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TO THE PUBLIC.

In view of the many inquiries that have been most naturally made during the past week, it becomes our duty to make a frank statement to the public.

Because of the fact that a number of persons are interested in the AMERICAN SENTINEL and job printing office; for the protection of all these interests the undersigned were by the Circuit Court for Carroll County, sitting as a Court of Equity, appointed Receivers, and will continue the publication of the AMERICAN SENTINEL and all the work of the office, under the same business and editorial management that existed before the death of Mrs. E. J. Rippard.

So far as the interests of the public are concerned there is no change whatever in the conduct of the office, and we solicit the continued patronage of subscribers and advertisers, assuring them that they will receive as in the past, faithful and efficient service.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

Mr. John D. Biehl is having an addition built to his residence on Liberty street, this city.

Mr. John Bernstein is having a backbuilding added to his residence on East Main street, this city.

Mr. A. H. Huber is having some improvements made to his residence on East Main street, this city.

Palm Sunday was generally observed in the churches of this city, with appropriate religious services.

The Maryland Sunday School Union invites all Sunday Schools in Maryland to observe April 30th as Decision Day.

Mr. Christian Royer, of this city, has purchased a house and lot on Liberty street, from Mr. Paul Yingling, for $900.

The Pennsylvania College baseball team defeated the Western Maryland College team, at Gettysburg, on Saturday last, by a score of 11 to 0.

Mr. J. Hoffman Fuss, of this city, has had the double dwelling owned by him, on Liberty street, remodeled and back buildings erected thereto.

The side walk in front of the First National Bank and the railroad grounds, this city, is being regraded and repaired.

The County Commissioners were in session on Monday and Tuesday and engaged, principally, in making transfers and abatements for districts Nos. 4, 5 and 6.

Mr. A. C. Strasburger, of this city, in opening a 3½ pound rock fish, a few days ago, found in it two other fish measuring 8 inches in length and resembling herrings.

In most of the churches of this city the Holy Communion will be administered on Easter Sunday. An early morning service will be held in St. Paul's Reformed Church at 6 o'clock.

The body of Mr. John McGinniss, of Double Pipe Creek, who died April 7 in Philadelphia, was taken to Beaver Dam on the 9th, where interment was made. The funeral was largely attended.

Mrs. C. Wm. Myers, of this city, is having the excavation made for the cellar and foundation walls of a new dwelling, on the lot on East Green street, recently purchased by her from Mr. D. L. Farrar.

The pupils of Westminster High School will give an entertainment on the night of May 5. The proceeds of the entertainment are to be used in the purchase of physical apparatus for use in the school.

Six steel hopper cars loaded with coal, on the B. & O. Railroad, were derailed near Gorsuch's switch, this county, shortly after one o'clock, Monday morning. By 9 30 A. M. the track was cleared and trains again running.

The chimney swallows have made their annual appearance in this locality for the present season. Of all the migratory birds these, we believe, are the only ones which have not been traced to the locality in which they spend the winter months.

The first run of the Automobile Club of Maryland was made to this city, from Baltimore, on Sunday. The day was rather rough and the number of cars in the run was less than was expected. After dining here the automobilists returned to Baltimore.

Mr. Frank M. Hymiller, son of Mr. John Hymiller, near Spring Mills, was married in Ellicott City, on the 6th inst., to Miss Jeannette Emmett, of Baltimore. Mr. Hymiler is a clerk in the U. S. Railway mail service with headquarters in Baltimore.

Wednesday was the 44th anniversary of the attack made by citizens of Baltimore upon a portion of the Sixth Massachusetts Regiment, which was passing through that city to the defence of Washington and to aid in preserving the Union from dissolution.

The voters of this city should bear in mind the town meeting at Odd Fellows' Hall, next Tuesday evening, and be in attendance for the purpose of nominatlng a ticket from among the best cltizens, for mayor and common councilmen, to be voted for at the election on the suceeeding Monday.

Six large cars, loaded with coal, ran through an open switch and crashed into the joint B. & O. and Western Maryland passenger station at Cherry Run, on Friday last, damaging it considerably. One of the cars passed through the waiting and baggage rooms and stopped crosswise in front of the telegraph and ticket office.

Rev. D. N. Dittman, field secretary of the Home Mission Board of the Reformed Church, preached on Sunday last at Pleasant Valley and at Benjamin's Reformed Church, near this city. His discourses were very interesting and instructive and were highly appreciated by the congregations in attendance.

Mr. John E. Deeds, of this city, shipped 1560 dozen eggs to Baltimore this week.

