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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.

Today, Good Friday, is a legal holiday in this State.

It is supposed the Easter hat will be much in evidence on Sunday.

The public schools of this county were closed yesterday until Tuesday next.

Mr. Mordecai W. Babylon and family have removed from this city to Baltimore.

Mr. Lorenzo Penn and family, who removed to Baltimore last fall, have returned to this city.

The Holy Communion will be administered in most of the churches of this city on Easter Sunday, 3rd inst.

Mr. J. Walter Shunk has moved his saddlery establishment to the room adjoining Mr. J. D. Bowers' store.

Easter Monday night young ladies and gentlemen of this city will give a dance at the Firemen's building.

An interesting Easter story from the Ladies' Home Journal will be found on the first page of the SENTINEL this week.

Mrs. Mary A. Weimert, of Brummel, widow of the late Samuel E. Weimert, has been granted a U. S. pension of $8 per month.

The services in the several churches of this city commemorative of Palm Sunday were attended by large congregations.

A number of changes of residence have taken or will take place during the moving season in this city, which is now at hand.

Mrs. Mary J. Tate, widow of the late Thomas I. Tate, has been granted a U. S. pension of $8 per month, as the widow of a deceased soldier.

A well founded rumor is prevalent that a well known citizen—a widower—of this city, will shortly take a bride from the far South.

At St. Paul's Reformed Church, this city, seven candidates for membership were confirmed and two were received upon certificates, on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar E. Thompson, of Baltimore, have become residents of this city and are domiciled in one of the houses of Mr. D. L. Farrar, East Green street.

The new coach factory building erected by Judge John E. Eckenrode to take the place of the structures recently destroyed by fire, is about completed and he is about prepared to resume his business of carriage making.

The Miller Brothers Company, of this city, at its spring opening on Saturday last, gave to each visitor to its stores a book of illustrations of the buildings of the great Louisiana Purchase Exposition at St. Louis.

Mr. Charles B. Yingling, of this city, was taken by Dr. W. D. Wells to the Maryland University Hospital, Baltimore, on Wednesday, and will undergo a surgical operation at that institution today.

The members of Co. H. I. M. N. G., who performed guard duty in Baltimore after the great fire, received their pay for that service on Tuesday evening. A street drill was given early in the evening.

The public sale of personal property of Mr. Francis Orndorff, near this city, on Tuesday, was largely attended. Top prices were realized on most of the articles disposed of. One cow brought $81. The sale was advertised in the SENTINEL.

In the list of students at Lehigh University, South Bethlehem, Pa., this county is represented by Mr. W. S. Birely, of York Road. The register of the institution shows 615 students in attendance at this time, representing 24 states and 10 foreign countries.

Mr. Paul Whitmore, son of Mr. E. D. Whitmore, of this city, who went to St. Louis, Mo., four or five months ago, is engaged in electrical work in that city and recently placed telephones in the Chinese and Japanese buildings on the grounds of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition.

At the reorganization of St. John's (Leister's) Lutheran Sunday school on Sunday last the following officers were elected: Superintendent, Mr. George A. Leister; assistant superintendent, Mr. Harry Mathias; secretary, Mr. W. B. Leister; treasurer, Mr. Howard Witter; librarian, Mr. Albert Stephan.

A tenant house owned by Mr. Hezekiah Fox, in Middleburg district, was destroyed on the 23d ult., by a fire supposed to have been of incendiary origin. The house was unoccupied at the time, but had been rented and the tenant was to have moved into it today. It was insured for $400 in the Dug Hill Company.

Manager H. G. Clark, General Freight Agent W. T. Hunter, Engineer of Maintenance of Way H. R. Pratt and Trainmaster R. W. Burgess, officials of the Western Maryland Railroad, made a tour of inspection over the road on Tuesday, visiting York, Hanover, Gettysburg, Hagerstown, Westminster and Union Bridge.

Saturday was opening day for spring goods at the big general stores of this city, and they were thronged with customers. The display of seasonable goods, Easter novelties, &c., was highly creditable and surpassed by few establishments even in large cities. A rushing business was done in the millinery line.

Arthur Gillis, of this county, pleaded guilty on Wednesday to an information filed by John C. Rose, United States attorney, charging him with breaking down a mail box belonging to John Clary in this county. This box was used by the rural free-delivery carriers for the mail of Mr. Clary. Gillis is 18 or 19 years old. Judge Morris imposed a fine of $10, stating that boys must learn to let these boxes alone.

