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SATURDAY, OCTOBER, 21, 1893.

WOOD WANTED!

A few loads of good dry Oak Wood, at this office, on subscription account, at regular market price.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Miss Ella May Yingling, of Baltimore, is visiting friends in this city.

Miss Mary E. Marquardt, of Frederick, is visiting Miss Florence H. Mitten, of this city.

A council of the order of Junior American Mechanics will be organized in this city on Monday evening next.

Master Brook Rittase, of Littlestown, Pa., is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Brook Yantis, Hotel Albion, this city.

Mrs. Elizabeth Gilbert, of Washington, D. C., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Geo. B. Yantis, of the Hotel Albion, this city.

Miss Rosin, of Wilmington, Del., has taken the position of trimmer in the millinery department of Messrs. S. Kann, Sons & Co., this city.

Mr. Jno. T. Orndorff is having the Orndorff building, this city, occupied by himself and M. Schaeffer & Co., repainted; F.D. Sanford painter.

Mr. James H. Johnson, of Uniontown, died in that place on Tuesday, aged seventy-seven years. Mr. Johnson formerly resided in Baltimore.

Mr. Philip H. L. Myers, one of the best known and most highly esteemed citizens of this county, is critically ill with pneumonia, at his home in Bachman's Valley.

The ladies of the Sewing Society of Grace Lutheran Church, of this city, spent Tuesday evening as the guests of Mrs. Emanuel Shafer, and were entertained in a very handsome manner.

Mr. Thos. O'Neal Lynch was thrown from his buggy on Tuesday and had one of his ankles badly sprained and his shoulder severely bruised. The accident was caused by his horse running away.

Capt. Rogers Birnie, of Washington, D. C.; Messrs. Harry M. Clabaugh, of Westminster, and Harry E. Fleagle, of Mayberry, spent a very enjoyable time hunting and gunning on Friday of last week.

Information has been received here of the death of Mrs. Susan Nicodemus, widow of the late Jacob Nicodemus, formerly of this county, which occurred at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. Lamoyle Owen, in Delaware county, Ohio, on the 16th inst. Mrs. Nicodemus was in the 76th year of her age.

Albert Delphey, a son of Mr. Joseph P. Delphey, of Ladiesburg, Frederick county, died at the home of his grandfather, Mr. David Mort, in Bruceville, on Friday of last week, aged sixteen years. He had been suffering with paralysis since he was eleven years old, and was almost helpless for a long time previous to his death.

Col. John B. Thomas, a brother of the wife of the editor of the SENTINEL, died at his home in Frederick, on Sunday last, aged 73 years. Col. Thomas was at one time a member of the Board of County Commissioners of Frederick county, twice represented the county in the House of Delegates, and was a member of the constitutional convention of 1867.

The remains of Mrs. Sallie West, of Philadelphia, were brought to this city on Sunday afternoon last and taken to the residence of her father, Mr. Francis Shriver, West Main street, where funeral services were held on Monday morning. Mrs. West was forty-six years of age. Her husband, a son and daughter survive her. Her remains were interred in Westminster Cemetery.

On the 16th instant Messrs Andrew Polster, Edward Stater and George Stater killed three black snakes on a hillside on Mr. Polster's farm near Shipley P. O., where they were lying together. They measured, respectively, 4, 4½ and 6 feet in length, but the second one named seemed to have about 1½ feet cut off its length, or it would also have measured 6 feet. The old time notion that severing a snake's tail was certain death to the reptile, was not confirmed in this case, as the wound was healed and the snake as fully alive as its companions.

Among the citizens of Carroll county registered at the World's Fair during the present week were: N. Dorsey, Geo. P. Beasman, John Dorsey, Isaac Saylor, Miss Lizzie Murray, Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Adners, W. S. Davidson, Mr. F. Miller, Harvey E. Weant, L. C. Stitely, A. B. Manahan, Miss Mollie Manahan, Mrs. N. Zile, Dr. J. W. Helm, John M. Hawk, E. S. Weybright, George W. Gist, C. A. Shipley, A. L. Davis, J. C. Shipley, R. H. H. Shipley, F. J. Schaeffer, A. N. Dorsey, Dr. and Mrs. E. D. Cronk, Miss Nannie E. Stem, Fred. G. Cronk, J. T. Ridgely, Arthur F. Smith, Mrs. A. R. Stirling, Misses Elizabeth Key Irwin, Helen Irwin, Mr. P. H. Irwin, J. Brooke Irwin, L. Howell Lamotte, Miss Jennie Eckenrode, Miss Maggie Mehring, Mr. and Mrs. Granville S. Haines, H. E. Downham, W. H. Roosa, Emory C. Zepp, Wm. M. Shilling, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Weant, Misses Cora Lambert and Nettie Lambert, F. J. Buckingham, Miss Fannie Steiner, Dr. Charles Billingslea, Miss Maggie V. Hood, M. H. Yohn, Charles E. Stem.

