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While provision for a postoffice building in this city was left out of the Omnibus Government Buildings Bill in Congress, Congressman Blakeney has introduced a special measure for that purpose and Mr. A. W. Machen has urged the Senate Committee to amend the House bill so as to provide, at least, for the purchase of a site for such a building here. The prospects of success in the effort, however, are rather doubtful.

The West Indies Volcanic Horrors.

No word that can be penned can properly describe the horrors of the volcanic eruptions on the islands of Martinique and St. Vincent, in the Lesser Antilles, West Indies. The eruption of Mount Pelee, which destroyed the city of St. Pierre, on the island of Martinique, was so swift and sudden that few of the more than 25,000 inhabitants escaped. This, however, was due to a most unheard of proceeding on the part of the governor of the island. There had not been wanting signs of the coming eruption, and the inhabitants of the city were alarmed and desired to flee from the impending destruction. But, it is credibly reported, the governor placed a cordon of soldiers around the doomed town and forced the people to remain. Such action is incomprehensible, and yet it seems well verified.

When the eruption, which had been threatening, finally came, its work of destruction was speedily consummated. It rained fire and ashes upon the city and its helpless people, and the flames speedily burned up the buildings and brought death to the inhabitants.

Mount Pelee still pours out molten lava, but this was not the cause of the destruction at St. Pierre. The lava flows down the mountain sides, but the first eruption sent vast showers of lighter material in flames and hot ashes into the place.

The city has been penetrated by relief parties who report that the awful sights encountered on every side were almost too much for human nature to endure. Much suffering exists among the inhabitants of other localities on the island, whose food supplies have been cut off. But the sympathies of the civilized world have been aroused and ships bearing food are being hastened to the scene. The United States Congress has appropriated several hundred thousand dollars for supplies, which are to be sent in government vessels. President Roosevelt has appointed a committee, of which Hon. James A. Gary is the Baltimore member, to receive private contributions.

The volcano of Soufriere, in the northern part of the British Island of St. Vincent, is still in active eruption and it is estimated that 2,000 of the inhabitants of that section have fallen victims to its fury. The whole northern part of the island, it is said, is well nigh submerged in boiling lava.

Homicide Near Emmittsburg.

Joseph Henry Rinehart had the top of his head blown off, on Friday evening of last week, near Emmittsburg, by the discharge of a shotgun in the hands of a young man named Harry F. Starner. Witnesses at the inquest over Rinehart's body, on Saturday, testified that Starner ran up behind him and shot, killing him instantly. Starner denies this and said that they had quarreled and that Rinehart was facing him when, angered by a remark made by the latter, he raised the gun to strike the man. Rinehart, he says, wheeled to avoid the blow, and in that way the muzzle struck the back of his neck.

The discharge of the weapon, he declares, was not intentional. Rinehart, Starner says, had been the cause of much trouble in his family, his father having left his mother on account of Rinehart's attentions to the latter. Subsequently, he says, Rinehart transferred his attentions to his sister, and on one occasion took her away from home and kept her for five days. Starner is only 22 years of age and has a wife and two children.

An appalling accident occurred at the Sheraden yards of the Panhandle Railroad Company, near Pittsburg, on Monday evening. One of a long train of naptha cars exploded, causing a blaze which attracted numerous spectators. The heat caused the explosion of another and then other cars in quick succession and the blazing naptha was thrown over the people, igniting their clothing. There was a wild scramble to escape from the firey bath and people ran with their clothing in flames, among them little children, with burning garments and blazing curls. Much of the naptha ran through Cork's run, to Espienboro, 1½ miles, where another explosion occurred, blowing two hotels to fragments and wrecking another building. Many persons were injured at this point. Altogether about 25 people were killed and 200 injured, about three-fourths of them fatally. About 70 cars were burned and other property destroyed.

Prof. R. W. Silvester, president of Maryland Agricultural College, has issued invitations to the farmers' organizations of the State for a general meeting at the college on the 28th and 29th inst. Committees of the several societies and clubs are expected to assemble there on the 28th and make an inspection of the property and buildings and experiment station grounds, and report on the 29th to the general assemblage. The committees will be provided for and lodged at night on the 28th at the college, and on the 29th dinner will be served.

