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In reply to numerous inquiries it is hereby announced that the SENTINEL will be sent to campaign subscribers, from date until the last week in November, for the sum of 25 cents. The importance of having sound and reliable information concerning the issues involved in the November election should cause a large subscription of this character. The people, who were so grossly misinformed last year concerning the nature and effect of the McKinley tariff law, should pay little heed to alleged information coming from Democratic sources by which they were then misled. The SENTINEL has exposed many of the erroneous declarations then put forth by Democratic authority, and will still continue to do so. Let its circulation be widely extended.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Pickett Post No. 17, G. A. R., will meet at the Post Hall, Winfield, at 7 o'clock, this, Saturday, evening.

Dr. D. F. Shipley, of this city, has a pear tree on his premises that is full of buds with a few blossoms and will probably be in full bloom in a day or two.

Mrs. Isadore R. Hoppe, of the vicinity of this city, who has been seriously ill with typhoid fever, is recovering and is believed to be out of danger.

The Boys' Meeting, which was suspended during the summer, was reopened at Carroll Hall, on Saturday last, with a large attendance.

The dwellings of Messrs. M. John Lynch, Wm. Coon and John E. Eckenrode, of Liberty street, this city, have been repainted.

Mr. David M. Young, of the vicinity of New Windsor, picked from a tree in his orchard a fall pippin which weighed twenty-two ounces. He presented it to Mr. O. D. Gilbert, of this city.

Mr. Charles E. Yingling left at this office, on Wednesday, a pound apple from the orchard of Mr. Andrew Myerly, near Roop's Roller Mill, which weighs a pound and three ounces.

On the 23rd ult. Mr. John C. Denner, mortgagee of Mr. Samuel S. Warehime, sold a tract of land near Maple Grove Station, containg 78 acres, to Mr. Joseph H. Wink for $2,300. Hon. Charles B. Roberts was counsel for the mortgagee.

By the way, what has become of the equinoctial storm? According to the weatherwise it was due nearly two weeks ago, but it has not yet put in an appearance. Perhaps it is like the story of William Tell, only a myth after all.

Mr. Edward Long, of Rocky Ridge, died on Saturday evening last of paralysis, leaving a wife and seven children, five sons and two daughters. One of his daughters is the wife of Mr. Samuel Thomas, formerly of this city.

William Lantz, the brakeman on the Western Maryland Railroad who was injured in the collision at Timber Grove Station, on Thursday of last week, died on Wednesday night at the City Hospital, Baltimore.

The SENTINEL returns thanks to Mr. Henry Poole, of Centre street, this city, for a quantity of fine ripe peaches, some of which measured nine inches in circumference. He calls them the "Poole's Corn Bread" variety.

Col. Wm. A. McKellip, as trustee, sold at public sale, on the 19th ult., a tract of land adjacent to the village of Mayberry, containing 14½ acres, of which 6 acres is timber land, to Mr. Samuel Bare, at $30 per acre.

Ex-Mayor Milton Schaeffer, who has recently been suffering much from the effects of an injury to one of his limbs received several months ago, and apparently trifling in extent, is slowly improving.

The comedy-drama, "The Midnight Alarm," presented at Odd Fellows' Hall, this city, on Monday and Tuesday evenings, by a traveling company, was well rendered and attracted a large attendance.

Mr. U. L. Reaver has on exhibition at his store in the Wantz Buildings, this city, several ears of corn measuring 13½ inches in length. They are of his own raising, having been produced on a lot owned by him a short distance from the city limits on the road leading to the water works.

Miss Amanda Root, formerly of this city, and who for for the past nine years has been a teacher of the public schools at Union Bridge, has been appointed to a position in the High School at Wethersfield, Baltimore county, of which Prof. C. H. Spurrier is principal.

Among the distinguished gentlemen invited to attend the emancipation celebration in this city, October 23rd, are President Harrison, Ex-President Cleveland, Secretary Blaine, Frederick Douglass, Governor Jackson, Col. Vannort and Hon. Frank Brown.

Mr. Theodore Crawford, of East Main street, this city, left at the SENTINEL office a few days ago a sprig from a raspberry bush upon which there were a dozen raspberries, a number of which were large and ripe. They were not of the ever-bearing variety but genuine second-crop berries.

The Benevolent and Aid Society of St. Paul's Reformed Church, of this city, met on Tuesday evening at the residence of Mr. Jno. T. Erb, West Main street. A very interesting program of readings, charades, &c., was rendered. The next meeting will be held at the residence of Mrs. Mary J. Bowers, East Main street, some time during this month.

Carroll Chapter No. 51, Royal Arch Masons, is about to resume work for the Fall and Winter and the first regular convocation will be held next Friday evening, 6th inst., at 7½ o'clock.

