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Tuesday, March 17th, at 1 P. M., 1 horse, 2 mules, 2 heifers, 1 bull, wagon, binder, mower, buggy, farm implements, &c., by J. E. Price, on the old Hanson Penn farm, near the Gilliss road. 9 months credit.

Tuesday, March 17th, at 12 o'clock, m., 1 mule, 1 horse, 1 cow, 2 heifers, binder, mower, wagon, horse power, harness, growing wheat and rye, &c., by John Jones, agent, half a mile west of Oakland Mills, in Freedom district.

Saturday, March 14th, at 10 o'clock, a. m., sharp, 2 work horses, 1 cow, 2 heifers, 3 carts, 5 wagons, sleigh, plows, harrows, harness, and a large variety of household furniture such as beds and bedding, parlor furniture, stoves, carpets, Grandfather's clock, &c., by Henry E. Morelock, Green St., opposite Belle Grove Square, Westminster. 12 months credit.

Saturday, March 14th, at 12 o'clock, M., 2 horses, 1 colt, 4 cows, 2 brood sows and pigs, binder, mower, wagons, plows, harness, corn, potatoes, &c., by E. D. Cronk, 1 mile from Winfield. 9 months credit.

Tuesday, March 17th, at 9 o'clock, a. m., 6 horses, 1 Percheron and 1 blooded stallion, 1 colt, 18 cows, 8 heifers, 1 bull, 2 brood sows, 1 boar, 8 shoats, 14 pigs, farm implements of all kinds, &c., by Wm. U. Eckard, on the Roop farm, 1½ miles from Wakefield.

Saturday, March 7th, at 1 o'clock, p. m., 1 black mare, 2 cows, 6 sheep, Deering binder, sleigh, farm implements, furniture, &c., by Geo. W. Hess, on the old Liberty road, 1 mile west of Dorsey's Cross Roads.

Tuesday, March 10th, at 12 o'clock, m., sharp, 5 horses, 17 cows and heifers, 1 bull, 1 brood-sow, 2 shoats, wagons, binder, mower, plows, harness, &c., by Jno C. Dell, on the Noah Lippy farm, near Mt. Union Church.

Thursday, March 12th, at 9 a. m., 3 horses, 3 mules, 2 yearling colts, 16 head of milk cows, most of them young Jerseys; 3 heifers, 2 bulls, 3 brood sows, wagons, binders, plows, harrows, 8-horse upright engine, overshoot separator, chopping mill, harness, furniture, &c., by Jonas Royer, on the Bachman's Mill road, on the old Royer farm. 9 months credit.

Wednesday, March 11th, at 10 a. m., 3 work horses, 1 fine driving mare, 5 milch cows, 1 heifer, 1 bull, 1 brood sow, with pig; 11 fine sheep, 2 broadtread wagons, 4 or 5-horse; falling top buggy, McCormick binder, McCormick mower, grain drill, winnowing mill, circular saw and belt, horse power, harrows, plows, harness, corn and potatoes, &c., on the Judge Smith farm, adjoining Westminster, by Ezekiah D. Bowersox. 9 months credit.

Saturday, March 21st, at 12 o'clock, M. sharp, 2 horses, one a fine driver, 5 milch cows, large brood sow, with pig, 5 fine shoats, Western wagon for 2 or 3 horses, horse power, feed cutter, plows, harrows, harness, corn, potatoes, &c., by Theodore J. Myers, of J., on the Taneytown road about ¼ of a mile from Frizellburg.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Lent began on Wednesday last.

Mr. James Lemmon, a huckster near this city, shipped 900 dozen eggs to Baltimore on Tuesday.

The quarterly payment of United States pensions will be made on Wednesday next.

The Miller Brothers Co., of this city, received a carload of straw hats this week, for spring and summer wear.

James Warner has sold his grist mill and farm of 99 acres about 3 miles from Manchester to Jacob Weaver, for $4,900.

Charles C. C. Caple, of East View, applied for the benefit of the U. S. bankrupt law on Tuesday, by Hon. Chas. T. Reifsinder, his attorney. He has liabilities of $343.43 and no assets.

Clarence Hill, colored, a former resident of this city, son of Chas. Hill, died in Harrisburg, Pa., on the 10th inst. after a short illness, leaving a widow. He was in his 28th year.

Mr. Josephus Orendorff, of this city, while in the yard at his home on East Green street, on Monday, was stricken with paralysis and fell. The attack was not extremely severe and at this time he is improving.

A special election to fill the vacancy in the Common Council of this city, caused by the death of Mr. Gershom Huff, will be held on Monday, March 9th, between the hours of 12 M., and 6 P. M.

Some of our local correspondence last received and a number of other items, prepared for publication in the SENTINEL this week, are necessarily deferred because it is impossible to find room for them.

The 24th inst. was Shrove Tuesday, or Matthias' day, and if dependence could be placed in the infallibility of the old saw: "If he find ice he'll break it; if he find none he'll make it," moderate weather might be expected, for a time at least.

In games of basket ball in the gymnasium of Western Maryland College, on Saturday last, the Seniors defeated the Sophomores by a score of 8 to 5, but the Juniors were not so fortunate in a contest with the Sub-Freshmen, as the latter won by a score of 7 to 6.

Rev. H. J. Macalister, of Union Bridge, has been in bed sick since last Sunday evening from an attack of pleurisy. Mrs. Macalister, who is also sick, dates her present illness from three months back and has not yet been able to leave her room.

There was a very limited attendance at the High School Building in this city, on Monday evening, to witness the experiments of Prof. Reynolds with liquid air. Those present, however, were amply entertained by the exhibition of the remarkable properties of this substance.

Mr. Wilbur H. Zepp has been appointed freight and ticket agent of the Western Maryland Railroad at Woodensburg, vice Mr. Harry E. Goodwin, resigned, and Mr. W. Irving Wheeler at Millers, vice Mr. W. B. Cullison, resigned. The appointments were made by Mr. B. H. Griswold, general traffic manager.

The St. John's *Collegian* for Febuary, published by the students of St. John's College, Annapolis, contains an interesting article written by Mr. Fred. Y. Cronk, of Winfield, class of 1903, on "What is War?" Mr. Cronk is chief of the business managers of the *Collegian*, and Mr. Riley E. Elgen, another Carroll county student, and also of the class of 1903, is the assistant editor.