A two-story log house near the line of the Western Maryland Railroad, between Avondale and Spring Mills, was blown to pieces with dynamite on Friday night of last week, by persons unknown. John Robinson, who had been living in the house, moved out the morning previous to the occurrence. It is said the property had been abandoned by its owners, and it is surmised that the house was destroyed to prevent its occupation by undesirable squatters; but this is not positively known.

Mr. Wm. Delaplane, of Great Bend, Kansas, in an interesting letter to a friend in this city, says: "The Democrats promised us dollar wheat, but they should have said quarter wheat, as I have actually bought four bushels for a dollar since Cleveland's election." He gives the prices of various Kansas products, at this time, as follows: Wheat, 40 to 46 cents; corn, 25 to 30; oats, 25 to 30; hay, $4 to $6 per ton; potatoes, 75 cents to $1.00; butter, 23 to 25; chickens, 4 cents per pound, live weight; turkeys and ducks 5 cents, &c. Mr. Delaplane says the Democrats wanted a change and now that they have it, they are by no means satisfied with it. He is, apparently, a stronger Republican than ever, and says the old party is game and will "pick the flint and try it again."

A letter to the manager of the SENTINEL from Mr. W. S. Drach, who is visiting friends and relatives in various parts of the West, states that they had reached Prescott, Iowa, on the 15th inst., where Mr. Drach met a brother whom he had not seen for 27 years. It was a joyful meeting. From Prescott Mr. and Mrs. Drach will go to Genoa, Iowa, to see the former's cousin, Mr. H. C. Nicodemus; thence to Champaign, Ills., to visit Mrs Vincent Spitler, who is a sister of Mr. James E. Smith, of this city, and a cousin of Mrs. Drach. Then they will turn their faces homeward, by way of Chicago, Port Huron, Niagara Falls, &c. Mr. Drach has received the SENTINEL on his travels and says it was like letters from home. He was pleased to notice the nomination of a Republicant ticket and expects to be home to vote for it.

Messrs. Nelson T. Houck, John W. Zepp and Nelson C. Zepp, on Tuesday, 24th inst., husked 39 barrels, or 390 bushels of corn for Mr. E. J. Lawyer, of this city, an average of 13 barrels, or 130 bushels each. They commenced work at 7. A. M., took 40 minutes at dinner and finished at 5.45, P. M., making 10 hours and 5 minutes. This is a remarkable feat, and our informant asks, "Who can beat it?" Mr. Lawyer had a three acre lot in corn, near his residence, from which he realized 57½ carefully measured barrels, an average of 19 1-6 barrels per acre. He says it was McKinley corn stimulated with protection fertilizer. Taking into account the unfavorable season and the fact that the same ground was in corn last year this yield is remarkable and probably without a parallel in the county. Mr. Lawyer also realized a large yield at his farm, "Sunny Side," near Bixler P. O., getting 15½ barrels to the acre.

Meadow Branch Lovefeast.

The annual lovefeast of the German Baptist Brethren of the Meadow Branch congregation, near this city, was held last Saturday, afternoon and evening, and was largerly attended. The services on such occasions, though quite common in this county, in which there is a large Dunker population, always possess much interest to the membership and to others also. The peaceful simplicity of such scenes has a charm that seems to subdue the levity of the profane and worldly, and to fill the hearts of the participants with calm and holy joy. The form of the exercises has been so often described and is so familiar to our readers that its reproduction would be superfluous. It has been rarely more solemn and interesting than on the occasion referred to. It was preceded by the baptism, by immersion, of three young men, sons of well known German Baptist fathers. Elders Uriah Bixler and Ephraim W. Stoner had charge of the services, and Elders Emanuel Babylon, W. E. Roop, Charles D. Bonsack, of the ministry connected with the congregation, and Elders Isaac Riddlesperger, of Falling Springs, Pa.; W. M. Lyons, of Washington, D. C.; Wm H. Franklin, of Sams Creek, and Thomas J. Kolb, of Double Pipe Creek, were present and participated.

The Flower Mission.

