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Sale Register.

Notices of sales, for which bills are printed at this office, will be published under this head until day of sale for 50 cents. When bills are printed elsewhere $1.00 will be charged.

March 13. 5 Horses, 2 Colts, 5 Cows, 3 fresh by day of sale; 2 Sows with pig, 3 Shoats, Wagons, and farming implements. Sale at 10 a. m. Sarah J. Fuhrman, near Stonersville, on Pleasant Valley road.

March 16. 4 Horses, 3 Cows, some fresh; Sow and Pigs, Shoats, Wagons, Plows, Furniture, &c. Sale at 12 m., sharp. John F. Jones, ¼ of a mile east of Winfield, on the farm of Wm. H. Barnes.

March 12. 5 Horses, 6 Cows, Heifer, Bull, 6 Shoats, 4 Sows and Pigs, Boar, Binder, Mower, Wagons, Plows, Grain Drill, Threshing Machine, &c. Sale at 10 a. m. Granville Coppersmith, 4 miles from Westminster, and 2½ miles from Bachman's Mills, on the farm of the late Joshua Stonesifer, Bachman's Valley.

March 6. 5 horses, 8 milch cows, bulls, heifer, sows and pigs, 16 shoats, wagons, binder, mower, and a large variety of farm implements. Sale at 9 a. m. Daniel S. Petry, on the county road leading from Hughes' shop to Pleasant Valley. Wm. Brown, auct. David M. Shorb, Clerk.

February 27. 5 horses, 1 colt, 5 cows, bulls, 2 sows, boar, shoats, farming implements, &c. Sale at 9 a. m. N. G. Franklin, 1½ miles south west of Dennings, and 1 mile north of Franklinville.

March 18. Horses, cows, hogs, corn, farming implements, &c. Sale at 12 m. sharp. Ferdinand D. Shaeffer, Cranberry Valley, near Westminster, on Sullivan road. Jacob Hoffman, auctioneer.

March, 19. 6 horses, 10 milch cows, heifers, bull, hogs, sows, farming implements, household furniture, etc. Sale at 10 a. m. J. Wesley Biggs, near Bachman's Mills, Md. Jacob Hoffman, auctioneer.

March 20. Horses, cows, farm implements, &c. Sale at 10 a. m. W. Philip Englar, on the farm of Davis Myers, near Uniontown.

March 25. Three horses, 7 cows, 10 shoats, farm implements and household goods, &c. Mary A. Lane, near Avondale. Wm. Brown, auctioneer.

March 14. Horses, cows, new wheat separator first-class, farm implements, &c. Sale at 10 o'clock, a. m. George K. Schaeffer, Cranberry Valley.

March 26. Ten horses, 15 head of horned cattle, hogs, farm implements. Sale at 8 a. m. John H. Formwalt, on the Daniel Diehl farm about 1 mile west of Uniontown.

March 5. Horses, pair young mules, cows, sheep, farm utensils, &c. Sale at 12 m., sharp. Jeremiah Mathias, Cranberry Valley. Jacob Hoffman, auct.

March 7. Horses, mules, cattle, wagons, harness, self-binder, reaper and mower, &c. Sale at 9.30 a. m. Josephus A. Orendorff, near Stonersville. P. A. Gorsuch, auct. J. Wm. Earhart, clerk.

March 21 and 22. Stock, Farm Implements, machinery and household goods. Sale at 9 a. m. James Devilbiss, about 1 mile southeast of Uniontown. J. Thos. Roop, Auct.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Reports of several social events and other items were received too late for publication this week.

There was no general observance of Washington's birthday in this city. A few flags were displayed and the banks and county offices were closed.

This was written with a pencil kindly presented us by Messrs. Wilson & Goodwin, of this city, agents of the Norwich Union Fire Office of England.

The date of the meeting of Burns Post No. 13, G. A. R., of this city, has been changed from Saturday, March 9th, the regular meeting day, to Saturday, March 2nd.

Mr. John Myers, of Silver Run, formerly a well known cigar manufacturer of this city, is slowly recovering from a severe attack of pneumania, which has confined him to his room since the 1st of January.

The County Commissioners were in session on Monday, but no business of particular interest was transacted. Special pensions of $5 each were granted to Mary E. Stuller and Pius Orendorff, of Westminster district.

On Saturday last Mr. Jacob Young purchased of Mr. Wm. B. Thomas, assignee of mortagagee, at public sale, the little farm of Mrs. Catharine Morelock and her husband, Mr. Augustus Morelock, containing 12 3-20 acres, with improvements, near this city, for $785.

Miss Jessie Keefer, daughter of Mr. Harry Keefer, died at her home near Dennings on Thursday morning, after an illness of several weeks. Funeral services will be held at the German Baptist Church, Sams Creek, at 9 o'clock to-morrow, Sunday, morning.

Messrs. Reifsnider & Reifsnider, solicitors for Mrs. Eliza J. Smith, mortgagee, sold at public sale, on Thursday, the farm of Mr. John T. Haines, in Franklin district, one and a half miles from Winfield, containing 70 acres, 2 roods, 27 perches, to Mr. Wm. Y. Frizzell, for $2,003.

Melchoir Kraft was arrested on Monday and taken before Justice William Moore on Tuesday, charged with forging the name of his mother, Mrs. Catharine Kraft, to an order for ten dollars on Mr. Warren L. Shipley, of Mechanicsville. He was held for a further hearing yesterday.

Several representatives of the largest hose manufacturers in the country are visiting this city for the purpose of bidding to supply the Westminster Fire Department with 1,000 feet of cotton fabric hose, the purchase of which has been ordered by the Mayor and Common Council.

