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PUBLIC SALE REGISTER.

Notices of Sales, for which BILLS are printed at this Office will be published under this head for 50 Cents. When bills are printed elsewhere $1.00 will be charged. Terms Cash.

Tuesday, March 1st, at a. 9 m., C. B. and A. R. Anders, agents, 3¼ miles south of Union Bridge, will sell 49 head of Jersey and "Brown Swiss" Cows and Heifers, Horses and Farming Implements. Part of herd is registered.

Wednesday, March 2, at 10 a m.—2 horses, 9 cows, 3 fresh by day of sale; 10 Shoats, brood sow and pigs, large lot of farming impiements, &c., F. W. Bush, on the Magrie L. Bush farm, near Sandyville. F. A. Crawford auctioneer.

Wednesday, March 2nd, at 12 m. sharp, farm utensils, furniture, &c., by James Baker, on the Nicodemus road between Gamber and Bird Hill.

Saturday, March 19th, at 1° m. sharp, driving horse, yearling colt, Hambletonian stock; buggies, harness, furniture, &c., by Thomas Kauffman, No. 139 West Main street, Westminster. E. N. Davis, auctioneer.

Saturday, Feb. 27th, at 12 m., furniture of all kinds, consisting of bedroom suits, bureaus, tables, chairs, stands, chests, carpet and matting, stoves, &c., by Mrs. Jno. H. Martin, Belle Grove Square, Westminster. E. N. Davis, auct.

Friday, March 4th, 1 p. m., at Smallwood, horses, fresh cows, 2 brood sows, 4 shoats, and full line of farming implements, all new. Also, at the same time, 2½-acre woodlot with fine growth of white oak and chestnut timber. Silas H. Arnold. Jos. W. Berret, Levi T. Frizzell, autioneers.

Amos W. Wilson will sell his stock, farming impiements, household effects, &c., on the farm where he now resides, known as the Limekiln Farm of B. John Black, on the Marriottsville road, in Baltimore county, adjoining the lands of L. O. Robinson and the late Vernon W. Dorsey, jr., at public auction, on Wednesday, February 24th, 1904, at 10 o'clock, a. m.

Thursday, February 18th, at 12 m., sharp, 2 horses, 2 cows, shoats, buggy, wagons, binder, mower, plows, harrows, corn, potatoes, hay, furniture, &c., by Ann R. Haines and Willie L. Farver, administrators of John T. Haines, on the Jesse Bare farm near Bloom.

Thursday, March 17th, at 10 a. m., 6 mules, 1 mare, 17 cows, 1 brood sow, 7 shoats, wagons, 2 binders, 2 mowers, plows, corn harvester, and all farm implements, by John Wagner, 4 miles from Westminster on Washington road. Sale regardless of weather. E. N. Davis, auct.

Thursday, Feb. 25th, at 10 a. m., 4 horses, 4 mule colts, 6 cows, 3 heifers, 2 bulls, wagons, binder, mower, plows, harrows, drill, check row corn planter, sulky corn plow, horse rake, harness, &c., half interest in growing crops of wheat, rye and barley, by Mrs. Jno. H. Baker, on the Robt. P. Gorsuch farm, on the Ridge road, 2¼ miles from Warfieldsburg.

Wednesday, March 9th, at 12 m., sharp, 4 horses, 4 brood mares, 2 colts, 5 cows, 1 brood sow, 7 shoats, binder, mower, wagons, sleigh, sled, plows, harrows, corn plow, harness, furniture, &c., by Frank M. Roberts, on the Sams Creek road, 1 mile from D. E. Stem's Store, near Bethel M. E. Church. 10 months credit.

Thursday, March 10th, at 10 a. m., 5 horses, 1 colt, 5 cows, 1 sow and pigs, wagons, binder, mower, drill, plows, feed mill, feed cutter, harness, &c., by Jas. L. Diffendall, on the Jno. E. Stonesifer farm, 3 miles from Westminster, on the Littlestown turnpike.

Monday, March 1st, at 9 a. m., 10 horses, pair of mules, 18 cows, 16 heifers, corn, hay, and all farming impiements used on the two farms of the late Judge Roberts will be sold on the Rockland farm on the Uniontown turnpike 2½ miles from Westminster by the trustees. J. Thos. Roop, auctioneer.

Tuesday, March 29th, at 10 a. m., 3 horses, 9 cows, 6 Guernsey bulls, 2 brood sows and pigs, corn and potatoes, farming utensils, dairy fixtures, &c., by Francis Orendorff, on Bachman Valley road 3¾ miles from Westminster. J. Thos. Roop, auct.

