Mt. Pleasant, Del., is the guest of friends in Chestertown.

Mrs. Rollison, of Chester, Pa., is the guest of Mr. George Rollison, near Lankford.

Mrs. J. W. Aydon and daughter, of Wilmington, Del., are guests of Mr. William Watts, near Chestertown.

Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Hines gave a delightful entertainment in honor of their niece, Miss Cora Emory. The guests were invited to tea and afterwards enjoyed boating and other amusements.

Mr. and Mrs. Carole C. Perkins and two children, of Baltimore, are registered at the Watts House.

Messrs. Charles McCollister and J. Hersey Hall, of Queen Anne, were in Chestertown on business on Monday.

State's Attorney Frank Harper, of Centreville, spent Sunday and Monday the guests of Kent county friends.

Mrs. S. E. Price, of Centreville, is visiting her brother, Mr. W. J. McFeely, at Washington College.

Clarence W. Perkins, Esq., of the Baltimore bar, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eben F. Perkins, Front street.

Mr. Henry Deaver, the popular bookkeeper of the Second National Bank, is spending a week at his old home, near Frederick city.

Mr. Lenox Catlin, who has a desirable position in the Philadelphia office of the Pennsylvania Railroad, returned on Monday after a pleasant holiday in Chestertown.

Miss Nellie Manlove, one of Kent's fairest daughters, won the elegant cake at the Warwick fair last week.

Father Connelly, the popular priest several years ago at Galena, was the guest of Father Scott, at Queenstown, last week. Father Temple, recently from Rome, was a guest of Father Scott at the same time.

Misses Lizzie Duyer and Mary N. Elliott, of Chestertown, returned home Tuesday, after a visit of two weeks with Misses Ella and Grace Aker.

Mr. Harry Boone, who has been clerking for S. E. Kirby, Queenstown, left for his home in Kent county on Wednesday. He will seek a situation in Baltimore shortly.

Misses Grace and Fannie McConnor, daughters of the efficient commodore of the Chester River Steamboat Company, P. S. McConnor, are the guests of their cousin, Miss Daisy McConnor.—*Queenstown News.*

Mr. H. C. Brown, of Fort Worth, Texas, is spending several weeks at the home of his mother, Mrs. Mary Brown, Front street.

Dr. C. P. Gilpin is visiting friends in Cecil county and in Delaware, and during his summer recreation season will spend some days at Atlantic City.

Misses Louise and Hettie Houston, of Baltimore, are guests of their father, Dr. William Houston, High street.

Mr. S. Douglas Palmer, of Wanamaker's, Philadelphia, and brother, Watts, are spending a vacation at Miss Mary Kendall's, Maple Ave.

Miss Anna Buckworth, of St. Augustine, is the guest of Miss Blanche Redmile.

Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Conner, and son, of Wilmington, are guests at the home of ex-treasurer Garrett Foxwell.

Mr. Andrew Woodall, was in town on business on Tuesday and gave less evidence of suffering inconvenience from the great heat than many other much younger men. Mr. Woodall came by steamer to Buck Neck and thence to town by carriage, returning by the same route.

Rev. W. R. Mowbray and family, of Smyrna, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Trew in Quaker Neck.

Miss Bessie Gilpin, of Baltimore, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hynson, Front street.

Mr. James Mansfield, and niece, Miss Alice Mansfield, and Miss Katie O'Halloran, are the guests of the Misses Greenwood on Cannon street.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wilson and interesting little daughter, Mary, of Camden, N. J., and Mrs. Calley, of Philadelphia, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Bradley, on High st.

Mrs. Jacob Elwell and daughter, Miss Alice, of Bridgeton, N. J., are guests of Miss Phoebe Maul, on High street.

Mrs. Annie Link and son, are visiting Miss Phoebe Maul.

Miss Hester A. Russell is visiting her sister, Mrs. Clinton Cook, in Denton, Caroline county.

Miss Sallie Shinn and Miss Nellie Peregoy, of Wilmington, Del., are the guests of Miss Virgie Shinn, near Lynch's

Miss Eva Clayton, of Baltimore, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Nettie Russell.

Mr. Preston Usilton, of Baltimore, has been visiting relatives in town, the past week.

Miss Helen Droste, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mrs. Hiram Brown, on Queen street.

Miss Hattie Reed, is the guest of Miss Nellie Burke, at her home in St. Michaels.

Miss Eliza Gladhill, of Baltimore, is the guest of her parents, near Chestertown.

Mr. William Medders, of Still Pond, after one of the most successful seasons so far, within his business career, is enjoying a needed rest at Ocean Grove.

Misses Annie and Eva Foxwell, have returned from a delightful visit to Roland Park friends.

BETTERTON NOTES.

The Base-Ball Club's Cruise to Rock Hall.

Fishing is very good, or all we could expect, the average catch a day to each boat being about ten dozen rock and perch.

There are now about two hundred and fifty persons enjoying the hospitalities and fresh air of our quiet little resort as guests at the hotels, camping and at private boarding houses.

Capt. John Brice proved a rescuer of a life of one of his fishing party while in swimming off Howell's Point on Saturday.