A fine old arm chair was stolen from the residence of Mrs. Arnold Kleff, 11 Pleasant street, Baltimore, on Thursday evening. The chair was in the vestibule and a man was seen to run up the steps pick it up and carry it off. In four minutes the police had notice of the theft, but thief and chair had disappeared.

The congregation of Trinity German Ev. Lutheran Church, at Smallwood, at a congregational meeting on the 3rd inst., unaminously resolved "that *a vote of grateful thanks* be extended to Mr. Elias B. Arnold for the very beautiful copy of a German Pulpit Bible, which he kindly presented to our Church on Christmas-day, 1894." The meeting was the first held after the holidays, and the action of the congregation was conveyed to Mr. Arnold in a communication signed by the pastor and members of the church council.

Mr. J. H. Taylor and family, formerly of this city, narrowly escaped suffocation by gas from a coal stove, at their home, 1430 Linden avenue, Baltimore, on Tuesday night. Fortunately Mr Taylor discovered the presence of gas in the room in which they slept in time and by great effort aroused himself and opened a window. Mrs. Taylor and the children, Mamie and Joseph, were in a comatose state, but with the aid of a physician, who was promptly summoned, were soon out of danger.

Frank Ibex, who is under indictment in this county for an assault on a young girl named Debbie Kester, was arrested in Baltimore recently for the Carroll county authorities. His attorneys had him before Judge Dobler on Tuesday, on a writ of habeas corpus, and the commitment was found defective. He would have been discharged, but State's Attorney Fink was present with a copy of the indictment and the accused is still held and will be turned over to the sheriff of Carroll county unless he gives bail for his appearance at the May term of court.

At the annual meeting of Grace Lutheran Sunday School of this city, held on Wednesday evening last, the following were elected officers for the ensuing year: B. Frank Crouse, superintendent; J. Q. Stitely, assistant superintendent; Mrs. Wm. G. Rinehart, superintendent of infant department; Mrs. Dr. George E. Baughman, assistant superintendent of infant department; Edwin J. Lawyer, secretary; H. C. Keefer, assistant secretary; M. Schaeffer, librarian; Dr. George E. Baughman, assistant librarian; Abraham Price, treasurer; Miss Lizzie Nusbaum, organist; Mrs. A. H. Geiselman, assistant organist; Abraham Price, leader of music; Miss Ida Diffenbaugh, assistant leader of music.

The congregation of St. Mary's Reformed Church, Silver Run, held an elecon Sunday for a pastor to fill the vacency caused by the resignation of Rev. Jno. G. Noss, and, with practical unanimity voted to extend a call to Rev. A. F. Dreisbach, of Shrewsbury, Pa. The election was especially interesting, as it was the first occasion on which the female members of the congregation exercised the right of suffrage, although the church constitution invests them with it. In accordance with the action of the congregation the consistory has prepared the formal call and Mr. Dreisbach is expected to assume the pastorate about April 1st. Rev. C. S. Slagle, of Westminster, was present and preached on the day the election was held.

Mrs. Margaret Nusbaum, wife of Mr. Isaiah Nusbaum, a prominent and well known retired farmer, of New Windsor, died at her home in that place at 3 o'clock on Wednesday morning, aged sixty years and fourteen days. Mrs. Nusbaum was a daughter of the late Capt. David W. Naill, of Sams Creek. She was an estimable lady and an earnest and devout member of the Methodist Episcopal Church. Her death is an irreparable loss to her family and will be sincerely mourned by her relatives and many friends. Her husband survives her and she leaves five children, Messrs. Marshall and Edgar Nusbaum, Mrs. George Yingling and Misses Alice and Florence Nusbaum. Funeral services will be held at 12 o'clock, M., to-day.

For the SENTINEL.

The question, "Which has proved more beneficial to mankind, the invention of the printing press or the magnetic needle?" was discussed by the Wesley Chapel Debating Society on Wednesday evening, 20th inst. The disputants were: Affirmative, Charles Taylor, Patrick Sullivan, Amos Taylor, Benjamin Taylor, William Davidson; negative, Atlee W. Wampler, Howell Taylor, Charles W. Zepp, John W. Sparr, Edward Bower. The decision was in favor of the affirmative by a vote of two to one. The judges were Messrs. Henry A. Miller, Wesley Davidson, John Sprenkel. The question for debate next Wednesday evening is of a rather striking character. It is: "Which is the more responsible for the evil of the saloon, the men who sign the application for the license, or the saloon keeper?"

Miss Ida May Fringer, daughter of Ex-Sheriff George N. Fringer, died at the home of her parents, near this city, on Monday night at 11 o'clock, aged about thirty-three years. Miss Fringer had been an invalid for several years, but was not violently ill until a few hours before her death. She was at the dinner-table on Monday and was bright and cheerful and apparently in her customary health during the afternoon, the fatal attack commencing after four o'clock. She was, from her girlhood, a consistent member of Centenary M. E. Church, and for a number of years connected with its choir. Funeral services were held at the home of her parents at 1 o'clock, Wednesday afternoon, Rev. J. L. Walsh, pastor of Centenary Church, officiating. The remains were interred in Westminster Cemetery. Many relatives and friends were present at the obsequies and the choir of Centenary Church conducted the singing. There were numerous floral tributes, among which were a cross and other beautiful designs. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. Theodore S. Mitten, John C. Shreeve, George Hunter and Frank Brightwell.

Frizellburg Items.

Sleighing is over, and the prospect of a muddy time is staring us in the face.

Dr. Rinehart went to Baltimore on Wednesday only to remain a day or two.

Hurrah! a boom has come at last. Mr. Harris Heagey contemplates a brewery. Just the thing for this community.

A prayer-meeting will be held in the church on Tuesday evening of every week.

Mrs. F. H. Willet spent the entire week with her parents at Marston. Her father is seriously ill.