While Mr. Jesse Royer, of this city, was engaged on Tuesday in carpenter work on the handsome new house being erected for E. Oliver Grimes, Jr., Esq., a scaffold broke, precipitating him to the ground from the second story and badly bruising him about the body. Dr. J. H. Billingslea was summoned and found that no bones were broken and that Mr. Royer's injuries were not of a serious character. Mr. Royer was removed to his home on Carroll street and is rapidly recovering.

Most of the students of Western Maryland College from a distance left on Tuesday to spend the Easter holidays at their homes.

Falling on Good Friday, April 1st will hardly be regarded as All Fool's day, and the usual pranks of that date may well be omitted.

Mr. L. H. Dielman, of New Windsor, assistant state librarian, has been selected by the Senate and House Committees on Printing to index the laws of the present session.

Principally general business was transacted by the County Commissioners on Monday. A special pension of $5 was granted to Chas. Bittles, of district No 3.

The disease familiarly known as French measles is prevalent in this city. The "printer's devil" of the SENTINEL office is confined to his home with the malady.

Mr. Wm. Sprinkle and family left this city on Thursday for Waynesboro, Pa., Mr. Sprinkle and his son having secured work in one of the machine shops of that town.

Dr. Jno. S. Mathias has removed from West Main street to the residence and offices formerly occupied by him, contiguous to the grounds of Mr. Wm. B. Thomas, East Main street, this city.

During the month of March 80 deeds, 37 mortgages and 14 bills of sale were received for record at the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court for this county, and 35 marriage licenses were issued.

The venerable John Murray Yingling, of this city, who is probably the oldest inhabitant of the place, has been quite ill during the past week. Mr. Yingling is, we believe, nearly 89 years old.

By the quarterly distribution of the public school fund, made by the Comptroller of the Treasury yesterday, for the quarter ending June 15, Carroll county receives $3,321.08 for white and $371.46 for colored schools.

The funeral of Mrs. Wm. A. Bair, of Hanover, Pa., who died on Thursday evening of last week, while visiting her sister, Mrs. Mary S. Schaeffer, of this city, took place at her home in the former place on Monday, and was attended by a large concourse of relatives and friends.

Mr. Charles H. D. Snyder, who had been tenant of the mill of the Citizens' Water Company of Westminster, at Cranberry Station, for some time, has purchased the Otter Dale mill, about halfway between Uniontown and Taneytown, and takes charge of it today. Mr. Snyder is very popular and has made many friends in this locality by his genial and pleasant manner and well deserves success in his new venture. Mr. Randolph L. Leatherwood, of York Road, succeeds Mr. Snyder at the mill of the Water Company.

Mr. Robert N. Fleagle, by Attorney Millard F. Taylor, filed a bill in the Circuit Court for Baltimore, on Tuesday, against Isaac A. and Ellen Balsok, groceries, 576 Preston street, that city, asking the appointment of a receiver to take charge of the assets and interests of the defendants in said store. Fleagle is a judgement creditor of the defendants to the extent of $99.98, and alleges that after the rendition of the judgment and pending a motion for a new trial by the defendants they executed a chattel mortgage of the goods to Jacob Pfeffer, of Union Bridge. Judge Dennis signed an order requiring an answer by April 9 next.

Alice M. Ibex, a native of this district and daughter of George Ibex, formerly a resident here, attempted to commit suicide in Druid Hill Park, Baltimore, on Monday afternoon, by swallowing carbolic acid. She was found near the music stand and taken at once to the Maryland Hospital. She is said to be about 15 years old, and was employed as a nurse by a Mrs. Newhoff, on Eutaw Place. Her mother, who was a daughter of the late Jacob Storms, of this city, died about seven years ago, and her father, who resides at No. 1845 Harford avenue, Baltimore, recently remarried, and the girl said she was not kindly treated by him. She wrote several letters, which were found on her person, in which she stated her intention to destroy her life. One of the letters was directed to her father and another to her aunt, a Mrs. Annie Storms, with whom she lived in Baltimore after her mother's death, and who she said had been very kind to her and the only friend she had. Both her father and stepmother visited her at the hospital and requested her to return home as soon as she shall be sufficiently recovered, and she promised to do so.

Mr. Joseph Case, a young resident of this city, attempted to stop a runaway team of two horses, attached to a heavy wagon on West Main street, near the railroad, about 1 o'clock, Monday afternoon, but was knocked down or fell under the wheels, which ran over him, striking his person with such force that he was severely bruised and suffered a slight fracture of the pelvis from which a small piece of bone was chipped off. While his injuires are severe they are not dangerous and he is recovering, but those who witnessed the accident were surprised that he was not fatally hurt. He was taken into the office of Dr. L. K. Woodward, who gave him the surgical attention required and applied the proper remedies and he was subsequently removed to his own home. The runaway team had been left standing on Liberty street, without having been tied, in vioiation of a city ordinance. The horses ran with the wagon out West Main street to College hill, where they were caught and brought back to the owner. Fortunately, while the street was crowded with vehicles, no collision occurred and Mr. Case was the only sufferer by the runaway.

