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THE DATE ON THE LABEL ON YOUR PAPER SHOWS THE TIME TO WHICH YOUR SUBSCRIPTION IS PAID.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Mr. George W. Goodwin, of Winfield, has been granted an increase of pension.

Mr. Joshua Dutton, of Gamber, has been granted a U. S. soldier's pension.

Mr. Jeremiah Yingling has sold his house and lot on East Main street for $2,800.

Miss Annie Tanner, of Sandyville, has a fuschia stock upon which there are 148 flowers fully developed.

An addition is being erected to the factory of the Farmers' Fertilizer Company of this city.

The soldier's pension of Allen Franklin, colored, of this city has been increased $2 per month.

Twenty tickets were sold at the Westminster Station for the G. A. R. excursion to Bay Ridge, on Thursday.

This county generally was visited on Saturday afternoon and night by a series of copious and refreshing showers.

The festival of the Westminster City Band, held on the grounds of Central Hall School house, last week, was re-opened last night and will be continued to-night.

The Hagerstown Fair, this year, will be held October 15th, 16th, 17th and 18th. Mr. F. A. Crawford, of this county, has been appointed one of the aids to the chief marshal.

Mr. David Cassell, a well known octogenarian and one of the most worthy citizens of this county, is lying seriously ill with bronchitis, at his home near Avondale.

During the month of July 36 deeds, 18 mortgages and 18 bills of sale were received for record at the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court, and 16 marriage licenses were issued.

The regular monthly meeting of the Westminster Fire Department will be held at Firemen's Hall on Wednesday evening next. The president requests us to state that a full attendance of the members is desired.

A parade of the Fire Department in the interest of the festival being held for the benefit of the Westminster City Band has been arranged as we write, to take place after the SENTINEL goes to press Friday evening.

Mrs. Josephine Ibex, wife of Mr. George Ibex, died at her home near this city, on Tuesday last, aged 45 years, 1 month and 19 days. Her remains were interred at Meadow Branch on Tuesday. Her husband and a twelve-year-old daughter survive her.

Mr. George A. Bell, of this city, has been suffering very much for three weeks past with a felon on the index finger of his left hand, and has been unable to work at his occupation of blacksmith at his shop on John street.

On Friday of last week Frank Munshower, of Union Bridge, charged with stealing rides on freight trains of the Western Maryland Railroad, was committed to the House of Correction for two months, by Justice G. W. Crapster, of this city.

The four tramps who were arrested last week for trespassing on the property of the W. M. R. R. at Patapsco, and who were committed for the action of the Circuit Court, withdrew their demand for a jury trial and entered a plea of guilty before Justice Wm. Moore, who committed them to the house of correction for two months.

The employees of the SENTINEL office were regaled, on Friday of last week with some fine sweet cider, manufactured by Mr. George W. Babylon at the cider mill of Mr. David Englar, near Medford, of which he has charge, and a gallon of which he kindly presented to the printers. He manufactures cider on Tuesday and Thursday of each week.

Mr. Philip H. Babylon, who was for a short time in the employ of the Undine Milling Company, has taken a desk in the office of Messrs. Wilson & Goodwin, insurance agents, this city, where he is engaged for Mr. Wilson, during the hours the latter is discharging his duties as teller of the First National Bank of Westminster.

Eight or ten young gentlemen from this city are enjoying a week's outing on the banks of the Monocacy, near Keysville, and are having a good time fishing, boating &c. Among the party are Messrs. W. Grove Lawyer, George Mather, Frank Mather, Pearre Wantz, Scott Zepp, Ezra Royer, Will Nelson, and Erastus Gorsuch. Mr. Samuel Weybright, Jr., of the vicinity of the camp, is also with the boys occasionally.

The camp-meeting of the Church of God, which has been in progress near Linwood during the past week, has been exceptionally pleasant. The rain of Saturday subdued the dust and made the ground a pleasant resort on Sunday, and it is estimated that several thousand people were present during the day. Three hundred and forty tickets to the camp were sold at the Western Maryland Railroad ticket office in this city on that day. Twenty tents comprise the camp.

Mr. Albinus Poole, a venerable and well known citizen of the vicinity of Warfieldsburg, is seriously ill with a complication of diseases.

The contributors to the flower mission this week were: Mrs. Matthews, Mrs. Bond, Mrs. Nelson Gilbert, Mrs. Jos. Foutz, Mrs. Isaac C. Baile, Mrs. Cunningham, Mrs. Chas. P. Cassell, Miss Emma Reese, Miss Lou Bixler, Miss Laura Crouse, Miss Irene Reese, Miss Ida Lockard, Mrs. U. L. Reaver. The receivers for next week are: Misses M. Huber and Grace Hering; packers, Misses Bettie Shriver and Ida Lockard.

The camp-meeting of Westminster Circuit M. E. Church, colored, held in the grove of Mr. Alfred Barnes, near Warfieldsburg, closed on Monday last after a very successful season. Good order was maintained throughout. The evening services were well attended and large crowds were present on the Sabbath days, among whom the whites predominated.

The heavy rain storm on Saturday afternoon last brought an end to the races at Pleasure Park after a single heat in one event. The heat was won by Mr. Jacob Thompson's "Maud." The other heats were trotted on Wednesday, Maud being again the winner. During a lull in Satnrdey's storm the drag hunt advertised took place, one of Mr. John E. Stonesifer's hounds coming in the winner.

The County Commissioners were in session on Monday, but transacted chiefly routine business. The bond of Constable Burgess Miller, of Taneytown district, was approved. The Board visited the alms house for the purpose of making arrangements for the enlargement of the building occupied by the male inmates of that institution. The regular monthly meeting of the Board will be held on Monday and Tuesday next.

Carroll county has lost one of its worthiest citizens in the person of Prof. Wm. K. Franklin, of Sams Creek, who boarded a train at Mt. Airy on Tuesday morning last on his way to California, of which State he will become a resident, having accepted the position of teacher of music at the Brethren's College, located at Lordesville. The position is a remunerative one and we congratulate Prof. Franklin on his appointment, while sincerely regretting his removal from his native state.

A dramatic, literary and musical entertainment, projected by young ladies and gentlemen of this city for the purpose of establishing a fund for the poor, was announced to take place at Odd Fellows' Hall last night, but was postponed until Tuesday evening next to avoid interference with the festival of the Westminster City Band. The comedy, "A Box of Monkeys," will be the leading feature of the entertainment, in which the best home talent will participate.

