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LOCAL ITEMS.

Mr. Jas. W. Lockard is having his handsome residence on East Main street, this city, repainted by Mr. S. K. Yingling.

Mr. Joseph Myers, of Tyrone, left at this office, last week, a quantity of fine peaches grown by him on his farm at that place. He has a large crop of this delicious fruit

Nellie Viola Baird, the six-year-old daughter of George E. Baird, of George street, this city, is ill with typhoid fever. Dr. Charles R. Foutz is her physician.

Monday next will be Labor Day and a legal holiday. Banks and public offices will be closed. The Orphans' Court will be in session on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Harry, son of Mr. John B. Diehl, Liberty street, this city, fell from an apple tree on Monday afternoon and broke his right shoulder bone. Dr. J. T. Hering adjusted the fracture.

John Newton, a native of England, but for sometime a resident of Union Bridge, died at the Alms house of this county, of which he had been an inmate for a month, on Monday last, aged 65 years.

Mr. George W. Babylon, of the firm of Messrs. Herr Bros., of this city, raised a cucumber in his garden, this season, that measured 11 inches in length, by 12½ inches in circumference, and weighed 3 pounds strong.

The Catholic Beneficial Society of St. John's Church, this city, accompanied by the Westminster Band, participated in the great reception and ovation given Cardinal Gibbons, upon his return to Baltimore from Rome, on Monday last.

Reports from every portion of this county indicate that the corn crop this year will be a very large one. In almost every section the acreage in corn is fully up to the highest point and the average yield per acre has rarely, if ever, been surpassed.

Mrs. Catharine A. Hunter, wife of Mr. John A. Hunter, formerly of this city, died at her home in Baltimore on Friday, 23rd inst., aged fifty-three years. Mrs. Hunter was a native of Myers' district, this county, and her maiden name was Brown.

While it isn't probable that the "dog-days" were made oppressive because they bore that appellation, most people were not sorry when they ended with Tuesday last. One frequently hears the remark, now, "How rapidly the days are growing shorter," a fact which is repeated, year by year, and yet never seems to become stale.

Mr. Louis Rosenberger, a former resident of Smallwood, this county, but now of Lauraville, Baltimore county, by his solicitor, C. Ross Mace, filed a bill in the Circuit Court at Towson, on Saturday last, for an absolute divorce from his wife, Mrs. Isabella Rosenberger, upon the ground of desertion. Mrs. Rosenberger resides in this city.

On Sunday last M. Ruth Wickert, the six-year-old granddaughter of Ex-Sheriff S. Carr Wickert, of this city, fell down a couple of steps at the home of her grandparents, on East Main street, and fractured both bones of her left arm, above the wrist. The fracture was adjusted by Dr. Jos. T. Hering, and, while the injury was a pretty severe one, no permanent ill effect is anticipated.

Read the platform of the Republican plarty adopted by the recent State convention, which will be found on the first page of the SENTINEL this week. It will repay careful perusal and should have the effect of winning to the support of the Republican cause those citizens who honestly believe in the redemption of political pledges and in a proper administration of the affairs of the State.

While Mrs. John E. Stonesifer, near this city, and Miss Murray, of Baltimore, were driving in the vicinity of Western Maryland College, on Sunday last, their horse became unmanageable, wheeled suddenly and overturned the vehicle, throwing both the ladies to the ground, but, fortunately, without severe injury to either. The horse ran some distance with the vehicle, which was damaged considerably.

While Mr. Wm. H. Flickinger was conversing with his mother, Mrs. Frederick Flickinger, in front of her residence in Copperville, on Monday, he noticed that she appeared ill and caught her in his arms just in time to prevent her from falling. She was in a semi-conscious condition for a time, but soon recovered, except that she suffered with headache for several days afterwards. It is thought she was attacked with vertigo.

School Examiner Simpson is making preparations for the opening of the public schools of this county in September and for the Teachers' Institute which will be held from the 9th to the 13th of the month. The program of the institute, which has already been printed, gives promise that it will probably be one of the most interesting and beneficial of its character ever held in this county. Prof. Simpson is sparing no effort to improve the schools and the methods of teaching in this county.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Poole, of De Soto, Mo., who spent the month of August visiting relatives and friends in this county, left for St. Louis on Tuesday. They came to their old home on account of the serious illness of Mrs. E. B. Garner, of Linwood, Mr. Poole's sister. Charley's many friends were delighted to see him after an absence of so many years. He left here when a young man and now terms himself an aged one. But the West certainly has dealt kindly with him. He is the picture of good health and still retains the happy, genial spirit, which endeared him to so many friends in his early manhood.