Mr. Jesse Sheets has been confined for several days with an attack of the quinsey.

Mr. Harvey Bankard and family, of New Windsor, are spending a week or more in this village.

A Girl Restored to Her Home—Her Abductor in Carroll County Jail.

The mystery of the disappearance of the child, Carrie V. Wagner, daughter of Mr. George W. Wagner, near Spring Mills, to which brief reference was made last week, was solved on Saturday by Detective Thomas P. O'Donnell, of Baltimore, who found her in company with Cameron W. Reaver, on the platform at Loch Raven Station, on the Baltimore and Lehigh Railroad, whither the pair had walked from Woodberry, a distance of fourteen miles. Detective O'Donnell had gotten upon their track and reached Loch Raven just as they were about to board a train bound north. The Baltimore *American* of Sunday says:

"Detective O'Donnell made the capture in a clever manner, and when he came up with the pair the girl was so chilled with the cold that he had to put his gloves on her hands and wrap her up in his big overcoat. Reaver at one time worked for the girl's father on his farm at Westminster. Some days ago the girl was sent by her parents to visit Mrs. Paul Foeller, who lives at No. 22 Hafer street, in the southwestern section of the city, and on Monday Mrs. Foeller took the girl to Hillen Station and put her on the train. Mrs. Foeller left the station before the train started, and it is charged that during this interval Reaver, who was in the station, induced the girl to leave the train, and took her to a house in Woodberry. The police were notified of the girl's disappearance, and Detective O'Donnell was put to work on the case. It was thought that the pair had gone to Gettysburg, and the detective went there, only to find that his trip was useless. He reached the city yesterday, and during the day learned that Reaver and the girl were in Woodberry. He reached the house ten minutes after the pair had left. Along the track of the Baltimore and Lehigh Railroad he found footprints in the snow, and he followed them until they carried him over all the high trestles and finally into Towson. At that time the 4 20 train came along, and Detective O'Donnell boarded it When the train pulled up at Loch Raven the object of his search had been found. Reaver and the girl, both exhausted by their long tramp of fourteen miles through the snow, stood on the depot platform, and were in the act of boarding the train when Detective O'Donnell apprehended them. Last night he took them to Towson. At the Central Station a charge of incorrigibility was preferred against the girl. Reaver has a wife and two children living in Gettysburg, Pa."

Mr. and Mrs. Wagner went to Baltimore on Sunday and returned by the train reaching here at 5.36 Monday afternoon, bringing their daughter, who is only thirteen years old, with them. Sheriff Arnold brought Reaver up in the baggage car of the same train and was met at the coaling station, a mile from this city, by Deputy Sheriff E. N. Blizzard with a sleigh in which the prisoner was conveyed to the county jail, thus avoiding the large crowd of people assembled at the railroad to witness his arrival. The officers probably had no apprehension that any effort would be made to do Reaver bodily harm, although public indignation is hot against him and there is no telling what a crowd, incensed with a righteous anger, may do upon a sudden impulse. At any rate the officers did well by their maneuver, even if it was an unnecessary precaution.

Reaver was taken before Justice Moore on Tuesday morning for a hearing on the charge of enticing the girl away from her home and on a still more serious accusation. He waived an examination and in default of a thousand dollars bail was committed for the action of the Circuit Court at the May term.

Personal.

Mr. Edward Mitten, of Baltimore, spent a few days in this city, this week.

Miss Georgia R. Wagoner, of this city, is visiting friends and relatives in Baltimore.

Mr. T. H. Benton Hartsock, of Roanoke, Va., spent several days in this city, this week.

Miss Annie B. Shaw of Uniontown district, is visiting relatives and friends in Washington, D. C.

Miss Goldie Erbe, residing near this city, is visiting relatives and friends near Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Laura V. Lindsay, of Liberty street, this city, has returned home from a four-weeks' visit to friends at Bloom.

Mrs. M. Clara Loane and daughter Edna, of Baltimore, are visiting Mrs. Loane's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Mitten, this city.

Mrs. Wm. Tanner, of Sandyville, Miss Jennie E. Shreeve and Mr. John C. Shreeve, of this city, spent some days in Hampden, Baltimore county, as guests of Mr. Jas. Childs, this week.

Mr. Wm. H. Heagy, of Fountain Valley, who had been seriously ill with typhoid pneumonia, is able to be out again and was in this city on Tuesday last, though still feeble from the effects of his illness.

Cards are out announcing the wedding of Miss Emma L. Wagner and Mr. Chas. Gilbert, both of Wakefield Valley, which will take place at the German Baptist parsonage, near Uniontown, Wednesday evening, 27th inst., at 6 o'clock. Elder Solomon Stoner will officiate.

Four hundred and fifty excursionists left New York on the steamship Friesland, on the 6th inst., for a tour of Egypt and Palestine, among whom was Rev. Dr. H. W. Kuhns, of Omaha, Neb., former pastor of Grace Lutheran Church of this city. The tourists will be absent three or four months.

For the SENTINEL.

A Pleasant Surprise Party.

A very enjoyable surprise party was given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Nicodemus, near Oak Orchard, Tuesday evening, 12th inst., in honor of their sons, Messrs. Willard and Carville Nicodemus. The evening was spent in the enjoyment of games, plays and music—both vocal and instrumental—until 11 o'clock, when all were invited to the dining room where elegant refreshments were served in abundance and discussed with the zest of appreciative appetites. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Nicodemus, Misses Nina Wilson, Sallie Wilson, May Devilbiss, Effie Devilbiss, Barbara Ensor, Lillie Ecker, Sadie Ecker, Delia Ensor, Lillie Ensor, Messrs. Willard Nicodemus, Carville Nicodemus, Adam Lindsay, Harry Lindsay, David Lindsay, Grant Devilbiss, Cossie Ensor, Charles Wilson, Joseph Ensor, Charles Ecker, John Ensor, Chas. Roberts, Roland Nicodemus.

