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LOCAL ITEMS.

Mr. Wm. H. McCollum, of this city, is confined to his room by sickness.

Mr. Thomas H. Bankard, of this city, is suffering with an acute attack of Bright's disease.

Mr. James Easton, of Winfield, has been granted an increase of his soldier's pension.

Mr. George P. Albaugh, of this city, is still very ill, with little or no hope of his recovery.

Mr Jesse Yingling, of this city, who is now in his eighty-second year, is recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Mr. John Swartzbaugh, probably the oldest citizen of Westminster, is quite ill at his residence on Pennsylvania avenue.

Mr. Frank Fisher, of Baltimore, has been visiting his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. T. Reifsnider and family, of this city.

Col. Wm. A. McKellip, of this city, who underwent a surgical operation at John's Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, last week, is improving and is able to sit up.

An excursion to Baltimore on Wednesday, for the benefit of the Mechanicstown Band, carried upwards of 400 people, 78 of whom were from this city.

Mr. Samuel Knight, of George street, this city, found one of his fat hogs dead in the pen on Monday morning. The cause of its death is not known.

Following are the weights of some of the porkers killed in the vicinity of Carrollton: R. Taylor, two, 274, 294; W. A. Allgire, three, 261, 287, 330; Jesse Taylor, four, 968.

During the month of November Mr. B. F. Crouse, Clerk of the Circuit Court, received for record, 39 deeds, 16 mortgages and 15 bills of sale, and issued 29 marriage licenses.

Burns Post No. 13, G. A. R., and Slocum Camp No. 29, S. of V., will meet at Odd Fellows Hall on Saturday evening, 12th inst. Assist. Inspector, Dr. Robert J. Henry, of Glyndon, will be present and inspect the post.

Mr. S. Carr Wickert, who for the past two years has been the efficient sheriff of this county, retired on Monday last and was succeeded by Mr. Albert A. Dorsey, of Freedom district, who took the oath of office and entered upon the discharge of his official duties. He has made no appointments.

The extension to the store-room occupied by Messrs. Frank Z. Miller & Co., in the Albaugh building, near the railroad in this city, is about completed. It doubles the capacity of the premises, making a room 190 feet in length with a rear porch and entrance for the special accommodation of the wholesale department, for which admirable facilities are afforded.

The hog-killing season is at hand and the weights of some of the slaughtered porkers are being reported. In this city Mr. Thomas Turfle has killed six weighing 278, 279, 293, 319, 326, 350; Mr. John Zahn, two, 333, 347; Mr. F. M. Eckenrode, three, 210, 222, 237; Amos Hawn, two, 332, 337; Geo. A. Eckenrode, three, 757; John E. Eckenrode, five, 1,388.

On Tuesday last, Leonard, aged twelve or fourteen years, son of Mr. Milton Devilbiss, of Pennsylvania avenue, this city, while engaged in hauling corn-fodder, had three fingers of his right hand badly crushed between a wheel and the fodder-carriage. His hand was clasping the side of the carriage when a sudden sharp turn brought the wheel in contact with his fingers.

A cold wave struck this region on Saturday last and caused a rapid fall in the mercury. Sunday was quite cold with a biting wind. On Monday morning the thermometer marked 12° degrees, the coldest November weather for some years. Ice formed two inches thick on the milldams, affording very good skating. The temperature became milder on Tuesday and on Wednesday was almost springlike. It continues moderate.

While Mr. Thomas Lippy, of Medford, was at work at Mr. David Englar, Jr's. saw-mill at that place, on Tuesday, a log that he was moving slipped and rolled on his left leg, breaking and crushing both bones below the knee. The flesh was badly lacerated the bones protruding. Mr. Lippy is an industrious and worthy man. He has a wife and several children. His injuries are serious. He is attended by Drs. Billingslea and J. T. Hering, who adjusted the fractures.

The building on East Main street in which Mr. Pius Yingling conducts a meat store for Mr. J. T. Erb, narrowly escaped destruction by fire last Saturday night. The woodwork around the open fire-place was ignited from the fire burning on the hearth, and blazed quite fiercely for a short time; but the flames were subdued before much damage was done. The building was formerly occupied by Mr. F. F. Shipley as a grocery, and was partly burned at the time his stock of goods was destroyed.

Mr. B. F. Crouse took the oath of office as Clerk of the Circuit Court for Carroll county on Tuesday, 1st inst., for the ensuing term of six years, succeeding himself. No changes were made in the clerical force of the office, except in the appointment of Mr. Jacob M. Long as copying clerk, to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Charles R. Cover, who resigned to engage in business with his brother, Mr. F. P. Cover, at Browntown, Va.

The annual meeting of the Westminster Club for the election of officers for the ensuing year, will be held at the club rooms, in the building of the Farmers and Mechanics National Bank, East Main street, on Monday evening, 7th inst. After the election a banquet will be given at the City Hotel, for which tickets can be obtained of the secretary of the club.

A National Bank is to be established at Reisterstown with a capital of fifty thousand dollars. It is expected that Mr. Reister Russell, of Reisterstown, will be the president and Mr. G. Howard Stirling, of Baltimore, the cashier of the institution. It will be a great convenience to the people of that community and of the surrounding country.

Rev. S. A. Diehl, college cla[illegible] pastor of Salem Charge, Ev. Lutheran Church, and his wife arrived in this city on Thursday and occupied the parsonage on Pennsylvania avenue. They were received in their new home by quite a number of the members of St. Benjamin's Church and friends in this city. They found a bountiful dinner spread and a cordial greeting awaiting them. Twenty-five or thirty persons were present.

Mr. John Haines, of this city, who had been in declining health for a year past, died at his residence, West Main street, at an early hour yesterday morning, aged about 46 years. Mr. Haines was deputy sheriff during the term of Mr. Peter Woods, and was also a constable for number of years. He leaves a widow, who is a daughter of Mr. Jesse Yingling, of this city, but no children. Funeral services will be held to-morrow, Sunday, at Grace Lutheran Church, after which the remains will be interred at Krider's cemetery.

