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LOCAL ITEMS.

Those of our subscribers who intend changing their Postoffice address this spring are requested to give us timely notice of the fact, and in doing so give us the old as well as the new address.

If any reader of this paper knows of any young man entitled to registration, mention his name to some member of the Republican Central Committee.

Several editorial articles, correspondence and local matter have been left out of the SENTINEL this week to give place to the speech of acceptance of Hon. S. A. Williams and an account of the meeting of the Republican editors with the State candidates, at the Carrollton, on Saturday.

Mr. D. Snider Babylon has been appointed bookkeeper for the Westminster Hardware Company.

Mr. Chas. P. Babylon has sold his farm of 47 acres, in this district, to Mrs. Susan Lippy, wife of Mr. John Lippy, near Ladiesburg, for $1650.

Mr. Harry E. Little, son of Mr. John A. Little, of this city, has secured a position as salesman in Bernheimer's store, Lexington street, Baltimore.

Messrs. Thomson & Yingling, green grocers of this city, have dissolved partnership, Mr. Earnest Geiman taking Mr. Yingling's place in the firm.

Lieut. Palmer Tilton, U. S. Marine Corps, who for several years has spent much time in the city, is again a visitor here.

The Westminster Electric Light and Power Company is having additional large poles erected on Main street, this city, under the supervision of the superintendent, Mr. B. F. Sechrist.

During the month of September 61 deeds, 13 mortgages and 10 bills of sale were received for record at the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court, and 10 marriage licenses were issued.

Messrs. Raymond Bankert and Luther Weimert have purchased the Acme steam laundry in this city and will continue to conduct the business at the old stand.

A son of Mr. Joseph Taylor, of Reese, on Friday of last week fell and fractured his collar bone. Dr. M. L. Bott, of this city, adjusted the fracture.

In a note to the manager of the SENTINEL, Mr. F. M. Howell, general passenger agent of the Western Maryland Railroad, states that the fall schedule of the road will go into effect on Sunday, 11th inst.

Mr. D. J. Hesson, of the Board of County Commissioners, who has been residing for some time in this city, will remove to Taneytown next week, where he will open a dry goods store in the new building recently erected by Mr. E. E. Reindollar.

Among the officers elected by the Maryland Bankers' Association at the convention last week was Mr. Jno. L. Reifsnider, president of the First National Bank of Westminster, as one of the vice-presidents, and Dr. J. W. Hering, cashier of the Union National Bank of Westminster and Comptroller of the Treasury, as a member of the committee on administration. Dr. Hering was chairman of the nominating committee.

Revs. Dr. S. Colt, pastor of Grace M. E. Church; Dr. J. O. Spencer, president of Morgan College, and Dr. W. H. Beale, pastor of Bennett Memorial M. E. Church, all of Baltimore, preached at Bethel M. E. Church, near Sam's Creek, during the past week at the revival services which are being held there. During their stay they visited the historical scenes of early Methodism, and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Stem.

Quite a number of the friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Ball, who with their family removed to Baltimore from this city on Wednesday, testified their friendship by presenting them with a set of a dozen handsome silver knives, on Monday evening. In connection with the presentation, which took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Ball, on East Main street, a pleasant social time was enjoyed marred only by the regret caused by their pending removal. Games, music and social conversation were indulged in and refreshments were served.

The fast mail train on the Western Maryland Railroad, on its way to Baltimore last Saturday evening, had a rear end collision with a freight train, in the vicinity of Mt. Wilson, which caused the wreck of four freight cars and considerable damage to the passenger engine. The freight train was pulling into a siding, but had not cleared the main track when the fast mail struck the freight cars at an angle. The four damaged cars were nearly demolished. Nobody was hurt. The accident caused a delay of several hours to passenger trains coming westward. The Pen-Mar Express was run into the city over the tracks of the Green Spring Valley and N. C. Railroads.

The combination Democratic notification meeting and picnic at Mt. Airy, on Saturday last, as anticipated, was largely attended a careful estimate placing the crowd at 1800 to 2000 people. Hon. Joshua W. Miles, of Somerset county, made the speech notifying Mr. Warfield of his nomination for Governor and Mr. Warfield responded at some length. Col. Schley, of Washington county, notified Dr. Gordon T. Atkinson of his nomination for Comptroller of the Treasury, and Mr. Olin Bryan was notified of his nomination for Attorney General by Mr. W. F. Porter. Responses were made by the candidates. Speeches were also made by Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, Col. Spencer C. Jones, Col. L. Victor Baughman, Col. Wm. Kilgour, Dr. J. W. Hering and Guy W. Steele, Esq. Most of the speakers seemed to see the spectre of negro supremacy looming up in gigantic form upon the political horizon, and frantically appealed to their hearers to maintain the domination of the white race. Their intelligent hearers must have been amazed, if not disgusted, at the lamentable lack of argument manifested by most of the orators of the occasion. Thinking people have long since discovered that the introduction of the negro question is the dernier resort of a party hard pressed for electioneering material, and will thus understand the prominence given to the subject at the Mt. Airy meeting or picnic.