Wedding Bells.

EBAUGH—MIKESELL.

St. Paul's Reformed Church, this city, was the scene of a very interesting wedding on Thursday afternoon, at half-past three o'clock, in which the contracting parties were Mr. Amos Ebaugh, a well known citizen of Cranberry Valley, and Miss Anna Maria Mikesell, daughter of the late William B. Mikesell, of this city. The bride has been the leader of the choir of St. Paul's Church for twenty years and for the last fourteen years a teacher in the West End public school of this city, and has many friends in this community, who attested their interest in the event by their presence at the wedding. She wore a neat and becoming wedding gown of dark blue serge, with braid trimmings, and hat and gloves to match. In her hand she carried a white and gilt bound little volume, containing the marriage service and marriage certificate, which was transferred to the hands of the officiating clergyman, who read from it the solemn words which bound together the parties in the holy bonds of wedlock. The ushers, who were Messrs. Frank Z. Miller, of Westminster; Mr. George H. Mitten, of Union Bridge; Mr. Eugene R. Ebaugh, son of the groom, and Mr. Francis O. Orndorff, preceded the bridal pair to the altar while the church organist, Mr. Howard Benson, of Western Maryland College, rendered the wedding march from Lohengrin. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. Calvin S. Slagle, pastor of the church, and as the bridal party turned from the altar the joyous strains of Mendessohn's march echoed through the sacred edifice. The newly wedded pair were followed by their attendants as they retired from the church, from whence they were driven to the railroad depot and took the 4.24 train for a bridal trip southward. The bride received many handsome presents, both useful and valuable, among which was a full china dinner set, containing a hundred pieces, from the members of the choir of which she has been so long the leader.

DOTTERER—HULL.

The residence of Mr. Cyrus J. Hull a well known citizen and farmer, near New Windsor, was the scene of a very charming and interesting home wedding at 2 o'clock on Thursday afternoan, 21st inst. The bride was Mr. Hull's daughter, Miss Sara Gertrude Hull, a charming and intelligent young lady, and the groom Mr. John D. Dotterer, a worthy young farmer, son of Mr. Joshua Dotterer, a well known retired farmer, residing near Double Pipe Creek. Numerous guests were present as witnesses of the interesting event and were very kindly and hospitably entertained. Elder Joseph Long, a well known minister of the German Baptist Church, of York, Pa., performed the ceremony with the simple but impressive service of that denomination. The bride's wedding gown was of cream henrietta, trimmed with satin, and she carried lilies of the valley. Her best girl was Miss Anna Boteler, of Waynesboro, Pa., who also wore a gown of cream henrietta, and carried lilies of the valley. The groom's best man was Mr. J. Frank Miller, of Waynesboro, Pa. The ushers were: Mr. Orren J. Dotterer, brother of the groom, and Mr. Irwin K. Myerly, cousin of the bride, both of Baltimore. After the ceremony a reception was held and refreshments, consisting of all the obtainable luxuries and delicacies of the season, were served in abundance.

For the SENTINEL.

Teachers' Association.

At least one hundred of the teachers of the county met at Central Hall Schoolhouse on Friday, 15th inst.

The program was both interesting and instructive and gave evidence that the teachers are making greater efforts to help each other in their daily work. Methods of teaching the different branches were given by a number of the members.

After prayer by Mr. Billmyer and music by the Association, Mr. Morelock, secretary, read the minutes of the last meeting and called the roll. Misses Forrest and Diffenbaugh sang a very pretty duet entitled Eden-Land. Reports of committees being next in order resolutions on the death of James F. Fringer were read by Miss Snyder.

Mr. Jesse Myers gave an illustrated talk on "Methods of Teaching Writing." His methods were practical and instructive.

Mr. Tasto read a well-prepared paper on the subject of Geography, and Mr. Geo. Caple gave some excellent methods of teaching History.

Miss Diffenbaugh then favored us with a very pleasing violin solo. Mr. John C. Koons, under the head of Reading, offered some good suggestions.

The Teacher and his Work, by Mr. Yeiser, was very entertaining and brought before the members the necessity of the teacher being a good example of all that is good. A vocal solo, "Open the Gates of the Temple," was well sung by Mr. Caple. Miss Lockard added much to the enjoyment of all by her accompaniments.

The Examiner, Mr. Davis, asked the opinions of the teachers as to the advisability of abandoning the annual examination of pupils and adopting the plan used by Baltimore, i. e., promoting the pupils on the recommendation of the teachers. The plan was favored.

The Association appropriated thirteen dollars to the Francis Scott Key Monument fund.

RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas, It has pleased Almighty God in His all-wise Providence to remove from our midst JAS. F. FRINGER, who for many years was one of our number and who was known and respected by us all and was the personal friend of many of us, therefore,

Resolved, That he was taken away in the prime of life, when a field of usefulness was spread out before him, yet we bow in submission to the Divine Will, feeling that our loss is his eternal gain.

Resolved, That in the death of our fellow-worker the schools of Carroll county have lost an efficient worker, one who was not only interested in the education of the young about him but was ever trying to improve himself.

Resolved, That these resolutions be recorded in the minutes and inserted in the county papers and a copy sent to the family of the deceased.

SADIE SNYDER,
WM. E. BURKE,
WM. R. UNGER.

List of Unclaimed Matter

Remaining in the Postoffice at Westminster, Md., February 16th, 1895.

Franklin, Miss Fina (2)
Haines, Mrs. Laura
Ligget, Mrs. W. O.
Myers, Mrs. Ephraim
Stonesifer, Mrs. P.
Thomson, Miss F. A.
Walsh, W. H.