A number of the young gentlemen of this city gave a very pleasant and successful dance, at the City Hotel, on Friday evening of last week. Messrs. N. H. Baumgartner, Arthur F. Smith and Chas. V. Dugan composed the committee of arrangements. Dancing commenced at 9 o'clock and continued until a late hour. Among those present were Misses Clara Louise McSherry, Ann Ridgely McSherry, Nannie Gambrill, Robert Gambrill, C. Staley Gambrill, Edw. Markell, Dr. C. G. MacGill, of Frederick; Misses Ehrman, Ranstead, Emily Jenkins, Messrs. Edward Hammond, E. Edgar Thompson, Emmet Brown, of Baltimore; Miss Louise Vinton, of Camden, N. J.

"The Court of King Christmas,"

is the title and fairly designates the character of an entertainment somewhat on the order of a simple cantata, which will be given at 7.30, on Friday evening next, December 4th, at Odd Fellows' Hall, this city, under the auspices of the Benevolent and Aid Society of St. Paul's Reformed Church. In the piece Santa Claus and Robinson Crusoe will be personated and thirty-five children, representing snowflakes, stockings, &c., will be the singers. The entertainment will be varied with tableaux, and instrumental music by Prof. Royer's Orchestra. It was not originally designed for public presentation, but was prepared for rendition at an ordinary meeting of the Society. So many requests were made that it be given in public, however, that the Society finally consented to do so. A general admission of 25 cents will be charged; children 15 cents.

Proceedings of Orphans' Court.

Monday, November 30th, 1891.—The last will and testament of Elijah Scrivnor, deceased, was admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted to Chas. T. Reifsnider.

The last will and testament of Henry Tasto, deceased, was admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted to Geo. Menchey and Ephraim Yingling.

Distribution among the creditors of A. Oliver Young, deceased, filed.

Margaret Baile and John L. Nicodemus, administrators of Henry Baile, deceased, returned inventory of goods and chattels, real estate, money and list of debts, and received order to notify creditors.

Tuesday, December 1st.—John Legore and Absalom Koontz, executors of Jacob Bankert, deceased, returned list of sale of goods and chattels, and reported sale of real estate.

Philip H. L. Myers, acting executor of William Leese, deceased, reported sale of real estate.

Members of the Fraternal Mystic Circle Banqueting.

The dining room of the City Hotel, East Main street, this city, presented a pleasant and animated scene on Wednesday evening, as the members of Westminster Ruling No. 130, Fraternal Mystic Circle, gathered, with a few invited guests, around tables beautifully decorated with flowers and bountifully spread with appetite-provoking viands. A more attractive feast is seldom prepared, all its appurtenances having been in keeping. The ubiquitous oyster, served in every style; turkey, done to a turn; and all the concomitants abounded and were consumed in astonishing quantities. Many compliments were extended to the genial host and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. A. Kleff, on the ample provision made and the admirable style in which the banquet was served. Those present on the occasion were: Messrs. Harry P. Gorsuch, Harvey Stone, J. J. Reese, J. H. Mitten, J. H. Fuss, M. Schaeffer, P. M. Hunter, C. C. Gorsuch, H. C. Keefer, J. T. Brown, Geo. A. Miller, [illegible] T. Anders, J. F. Shreeve, A. H. Wentz, A. Klinedinst, W. A. Steele, J. W. Shunk, C. W. Moore, Orlando Reese, Geo. E. Matthews, J. Ditman, Dr. Geo. E. Baughman, B. F. Crouse, J. C. Sharrer, Dr. J. T. Hering, J. A. Diffenbaugh, J. B. Saylor, members of the Ruling, and Messrs. Charles H. Vanderford, P. H. Myers, and W. L. W. Seabrook, invited guests.

Harney Items.

William Shoemaker was kicked by a horse last Sunday night at about 9 o'clock and badly hurt. He was unconscious until 2 o'clock on Monday morning. At the last account he was doing as well as could be expected.

Christmas exercises will be held in the U. B. Church here on Christmas eve. The services will be of a highly interesting character and a grand time is expected.

Mr. Samuel Haugh has been confined to his bed for some time with rheumatism.

Messrs. B. F. Bowers and C. H. Hess are building a house for T. H. Eckenrode, near Washington School House.

Our Farmers are about done husking corn and they are now plowing their ground for another corn crop.

Death of Mr. Lovelace M. Gorsuch.

Mr. Lovelace M. Gorsuch, whose serious illness was noticed in last week's SENTINEL, died at his home in Frostburg, on Saturday morning last. His death was caused by paralysis. Mr. Gorsuch was born near Bird Hill, in this county, and went to Frostburg in 1851, upwards of forty years ago. At the breaking out of the war, in 1861, he was connected with a coal mining company, to which he had loaned, every dollar accumulated by him during the preceding ten years, of which he saved only about three hundred dollars the company making a bad failure. He subsequently engaged in the manufacture of furnace brick, the first kiln of which was purposely ruined in burning, by the party having it in charge, at the instigation of a company engaged in the same business. Nothing daunted by this misfortune Mr. Gorsuch persevered in his undertaking and carried it to a successful issue, accumulating a very considerable fortune. At the time of his death he owned and was conducting the Savage Mountain Furnace Brick Works, employing upwards of fifty hands. He was also President of the First National Bank of Frostburg, of which he was a large stockholder.