TUESDAY, OCT. 6th, will be registration day, and every unregistered Republican voter should avail himself of the opportunity to have his name placed on the list of registered voters.

Mr. N. Charles Grabill, who had been a resident of this city for some time and was in the employ of the Electric Light Company, has secured a responsible position with the Westinghouse Electric Manufacturing Company at Pittsburg, Pa. His address will be Pitcairn, a suburb of Pittsburg. Mr. Grabill is a skillful and efficient electrician.

Enterprising Merchants.

Tomorrow extraordinary attractions will be offered at the openings advertised by some of the merchants of this city. The Miller Brothers Company will have concerts given by the famous First Regiment Band from 9.30 till 11.30 A. M., 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 P. M.

Mr. Charles E. Hering will have music by the Westminster Guitar Club, and will give a free lunch from 2 to 5 P. M.

Messrs. T. W. Mather & Sons have added a new department to their stores, in the shape of the "Golden Rod Candies."

These and other merchants are offering attractive bargains as may be seen by consulting the advertising columns of the SENTINEL.

Registration.

Reports of Tuesday's registration have been received from several of the districts. In Taneytown 27 were registered, 7 added by transfers and 7 removed by transfers; Myers', 20 registered, 4 transferred; Second precinct, Woolery's, 9 registered, 6 transferred; Freedom, Second precinct, 17 registered, 5 transferred; Manchester, First precinct, 33 registered, 11 transferred; Second precinct, 19 registered, 10 transferred; Westminster, First precinct, 23 registered, 6 transferred; Second precinct, 21 registered, 5 transferred; Third precinct, 15 registered, 3 transferred; Fourth precinct, 24 registered, 7 transferred; Hampstead, 21 registered; Franklin, 12 registered, 6 transferred; Union Bridge, 30 registered; Mt. Airy, 27 registered, 5 transferred.

Children's Day Service.

An interesting children's day service was held by the Sunday School of the Methodist Protestant Church of this city, in the main audience room of the church, on Sunday evening last, under the direction of the superintendent, Dr. J. W. Hering. The exercises consisted of singing a number of beautiful children's day songs especially prepared for the occasion, by the school; prayer, by the pastor, Rev. L. F. Warner; responsive reading, led by Mr. George K. Mather; the following recitations: What I Live For, Gladys Stem; Little Kindness, Henrietta Roop; Beautiful Things, five little girls; A Deed and a Word, Mildred Warner; The message of Peace, Katherine Lynch; Two Pennies, Maude Eckenrode; an address, by Superintendent Hering; offering, and benediction. A large audience was present and thoroughly enjoyed the service.

Prohibition Nominations.

At a meeting of representatives of the Prohibition party of Carroll county held in this city on Tuesday afternoon candidates for state senator, members of the House of Delegates and all the local offices to be voted for in November, except for state's attorney and county surveyor, were nominated. Rev. Joseph A. Weigand, county chairman of the party, presided, and Calvin R. Chew, of Patapsco, was elected secretary. All the nominations were made by acclamation. They are as follows:

State Senator—Charles R. Woods, of Woolery's district.

House of Delegates—Harvey a Stone, of Westminster; John D. Armacost, of Freedon district; Edward H. Sharretts, of Middleburg district; George W. Chritzman, of Westminster.

Clerk of the Circuit Court—Wilson R. Straw, of Union Bridge district.

Register of Wills—Calvin E. Bankert, of Myers' district.

Sheriff—Lewis W. Jones, of Woolery's district.

County Commissioner—George A. Leister, of Hampstead district.

County Treasurer—Walter P. Hawkins, of Freedom district.

Judges of the Orphans' Court—Wm. H. Long, of Woolery's district; Joshua Peeling, of Woolery's district; William D. Engleman, of Union Bridge district.

A resolution was passed authorizing County Chairman Weigand to fill any vacancies that may occur on the ticket.

Personal.