Farmers from Carroll, Frederick, Howard and Montgomery counties will hold a grand picnic in Wildwood Park, Mt. Airy, on Saturday next, September 7th, beginning at 10 o'clock, A. M., and continuing at night. Addresses will be delivered by members of the faculty of the State Agricultural College, and an orchestra will furnish fine music. In connection with the picnic a tournament will be held and prizes awarded the successful knights, both amateur and professional. At night dancing in the spacious pavilion will take place. Following will be the officers of the tourney: Judges—Johnzie E. Beasman, Marshall Warfield, Dr. Jesse Downey, Robert Sellman, Dr. S. R. Waters, Jos. M. Etchison, Chas. Runkles, Lewis F. Hood, Samuel Brown, E. M. Anderson; marshal—F. Albert Crawford; assistant marshal—Riggs Dorsey; heralds—Miss Sallie Sellman, Miss Katie Gould.

Miss Ellenora Wagner, second daughter of Mr. John Wagner, of Johnstreet, this city, died at her home on Thursday, after an illness of ten weeks, at the age of 24 years, 2 months, 5 days. Funeral services will be held at St. Paul's Reformed Church, this city, at one o'clock, this afternoon; interment in Westminster Cemetery.

A meeting of citizens of Pleasant Valley and vicinity will be held in that village, at 2 P. M., Thursday next, 5th proximo, in relation to the projected steam railroad from Washington to Gettysburg. The enterprise has excited much interest in the neighborhood and a large attendance at the meeting is anticipated.

Mrs. Rosa Zentgraft, wife of Mr. Joseph Zentgraft, of Pennsylvania avenue, this city, died on Monday, after an illness of one day, in her 18th year, leaving her husband and an infant, aged five or six weeks, surviving her. Mrs. Zentgraft was a daughter of Mrs. Catharine Wagoner, near Spring Mills. Her remains were interred in the burial ground of Deer Park Chapel, M. P. Church, on Thursday.

The annual statement of the finances of this city has been made up, and shows that for the year ended May 20 the receipts from all sources were $17,572.22, and the disbursements $17,475.71, leaving a balance of $98.51. During the year bonds of the city to the amount of $3,000 were redeemed and canceled. The liabilities of the city amount to $28,000, of which $22,000 is 3½ per cent. bonds and $6,000 floating debt. Assets are estimated at $6,383.51.

John Joseph Zentgraf, the thirteen-year-old son of Mrs. Vincent Yingling, ran away from his home, near this city, on Tuesday, and though diligent inquiry has been made no trace of the missing lad has been discovered. He was barefooted when he disappeared and wore a broadbrimmed straw hat. His mother is greatly distressed about him and if this falls under the eye of anyone who can give information of his whereabouts it will be a great kindness to her to make it known.

We are indebted to the courtesy of one of the Knights Templar of this city who attended the great Triennial Conclave of the Order, at Louisville, Ky., this week, for a copy of the Courier-Journal, of that city, of the 27th inst., which is devoted in large measure to an illustrated descriptive account of the proceedings and events incident to the conclave. The issue contains 56 pages and the illustrations are profuse in number and finely printed. Among them are half-tone pictures of a large number of the Knights in attendance.

Miss Ada M. Oursler, second daughter of Mr. Tobias Oursler, of Cranberry Station, died at the home of her brother-in-law, Mr. Edgar S. Caple, this city, on Saturday last, after an illness of five weeks, of typhoid fever, aged 27 years. Funeral services were held at the house on Tuesday, conducted by Rev. Dr. W. R. Graham, of the M. P. Church, after which the remains of the deceased were interred in Westminster Cemetery. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. Wm. D. Reese, Geo. L. Brown, Gloyd Diffendal, Dohnea C. Nygren and Claude P. Smith.

Mrs. Eleanor Mackubin Thomas died at her home, in Bramley, St. Mary's county, on Wednesday, in the seventy-fifth year of her age. Mrs. Thomas was the widow of William H. Thomas, of St. Mary's county, and daughter of George and Eleanor Mackubin, of Annapolis. James Mackubin, of Ellicott City, is the only surviving brother, and Mrs. John Taylor Wood, of Halifax, N. S., her only sister. She leaves one daughter and two sons, Miss Matilda Thomas and Mr. Truman H. Thomas, of St. Mary's county, and William H. Thomas, Esq., lately nominated for Judge of the Fifth circuit.

