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LOCAL ITEMS.

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

Mr. Jesse C. Reese, of this city, has gone to Baltimore where he is employed as salesman in a store.

A meeting of Burns Post No. 13, G. A. R., of this city, will be held at Odd Fellows' Hall, at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

The Carroll County Band will furnish the music at the Frederick County Fair, at Frederick, next week.

The First National Bank Building, this city, is being repainted. Mr. F. D. Sanford is the painter.

The County Commissioners transacted only routine business, at their meeting on Monday.

The County Commissioners of Carroll and Howard counties visited the First Md. Hospital for the Insane, at Catonsville, last week.

Mr. John H. Keen, of Baltimore, bought several carloads of apples in this county, this week, and shipped them to Baltimore.

Mr. Daniel Shriner, an aged and well known resident of this city, is very ill at his home on East Main street, with little or no hope of his recovery.

School Examiner Farrar spent Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, of this week, visiting the schools of Freedom, Franklin and Mt. Airy districts.

A few cords of wood, on account of subscription or other indebtedness, will be taken at this office, at the market price, if delivered promptly.

Mr. Jonas Bankert caught eight carp, in the dam at Roop's Wakefield Roller Mills, on Friday of last week, which weighed twenty-five pounds.

Many persons from this county attended the Washington County Fair at Hagerstown, this week. At the ticket office of the Western Maryland Railroad, in this city, 301 tickets were sold.

This year's apple crop in this county is supposed to be the largest ever gathered here. Not only have the trees been loaded with the fruit, but the quality is unusually excellent.

Mr. H. Morrow, of Roseville, left at this office, on Monday, an apple twig upon which were clustered, about as close as they could grow to each other, twelve fine, large Rustycoat apples.

By the quarterly distribution of the public school fund, made by Comptroller Goldsborough on the 10th inst., Carroll county gets $3,146.74 for white schools and $394.82 for colored schools.

We regret to learn that Mr. L. H. Knox, near Gamber, one of Carroll county's most worthy and best citizens, is still in infirm health. Such a man can not well be spared from the active duties of life.

Mr. Samuel H. Harnish has been appointed gatekeeper at the polls in Taneytown district, for the Democrats, and Mr. John C. Grumbine in the Second precinct of Westminster district, for the Republicans.

A "Harvest Home" service was held at St. Paul's Reformed Church, this city, on Sunday last and a sermon appropriate to the occasion was delivered by the pastor, Rev. C. S. Slagle. The chancel was decorated with cereals, fruits, flowers &c.

Rev. N. E. Yeiser, returned missionary from India, will give a lecture illustrated with stereopticon views, at St. Benjamin's Lutheran Church, near this city, on Sunday, to-morrow, evening at 7 30 o'clock. It will be very interesting and instructive.

Mr. Charles Fuhrman, keeper of the tollgate on the Littlestown turnpike, near this city, has purchased from Mr. J. T. Erb, four acres of land, in the vicinity of the tollgate, for $350 each. He has also purchased the Daniel McSwiney property, with five acres of land and buildings, for $1050.

In a bowling contest between the Palace team of Baltimore and the Westminster team, at the Baldwin House alley in Hagerstown, on Wednesday night, the Palace team won. The total scores were as follows:

Palace	706	730	725
Westminster	525	664	543

Messrs. Thomson, Bixler, Stem, Wilson and Franklin constituted the Westminster team.

Mr. John W. Logue, who resided near Spring Mills, died about 4 o'clock Sunday morning, after an illness of two days, of heart failure, in his seventy-fifth year. He leaves a widow and several adult children. Funeral services were held at St. John's Catholic Church, this city, at 11 o'clock, Tuesday morning. Mr. James M. Stoner was funeral director.

The Republican candidates for State officers will address a mass meeting at Odd Fellows' Hall, this city, on Monday evening next, 16th inst. It will probably be the only opportunity they will have to talk to the people of Carroll county during the campaign and everybody should make it a point to attend the meeting and hear an honest presentation of the reasons why the best interests of the State will be subserved by Republican success at the approaching election.

It has been impossible to obtain full reports of registration in this county up to this date. Several districts have reported, in which some changes will probably occur at the revision next week and the full result will then be obtainable. There will probably be little change made in the political complexion of the county by the registration.