Mrs. Cyrus J. Willett, of Baltimore, is visiting relatives in this city.

Miss Aileen Bankert, of Washington, D. C., who had been visiting her cousin, Miss Ada Mourer, has returned home.

Miss Ruth Roelkey, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. R. W. Doty, of this city, returned home on Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Maggie A. Jones, who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Stem and family, of Sam's Creek, has returned to Germantown, Philadelphia.

On Sunday last Mr. and Mrs. A. Kurtz Myers entertained at their home, near Frizellburg, Mr. F. Thos. Babylon and wife, Mr. S. M. Bish and wife, Mr. L. A. Haller and wife, of Westminster, and Mr. Motter, of near Littlestown, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin N. Buckingham, near Finksburg, have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Ada Mary Buckingham, and Mr. Wm. D. Reese, of this city, which will take place at Grace Lutheran Church, this city, on Wednesday, 14th inst., at half-past 3 o'clock, P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse L. Manahan, of Enterprise, have issued cards of invitation to the wedding of their daughter, Miss Bertie Elizabeth Manahan, and Mr. Harvey L. Frizzell, son of Judge Wm. Y. Frizzell, which will take place at the home of the bride's parents, at 2 o'clock, Wednesday afternoon, October 14th.

Petition of the Westminster Water Company, for Mandamus, Dismissed.

In the case of the Westminster Water Company against the Mayor and Common Council of Westminster, a petition to the Circuit Court for Carroll county for its writ of mandamus to compel the defendants to levy a tax of five cents on each $100 of assessable property within the corporate limits of said city for the benefit of the complainant, Judge Jones, before whom the case was recently argued, has passed an order dismissing the application. The order is brief and simply gives the conclusion to which the court has arrived in the case. It was filed this morning and is as follows.

Having given to this case as careful consideration as practicable in the time at my disposal, I am of the opinion that, assuming the act of 1876, Chapter 88, to be the law which regulates and determines the rights of the parties to this cause, under a proper interpretation of that act the writ of mandamus cannot be applied as an appropriate remedy for such wrongs as are alleged in the plaintiff's petition.

It is thereupon ordered this first day of October, 1903, that the application for the writ of mandamus in the above entitled cause be and the same is hereby refused and that the plaintiff's petition for the writ be and the same is hereby dismissed with costs to the respondent.

Without doubt an appeal will be taken to the Court of Appeals from this decision. The case is one in which all the taxpayers of the city are interested and is one of the most important considered by the court for this county for many years.

LIST OF UNCLAIMED MATTER

remaining in the Postoffice, Westminster, Md., Sept. 26th, 1903:

Alban, Wm. A.	Thompson, Mrs. Jane
Boerner, Mr. C. E.	Trout, Mrs. W.
Foreman, Miss Abbie	Walker, Amphrey
Little, Mrs. Mary	Weller, Mr. Henry
Moore, T. R. Esq.	Wilton, Richard

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

GEO. E. BAUGHMAN, P. M.

WEDDING BELLS.

McKinstry-Messler.

On Thursday, Octber 1st, the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Messler, of Union Bridge, was the scene of one of the most beautiful weddings ever witnessed in this part of the country, when their only daughter, Miss Mary Lemoin and Mr. William Edwin McKinstry, of McKinstry, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. McKinstry, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony, by Rev. Geo. W. Enders, pastor of St. James Lutheran Church of Union Bridge, assisted by Rev. B. F. Clarkson, of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

This was also the nineteenth anniversary of the birthday of the bride and was but a fitting climax to the delightful little house party given by Miss Messler that week to her most intimate friends. Promptly at 2.30 o'clock to the sweet strains of the wedding march from Lohengrin, played by the bride's cousin, Miss Adelaide Messler, of Linwood, attired in white silk mull over white silk, the bridal party proceeded from the house to the lawn, upon which was erected a beautiful arch covered with evergreens suspending a large bell. The bride was most handsomely robed in point d'esprit over taffeta and carried bride roses. Her veil was caught by a wreath of orange blossoms. The groom wore the usual black. The bride was attended by Miss Jessie S. Hollenberger, of College Heights, Union Bridge, as maid of honor, in white silk mull over white silk, and carried bridesmaid roses, and Mr. Joseph McKinstry, of Baltimore, brother of the groom was best man. Mr. John H. Messler, brother of the bride and Mr. Melvin Baker Lamberd, of Baltimore, were ushers. Immediately after the ceremony the maid of honor looped back the bride's veil and they then received the hearty congratulations of those present.