B. F. Crouse, Esq., Clerk of the Circuit Court, received for record, during the month of September, 33 deeds, 15 mortgages, and 8 bills of sale. 21 marriages licenses were issued.

Comptroller Baughman has made the quarterly distribution of the public school tax fund, of which Carroll county's share is $3,378.55 for white, and $291.88 for colored schools.

Door-to-Virtue Lodge No. 46, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, of this city, resumed labor, after the summer vacation, on Thursday evening. Grand Lecturer Graham Dukehart, of Baltimore, was present on the occasion.

A Ginger Bread Tea Party will be given by the "Willing Workers," at the Methodist Protestant Church, on Friday and Saturday evenings, October 2nd and 3rd, for the cause of missions. Come one, come all.

A youth named Wolfgang, who resides with Mr. M. C. Nickey, of this city, had one of his fingers considerably lacerated by an explosion of powder in a small steel tube with which he was playing, in Col. Longwell's grove, on Sunday last. The wound was dressed by Dr. J. T. Hering.

The Hebrew New Year commenced at sundown yesterday and will end at sunset to-day. It is an exceedingly interesting occasion to the Jewish people and is strictly observed. As heretofore stated the stores of Messrs. S. Kann, Sons & Co., and A. C. Strasburger, in this city, are closed, and will also be closed on Saturday next, the Day of Atonement.

The hot dry weather that had prevailed for nearly two weeks was broken on Tuesday evening, after a brief but refreshing rain. It had become so dry that farmers generally had ceased seeding, it being generally understood that the beneficial effects of fertilizers are diminished by a drought during or immediately succeeding seeding.

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The individual deposits subject to check in the several National Banks of this county at the close of business, September 25th, were as follows: Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank of Westminster, $59,719.14; First National Bank of New Windsor, $73,505.42; First National Bank of Westminster, $155,368.09; Union National Bank of Westminster, $165,222.32; total $453,814.97.

Mr. Joseph Hunter, of the vicinity of this city, has the most prolific turkey hen on record. Since March last she has laid upwards of one hundred and forty eggs and is still laying. At the beginning of this remarkable performance she weighed fully twelve pounds, but is now reduced to four pounds. The eggs have also gradually diminished in size until those now produced are no larger than ordinary chicken eggs.

The Walnut Grove Musical and Literary Society, of Porters, will give a musical and literary entertainment at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, near Taylorsville, on Saturday evening, 17th inst., commencing at half-past 7 o'clock. If the evening should prove unfavorable it will take place on the following Tuesday evening, 20th inst. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the church. The admission will be 10 cents.

Four young men, aged from 16 to 18 years, named George Kelley, Henry Zeller, William Adams and Joseph Adams, who were arrested by Baltimore and Ohio Railroad detectives on the charge of breaking into cars at Gaither's Siding, were brought here Monday afternoon by Constable Barnett, on a commitment issued by Justice Wm. P. Gorsuch, Jr., and lodged in the county jail. Two others who were in the gang escaped.

Burns Post No. 13, G. A. R., will meet at Odd Fellows' Hall on Saturday night, 10th inst., for the purpose of assisting in the organization of a Camp of Sons of Veterans. Officers of the latter order, from Washington, D. C., will be present and officially institute the Camp. A full attendance of the members of the Post is requested. All sons of veteran soldiers are invited to attend and unite in the organization.

Rev. Thos. H. Lewis, D. D., President Western Maryland College, left on Saturday morning last for a short visit to his relatives in Talbot county and then started on Monday on his tour around the world. Previous to his departure he was presented by the students with a very handsome pair of field glasses. The charge of the college was formally transferred to Rev. J. W. Reese, Ph. D., as President pro tem.

On Friday night of last week the meat-house of Mr. Nelson Gilbert, West Main street, this city, was entered and 3 hams and 4 shoulders of meat stolen. The house was fastened with hasp, staple and lock, but the staple was bored out quite neatly, and by an apparently skillful hand. Officer Matthews, of this city, has been investigating the matter and the parties implicated in the theft have been traced by him. The case will probably go to the grand jury at the November term.

The list of unclaimed letters remaining in the postoffice of this city, this week, it will be seen, is unusually large, but upon examination it will be found that most of the names are those of former citizens now residing, permanently or temporarily, elsewhere. The missives probably contain, in most cases, notices of the Officer of Registration of this district to appear and show cause, if any, why the names of those to whom they are addressed should not be stricken from the lists of registered voters.

