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Official Returns of the Election held in Carroll County, Md., Nov. 2nd, 1897.

DISTRICTS.	Comptroll'r			Court of Appeals.			Asso. Judge.	Clerk Circuit Court.			Register of Wills.			Sheriff.			House of Delegates.															County Com.			County Treasurer.			County Sur'r.			For Constitutional Amendment.	Against Constitutional Amendment.
	Phillips Lee Goldsborough, Rep.	Thomas A. Smith, Dem.	James W. Frizzell, Pro.	Allan Rutherford, Rep.	J. Frank Ford, Dem.	Richard T. Turner, Jr., Pro.	I. Thomas Jones, Dem.	William Jesse Roberts, Rep.	James Howell Billingslea, Dem.	Calvin R. Chew, Pro.	Joseph D. Brooks, Rep.	Nicholas W. Steele, Dem.	John Uhler, Pro.	Ezekiah D. Bowersox, Rep.	Ephraim Haines, Dem.	Philip B. Myers, Pro.	Clotworthy Birnie, Rep.	Charles H. Smith, Rep.	Alpheus Stansbury, Rep.	Milton M. Norris, Dem.	Benjamin F. Crouse, Dem.	James W. Taylor, Dem.	Daniel H. Hesson, Dem.	James E. Evans, Pro.	Austin H. Geiselman, Pro.	Wm. H. Hood, Pro.	Edward Shaeffer, Pro.	Jesse Smith, Rep.	Daniel S. Biehl, Dem.	Jesse F. Shreeve, Pro.	Alfred T. Buckingham, Rep.	John E. Mashelmer, Dem.	Jacob Houck, Pro.	Welton R. Worden, Rep.	Phillip C. Kennedy, Dem.			
Taneytown	451	205	20	451	205	21	220	510	153	15	455	203	20	469	189	16	465	452	450	421	193	201	207	252	17	20	13	19	449	209	19	447	209	21	452	206	12	114	
Uniontown	352	243	12	351	243	12	248	364	231	12	356	239	12	343	258	10	349	345	351	347	245	247	243	245	11	12	11	11	342	251	9	352	243	12	351	243			
Myers	142	321	11	142	320	11	332	151	314	11	145	318	11	154	311	11	142	142	143	143	319	290	342	337	77	73	65	71	142	321	10	142	321	11	142	320	10	140	
Woolery's	243	330	74	243	329	72	345	229	344	67	269	290	75	245	328	69	245	261	229	242	326	290	342	337	77	73	65	71	242	331	72	265	310	70	248	329	27	130	
Freedom, Pre. 1	18	423	15	186	423	14	431	186	423	14	166	457	8	185	436	14	191	190	190	192	417	417	416	15	14	15	15	15	188	422	14	200	410	14	187	423	26	121	
Freedom, Pre. 2	250	159	8	250	159	8	168	249	160	8	236	173	7	249	159	8	249	247	250	249	159	153	159	160	8	9	8	9	249	159	8	258	151	8	258	158	11	181	
Manchester	204	614	9	204	613	9	618	210	601	8	212	601	9	206	614	7	206	205	209	203	610	597	612	614	10	12	9	9	205	610	10	162	667	5	208	609	13	353	
Westm'r, Pre. 1	360	357	5	359	359	5	375	323	403	3	407	318	3	371	349	3	368	367	366	364	351	345	353	352	4	5	4	5	359	358	4	380	341	4	359	356	30	266	
Westm'r, Pre. 2	407	338	27	407	338	26	353	363	388	22	425	325	23	406	341	23	408	391	402	409	338	357	329	332	24	25	25	27	398	339	29	41	335	24	409	338	29	239	
Hampstead	212	290	26	213	288	26	300	206	296	24	232	261	23	209	294	23	215	215	249	215	285	235	279	281	27	25	23	26	214	287	25	198	306	22	242	358	6	217	
Franklin	214	119	6	212	120	5	124	214	121	4	218	119	4	213	125	4	209	208	211	212	134	124	123	121	5	6	6	6	213	122	4	218	118	4	212	121	9	73	
Middleburg	168	82	15	168	82	15	91	173	78	13	167	83	13	171	75	16	165	164	168	166	85	83	88	84	13	15	15	14	169	82	14	168	82	15	172	82	4	103	
New Windsor	264	207	6	265	208	5	210	263	210	5	275	201	5	234	241	5	266	267	266	267	210	206	205	204	5	4	5	4	263	214	5	269	204	5	265	207	20	103	
Union Bridge	194	121	29	194	121	29	151	192	123	28	194	123	27	192	121	33	189	195	193	191	139	123	122	123	21	27	27	26	158	124	21	195	122	27	194	123	10	88	
Mt. Airy	170	120	20	171	120	19	139	168	120	20	161	129	19	170	121	19	168	174	169	169	119	118	115	120	17	19	20	19	170	120	19	170	120	19	170	120	4	74	
Total	3815	3931	283	3816	3928	277	4105	3801	3965	254	3918	3840	259	3816	3952	261	3835	3818	3856	3790	3920	3836	3916	3951	265	277	267	272	3801	3956	259	3835	3939	261	3851	3893	211	2201	