Mr. Gorsuch was a man of unblemished reputation and high character, upright and honest in all his transactions and pure and true in all the relations of life. His benevolence and generosity were proverbial, and he bestowed of his means to relieve the wants of the poor and to promote the cause of purity and morality with a free and generous hand. He was a trustee of the Methodist Episcopol Church and was known as a sworn foe to vice and immorality in all its forms. The death of such a man is a public loss to the community in which he resided. He always retained his interest in the home of his youth and early manhood, and the AMERICAN SENTINEL has been a weekly visitor to his home, and, as we have reason to know, a constant source of interest and pleasure to him, even since he left this county. His brother, Mr. Nathan I. Gorsuch, and his niece, Mrs. Col. S. K. Herr, of this city, were with him when he died.

His remains were brought here on Monday evening and taken to his brother's residence on East Main street, where funeral services were held at 10, A. M., on Tuesday, Rev. G. W. Cooper officiating, assisted by Rev. George V. Leech, of Govanstown, and Rev. Harry France, of Broadway M. E. Church, Baltimore. The casket containing his remains, which were interred in Westminster Cemetery, was draped with a black velvet pall bordered with white roses and maiden-hair ferns. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. John Porter, of Frostburg; B. F. Bennett, of Baltimore; Wm. Gardner, of Emmittsburg; C. C. Gorsuch, of Westminster; Thomas Gorsuch, of Gamber, and John F. Crout, of Reisterstown, all relatives of the deceased, except Mr. Porter, who represented the First National Bank of Frostburg.

News From Rev. Dr. Lewis.

A letter received by the family of Rev. Thos. H. Lewis, D. D., President of Western Maryland College, gives some facts concerning the disaster to the Methodist Protestant Mission at Nagoya, Japan, by the recent violent earthquake. Most of the buildings connected with the Mission were damaged. The chimneys were thrown down and the framework wrenched and strained by the repeated shocks. Dr. Lewis expresses the hope that the buildings can be repaired. Some damage was done to the furniture contained in them. All the missionaries escaped injury except Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Van Dyke. Mr. Van Dyke was seriously hurt, and the result of his injuries was in doubt when Dr. Lewis' letter was written, although hope was entertained that, with the careful nursing and skillful medical attendance he was receiving, he would recover. He was struck on the head by a brick from a falling chimney, as he and Mrs. Van Dyke emerged from a building in which they were attending a prayer meeting. A wound four inches long was made in the scalp and a small portion of the skull was fractured and cut off, exposing the brain. Mrs. Van Dyke was only slightly injured.

Dr. Lewis' letter was written in advance of his visit to Nagoya, and was dated at Yokohama. His information concerning the extent of the disaster was probably reliable, although a postal from Miss Tsune Hirata, who was at Nogaya when the earthquake occurred, to a friend at Western Maryland College states that none of the missionaries were seriously injured.

A Thanksgiving Occasion.

A highly appreciative company was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Ezra N. Nicodemus on Thanksgiving day, at their model home, near Wakefield. Not only was the conventional turkey served, but the luscious goose and the reliable chicken as well. No one better knows than the hostess how to please the epicure, and this effort was an admirable success. Mr. Nicodemus has lately improved his residence and outbuildings, by painting and remodeling, adding materially to their general appearance, comfort and convenience. The view from the front of his residence is beautiful as the broad acres are extended before the gaze. An observer, standing on the porch in front, may see the smoke, as it dreamily curls from the chimney tops of thirteen neighboring firesides. The occasion was greatly enjoyed, and was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Engler, Mr. and Mrs. D. Engler, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Engler, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Engler, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Engler, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. T. Lambert, Mrs. Jno. Buckey, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Devilbiss, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Nicodemus, Miss Florence Engler.

Fountain Valley Items.

Farmers in this section have all housed their corn, which was a good crop, averaging about twelve barrels per acre. The good weather has afforded farmers an excellent opportunity to do their fall work, and they are getting in their corn-fodder, hauling out manure, ploughing &c.

Mr. Emanuel Wantz has built a large corn-crib.

Mr. Jesse Sheets, near this place, informed your correspondent, recently, that he had made 700 barrels of cider at his cider mill the past season. He intends to improve the machinery next year.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Church of God will meet in Frizellburg on Tuesday evening, at 7 o'clock.

Wedding Bells.

STONER-BAILE.

That historic Methodist Episcopal House of Worship, the Stone Chapel, was the scene of a beautiful and highly interesting wedding on Thursday afternoon, 3rd inst. The church was tastefully decorated with potted plants and ferns and a graceful arch, beautifully trimmed, spanned the altar front. From it was suspended a beautiful floral bell, bearing the initials S. B., being those of the groom and bride. This work of decoration was performed by the loving hands of the ladies of Stone Chapel, and of the Pipe Creek Mite Society, of which the bride has been Vice-President during the past year. The bride was Miss Lana S. Baile, daughter of Mr. David C. Baile, a prosperous farmer and miller, of Wakefield Valley, and a grand-daughter of the late Hon. David W. Naill, of Sams Creek; and the groom Mr. Isaac N. Stoner, an energetic young farmer and dealer in stocks, also of Wakefield Valley and a son of Mr. Abram Stoner, one of the most prominent and wealthy citizens of Union Bridge. The bride wore a very handsome dress of seude broadcloth corded with beaver fur, hat to match trimmed with cut steel and paradise feathers, and white kid gloves, and carried La France roses. Her only ornaments were diamonds, the gift of the groom. The ushers were: Messrs. Thos. L. Slingluff and John T. Ensor, of New Windsor. The bridesmaid, whose dress was the counterpart of that of the bride, was Miss Eva A. Englar, of "Valley View," Medford. Mr. Burrier Cookson, of Uniontown, was best man. Misses Lamora Bankard, of New Windsor, and Miss Maude Waesche, of Westminster, both tastefully attired in white china silk, were ribbon and flower girls. Prof. Jno. Royer, of this city, in his usual skillful manner, presided at the organ, and the bridal party entered the church to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march. They were met by Rev. J. W. Charlton, of Uniontown, pastor of Pipe Creek Circuit, M. P. Church, who performed the marriage ceremony, and as the happy pair and their attendants turned from the altar the organ pealed forth the joyous strains of Vienti's march, while many a loving heart echoed a desire for the future prosperity and happiness of the bride and groom. A reception was given at the residence of the bride's parents from 2 till 5, P. M., which was very largely attended the guests all having been cordially welcomed and treated with generous hospitality. Elegant refreshments were served.