Mr. Peter Ritz, near Leister's Church, had a fall on Friday of last week, by which one of his ribs was fractured.

George Haines, aged 14 years, who is in the employ of Mr. H. E. Morelock, of this city, while shredding corn on Saturday last, had the first and second fingers of one of his hands caught in the machinery and badly lacerated.

While Mr. John Boisley, of Morgan, was hauling a load of corn to this city, on Wednesday, his left foot in some way slipped under one of the wheels, which ran over it, crushing the great and second toes quite badly.

Dr. M. L. Bott, of this city, rendered the necessary surgical treatment in all the cases.

Mrs. Matilda Ann Bowman, widow of the late John Bowman, of Tannery, was struck by the engine of the through passenger train, No. 8, going east, at Gorsuch road, near that place, about half-past 9 o'clock, on Friday morning, and killed almost instantly. The engineer saw her as she attempted to cross the track, but too late to stop the train. The engine knocked her to the side of the track and broke her left arm, but her body was not otherwise mangled. Mrs. Bowman was 82 years old, and leaves several grown sons and daughters, who are well known and worthy people. An inquest will be held at the office of Justice Wm. Moore, this city, at noon to-day.

Leon Route, aged 45 years, of Union Bridge, was arrested in Connellsville, Pa., on Thursday, and taken to Frederick by ex-Sheriff Otho J. Gaver, and committed to jail for a hearing, charged with stealing a dogcart and brown mare from John Graybill, a farmer, near Johnsville, Frederick county, on the night of August 19. Route was seen passing through Frederick early the following morning with the outfit, and as soon as the authorities were apprised of the loss they started in pursuit. The cart and mare have not been recovered and Route refused to speak of the matter at all. The Frederick County Commissioners have a standing reward of $300 for the arrest and conviction of anyone in a case of this kind.

Messrs. Charles T. Reifsnider, Jr., and Wm. H. Thomas, trustees, sold on Wednesday, at public sale, the following real estate, previously advertised in the SENTINEL, under a deed of trust from Mr. Edward E. Roop and wife: To Mr. George R. Staub, 10 acres, part of the Ensor and mill farms, at $60 per acre; to Miss Annie G. Shaw, daughter of Mr. Marshall G. Shaw, $145 acres of the Ensor farm, at $40 per acre; to Messrs. E. O. Grimes and Wm. B. Thomas, the Ogg farm, containing the limestone quarries, the Wakefield Roller Mill property, the miller's house, the creamery and the home place, for the gross sum of $9000; house and lot in New Windsor, to Jno. C. Buckey for $860, making the total sales $16,260 It is the purpose of Messrs. Grimes and Thomas to operate the properties purchased by them.

Debney Whick, or White, and W. M. Buckner, two colored men who were committed to the county jail last week, by Justice Lewis, of Mt. Airy, for riotous and disorderly conduct, were released on Wednesday; upon writs of habeas corpus. The committments were defective, and the men were first released on that technical ground. They were rearrested and another writ sued out in each case, upon which they were again released, the evidence not having been sufficient to hold them. Two other colored men, Baxter Patterson and James Montgomery, are still held on a similar charge, but will probably be released as soon as they obtain writs of habeas corpus. The cases of Whick and Buckner, after they were rearrested, were heard before Justice Wm. Moore, where several witnesses were examined.

The funeral of Mr. Job Hibberd, who died at his home, "Prestwould," near New Windsor, on Thursday of last week, took place at the house on Saturday afternoon, and was largely attended by the leading citizens of the vicinity and members from a distance. The service was after the simple form of the Friends. An interesting address was delivered by Mrs. Martha Townshend, of Baltimore, and Mr. Hiram Griest, of Pennsylvania, also spoke at some length. Both alluded to the noble character of the deceased and of his great worth as a man and citizen. After the service at the house the remains were taken to the Friends' burial ground, near Union Bridge, for interment. Mr. Joseph L. Haines made some fitting and very appropriate remarks at the grave. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. David E. Stem, Nathan H. Baile, George C. Anders, J. Walter Getty, Jesse Smith and Morris Haines.

For the Sentinel.

Ministerial Meeting.