Wm. Whipkey, Socialist Labor candidate for Comptroller, received 1 vote in Woolery's district and 3 in Franklin district.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Col. Wm. A. McKellip, of Washington, D. C., spent Thursday in this city.

The November term of the Circuit Court for this county will begin on Monday.

Joseph D. Brooks, Esq., Register of Wills elect, of this county, will enter upon the discharge of his duties on Monday, December 6th

On Monday last Mrs. Geo. W. Lamotte, East Main street, this city, slipped on the platform of the pump, at her home on East Main street, and dislocated her ankle.

Mr. Jerome M. Woolery and family, of Lewisburg, Ohio, after spending several weeks visiting Mr. Woolery's mother and other relatives in this vicinity, left for home last week.

Mr. Uriah W. Miller, of this city, was arrested on Monday, by Sheriff Murray, on a bench warrant and released on bail for court to answer an indictment charging him with forgery.

A farm in Taneytown district, belonging to the estate of the late Jeremiah Rinehart, has been sold by his executors, Messers. Plank and Weaver, to John J. Crapster, at $24 per acre.

During the month of October 59 deeds, 19 mortgages and 12 bills of sale were received for record at the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court for this county, and 25 marriage licenses were issued.

The engagement is announced of Rev. Wm. J. Thompson, formerly of this city, but now pastor of Grace Methodist Episcopal church, Worcester, Mass., and Miss Mary S. McLean, of Tarrytown, N. Y.

Mr. Joseph B. Boyle, of this city, has been appointed a member of the committee of the Maryland Pharmaceutical Association, to secure the passage by the next legislature, of a suitable pharmacy law for the State.

Mrs. Hannah Panebaker, widow of the late David Panebaker, of this county, died at her home in Bachman's Valley on Sunday last, in her seventy-fourth year. Mrs. Panebaker was the mother of Mr. George P. Panebaker, a well known citizen of Bachman's Valley, and Dr. Wm. M. Panebaker of Baltimore. She also leaves two daughters, who reside in this county.

A spirit of rowdyism seemed to pervade a good many young people of both sexes, in this city, on Saturday evening last, when Hallow E'en was celebrated by removing steps, throwing corn and soiling the clothing of persons on the street by flinging handfuls of flour upon them. Fun and frolic are not to be harshly decried, but when they degenerate into such exhibitions as those referred to, they become lawlessness and should be suppressed by the authorities.

Jeremiah Martin, whose death occurred Sunday evening last at his home at Loys, Frederick county, and whose remains were interred in the Creagerstown burying ground on the following Tuesday, 2nd inst., was the third son of Jeremiah Martin who died at his home near Graceham nearly a quarter of a century ago. Mr. Martin was 65 years and 6 days old and issurvived by a wife and three children. Four brothers and one sister also survive him, the latter being Mrs. Mary Diffendal, of Liberty street, Westminster.

Rev. L. M. Zimmerman, formerly of Manchester district, this county, and a son of Mr. Henry Zimmerman, of that district, who for the past ten years has been pastor of Christ Lutheran Church, Baltimore, will celebrate the tenth anniversary of his pastorate on Tuesday evening, December 14th. He will give a reception to the members and friends of his church at the concert hall of the Academy of Music on the occasion. After the reception a musicale will be held, and after that refreshments will be served by twenty-five young ladies of the church. Under Mr. Zimmerman's pastorate Christ Church, which began as a mission, has grown to be one of the largest Lutheran Churches, in membership, in Baltimore.