Rev. W. J. Kane, formerly pastor of the Reisterstown and Manchester Catholic Churches, and whose residence was in this city, has been transferred to St. Gregory's Church, corner Baker and Gilmor streets, Baltimore, as assistant to Rev. O. B. Corrigan. He left on Thursday for his new field of labor. While in this city he made many friends by his genial and kindly manner, and his departure is sincerely regretted. Rev R. B. McCarthy, of Washington, D. C., who has been appointed to succeed him, arrived here on Thursday.

Miss Flora J. Buell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Buell, of Philadelphia, and Mr. Wilbur F. Rawlins, son of Rev. P. E. Rawlins, of the M. E. Church, Camden, Del., were married on Thursday, at the home of the bride, in the first named city. The ceremony was performed by the father of the groom. The event will be of interest to the many acquaintances of the bride in this city and county, of which she is a native, and where she and her parents and family have numerous relatives and many friends. Mr. and Mrs. Rawlins will reside in New York, and will be at home October 15th, at No. 221 West 135th street.

Mrs. M. Catharine Seabrook, of Creagerstown, Frederick county, celebrated the eighty-fourth anniversary of her birth on Tuesday last. A number of her friends were invited to dine with her on the occasion, several of whom, like herself have reached an advanced age. Among those present were her sons, Mr. John H. Seabrook, of Austin, Ohio, and W. L. W. Seabrook, editor of the SENTINEL; Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Zerger and son, of Lewistown; Mrs. Euphemia Seabrook, of Middleburg; Mrs. Catharine Koontz, Mrs. Eva Staub, Mrs. John Clemm, Mrs. William Speake, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Cramer, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Hann, Miss Jane Harbaugh, of Creagerstown.

The contributors to the flower Mission this week were: Mrs. Henry E. Morelock, Mrs. George W. Matthews, Mrs. W. A. Cunningham, Mrs. A. Ensor, Mrs. S. Shunk, Mrs. M. A. McGirr, Misses Flora Saylor, Sallie Fechtig, Laura Nygren, Katie and Gertrude Baer, Janie and Lena Reaver, Carrie Mourer, Ida Lockard, Lizzie Nusbaum, Lillie Woodward, Maude Waesche, Bettie Beaver, Blanche and Mamie Buckingham, Sallie Roop, Masters Grover Gist, Willie Utz and Carroll Albaugh. The ladies were assisted in receiving and packing by Gertrude Baer, Janie Reaver, George and Frank Mobley. The receivers for next week are Miss Ida Smith and Miss Barnitz; packers, Misses Lockard and Mourer.

Way freight train No. 5, going West on the Western Maryland Railroad, and through freight train No. 28 going East, collided near Owing's Mills shortly before 8 o'clock on Saturday morning last, causing a wreck and damaging the engines and cars to the amount of $3,500. The way freight was composed of ten cars laden with miscellaneous merchandise, and the other of thirteen coal laden cars and one containing wheat. Michael Murphy, conductor, and Frank Smith, fireman, of No. 5, both of Baltimore, were injured, but not dangerously. The officers of the trains had orders to pass at a point lower down the road, but for some reason train No. 5 proceeded and occasioned the collision, Michael Murphy was the conductor and John Sinnott engineer of this train. Passengers were transferred at the wreck until 3, P. M., when the road was again clear and trains running as usual.

For the SENTINEL.

Graybill-Bixler.

The spacious and hospitable home of Elder Uriah Bixler, near this city, was the scene of a very pretty and interesting wedding on Tuesday last, it being the occasion of the marriage of his eldest daughter, Miss Ida F. Bixler, to Mr. M. Charles Graybill, of Botetourt county, Va. At 12, M., the bride and groom entered the parlor attended by Miss Mollie Bixler, sister of the bride, and Miss Minnie Groft, and were united in marriage by Elder Ephraim W. Stoner. The bride, who is a very pretty blonde, looked charming in her dress of soft cream cashmere trimmed with lace. Immediately after the congratulations all were invited to the dining room and did ample justice to a bountiful dinner. Refreshments were served at 4, P. M., consisting of ice-cream, lemonade, cake and fruit. The guests then departed well pleased and agreed that their host and hostess knew how to entertain all. Mr. and Mrs. Graybill will take a bridal tour through Virginia. The following persons were present: Elder Uriah Bixler and family, Elder and Mrs. Ephraim W. Stoner, Elder and Mrs. Emanuel Babylon, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Hull and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Schweigart and family, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Bixler, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Groft and daughters, Mrs. James Lemon and daughter, Mrs. Margaret E. Tracy and son, the Misses Myers, Miss Irene Reese, Miss Amy Roop, Messrs. John E. L. Hanna, William E. Rinehart, John Myers.

Portrait of the late Rev. P. A. Long.