Thursday, March 3rd, at 12 m. sharp, 2 horses, 8 head of horned cattle, 2 thoroughbred Jerseys, 6 fine shoats, 1 Empire binder, 1 Deering mower, western and other wagons, chopping mill, plows, harrows, horse rake, apples, furniture, &c., by Chas. P. Babylon, 2½ miles from Westminster, on the county road leading from Hughes' shop to the Pleasant Valley road.

Tuesday, March 1st, at 1 o'clock, p. m., 1 bay mare, Osborn binder, 6-foot cut mower, both in good order; wagon, rake, harrow, plows, corn planter, sled, harness, corn, seed potatoes, half interest in growing wheat, rye and barley, by Edward Bowersox, on the G. W. Weaver farm, on the road leading from the Balto. turnpike to Carrollton Station.

Monday, March 14th, at 10 a. m., 1 horse, mare, 3 mules, 1 colt, 12 cows, bull, heifer, 4 hogs, hay carriage, wagons, plows, harrows, cultivators, sulky corn plow, binder, mower, springtooth rake, hay tedder, weeder, grain separator, drill, wheat fan, circular saw, horse powers, sled, &c., by Milton P. Myers, adjoining Bachman's Mills, in Bachman's Valley.

Monday, Feb. 29th, at 1° m., sharp, 3 horses, 1 cow, 18 ewes, 1 buck, 4 wagons, 1 Deering binder, 2 mowers, plows, harness, corn, iron clad milk cans, hay, furniture, &c., in Cranberry Valley, on the Sullivan road, 4 miles from Westminster, by Wm. K. Steele. 12 months credit.

Tuesday, March 15th, at 12 m., sharp, 1 mare, 3 cows, wagon, sleigh, buggy, binder, mower, plows, drill, harrow, harness, &c., by Mrs. Mary A. Weimert, 2¼ miles from Westminster, near the Manchester road and near the Tannery. 10 months credit.

Wednesday, March 23rd, at 10 a. m., Joseph J. Price, of Meadow Branch, 2¼ miles west of Westminster, on the farm of Samuel Roop, will sell 6 horses, 20 cows and his entire stock of farming implements. J. Thos. Roop, auct.

Wednesday, March 16th, at 9 a. m., 1 mare, 1 horse, 4 mules, 1 colt, 20 milk cows, most of them Jerseys, fat steer, throughbred Jersey bull, 13 heifers, 40 shoats, 8 brood sows and pigs, Chester boar, 8 horse power portable engine, Tornado ensilage cutter and carrier, Empire cream separator, 50 gal. churn butter worker, 4-bottle Babcock milk tester, Cantilever print and butter box, milk cans, farm utensils, furniture, by Jacob L. Shafer, on the Sullivan road, 3¾ miles from Westminster. F. A. Crawford, auct.

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.

Lent will begin on Wednesday next, 17th inst.

Sunday next will be St. Valentine's day.

The salaries of the teachers of the public schools of this county were paid by Treasurer Simpson, for the School Commissioners, to day.

The anniversary of the birthday of President Lincoln occurs today, February 12th, and will be celebrated in many prominent places throughout the country.

While peeling and slicing potatoes on Monday moring Mrs. Allen Franklin, a worthy colored woman on Charles street, this city, halved one of the tubers, in the centre of which a slight vacuum appeared in the exact form of a perfect cross. The vegetable curiosity was exhibited in this office by Elias Cole.

Many persons from this city and county and from the counties of Frederick and Washington, in this State, and Adams, Franklin and York in Pennsylvania went to Baltimore over the Western Maryland Railroad, the early days of this week, to see the awe-inspiring sight of a large section of a great city going down before the relentless flames of a mighty conflagration.

Mr. Levi Barnes, who is conducting the Bonsack farm, near this city, left at the SENTINEL office, on Wednesday, two hen's eggs, one of which measures 6 by 8 inches in circumference and the other 6¼ by 7¼ inches. They are double eggs, which accounts for their large size. They were laid by a young Plymouth Rock hen, which, strange to say, lays no other kind of eggs, but, during the past three or four weeks, has produced one of them nearly every day. Mr. Barnes has also among his flock several other Plymouth Rock hens which lay double eggs occasionally and he has gathered as many as three of them in a single day.

Numbers of persons from this city who held positions in Baltimore have been thrown out of employment by the great fire.

Mrs. Mary Donahue, a former resident of Myers' district, died at the county home on Saturday, and her remains were interred at Silver Run on Tuesday. She leaves one son who lives in the West.

The ladies of the Benevolent and Aid Society of St. Paul's Reformed Church gave an entertainment at the residence of Mayor O. D. Gilbert, last night, which was largely attended and very successful, the program having been welll rendered and much enjoyed. It included the play, "The Maidens All Forlorn," recitations, music &c.