The Atlantic Wheelmen, of Baltimore, will have their first annual century run to-morrow. Starting from the Druid Hill Avenue entrance to Druid Hill Park, at 5.30 A. M., the route of the cyclers will be out the turnpike to Reisterstown, thence to this city, where they will arrive at 9 o'clock. Stopping here a short while, they will be checked by a local wheelman of this place, and leave at 9.30, continuing on to Hanover, where they will arrive at 12 M., getting dinner and starting on the return run at 2 P. M. They will be due here at 4.15 and proceed on to Baltimore. A solid silver medal will be given all survivors. It is supposed, from a rough estimate, that about one hundred hardy riders will be in line. The pace makers for the trip will be John T. Shannon, president, and O. F. Walsh, captain, and the captains of the run will be H. N. Brown and Clarence Heathcote, all of Baltimore. Wheelmen of this city are invited to accompany the centurions on any part of the run.

Mr. Michael F. Hann and Miss Josephine I. Gilbert were married at St. John's Catholic Church, this city, on Sunday evening last, the pastor, Rev. Jos. H. Cassidy, officiating.

Mr. Harry Babylon, of Jacob, husked eighteen barrels, eight bushels of corn, for Mr. Wm. H. Eckard, on the farm of Dr. J. Rinehart, near Frizellburg, on Wednesday, and, in addition tied up and set up the fodder in shocks. He worked from 6 A. M. till 6 P. M. This puts Mr. Babylon in the lead of Carroll county corn huskers, as far as heard from.

Torrents of rain fell almost continuously during Monday night and the streams in this county were flooded. Considerable damage was done by the washing of the roads. Several bridges were washed away or made impassable by damages to their foundations. Among them is the one over Cranberry Branch, on the Gorsuch road, near Tanneryy.

Rev. John A. Munroe died at the residence of his son, Dr. Frank H. Munroe, in Newark, N. J., October 30th. His funeral took place in that city, November 2nd. Mr. Munroe taught a Collegiate Institute in Odd Fellows' Hall, this city, from 1864 to 1869, at which time he removed to Passaic, N. J., and conducted a private school there. Later he joined the Newark Conference of the Meth. dist Episcopal Church and filled many prominent appointments in various parts of New Jersey. He leaves five sons. He had been in failing health for several years. Mr. Munroe was 62 years old. His wife died in September, 1895

The *Banner* of Liberty, of the 2nd inst, says: Mrs. Sophia Wetzel, wife of Mr. Levi Wetzel, of near West Falls, died at 9:30 o'clock, last Thursday evening week, aged about 50 years, of heart trouble and typhoid fever. She leaves a husband and several children, Mr. Wm. Wetzel, of this place, being one of her sons. Her funeral took place from her late home at 9 o'clock last Saturday morning and interment was made at the Sams Creek burying ground.

Mrs. Emma C. Eyler, wife of John C. Eyler, of Double Pipe Creek, died on Monday, Oct. 25th. She was a worthy and consistent member of the German Baptist Brethren church. The funeral services took place on Wednesday last and she was buried in the Brethren's burying ground at Rocky Ridge. Elder T. J. Koth officiated, assisted by Elders D. R. Sayler and Jacob R. Bricker. She leaves a husband and eight small children to mourn their loss. Her age was 34 years, 4 months and 24 days.

There is an old dwelling, weatherboarded a few years ago, standing on the old Shepherd Factory farm, now occupied by Milton Haines, that is probably the oldest house in use near Union Bridge, except the Farquhar farm buildings, some of which were built by the first permanent settlers. The Farquhar family now living on the farm have the original papers patent, written on parchment, conveying the land in and around Union Bridge to their ancestors by the United States Government. The Farquhar family were among the earliest settlers there.

Morgan Items.

After a week of dull, gloomy weather accompanied by rain, we were glad to avail ourselves of the opportunity, and get a glimpse of old Sol again, although it was of short duration, as it is again raining. The protracted spell of rain prevented some of our farmers from finishing seeding their wheat.