The contributors to the flower mission this week, which closed the season, were: Mrs. Mitten, Mrs. G. W. Matthews, Mrs. G. E. Baughman, Mrs. Thomas Bankard, Mrs. Jessie F. Shreeve, Mrs. B. F. Crouse, Mrs. Samuel Shunk, Mrs. Wm. A. Cunningham, Misses Lou Bixler, L. R. Nusbaum, M. Bessie Bennett, E. Mae Nelson. Mrs. Dr. J. T. Hering received a card from Miss Smith, which reads as follows:

Please accept the thanks of the flower mission for the regular contributions sent from Westminster during the season about ending, and especially for those of last week. As this is the last Friday, Oct. 27, that we will meet this year, will you ask your packers to send as large a contribution as possible. I am desirous on that day to visit as many hospitals as I can. Thanking you again for your assistance, I am, Very sincerely yours,

E. A. SMITH.

The ladies of the Westminster branch desire to express their appreciation and gratitude to those who so kindly contributed this season, and also for the beautiful flowers received this week. They are also much indebted to Master Frank Mobley for his faithful assistance during the season.

For the SENTINEL.

Falls Farm Literary Society.

The last meeting of The Falls Farm Literary Society was held at the house of Mr. Day, on Saturday evening. Quite a number were in attendance, among whom were several from Baltimore. One of them is very musical and entertained the society with some comic songs. The program was as follows: Readings, by Mr Frank Hobbs, Artemus Ward's Advice to Husbands; Miss Bessie Mullinix, Jennie Maloon; Mr. Gusta Owens, The Bachelor; Miss Tillie Sauble, Patience Mercy Jones; Mr. J. Wilt, Houseless; Miss Mattie Sauble, Gone with a Handsomer Man; recitations, by Miss Bessie Mullinix, The Soldiers Return; Mr. J. T. Sauble, Over the Hill from the Poorhouse; vocal music, by Miss Maggie Day, They told me not to love him; Miss Tamsia Day, I like a game of Croquet; instrumental music, by Mr. Rogers. The meeting closed at 9.30. Next meeting will be held at the house of Mr. Frank Davis, Saturday evening, October 28th, at 7.30 o'clock. All visitors are cordially welcome.

Christian Endeavor Convention.

The fifth semi-annual convention of the Societies of Christian Endeavor of Carroll county began its session, in Pleasant Valley, Friday evening, October 20th, by a praise service, led by Mr. Geo. H. Birnie, of Taneytown. This was followed by the opening sermon, preached by Rev. P. H. Miller, of Westminster. Saturday morning the president's address, by Mr. B. F. Crouse, and the secretary's report, by Mr. T. Clyde Routson, constituted the first part of the program. The secretary's report showed 15 societies in the county with a membership of over seven hundred, fourteen of them reporting six hundred and ninety-eight. The three minute report from each society was conducted by President Crouse. During the report prayer was offered by Rev. P. H. Miller for the weak societies. A splendid address on "What the C. E. Society Ought to Do," was delivered by Rev. O. C. Roth, an ex-pastor of the Pleasant Valley Church, now stationed in Baltimore. The afternoon session was begun by a praise service led by Miss Sarah Snyder, followed by an address on the importance and consequences of the C. E. movement, by Rev. G. W. McSherry, of Taneytown. Sectional committee meetings were next in order. The Lookout committee was assigned to B. B. Blackford; Sunday School committee, to Henry Utermahlen; Social committee, to Miss Sarah Snyder; Missionary committee, to Mrs. Geo. C. Anders; Prayer-meeting committee, to Theodore Adams. The President also announced the following committees: On place of meeting, Miss Laura Graddick, Mr. J. M. Lambert, Miss Anna Baust, Miss Ida Diffenbaugh, Mr. Jacob Lawyer; on resolutions, Mr. B. B. Blackford, Miss Sarah Snyder, Mr. Samuel Johnson. Rev. A. D. Melvin, of Westminster, next spoke upon the subject of "The Pledge." His address was both interesting and profitable. The evening session was opened by Miss Laura Graddick, leading the praise service. Mr. B. B. Blackford conducted, quite ably, the question box. "Concentrated Energy" was discussed by Rev. Pedro Riosecco. Mr. C. E. Sanders, of Harney, treated the subject, "The C. E. an Auxiliary Training Agency to the Church." Mr. Geo. H. Birnie added some practical remarks. Open parliament was carried on for fifteen minutes. The afternoon session, on Sunday, was opened by the usual praise service, led by B. B. Blackford. Mr. W. C. Perkins, of Baltimore, president of the Maryland Union, made an interesting address on Junior work. Rev. Dr. Ward gave a short address. Comment is needless. He is sufficently well known. Rev. Dr. Bates, of Westminster, also added to the program. Reminiscenses of Montreal were given by Misses Snyder and Mourer and Mr. Lambert. Sunday evening praise service was led by T. Clyde Routson. "Missions" were discussed by Rev. P. H. Miller. The various committees now reported. The committee on nomination of officers for next year reported as follows: President B. B. Blackford; Secretary, T. Clyde Routson; Treasurer, Miss Ida Diffenbaugh. Miss Laura Graddick, of New Windsor, read a splendid essay on "What is Christ's Life Doing for You?" Miss Lizzie Myers gave a reading, followed by consecration service, and thus closed the fifth semi-annual convention, to meet in Hampstead next May. The people of Pleasant Valley must be complimented for their hospitality. The attendance was good at all of the sessions.