Carrie Barnhart and Nettie Frisby, two colored girls of this city, were committed to the House of Correction for six months, on the charge of being habitually disorderly, by Justice Wm. Moore, on Wednesday last. Charles Groft at the same time entered a plea of guilty of disturbing the public peace and was fined $25 and costs. In default of payment he was committed to jail.

We find the following item among the locals in a late number of a Salisbury newspaper: "A notable improvement will be the residence of Dr. G. W. Todd, who has purchased the Brewington property adjoining the Salisbury National Bank, on Main street. The residence will be three stories high, red sand brick, with brown stone trimmings being the special feature of the facade. The building will be erected from the plan of architect, Paul Reese, and under his supervision. William Booth is the contractor. Work will be started at once." The architect referred to is Mr. Paul Reese, of this city.

The funeral services of the late Jacob Thomson, of this city, were held at Grace Lutheran Church on Sunday afternoon, and were attended by so many people that numbers of persons were unable to find even standing room inside the doors and remained in front of the church until the services were concluded. The members of Westminster Lodge No. 41, I. O. M.; Washington Camp No. 5, P. O. S. of A., and the Westminster Fire Department, of which the deceased was an honorary member, were present as organizations. The services were conducted by Rev. P. H. Miller, D. D., assisted by Rev. J. A. Weigand. The firemen were in full uniform. After the services the remains were taken to Westminster Cemetary for interment, escorted by the orders named and members of the Royal Arcanum. The burial rights of the Mechanics and P. O. S. of A. were performed at the grave. The pallbearers were: Messrs. Thomas Zepp, J. H. Handley, J. Wesley Yingling, Eli Butler, A. W. Buckingham and John H. Gerke.

February Term of Circuit Court.

The February term of the Circuit Court began on Monday last, but the only business transacted was the appointment of bailiffs and the adoption of a resolution of sympathy with the City of Baltimore in the great calamity which has fallen upon it. The bailiffs named for the term are: To the jury, Phineas A. Gorsuch; at the gates, James Boylan and Amos Hamilton. The resolution, which is self-explanatory, was transmitted to Mayor McLane, of Baltimore, in the following terms, by Judge Wm. H. Thomas:

Westminster, Md., February 8th, 1904.

Hon. Robert M. McLane, Mayor of Baltimore City. I send you the following message, as expressive of the sympathy and deep interest of our community:

Resolved, By the assembled Bar of Carroll county, in open court, that in behalf of the citizens of Carroll county, the deepest sympathy be tendered to the stricken City of Baltimore in this its awful disaster; that this court stand adjourned for two weeks as an evidence of this profound sympathy, and that the Honorable Wm. H. Thomas, Judge of the Circuit Court, be requested to send a telegram to the Honorable Robert M. McLane, mayor of Baltimore, expressing these sentiments and offering to take such public action for relief in this deplorable calamity as may be suggested by him in aid of Baltimore.

WM. H. THOMAS,
Associate Judge, &c.

For the Sentinel.

A Pressing Need of our Firemen.

MR. EDITOR:—I have observed in a Baltimore afternoon paper that the Westminster firemen, who went to the former place on Sunday night to aid in fighting the great fire by which it was more than decimated, stood up to their knees in the icy waters of the falls, while they saved the Baltimore street bridge from destruction. Now, I happen to know that only some of them were provided with rubber boots and that the others had on only ordinary footwear while performing this service, and, consequently, their feet were thoroughly saturated with water. About 16 or 18 years ago, from a fund derived from some source unknown to the writer, rubber boots were purchased for the members of the department, but most of them are no longer serviceable, and, I think, new ones should be supplied in their stead.

The firemen furnish their own fire hats, at a cost of about $4 each, and pay monthly dues to keep the organization supplied with means for current expenses, and I think the city authorities should see to it that each man has a serviceable pair of rubber boots. The good work they did in Baltimore, as told by the papers of that city, shows that they form a very efficient and reliable body of volunteer firefighters, and they ought not to be obliged, while they work for nothing, and tax themselves for the privlege, to be burdened with the expense of providing such necessary articles as rubber boots for use on occasions when they afford great protection to their health. The purchase of these articles by our corporate authorities I think would only be a matter of

JUSTICE.

Orphans' Court.

Monday, February 8th.—Levi Shaffer, administrator of George Shaffer, deceased, returned inventories of personal property, debts and money, and received order to sell personal property.

Harvey G. Franklin and Ernest R. Franklin, administrators of Sarah A. Franklin, deceased, settled first and final account.

John T. Barnes and Geo. A. Barnes, executors of George H. Barnes, deceased, returned report of sale of personal property, inventories of money and debts; also stated first account.