On Saturday last Mr. Daniel Burns, of Meadow Branch, a venerable and well known citizen of Westminster district, while standing on the hub of a wagon wheel fixing a curtain of the vehicle, slipped and fell on the wheel, fracturing three of the ribs in his left side. Dr. M. L. Bott adjusted the fractures and Mr. Burns, though 81 years old, is already able to sit up.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Westminster Savings Bank, held on the 7th inst., Messrs. E. O. Grimes, Wm. H. Starr, Chas. Billingslea, Chas. T. Reifsnider, F. T. Babylon, E. J. Lawyer and J. Wesley Myers were elected directors for the ensuing year. The board subsequently organized by re-electing Mr. E. O. Grimes, president, and Mr. Wm. H. Starr, secretary and treasurer.

A special to the Philadelphia *Record* from Wilmington, Del., on Sunday last, says: "While Mrs. William H. Gregg, wife of a well-known carriage manufacturer, was crossing Delaware avenue today, she was knocked down by a butcher's wagon, her arm broken and two ribs over the heart fractured. The pulsations of the heart prevented the fractured ribs from compressing." Mrs. Gregg is the mother of Mrs. Frank W. Shriver, whose husband is a native of this city and a son of the late Francis Shriver.

Services in memory of the late Rev. H. W. Kuhns, D. D., of Omaha, Neb., were held in Grace Lutheran Church, this city, of which the deceased minister was formerly pastor, on Sunday evening last. The pulpit and altar were heavily draped in black. Addresses were made by Rev. P. H. Miller, the present pastor, and Rev. S. A. Diehl, pastor of Salem charge, with which Dr. Kuhns was also formerly connected. The addresses highly eulogized the life, character and services to the church of the deceased clergyman.

Mr. John T. Yingling, of Cranberry Valley, left at this office, on Tuesday, a basket of very fine apples, picked from his orchard. Among them were two pound apples, which weighed 2lbs., 2ozs., half a dozen golden pippins, which weighed 4½ lbs., and quite a number of "Smokers," which averaged over half a pound and were very fine. There were also some of the Smith Cider variety in the lot. Mr. Yingling's orchard produced a large quantity of apples this year. Last week he sold over 100 bushels to a party in Baltimore, at 25 cents per bushel, and still has upwards of 200 bushels to pick.

Thursday, 12th inst., was the linen wedding anniversary of our genial friends, Mr. and Mrs. Theo. F. Englar, near this city. It was also the occasion of a surprise to that estimable couple. Without the remotest idea on their part that anybody had a recollection of this event, about nightfall twenty-five or more ladies and gentlemen, each and all supplied with the good things necessary for a good time, suddenly dropped in upon them. It was a very complete surprise and one that will not only be long and pleasantly remembered by Mr. and Mrs. Englar, but by their unexpected guests as well. Mrs. Englar was the recipient of a number of appropriate remembrances.

Some time ago Mr. L. H. Knox, of "Linden Farm," near Gamber, gave an estimate of 1200 bushels as the probable yield of a sixty-acre field of wheat on his farm. The wheat has now been threshed and the yield was 1155 bushels, machine measure. By weight, however, at 60 pounds to the bushel, which gives the correct measure, the actual amount was 1230 bushels, an average of 20½ bushels per acre. When estimating the yield Mr. Knox asked whether there was a field of 60 acres in the county that could make a better showing. He now extends his inquiry to the State. Will our country exchanges please note the inquiry and ascertain whether Mr. Knox had a successful competitor in wheat growing last harvest?

During the Frederick Fair, 16th to 20th inst., excursion tickets, including admission to the fair, will be sold for trains 11 and 23 on the Western Maryland Railroad, connecting at Bruceville with the Pennsylvania Railroad. A special train will be run through to Frederick on Thursday, 19th inst, leaving Baltimore at 7.50 A. M. Time and rates from stations in this county, including admission to the fair will be as follows: Finksburg 8.53, Patapsco 9.03, Carrollton 9.07, $1.65; Tannery 9.12, $1.55; Westminster 9.23, $1.45; Medford 9.32, $1.35; New Windsor 9.40, $1.25; Linwood 9.46, Union Bridge 9.50, Middleburg 9.57, $1.15. Tickets limited to date and special train. Returning the train will leave Frederick at 6.00 P. M. Tickets at aforegoing rates will be sold for regular trains on Wednesday and Thursday and limited to date of issue.

