

**STATEWOOD.**  
Mr. Geo. B. Knox, of Linden farm, sold five fat steers to our young butcher, Mr. Jarrett Shauk, for \$83.80.  
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Spencer after spending some time with relatives and friends, have returned to their home in Baltimore.  
The recent rains have about finished the cherry crop here.  
Mr. Alfred Gamber, of Baltimore, who spent his vacation with his parents, has returned to his home in Baltimore.  
H. L. Shipley, Wm. D. Bush, Sr., Chas. L. Brauning, Vachel B. Griffie, Gorman Jordan, Charles D. Brauning, were Sunday guests of Mr. Chas. Caples, of Green Spring Valley.  
Mr. and Mrs. Samuel S. Monroe, spent Monday in Baltimore.  
Miss Mae Brauning, of Springfield, spent Monday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Brauning, of Louisville.  
Mrs. Ellen Smith, of Baltimore, is visiting her nephew, Mr. Geo. Knox, of Linden Farm.  
Mrs. Waters, of Pittsburgh, and Miss Waters, of Catonsville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Zent, of Flag Meadow Farm, last week.  
We extend our congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Melville Shauk, who were married recently. They have our best wishes for a long and happy life together.  
Mr. Andrew Pardew, of Baltimore, spent the week's end with his parents, last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Alexander, of Baltimore, and Miss Marjorie Schaefer, of near Glen, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schaefer, of Statewood.  
Mr. Warner Shauk and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bosom, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. N. Shauk.  
The J. O. U. A. M. has decided to install a modern up-to-date Acetylene lighting plant in the hall in Statewood. It is a much needed improvement, which when in operation will make the hall one of the best lighted buildings in the country.  
Mr. Eli Bennett, one of our former neighbors, is visiting friends in this community.  
A game of ball will be played between Reisterstown and Statewood, Saturday, June 24th, at Reisterstown.

**SMALLWOOD.**  
Mrs. Henry Wardenfelt had gone to Baltimore, to spend a week with relatives.  
The P. O. of A. met last Tuesday and had election of officers.  
Last Saturday, Mrs. Richard Baker entertained Mr. and Mrs. Edward Niner, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Owings, Chas. Wagner, Mrs. Sarah Davis, and sister, of Baltimore, and her son, Mrs. Carroll Owings' sister Carrie, and children, Misses Madeline, Landon, Louise Williams, Ruth Owings, Lillian Lambden, Louise Owings, Prudie Logue, Hilda Niner; Masters Charles, Raymond and Carroll Owings, Jr., and Mr. Pheanas Shipley.  
Miss Madeline Lambden is spending the summer with Mrs. Charles Wagner.  
We are very sorry that some of our boys are called away to serve their country. We hope there will be no occasion for them to be in active service, and that they will have a speedy release.  
Instead of having a superintendent to compel parents or guardians to send their children to school, I think it would be more advisable and secure to have a watch so that motorcycles do not exceed the speed limit. Last Sunday morning the writer was walking along the State road and two motorcycles were coming toward her at such a rate that she turned her back with honor for fear they would be thrown and an accident happen before her eyes. They succeeded in getting to Smallwood, where one of the young men met with an accident in which he had his jaw broken, and had to be taken to a hospital.  
Mr. Elmer Logue brought his wife home from the hospital in Baltimore, last Sunday, in Mr. Charles A. Wagner's Car.  
Cherries have been a failure on account of the rains we have had. It is hard on the farmers and their hay making.

**PLEASANT VALLEY.**  
The Christian Endeavor society will hold a festival on Saturday evening, July 1st, at the P. O. S. of A. hall. All are welcome.  
Mr. J. Roy Myers is in a critical condition at this writing.  
Mr. Harry Geiman, of this place, responded to the call to arms and has gone with his comrades to the Mexican border.  
Mrs. Clarence A. Zepp, and daughter, Mary Alice, of Reese, spent from Wednesday until Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Devilliss, returning with her husband on Sunday.  
Mr. Wm. Hahn, of Westminster, spent a few days with his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hahn.