Mrs. Rev. P. A. Long, of this city, has received a handsome portrait of her late husband, the history and description of which are thus given in the Chambersburg, Pa., *Public Opinion*, of the 11th inst:

"The large crayon portrait of the late Rev. P. A. Long, made by our contributor, John B. Hege, of Marion, has been sent to Mrs. Long, for whom it was intended. It was the gift of parishioners at Marion and Grindstone Hill, and in response to the personal efforts of Messrs. T. G. Zarger and J. C. Coble, elders of those congregations. The portrait is life size and was made from a cabinet picture taken by our neighbor Williams, which also had a wide circulation after the popular pastor's death. Mr. Hege gave to the work his best touch and as a result a crayon portrait of the deceased minister is made as absolutely true to life as it was possible to make it. It was placed on exhibition in the Marion church on Sunday, the 23rd ult., where it occupied a position at the side of the pulpit during the morning services and at Sunday school. Many were the expressions of satisfaction heard from members of the church and Sunday school, and the artist was highly complimented for his work. This gift to the wife of the deceased pastor is an appropriate testimonial of regard from the members of the Grindstone Hill charge, and as such will be highly appreciated by Mrs. Long, who also had the warm affection of the people during the ministry of her husband."

Proceedings of Orphans' Court.

Monday, September 28th.—Lorena A. Steele bonded as guardian for James H. Steele.

Letters of administration on the estate of George R. Becraft, deceased, were granted to Joseph D. Brooks.

Tuesday, 29th.—Nicholas W. Steele and Charles B. Roberts, administrators of James H. Steele, deceased, reported sale of leasehold property.

Don't forget to register next week.

Personal.

Mr. Edward Mc. Noel, of Washington, D. C., is visiting relatives in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Buffington and daughter, Miss Nettie, spent Saturday and Sunday last with friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Baughman, of this city, have returned from their month's visit to Baltimore.

Miss Grace Weaver, of this city, is visiting Miss May Brown, Chambersburg, Pa.

Mr. Jerome C. Woolery and family, of near Dayton, Ohio, are visiting Mr. Woolery's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Woolery, near this city.

Mr. Thomas C. Thomson and family, heretofore residing in Washington city, have removed to their new dwelling at Tacoma Park, D. C.

Mrs. Louisa Fowler and family removed from this city to Baltimore this week. They resided on West Main street.

Mr. A. Clarke Thompson, of this city, returned to the University of Pennsylvania, at Philadelphia, of which he is a student, after the summer vacation, on Tuesday last.

Mrs. John G. Shunk, of this city, has returned home from a visit to her husband, in Michigan. Mr. Shunk is still traveling in Michigan for the St. Louis Wrought Iron Range Company, and is a very successful salesman.

New Windsor College.

The College opened September 16th with a prosperous roll. The institution is divided into three schools, namely, New Windsor College, giving the degree A. B. to those who take the prescribed course or its equivalent; the Windsor Female College, with courses of study leading to the degree of M. P. L., with the privilege to those who pursue the classical course of also taking the degree of A. B.; and the Windsor Business College, which gives a thorough course in bookkeeping and other studies necessary to a business life, including short hand and type writing. This college also graduates those who take the course, with a diploma.

The first monthly sociable of the year was held on last Friday night and was a very enjoyable affair. The Faculty received.

The roll of students is not only longer than usual at the opening, but the Faculty has been increased. The new professors bring to their work experience and endorsements of the highest grade.

The full list of professors, teachers, and assistants is as follows: Rev. A. M. Jelly, A. M., D. D., President; Mrs. A. M. Jelly, A. M., Principal of the Female College; Professors E. N. Moyer, A. B.; E. C. Mench, A. B., A. M., Ph. D., M. D.; Miss Nora Ecker, M. P. L.; Miss L. J. Graddick, M. P. L.; Miss Annie Miller, M. P. L.; Miss M. B. Jelly, M. P. L.; Miss Rosa Gray, Miss Mabel Roberts, (Musical and Vocal Culture,) Miss S. E. Norman, teacher of type writing and short hand; H. D. Ensor, A. B., and H. E. Koons, assistants; J. A. Buffington, A. M., M. D., and Rev. Wm. M. Arnolt, A. M., Ph. D., Lecturers; J. F. Buffington, A. M., M. D., Resident Physician.

Rocky Ridge Items.

The election fever is raging pretty high but as yet our doctors have had no extra calls to make.

The German Baptists of this place will hold their usual fall lovefeast on October 15th.

Apple picking and corn cutting are in full progress in this section, and pumpkin rolling will probably soon begin. All crops are unusually large.

Last Friday evening Mrs. Charles Troxell and her husband's sister were startled by a noise in the yard, and hastily blowing out the light and going to the window, saw a man running from the yard with a bundle under his arm. He was without doubt a tramp, and was prowling about for some evil purpose.

