

## Local Correspondence

## WHITE HOUSE.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Bitzel, of Baltimore, spent several days last week at the home of the former's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bosson, on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Bitzel left to visit his parents at Westminster.

Mrs. Silas Lloyd spent several days last week at the home of her mother-in-law, Mrs. John A. Lloyd, of Butler. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peresoy and daughter, Dorothy; Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Halle and daughter, Virginia, and Mrs. Rachael Halle visited at the home of Mrs. Joshua T. Halle and family on Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Halle and children, Rachael and Ruth, spent last Saturday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kelbaugh, of Sydn.

Mrs. Daniel Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. J. Best Wheeler and children, Helen and Harry, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Enson, of Sparks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilhelm and two children; Mr. and Mrs. Silas Lloyd, Mrs. Merryman Wilhelm and children, and Messrs. Clifton Mitchell and Preston Halle were guests Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lloyd, of Mt. Carmel.

Mr. Jacob Wilhelm, Sr., spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Morfoot.

Mr. Daniel Wheeler, Jr., of Baltimore, spent Saturday last at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. alle and family spent Sunday at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Wilhelm, of Mt. Carmel.

Mrs. William C. Morfoot spent Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Peter Wilhelm.

Mr. E. Bennett Bowen spent Sunday evening at the home of Mrs. Lula Marshall and family.

Miss Hester Hester will spend part of her summer vacation at the home of Mr. Bowen's parents, at Owings Mills.

Mrs. Elwood Thompson spent Monday with Mrs. Samuel Lloyd.

## REISTERSTOWN.

Mr. C. C. Speed and Mrs. Curtis Blake, his daughter, of Garfield, Utah, spent the week-end in Washington visiting relatives.

Mrs. Leon Elise is home from the hospital for a short while before undergoing another operation, which we hope and trust will be very successful.

Mrs. John Murray visited the home of her sister, Mrs. Ed Brown, of Woodbury, last Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Vivian McDonald, of Shepherdstown, W. Va., is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. W. T. Stringer.

Misses Sherwood, of Catonsville, were week-end guests of Miss Mary Ebaugh.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Councilman, of Baltimore, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harper.

Misses Elsa and Florence Roschen have returned from a visit to Gettysburg, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Gompf and little son, of Panama, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferrel, of Baltimore, have moved into their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Gray and daughter, of Wilmington, Del., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. David Gray.

## RASPEBURG.

The Men's Bible Class of Gatch M. E. Church are holding a carnival three nights this week on Cole avenue and Belair road, beginning Thursday evening and closing tonight. The men have absolute charge of the tables and serve everything. They have worked hard for the success of this affair. The proceeds are toward the building fund.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schone are spending two weeks with the latter's aunt, at Royal Oak, Md.

Mr. John W. Wrenner, of this place, who drank the wrong kind of drink for liquor last week after having paid a good price for the same, is lying very ill at the home of his brothers on Hazelwood avenue. He is partially paralyzed.

The Baptist Sunday School, Overlea, held a very good service on Sunday night last to celebrate their Children's Day.

## ROCK CHAPEL.

Mrs. Albert Hines and children, of Baltimore, spent the week-end with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Perego.

Mrs. John Finney, of Baltimore, and Mrs. James Smith, of York, Pa., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis S. Bowman.

The foundation for the new sewing factory at New Market is nearing completion.

Mr. James Brose moved his sawmill to the Noah Krout farm, where he will saw a frame for a canning house for H. C. Krout and W. A. Reubner.

Mrs. E. S. McAbee, of New Freedom, Pa., was a visitor in our town on Sunday last.

## ARMACOST.

Peter A. Rinaman and family, H. F. Kelley and wife, Miss Gertrude Hunt and Messrs. Sterling Brown and Raymond Hyson motored to Harpersburg last Sunday to visit H. V. Quail. They were escorted through the Capitol, which is a magnificent structure and through the park on the mountain, where one may look down upon the city and river. Make that your next trip. You will enjoy it.

Mrs. William E. Royston is spending a few days with Mrs. John P. Kelley. A terrific wind and thunder storm passed through this section last week doing much damage, unroofing houses, blowing down hay barns and uprooting trees.

## FULLERTON.

A collision occurred between a high powered automobile and a large truck near Easter's Park on Tuesday. The occupants of the former were thrown out and injured and their machine got the worst end of the bump.

On Saturday last a large contingent of soldiers, cavalry and Government wagons with all their equipment were enroute to Aberdeen.

Farmers are shipping in to the wholesale market peas, cherries, beans, onions, radishes and strawberries. On account of the frequent showers crops are good.

