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LOCAL ITEMS.

It is said that the merchants of this city have generally agreed to close their places of business on the 4th of July.

Attention is called to the advertisement of Messrs. S. Kann, Sons & Co., in other columns of the SENTINEL to-day.

Mr. Henry Wardenfelt, of Smallwood, who served in Co. C, 6th Md. Regiment, has been granted a soldiers's pension.

Children's day exercises will be held at Thomas' Chapel, Tannery, to-morrow, Sunday, evening, at 7.45 o'clock.

John Heagey, formerly of this county, who served in Co. A, 6th Md. Regiment, has been granted a pension.

Mr. John R. Fossett, of Winfield, who served in Co. A, 6th Md. Regiment, has been granted a pension.

Mr. Jacob P. Baltozer, of Manchester, has been granted an increase of pension as a union soldier.

Mr. John T. Brown is remodeling his dwelling house, West Main street, this city.

Hon. P. J. Bennett is having his residence on East Main street, this city, repainted.

The annual excursion of the employes of the Western Maryland Railroad will take place on Saturday, July 25th, by rail and steamer, to Tolchester Beach.

Mr. George H. Forney, through his attorney, F. O. Pfoutz, Esq., has instituted suit against Mr. David Forney, in an action of debt, for the sum of $1100.

The ladies of St. Benjamin's Lutheran Church, near this city, are holding an ice cream and strawbery festival which will be continued until to-night.

The ladies of Grace Lutheran Church, of this city, will hold a festival at the Montour House, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings next.

Mr. J. Wm. Earhart, one of the best known citizens of this county, is confined to his bed, at his home in Union Mills, by a sore foot.

Mr. Covington D. Barnitz, of Baltimore, is having an addition built to his summer residence, East Main street, this city.

A valuable driving horse belonging to Mr. Francis Haines, of West Main street, this city, died from colic last week.

A valuable bull belonging to Mr. Jas. Turfle, near this city, died on Tuesday with symptoms of hydrophobia. It is supposed that the animal was bitten by a rabid dog.

A government pension has been granted to David Haifley, of the vicinity of Frizezlburg, whose son, Ezra Haifley, died from disease contracted in the army.

The dwelling house owned by Mr. E. O. Grimes, adjoining his residence on West Main street, has been remodeled and will be occupied by Mr. Jesse C. Sharrer and family next week.

Children's day services will be held at the Brick Church, Pipe Creek M. P. Circuit, at 2.30, P. M. to-morrow, Sunday, 14th inst. A very pleasant occasion is anticipated.

Mrs. Long, widow of the late Rev. P. A. Long, of Chambersburg, Pa., has removed to this city, and occupies the new dwelling erected by Mr. Wm. G. Rinehart, Main and Union streets.

A little four-year-old son of Mr. John Frick, residing several miles south of this city, was considerably cut and bruised by a plow which fell on him, while he was playing, on Wednesday. Dr. Jos. T. Hering dressed his wounds.

Dr. J. H. T. Earhart, who has been appointed postmaster at Union Mills, will remove the office from its present location at Mr. G. W. Yeiser's store, to his new drug store, at the east end of the village, during the next week.

The excursion of New Windsor Division, Sons of Temperance, to Baltimore, Saturday last, was a decided success. The excursionists from the several stations numbered, in the aggregate, upwards of four hundred.

Ayers Camp, No. 16, S. of V., of Winfield, was represented at the general encampment of the order in Maryland, which was held in Baltimore this week, by Messrs. Edward Zile, Wesley Barnes and Robert Barnes.

A number of the members of Door-to-Virtue Lodge, No. 46, A. F. and A. M., of this city, paid a fraternal visit to their brethren of Patmos Lodge, of Hanover, Pa., on Tuesday evening last. They were cordially welcomed and handsomely entertained.

Mr. George H. Fair, a well known citizen of Taneytown, died at his home in that place on Saturday last aged 74 years, 3 months, 9 days. He had been the leading undertaker in Taneytown for 37 years, and was a worthy and highly esteemed citizen.

On the first page of the SENTINEL this week will be found an oration delivered by Major J. Thomas Turner, commander U. S. Grant Post, G. A. R., at the National Cemetery, Alexandria, Va., on the recent Memorial day, 30th ult., which is published by request.

Prof. E. H. Norman, who was for five years a member of the faculty of Sadler's Bryant & Stratton Business College, of Baltimore, and for the past two years principal of the Windsor Business College, has been reengaged by the former school and will enter upon his duties September 1st.

The first story of the dwelling house adjoining M. W. Babylon's store, East Main street, near the railroad, in this city, is being remodeled and converted into a store room. Forty feet will be added to the rear, making a room of large dimensions and well adapted to business.

A little six-year-old son of Mr. Charles Elliott, of Taneytown, while visiting his grandfather, Mr. George C. Crass, near this city, on Monday last, was kicked above the left eye by a colt. Dr. John S. Mathias was summoned and dressed the child's injuries, which he fortunately found were not of a serious character.

Cards are out announcing the approaching marriage of Miss Annie Belle Snyder, daughter of Mr. Eli Snyder, of Baltimore, and Mr. G. Moritz Zepp, son of Mr. W. H. H. Zepp, of this city, which is to take place at the Third Reformed Church, Baltimore, at 7 o'clock, P. M., Wednesday, 24th inst.

Mrs. Elizabeth Shilling, widow of the late Nicholas Shilling, of this county, and mother of Mr. William Shilling, of Sandyville, died at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. James W. Jordan, in Baltimore, on Thursday, in the 93rd year of her age. Her remains will be interred at Sandy Mount burial ground at 11 o'clock this morning.