As will be seen by the report of the proceedings of the Circuit Court the jury in the case of E. Wilson Hull against J. Ross Galt, publisher of the Union Bridge *Pilot*, rendered a verdict for the defendant. Before the case was concluded a non pros. had been entered by agreement of counsel, as to W. Scott Wolfe, one of the defendants. Mr. Hull claimed $10,000 damages for an alleged libel published in the *Pilot*, which he averred was instigated by Mr. Wolfe.

Under the influence of a genial sun the snow which fell last week has been disappearing gradually and travel, which in many places was interrupted by drifts, is being resumed. The roads, however, are in bad condition and will probably remain so, in some localities at least, for some time to come.

The Circuit Court for this county has passed a decree granting a divorce a vinculo matrimonii to Mrs. Fannie Michael, of Uniontown district, from her husband, John T. Michael, who is serving a term in the Maryland Penitentiary for forgery. Mrs. Michael was represented in the proceedings by Messrs. Reifsnider & Grimes.

As the anniversary of Washington's birthday, this year, fell on Sunday the day following was made a legal holiday. The banks were not open and the postoffice in this city closed its doors for a portion of the day. The public schools of the county held exercises appropriate to the occasion and calculated to cultivate a spirit of patriotism in the rising generation.

Richard Zimmerman, who was convicted in the Circuit Court for Frederick county, on Tuesday, of murderous assault on Joseph Hogan, December 24th, at Mount Airy, was sentenced to one year in the House of Correction, and Daniel Heiser, his companion, convicted of common assault, was sentenced to six months.

From Mr. James E. Smith, insurance agent, of this city, the SENTINEL has received a daily calendar for 1903, issued by the New England Mutual Life Insurance Company, of Boston, Mass. The figure or figures for every day in each month of the year are given on separate sheets, one of which has to be removed daily, leaving the proper date exposed. The figures show legibly at a long distance.

The Baltimore Railway Specialty Company has been chartered under the laws of Delaware, with a capital of $750,000 common stock and $150,000 preferred stock, for the purpose of manufacturing the Norwood ball-bearing centre and side plates, devised to supply frictionless bearings for railroad cars. Mr. J. E. Norwood, the inventor of the device, is a native of this county, and is the mechanical engineer of the company chartered to manufacture it. The leading railroads of the country are testing the invention, which is said to be of great practical utility.

The County Commissioners, at their meeting on Monday, contracted with Lawrence E. Lyons for the grading and masonry for the joint bridge between Baltimore and Carroll counties, at Benson's ford, at a specified sum per cubic foot, and also contracted with the York Bridge Company for the erection of the bridge over Morgan's run, at Beasmen's ford, for the sum of $725. A special pension of $10 was granted to Clara Kesselring, of district No. 1. Other business transacted was of routine character.

The Western Maryland College Club of New York celebrated its third annual dinner at the Savoy Hotel on Thursday evening of last week. The guest of honor was Prof. William R. McDaniel, secretary and treasurer of the college. Among those present were the following graduates of the college: Misses Carrie L. Mourer, A. Belle Smith and Sallie Spence, Mrs. Martland and Mrs. Klein, Messrs. W. R. McDaniel, Fred C. Klein, A. G. Woodfield, M. P. Richards, L. Reese Dick, Graham Watson, H. S. Martland, S. A. Harker, W. B. Van Leer, Harry B. Heinsheimer, Dr. D. W. Hering and Dr. Harry G. Watson.

George W. Beard, who was tried at the November term of the Circuit Court for this county, before a jury which failed to agree, for an alleged attempt to commit a criminal operation, was retried before a jury this week and found guilty. The jury recommended him to the mercy of the court, and his employer, Dr. A. M. Kalbach, interceded with the court in his behalf, and stated that he has a wife and helpless children who would be deprived of their means of support if he were imprisoned. Dr. Kalbach also offered to advance the money to pay a fine in the case. Judge Thomas, in passing sentence, strongly reprimanded the accused for his conduct and expressed their hope that his life, hereafter, would be such as to preclude such proceedings against him. The minimum penalty, a fine of $500 and costs, amounting to about $577, was imposed. The fine was paid and the accused released.

At the municipal election in Sellersville, Bucks county, Pa., on Tuesday of last week, Mr. W. E. Matthews, formerly of this city, was elected chief-burgess and justice of the peace, by a majority of 14 over his Democratic opponent. The Sellersville *Herald* publishes a half-tone picture of Mr. Matthews, with a sketch of his life, describing his experiences while with his father, the late John Matthews, in the Civil War, his residence in Westminster, and his connection with the Regular Army. In concluding the sketch says that "Mr. Matthews came to Philadelphia in 1887 and secured employment with the firm of H. C. Nolan & Co., cigar manufacturers, and has been in continuous service with that firm since that date. For 14 years he has been a resident of Sellersville. Four years ago he married Miss Annie J. Freed, a native of the town and at the present time they conduct a millinery and general store. He has been treasurer of the cigarmakers local union, No. 232, for the last five years."

Attention is called to the advertisement of the Mine LaMotte Lead and Smelting Company, published in another column of the SENTINEL this week, briefly setting forth the advantages of its stock as an investment. The company states that it owns 37,614 acres of land located in Madison and St. Francois counties, in Southeastern Mo., of which over 13,500 acres is known to be heavily mineralized. Thus far only 20 acres has been developed by underground workings and about 67 acres by surface or shallow mining. For thirty years, it is stated, under very limited operation, this property had been producing $150,000 per annum, but as soon as it came under its present management improvements and increase in machinery were begun intended to swell the annual output to $450,000, by developing the capacity, to 10,000 tons of pig lead per annum. A dividend of 8 per cent. was declared January 1st, 1903, and it is stated that the purpose and expectation is to declare quarterly dividends at a rate of 12 per cent per annum, on the capital stock of the company, which is $3,000,000. A number of citizens of this county have visited the property and bring back glowing accounts of the rich mineral deposits it contains. They show some fine specimens of nickel and cobalt, which are said to be found in abundance. Messrs. Wm. B. Thomas & Son are agents for the sale of the stock of the company.

