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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1889.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Rev. Charles D. Smith, of Baltimore, spent several days in this city, this week.

Mrs. Annie Lauterbach, of Freedom district, spent several days this week visiting relatives in this city.

Dr. George E. Baughman, of this city, leaves on Monday for a trip South and will be absent until December 2d.

The commissions of the newly elected officers of this county had not, at last report, been received at the clerk's office.

Mr. James W. Lockard has opened a new grocery, flour and feed store, at No 157 East Main street, near Centenary M. E. Church.

Mrs. George A. Miller and children, of Church street, this city, are visiting Mrs. Miller's mother, Mrs. Alexander Horner, of Baltimore.

Mr. George Sullivan, of Pleasant Valley, is improving his property by weatherboarding, painting and putting a large porch to his dwelling.

Mr. John H. Keen, of this city, has purchased a grocery and provision store in Washington, D. C., and will remove with his family to that city in a few days.

The newly-elected Board of County Commissioners will be formally inducted into office and enter upon the discharge of their duties on Wednesday, December 4th.

Mrs. John G. Gruber and her granddaughter, Miss Esther Gruber, of Hagerstown, are visiting Mrs. Gruber's daughter, Mrs. John B. Saylor, No. 65 West Main street, this city.

The building lot adjoining the new Carroll Hall, will be offered at public sale at 2 o'clock this afternoon, by the trustees of Carroll Division, Sons of Temperance, to whom it belongs.

The house and lot on Pennsylvania avenue, at present in the occupancy of Mr. Wm. a Mikesell, was sold on Saturday last by Mr. Charles C. Gorsuch, assignee of mortgagee, to Charles E. Fink, Esq., for $884.

The Ladies Sewing Society of Ascension P. E. Church will hold a sale and Oyster Supper in the Store room adjoining the First National Bank, on the evenings of December 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th and 14th.

Mr. C. F. Harden, of Panora, Iowa, recently married a daughter of Capt. E. T. Benton, of Baltimore, formerly of this county, and spent several days visiting the bride's uncle, Mr. Marshall G. Shaw, of Uniontown district.

Mr. J. S. Crowl, formarly of this county, now a merchant of Fulton county, Ills., has been visiting his father, Mr. Jesse Crowl, whose death is elsewhere announced, for several weeks past. He expects to return home next week.

Sheriff-elect Wickert expects to take the oath of office and enter upon the discharge of his duties on Wednesday next, if his commission shall arrive by that date. Mr. Wickert has resigned the position of officer of registration for this district.

The Reformed congregation of Krider's Church, near this city, has purchased, of Mr. George W. Hull, an acre of land lying immediately opposite the residence of the superintendent of Krider's Cemetery, on which a new church edifice is to be erected. The price paid was $200.

Mr. John G. Shunk, who has been selling ranges for the St. Louis Wrought Iron Stove Company, in Ohio and Kentucky, for some time past, arrived home on a visit on Tuesday last. He is looking well and speaks glowingly of portions of the country in which he has been operating.

The farm of the late Wm. B. Beasman, lying about one mile from Haight, P. O., in Freedom district, and containing 238 acres, was sold at public sale, on Saturday last, by Emily J. Beasman and Dewees L. Farrar, trustees, to Mrs. D. L. Farrar, for $22.50 per acre. Mr. R. Chas. Matthews was the auctioneer.

Thursday next, 28th inst., will be Thanksgiving Day, by proclamation both of President and Governor and will consequently be a National and State holiday. Court will adjourn and the county offices, banks and schools will be closed. Religious services will be held in several, if not all the churches in the city.

The henery of Rev. C. S. Slagle, pastor of St. Paul's Reformed Church of this city, was broken open one night last week and six fine chickens stolen. This is the second time, within a few months, that the good pastor has suffered a depredation of this character. The perpetrator of the act is a mighty mean thief.

The Methodist Episcopal, Methodist Protestant and Lutheran congregations, of this city, will hold a Union Thanksgiving Service in Centenary Methodist Episcopal Church, on the morning of Thanksgiving Day, at 10.30 o'clock. Rev. J. L. Mills, D. D., pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church, will preach the sermon.