A ministerial meeting will be held at Pipe Creek German Baptist Church on Wednesday and Thursday next, 4th and 5th proximo, at which the following will be the program:

Opening Exercises.
Organization of Meeting.
Rules Governing Meeting.
Address of Welcome. E. W. Stoner.
Topic 1:—A Word to Preachers.
What to Preach. T. J. Kolb.
What not to Preach. G. S. Harp.
How to Preach. Jno. H. Utz.
How not to Preach. I. S. Long.
Topic 2:—The Significance of the Prayer Covering.
Albert Hollinger, E. A. Brunner.
Topic 3:—Hindrances to the Progress of the Church.
W. M. Wine, P. D. Fahrney.
Topic 4:—What has the Church done for me?
Chas. D. Bonsack, W. P. Englar.
Topic 5:—What can I do for the Church?
Greenberry Ecker, J. S. Weybright.
Topic 6:—The best method of carrying out Matt. 28:19.
W. E. Roop, J. P. Weybright.
Topic 7:—What can the Church do for the Minister?
Geo. K. Sappington, S. O. Larkins.
Topic 8:—The Sunday School:
What should be its aim?
Jesse R. Klein,
How to meet it. J. A. Garber.
The Superintendent and his work.
E. C. Brown.
The Teacher and his work.
D. O. Metz.
Topic 9:—Give Exposition of:
John 6:53. A. P. Snader.
James 6: 14-15. C. F. Ausherman.
I John 5:16. F. C. Renner.
Topic 10:—How have I been profited by this meeting?

This topic open for all to say a word. Each speaker on program should be allowed 10 minutes, others 5 minutes.

All speakers could not be put on the program, but hope all shall be interested enough to attend.

Those on the program who might not be able to come will please secure a substitute. Everybody welcome.

By order of Committee:
Geo. K. Sappington, J. S. Weybright, E. A. Snader, C. D. Bonsack.

Uniontown Items.

Miss Gertrude McAlister, of Baltimore; Miss Rae Grumbine, of Frederick, and Mr. Davidson, of Baltimore county, were guests of the Misses McAlister during the past week.

Mrs. Harry Hodes and Henry and Joseph Hodes went to Washington, D. C., on Wednesday, enroute to their home in Hutton, Ill., after spending the summer with Mrs. Hodes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall G. Shaw.

Mrs. Elizabeth Shapley Davis and son, Mr. Clarence Davis, and Mrs. William Anders and son, Earl Anders, of New Windsor, have gone to Mechanicsburg, Pa., to visit Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Shapley and will also visit Williams' Grove picnic.

Mrs. Samuel Hiltebidle, Ella May Hiltebidle, Florence Hubbs, Mrs. Wesley Wilson and Vernon Wilson are visiting friends in Baltimore—Mrs. Howard Kaylor and Mr. David Wilson and family.

Miss Alice Nickum and Mrs. Sarah Babylon, of Taneytown, were visiting friends in town on Tuesday.

Mr. Harry Yingling and family, of Baltimore, visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eckard, during the week.

Mrs. J. J. Weaver, Jr., in company with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Haines, of Linwood, attended quarterly meeting of Friends near Gettysburg, on Sunday.

The last boarders to leave the Eureka House on Wednesday were Mrs. Franklin Porter and daughter, Miss Helen Porter, of Baltimore.

Mr. Francis Parvin Harbaugh, of New York, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Susan Gore Harbaugh.

Mrs. Norman S. Peduzzi and son, Master George Peduzzi, of Baltimore, returned home on Tuesday from the Eureka House.

Miss Missouri Fleagle went to Taneytown on Tuesday to spend sometime with her sister and family.

Miss. Irene Cross is again with Mrs. Ed. Fox at Dr. J. J. Weaver, Jr's.

Miss Irene Fleagle, of Mayberry, is visiting Miss Rhoda Fleagle this week.

Mrs. Joseph Snyder and son, of Phoenix, were the guests of Mrs. Snyder's brother, Mr. John R. Wolf, and family the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Lee Erb and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smelser, at Roop's Mill, on Wednesday.

Second quarterly conference of the Methodist Protestant Church will meet at Uniontown, Saturday, 1.30 P. M. Official members are urged to be present.

Miss Margaret Fox, of Washington, D. C., is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Weaver, Jr.

Sermon and communion service at Pipe Creek M. P. Church, Sunday morning at 10.30. Preaching at Uniontown M. P. Church, 8 P. M.

We have been informed the probabilities are that Mr. Norman Eckard will not be the principal of our public school this winter on account of being proffered the principalship of the High School of Brooklyn, Md.

Firemen's Association Committees.