Mrs. Mary A. Bushey, widow of the late John Bushey, died suddenly at the home of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Brubaker, in Taneytown, on Thursday, 5th inst., aged 84 years, 2 months, 3 days. She had attended service at the Lutheran Church in Taneytown on the Sunday previous and then went to the country and spent a day or two with a niece. On Tuesday evening or Wednesday morning she returned to Taneytown and was taken ill Wednesday afternoon and died after an illness of a single day. Heart failure is said to have been the cause of her death. Mrs. Bushey's maiden name was Kepner. She was a sincere and earnest christian and a devout member of the Lutheran Church. Of her it could truly have been said: "Her children rise up and call her blessed." One son and three daughters survive her. They are: Mr. Luther M. Bushey, Mrs. Samuel F. Hess, of Freedom district; Mrs. Abram Naill, of Bridgeport; Mrs. Chas. M. Hess, of Taneytown. Mrs. R. C. McKinney, of Hood's Mill, who died several years ago, was also her daughter. Funeral services were held in the Lutheran Church at Taneytown on Sunday morning, the pastor, Rev. C. A. Britt, officiating and preaching the funeral sermon. The remains of the venerable lady were interred in the burial ground adjoining the church in which the services were held. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. James Shildt, Jacob Koontz, J. Thomas Shriner, Ezra K. Reaver, Joseph Clutz, James C. Galt.

A special meeting of the Maryland Classis of the Reformed Church was held at St. Paul's Reformed Church, this city, on Monday, 9th inst. Rev. C. S. Slagle was president pro. tem., and Rev. S. M. Roeder, secretary pro tem. The business transacted was the reception of Rev. J. Stewart Hartman, from the Lancaster Classis, Eastern Synod, and the confirmation of his call to become pastor of St. Mary's Reformed Church, Silver Run. Revs. S. M. Roeder, H. J. Macalister, K. Otis Spsessard and C. S. Slagle were appointed a committee to install Mr. Hartman in his new pastorate, at 7.30 o'clock, to-morrow, Sunday, evening.

Hering-Armacost.

A beautiful wedding, and one in which much more than ordinary interest was felt, was solemnized in the Methodist Protestant Church at Finksburg, in this county, at 3 o'clock, on Wednesday afternoon. The bride was Miss Nettie May Armacost, daughter of Mrs. Virginia C. Armacost, of this city, and the late George W. Armacost, of Woolery's district. The groom was Mr. Fenby L. Hering, son of Mr. Francis L. Hering, a prominent farmer and miller, near Finksburg. The bride is a niece and the groom a nephew of Dr. J. W. Hering, the Democratic candidate for Comptroller, who came from his campaigning in Garrett county on Tuesday night to be at the wedding. The bride is also a niece of Dr. Hering's wife. The bride wore a becoming gown of white organdy, trimmed with lace and satin, and carried bride's roses. Miss Bessie K. Armacost, sister of the bride, was maid of honor and wore a gown of white organdy and carried bride-maid's roses. The ushers were Messrs. George H. Armacost, brother of the bride; Leister W. Armacost, cousin of the bride; D. Robey Hering and Harry H. Hering, brothers of the groom. The wedding march from Lohengrin was rendered by Miss Alverda Lamotte as the bridal party approached the altar. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. Samuel W. Coe, the pastor. Mr. and Mrs. Hering left shortly afterwards for an extended bridal trip, and upon their return will reside near Finksburg, where the groom is engaged in the milling business. The bridal presents were very numerous and valuable.

Orphans' Court.

Monday, October 9th.—Irene C. Bennett, administratrix of Pinkney J. Bennett, received order to transfer stock.

Letters of administration on the estate of Mary Ann Bond granted unto Frank P. Roop, who returned inventories of money and debts and received order to transfer mortgage.

Letters of administration with the will annexed on the estate of Susie B. Bankerd, granted unto Josiah C. Bankert.

Tuesday, October 10th.—Andrew E. B. Myers, executor of John Fultz, returned inventories of personal property, leasehold property and money, and received order to notify creditors.

Perry F. Chaney and George M. Chaney, administrators of Basil T. Chaney, settled first and final account.

Frank H. Wilson, executor of Hannah Bowers, settled first and final account.

Mary S. Crebbs and Sylvester Crebbs, administrators of William Crouse, returned additional inventory of debts and additional list of sales of personal property.

Letters of administration on the estate of Mary A. Bushey granted unto Samuel F. Hess.

Luther M. Bushey, executor of John Bushey, settled third and final account.

Chas. S. Boring, and Oliver E. Boring, administrators of John M. Boring, reported sales of personal property and received order to notify creditors.

Daniel W. Mayers, executor of James Kuhns, reported sale of personal property and settled first and final account.

George R. Gehr and Jonas Bachman, executors of John H. Miller, reported sales of personal property.

Final ratification of the sale of the real estate of William J. Feeser, deceased.

Frizellburg Items.