The Omnibus bill for public buildings, which passed the House of Representatives carrying an appropriation of $4,000 for a postoffice site in this city, and $10,000 for a similar site in Hagerstown, passed the Senate on Monday with both these items stricken out. For the present, at least, this destroys the hope and expectation that Congress would recognize the introduction of the rural free delivery system by marking the site of its inauguration with a building worthy of the magnitude and character of this great advance in the postal facilities of the country. If the House had taken the action reported of the Senate, it might have been attributed to the local jealousies of some of its members. Such a cause, however, can hardly be attributed to Senators, though the pretext of the Senate Committee on Public Buildings that it was new legislation, which was given as the reason for striking out the items, seems to be rather puerile. As Senator McComas was unable to have the appropriation for his own town retained there was, of course, no hope for the Westminster item. The sum of $4,000, however, was inadequate to purchase a site for such a building as should be erected here and some future Congress may be induced to see the matter in a proper light and make adequate provision for a proper structure. From a later report it appears the House has restored the item of $4,000 for this city, stricken out by the Senate, and the question will now be the subject of a conference.

A statement published in some of the Baltimore dailies, to the effect that Howard Pfeiffer, of Manchester, a brother of Dr. Harry S. Pfeiffer, who was yesterday married to Miss Mary Stone Field, a granddaughter of the late Cyrus field of New York, had been murdered years ago and that his murderer has never been discovered, was an erroneous report of a very sad tragedy. Young Pfeiffer was not murdered, but was accidentally killed by Mr. Harry Lamotte, a personal friend of his. The tragic event occurred January 8, 1889. In the evening of that day young Pfeiffer was standing on the side walk in front of the window of Mr. C. J. H. Ganter's store in Manchester, while young Lamotte was in the store. The latter, seeing Pfeiffer at the window, took a revolver from the showcase; supposing it to be an unloaded new pistol, and, pointing it playfully toward the window, jokingly threatened to shoot. Whether any reply was made to this we are not aware, but the trigger was pulled, and to the horror of everybody who witnessed the occurrence, including Lamotte, the weapon was discharged, the bullet crashed through the window and Pfeiffer fell, mortally wounded. He lived several days and fully exonerated young Lamotte from intentionally shooting him. A coroner's jury, which investigated the case, came to the same conclusion and rendered a verdict accordingly.

Death of Mr. Gershom Huff.

Mr. Gershom Huff, member of the common council of this city, died at 2 o'clock, Monday morning, at his home, on Pennsylvania avenue, in his 75th year. Mr. Huff was a native of Adams county, Pa., but had resided in this city since early manhood. In 1848 he married Miss Matilda Fisher, of Adams county, Pa., and their married life extended over about 54 years, Mrs. Huff having died about a year ago. Their surviving children are John J., Jerome P. and William L. Huff, of Decatur, Ill.; Edwin F. Huff, Mrs. William Dodrer, Mrs. Sophia Essom, of this city, and Mrs. Daniel Bair, of Kingsdale, Pa. He also leaves three sisters—Mrs. Edward Strasbaugh, of Decatur, Ill.; Miss Sarah C. Huff, of Lexington, Ill., and Mrs. David Warner, of Philadelphia. About twenty years ago he was assistant weigher of live stock at the state cattle scales in Baltimore, under Mr. Samuel Cover, of this city. When the late Hon. Charles B. Roberts was first called to the bench, Mr. Huff was appointed crier of the Circuit Court for Carroll county, and held the office until Judge Roberts' death, and afterwards while Judge Jas. A. C. Bond was on the bench. In 1892, 1894, 1900, 1901 and 1902 he was elected a member of the common council of this city, and was serving his fifth term in that office at the time of his death. For fifty years he was a member of Salem Lodge No. 60, I. O. O. F., of this city, and had filled its highest offices. He was a plasterer by occupation, and was noted for his mechanical skill, having had no equal in this locality. Until recently, when stricken with paralysis, he was a man of remarkable vigor and followed his occupation successfully. Mr. Huff was a Democrat, politically, and in religious faith a consistent and earnest member of the M. E. Church. He was held in the highest respect by people of all classes for his sterling worth and upright, honorable life and was regarded as one of the best citizens of this community. His remains were taken to Littlestown, Pa., for interment on Thursday. Funeral services were held in the M. E. Church at that place, by Rev. Durbin G. Miller, of Centenary Church, assisted by Rev. Dr. P. H. Miller, of Grace Lutheran Church, this city. The pall-bearers, who are members of Salem Lodge, were: Rev. Wm. A. Crouse, E. D. Bowersox, Samuel H. Erb, Paul Yingling, Wm. H. Cassell and Wesley D. Bemiller.

For the Sentinel.

Teachers' Association Meeting.

No lengthy program had been prepared for the Teachers' Association on Friday, February 27th inst., but what there was of it was of the best quality. The association was a little later than usual in opening the exercises, as the roads were in such a condition that teachers could not make the time. After the association had sung America Mr. Emory Ebaugh led in prayer and the secretary read the minutes of the last meeting. No objection appearing they were adopted. Mr. Wm. A. Burgee, of Union Bridge High School, read, in his usual pleasant manner, an elegant paper. Miss Mary H. Stansbury, of Hampstead High School, had chosen for her subject English Literature in Our Schools. What teacher present did not appreciate the subject and enjoy the highly interesting manner in which it was treated? The examiner congratulated the teachers on the attendance and said he was more than pleased with the papers which had been presented. He further said that at last arrangements had been made so as to be able to continue the schools this year part of a 4th term at least, and that with the co-operation of the public in the right direction, he was almost sure the good work would be continued.

Washington's Birthday Celebration.

Washington's birthday was observed at the Westminster High School, on the morning of February 23, when an interesting program, consisting of patriotic songs, recitations, &c., was rendered by the pupils. A number of visitors was present. The program was as follows: Singing, Hymn for Washington's Birthday; reading, Declaration of Independence, Hampton Baumgartner; acrostic, Washington's Birthday, nineteen boys; historic sketches, fifteen boys; recitation, Twenty-second of February, Fanny Jones; recitation, Like Washington, George Stoner; song, Washington, Our Washington; recitation, Washington Our Model, Mary Stonesifer; recitation, Washington's Birthday, Katharine Lynch; recitation, Why? Elmer Little; recitation, Katharine Shuman; recitation, Boston Boys, George Shriver; recitation, John Henry Jones, Paul Stonesifer; recitation, Tribute to Washington, Jos. Brooks; recitation, Independence Bell, Edward Franklin; song, Columbia the Gem of the Ocean; recitation, Who Knows? Ruth Bohn; recitation, Washington, Charlotte Colliflower; recitation, Where Honor Is Due, Beryl Buckingham; recitation, The American Flag, Ida Petry; recitation, Washington's Kiss, Stella Gist; recitation, A Birthday Verse, Mildred Warner; song, Mount Vernon Bells; extracts from Washington's Farewell Address, Fred Buckingham; song, Star-Spangled Banner.