That popular resort for summer excursions, Pen-Mar, will be opened on Memorial Day, May 30, for the season.

The seventh annual convention of the Sunday Schools of the Maryland and Virginia Eldership of the Church of God, and second annual Christian Endeavor convention, of that body, will be held jointly at Oak Hill, May 10-14.

While Mr. Thomas Turfle, East Main street, this city, was chopping wood yesterday, the axe caught in a clothes line and its edge came in contact with his scalp, penetrating to the bone and cutting a gash two inches long. A serious result from the wound is not anticipated.

Mr. Charles H. Baughman, a clerk in the statistical department of the Baltimore custom house and a brother of Postmaster Baughman, of this city, is critically ill and all hope of his recovery has been abandoned. He is suffering with paralysis, with which he was stricken several days ago.

Mr. J. Belt Townshend, of this city, while in Charlestown, W. Va., last week, lost his pocketbook, which contained $45 in money, a check for $45 and a number of valuable papers. He did not discover the loss until he reached Harper's Ferry and found himself penniless. Fortunately he is well known in that place and had no difficulty in obtaining the requisite funds for his immediate wants. Payment of the check was stopped, but the pocketbook and its contents have not been recovered.

Miss Myrle Caple, secretary of the Carroll County Sunday School Union, requests us to call the attention of Sunday School superintendents in the county to the importance of reporting the statistics of their schools at as early a day in May as possible, in order that they may be given to the State Association to be tabulated and combined in the general report at the international Sunday School convention in June. A similar request, made by President Garner, of the county union, was published in the SENTINEL over his signature, some time ago. Miss Caple's address is Westminster, carrier 4.

Messrs. D. H. Weaver and F. L. Campbell, heretofore members of the firm of E. E. Graves & Co., publishers of the Coatesville, Pa., *Times*, and proprietors of the Times job printing office, have purchased from Mr. Graves, the senior partner, his interest in the business, and will hereafter conduct it under the name of "The Times Printing Company." Mr. Weaver is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Edwin Weaver, of this city, and learned the printing trade in the Sentinel office. He is a gentleman of fine character and a first-class printer, and well deserves the prosperity and prominence he has achieved as a citizen of Coatesville.

Mr. F. M. Howell, general passenger agent of the Western Maryland Railroad, advises us that on and after Sunday, 30th inst., train No. 21, heretofore leaving Hillen Station at 11.25 P. M., daily, for Union Bridge, will not run beyond Emory Grove, and that on and after May 1st train No. 16, heretofore leaving Union Bridge at 4.45 A. M., daily except Sunday, will commence its run at Emory Grove. On and after May 7th, train No. 26, heretofore leaving Union Bridge at 6.25 A. M., Sundays, will commence its run at Emory Grove. It will be observed that the trains thus numbered constitute what is generally known as "The Owl," which will hereafter run only between Hillen Station and Emory Grove.

The list of eligibles for postoffice appointments in Baltimore, under the civil service examination held in November last, was made public on Saturday and contains the names of five residents of this county. The examination was for carriers and clerks. The carriers' list contains 58 names, of which that of Mr. Carroll Magee, of Carrollton, stands seventeenth, with an average of 82. The male clerks' list contains 126 names, among which are the following: Herbert M. Lippy, of Silver Run, who stands 27th, with an average of 84.45; Walter R. Pool, of Gist, 63rd, with an average of 80.80; Robert T. Shugars, of Gamber, 68th, with an average of 79.80; Clarence M. Mullikin, of Hood's Mill, 73rd, with an average of 79.60.

Rev. P. J. Shriver, formerly pastor of Freedom charge, Lutheran Church, in the southern part of this county, who was called last year to the church of that denomination at Lynchburg, Ohio, has begun the publication of a neat and sprightly monthly paper The Lynchburg Lutheran, in connection with his pastoral work. We have received the first number which contains among its contents an obituary notice of the late Rev. Christian Lepley, Who died at Springfield, Ohio, February 18, in his 94th year, and who was probably the oldest minister of the General Synod of the Lutheran Church. Mr. Lepley was formerly pastor of the Lutheran Church at Reisterstown and began the work at Woodbine which led to the organization of Freedom charge.