Extensive improvements are being made at Pen-Mar Park preparatory to the opening of the season, on June 20. Work was started last week by Contractor George, with a force of 100 men, on the additions to the four sidings at the park. Each addition will be 500 feet long. They will extend southward from the park toward the Blue Mountain House. These additions to the sidings will give room for many more cars and will avoid the necessity of sending trains to Highfield, Edgemont and Hagerstown on big days. It will require at least a month to complete this work.

What was known as the Old Stone Church, at Lisbon, Howard county, has been torn down and Mr. Nicholas R. Henderson is using the stone in building a cottage and barn on his farm. The church was erected about 75 years ago, and was free to all orthodox denominations. Baptists, Presbyterians, Methodist Protestants, Methodist Episcopalians and German Baptists held services in the structure, but all except the German Baptists now have their own church edifices. The building had been seldom used since 1883.

Mr. Andrew Staubitz, a native of Germany and a prominent Howard county farmer, died at his home near Henryton, on Sunday, of old age. His funeral took place at Sykesville on Tuesday afternoon. He leaves a widow, three sons and two daughters.

The stockholders of the Maryland Agricultural College accepted the appropriation of $48,000 made by the Legislature and conditions imposed by the act.

The tax rate of Howard county, for the ensuing year, has been fixed at 75 cents on $100.

Every one of the 357 mines in the Pennsylvania anthracite district is idle and 145,000 miners are on strike.

For the Sentinel.

More Light!

As inquiries seem to be the order of the day I would like to ask why we cannot have better light on our streets at night?

As we all know too well the arc lights are not turned on until the gathering darkness makes it dangerous for driving as well as to pedestrians; and at the faintest glimmer of moonlight we have no electric service at all. And this, too, when we were to have electric lights all night, every night, no increase in taxation."

The surface of our streets is in bad condition, and we are told it is so because of lack of funds with which to repair them. Yet we are paying more for our street lighting, as at present supplied, than many of the adjoining towns which have an all night schedule.

The lamps in service, second hand when installed, are practically worn out, throwing, in most cases, more shadow than light on the streets. The three new ones recently put up are a decided improvement and should be generally employed. We are entitled to a better light.

ILLUMINANT.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

Miller's Items.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hoffacker and daughter, Birdie, and Mrs. Richard Wareheim and children, Doyle and Treva, spent Saturday and Sunday last visiting relatives at New Freedom.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Hare and children, of Manchester, spent Sunday last, the guests of Mrs. Hare's sister, Mrs. John K. Miller.

Our neighbor, Mrs. Isaiah Miller, has a lovely bed of tulips in the front of her lawn, which certainly shows high art in flower cultivation. They consist of all varieties and shades, both double and single. The bed consists of about 100 plants but will easily produce 200 flowers.

Misses Minnie Brown and Minnie Shearrer, and Messrs. Wm. Brown and Chas. Hersh spent Thursday last with friends at Hanover.

A large number of our folks attended the festival at Alesia on Saturday evening last.

Mr. Samuel Dandy, who recently moved his family from Bachman's Valley to Baltimore, died at his home on Saturday last and his remains were brought to Alesia on Tuesday, on the 9 A. M. train, and conveyed to Stiltz's Church for burial. Rev. Chas. Fultz, of Baltimore, officiated.

Mr. Boxell Gardner, of Baltimore, circulated among friends here on Tuesday last.

Mr. Geo. P. Miller, who has been critically ill for nearly two months, is still in a serious condition.

Uniontown Items.

Mr. Frederick Taney visited his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Glanvale, in Baltimore, during the past week.

Next Sunday evening at 8 o'clock, Rev. C. E. McCullough will deliver a sermon to "The Girls and Women." A cordial invitation extended.

Mr. Davis Myers and wife and Elder W. Philip Englar and wife left this place Saturday, for Harrisburg, to attend the German Baptist's annual meeting.

Mrs. Thomas H. Routson spent the week visiting friends and relatives in Baltimore, and was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hiteshew.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Reindollar, of Fairfield, Pa., were guests of Mrs. Reindollar's sister, and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brough, on Wednesday.

Mrs. Reuben J. Mathias is in Baltimore, taking treatment for her throat from Dr. Joe Yingling.

Last Saturday the Pipe Creek M. P. Church Mite Society met at Uniontown parsonage, decided upon some improvements, and favored Rev. C. E. McCullough with some tokens of esteem in the way of groceries, canned fruits, flour, &c. About five o'clock the good byes were exchanged, when the society left for home.

