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LOCAL ITEMS.

Mr. John Wm. Biggs has sold his farm in Bachman's Valley, to his son, Mr. Theo. H. Biggs, for $10,000.

Mr. Raymond Bankert, of this city, has the contract to paint the buildings of the McGinnis distillery, between Tannery and Carrollton, on the Western Maryland Railroad.

Mr. Michael Yingling sold, at public sale, on Saturday last, his farm, at Mt. Pleasant, containing 121¼ acres, to his son, Mr. John Yingling, at $38 per acre.

A valuable dog owned by E. Oliver Grimes, Jr., Esq., was struck by the Pen-Mar Express, as it passed through this city on Thursday, and so badly injured that it had to be killed.

Messrs. Charles H. Brown, Robert H. Shipley and Wm. F. Jordan represented Camp No 20, P. O. S. of A., of Gist, at the meeting of the State Camp at Rock Hall, Kent county, on Tuesday and Wednesday.

The SENTINEL has received an anonymous report of a "birthday social," purporting to have been held in Freedom district last Friday evening. It cannot be published unless verified from a reliable source.

The crowd of people in this city last Saturday night was a large and orderly one. The fete at St. John's Catholic Church was thronged with people till a late hour in the evening. The business houses were also crowded with buyers.

A thunderstorm, with light rain, passed over this city about 2 o'clock, Monday morning. In other parts of the county the storm was more severe. In the vicinity of Silver Run considerable hail fell, doing some damage to growing corn and fruit.

Rev. F. C. Cook was installed pastor of the Union Bridge charge, Reformed Church, on Sunday afternoon, the installation service taking place at Baust Church, where a large congregation assembled on the occasion. The service was conducted by Revs. C. S. Slagle, J. Stewart Hartman and Jas. B. Stonesifer.

Messrs. B. F. Shriver & Co. have men at work taking down the small buildings and sheds at their old canning factory on Liberty street, this city, and removing the material to their new factory, near the city limits, which is about completed and ready for operation, and is one of the finest in the State.

The County Commissioners, at their meeting this week, transacted chiefly routine business, including the passage of a number of bills. Upon petition and certificate of Drs. D. F. Shipley and J. H. Billingslea, Samuel W. Miller was ordered to be confined at Springfield Hospital for the Insane until he shall recover his reason.

Yesterday morning while Ransom Gist, the 16-year-old son of Mr. George Gist, near Finksburg, was riding across a bridge his horse slipped or stumbled, throwing him to the bridge flooring and then falling on him, breaking both bones of the right leg about two inches above the ankle. Dr. M. L. Bott, of this city, was summoned and adjusted the fractures.

The convention of the Maryland Bankers' Association will be held at Annapolis, October 26, 27 and 28. The session will be held in the Senate chamber. The program for the convention is now being prepared by Mr. William Marriott, of the Western National Bank of Baltimore, and the administration committee, of which Dr. J. W. Hering, of this city, is a member.

The August term of the Circuit Court for Carroll county began on Monday, with Judge Thomas on the bench. The dockets were called, but no cases assigned for trial. The term is a non-jury one and little, if any, business on the law side of the court has been or will be transacted. Messrs. P. A. Gorsuch and John W. Holmes are the bailiffs. The dockets contain 74 trial cases, 9 appeals and 24 originals.

The Western Maryland Railroad will run a grand special excursion to the celebrated Luray Caves, on Thursday, 25th inst. The time schedule of the train at stations in this county will be as follows: Westminster 7.05, A. M.; Avondale 7.11, Medford 7.13, Wakefield 7.16, New Windsor 7.21, Linwood 7.27, Union Bridge 7.31, Middleburg 7.37, Bruceville 7.39, Double Pipe Creek 7.43. The fare from all the stations named, including admission to the caves, will be $2.50.

Dr. James E. Shreeve, Jr., surgeon dentist, of Ellicott City, has opened a dental office on West Main street, opposite the Montour House, this city. Dr. Shreeve is a graduate of Western Maryland College and of the dental department of the University of Maryland, in which he has been tendered the position of assistant demonstrator, but prefers engaging in active practice. His father, Dr. James E. Shreeve, of Ellicott City, is a native of this vicinity.

The Progressive Branch of the German Baptist Brethren's Church has broken ground for a new church edifice at Linwood, this county. The main building is to be 34x55 feet, with two wings, 10 by 20 feet each. The structure will have a steeple 11 feet square by 70 feet in height and will probably be the first German Baptist Church in the country to be thus ornamented. The building will be of brick, with limestone foundation. Elder Tombaugh, Dr. Reikard, Messrs. John Buckey, Joseph Englar and Nathan Englar constitute the building committee.