Warner-Gardner.

The M. P. Church at Libertytown, Frederick county, was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Wednesday, 18th inst. The contracting parties were Miss Virgil, only daughter of G. W. Gardner, Esq., and Rev. Luther F. Warner, of Dover, Delaware. Promptly at 1 o'clock, P. M., the wedding party entered the church to the sweet strains of Mendlessohn's wedding march, preceded by the ushers, Mr. Roy Gardner, brother of the bride, and Mr. Robert Warner, brother of the groom, where Rev. Casson, in an impressive manner, pronounced them husband and wife. The groom wore the conventional black with white tie. The bride was attired in a very handsome traveling suit. After the ceremony the happy couple took the evening train for New York, Niagara Falls, and other places. The wedding party and guests partook of a bountiful dinner, supplemented with all the delicacies of the season in abundance. The following persons were present: Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Gardner, Mr. Roy Gardner, Rev. Casson and wife, Mr. Luther Warner, Sr., and wife, Mrs. Jackson, Robert Warner, Mr. Fred Warner and wife, all of Baltimore; Mr. Wood and wife, Miss Mary Buckingham, Miss Maggie McKinstry, of Union Bridge; Miss Norris, of Rockville; Miss Mullinix, Mr. Harding and wife, of Frederick; Misses Nicodemus, and Williard, of Buckeystown; Mr. Harding and wife, of New London; Mr. Urner and wife, Mr. Pearre and wife, near Liberty; Miss Harding, Mrs. S. A. Gorsuch, Miss Nora Gorsuch, Mr. H. Price Goodwin and wife, of Westminster; Mr. J. B. Allison and wife, of Warfieldsburg; Mr. W. P. Gardner and wife, of Emmittsburg, and many others. The bridal presents were numerous, handsome and valuable, consisting of silverware, glassware, clocks, gold coin, greenbacks, table linen, bric-a-brac, &c.

Orphans' Court.

Monday, October 23rd.—Solomon S. Ecker and Ellsworth Ecker, executors of Susanna Ecker, deceased, received orders to sell real estate and stock.

Letters of administration on the estate of John L. Otto, deceased, were granted to Mary E. Otto.

Tuesday, October 24th.—Francis H. Elliot, executor of Lewis Elliot, deceased, reported sale of real estate.

George W. Phillips, executor of Jesse W. Phillips, deceased, settled first and final account.

Report of sale of real estate of David Nicodemus, deceased, finally ratified.

Report of sale of real estate of Lydia A. Kelly, deceased, finally ratified.

Report of sale of real estate of George Koontz, deceased, finally ratified.

Report of sale of real estate of Jeremiah D. Bowersox, deceased, finally ratified.

Daniel Items.

Miss Claude Jenkins, near here, is spending the winter in Pittsburg, Pa.

Miss Lizzie Branderburg, is visiting friends in Blatimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Shipley, of Harmans, Md., are the guests of Mrs Larkin Shipley.

For the SENTINEL.

A Select Tea.

The monotony of social apathy in New Windsor was displaced by the convening of invited guests at the exquisite Tea Party tendered by Mrs. Jennie Smith, at her residence. Early in the evening of the 26th inst., the full complement met in the spacious parlors assigned, where hour after hour, which stole unheeded, alternate mirth, music and metaphor held every one in happy appreciation. Not long, however, and the dining room doors were thrown open. Forthwith and fast, the table, which had covers spread for sixteen, was surrounded. There the lavish display of the connoisseur substantially confirmed the reputation of our hostess, that "nothing is too good to eat." Oysters, the choicest that bed the Lynnhaven, headed the *menu*, and with the long category of meats, relishes and entrees we became "full."

Upon retiring from the dining room, selections of music from popular authors were rendered by Mrs. John Smelser at the organ, accompanied by Dr. Rudolph Brown with the violin. The felicitous manner in which they acquitted themselves, was fully attested by the happy expressions of the company. Following this, were charades, which although requiring "a studying cap," made them more relished "for all that." "Joe" metaphorically represented "Scenes of the Ocean." In spite of all this, the night bore steadily on, and at eleven o'clock we were loath to dissolve the company

"Where cares that infest the day
Shall fold their tents, like the Arabs,
And as silently steal away."