Josiah Erb, executor of Louisa Erb, deceased, returned report of sale of real estate.

Solomon S. Shoemaker and Oliver T. Shoemaker, administrators, d. b. n. c. t. a., of William Shoemaker, returned report of sale of real estate.

Arthur S. Stevenson, administrator of Charles T. Stevenson, deceased, returned inventories of personal property, money and debts; also received orders to sell personal property and stocks.

Tuesday, February 9th.—Letters of administration on the estate of Jacob Thomson, late of Carroll county, deceased, granted unto Elias O. Grimes and Charles L. Thomson, who received warrant to appraise, also order to notify creditors.

John Milton Reifsnider, administrator of Sarah N. Heagy, late of Carroll county, deceased, settled first and final account.

The last will and testament of Fannie Engleman, late of Carroll county, deceased, admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon granted unto Nathan H. Baile, who received warrant to appraise, also order to notify creditors.

Eden Items.

Mrs. George E. Albert and Mrs. Stewart M. Yeatts, of Philadelphia, who spent last week with their uncle, Mr. D. H. Leister, and other relatives, returned home on Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Zepp, near here, recently fell on the ice and broke one of her ribs.

Miss Lucretia Shaffer has been visiting her sister, Mrs. George Ruby, of Hampstead.

Pink-eye, mumps and whooping cough have all made their appearance in this vicinity; but are all unwelcome visitors.

Mrs. C. C. Kelbaugh and Miss Anna Kelbaugh, of Hampstead, visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Houck, one day last week.

Quarterly conference will be held February 13th, at Mt. Union, and preaching service at 7 P. M. Communion service on Sunday at 10 A. M.

Westminster's Fire Department at the Great Baltimore Fire.

About midnight of Sunday last a startling and prolonged alarm call rang out from the bell of the firemen's building in this city, creating the impression that a fire had broken out here requiring prompt efforts at suppression. Quickly the firemen gathered and it was soon learned that an appeal for help had come from Baltimore. In about half an hour, with such apparatus of the department as could be used, most of the members of the company were on their way by special train to aid in fighting the great fire then raging in the State's metropolis. That they did some effective work is shown by accounts appearing in the Baltimore newspapers. The *World* of Monday says:

"At 1.30 o'clock this morning firemen of Westminster department stood to their waists in Jones' falls and poured water on the blazing Lombard street bridge over the falls, saving it."

The *Sun*, at greater length, tells of the successful effort to save Kernan's theatre. It says:

"Kernan's Monumental Theatre was saved from destruction by the gallant work of the Westminster Fire Department. While all the buildings across the falls were totally enveloped in flames, which leaped to the walls of the theatre, the members of the department took a perilous position on the small frame passageway, hanging over the falls, and which leads from the street to the bowling alleys in the rear of the theatre.

"With one stream of water they succeeded in extinguishing the blaze each time it took hold of the theatre. The frame bowling alleys were saved from the flames by the employees of the Monumental, who organized a bucket brigade.

"The saving of the theatre was watched by several hundred persons, among whom were Mr. James L. Kernan, the proprietor of the house, and when the firemen had accomplished their task they received an outburst of applause from the spectators."

The *News* of the 11th says: The Monumental Theatre, just across Jones' Falls, on East Baltimore street, escaped destruction. It was saved by the volunteer firemen from Westminster, and now stands as a monument to their bravery. The buildings on the west side of the Falls from Baltimore street to the water front were all destroyed.

While it is not intimated it is probable that saving the theatre prevented the destruction of much other valuable property adjacent thereto, and thus arrested the progress of the devouring element, which otherwise might have swept onward over Southeast Baltimore unchecked. But this was not the only good work done by the company. Only a detachment of the organization, under the direction of Chief F. T. Shaeffer, was engaged at the point mentioned. Another detachment, under the supervision of ex-Chief O. D. Gilbert, was stationed on the east side of Lombard street bridge, and not only saved that structure, but confined the fire to a large knee pants and overalls factory next to the bridge on the north side of the street and thus prevented it from spreading to the adjacent residence section, which is occupied, principally, by people in humble circumstances. The firemen at this point worked, as did their comrades of the other detachment, under very great disadvantages. Smoke and sparks from the large storage warehouses in flames on the west side of the Falls, poured in upon them in such dense volumes that they were sometimes in complete darkness and in danger of suffocation. Mr. W. Frank Thomas was overcome by the smoke and heat and fell unconscious, and Mr. Frank M. Stevens had his eyes injured by sparks of fire. They were taken to Engine House No. 6, which was converted into a temporary hospital, and were able to return home on Monday evening. Their injuries were not serious.