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

JOSEPH B. BOYLE, P. M.

Burglars at Mt. Airy—the Alleged Burglars Caught.

The general merchandise store of Messrs. Genetz & Lappen, at Mt. Airy, was entered by burglars on Friday night of last week, and goods valued at fifty dollars carried away.

On Wednesday afternoon Alex. Elliott, deputy sheriff of Berkeley county, W. Va., and Baltimore and Ohio Railroad detective, and Daniel Sloan, also of the railroad detective force, came to this city from Martinsburg, Va., with two men in custody who are charged with the robbery in question. One of them gives the name of Himan Morris, aged 31 years, and his home as Baltimore. He says he is a Jew. The other is little more than a boy, being but 18 years old. He says his name is Ralph Jones, and he hails from Dayton, Ohio. He seems to feel the disgrace of his position keenly and protests his innocence. The parties had a hearing before Justice William Moore, shortly after their arrival, State's Attorney Fink appearing for the State. Officer Elliott testified that Morris sought shelter one night at the jail in Martinsburg. He had a bundle of new clothing, some jewelry and other articles in his possession. He was permitted to leave on the following morning, and Officer Elliott did not learn the facts until a short time afterwards. The officer had heard of the Mt. Airy robbery and immediately suspected that Morris was the robber. He kept a watch for him, but missed him until the following morning, when he again turned up at the jail and Ralph Jones was with him. Morris was well dressed, but Jones' clothing was dilapidated, except the pantaloons he wore, which he said were given him by Morris. The two were then taken into custody, and brought here for the action of the authorities of this county. Detective Sloan's testimony was corroborative of that of Officer Elliott.

Mr. Genetz, of the firm of Genetz & Lappen, was present at the hearing and identified the goods in the bundle and also the cap, coat, trousers, necktie and boots worn by Morris as part of the stolen merchandise. He also identified the pantaloons worn by young Jones.

Each of the accused made a statement. Morris said he was beating his way to Baltimore on a freight train and saw the bundle containing the goods lying by the side of the track on the grade near Mt. Airy, and got off and secured it. He then boarded a train going west and went to Martinsburg.

Jones said he met Morris at the round house in Martinsburg, where he had gone for shelter and where they were permitted to sleep. That the fires had gone down during the night and they became cold and went to the jail together about 3 o'clock in the morning. That his pantaloons were dilapidated and Morris gave him a pair from his bundle. There was no evidence to show that he had had any of the other goods in his possession at any time, but his association with Morris was against him, and the two were committed, in default of $500 bail, for the action of the grand jury.

For the SENTINEL.

A Pleasant Pound Party.

One of the most pleasant pound parties of the season was given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jones, near Dennings, on Thursday evening, 14th inst., in honor of their daughters, Misses Katie and Carrie Jones. About thirty of their young friends assembled at their home and with games, plays and music—both vocal and instrumental—spent a most delightful evening. At half past 11 o'clock, the guests were invited to the dining room, where they found a table freighted to its fullest capacity with cake, confectionery, nuts, fruits and ice cream, which were partaken of with keen enjoyment by all. The wee sma' hours had come before the company separated and the guests retired to their homes, after bidding their kind host and hostess good-night. All will long remember the occasion as one of the most pleasant in their lives. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Thomes Jones, Misses Katie and Carrie Jones, Lillie and Delia Ensor, Hannah Shunk, Ginnie and Etta Kiler, Annie Cover, Jennie Roberts, Daisy Zepp, Sallie Wilson, Frankie Reese, Messrs. John, Thomas and David Jones, Claude Wilt, Bradford Kiler, Albert Cover, Samuel Ensor, Carville Nicodemus, Denton Ecker, Charles Wilson, Will and Edgar Fowler, Daniel Ensor, Adam Lindsay, David Lindsay, and others.

Wreck on the Western Maryland.

About 3 o'clock Wednesday morning, as through freight train No. 30 of the Western Maryland railroad was approaching Druid siding, one and one-half miles east of Arlington and two miles west of Fulton Station, one of the axles under Union Line Car No. 3679, loaded with grain, broke, resulting in the tearing up of about 100 feet of track and the derailment of the two following cars, one loaded with cattle and the other with marketing. While the trucks of all the cars were more or less damaged, no injury resulted to the cattle, but it is reported that grain ran out of the car containing it, covering the tracks for a considerable distance, and that a large quantity of eggs was smashed. The passengers, baggage, mails, &c., of all morning trains had to be transferred around the wreck, resulting in considerable delay and inconvenience, particularly as an excursion party from Gettysburg, Hanover and other points, of nearly 400 passengers had to be transferred around the obstruction. The track was cleared in time for the passage of the afternoon train.

For the SENTINEL.

Surprise Patry.

An exceedingly pleasant and enjoyable surprise party was given at the hospitable residence of Mr. and Mrs. Dixon, near Avondale, on Monday evening, 4th inst. The company were met by Miss Dixon, assisted by her brother, Mr. Jesse Dixon. The evening was spent in the enjoyment of games and other amusements. About 11 o'clock the guests were invited to the dining room where refreshments were served in abundance. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Dixon, Misses Addie Manahan, Ada Dixon, Ella Smith, Blanche Barnes, Etta Snader, Carrie Myerly, Bessie Snader, Ella Lane, Florence Harman, Liny Zile, Messrs. John Snader, Jerry Dixon, Harry Smith, Vernon Barnes, David Snader, Harry Owings, Herbert Myerly, Charles Cook, Harry Summers, Raymond Baile, David Baile, Louis M. Sellman and N. A. Zile.

Hampstead Items.