Md. Collegiate Intitute.

The students are looking with great pleasure to the Eastertide.

Prof. W. M. Wine spent from Saturday until Monday in Hagerstown.

Miss Ensor spent last Thursday evening very pleasantly at the home of Mr. Daniel Wolfe, near here.

Mr. W. J. Williamson, who had been out of school for a few weeks on account of illness, is now able to be with us again.

Miss Emma Shindle greatly enjoyed the hospitality of her schoolmate, Miss Margaret Repp, of Johnsville, from Saturday until Monday.

Miss Bertha Rowland is spending a short time with her parents in Hagerstown.

We are glad to have with us again Mr. C. O. Stout, who had been visiting his parents, Shippensburg, Pa.

Rev. Edgar Read gave an instructive and interesting address to the Emersonion Society on last Friday evening. His theme was, Robert Burns. So beautifully did he portray the life and character of this great Scotch writer that every ear was turned attentively to him, so that not a word might be lost.

Miss Lillie Ensor, of Oak Orchard, called on her sister on last Saturday evening.

Among the callers at the college this week were Miss Marie Myers and Miss Diehl, of Hampstead.

Firemen's Festival.

The third meeting of the ladies interested in the firemen's festival will be held in the Firemen's Building, Thursday afternoon, April 7th, at 3 o'clock. We hope for a full meeting of all the ladies interested. We specially call attention to the fancy table, and in order to make it a success, it will be necessary for every one to contribute articles and solicit for same. Mr. Mitchell has kindly contributed a handsome photograph of the Firemen's Building which will be transferred to an aluminum souvenir tray, and will be one of the many attractive features of the festival at moderate cost, and hope all will avail themselves of this opportunity to secure one.

MRS. CHAS. BILLINGSLEA, Sec.

LIST OF UNCLAIMED MATTER

remaining in the Postoffice, Westminster, Md., March 26th, 1904:

Hopkins, Mr. George — Roop, Miss Mancrva
Hogan, Mrs. Izzie — Winters, Alvin
Ritter, Miss May

Persons calling for matter in the above list will please say it was advertised. GEO. E. BAUGHMAN, P. M.

Fire in Wakefield Valley.

About 6 o'clock Monday morning fire broke out in the large barn on the farm owned by Mrs. Anna Shaw Cover, wife of Mr. Edw. G. Cover, of Easton, Md., and tenanted by Mr. John W. T. Eyler, in Wakefield Valley, near the Wakefield Roller Mills, causing the entire destruction of the building and most of its contents. One horse, twelve cows and five calves perished in the flames, and a dayton wagon, buggy, feed cutter and other farming implements, twelve or fifteen tons of fine hay, six or eight tons of straw, and twenty five barrels of corn were destroyed. The barn was 110 by 50 feet, one of the largest in the county, and had stabling for nearly forty cattle, besides a number of box stalls. It was valued at $2,500 and was insured in the Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Carroll county for $1,500. The stock, farming implements, buggy, dayton and part of the hay belonged to Mr. Eyler, who had $300 insurance on produce, implements, &c., $200 on cattle and $400 on horses in the North British Company, of which Mr. Jas. E. Smith, of this city, is agent. This insurance fully covers the loss on the horse, implements and vehicles, but Mr. Eyler loses $300 to $400 on cattle over and above the insurance. He had fine stock, and the value of a number of the cows was placed at $50 each. The corn, straw and half the hay, valued in all at about $200, belonged to Mrs. Cover's father, Mr. Marshall G. Shaw, of Uniontown district, whose loss is fully covered by insurance in the Carroll County Company. The entire loss on barn and contents is estimated at upwards of $3,500. The origin of the fire is not known, but was probably accidental.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

Mrs. Ellen V. Runkles.

Mrs. Ellen V. Runkles, wife of Mr. John B. Runkles, a highly esteemed and widely known lady, of Mt. Airy, died at her home at that place at half-past 5 o'clock, yesterday morning, of grip, at the age of 69 years, 6 months. Mrs. Runkles was perfectly conscious till the last and the scenes at her deathbed were particularly affecting. Her children, with the wives and husbands, respectively, of those who are married, were present, each in turn bidding the dying mother a last farewell. She leaves three sons and three daughters—Miss F. Belle Runkles, Messrs. Albert H., Charles A. and Robert L. Runkles, Mrs. E. M. Molesworth, of Mt. Airy, and Mrs. George N. Hunter, of this city. Funeral services will be held at the house at half-past 9 o'clock, tomorrow morning, after which the remains of the deceased will be interred in Prospect Cemetery, Mt. Airy.