Mrs. McKinstry and her attendant were both graduates last spring of Maryland Collegiate Institute, and received high honors in the class. The bride had many warm friends at college, among both teachers and students where she was one of the most popular and attractive girls. A reception was held following the ceremony, after which Mr. and Mrs. McKinstry left on the fast mail train for an extended Northern trip. The bride wore, as a going away gown, a handsome tailor made suit of dark blue broadcloth, with black panne velvet hat and pearl gray gloves. The presents received were many and handsome.

DEATHS DOINGS.

Rezin T. Jenkins.

Mr. Rezin T. Jenkins, an aged resident of Freedom district, died at a hospital in Baltimore a few days ago, and his remains were interred in the burial ground at Morgan Chapel. Mr. Jenkins at one time kept a store at Daniel. Later he engaged in farming, but of recent years was retired from active life. He was between 75 and 80 years old. He leaves one daughter.

Mrs. Mary V. Fleishauer.

Mrs. Mary V. Fleishauer, wife of Mr. Geo. H. Fleishauer, died at her home in this city on Sunday morning last at the age of 42 years and 13 days. She had been ill for some time, but her death was unexpected. Funeral services were held on Monday afternoon, Rev. P. H. Miller, D. D., of Grace Lutheran Church, officiating, after which her remains were interred in Benjamin's Cemetery, near this city. Deceased was a sister of Mrs. Charles E Bowers, of this city. Her husband and one son survive her.

Orphans' Court.

Monday, September, 28th.—Letters of administration on the estate of Mary E. Poole, deceased, granted unto Emma J. Poole, who received orders to notify creditors, and to sell leasehold estate.

Joseph H. Study bonded as guardian to William A. Study.

J. Oliver Wadlow, executor of Joseph Slack, deceased, returned inventories of personal property and debts.

Edward Shorb, executor of Washington Shorb, deceased, reported sale of real estate.

The last will and testament of John Deckenbaugh, deceased, was admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon granted unto Mary L. Deckenbaugh, who received order to notify creditors.

Tuesday, September 29th.—Letters of administration on the estate of Mary R. Schwartz, deceased, granted unto Charles B. Schwartz.

William H. Sharp, guardian to John C. Sharp, settled first and final account.

Mary A. Lane, administratrix of John T. Lane, deceased, settled first and final account.

Suicide at Taneytown.

Mrs. Elizabeth Beard, widow of John Beard, of Taneytown, committed suicide at her home in that place some time on Wednesday. Her lifeless body was found about 10.30 o'clock Wednesday night by her nephew, Mr. William Bankard, who had rooms in the house, but did not take his meals there.

Mrs. Beard had taken a cord from an old-fashioned bed and tied one end of it to the railing at the head of the stairway in the hall and the other end around her neck, and then apparently dropped over the side of the railing. When Mr. Bankard, returning from business, opened the hall door with his night-key he was horrified to see Mrs. Beard hanging by the neck, and obeying a sudden impulse fled into the street, crying for help. When assistance was found and a physician summoned it was found that she had been dead for several hours. Her body was cold and rigid.

An examination of the premises disclosed that she had laid out her best clothing in two of her rooms, apparently to be used in her burial, but nothing was found to indicate the cause of the act. As far as known she had not intimated to anyone an intention to take her own life, nor did she leave any writing by way of explanation. Her husband died last winter, leaving her in comfortable circumstances, but she seemed deeply grieved by his death and at times despondent. She was about 60 years old, and was Mr. Beard's second wife. Her maiden name was Hendrickson, and at the time of her marriage she resided in Frederick, and was connected with prominent citizens of that place.

Berrett Items.

We are having fine weather for seeding and corn cutting. Our farmers have all their fallow ground seeded and are cutting off their corn. Preparing the ground for the seed, will take an extra amount of work, owing to the quantity of filth that has accumulated during the wet weather.

The registers of the 2nd precinct of Freedom district sat here on Tuesday and registered 18 names and transferred 6.

Rev. Mr. Evans of the M. P. Church delivered his first sermon here on Sunday last.

Mr. Jacob Brandenburg, a farmer near Oakland, but formerly of this place, died last week and was buried on Sunday last.

Mr. Jonathan Dorsey filled his silo this week. He has a new gasoline engine with which he is running the cutter and elevator and is giving good satisfaction.

Mr. Peyton Conaway and son, of Baltimore, visited Mr. and Mrs. John H. Conaway, on Saturday and Sunday last, and returned to Baltimore on Monday morning.