Mr. Chas. M. Smith, who is a locomotive fireman on the Western Maryland Railroad and who was in the wreck of the 26th inst., near Owings Mills, arrived here Monday evening, to spend a few weeks with his parents while recovering from his injuries. We were indeed surprised to see him step from the train and greet us with his usual pleasant smile and hearty hand shake, as we had heard that he was very badly injured. Though only a part of his face was visible from the bandage he wore over the bad cut near his right eye his cheerful voice was plainly recognized. He is a highly respected young man and possesses an unusual amount of nerve and decision of character. He made a very fortunate escape.

Gamber Items.

The young men of this vicinity have for some time past been contemplating the organization of a Brass Band here and their efforts in that direction have been finally crowned with success. They have procured their instruments and secured the services of Prof. Charles Stonsifer, of Westminster, as their instructor, and will shortly have permanent quarters for practice. Mr. George Benson is president of the organization, which numbers sixteen members. We congratulate the young men on the result of their energetic efforts and offer our best wishes for their future success. Their first meeting with the new instruments in hand occurred on Thursday evening.

A protracted meeting is announced to commence at Providence M. P. Church on Sunday morning, 4th inst., at half-past 8 o'clock.

Apple butter boilings and "snitting" parties are all the rage at this time.

Most of the corn in this vicinity has been cut off and cider making and seeding are now the order of the day among the farmers.

Louisa Becraft, an aged lady who got crippled several years ago by a fall and had been confined to her bed ever since, died on the evening of September 28th, and was buried at Mt. Pleasant M. E. Church burial ground on Thursday. She is supposed to have been upwards of 80 years of age.

Bird Hill Items.

Mr. John W. Barber was very sick the latter part of last week, but is up and about the house again.

Mrs. Rachael Davis has also been quite sick, but is improving and will soon be able to be out again.

The corner-stone of the new Deer Park Chapel will be laid on Sunday next, 4th inst., at 2 o,clock, P. M., with appropriate ceremonies. It is expected that Rev. J. T. Ward, D. D., President of Westminster Theological Seminary, will be present and participate in the services on the occasion.

Jordan's Retreat Items.

The farmers of this neighborhood have about completed cutting off corn, which is a fine crop. Some have been waiting for rain to finish their seeding.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Haines are visiting friends in Illinois and expect to be absent two or three weeks.

Mr. Jonathan Lambert has bought from Mr. E. Garner a lot of land, lying between the properties of Messrs. Batson and John Keefer, on which he is erecting a dwelling and also a storeroom in which he intends to conduct the grocery business.

Mr. John Richter has sold the property purchased by him from Mr. E. Garner, and known as Garner's Hill, to Mr. George Batson, who has now a nice little farm.

To-day—September 29th—is St. Michael's day and those who claim to be wise in such matters say that it will govern the weather of early winter. In that case it will be damp, with south and southwest winds.

St. James' Sunday School celebration was held on Saturday last, 26th inst., and was quite a success. Everybody had a good time. The program was interesting and attractive, and consisted of about twenty recitations and dialogues by the children, and highly entertaining addresses by Mr. Isaiah Devilbiss and Rev. J. L. Lloyd. Rev. W. H. Woolf is pastor in charge, Rev. J. C. Hawk junior pastor, and Mr. J. Stuller, the worthy superintendent. The school is in a prosperous condition, having 173 officers, teachers and schoars on the roll and $40.70 in the treasury, a better financial showing than it has been able to make for many years.

Union Bridge Items.

A quiet and very pretty wedding took place at the residence of Mrs. Deborah Hugh, in this city, on Wednesday. The bride was Miss Ruth Hibberd, daughter of the late Theodore Hibberd, of this county and the groom Mr. Samuel Little, formerly of Warfieldsburg, but for several years past a resident of this city. The ceremony took place at 3, P. M., in the presence of a number of friends and relatives. It was performed according to the manner of the Friends, and was regarded with great interest by those who witnessed it. The bride and groom were the recipients of a number of valuable presents. They will reside during the winter at Waynesboro, Pa.

Mr. Clayton Wolfe, of this place, lost a hundred and fifty dozen eggs in the collision on the Western Maryland Railroad, near Owings Mills, on Saturday last.

The Citizens Æolian Band attended the Democratic mass meeting at Woodstock on the B & O. R. R., on Thursday.

Farmers have generally completed their corn cutting and are now seeding wheat.

Two tramps, a man and woman, were arrested here on Tuesday and Justice Crabbs committed them to the House of Correction.

Melrose Items.

Farmers are busy finishing seeding and cutting off corn.