Among the invited guests at the wedding and reception, most of whom, in addition to the parents of the bride and groom, were present, were: Mr. and Mrs. H. Harman, of Wilmington, Delaware; Mr. John Stoner, of Atlanta, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. Levi Stoner, of Union Bridge; Mrs. Mattie Chew, Mrs. Isabella B. Dehoff, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hoffman, of Uniontown; Mr. W. W. Naill and family, of Dennings; Mr. Lewis Baile and family, Mr. Joseph Lindsay and family, Mr. Wm. Englar and family, Mrs. Elizabeth Englar and family, Mrs. Witter and family, Mrs. Mary Horn, Mrs. Ezra Englar and family, Mr. Lincoln Rinehart, and the following gentlemen and their wives: Messrs. H. S. Roberts, D. H. Englar, Jno. M. Baile, David Englar, Jr., Amos Wampler, Philip Waybright, Joseph Snider, of Medford; Isaiah Nusbaum, George Devilbiss, E. T. Snader, Isaac C. Baile, Basil P. Devilbiss, J. J. Gist, W. F. Fenby, W. Repp, Charles Repp, Edward S. Baile, N. H. Baile, Fletcher Baile, G. Harman, Milton Snader, Milton Myers, Edward Snader, Thomas Pearre, Abram Snader, William Gorsuch, John Roop, Winfield Snader, Howard Geiman, A. E. Englar, Edward Baker, Wm. Derr, Bradley Greenwood, Edward Naill, Marshall Lindsay, Marshall Nusbaum, Howard Devilbiss, Geo. Englar, David Devilbiss, David N. Baile, Charles Myers, Ezra Nicodemus, Jos. A. Waesche, M. Lambert, Edward Smith, Edward Snader, Wm. A. Shriver, James W. Beachem, Charles P. Baile, Charles Sellman, Jos. W. Smith, Jos. Englar, M. John Lynch, Jos. Gist, Chas. Manahan Jesse Robinson, Charles Lindsay, Chas. Richardson, James Robinson, J. L. Duff, Charles Hibberd, Henry N. Cassell, Samuel Otto, H. Scott Roop, S. C. Stoner, Charles Hesson, N. Albert, Edw. Stoner, John Shueey, Charles Smelser, Jos. Bowers, Ezra Garner, James Devilbiss, Philip Snader, John Snader, Joshua Smith, Howard M. Zile, Henry Marker, Milton Zollickoffer, Samuel Diehl, D. A. Smith, John Lambert and family, Jesse Lambert and family, Isaac C. Forrest and family, John Cook and family, Albinus Poole and family, R. Cook and family, John Richter and family, Basil Smith and family, Levi Manahan and family, Mrs. Sellman, Lewis Sellman, Dr. James P. Summers and family, John Englar and sister, David Cover and family, David Bloom and family, Jos. Stem and family, David Roop and family, Harry Stouffer and sister, Frank Snader and sister, Granville Mathias and sister, Judge L. P. Slingluff and daughter, Elder and Mrs. Solomon Stoner, Mrs. Lydia Roop and family, Mrs. Laura Sellman, Mrs. Roop, Mrs. Caroline Shriver, Mrs. Catharine Nicodemus, Miss H. May Nicodemus, Mrs. Laura Bankert, Mrs. Waltman, Mrs. Fossett, Mrs. Weaver, Mrs. Jane Englar, the Misses Lambert, Misses F. Frizzell, Nettie Hyde, Florence Smith, Carrie Nicodemus, Emma Richter, Mollie Manahan, the Misses Forrest, Ettie Jordan, Annie Roop, Irene Roop, Allie Frounfelter, Dr. and Mrs. Buffington, Dr. and Mrs. L. Royer, Messrs. Scott Wolfe, Scott Clemson, George P. Buckey, Dr. George Brown, Louis H. Dielman, Frank Arrington, Fred. Englar, George Baseman, Edward Barnes, Wirt Devries, Jas. Dorsey, Jos. W. Berret, Robert Gist, Jos. Englar, William Royer, A. J. Jordan, Marshall Devilbiss, Charles Reese, Richard Bennett and others.

The bride received many valuable, handsome and useful presents. After the reception Mr. and Mrs. Stoner were driven to this city and left on an evening train for an extended bridal tour to the South. They expect to visit Jacksonville, Florida, and returning will spend a few days at Atlanta, Ga., where two brothers of the groom reside.

SHUEEY—COVER.

