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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.

Disease caused the death of the driving horse of Mr. Joseph B. Boyle, of this city, on Saturday last. The animal was nearly 17 years old.

Mr. Charles Yingling, of Mt. Pleasant, raised a 24-pound watermelon in his cornfield the past season. He would like to know if anybody can beat it.

Only routine business was transacted by the County Commissioners, at their meeting on Monday last. Their next meeting will be held on Tuesday, as Monday will be a legal holiday.

During the month of August 50 deeds, 15 mortgages, and 8 bills of sale were received for record at the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court for this county, and 13 marriage licenses were issued.

The SENTINEL is indebted to Mr. Joseph Myers, of Tyrone, for a basket of fine peaches. Mr. Myers states that he will have plenty of ripe peaches for sale, at his orchard, for the next two weeks.

Most of our local correspondents tell briefly of damage done by the heavy rains of Thursday and Friday of last week. Fields and roads were badly washed, lowlands inundated and fencing, hay and other property washed away.

Ben, the pet cat of the family of Mr. A. J. Malehorn, Pennsylvania avenue, this city, died last week at the good old age (for a cat) of 15 years. Ben was known to everybody in the neighborhood of his home and is said to have been a terror to rats and mice.

Mr. John H. Mitten, of this city, has received from Gen. John R. King, commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic of the United States, a handsome commission as aide-de-camp, a position which entitles him to the rank of colonel in the order.

Sales of the personal property made by John M. Roberts, Esq., on the farm at Avondale recently disposed of by him, aggregated the handsome sum of $2,563.35. The sale was advertised in the SENTINEL and other papers, and took place on Wednesday. Mr. F. A. Crawford was auctioneer.

The canning industry in this city is booming and the factories are compelled to keep in operation till late hours of the nights in order to handle the immense quantities of corn being received. The industry gives employment to a large number of persons, during the season, at good wages.

Mr. Thomas Howard Shipley, trustee, sold at public sale, Wednesday, a small farm of 22½ acres, lying a mile southeast of Taylorsville, on the Ridge road, and belonging to the estate of the late Cordelia E. Shipley, to Mr. Charles E. Shipley, of Ellicott City, for $372.50. Guy W. Steele, Esq., was solicitor in the case.

Messrs. D. N. Henning, F. Neal Parke and Charles E. Fink, administrators d. b. n. c. t. a. of Mary C. Lamotte, sold at public sale on Monday, the lot fronting 177½ feet on East main street, opposite the Washington road, this city, to the George W. Albaugh Real Estate and Brokerage Company, for $2,000. It is improved with a weatherboarded dwelling house and other buildings.

Large numbers of persons from Baltimore, this city and elsewhere along the line of the Western Maryland Railroad visited Pen-Mar on Sunday last. An excursion train in three long sections was run to the Park from Baltimore and the bargain excursion train which started from this city was liberally patronized. The number of tickets sold at the office in this city was 189.

On Saturday last Mr. George H. Birnie, of Taneytown, administrator d. b. n. c. t. a. of Rogers Birnie, deceased, sold to Hon. Joseph A. Goulden, of New York City, the farm of the deceased, in Uniontown district, for $8,462. The farm contains 253½ acres, 24 perches. Mr. Goulden, its purchaser, is a native of Taneytown Messrs. Roberts & Crouse were attorneys in the case and J. N. O. Smith, auctioneer.

It is related that by the inundation of the meadows along Pipe Creek, in the vicinity of Marker's (formerly Weist's) mill, on Thursday of last week, muskrats in considerable numbers were driven from their burrows and that many snakes of various species left the lowlands and gathered along the water's edge, some of them even crawling upon the fences. Numbers of them were killed with sticks and clubs.

The district meeting of the Knights of Pythias, to be held in this city on Wednesday, 6th inst., promises to be a great success. Charity Lodge has been making extensive preparations for the event. Seventeen or eighteen lodges located in Frederick, Montgomery, Carroll and Baltimore counties will be represented at the meeting and, in addition to the regular delegates, the grand officers of the State and large numbers of knights will be in attendance. One of the leading features of the meeting will be the initiation into Charity Lodge of between 30 and 40 new members.

Elder A. P. Snader, near New Windsor, officiated at the funeral of Mrs. Carrie Ecker, which took place at Bethel M. E. Church, near Sams Creek, on Saturday last.

At a children's carnival held in Frederick, this week, baby prizes were offered and the second prize was awarded to the baby of Dr. and Mrs. L. K. Woodward, of this city.