Among the fortunate owners of tickets which won valuable articles raffled off at the fete of St. John's Catholic Church, this city, which closed last Saturday evening, were the following: Prof. Bonnotte, of Western Maryland College, gold watch; Mr. Vincent Yingling, barrel of flour; Mr. Charles V. Wantz, 1000 mile ticket on Western Md. Railroad; Mrs. Wm. H. Starr, silver set; Mr. Eugene McCaffrey, gold clock; Mr. Wm. E. Sullivan, silk quilt; Mr. Wm. F. Long, $5 gold piece; Mr. J. Brooke Fink, ton of coal; Charles E. Fink, Esq., large lamp.

The annual celebration of the Sunday School of the German Lutheran Church, near Smallwood, which was held on Saturday last, was one of the most successful events of that character in the history of the school. A large crowd of people was present and the grove was filled with vehicles. During the day 146 gallons of ice cream, 200 doz. bottles of soft drinks, $45 worth of peanuts and $42 worth of confectionery were sold for the benefit of the the school. Rev. P. H. Miller, D. D., of this city, delivered an address. Excellent music was furnished by the Pleasant Valley Band.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Oliver Grimes, Jr., have moved into their handsome new residence on Willis street, this city.

Co. H, 1st Regiment I. M. N. G., of this city, has taken temporary quarters on Court street near East Main street.

Postmaster Baughman, of this city, has been directed to sell the postal wagons recently withdrawn from the rural free delivery service in this county.

Mr. Geo. Brown, of Cranberry Valley, has sent to the Albaugh & Babylon Grocery Co., of this city, a stalk of corn measuring 15 feet in height. Can anybody produce a higher one.

St. Paul's Reformed Church Sunday School, of this city, spent Thursday picnicking in the grove adjoining the German Baptist Church at Meadow Branch, and had a very pleasant time.

If the weather shall not be inclement on Thursday next, 18th inst., the annual reunion of the Reformed Churches of this county will be held on that day in the grove of Mr. Jos. P. Yingling, at Pleasant Valley. If raining then it will be held the following day.

Mr. Edward Shaffer, while threshing wheat at the farm of Mr. Ferd. D. Schaeffer on Thursday, met with quite a painful accident. He was feeding the machine while a lad was cutting the sheaf bands and, the knife slipping, the blade struck his right thumb, cutting a gash an inch long and to the bone. Dr. M. L. Bott dressed the wound.

Mr. Charles C. Gorsuch, of this city, will give a watermelon party, at his elegant home on West Main street, on Thursday evening next, to which all the white children in this city and vicinity are cordially invited. The First Regiment Band will furnish music and watermelons galore will be served on the occasion. On the succeeding (Friday) evening a similar party will be given to the colored children of the town and surrounding country, by Mr. Gorsuch, at the Union Street Colored M. E. Church.

Mr. J. Thomas Roop, auctioneer, sold for account of Mr. William Grove Lawyer, executor of the late William Lawyer, of this city, at public sale, last Saturday afternoon, 25 shares of stock of the First National Bank of Westminster, in blocks of five, as follows: Five shares to Mr. George R. Gehr, at $290 per share, and 5 shares at $200.50; 5 shares to Dr. Louis K. Woodward, at $200; 5 shares to George L. Stocksdale, Esq., at $200.25, and 5 shares to Mr. John G. Shunk, at $200.75; par value, $100. Total sales, $5,007.50.

Dogs from the country which accompany their masters to this city and become separated from them are exposed to the danger of being considered mad, and consequently of being subjected to determined efforts to kill them. A case of this kind occurred on Sunday, when a gentleman residing some distance in the country came to town in his buggy. His dog followed and, in his efforts to keep up with the vehicle, became exhausted and lay down. The cry of "mad dog" was speedily raised and a crowd with guns and clubs prepared to dispatch the harmless animal. The dog fled before his pursuers and fortunately gained the shelter of a cornfield and was safe at home when his master arrived.

Mr. J. Albert Mitten writes to his mother, Mrs. Jno. H. Mitten, of this city, from St. Louis, Mo., under date of the 9th inst., that he and his party arrived safely at that city, and are domiciled at the Inside Inn, on the fair grounds. This inn he describes as an immense affair, being about as long as the distance from George to Main street, this city, and about the same width, five stories high and containing 6,000 rooms. The weather was warm but clear and the trip was thoroughly enjoyed by the entire party. The crowds attending the fair, he writes, are very small, Mr. Mitten and his companions expect to leave St. Louis tomorrow and will return home by way of Chicago, Buffalo, Toronto, Canada, and Toledo.