One of the most interesting and beautiful home weddings ever witnessed on Sam's Creek, was solemnized at the residence of Mr. Peter Cover's, on the 25th ulto. The contracting parties were Miss Ida R., daughter of Mr. Peter Cover, and Mr. John T. Shueey, of near Warfieldsburg. The bride was attired in a handsome navy blue silk, trimmed in passamenterie and carrying a bouquet of Marechal Neil roses. The groom wore the conventional black. Promptly at 1, P. M., the bridal procession entered the parlor, led by the ushers, Mr. John Cover, brother of the bride, and Mr. Samuel Engler, followed by Mr. Jacob Fowble, of Baltimore county, as best man, and Miss Barbara Ensor as bridesmaid. They were met by Rev. Emory Buhrman, pastor of Bethel M. E. Church, who solemnized the ceremony in a very impressive manner. After receiving many hearty and sincere congratulations the bridal party and guests repaired to the dining room where refreshments were served, consisting of all the palatable and richest viands and luxuries of the season. After the reception the happy pair took the 4 o'clock train for a bridal trip to Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia and New York. The bride's traveling costume was of camel's hair cloth with feather trimmings. The bride received many handsome and beautiful presents, among which were a handsome organ, from the groom; a silver pitcher, from the Bethel M. E. Church, and many other silver articles, chinaware etc. Among those present were: Mr. Peter Cover and family, David Cover and wife, John Diehl and wife, Peyton Buckingham and wife, Mrs. Sallie Shueey, Mrs. Ellen Warfield, Harry Smith and wife, Mrs. Mary E. Owings, Mrs. John Stem, Wm. Stoner and wife, Ed. Stoner and wife, B. F. Crouse and wife, F. J. Devilbiss and wife, Edw. Devilbiss and wife, Ezra Stem and wife, George Englar and wife, Howard Devilbiss and wife, Sam'l. Bond and wife, Edw. Baker and wife, John Beggs and wife, Joshua Smith and wife, John Snader and wife, Milton Snader and wife, Marshall Nusbaum and wife, Edw. Carlisle and wife, Aug. Little and wife, Andrew Frizzell and wife, Aug. Morris and wife, Mr. Harrison and wife, Wm. Frizell and daughter, Marshall Devilbiss and sister, Misses Mamie Smith, Lillian Franklin, Mamie Stem, Maggie and Hilda Stem, Etta and Bessie Snader, Ida and Olive Snader, and Allie Owings, Charles Roberts and sister, Messrs. Edw. Stem, Joshua Owings, John Snader, Belt Townshend, Cossie Ensor, and others.

NAGLE—BELT.

Mr. Fred. J. Nagle, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Nagle and Miss Laura V. Belt, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Belt, all of Greenmount, Md., were married by Rev. J. P. Anthony, in Greenmount U. B. Church, on Sunday, November 29th, 1891, at 4, P. M. Mr. Ed. P. Anthony was groomsman and Miss M. M. Nagle bridesmaid. Miss Elzena Shaffer presided at the organ. A large congregation was present to witness the ceremony.

Woodbine Items.

Miss Clara Mullinix, of Montgomery county, is visiting friends in the vicinity of Day.

Mr. Ephraim Young is lying ill at this writing.

Mr. E. H. Kensey has opened a store at day.

Thanksgiving day passed off as usual with eating and drinking. A day of prayer and fasting for the abolition of intoxicants from the nation would have done as well, when it is remembered that eighty thousand of our citizens annually go down to drunkards' graves.

The series of meetings conducted by Rev. E. H. Lamar at Morgan Chapel has closed. Eight persons professed conversion and it was patent that the inaudible whisperings of the still small voice induced many others to resolve that they would cease to do evil and learn to do well. Mr. Lamar has gotten West Falls circuit in a most healthy condition spiritually and financially as well.

Mr. Thomas Gosnell has corn so large that thirteen ears, when shelled, filled a half bushel measure. To this some may exclaim, "Great Scott!" But Mr. Gosnell will vouch for the fact. We can beat Mr. Gosnell, all hollow. We have corn so good that one basket of ears when shelled will fill two baskets heaped up, shaken down and running over. [That depends on the sizes of the baskets.—ED.]

Tribute to the Century.

The following tribute to the work of an American magazine is contained in the report of the Secretary of the Interior just submitted to Congress:

"Your attention is also requested to the paper contributed by Mr. John Muir to the number of The Century Illustrated Monthly Magazine for November, 1891, entitled 'A Rival of the Yosemite—the Canon of the South Fork of Kings River, California.' It furnishes maps of this section and is illustrated by the most admirable engravings of the wonderful scenery there existing. The engravings are chiefly from the pencil of Mr. Chas. D. Robinson. These gentlemen, as well as the editors of *The Century*, especially Mr. Johnson, have taken a great personal interest in the forest reserves in California, and are worthy of great consideration, both from their experience and intelligence. The magazine article mentioned advocates the extension of the Sequoia National Park so as to embrace the Kings River region and the Keweah and Tule Sequoia groves. The boundaries are there set forth. The subject is recommended to your favorable consideration and action."

Patapsco Items.

The remains of the four-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Kelbaugh were brought here from Woodberry on Tuesday, 1st instant, and interred in Union Bethel cemetery, Elder Staub officiating.

The protracted meeting in the M. E. Church at this place is still in progress and much interest is manifested. May the good work go on.

Butchering is in full blast in this vicinity and some fine hogs have been slaughtered. Mr. John N. Flater killed four, weighing 1,300, and two spring pigs, 400; A. Gosnell, one, 335; N. Leppo, three, 162, 213, 270; Doc. Wisner, three, 130, 155, 357; Capt. Taylor, three, 525; J. W. Oursler, two, 480; Jacob Weller, four, 800; John C. Harman, two, 335, 359; George L. Shamer, two, 383, 424; Wesley Blizzard, one, 162; Wm. Ensor, two, 400; J. H. Taylor, one, 325; Peter Wisner, three, 293, 349, 450; James Tracy, one, 432; George Hughes, two, 560; Elder Selby, two spring pigs, 275, 300.

Rev. J. U. Asper, the retiring pastor of Salem Charge, Ev. Lutheran Church, and his family, took their departure on Thursday. They will spend some time at Harney, in this county, and at Mr. Asper's former home in Adams county, Pa. Many kind wishes for their future welfare and happiness follow them from this community.

PORTER'S ITEMS.

A Trip to Gettysburg and Vicinity.