The alarm of fire in this city yesterday evening was caused by the burning of a small outbuilding on the premises of Mr. J. Wesley Yingling, Liberty street. The fire department responded but its services were not needed.

Mr. Wm. Snyder and wife, of Cincinnati, Ohio, who have been visiting Mrs. S's. parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Snyder, 1106 Mosher street, Baltimore, and other relatives in that city, and in Carroll county, will return home on the 7th inst.

As Monday next will be Labor Day and a legal holiday the banks and public offices will be closed. For information concerning mails and postoffice delivery in this city on that date, readers of the SENTINEL are respectfully referred to the communication of Postmaster Baughman, to be found else where in this issue.

Harry B. Lee, infant twin brother of John P. Lee who died on the 15th ult. at the age of 4 months, 4 days, died three days later aged 4 months, 7 days and his remains were interred in the burial ground of the Brethren's Church at Sams Creek, Elder A. P. Snader officiating. They were the children of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Lee, of Warfieldsburg.

Mr. Austin H. Yingling, superintendent of the canning factory of Messrs. Smith, Yingling & Co., of this city, made an exceedingly narrow escape from accidental death last Friday afternoon. His clothing was caught in some part of the machinery and he would have been crushed to a pulp but for his promptness in seizing some stationary object to which he clung until every shred, except his overalls, was torn from his body. It is a singular fact that the trousers and underclothing were drawn from beneath the overalls leaving the latter intact. A key in his trousers pocket was twisted and broken in twain.

The German Baptist Brethren of the Eastern District of Maryland and of the District of Columbia held a two-days' meeting, which began Wednesday, in Washington. Prof. Wm. M. Wine, president of the Md. Collegiate Institute at Union Bridge, was elected moderator; M. C. Flohr, of Washington, secretary, and Elder A. P. Snader, New Windsor treasure. Among the other ministers from this county taking part in the discussions of the conference wee: Elders E. W. Stoner, Chas. D. Bonsack, John S. Weybright, E. A. Snader, W. E. Roop, and W. Philip Englar. The attendance was large and much interest was manifested in the proceedings.

The amount of individual deposits subject to check, in the several national banks of this county, at the close of business on the 25th ult., were as follows: First National Bank of New Windsor $80,478.94; First National Bank of Mt. Airy, $98,733.23; Farmers and Mechanics National Bank of Westminster, $155,208.90; Union National Bank of Westminster, $263,940.02; First National Bank of Westminster, $200,960.01; total, $889,321.10. At the same time the various deposits with the Westminster Deposit and Trust Company were $520,884.87, and in the Westminster Savings Bank $832,865.50; total, $1,353,750.37; grand total, $2,243,071.47. In addition to this the deposits in the banks at Taneytown, Uniontown, Union Bridge, Union Mills, Manchester, Hampstead and Sykesville probably approximate half a million dollars, making the total deposits in the county about two and three-quarter millions.

For Information of the Public.

By a recent order of the Postmaster General services on all rural free delivery routes, in the future, will be suspended on New Year's Day, January 1; Washington's Birthday, February 22; "Memorial" or Decoration Day, May 30; Independence Day, July 4; First Monday in September, known as Labor Day; and such day as the President may set apart as Thanksgiving Day in each calendar year.

Monday next, September 4, will be Labor Day. There will be no delivery by rural carriers on that date. The Postoffice in Westminster will be closed after 9 o'clock. A. M. City carriers will make a delivery in the morning, and an evening collection.

G. E. BAUGHMAN, P. M.

For the Sentinel.

Sisto Defeats two Men.

On Tuesday night, August 29th, Young Sisto, of this city, met and defeated two men in succession. The first man, young Dorsey, being at the mercy of Sisto's open hand, was allowed to stay 3 rounds. Roy Young, the champion colored fighter of Carroll county, was defeated by Sisto in 2 rounds by a right hand punch to the stomach, but Sisto allowed him to get wind and he gamely came back and stood another round.

Young Sisto wishes to announce that he will meet any man at 128 or 130 pounds. He is willing to give "Doc" Ward, of Carrollton, another trial at 128 pounds and would like to hear from him as soon as possible as he (Sisto) is delaying his bout with Young Hart, the champion featherweight fighter of the South, in order to give Ward first preference.

Sisto will make Westminster his home and will be permantly located at the Albion Hotel.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

George E. Parker.