James Perry, colored, was committed to jail for court by Justice Grannan, at the Central Police Station, Baltimore, on Friday last, on the charge of the larceny of $56 from Mr. Isaac M. Lambert, of Hampstead, this county. The robbery, it is alleged, was perpetrated on Light street on Wednesday afternoon, August 3rd, in broad daylight. Mr. Lambert told the Justice on Friday that he had formerly kept a small store at Hampstead, but, business being slack, had sold out his interest and gone to Baltimore, where he secured a position on the street cars as a conductor. A short time ago he had given up this place on account of failing health. On Wednesday morning last he stated that he started out to call upon a friend in South Baltimore. Losing his way, he accosted a negro on Light street and asked him to direct him. While the latter was doing this Mr. Lambert claims that two other negroes approached and grabbed him. They then went through him and secured the $56.

Fire at Mt. Airy.

Fire destroyed the large livery and feed stable belonging to John W. Wilson and the stable owned by Mrs. Clara Clary, which is leased by Adam Copeland, at Mt. Airy, Sunday morning about 11 o'clock, together with a large amount of feed. The horses and vehicles were saved. The fire was first discovered when the flames were coming out of the roof of the hay mow of the livery stable. The fire quickly spread to the Clary stable. At one time it was feared that several other buildings would burn, but by the excellent work of the citizens, who formed a bucket brigade, the fire was confined to the stables. The Mount Airy Hotel was slightly damaged. Mr. Wilson estimates his loss at $2,500; insurance, $1,000. Mrs. Clary's loss $300; insurance, $150.

Maryland Troops for Manassas.

Major General Corbin, U. S. Army, has forwarded to Brigade Headquarters final orders for the mobilization of the Maryland troops at the fall maneuvers at Manassas, Va. The troops selected to represent the Maryland National Guard are:

First Infantry, Col. Charles A. Little commanding.

Troop A, First Lieutenant C. Lyon Rogers, Jr., commanding.

Signal Corps, First Lieutenant Sidney B. Austin commanding.

Co. H, of this city, forms part of the First Regiment and will participate in the maneuvers.

The Maryland contingent will assemble in Baltimore on September 3, and report to the brigadier general commanding their brigade not later than September 4. The boys from Maryland will be assigned to the Second division, with headquarters near Thoroughfare, Va.

Carrollton Items.

Mr. Nicholas Houck, who had a second attack of paralysis last week, appears to be no better. He is at the home of his sister-in-law, at Carrollton Station.

Road Commissioner Benjamin Croft, assisted by Mr. Adam Leppo, is repairing the road near Carrollton Station by removing some heavy rock stone from the road bed. They deserve credit for the manner in which they are doing the work.

Mrs. Annie Brooks, nee Miss Lynch, of Hampstead, is visiting her parents and friends of this vicinity.

A force of workmen of the C. and P. Telephone Company is planting the poles along the county road to the dwelling of Mr. Edward Shaffer and he will have a 'phone in his house in a few days.

The woods meeting of the members of the Church of God, which was in contemplation, and was to have been held in Oursler's Grove, has been abandoned.

Mrs. E. E Koons, of Carrollton, and her daughter, Mrs. Charles Mott, of Baltimore, went to Thurmont on Tuesday on a two-weeks' visit to Mrs. Koons' sister, Mrs. Cover.

Mr. Frank Shaffer, who is now carpentering for the Wabash R. R., along the line of the road, left for his work on Tuesday. Mr. Shaffer has been detained at home on account of not being very well.

Mr. John Walsh, who has been a motorman on the Highlandtown and Roland Park Electric line of cars, Baltimore, for the past four years, is coming back to the country again with family.

Dr. V. B. Rench and wife, who have been visiting Mrs. Rench's parents, Rev. D. M. Browning, pastor of Wesley Church, and wife, left today for Walkersville, to visit Rev. Vernon N. Ridgely and wife, where they will remain a week and then return to Baltimore.

Farmers' Picnic at Mt. Airy.

The second picnic of the farmers of the four adjoining counties of Carroll, Frederick, Howard and Montgomery, was held on Friday in Wildwood Park, Mt. Airy, with the following prominent farmers as a committee: Charles Smith, of Carroll; George T. Roderick, of Frederick; C. F. Purdum, of Montgomery, and Nathan E. Young, of Howard. Vehicles of all descriptions began to arrive early, loaded with farmers and their families. Large crowds arrived by trains, the number of people being estimated at 2,000.