The news of most general interest from this locality has been announced in the daily papers. We refer to the sale of the *Enterprise* by its proprietor and editor, H. H. Meals, to Jesse Malehorn and son, of this place. Mr. Jesse Malehorn, the senior member of the new management, has been a resident of this community nearly all his life, and is well known throughout the various sections of the county. He was for a number of years Justice of the Peace for this district and on Monday last he left the employ of our merchant, T. J. Hunt, at the completion of his 12th consecutive year of service. Mr. Guy Malehorn has been connected with the publication of the paper as a compositor for several years and understands the manipulation of the mechanical part of the work. The Manchester *Telephone Messenger* will be printed at this office as heretofore. The new proprietors assume full control of the paper with this week's issue. We bespeak for them the best wishes and hearty co-operation of the people of this community and express the conviction that they will achieve the success which industry, skill and good judgment deserve. The retiring editor, Mr. Meals, has accepted a position with the Central Oil and Gas Stove Company. He will have charge of their advertising office situated at Florence, Mass., to which place he will move in April.

The people of this vicinity suffered great inconvenience from the blocked condition of the roads after the great blizzard. Travel was interrupted for the entire week following the storm. A crew of twenty-five men opened the turnpike from Reisterstown to Hampstead reaching this place late Saturday afternoon. Mr. Thomas Abbott, supervisor of the above section, who had charge of the party is suffering from temporary blindness, as the result of working in the snow. It is thought that he will recover his sight entirely after a confinement of several weeks in a darkened room.

Vernon Rhoten, the six-year-old son of Mr. Charles Rhoten, fell against the corner of a chair and fractured his collar bone. Master Elwood Murray, who sustained a slight injury of his right knee from a fall two months ago, from which suppuration set in, is able to be about again. He will be obliged to wear a brace for some time in order to restore his knee to its normal shape and usefulness.

Mr. Luke Martin is seriously ill with typhoid pneumonia. Mrs. John Quail is also reported to be very poorly.

The report of the Hampstead public school, Thomas Tipton, principal, shows an enrollment of 177 pupils and an average attendance of 146 during the winter term, exceeding any enrollment and average attendance for any previous term. At the recent annual examination 44 pupils were promoted.

A jovial crowd of young folks from Pleasant Grove composed a sleighing party which visited T. J. Hunt's Monday evening. They were pleasantly entertained with music and games and at eleven o'clock all partook of an elegantly furnished table of refreshments.

Messrs. Marion Murray, Watson Murray and Miss Lola Buhrman visited their parents over Sunday.

Rev. S. J. Derr will preach at St. Luke's Lutheran Church, Woodberry, Baltimore, Sunday next. His pulpit will be filled by Rev. Chas. G. Bikle, a senior student at the Gettysburg Theological Seminary.

Patapsco Items.

The sunshine and pleasant weather of the last few days have caused the snow to disappear almost entirely, except where it lies in drifts. The roads are in bad condition for traveling, with a prospect of becoming worse.

Messrs. James A. C. Bond, H. M. Clabaugh and J. Milton Reifsnider, trustees, sold the real estate of the late Jabez A. Bush, at this place, as advertised in the SENTINEL, on the 16th inst., as follows: No. 1.—The home farm, containing 89 acres, to Mr. George Benson, at $29 per acre. No. 2.—A wood lot, containing 4 acres, to Mr. J. D. Crowl, for $26.10 per acre. No. 3.—A small house and 1 acre of land, to Mr. Joseph Shipley, for $280. No. 4.—A small house and 1 acre of land, to Mr. John L. Stull for $200. No. 5.—Five acres of land, with improvements, to J. D. Crowl, for $455.

Mr. Azariah Oursler, trustee of the late Frank T. Newbelle, sold, on Saturday last, a farm containing 56 acres, near Houcksville, to Mr. Ed. Reese for $29 per acre.

Mr. John Shipley informs your correspondent that he sold twenty-six dozen eggs from January 22nd to February 16th—26 days. The eggs were laid by twenty hens. Can anybody in the county make a better showing? If so, let us hear of it.

Mrs. William Tanner has just returned from a very pleasant visit to her sister, Mrs James Childs, and other relatives and friends in Baltimore and Woodberry. Mr. and Mrs. John T. Taylor and children, of Woodberry, are visiting Mr. Taylor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor of T., and other relatives and friends in this vicinity.

There is much complaint about frozen potatoes in this neighborhood.

Mr. Theodore Taylor has moved on Mr. Randolph Taylor's farm known as the Blizzard farm.

For the SENTINEL.

Birthday Surprise Party.

An interesting and very pleasant surprise party was given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob L. Mathias, in Bachman's Valley, on Tuesday evening, 19th inst., in honor of the eighth birthday of their daughter, Miss Estella L. S. Mathias. The guests were invited by her aunt, Polly Garrett, and each bore a package for the occasion, and all remembered the subject of the surprise with useful gifts. The evening was spent in the enjoyment of social parlor games and plays. About nine o'clock all were invited to a table loaded with tempting cakes, confectionery, wines, &c., of which all partook freely and at a late hour retired to their homes. Those present were: Mr. A. C. Bachman and wife, Mr. Darius Feeser and wife, Father Samuel Mathias and wife, Mr. Jacob L. Mathias and wife, Mrs. Polly Garrett, Mr. Henry D. Mathias, Misses Effie Palmer, Lou Palmer, Ada Hoover, Ella Jones, Estella L. S. Mathias, Carrie R. Panebaker, Lillie Palmer, Carrie S. R. Hoover, Florence V. Deitz, Susie E. Feeser, Florence M. D. Mathias, Messrs. Frank Bachman, Howard T. Feeser, Renus S. Garrett, David N. Starner, Chas. Fuhrman, James Martin, Horace Garrett, Clarence E. Bachman.