Mr. Elmer H. Hoppe, near this city, shot a blue crane on Bish's mill dam, at Cranberry Station, on Friday of last week, which measured 6 feet 1 inch between the tips of its outstretched wings, and 5 feet 6 inches from the end of its toes to the point of its bill. Mr. Hoppe exhibited the trophy of his skill as a gunner to us in the SENTINEL office. He brought the tall bird down by breaking its wing at long range. It fought fiercely before it could be secured. Mr. H. is having it mounted by a taxidermist.

Two colored men giving their names as Isaac Duker and George States were found secreted in the freight car at the Westminster depot, on Wednesday night, by Deputy Sheriff Blizzard. The men endeavored to escape by running and several shots were exchanged. They were finally captured and a bundle of table knives and a blacksmith's hammer were found on them. They were given a hearing by Justice William Moore and sent to the House of Correction for two months.

Several weeks ago it was stated that State Senator Bennett had leased, or was about to lease, the coal and lumber yards of Messrs. E. Lynch & Son, in this city, and would associate with him his son-in-law, Mr. David Cowen, Jr., in the conduct of the business on an extensive scale. Some difficulty occurred in the consummation of the transaction, but has been overcome and the deal has been concluded. The new firm will take charge of the yards next week, and, as soon as the machinery can be procured, which will be but a short time, will add to the business the packing of hay, straw and shredded fodder.

Mr. John Bushey, a venerable and well known citizen of Taneytown district, died at his home, about four miles from Taneytown, on Wednesday last, aged 79 years, 10 months and 12 days. Mr. Bushey was for many years an earnest and devoted member of the Lutheran Church. He was a most estimable and worthy man and enjoyed the unqualified confidence and respect of all who knew him. He leaves an aged widow and a number of children, among whom are Mr. Luther M. Bushey, and Mrs. R. C. McKinney, of Freedom district. Funeral services were held in the Lutheran Church at Taneytown yesterday morning.

Messrs. F. K. Herr & Bro., of this city, have just completed one of the handsomest carriages we have seen for a long time. It is a glass-quartered coupe rockaway, with full platform gear. The interior is upholstered in fine olive green cloth, with satin trimming, the outer seat being of fine leather. It was built for Hon. J. Fred C. Talbott, of Baltimore county, and in perfection of workmanship cannot be excelled. The Messrs. Herr are also finishing a handsome cutunder dayton, made from designs of their own, for a citizen of Philadelphia.

The Western Maryland Telephone Company has been delaying the extension of its lines to Union Bridge and Middleburg because a satisfactory franchise could not be obtained from the authorities of the former place. A franchise was granted for five years, but it was coupled with restrictions that the company has refused to accept. It has finally been determined to pass Union Bridge entirely and the line will be at once extended to Middleburg. We trust an amicable arrangement may soon be reached and the service introduced in the thriving little Carroll county city. We are promised the full text of the franchise referred to above, for publication next week, so that the matter may be fully understood by the patrons of the company.

Personal.

Mrs. Prof. S. Simpson, of this city, is visiting her parents in North Carolina.

Master Wilmer Little, of Baltimore, is visiting Mr. E. O. Grimes, of this city.

Miss Edith Merryman, of Baltimore, is visiting Miss Maud E. Miller, East Main street, this city.

Miss Carrie Bankert is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Caroline Bankert, at Cedar Grove.

Mrs. Harry Gist, of Baltimore, is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. John L. Bankert, at Hill Side farm.

Miss Mildred Freeman, of Baltimore, is visiting relatives in Frizellburg and vicinity.

Mrs. Thos. F. Rabold, of Cumberland, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse F. Lambert of New Windsor.

Mr. M. L. Main, of Hagerstown, paid a flying visit to this city on Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Albaugh and son Carroll, of this city, spent several days at Atlantic City, this week.

Mrs. Jane Keefer and son, Mr. Edgar Keefer, of Baltimore, are visiting the family of Mr. H. C. Keefer, of this city.

Mrs. H. J. Klahre, of Chicago, Ills., has been visiting the Misses Cassell, West Main street, this city.

Mrs. Rev. Lloyd E. Coblentz, of Baltimore, is visiting the family of Rev. C. S. Slagle, of this city.

Miss Ida O. Hoff, of Baltimore, is visiting the Misses Fringer, near this city.

Miss Cora Dorsey, of Baltimore, is visiting Miss Kate Baer, East Main street, this city.

Rev. C. W. Levan and family, of Baltimore, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Gilbert, of this city.

Messrs. E. O. Grimes, Jr., and Frank Thomas, of this city, spent the past week at Chestertown with Mr. Samuel Vannort.

Mr. John E. L. Hanna, of this city, leaves to-day for a week's vacation at Virginia Beach.

Rev. Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Murray, of Baltimore, are visiting Dr. and Mrs. Chas. Billingslea, of this city.

Mr. George E. Hooker, of Baltimore, is spending his vacation in this city with relatives.

Mr. Pierce Marsh and family, of Frederick, spent several days this week, visiting Mr. Marsh's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Marsh, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. V. Clarke, who were visiting relatives and friends in this city, left for their home, Jamestown, N. Y., on Tuesday.

Mr. J. C. Cassell, who was visiting his mother and other relatives in this city for several weeks, returned to Philadelphia on Wednesday.

Miss Grace Burns and Miss Florence Stone, both of Baltimore, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Catharine A. Spencer, near Smallwood.

Miss Edith Bloom, of Baltimore, who came here recently intending to make her home with Mrs. M. Jordan, has gone, on account of ill health, to her sister's, at Reisterstown.

Miss Bertha Brown, of Westminster, and Misses Kate V. Frock, and Emma Haines of Silver Run, are enjoying the hospitality of Miss Gertude Brown, near New Windsor.

Mr. Thomas H. Moore, wife and child, of Baltimore, are spending the summer with Mr. Moore's parents, Justice and Mrs. Wm. Moore, East Main street, this city.

Mrs. Elizabeth Yingling, of Mayberry, visited her daughter, Mrs. Delia Stonesifer, of Dauphin, Pa., last week, taking back to their home, with her, two of her grandchildren who had been visiting her. On her return to her own home she brought another grandchild with her.

Rev. and Mrs. S. A. Diehl, of this city, returned from their trip to Colorado, on Saturday last. They enjoyed their visit to relatives in that far distant State very much, and were delighted with the sights and scenes encountered while there and during their journey to and fro.