Splendid Camera Work by a Former Westminster Lady.

Leslie's Weekly, of the 19th inst., contains a double-page of photographic illustrations of objects identified with the name and history of the "Father of His Country," taken by Mrs. Charles R. (Sadie Kneller) Miller, of Baltimore, a well known native of this city. Only an expert artist could properly describe the character of these pictures, but it requires no artistic knowledge to realize that they are excellent productions of the camera. Every picture is sharply outlined and exceedingly clear in detail, showing minutely the salient features of the object reproduced and illustrating the skill of the artist, not only in method of using the camera, but in selecting the best positions from which to employ it. The centre of the group of pictures is from the portrait of Washington by Stuart, and is very striking. Others of the photos are: A front view of Mt. Vernon, the Washington National monument at Washington, the Washington monument at Baltimore, the Phillipse house at Yonkers, N. Y., where Washington stopped twice, an antique building at Mt. Vernon once occupied by slaves of Washington, the equestrian statue at Washington of Washington at the battle of Princeton, the equestrian statue of Washington in the Public Garden, Boston, Mass., the bronze equestrian statue of Washington in Union Square, N. Y., Gilbert Stuart's portrait of Washington in the field, the Washington arch in Washington Square, N. Y., the old State House at Annapolis, where Washington resigned his commission, Fraunce's Tavern, N. Y., and the Tomb of Washington at Mt. Vernon.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

Mr. Lewis Wentz died at his home in Manchester district, on the 20th inst., in his 51st year. He leaves a widow and the following children: Mrs. Annie E. Garrett, Mrs. Sarah A. Stormer, Messrs. George H., Amos T. and Clayton Wentz.

Mrs. Wm. Arnold died yesterday morning, at her home at Reese, in her 36th year, leaving her husband and five children surviving her. Funeral services will be held at Sandy Mount M. P. Church, at 2 o'clock, tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. Elizabeth Clark, widow of the late John H. Clark, died at the home of her nephew, Mr. B. J. Myerly, near this city, on Thursday, aged about 78 years. Mrs. Clark was a sister of the late Wm. S. Brown, of this city. Her funeral will take place at St. Benjamin's Lutheran Church, at 10 o'clock, this morning.

Mrs. Ruth Sellers, widow of the late Jacob Sellers, died at her home near Brummel, on Tuesday, aged 90 years, 7 months, 10 days and her remains were interred in the burial ground of Mt. Union U. B. Church, after funeral services, on Thursday. She leaves several sons and daughters.

Albert Jonas Fridinger, the youth whose feet were amputated in a hospital in Baltimore, about two years ago, in consequence of their having been frozen, died at the home of his father, Mr. Jonas Fridinger, John street, this city, about half-past one o'clock yesterday morning. He had recently been supplied with artificial feet, and was able to walk with the aid of canes. He was about 16 years old.

Mr. Jehu Harris, a venerable and worthy citizen of this county, died at his home, near Houcksville, on Tuesday, in his eightieth year, and his funeral took place at Wesley Chapel, M. E. Church, on Thursday morning, Rev. C. T. Jones officiating. Those who best knew Mr. Harris held him in high regard as a man of uncompromising integrity and uprightness of character. He leaves the following children: Mrs. Wesley Ruby, near Snydersburg; Mrs. Joel Sykes, Miss Annie Harris, of Houcksville; Messrs. Arthur, Thomas, Harry and Eugene Harris.

Mrs. Mary Gore, one of the oldest residents of this city, died at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. Charles H. Vanderford, on Center street, on Saturday last. She was the widow of Jabez Gore, who was deputy clerk of the Circuit Court for this county under Dr. William Willis, the first clerk elected after the formation of the county, and who was afterwards clerk of the House of Representatives of the United States. Her age was 88 years. One son, Jacob Gore, of Calvert county, survives her, and she leaves numbers of grandchildren and great grandchildren. Many of her relatives reside in Freedom district, this county, and in Baltimore and Washington, D. C. Funeral services were held at St. John's Catholic Church, this city, on Monday.

Mrs. Lydia Warehime, wife of Mr. Wm. G. Warehime, of this city, died suddenly, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Fisher, in Woodberry, on Tuesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Fisher and their family removed to Woodberry on Tuesday of last week and were accompanied by Mrs. Warehime, whose death, it is supposed, was caused by disease of the heart. She was in her 61st year. Her husband, two daughters and two sons—Mrs. Harry Thomson, of this city; Mrs. Charles Fisher, of Woodberry; Mr. John W. Warehime, of Waynesboro, Pa., and Mr. Harry M. Warehime, of Harrisburg, Pa., survive her. Her remains were brought to this city and, yesterday morning, were interred in Benjamin's Cemetery, after funeral services in St. Benjamin's Lutheran Church, Rev. P. H. Miller, D. D., officiating.

WEDDING BELLS.

Hartung-Poston.

Miss Bertha Poston and Mr. Henry Hartung, Jr., of Baltimore, were married February 25th, at the residence of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Sarah R. Brown, near Westminster. The ceremony was performed by Rev. D. G. Miller, Centenary Methodist Episcopal Church. Miss Ella Brown was bridesmaid and Mr. George H. Seipp best man.

Ridgely-Dorsey.

Mr. Charles H. Ridgely, of Sykesville, and Miss Evelyn R. Dorsey, of Roxbury Mills, were married at Mt. Calvary Episcopal Church, at the latter place, on Wednesday, the rector, Rev. George S. Fitzhugh, performing the marriage ceremony. Miss Mary Dorsey, sister of the bride was maid of honor, and Messrs. J. Dorsey Warfield and Worthington Griffith, cousins of the bride, ushers.