President John H. Cunningham, of the Maryland State Firemen's Association, has announced the appointment of the standing committees and the delegates to the various conventions from that organization for the ensuing year. Among those named from this county are the following:

Auditing Committee.—W. R. Straw, Jr., of Union Bridge.

Transportation Committee.—Oscar D. Gilbert, of Westminster; Robert S. McKinney, of Taneytown.

Legislative Committee.—John E. Leese, Manchester; J. Oliver Murray, Hampstead; John Milton Reifsnider, Westminster; Stanley C. Reaver, Taneytown; Frank G. Eppley, Union Bridge.

Delegate to National Firemen's Association of the United States, to be held at Buffalo, N. Y., E. J. Lawyer.

Delegate to Pennsylvania State Firemen's Association, Philadelphia, John H. Cunningham.

Band Concert at Union Bridge.

The Westminster Band, Mr. A. B. Morelock, band master, will give a concert in Hamilton Square, Union Bridge, on Monday evening, Sept. 9th, under the auspices of the W. M. R. R. Employees' Band of Union Bridge. The W. M. R. R. will sell excursion tickets from Westminster good on any train Monday afternoon and returning on special train at night. The following will be the program:

1. March, Commonwealth, Hall.
2. Overture, Polyphonie, Pettee.
3. Waltzes, Over the Boheme, St. Claire.
4. Cornet Solo, Selected.
5. Fantasia, Old Kentucky Home, Daibey.

INTERMISSION.

6. Bohemian Girl, Balfe.
7. Tuba Solo, Selected.
8. A Summer Eve in the Alps, Kling.
9. The Jolly Pickaninnies, Puerner.
10. Selection from the Burgomaster, Lander.

STAR SPANGLE BANNER.

For the Sentinel.

A Children's Day Service.

On Sunday morning last a children's day service was held at West Point, near Glyndon, where a mission of the German Baptist Brethren Church has been established by the Home Missionary Board of the church. A Sunday School has been organized, of which Mr. John Hess, of Westminster, consented to act as superintendent and has been conducting it quite successfully. The speakers at the children's day services were: Mr. Jesse P. Weybright, secretary of the home mission board; Prof. John T. Royer, Mr. Harvey Witter, of Westminster; Mr. Harp, Elder J. J. Ellis, of Baltimore, and Elder John S. Weybright, of Double Pipe Creek. It was the first service of the kind in the neighborhood and was much appreciated by the children and adults. The school numbers about forty members. There had been no school at the place for a number of years. Elders Chas. D. Bonsack and John S. Weybright preach alternately every two weeks, at the mission.

Orphans' Court.

Monday, August 26th.—Augustus F. Schilke, executor of Frederick Schilke, deceased, returned inventory of personal property.

Nelson R. and Vachel B. Buckingham, administrators of Oliver P. Buckingham, deceased, reported sale of grain, &c.

Rose M. Rickell, executrix of William P. Rickell, received order to sell real estate.

Tuesday, August 27.—The last will and testament of Job Hibberd, deceased, admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon granted unto Charles J. Hibberd, who received order to notify creditors.

Alice H. Lamotte, Herschell F. Lamotte and Lewis H. Lamotte, executors of Lewis A. J. Lamotte, settled second and final account.

Lewis H. Lamotte, guardian to William O. Lamotte, settled first and final account.

Lewis H. Lamotte, guardian to Latimore A. J. Lamotte, infant, settled first account.

The last will and testament and codicil thereto of Adam Lucabaugh, deceased, admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon granted unto Peter C. Lucabaugh and Martin S. Painter, who received order to notify creditors.

Letters of administration on the estate of Elizabeth A. Lucabaugh, deceased, granted unto Martin S. Painter.

F. Neal Parke, administrator of Mary Keller, returned list of debts and settled first and final account.

Double Pipe Creek Items.

Mr. E. D. Diller, wife and daughter, and Mr. John Rhoderick and sister, with some friends, drove to the Gettysburg battlefield on Wednesday.

Mr. F. J. Shorb, our postmaster, planted two locust trees in front of his residence during the early spring and a few days ago sawed them down. He now congratulates himself upon the fact that (the summer is nearly past and he will plant again next spring) not everybody can have shade during the warm summer months and then, when the rays are so much needed, can cut their shade away.

Mr. Hezekiah Fox is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Thompson, near Rockville, Montgomery county.

Master Harry Fogler received a letter a few days ago from Master Albert Wine, of Winchester, Va., stating that his father, Mr. W. M. Wine, had already picked and shipped 3,000 bushels of peaches from his orchards.