The park resembled a county fair, with quite a number of exhibits of machinery used on a farm. The exhibit which seemed to interest the farmer most was a mail transmitter used for carrying the mail from points on a rural route to the farmer's house when the house is some distance from the road. The transmitter was exhibited by Russell & Saylor, patentees and manufacturers, Union Bridge.

Addresses were delivered by Mr. J. B. Ager, master of the Maryland State Farmers' Grange; Prof. Taliaferro, of the Experiment Station at the Maryland Agricultural College; Miss Anna Brenen, a successful poultry raiser near Baltimore, and Rev. T. D. Deitrich, owner of the Harvest Home Farm, of Westchester, Pa. Prof. Taliaferro spoke on alfalfa and corn, stating their origin, quality and superiority over other long feed, after which he gave the farmers an opportunity to ask questions, which very many did and were answered promptly. After Mr. Deitrich's speech the park was given in charge of the young people and dancing was in order until a late hour in the evening. Music was furnished by the Frederick orchestra and band for both the picnic and dance.

Uniontown Items.

Messrs. Thornton Haines, Harry Routson and George Sponsler, of Baltimore, visited their relatives and friends from Saturday until Monday.

Miss Bertha Bean, of Washington, D. C., was the guest of Miss Romain Hollenberry, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Yingling and son Edwin, of Baltimore, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eckard.

Mrs. Maurice Starr and son, Morris Scott, of Libertytown, were guests of Mrs. Elizabeth Davis, this week.

Mr. Will Hiteshew, of Baltimore, visited Mr. Thomas H. Routson's family, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Arthur Sittig spent part of the week at Winfield, as the guest of Mr. Howard M. Zile and family.

Mr. Luther Hiteshew, of Baltimore, formerly of this place, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hiteshew, during the week.

Miss Alice Koons, of Baltimore, was the guest of Mr. George Routson's family the past week.

Miss Eckard, of Baltimore, is visiting her aunt, Miss Louisa Eckard, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eckard.

Mrs. William Witter and daughter returned to Baltimore on Wednesday, after spending several weeks at her mother, Mrs. John Shaw's.

Mrs. Lanie Shaw returned home with her sister, Mrs. Amanda Orrison, to Frederick county, who had been visiting her at Black Oak Spring.

Mrs. Philip Englar, Myers Englar, Miss Romain Hollenberry and Prof. Norman Eckard attended the reunion of the Union Bridge College students, at Pen-Mar, on Wednesday.

Mrs. Susan Harbaugh is visiting her son, Mr. Francis Parvin Harbaugh, and family, New York City, N. Y.

Miss Margaret Cover has returned from her visit to her cousin, Miss Jessie Cover, at a mountain resort in North Carolina.

C. E. Society service in M. P. Church, Sunday evening, at 7 o'clock. Preaching by pastor C. E. McCullough, at 8 o'clock. Everybody cordially invited and welcome.

Miss Edna Shafeirt, of Greencastle, Pa., who had been spending some time as the guest of her cousin, Miss Mary Bachman, at the Lutheran parsonage, returned home on Thursday.

Mrs. Edward Fox and daughters, of Washington, D. C., who are summering at Mrs. Fox's parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Weaver, Jr., are visiting friends at Williamsport, Md.

Mr. J. Hamilton Singer is further improving his home by having a new pavement laid in front of the building.

Mrs. Harriet Baker, of Baltimore, formerly of town, is visiting her friends in this vicinity.

Melrose Items.

J. Albert Zepp has a sunflower stalk in his garden which has a flower eighteen inches in diameter.

Last week Mr. Amos Sauble had a well dug and walled, near the new barn he recently erected here in town. The well is 27 feet in depth with an abundance of water.

The B. V. Railroad now has regular bi-weekly freight trains again.

Several dozen of vehicles passed through town on their way to Penn Grove camp meeting on Sunday last.

Much sympathy was felt for Mr. Edward Bixler in the loss of his wife last week, leaving a family of ten children. Mr. Bixler lives at McSherrystown. He has two sisters and one brother in this neighborhood.