The grape crop was very large this year. Our farmers have taken advantage of this by making barrels of grape wine. Plenty of "hard" cider is being made and stored away for winter use.

Last week Mr. Peter J. Geiman had the misfortune to lose a valuable bull by drowning.

Last week the trustees of Wentz's school met at the school house. They contemplate erecting a new porch to the building.

Last week Mr. Emanuel Garrett lost a valuable horse.

Mr. Ed. Colgan and wife of McSherrystown, Pa., spent Sunday with friends in Ebbvale.

Last week the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horatio C. Shaffer died.

On Sunday last a small child of Mr. Ephraim Bachman, of Bachman's Valley, died. Its remains were laid to rest on Tuesday last.

On Monday last Amelia, daughter of Mr. Geo. Stonesifer, of near Bixler's P. O., died. Her remains were laid to rest at Bachman's Church on Wednesday last.

Linwood Items.

Mr. Joseph Englar, of Linwood, who was taken sick very suddenly last week, is improving, but not yet able to return to his business.

Miss Emma Garner spent Saturday evening and Sunday with Miss Eva Gilbert, of Uniontown.

Mr. Ezra J. Poole, of Pullman, Ills., who had been visiting friends in this neighborhood for five weeks, returned home last Monday.

A fine shower of rain passed over this locality on Tuesday, greatly refreshing the early sown grain which is coming up very nicely. Some of our farmers have finished sowing wheat and others will finish this week. The corn, which is a very heavy crop, is about all cut off. Apples, which are abundant, are being gathered for winter.

There was a very pretty wedding in the Church of God at Uniontown on Tuesday. The contracting parties were Mrs. Carrie S. Fogle and Mr. Benton Myerly. The church was handsomely decorated for the occasion.

Harney Items.

Mr. Elmer Hess lost a fine colt last week. The colt ran against the corner of the barn and hurt itself so badly that it died the next day.

Mr. Tobias Hawn is suffering severely with rheumatism. He has been laid up for nearly two weeks.

A little rain last Tuesday laid the dust and cooled the atmosphere many degrees.

We still hear complaints of things being stolen around here.

Messrs Shoemaker and Fream have completed the bridge which was washed away during the August flood.

Our farmers are busy cutting corn and picking apples.

Mr. B. J. Hyser is our champion corn cutter. He cuts about two acres a day.

Many are complaining with sore throats. We hope the disease will not become general.

A tournament was held at Gamber on Saturday last, but we have been unable to obtain an accurate account of the result of the riding. Ten Knights participated. Mr. Albert Crawford, of Winfield, was chief marshal. The charge to the Knights was made by George L. Stocksdale, Esq., of this city, and Mr. Joseph B. Berret delivered the coronation address.

Freedom District Items.

Mr. W. S. Scott, of Washington, D. C., is spending a few days on his farm.

Miss Nettie Shipley, who has been spending the summer with Mrs. Larkin Shipley, has returned to her home at Harman's.

Mrs. Grace E. Price, nee Skidmore, of Basic City, Va., formerly of this county, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. Mary Lowstetter, of Pittsburg, Pa., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. A. Powers.

Miss Mattie Trout, who has been the guest of Miss Ida Shipley, left on Friday of last week, for Front Royal, Va., much to the regret of her friends here.

Shipley Items.

Once more the rain and cool breezes are welcome visitants, and every one seems in better spirits. The cutting off of corn and wheat seeding were postponed during the hot period in September for fear of total failures; but now wheat seeding and corn cutting are the busiest order of the day. The acreage seeded will be exceptionally large here this fall. The corn crop never was better with us and the yield will likely be from 9 to 12 barrels per acre, in most instances.

Apples are very numerous and are not much in demand. All who had wormseed planted have cut it and many have been distilling. Some say the yield is fair; others say only ordinary. The potato crop is large and the yield excellent.

Apple butter boilings are constant nearly, and the boys and girls are faithful attendants.

The health of our community is excellent.

Manchester Items.

Our section settled down to an unusual quiet while the thermometer was sporting the Mercury among the eighties and even reached ninety on Saturday with an absence of rain for some weeks. The roads are very dusty and some persons think it is too dry to seed, but our farmers are doing that work or preparing for it. The apple crop, too, is receiving much attention, as the picking season has fully opened and the supply is immense. The quantity taken to the Helb distillery has been so great that he has made a reduction in price, but still they come, and are crowding the distillery to its full capacity.

On Thursday, 24th ult., Messrs. Isaiah Miller and Samuel Hare, executors of Aaron Miller, deceased, offered the real estate at public sale. The home farm, 135 acres, was knocked down to Dr. J. H. Preston, but through some misunderstanding it was not a sale. The store and dwelling, with switch &c., were withdrawn on an offer of $2,600. A two acre wood lot was sold to the trustees of the U. B. Church at the Station, for a picnic grove, for which they have been using it for several years.