At t[illegible]nual communication of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Maryland, on Wednesday evening, Gen. Thomas J. Shryock was elected Grand Master for the fourth consecutive year; William H. Clark was elected Deputy Grand Master; John R. Dorsey, Senior Grand Warden; Prof. James A. Diffenbaugh, of this city, Junior Grand Warden; Jacob H. Medairy, Grand Secretary for the twenty-seventh term; Wm. H. Shryock, Grand Treasurer. Messrs. Wm. M. Isaacs, H. C. Larrabee and Jacob E. Krebs were elected members of the Board of Managers.

Samuel E. Hughes, son of Mr. Samuel A. Hughes, of the vicinity of this city, is residing at Los Angeles, California, where he is employed as a carpenter. In writing to his parents a short time ago, he enclosed leaves from the eucalyptus and pepper trees, which are something of a curiosity. The former are about ten inches long and very slender, the tree itself being very tall. It is a native of Australia. The leaves of the pepper tree are very short and resemble the leaves of the box-wood. Mr. Hughes writes that he is in good health and getting along very well in his distant place of residence.

The Pawnee Indian Medicine Company No. 4 has been exhibiting at Odd Fellows' Hall, this city, for a week past and will continue another week. An interesting free exhibition is given every evening except Wednesday and Saturday evenings, when a small admission fee is charged. On Wednesday night a handsome album was given to the lady receiving the largest number of votes, who proved to be Miss Nina Vanfossen, for whom 51 out of 110 votes were cast. To-night will be the gentlemen's turn and a handsome bead ornament will be the prize. This afternoon a matinee will be given for the ladies and children. The entertainments have been highly spoken of and have been largely attended by our citizens.

Rev. Wyllys Rede, rector of Ascension P. E. Church, of this city, announces that he will deliver two lectures, the first on "The English Cathedrals," Friday evening, 22d inst., and the second, Saturday, 23d inst., on "The Holy Land." The first lecture is the result of a tour which Mr. Rede made two years ago among the Cathedral Churches of England, and the second includes many of the most interesting scenes in the Holy Land and the life of our Lord. These lectures will be given in Carroll Hall, beginning at 7.30 each evening, and an admission fee of 25 cents will be charged. Although the date of this issue of the SENTINEL is later than that of the first lecture, the paper is really printed and circulated the previous afternoon, and we therefore use the future tense in speaking of them both.

Philemon Dorsey, one of the trustees of the White Rock colored school, disclaims having signed or authorized the signing of his name to the letter in which the School Commissioners were informed that, unless the school represented by the writers was commenced at the proper time, they would send their children to the white schools. He did not know that such a letter had been written. The other trustees were aware that a letter with their names appended was sent to the Commissioners, but one of them asserts that he did not authorize the use of the language attributed to him. It is said the letter was written by another colored man and the names of the trustees signed to it. It seems clear, however, that it was not the purpose of the trustees to make the foolish threat which was used as political argument by the Democrats during the recent campaign, whoever may have been its author, and no sensible man in the State of Maryland believes that the success of the Republican party would result in mixed schools as some Democrats asserted, taking the White Rock letter as the text of their utterances.

The Railroad Survey.

Mr. Lehman, brother of Mr. A. E. Lehman chief engineer of the Harrisburg and Gettysburg Railroad extension has made a cognizance of the line from Union Mills to and crossing this city at the East End, and yesterday started to make a cognizance of the line crossing at the West End. The point of divergence is some distance north of this city and the two lines converge on the farm of Franklin P. Goodwin, about two miles south of this city. The surveying party under Mr. Lehman arrived here on Thursday evening and made headquarters at the City Hotel. The actual survey has progressed to a point several miles this side of Union Mills. It is said that two practical routes have been found and surveyed between Littlestown, Pa., and Union Mills, that known as the Weist Mill route described by our Union Mills correspondent last week, being an excellent one with easy grades.