Cootes-Chrest.

Mr. Chas. E. Cootes, a popular and well known young tonsorial artist of this city, and Miss Emma J. Chrest, daughter of Mr. Geo. A. Chrest, of East Main street, were married at St. John's Catholic Church parsonage, on Tuesday evening. They were attended by Miss Irene Gunther and Mr. Jesse F. Chrest. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Meade. Mr. and Mrs. Cootes will reside with the groom's mother Mrs. F. E. Cootes, on Pennsylvania avenue.

Eckard-Dell.

Miss Catharine O. Dell, of this city, daughter of Mr. States N. Dell, and Mr. Wm. M. Eckard, of this city, were married on Sunday last, at the parsonage of St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Taneytown, Rev. B. J. Lennon performing the marriage ceremony. The event was quite a surprise to most of their friends, who were not aware that it was impending. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Eckard drove to the home of the groom's parents, near Tyrone and returned to this city, where they will reside, on Monday.

Rockwell-Haines.

Mr. Edwin N. Rockwell, of Albany, N. Y., and Mrs. Georgia Maude Haines, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Saylor, of this city, were married in Baltimore, on Saturday, 21st inst. Rev. Dr. Conrad Clever, pastor of the Third Reformed Church, performed the marriage ceremony. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Rockwell visited Mrs. R's. parents, West Main street, this city, subsequently returning to Baltimore for a few days and then going to Altoona, Pa., where the groom is employed in the clerical service of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

Pfeiffer-Field.

The wedding of Dr. Harry S. Pfeiffer, son of Mrs. Lucinda Pfeiffer, of Manchester, and Miss Mary Stone Field, daughter of the late Cyrus W. Field, Jr., and granddaughter of the projector of the first Atlantic cable, about which so much had been said in advance in the newspapers, took place at the home of the bride's mother, Fifth avenue, New York, on Thursday, and was a swell affair. Rev. Dr. Ferguson, of Ossinning, performed the marriage ceremony. Dr. and Mrs. Pfeiffer have gone to Palm Beach, Fla., and on their return will sail for Europe, to be absent indefinitely.

Mitten-Buffington.

Miss L. Annetta Buffington, whose father, Mr. John E. Buffington, holds one of the two medals given to the bravest United States soldiers in the Civil War, and George H. Mitten, of Washington, D. C., son of John H. Mitten, business manager of the AMERICAN SENTINEL newspaper, of this city and another veteran of the war, were married at the home of the bride's parents, near Middleburg, at 2.30 o'clock last Saturday afternoon. The bride wore a going-away gown of imported blue broadcloth, with hat and gloves to match, and carried a bouquet of freezias. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. A. Britt, pastor of Trinity Lutheran Church, Taneytown. A wedding dinner was served and a luncheon at a later hour. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Mitten were driven to Union Bridge, where they took an afternoon train for Washington, where they will reside. Only the immediate members of the families of the bride and groom were present on the occasion.

Bankert's Mill Items.

Mr. Jonas Myers, eldest son of Jos. and Elizabeth Myers, very highly respected citizens of this community, died at his home near Marker's mill, on last Saturday evening, of pneumonia, aged 28 years, 5 months and 24 days. His remains were brought to Baust Church on Tuesday afternoon, where a large and sorrowing congregation was assembled and listened to a very able funeral discourse, delivered by Rev. J. S. Hartman, after which the remains were laid away in the family lot in the cemetery adjoining the church. Rev. A. B. Mower assisted in the service. About 14 months ago Mr. Myers married Miss Grace, only daughter of Uriah and Elizabeth Foglesong, and since then was engaged in farming. He connected himself with the Reformed congregation at Baust Church when quite young, and, in the few years allotted to him, was always attentive and manifested a deep interest in its progress. In politics he was an ardent Republican, and never missed casting his vote since he gained his majority. He was of pleasing manner and of an amiable disposition and in consequence gained the confidence and was highly respected by all with whom he came in contact. The writer knew him from childhood and to know him was to love him. A very sad feature was that his father, mother and a brother, who are ill with pneumonia, were deprived the privilege of attending his funeral. He leaves a wife, father, mother, two sisters and two brothers to mourn his loss. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. Jas. Unger, Jos. Marker, Wm. Marker, Wm. Lemmon, Jesse Halter and Howard Bankerd; C. O. Fuss funeral director.

The snow that blockaded the highways for the past fortnight is gradually disappearing under the influence of the sun's rays, which has been doing its utmost the past week.

A great deal of sickness is still prevailing here. Mr. David Hahn, one of our enterprising young farmers, is somewhat indisposed with whooping cough. Mr. Chas. Davidson's youngest child is still very ill and Mrs. H. Sell is very ill and very grave doubts are entertained of her recovery. Mrs. Geo. C. Harmon is convalescent.

Mr. Geo. C. Harmon, one of our local butchers, killed a beef for Wm. H. Flickinger last Wednesday in 21 minutes and sawed open the breast and down the back and did not cut with a cleaver.

Many changes will take place in shifting residences between now and the first of April, here, of which I will let you know later. There will not be many sales here this spring.

Uniontown Items.

By special request of several persons Rev. C. E. McCullough will repeat his discourse of two weeks ago; theme, "Practical Religion," in the M. P. Church, on Sunday evening, March 1, at 7.30.

Rev. G. W. Baughman conducted the funeral service on Tuesday at Winter's church, of Mrs. Julia A. Little, relict of Jacob Little, who died at the home of her daughter, in Littlestown, Pa., on the 21st inst., aged 79 years, 3 months, 21 days. Interment in Winter's Church cemetery.

Mr. Howard Myers, of Baltimore, was the guest over Saturday night, of his sister and family, Mrs. Charles Edgar Myers.

Miss Beryl Erb, who was home for several days on account of sickness, resumed her duties in Pleasant Valley School on Tuesday.

Miss Rhoda Fleagle has secured boarding with Mr. Ezra Trite's family, at Union Bridge, and will continue her studies at M. C. I.

Mrs. Elizabeth Franklin and son, Mr. Joseph L. Franklin, of Westminster, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Segafoose during the week.

Rev. G. W. Baughman will hold a service in the interest of Foreign Missions, at Baust Church, on Sunday, at 10.30 A. M. Preaching at Uniontown at 7.30 P. M.