Mrs. Frank Darby, of Williamsport, was the guest of her sister and family, Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Weaver, Jr., this week.

Carroll County Savings Bank, of Uniontown, at close of business April 30, 1902, had deposits amounting to $81,856.65.

Misses Nellie Haines and Nellie Weaver attended the Carroll County C. E Convention, at Taneytown, and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bish.

Manchester Items.

For the last month day after day teams have been passing along our streets loaded to full capacity with wheat and corn which find a ready market at Maple Grove, at very good prices. Most of the farmers have gotten 80 cents for their wheat and $3.00 per bbl. for corn.

An enjoyable evening was spent at the I. O. O. F. Hall on Friday last, by a creditable audience, to hear the Manchester Dramatic Club, which presented several farces to good effect and received well merited applause. The entertainment was for the benefit of the Manchester Fire Department which realized $10 as its share of the proceeds.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wolf has sold 11 acres of land on the summit of Westminster Hill, to Mr. Charles E. Houck for $50 an acre. Mr. H. has taken possession and it twelve-fold the same.

Mrs. Mary Burns died at her home, on Tuesday night, at the age of 84 years. She was the widow of the late David Burns and leaves one son and eight daughter to mourn her loss, as follows: Mrs. John Ebaugh, Greenmount; Mrs. Abraham Albaugh, Mrs. John Houck, Snydersburg; Mrs. Wm. Houck; Mrs. Noah Lippy, of Virginia; Mrs. Noah Sellers, York, Pa.; Mrs. A. Edward Yingling, Miss Laura Burns and John W. Burns, of Manchester. She also leaves 23 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

The members of the Fire Company are putting forth every effort to make their annual festival on Whit Monday a red letter day. Their parade and carnival promises to be quite a hit. Darktown will be prominent in it and the fun promised will be enough to go all around. The whole will be enlivened by bands of music. The fair and festival will be held in the Firemen's Building and the Hoffacker room, formerly the Crumrine store.

Workmen from the Westminster Hardware Company have put up a wind-pump and are fitting up the home of Mr. J. E. Masenheimer with hot and cold water and other modern improvements.

Trinity Mite Society met at the home of Dr. J. H. Sherman on Tuesday evening. The entertainment committee announced the play, "The Minister's Christmas Gifts," which was given with good effect and brought well merited applause. A progressive drawing party also excited no little interest. Each participant of the 30 was given a number at the table top and the name of an animal which he or she was to draw on a blackboard and the others to write the name of same opposite to the corresponding number. The test of talent was fine and as the productions of one after another appeared on the board they excited peals of laughter and much comment. On asking the title of the amusement one lady appropriately suggested "What I Saw at the Zoo."

Pleasant Valley Items.

On last Thursday quite a number of our people gathered at the cemetery to clean the lots and fix up the graves. Some came early and brought dinner with them prepared to work all day. It was the largest crowd that has been there for some time on such an occasion, having numbered 52.

On last Saturday Mr. Wm. Frock and bride, of Hanover, were the guests of Mr. Frock's brother Edmond, of this place. The groom is a cigar maker and for several years worked for Mr. John F. Utermahlen and is well known around here. The bride, who was Miss Sarah Little, of Hanover, was very becomingly attired in a traveling gown of black brilliantine skirt, and silk waist, with pink ribbons. A sumptuous dinner was given in their honor by Mrs. Edmond Frock, at which the following persons were present: Mr. Wm. Frock and wife, Mr. Edmond Frock and wife, Dr. C. M. Brown and wife, Mrs. Charles E. Eckard and Ruthetta Frock. The happy couple will reside in Hanover.

Mr. Geo. C. Harmon, wife and daughter Mae, of Tyrone, visited at Mr. E. W. Devilbiss', on Sunday.

Rev. Wm. H. Erhart will have communion services here May 26th. He will also have services on Tuesday and Thursday evenings 20th and 22nd, and desires a full attendance of all.

The Union Sabbath School has elected officers for the ensuing year, as follows: President, Harry L. Devilbiss; male superintendents, Harry Myers and Jacob Lawyer; female superintendents, Mrs. Elenora Myers and Mrs. Charles E. Eckard; secretaries, Upton E. Myers and A. P. Helwig; treasurer, Cesia Myers. Our school has been well attended the past few Sundays, and we hope it will continue to grow, as there still are plenty to join with us. Parents, especially, ought to take more interest in Sunday School work.