A few of the members of Walnut Grove Society took a pleasant trip to Taneytown and Gettysburg, to visit friends and view the historic battlefield of Gettysburg and the memorial tributes to the defenders of our country. The visit will long be remembered by all the parties, both because of the interesting scenes visited and of the hospitable manner in which they were entertained. Starting from Porters the parties drove to the home of Mr E. Beck, near Linwood, where they took their Thanksgiving dinner and were welcomed with old-time hospitality and good cheer. After spending several pleasant hours with their hosts the parties again started on their way, not minding in the least the various kinds of weather they met with, such as snow, mist, rain, etc. They reached Taneytown between four and five in the afternoon and drove through it at such a speed that they missed seeing the friends who had come out to meet them. On they went to Bridgeport to the residence of Mr. Abraham Naill, where they were heartily welcomed to another Thanksgiving feast. Later in the evening the friends who had missed them in Taneytown drove out to Mr. Naill's to welcome them and make arrangements for the trip to Gettysburg. The next morning they bade good bye to their kind hosts and their bright and charming daughters, Misses Carrie and Jennie Naill, and started for the residence of Mr. Charles Hess, near Taneytown. Here they were joined by other friends and started on their memorable drive to Gettysburg. The party was composed of the following persons: Misses Effie and Emma Hess, Abbie McKinney and Julia R. Ways, Messrs. E. Beck, J. Null, Harry Brown and A. H. Wallace. They visited the historic Round Top and bravely reached the top in spite of wet leaves and slippery stones. After viewing the monuments, peering timidly into the Devil's Den and waiting in vain for a glimpse of his satanic majesty, they drove on to Gettysburg which they reached in time for dinner at the Eagle Hotel where the genial proprietor received them most cordially. The dinner was all the most fastidious could desire, especially the soup, and the waiter most attentive and evidently a student of human nature, as he seemed to know the tastes of some of the party even before they spoke.

After satisfying the demands of the "inner man" the party started for renowned Gettysburg College. They were most fortunate in having for their guide Mr. James Sanders, who courteously explained the uses to which the different rooms were devoted. Mr. Sanders, having an important engagement elsewhere, then introduced his friend Mr. Haines who acted as guide through the museum, laboratory, department of Physiology, etc. The party then mounted to the Observatory where a magnificent view of Gettysburg and surrounding country was obtained. Descending, they requested to see a friend of one of the ladies who was attending a Greek recitation at the time. He was kindly excused by the professor, and came out in the hall to meet his friend. Judging by the laughter that was heard in the recitation room the study of Greek must be amusing as well as instructive and they were having a very lively lesson in a "dead" language.

After thanking and bidding adieu to our guide, who proved to be a former acquaintance of one of our party, they formed into a mutual admiration society and started for the photographer's where they expected to have a picture of the group taken, but as time was limited and the photographer unusually busy, they had to be satisfied with having a dozen taken of each, by which time the photographer's patience was worn out and the camera in a state of collapse. The homeward drive was enlivened by reminiscences of the many "funny things" that had happened during the day. The entire party then drove to the home of Mr. Samuel Shoemaker, where they were cordially received and royally entertained. After resting a few hours this merry crowd were ready to go again, this time to an oyster supper at Harney, where they were agreeably surprised to find the young gentleman who so kindly acted as guide for them at college, and who had excused himself upon the plea of an "important engagement." He was equally surprised and again exerted himself for the benefit of the merry party. After proving to the ladies in charge of the festival that the party was fond of oysters and fun, they once more returned to Mr. Shoemaker's.

The next day the Walnut Grove party visited Mr. Elmer Hess and family, where they were again most hospitably entertained and spent several pleasant hours. They next returned to the home of Mr. Charles Hess, where they were shown the building and machinery used in making molasses from sugar cane. In the evening the crowd, with the addition of Messrs Howard and Will Hess, drove to Taneytown to attend another oyster supper. The hall where it was held was densely packed and the supper a decided success, our party as usual, having a most enjoyable time. A promenade through Taneytown was next in order, after which they again returned to Mr. Hess' and wound up the evening with a lively game of conversation cards. Next morning being Sunday all parties were up bright and early and joined by Mr. and Mrs. Hess and family drove to Taneytown to attend Trinity Lutheran Church. The sermon by Rev. Mr. McSherry was much enjoyed by all, as was also the music of the choir. After church came the "good byes," to our many friends, who had entertained us so kindly. The party was met at church by Mr. John Hess who conducted them to his home, where they dined and spent the last few remaining hours of this most enjoyable visit. Once more the parting words were spoken, and the party started homewards with good wishes from many old friends and pleasant remembrances of new ones, besides the innumerable little incidents of the trip in the way of jokes etc., which only the participants can fully enjoy. The gentlemen of the party, judging from some of their experiences, could write a book upon "How to Amuse the Children," and the ladies gained much useful information in regard to "sewing on buttons" and early rising.

The only draw-back to the pleasure of the trip was the absence of Miss Milly Bushey, the treasurer of the society, who was unavoidably detained at home. The party, however, drove in to Mr. L. M. Bushey's on their return, to give an account of themselves, and to deliver the many messages of love and good will sent to Miss Milly from her friends in Taneytown and vicinity. From there the party went to Messiah Lutheran church, and after services parted with mutual regret, but many pleasant memories of a happy holiday.

Manchester Items.

The Thanksgiving season was passed pleasantly by our people notwithstanding the drizzle and the rain. Public observance of the day was not very general, consequently the morning service in Trinity Reformed church was slimly attended. Thanksgiving dinners, however, were enjoyed by all. In the afternoon everybody was on tiptoe to take in the church wedding that was largely attended. In the evening the attendance at the Hall was large. The members of the annex acquitted themselves in the following program: Singing, Maryland; recitation, by Carroll Wareheim; dialogue Tom's Practical Joke; tableau, The Corteous Boys; solo and chorus, Annie Fuhrman and boys; tableau; Unjust Suspicion, six girls; solo, C. Wareheim and Neda Oursler; Snow Brigade, six boys; acting charade, Simple Multiplication Table, Maud's Command, three ladies and two gentlemen; tableau, tamborine drill. The whole was interspersed with music by the Band. This entertainment added $18 to the treasury of the society. The Society will give a social on Tuesday evening, 15th inst.

