

FROM THE COUNTY AND STATE.

Brief Items of General Interest from Our Exchanges and Contributors.

Two new rural routes are to be established in Carroll county, to start at Woodbine. They will have a length of 4 1/2 miles and serve a population of 900.

Frederick is about to adopt a sewer system, by which the sewage will be carried by pipes to a large depuratory, where it will undergo a purifying process.

The proposed electric light plant for Littleton is apparently lying dormant, and may yet fall through. The franchise granted by the authorities will soon expire.

It is now intimated in political circles that ex-Gov. Lowndes will be the republican nominee for governor, and that Hon. S. A. Williams will be the nominee for attorney general.

The annual Sunday school picnic of Woodbine Lutheran church will be held Aug. 15th, in the afternoon and night. Rev. Whitehill, of Freedom, will be present to give an address.

Arthur Post No. 41 G. A. R. will hold its annual picnic and bean soup on August 8, about two miles east of Edensburg. The picnic will be on Locust Grove hills, and in sight of Olier's school house.

The United Telegraph and Telephone Co., (formerly the Western Maryland) is said to be gathering the necessary material along the line to build a practically new line from Westminster to Taneytown. This is good news to the patrons.

The annual Sunday school picnic of Messiah Lutheran church will be held on the afternoon and evening of Aug. 8th. A program will be carried out in the afternoon, and U. S. Wright, of Sykesville, are expected to be present to give addresses.

Geo. A. Honse, the colored barber, of Hagerstown, left for Cincinnati last Monday to meet a man to whom he is related, probably a brother-in-law, on the St. Louis Exposition grounds. House says he has a written contract and will receive \$55 a week, board and transportation.

A Farmers' Telephone Line.

A mutual telephone line is in successful operation in the southern section of this county, which has a length of about fifteen miles and about thirty subscribers, chiefly farmers. The organization is on the joint stock plan, each subscriber being required to buy one share of stock at \$20.00, to pay the first cost of his telephone (\$15.00) and \$4.00 per year for service, the latter being placed in the treasury for the purpose of paying current expenses and for a surplus for contingencies.

The new association has a board of directors, and all affairs are managed purely in the interest of securing satisfactory service at the minimum of cost. Although no agreement has been made with the United and C. P. companies, subscribers practically have the benefit of these lines, because their own line touches points on which both old lines are established.

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THE FARMERS' BIG DAY.

An Unprecedented Crowd in Attendance at the Farmers' Pic-nic.

The Farmers' re-union, held in Col. Goulden's grove, last Saturday, under the management of the Taneytown Branch and the County Farmers' Club, was a great success, in point of attendance, at least, as the crowd was the largest ever on the grounds. Besides, the day was not one such as a gathering, and the time did not interfere with any urgent farm business, as the day was a general outpouring of farmers for miles around.

Twenty-five years ago the appearance of the grove would not have represented a farmers' picnic, but rather a convention of capitalists, or a horse and carriage show, while fifty years ago such a display of fine vehicles, horses and trappings, and well dressed people would have been impossible for any sort of gathering. In view of the evidence supplied by such an occasion, it is difficult to prove the assertion that "farming don't pay," but it rather establishes the fact that the average farmer, can, and does, put on as much style nowadays as any other class of workers.

Another fact, which has been demonstrated by these re-unions—and especially by the recent one—that it is not properly the occasion for speech-making, as the leader in this matter carefully thought out and hinged together, in all that are either necessary or appreciated. Farmers are not too apt to do so, but by such platitudes and repetitions, and want something new, practical and to the point.

The information booth, with exhibits of grain, grasses, fruits and vegetables, both perfect and diseased, with special interest in the latter, to give expert information to inquiries, was a new and valuable feature. By another year, this department should be at least twice as large, and should give as wide a range of subjects as possible; this year, it was not so extensive as it should have been. It is a pity that it is to be presumed that very many will be prepared to ask for information, and if they see it, they are worth more than a dozen platform addresses.

Mr. Hill, Master of State Granges, Pennsylvania, spoke at considerable length on the benefits of organization.

Notwithstanding the fact that Rural Free Delivery has done more for the farmers in this county than any other measure, it is not to be taken for granted that it is the only one that has been successful. It is not to be taken for granted that it is the only one that has been successful. It is not to be taken for granted that it is the only one that has been successful.

F. R. D. IMPOSED BY MUDD.

Carries too Independent of Politicians, after their Appointment.

According to the *N. Y. Times*, Congressman Mudd is not one of those who are grieving over the misfortune that has overtaken the rural delivery service through the business methods of Mr. Machen. He had a chat with Assistant Postmaster recently, and told that to the effect that the men of the Fifth Maryland Congressional district, including Anne Arundel and five other counties contiguous to Baltimore, were not at all discontented with the service, and that they were not at all discontented with the service, and that they were not at all discontented with the service.

"In my district," said Mr. Mudd, "the men want to go to the postoffice, so they can see their neighbors and do a little visit. Consequently we are not worrying over the report that the Department is about to take off the rural delivery. We are not at all discontented with the service, and that they were not at all discontented with the service." Mr. Mudd is a man of good sense, and he is not at all discontented with the service, and that they were not at all discontented with the service.