Mr. A. P. Gordon Cumming, of Freedom district, cabled his congratulations to his brother, Sir William Gordon Cumming, on the occasion of his marriage to Miss Garner. Mr. Cummings is reported to have said of the marriage: "I thank God that my brother has found a woman who is willing to stick to him through his trouble, and am indeed proud that she is an American."

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hughes, of the vicinity of this city, have received a letter from their son, Samuel E. Hughes, written at Honolulu, Hawaii, Sandwich Islands, where he has been since March last. He had paid a visit to the great volcano of Mauna Loa, of which he writes his parents an interesting description.

On Saturday last nine of the baseball players of this city went to McSherrystown, Pa., to play a game with the club of that place. Each nine played one inning and made one run, when the game was interrupted by rain and was not finished. The McSherrystown Club expects to return the visit of the Westminster boys in the future, when they will again try conclusions with ball and bat.

The first interment in the addition to Krider's cemetery was made on last Tuesday. The body of Abram Shafer, which had been buried temporarily in the old cemetery, was taken up and buried in the lot purchased in the new part of the cemetery by his family. A neat paling fence has been erected around the whole cemetery. Convenient entrances with gates have been provided and lot holdesr are now at liberty to improve the lots recently purchased by them.

The contributors to the Flower Mission this week were: Mrs. Samuel H. Shipley, Mrs. Dr. Jos. T. Hering, Mrs. Dr. H. C. Nelson, Mrs. John L. Reifsnider, Mrs. Dr. F. T. Shaw, Mrs. Judge James A. C. Bond, Mrs. Adam Rickel, Mrs. Stephan, Mrs. Carr, Misses Mary B. Shellman, Mamie Mobley, Laura Mobley, Gracie Diehl, Masters Grover Gist and Paul Shipley. The ladies were assisted in shipping the contributions by their faithful little helpers, Masters George and Frank Mobley. The receivers for next week are Misses Spalding and Blanchard; packers, Misses L. Lockard, Mary B. Shellman.

By the will of the late Evan T. Rinehart, of Baltimore, which has been admitted to probate in the Orphans' Court of that city, his entire estate is bequeathed to his widow, Mrs. Alice McBlair Rinehart, who is requested to give the testator's daughter by a previous marriage, Mrs. Mary H. Scott, of Adams county, Pa., five hundred dollars. The will assigns as a reason for not making further provision for Mrs. Scott the fact that she has already received all her mother's estate, together with the interest thereon, to which the testator was entitled. Mrs. Rinehart is named as the executrix of the will.

An old soldier named John Rock, residing near Carrollton Station, a well known character in this community, upon his return to his home from a visit to this city, on Friday of last week, imformed his wife that he intended to shoot a rabbit. She endeavored to dissuade him from his purpose; but taking his shot gun he went out of the house, when the weapon was by some means discharged and the contents lodged in the back and leg of a youth known as Conrad, who was working in the garden. Fortunately the distance was too great to inflict serious injury, but the boy was thoroughly peppered with shot. It is not supposed that the shooting was intentional.

On Wednesday last a party of about fifty persons met at Glyndon Park, the Prohibition camp-ground near Glyndon, to select sites for tents and arrange details for the fifth annual Prohibition camp-meeting, which will be held from July 17th to August 2nd, inclusive. The Camp Association is in a flourishing condition. During the last year, it is said, a debt of $5,500 has been entirely liquidated and ground to the amount of two and a-half acres has been added to the park. The managers of the Association are: Wm. Daniel, President; William Silverwood, Treasurer; Wm. McLeary, Secretary; and Messrs. Jacob M. Pearce, Wm. Kleinle, Louis H. Miller, Joshua V. Brown, W. Graham, A. G. Eichelberger, Edwin Higgius, Jno. L. Reifsnider, Levin S. Melson. Dr. J. McKendree Kemp is sanitary inspector.

Shortly before 11 o'clock on Wednesday morning an excursion train going west from Baltimore, on the Western Maryland Railroad, struck and killed Jos. Roberts, who was walking on the track, near Finksburg Station. The train was running at about 40 miles an hour, and when Roberts was observed on the track a number of shrill, sharp whistles where given to which he paid no attention. The brakes were put down but the train could not be stopped and the unfortunate man was struck by the engine. His back was broken and death was instantaneous. Roberts was partially deaf and dumb and mentally weak. He had no relations in this county, and was partly supported by the county, having been known as an out door pensioner. He lived in the vicinity of Finksburg and was a laborer. It is said he has a brother residing in Baltimore.

A change in the time schedule of the Western Maryland Railroad will go into effect to-morrow, Sunday. The only information we have concerning it is the time of trains at Westminster Station, which will be as follows: Trains going West, 5.20, 9.50, 11.41, A. M., 4.23, 5.44, 6.52, 8.13, P. M.; going East, 5.38, 7.10, 8.24, 9.43, A. M., 1.12, 4.27, 6.07, P. M. Sunday trains, going West, 11.12, A. M., 4.17, P. M.; going East, 7.12, A. M., 4.28, P. M.

Yesterday morning the truckers who have been selling strawberries and vegetables of their own production, from their wagons on the streets of this city, were notified by the authorities that they must pay the tax imposed by a recent ordinance of the Mayor and Common Council, on delivery wagons, and have a number attached to the vehicles used for that purpose. The order created considerable excitement and a good deal of opposition was manifested to its enforcement not only by the truckers themselves, but by citizens of the town. The conservatively inclined suggested that a test case be made and the legality of the tax, in regard to country wagons from which the owners sell their own produce, be ascertained by judicial interpretation as speedily as possible.