LIST OF UNCLAIMED MATTER

remaining in the Postoffice, Westminster, Md., May 10th, 1902:

Fowler, Miss Ida	Sawrull, E. G.
Harvy, Ellesey	Shipley, Mr. Geo. M. C.
McGee, Mr. Andrew	Trout. Mr. Geo. T.
McShurley, Clarance	

Persons calling for matter in the above list will please say it was advertised, MILTON SCHAEFFER, P. M.

Union Mills Items.

After a lingering illness, Mr. Absalom Koontz, the oldest reprepentative of the Koontz family at Silver Run, passed away on the 12th inst., in the 74th year of his age. Deceased was a man of sterling integrity and was honored and respected by all who knew him. He was a successful farmer and for many years was engaged in that occupation, though for some time past he had lived a retired life. Mr. Koontz is survived by a widow and four sons. The latter are Robert Nelson, Jerome, William Henry and John Thomas, all of Silver Run. During the war with Spain William Henry enlisted on one of the U. S. warships and received an honorable discharge at the close of his term of enlistment. For many years Mr. Koontz was a member of the consistory of St. Mary's Reformed Church, though he was not in office at the time of his death. He was also one of the building committee when the new church was erected. No other member of the committee was more zealous in working or giving and his counsel was always that of a wise and thoughtful man. Politically Mr. Koontz was a Democrat, though he never took an active part in politics nor ever held a public office. His funeral took place at Silver Run, on the morning of the 15th inst., his pastor, Rev. J. Stewart Hartman, officiating.

The dwelling of Mr. Josiah Erb, residing three-fourths of a mile north of this place, with most of its contents, was destroyed by fire, about noon, last Wednesday. The fire started in the roof and was well advanced when it was discovered by Mrs. Erb and the children, who were the only members of the family at home at the time. Mr. Erb was away some distance, at work, and when he reached the scene he could only look on and see the flames complete the destruction of his comfortable little home, which he had so recently improved in many ways. There was $350 insurance on the house and $50 on the furniture, in the Dug Hill Company, which will partially cover the loss.

On Ascension Day the election for church officers, at Silver Run, resulted as follows: Reformed—Elders, O. A. Haines, Harvey Maus; deacons, John W. Dutterer, Wm. H. Koontz. Lutheran—Elders, Geo. W. Yeiser, Franklin Bowman; deacons, Edward H. Brown, Claude Lawyer.

Gist Items.

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Jasontown Items.

Mr. Charles Smelser, of Melville, formerly of Wakefield, has greatly improved his premises by putting a new wire fence around his garden, sodding his yard and cultivating in a many choice flowers, giving it a beautiful appearance.

Miss Goldie Spence has been threatened with typhoid fever and pleurisy.

Rev. Mr. McCullough and Mr. Smith, of Uniontown, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Roop on Sunday.

Mrs. E. E. Roop and Mrs. Dennis A. Smith visited friends in Uniontown on Saturday.

The Wakefield creamery will probably be in operation again next week.

Mr. Charles Lookingbill, who had been working for Mr. William Eckard, left on Sunday and is making his home with Mr. William Phillips.

Mr. Guy Eckard, who has been suffering with rheumatism, is improving at this writing.

Frizellburg Items.

Messrs. Leonard Zile, Charles Stevenson, Charles Myers, Calvin Myerly, Howard Wells, and Joseph Baust were pall-bearers at the funeral of Mrs. Mary Hively.

Mr. Theodore Myers, who was ill with symptoms of typhoid fever, is better again.

Miss Ida Null and her brother Charles spent a few days recently with their sister at Bird Hill.

Mrs. Abraham Sheets and her son Jesse spent Thursday with your correspondent.

It is rumored that Mr. Baile, of Medford, will open a store in this place shortly.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

LOST.—On Thursday night, between Odd Fellows' Hall and Belle Grove Square, Westminster, a small open face Silver Watch, with the initial B. W. engraved on back. Reward if returned to Derr & Lambert's Store.

TO NEW HOUSEKEEPERS.

IN THE BASEMENT OF MILLER BROS. CO.