The effort made on Wednesday evening, by Messrs. Yingling and Livingstone, of Westminster, to organize a secret order here was only partly accomplished. The visitors made some stirring speechees, which were favorably received. About seven names were secured. Another attempt to complete the list will be made on Saturday evening, October 21st, at 7 o'clock. A good attendance is requested.

Mr. Walter L. Frazer, our principal teacher here, made a short visit to Washington on Friday evening last and returned on Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Warehime, of Baltimore, is spending a week or more with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Myers.

Mrs. Jennie Reindollar, of Taneytown, has moved in with her brother, Mr. Theodore Myers, near this place.

Master David Bankard, of New Windsor, spent a week with his grandfather, Mr. Abraham Sheets.

Mr. George Schaeffer and wife, and Mr. Newton Schaeffer, sons and daughter-in-law of Mr. Elias Schaeffer, of Baltimore, spent several days in this vicinity recently.

Our milliner is very much indisposed.

Melrose Items.

Mr. Samuel Boyer, who spent September at the new creamery, built by Mr. Fleagle in Martinsburg, W. Va., is now operating there at our creamery and Mr. Lere[illegible] taken his place at Martinsburg.

Messrs. Miles, Milton and Samuel Sterner went coon hunting one night in early October and succeeded in capturing a coon that weighed 20 pounds 2 ounces. It goes without saying that they all had a square meal the next day.

Wentz's school, under the supervision of Mr. Hoffacker, now numbers 37.

Quite a number of our people attended York Fair last week, and a large number the Hanover Fair the week before. The verdict concerning the Hanover fair was: The best yet.

List of Unclaimed Matter

Remaining in the Postoffice at Westminster, Md., Oct. 7th, 1899.

Brown, Mr. Kin
Billinger, Mrs. W. R. L.
Brightford, Mrs. James
Charmes, Mrs. Allie
Downes, Mrs. Jessie
Garner, Miss Elanor
Gent, J. G., Esq.,
Harman, Martha
Hancock, Mr. Jos.
Hollinger, Miss Bertha
Hazer, Miss Mary
Jones, Miss Sarah
Johnson, Frank
Jones, Mrs. Chas.
Kuern, Miss M.
Kuhn, Miss Mary E.
Maddox, G. W.
Nott, Miss Nellie,
Pilson, Mrs. Geo.
Painter, Thos. J.
Yingling, Mrs. Grace

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

MILTON SCHAEFFER, P. M.

Manchester Items.

We found the bachelor home of Mr. Chas. W. Motter all ablaze on Monday evening and the large rooms presented a beehive appearance. The ladies, busy with their needles, helped Charles out of the accumulated needle work that had gotten on his hands, while good cheer pervaded the company and the gallant proprietor, on his best behavior, was here, there and everywhere with his best humor. At 10 P. M. abundant refreshments were furnished to the large company. Those present were: Mrs. J. M. Motter, Mrs. D. L. Dubbs, Mrs. Chas. Masenheimer, Mrs. G. W. J. Everhart, Mrs. Chas. Everhart, Mrs. J. W. Hoffacker, Mrs. C. Miller, Mrs. Wm. Shower, Mrs. J. H. Preston, Mrs. L. H. Hoffacker, Mrs. T. J. H. Lamotte, Mrs. H. S. Musselman, Mrs. Geo. A. Shower, Mrs. A. J. Hayes, Mrs. M. L. Morelock, Misses Fanny Ross, Celia Shower, Maggie Fuhrman, Lizzie Trump, Eva Preston.

Mrs. Clarence Dudrear gave an apple cutting and caramel party on Tuesday evening to a company of friends, at her home on York street, and a good time was enjoyed by all.

The remains of Mr. Harry Albaugh's child, of Woodberry, were laid away to rest on Friday, Revs. Deatrich, of Woodbery, and S. M. Roeder officiating. On Saturday these reverend gentlemen officiated at the funeral of Mrs. Isaac Boring, of Woodbery, who was interred at Hampstead. This lady was a daughter of Mr. Joshua Ablaugh, of this district, and the child a grandson, who died at their respective homes in the above place within 3 hours.

Our registers enrolled 90 names at their sittings, with 40 taken off, leaving a gain of 50 in this district, with a full enrollment of over 900.

Rev. S. M. Roeder will hold communion services in Trinity church here on Sunday, 22nd inst.

Mr. H. J. Hoffacker has purchased the Rohrbaugh distillery property from the heirs of Mr. Henry F. Warner, and will begin arranging to put the distillery in operation next month.

Miss Emma V. Shower occupied her new home on York street last week.