A large party went to Back River recently and spent several days in fishing, crabbing and rowing. Among the number were Mrs. Thos. F. Rabold, Cumberland; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Burton, the Misses McVeigh, Philadelphia; Miss Chenowith, Mr. Hale, Mr. Yellott, Dr. Gorsuch, Miss Ella Burton, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Foard, of Baltimore county.

Pleasant Valley Items.

Mr. Levi Myers, one of our enterprising young farmers, says he sold 53 pounds of butter and had 1½ pounds left for his own use in one week, the product of five cows for the seven days. The butter was churned and prepared by him and his wife in addition to all the other farm work. No effort was made to produce an unusual quantity, and it was realized under the ordinary treatment and feeding of the cows. Mr. Myers thinks this is ahead of the account given by a Uniontown gentleman several weeks ago, who then asked who could beat it. Your correspondent thinks Mr. Myers' cows hard to beat, and would like to hear through the columns of the SENTINEL from anybody who has better ones.

Mr. Ed. Ditch, of Bushnell, Ills., is spending a few weeks visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John N. Ditch, of this place.

The Sunday School is already making preparations for the celebration on the 31st inst., and intend to make it a memorable occasion.

The Christian Endeavor Reunion was very much interfered with by the storm on Sunday last.

Orphans' Court.

Monday, July 29th—The last will and testament of Alexander M. Jelly, admitted to probate and letters administration w.a. granted to Clara C. Jelly.

Israel M. Bowser, administrator of Benjamin Bowser, deceased, returned list of sales of goods and chattels and settled first and final account.

The last will and testament of Francis Shriver, deceased, admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted to Frank W. Shriver and Isaac Shriver.

Tuesday, July 30th—Ellen E. Parker and William Lowery, executors of Nicholas Parker, deceased, returned inventory of goods and chattels and inventory of real estate.

John W. Tracy and Theodore Tracy, executors of Ephraim Tracy, deceased, settled 11th and final account.

Clara B. Baile, administratrix of Edward S. Baile, deceased, returned inventory of goods and chattels and money, and received orders to sell goods and notify creditors.

Report of sale of real estate of Lewis A. J. Lamotte, deceased, finally ratified.

MAJOR GEORGE F. DERN.

Death of a Former Well Known Resident of Altoona.

From the Altoona, Pa., *Tribune*.

In response to a telegram announcing the critical illness of his brother, Major George F. Dern, at his home in Middleburg, Md., H. C. Dern, Esq., senior proprietor of the *Tribune*, left for that place on mail express Wednesday evening, July 24th. A half hour after his departure a second telegram arrived conveying the sad intelligence that Major Dern had breathed his last at 2 o'clock the same afternoon.

Major George Frederick Dern was a native of Maryland, having been born in Middleburg, October 28th, 1832, so that at the time of his death he had reached the age of 62 years, 8 months and 26 days. He learned the printing business and worked in various offices until the outbreak of the war when he entered the union service as a member of Capt. Jeptha Gerard's cavalary of Cincinnati, afterwards transferred to the Third New York cavalry. In this capacity he saw much service and proved himself a gallant soldier, winning the praise of his superiors and the admiration of all. He also served as provost marshal for a time. After the war he became identified with the Grand Army of the Republic and was the first commander of Lieutenant Stephen C. Potts post No. 62, of this city, which was organized July 20th, 1877, a little over eighteen years ago.

Major Dern became foreman of the *Tribune* composing rooms in 1876 or 1877 and remained in that capacity until permanently disabled by inflammatory rheumatism, in the autumn of 1880. From that time on he had been an invalid, for the last ten years unable to move about, and much of the time entirely helpless. It would be hardly possible to exaggerate his sufferings during all these years. His old army comrades and other friends that he made during his residence in this city will recall somewhat of his agony during those years. For the last ten years he had resided at Middleburg, Md. A singular circumstance in this connection, is the fact that, although Major Dern had done considerable traveling, and was at times widely separated from his birth-place, yet his last days were spent in the house in which he was born, and he breathed his last in the room which saw his advent into this world.

He is survived by one brother, Mr. H. C. Dern, of the *Tribune*, and one sister, Miss Julia Dern, of Harrisburg. His many friends among the readers of the *Tribune* will be sorry that the old soldier has passed away, and yet it must have been a pleasant release to him.

The funeral services were held on Friday morning in the Methodist Episcopal church at Middleburg and were very largely attended. They were conducted by the Rev. K. G. Murray, the pastor, and at their conclusion the body was conveyed to the cemetery which is connected with the church and there interred beside the remains of the deceased's father. At the conclusion of the remarks of the minister at the grave, the Masonic burial services were conducted by a delegation of members from Plymouth lodge of Union Bridge, Md., they also having acted as pall-bearers.

Manchester Items.

Our Band furnished the music for the Harvest Home pic nic, held on Friday last on the north side of Dug Hill. The principal attraction was a game of base ball between the Juniors of Manchester and the Pleasant Hill Club, the latter of whom could not play ball. At the end of the ninth inning the score stood 61 to 3 in favor of the Juniors. The evening was to have been spent in dancing but was interfered with by a rain storm.

On Saturday the Alesia pic nic was interrupted about 2 P. M. by a heavy thunder storm that passed east from us. The rain lasted several hours in this section and was at times a regular pour down, accompanied by a high wind which blew the corn down in many places. But the rain was quite beneficial to the growing crops, and also gave a new impetus to the fall plowing which was almost at a stand still. The Manchester Band furnished the music for the above pic nic.

On Monday as Masters John and Willie Denner were returning from a business trip to Mr. Hunt's, 3 miles in the country, and when near the base ball grounds on Foundry avenue, the coupling of the buggy broke. The horse frightened and ran away with the front wheels and spring. She dashed up Main street in her mad fright and then through the alley and on to the streets again before she was captured. The boys were not hurt but the animal is rather worse for the runaway.

On Saturday night Nig, the black setter dog of C. J. H. Ganter, got out of the yard and strayed away. On Sunday he was seen in Cranberry valley but up to this writing has not returned home. Mr. Ganter will be glad to receive any information of his whereabouts.

Dr. J. H. Preston accompanied Mr. Dora Stricklin, of Eburgs, to Baltimore last week, where he had an operation performed upon his throat for the growth of several months standing.

One day last week a company of fishermen went to Brilhart's dam and seined the same. They came home with a nice lot of fish and snappers.

Miss Lotta Shower, who has been ill for several weeks with malaria, at her home on Foundry avenue, we are glad to say is convalescing.