Manchester Items.

The fox chase announced in our last was quite a success and elicited a great deal of interest and animation not only from the hunters themselves but the citizens of the town and community with a large sprinkling from Hampstead and other communities.

On Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Will N. Gettier were surprised at their home on N. Main street, by a company of friends from Pennsylvania, who arrived at 8 P. M. in two sleds equipped for the surprise and received a warm welcome. Games &c., were introduced in which all found much enjoyment. At 11 o'clock refreshments were served and the midnight hour had arrived when the guests started upon their moonlight ride homeward. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bubb, of Stiltz; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith, Mr. Williams and the Messrs. Rhodes, of Glenville; Misses Laura and Ida Shaffer and brother, of Sticks.

On Monday evening as Mr. Harry H. Keller and Rev. Rexrode were returning home from Greenmount their sleigh was upset at the summit of the hill just south of town and their horse ran away and broke the sleigh and tore the harness to pieces. The turnpike has been in a dangerous condition at the point named and the turnpike company has been severely criticised on account of it. Messrs. Keller and Rexrode were not hurt.

The fire pot of a large coal stove in Brilhart's cigar factory burst on Sunday night and caused considerable alarm to Mr. Chas. Brilhart and his family, who thought the noise might have been caused by robbers. The cause of the loud report was discovered by Mr. Al. Brilhart when he entered the factory on Monday morning and saw that the pot had burst all around. It might have caused a fire.

The family of Mr. Emanuel Cox received the sad intelligence of the death of their daughter, (Mrs. Stevenson) by a telegram on Monday evening. She died during the day at her home in Roanoke, Va., leaving a husband and two children to mourn her loss. Her mother, Mrs. Cox, and her sister Eliza left by the evening train for Roanoke, to attend the funeral on Wednesday.

Each teacher of Trinity Reformed Sunday School has been given 25 cents as a talent, which they are expected to increase until June 1st when each is to render an account of his or her stewardship, the proceeds to be used for the further improvement and furnishing of the Sunday School room.

The traveling public is in a strait about this time when sleighing is played out on all southern exposures and the roads, for miles, are piled with drifts that have not been opened at all or only wide enough for a sled or sleigh to pass.

On Monday evening a large sleighing party went from this place to the home of Mr. Bert Bubb, about 9 miles distant in the borders of Pennsylvania, where a cordial welcome was extended and the evening spent delightfully. Dancing, games, and plays made up the evening's enjoyment which was among the best ever experienced by the party. At 11 P. M. all were invited to the dining room, where they did full justice to the abundant refreshments so cheerfully prepared for them. It was 1.30 A. M. ere the reluctant good-byes were said and after a two hours drive all arrived home safe. Those who made up the company were: Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hoffacker, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Masenheimer, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. N. Gettier, Mr. and Mrs. Benton Burgoon, Misses Maggie Crouse, Neta Oursler, Josie and Kate Warehime, Flora and Grace Lippy, Carrie and Edna Lamotte, Edna Wink, Ida Fredric, Messrs. Jacob E. Musselman, Harry Smith, Harry Lamotte, Rob. Shower, Geo. Everhart, Geo. Motter, Elmer Denner, Will and Kenneth Masenheimer, Nelson Grove, Tempest and Valentine Menchey.

Mr. Tempest Menchey and wife became residents of our town on Wednesday, and occupied part of the double house of Mr. Samuel Miller on North Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Miller entertained a company of friends at a card party at their home on South Main street on Tuesday evening.

Mr. George Trout, one of our enterprising young men, and Miss Mary Bollinger, were quietly married at the Lutheran parsonage on Wednesday evening last, by Rev. C. M. Eyster.

The marriage of John W. Sellers to Miss Clementine Shipley, of Wartieldsburg, at the Reformed parsonage, Baltimore, by the Rev. C. Clever, on February 4th, was quite a surprise to our young people. The young couple have our best wishes that theirs may be a life of peace, prosperity and happiness.

Silver Run Items.

A well known citizen of Myers' district, who was compelled to go to Littlestown by the turnpike during the recent snow blockade, failed to pay toll as required by the company, after promising to do so. The next time he attempted to pass, the gate-keeper's wife, who happened to be in charge, barred his way by lowering the pole, and refused to permit him to pass without payment. He endeavored to raise the pole to let his team pass, but the plucky woman interfered and a struggle ensued in which her arm was bruised and he received a black eye.

The severe weather for some time past prevented the carpenters from working on the new Lutheran Church until Monday last. The edifice will be finished and ready for dedication by April or May.

Last Tuesday a pretty and interesting wedding took place at the residence of the bride's parents, near Silver Run. Miss Annie K. Motter, oldest daughter of Mr. Levi J. Motter, and Charles A. Crouse were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. The Reformed congregation of this place being without a regular pastor Rev. G. T. Stem, of Littlestown, Pa., officiated. Messrs. Wm. Rodkey, of Mayberry, and Charles Stonesifer, of Littlestown, acted as groomsmen, and Misses Laura Motter, sister of the bride, and Maggie Crouse, sister of the groom, acted as bridesmaid. At eleven o'clock the bride and groom appeared with their attendants to the strain of Mendelssohn's wedding march, efficiently rendered by Miss Birdie V. Mark, of this place. They were wedded in the presence of many friends after which congratulations were extended by the guests. A sumptuous dinner was prepared for the occasion of which all partook with appreciative appetites. At 4 o'clock they were once more invited to the dining room where they found the table heavily laden with ice cream, lemonade, cakes, oranges, and other fruits. When all had partaken of the viands the bride and groom took their departure for a wedding tour to Washington, D. C., and other points. The wedding presents where many and useful. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Levi J. Motter and family, Mr. Amos Bowman and wife, Mr. Geo. E. Bowman and wife, Mr. John Bowman and wife, Mr. A. S. Morelock and wife; Mr. Nelson I. Bankert and wife, of Hanover, Pa.; Mr. Harvey Maus and wife, Mr. Geo. A. Formwalt and wife, Mr. Robert Feeser and wife, Mr. John J. Motter and wife, Miss Sallie Motter, Mrs. David Crouse, Miss Annie Crouse, Mr. Geo. Stair and wife; Miss Emma Reaver, of Taneytown, and others.