Among the guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Smith, Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Baile, Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Baile, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis A. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Babylon, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Snader, Mr. and Mrs. R. Smith Snader, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Englar, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Englar, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Devilbiss, Mr. and Mrs. John Smelser, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. S. Houghton, Mrs. Margaret Englar, Miss Ida H. Devilbiss, Miss Lulu Carlisle, Miss Carrie Smith, Messrs. Walter Englar, Jos. E. Englar, Elmer D. Buckey, Rev. John T. Ensor.

ONE OF THEM.

Harney Items.

Thieves entered S. S. Shoemaker's store on Wednesday night of last week and took between two and three hundred dollars worth of goods, consisting of ready made clothing, revolvers, handkerchiefs and two hams. They entered through the wareroom and broke open the door leading into the main storeroom. They left two chisels and a brace. Nothing has been heard of goods or thieves since. On Wednesday, shortly after noon, seven men supposed to be tramps passed through Longville on their way towards Harney, but were not seen by any one come here. Near Piney Creek Church there is a clump of pine trees thickly set. There they were seen in the evening and the place can be plainly seen where they had lain in the leaves. The supposition is that they remained in the pines until about midnight and then passed on to Harney when it was not likely that anybody would be traveling.

Mr. Geo. Schott, who came here from Baltimore last spring, sold his personal property last Saturday, and returned to the city again this week. He sold his property of 22 acres to Mr. C. M. Moore for $1300.

The Sterner mill property has been sold to a Mr. Stonesifer, from near Littlestown, who will rebuild the mill at an early date. The mill has been much missed and many people are very anxious to have it rebuilt.

Mr. John Murray shot a large fox last Monday. This is the first fox shot in this neighborhood for a long time.

Messrs. Geo. Shriner and Henry Null, of this place, have had their houses painted; John H. Murray painter.

Mr. Grier Shoemaker's new house is nearing completion. Mr. J. Biehl has just finished painting it on the outside.

Our neighborhood is running full of tramps and peddlers.

Farmers are well on with their corn husking.

Townshend-Ecker.

In Bethel M. E. Church, near Sams Creek, Wednesday last, Mr. J. Belt Townshend and Miss Mamie H. Ecker were united in marriage before a very large company. Rev T. J. Cross, of New Windsor, pleasantly performed the ceremony. The church, lighted by lamps, had every appearance of a wedding occasion. The bride wore white silk, trimmed with lace, and carried Marechal Neil roses. The groom was attired in a full suit of black. Miss Maggie Stem, of Sams Creek, sat at the organ and happily rendered Lohengrin's beautiful march. The ushers were Messrs Geo. E. Matthews, of Westminster; N. Townshend, of Baltimore; Revs. J. T. Marsh, of Walkersville; and J. T. Ensor, of New Windsor. From the church the bridal party, with a large company of friends, returned to the home of Mr. Jacob Naill, the bride's grandfather, where a pleasant reception was tendered. Mr. and Mrs. Townshend took the train at 5.46, in New Windsor, for a short trip to Baltimore and several other cities. The following were present: Rev. T. J. Cross and wife, Mr. Uriah Englar and family, Warren Dudderar and family, James Ecker and daughter, Mr. Edward Carlisle and family, Mr. John Suman and family, Mrs. Dr. Sappington, Mrs. Clarence Lindsay, Mrs. Margaret Worman, Misses Dona Barnes, Allanda Pickett, Katie Koontz, May Brightwell, Nellie Naill, Jennie Schluckbier, Mr. Wesley Gosnell and wife, Mr. William Townshend and family, Mr. Joseph Baker, Mr. Thomas Barnes and family, Mr. David Stem and family, Mrs. John Hargett, Miss Maggie Barsoch, Mrs. William Eckard and family, Mrs. John Naill and family, Messrs Alvie Wilson, Harry Louman, Bernard Ecker, Frank Barnes, Walter Dayhoff.

List of Unclaimed Matter

Remaining in the Postoffice at Westminster, Md., October 21st, 1893.

Beggs, John	Kneller, Edward
Bowers, Edward	Sell, Henry
Dell, John	Smith, Basil
Crawford, William	Toop, Daniel (3)
Fowler, Mrs. Margaret	Wentz, Mrs. Fannie
Hahn, James V.	Yingling, Miss Mary
Henderson, Miss Gussie	Zepp, Miss Emma

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

GEO. E. SHARRER, P. M.

Manchester Items.