Dr. T. H. Beltz, of York, Pa., spent a day visiting friends here. Mrs. Beltz has been here for a week or more visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Shower. Although still feeble she has rallied from her paralysis sufficiently to make the journey.

Mrs. Dr. Paine, of Harford county, and her sister, Mrs. H. J. Macalister, of Westminster, are visiting friends here.

Mrs. Dillehunt and daughter May are visiting Rev. C. M. Eyster and family, on Oak Tree avenue.

Miss Bessie Herr, of Westminster, is visiting her aunts, the Misses Trump. Misses Emma Trump and Mollie Wilson are visiting Miss Wilson's aunt, Mrs. Fuhrman, near Littlestown, Pa.

Mrs. Mary Jaeger and daughters Helen and Maggie are visiting Mrs. E. W. Fuhrman on York street.

A company of friends selected Tuesday evening to give a double surprise to Mrs. Chas. A. Warner and her sister, visiting her, it having been the occasion of Mrs. Warner's birthday, and also as a compliment to the visitor. A pleasant evening was spent with the parlor games and amusements. Refreshments were indulged in and not till a late hour did the company depart for their homes. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Musselman, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hoffacker, Mrs. Wm. Shower, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Preston, Mr. and Mrs. C. Miller, Mrs. C. M. Eyster, Mrs. Macalister, Misses Fannie Rose, Fannie Kopp, Helen and Maggie Jaeger, Marie Shower, May Dillebunt, Mr. Long, Messrs. C. W. Motter, and Wm. H. Shower.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller, of Baltimore, are visiting at Mrs. David Burns'.

Mr. Long, of Harford county, is visiting at Dr. Preston's.

Dr. Paine, of Black Horse, and Dr. Ross Paine, of Corbit, Md., drove here on Wednesday and spent the day with friends.

The carpenters have commenced work on the new house of Wm. Masenheimer, on Main street.

Rev. Driesbach and family, of Silver Run, were the guests of Rev. S. M. Roeder and family on Wednesday.

Mr. Will Folger lost a fine horse on Saturday last from staggers.

Miss Wicks and Miss Spiggias, of Baltimore, are visiting the family of Mr. Geo. A. Shower.

Uniontown Items.

Brothers and sisters were all present at the funeral of Edna Lassell, on Wednesday last, except William and family, of New York, who were telegraphed for but were unable to come.

Mr. Ezra Smith and family, of Chambersburg, Pa., are visiting Mr. Smith's sister, Mrs. John Routson.

Miss Lulu Waugh, of Baltimore, is spending sometime with Mrs. George H. Routson.

Mr. Melvin Routson, of Baltimore, is spending a week with his parents.

Mr. Theodore Eckard, of Baltimore, was in town on Wednesday last.

Dr. J. J. Weaver, Sr., has been confined to his bed for the last ten days, at times very ill. At this writing he is more comfortable.

Dr. J. J. Weaver, Jr., and wife, who had gone to Bedford Springs were called home on account of the illness of his father. Miss Florence Weaver who had been visiting friends for sometime has returned home.

Miss Mary Fowler, of Baltimore, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lee Erb.

Miss Nettie Culbertson, of Baltimore, is visiting Miss Sallie Weaver.

Mrs. Harry Brough has returned home from a visit to Rev. Delp, of New Jersey, a former Lutheran pastor here.

Mr. Earnest Slonaker, of Baltimore, is visiting his grandfather.

Dr. Kemp and wife attended the picnic of the P. O. S. of A., at Taneytown, on Wednesday last.

Mr. Rufus Shapley, of Mechanicsburg, Pa., and the widow and daughter of the late Robert J. Shapley, of the same place, are visiting their sister, Mrs. Jesse T. H. Davis.

Miss Ida Devilbiss, of Baltimore, is visiting friends here.

Camp meeting at Linwood was largely attended on Sunday last, a delightful day, made so by the nice rain on Saturday evening.

Getting too dry again to plow.

Early corn is badly in need of rain.

Potatoes gone up. The crop will not pan out what was expected.

Rather cool evenings and mornings for comfort.

Hicks' prediction: Growing warmer, with storms and bluster about 2nd and 3rd; from 6th to 8th look for very hot weather, with threatening clouds and thunder storms from N. West, followed by cool weather.

Deferred Carrollton Items.

The following Carrollton items were received last week too late for publication:

Master Roland Ebaugh gave a birthday party to his little friends on last Monday. The little ones commenced to gather at two o'clock, and before long there was a merry party present. After enjoying themselves playing various games, for two or three hours, refreshments of cake, lemonade and candy were served. The host was favored by many birthday presents from the guests present both useful and ornamental. Among those present were: Misses Myrl Stansbury, Etta Thorne, of Baltimore; Zella, Augusta and Lottie Houck, Alice and Beulah Evans, of Patapsco; Pearl Pickett, Mr. Gilbert Ebaugh, Wesley Fowble, Albert Houck, Jacob Pickett, Nolan, Willie and Claude Leppo, Mrs. Wesley Pickett, and Mrs. Susan Pickett, of Patapsco, and Miss Jane Arbaugh.

Miss Mamie Haines of Woodberry, spent last week with Mrs. John Houck.

Howard Millender and family, of Shiloh, visited Mr. John Houck last Sunday.

Calvin R. Chew, and wife, of Patapsco spent last Sunday with Mr. J. E. Evans.

Schollser Koons, spent Saturday night and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Koons.

Noah and Henry Houck and their family, of Shiloh, visited Edward Houck last Sunday.

Jesse Leppo and family, of Snydersburg, visited his father, Elijah Leppo, on Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Matthews and three children, and Mrs. Shook, of Baltimore, and Miss Mary L. Abbott, of Patapsco, are visiting at Mr. J. E. Evans'.

Harney Items.

The Union Sunday School celebration of this place occurs, this year, as usual on the second Saturday of August, which falls on the 10th. The executive committee met last week and appointed the various committees who have charge of the different parts.

The C. E. Society of the Lutheran Church held an entertainment last Sabbath evening week, which was very largely attended. D. A. Bush gave an interesting report of the Boston convention.

The carpenters have resumed work on W. E. Myers' new house and will soon have it ready for occupancy.

The growing corn has made a very good start and was greatly benefitted by the rain on Saturday last.

Apples are very plentiful and if they do not drop off the trees there will be a great many of the winter varieties.