The large lumber yards and immense buildings of the National Casket Company on the east side of the Falls, next to the Lombard street bridge, were saved by the Westminster boys, and some of the very humble homes in the neighborhood where this detachment was stationed were on fire, but the flames were suppressed, the homes saved and the progress of the fire arrested by the efforts of our gallant firemen, who deserve all honor for their heroic conduct.

They were really called to Baltimore by the Western Maryland Railroad for the purpose of guarding its property at Hillen Station, but the company, finding the danger not as great as feared, generously released them at the suggestion of Mr. H. G. Clark, its manager, for service at the point of greatest peril. They arrived on the scene just in time to most effective work. Westminster has just reason to be more proud then ever of her efficient fire organization.

The following letter from Manager Clark to Mr. J. H. Cunningham, a former president of the department, indicates the estimation in which the service it performed is held by those most able to appreciate it:

Western Maryland Railroad Company.
Baltimore, Md., February 9th, 1904.

Mr. J. H. Cunningham, Westminster, Md.

Dear Sir: Mr. Pratt has brought to my attention your letter of 8th inst. in regard to learn of the effective work done by the members of the Westminster Fire Company in the ear y morning of 8th inst. in saving Kernan's Monumental Theatre and the building of the National Casket Company from destruction and in preventing the fire spreading over the east side of the Falls near Baltimore street, which we were glad to note in the Baltimore papers this morning before receiving your letter. We wish to disclaim, however, any credit for the good and efficient work done by the members of your Company. The intelligent manner in which you grasped the situation and handled yourselves at that point in the face of the fire we are sure will be very gratifying to Baltimoreans when they are aware of the great personal risk you took in doing all that was within your power to check the spread of the fire beyond the Falls, and none of us will be able to realize the good you have done until we have recovered from the stupefying effects of the great calamity. We are glad to know that the members of your company escaped without injury and reached home in safety after their splendid efforts.

Yours truly,
H. G. CLARK, Manager.

Several other letters recognizing the good work done by the department have been received by some of the firemen from persons in Baltimore.

Personal.

Miss Christie Roberts, near Sams Creek, is visiting friends in this city.

Rev. R. W. Doty and wife, of this city, spent last Wednesday at Mr. D. H. Leister's Eden Hill Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Baughman, who are domiciled in Baltimore for the winter, spent Wednesday in this city.

Miss Bertha Hull and Miss Eva Senseney, near Uniontown, visited friends in the city, this week.

Mr. Charles V. Dugan, formerly of this city, who has been with the Pullman Company for the last five years in Chicago, has accepted the position of assistant manager of the Mahin advertising Co., of Chicago.

Mr. Harvey S. Hoffman, of Shellsburg, Iowa, who had been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Hoffman, near Winfield, for several weeks, has returned to his western home accompanied by his nephew, Mr. Ray Yohn, Mr. Jordan and Mr. Waltz.

For her house guests, Miss Alverta Bennett and Miss Mary Bonebrake, both of Baltimore, Miss Cora Schaeffer, of this city, gave a sled ride Thursday night of last week, followed by a well appointed supper served at Miss Schaeffer's home on West Main street.

Gist Items.

Mr. D. E. McQuay met with what might have been a serious accident while driving a colt to his buggy on Tuesday, on the Klee mill road east of Gist. All went well until the Klee mill hill was reached, at which the road at this time is a solid sheet of ice. Fearing the colt might fall Mr. McQuay got out of the buggy and was leading the animal when it took fright at something and started to run. Mr. McQuay was thrown on the icy road with such force that both of his knees were very badly cut and bruised, but not seriously.

Mr. Samuel Hood and brother Hornsey, of Baltimore, visited Mrs. C. A. Jordan last Sunday.

The reflection of Baltimore's awful fire was seen very plainly here on Sunday night.

WEDDING BELLS.

Brown-Bankard.

Miss Maud E. Bandard, daughter of the late John Bankard, and granddaughter of the late Thomas B. Gist, of this city, and Mr. Charles E. Brown, also of this city, were married at 8.30 last night, at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Brown, at Stonersville. It was a very quiet wedding, only the families of the contracting parties having been present. There were no attendants. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. J. B. Stonesifer, pastor of Carroll charge, Reformed Church.

Snyder-Frankforter.

Miss Lottie B. Frankforter, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Frankforter, of Hampstead, and Mr. Frank B. Snyder were married at the home of the bride's parents on Wednesday afternoon. During the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. S. F. Tholan, of Hampstead charge, Lutheran Church, the bride and groom stood beneath a large floral bell. The bride wore a gown of blue nun's veiling trimmed with lace and carried a bouquet of white carnations. Mr. and Mrs. Snyder left on an afternoon train for a wedding trip. The bride's going away gown was snowflake broadcloth, with hat and gloves to match. They will reside in Hampstead.

