Their Regular Appearance " On Time"-The Harmlessness of the Locust-The Music Boxes Carried Only by the Males.

The Victims of the Poultry. From the Baltimore Sun. In a few days the seventeen-year locusts will begin to sing their peculiar love song, and make the woods hum with their busy myriads. Full-fledged locusts have been out now a week or so, but are yet hardly able to fly in any great numbers. Some of them, however, have already got into the higher branches of life, and may be seen already in the tree tops. Occasion has been taken frequently heretofore to impress the fact that the locust itself is perfectly harmless, but it is sometimes attended by an enemy known as the digger wasp, which is fatal to the locust, and the sting of which will kill a human being in two hours.

In 1817 the locusts appeared on May 23; in 1834 about the same time, and in 1851 on May 26. The date of appearance varied little in 1868 and in 1885. Many of the locusts have died in the ground this spring on account of untavorable circumstances, and their appear ance has been somewhat delayed by the back ward spring. The locusts first come in the pupa or soft state, but in a short time become fully fledged. About the end of May they begin to lay their eggs, which are deposited in the tender twigs of trees. As soon as the young attain their growth in the grub state they fall to the ground, make their way two or feet underneath the surface, in order to undergo their change into the pupa form, after which last transformation they are found in great numbers over large districts of country. It is claimed that experiments have demonstrated they that experiments have demonstrated they never descend further than six feet into the earth, and that the eggs must come into contact with the earth before they will advance towards life. It will be 17 years before the young of the locusts which now begin to sing will reappear from their hiding places in the earth. In 1868 thousands of the progenitors of the present visitors came up between the bricks of the pavements in the cities which had been laid in the previous 17 years on new streets. Generally the locusts prefer the weeds and shady places and not the open fields. Notwithstanding the common idea that they are injurious to vegetation it appears from high authority that they are not so, except from the damage done by the so, except from the damage done by the temale in depositing her eggs. Locusts are a favorite food of hogs, squirrels and some of the larger birds, and are a favorite dish with the Indians when fried.

By the act of depositing its eggs the locust does all the interpret of which it is causable.

does all the injury of which it is capable. The excoriations thus made injure the young trees of the nursery, the gooseberry, currant and other small garden shrubs, but the apple, pear, peach, plum and cherry trees only suffer partially, and even this is not believed to affect the fruit of the succeeding lieved to affect the fruit of the succeeding lieved to affect the fruit of the succeeding year. The locust, does not depend for food upon any living trees above ground, but lives on the nutrious principles it collects from the surface of vegetable substances and extracts from the earth. As their resurrection is said to be on the same spots where they formerly appeared, it may be that the wheat and other fields in the country where they are now found were formerly the site of a forest or orehard, whence they were forest or orehard, whence they were

FOUND ONLY IN UNITED STATES. The locust is emphatically an American republican insect, and found only in the United States, and that there are two tribes

United States, and that there are two tribes of these insects, differing from each other only in the periods of their lives. The larger family, the northern, living 17 years, and the other, the southern, 13 years.

Generally these insects begin to leave the ground about May 20, and increase to numbers till about May 27, when the greatest numbers will appear, and then in less numbers till about June 5, when no more will leave the earth. About June 15, they commence depositing their eggs, which continues until about June 20. The female lays about 400 eggs, excavating holes for that purpose 400 eggs, excavating holes for that purpose in the limbs or twigs to which they are attached by a singularly constructed instrument, about the size of a small pin, designated as the ovi-positor. About June 25 the nated as the ovi-positor. About June 25 the old locusts disppear altogether. About July 25 the eggs are ready to hatch, the insects come out of the excavations and fall to the ground in great numbers, and are so small that they are like little motes in the air, and their apparent specific gravity so in-ferior that they are not injured by the

In the whole range of natural history there is nothing more strange than the fact that a little insect, not as large as the smallest ant, shall pass into the ground and remain there seventeen years, and then emerge in the seventeen years, and then emerge in the form of a comparatively larger insect, and that most tribes should reappear the same month, and almost the same day, once in seventeen years, or thitteen years, according to the district to which they belong. Having made its way into the earth it lives during the remainder of the warm season in the vegetable sub-soil, and on the approach of cold weather forms around itself a cocoon, or cell, by cementing the particles of earth together, in which condition the locusts are often due up in gardening and exeavating often dug up in gardening and excavating without their real character being discovered. The next season it opens one end of its cell to gain access to the small roots and moist earth, but does not leave the cell, and thus it continues from season to season, each year enlarging its cell, never changing its locality from the time it enters the earth until i

HOW THEY MAKE MUSIC. The musical organs of the locust, by which they keep up the peculiar and universal din from sunrise to sunset, are organs of sound. "The musical organs are also very curious and difficult to describe. Directly under the shoulder of the wing in each side of the chest there is a beautiful membrane somewhat triangular, convex and ribbed with fine bony ridges. This membrane resembles a small shell, and is stretched over a cavity in the chest, the lower angle connected internally with a strong muscle. On the breast there with a strong muscle. On the breast there are two large scales, one on each side, firmly attached to the breast above, but free below. On bending the body backwards these scales are elevated and expose two large cavities, also covered with extremely fine and silk-like membranes. These cavities are connected with those under the musical membranes under the wing shoulders, and probably serve for lungs. When these cavities are filled with air the musical organs or membranes first described musical organs or membranes first described are made to produce the sound by the large muscles, the bony ridges of the membranes being made to act upon each other with such rapidity that the motion is scarcely percep-tible." Whilst the most harmless and detible." Whilst the most harmless and defenseless of creatures, this insect has innumerable enemies. Chickens, turkeys, birds, squirrels and pigs will scarcely touch any other food during the locust season. A curious effect upon all hen's eggs laid after feeding upon this diet is that their yolks are nearly white. A remarkable characteristic of the insect is its solitary life. Although in close neighborhood to numerous individuals of its class, two are never found in a cell or of its class, two are never found in a cell or in contact. This is also their character in the perfect or winged state.

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SUNDAY.
Leave—Quarryville, 7:10 a. m.; Lancaster, Kinstreet, 8:08 a. m., 3:55 p. m.
Arrive—Reading, 10:10 a. m., 5:55 p. m.
Leave—Reading, 7:30 a. m., 4:00 p. m.
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The York Accommodation leaves Marietta at 3.30 | 1.50 |

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m., will run through to Frederick |

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