Quite a number of our citizens enjoyed a day at the York Fair last week.

Corn husking is among the busy work of the farmers here.

Our large apple crop is being bought up by dealers at 25 and 30 cents per bushel, and shipped to Baltimore.

The members of Carroll Encampment, No. 17, will celebrate their 33rd anniversary on the 26th inst., in their hall, with a family reunion, making it an entirely social affair.

Mr. L. H. Hoffacker's new home on corner of York and Main streets is nearing completion, and presents a fine appearance, but best of all is the home comforts the improvements have given the family.

Mrs. Sallie A. Shower, of Frederick, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Dubbs.

Mrs. Bert Bubb and daughter Myrtle, of Glen Rock, spent a day with friends here. Mr. Bubb paid a flying visit on Wednesday and informed us of the loss of a fine young mule from colic, at the Stick Hotel, Hampstead, out of his drove.

Mrs. Seranda C. E. Shaffer, of Glen Rock, is visiting her son Alexander and friends here.

Miss Fannie Ross spent a few days in Baltimore last week, combining pleasure with business.

Dr. Jno. F. B. Weaver, who was confined to his bed for some days last week with a bilious attack, is again able to be out.

Winfield Items.

As announced by posters the lecture and oyster supper will be given this Saturday evening. Admission to the lecture will be free. Supper 25 cts.

Some needed improvements are being made at the Academy Hall grounds.

Seeding is nearly completed. Corn husking has begun, and from the reports of some of the yields in this part of Carroll county, the Kansas "reporter" will have to increase his yield to hold his laurels.

Mr. H. M. Zile took some fine specimen of quinces, apples and other fruits to Hagerstown with him.

The machinery has been placed and the building erected at the gold mine.

The Taylorsville M. E. Sunday School will give its annual treat on Saturday afternoon.

Revival services are in progress at Ebenezer M. E. Church. Rev. W. J. Meeks has charge.

Mr. C. Baile will attend the District League Convention of Epworth Leagues, at Hampstead, on Sunday next.

The chestnut crop promises to be large in this part of the county.

Twenty-one persons were registered at Berret, on Tuesday last. We have not received the report of registers in Franklin district.

Remember the lecture is free at the Academy Hall, Saturday night, and that everybody is invited. Lecture and supper will be held, rain or shine.

Mr. Gass Rawlings is still on the sick list. He is out and about, but has lost considerable flesh during his illness.

Personal.

Mrs. Catharine Winters, of Washington, D. C., is visiting friends in this city.

Mrs. Lewis C. Trumbo, of Washington, D. C., is visiting friends in this city.

Mr. Henry E. Kress, near Alesia, paid a visit to this city on Saturday last.

Miss Bessie Reindollar, of Taneytown, spent last week with Miss Sue Forney, of Gettysburg, Pa.

Mrs. D. M. Wolf, of Gettysburg, Pa., is visiting friends at Lamotte, this county.

Miss Clara Bankert, near this city, who had been visiting in the South, has returned home.

Rev. W. M. Cross and wife, of Trenton, N. J., spent several days this week as guests of Mr. Cross' uncle, Dr. George E. Baughman, of this city.

Mrs. Annie R. Mitten, of this city, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. F. Brinkerhoff, of Philadelphia, and from there will go to New York, to spend some time with her daughter, Mrs. Duncan Ensor, of that city.

A company composed of Mrs. Aaron Bixler, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Bixler, Mrs. Frank J. Devilbiss and little Charles Bixler Devilbiss, of New Windsor, are spending the week in Hagerstown, visiting Mr. W. H. Bixler, and also attending the big fair.

Mr. Wm. B. Morrow, of Hagerstown, visited his father, Mr. Hezekiah Morrow, at Roseville, from Saturday till Monday last. Miss Katie Belle Heird, of Roseville, accompanied him on his return to Hagerstown, for the purpose of spending the week and visiting the Washington County Fair.

Uniontown Items.

Our people were surprised on Sunday morning to learn of the almost sudden death of one of our aged citizens, Mr. John Hawn, in his seventy-fifth year. He was well enough to pick apples all day on Saturday, but later in the evening had an attack of vertigo, from which he recovered sufficiently to engage in some light work. Afterward he became very sick and gradually grew worse until about midnight, when he breathed his last. He leaves a widow, Mrs. Mary Hawn, two sons and three daughters, Mrs. Charles Zile, Mrs. Martha Beard, Miss Lou Hawn, Mr. Clayton Hawn and Mr. Ed. Hawn. Mr. Hawn was a carpet weaver and widely known. His funeral service was conducted on Monday morning by Rev. G. W. Baughman, of the Lutheran Church. Interment at Taneytown.