The Betterton boys enjoyed another fine day's cruise, yachting and sporting last Saturday, accompanied by the young ladies of the village and a good party of *rooters*. The swift little steam yacht, Travilla, Capt. Wheeler in command, left the wharf about ten o'clock, and after a four hours' run landed in Rock Hall, for the purpose of crossing bats with the once victorious, once seeming gentle ball players of Rock Hall. The party on board consisted of the following, persons: Mrs. Atwell, chaperon; Misses Elsie Greenwood, Pearl Hedges, Marie Miller, Mary Cover, Blanche Dobbs, Sadie Crew, Grace Severson, Lillie Trott, Anabel Harrison, Annie Atwell, Katie Crew, Sadie Cahill, Mabel Rasin, Lillie Crownhart; Messrs. J. Atwell, A. Atwell, W. Turner, E. Wilmer, L. Atwell, A. Greenwood, Harry Owens, Will Wheeler, F. Owens, Umpire W. Owens, and others. We started in to play the game through the intense heat, with a fine lead of 7 to 0, and this is why the Rock Hall boys kept up a prolonged piece of kicking throughout the entire game. We think it well if the players there would also study the rules of the game a little more and not argue in ignorance. For instance, rule 45, section 6, in Spalding's Official Base-ball Guide. We most undoubtedly claim the game by calling it back to the sixth and even innings by a score of 12 to 9. In regards to the last inning and why we were forced to stop, by a one-sided decision of a foul ball, in which two runs were scored, and another, where the batter should have held second under the auspices of rule 42. We must also say that our boys were treated very ungentlemanly in Rock Hall; partially by the players, not all, as we make an honarable exception of Capt. Kendall and also Capt. Stevens. But we termed the rooters more like a herd of howling wolves, seeking our blood, than we did an attendance of pleasure-seekers, owing to the fact that they said "they would wipe up the field with us." It was also a kind thought that guided Catcher Davis from throwing the bat at Pitcher Atwell when he was struck by a pitched ball. We consider the Betterton boys the second best team of the county and can prove it when fair play and respectable ball playing are one object. We make it an object to play a respectable game, where no vulgar or unrefined language is used, and a game that ladies can witness. The Betterton boys can prove their superiority in a game at Tolchester the last of August if necessary. Score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	
Betterton	3	3	0	3	3	0	12
Rock Hall	0	0	3	2	2	2	9

Pitcher Atwell's marvelous pitching for an amateur, with the record of ten strike outs against the heavy-weight batters, was a feature. Three men were retired in one inning by strikes.

ROOTER.

STILL POND NOTES.

Rev. Mr. Thomas and wife, also Mrs. Lizzie Clark, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Harper. Mr. Thomas, who is pastor of Vineland, N.J., Baptist Church, occupied the pulpit of Still Pond M. E. Church last Sunday, at the invitation of Rev. E. H. Nelson.

A lawn fete, under the auspices of the Epworth League and Mite Society of Still Pond Church, will be held in Kruse's Park next Wednesday evening.

Miss Amy S. Baynard is with friends at Wye Camp.

Mrs. T. S. Dodd and children, of Chestertown, have been visiting Mrs. Howard.

The gentlemen who contract to keep our roads in good condition should certainly provide themselves with sprinklers and attempt to alleviate the discomforts of the dust. Isn't a dusty street as much of a nuisance as a muddy one? If so, why not remedy it? Let us have a sprinkler.

Mrs. Sassoer and children, of Baltimore, who have been the guests of Mrs. M. S. Wilson, returned to Pomona by train on Monday.

The annual camp meeting of the A.M. E. Church is being held on the church grounds. The extremely hot weather does not affect the religious zeal of our colored brethren, which is more than can be said for some of the "white folks."

As a landscape is changed by the felling of a mighty forest, even so is the countenance of one of our citizens altered in appearance by the shaving off of his luxuriant and snowy beard.

Miss Josephine Jones has returned home from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Johnston, of Dover, Del. JOE KING.

GOLT'S GLEANINGS.

This warm weather is making us all long for "Greenland's icy mountains."

Our farmers are wishing for rain. We hear of some of the neighboring towns being visited with refreshing showers, but none have reached us as yet.

Miss Bessie Orrell spent last week at Wye camp, as did also Mr. W. H. Davis and Mr. Harry Hill.

A party of our citizens spent last Thursday at Wilson's Point, but they reported it very warm down there also.

Miss Turner, of Smyrna, Del., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. T. Matthews.

Mr. and Mrs. Hess, with their family, who have been visiting at Mr. C. Little's, have returned to the city, but Miss Lulu Little did not return with them.

Miss Cora Ford, of this place, has been away for several weeks on a visit to friends in Delaware.

A grove meeting will begin here next Sunday, August 16, and will be continued over two Sundays.

The Ladies Mite Society held their monthly meeting last Friday evening a short distance out in the country at the residence of Mr. F. Phillips. We have no doubt they enjoyed a pleasant evening. W. W.

DIED

MALLALIEU.—Departed this life at Millington, on August 1st, 1896, Thomas and Mary Mallalieu.

CARLISLE.—On Aug. 7, 1896, at Mrs. M. E. Watts boarding house, in Chestertown, Rebecca Carlisle, widow of the late Valentine Carlisle, in her 89th year. Funeral last Saturday morning at Chesterville M. E. Church, at 9 o'clock. (Caroline papers please copy.)

ELBURN.—In Rock Hall, July 28th, 1896, George Franklin, son of Thomas and Rebecca Elburn, aged 4 years, 8 months and 20 days.

To Cleanse the System

Effectually yet gently, when costive or bilious, or when the blood is impure or sluggish, to permanently overcome habitual constipation, to awaken the kidneys and liver to a healthy activity, without irritating or weakening them, to dispel headaches, colds, or fevers, use Syrup of Figs.

Market Quotations.

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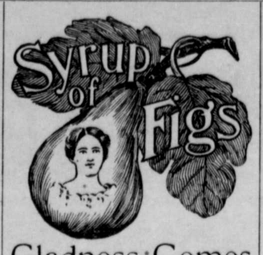

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