We extend to you a special invitation to call and see our immense stock of all that is nice and practical in the way of household articles. We have about everything in the way of China, Glass, Iron, Granite, Tin, Woodenware and Brushes, that you may need. The low prices we will ask you for the above goods, also on Silver-plated Ware, will induce you to place your kind orders with us. We mention in particular that if you want the best of bread, then buy a Bread Raiser and Bread Bake Oven from us. You will find we carry a full stock of all sizes at the very lowest prices. We will be pleased to see you in the Basement of Miller Bros. Company, Westminster, Md.

WHOOPING COUGH.

A woman who has had experience with this disease, tells how to prevent any dangerous consequences from it. She says: Our three children took whooping cough last summer, our baby boy being only three months old, and owing to our giving them Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, they lost none of their plumpness and came out in much better health than other children whose parents did not use this remedy. Our oldest little girl would call lustily for cough syrup between whoops.—Jessie Pinkney Hall, Springville, Ala. This Remedy is for sale by all druggists.

ENTERTAINMENT.—An entertainment under the auspices of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, will be held at the M. P. Church of Finksburg, on the 23rd of May at 8 p. m. An interesting program, consisting of recitations, readings and music, has been prepared. All are invited to attend.

There will be Temperance Meetings held under the auspices of the Deer Park W. C. T. U., Monday night, 19th inst., at Mt. Pleasant M. E. Church, and Tuesday night at Deer Park, 20th inst. Mrs. Haslup, the president of the Union in Md., will be present and address both meetings. At Deer Park Miss Virgie Weigand and Miss Hollace Williams, of Westminster, will be present and take part, singing and reciting.

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FOR RENT CHEAP.

OFFICE ROOMS IN CITY HOTEL, WESTMINSTER, MD.

Inquire or address

MRS. M. POLK,
104 Aisquith St.,
Baltimore.

my 17 3m

SPECIAL NOTICE.

I have purchased the celebrated STALLION, TICONA, No. 9,882 Registered Standard. His Sire was Patchen Wilkes, No. 3,550, record 2.24½. Ticona is a brother to Joe Patchen, whose record is 2.01¼, and winner of more prizes below 2.05 than any other pacer. Will make the season of 1902 at my residence at Weist's Mill, Carroll county, Md. For further particulars address

GEO. H. WOLFE,
Westminster, Md.

my 17 3t

Horses Wanted.

50 HORSES IN ONE DAY.

I WILL BE IN NEW WINDSOR, AT DEILMAN'S HOTEL, on TUESDAY, MAY 20th, from 10 o'clock A. M. till 4 P. M., to buy all kinds of Horses, for which I will pay the highest cash prices. Now is the time to sell. It may be your last chance.

F. P. GOODWIN,
Reisterstown, Md.

my 17 1t *

NO. 3967 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Carroll County, in Equity.

Henry Baumbach, mortgagee, vs. Charles Descher, mortgagor.

Ordered, this 15th day of May, A. D. 1902, that the sale of the mortgazed real estate, made and reported in the above entitled cause by Henry Baumbach, mortgagee, by virtue of the power and authority contained in a mortgage from Charles Descher to him, bearing date June 7th, 1895, and recorded among the real estate mortgage records of Carroll county, in liber B. F. C. No. 37, folio 253, &c., be finally ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 16th day of June next; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Carroll county, Maryland, once a week in each of three successive weeks before the 9th day of June next. The report states the amount of sale to be $560.00.

JAS. H. BILLINGSLEA, Clerk.

True copy,—Test:
my-17-3t JAS. H. BILLINGSLEA, Clerk.

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BASEMENT BARGAINS,

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In a recent article a prominent physician says, "If is next to impossible for the physician to get his patients to carry out any prescribed course of hygiene or diet to the smallest extent: he has but one resort left, namely, the drug treatment." When medicines are used for chronic constipation, the most mild and gentle obtainable, such as Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, should be employed. Their use is not followed by constipation as they leave the bowels in a natural and healthy condition. For sale by all Druggists.

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7 piece Chamber Sets, full size, $1.48.
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The W. C. T. U. of Finksburg will hold its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Wesley Bond on Saturday, May 31st, at 2 p. m.

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"I have been afflicted with sciatic rheumatism for fourteen years," says Josh Edgar, of Germantown, Cal. "I was able to be around but constantly suffered. I tried everything I could hear of and at last was told to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which I did and was immediately relieved and in a short time cured, and I am happy to say it has not since returned." Why not use this liniment and get well? It is for sale by all druggists.