Death of Mrs. Rachel H. Troxell.

Mrs. Rachel Haines Troxell, widow of the late Alfred Troxell, died at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. George W. Albaugh, East Main street, this city, whose wife is her only daughter, and with whom she resided, at quarter-past five o'clock on Sunday afternoon last, quite suddenly, of heart disease, aged 73 years, 5 months, 20 days. Mrs. Troxell was a daughter of the late Nathan Haines, and has numerous relatives among the leading citizens of this county. She leaves an only sister, Mrs. Samuel Ecker, of New Windsor. She was of Quaker extraction, but was for many years a member of Centenary M. E. Church, of this city. She was a quiet, unassuming lady and a generous, devoted, benevolent and sincere Christian woman. Her late husband was the first President of the First National Bank of Westminster, and was one of the most honored and highly esteemed citizens of this community. He was twice married and a daughter by his first wife, Mrs. Thomas C. Thomson, of Washington, D. C., with her husband, attended the funeral of her step mother.

Funeral services were held at the home in which resided, at 2 o'clock, P. M., on Tuesday, Rev. G. W. Cooper, pastor of Centenary M. E. Church, officiating and speaking in an earnest manner of the Christian virtues of the deceased. He was assisted by Rev. J. T. Ward, D. D., who also paid a high tribute to her worth, and by Rev. J. L. Mills, D. D., who offered prayer. Her remains were interred in Westminster cemetery. The pall-bearers were: Dr. J. W. Hering, Dr. Charles Billingslea, Col. S. K. Herr, Messrs. Wm. A. Cunningham, Francis H. Orendorff, George R. Gehr, Wm. H. Vanderford, Wm. L. W. Seabrook. The funeral services were attended by a large number of relatives and friends of the deceased. The floral tributes were very beautiful.

Supposed Suicide of a Young Girl.

Annie Bernstein, a young German girl, who came to this country about two months ago, committed suicide by drowning, on Sunday last, in the waters of Spring Gardens, at the foot of Howard street, Baltimore. The unfortunate girl was a sister of Mrs. Jacob P. Wohlgemuth, and her father was a cousin of Mr. John Bernstein, of this city. When she first landed in this country she came here and spent ten days or two weeks with her relatives and then went to Baltimore, where she obtained employment. While here she was, at times, depressed in spirits, but the fact was naturally attributed to homesickness. It appears, however, that on the steamship on which she crossed the ocean she became attached to an employe of the vessel and her despondency was due to her separation from him. On Sunday morning, after visiting an acquaintance, she went to Locust Point, at which the German steamships which enter the port of Baltimore find anchorage, expecting to see her lover, but he had not returned with the vessel. She then returned to the house where her friend, Miss Mary Tompler resided, 730 Pennsylvania avenue, and, after some conversation, during which she remarked: "I do not think you will see me alive again," bid her friend good bye, and left. She did not return to her own home, but, it is supposed, wandered to the foot of Howard street, and either fell or jumped overboard. She was about 25 years of age. Her father is dead, but her mother and one sister reside in Germany. Her remains were brought to this city on Wednesday and interred in Westminster Cemetery, in the presence of a small company of friends and relatives. The burial services were conducted by Rev. G. W. Cooper, of this city. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful.

Orphans' Court.

Monday, June 8th.—James A. Logue, administrator of Prudence Logue, deceased, settled 1st and final account.

Wm. H. S. Allgire, executor of Melchour F. Allgire, deceased, returned inventory of goods and chattels, inventory of money and list of debts.

Josiah Unger, administrator of John Hesson, deceased, returned list of sales of grain.

Sevilla Boose, administratix of John Boose, deceased, returned list of sales of goods and chattels.

Calvin C. Wooden, administrator of Julia A. Wooden, deceased, returned inventory of goods and chattels, list of debts and received order to sell goods and chattels.

J. W. Hering, administrator W. A. of Nelson Mitten, deceased, settled 2nd account.

Tuesday, June 9th.—Paul Reinecker, executor of Jacob Leister, deceased, settled 2nd and final account.

James P. Summers, executor of Richard Logue, deceased, settled 3rd and final account.

Gilbert E. Flower and Wm. O. Shipley, executors of Mary A. Shipley, deceased, settled 2nd account, and reported sale of real estate.

The last will and testament of Emanuel Walker, deceased, was admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted to John R. Strevig.

Letters of administration on the estate of James George deceased, were granted to Eugenia B. George.

Eugenia B. George, was appointed and bonded as guardian of James B. and Bertha George.

Commencement Week.

Twenty-Fourth Anniversary of Western Maryland College, June 14th–18th, 1891.

ORDER OF EXERCISES.

Sunday, June 14th, 10.30, A. M.—Baccalaureate Sermon by President Lewis; 8, P. M.—Sermon before the Christian Association of the College, by Rev. C. Clever, D. D., of Baltimore. The congregation of the Methodist Episcopal, Methodist Protestant, Reformed and Lutheran Churches will unite in these services in the morning at Smith Hall, and in the evening at the M. P. Church.

Monday, June 15th, 3, P. M.—Opening of the Art Exhibition in the Library, Hering Hall; 8, P. M.—Recital contest and Calisthenic Exhibition, Smith Hall.