Mrs. Harry H. Brough was the guest of her sister and family, Mrs. J. Thomas Erb, of Westminster, on Monday.

Mr. Clayton Hahn who is a conductor on a trolley car in Baltimore, came home on Monday, suffering with a heavy cold.

Miss Grace McAlister, who was spending some time with her sister, Miss Gertrude McAlister, in Baltimore, has returned home.

Shrove Tuesday was pretty well celebrated by the families of our town by the consumption of the noted "pancake." "Did you have pancakes today?" "O, yes, we had pancakes."

Misses Jane and Olivia Cruse returned on Wednesday from a visit to their sister and family, Mrs. Thaddeus Starr, near Union Bridge.

Orphans' Court.

Monday, February 23rd.—The last will and testament of William H. Reifsnider, deceased, was admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon granted unto Mary M. Reifsnider, who received order to notify creditors.

Edward Shorb, executor of Washington Shorb, deceased, returned inventory of personal property, and received orders to sell the same, and real estate.

Charles W. Shriner, executor of Jno. T. Shriner of J., deceased, received order to sell personalty.

The last will and testament of Samuel Kesselring, deceased, was admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon granted to Sarah M. Cratin and Mary E. Groft, who received order to notify creditors.

Ezra D. Stuller, executor of Aaron Harman, deceased, reported sale of personalty.

William Lowry, executor of Elizabeth Lowry, deceased, settled first and final account.

Silas D. Senseney, executor of A. Hanson Senseney, deceased, returned additional inventory of personalty, and received order to sell stocks.

Tuesday.—John S. Weybright, administrator w. a. of Daniel R. Saylor, deceased, reported sale of real estate, and received order to sell stock.

The last will and testament of Arthur Davis, deceased, was admitted to probate.

Mary S. Schaeffer, executrix of Milton Schaeffer, deceased, received order to sell personal property.

Milton T. Long, executor of Abraham Long, deceased, settled first and final account.

Final ratification of the sale of the real estate of George Dorsey, deceased.

Frizellburg Items.

Mr. H. E. Koontz and wife entertained a party of sleighers from the vicinity of Westminster, one night last week. They arrived a little late, but were kindly received and made comfortable. A few hours were delightfully spent together, after which all indulged in a tempting repast provided by the guests. This consisted of cake, candy, oranges, coffee and chocolate. Those present were: Mr. W. M. Geiman and wife, Misses Hattie Geiman, Josephine Diffendal, Bessie, Effie, Grace and Laura Schaeffer, Margaret and Mary Eckenrode, Cora Butler, Gertrude Eckenrode, Lena Smith, Messrs. Francis Orndorff, Jesse Gorsuch, Wm. Humbert, Albert Eckenrode, Luther Null, Gregory Diffendal, Chas. Schaeffer and Mrs. Mary C. Stoner.

Mr. Theodore Myers killed his horse on Wednesday. The injuries received from the kick necessitated doing so.

Mr. Charles Warehime, who was at the hospital for a month, is home again. He had a cataract on the eye and the operation it is believed will be a success.

Mrs. Jacob Null spent a few days in Westminster this week.

Mr. Levi Fleagle is very ill at this writing.

Mr. Henry Snader, who has been in Connellsville, Pa., for the past three months, was home for a week. He returned yesterday.

LIST OF UNCLAIMED MATTER remaining in the Postoffice, Westminster, Md., February 21st, 1903:

Bowen, Mrs. Mary
Carrow, Mr. J. W.
Cralb, Mr. Ecker
Cumberland, Miss Sadie
Doorknob, Miss Liz.
Doorknob, Miss Elizabeth
Damer, Mr. Eve.
Haines Mrs. Henry
Haynes, Mr. Wm. (2.)
Morris, Mrs. E. A.
Powrie, Mr. A. B.
Smith, Mr. David
Spriggs, Miss Annie

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

GEO. E. BAUGHMAN, P. M.

MATHERS'
NEW YORK BARGAIN HOUSE,
WESTMINSTER AND MANCHESTER.

GREAT SPECIAL SALE OF
China and House Furnishing Goods.

Just now, when so many are preparing to start in housekeeping and others are moving and every one wants to fix up a little and add something new, we are sure all will welcome this great money saving sale going on in our basement. We have been preparing for it all winter. We have searched the markets of the country and have succeeded in getting together for this sale the greatest lot of bargains it has ever been our pleasure to present.

This Special Sale Begins SATURDAY MORNING, MARCH 2nd, at Both Our Stores. DO NOT MISS IT.

Special Bargains in Dinner and Tea Sets.

Very pretty decorated China Tea Sets, English Ironstone ware and warranted in every particular, for this sale only $2.98. Just half what they are worth.

Pretty decorated Tea Sets, in several designs, handsome floral decorations with gold edges, one of the best things ever offered. For this sale, only $3.79. Worth $5.00. Only $3.79.

Pretty decorated Dinner Sets, of 71 pieces, floral decorations, latest style in shape and size of pieces, and a great bargain. For this sale, only $5.68. Worth fully $7.50. Now only $5.68.

Beautiful Dinner and Tea Sets combined, of 100 pieces, floral decorations with all gold edges and gold stripes on knobs and handles. A genuine bargain. For this sale, only $8.90, really worth $15.00. Now only $8.90.

Many other special bargains in fine English China Dinner and Tea Sets, and in plain white sets. Come and see them.

Big Special Lot Toilet Sets.

We had almost despaired getting these, they are so good and every pottery has raised the price on their goods since the first of the year, but here they are. Full 9-piece Toilet Sets, pretty floral decorations, all perfect goods and genuine bargains at the figures we name. For this sale only $1.95. Cheap at $2.50, and you will find it hard to match them at that. Now only $1.95.

Great Special Bargains in all Kinds of Odd Pieces.

Best American White Granite China Plates, dinner size, only 29 cents the half dozen. Worth 45c.

Breakfast or Tea size, only 25 cents.

Cups and Saucers to match above, the new pretty fancy low shape, never before less than 45 cents. Now we offer this lot for only 33 cents the set of half doz.

Special lot of white China Bowls, only 5½ cents.

White China Sauce or dessert Dishes only 29 cts. the dozen.