Mr. Wm. E. Little, a well known farmer near Morelock's schoolhouse, in Uniontown district, had his right hand severely burned and narrowly escaped a more serious, if not fatal, accident last Monday week, during the terrific wind and thunder-storm which swept over this county that day. About the time the storm began the flue of a chimney in Mr. Little's residence became ignited and the high wind blew flakes of fire over the roof, which was soon ablaze in a number of places. Mr. Little went upon the roof and was engaged in an effort to suppress the flames when rain began to fall and enabled him to succeed. But his foot slipped on the wet shingles and to save himself from falling he grasped the top of the chimney with his right hand, until he was able to recover his footing, thus sustaining the burns referred to which will disable him for some time. If he had fallen from the roof he might have been killed or permanently disabled. Mrs. Little, with the assistance of the children, suppressed the flames which were threatening the interior of the house.

Feast of Passover.

The observance of the Feast of the Passover, one of the great festivals of the Jews, began on Wednesday and will last seven days, with one holiday at the beginning and one at the end, and five intervening half holidays. According to the Jewish calendar, it is the eve of the fifteenth day of Nissan, which is the first spring month. The Passover commemorates the night when the Angel of the Lord, smiting the first-born of the houses of the Egyptians, passed over the Children of Israel, whose houses were marked by the blood of the lamb.

Personal.

Master Levine Price has accepted a position with the Albaugh & Babylon Grocery Co., of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. N. Keefer, of this city, spent Sunday with relatives in Littlestown, Pa.

Mrs. W. H. Waddell and daughter, Clarice Virginia, of this city, are visiting friends and relatives in Chambersburg, Pa.

Mrs. Lavina Fuss, who had been visiting relatives in the upper portion of this county for several months, has returned to her home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton A. Sullivan, of this city, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Sullivan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Little, near Gettysburg, Pa.

Master Wm. Carroll Gilbert, son of Mr. Wm. H. Gilbert, formerly of Westminster, has returned to his home in Washington, D. C., after spending six weeks with relatives and friends here and in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Helwig, of this city, announce the approaching marriage of Mrs. Helwig's sister, Miss Margaret Alverta Royer, and Mr. David Eltinge Shriver, which will take place at 3.30 P. M., Thursday, 27th inst., at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Helwig, on West Main street.

Reception to a Pastor.

A large number of the members and friends of the Methodist Protestant Church of this city went to the parsonage on Tuesday evening and welcomed the return of their pastor, Rev. L. F. Warner, for the fourth year. Dr. J. W. Hering made the address of welcome which was responded to by the pastor. There were 81 visitors by actual count and all took with them some practical expression of love for the pastor and family. Not only were there good things for the larder, but also gifts of money, table linen &c. It was a most interesting occasion. The evening was spent in pleasant social conversation. The committee in charge served refreshments, after which all returned home with the determination to co-operate even more heartily in the work of another conference year.

Cold April Weather.

The weather for the first three or four days this week was unseasonably cold and on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday mornings, ice was formed on ponds and milldams in this locality. Fortunately a high wind prevailed during most of the time and there was very little humidity. This, it is thought, prevented the general destruction of fruit buds and only such fruits as apricots, cherries, plums and some peaches, which are in blossom, were at all injured.

The cold wave extended far south and a freezing temperature prevailed even as low down as South Carolina and Georgia. From these states and from Virginia and North Carolina come reports of wholesale damage to the fruit in that region, where fruit-growers and truckers apprehend serious losses.

Kicked By a Horse and Fatally Injured.

Mr. William L. Frommeyer, for the last seven years sexton of St. John's Catholic Church, this city, was kicked in the side of the abdomen by the horse of the pastor, Rev. Joseph H. Cassidy, in the parsonage stable, about 6 o'clock last Sunday morning and injured so severely that he died about 4 o'clock on Tuesday morning, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Baltimore, where he had been taken the previous evening by Dr. W. D. Wells, who was attending him. Mr. Frommeyer was about 32 years old and was a young man of most excellent character, thoroughly trustworthy and faithful in the discharge of all his duties. He was a member of St. John's Beneficial Association and possessed the entire confidence and respect of his associates. He was unmarried. His parents reside in Bonneauville, Pa. His remains were taken to Gettysburg, Pa., for interment on Thursday. Members of St. John's Beneficial Society of this city, attended and acted as pall-bearers.

Accused of Stealing Buggy.

Mr. Frederick L. Grafflin of 1623 Bolton street, Baltimore, had a hearing before Justice Grannan of the Central district last Saturday morning on the charge of willfully concealing and making away with a buggy, valued at $140, the property of Mr. Harry H. Harbaugh, of this city.

Mr. Grafflin was arrested Saturday morning by Detective Coughlin of the local headquarters force on a duplicate warrant issued by Justice J. F. Rinker, of this city.