Mrs. G. W. Baughman and Miss Alexanna Mehring were delegates to Cumberland, to the convention of the Women's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Maryland Synod, Lutheran Church, which they attended this week.

Miss Anna Goreine Hollenberry fell, as she was going up the stair steps, and striking her mouth, knocked out a tooth, which pierced through the lower lip. Three other teeth were also loosened by the fall.

Mrs. Sallie Bloom and son, Mr. Jesse Bloom, went to Hagerstown on Tuesday to visit friends and attend the Hagerstown Fair.

Mr. John Hamburgh and his corps of apple pickers picked from his small orchard almost three hundred bushels of apples, consisting of Baldwins, York Imperials, Bell Flowers, Paradise, Smith's Cider, &c. He has on exhibition at Mr. Harrison Weaver's store a bunch about seventeen inches long, having seventeen perfect apples, of good size; also specimens of the varieties he has on hand.

On Saturday morning Mr. and Mrs. Marshall G. Shaw were very unexpectedly summoned to Washington, D. C., on account of the death of Mr. Shaw's sister, Mrs. Ida Shaw Crapster Potts, who died at her home at Brentwood, near Washington. Her burial took place on Sunday. She was in her forty-ninth year. Mr. Potts, a son and daughter, Mr. Herbert and Miss Ida Crapster, survive her.

Misses Ada Senseney and Emma Garner, of Linwood, were guests of Miss Eva E. Gilbert, Tuesday evening.

Miss Minnie Devilbiss has returned to her home in Baltimore after spending several weeks with friends in the country.

The Church of God Eldership, which adjourned at Bark Hill on Monday night, appointed Elder S. B. Craft as pastor of the Church of God of this place for another ministerial year. We are glad to have him and his family remain here.

On Sunday evening the Methodist Protestant C. E. Society will celebrate Maryland Day, by a special service. A program prepared by the State Union will be observed. The public are most cordially invited to attend these services.

Mrs. Harry Brough went to Hagerstown on Wednesday, to remain until Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Flater, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Penn, Mrs. Algire, son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Taylor, of Winfield; Miss Barrick, of Oak Hill; Miss Zell Houck, of Carrollton; Mr. and Mrs. Pryor and Mrs. Keefer, of Germantown, were guests of Elder and Mrs. S. B. Craft, on Sunday.

The School Teachers Association that met at Uniontown, last Friday evening, will meet at Frizellburg on Tuesday evening, October 13.

Mrs. Milton Penn, of Winfield; Mrs. Cyrus Keefer, of Germantown; Mrs. Anthony Hollenberry, of Blue Ridge Summit, and Mrs. Ezra Stuller, of Trevanion, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Wesley Rodkey the past week.

Harney Items.

Farmers are busy husking corn. The crop is only medium, owing to the dry weather in July and August.

The apple crop through here is the largest for many years. There will be more apples picked for winter than we have ever known.

Our entire neighborhood was shocked last Saturday morning when it became known that Dr. E. B. Simpson, of this place had committed suicide by shooting himself with a revolver. The ball entered behind the right ear and lodged in the skull above the left eye. The act was committed at 6 o'clock in the morning, in his office, while lying on his lounge on which he had slept during the night. He left nothing to tell the cause of the act. Dr. Simpson was well known throughout this neighborhood, having lived here 33 years. He was a good physician, kind and highly respected by all his patrons. He was a very intelligent man with a bright intellect, but, alas! he became the victim of strong drink. His career is ended and his life has passed into history. His remains were taken to Liberty, Frederick county, the home of his family, and interred in a cemetery at that place. Dr. Simpson was unmarried.

[In addition to the account given by our correspondent it may be stated that Dr. Simpson was about sixty years old. He was a son of the late Warfield Simpson, near Liberty-town, and a brother of the late Dr. Thos. W. Simpson, of that place, with whom he studied medicine, graduating afterwards at the Maryland University, School of Medicine, in Baltimore. He was a brother of the first wife of Ex-Justice G. W. Crapster, of this city. Dr. Simpson's office was in Hesson's Hotel, Harney, at which he boarded, and it is said that a prospective change in the proprietorship of the hostelry had had a depressing effect upon him. Dr. Simpson was at one time a member of the Piney Creek Presbyterian Church. Politically he was a Democrat, but he did not take an active part in politics.—Ed.]

Daniel Items.