The Walnut Grove S. S. celebration was held last Saturday week. It was well attended but the storm caused the people to leave at an early hour. A festival was held in the school house at night. The Taneytown Band furnished the music during the day.

Another Trolley Railroad Story.

The plans for connecting Baltimore and Washington with the Gettysburg battlefield seem to be getting somewhat confused, or there are two distinct projects. Last week extracts were published in the SENTINEL from an article in the Baltimore *Sun*, outlining an enterprise of that character, and this week the *Star and Sentinel*, of Gettysburg, throws some light on the scheme projected by parties at that end of the line. We append extracts from the *Star and Sentinel's* story, with the remark that a capital of $750,000, with a $15,000 per mile bonded debt, on a road 13 miles in length, seems to be enormously in excess of the cost of such a work. There must be some mistake in the figures. The *Star and Sentinel* says:

"During the last week these developments have taken place:

"Agents of the proposed new purchase have been along the line of the turnpike, between this and Littlestown, securing releases from the owners of the lands abutting upon the pike, and with general success. The purpose of this is if they buy the turnpike stock, to secure the company the privilege of building the railway without interference. At the same time, two other routes to Littlestown have been under examination: One by Bonneauville, and the other a line somewhat parallel with the turnpike. The argument for the former is its proximity to the McSherrystown line, and the probability of getting a close connection by branch with McSherrystown and Hanover. But the line itself is longer, and is supposed to be, otherwise, less desirable than the more direct line by the pike. The line parallel with the pike is considered more as an alternative than for any other purpose.

"Messrs. Gregory and Reed of Chicago, who are the ostensible agents, are railway promoters—the latter being also a civil engineer—and are representing a syndicate of capitalists, of which a Trust company of Philadelphia is thought to be a member. It is understood that no legal obstacle has been found against building the railway on the line of the turnpike under the general (steam) railroad act of 1868 and of using electric, instead of steam, power upon it—care being taken to obtain the consent of the abutters.

"The expectation is that the new purchase, if made, will absorb the existing Electric railway and the Electric lighting and heating plant of Gettysburg, and also the turnpike company, (whose line, throughout, will be maintained as a turnpike); and will this fall make an extension of track to Littlestown. The extension to the State Line will probably await the time when the arrangements for carrying the road to Westminster can be completed. The ultimate extensions to Baltimore and Washington will also await events, though the projected line from Westminster to Baltimore will be but 28 miles—of which 16 miles are now completed from Baltimore to Reisterstown. The line to Washington is not yet located, and must needs go over for the present. It will touch, probably, Brookville, Triadelphia, Cooksville, Hood's Mill, Sykesville and Freedom.

"Under this plan, it was found necessary to procure a charter from Pennsylvania for the link from Gettysburg to the State Line. This was done on the 19th of July—covering those 13 miles. The title of the company is the Gettysburg, Baltimore and Washington Railroad Company, and the proposed line 75 miles in total length. The starting point of this link is Cemetery Hill near Gettysburg. The end is a point at or near the State Line at Biddle's Mills with a branch extending to a point of connection with the Round Top extension of the Gettysburg and Harrisburg railroad near Little Round Top. The capital stock for this thirteen miles of road is to be $750,000, consisting of 15,000 shares at $50 each.

"The subscribers to the stock, as certified, are:

		Shares.
E. M. Hoffer,	Hummelstown	1276
C. Roswell Ertter,	Gettysburg	3
Adam Ertter,	"	3
C. A. Trostle,	"	3
Penrose Myers,	"	3
P. D. W. Hankey,	"	3
W. H. Tipton.	"	3
J. H. Stine.	"	3
W. T. Ziegler,	"	3

Total number of shares subscribed.	1,300
Total " " authorized	15,000
Total amount of money represented by subscription	$65,000
Stock subscribed per mile	$5,000
Stock authorized by charter per mile	$57,690

"The officers are:

"President, E. M. Hoffer, Hummelstown; Directors, C. R. Ertter, Adam Ertter, W. T. Ziegler, C. A. Trostle, Penrose Myers, W. H. Tipton.

"An affidavit of Adam Ertter, W. T. Ziegler, and C. Roswell Ertter, made before Notary Public Rufus Culp, July 19, 1895, sets forth that $5,000 for every mile of road proposed to be made (or $65,000) has been in good faith subscribed thereto, and ten per centum paid thereon in good faith and in cash to the directors named in the Articles of Association (or $6,500), and that it is intended in good faith to construct the road mentioned in said Articles of Association. Upon these representations and proofs the charter was obtained.

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"It was given out in a telegram from Baltimore on the 24th that Governor Brown of Maryland, whose term expires in January, now president of a Traction Company in Baltimore, will be offered the Presidency of the new railway which is proposed to be run from Washington across Montgomery, Howard and Carroll counties, Md., up to this place. 'Washington capitalists' are said to be interested in the enterprise. We give the story for what it may be worth. Gov. Brown is a gentleman of great wealth. And the officers of the Westminster and Union Mills railway—part of the projected line—are gentlemen of high financial standing in that community—as are those who are building from Baltimore northward.

"Besides the stock debt of $750,000, on our 13 miles of road, it is, we understand, the purpose to issue a six per cent. bond, at the rate of $15,000 a mile; and after the consolidation of all the interests here into one corporation, to withdraw the previously-issued bonds from private hands and to issue in their stead new bonds at the same rate of $15,000, to cover all the railway property of the company.

"The statement is also made that, if the deal be made, Mr. Hoffer is to receive for his entire interest here $300,000—payable partly in bonds and partly in stock, but in what proportion is not known."

Fountain Valley Items.

Miss Annie Handley, of this place, has a geranium that has 70 blooms on it.

Mr. Harry G. Babylon and wife, of Spring Mills, visited Mr. Babylon's mother, Mrs. Wm. H. Heagy, of this place, this week.

Threshing grain has been the order of the day around here this week. Wheat is turning out well.

Mr. Amos Fites has a child very ill with cholera infantum, but at this writing it is something better.

Mr. Upton Decker will have sale today (Saturday,) and will leave our village to make his home in Littlestown, Pa., with his daughter, Mrs. Lou Forney. We are sorry to lose our good neighbor and friend. Our good wishes go with him.

Miss Florence Treuilleb, of Baltimore, is at present on a visit to Miss Annie Handley, of this place.

Deferred Manchester Items.

Below are given several items from last week's Manchester letter, which was received too late to be used in its entirety.

"The remains of Mr. George Hunt's child were brought here on Tuesday and interred in the family lot, Rev. C. M. Eyster officiating.