Teachers' Association.

The Carroll County Teachers' Association met at Central Hall, in this city, yesterday at 10 o'clock, A. M., and held a very pleasant session. About 100 teachers were present. After some exercises in composition by pupils of Central Hall school, illustrated by the principal, Mr. Charles H. Baughman, and some general remarks by Prof. James A. Diffenbaugh, the County School Examiner; Prof. George L. Smith, of the State Normal School, Baltimore, gave the Association a very entertaining and instructive lesson on elementry drawing, which has recently been added to the public school course by the State Board of Education. His remarks were listened to with close and appreciative attention. The exercises were pleasantly interspersed with music by the Association choir.

Change of Time.

On and after Monday next the time of the Fast Mail Train on the Western Maryland Railroad, going East, will be as follows: Leave Hagerstown at 9, A. M.; Blue Ridge, 9.36; Mechanicstown, 9.55; Frederick Junction, 10.14; Union Bridge, 10.22; New Windsor, 10.29; Westminster, 10.41; arriving at Union Station, 11.43; Hillen, 11.48, A. M. It will have connection at Hagerstown with trains from Shenandoah Valley Railroad; and from Martinsburg and Winchester, Va., by the Cumberland Valley Railroad, also, at the Frederick Junction, to and from Frederick, and from Littlestown and Taneytown, by Frederick and Pa. Line Railroad.

Proceedings of Orphans' Court.

Monday, November 18th.—Letters of administration on the estate of Prudence Logue, deceased, were granted to James A. Logue.

Tuesday, November 19th.—The last will and testament of John Gore, deceased, was admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted to Edwin G. Gilbert.

Report sale of real estate of Thomas Webster, deceased, finally ratified.

List of Unclaimed Matter

Remaining in the Postoffice at Westminster, Md., November 16, 1889.

Bartlett, Newton H.	Hiteshew, Chas.
Brown, Isaac	Snyder, W. F.
Conway, W. G. (2)	

Persons calling for matter in the above list will please say it was advertised.

JOS. B. BOYLE, P. M.

Wedding Bells.

THAWLEY—SMITH.

Mr. Charles J. Thawley, editor and manager of the Carrolltonian, of this city, and Miss Carrie E. Smith, daughter of the late Sterling Smith, during his lifetime a prominent and influential citizen of Calvert county, were married at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. E. H. Smith, 543 S. Paca street, Baltimore, at 2 o'clock, P. M., on Tuesday last, 19th inst. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. G. Lutz, pastor of Light street German M. E. Church. Only the immediate families of the bride and groom were present. Mr. and Mrs. Thawley arrived in this city Tuesday evening and will reside at the City Hotel. The SENTINEL tenders Mr. Thawley and his bride sincere congratulations and best wishes.

CLINE—BROOKS.

Mr. Frank M. Cline and Miss Carrie M. Brooks, daughter of Mr. Joshua Brooks, of Baltimore, and grand-daughter of Mr. John Murray Yingling, of Westminster, were married on Wednesday evening, 20th inst., at Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church South, in Baltimore. The Rev. W. H. D. Harper, presiding elder of the East Baltimore district of the Baltimore Conference, officiated. The bride wore a traveling dress of "Eifel" shade cloth, her hat and gloves matching her dress. She carried a bouquet of Japanese chrysanthemums. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Cline left Baltimore for a wedding trip through the North. The ushers were Frank H. Jacobs, of Belair, Harry M. Brooks, brother of the bride, Carey N. McAfee and George Marlow. Mr. Cline is a son of Police Sergeant Cline, of the northwestern district, and is junior member of the firm of McAfee Bros. & Cline, of Belair, Md.

HULL—BEGGS.