Moses Parrish.

Mr. Moses Parrish, a native of this county, died on Monday morning last at his home on Falls road, Baltimore, after a year's illness of heart disease, which had compelled him to discontinue work at the repair shops of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, where he had been for a long time employed. He leaves a widow, five sons and five daughters. He was a son of Mr. James Parrish, near Gist, and a brother of Messrs. John T. and James G. Parrish and Mrs. Sarah E. Davis, of this county. During the Civil War he served for a time in the Fourth Maryland Regiment, Volunteer Infantry, having enlisted in August, 1862. He was about 60 years old. His funeral took place yesterday, Rev. Wm. C. Curley, pastor of Grace M. E. Church, conducting the service. His remains were interred in St. Mary's Cemetery, Roland avenue.

Mrs. Sarah A. Welch.

Mrs. Sarah A. Welch, widow of the late Samuel L. Welch, of the vicinity of Bird Hill, died at the home of her brother, Mr. Elias Ogg, about a mile and a half from this city, at quarter after 3 o'clock, Wednesday afternoon, aged nearly 75 years, she having been born April 18th, 1829. She was visiting her brother when taken sick with a form of pneumonia which proved fatal. She was a member of Deer Park M. P. Church and throughout her long life was devoted to her christian duties. She was a good and faithful wife and a kind and conscientious mother, discharging the trusts involved in these relations with a fidelity which causes her children to bless her memory. She leaves four sons—Mr. George H. Welch, near Bird Hill; Mr. John H. Welch, of Tolona, Illinois; Mr. Maretico Welch, of Bird Hill, and Mr. Elias Welch, of Baltimore. Her funeral takes place at Deer Park Church, at 2 o'clock, this afternoon.

Carroll County in the Legislature.

The House of Delegates yesterday passed the Senate bill to appropriate $400 to Winfield Academy, at Winfield, this county, and it now goes to the Governor for his action and without doubt will receive his signature.

The House also passed the Senate bill to amend the charter of the Westminster Savings Bank.

The bill to amend the charter of Westminster, which has passed the House of Delegates, is still pending in the Senate.

A New Tunnel for the Savage Mountain Fire Brick Co.

The Savage Mountain Fire Brick Company, Frostburg, Md., has contracted with Mr. Arthur E. Buzzo, of Ebensburg, Miehigan, to open its new tunnel located in the mountain near Frostburg, Md., for the purpose of developing an additional supply of fire clay. Mr. Buzzo is one of the largest contractors in his line in this country and has just completed two large shafts for the Orient Coal and Coke Co. of Uniontown, Pa. As the contractor will bring a part of his experienced men with him and begin the work at once. The portal and tunnel proper will be about seven hundred and fifty feet and Mr. Buzzo contracts, under penality, to complete the work within six months. This company has very considerable local interest in this city, Mr. Charles C. Gorsuch being the president, Mr. Geo. W. Albaugh one of the directors, and Chas. E. Fink, Esq., having been the attorney of the company.

Personal.

Miss Myrle Malehorn, of Baltimore, is at home for the Easter holidays.

Mr. J. M. Miller, of Martinsburg, W. Va., is visiting friends in this city.

Miss Carrye Mourer, of New York City, is visiting the Misses Erb, West Main street, this city.

Mr. Joseph D. Brooks, Jr., a student at the Md. Agricultural College, is home for the Easter holidays.

Mr. Emory G. Buckingham, of Frostburg, son of Mrs. S. K. Herr, of this city, will be married on Monday next to Miss Caroline Taylor Beall, of the former place.

Mr. John E. Hanna, of this city, leaves tomorrow for Atlantic City, where he will spend the Easter holidays.

Miss Nellie Schaeffer, of this city, is home for the Easter holidays from the seminary for young ladies she is attending in Washington, D. C.

A marriage license was issued yesterday by the clerk of the Court of Common Pleas, of Baltimore, to John H. Hawkins aged 45, a widower, and Mary A. L. Comeger, aged 24. The parties are colored residents of this county.

Misses Edna Bower and Clarissa Reindollar, of Taneytown; Miss Sara Welty, of Gettysburg, Pa., and Ed. W. Jackson, of Washington, D. C., are spending the Easter holidays with Miss Jane Reaver, East Main street, this city.

Miss Katharine Slagle of this city, accompanied by Miss Lena Port, of Huntington, Pa., is home from the Woman's College, Frederick, for the Easter holidays. Mr. Edgar Slagle, of Franklin and Marshall College, Lancaster, Pa., is also spending the holidays at his home in this city.

Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Miller, of 1935 North Warnock street, Philadelphia, to the marriage of their son, Mr. George Shelton Miller, to Miss Katie Howard, which will take place April 6th, at the home of the groom's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Miller and family were former residents of this city.

WEDDING BELLS.

Clabaugh-Wachter.

Miss Sallie M. Wachter, near Double Pipe Creek, and Mr. Wm. K. Clabaugh, of Ladiesburg, were married at 2 o'clock, Wednesday afternoon, 30th ult., at the parsonage of the Lutheran Church, in Woodsboro, the pastor, Rev. Wm. E. Wheeler, performing the ceremony.

Currens-Schaffer.

A quiet wedding took place at the home of Mrs. Jemima Schaffer, Linesboro, in the afternoon of the 22nd day of March, 1904. The contracting parties were Mr. William A. Currens and Miss Sallie C. Schaeffer, both of Linesboro, and the ceremony was performed by the Rev. S. M. Roeder, of Manchester, pastor of the bride.

Moore—Baker.

On Wednesday evening, March 30th, at the home of the bride in Baltimore, Mr. Wm. L. Moore and Miss Amelia C. Baker were united in marriage. The bride is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Baker, who until recently resided at Day, Carroll county. The groom is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Moore, residing near Berrett, this county. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. E. Dudrear, of Summerfield M. E. Church, Baltimore. After the ceremony refreshments were served. The couple will reside on the farm recently purchased by the father of the groom, near Morgan Station.

Cook-Stocksdale.

Miss Katherine A. Stocksdale, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tobias Stocksdale, of Finksburg, and granddaughter of the late Alex. Horner, and Mr. Parker Cook, of West Arlington, were married at Clifton M. E. Church, Wednesday, March 30th, at 4.30 P. M., by the pastor, Rev. John T. Ensor. The bride was attired in white silk trimmed with satin ribbon and pearls and carried bridal roses. The ushers were Messrs. Harry P. Warehelm, Jos. A. Watson, Howard M. Stocksdale and E. Wilson King. Mr. and Mrs. Cook left for a trip north, and upon their return will reside in West Arlington.

Seipp-Machen.

Mr. Daniel Seipp, formerly of Hampstead district but for the past year a resident of this city, and Mrs. Frances Machen, of Baltimore, were married at the residence of Mr. Lewis, in the northern section of the latter city, on Wednesday afternoon. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Houck. Mr. and Mrs. Seipp arrived in this city by the 5.54 train Wednesday afternoon and went immediately to the home recently purchased and nicely furnished by the groom for the reception of his bride. The groom is a veteran of the Civil War and is a reputable and worthy citizen. The bride is a sister of Mr. Wm. Hutchins, of this city, and has been a frequent visitor here. The wedding was of much interest to the old comrades in arms of the groom and others, and the newly wedded pair have the good wishes of many residents of this locality.

Dandy-Nusbaum.

A quiet but pretty home wedding took place at the residence of Mr. John F. Buckingham, No. 30 East Green street, this city, yesterday, March 31st. The bride was Miss Gertrude M. Nusbaum, of this city, and the groom Mr. Joseph Dandy, principal of the public school at Alesia. The bride wore a going-away gown of gray broadcloth, with hat and gloves to match. Miss Edna Owings was bridesmaid and Mr. Peter Dandy, brother of the groom, groomsman. The bridal party entered the parlor at high noon, where the marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Spangler, of Baltimore. A wedding dinner was served. Among those present were: Mrs. Dorothy Leonard, of Va.; Mrs. B. F. Grosch, of Washington, D. C.; Miss Lydia Dandy, Mr. Peter Dandy, of Alesia; Mrs. John F. Buckingham, Mrs. Samuel K. Yingling, Mrs. Jas. Owings, Mrs. E. Buckingham, Misses Edna Owings, Mollie Gist, Beryl Buckingham, Maude Shipley, Pearl Buckingham, Messrs. Jas. D. Mitchell, Jno. McConkey, Elisha Buckingham, of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Dandy left by an afternoon train for a bridal trip to Richmond, Va. Upon their return they will reside at Alesia.