"A stalk of oats, 6 feet 3 inches in length, was recently left with your correspondent. It was taken from the field of Mr. Thomas Kuhns, one of the successful farmers at the head of the Warren Valley, this district, and is said to have been a fair specimen of the entire field. It had a mammoth head filled with large and well developed grains.

"A German laborer, who is grubbing in a swamp on the farm of Dr. O. T. Everhart, north of town, had his attention attracted by a rustling noise at a pile of brush, near him, and was presently alarmed and astonished by seeing an enormous snake making its way across the top of the pile. He is confident that the body of the reptile was fully 6 inches in diameter, but is entirely ignorant concerning its length, as he did not tarry to see the whole of the mammoth serpent or to take its measure. It was, no doubt, the historic snake of that section, which several years ago created an excitement in the neighborhood for some time and was seen a number of times by citizens of the vicinity. It then had a den in the foundation wall of the old saw mill at that point."

Union Mills Items.

Miss Winifred Shriver has had as her guest during the past week, one of her schoolmates, Miss Janet Stone, of Coatesville, Pa.

Conrad Resher is erecting a dwelling-house in this village, on a lot purchased of Geo. Huff.

A Prohibition and Sunday School celebration will be held in a grove near Silver Run, on Saturday, 3rd inst. State organizer W. F. Tucker, of Baltimore, Rev. Mr. Weigand, of Westminster, and others, will deliver addresses.

John Burgoon and family will occupy a tent at Emory Grove during the approaching camp-meeting season.

An interesting game of base ball will be played on the grounds, here, on this, Saturday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. The competing nines will be our home team and a nine composed of players gathered especially for the occasion from this place and Silver Run. The latter nine is under the management of Conrad Resher and call themselves "The Giants," as most of the players measure somewhere near six feet in height. Music will be furnished by the Carroll county Reed Band, which has just purchased a full set of new instruments. The two nines will meet the band at the junction of the Deep Run road and the turnpike where a procession will be formed which will march through the village to the ball grounds. Besides base ball other amusements will be introduced and it is expected that a general good time will be had.

Note from Dr. Ward.

The venerable president of Westminster Theological Seminary, Rev. Dr. Ward, accompanied by Mrs. Ward, spent last week at Mount Clifton, a delightful summer resort at Hedgesville, Va. In a friendly note to the editor of the SENTINEL, the Dr. recounts some of their pleasant experiences during the week, which will be interesting to their many friends. He says: "Sunday we attended the Presbyterian Church, in the village, and heard a good sermon preached by Rev. Mr. Leyburn, a nephew of the late Rev. Dr. Leyburn, of Baltimore. The next day we were favored with a kind call by him, and also by Rev. Mr. Level, the venerable rector of the Prot. Episcopal Church. There were numerous visitors at Mount Clifton from Baltimore and Washington, some of whom were old acquaintances of ours, and it was very enjoyable to meet them. The view from Mount Clifton is one of the finest I ever witnessed. It overlooks the Potomac and Shenadoah Valley, and the Blue Ridge is in sight. With a good glass Pen-Mar, High Rock and Buena Vista could be seen; and Williamsport, Hagerstown and Martinsburg without the aid of a glass. The summer resort is in charge of Mr. Triplett Payne and his wife, a niece of mine. They make their guests comfortable and happy by their genial attention."

List of Unclaimed Matter

Remaining in the Postoffice at Westminster, Md., July 27th, 1895.

Arnold, Mrs. Annie
Bowersox, C. E.
Dorsey, D. E.
Dorsey, Hamilton
Deering, W.
Green, Miss Martha
Gilbloom, R.
Lease, Jacob F.
Little, E. O.
Merryman, Miss M. B.
Omaha, Mrs. John
Plumley, J. A.
Starner, Mrs. A. M. C.
Smith, Mrs. Harriet C.
Thursh, Miss Alice

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

JOSEPH B. BOYLE, P. M.

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

Grace Ev. Lutheran Church.—Sunday School 9 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday, 8.00 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. 7.10 p. m. Junior Endeavor 4.00 p. m.

P. H. MILLER, Pastor.

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 6.30 p. m. Preaching at 10.30 a. m. and 8.00 p. m. Morning sermon by Rev. J. T. Murray, D. D., of Baltimore.

A. D. MELVIN, Pastor.

Centenary M. E. Church.—Sunday School at 9.15 a. m. Epworth League service at 7.15 p. m. Junior League at 2.30 p. m. Prayer Meeting Wednesday at 8.00 p. m. Preaching at 10.30 a. m. and 8 p. m.

JOEL BROWN, Pastor.

St. Paul's Reformed Church.—Sunday School at 9.15 a. m. Divine services at 10.30 a. m., and 6.15 p. m.

CALVIN S. SLAGLE, Pastor.

Carroll Charge, Reformed Church.—Benjamin's Church.—Sunday School at 9 a. m. Divine service at 10 a. m.

St. Matthew's Church.—Sunday School at 1 p. m. Divine service 2 30 p. m.

The Benevolent and Aid Society of Benjamen's Reformed Church will hold its next Monthly Meeting at the Church, on the evening, of Wednesday, Aug. 7.

H. J. MACALISTER, Pastor.

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

St. John's Church.—Sunday School at 1 p. m. Preaching at 2 p. m.

Young People's Missionary Society at 8 p. m.

S. A. DIEHL, Pastor.

Ascension Church.—Aug. 4th.—8th Sunday after Trinity.—First Celebration of Holy Communion at 7. Second Celebration and Sermon at 10.30. Evensong and Sermon at 8. Daily: Holy Communion at 7. Evensong at 5. Friday, Litany at noon. Tuesday, Feast of the Transfiguration.

JESSE HIGGINS, Rector.

The Lovefeast at Meadow Branch near Westminster, (German Baptist) will be held on the 2nd of October. Services at 1 30 p. m. Meeting next day. Elder C. J. Lint, of Pennsylvania, expected to be present.

Rev. T. J. Werts, of Petersburg, Pa., will preach in Uniontown Sabbath morning and evening in the Bethel. He will also preach in Frizellburg at 2 30 p. m.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

$1.25 Croquet sets at 75 cents.
JNO. D. BOWERS.

The best dried Apricots, Peaches and Prunes, at 6 cents a pound.
JNO. D. BOWERS.