**SUNNY SIDE.**  
Mr. Franklin, wife and daughter, Grace, Mrs. James Strevig and daughter, Allie, spent Sunday with Harry Strevig and family, of Silver Run Valley.  
Mr. Elmer Hesson and family, of York, Pa., spent Sunday with his parents, John Hesson and family.  
Mr. Oliver Mathias, wife and daughter, Ruthanna, and Harvey Miller, of Littlestown, spent Sunday with Clarence Shriver and family.  
Quite an excitement was raised around in the vicinity on Monday afternoon, when word came that the Company H boys were to get ready to leave for Laurel, where they will drill to go to Mexico in a few days. We wish them success and hope to see them back in a few months, again.  
Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Eckard spent Monday with their daughter, Mrs. Clarence Shriver and family.  
Mrs. Wm. Leese and children spent Wednesday with friends in Westminster.  
Mr. Stonesifer, of White Hall, Pa., is spending some time with Wm. Leese and family.



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**Letter From Melrose.**  
Many of us are prone to complain at the failure of a certain crop. This is selfishness. Two weeks ago Hampstead and vicinity was visited by a desuetive hail storm. One lady living in the south path said: "If only I could get some plants to try to have a garden again!" In an Oregon neighborhood last summer all the crops were destroyed by grasshoppers.  
One half of the world doesn't know how the other half lives. Word comes from Hopewell, Va., that in one year's growth the village reached a population of ten thousand. We recently received a letter from Montana from a family who lives 20 miles from a town and 40 miles from a railroad, their nearest neighbors live two miles distant.  
Several of our farmers told me that rats destroyed dozens of little chickens in a short space of time. This seems to be a wanton waste. Is there no remedy? Traps do not seem to lessen the number of rodents, and poison is an unsafe and uncertain method. Perhaps if the state would offer a ransom for each head, it would be an effective method of destroying at least the majority.  
Despite the fact that many people do not get a magazine or newspaper, there are twenty thousand published in the United States with an annual circulation of one hundred to a million or more monthly, weekly or daily.  
The W. M. R. R. through this part passenger and mail service. With the auto bus service springing up in different localities, and freight transfer autos, as well as the automobiles multiplying very rapidly, it is time the officials of the great W. M. system would set up and take notice.  
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**SYKESVILLE.**  
Mr. Louis Hoppel, of Baltimore, spent several days last week with friends in Sykesville.  
Dr. and Mrs. John Morris and family, are spending two weeks in Atlantic City.  
Mrs. R. W. Carter was quite sick several days this week.  
Mr. Edwin Mellor has been elected Treasurer of the Building Association, as successor to his father, who held this position for many years.  
Mrs. Frank Bensingor, of Baltimore, spent the week's end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Carter.  
Mr. and Mrs. Murphy McDonald attended the Commencement exercises of Leonardtown Academy, Monday evening. Their son, Frank McDonald was one of the graduates.  
Mr. and Mrs. Mellor left Tuesday, for New York, where they will stay several days before returning to their home in Detroit, Mich.  
Miss Ida Davis, who has been spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Marion Harris, returned to her home in Catonsville, Tuesday.  
Mrs. Jesse Dean Boise, who has been visiting her son, Mr. David Dean, has returned to her home in Elmira, New York.  
Mr. and Mrs. George Berry and children, of Harrisonville, visited relatives here Sunday.  
Mrs. A. Gatsoel, of Pine No. 4, visited her brother, Mr. Earle Chaney, one day this week. Miss Gladys Chaney returned with Mrs. Gatsoel for a two week's visit to relatives, at Pine No. 4.  
A number of tired out and rather hungry looking Boy Scout Campers, returned from "Camp Pot-nar" Friday evening. If all reports are true, rain-water and flap jacks make quite an appetizing menu.  
Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Selby and family, of Shermersstown, W. Va., spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Selby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Brown.  
Mr. Carroll McAfee, of Baltimore, spent Saturday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earle Chaney.  
Memorial services for the late Mr. E. M. Mellor will be held Sunday, at St. Paul's M. E. Church.  
Messrs. Harry and Brooks Mellor will serve as executors for the estate of Mr. E. M. Mellor.  
Mr. Noel Bennett, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Bennett.  
Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Brandenburg are moving into the house lately occupied by Mr. Walter Hawkins.  
Mr. Howard Bowersox, of Baltimore, was the Sunday guest of Mr. John Harris.  
Miss Adela Harris is spending several days at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. H. Leyfield, of Baltimore.  
Mr. and Mrs. William Hobbs, Jr., are the guests of Mr. Hobbs' parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Hobbs.  
Communion services will be held at St. Paul's M. E. Church, Sunday morning, July 2.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hoffman and two children, of New York City, are spending two weeks at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Nicholas Jones.  
Mrs. N. Jones entertained at bridge Wednesday evening, in honor of her guest from New York.  
Miss Marjorie Sprecker, of Indianapolis, Ind., is paying a visit to her parents, Dr. and Mrs. D. B. Sprecker.  
Miss Fannie Jones returned Sunday from a trip to New York.  
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peddicord, of Baltimore, are the guests of Mrs. Frank Brown.  
Mrs. Edna Bennett and children, are visiting the Misses Bennett, at "The Heights."  
Mr. Tom Welling has returned from a trip to Laray, Va.