At an early hour people began to gather at Wentz's school house on Saturday morning. Soon Wentz's Sunday School, headed by the Pleasant Hill Band, marched to Cumrine's grove, and by noon several hundred people congregated to hear the program which consisted of dialogues, recitations, singing and addresses by Rev. Wm. Warner, of Sporting Hill, Pa.; A. R. Wentz, of the Theological Seminary, Gettysburg, Pa.; and Edw. H. Krideler, a superintendent of Krideler's S. School for 32 years. The weather was as near perfect as could be wished for and all seemed to enjoy themselves. The receipts at the stand were good. Taken altogether this S. S. celebration will be remembered as one of the most successful for many years. The school treated the 108 members. It was first organized nearly 60 years ago.

The building near our freight depot, owned by the railroad company, was recently torn down and much of the timber transported to the ore mines and used in building an engine house.

For the Sentinel.

An Enjoyable Party.

A most enjoyable party, given in honor of Miss Ada Lockard, was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Shipley, near Gamber, on Tuesday evening. Games, music and conversation were indulged in until a late hour, after which refreshments in abundance were served. During the evening those in attendance were delighted by some very fine instrumental music, rendered by Mr. Bradley Stocksdale and daughters. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Miller, Mr. Clinton Shipley and wife, Mr. Ray Miller and wife, Mr. George Gorsuch and wife, Mr. Frank Warehime and wife, Mr. Wm. Arnold and wife, Dr. Gorsuch and wife, J. W. Sellers and wife, Mr. Joshua Patterson and wife, Mr. B. F. Pool and wife, Mrs. Henry Coleman, Mrs. James Shipley, Mrs. Sadie Wolfe, Mrs. Alice Williams, Misses Ella Spurrier, Mattie Barnes, Nellie Forsythe, Helen Bartholow and Ollie Deeds, of Baltimore; Lizzie Coleman, Edith and Blanche Smith, Ada Lockard, Bessie Fossitt, Della and Emma Arnold, Della Pool, Virgie Murphy, Bertha Zepp, Anna and Nina Stocksdale, Pearl Huff, Edith and Etta Parish, Minnie and Beulah Shauck, Gertie and Pleasant Shipley, Verta Benson, Eva Shipley, Daisy Pool, Millie Miller, Martha Zentz, Amelia Steffy, Julia Gardner, Lily Frick, Melvie Lockard, Becka Barnes, Annie Gorsuch, Messrs. Alfred Barnes, Will Murphy, Bradley Stocksdale, Scott Lockard, Carroll Barnes, Herschel Arnold, Herschel and Lewis Miller, Herbert and Leslie Gorsuch, Carroll Zepp, Will Hill, Frankie Pool, Geo. Garver, Clinton Pfeifer, Geo. and Vila Miller, Harvey Reese, Geo. Huff, Roy and Herschel Pool, Samuel Smith, Fred Gardner, Harris Gorsuch, Geo. Shipley, Harvey Davis, Emory Gorsuch, Lewis Barber, Chas. Lockard, Frank Powder, Emile Barnes, Max Shipley, Frank Freeman, Martin Gamber, Bertie Smith, Warner Trott, Thomas Bowers and Roy Davis.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

WEDDING BELLS.

Abbott-Hann.

Miss Esther H. Hann, daughter of Mr. Francis L. Hann, and Mr. Emory T. Abbott, were married on Thursday evening of last week, at the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. Wm. A. Crouse, of this city.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

Mrs. Elizabeth Johnson.

Mrs. Elizabeth Johnson, near Reisterstown, died on Tuesday evening of last week in her eightieth year. Her husband, who was a farmer and dairyman, died last February. One daughter, wife of Mr. Frank Erb, of Reisterstown, (formerly of this city) and three sons, survive her.

Mrs. Mary Fogle.

Mrs. Mary Fogle, wife of Joshua Fogle, died at her home in Woodsboro at 3 o'clock last Saturday, aged 72 years, 11 months and 26 days. She is survived by her husband and eight children, as follows: Miss Annie, at home; Mrs. Mary S. Burrier, of Mt. Pleasant; Theodore H., of Brookville, Ohio; Mrs. Harriet M. Grim, of Pleasant Hill; George P., near Taneytown; John T., of Woodsboro; Charles E., near Rocky Hill, and Mrs. Martha L. Fox, of Double Pipe Creek.

Mrs. Susan E. Shaw.

Mrs. Susan E. Shaw, widow of the late Thomas Shaw, died at the home of her son, Mr. Wm. Shaw, 1122 Forrest Place, Baltimore, very suddenly, on Friday last, 5th inst., aged about 75 years. Five daughters and two sons survive her, one of the sons being Mr. Thos. K. Shaw, a well known druggist of this city. The other son, Mr. Wm. Shaw, is the engineer on the Blue Mountain Express, Western Maryland Railroad. Mrs. Shaw was found dead in bed on Friday morning. Her remains were brought to this county and interred in Piney Creek Cemetery on Sunday.