Misses Abbie and Carrie Shoemaker visited Mrs. Arch Dorsey last Sunday afternoon.

Miss Effie Conaway, of Berrett, paid a visit to her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Buckingham, on Wednesday last.

Porter's Items.

With the favorable weather we have been having the last couple of weeks farmers are getting along finely with corn cutting and seeding.

Mr. Will Trenwith, who has been sick for a couple of weeks, is very ill with inflammation of the bowels and at this writing has not improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Golding and daughter Lillian, of Baltimore, who had been visiting Mr. L. M. Bushey's family here and also friends near Hoods Mill, have returned home and will soon occupy their new house in Govanstown.

Mrs. Greenberry Wilson and son Burton recently went to Virginia to visit Mrs. Wilson's brother, Dr. D. F. Shipley. Mrs. Wilson has returned home, leaving her son there for treatment. He has been in ill health for some time.

Mr. Bushey and sons cut corn and filled Mr. W. Y. Frizzell's silo last week, and are now filling Mr. John Dorsey's, near Berrett.

A Pleasant Social Event.

Misses Bessie and Anna Lee entertained a few friends at their home in this city, Wednesday evening. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Atlee W. Wampler, Mrs. Isaac Long and two children, Misses Bessie and Anna Lee, Julia, Lulu and Grace Yingling, Rev. W. C. Harden, of Patapsco circuit, Messrs. Charles Lee, Earnest Martin and Guy N. Fringer. Refreshments were served.

Last day of registration—Tuesday, Octber 6th. Don't forget it and don't fail to have your name on the lists.

Golden Wedding.

On Tuesday, 29th ult., Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Stoner, of this city, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage, or golden wedding, at their home, No. 168 West Main street, an occasion to which few married couples attain. Mr. and Mrs. Stoner were married September 29th, 1853, at the home of the bride's parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Christian Royer, of Bachman's Valley. The marriage ceremony was performed by Elder Philip Boyle, of New Windsor, a prominent minister of the German Baptist Brethren's Church. The bride was in her 20th year. In their early married life they united with the Brethren's Church, of which they have ever since been members—and were baptized on the same day by the minister by whom they had been united in matrimony.

Shortly after their marriage they removed to a farm purchased by Mr. Stoner, near Union Bridge, and subsequently to a fine farm owned by them between Pleasant Valley and Frizellburg. Some years later they removed to Iowa and thence to Kansas. In 1893 they returned to this county and have ever since resided at their present home in this city.

Of thirteen children born to Mr. and Mrs. Stoner eleven are still living and seven of them were present at their golden wedding. Those unavoidably absent were: Messrs. John, Clayton and George E. Stoner, and Mrs. Lucinda Lesh.

The large company present at the celebration, composed of the brothers and sisters, sons and daughters, grandaged couple, sat down to a sumptuous dinner, indulging heartily in its enjoyment, and many of them engaging in reminiscent conversation.

During the afternoon the entire company, numbering 44 persons, from the aged matron of seventy years to the youngster of scarcely two months, was photographed in a group, by Mr. Jas. D. Mitchell, a well known photographer of this city.

Those present on the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Stoner, of this city; Mr. and Mrs. John R. Stoner, of Tsurmont; Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Stoner, Mrs. Augustus Little, Mrs. Mary Larew, of Union Bridge; Mr. David Stoner, Mr. Christian Royer, Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Geiman, of Westminster; Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Royer, of Melrose; Mrs. David F. Rhodes, of Peabody, Kansas; Mrs. Anna Myers, of North English, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Stoner, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Stoner, of Westminster; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stoner, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Stoner, of Gettysburg; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Klein, of Frederick; Misses Vera and Ava Rhodes, of Peabody, Kansas; Misses Fay, Marie and Margaret Stoner, Masters Reginald and Duane Stoner, of Westminster; Misses Ava, Helen and Mildred Stoner, Masters Harold, Willard, Clarence and Ralph Stoner, of Gettysburg, Pa.; Master Wilber Stoner, of Union Bridge; Master Cyril Klein, of Frederick; Miss Pauline Fuss, of Union Bridge. The brothers and sisters, sons and daughters and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Stoner are separately grouped in the above list. Mary C. Brightful, for a long time a domestic in Mr. Stoner's family, was also present.

Uniontown Items.

Mrs. Grace Strite, of Hagerstown, was the guest of Miss Romain Hollenberry and other friends in town during the past week.

Mrs. John Ward, of Baltimore, visited Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Eckard the week past, and also attended the burial of her aunt, Margaret Caylor.