Frock-Flater.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at "Locust Shade," the beautiful country home of Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Flater, near Uniontown, Thursday, March 17th, at high noon, the contracting parties having been their youngest daughter, Miss Pearl Flater, and Mr. D. Norris Frock, son of the late Mr. J. Albert Frock, near Taneytown. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. D. W. Sollenberger, of Long Spring, Pa., stepfather of the groom. The bridal party entered the parlor promptly at the hour named, the bride leaning on the arm of the groom, to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, performed by Mrs. Frank Rumspert, of Uniontown. The bride wore a costume of Persian lawn trimmed with lace and ribbon and carried white carnations. The groom wore the conventional black. They were met by the officiating clergyman under an arch of evergreen where the ceremony was performed in the presence of the immediate families. After the ceremony the company repaired to the spacious dining room where dinner, consisting of the delicacies of the season, was served, after which a reception was given from 2 till 5 o'clock, P. M., when, after lunch consisting of cake, ice cream and chocolate, Mr. and Mrs. Frock left for a trip of a few weeks among friends at Littlestown, Hanover, York, Harrisburg and Cumberland Valley. After their return they will be at home at "Locust Shade" where the groom will engage in farming. The bride received many valuable and useful presents. The bride and groom are estimable young people and enter into the work of life with the best wishes of their many friends.

McNeal-Danner.

For the first time in the nearly 100 years history of the Union National Bank of Westminster, of which Dr. J. W. Hering is cashier, that institution was the scene of a wedding, about half after two o'clock, yesterday afternoon. The contracting parties were Miss Rachael E. Danner and Mr. Charles R. McNeal, whose home is in the neighborhood of Glen Morris, Baltimore county. They came here to be married and were accompanied by a brother of the bride, who obtained the marriage license for them at the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court. They then went in search of a Methodist minister to perform the marriage ceremony, and while driving along East Main street saw Rev. Joseph A. Weigand, of whom they made inquiry and learning that he was of the clerical profession requested him to officiate. He informed them that he was a retired minister of the Methodist Protestant Church, and that the pastors of the M. E. and M. P. Churches resided not far away, but they were satisfied to avail themselves of his services. At his suggestion they repaired to the bank, where they were kindly and cheerfully given the use of the directors' room for the nuptials. Mr. Weigand performed the ceremony, which was witnessed by the bride's brother, who was the only relative of either of the parties present, and by the officers of bank. It was a novel scene for a banking institution and excited much interest in the onlookers. Both bride and groom are approaching middle age. They were well and neatly attired and had the appearance and manners of people of refinement. They left by an afternoon train for their home near Glen Morris.

Miller-Warner.

The beautiful home of Mrs. Lydia Warner, at Lineboro, was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Thursday, March 24, 1904, at 11 A. M., in the presence of a large number of invited guests. The contracting parties were Mr. Franklin H. Miller, of Brodbeck's, York county, Pa., and Miss Elizabeth E. Warner, of Lineboro. The bride's pastor, the Rev. S. M. Roeder, of Manchester, performed the ceremony. Mr. Ira S. Painter, of New Freedom, Pa., acted as best man and Miss Minnie Warner, sister of the bride, as bridesmaid. The ushers were Miss Minnie Wentz and Mr. Samuel J. Warner. Miss Lizzie Miller played the wedding march. The bride was dressed in white silk and carried a bouquet of beautiful white carnations and asparagus fern, and the groom wore the conventional black. The bride was the happy recipient of many beautiful and valuable presents. After the happy couple had received the many congratulations and good wishes of the guests, all were invited to the splendid dinner prepared for the occasion. The following is a list of those present: Rev. S. M. Roeder, wife and son, Mrs. Lydia Warner, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Warner, Mr. and Mrs. George Steffy, Mr. Eli Warner, Mr. Ira Painter, Miss Minnie Warner, Messrs. U. B. Wentz, Dan'l. Armstrong, Frank Warner, George Warner, Ephraim Warner, Edward Miller, Wm. Warner, John Miller, Rev. Wm. Warner, Mr. Noah Miller and wife, Miss Lizzie Miller, Mr. Howard Bailey, Miss Lettie Brodbeck, Mrs. George Brodbeck, Mr. Harry Hoffacker and wife, Mrs. George Warner, Miss Beulah Warner, Mr. Samuel Warner, Jr., Mr. Aaron Miller, Mrs. Flora Miller, Mr. E. J. Wentz, Mr. John D. Schaeffer, Mrs. Samuel Markel, Mrs. U. B. Wentz, Mrs. Irwin Armstrong, Messers. Ernest Lippy, Charles Lippy, Calvin Lippy, John Warner, Stuart Kopp, Leonard Kopp, Maurice Wentz, Misses Clara Warner, Ethel Hoffman, Sarah Wentz, Mr. Elmer Weaver, Mr. Jacob Weaver, Miss Margaret Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Hirsch, Mr. and Mrs. Currens, Mrs. Dan. Armstrong, Mr. John Thomas, Miss Jane E. Dice, Mrs. L. Kopp, Mrs. J. L. Hoffman, Miss Lydia Wentz, Miss Minnie Wentz, Mr. Samuel Warner, Mr. Jacob Myers and Mr. Welton Warner.