Samuel D. Miller.

Mr. Samuel D. Miller died at his home near Beckleysville, on Tuesday morning, at the age of 72 years, and his remains were interred in the burial ground of Grace M. E. Church, Hampstead, on Wednesday, after largely attended funeral services in the church, conducted by Rev. S. J. Derr. He leaves a widow and five children—Mrs. Charles Snyder, Mrs. Eli Martin, Mrs. Andrew D. Schultz of Hampstead; Mr. William Miller, of Beckleysville, and Mr. John Miller, of Parkton. Mrs. Eli J. Butler, of this city, is his sister and he also leaves three brothers—Messrs. Joseph and Thomas Miller, of Hampstead, and Peter Miller, of Baltimore.

Mrs. Hester L. Stitcher.

Mrs. Hester L. Stitcher, wife of Mr. John G. Stitcher, Jr., of this city, died at her home on East Main street, about half-past 2 o'clock, Sunday afternoon, after an illness of less that twenty-four hours, of acute indigestion and cholera morbus, in her 49th year. Mrs. Stitcher was one of the most industrious of women and consecrated her life to toiling for her family, to whom she gave the full devotion of a kind and loving nature. She was a daughter of Mr. Charles Groft, of this city. Her husband, three daughters and two sons survive her. Her remains were interred in Westminster Cemetery on Tuesday morning, after funeral services, conducted by Rev. Durbin G. Miller, of Centenary M. E. Church. The pall-bearers were Messrs. H. K. Oursler, Samuel Brown, George F. Morelock, John Leffert, Ezra Knight and Emory Frizzell.

James Lockard.

Mr. James Lockard, one of Baltimore's well-known business men, died suddenly Monday evening at his residence, 1535 Argyle avenue. Mr. Lockard was 75 years old and had been complaining a few weeks of heart trouble. He had left house to take a car ride, and became ill on the street only a short distance from his home. He was taken into the house, and before medical aid came to his assistance he expired. Mr. Lockard was born in Carrollton, now Reese, this county, where he resided a number of years, having been engaged in the mercantile business during the war, and at its close he moved to Baltimore, when he embarked in the flour and feed business on Pennsylvania avenue. He was twice married and is survived by a widow (Mrs. Annie Lockard) and two sons (George E. and James G.) and a grandson (Dr. G. C. Lockard) all of Baltimore. Mr. Lockard was a son of the late John Lockard, of this county, and many of his relatives reside here. His remains were interred in Loudoun Park Cemetery, after funeral services yesterday afternoon.

Albertus Sylvester Beaver.

Mr. Albertus Sylvester Beaver, son of Mr. Oliver and Mrs. Hester A. Beaver, near this city, was accidentally killed, at Girard, O., on the 1st inst. Mr. Beaver was foreman of lines for the Youngstown Consolidated Gas and Electric Company which was putting in new wires and new poles between Youngstown and Avon park. One of these new wires, at the corner of State and Liberty streets, Girard, was broken, and Mr. Beaver with two other linemen, was engaged in reconnecting it. A Youngstown paper says:

"Beaver climbed the old pole and lineman Frank Slack a new one standing not more than three feet from the old pole. Beaver then bared the Youngstown end of the broken wire and wrapped it around the cross arm attached to the pole, leaving the naked end protruding. He then took the other end of the wire and, having bared it, was turning to make a joint, when his knee came in contact with the naked end of the Youngstown wire, completing the circuit and shooting 2000 volts of electricity through his body."

Mr. Beaver gave a slight groan and lineman Slack, who at once realized what had occurred, as quickly as possible cut one of the wires and took hold of the body of the unfortunate man, thus preventing it from falling.

Mr. Beaver had been in the employ of the Consolidated Gas and Electric Company for five years and for over two years was foreman of the linemen. He leaves a widow and two children—Clarence, aged three, and Freda, aged two years. The Youngstown paper above referred to says:

"Deceased was a popular and highly regarded young man. He had been a resident of this city only six years but possessed a large acquaintance and many friends. He was a member both of the Odd Fellows and of the Knights of Pythias. He was also financial secretary of the Electrical Workers' Union."

Orphans' Court.

Monday, August 8th.—Joseph L. Englar, administrator of Elizabeth Englar, deceased, settled first and final account.

William O. Petry, administrator of Mary Jane Lambert, deceased, returned inventory of personal property and received order to sell the same.