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Pair Second-hand Mill Burrs suitable for Chopping. Apply to

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RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

Methodist Protestant Church.—Sabbath School Sunday at 9.15 a. m. Midweek service on Wednesday evening at 8.00. Junior C. E. service at 2.00 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 6.30 p. m. Preaching at 10.30 a. m., and 7.30 p. m.

L. F. WARNER, Pastor.

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.

Centenary M. E. Church.—Sabbath School Sunday at 9.15 a. m. Junior League 2.30 p. m. Epworth League at 6.45 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30 p. m. Preaching at 10.30 a. m., and 7.30 p. m.

T. G. MILLER, Pastor.

Grace Lutheran Church.—Sabbath School at 9 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.45. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.45 p. m. Preaching at 10.30 a. m., and 7.45 p. m.

P. H. MILLER, D. D., Pastor.

St. Paul's Ref. Church.—Sunday School at 9.15 a. m. Divine services at 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.

CALVIN S. SLAGLE, Pastor.

Union Bridge Charge—Reformed Church.—St. Paul's 10.30 a. m. Hanes 2.00 p. m.

H. J. Macalister, Pastor.

Carroll Charge, Reformed Church.—Divine service at Pleasant Valley at 10 a. m. At Benjamin's at 2 p. m.

JAMES B. STONESIFER, Pastor.

DIED.

In this city, May 16th, 1902, George E. Eckenrode, aged 46 years, 5 months and 16 days.

In Baltimore, May 11th, 1902, Lucy Rogers, wife of Nathan S. Hipsley, of this county. Interment at Skyesville.

In Baltimore, May 11th, 1902, Wm. N. Thomson, formerly of Taneytown.

In Gist, May 11th, 1902, Mrs. Cordelia, wife of James V. Criswell, in her 66th year.

In Friendsburg, May 10th, 1902, Mrs. Mary C. widow of Jacob Hively, aged 64 years, 6 months and 3 days.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE WESTMINSTER SAVINGS BANK, AT WESTMINSTER, IN THE STATE OF MARYLAND, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, APRIL 30th, 1902.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 200,385 95
Stocks, securities, etc		295,285 00
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures		6,000 00
Other real estate and mortgages owned		26,010 70
Due from National Banks		9,181 68
Due from Private Banks and Bankers		3,053 79
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		117 86
Money in bank, viz:		
Specie	$2,909 25	
Legal-tender notes	600 00	
		2,909 25
Total		$ 709,844 23

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 10,000 00
Surplus fund	30,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	11,875 16
Interest due on Special Deposits	7,000 00
Dividends unpaid and accrued	4,000 00
Weekly and Monthly Deposits	176,598 47
Special Deposits	470,370 60
Total	$ 709,844 23

State of Maryland, County of Carroll, ss:

I, Thos. E. Reese, Treasurer of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

THOS. E. REESE, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of May, 1902.

Chas. E. Hering, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

E. O. GRIMES,
CHAS. T. REIFSNIDER,
EDWIN J. LAWYER,
Directors.

Reifsnider & Grimes, Solicitors.

Assignee of Assignee of Mortgagee's Sale of a Desirable FARM AND WOOD LAND,

NEAR WESTMINSTER, Md.

By virtue of the power contained in a mortgage from Catharine Frizzell to Charles C. Gorsuch, dated August 21st, A. D. 1896, and recorded among the real estate mortgage records of Carroll county, in liber B. F. C. No. 39, folio 50, &c., and duly assigned to the undersigned, I will sell at Public Sale at the COURT HOUSE DOOR in Westminster, Carroll county, Maryland, on

MONDAY, THE 9TH DAY OF JUNE, A. D. 1902, at 2 o'clock, P. M., all those several parcels of land, composed of parts of tracts of land called "Caledonia," "Dumblain" and "William's Luck," "Property," "Arnold's Desire Resurveyed," "Ogg's Discovery," containing 238 ACRES, 3 ROODS and 6 and 3-10 PERCHES, more or less, and being the same land described in and conveyed by said Mortgage. The improvements thereon consist of a large comfortable Two-story Log Weatherboarded Dwelling House, Bank Barn, with Threshing Floor and ample Stabling; large Stable, Corn House, Dairy and other outbuildings. Never failing Spring of Water near the buildings, Orchard of Apple and other fruit trees on the premises. There is a due quantity of Meadow Land and a large proportion of the land is in good Timber.

The land is in a good state of cultivation and the property is worth the attention