On Tuesday Mr. Edward Miller, trustees for the heirs, sold the real estate of Jacob Miller, deceased, lying about two miles southeast of Miller's station. The home farm, 108 acres, was sold to Dr. J. H. Preston, for $16.50 per acre, and two wood lots, of 21 acres each, to John Graf, for $41.00 per acre.

An only daughter of Mr. George Stonesifer was buried on Wednesday last at the Bachman's Valley Church, she having died from typhoid fever; also a child of Mr. Ephraim Bachman. It is said there are quite a number of cases in that immediate neighborhood.

The Mayor and Common Council of this place have purchased the furniture, &c., of Manchester Lodge No. 70, K. of P., in the upper rooms of the Academy building, now occupied by the fire apparatus. These rooms will be used by the council and firemen for their meetings and will be a very comfortable and neat place for the purpose.

An infant child of Mr. Horatio Shaffer was buried on Friday last in their family lot.

List of Unclaimed Matter

Remaining in the Postoffice at Westminster, Md., September 26, 1891.

Arnold, Jesse F.
Bankert, Frances
Barnhart, Chas. L.
Barnes, James H.
Bair, Isaac
Board, Samuel
Bosart, Michael
Bruce, George W.
Boyer, Bayless
Byers, F. W.
Colan, Michael
Cain, David M.
Chase William
Clarke, Charles E.
Cole, Isaac N.
Crabbs, Peter, John E.
Evans, Theodore A.
Gernand, Harry M.
Gilbert, Henry C.
Glover, Samuel W.
Gorsuch, Lovelace C.
Grenader, Joseph C.
Harris, David F.
Harris, Nathan
Hahn, John T.
Hannan, W. H.
Hartsock, Thos. E. B.
Hebbell, Julius
Heilig, Simon P.
Heilig, Harry C.
Henry, George W.
Hilton, Elija T.
Hollenberry, Wm. H.
Hopp, John T.
Jackson, Francis
Johnson, James F.
Kelley, Luke
Kelley, S. N.
Kepler, Wm. E.
Kneller, Chas. A. (2)
Koors, Charles
Kross, Peter A.
Kress, John T.
Kress, Charles H.
Lovell, Joseph
Matthias, Sylvester
Matthias, Oliver H. P.
Marker, Charles E.
Mason, David W.
McFarland, Silas
Miller, George C.
Miller, Miss Millie
Nolan, Henry
Oursler, Augustus
Pearce, George M.
Porter, John G.
Rabter, Henry
Reed, Joseph O.
Rumler, Perry
Schweigart, Joshua
Shriver, Robert L.
Six, Frank E.
Smith, Theodore
Smith, Henry
Snowden, Prof. P. B.
Snyder, Eli H.
Sommers, George A.
Summerville, Jas. H.
Spriggs, Wm. V.
Spriggs, Mrs. Louisa
Stout, Charles P.
Stotz, Edward C.
Thawley, Charles J.
Troyer, Theodore
Thompson, Dallas
Watters, Gerandus
Wampler, Henry H.
Warner, Joshua
Warner, John H.
Wangleyn, L. C.
Warner, Mrs. J.
Wentz, T. C.
Wilson, George W.
Wilson, Harry M. C.
Yeatts, Wm. P.
Yingling William C.
Yingling, Elmer C.
Zepp, George T.

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

GEO. E. SHARRER, P. M.

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

Centenary Methodist Episcopal Church.—Prayer Meeting Wednesday evening at 7.45 o'clock. Sunday School Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. Young People's Meeting 6.45 p. m. Preaching at 10.30, a. m., and 7.30, p. m., by Rev. D. S. Monroe, D. D., of Altoona, Pa.

G. W. COOPER, Pastor.

Methodist Protestant Church.—Prayer Meeting on Wednesday at 7.30, p. m. Sabbath School at 9.15 o'clock. Young People's Meeting at 6.45, p. m. Preaching at 10.30, a. m., and 7.30, p. m.

J. L. MILLS, D. D., Pastor.

Grace Ev. Lutheran Church.—Prayer Meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30 o'clock. Sunday School Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. Young People's Meeting at 6.45, p. m. Preaching at 10.30, a. m., and 7.30, p. m. Morning subject, "Looking unto Jesus." Evening, "The Two Ways," a chart sermon.

P. H. MILLER, Pastor.

St. Benjamin's Lutheran Church.—Sunday School at 1, p. m. Preaching at 2, p. m.