Mr. Eli M. Boose bought a lot on Church street, on Saturday last, from the Knipple heirs, on which he expects to build the coming summer.

Mayberry Items.

Fruits and potatoes froze in cellars in this vicinity, during the late cold snap, in which nothing had ever frozen before.

Bear Mount school, taught by Mr. A. L. Williams, made surprise visits on Friday of last week to Baust Church school taught by Miss Maggie Haifley, and Mayberry school taught by Mr. Chas. Bittle. The visits were very much enjoyed by the visitors and the visited. On Monday Baust's school visited the other schools referred to. Such occasions make deep and lasting impressions on young minds. Former pupils of Bear Mount school still recall with pleasure a visit they received from the Taneytown school years ago.

The late storm and drifted roads caused a postponement of the meeting called to organize a camp of the P. O. S. of A., at this place, which will be held at some future time.

We are glad that our suggestion that telephonic communication be opened between Westminster and Taneytown, is receiving consideration. Mayberry is near the centre and we hope will be made a station on the line, thereby adding to its patronage.

Last week a dog, supposed to have been mad, made its appearance at the farm of Mr. George Myers in this vicinity and attacked some members of his family. It exhibited unmistakable signs of hydrophobia and was promptly shot and killed.

Shipley Items.

Mr. Rufus Nusbaum, of Bruceville, while on a visit to his son-in-law, Mr. James Owings, near Shipley P. O., was taken seriously ill and died on the 18th inst., and was buried on the 20th at Salem charge. His age was 50 years, 9 months and 15 days. Rev. T. J. Cross, of New Windsor circuit, officiated. Mr Geo. C. Freyman was the undertaker. Mr. Nusbaum had been in failing health for a number of years, caused by a cancer of the stomach. He leaves a wife and five children. He had a large circle of relatives in this county.

The sleighing is about gone and the vehicles on wheels will have to go again, but the snow drifts are much in the way yet. Our fields have been bare for several days, yet the public roads afforded good sleighing up to the 19th inst.

Since the annual examination for promotion of pupils, those who made promotable averages are seemingly the happiest of the happy.

Mr. Levi Lee slaughtered a hog on Monday weighing 385 lbs.

Mr. Lou Freyman is enjoying a short vacation at home.

Our roads are now most all open, but we do not guarantee for how long. Accidents, spills and upsets are very numerous. In answer to the query, How can we get to town? we would say that all you need is a sleigh, buggy, and boat, plenty of horse-flesh and patience.

Louisville Items.

Miss Mollie Harden, of Baltimore, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Harden, of this place.

Miss Cora Selby, of Eldersburg, has returned home after a delightful visit to Louisville.

Dr. Gore is getting out timber for a new barn which he will erect in the near future.

Mr. Nathan Conaway is quite ill at this writing.

The mad dog scare is about over. None of the canines have gone mad in Louisville yet.

While Mr. George Baesman and Miss Ida Cauthorn were returning from Westminster on Friday last they had several upsets in the huge snow-drifts, and Mr. Baesman had his face severely cut. Miss Cauthorn lost her watch somewhere between Mechanicsville and Louisville. The finder of it will be $5 better off by returning it to her.

Mount Pleasant Epworth League expects to hold a special service Sunday night next. The League has a membership of fifty and is in a flourishing condition. Its meetings, which are held every Sunday night, are well attended.

A New Telephone Company.

A movement is on foot to form a new company with an exchange in this city to have connection with Avondale, Medford, New Windsor, Linwood, Union Bridge, Middleburg, Uniontown, Taneytown, Frizellburg, Smallwood, Bird Hill, Gamber, Eldersburg, Sykesville, Manchester and Hampstead. R. B. Hazett is at the head of the movement and informs us that the lines mentioned are to be established at once and that the company will charge $18 per year for the use of each telephone, which will have the free use of every other telephone of the company in the county. We are not advised with certainty as to what system or method will be employed in the use of the new lines.

There is the appearance of a war of rates between the proposed company and the Potomac and Chesapeake Company, the latter proposing, we are informed, to put in and rent instruments as low as $24 per annum. with, three instruments on a wire, or a small advance on that rate for a single wire.

Harney Items.

February 8th and 9th, 1895, will be remembered as the dates of the severest blizzard ever experienced in this neighborhood. All the roads running north and south were completely filled with snow and had to be shoveled open. Mr. Geo. Fream, one of our road commissioners, got to work immediately with a large force of hands and made the roads passable. While the force of hands was at work opening the Two Tavern road Mr. Geo. W. Weant kindly supplied the men with a large quantity of hot coffee, which was much appreciated by all.

There are several cases of scarlet fever in this place and as a consequence it was thought advisable to close the public school for a few days in order to prevent the disease from spreading.

There will be a number of changes in residences here this spring. There are still some houses for rent.

Orphans' Court.

Monday, February 18th.—Levi Barnes, administrator of Elizabeth Murray, deceased, returned inventory of goods and chattels, inventory of real estate and list of debts and receivtd orders to sell goods and chattels and notify creditors.

Tuesday, February 19th.—Jessie R. Lambert, administratrix of Harry E. Lambert, deceased, returned inventory of goods and chattels, inventory of money and list of debts and received order to sell goods and chattels.

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