Tuesday, June 16th, 10.30, A. M.—Gymnastic Exhibition at Yingling Gymnasium; 2, P. M.—Society Reunions in Society Hall; 8, P. M.—Society, Literary and Oratorical contest, Smith Hall.

Wednesday, June 17th, 10, A. M.—Annual Meeting of the Board of Trustees; 10.30 A. M.—Class Day exercises, Smith Hall; 2, P. M.—Annual meeting and Banquet of the Alumni Association, Smith Hall; 8, P. M.—Vocal and Instrumental Concert, Smith Hall.

Thursday, June 18th 9, A. M.—Commencement, Smith Hall.

Graduating Class:—Misses Mary Bernard, Greensboro; Ellen I. Caulk, McDanieltown; Temperance E. Caulk, Sassafras; Esther A. Ebaugh, Houcksville; Edna E. Frazier, Middletown, Del.; Nannie M. Heyde, Baltimore; Katie Irwin, Boonsboro; Eldora M. Nelson, Westminster; Messrs. George I. Barwick, Kennedyville; Albert S. Crockett, Solomon's; Grafton E. Day, Darlington; Philip H. Dorsey, St. Clement's Bay; George B. Hadley, La Grange, N. C.; David S. Harris, Mt. Ephraim; Bartlett B. James, Baltimore; Marshall P. Richards, St. Michael's; Larkin A. Shipley; Daniel; George E. Waesche, Mechanicstown.

Personal.

Miss Irene Barnes, of Oak Orchard, Frederick county, is visiting Miss Annie Haines, Liberty street, this city.

Mrs. A. C. Strasburger and children, of this city, who are visiting friends in Baltimore, will remain during June.

Mrs. Sarah J. Shunk, of Fostoria, Ohio, widow of Charles C. Shunk, is visiting relatives in this city.

Miss Mamie Irwin, of Westminster, is the guest of Miss Bessy Shriver, Union Mills, this week.

Mrs. M. Schaeffer, of this city, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Bair, Hanover, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Adams, of this city, visited relatives in Baltimore this week.

Mr. John Sherfey, of Kansas City, Mo., is visiting relatives and friends in this county.

Mrs. Mumma and daughter, Mrs. Roney, of Dayton, Ohio, were visitors at Mr. Daniel Harman's, Taneytown, several days this week.

Mrs. Lizzie Brooks, of Baltimore, and Mrs. Dr. Hartzell, of Churchtown, Pa., are visiting Mr. Ezra Shugh and family, East Green street, this city.

Misses Sarah and Annie and Master Noah Witmer, of Maytown, Lancaster county, Pa., are visiting their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jessia Myers, of Pleasant Valley.

Misses May Early and Maggie Early, of Bridgewater, Va., Miss Jennie Stoner, of Little York, Ohio, and Miss Ida Englar, of Medford, Md., are visiting Miss Amy Roop, of Meadow Branch.

Miss Jennie Stoner, of Dayton, Ohio, visited her cousin, Mr. S. C. Stoner, and other relatives in this city, this week. Miss Stoner is a daugther of Mr. Daniel Stoner, formerly of this county, and a niece of Mr. David Stoner, President of the Board of County Commissioners.

The Farce and Comedy.

The rendition of the farce, "Popping the Question," and the comedy, "The Flower of the Family," by a company of amateurs of this city, on Friday evening of last week, furnished an admirable entertainment for those citizens who manifested their interest in the performances by their presence on the occasion. Every character in both plays was well represented, while some of the playing would have been creditable to profesionals. The casts were as follows: "Popping the Question"—Mr. Primrose, W. Reynolds C. Neale; Henry Thornton, Mr. Geo. J. Parke; Ellen Murray, Miss Ada Trumbo; Miss Biffin, Miss Mary B. Shellman; Miss Winterblossom, Mrs. Wm. H. Vanderford; Bobbin, Miss Margaret Baumgartner. "The Flower of the Family,"—Abner Howland, a merchant, Mr. R. Abner Parke; Oscar Loring, his ward, Mr. George J. Parke; Tom Howland, his nephew, Mr. Arthur F. Smith; Policy Newcomb, an insurance agent, Mr. Joseph D. Brooks; Spicer Spofford, clerk in an insurance office, Mr. W. Reynolds C. Neale; Mrs. Gordon Howland, a widow, Miss Annie Spalding; Alice Howland, her daughter, Miss Elizabeth Irwin; Lina Howland, Abner's adopted daughter, Miss Pauline Trumbo. Mr. B. F. Crouse was prompter; Mr. Geo. J. Parke, business manager, and Mr. W. R. C. Neale, stage manager.

Taneytown Items.

Mr. H. D. Mehring is repainting his barn.

The Presbyterian minister, Rev. P. Rioseco, a recent graduate of Princeton, arrived last Friday evening and will assume the pastorate of the new charge created by the division of the Emmittsburg charge.

The town council is having George street graded and property owners are busily engaged in laying pavements.

Mr. L. D. Reid, principal of the public school at this place, gave his pupils, about forty in number, a treat on Thursday by taking them to the Gettysburg battlefield.

Mr. John Fair, near town, gave a night's lodging to a traveling photographer, some time ago, and in the morning the stranger's horse was sick with symptoms of pinkeye. Since that time Mr. Fair's horses, seven or eight in number, have had that malady.