Special lot of Meat Plates at 4 cents and up to 10 cents. Every one at just half original price.

Great Special Bargains in Granite Ware.

Large Granite Saucepans, 6 qt. size, cheap at 50 cents, now only 39c. No Scaly ones and all have lids.

4 qt., or 5 qt. Granite Coffee Pots, in first quality goods, and seamless, being all made of one piece. Every one really worth 50 cents. For this sale, only 25 cents for any one.

Granite Bread Raisers, extra large, 21 qt. size, worth $1.50, but for this sale only 98 cents.

Special Bargains in Small Goods.

10-cent all steel Curry Combs 5 cents. 5-cent Pot Lids 3 cents. Large Embossed Tin Waiters, 10 cent size, now 5 cents. Mrs. Potts' Irons, nickle Plated, 3 irons in set, per set, 95 cents. Best Parlor Matches, and when we say that we mean it. Not a poor match, but a good one, being sold as cheap as most stores can buy them. 8 cents the dozen.

Great Special Bargain In Brooms.

Broom corn has been so high for the past three years that we are sure every one will welcome this opportunity to buy brooms at these figures. They are lower even than when broom corn was cheap years ago.

Good House Brooms, well made, only 10 cents each.

Better and heavier brooms, sell everywhere for 20 cents, only 13 cents.

10 and 13 cents.

ALL THESE GOODS ON SALE AT BOTH OUR STORES.

☞Remember this sale will only last a few weeks. Be on hand early to get your share of these splendid bargains.

MATHERS' DEPARTMENT STORES,
WESTMINSTER and MANCHESTER.

Miller's Items.

A large number of our people attended the show at Alesia the past week, given by the Alfareta Medicine troup.

Miss Hilda Miller is ill at this writing, suffering with a severe attack of pleurisy and a heavy cold.

Mrs. Lewis Sprenkle and daughter Pauline, of Chattanooga, Tenn., are visiting relatives here.

Communion services were very well attended here Sunday last. Rev. J. L. Grimm, of York, Pa., was present and preached an excellent sermon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Rhoades, near Melrose, spent Sunday last, the guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. John K. Miller.

Mr. Wm. Bender housed fine ice last week, which measured about eight inches.

Miss Laura Hoffnagle, who had been ill with kidney colic, is convalescent.

Mr. John K. Miller circulated among friends at Trenton last Monday.

Several of our young folks attended the oyster supper at Manchester, Monday evening last.

A merry crowd of young folks enjoyed a sled ride to the home of Mr. George Crumrine, near Melrose, on Saturday evening last.

Mr. Ross Hoffacker spent Wednesday last in Baltimore.

The Busy Bee Society of Miller's school was called to order Monday last and opened by singing "America." The society then engaged in recitations, compositions, singing, scripture reading, raising of the flag, etc. These exercises were in honor of Washington's birthday.

Mrs. Wm. Lloyd, near Snydersburg, spent Sunday and Monday last the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Frank.

Union Mills Items.

Last Monday night John Burgoon's store was broken into by thieves and about ten dollars worth of goods and money were carried away. Entrance to the building was effected by breaking one of the large panes of glass in the window on the side of the store nearest the warehouse. This was the second visit paid this winter by petty thieves to Mr. Burgoon's store.

Mr. Richard H. Stewart has sold his little farm, near here, to Henry Flickinger, who will occupy it in the spring. Mr. Stewart will move to Grove A. Shipley's house, near Silver Run.

The growing wheat comes out from under the snow looking very promising.

Mr. Theodore Wantz, who lives near this place, was bitten through the palm of his right hand by his dog, while trying to save his little boy from being bitten.

Mr. T. Herbert Shriver has been very ill but is slowly improving, under the skillful treatment of Dr. J. J. Stewart.

Christian Endeavor service will be held at the M. E. Church at 7 o'clock, Sunday evening. Sunday School in the afternoon at 1.30. The Christian Endeavor Society will celebrate their ninth anniversary on the afternoon and evening of March 8th. Prominent speakers are expected to be present and an interesting program is being arranged.

For the Sentinel.

Public School Entertainment.

The pupils of Hooper's public school gave a very interesting entertainment, in the school room, on Monday evening, 23rd inst. When the time for the beginning of the exercises had arrived, quite a number of parents and friends of the pupils were present, and had already enjoyed quite an extemporaneous drama, and before the program was well started all the seats were about occupied. Every part was completed with credit to the pupils and the pride of the teacher. All declared themselves very well pleased with the evening spent with the school children, and expressed their desire to hear their bell ring among the school bells of the neighborhood. They are also very anxious to learn of any similar exercises to be held at their school.

Gamber Items.

Last week it was thought the epidemic of measles in this place had about disappeared but several new cases have developed in as many different families and a general scare up about the disease has arisen. The schools are suffering from lack of attendance.

Mrs. Margaret Arbaugh is in very feeble health at this writing, with a severe cold. She is in her 78th year. Mr. Wm. Caple, Sr., has also been very ill with the grip. He is 87 years old. At this writing both are somewhat better.

There is quite a number on the sick list in this vicinity at present.

Providence Christian Endeavor Society and members of the church contemplate holding an oyster supper on the nights of March 5, 6, 7, at Mechanicsville Hall, for the benefit of the church.

The public roads in this section are in a deplorable condition at this time.

There will be several changes of residence in this vicinity this spring.

For the Sentinel.

A Pleasant Surprise Party.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Elias B. Arnold, of Smallwood, was the scene of a very pleasant and agreeable surprise party on Friday evening, 20th instant. The guests began to arrive at an early hour and were received with a hearty welcome by the family. Very fine music was furnished by Mr. E. B. Arnold and Mr. Charles Buckingham. At a late hour the guests departed to their respective homes, expressing many thanks to Mr. Arnold for his kindness during the evening. Those present were: Misses Melvie Lockard, Carrie Frizzell, Minnie Barber, Lily Frick, Lizzie Turnpaw, Minnie B. Fryman, Maggie Arnold, Messrs. E. B. Arnold, Charles Buckingham, Charles Reese, Phineas Shipley, Will Davis, Harry Davis, Baltis Baker, Hoffman, Barber, Bitzel, Freyman, Shipley, Frizzell, Logue, Lockard, Bare, Smith, Arnold, Frick, Snider, Richter and others.