Mr. and Mrs. John Snider, of Mt. Airy, have moved to the residence of Mr. A. Snider, of this place.

The remains of Mr. John Penn, of near Gosnell P. O., were interred in the cemetery at Ebenezer on Tuesday last. Mr. Penn was at one time a resident of this vicinity. Rev. E. Smith had charge of the services. Deceased was 67 years old and leaves several children, among whom are Mrs. J. W. Pickett and Mrs. Henry Welsh, of this neighborhood.

Protracted services are in progress at Ebenezer M. E. Church and will continue this week and next.

Mr. Milton Penn attended the Eldership meeting of the Church of God, at Bark Hill.

Porters Items.

Mr. L. M. Bushey and family attended the funeral of Mr. Bushey's mother at Taneytown, last Sunday. Mrs. Bushey was well known here and her familiar face will be very much missed, especially at Messiah Church, where she was a devout worshiper whenever she was sojourning in this community.

We are soon to lose two of our oldest and best citizens, in the persons of Mr. and Mrs. Elias Barnes. Mr. Barnes has rented his little farm to Mr. Wm. Aldridge, near Daniel, and will make sale of his stock and a portion of his personal effects and they will go to live with their son-in-law, Mr. Wm. Wilson near Freedom.

Farmers are about through with their fall seeding.

The grain that was first sown is coming up beautifully.

Apples are plentiful. Corn will be a medium crop. There are some fields of corn that are very good, while others are not so good. Among the good fields is one owned by the Dorsey Bros., which is certainly hard to beat.

On Monday evening Mr. L. M. Bushey loaded his wagon with wood and let it stand by the road side preparatory to making an early start on Tuesday morning to market with the wood. Some time during the night some miscreants removed the nuts from the spindles and also took off the single-trees and other hitchings and threw them away. The perpetrators of such an act of vandalism deserve to be punished to the full extent of the law. If only the nuts had been removed it might have been the cause of a very serious accident, but fortunately, when the hitchings were gone, in searching for them the absence of the nuts was discovered and Mr. Bushey was enabled to put things to rights before starting, so that no one was hurt.

Gosnell Items.

The recent heavy rains have played havoc here, in many instances, by washing out newly sown grain fields. Some farmers who were ready to sow their grain have been put back, and some have not finished sowing yet.

Mt. Olive Sunday School festival, heretofore announced to be held the 21st of this month, has been postponed on account of the protracted meeting being in progress at this place. Further announcement will be made later.

Miss E. Stella Gosnell, of Day, is visiting the Misses Buckingham, of this place.

Mr. J. T. Gosnell and family expect to spend Saturday and Sunday next with Mrs. Gosnell's parents at Johnsville.

Some of the young folks of this place attended the Hagerstown Fair.

Mr. William Dorsey and wife spent Sunday last with Mrs. Dorsey's mother, at this place.

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The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has arranged for special excursion rates to Philadelphia on October 19th and 26th, November 9th and 23rd, account National Export Exposition. Round-trip tickets, good to return within ten days, including day of issue, will be sold on above dates from all points on the Middle Division and Frederick Division, and from all points on the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Railroad, at rate of single fare for the round trip, plus admission to the Exposition (no rate less than one dollar.) For specific rates apply to Ticket Agents.

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The busiest and mightiest little thing that ever was made is Dr. King's New Life Pills. Every pill is a sugar-coated globule of health, that changes weakness into strength, listlessness into energy, brain-fag into mental power. They're wonderful in building up the health. Only 25c per box. Sold by A. H. Huber and Joseph B. Boyle, Druggists, Westminster.

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It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away over ten millions trial bottles of this great medicine; and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and all diseases of the Throat, Chest and Lungs are surely cured by it. Call on A. H Huber or Joseph B. Boyle, Druggists, and get a free trial bottle. Regular size 50c and $1. Every bottle guaranteed, or price refunded.

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Victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles as well as women, and all feel the results in loss of appetite, poisons in the blood, backache, nervousness, headache and tired, listless, run down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that. Listen to J. W. Gardner, Idaville, Ind. He says: "Electric Bitters are just the thing for a man when he is all run down, and don't care whether he lives or dies. It did more to give me new strength and good appetite than anything I could take. I can now eat anything and have a new lease on life." Only 50 cents, at A. H. Huber's and Joseph B. Boyle's Drug Stores. Every bottle guaranteed.

On the 10th of December, 1897, Rev. S. A. Dennis, pastor of M. E. Church, South, Ft. Pleasant, W. Va., contracted a severe cold which was attended from the beginning by violent coughing. He says: "After resorting to a number of so-called 'specifics,' usually kept in the house, to no purpose, I purchased a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which acted like a charm. I most cheerfully recommend it to the public." For sale by W. Scott Zepp, Druggist.