Mr. J. J. Dotterer has set up for Mr. Charles D. Barrick a large silo, recently purchased from Messrs. Smith & Reifsnider, of Westminster. Mr. Jno. Long has also purchased a similar silo from the same firm, through the agent, Mr. Jos. L. Franklin, of Westminster.

Mr. Samuel Weybright now says it was unnecessary for the farmers to have sown millet and cow-peas last spring as the stubble-fields contain enough young clover to winter the stock.

Alesia Items.

Mr. Adam Lucabaugh died at his home in our quiet little village, of paralysis, on Friday, 23rd inst., at the age of 75 years, 6 months and 20 days. His remains were interred in the burial ground of Lazarus Church, Lineboro, on Sunday, Revs. Roeder and Flick, of the Reformed and Lutheran Manchester charges, officiating.

Mr. Harry H. Hoffacker, who has been very ill with typhoid fever, is slowly improving under the care of Dr. Jno. F. B. Weaver, of Manchester, but is still confined to his bed.

Mrs. George Hare, of this place, is ill, but is reported out of danger by her physician, Dr. J. H. Preston, of Manchester.

Mr. Nicholas Leipold, whose mail box was stolen sometime ago, has purchased of the carrier a Hawley & Bates signal box and trusts that if this should be taken Uncle Sam will hunt up the thief and punish him.

Mr. Harry Blocker, who is employed by the Hanover Fertilizer Company, spent Sunday last with his parents.

Mr. Noah J. Miller and family spent Sunday with Mr. Miller's brother, Mr. Daniel Miller, of Maple Grove.

Messrs. Jacob H. Blocher, Edward Lucabaugh, George Sandruck, Peter Lucabaugh, Martin Painter and Jacob Folk, of this place, spent Tuesday in Westminster.

Patapsco Items.

Our farmers are threshing their grain, harrowing the ground for fall seeding and getting out their potatoes. Wheat is yielding about two-thirds of a crop and potatoes not more than half a crop; rye about the same as wheat. Apples and peaches are falling off the trees and will not amount to much.

Mr. Charles Spencer has nearly completed the addition to his house. Mr. Bowers, of Finksburg, is doing the carpenter work; Mr. George L. Shamer did the mason work.

Mr. George E. Hughes is remodeling his dwelling house.

The venerable John Taylor, of T., is visiting his son, Mr. Wm. H. Taylor.

Mrs. Jeremiah Fanwell and son, Master Harry Fanwell, of Woodberry, are visiting Mrs. Fanwell's nephew, Mr. George W. Pickett, and family.

Mrs. Wm. H. Westaway, who had been spending a few weeks at Emory Grove camp, is home again.

Mr. John T. Westaway, who superintended the large canning factory of City Register Numsen, of Baltimore, at Chestertown, for several years, took charge of the works again a few days ago.

Mrs. Jno. C. Harman recently showed your correspondent a peculiar hen's egg. It was about the size of a goose egg, with a hard shell which, when broken, disclosed the white and yolk of an egg of good size, and within these an other egg of common size and also with a perfect shell.

Stonersville Items.

On Sunday last Rev. J. B. Stonesifer held harvest home services at Benjamin's Church. The church was beautifully and tastefully decorated with flowers, corn, oats, wheat, rye, all kinds of fruits, flowers etc. Mr. Stonesifer delivered an eloquent sermon to a well filled house, and the music was also well rendered with Mr. J. Byers and Mr. J. Stonesifer cornetists.

Mr. Harry Bender and daughter, Miss Olga, of Philadelphia, and Miss Harmon, of Woodberry, are visiting Mr. A. I. Geiman and family.

Mrs. Ed. Mitten and children, of Baltimore, are spending some time with Mr. Wesley Geiman and Mr. Charles Starner's families.

Miss Lou Neudecker, of Pleasant Valley, Misses Grace and Ethel Fuhrman, of Baltimore, are visiting at Mr. Absalom Fuhrman's.

Miss Gladys Black spent last week with Miss Pauline Eckard. She returned to her home in Baltimore, on Monday last.

Miss Maggie Myers, of Pleasant Valley, spent last week with Miss Emma Hesson.

Miss Eva Mower, of Taneytown, is visiting her uncle, Mr. J. Wesley Biggs.

Mr. Phil. Lemmon and family spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. Lemmon's brother-in-law, Mr. Geo. Marker.