Miss Clara Dotterer, who was visiting friends in Baltimore, returned on Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. Harry Hodes and family, of Hutton, Ills., are spending some time with Mrs. H's. parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall G. Shaw, at White Oak Spring.

Mrs. Harriet Baker had sale on Saturday of her personal property, which brought fair prices. House and lot was not sold but bid in at twohundred and thirty-five dollars.

Mr. Harry Weaver spent Monday in Baltimore, the guest of Mrs. Penelope Martin and daughter Jennie.

Mr. Frank Palmer had the misfortune to lose the nail off of one of his great toes, by a horse tramping on the foot. Dr. Luther Kemp dressed the wound.

Quite a number of the friends of Mr. George Selby assembled at his home last Thursday evening, after C. E. Society meeting, and gave him a birthday party, which to him was a perfect surprise. The evening hours were very enjoyably passed, closing with a bountiful repast, furnished by the guests present. Mr. Selby appreciated the favors very much and felt honored by the presence of his friends.

Rev C. E. McCullough, pastor of the M. P. Church, and children, Kenneth and Caroline, have taken the cottage, Rocky Grove, at Pen-Mar Park, for two weeks, enjoying a vacation granted by the congregations of his charge.

Miss Minnie Mathias is visiting friends in Baltimore.

Mr. Clayton Hann, street car conductor, of Baltimore, is visiting his family this week.

Miss Grace Sullivan is enjoying a visit to friends in Baltimore, and is the guest of Mr. Charley Row's family.

Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Clyde Routson, and son, Thomas Clyde, Jr., were guests of the Dr's. parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hambleton Routson, over Tuesday night.

Miss Melvie Arnold, who had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Arnold, has returned to Littlestown, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. George Creager, of Baltimore, who had been visiting Mrs. Hannah Dotterer and other friends, are now visiting at Fair View.

Mrs. Morrison D. Smith has returned from a visit to friends in Baltimore.

Misses Isabel Weaver and Annie Beard were guests of Miss Clara Dotterer, at Woodside, on Sunday.

Preaching in the Church of God Sunday morning and evening, by the pastor, Rev. J. D. Clark. Morning subject, "Inward Fears;" in the evening an illustrated sermon, subject, "Our Pilot." Come and welcome.

Union Mills Items.

On the property of Mr. R. Nelson Koontz, along the turnpike, about midway between Union Mills and Silver Run, Smeach & Warehime will at once begin the erection of a new creamery, and when it is completed their establishments at Union Mills and Silver Run will both be closed. The new creamery will have the advantage of good spring water, which will considerably reduce the expenses of the firm.

Mr. Harry Tagg this week closed his blacksmith shop and left for Sparrows Point, Md., where he has secured a position in the Marine department of the works of the Maryland Steel Company.

Mr. Conrad Rusher has sold twenty-four and a half acres of land, with improvments, located in Cherrytown, to Mr. Charles Myers, for $1500.

At the first sitting of the registrars, twenty-four names were added to and six stricken from the registry lists of district No. 3.

Miller's Items.

Mr. Albert Miller, wife and mother, of Indiana, spent the past week visiting the former's cousin, Mr. Isaiah Miller and family.

Mrs. Noah Miller was called to the bedside of her dying sister, Mrs. Fleishauer, at Westminster, last week, after which Mrs. F. slowly passed away. Her funeral was held Monday last. She leaves a husband and one son.

Mrs. Ada Ray and children, Ruth and Lawrence, of Baltimore, are visiting friends and relatives here.

Miss Rosie Lawson, of Garrison, Baltimore county, spent several days recently, visiting her cousin, Miss Alvertie Miller.

Miss Laura Miller has been confined to her room the past week with tonsilitis.

During the heavy thunder storm, on Sunday last, lightning struck in the church here doing considerable damage.

Miss Cora Miller, near here, spent several days recently visiting in Baltimore.

Tuesday next will be Registration Day. Don't forget it.

Manchester Items.

When expressman Burgoon found out that Saturday was a blank in the baseball schedule he championed his nine and again challenged Greenmount. The latter nine seemed anxious to have another hit at the expressman, who was crowing over his championship in twice defeating the Greenmount boys. The challenge was accepted and they were on the diamond in good time, feeling that they would succeed. Harry Miller umpired and when he called the game the following line up responded:

Greenmount.		Burgoonites.
Smith,	p.	H. Burgoon,
Reed,	c.	E. Burgoon,
Yingling,	1b.	Myers,
I. Reed,	2b.	Gardner,
Bixler,	3b.	Fuhrman,
Albaugh,	ss.	Trout,
LaMotte,	cf.	A. Burgoon,
Dehoff,	rf.	Kneller,
W. Burgoon.	lf.	Hoffman.