The rabbit law having been rigidly enforced in this county, caused the rabbits to become more plentiful than ever before, and afforded the hunters a great deal of sport, but only for too short a time. In our opinion the time for shooting should be in the month of December, as now there are too many half grown rabbits to fall a prey to the hunter's shooting iron. Besides, the average farmer has no time just now to devote to sport, being busy seeding and husking.

Protracted meeting is in progress at Morgan Chapel and is being well attended. The Sunday School held its annual entertainment last Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Wm. Fowble and his son Ernest are convalescent, and are able to be out. Miss Libbie spent some time at Hoffmansville, Baltimore county, and is now visiting near Glen Rock.

Mrs. Warfield, of Frederick county, is visiting her son, Mr. Wm. Warfield.

Mrs. C. D. Davis has returned home from a visit to relatives and friends on the Eastern shore.

Orphans' Court.

Monday, November 1st.—Report sale of real estate of Jeremiah Rinehart, deceased, filed.

George R. Gehr, adm'nistrator of Andrew N. Stephan, deceased, settled third and final account.

Horatio R. Rohrbaugh, administrator of Henry E. Rohrbaugh, deceased, settled first and final account.

James C. Gittings, guardian of Charlotte Carter Gittings, settled first account.

Letters of administration on the estate of William Six, deceased, were granted to Uriah Six.

Patapsco Items.

The heavy rain on Monday night caused high water in the Patapsco and other streams in this neighborhood. A small bridge on the county road at this place was moved from its foundation.

The yield of corn in this neighborhood is very good, but there is much of it yet to be husked.

Mr. Joseph A. Leppo has just finished the erection of a very large hoghouse on his farm. Mr. J. Jacob Basler is building an icehouse on his farm. Mr. Milton Chew has reroofed one of his tenant houses at Reese and made other necessary repairs.

Mrs. Julia Oursler, wife of Mr. Azariah Oursler, near Union Bethel Church, died on Friday night, 29th ult., aged nearly 79 years. She retired at 9 o'clock, in her usual health, and died at midnight, of heart failure. Funeral services were held at St. John's Catholic Church, Westminster, on Monday, after which her remains were interred in the church cemetery, the pastor, Rev. Jos. H. Cassidy, officiating. Mrs. Oursler was a devoted and lifelong member of St. John's Church. She was a kind and generous neighbor and friend and always prompt and willing to extend aid where it was needed. In her decease this community has lost one of its kindest and best citizens and she will be greatly missed. Her aged husband, well known as 'Squire Oursler, survives her, and she leaves two sons and several daughters, among them being Messrs. John W. and F. A. Oursler, of this place; Mrs. J. W. Yingling, Mrs. John J. Lynch, of Westminster, and Mrs. Ezra Zepp, of Baltimore. The pallbearers at her funeral were: Messrs. Jeremiah Ebaugh, John C. Harman, Frank Eckenrode, John A. Chew, J. Frank Magee and Edward Houck.

A Pleasant Surprise.

On Tuesday evening last, Mr. E. Oliver Grimes, Jr., was given a very pleasant surprise party, at the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Grimes, 49 West Main street, Westminster. Mr. Grimes came home from Baltimore, where he is attending the University Law School for the purpose of spending the evening with his parents, and was taken completely by surprise, when his friends who had met at the residence of Mr. Wm. B. Thomas, were ushered into the parlor. The young ladies of the party were quaintly and becomingly attired in old fashioned gowns, while the young gentlemen were gorgeous in huge neckties of brilliant and varied coloring. The evening was very pleasantly spent and refreshments were served at ten o'clock. Those present were: Miss M. B. Shellman, Miss Janie B Thomas, Miss Mabel Graham, Miss Bettie Shriver, Miss Carrie Rinehart, Miss Bessie Herr, Misses Miriam and Clara Lewis, Miss Jean Mackintosh and Miss Dallas Roberts, Messrs. Frank Thomas, Paul Reese, Walter Graham, Emory G. Buckingham, Ed. Mathias, Dan. Roberts, of Westminster; Holmes Baker, Hazel Joyce and Robert Easter, of the College, and Miss Spaulding, of Covington, Kentucky, who is a guest of Mrs. Grimes.

For the SENTINEL.

Frank-Bubb.