Beggs' Chapel, Cranberry Valley, was the scene of a beautiful and interesting wedding, at 2 o'clock, P. M., on Wednesday, 20th inst. The bride was Miss Mary Agnes Beggs, daughter of Mr. John Wm. Beggs, of Mt. Pleasant, and the groom Mr. Wm. Breckinridge Hull, son of Mr. George W. Hull, a well-known farmer of the vicinity of this city. The ushers were Messrs. Edgar G. Hull, George W. Hull, Jr., brothers of the groom, Harry C. Albaugh and J. Howell Stonesifer. The bride wore a beautiful wedding gown of white rhadama, en train, trimmed with brocade silk; orange blossoms and long tulle veil, and carried a satin bound hymn book. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. P. Anthony, of Hampstead, pastor of the Manchester circuit United Brethren Church. The Chapel was filled to overflowing with the relatives and friends of the young couple, among whom were Mr. and Mrs. George W. Hull, parents of the groom; Miss Mollie Hull, his sister; Mrs. Lewis Shaffer, of the vicinity of Westminster; Mr. John Beggs, father of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. Albert F. Galt, of Taneytown; Rev. and Mrs. Al. B. Mower, of Chambersburg, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Formwalt, of Wakefield; Miss Leister, of Brummel; Mr. and Mrs. Theo. H. Beggs, Misses Annie M. Geiman, Lucretia R. Geiman, Cora B. Geiman, Mr. David R. Geiman, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Ebaugh and daughter, of Cranberry Valley; Mr. and Mrs. J. Wesley Beggs, Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Stonesifer, Mr. Wm. Stonesifer, Misses Lydia Royer and Lizzie Royer, of Bachman's Valley; Mr. and Mrs. John H. Stonesifer, Mrs. Geo. W. Stoner, Miss Maggie Stoner, of Stonersville; Mrs. J. C. Hull, Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Bott, Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Bankert, Misses Annie Haines, Ida H. Crouse, Susie Elgen, Alice Lippy, Mr. Joseph Erb, of Westminster. After the ceremony a reception was held from 3 till 5 o'clock at the residence of the bride's father, where an elegant collation was served. The bride received many handsome presents. The happy couple left on the 5.41 train from this city for a trip to Chambersburg, Pa.

DE YOE—MCKNIGHT.

At one o'clock last Monday afternoon a large and fashionable audience assembled in the College Church, Gettysburg, Pa., to witness the wedding of Miss Jennie M. McKnight, eldest daughter of President H. W. McKnight, D. D., of Pennsylvania College, and Rev. E. Luther De Yoe, pastor of the Lutheran Church of Emmitsburg, Md. Miss Mary McKnight, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, and Dr. Jas. Eichelberger, of Emmitsburg, groomsman. The ushers were Prof. Huber G. Buehler, of Gettysburg, principal of the preparatory department; Mr. Herbert B. Alleman, of Lancaster; Mr. Joseph Hoke, of Emmitsburg; Mr. Chas. B. Fager, of Harrisburg, and Dr. D. C. R. Miller, of State Line, Pa. The ceremony was performed by the bride's father, assisted by Rev. Dr. C. A. Hay, of the Theological Seminary.

LOVE—HORNER.

A wedding of much interest to many persons in this county occurred at the Parsonage of Whatcoat M. E. Church Baltimore, on Wednesday evening last. The bride was Miss Blanche Horner, daughter of the late Alexander Horner and sister of Mrs. George A. Miller, of this city. The groom was Mr. Wm. F. Love, an officer in the Baltimore post-office. Miss Jennie Horner, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid and the groomsman was Mr. George Hartman. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. E. Gibson, D. D., pastor of Whatcoat M. E. Church. The happy couple left directly after the ceremony for a two-weeks' trip

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Obituary.

Mr. Samuel Shunk, of this city, received a dispatch on Friday morning of last week, announcing the death, that day, of his son, Charles Clayton Shunk, at Fostoria, Wood county, Ohio, in the 36th year of his age. He was a native of this county and was a brother of Messrs. John G. and J. Walter Shunk, of this city. He had been in declining health for several years. He leaves a wife and three children.