Half Barrels White Lake Fish, $2.50.
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Excursion to Washington August 3rd and 4th.—The Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell at their Baltimore offices on Saturday and Sunday August 3rd and 4th, Excursion tickets to Washington and return at the low rate of $1.25 for the round trip. Tickets valid for use on all regular trains in each direction; and good for return passage until Monday August 5th, inclusive.

Niagara Falls—$10 Tours via Pennsylvania Railroad.—The next of the series of personally-conducted tours to Niagara Falls, via Pa. Railroad, will leave Baltimore, on THURSDAY, AUGUST 8th. The rate for round-trip tickets, good for ten days, is $10 from Baltimore; proportionate rates from other points. A special train of Pullman parlor cars and day coaches will be run, and a tourist agent and chaperon will accompany the tour. The tickets will permit of stop off at Watkins and Rochester in each direction, and at Buffalo on the return trip. For specific rates and parlor car accommodation application should be made to ticket agent, city ticket office North East corner Baltimore and Calvert Sts., Union or Calvert Stations.

A MIDSUMMER MAGAZINE.

Frank R. Stockton, the author of "The Lady, or the Tiger?" contributes under the title of "Love Before Breakfast," one of the most delightful love stories to the August *Ladies' Home Journal*. The happy motif of Mr. Stockton's story is more than indicated by the charming illustrations which Mr. W. T. Smedley has provided for the text. Dr. Parkhurst writes wisely and well of "The Training of a Child," giving advice which cannot fail to be of value to parents everywhere. The biography of the number consists of a most interesting sketch of "The Writer We Know as 'Octave Thanet,'" which is accompanied by a portrait of the author and several excellent views of Miss French's home at Davenport, Iowa. Ethel Mackenzie McKenna writes interestingly of "The Author of 'Alice in Wonderland,'" and Mrs. Hamilton Mott contributes a short sketch of Mrs. Theodore Thomas. Thomas Wharton is represented by a clever little story, "A Thripenny Token." "Tom Moore's First Sweetheart," who lies buried in an unknown grave in Greenwood Cemetery, is touchingly written of: her life as girl, wife and mother and grandmother being touched upon, as well as her career as an actress. "American Girls as Violinists" are written of by Frederic Reddall, sketches and portraits of the most famous of them being given. Mrs. Elizabeth Bisland writes of "When Living in the Country." In the fourth paper of the series of "The Woman Who Most Influenced Me," Edgar Wilson Nye ("Bill Nye") writes of the two women who most influenced him. Women who love dainty needlework will be delighted with Helen Mar Adams' "Louis XV Embroidery Designs" and Miss Roberts' "Set of Six Doilies." Miss Parloa writes from abroad of "Methods of French Cooking"; Eben E. Rexford of "Flower Shows in Small Cities," and Isabel A. Mallon contributes a daintily-illustrated page on the "Pretty Summer Bodices." This midsummer number which goes out to its hundreds of thousands of readers in a cover presenting Albert Lynch's famous panel of Spring, which won for him the Salon prize in 1893, is worth ten times its price of ten cents, and no woman should be without it. Published by the Curtis Publishing Company, of Philadelphia, for ten cents per number and one dollar per year.

NEW YORK FASHION LETTER.

Madame La Mode displays a tendency to revive the fashions of Louis XVI. These fancies appear in the redingote gowns with the fronts cut away to show a vest of flowered fabric. Old fashioned fichus and wide brimmed hats complete the gowns copied from this epoch. All varieties of Louis XVI coast appear, made of satin, silk, flowered velvet and lace. Costumes of white alpaca will be much worn during midsummer at the seashore and mountains. Evening silks with Pompadour colors are exceedingly popular, and for afternoon gowns figured lawn and India mull, trimmed with insertions of yellow lace are decorated with chiffon boas and fancy girdles of ribbon and flowers. Wash costumes this season are more in vogue than ever. Beautiful morning dresses are made of French gingham, fancy linen duck and pique. The large collar over the shoulder is seen everywhere. It contitutes the regular collar of the tailor gown and outing dresses. It decorates in an adjustable form fancy silk bodices and is seen also outside of heavy cloth jackets. Its material is varied, ranging from tulle and lace to grass cloth, duck, silk and velvet. Many of the new skirts are box-pleated and accordion pleated, and all the sleeves voluminous.

Yellow lace is used upon every costume of whatever style or color. It trims the yoke, sleeves, collar, fichu, and in some cases the skirt. Of all the Fashion Magazine at hand we find the popular McDowell Journals most replete in practical information.

"La Mode de Paris" and "Paris Album of Fashion" cost $3.50 each per year's subscription or 35 cents a copy. The "French Dressmaker" is $3.00 per annum or 30 cents a copy; and "La Mode" $1.50 a year or 15 cents a copy. If you are unable to procure either of these journals from your newsdealer do not take any substitute, but apply by mail to Messrs. A. McDowell & Co., 4 West 14th street, New York.

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CELEBRATIONS, FESTIVALS.

Trinity Reformed Sunday School, of Manchester, will hold a basket picnic in Mr. Abraham Bixler's grove, near Greenmount, on Saturday, August 17th. All are invited.

Friendship Union Sunday School at Fenby will hold its annual celebration and festival on Saturday afternoon and evening, 24th inst. Refreshments will be sold for the benefit of the school.

There will be a Talent Festival on the lawn of Mr. C. C. Engel, near Avondale, on Saturday evening, August 3rd, for the benefit of Benjamin's Reformed Church. The public are invited. Should the evening not be fair, the festival will be held on the following Tuesday evening, August 6th.

Mount Vernon Union Sunday School, held about half way between Westminster and Uniontown, will have its annual celebration Saturday, September 7th. Addresses will be delivered by able speakers and every effort will be made to render the celebration pleasant and successful.

The Mt. Union U. B. Sunday School will hold its annual celebration on Saturday, August 3rd. Able addresses will be delivered. Singing by the school. The Carrollton Glee Club is expected to be present and the Manchester Band will furnish the instrumental music. All are invited.

Zion Sabbath School will hold its celebration on the 10th of August, commencing at 12 o'clock and continuing at night. The Warfieldsburg Brass Band will be present. Prominent speakers will be present to address the school. The public are cordially invited

A "Talent Festival" will be held by several ladies for the benefit of Benjamin's Reformed Church, at Cranberry Schoolhouse, near the residence of Mr. Amos Ebaugh, on Saturday evening, August 10th. In case of rain the festival will be held on the Monday evening, following, or first clear evening after.