Although the game was not scientific it was full of amusement on account of errors and kicking on the decisions of the new umpire. They played nine innings, the score standing Manchester 11, Greenmount 5. Wm. S. Hoffman was scorer.

Mr. Herman Marshall and bride arrived home on the late train Thursday evening, and a sumptuous wedding supper was awaiting them which was much enjoyed. At a late hour Kunkel marshalled his host about the square and quietly marched to the Miller home, on North Main street, where with drum and fife, bell and horn, they gave the bride and groom an old time serenade, prolonging the tumult until they made their appearance.

Miss Ida M. Roeder, while in Hagerstown last week, accepted a position as teacher of music in the Kee-Mar College of that place, for the scholastic year. Miss Roeder has been a student at the Peabody for several years and goes fully equipped for the position.

Messrs. W. D. Hanson, Wm. E. Masenhimer, George Kexel, H. W. Bossom, and Tilden Zepp represented Daniel and Jacob Lodge No. 23, in the I. O. O. F. parade on Wednesday last in Baltimore. They marched with the Gardenville Lodge. Geo. S. Motter was among the grand officers of the Grand Encampment.

Mr. Earl C. Brilhart and bride will be domiciled in the Warner block, corner of Foundry and Germantown avenues.

Mr. J. Wesley Myers, of Hanover, was in town on Monday on business, and informed us that they have increased their shoe factory to a capacity of 4,000 pairs a week and are running on full time, to supply their own stores.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Houck, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. B. Houck and Mrs. Turner attended the funeral of their cousin, Mrs. Fleishauer, on Monday. Mrs. F. was a native of this town and spent her girlhood among a large circle of friends here, whose deepest sympathy goes out to the bereaved ones.

We gathered a pepper from our garden that measured 12¼ inches in circumference.

New Windsor Items.

The entertainment held in the I. O. O. F. Hall by the ladies of the Aid Society of the M. E. Church, on Tuesday evening, consisting of tableaux, music and other amusements, proved to be a great success. The hall was comfortably filled but there were many who were unable to find seats. The entertainment was gotten up through the hard work of U. G. Heltibridle, E. S. Bankerd, Mrs. L. S. Bankerd and Mrs. Annie Smelser. The tableaux were made more interesting with the use of different colored lights were which introduced by Mr. E. S. Bankerd. The proceeds amounted to about $30.00. Following is the program: Tableau: "Days in Old Virginia," scenes 1 and 2; solo, "When the Woodbine leaves turn red," H. K. Anders; tableau, "The end of sweet Summer days;" duet, "Roses kissed by the Sunshine," Mrs. A. C. Smelser, U. G. Heltibridle; a sketch, "How Women conduct business meetings; solo, "Down in the deep let me sleep when I die," H. D. Ensor; tableau, "He cannot begin too early"; quartet, "Come Where the Lillies Bloom," U. G. Heltibridle, H. S. Stouffer, H. K. Anders, H. D. Ensor; tableau, "Going off to Sleepy town; recitation, "When will you marry me?" Carmen Nocodemus; tableau, "Engaged in April;" cornet solo, Arthur Stonesifer; tableau, "The Prof. and the Seminary girls;" tableau, "Seeing things at night; solo, "Courage," H. S. Stouffer; tableau, "A Scene from Texas;" tableau, "Respecting the Flag;" male quartet, "Star Spangled Banner."

On Tuesday evening while Fred. Lambert, the son of Postmaster A. E. Lambert, was playing on the iron rod in front of the store of W. A. Anders, he slipped and fell over the rod landing on his head and breaking his collar bone. It was not until Wednesday evening that it was found out. Dr. Brown set the fractured bone and he is getting along as nicely as could be expected.

Messrs. Leslie Heim and Sterling Getty left on Thursday morning for the University of Maryland in Baltimore, where they expect to attend the following term. The Bankerd Bros. are painting the Bank Building which has greatly added to its appearance.

Pleasant Valley Items.

Mrs. Emily Arthur, of Frizellburg, and Mrs. Nellie Freeman, of Baltimore, visited Mrs. H. T. Wantz one day this week.

Mrs. Elsie Myers and son Vernon have returned home from Baltimore after spending a week among Mrs. M's. relatives.