Last Saturday morning Mr. George H. Fair died in his 75th year, after several weeks illness, with dropsy. His remains were interred Monday morning, in the Lutheran burial ground, Rev. G. W. McSherry officiating. Mr. Fair followed the cabinet making and undertaking business and was a staunch Republican to the last. During the last Presidential campaign he exhibited a banner of the campaign of 1840, which was well preserved and was carried in all the demonstrations in this district during the campaign of 1888.

Fatal Accident at Sykesville.

The Baltimore *American* of Thursday gives the following particulars of a fatal shooting accident that occurred at Sykesville, on Tuesday last:

"One of the saddest accidents that has occurred hereabouts for some time happened at Sykesville on Tuesday. The victim was Mrs. Stuart Kearney. She shot herself in the breast and died last night. Her husband is private secretary to Mr. Walter B. Brooks, president of the Canton Company. Mrs. Kearney was just twenty-four years of age. She was a Miss Geigan before her marriage, and the daughter of John H. Geigan, of the Baltimore Transfer Company, who died about a year ago. She had one child, a boy a year and a-half old. Her mother, brother and sister live at No. 150 Madison avenue extended.

Just how the accident occurrred is not exactly known, as there was no witness except the victim herself. Mrs. Kearney, her husband and little child have been living at Sykesville for about two weeks in a pretty little cottage. Her husband came into Baltimore every morning to his work, and at the close of the day repaired to rural beauty and the bosom of his family. So far as is known, Mrs. Kearney's domestic relations were happy. There is every reason to believe that this was so, and therefore, there is no assignable cause for suicide, and no suspicion that Mrs. Kearney did take her own life.

At the time of the shooting—6.30 P. M.—She was dressing to go to an evening party at Captain J. W. Bennett's, nearby, and was in the room by herself, her husband just having left. He heard the report of a pistol presently, and hastening into the room with other members of the family, they found her lying on the floor with the pistol—a Smith & Wesson 38-caliber—under her body. She was quickly placed on a lounge and medical aid summoned. Drs. Sprecher and Heffingen were soon on hand, and did all that medical skill could do to ease the suffering of the unfortunate lady. The ball entered the right side between the sixth and seventh ribs, and passing upwards through the lilver and lungs, lodged somewhere in the body. She died from internal hemorrhage."

A coroner's jury summoned by Justice J. Frank Shipley rendered a verdict that death was caused by the accidental exploding of a pistol.

Bloom Items.

Messrs. Barnes & Tucker, of Taylorsville, who are boring an artesian well for Mr. John C. Shipley, of Gist P. O., got their drill fast one day last week some 30 feet below the surface, and being unable to hoist it by their steam power, left it and went home. On Saturday following Mr. George W. Frizzell, of this place, who has had considerable experience in drilling wells in Pennsylvania, happened by the place, and by a little brain work and exertion of muscle loosed the drill, and called some men near by and wound it to the surface. The operators have since finished the well.

Mr. Adam Bloom, one of the oldest residents of this community, died suddenly at his home, near here, on Sunday, May 31st. Mr. Bloom's health had been failing for some years and of late he was in a helpless condition. He followed milling most of his life, and before the roller process system was adopted in this county, had custom from far and wide. He had won the esteem of all who knew him and always bore the reputation of having been an honest and truthful man. His remains were interred in Salem M. E. Cemetery, on Tuesday, June 2nd, Rev. Emory Buhrman officiating. He was in his 70th year.

Mr. Cornelius H. Shipley, of the vicinity of Gist P. O., found a dead buzzard lying in his cornfield one day last week, with a small bell attached to its neck with a piece of wire. The bell was about half the size and the shape of a coffee essence box. It bore the inscription (I) and the letter D on the small pewter clapper. Mr. Shipley says if this account should come to the knowledge of the persons who put the bell on the bird he would be glad if they would give information through the columns of the SENTINEL as to when and where the buzzard was belled and set free.

Children's day services will be held at Salem M. E. Church, June 21st, commencing at 2 o'clock, P. M. An interesting program is being prepared for the occasion.

Mr. Reuben Parrish, who has been laid up with grip, is able to be out again.

Bird Hill Items.

On Sunday last we had a terrible storm of rain and hail. It occurred while the Sunday School at Deer Park Chapel was in session and caused quite an excitement there. The roof of the building leaks, and the ceiling became water-soaked and part of it fell. Fortunately no one was hurt, but it was a warning that a new church edifice is needed.

Mrs. Kate Shipley and her daughter Daisy, of Baltimore, spent a few days last week with Mrs. Shipley's mother, Mrs. John Blizzard, who is 82 years of age and quite feeble.

Mr. John G. Cook moved from Baltimore to our village on May 30th and now occupies Mr. Harrison Davis' house.

While Mr. A. T. Buckingham was delivering goods to some of his customers, on Wednesday last, a spindle of his wagon broke and he was thrown out, dislocating his elbow. Dr. Silas N. Gorsuch reduced the dislocation and Mr. B. is getting along very well at the present time.

Our pastor, Rev. Mr. Lane, has moved to the circuit and now occupies Mr. J. Q. Stitely's house on the Nicodemus road.

Children's day will be observed at Deer Park Chapel on Sunday, 28th inst., at 1 o'clock, P. M.

The wall of Mr. Wm. P. Baker's new barn is ready for the framework. Messrs. Nygren and Weeks did the mason work.

Day Items.

Mrs. Edward Smith, of Watersville, has been visiting friends in Washington, D. C.

We are glad to say that Mr. Joseph Cover, who has been quite ill for some time, is improving.

Mr. Harry Gosnell, of Winfield, has been visiting friends in Baltimore.