Stonesifer-Hahn.

The house of Mr. Wesley J. Hahn, near Silver Run, was the scene of a quiet but very interesting wedding on Tuesday afternoon, 9th inst. The bride was Mr. Hahn's daughter, Miss Mary E. Hahn, and the groom Mr. Arthur L. Stonesifer, a well known young business man and skilled musician, of this city. In consequence of the long illness of the bride's mother no invitations to the wedding were issued and only the parents and sisters of the bride were witnesses of the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. J. Stewart Hartman, pastor of St. Mary's Reformed Church, Silver Run. The bride wore a wedding gown of white silk and the groom a suit of black cloth. Mr. and Mrs. Stonesifer took a short wedding trip. They will reside in this city.

Hull-Day.

At noon on Tuesday the neat little Reformed Church at Adamstown, Frederick county, was the scene of a very beautiful wedding which was of much interest to numbers of persons in this city, both the bride and groom being well known here. The groom, Mr. Harry Clay Hull, Jr., is a graduate of Western Maryland College, class of 1902, and the bride, Miss Celeste Day, has frequently visited her friend, Miss Martha I. Schaeffer, who was maid of honor at her wedding. She is a daughter of Mr. R. R. Day, of Adamstown, but her home has always been with her grandmother, Mrs. Mary A. Thomas, of that place, where the numerous guests were very handsomely entertained at a delicious wedding breakfast after the ceremony. At both the house and church the color scheme was violet, the church chancel having also been handsomely decorated with palms; the windows were darkened and the sacred place made brilliant with the light of chandeliers.

The bride wore a magnificent gown of old colonial brocaded white satin, which was the bridal gown of a near relative many years ago. She also wore a tulle veil and carried a large bouquet of white violets. Miss Martha I. Schaeffer, her maid of honor, was beautifully gowned in violet crepe de chine, with hat to match and carried a large bouquet of purple violets. Before the bridal procession entered the church Miss Lucy Eisenhauer, of Frederick, sang "Violets." Mr. Owen W. Compher played the wedding marches. The ushers were: Dr. Joseph Thomas, of Baltimore; Mr. Walter M. Graham, of Westminster; Mr. J. Randall Caton, of Alexandria, Va.; Mr. Bernard W. Thomas, of Adamstown; Dr. Atlee A. Radcliff, Messrs. Thomas L. Zimmerman, Harry J. Kefauvre and Guy K. Motter, of Frederick. Mr. R. H. Lee Reich, of Frederick, was best man. The bride entered the church leaning on the arm of her father, and was met by the groom, attended by his best man, at the altar, where the marriage ceremony was performed, with the ring service, and in a very impressive manner, by the pastor, Rev. Atvill Conner. "O, Perfect Love," was sung as a duet by Miss Eisenhaur, and Miss Ross Shirely, of Frederick, with the bride and groom and their attendante kneeling at the altar and presenting a scene that will not soon be forgotten by those who had the privilege and pleasure of witnessing the nuptials. Among those present from this city, were: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. L. W. Seasonse, great uncle and aunt of the bride; Mrs. Geo. K. Shaeffer, Misses Martha I. and Nellie Schaeffer.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

Mrs. Anna W. Voshell.

Mrs. Anna W. Voshell, widow of the late Col. John C. Voshell, died at her home on St. Paul street, Baltimore, on Wednesday and her remains will be interred at Smyrna, Del., tomorrow. An only daughter, Mrs. Arnold Kleff, formerly of this city, survives her.

George W. Shipley.

Mr. George W. Shipley, a prominent citizen of Woolery's district, died at his home at Sandyville, at an early hour this morning, of pneumonia, aged about 77 years. Mr. Shipley was a son of the late Grove Shipley, of this county, and a brother of Mr. Grove A. Shipley, of this city. His wife and the following children survive him: Messrs. Frederick C. and Ulysses H. Shipley, Mrs. John Conaway and Miss C. Gertie Shipley. One daughter, Mrs Keturah L. Shreeve, who was the wife of Mr. Jabez A. Shreeve, of Sandyville, is deceased. Mr. Shipley was an active and prominent member of Pleasant Grove M. E. Church and an earnest christian. Politically he was a staunch Republican. Fuseral services will be held at Pleasant Grove Church on Sunday morning, meeting at the house to be at 9 o'clock.

Andrew Myerly.