Mr. Jesse Crowl, a well-known farmer, died at his home near Lucabaugh's Mill, Cranberry Valley, on Wednesday, 20th inst., aged 67 years, 8 months and 13 days. He was a native and life-long resident of that vicinity, and was for many years a member and officer of the Reformed congregation of Krider's Church. He leaves one son, Mr. J. S. Crowl, of Fulton county, Ills., and two daughters, Mrs. Jacob Kerchner and Mrs. Jno. Byers, of this district. His death was caused by Bright's disease, with which he was afflicted for a year or more. His remains will be interred at Krider's Cemetery this Saturday, morning, after funeral services at 11 o'clock, A. M.

Mr. John Gore, of Uniontown, died in that place on Thursday, 14th inst., aged about 81 years. He was, many years ago, a citizen of Manchester district, but had resided in Uniontown about fifty years, where he was, at one time, engaged in merchandizing. He was an earnest and consistent member of the Church of God, of Uniontown, in the Cemetery of which his remains were interred on Sunday morning after funeral services by Rev. G. W. Seilhamer, who preached an able discourse on the occasion. He leaves two daughters, Mrs. Wright Harbaugh and Mrs. J. Hollenberry. He was a subscriber to the SENTINEL from the date of its establishment, fifty-seven years ago.

Mrs. Catharine Myers, wife of Mr. Charles Myers, of Elizabethtown, in Uniontown district, died on Tuesday of last week, in the 84th year of her age. Her illness was very brief. She was attacked with cramps on Monday evening and died Tuesday morning. Her remains were interred on Thursday, 14th inst., in the Cemetery of the M. P. Church, Uniontown. Her aged husband, two sons and four daughters survive her. Among her children are Mr. Chas. Wm. Myers, Mrs. Israel Zieber, Mrs. M. L. Lantz, and Mrs. John C. Grumbine, of this city.

Mr. Henry Ditman, a well-known citizen of Pleasant Valley, died at his residence in that place, Thursday morning, 21st inst., in the 73rd year of his age, after a short illness of disease of the brain. He was twice married and leaves his widow and four daughters and nine sons, all children of his first wife and adults. Mr. Joshua Ditman, of this city, is one of the sons. His remains will be interred at Pleasant Valley Cemetery to-day at 12 o'clock, M.

Mrs. Sarah Devries, one of the oldest residents of Carroll county, died at her home, in Freedom, on Monday, of old age. Mrs. Devries was the mother of Mr. Christian Devries, president of the National Bank of Baltimore. The other children surviving her are Henry O. Devries, of Howard county; Wm. T. Devries, of Carroll, and Mrs. Ducker, of Baltimore county. She was a consistent member of the Methodist Episcopal Church from childhood, and was widely known and greatly beloved. She was eighty-seven years of age. Her husband Mr. Saile Devries, who died years ago, was a brother of the late Wm. Devries, the dry goods merchant of Baltimore. Her funeral took place from the Methodist Episcopal Church, Freedom, at ten o'clock Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Amelia Murray, wife of Mr. Jesse H. Murray, formerly of this city, died at her home, No. 1622 West Fayette street, Baltimore, on Saturday, 16th inst., leaving her husband and several grown children surviving her. She was about 60 years of age.

Proceedings of Circuit Court.

The Circuit Court for Carroll County resumed its sessions for the November term on Monday last, Hon. John E. Smith, associate judge, on the bench; D. N. Henning, Esq., State's Attorney. Practically this was the active beginning of the term, only the grand jury having been in session during the week. The following, among other business, was transacted up to the close of this report:

Wm. A. Mikesell vs. Joseph W. Smith; appeal from judgment of Justice Crapster for $28.31; appeal dismissed. McKellip & Clabaugh and Fink for appellant, Stocksdale for appellee.

John Stockett, Mamie K. Stockett vs. H. D. Richardson, appeal from judgment of Justice Houck for $72.15 and $1.85 costs; tried before a jury; verdict for appellants. Bond and Thomas for appellants, Fink for appellee.

Francis L. Gosnell vs. George W. Demmitt, administrator; appeal from Justice Davis; appeal dismissed. Brooks for appellant, Reifsnider & Reifsnider for appellee.