"I wish to express my thanks to the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, for having put on the market such a wonderful medicine," says W. W. Massingill, of Beaumont, Texas. "There are many thousands of mothers whose children have been saved from attacks of dysentery and cholera infantum who must also feel thankful. It is for sale by W. Scott Zepp, Druggist.

During the winter of 1897, Mr. James Reed, one of the leading citizens and merchants of Clay, Clay Co., W. Va., struck his leg against a cake of ice in such a manner as to bruise it to the bone. It became very much swollen and pained him so badly that he could not walk without the aid of crutches. He was treated by physicians, also used several kinds of liniment and two and a half gallons of whisky in bathing it, but nothing gave any relief until he began using Chamberlain's Pain Balm. This brought almost a complete cure in a week's time and he believes that had he not used this remedy his leg would have had to be amputated. Pain Balm is unequaled for sprains, bruises and rheumatism. For sale by W. Scott Zepp, Druggist.

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Dull Headache, Pains in various parts of the body, Sinking at the pit of the stomach, Loss of appetite, Feverishness, Pimples or Sores are all positive evidences of impure blood. No matter how it became so it must be purified in order to obtain good health. Acker's Blood Elixir has never failed to cure Scrofulous or Syphilitic poisons or any other blood diseases. It is certainly a wonderful remedy and we sell every bottle on a positive guarantee. Sold by Shaw Drug Company, Westminster.

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RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

Ascension Church.—Holy Communion at 10 a. m. Second Celebration and Sermon at 7.30 a. m. Evening service at 7.30.

E. B. TAYLOR, Rector.

Methodist Protestant Church.—Sabbath School Sunday at 9.15 a. m. Midweek service on Wednesday evening at 7.30. C. E. Service at 6.30 p. m. Preaching at 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.

W. R. GRAHAM, D. D., Pastor.

Centenary M. E. Church.—Sabbath School Sunday at 9.15 a. m. Junior League 2.30 p. m. Preaching at 10.30 a. m. Song Service and an address on the Epworth League Topic at 8.00 p. m.

JOEL BROWN, Pastor.

Carroll Charge, Reformed Church.—Benjamin's Church.—Sunday School at 1.30 p. m. Divine service at 2.30 p. m.

Jerusalem Church.—Divine Service and Holy Communion at 10 a. m. Preparatory service this Saturday at 2.30 p. m.

Holy Communion as follows:
Jerusalem Church October 15th.
Benjamin's Church October 22nd.
St. Matthew's Church November 5th.

H. J. MACALISTER, Pastor.

Salem Charge, Lutheran Church.—Benjamin's Church.—Sunday School at 9.00 a. m. Preaching at 10.00 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 7.30 p. m. Catechise on Saturday at 2 p. m., and a lecture with Stereopticon views at 7.30 p. m., by Rev. N. E. Yeiser, a returned Missionary from India.

St. John's Church.—Sunday School at 1 p. m. Preaching at 2 p. m. Catechise Saturday at 9.30 a. m.

S. A. DIEHL, Pastor.

Grace Lutheran Church.—Sabbath School Sunday at 9 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. 6.45 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Preaching at 10.30 a. m., and 7.30 p. m. Morning subject, "The true Spirit of Hospitality and its Reward." Evening, "Why Refuse God's Warnings."

P. H. MILLER, Pastor.

St. Paul's Ref. Church.—Sunday School at 9.15 a. m. Divine services at 10.30 a. m., and 7.00 p. m.

CALVIN S. SLAGLE. Pastor.

Uniontown Charge, (Lutheran.)—Baust.—Preparatory service Saturday, 14th inst, at 2.30 p. m. Communion service Sunday, 15th inst., at 10 a. m. Uniontown, service at 7 p. m.

G. W. Baughman, Pastor.

Carrollton Church of God.—Sabbath school at 9 a. m. Preaching at 10.30 a. m. C. E. at 7.30 p. m. Preaching at Warfield-ville at 3 p. m.

L. F. Murry, Pastor.

MARRIED.

At the M. P. Church, Finksburg, October 11th, 1899, by Rev. S. W. Coe, Mr. Fenby L. Hering, of Woolery's district, to Miss Nettie May, daughter of Mrs. Virginia C. Armacost, of Westminster.

Near Taylorsville, October 11th, 1899, by Elder Wm. H. Franklin, Mr. Charles H.