Mr. Andrew Myerly, a well known resident of Wakefield Valley, died at his home in Jasontown, on Friday evening last, in his 74th year. Mr. Myerly was engaged in merchandising. He was a very worthy man and an excellent citizen, who had the respect, confidence and good will of all who knew him. He leaves a widow and the following children: Mr. George Myerly and Mrs. Hitchcock, of Waynesboro, Pa.; Mr. Samuel Myerly, of Gamber; Mrs. David Hubbs, of Woodberry, Baltimore; Mrs. James Warner, of Double Pipe Creek; Mrs. David Warehime, of Pleasant Valley; Mrs. Brothers, of Frizellburg, and Mrs. Arthur Wagner. Mr. Myerly was a Democrat, politically, and a member of the Reformed Church. Funeral services were held at his late residence on Monday afternoon, Rev. James B. Stonesifer officiating, after which the remains were interred in Benjamin's Cemetery, near this city.

Samuel J. Ogg.

Mr. Samuel J. Ogg, an aged and well known citizen of this county, died, at his home in the vicinity of Ogg's Summit, in Westminster district, near the boundary line of Woolery's district, on Friday afternoon, last. Mr. Ogg was in his 80th year. He was a man of estimable character and stood very high in the regard of his neighbors, among whom he spent his long and blameless life. He was, from his early years, a consistent, earnest and influential member of Deer Park Chapel, Methodist Protestant Church, and a quiet, unostentatious and devoted christian gentleman, in the true sense of that word. It can be said of him that he obeyed the golden rule in all his intercourse with his fellow-men. He was a popular farmer. He leaves a widow and an only daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Greenwood, of Dayton, Ohio. He had other children all of whom, however, are now deceased. A son, Prof. Wm. Ogg, who was a member of the faculty of Western Maryland College, and a most worthy and promising young man, died nearly 30 years ago. Funeral services, attended by a large concourse of people, were held at Deer Park Church on Sunday afternoon, Rev. Arthur T. Evans, the pastor, officiating.

William L. Whitmer.

Mr. William L. Whitmer died at his home, in Taneytown district, on Friday evening last, aged about 48 years. He was a carpenter by occupation and also owned a small farm, on which he resided, about half a mile from Taneytown. His death was caused by disease of the heart. He leaves a widow and two children. His father, Mr. Lewis Whitmer, who resides in Taneytown district, and the following brothers and sisters also survive him: Mrs. Jennie Mackley, Messrs. C. and Milton B. Whitmer, of Baltimore; Mr. Samuel O. G. Whitmer, of Los Angles, Cal.; Mr. Harry F. Whitmer, of Virginia. He was a member of the Lutheran Church. His funeral took place on Tuesday.

Jesse H. Mitten.

Mr. Jesse H. Mitten, a native of this city and fourth son of the late Justice Wm. J. Mitten, died at his home in Greencastle, Pa., on Monday night, last after a long illness, of disease of the stomach, in his 45th year. He leaves a widow, who is a native of Chambersburg, Pa., to which place he went in the employ of the Taylor Manufacturing Company when its plant was removed from this city. He afterwards removed to Greencastle, where he was engaged in the hotel business. His surviving brothers are Messrs. Frank, of Gettysburg, Pa.; Harry, of McDonogh; George, of Canada; Wm., John, Theodore and Maurice Mitten of this city. Numbers of other relatives of the deceased also reside in this city. Mr. Mitten was a strong Republican. He was a member of the Masons and Elks other beneficial orders. His remains were interred in Chambersburg, on Thursday, and the funeral largely attended by relatives and friends.

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Miss Maggie Criswell.

Miss Maggie Criswell, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Criswell, of Daniel, who had been ill of pulmonary trouble, died on Sunday morning last. Until a year ago she was the picture of health, a perfect Amazon in strength. She was of a very bright, joyous disposition, full of life and always ready for fun. Her early demise is regretted by a large circle of friends and relatives. Several friends from Baltimore were present at the funeral besides her brothers from a distance—Mr. Wm. Criswell, of Baltimore; Camby Criswell, New York; Wiley Criswell, of Philadelphia, and Jos. Criswell, of Genoa, Ill. Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon. Rev. A. B. Wood had charge of the services and interment was made in Ebenezer Cemetery.

Winfield Items.

Our creamery man, Mr. H. M. Zile, has placed a fine new boiler in his factory.

Quite a number of our people has been in Baltimore this week viewing the havoc of the terrible fire.

The oyster supper that was to be given by the Academy Board on Tuesday evening, in the Hall, was postponed to Saturday evening, February 27. The cause of the change in date was the inability to procure oysters this week.