Rev. James B. Stonesifer will have Communion here Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Preparatory Services and confirmation Saturday at 2 P. M. Prof. Krebbs, of Littlestown, will assist him. Rev. Wm. H. Ehrhart will have Communion and also preach his farewell sermon here Sunday, October 11th, at 10 o'clock. Preparatory services on Saturday afternoon, at 2 o'clock.

Mr. Edward W. Devilbiss, operator of Mr. Jos. P. Yingling's two apple butter cookers, says he boiled last week for 38 persons, making in all 703 gallons of butter.

On last Wednesday, while Mr. Jacob Lawyer was filling his silo, it is supposed a spark from the engine blew on the house, starting it to burn but before it made much headway a number of neighbors had gathered and soon had it under control. Loss between $20 and $25.

Mr. Jos. P. Yingling is building a silo on his farm. Mr. Samuel Crouse is doing the carpenter work.

Mrs. Nettie Ebaugh and daughters, of Carrollton, are visiting Mrs. E's. parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hahn.

Winfield Items.

Mrs. Harman, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Foutz, is quite sick at this writing.

Miss Mabel Hughes, of Baltimore, who had been visiting Mrs. A. J. Stem for two weeks past, returned home on Monday.

Mr. Jno. H. Mitten, of Westminster Republican candidate for Judge of the Orphans' Court, was in our vicinity on Saturday.

The Academy Board met in Academy Hall, Thursday evening, September 24th. Their plans for the year were outlined and discussed. It was decided to hold a Grand Rally in the hall on October 3rd, Saturday, at which the Board could report its condition now and outline its plans for the future. At the meeting Saturday evening, Rev. A. C. Campbell of New Windsor, and Revs. G. F. Watson and A. B. Wood, of this circuit, will speak on educational topics and Mr. H. M. Zile and Prof. Vernon S. Bradley will speak for the Academy Board. No admission will be charged. Every one should attend the meeting. The Elite Orchestra will furnish music.

The friends of the Academy have advertised to give an oyster supper in the Academy Hall, on Saturday evening, October 10th, beginning at 6 o'clock.

Gamber Items.

A series of meetings is in progress at Providence M. P. Church.

Quite a number of children of the immediate neighborhood are on the sick list.

Mr. C. J. H. Ganter was in our village on last Monday looking after his political interests. Good luck to you Charley.

Mr. A. P. Gordon Cumming has had a C. & P. telephone connected with his residence.

Mrs. Dr. S. N. Gorsuch and son Maurice are spending some time with friends in New Jersey.

Mrs. Mary Stricker has returned home from a visit to friends in Baltimore.

Mrs. A. T. Buckingham and daughter Bertha were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Warren L. Shipley on Saturday and Sunday last.

Last day of registration—Tuesday, October 6th. Don't forget it and don't fail to have your name on the lists.

DIED.

In this city, Sept. 26th, 1903, Mary V., wife of Geo. H. Fleishauer, aged 42 years and 13 days.

IN MEMORIAM—CONAWAY.

In sad but loving remembrance of our daughter, Mamie E. Conaway, nee Pickett, who fell asleep in Jesus one year ago to-day, October 2nd, 1902.

"Gone but not forgotten."

Through the pearly gates of heaven
Passed the one we loved so dearly;
God thought it best to take her from us,
Though she left our home so drear.
Sleep, dear daughter, and take thy rest,
God took you home he thought it best;
Still our home is silent, sad and lonely,
Every spot is desolate and drear.
As we listen for the voice of Mamie,
That we never more on earth shall hear.
Mamie dear, you don't know how we miss you,
Miss you more than hearts and words can tell;
Blessed is every hour and day that passes,
Bringing us nearer with you to dwell.
Friends may think we might in time forget you,
And our wounded hearts would quickly heal,
But they little know the bitter sorrow,
That's within our deepest hearts concealed.
All your pains, dear Mamie, are now over,
Every restless trouble and sorrow passed,
You are now at blissful peace forever,
Safely home and happy in heaven at rest.

By her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pickett.

She's gone, but was so young and fair,
She slumbers sweet but knows no care,
Her heart was true, her life was young,
Yet not our will, but God's be done.
And as the angels whispered low,
Dear Mamie, you with us must go,
To where the harps play clear and sweet.
Where you some day your friends shall meet.
We miss you from our home dear sister,
We miss thee from thy place,
A shadow o'er our life is cast,
We miss the sunshine of thy face.

By her Brothers and Sister.

MATHERS'.

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