It appears from the statement made by the defendant to Justice Grannan that in April, 1902, Mr. Grafflin hired a buggy from Mr. Harbaugh, agreeing to pay him a certain sum weekly for its rental. Mr. Harbaugh claims that the buggy was never returned to him, while on the other hand, Mr. Grafflin claims that he sent an agent to Mr. Harbaugh with the buggy, and that if it was not returned he was not to blame. Mr. Harbaugh holds Mr. Grafflin responsible for the act of his agent. Mr. Grafflin was released on bail for the action of the grand jury of this county.

State Council, Jr. O. U. A. M.

The Maryland State Council, Jr. Order United American Mechanics, met in Hagerstown on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. Reports for the past year indicate that the order is in a flourishing condition, having a membership in the State of 20,884, a net gain of 845 over the previous year. During the past year the aggregate sum paid out by the various councils, for benefits and relief, was $99,494. The investments and cash in the treasuries of the councils amount to $221,559. The membership in Baltimore and the several counties is as follows:

Allegany	1,938	Howard	491
Anne Arundel	271	Kent	264
Baltimore City	9,609	Montgomery	92
Baltimore Co.	1,574	Prince George's	94
Calvert	270	Queen Anne's	61
Caroline	199	Somerset	1,059
Carroll	491	Talbot	143
Cecil	811	Washington	1,657
Dorchester	167	Wicomico	1,013
Frederick	567	Worcester	274
Garrett	175		
Harford	257	Total	20,884

There are no councils in Charles and St. Mary's counties.

Messrs. Claude Tilden Smith and William Weagley were the delegates from Westminster Council. The next meeting of the State Council will be held in this city. This result was accomplished by the earnest efforts of Mr. Smith, who had to contend with representatives from Baltimore, Cumberland and elsewhere, who had extended invitations for the meeting to be held in one or the other of those places.

A banquet was given the delegates, in Masonic Hall, on Wednesday night, at which Mr. Smith responded to the toast "Westminster."

Missionary Convention.

The fourteenth annual meeting of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society, Middle Conference, Maryland Synod, Lutheran Church, will be held in Trinity Lutheran Church, Taneytown, on Thursday and Friday next, 27th and 28th inst. The first session will be held Thursday evening at 7 30 o'clock, the pastor, Rev. W. E. Wheeler, presiding. The program for the several sessions will be as follows:

THURSDAY EVENING.

Anthem, choir; opening service—hymn 21, Sun of My Soul, scripture, prayer, hymn 630, Always With Us; address, India Work, Dr. Mary Baer; hymn 336, Hasten, Lord, the Glorious Time; recitatfon, Miss Annie Cover; offering; announcements; prayer and benediction.

FRIDAY 9 A. M.

Devotional service, Miss Edna Schaeffer; opening exercise—prayer, hymn 829, Showers of Blessings; roll-call and minutes; reports of vice-president, treasurer and box-work director; hymn, 527, A Charge to Keep I Have; delegates' hour—have you won any new subscribers? how? Mrs. P. H. Miller; social meetings, Mrs. G. W. Enders; hymn 540, Watch for the Night is Coming; our funds, (the ingathering, scattering abroad,) Miss Ada Mehring; announcements; benediction.

FRIDAY, 2 P. M.

Opening service, Miss Carrie Gladhill; thank offering, was it hearty? a special service? Mrs. M. L. Beard; hymn 529, Saviour, Thy Dying Love; development in prayer, silver jubilee, Mrs. P. A. Heilman; hymn 198, More Love to Thee; offering; announcements; children's hour, Mrs. S. H. Little.

FRIDAY, 7.30 P. M.

Anthem, choir; opening service—hymn 16, Abide With Me, scripture, prayer, hymn 530, The Son of God Goes Forth; address, Miss Jessie Brewer; hymn 335, Christ for the World We Sing; report of resolution committee; offering; announcements; closing remarks, Mrs. P. A. Heilman; Joxology and benediction.

The new Book of Worship will be used at all the services.

The officers of the society are: Mrs. G. W. Baughman, vice president; Miss Lizzie T. Birely, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. W. E. Wheeler, box work director.

Dr. Mary Baer and Miss Jessie Brewer, who will address the convention, are returned missionaries from India.

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WEDDING BELLS.

Harrison-Leatherwood.

Miss F. Amanda Leatherwood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Leatherwood, and Thomas A. Harrison were married at the home of the bride's parents, near Woodbine, Wednesday evening, at 7 o'clock, by Rev. Andrew B. Wood, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, of Relay. The bridesmaid was Miss Clara Leatherwood, a sister of the bride, Fred. Leatherwood, a brother of the bride, acted as best man. A reception followed the marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Harrison will reside at Woodbine.