At the brilliantly lighted home of Mr. John C. Denner, on Thursday evening last, a company of invited guests assembled to congratulate Master John C. Denner and do honor to the occasion of his 13th birthday. Music, games and social amusements made up the features of the evening which were much enjoyed by all. Refreshments were in abundance and the hospitality of the family was freely extended and fully enjoyed by all the company. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John C. Denner, John C. Denner, Jr., William R. S. Denner, Elmer Denner, Misses Katie Warehime, Ida Fredericks, Minnie Leese, Leah Fredericks, Annie Fuhrman, Sadie Wink, Lela Albaugh, Ruth Stump, Mrs. Rudisill, Mrs. Leonard Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Trout, Messrs. Harry W. Smith, John Stick, Harry Hoffacker, Ene Lamotte, Harry Masenheimer, Clinton Warner.

The beautiful mornings of the 8th and 15th inst, brought out large congregations to the Lutheran Church, where the Rev. C. M. Eyster administered the Holy Communion in the English on the 8th and in the German on the 15th inst., to more than 300 communicants.

Rev. C. M. Roeder will hold Communion services, in Trinity Reformed Church of this place, on Sunday, November 5th. Preparatory services on Saturday previous. On the Sunday following, 12th proximo., he will have Communion and confirmation services in the Lazarus (Kroh's) Church, near Lineboro.

Mr. Trone, living at the stone quarries near Lineboro, has quite a curiosity in a pet horse that has not been out of the stable for 17 years. His master took a fancy to him and carries all the water to his stall and gives him all the care and attention that his other horses receive, but never takes him from his stall.

Mr. John Folgert, who sold his home on Foundry Avenue to Mr. Jesse Warner, moved into the Groft property on York street on Thursday, and Mr. Warner moved into his new home on the same day

Mr. Nimrod Armstrong, who has been suffering with a sore knee caused by a bruise, that kept him in his room for several weeks, is now able to be about with the aid of canes.

Mr. John E. Masenheimer and family, who spent a week visiting friends in Baltimore, returned home on Saturday.

Rev. S. M. Roeder attended the sessions of the Potomac Synod several days last week. He and family are entertaining his sister and her husband, from Pa.

Mrs. Manassah Warehime is quite ill with pulmonary trouble at her home north of town.

The bird and rabbit season has called out a legion of hunters and at times from the gun reports they are making slaughter in the ranks or a large waste of ammunition.

The program of the celebration of the 59th anniversary of Daniel and Jacob Lodge No. 23, omitted in last week's account of the exercises of that event, was as follows: Prayer, Rev. J. B. Hall; singing, Opening Ode; Welcome; singing, Onward Christian Soldiers; recitation, Guilty, or Not Guilty? Miss Maggie Houck; singing, Ever Be Faithful; address, Rev. J. B. Hall; singing, What a Gathering That Will Be; recitation, The Last Hymn, Miss Neta Oursler; solo, Mr. George Everhart; recitation, Somebody's Mother, Miss Sadie Wink; singing, All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name; recitation, The Purest Pearl, Miss Annie Fuhrman; Closing Ode.

Those present at the surprise party given Mr. Henry Fuhrman, of Kentucky, at the home of his mother, Mrs. E. W. Fuhrman, were: Mrs. E. W. Fuhrman and daughters, Misses Lizzie and Maggie, and Mrs. Jaeger, (the latter of Baltimore); Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Myers and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fuhrman, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Fuhrman and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Fuhrman, of Hanover, Pa; Mr. and Mrs. George P. Fuhrman and daughter, Miss Lola; Mr. and Mrs. Mann and children, Mr. Henry Fuhrman, of Kentucky; Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hoffman, Mrs. J. M. Motter, Miss Fannie G. Ross, Mrs. Wm. H. Shower, Mrs. Morelock, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Dubbs, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hoffacker, Mr. and Mrs. C. Turner, Misses Maggie Crouse, Marie Shower, Rev. C. M. Roeder, Messrs. C. W. Motter, H. Smith, H. La Motte, George Everhart, Geo. Motter, Mr. and Mrs. C. Miller and son.

Winfield Items.

On Sunday last, soon after starting to see a patient, and when only a short distance from his home, Dr. A. T. Cronk saw a dog lying in the edge of a wood on the farm of Mr. Wm. H. Cronk, under circumstances which at once led him to the conclusion that the animal was suffering with hydrophobia. It was biting the ground, leaves and bushes within reach in a very savage manner. Not caring to come in close contact with the rabid brute, and desiring to prevent any mischief it might do, the doctor returned home, procured his revolver and then going back to where the dog lay, quickly dispatched it with a bullet from his weapon. The animal was about the size of a shepherd dog, was shaggy, but well kept in appearance and white and black in color. It probably came from the Liberty road, as it was seen coming from that direction early in the afternoon by a young lady, who was very much frightened by its strange appearance.