A festival will be held by the ladies of Pipe Creek M. P. Church, on the afternoon of August 2nd, and on the afternoon and evening of Saturday, the 3rd of August, 1895, Providence permitting.

On Saturday, 27th inst., the Mount Pleasant M. E. Sunday School will hold their annual picnic, commencing at 12 o'clock noon. The Mechanicsville Cornet Band will be in attendance. Good speaking and vocal music are part of the program. Refreshments will be sold for the benefit of the school.

The Mechanicsville Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., will hold its second annual picnic on Saturday, August 24th, commencing at 10 o'clock, A. M.

MARRIED.

Near Unionville, July 30th, 1895, by Elder Wm. H. Franklin, Mr. Edward Scheller to Miss Anna Bart, both of Frederick county.

At the residence of the bride's parents in Union Bridge, July 25th, 1895, by Elder E. W. Stoner, Mr. Wm. H. Fisher, of York, Pa., to Miss Allie M. Whiteleather, of Union Bridge.

In Baltimore, July 23rd, 1895, by Rev. Thos. J. Broydrick, Mr. Harry R. Piet to Miss Laura Hoff, both of Baltimore.

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.

Near Westminster, July 30th, 1895, Josephine Ibex, aged 45 years, 1 month and 19 days.

In this city, July 31st, 1895, Raymond Carroll, infant child of Q. E. and A. M. B. Weant, aged 6 weeks. Interment at Taneytown.

Near Taneytown, July 31st, 1895, John Bushey, aged 79 years, 10 months and 12 days.

Died in Uniontown, July 29th, 1895, at 6.30 A. M., Edna Burton, youngest daughter of Rev. James T. and Julia A. Lassell, of nervous prostration following diphtheria, aged 8 years, 5 months and 24 days.

After an illness of four weeks, accompanied at times with intense suffering, little Edna passed away, leaving an example of true christian fortitude seldom seen in christians of riper years. After having gone through with a bad case of diphtheria she was apparently getting stronger, but suffered a relapse, due to disorder of her whole nervous system. She certainly was dying gradually from the Sunday week previous to her death. She tried to sing on that day while church service was going on and at that time made the remark that before another Sabbath, they would be singing over her dead body.

This almost came true, but God in his mercy spared her to see another Sabbath. Throughout her while sickness she but echoed the words of the hymn she tried to sing "Dear Jesus I Long to be Perfectly Whole;" "Wash Me and I Shall Be Whiter Than Snow." She submitted with remarkable obedience to those administering her medicine, but all last Sunday she was sinking, finally exclaiming at night "I'm dying, oh, I'm dying!" making an earnest prayer to her God and her physician to save her. Early on Monday morning she gasped only once and Edna was gone—passing from death unto life.

There is no death to such as thou, dear Edna! neither darkness nor the shadow of death; only such a bright fading as when the morning star fades in the golden dawn. Thine is the victory without the battle—the crown without the conflict.

With all Edna was a favorite, loving and lovable. Her character and disposition were so sweet and her intelligence so far beyond her years that with all her playmates and grown persons as well she was universally liked.

The prayer she offered while on her sick bed, too weak to move herself, that the good Lord would give her strength and grace to bear her affliction, were heart-rending to those around her and gives to us an example of the reality of the Christian religion in children, as graphically pictured in "Uncle Tom's Cabin" in the life of little Eva St. Clair.

With one foot on the Heavenly shore Edna bravely struggled to battle off the disease which racked her body, and at the same time brightly anticipated the time when she would again be able to enjoy the company of her little friends.

But alas! she is now playing with the child-angels in a city where there will be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain, and God shall wipe away the tears from the eyes of those left behind, with the thought that over the river Edna beckons to them.

Funeral services were held at the house on Wednesday morning, Revs. Melvin, of Westminster, and Dr. Murray, of Union Bridge officiating. Interment in the M. P. Cemetery of Uniontown.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

OF A DESIRABLE

FARM AND MILL PROPERTY,

Near Union Bridge, Carroll county, Md.

BY virtue of the power contained in a mortgage from Shepherd Wood and M. Letitia Wood, his wife, to Lydia A. Wood, bearing date January 26th, A. D. 1894, and duly recorded among the real estate mortgage records of Carroll county, in liber B. F. C. No. 34, folio 369, &c., the undersigned, the attorney or agent named therein, will sell at Public Sale, on the premises, on

THURSDAY. AUGUST 15TH, 1895,

at 1 o'clock, P. M., all that parcel of land, composed of parts of tracts of land called "Deer Park," "The Resurvey of Forest in Need," "The Resurvey of Susan's Fancy," "Round Spring," and "Addition to School Lot," containing

98 ACRES AND 3 ROODS, more or less.

The improvements thereon are a Large Two-story Brick Dwelling House, with Back Building, Bank Barn, Wagon Shed, Carriage and Wood House, Hog House, Dairy, Smoke House. Two-story Weatherboarded Tenant House; also a Grist and Saw Mill, and other out-buildings. Water convenient to the buildings. The mill has superior water power. There is also an Orchard of apple and other fruit trees on the premises. About 25 Acres is first-class Meadow Land, about 6 Acres is in Timber; the balance of the land is in a high state of cultivation and all the fields are conveniently watered.

This property is situate on the public road leading from Linwood to Union Bridge, is about 1 mile from Union Bridge, one mile and a half from Linwood, adjoins the land of Granville S. Haines, William O. Hoffman, the heirs of Peter Shriner, deceased, and others; is now in the occupancy of Alfred Greenwood and is known as "Shepherd's Factory." The location of this property, high quality of the land, superior water power and the facilities of conducting a good milling business make it worthy the attention of purchasers.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash; or, if desired by the purchaser or purchasers, one-third cash on the day of sale or on the ratification thereof, one-third in one year and the other one-third in two years from the day of sale, the credit payments to be secured by the notes of the purchaser or purchasers, with approved security bearing interest from the day of sale.

PEMBERTON WOOD,
Attorney or Agent named in Mortgage.
REIFSNIDER & REIFSNIDER, Solicitors.
J. Thomas Roop, Auctioneer. jy-20ts

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A LETTER.

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CHARLES E. FINK.

HARRY M. CLABAUGH. JOHN M. ROBERTS.
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TO THE REPUBLICAN VOTERS OF CARROLL COUNTY.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Carroll county, subject to the decision of the Republican county nominating convention.

DAVID COVER,
jy-20-tc of Franklin District.

SALE BILLS, and all kinds of Job Printing done at this office, on reasonable terms.

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