Webb-Dorsey.

A beautiful wedding took place at Mt. Airy, at 3 30 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, April 12th. The contracting parties were Miss Nellie B. Dorsey, the beautiful and attractive daughter of F. G. Dorsey, Esq., and granddaughter of the late Judge John R. Mills, of Frederick county, to Mr. Harry Webb, a worthy young gentleman of Howard county. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. J. A. Lacy, of the Presbyterian Church, and was preceded by a wedding march upon the piano by Miss Minnie Anderson, of Mt. Airy.

Long-Leister.

A very pretty and interesting wedding took place at the home of the bride's uncle, Mr. Harry Bixler, at Greenmount, on Wednesday, 12th inst., in which the contracting parties were Miss Goldie Leister, daughter of the late David J. Leister, and Mr. Henry W. Long, of Philadelphia, the latter having formerly resided in this county. Miss Albaugh was maid of honor and Mr. Lewis Long, brother of the groom, best man. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. R. W. Doty, of Salem charge Lutheran Church, pastor of the bride, in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends of the bride and groom, among whom were the two grandfathers and two grandmothers of the bride. An elegant wedding dinner was served. Mr. and Mrs. Long will reside in Philadelphia.

Cromwell-Gosnell.

Miss Lottie Evangeline Gosnell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Gosnell, was married to Mr. Edgar H. Cromwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cromwell, Tuesday evening at Starr Methodist Protestant Church, Popplelton street near Lombard, Baltimore. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Frank T. Little, assisted by Rev. G. W. Haddaway, pastor of Starr Church. Miss Lulu Gosnell, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, and Miss Olive Cromwell was flower girl. Master Cromwell Warner was page. The bride was attired in white chiffon over white taffeta, with tulle veil caught up with orange blossoms, and carried Bride roses. The maid of honor wore embroidered Swiss over pink taffeta and carried Bride roses, and the flower girl wore white over blue taffeta and carried white sweetpeas. Messrs. Charles G. Cromwell, Clinton Hay, Charles M. Gosnell and Wilbur P. Stubbs were ushers. A reception at the home of the bride's parents, 1719 West Lombard street, followed the ceremony. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Brooks, and Mr. Harry Gosnell, of this city, cousins of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Cromwell will spend their honeymoon in Atlantic City, and will make their home on Twenty-fifth street near the York road.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

Mrs. Mary Stuller.

Mrs. Mary Stuller, of this city, died at her home on Fair ground Hill, on Saturday morning last, after a short illness, in her 64th year. She leaves one daughter, and several brothers and sisters survive her. She was a daughter of the late Joshua Stuller, near this city. Her remains were interred in the cemetery of the Brethren's Church, at Meadow Branch, on Monday, Elders Wm. E. Roop and Ezra Brown officiating.

Thomas Spencer

Mr. Thomas Spencer, of Woolery's district, died at his home near Finksburg, yesterday evening, in his 72nd year. Mr. Spencer was a farmer and a well known and worthy citizen of this county. He leaves a widow and several adult sons and daughters. He was the last of the sons of his father, but two sisters—Mrs. George Leas, of this city, and Mrs. Fred. N. Hook, of this district—survive him. His remains will be interred in the burial ground of the Sandy Mount M. P. Church, Sandyville, at 10 o'clock, tomorrow morning.

Mr. John W. Murray.

Mr. John W. Murray, a venerable citizen of Franklin district, died on Tuesday morning, at the home of his granddaughter, Mrs. Luther D. Wantz, near Sams Creek, after a short illness, in his 89th year. Several grandchildren and great-grandchildren survive him, but his wife and children are dead. Mr. Murray, for quite a number of years, had lived a retired life, but in his earlier years was widely known and his name was familiar as the manufacturer of a wooden shaking fork, an implement then in common use by farmers, which was unequaled. He was always a good citizen and a worthy, upright man, and enjoyed the esteem and confidence of a large circle of friends. Politically he was a staunch Republican. His funeral took place on Wednesday and his remains were interred in the burial ground of Bethel M. E. Church.

Martin L. Grimm.