The trustees of Daniel and Jacob Lodge No. 23, I. O. O. F., are putting a room under the stage in the Hall to be used as a dressing room, also to be furnished with a cooking outfit to be used as a kitchen on the occasion of banquets, suppers &c.

A little ripple was caused at the home of Judge D. H. Hoffacker on Saturday evening last about 9.30, where Mrs. J. W Hoffacker discovered a bright light in an upper room. She immediately directed the attention of a member of the family to the circumstance and they went to the room to find that a defective flue had set the paper on the wall and some near articles on fire. The flames were making rapid progress towards what might have caused a conflagration. The fire was suppressed without any alarm or much damage. Judge and Mrs. Hoffacker were absent from home at the time of the occurence.

Mr. Wm. F. Luchabaugh still continues in a critical condition at his home on South Main street.

Our cattle dealers, Messrs. C. E. Fuhrman and Chas. Motter, have sold 946 head of cattle to the farmers of this and adjoining districts, this fall, the most of which are being stall fed.

Our stores are putting on their Christmas attire.

Mr. John H. LaMotte had another fall on Thursday last about noon. He was passing over a porch on which was an open cellar door through which he fell to the ground below He was considerably stunned but no serious injury resulted.

The list of slaughtered porkers this week contains two by Mr. C. Frankforter, 459, 475; Mrs. Hoffman, two, 382, 383; J. P. Baltozer, three, 333, 323, 244; David J. Young, two, 355, 347; G. A. Shower, four, 168, 194, 211, 215; G. W. J. Everhart, two, 259, 382; D. Leese, two 253, 280.

Judge D. H. Hoffacker and family have moved into their new home on the corner of Main street and Foundry Avenue.

Mr. R. Nelson is confined to his room with rheumatism.

Melrose Items.

The butchering season is in full blast. Mr. George Zepp, Sr., slaughtered 2 which weighed 300 and 260, respectively; Mr. Theodore Fridinger, 3 that weighed 940; Mrs. Johanna Lorrenger, 3 which weighed 768 pounds.

The latter part of last week Mr. Jeremiah Yingling put a new roof on his house which greatly improves the appearance of his property.

For several years it has been occasionally rumored that a church is to be built at this place. A church edifice is greatly needed in the community.

The storm which occurred on Monday of last week committed havoc in this neighborhood. Hundreds of panels of fence were blown over, corn fodder was blown about and Mrs. Masemore's barn, near Ebbvale, was partially unroofed.

Slate Hill school is thriving under the care of its teacher, Mr. H. B. Burgoon.

List of Unclaimed Matter

Remaining in the Postoffice at Westminster, Md., November 28th, 1891.

Barnes, A. H.
Bennett, Wood
Bundy, Algernon
Caples, Martha
Cockey, Mordecai
Fowble, Mrs. Catherine
Gohlsborough, J. N.
Holl, W.
Lippy, J. R.
Lowe, Wm.
May, Eugene (2)
Murphy, J.
Myers, M. A. E.
Nusbaum, Mrs Mary C.
Peeling, Frank
Roberts, Frank
Robinson, Jr., Jno.
Robson Jno. S.
Shriner, Rev. Calvin S.
Sinnott, James M.
Stricklin, Ella A.
Yingling, Alfred P.

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

GEO. E. SHARRER, P. M.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

THIS is to give notice that the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Carroll county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the estate of

HENRY BAILE,

late of Carroll county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated, to the subscribers, on or before the 21st day of June, 1892; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under our hands, this 16th day of November, 1891.

MARGARET BAILE,
JOHN L. NICODEMUS,
Administrators.

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A LETTER.

I find that many people are of the erroneous opinion that the office of STATE'S ATTORNEY will prevent me from attending to any other legal business than that pertaining to said office. I therefore adopt this method of informing my clients and friends that, EXCEPT IN CRIMINAL CASES, I am as free as any other attorney to attend to any legal business that may be entrusted to me.

no-14-tf CHARLES E. FINK.

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS,

For Public School Purposes for the Last School Year.

To the Honorable, the Board of County School Commissioners of Carroll county:

In submitting for publication in the local papers, according to the requirements of the School Law, a statement of the receipts and disbursements on account of the public schools of the county during the year which ended 31 July, 1891, I am pleased to note, as an evidence of growing popular appreciation of the system, that the enrollment during the year was 289, and the average attendance was 219, more than in the preceding year. This is the largest increase in one year the schools have ever known.

The consequent increase in expenses, and the draft of $3,500 on the year's revenues made in the previous year and noticed in the last annual statement, threatened serious embarrassment and the loss of half a term of school, which was happily averted by an extra allowance from the County Commissioners and some temporary loans. The latter could not all be paid within the year. Hence the statement shows an increase in your indebtedness of $3,000, a large part of which has been discharged since the close of the year.

The actual expenditure for books and stationery bought within the year was $4,493.78, the other $1,361.60 included in this item being an unpaid balance from the previous year. It will be seen, however, that the book-fees were insufficient to pay the cost of the books for the year by $267.82. It is a matter of some concern that this unwelcome condition is likely to continue. On the other hand, the demand for new schoolhouses has been so nearly supplied as to render it no longer oppressive.

There are yet several to build as old ones fail, but the annual outlay required for this purpose can not again, for many years to come, seriously embarrass the treasury. Three were built during the year at a total cost of about $1,300.

It is sincerely gratifying to note extensive improvement among the teachers of the county, both in attainments and in interest in their work. They exhibit a higher grade of scholarship, and a better knowledge of methods every year. The attendance at all meetings of their County Association is excellent, and the exercises are continually growing more interesting and profitable. In spite of severe cold weather, 147 of the 152 employed in the county were present throughout an Institute held at the close of the winter term of school which the press of the county and a concensus of public opinion pronounced "one of the most important, entertaining and successful ever held in the county." I have the honor to be,

Your obedient servant,
JAMES A. DIFFENBAUGH,
Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner.

Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for Public School Purposes for the Year ending 31 July, 1891.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand 31 July, 1890	$ 749.76
State School Tax	15,942.39
State Free School Fund	2,230.34
Academic Fund	200.00
County School Tax	22,500.00
Taneytown Ground Rents	50.64
Book Fees	4,225.96
Sales of Books and other Property	330.74
State Appropriation to Colored Schools	1,465.37
Sale of Abandoned School Site	150.00
Borrowed Temporarily	7,800.00
	$55,645.20

DISBURSEMENTS.

Teachers Salaries—White Schools	31,818.20
Fuel	2,328.64
Incidental Expenses of Schools	948.59
Rent	172.75
Books and Stationery	5,855.38
Building School Houses	1,080.50
Repairing School Houses	1,340.21
Furniture, Black Boards and Stoves	1,054.92
Interest	834.34
Salary of Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner	1,200.00
Salary of Assistant	500.00
Per Diem of School Commissioners	500.00
Office Expenses and Account Books	153.25
Printing and Advertising	147.00
Paid to Colored Schools	2,473.96
Counsel Fees	97.00
Institute and School Journals	90.50
Freight, Drayage, Postage, &c.	131.72
Procuring Sites and Inspecting Houses	80.15
Repayment of Loans	4,800.00
Balance Cash on Hand	38.09
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Flour—Crown (extra)	$4.75@	$4.75
Flour—Cook's Delight (clear)	5.25@	5.25
Flour—Gorsuch's White Lily	5.50@	5.50
Flour—Sea Foam (patent)	5.75@	5.75
New Wheat	93@	98
Damp Wheat	80@	85
Rakings	80@	85
Rye	85@	87
Barley	50@	50
Oats	35@	40
Corn	45@	50
Bran per ton	22.00@	22.00
White Middlings per ton	22.00@	22.00
Corn, per bbl	2.00@	2.00
Hungarian Seed	75@	80
Timothy Seed	1.25@	2.00
Clover Seed per lb	05@	06
Timothy Hay per ton	8.00@	9.00
Clover Hay per ton	4.00@	4.00
Mixed Hay per ton	7.00@	8.00
Rye Straw	8.00@	9.00
Flax Seed	1.50@	1.50
Buckwheat Meal	2.25@	2.50
Corn Meal per 100lb	1.25@	1.50
Dressed Hogs	4.50@	5.00
Lard	06@	07
Bacon Shoulders	07@	7½
Bacon Sides	06@	07
Hams	08@	10
Butter	10@	20
Potatoes	25@	25
Onions	40@	50
Eggs	25@	25

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The Century's Programme in 1892-A New "Life of Columbus"-Articles for Farmers, etc.

THAT great American periodical, THE CENTURY, is going to outdo its own unrivaled record in its programme for 1892, and as many of its new features begin with the November number, new readers should commence with that issue.

In this number are the opening chapters of

"THE NAULAHKA,"

a novel by Rudyard Kipling, the famous author of "Plain Tales from the Hills," written in collaboration with an American writer, Wolcott Balestier. It is the story of a young man and a young woman from a "booming" Colorado town, who go to India, he in search of a wonderful jeweled necklace, called "the Naulahka" (from which the story takes its name), and she as a physician to women. The novel describes their remarkable adventures at the court of an Indian maharajah. Besides this, THE CENTURY will print three other novels during the year, and a great number of short stories by the best American story-writers.

The well-known humorist Edgar W. Nye ("Bill Nye") is to write a series of amusing sketches which he calls his "autobiographies," the first one of which, "The Autobiography of a Justice of the Peace," is in November. This number also contains a valuable and suggestive article on "The Food-Supply of the Future," which every farmer should read, to be followed by a number of others

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treating especially of the relations of the Government to the farmer, what it is doing and what it should do. This series will include contributions from officers of the Department of Agriculture, and other well-known men will discuss "The Farmers Discontent," "Cooperation," etc., etc. A celebrated Spanish writer is to furnish a "Life of Columbus," which will be brilliantly illustrated, and the publishers of THE CENTURY have arranged with the managers of the World's Fair to print articles on the buildings, etc.

One of the novels to appear in 1892 is

A STORY OF NEW YORK LIFE,

by the author of "The Anglomaniacs," and the magazine will contain a great deal about the metropolis during the year,—among other things a series of illustrated articles on "The Jews in New York." In November is an illustrated description of "The Players' Club," founded by Edwin Booth, and one of the features of the splendidly illustrated Christmas (December) number is an article on "The Bowery."

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IN 1892

there are to be serial stories by Brander Matthews, Lieutenant Robert H. Fletcher (the author of that charming book, "Marjorie and Her Paps"), Laura E. Richards, William O. Stoddard, Charles E. Carryl (the author of "Davy and the Goblin"), and Frances Courtenay Baylor. There will be short stories by Thomas Nelson Page, Mary E. Wilkins, Mary Hallock Foote, Richard Malcolm Johnston, Octave Thanet, General O. O. Howard, and many others, with papers of travel and adventure by J. T. Trowbridge and Lieutenant Schwatka, and useful articles on "How Columbus Reckoned," "William the Conqueror," "Volcanoes and Earthquakes," "Straight lines and Circles," etc. In "Strange Corners of Our Country" the Great American Desert, the Cliff-Dwellings of Arizona, and other interesting places, will be described, and in "Honors to the Flag" and "Boys and the National Guard" the patriotism of the young readers will be aroused and stimulated. Julian Ralph is to describe "The Making of a Great Newspaper," and the arc and incandescent electric lights are to be clearly explained.

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