The Sunday Schools of this vicinity are all progressing finely. This is very encouraging to those who are interested in the work. The Schools are doing work for the Master.

Wheat in this section is looking well, but corn came up badly.

Freedom District Items.

Messrs. John R. Shipley and Harry Kelbaugh, of Hanoverville, Md., were the guests of friends in Daniel a few days last week.

Miss Jennie Penn, who has been visiting her cousin, Miss Ina Conaway, went home on Saturday last, much to the regret of her friends.

Mr. Larkin A. Shipley, of the class of '91 of Western Maryland College, is spending a part of senior vacation with his parents.

Miss Nannie Rippeon spent a few days with friends in this vicinity recently.

Mrs. E. A. Scott has returned to her home in Washington, D. C., but at the expiration of a few weeks will again be found at her country residence.

Mr. Frank Lewis had the frame of his dwelling erected last Saturday. Mr. E. Powers is the carpenter.

Mr. J. Zopher Skidmore, who has been in Florida for two years, is again with us.

Jordan's Retreat Items.

The recent rains have improved the late grass wonderfully.

Mr. John Ritter has bought of Mr. David C. Baile, ten acres of land, known as the Garner hill, for $30 per acre. Land is on the rise.

Owing to the rain on Sunday last, Children's day exercises were postponed till Sunday next, 14th inst. An interesting program has been prepared.

The second quarterly meeting of Linganore Circuit will take place at St. James' Church, 20th and 21st inst. Rev. S. W. Haddaway, of Central Church Baltimore, will fill the pulpit on Sunday morning and evening. Lovefeast will be held at 9.30, A. M.; preaching at 10.30, A. M., after which the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered. Preaching at 2, P. M., and 7.30, P. M.

Miss Etta Jordan, daughter of Mr. A. J. Jordan, and her maternal grandmother, Mrs C. A. Weaver, are at the old Maryland home, Jordan's Retreat, for the summer.

Shipley Items.

The grain and grass are making wonderful improvement and heavy crops of each are expected. The corn has come up nicely and in many instances has been plowed. Some persons have worked their early potatoes for the last time. The pea growers are preparing for the fast picking.

Mr. Geo. C. Freyman has made some needed improvements on his part of the Washington Road, as road supervisor. Mr. Frank Schneider has also greatly improved his part of the road.

We are glad to say that the whooping cough is abating somewhat; and the general condition of those who have been suffering from the influenza is better. Our pastor, Rev. W. H. Lane, will preach at Zion, on 14th, inst., at 10.00, A. M. His subject will be "Joseph's Dream." He moved from Baltimore, on the 10th inst., to the Deer Park circuit parsonage, where he met with a hearty welcome from many of the members of the church, who were in readiness to receive him and his family.

Melrose Items.

John L. Brown has a pet kitten that caught a very large rat one day last week.

Our farmers are as busy as bees making hay and cultivating their corn for the second time.

Cherries are ripe. The small boy is enjoying himself to the full by eating all he wants.

Mr. Ira B. Zepp and wife, of this vicinity, recently visited Mr. Daniel Utz and family, of Snydersburg.

A cat belonging to Mr. Charles T. Zepp caught two mice at once, one day last week.

Mr. George M. Zepp and wife, of this neighborhood, spent Saturday in Hanover.

Thieves visited this locality on Monday night. Some of them gained entrance into Mr. Reuben Shaffer's cellar and took some small articles. They also entered Mr. Henry Bucher's wheelwright shop and took a ratchet brace and some augers. This means more mischief by these miscreants. That same night some person or persons attempted to gain entrance to the dwellings of Messrs. Eli Warehime and Edwin Garrett, near here, but were frightened away. Our citizens should be on the watch and capture these midnight marauders.

Hampstead Items.

A very pleasant tea, from 6 to 10, was given on last Wednesday, by Miss T. Kirkland, at her beautiful residence, North Main street, in honor of Mrs. Andrue, of Harford county. Mrs. Kirkland was assisted in receiving by her daughter, Miss Ruby. The parlor and dining room were prettily decorated with flowers. After tea the guests were entertained with music and games. Among those present were Mr. Jesse F. Malehorn and wife, Mrs. Howard Armacost, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Turner, Master Albert Algire, Mr. and Mrs. Watts, Mr. Frank Fowble and wife and many others.

This section was visited by a very heavy rain on last Friday evening, which did considerable damage, washing deep gullies in fields, and flooding growing crops.

Mr. Henry Ebe and his son, of Camden, Ohio, visited relatives in this place and vicinity last week.

Very small congregations attended the regular services last Sunday because of the continued rain, which fell throughout the day.

Mrs. Eichelberger and daughter, and Miss Reed, of Camden, Ohio, spent some time with relatives of this place, enroute to the annual meeting of the German Baptists at Hagerstown.

The question whether to make 4th of July a gala day is being agitated by our prominent citizens. The idea at present is to have a trades display, patriotic addresses, &c. A meeting of citizens will be called and the question discussed thoroughly.

As every town has its evils, we know Hampstead is no exception to the general rule. Last Saturday evening and night it was the scene of several disgraceful fights and drunken brawls, the source of the trouble being directly traceable to too much whiskey or some other intoxicant dealt in by the saloons.

An Epworth League has been organized by members of the M. E. Church, of this place, with the following cabinet of officers: President, Rev. J. B. Hall; six Vice Presidents in the following order: Rev. T. E. Copes, Miss Mamie Murray, Mr. K. G. Murray, Mr. E. W. Turner, Mr. J. F. Malehorn, Miss Lou Cornman.