The spacious parlor of Mr. John W. Walker, near Roller, was the scene of a pretty home wedding, on Tuesday evening, 2nd inst., at 11 o'clock. The contracting parties were Mr. Horatio G. Frank, of Miller's, and Miss Leah Bubb, of Ruhl, Md. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. H. Ketterman, of Glenville, Pa., after which congratulations were extended, when all repaired to the dining room where stood a table nicely spread, to which all did ample justice. Those present were: Mr. John P. Frank and wife, Mr. Samuel Bubb, Amos Bubb, John W. Walker and wife, Daniel C. Frank and wife, William L. Lloyd and wife, Mr. Oliver Klinefelter, of Glenville, Pa.; Misses Alice Frank, Amelia Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. George Hampsher and daughter, Elva, of Ruhl, Md., Cora, Annie, John and Lydia Frank.

Veach-Wallace.

Miss Laura A. C. Wallace, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wallace, of Cross Roads, York county, Pa., and Mr. Wm. C. Veach, of Freedom, Carroll county, Md., were quietly married at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. J. H. Andrews, 2003 Canton Avenue, Baltimore, at high noon on Wednesday, November 3rd, by Rev. Charles H. Robinson, pastor of North Ave. United Presbyterian church. After the ceremony refreshments were served, after which the happy couple left for Washington and other points.

List of Unclaimed Matter

Remaining in the Postoffice at Westminster, Md., October 30th, 1897.

Black, Miss Anna
Bowman, Charles
Bowers, Mrs. Laura
Chipley, Miss Lulu
Cook, Wm. V.
Elliott, Miss Mary
Garner, John J.
Kahn, J. H.
James, Wm.
Morrison, Oliver
Myers, David
Norris, Richard (2)
Robinson, Wm.
Simonson, Martha
Shaffer, Wm. A.
Stem, Harry A.
Wassom, Chester

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

JOSEPH B. BOYLE, P. M.

Daniel Items.

Protracted services at Ebenezer M. E. Church will begin Sunday morning, 7th, with lovefeast at 9.30 A. M., followed by preaching by Rev. Howard Davis. There will also be preaching at night.

Ebenezer Sunday School has closed for the winter, after a very successful summer. There was on roll one hundred and forty scholars, and the missionary apportionment of twenty-five dollars was also collected. These facts we trust, are the forerunner of a beneficial revival.

Ebenezer League sent two delegates to the County Convention—Messrs. Clayton Baile and C. V. Conaway.

The following is the result of the recent election of officers of Enterprise Lodge I. O. G. T.; C. T., W. Brandenburg; V. T., Mrs. M. J. Waltz; S. of T., Mrs. Chas. Conaway; Sec., Miss Ida Shipley; M., A. Wilson; delegates to District Lodge, Mrs. John Richardson and J. P. Walsh; alternates, Mr. and Mrs. C. Jenkins; delegates to Grand Lodge, M. H. Penn; alternate, Chas. Conaway; recommended for L. D., C. V. Conaway. District Lodge No. 4 will convene in the Hall of Enterprise, November 13th. Enterprise would be glad to see Good Templars present who are of good standing in their own lodges.

Mr. L. A. Shipley, of Elk Ridge, came home to vote on Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. Claude Criswell, of Baltimore, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Silas Jenkins, who is very ill.

Mrs. Leah Penn is having her house repainted; Foutz & Son., of Winfield, painters.

Protracted services at Bethel Church of God have been in progress nearly three weeks. The recent rains have interfered much with the meeting, but when the weather permitted the meetings have been well attended and there have been three conversions at this writing.

Dr. Haley, at Powel's shop, held a barbecue on Saturday last. The menu consisted of "Steele" on half shell, "plenty of good election whiskey," and the minor articles of food, beef and chicken.

Mr. Almer Shipley will move his family to the home of his father-in-law, Mr. Geo. Barnes, in the near future. Mr. Shipley expects to farm the place for Mr. Barnes.

Taylorsville Items.

Election day is in the past and the votes have been counted. Franklin district is proud of its record. Nearly every voter was out and all went off quietly. After the vote here was counted about a dozen of our young men, costumed and with their horses decorated with sleigh bells, started for Winfield, at breakneck speed, to send the tidings over the wire that Franklin Republicans had given the ticket nearly 100 plurality. One of these young men collided with Mr. Johnsey Easton, who was driving to Taylorsville for his son Albert. The horses were thrown, and Mr. Easton's harness and buggy broken, but otherwise there was no damage done.