Dr. E. D. Cronk and family, Master Eddie and Miss Nannie Stem and Mr. M. Yohn went to Chicago last week for a week or ten-days' visit to the World's Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Barnes, who have been quite ill for several weeks, are improving.

The health of the community is fairly good, with the exception of an occasional case of scarlet fever or diphtheria.

Warfieldsburg Items.

A Protract meeting is in progressed at the New Pipe Creek M. P. Church. Rev. A. D. Melvin, of Westminster, is assisting in the meeting this week. His services are very much appreciated by the congregation.

After 4 years of earnest labor on the Carrollton Circuit Church of God, Rev. J. A. Staub will preach his farewell sermon in the Bethel at this place on Sunday, October 29th, at 2.30 o'clock, P. M., after which he will, with his family, remove to Newburg, Cumberland county, Pa., and take charge of a church at that place.

Mr. John Harris has moved into the tenant house of Mr. J. B. Allison, in this place.

Melrose Items.

Those who remembered Charles T. Zepp on his birthday from Maryland were: N. I. Gorsuch & Son, Emma C. Lorrenger, Jas. P. Zepp, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Zepp, H. E. Rohrbaugh, Erick S. Zepp, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hoff, J. A. Zepp, Charles M. Motter, C. H. J. Ganter, Jacob H. Zepp, H. H. Meals, Ora Whitmore, Mrs. E. L. Zepp, Mrs. Mary L. Cunningham, Annie M. Bachman, Leanna Krumrine, Elmer A. Bachman, Oscar Bachman, John Foltz, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hoffman, Samuel Starner, Rachel Utz, John S. Wentz, Laura Myers, Frank Crumrine; from Pennsylvania: J. L. Baker, Charles T. Steward, Eliza J. Miller, Henry Hinkle, Allen Rebert, Ella G. Bahn, Prof. John E. Bahn, Prof. A. M. Hanna, Jacob M. Stick, Edward Redding, Kate E. Erb, Hon. Robert E. Pattison, H. A. Bricker, H. Smuck, Maj. H. O. Young; from Iowa: A. Wilton Friend, Bertha Harris; from New York: Minnie Miller, Clara S. Smith, Emma I. Smith; from Washington, Jennie Shriver; from Canada: Walter I. Strople, Mary J. Taylor; from Virginia: George W. Geary; from Florida: Jane A. Smith. Beside many letters of cheer he received many presents all of which were useful. He desires to thank every one who has so kindly assisted in making his 35th birthday the happiest in his life.

Mr. Philip Myers and wife are on the sick list.

Mr. John Geiman, Sr., has three pumpkins of last year's growth that are solid and sound yet.

Mr. Geo. M. Zepp took from one of his apple trees a limb two feet in length bearing 25 apples, each averaging 10 inches in circumference. They are of the winter red streak variety.

Two loads of lumber passed through our town on Friday last. That is an indication that times are becoming brisk.

The chestnut crop is not very large this year.

Taneytown Items.

Mr. Wm. N. Thompson, a former resident of this place, but now of Baltimore, paid a short visit here last week on business.

Miss Nora Ditzler, of Frederick, Md., spent Saturday and Sunday as the guest of Miss Flora Kemp, on Church street.

Mr. Jesse Haugh, of Baltimore, is home on a visit to his parents at this place.

Mr. Robert S. McKinney and wife, who had been visiting the World's Fair, returned home on Saturday last, much pleased with their trip.

About seventy-five persons from this place attended the convention of the Christian Endeavor at Pleasant Valley on last Sunday. If the weather had not been so inclement there would have been a great many more. Taneytown always turns out well on occasions of this kind.

Mr. Charles E. H. Shriner has sold his house and lot on New street, to Mr. John Stouffer, and has purchased the Orndorff property on Baltimore street, where he will move his family and shop in the spring.

The pulpit of the Reformed Church was filled on last Sunday by Rev. Alexander Bateman, of Baltimore. Rev. Bateman is a fine speaker and will again fill the pulpit on November 5th.

Taneytown is in need of a few new houses and several store rooms, as there are several business men at this place who have not as yet places to move to in the spring. Houses seem to be very scarce at this place. Why do not some of our leading men of the town look into this matter?

About eight or ten tramps pass through this place every day. Why do not the authorities pass an ordinance to force them to work a certain time on the macadamizing of the streets? I think this would soon lessen the number considerably.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

When baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria

A few Carts and Buggies left which will be closed out at a sacrifice to make room for a stock of Sleighs and Cutters, at J. W. SHUNK'S.

I am now prepared to manufacture Feed Cutters, Hominy Mills, Circular Saws, &c. Call before purchasing.