**GAMBER.**  
The Ladies' Aid Society of Providence Methodist Protestant Church will meet at the home of Mrs. H. Clinton Shipley, on Thursday afternoon, June 29. All are cordially invited to attend.  
Christian Endeavor will be held at Providence this Sunday evening. The leader will be Miss Edna B. Barnes. Topic: "What is the Purpose of Our Life on Earth?"  
Mrs. Jabez N. Barnes and cousins, Mrs. J. Ennor, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Margaret Haines.  
Mr. and Mrs. David N. Leister spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Carroll Haines spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Charles M. Kay, of near Finksburg.  
Those who spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Jabez N. Barnes were: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Flater and family, Lee F. Ward and family, Miss Jennie Ennor and mother, of West Arlington; Carroll and Todd Ford, Misses Annie and Gladys Leister and Mr. Roby F. Barnes.  
Miss Daisy M. Pool spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Albaugh.  
Mr. and Mrs. Albaugh and brother, Minor and sister, Grace, and friend, Mr. Holding, of Baltimore, spent Monday and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Barnes.  
Mr. Levi Barnes spent Monday in Westminster.

**BERRETT.**  
The Children's service at Messiah was largely attended and the program was splendid.  
Mrs. Rachel Wilson and family, had as their guests Sunday, Miss Bessie Wilson, Miss Donohoe, Mr. Numan Shipley, Catonsville, and Mr. Joe Eyer, of Whitefield.  
Mrs. Rachel Garhart spent Monday with Mrs. Byard Dorsey and family.  
Virginia Hiteshaw is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Estelle Garhart.  
Mr. Reese Shipley and family had as their callers Sunday, Rev. W. A. Sites, and children, Benson and Eric; Messrs. Numan Shipley, Joe Eyer, Henry Preter, Jr.; Misses Bessie and Annie Wilson, Miss Donohoe, and Mrs. R. E. Paynter.  
Mr. Tom Chipley and son, Howard, of Centerville, visited Mr. Robert Shipley Sunday.  
Misses Julia and Eleanor Dorsey have returned home for their vacation from W. M. C.  
Never Die Lodge, No. 338, I. O. G. T., of this place, have decided on a picnic, for July 8. Look for the item next week, for further announcement.  
Mrs. Lena Warner and son, Dudley, are visiting friends near Daniel Brandenburg's Sunday School is purchasing new hymn books, "Songs for Service."  
There will be Sunday school and preaching at Messiah at Lutheran church, Sunday morning, at the usual hour.  
Sunday school Sunday, at Brandenburg, at 9:45 a. m.  
Christian Endeavor Sunday at 7:45 p. m., led by Mrs. Reese Shipley.

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