Uniontown Items.

Nellie Weaver, Luretta Weaver, Nellie Baily, Blanche, Edith and Bertha Shriner, Roy Haines, Benjamin Dingle, John Beard, Rhoda Fleagle, Hellen Price and Rozetta Fritz are busily engaged, taking special care of mumps.

On Tuesday Mr. Edward Beard went to Baltimore and accompanied his son, David Beard, home from the hospital. David has been very much relieved by having his afflicted leg amputated and is very bright and hopeful of regaining his usual health.

Last Saturday evening a company of friends from New Windsor College spent the evening with Miss Mary Baughman and Master Harry Baughman at the Lutheran parsonage. Misses Virginia Detts, Ethel Gilbert, Georgia Anderson, Mary Williams, Wm. Townsend, Nelson Shields and Wallace Frazer were present.

Mr. Edgar Myers is confined to bed with a very severe cold. Dr. Kemp is in attendance.

The funeral service of Abijiah Bosley was conducted by Rev. J. D. Clark, in the Church of God, on Sunday afternoon, and was well attended. Interment in the M. P. Cemetery by the side of his wife. Two sons, Clinton and Harve Bosley, survive him.

Mrs. Hannah Dotterer, Woodside, who has been suffering with an attack of rheumatism, is improving slowly.

Miss Elizabeth Shugh, who has been spending some time with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brough, returned to Union Bridge on Tuesday.

Miss Margaret Harman, of Frizellburg, is visiting friends in town this week. She is still carrying her right hand in splints made necessary from broken bones, resulting from a fall on the ice.

Miss Edith Beard entertained on Sunday Misses Georgie and Carrie Slonaker, Lula Harbaugh, Hermie Hahn, Edith Routson and Mary Hiltebridle.

Miss Natalie Haines was compelled to return home from Union Bridge on account of an attack of mumps.

The M. P. Church is preparing special services for Sunday. Pastor McCullough will preach an Easter sermon at 10.30 in the morning and at 7.30 P. M. will fill the pulpit again. The choir is practicing music appropriate to the occasion. These services promise to be especially interesting.

The Church of God will give a specially prepared program Sunday night of Easter music and recitations.

The Lutheran C. E. Society will hold a sunrise service on Easter Sunday morning at 6 o'clock. Everybody cordially invited. Sunday evening a special service will be conducted, celebrating Easter, by a specially arranged program.

Melrose Items.

We want to congratulate Mr. Lewis Dherit and bride, who was Miss Ora Leese, and who were recently married, and wish them happiness and prosperity. Mr. Dherit recently secured a position in our creamery.

Mr. James P. Zepp, near Pleasant Valley, spent Sunday with his parents who recently moved to their new home.

Mr. Amos Sauble and family moved into their new home here in town on Thursday last.

March 20, 1904, at the home of Mr. Edward U. Wine, of Bachman's Valley, Mr. Wine and Mrs. Susan Mathias were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev L. Kohr. Both were attired in black. A reception was given after the ceremony to relatives and friends. They received some valuable and useful presents. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Edward U. Wine, Rev. L. Kohr, Mrs. Polly Wine, Mrs. Luther Lippy, Mr. and Mrs. James Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Howard H. Wine, Mrs. Milton H. Garrett, Misses Florence Mathias, Estella Mathias, Addie A. Wine, Carrie A. Wine, Elva D. Wine, Messrs. Horace Z. M. Wine, James Kohr, Aaron Miller, Edward Alban, Paul E. H. Wine, Claude Forney, Minnie Martin.

Considerable ore is being shipped from the Chestnut Hill ore mines. Such enterprises help the neighborhood as they bring much needed money.

Mr. Clayton J. Sauble, teacher of Kridler's school for the past three years, is now a resident of our town.

Mr. Geo. A. Houck has a cow that gave birth to twin calves, one red, the other black, and both having white heads. They both seem to be in a thriving condition. This cow has given birth to three calves inside of a year.

On Tuesday of last week Mr. H. Clayton Miller took charge of the stand previously occupied by Mr. J. S. Wentz, who moved his family to Manchester.

Our R. F. D. carrier, Mr. Walter W. Wentz, still continues to serve us faithfully, coming from Manchester early enough to take away the 7.20 A. M. mail.

On Saturday last, as Mr. Bert Garverich, living about two miles from here, started for home from Mr. Crumrine's, his horse became unmanageable, upset the buggy and threw Mr. and Mrs. G. out. They escaped with a few bruises.