George Snyder and Corinda Snyder vs. Wm. B. Thomas; appeal from judgment of Justice Moore for $35 and $5 respectively; tried before a jury; verdict for appellee and judgment affirmed with costs. Stocksdale and Henning for appellants, Roberts for appellee.

Jacob Roop vs. Isaac S. Annan and James C. Annan, trading as I. S. Annan & Bro.; appeal from judgment of Justice Galt for $8.70 and $1.50 costs; tried before the court; judgment reversed with costs. Pearson for appellant, Reifsnider & Reifsnider for appellee.

State of Maryland vs. Henry Weigel; indicted for keeping a gaming table; plea of guilty, and fined $20 and costs—total $27.28. Henning for State.

Edward Lynch vs. The Western Maryland Railroad Company. Action on covenant; on trial. Messrs. Maulsby and Henning for plaintiff; Messrs. Roberts and Marshall for defendant.

Proceedings of County Commissioners.

The Board of County Commissioners was in session on Monday and Tuesday last and transacted, among other business, the following:

Mrs. Solomon Hall, of district No 7, was granted a special pension of $5 and Mary Kelly, colored, of the same district, a special pension of $5. Edmund F. Smith, collector of taxes in district No. 1 was released on $14,019 of the assessment for county purposes for 1888 and $14,584 for State purposes for the same year. The Board engaged in settling with road supervisors for repairing bridges and roads, and in general business.

The Commissioners will be in session on Monday and Tuesday next.

Libeled in New Jersey.

The *Daily Evening News*, of Baltimore, in its issue of Monday last contained an account of a libel suit in New Jersey, in which a former citizen of Westminster figured quite prominently. From the proceedings in the case, as reported in the *News*, we take the following extracts:

"On last Thursday, at Freehold, N. J., Mr. C. W. Tayleure, formerly of this city, editor of the Long Branch *News*, was tried on an indictment charging him with criminally libelling Dr. John P. Pemberton. The libel consisted in publishing Dr. Pemberton as a fugitive from justice in Maryland.

The testimony proved, and Dr. Pemberton admitted, that he did business in Westminster, Md., as John Prince; that he had bought goods in Baltimore from Hurst, Purnell & Co., Johnson, Sutton & Co., Robert Moore & Co. and A. Gottschalk & Co., under certain representations, and that these firms had him presented and indicted by the Grand Jury for false pretenses; that he was arrested in Westminster by William B. Lyons, a detective officer, brought to Baltimore and finally committed to jail where he remained for three months or more. Deputy Marshal John Lannan recognized him as the party so charged at the Central police station, where the Hon. A. Leo Knott represented the State in the examination and Judge Maulsby appeared for the defendant.

Prince was finally bailed in the sum of $1,500 by Mrs. Scott, whom Mr. Waterman testified that he, as counsel for the prisoner, procured to go bail, and that Mr. W. H. Whyte was also then counsel. Some time after (1880) Prince's (Pemberton's) release on bail the cases were stetted upon payment of costs by defendant, and trial avoided for the time being in that way.

Editor Tayleure, in pursuing inquiries and eliciting information, was advised first by a prominent lawyer in Westminster and afterwards by friends in Baltimore, that Pemberton, alias Prince, had, to use the familiar term, "jumped his bail."

Mr. Waterman testified at Freehold that cases so stetted could not be revived in any way, and that stetting on costs was a bargain to that effect between the State and the defendant.

The trial resulted after the jury was out three hours in a conviction, the judge charging that under the law Mr. Tayleure was guilty. Sentence was deferred and an appeal will be taken or a new trial asked. Dr. Pemberton, alias John Prince, is now a practicing physician at Long Branch, New Jersey."

Reported for the SENTINEL.

Singing.