The stone masons have completed their work on the new school house. The bricklayers will begin at once.

The heavy rains did no little damage in these parts last Monday. The abutments of several bridges were washed away, and many cellars were filled with water.

Our farmers are pushing their corn husking.

Mr. Hiram Jones is busy during these times with his saw mill.

Mr. Johnsey Easton, of Winfield, is threshing for Mr. Henry Forsythe, of Howard county. This is the 25th season which Mr. Easton has threshed at this one place. Mr. Easton is 64 years old, and during threshing season for the past 25 years, whenever the machine was working, has always been at his post measuring, never having from sickness or other cause lost a single day. Mr. Easton was the first man to run a steam thresher in Howard county. We congratulate him on his record.

Rev. Thos. E. Copes has been holding revival services at Morgan Chapel during the past two weeks, and has been spending the greater part of the time in that locality.

Prof. Heapes paid a brief visit to Rev. A. F. Campbell last week and will go there on the 19th and 20th of this month to give elocutionary entertainments. On Friday of next week he goes to Rockdale, Baltimore county.

Mr. James Barnes and wife and Mr. Wesley Barnes and wife attended the county convention of Epworth Leagues, at Sandyville Church, on Saturday and Sunday last.

Mr. Jno. Ingals furnished the meals for the judges and clerks of election and others who were at a distance from home on election day. We have heard much praise both of the meals and service. Mr. Ingals disposed of 5 gallons of oysters that day and could have sold double the amount.

Miller's Items.

Quarterly conference of the U. B. Church will convene here on Saturday afternoon. Communion services will be conducted on Sunday morning, by Rev. Grimm, P. E. Preaching on Sunday evening also.

The election is over and oh! how sore some feel.

Copious showers of rain have greatly refreshed vegetation the past few days. The streams were so swollen as to overflow their banks.

Diphtheria has made its appearance at Snydersburg, near here.

The parsonage in course of construction at Greenmount for the U. B. Circuit is rapidly nearing completion.

For the Sentinel.

County Epworth League Convention.

The most interesting and successful Epworth League Convention yet held by Carroll county took place at Pleasant Grove Church, Sandyville, on 1st Saturday and Sunday, October the 30th and 31st. Of the 22 Chapters of the society now in this county, or on the border, 17 were represented and the house was well filled at the opening of the first service Saturday afternoon. The church, in the rear of the chancel, was tastefully decorated with autumn leaves, flowers, and a drapery of red and white, the colors of the society. Above was the word "Welcome," in large letters, and in the center a representation of the badge with the motto, "Look Up, Lift Up." The convention opened with a song service, led by Mr. Edgar Lockard. The welcome address by the pastor, Rev. C. E. Dudrear, and the response by Rev. J. W. Meeks, junior pastor of Hampstead circuit, were prominent features of the first service, while a fine address on social work was made by Mrs. Samuel K. Herr and an excellent paper read by Miss Mabel Buckingham, both of Westminster, on literary work. A general discussion followed on these subjects, participated in by Mr. John Abbott, and Revs. Brown, Davis, and Meeks. The first session closed with reports from delegates, of the condition and work of their chapters, which was an interesting feature, showing the influenced work of the league of the county. The night services opened with a song service led by Mrs. W. R. Westaway, a representative of the C. E. Society of Sandy Mount. This was followed by a well written and suggestive paper by Miss Ella Weaver, of Fowblesburg, on the work of the Mercy and Help Department. Then Rev. Howard Davis, junior pastor of New Windsor circuit, gave an earnest address on the League and Temperance Reform, and Mrs. John Abbott, of Houcksville, gave a suggestive talk on the Best Method of Conducting the Devotional Meetings. A spirited discussion of the above subjects followed, participated in by several. The night sessions closed with an earnest address on "How the League Can Help in Promoting a Revival," by Rev. Vernon Ridgely, a student of Western Maryland College. The Sunday services opened with a lovefeast, conducted by Rev. S. W. Hutchins, which proved to be an occasion of much spiritual interest. This was followed by a sermon by Rev. Joel Brown, of Westminster, on Rom. 8: 28. It was an admirable discourse, producing a fine effect upon the large audience present. The afternoon service was opened by song and prayer, led by Mr. George Houck, a representative of the C. E. Society of Bethel, (Church of God), after which we had the privilege of hearing greetings from the C. E. Union of Carroll county, by Mr. Chas. R. Woods, president of the union and a response from Mr. G. P. B. Englar, president of the C. T. Union. These addresses furnished a very pleasing feature of the service. This was followed by an address on Sabbath Observance, by Mr. Wilbur Buckingham, of Westminster, which was earnest and impressive. He scored the sin of Sunday bicycle riding. A spirited discussion on the subject, participated in by several, followed. The closing part of the afternoon service was devoted to a children's evangelistic service which was in charge of Rev. Vernon Ridgely, who conducted it efficiently and impressively. As this was the last service of the convention in which a large part of the delegates present could participate it was closed effectively by singing "We'll Never Say Good Bye in Heaven." Miss Gertrude Shipley and Miss Fannie Hill were the organists during the convention. Rev. J. T. Marsh, who was to have preached at night, having been detained by a funeral, the service was in charge of the pastor, who was very efficiently assisted by Rev. Vernon Ridgely and the service proved to be eminently fitting to the close of such an interesting occasion, as it was marked by the conversion of 8 or 9 children and young people. At the Saturday night and each of the three Sunday services the church was crowded beyond its seating capacity. Mr. G. P. B. Englar, our president, presided in a most pleasing manner and is to be congratulated on having contributed much to the pleasure of the convention.