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New German Baptist Church.

The New German Baptist church, at Taneytown, will be a handsome structure, 38 feet in length. The main auditorium will be 54 feet wide and 48 feet in depth. The pulpit will be at the east end, as in the old church. The floor will be inclined from the west side almost to the pulpit. The fall will be 13 inches. There will be a north aisle, through the business methods of Mr. Machen. He had a chat with Assistant Postmaster recently, and told that to the effect that the men of the Fifth Maryland Congressional district, including Anne Arundel and five other counties contiguous to Baltimore, were not at all discontented with the service, and that they were not at all discontented with the service.

The Sunday school room will occupy the north end of the building. It will be 44 1/2 feet in size. In rear of it will be the primary department, 13 feet wide and 48 feet in depth. The floor will incline slightly to the teacher's rostrum, which will be in the middle of the west end. On the north side of the main Sunday school room will be the classrooms and over them the gallery, arranged for class rooms. The library will be in the northwest corner.

Under the Sunday school room will be a basement arranged for cooking purposes, a convenience which will be much appreciated especially by the members who drive a long distance from the country for quarterly meetings, etc. In the basement will also be waiting rooms, closets, etc.

In rear of the main auditorium will be an addition divided into several rooms. One will be used for concert purposes and another by the people who drive to church and hitch their horses on a lot in the rear and desire a place to leave their heavy wraps. There will be four entrances to the building. One at each of the corners except the northeast and one in the middle of the front.

County Correspondence.

The Latest Items of News furnished by our Regular Contributors.

All communications for the RECORD must be signed by the writer's own name; not pseudonyms, or initials. Correspondents are requested to be clear and concise in their communications. News items should be as brief and to the point as possible. News items should be as brief and to the point as possible.

Union Bridge.—We are very sorry to report, this week, the illness of both Rev. Edgar T. Read and wife, in Baltimore. They went to Baltimore during the Epke convention, in good health, apparently; while there, Mrs. Read was taken ill with appendicitis and her husband was taken ill with dysentery. They were both ill for several days later. Mr. Read was taken ill at his writing, Wednesday, but we have not learned as yet the nature of the disease.

Enos Utz, of Baltimore, is spending this week with his sister, Mrs. Frank Baker and family.

Thomas Reider, of whose illness mention was made several weeks ago, is improving slowly.

Dr. H. L. Fair is on the Eastern Shore. His brother, Dr. Alva Fair, of Baltimore, is attending to his practice, and his wife is spending the week in Baltimore. Mrs. Fair is spending the week in Baltimore with her sister, Mrs. Thomas Hoover.

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Rev. Tolly Marsh, of Monkon, and his wife, arrived Thursday evening to join his wife and family at their parents, Dr. and Mrs. James Watt, where they will spend a week or two.

Sunday, July 26th, was Elder Ephraim Stoner's seventeenth birthday. His daughter, Mrs. Victor Long, of Hagerstown, was also celebrating her birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Stoner are spending the week in Baltimore with their daughter and family.

The Gorman stock has advanced several points within the past month. Talks with democrats from different sections indicate a growing tendency towards the republican side, and some prominent democrats. It is said that the senator probably will go to Saratoga for the month of August instead of going directly back to Maryland.

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Death of Mrs. Dr. John Bruhaker.

Mrs. Ella, wife of Dr. John Bruhaker, died on the 25th inst., at the residence of her son, in the 45th year. She was married in 1881, and has lived in Juniata for twelve years. Besides her husband, she is survived by five children, one son and four daughters. Her husband is a native of Taneytown, and she was born in Juniata. She was a devoted wife and mother, and her death is a great loss to her family.

Mrs. Smith Granted a Divorce.

On Monday of this week, proceedings were had in the Circuit Court for the divorce of Mrs. S. M. Smith from her husband, Dr. S. M. Smith. The divorce was granted on the ground of desertion. Mrs. Smith was awarded \$1,000 alimony and the care of her two children. The divorce was granted by Judge G. M. Smith, who presided at the trial.

The Traction Engine Danger.

During this time of year it is scarcely safe for women or children to drive on the public roads—especially meeting places—on account of the probability of meeting traction engines. Even when these engines are carefully engineered—and in many cases they are not—they are a danger to the public. They are a danger to the public, and it is necessary to take precautions to avoid accidents.

Fruit and Blossoms from Same Trees.

Luther M. Bushey, of near Sykesville, exhibited at the Farmers' Picnic, last Saturday, several specimens of apples, pears, and other fruit, picked from the same trees. The specimens were generally good, and with curiosity, because unusual.

For Presbyterian Deaconesses.

The Presbyterian deaconess movement, which originated in Baltimore in 1856, and is now spreading throughout Maryland, is making rapid progress. The movement is receiving indorsement from all sides. The work is being done in a systematic and efficient manner, and it is expected that it will continue to grow and prosper.

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