Saturday evening, the 16th inst., witnessed the happy faces of the Meadow Branch Singing Class, at the residence of Mr. H. E. Morelock, on W. Green street, this city, they having assembled there for practice, through the kind invitation of Mrs. Morelock, one of Westminster's most estimable ladies. During the evening the class rendered many good selections from the various books in use by them, among which, we noticed, were the "Sceptre," "Gospel Chimes" and "Great Awakening." The singing of the class is evidential of improvement and progress, and only shows what can, and will be, accomplished by application and practice. After singing was concluded, the class was very unexpectedly invited to the dining-room, where was found spread, in tempting style, a collation of the luxuries of the season. It is unnecessary to say that all did ample justice to the feast of good things, giving evidence that the class was equipped with good appetites, as well as talent for vocal music. The evening too rapidly passed away; but the interest and kindness manifested by the hostess, and the hospitality which characterizes the household, shall not soon be forgotten, and this meeting of the class will no doubt be long remembered as one of its most interesting and pleasant ones.

Finksburg Items.

Ex-Mayor Latrobe and family have returned to Baltimore. They spent the autumn months at "Clover Hill" farm, the residence of Mrs. Latrobe's son, Mr. Thomas Swann. The Ex-Mayor speaks in the highest terms of the healthfulness of Finksburg neighborhood.

On last Thursday, 14th inst., Mr. John Green, of Baltimore, and Miss Melissa Harden, of this vicinity, were married at Metropolitan M. E. Church, Washington, D. C. Rev. J. H. Corey, pastor, performed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Green intend to make Baltimore their future home.

We have been informed that Mr. Adam Hughes will not lose his eye as was first expected.

Game has been very plentiful in this vicinity this season and a great many sportsmen from Baltimore have enjoyed the sport.

Mr. Herschel Lamotte is on a trip south. At present he is enjoying the sights of Fort Worth, Texas.

Mr. N. Greenaway Harden has removed to Harrisburg, Pa., where he is employed by the Oliver Chilled Plow Co.

The continual wet weather is delaying those who have not yet finished housing their corn. The crop in this vicinity is most excellent.

Thanksgiving Holiday Excursion Tickets.

On November 27th and 28th the Western Maryland Railroad will sell round trip excursion tickets, between all stations, at the low rate of two cents per mile. The excursion tickets will be good to return until Monday, December 2nd, 1889. An economical opportunity is thus offered to visit friends and exchange the greetings of the season and will no doubt be appreciated by residents all along the line of the Western Maryland Railroad.

Thanksgiving Day at New Windsor College.

We are requested to publish the following announcement:

The triplet colleges at New Windsor—faculty, trustees, boarding, day and all former students and their wives (those who have them)—are earnestly invited to join in a Thanksgiving dinner, to be given by the ladies in the Presbyterian Church, on Thanksgiving Day, from 12 to 1 o'clock. Post prandials and toasts will be the order of the day after dinner.

Benjamin G. Lovejoy, one of the best known residents of Washington, and at the time of his death a writer for the Baltimore *Sun*, died on Thursday.

Manchester Items.

A very serious burning accident occurred here about 10 o'clock last Saturday morning from the imprudent use of an inflammable oil in kindling a fire. Miss Mary Hosfeldt, a domestic in the family of Rev. C. M. Eyster, supposing a coal fire she had kindled in an upstairs room had gone out entirely, poured into the stove a fluid known as neutralized gasoline, from a can containing about half a gallon of the highly inflammable substance. It became ignited from some lingering remains of fire in the stove and the flame flashed like powder into the can, which was exploded, throwing the burning oil all over the clothing of the terrified girl. She ran screaming down the stairs and out into the yard, where Rev. Mr. Eyster, hearing her cries, ran to her assistance and quickly subdued the flames by the use of several buckets of water. Dr. John F. B. Weaver was summoned to attend the unfortunate girl and found her limbs and person to the waist, burned to a crisp. While she has not suffered severe pains from the effects of her injuries, she is in a critical condition. Mr. J. E. Masenheimer extintinguished the fire in the room where the explosion occurred, and in which the carpets, curtains &c., were ruined. The injured girl is a daughter of Mr. Andrew Hosfeldt, and is well-known in Cranberry Valley.