Death of a German Baptist Minister.

Elder Caleb Correll died in York, Pa., on the 27th ult., of Bright's disease of the kidneys. Mr. Correll was a prominent minister of the German Baptist Church for many years and was well known in this community. He was a carpenter by trade and supported his family by following that occupation. He was an upright and highly esteemed citizen. His widow and several sons and daughters survive him. He was about sixty-seven years old.

The death, at Catousville, Baltimore county, on Tuesday, of Chief Judge Eli Scott, of the Orphans' Court, has caused great regret at Towson, as the deceased was a general favorite at the county seat.

Accidents at Home for the Aged.

Mrs. Josephine Baile, matron of the Home for the Aged of the Methodist Protestant Church, while going down stairs at the Home, on Saturday last, tripped and fell to the bottom, sustaining pretty severe injuries.

Mrs. Sweet, an inmate of the house, also fell down a stairway and was found lying at the foot in an unconscious condition. Both the injured ladies are recovering.

THANKSGIVING DAY NAMED.

President McKinley Issues a Well-Worded Proclamation.

WASHINGTON, OCTOBER 29.th.—President McKinley to-day issued his first Thanksgiving Day proclamation, as follows:

"In remembrance of God's goodness to us during the past year, which has been so abundant, let us offer unto Him our thanksgiving, and pay our vows unto the Most High.' Under His watchful providence, industry has prospered, the conditions of labor have been improved, the rewards of husbandmen have been increased and the comforts of our homes multiplied. His mighty hand has preserved peace, and protected the nation. Respect for law and order has been strengthened, love of free institutions cherished, and all sections of our beloved country brought into closer bonds of fraternal regard and generous cooperation.

"For these great benefits it is our duty to praise the Lord in a spirit of humility and gratitude, and to offer up to Him our most earnest supplications. That we may acknowledge our obligations, as a people, to Him who has so graciously granted us the blessings of free government and material prosperity, I, William McKinley, President of the United States, do hereby designate and set apart Thursday, the twenty-fifth day of November, for national thanksgiving and prayer, which all of the people are invited to observe with appropriate religious services in their respective places of worship. On this day of rejoicing and domestic reunion, let our prayers ascend to the Giver of every good and perfect gift for the continuance of His love and favor to us, that our hearts may be filled with charity and good will, and that we may be ever worthy of His beneficent concern.

"In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

"Done at the city of Washington, this twenty-ninth day of October, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and of the independence of the United States the one hundred and twenty-second.

[Seal] "WILLIAM McKINLEY."

By the President:
JOHN SHERMAN,
Secretary of State.

CONFERENCE OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS.