Mr. Martin L. Grimm, a contractor, while engaged in erecting the new station of the B. & O. Railroad, at Woodbine, about two weeks ago, stept from one track to another without observing an approaching train and was struck by the engine. His thigh was fractured, several ribs broken and other injuries inflicted which caused his death on Saturday last. His funeral took place at Mt. Morgan Chapel, M. E. Church, on Monday, Rev. A. F. Campbell officiating. Mr. Grimm was a member of Freedom Lodge, A. F. and A. M., and the funeral rites of the fraternity were performed at his grave by his brethren of that body. His age was about 55 years and he leaves a widow and four children. Deceased was also a member of the lodge of Septasophs at Sykesville and was esteemed very highly by all who knew him. He was a Republican politically and was a man of high standing in the community. He was attended by Dr. E. D. Cronk and was apparently recovering, until Friday night, when he suddenly grew worse. His funeral was the largest ever known at Morgan Chapel. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. John O. Devries, Marcus D. L. Pickett, Otho Buckingham, Solomon Wolman, M. Pickett and Judge Wm. T. Frizzell.

Frank M. Roberts

Mr. Frank M. Roberts, of this city, died at his home on Pennsylvania avenue, on Tuesday afternoon, at the age of 62 years, 1 month, 25 days. Until about a year ago Mr. Roberts was engaged in farming when he retired and moved to this city from his farm near Sams Creek. His death was caused by paralysis and he was entirely unconscious for several days before the end came. He was well known in this county, and had many friends, having been a gentleman of kind and genial disposition. He was devoted to his family, a loving husband, indulgent father, and generous neighbor. He was a son of the late Henry Roberts, of Woolery's district, and a brother of the late H. Stewart Roberts. Except one sister, Mrs. Kate Stevenson, of Union Bridge, he was the last member of his father's family. He leaves a widow and the following children: Misses Jennie, Ruth, Christie and Kitty Roberts, Messrs. Joseph, David and Samuel Roberts, of this county, and Mr. Charles Roberts, of Illinois. After a short service at the late residence of the deceased, yesterday morning, by Rev. C. S. Slagle, the remains were taken to Bethany M. E. Church, where funeral services were held by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Jones. Mr. Roberts was a member of St. Stephen's Lodge, I. O. O. F., the members of which performed the burial rites of the order at his grave at the cemetery adjoining the church. The members of Salem Lodge, I. O. O. F., of this city, acted as pall-bearers at the house. The floral tributes were very pretty.

Thomas A. Miller.

Thomas Agustus Miller, a former resident of near Double Pipe Creek, died at the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. Amon Weisensal, at Hanover, Pa., aged 84 years, 11 months and 12 days, from senile debility. He is survived by one daughter and 5 sons—Mrs. Emma Weisensal, of Hanover; Frederick, of Johnsville; Theodore W., of near D. P. Creek; George, Thomas and Charles, of McSherry'stown, Pa., and 40 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Samuel Bowen, Colored.

Samuel Bowen, a well known colored resident of this city, died yesterday morning, at the home of his son-in-law, Wm. Morgan, on Union street, after a long illness of paralysis and general debility, aged 67 years. He was a veteran of the Civil War, having served in a Massachusetts cavlary regiment. He was for many years an employee at Schlosser tannery, at Tannery, until disabled by illness. He was an industrious and worthy man. One son and three daughters survive him. His remains will be interred in Ellsworth Cemetery tomorrow morning.

William Jones, Colored.

William Jones, a well known colored resident of this city, died on Sunday last, at his home on Charles street, aged 65 years, 3 months, 4 days, leaving a widow and one daughter. Deceased was a veteran of the Civil War. He enlisted in the 4th U. S. Regiment, Colored Infantry, August 11, 1862, and was honorably discharged May 5, 1865. He saw service with the army of the Potomac and further South and was in Gen. Butler's attack on Fort Fisher. He had an excellent record as a soldier. His funeral took place on Tuesday, Rev. James Irving officiating, and his remains were interred in Ellsworth Cemetery.

Andrew Arthur.

Mr. Andrew Arthur died on Sunday, 16th inst., at the residence of Dr. Rinehart, in Frizellburg, with whom his son William and family reside, at the advanced age of ninety years, nine months and four days. He was born near Belfast, County Antrim, Ireland, in 1814. In 1832 he came to this country with his father, Robert Arthur; his mother, two sisters, Nancy and Margaret, and one brother, John, the only surviving member of the family. They settled in this county. He leaves five children—Robert, William and Charles Arthur, Mrs. Nannie Babylon and Mrs. Thomas Gilbert; also eighteen grandchildren, and fourteen great-grandchildren. He was a consistent member of the Presbyterian Church of Taneytown, of which he was an elder for over forty years. In politics he was a strong Republican, and never missed an election although he was blind for the last three years. He voted last Fall. He was always healthy and robust and was never known to call in a physician. He was buried in the Cemetery at Baust Church on Tuesday afternoon. Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. H. P. Sanders, of Taneytown.

Upton Warner.