Information was received here on Monday of the death of George Simpers, whose extreme illness was referred to in my last letter. He died at Ellensburg, Washington. He and his family had been living at Seattle, until recently, when they went to Ellensburg, where his death occurred on the 8th inst., and where his remains were interred on the 10th, about 3,800 miles from his native place.

The ladies of the Trinity Mite Society of this place will hold an oyster supper in rooms adjoining the home of Mr. William Wilson, opposite the post office, on Thursday, Thanksgiving evening, 28th inst. Proceeds for the benefit of the church.

The young friends and members of the Fire Department will give an entertainment in the I. O. O. F. Hall, the latter part of this month. "The play, Ticket of leave-man," and a farce will make up the evening's program.

One night last week Mr. Sterner, miller at Fridnger's mill, while sitting in the mill room reading was suddenly disturbed by the door opening, when a white object entered and walking up to him asked what he was doing. He replied, "reading." The would-be ghost told him to continue to inform himself thus, but also said that it would pay him two more visits, and wanted him to intercede in behalf of a certain person in a business matter that then was quite shaky. After this the venerable ghost retired, not as hobgoblins generally do, but by walking away as naturally as man generally does. Mr. Sterner says the first introduction rather frightened him but the voice and manner soon assured him that the object was an old acquaintance wrapped in a sheet, and the principal factor in the business transaction referred to although he personated a departed friend of the miller.

The porker weights are coming in. Mr. John C. Denner registers two, 351, 295; Chas. Hively three, 313, 361, 248; Wesley Hoffacker three, 313, 358, 333; Leonard Smith two, 305, 255; A. Bergen, three, 984; S. Fuhrman one, 292.

Rev. J. N. Miller was called to Lancaster on Wednesday by the death of his brother-in-law's child. He has recovered from the indisposition that prevented him from filling appointments on Sunday last.

Harney Items.

E. H. C. Shoemaker died here last Friday morning. His death was expected for some time past, yet came at a moment when it was least anticipated. On Thursday he was seen on the street. His health had been failing for a number of years, consumption was doing its work, and for some time past he could not talk above a whisper. Funeral services took place on Sabbath afternoon, Rev. H. M. Heilman officiating; interment at Taneytown.

The wet weather has delayed the farmers very much with their outdoor work.

Martin D. Hess has gone to Baltimore to attend a business college.

Tobias Hawn is still suffering very much with the felon on his hand.

The roads, in this section, are almost impassable in places. We ought to have a few more supervisors.

Mrs. Good is confined to her house with rheumatism.

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Colored Wedding.

The home of Theodore Walker, a worthy and respectable colored citizen of Middletown, was the scene of quite an interesting wedding on Tuesday evening, 19th inst. The bride was his daughter, Miss Mary Walker, and the groom Wm. H. Boyce, a worthy young colored man, of that vicinity. The bride wore a wedding gown of green Henrietta cloth with plush trimmings, and a corsage bouquet of Gloria de Dijon rosebuds. The bridesmaid, Miss Annie Green, wore a sky-blue dress with corsage bouquet of chrysanthemums. The groomsman was Geo. Holiday. The ceremony was performed by Elder Solomon Stoner. A number of prominent white ladies and gentlemen of the neighborhood and quite a company of colored people were present. A table richly laden with the luxuries and delicacies of the season was spread and the good things heartily enjoyed by all.

Fountain Valley Items.

The weather continues wet, with rain, rain, rain, all the time rain. Farmers are done husking corn, but a few of them still have some of it lying out in the fields. Mr. David Royer has a fine crop. He has realized sixteen barrels per acre.

Mrs. Sarah Stonesifer has returned home from a visit to her sons in Baltimore.

Mr. Joshua Corbin is on the sick list; also John Jones, colored. They are suffering with consumption.

Mr. Upton Decker found a padlock key on the steps of his wood-house, on Wednesday morning. The door is fastened with a padlock, and the key was probably dropped by some person in attempting to unlock it. The owner can recover it by calling on Mr. Decker.

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