Mrs. George W. Stoner and daughter, Miss Margaret, have just returned from a three-weeks' visit to Littlestown, Pa., and Frederick, Md.

Daniel Items.

Mrs. Frank Penn and daughter Nelly, of Connellsville, Pa., who had been visiting relatives in this vicinity, returned to Pennsylvania on Saturday last.

Miss Annie Kelbaugh, of Harmans, and Misses Bessie Shipley and Carrie Frederick, of Baltimore, are guests of Miss Jemima Shipley.

The date of the annual Sunday School picnic of Ebenezer M. E. Church has been changed from September 7th, to September 14th, and will be held during the afternoon and night.

The Epworth League of Ebenezer will hold a rally the last Saturday and Sunday of September.

Miss Fannie Bevsahan, of Baltimore, is visiting Miss Rosa Jenkins.

Mr. Chas. J. Gilliss, a civil engineer, of Washington, D. C., has been visiting the Gilliss family of this vicinity and collecting material for a history of the family. Mr. Gilliss had many interesting papers with him, including the Gilliss coat of arms.

Personal.

Mr. Joseph D. Zepp, of this city, has secured a position in a drug store at Belair, Md.

Mrs. C. L. Simpson, of Baltimore, is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. W. Babylon, Liberty street, this city.

Mr. Jesse C. Reese, of Baltimore, has been spending a two-weeks' vacation with his father, Mr. A. J. Reese, of this city.

Mrs. W. McDade and daughter, Miss Myra McDade, of Hagerstown, are visiting Mrs. John T. Orendorff, West Main street, this city.

Mrs. Alfred Buck and daughter, Miss Etta, of Baltimore, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John T. Brown, West Main street, this city.

Messrs. Jesse C. Sharrer, W. Frank Thomas and Daniel Roberts, of this city, are taking a ten-days' trip to Boston, Mass., going by sea from Baltimore.

Mr. Denton Gehr and sister, Miss Marianna Gehr, of this city, have returned home after a pleasant trip to the Pan-American Exposition, at Buffalo, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel V. Lamotte, of New York, have been spending a couple of weeks with Mr. Lamotte's mother, Mrs. L. A. J. Lamotte, of Finksburg.

Mrs. W. S. Forward and daughter, Miss Priscilla Forward, of Belair, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Thomas, of this city, for a week, returning home on Thursday.

Mr. John Faber, of Norfolk, Va., visited Mr. John Beaver, of East Main street, this city, yesterday. Mr. Faber was formerlya resident of this city. He left here with his parents 24 years ago.

Mrs. Etta Taylor and daughter, Miss Mary Taylor, of this city, have returned home from a trip to Atlantic city, and Miss Mary is now visiting the family of her uncle, Mr. J. Q. H. Smith, of Pittsburg, Pa.

Rev. George W. Englar, of Duncannon, Pa., is visiting his mother, Clear Ridge, near Uniontown. He will preach in the Lutheran Church, Uniontown, to-morrow, Sunday, afternoon, and at Baust Church to-morrow afternoon.

Mr. Charles V. Wantz and son Fisher, of this city, spent a few days this week at Old point Comfort, Va., and also visited the National Soldier's Home at Hampton, where they met Mr. Josephus Bankard, an inmate of that institution from this city.

Mr. and Mrs. John Winters and little daughter Frances, of Baltimore, were the guests of their aunt, Mrs. Levi Winters, and family, near Dennings, from Tuesday until Thursday of last week. Mr. Josiah Winters, near New Windsor, also visited Mrs. Winters on Tuesday.

Col. Wm. A. McKellip and Mr. Horace G. Reese, of this city; Messrs. Jas. S. Baer, of Tannery; Reuben Conaway, of Daniel; Charles P. Baile, of New Windsor, and others, will attend the National Encampment of the G. A. R., at Cleveland, Ohio, September 10-14.

Among citizens of this county who are at the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo, N. Y., this week, and who will also visit Niagara Falls, are: Elder and Mrs. Wm. E. Roop, of Meadow Branch; Messrs. J. Walter Shunk, Frank E. Cunningham, Charles Englar, George Armacost, Thomas Anders.

Miss Katie Merryman, of Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. Robert L. Hoppe, near this city, who entertained a company of young people in her honor on Tuesday evening. A number of the guests were from this city on a straw-ride. A very pleasant evening was spent by all the participants. Refreshments were served.

Manchester Items.