On Friday, March 25th, a crowd of Mr. Charles Leese's friends gathered at his home to surprise him on his 45th birthday. He received many useful and valuable presents. Refreshments were served and the evening was pleasantly spent in social games and conversation. At a late hour they all repaired to their homes, wishing Mr. Leese many more happy birthdays. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Houck, Mr. and Mrs. David Baumgardner and child, Mr. and Mrs. George Crumrine and daughter Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Crumrine, Misses Delia Geiman, Addie Houck, Alice Sterner, Frona Shaffer, Edith Crumrine, Lizzie Black, Hattie A. Houck, Susan Crumrine, Messrs. Edward Sterner, John Geiman, Harry Croft, Thurbert L. Wentz, Lester M. Shaffer, Cleveland Houck, Jacob Geiman, Clayton Sauble, Oscar W. Bachman, Spencer Shaffer, Murray Geiman.

Milers Items.

Mr. Geo. O. D. Hoover has moved his family to the farm owned by Mr. Lewis Eppley, located near Alesia.

Mr. Lewis Seipp, of Baltimore, moved his family into his house here vacated by Mr. Hoover.

Mr. John Seipp, of Baltimore, is spending a week among friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bender have gone to Jersey City, N. J., where they will spend Easter among their children and grandchildren.

Mr. Harvey Redding, of Baltimore, made a business trip to this place Saturday last.

Miss May Rineman, near Greenmount, spent Saturday and Sunday last visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Miller.

Oyster supper here Friday and Saturday evenings, April 1 and 2. Everybody welcome.

Our pastor, Rev. H. W. Zuse, expects to preach an Easter sermon here Sunday evening, at 7 o'clock, which will be interesting and of benefit to all present.

Mr. Elijah Hoffacker, near Lineboro, moved his family into the house here owned by Mr. Wm. H. Miller.

Misss Belle Frank, near here, who had been ill with the grip and pleurisy is able to be out again.

Mrs. S. H. Hare is suffering with a sprained shoulder.

Orphans' Court.

Monday, March 28th.—J. T. Yingling and U. G. Yingling, executors of Uriah Yingling, deceased, returned inventory of debts and settled first and final account.

The last will and testament of Anna M. Six, deceased, admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon granted to Prudence V. Six who received warrant to appraise, also order to notify creditors.

Letters of administration on the estate of Susan L. Witter, granted to Howard S. Witter, who received order to notify creditors.

Levi Shaffer, administrator of George S. Shaffer, deceased, made report of sale of personal property.

Elias O. Grimes and Charles L. Thomson, administrators of Jacob Thomson, deceased, made report of sale of personal property.

The last will and testament of Louis Grolock admitted to probate and letters of administration with the will annexed granted to Francis A. Grolock, who returned inventory of debts and settled first and final account.

H. C. Eby, executor of George Stull, deceased, settled first and final account.

S. S. Shoemaker and O. B. Shoemaker, administrators, d. b. n. c. t. a., of William Shoemaker, settled first and final account.

Theodore Shriver, administrator of Sarah P. Shriver, deceased, returned inventory of money.

Joseph B. Boyle, guardian of Gertrude E. Shafer, settled 3rd and final account.

Tuesday, March 29th.—Letters of guardianship granted to Alfred B. Mower over Lillie G. Mower, Earl B. Mower, Alfred G. Mower, Ruth V. Mower, infants.

J. Wesley Beggs and Theodore H. Beggs, executors of Mary C. Reagle, deceased, settled 2nd and final account.

Charles W. Shriner, acting executor of J. T. Shriner, of J., deceased, restated 1st account.

Thriving Sykesville.

Sykesville correspondence of the Baltimore *American*, under date of the 30th ult., says: A volunteer's firemen's company was organized at Sykesville this afternoon, to be known as the Volunteer Firemen's Association of Sykesville, with the following officers: Wade H. D. Warfield, president; T. M. Anderson, secretary; E. M. Mellor, treasurer. Twenty two members were enrolled. The legislature has just passed an act authorizing the incorporation of Sykesville, and the election will be held the first Tuesday in May. A survey has been made and there will be included in the corporate limits over 500 acres of land, with 1,000 inhabitants. Waterworks will be established and the Volunteer Firemen's Association will equip a complete fire-fighting apparatus and be ready to connect with the plugs as soon as they are placed.

There will be an oyster supper and bazar April 6 and 7, at the Lyceum, for the benefit of the association.

Sykesville is one of the largest shipping stations on the main line of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad and is a great lumber distributing point. It has a bank, an opera house and general stores. The postoffice has changed from a fourth class to a third class office