Mr. Upton Warner, a retired farmer and tanner, died at his home near Wakefield Roller Mills, in Wakefield Valley, on Monday morning, aged about 68 years. Mr. Warner was a veteran of the Civil War, having enlisted in Co. A, Sixth Maryland Regiment, Volunteer Infantry, August 11th, 1862, and served with credit in that splendid organization until he was twice wounded in battle and disabled for active service. He was then transferred to the Veteran Reserve Corps and at the end of the war was honorably discharged. He leaves a widow, one son and eight daughters, all adults, as follows: Mr. Charles U. Warner, Mrs. Wm. Waddell, Mrs. James Bowers, Mrs. John Engelhardt, Mrs. Chas. Ensor, Misses Effie, Lottie and Nettie Warner. He was a member of Burns Post, this city, members of which attended his funeral and buried him according to the G. A. R. ritual. His funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon and his remains were interred in Benjamin's Cemetery, near this city, Rev. R. W. Doty, of this city, officiating. The funeral was largely attended.

Mrs. Mary C. Crouse.

Mrs. Mary C. Crouse, wife of Rev. Wm. A. Crouse, of this city, died at her home on East Main street, on Tuesday afternoon, after a long illness, of dropsy, at the age of 76 years, 4 months, 20 days. Mrs. Crouse was the second wife of her husband, who survives her and is an aged, well known and greatly esteemed retired clergyman of the Methodist Protestant Church. She died childless, but was the stepmother of Rev. Thos. O. Crouse, now of Georgetown, D. C., an eniment minister of the denomination mentioned; Mr. Wm. S. Crouse, of Denton, superintendent of public schools of Caroline county, and Mrs. Theodore Derr, of this city. Two brothers, Mr. Ephraim Boring, of Indianapolis, and Cornelius Boring, of Greensburg, Ind., survive her. Mrs. Crouse was a faithful and earnest member of the Methodist Protestant Church from early womanhood, and a lady of kind, tender and amiable disposition, and was sincerely esteemed by all who knew her. Deep sympathy is felt for her venerable husband in his sad bereavement. Funeral services, conducted by Rev. L. F. Warner, were held this afternoon, at 2 o'clock, in the Methodist Protestant Church, after which the remains were interred in Westminster Cemetery.

Eastern District Brethren's Meeting.

The meeting of the Eastern district, German Baptist Brethren, was held at the Sams Creek Church on Tuesday. Elder Ephraim W. Stoner was moderator; Elder George K. Sappington, writing clerk and Prof. Wm. M. Wine reading clerk.

A report was received regarding the establishment of the Old Folks' Home at San-Mar, Washington county, which was opened within the past month. This is the home which was established through the donation of the late Dr. Peter Fahrney, of Chicago, who a short time prior to his death donated the ancestral estate, near Boonsboro, and $10,000 additional for this purpose.

It was decided to incorporate the church district at the next meeting of the legislature.

In answer to a query it was decided that the little cap when worn without strings by the sisters does not fulfil the requirements of Scripture, as given in Corinthians by St. Paul, regarding the covering to be worn by women when at worship.

On the question of a change of the church name, which has been objected to for sometime on account of the word German in it, and which matter will be up for action at the coming annual meeting to be held at Bristol, Tenn., the delegates from Eastern Maryland were instructed to vote for the name to remain as it is, but if a change is to be made the preference is to be given to the title Dunkard Brethren, by which the church is more generally known.

The question of establishing a hospital by the denomination in the East came up for consideration, and it was unanimously decided to have a committee appointed to advise at the next district meeting on the feasibility of the project. The following were appointed as the committee: Elders Uriah Bixler and W. E. Roop, of Westminster; J. J. Ellis and Dr. J. S. Geiser, of Baltimore, and M. C. Flohr, of Washington, D. C.

For the Sentinel.

Salem Sunday School.

Salem Sunday School was reorganized April 16, by electing the following officers: superintendent, Mr. Andrew P. Frizzell; assistant superintendent, Mr. R. Wesley McQuay; secretary, Miss Mae Koontz; assistant secretary, Mr. Roscoe Aldridge; treasurer, Mr. John B. T. Sellman, of Westminster; librarian, Miss Sylvia Bair; assistant librarian, Mr. Raymond Carr; organist, Miss Hollus Frizzell; assistant, Miss Glein McQuay; missionary board, Mr. Jesse Bair, president, and Mr. George L. Lescallecte, secretary and treasurer. Sabbath School, Sunday, April 23rd at 9.15 A. M. Come out. Our preacher of West Falls Circuit; Rev. Harris, gave us a good talk last Sabbath which every one seems to appreciate. Rev. George W. Cec', of Taylorsville, whom we are always glad to see, was with him.