## OWINGS MILLS.

Rain every day. We can neither work our growing crops or get the ground ready for late potatoes.

Edward Morrow moved to Hernwood last week.

Miss L. Ritter has moved into her new bungalow.

Strawberries are still moving into the city every night, and bringing good prices, but on account of the wet weather cherries did not last long.

Our enterprising merchant, Mr. D. H. Kelley, is kept on the go to keep his orders filled out.

## PHOENIX.

Mr. Frank Seitz, of St. Louis, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Seitz.

Miss Katherine Philpot has left for a trip to Buffalo and Nova Scotia.

Mrs. Charles S. Delaney, of Washington, spent Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. E. P. Royston.

A lawn fete will be held this evening on the school lawn for the benefit of the Epworth League of Phoenix M. E. Church.

Mr. Jackson, of Greenville, S. C., is visiting his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jackson.

## MANOR GLEN.

Mr. Henry Gunther, who has been ill for some time at St. Joseph's Hospital, Baltimore, has returned to his home.

Dr. John Rehberger, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with his brother, Mr. Lewis Rehberger.

Mr. Oscar Nash visited friends and relatives in the city last week.

The severe storm which swept over this section of the country last Friday damaged the fields and roads to a great extent.

## MOON AS ALLY OF FARMER

Agriculturist Asserts He Courts His Sweetheart and Plants His Corn by Luna's Light.

A contributor to the New York Tribune, living in the country, is alarmed lest the scientists blow up the moon. He very properly says that the farmer doesn't appreciate the moon; in fact, he seldom sees it. But out in the country the moon serves a real purpose, and it ought to be protected from onslaughts from the rockets of the scientists. The contributor's letter is so delightful, and as it contains as much wisdom as many other letters we read we quote at length:

"Nobody knows what the moon is made of. Maybe it's made out of some kind of mineral that will explode when this flash powder goes off on it. And let me tell you, Mr. Editor, that wouldn't be a very funny thing for anybody to have the moon blow up.

"Folks in the city don't know anything about the moon, whether it is anything or whether it ain't, and they don't care. But we folks that live in the country use the moon a great deal. I courted my wife by moonlight, and my oldest boy is doing the same thing with his girl. I've planted my corn in the full of the moon for forty years and never had a poor crop. Besides, we use the moon in lots of other ways. I can't hardly think what life would be here in the country without the moon."

Aye, aye, sir, we are for you—especially since you seem to know how to court. It has been a marvel to us for years how a city boy manages to fall in love with a girl when the light came from an electric bulb instead of from the friendly moon.—Columbus Dispatch.

## Wealth Is Not Always Happiness.

Often happiness is forced upon us as through ill fortune. Many a man of wealth finds life dull and insipid in the midst of luxury and crowds. Others have really begun to live with the loss of their wealth. History is not without examples of men and women who have renounced their wealth to find joys in doing things as men. The story is told of a woman who had all the money she could use and still was not really happy. Ill fortune reduced her wealth and she was compelled to work for the support of her children. Her friends thought work degrading to her, but she declared that she has never enjoyed life so much as since the loss of her money. She is putting herself into the money she earns.

## Catch a Freak Fish.

A freak fish, 11 feet long and weighing 500 pounds, was brought to port by Capt. Steve Massa of the smack Ardita, reports a San Diego (Cal.) correspondent.

The fish was caught in a sea bass net off Point Loma at a depth of 30 feet. The fish had a mouth two feet in diameter, no teeth, purple eyes, a short, blunt nose, with a sharp horn composed of solid bone and a skin like a rhinoceros. A. L. Manahan of the state fish and game commission and Capt. W. C. Crandall of the California Biological Institute at La Jolla were unable to identify the piscatorial freak.

Photographs were taken of the fish and were sent to the University of California in an effort to trace its ancestry.

## Again, Leather From the Sea.

Considerable interest is at present being shown in the possibility of utilizing the skins of sharks and porpoises for the making of shoe leather. The bureau of standards has completed arrangements to test the comparative durability of upper leather made from shark and porpoise skins as compared with that from calfskin and cowhide. The co-operation of the National Boot and Shoe Manufacturers' association has been secured in the making of the necessary shoes for the test. It is believed that the results of this investigation will be watched with considerable interest.—Scientific American.

## Rays of Light Cause Mirage.

Mirage is the name given to a certain optical illusion caused by the bending of rays of light in the desert atmosphere. Mirages may appear to the eye as lakes, cities, basaltic precipices, etc., the huge body of water retreating as the eye advances. Mirages are not uncommon in California, Nevada and Alaska.

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