WM. H. GILBERT,
oc-21-1t Machinist, Westminster, Md.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Federation of Labor of Baltimore city have perfected arrangements with Harris, Britton and Dean, whereby this worthy organization will take a benefit at Harris' Academy of Music during the engagement of "Mavourneen" at this house week beginning Monday, October 30th. The members of the Federation are selling tickets among their friends and already they have assurance of big success. The tickets are good for any of the matinee or evening performances. The production of "Mavourneen" in Baltimore will be identically the same as that seen in New York, where the play enjoyed a run of ten months.

KENNEBEC ICE.

As my own supply of Ice will be exhausted to-morrow, I will, after that date, be prepared to furnish you Kennebec Ice at reasonable rates, and will guarantee you perfect satisfaction. Hoping for liberal patronage, and thankful for past favors, I remain, yours, &c.

J. D. CROWL.

OYSTER SUPPER.

The Ladies' Mite Society of Sandy Mt. M. P. Church, at Sandyville, will hold an Oyster Supper, on the evening and night of November 4th, and all day and at night on the 7th in the Basement of the church. All are invited.

We take pleasure to announce to our patrons that we have secured the services of Miss Rosin, of Wilmington, Del., to take charge of the Millinery Department connected with our Mammoth Establishment. Miss Rosin has had a large experience in this line and will be glad to show you all the latest styles, at our opening on Monday next, October 30th.

S. KANN, SONS & CO.

FOR SALE.—A medium sized Iron Safe, nearly new, made by L. H. Miller, & Co., will be sold at a bargain. Apply to E. O. Grimes.

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

Methodist Protestant Church.—Prayer Meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Sunday School Sunday at 9.15, a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. Meeting at 6.45, p. m. Preaching at 10.30, a. m., and 7.30, p. m.

A. D. MELVIN, Pastor.

Centenary M. E. Church.—Sunday School at 9.15, a. m. Epworth League service at 7 o'clk, p. m. Prayer Meeting Wednesday at 7.30, p. m. Class meeting immediately following prayer meeting. Epworth League service at 6.45, p. m. Preaching at 10.30, a. m., and 7.30, p. m.

J. L. WALSH, Pastor.

Grace Ev. Lutheran Church.—Sunday School 9, a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7.30, p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. 6.45, p. m. Junior Endeavor 4.00, p. m. Preaching at 10.30, a. m., by Rev. L. W. Bates, D. D., and at 7.30, p. m., by Rev. H. J. Macallister.

P. H. MILLER, Pastor.

St. Paul's Reformed Church.—Sunday School at 9.15, a. m. Divine services at 10.30, a. m., and 7.30, p. m.

CALVIN S. SLAGLE, Pastor.

Carroll Charge, Reformed Church.—Benjamin's Church.—Sunday School at 9, a. m. Holy Communion at 10, a. m. Preparatory service Saturday, 2, p. m.

St. Matthew's Church.—Pleasant Valley.—Sunday School at 1, p. m. Preaching at 2, p. m.

H. J. MACALISTER, Pastor.

Salem Charge, Lutheran Church.—Benjamin's Church.—Sunday School at 9, a. m. Preaching at 10, a. m.

The Young People's Missionary Society will meet immediately after service. Subject of sermon, Morning and Afternoon, "Music."

S. A. DIEHL, Pastor.

Rev. Geo. W. Sellhamer will preach in Uniontown, Sabbath morning and evening. The revival services will be continued during the week. Preaching in Frizellburg at 2.30, p. m.

MARRIED.

At the parsonage, Silver Run, October 15th, 1893, by Rev. John G. Noss, Mr. Jeremiah A. Kump and Miss Louisa Schue, both of this county.

At the home of Mr. Geo. Gummel, October 22nd, 1893, by Rev. S. M. Roeder, Mr. Holland I. M. Warehime and Miss Ida C. Gummel, both of this county.

In Bethel M. E. Church, October 25th, 1893, by Rev. Thos. J. Cross, Mr. J. Belt Townshend and Miss Mamie H. Ecker, both of this county.

DIED

Obituaries, poetry and resolutions of regret on deaths charged for at the rate of five cents per line. The regular death notices published gratuitously.

In Philadelphia, October 20th, 1893, Mrs. Sallie West, daughter of Francis Shriver, of this city, aged 46 years.

At the residence of her son-in-law, Lamoyle Owen, Delaware county, Ohio, October 16th, 1893, Susan, widow of the late Jacob Nicodemus, formerly of this county, in the 76th year of her age.

In Finksburg, October 15th, 1893, Allen Ezekiah, son of Wm. and Ida Stansbury, aged 8 months and 10 days.

Our darling little Allen
Has faded with the flowers;
God took him from our hearthstone
To enter the eternal bowers.

Our hearts are filled with sorrow,
Our minds are