Manchester Items.

For several years a misunderstanding has existed between Rev. C. M. Eyster and some of the members of his Church as to his course in the performance of his ministerial duties and their rights in the Church, to which, upon several occasions, they called the attention of the consistory and at one time that of Synod, which endeavored to settle the difficulties through a committee. These endeavors, it appears, proved futile and during the last few months these misunderstandings were formulated into charges, which were submitted to the Maryland Synod for settlement. Several weeks ago the President, Rev. Albert Studebaker, of Baltimore, personally presented the charges to Rev. Mr. Eyster, who at once prepared himself to meet the same. Revs. Evans, Roth and Miller were appointed a committee to investigate the case. According to appointment they arrived on Monday moring and at once entered upon their duties in the lecture room of the Church, sitting with open doors. The proceeding, soon drew a large attendance to the hearing. Rev. Mr. Eyster, the accused, was fortified by the consistories of the four Churches, Bachman's, Kroh's, Snydersburg and Manchester, while the accusers were supported by quite a number of friends. The deliberations were opened with prayer by Rev. Mr. Evans, chairman of the committee, and were continued during the day and evening sessions as well as Tuesday morning session. They reserved a decision and left by the evening train on Tuesday. The affair excited more general comment than anything we have had for a long time to disturb the general quiet of our town and community.

The party contagion, which seems to be so prevalent, found its way to the house of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. K. Maurath, on South Main street, where we found a large company of little folks in the full enjoyment of celebrating the fourth birthday anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Maurath's little daughter Hazel. The grand-parents, uncles and aunts had united to make the affair a success, which they fully accomplished. The little ones were not only kindly received but were well entertained. Miss Flora Lippy acted mistress of the occasion and certainly did full justice to her position. But the most pleasing feature of the occasion was the the invitation, at 8.30, to the dining room, where a well filled table, amid flowers and evergreen decorations, tempted the little ones to their full capacity of indulgence in ice cream, cakes and confectioneries. Near by was a table containing many nice gifts to the little Miss, from her friends, who left at a late hour with their best wishes and good nights. Those present were: Velma Nelson, Annie Fuhrman, Florence Miller, Grace Lippy, Sadie Wink, Annie E. Fuhrman, Annie Wink, Florence Warner, Grace Leese, Ada Hanson, Millie Lippy, Pearl Burns, Carrie Warner, Lizzie Masenheimer, Lotta Shower, Norma S. Gettier, Maggie Fuhrman, Mary B. Nelson, Bertha Miller, Hazel Maurath, Irwin Fuhrman, Clarence Kneller, Walter Brilhart, Chas. Fuhrman, Lamar Yost, Martin Fuhrman, Walter Trout, Ross Shower, Glen Kohn, Clinton Warner.

On Saturday morning the remains of Nora Bell Wink, the 7-year-old daughter of Mr. Edward Wink, were brought here from their Woodberry home and laid away to rest beside the mother who preceded her to the spirit world several years ago. After the death of the mother little Nora became a resident of this place with her grandparents and only went to the Woodberry home several months ago with a younger brother. She contracted pneumonia, followed by croup, from which she died. Rev. C. M. Eyster officiated.

The funds from the egg breaking, concert and entertainment, given some months since by the infant department of Trinity Sunday School, for the purpose of securing an organ for their room, was sufficiently increased by the Sunday School, and Mr. Jacob Hoffman, agent, put a Miller organ into the room last week, which has given good satisfaction and of which the little folks are quite proud, feeling that it was paid for through their own efforts.

Friends of Mrs. May Shearer, *nee* Lane, were informed of her death last week from nervous prostration superinduced by La Grippe, during its prevalence a year ago. Mrs. S. died at Duncannon, Pa., her late home. She was the youngest daughter of Rev. P. P. Lane, at one time a resident of this place and consequently well known here.

The ladies of Trinity Reformed Mite Society will hold a strawberry festival in the lecture room of Trinity Church, on Friday and Saturday evenings, 12th and 13th inst., for the benefit of their treasury. The decorations promise to be fine, while ice cream and strawberries will be furnished at "Fair" prices.

The Grave Bro's. have had a lime kiln built upon their Dug Hill tract of land, and intend burning lime for sale. They get the stone from the Grove Oar banks, near Ebbvale, operated by Mr. Adam Fridinger.

Prof. David Denlinger, of the Irving Institute, here, recently had a severe fall, so bruising his left arm that he is compelled to carry it in a sling.

Mayor Herr, of your place, and his sister, Miss Lizzie, were the guests of Dr. Trump for several days during the week.

Haymaking and corn plowing are among the busy work of the farmers in this section.

Mr. Geo Warner lost a valuable Alderny cow last week from apoplexy.

The cherry crop is being gathered and they are selling at 5 and 6 cents a quart.

Sams Creek Items.

The farmers in this section of Carroll are busily engaged in plowing their corn, which, though backward in growth, looks promising.

The fine dwelling being erected by Mr. David E. Stem is nearing completion, and will be a credit to Sams Creek.

The Bethel M. E. Sabbath School will hold Children's day services on Sunday morning, June 21st. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

Mrs. J. Ezra Stem, who has been visiting her father, Mr. M. A. Parsons, at Salisbury, returned home on Thursday.

Miss Maggie Stem has returned from visiting Miss Nellie Parsons at Salisbury.

Mr. Alfred Brown, our popular Sams Creek miller, who has been in feeble health, is somewhat improved.

