SYKESVILLE.

Mr. Wm. Shipley spent Sunday with his wife and baby at the Mercy Hospital.

Miss Mary Melville, of Oakland, has been a recent visitor at home of Rev. and Mrs. E. O. Pritchett.

Mr. James Marsh, of Baltimore, has accepted a position with B. F. Shriver Co. at the canning factory and expects to spend the summer here.

The primary Sunday school of St. Paul's M. E. church was entertained Monday afternoon at the parsonage by Rev. and Mrs. E. O. Pritchett.

Mrs. Wm. Melville gave a very delightful birthday party Tuesday afternoon to little Ethel Melville Barnes, on the lawn at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Devilbiss and daughter, Helen, of Columbus, Ohio, visited Mr. Devilbiss' mother, Mrs. Mamie Devilbiss, this week.

Mrs. Easton, of Windfield, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Elmer Jenkins.

Mrs. John Baur, of Annapolis is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Hepner.

About two hundred on motorcycles went through Sykesville last Sunday morning just at church time, taking the whole road. It was a pretty sight, but it is a pity they could not find some other day for such sport.

Mr. Clarence Clark is spending this week at Atlantic City.

Next Sunday there will be a special sermon to Masons in the St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal church. All masons are especially invited to attend.

Mrs. E. O. Pritchett gave a very delightful party last Friday evening in honor of her house-guests, Miss Mary Melville, of Oakland, Miss Maud Gibbons, of Croom; Miss Frizell, of Philadelphia; besides these, there were present Margaret and Adele Harris, Lillian and Louise Berry, Kate Maddox, Ruth Bennett, Mr. Wm. Shipley, Richard Bennett, Dr. Stanley Mitchell, James Marsh, Melville Gaither, Frank Brown and Wm. Brandenburg.

Miss Ida Jones left last Wednesday for a visit to relatives in Canandaigua, N. Y.

Dr. and Mrs. J. N. Morris, Miss Mary Morris, Miss Nellie Kelley and Miss Elizabeth Doran are spending a week at Atlantic City.

Miss Louise Barnett was one of the graduates at University Hospital, as a trained nurse last week.

Francis and Corinne Morris and Gertrude Warfield are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Howard, at La Plate, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Hobbs have gone to house-keeping in a cottage of Springfield Road.

The new pastor, of Springfield Presbyterian church and his family have moved into the house here and he is cordially welcomed. There will be regular services in the church here every Sunday.

Mrs. John Doherty, of Florence, is visiting her father, Mr. Ace Hepner.

Mrs. Robert Graham, of "Rugby" entertained the Morning Bridge club at her home Wednesday morning. Those present were Misses Elsie and Frances Jones, Mrs. Wm. R. Blunt, Mrs. David W. Dean, Mrs. Wm. H. Forsythe, Mrs. Edgar and Mrs. Edwin M. Mellor, Jr.

WEEPING WILLOW.

We have been having very severe storms the past week. On Sunday last the hail did much damage to the growing crops. On Thursday a wind storm passed through this vicinity causing much damage.

On Sunday the children of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Young gave Mrs. Young a surprise. Mr. and Mrs. Young were away in the morning when they returned home they found all their children home. The table was laden with all the good things to eat that any one could wish for. There were about 40 present. They all spent a very pleasant day to-gether. At a late hour all left for their home wishing their mother many more such happy events.

Those who called on Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Crumbacker on Saturday evening were Mrs. Repp Mrs. Myers Englar, Mrs. Philip Englar and daughter, Hilda, of Uniontown, and Mrs. Chas. Bankerd.

Mrs. Carrie Selby is visiting at the home of Mr. Arthur wagner and family.

On Tuesday morning when Mr. Charles E. Bankerd went to the barn to feed, he was very much surprised to find his wheel mare dead in the stall.

Mrs. Arthur Wagner and daughter, Katherine and Mrs. Carrie Selby spent Tuesday with Mrs. Dennis Smith.

Mrs. Edward Roof, of Petersburg, Va., is spending sometime with Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Crumbacker.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Crumbacker and daughters, Jeanette and Ruth, spent Sunday with Mrs. Crumbacker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Bankard.

Mr. John P. L. Frock and family spent Sunday with their son, Charles Frock, and family.

Those who spent Friday afternoon with Mr. Charles Bankerd and family were Mrs. John Green and four children, of Chambersburg; Mr. Manassa Stern and Miss Esta Bosley, of Finksburg.

PLEASANT VALLEY.

Mr. Vernon Myers continues ill at this writing.