John T. Barnes and George A. Barnes, executors of George H. Barnes, deceased, received order to sell real estate.

Harry K. Shaeffer, surviving executor of Joseph Shaeffer, deceased, received order to sell stock.

Oscar D. Gilbert and John D. Bowers, administrators, d. b. n. c. t. a., of John H. Bowers, deceased, returned inventories of money and debts.

Tuesday, August 9th.—Singleton A. Aldridge, executor of Lewis A. Aldridge, deceased, returned inventories of personal property and debts.

J. Elmer Myers and William H. Myers, administrators of William Myers of J., deceased, received order to sell personal property.

Charles C. Eyler, administrator of John W. Eyler, deceased, settled first and final account.

J. Wesley Beggs, administrator, w. a., of Marie Bricker, deceased, returned report of sale of personal property.

The sale of real estate of Jesse Reifsnider, deceased, finally ratified and confirmed by the court.

For the Sentinel.

Co. H vs. Smallwood.

Co. H, 1st Regiment I. M. N. G., defeated Smallwood, in an exciting and well played game of baseball, 12 to 9, at Smallwood, on Saturday, 6th inst. Batteries,—Co H, Barnes and Smith; Smallwood, Frizzell and Smuch. Barnes for Co. H struck out 6; Frizzell for Smallwood 8.

Score by innings:

Co. H.	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	5	12 R.	15 H.
Smallwood.	0	0	3	1	1	0	3	0	9 R.	14 H.

Mt. Airy Postoffice Robbed.

The Mount Airy post office was entered by burglars Monday morning, about 2 o'clock and the safe was blown open and robbed of between $300 and $400 in stamps, and the private papers of Mr. Walter R. Rudy, the postmaster, were carried off. A rural mail carrier's mail sack was taken, in in which the robbers carried away their booty. The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company's repair shop was broken open and tools were secured, which the burglars used to enter the postoffice. The robbers did not seem to care for anything except what could be easily turned into money, as there was a large quantity of valuable goods in the store, in which the postoffice is located, but none was taken. The burglars got into the postoffice by forcing a window. They used nitroglycerine in blowing open the safe. The explosion aroused the neighbors, some of whom came out on the street, but seeing no one attributed the noise to the railroad yards nearby. When Mr. Rudy opened up Monday morning he found the floor scattered with papers and the valuable contents of the safe missing. Mr. Rudy says the work was that of professionals. The police of Baltimore and other cities were notified to look out for the robbers.

Personal.

Miss Florence Malehorn, of this city, is visiting in Baltimore.

Mr. Oliver M. Crouse, of this city, is visiting relatives in Baltimore.

Miss Lillian May Stoner, of this city, is visiting relatives in Hanover, Pa.

Mrs. Samuel P. Everhart, of Baltimore, is visiting relatives in this city.

Miss Rachel Leister, of Baltimore, is visiting at Mr. R. N. Snader's, this city.

Mrs. Ella Jones and daughter Leoti, of Baltimore, are visiting Mrs. S. C. Stoner, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Baker, of Howardville, visited friends in this city, Sunday last.

Mrs. Dr. James E. Shreeve, of Ellicott City, is visiting her son, Dr. James E. Shreeve, Jr., of this city.

Mr. Morris Otterback, of Washington, D. C., spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in this city.

Misses Lillian Johnson and Ada Black, of Baltimore, are visiting Miss Myrle Malehorn, of this city.

Miss Margaret R. Eckenrode leaves Monday next for a two-weeks' visit with friends at Roland Park.

Rev. R. W. Doty and wife, of this city, are spending 10 days visiting their parents, in Frederick county.

Miss Ida O. Hoff, of Baltimore, is visiting the family of Mrs. Geo. N. Fringer, East Main street, this city.

Miss Elizabeth D. Dungan, of Baltimore, is visiting her aunts, the Misses Harbaugh, Liberty street, this city.

Mr. Wilbur E. Buckingham, of Baltimore, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Buckingham, of this city.

Mrs. Geo. H. Mitten, of Washington, D. C., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Buffington, near Middleburg.

Mr. Chas. W. Zeiber, of Washington, D. C., spent a few days in this city, the past week, with his mother, Mrs. Israel Zeiber.

Mrs. Mollie A. Hesson and Miss Doris Hesson, of Pennsylvania avenue, this city, have left for an extended trip to Harrisburg, Pa., Chicago and Dwight, Ill.

Miss Nannye E. Lippy and Mr. Clarence L. Schaeffer, of Baltimore, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Hollenberry, W. Main street, this city.