John Rouzer, the well known tanner of Mechanicstown, has filed a deed of trust in the Clerk's office at Frederick, naming Mr. H. C. Larrabee trustee.

Cold Spring Items.

The board of directors of Cold Spring Creamery met on the 8th inst., and after transacting routine business, they declared a dividend of 90 cts. per 100 lbs of milk.

The Farmers' Club met on the 5th inst.

Mrs. Joseph Shorb died on the 9th and was buried at Pipe Creek Thursday, the 11th inst. She was a devoted member of the German Baptist Church for many years. She leaves a kind husband, son and daughter to mourn her loss.

The farmers are busy working their corn and potatoes, and some are cutting barley, which is a fine crop through this section.

Capt Diggs is the first to lead in making hay.

The wheat is filling nicely. Some varieties are filling with eight rows of grain on a head.

Mrs. S. P. Engler got a strawberry out of the patch that measured 5¼ inches in circumference one way and 6¼ inches the other. Who can produce a larger one. This strawberry is an indication of better times for the farmers and we will name it The McKinley. If McKinley runs for Governor of Ohio we predict his election by a large majority.

Mr. Baker, of Baltimore, State agent for Maryland of the McCormick binder, sent for Mr. Grant Devilbiss, on the 8th inst., to come on next train to set up the machines.

Harney Items.

We have had an abundance of rain the past week and the ground is in excellent condition for the growth of all vegetation. There is every prospect for an abundant fruit crop; the young apples and peaches are very thrifty in appearance and unusually large for the time of the year.

Mr A. Degroft is making quite an improvement in front of his residence by building a stone wall the entire length of his lot. Our village could be greatly improved if others would follow the same example and have the walks in front of their houses put in a better condition.

Owing to the inclement weather last Sabbath there was but a small congregation at the U. B. Church, at the morning service, yet the pastor, Rev. M. M. Burtner, came all the way from Littlestown through the rain. The people need not hesitate about going to church hereafter when the weather is bad, for fear the preacher will not be present. Rev. Burtner is very much liked by his people. He is a well educated man, being a graduate of Lebanon Valley College.

Gamber Items.

Dr. Silas N. Gorsuch, of this place, is critically ill with a disease resembling colic, with which he has been suffering for some time. Dr. Wells was called to see him several days ago. Your correspondent has not learned the result of his diagnosis of the case.

Mr. Moses Barnes, Sr., an aged and highly esteemed citizen of this vicinity, has been taken to Baltimore, under the advice of his physicians here, for treatment for rupture, with which he has been suffering for some years, and which has assumed an aggravated form.

Union Mills Items.

Haymaking has commenced, and this is fine weather for it.

Owing to the bad weather last Sunday the Children's day exercises at Moorhead M. E. Church were postponed until Sunday evening, June 14th.

Mr. Harry Shriver recently purchased a Victor Credenda bicycle.

Mr. Leander Mathias has been unfortunate with his horses, lately, two dying for him within the past couple of weeks.

Mrs. Wm. Tagg has had her dwelling repainted.

List of Unclaimed Matter

Remaining in the Postoffice at Westminster, Md., June 6, 1891.

Ack, Miss Mabel
Anderson, E. F.
Arnold, Harry
Barnhart, Lewis
Black, Melvin
Boyer, Mrs. Liza
Dorsey, William
Haynes, F. W.
Hammett, Mrs. M. E.
Hartsock, T. E. B.
Malone, Thos. S.
Rappbold, George W.
Tracy, Miss Clara A.
Wantz, Louis
Webb, Albert
Wentz, Cornelius
Wertz, Mr.
Williams, Mrs. Cornelia
Wilson, William (3)
Zepp, George

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

GEO. E. SHARRER, P. M.

NO. 2883 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Carroll County.

John T. Fleagle and others, plaintiffs, vs. Mary Rebecca Fleagle, defendant.

ORDERED this 1st day of June, A. D., 1891, that the account of the Auditor, filed in this cause, be finally ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown, on or before the 22nd day of June inst.: Provided a copy of this order be inserted for two successive weeks before the last named day in some newspaper published in Carroll County.

BENJ. F. CROUSE, Clerk.

True copy—Test:
ju-9-2t BENJ. F. CROUSE, CLERK.

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Flour—Sea Foam (patent)	6.25@	6.25
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Damp Wheat	80@	96
Rye	80@	80
Barley	50@	50
Oats	45@	48
Corn	60@	62
Bran per ton	26.00@	26.00
White Middlings per ton	29.00@	29.00
Corn, per bbl	3.00@	3.25
Hungarian Seed	75@	80
Timothy Seed	1.25@	2.00
Clover Seed per lb	05@	06
Timothy Hay per ton	7.00@	8.00
Clover Hay per ton	4.00@	4.00
Mixed Hay per ton	5.50@	6.50
Rye Straw	12.00@	13.00
Flax Seed	1.50@	1.50
Buckwheat Meal	2.25@	2 50
Corn Meal per 100lb	1.25@	1.50
Dressed Hogs	4.00@	4.50
Lard	5½@	06
Bacon Shoulders	06@	07
Bacon Sides	06@	07
Hams	08@	10
Butter	10@	20
Potatoes	70@	75
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Eggs	13@	13

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" " Rye Flour	4.50@	5.25
Wheat	1.05@	1.08½
Corn	67@	68
Oats	51@	54
Rye	83@	98
Potatoes	75@	1.35
Hay	8.50@	13.50
Straw	8.50@	18.00
Dry Salt Shoulders	5¾@	0
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By order,
CHARLES BRILHART,
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