To say the program given by the Winfield Literary Society on Friday evening, 5th inst., was a delightful one is to express it mildly. The hall was packed to suffocation, and many were unable to get even standing room. The program contained an excellent variety of numbers, and was considered by many the best free entertainment they had ever attended. The entertainment began promptly at 7.45 with two graphophone selections by Mr. Elias Arnold. Master Walter Sayers, Misses Abbye Shoemaker and Minnie Sayers gave splendid recitations; the male quartette sang a fine selection, and the Elite Orchestra played; Miss Mary Brandenburg rendered a beautiful vocal solo, and Mrs. Margie Hering pleased all with a delightful piano solo, which was encored. Next followed the debate. The question, Resolved, That every man is the architect of his own fortune, was debated affirmatively by Mr. Elmer Bennett and Rev. A. B. Wood, and negatively by Messrs. Albert Easton and Vernon S. Bradley. The arguments were good and much enjoyed. The committee on decision, consisting of Messrs. F. A. Baile, Thos. Parver and Milton Penn, returned a decision in favor of the affirmative. The quartette rendered another selection and the orchestra played. Mr. Arnold then entertained the society twenty minutes with some excellent selections on the graphophone. A rising vote of thanks was tendered those who participated in the program. The program was well rendered, but your correspondent refrains from commenting further than to say it was all very excellent. The society adjourned at 11 o'clock to meet next on Friday evening, February 19, when the following program will be rendered: Debate, Resolved, That education increases happiness; affirmative, Messrs. Harry Streaker, and O. N. Fleming; negative, Messrs. Arthur Zile and Roscoe Aldridge; recitations, Misses Grace Zile, Ella Bowers, Mabel Dorsey and Sara Buckingham. The Elite orchestra will furnish music.

Uniontown Items.

Edgar Myers, Fielder Gilbert and Earle McAlister went to Baltimore on Monday. Edgar Myers was the guest of his uncle, Chas. Hesson, of the firm of Hesson & Fink, gents' furnishings, whose place of business was burnt out.

The Lutheran congregation and Sunday School will unite in a special service on Sunday morning, at 10 30, in the interest of foreign missions. Preaching by the pastor at Baust Church at 2 P. M.

Nathaniel Jones, son of Anthony Jones, and Laura Smith, daughter of Chas. and Alice Smith, were married in Westminster, on Sunday, by Rev. Perry G. Walker, of the African M. E. Church. Both are well thought of colored people of our vicinity. We wish them well. May prosperity attend them.

Miss Isabelle Weaver went to Baltimore on Wednesday to spend some time with Mrs. Penelope Martin and family.

Under the auspices of the C. E. Society committee of the M. P. church—Misses Laura Eckard, Annie Baust, Messrs. Wm. Shaw and Burrier Cookson—a most interesting and pleasant social party was held on Friday evening at the home of pastor C. E. McCullough and family. The committee return their thanks to all those who so contributed so cheerfully and willingly to the success of the evening's enjoyment. Caroline McCullough recited "Dorothy Dee's Musn'ts;" Laura Eckard read; S. E. Weaver read "Ruth's Ordeal; J. C. Hollenberry sang solo, "Hear Them Bells," with quartett chorus; Rev. C. E. McCullough, Messrs. Burrier Cookson, Walter McAlister and John C. Hollenberry sang as a quartet, "Jesus Lover of My Soul;" Mr. Wm. Shaw had a Victor talking machine present upon which he gave some delightful music, hymns &c., which added greatly to the pleasure of those present. An abundance of refreshments—ice cream, cakes, cocoa, &c., followed this part of the program.

Dr. Sydney Cover, of Va., and Mr. Edward G. Cover, of Easton, Md., were called home on account of the illness of their father, Mr. Harry Cover, who has rallied some and seems better, but is still a very sick man.

Clayton Hahn is home from Baltimore on account of the terrible fire and the stoppage of the street cars, putting him out of employment.

Earle McAlister, Rhoda Bowersox and Hildah Englar have new cases of mumps; also Miss Debbie Hamburg.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Routson received an announcement of the marriage, on Wednesday, Feb. 10, of Mr. David Edgar Wilson, son of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. David Wilson, to Miss Dorothy E. Webb, of Denver, Colorado. A wedding trip to Mexico was taken to visit Mr. W's. sister, who was Miss Blanche Wilson and is now Mrs. Joseph Hampson. Mr. Wilson and his sister were former students at Western Maryland College. He and his bride will also visit his parents, formerly of our town. Edgar is a young and prominent lawyer of Denver.

Dr. and Mrs. Luther Kemp were guests on Tuesday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Koontz, in Taneytown.

Rev. C. E. McCullough spent Monday and Wednesday in Baltimore and attended the M. P. denominational C. E. Convention.

Porters Items.

The Sunday School of the Messiah Lutheran Church will hold a foreign mission service Sunday morning, 21st inst.

The great Baltimore fire showed very plainly from here Sunday night, and quite a number of our citizens have visited the city since then.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Hess, of New Windsor, visited Mr. L. M. Bushey and family last Sunday.

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