Jabez D. Powell, the well known and efficient porter at Hering's department store, this city, is spending his vacation in Providence, R. I., and Boston, Mass.

Miss Lillian M. B. Engel, of Baltimore, and Mrs. Eugenia Williams, of King William county, Va., are guests of Mrs. Jesse N. Williams, East Main street, this city.

Mr. Frank Miller, wife and two sons, Lyman and Hesson, of Hanover, Pa., were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Coffman, of Pennsylvania avenue, this city.

Misses Fannye and Lula Hollenberry have returned home to Baltimore, after spending several weeks visiting in the vicinity of Hampstead and Westminster.

Misses Florence and Cora Butler, Messrs. Harry Starr, Edward G. Little and Walter L. Zepp, of this city, are taking a ten-day trip to St. Mary's county.

Messrs. Thos. J. Hunt and John W. Gill, of Hampstead; James Easton and Reuben Conaway, of Winfield, and Winfield S. Drach, of New Windsor, will attend the G. A. R. National Encampment at Boston, Mass., next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Turfle, of Baltimore, who have been spending a couple of weeks with Mr. Turfle's parents in this city, will spend the remainder of August at the World's Fair, St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davidson, of Frederick, and Miss Jessie Anders, of Union Bridge, are spending a few weeks at Mr. Theo. Hoffman's, near Winfield. Mrs. Davidson is Mrs. Hoffman's sister and Miss Anders is her niece.

Mayor O. D. Gilbert, wife and daughter, Miss Madeline; Messrs. H. Peyton Gorsuch and C. Fisher Wantz, of this city, will leave here on the 24th inst., for a trip to California, during the Triennial Conclave of the Knights Templar, which is to be held in that State.

Rev. C. E. Dudrear, of Baltimore, Mr. and Mrs. Kunkel and daughter Marion, of Philadelphia; Rev. Wm. Harden, Mr. Charles Young, Miss Holace Williams, Mr. Vinton Caple, Misses Grave Zepp and Bessie Green visited the family of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hill, of Eastview, this week.

Miss Jennie Pole, of Baltimore, who had been visiting here for some time, and Miss Mollie Manahan, of this city, have gone to St. Louis, Mo., where they will visit the World's Fair, and before their return will visit friends at De Soto, Mo. They expect to return in about two weeks.

The engagement is announced of Miss Madge Louise Shaw, daughter of ex-Congressman Frank T. Shaw, of this city, and Mr. Ernest J. Sponsler, of the firm of Roberts, Roop & Co., proprietors of the extensive Carroll Roller Mills of this city. The marriage will take place in November.

Mr. Guy S. Albaugh and wife have returned to their home at Springfield Hospital, after having spent a week's vacation at the homes of their parents, Mr. A. P. Albaugh, at Bennings, and Mr. John Lambert, at New Windsor. They were accompanied on their return by Mr. Albaugh's little niece, Miss Louise L. Engel, of Sams Creek.

Rev. Dr. P. H. Miller, pastor of Grace Lutheran Church, has gone to Northfield, Mass., to spend a portion of his vacation. His address, while there, will be Stone Hall, Northfield, Mass. He will be absent from his pulpit until the second Sunday in September. Mrs. Miller and daughters are visiting relatives in Loudoun county, Va.

Millers Items.

Miss Emma Hoffacker is spending two weeks visiting relatives at New Freedom, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bender entertained friends from Baltimore, Sunday last.

Miss Abbie Warehime is very ill at this writing.

Mr. Geo. L. Hoffacker, of Norristown, Pa., spent Sunday last visiting his parents here.

Quite a number of our people spent Sunday last at Penn Grove Camp.

Mrs. Lewis Seipp, Jr., and Mr. Scott Hoover, of Baltimore, spent Saturday and Sunday last visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Seipp.

Mr. Alvin Cramer, of Baltimore, spent several days recently visiting his sister, Mrs. James Rohrbaugh.

Miss Rosa Lawson has returned to her home at Garrison, Md., after a two weeks' visit amotg friends and relatives here.

Miss Susie Moore has returned to Baltimore, after spending a few weeks here.

The Jr. O. U. A. M. Lodge of Alesia will hold its 3rd annual celebration Saturday, September 10th, at Alesia, all day and evening. Able speakers will be present from Baltimore and other points and will make addresses suitable to the occasion. Music will be furnished by the famous Alesia Band, and vocal and instrumental music will be furnished by Mr. Call, of Baltimore. Everybody is cordially invited.

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