The SENTINEL is in receipt of a communication from Mr. Elisha H. Perkins, chairman of the committee of arrangements of a meeting in the interest of Charities and Corrections of this State, to be held shortly at McCoy Hall, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore. Mr. Perkins says:

"We desire to give as wide-spread publicity to this movement as possible, in order that the best men throughout the State may be interested, and that those interested in all such questions may be induced to attend, to the end that the general conditions now obtained throughout the State may be bettered and improved.

"We feel that much can be accomplished in the direction indicated by the hearty co-operation of the Press, and we trust therefore that you will give some special attention to the matter and from time to time note the progress of the arrangements. We also hope that we may have the personal attendance of many of the Editorial Staff of the State Press. In conclusion it may be stated that it is hoped a State Convention of Charities and Corrections as in other States may grow out of this movement."

Samuel Norton, a youth aged 17 years, was accidentally shot on Tuesday, by his father, near Alberton, Howard county. They were hunting, when the father took aim at a rabbit he saw approaching over a hill. Young Norton was after a shot at the same rabbit, and, not knowing where his father stood, ran up the hill from the other side. The game appeared in sight on top of the hill, and as the young man came up the father blazed away, not seeing him. The load was discharged at short range. One shot pierced the right eye of the young man, who was also struck in other places about the head and face. He was carried to a Baltimore hospital for treatment.

Mr. Goldsborough S. Griffith celebrated his eighty-third birthday at his home, 629 North Calvert street, Baltimore, on Thursday.

MARRIED

At the home of the bride, October 31st, 1897, by Rev. G. J. Hill, Mr. Frederick Bremer to Mrs. Anna A. Shipley, both of Gist.

Near Roller November 2nd, 1897, by Rev. W. H. Ketterman, Mr. Horatio G. Frank, of Millers', to Miss Leah Bubb, of Roller.

At Salem Parsonage, this city, October 31st, 1897, by Rev. S. A. Dicht, Mr. Jacob F. Zahn, of Frizellburg, to Miss Martha E. Wantz, of Pleasant Valley.

At St. John's Catholic Church, this city, October 31st, 1897, by Rev. J. H. Cassidy, Mr. Michael F. Hann to Miss Josephine I. Gilbert, both of this city.

DIED.

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

In Bachman's Valley, October 30th, 1897, Hannah, widow of David Panebaker, aged 72 years, 6 months and 25 days.

Near Carrollton, October 30th, 1897, Julia Burke, wife of Azariah Oursler, aged 78 years, 5 months and 21 days.

IN MEMORY OF MR. WILLIAM BROWN.

As we enter upon the month of November, our memory recalls with sadness the event of one year ago, when father, a loving husband, a kind father, was suddenly taken from among us by the hand of God. Although we know that God does all things for the best and that all things work together for good, to those who love Him, we cannot but commemorate this first anniversary of his departure with a tear of sorrow, and a prayer to our Father above that He will in His own time unite us in the Home which He has gone to prepare for us, and where sorrow and death cannot enter; for God has said: "There shall be no more sorrow, and I will wipe away all tears from your eyes."

By his daughter, Mrs. F. E. Six, Pittsburgh, Pa.

BEST and Cheapest Refrigerators, at GILBERT & OHLE.

Bachman's Valley Weather Record.

MONTH OF OCTOBER.

Date.	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Precipitation. Amount.	Prevailing Wind-direction.	Character of days.
1	81	49	65		NW.	Clear
2	64	40	52		W.	P. Cloudy
3	69	44	51½		SW.	Clear
4	66	32	49		SNE.	"
5	59	32	45½		ESE.	"
6	72	50	61		SW.	"
7	70	50	60		SW.	"
8	64	47	55½		SW.	"
9	68	44	56		E.	"
10	61	34	47½		SE.	Cloudy
11	71	53	62		SE.	"
12	71	60	65½	1.01	S.	R
13	72	49	60½		NNE.	Clear
14	72	46	59		SE.	"
15	71	45	58		S.	"
16	84	35	59½		S.	"
17	68	48	58		S.	"
18	70	50	60½		SE.	Cloudy
19	63	35	49		SES.	" R
20	64	45	54½	.18	SES.	" R
21	57	50	53½	.18	SSE.	" R
22	58	41	49½	.41	SNE.	" R
23	65	40	52½	T	NE.	P. Cldy R
24	64	42	53	T	NE.	Cloudy R
25	54