Miss Gladys Myers is spending the week with her cousin, Miss Ruth Frock, of Pinch Valley.

Mr. John C. Myers spent Saturday in Hanover, Pa.

Mr. Joseph Myers and wife, Mr. Jacob Frock and wife, Mr. Upton Myers, motored to York on Tuesday.

The week's end visitors were George Feeser and wife, Harry Feeser, Thurman Ruark, of Baltimore, and Mrs. Fannie Frock, of Pinch Valley, at Mr. John C. Myers', Miss Olive Eb ugh at Miss Amy Hahn's.

Mrs. Clayton Brown and son, Robert and his wife and son, all of Cumberland, at Ed. Welk's, Mrs. Edward Brother's and Mrs. John Smelser at Mrs. Harry Geiman's, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Devilbiss are spending some time with their daughter, Mrs. Clarence G. Myers, of Hanover.

St. Matthew's Union Sunday school will hold its annual picnic August 4. Everybody welcome.

PATAPSCO.

The Patapsco Methodist Episcopal church will hold its Children's Day service Sunday, morning, June 27, at 10.30 a. m. All are welcome.

Messrs. Granville and Herbert Abbott spent Saturday evening and Sunday last with friends of this place.

Mr. St. Clair Shamer and friend, Miss Margaret Myers, of Baltimore spent Sunday with his parents, of this place.

Miss Flo Shamer, of Baltimore, is spending some time with relations of this place.

STATEWOOD.

Harry C. Monroe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Monroe, of Statewood, who has been a student at the University of Virginia the past year, has been awarded the Ryan Scholarship from Norfolk to the University for the next year. He has also accepted a position in the post-office at Norfolk during his summer vacation.

Mrs. Chas. W. Lockard and daughter, Naomi, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Baltimore.

Mrs. Leana Fuller, of Baltimore, is spending some time with her sister-in-law, Mrs. H. B. Day.

D. T. Buckingham just received his new Dodge car which he had had ordered for some time.

Mrs. N. E. and son, Maurice, are spending a few days with friends in Baltimore.

The Statewood A. C. was shut out 15 to 0 on the pleasure grounds here on Saturday past by the strong Hillsdale A. C. Hillsdale was made up of players that let nothing go by, as they had four off the Dry Docks and a pitch from a Pennsylvania League. We can easily say this, that we all witnessed a part of the so-called professional ball-playing. Our catcher, E. H. Barnes, had his middle finger burst open at the very beginning of the game. This changed out players all to different positions. He was taken to Westminster, where Dr. Wells gave surgical aid. Our Club will cross bats with the strong Reisterstown A. C. on Saturday afternoon at Reisterstown.

Earl Barnes has gone to Pittsburg with a number of boys of Westminster to run several Fords for Herr & Babylon.

FINKSBURG.

The 51st anniversary of this Sunday school will be held June 27, 2 p. m. Al lold friends and new are requested to be present. Able speakers from Westminster will be present; also a quartette from Baltimore will sing. Music by home talent.

Mrs. Paul Brown and daughter, of Westminster, was the guest of Mrs. Fred R. Reese Muse, the past week.

Harvest will be late on account of heavy rains and cool wave.

Mr. and Mrs. Eck, of York, Pa., spent some time with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gitt, Sr.

Two auto accidents occurred at the cross roads in the past week. Fast driving and failure to give the proper signal was the cause. No one seriously hurt. Parties unknown.

Tomatoes should be plentiful on account of the recent rains for transplanting. Potato crop is sure in favor of a good one.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet at the home of Mrs. James Peeling Thursday, July 1st, 2 p. m. All members requested to be present.

Negro Preacher Killed For Stepping On White Man's Foot.

Greenwood, S. C., June 22.—Because James H. Walker, a negro preacher, stepped on his foot and then struck him in the face, Pope McCarty, a white mill operative, shot and killed Walker at Ware Shoals, near here, yesterday, according to the statement made by McCarty to the Sheriff when he surrendered last night.

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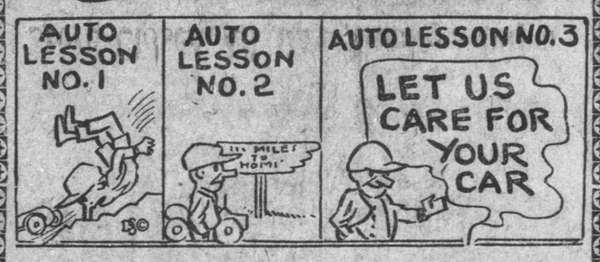

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