The funeral of Artie Lippy, the five-year-old daughter of Mr. Allen Lippy, two miles west of town, was largely attended in Trinity Reformed Church of this place on Sunday morning last. Rev. S. M. Roeder, assisted by Rev. H. H. Flick and Rev. Deatrich, officiated.

The remains of Miss Ovia A. Shultz, of Baltimore, were laid away to rest in a family lot here on Wednesday; services in the Reformed Church. Rev. Roeder was assisted by the pastor of the deceased, Rev. Shipley, of Baltimore. Ovia spent many of her girlhood days with friends here and was almost as one of us. Several years ago pulmonary trouble developed in her system and gradually it undermined her constitution. Some weeks ago she came to the home of her aunt, Mrs. J. Wesley Hoffacker, and at 2 A. M., Monday, peacefully passed away, at the age of 22 years. She was a devoted member of the Presbyterian Church and had a large circle of friends.

The rain on Saturday disappointed the members of the Reformed and Lutheran Sunday Schools of this place, which had arranged to spend the day in the grove at Maple Grove. All was in readiness and some of the teams had already received their complement of scholars, when the pourdown became so pronounced that it left no question to decide.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Diffenbach, of Baltimore, visited friends here some days this week.

Mrs. A. Cross, of Baltimore, is visiting friends here.

Mrs. Dr. J. H. Sherman is entertaining her friend, Miss Owens, of Baltimore.

Mr. Harry M. Smith and Miss Edna Lamotte spent Sunday at Atlantic City.

Miss Debring, of Baltimore, is visiting her friend, Miss Mollie Wilson.

Mrs. A. E. B. Myers and daughters, Laura and Mary, visited friends in Littlestown, Zell's Station and Hanover, Pa., recently

Mr. H. F. Leese spent Sunday with friends in Woodberry.

The remains of Miss Kate Zimmerman were laid to rest in the cemetery here, Rev. H. H. Flick officiating.

Mrs. L. H. Hoffacker is entertaining her friend, Mrs. C. Krone, and daughter, of York, Pa.

Rev. E. R. Deatrick, wife and daughter, of Woodberry, spent a week with their uncle, Mr. Chas. H. Everhart and family.

Dr. John A. Shower and nephew, Mr. Will Dehoff, of York, spent Thursday with Mr. William H. Shower and family.

A company of young folks from Westminster took advantage of a lovely moonlight night, Wednesday evening, and drove to Manchester to visit Miss Bessie O. and Miss LaRue Herr, who are spending several weeks with their aunts, the Misses Trump. They were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Rinehart; Miss Carrie Byers, of Pottstown, Pa.; Misses Carrie Rinehart, Miriam Lewis, Jewel Simpson, Lillie Woodward, Eva Rinker, and Messrs. Will Mather, Frank Mather, Pearre Wantz, James Baer; and Herbert Wooden, of Hampstead.

For the Sentinel.

A Pleasant Surprise Party.

On August 22nd the hospitable home of Dr. and Mrs. E. D. Cronk, of Winfield, was a scene of brilliancy and enjoyment, the occasion having been a "surprise," tendered to their son, Mr. Fred. Y. Cronk. Surely nature seemed to contribute her share to make the evening one long to be remembered, and the air rang with the merry voices, mingled with instrumental and vocal music, games, etc. About 11:30 all were invited to the spacious dining room, where a table burdened with the delicacies of the season met the eye, and to which each did ample justice. All too soon did the hour of departure arrive when each bade the young host adieu.

Among those present were: Dr. and Mrs. E. D. Cronk, Mrs. R. R. Yohn, Mrs. H. D. Cook, Misses Annabell Kakel, Irene W. Cook, Edith Baine, Edith Warfield, Mr. Pierrepont Davis, of Baltimore; Miss Shipley, of Washington, D. C.; Misses Grace Frizzell, Lula Brandenburg, E. Pearl Mercier, Golda M. Frizzell, Gracie Stem, Hollus V. Frizzell, Mary Brandenburg, Alice Owings, Estella M. Aldridge, Minnie Lee Chase, Ray Chase, Florence Leatherwood, Marguerite Chase, Mary Dorsey, Prof. G. E. Kopenhaver, Rev. J. E. Mettee, Messrs. Fred Y. Cronk, Emmett Davis, Charles Cummins, Aubrey Stem, Frank Brandenburg, Robert J. Brandenburg, Harvey Frizzell, Harry Owings, David Stem, Joshua Owings, Thomas Harrison, Arthur M. Zile, John Owings.

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