Taylorville Items.

The recent snow greatly impeded travel in this section and caused a standstill in work generally. The Ridge road, between here and Mt. Mt. Airy, at this writing is yet impassable for miles. Surely the county is under obligations, in justice to the tax payers, through those appointed to supervise the road, to have a highway, so much traveled as this, cleared of obstructions to travel in a reasonable time.

Mr. Pilkington Hartley, who has been sick, is improving.

Dr. Abram Cronk has been taxed with a large practice this winter, involving long drives night and day over almost impassable roads.

The fourth quarterly conference of West Falls circuit will be held at Taylorsville this Saturday, in the afternoon. The presiding elder, Dr. Baldwin, will preach Sunday morning, March 1st, at Morgan Chapel, and Sunday afternoon at West Falls.

The inclement Sundays have greatly interrupted church services throughout this section. A protracted meeting will commence at Watersville on Sunday night, March 1. It will continue through the week.

For the Sentinel.

A Progressive Peanut Party.

A progressive peanut party was given by Miss M. Virginia Weigand, at her home in Westminster, in honor of Miss Mae Ensworth, of Rahway, N. J., on Monday evening last. It was a most delightful affair. In memory of George Washington the rooms were tastefully decorated with the stars and stripes, and the tally cards represented little hatchets tied with red, white and blue ribbon. The prizes were awarded as follows: First lady, Miss Ensworth; first gentleman, Mr. W. H. Waddell. The fortunate winners of the boobys were Miss Irene Woodward and Mr. Winfred Roberts. The prizes for an advertisement game which afforded a great deal of amusement were won by Miss Woodward and Mr. Wm. Matther, and the boobys by Mr. and Mrs. Waddell. About thirty guests were present. After the serving of refreshments music was enjoyed until the wee small hours of morning.

Manchester Items.

Washington's birthday was not generally observed on Monday. The bank was closed and the teachers of the schools gave an entertainment to the patrons and many friends in honor of the father of his country. The following program was observed and given with much credit to an appreciative audience: Chorus, "Columbia the Gem of the Ocean," by the school; opening address, Mary Rittase; recitations, Washington's Day, Chas. Miller; Just a Little Boy, Willie Myers; singing "Battle Hymn of the Republic," school; composition, Life of George Washington, Ethel Getier; singing, Star-Spangled Banner, school; anecdotes from Life of Washington, by Dora Leese, Corinne Sherman, Chas. A. Miller and Helen Roeder; patriotic quotations, pupils 5th and 6th grades; Washington's Maxims, pupils 3rd and 4th grades; reading, selections from Washington's Farewell Address, Paul Leese; singing, Scattering Precious Seeds, school; readings, Martha Washington in Camp, Bertha Simpers; A Modern George Washington, Harold Frankforter; singing, America, school. Rev. H. H. Flick was to have been present to deliver an address but was prevented by having had a funeral to attend.

The members of the Manchester Fire Department opened their festival and oyster supper on Saturday evening in the I. O. O. F. Hall. It was largely attended and well patronized, and receipts amounted to $71. On Monday evening the attendance was quite good and the business in each department was spirited. According to festival business rules many articles went off on chances. The most successful among the prize winners was Mr. George P. Fuhrman, of Greenmount, who had quite a bundle of prizes to take to his home. Like all such occasions and ventures there is still a remnant of stock that will be disposed of on Saturday evening next, with several new attractions added, among which will be a big oyster supper for 25 cents.

Mr. John Kelbaugh has sold his farm of 48 acres, 1 mile S. W. of town, to Mr. Lee McGee, for the sum of $1,650, and has bought the home of Mr. Harry Lippy, in Snydersburg, for the sum of $800. Mr. McGee will occupy the farm in April and Mr. Kelbaugh the Lippy home. Mr. Lippy will move to the Dell farm near Mt Union church, which he bought a year ago.

Mrs. Alice V. Albaugh, whose remains were buried at Hampstead on Saturday last, was a native of this town, a daughter of the late Wm. Stansbury, here she spent her girlhood and many of her early wedded days. She leaves a husband and two sisters to mourn her loss.

The remains of a child of Mr. Henry Dull were brought here from his home at Arlington, on Monday last, and buried in a family lot, Rev. H. H. Flick officiating.

During last week the fine sleighing was enjoyed and a great deal of heavy hauling was done on sleds. The late harvesters of ice improved their opportunity and got good ice 6 and 7 inches thick.

Thursday morning, the 19th, was the coldest of the season, the thermometers of town registering 4° to 6° below zero. At this writing Matthias has had a say and the snow and ice are melting away and a return to wheels has been resumed by the travelling public.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. N. Getttier entertained a company of friends at a social in their home on Tuesday evening, and a pleasant evening was spent by all.

Mr. Charles Brilhart, although convalescing, is still closely confined to his home.

Mr. Harry Preston is home from his studies at the Gettysburg College, sick with grip.

Mrs. C. Miller and Mrs. H. T. J. Lamotte have been housed with grip during the last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Masenhimer, of Harrisburg, Pa., visited friends here during the past week.

Mr. H. Myers and daughter, of Baltimore, spent some days with Mrs. E. W. Fuhrman and family during the last week.

Mr. Nelson Grove, near town, had to dig his well to a depth of 74 feet before getting a sufficiency of water. Most of it was through rocks of extra hardness and divers colors.

Mrs. L. H. Hoffacker and daughter, of Hanover, are visiting friends in town.

Why Not Cure Your Cough or Cold?

WESTMINSTER, April 10th, 1890.

MR. JOS. B. BOYLE:

Dear Sir:—For many years I have suffered intensely, on taking cold, from a very troublesome cough, for which I have used a number of various remedies, and obtained but TEMPORARY RELIEF. During the past Spring I was again troubled with the same cough, and through a friend was induced to try YOUR Pectoral Syrup, which not only gave almost INSTANT RELIEF, but a PERMANENT CURE. It gives me great pleasure to say that I believe it to be the best remedy I ever used for the purpose for which it is recommended. Hoping that any person afflicted as I was may be fortunate enough to give it a trial, I am,

Truly yours,
EDWARD LYNCH.

For Sale by all Druggists and Merchants in the Country. PRICE 25 CENTS. feb-24-ft