Some Norfolk truckers estimate that the damage by frost to Virginia crops and fruits will amount to $1,000,000.

MATHERS'.

Westminster and Manchester.

This Week's Store News.

The Millinery Department.

This Department continues to grow in favor and in volume of business. We hear on all sides for it nothing but the highest praise. Now is the time to select your spring hat if you have not already done so. The stocks are complete, the styles are beautiful and our prices are the lowest ever named for like qualities.

Special Prices On Mattings.

We are giving our entire attention to Mattings, having closed out nearly all our carpets, and we are doing a tremendous business on them. The great quantities of Matting we are selling and the few calls we are having for carpets shows that we were right in giving up carpets and enlarging our stock of mattings. The use of mattings is increasing wonderfully while the use of carpets is falling off. Mattings are cheaper, more sanitary, easier kept clean, cooler, brighter and easier put down. We scarcely find one person in twenty now who wants carpet instead of matting. We are showing some very special values in both Japanese and China Matting at 19 cents the yard. Fine heavy goods, the prettiest of patterns, and will give the best wear, every piece worth 25 cents. We have all other prices too, from 10 to 35 cents. No matter what you want we are sure to be able to supply it.

Special Hosiery Bargain.

Special lot of ladies' fine Lace Hose, really 25 cent goods, but we offer this lot for only 14c. All perfect, strictly fast black, and very pretty.

14 Cents.

Special Bargain in Gingham.

Special purchase in Dresss Ginghams in remnants. Regular Price 8 cents, but for this lot only 6½ cents. Perfect goods, very pretty patterns and a bargain at this figure.

6½ Cents.

Basement Specials For Housecleaning and Gardening Time.

Two special Bargains in Brooms, only a few more left at this price, 12½ and 16 cents.

Whitewash Brushes, all kinds and sizes, from 5 cents to $1.00.

Dust Brushes and Scrub Brushes and kindred necessities all here for you in great variety.

Garden Trowels 5 and 10 cents.

Garden Sets for the children, rake, shovel and hoe, all for 10c.

Sprinkling Cans, all sizes, very cheap. We haven't needed them very much lately, but we may soon.

Easter Novelties.

This is the last call. Our stock is still very complete, though the selling has been lively. Don't forget to make the little ones happy with a few Easter Toys. They cost but a trifle and mean so much to the children. Prices are mostly 5 and 10 cents. Also a full line of Candy Eggs and Egg Dyes.

T. W. Mather & Sons.

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Carrollton Items.

The newly appointed pastor of Hampstead Circuit, Rev. Wilson Thomas, who takes the place of Rev. D. M. Browning, delivered an impressive sermon on Sunday morning last, at Wesley Church, on the love of God, as taken from Saint Paul's letter to the Romans, 8th chapter and 32 verse: "He that spared not His own son, but delivered him up for us all, how shall He not with him also freely give us all things."

The sermon was well received by the people who were held spell-bound by the eloquence of the preacher and were delighted. Many in the audience were seen to wipe away the silent tear from their eyes. After the sermon a reorganization and election of officers of the Sunday School took place, as follows: Thomas Buchman, Supt.; John Abbott, assistant; William Algire, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. Eby, assistant; George Rill, librarian; Edward Bonner, assistant. Mr. Joel Ebaugh was re-elected secretary to the official board of the church. Mr. Algire, secretary of the Sunday School, read a statement showing the school to be in a flourishing condition. Next Sunday the sessions of the school will be resumed when a large attendance is expected. A reception will shortly be tendered the new pastor and his family.

Mr. E. E. Koons, miller at Drechsler's flour mill, who suffers with rheumatism, spent two days in the hospital at Baltimore last week.

The big barn now in process of erection by Mr. William Walsh, is nearing completion and will soon be ready for his stock.

Some parts of the county road between Wesley bridge and the road leading toward Hampstead suffered washouts by the late heavy rains, but is being repaired.

Mr. Milton Chew has placed a new post and wire fence around his lands on the turnpike near Reese postoffice.

Mr. Vernon Reese, who for several years kept the store at Reese, and who is now engaged in a large lunch room in Baltimore, spent two days with his family who still reside at Reese.

A wooden wedding, or the fifth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Taylor, took place at their home, Carrollton on Tuesday, April 11th, at which many presents were received and delicious refreshments were served. Many good wishes were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Taylor for their future prosperity and happiness. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Asbury Algire, Mrs. Nettie