St. John's Lutheran Church.—Sunday School at 9, a. m. Preparatory Services this, Saturday, afternoon at 2, p. m. Holy communion and Confirmation at 10, a. m., Sunday.

J. U. ASPER, Pastor.

Church of the Ascension.—Services every Sunday as follows: Holy Communion at 7, a. m. Morning service at 10.30, a. m. Sunday School at 3.30, p. m. Evening service at 4, p. m. Services every week day at 7, a. m., and 5, p. m.

WYLLYS REDE, Rector.

St. Paul's Reformed Church—Union Bridge.—Divine service Sunday at 7.30, p. m. Subject, "Why join Church."

Divine service at Baust's Church Sunday, October 4th, at 10, a. m., and 2.30, p. m.

M. L. FIROR, Pastor.

Union Street M. E. Church.—Class every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Sunday school at 2, p. m. Preaching at 7.45, p. m. Subject, "Why, we celebrate the Emancipation Proclamation.

J. H. BRICE, Pastor.

Rev. Thomas Still will preach at the Harvest Home and bell dedication services in Frizellburg, both morning and evening. Children's Meeting at 2, p. m.

St. Paul's Reformed Church.—Sunday School at 9.15, a. m. Divine services at 10.30, a. m., and at 7, p. m.

CALVIN S. SLAGLE, Pastor.

MARRIED.

In Union Bridge, September 30th, 1891, according to Friends Ceremony, Mr. Samuel Little and Miss Ruth, daughter of the late Theo. Hibberd, all of this county.

At the residence of the bride's parents, September 29th, 1891, by Elder E. W. Stoner, Mr. N. Chas. Graybill, of Botetourt county, Va., and Miss Ada F., eldest daughter of Elder Uriah Bixler, of near Westminster.

In the Bethel of the Church of God in Uniontown, September 29th, 1891, by Rev. G. W. Seilhamer, Mr. Benton Myerly and Mrs. Callie S. Fogle, both of near Uniontown.

In Philadelphia, October 1st, 1891, by Rev. P. E. Rawlins, Mr. Wilbur F. Rawlins, and Miss Flora J., daughter of Prof. F. R. Buell, formerly of this city.

At the residence of Mr. Chas. Porter, near Woodbine, September 23rd, 1891, by Rev. Edward Smith, Mr. Nathan F. Porter, of this county, and Miss Elva A. Evans, of Howard county.

At the residence of Mr. Benjamin Porter, near Watersville, September 23rd, 1891, by Rev. Edward Smith, Mr. George W. Porter and Miss Fannie E. Haines, both of this county.

DIED

In Mt. Airy, September 20th, 1891, Wm. R. Dorsey, aged 61 years.

Near Silver Run, September 28th, 1891, Jacob Bankert, aged 78 years, 4 months and 13 days.

Near Bachman's Mills, September 28th, 1891, Amelia S., daughter of George Stonesifer, aged 15 years, 1 month and 23 days.

Near Mexico, September 23rd, 1891, Melvia Naomi, infant child of Jacob H. and Mary A. Stephan, aged 1 month, 19 days.

At Mt. Pleasant, September 28th, 1891, Viola May, child of James F. and Annie M. Leister, aged 1 year, 4 months and 17 days.

Near Bachman's Mills, September 28th, 1891, Mamie Lizzie Virginia, child of Ephraim and Cornelia Bachman, aged 7 months and 20 days.

Good-bye, our darling Mamie,
This parting gives us pain;
But our prayer to Him above is
That we may meet again.

How we loved her! yes, we loved her
As no earthly tongue can tell;
But the Angels, they have called her
Up to Heaven with them to dwell.

Sad is the house, and lonely the hours
Since our Mamie dear is gone;
But oh! a happier home than ours
In Heaven is her home.

BY HER PARENTS.

Farewell! mama, papa, sister,
I can no longer stay.
Jesus calls me; I must follow,
My Savior has opened the way.

BY HER AUNT, JENNIE B.

Baltimore Markets.

Md. Flour—Extra	$3.90@	$4.40
" " Family	4.60@	5.00
" " High Grade Family	5.75@	6.00
" " First Grade Extra	5.50@	6.00
" " Rye Flour	4.50@	5.25
Wheat	91@	1.21
Corn	69@	72
Oats	32@	35
Rye	70@	95
Hay	8.50@	13.50
Straw	8.00@	12.50
Dry Salt Shoulders	6¾@	0
Bulk Clear Rib Sides	8@	0
Hams	12@	12½
Lard	8¾@	8¾
Butter	15@	24
Eggs	20@	00

Westminster Markets.

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Flour—Cook's Delight (clear)	5.50@	5.50
Flour—Gorsuch's White Lily	5.75@	5.75
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