Mr. George E. Parker, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Brinkerhoff, of Philadelphia, (formerly of this city,) died at the Reading Hospital, of pneumonia, on the 22nd ult., aged 32 years, and his remains were interred in Westminster Cemetery, Philadelphia, on the 25th ult. The widow of the deceased is a granddaughter of Mrs. Annie R. Mitten, of this city.

Mrs. Mary Shorb.

Mrs. Mary Shorb, widow of the late Alexander Shorb, of Littlestown, Pa., died at her home at that place on Monday, in her 90th year. One son and four daughters survive her, one of the latter of whom is the mother of Mrs. Wm. N. Keefer, of this city. Mrs. Shorb was a sister of the late Mrs. Rebecca Eckenrode of this city. Her funeral took place at Littlestown yesterday.

Mrs. Anna Yingling Cline.

Mrs. Anna R. Yingling Cline, wife of Mr. Eli Cline, died at her home in Baltimore on the 30th ult., aged 56 years, 11 months. Her husband, three daughters and one son survive her. Mrs. Cline was a daughter of the late Rev. Wm. H. Yingling, who was a well known local minister of the M. E. Church. Mr. J. Wesley Yingling, of this city, is her brother. Her remains were brought to this city this morning and interred in Westminster Cemetery. The burial service was conducted by Rev. R. Kolb. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. J. Edwin Weaver, S. P. Weaver, A. W. Buckingham and John H. Gerke.

Mrs. Eliza Shreeve.

Mrs. Eliza Shreeve, widow of the late Alfred Thomson Shreeve, died at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. C. Edgar Nusbaum, in New Windsor, 25 minutes after 9 o'clock, Monday evening, after a long illness aged 66 years, 2 months, 17 days. Mrs. Shreeve was for many years a resident of this city and only recently removed to New Windsor. Her husband was for a long time a clerk in the Baltimore postoffice. He was a veteran of the Civil War and a very gallant soldier, having lost a leg at the battle of Cold Harbor. She was a devoted member of the M. E. Church. An only brother, Mr. B. Frank Darby, of Washington, D. C., the last of her father's children, survives her, and she leaves one daughter, Mrs. C. Edgar Nusbaum, at whose home she died. Funeral services were held at Centenary M. E. Church, this city, yesterday morning, after which the remains of the deceased were interred in Westminster Cemetery.

Mrs. Sarah Grenadier.

Mrs. Sarah Grenadier, widow of the late Martin Grenadier, died at her home in this city on Tuesday, after a long illness, aged 44 years, 22 days. Mrs. Grenadier was a daughter of the late Andrew Fowler. She leaves seven children, most of whom are grown. Her remains were interred in the cemetery of St. John's Catholic Church yesterday morning, after funeral services in the church, the pastor, Rev. Jos. H. Cassidy, officiating.

Mrs. Mary Ann Fleagle.

Mrs. Mary Ann Fleagle, widow of the late Jesse Fleagle, died at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. Urcie Harver, near Frizellburg, on Tuesday, at the age of 71 years, 9 months, 24 days, and funeral services were held at Baust Church yesterday morning, by Rev. G. W. Baughman. Mr. Jacob Nusbaum, near Frizellburg, is her only brother and the last survivor of her father's children. She leaves one son, residing in the West, and eight daughters. Mr. James M. Stoner was the funeral director.

Oliver J. Hoover.

Mr. Oliver J. Hoover, of Manchester district, died at his home near Melrose last Friday night, of paralysis, aged 65 years, 9 months, 12 days. Mr. Hoover had been a great sufferer with rheumatism for several years, an affliction which he bore with great fortitude and patience. Few persons have endured such intense agony as fell to his lot from this painful malady. He was a well known farmer and previous to his illness took a deep and active interest in public affairs. He leaves a widow, two daughters and two sons—Mrs. David Ebaugh, Mrs. Hull, Messrs. George O. L. Hoover and Horatio Hoover, the last named of whom resides in the West. He is also survived by one brother, Mr. George P. L. Hoover, of Wakefield, and six sisters—Mrs. J. Fletcher Babylon, Mrs. Isaac Brilhart, Mrs. Michael Brilhart, Mrs. Wm. H. Koontz, Mrs. Joshua Smith, of this county, and Mrs. John Lynerd, of York county, Pa. Mr. Hoover was a member of the Reformed congregation of Jerusalem Church, Bachman's Mills, where funeral services were held on Wednseday by his pastor, Rev. J. B. Stonesifer.

Augustus Mitten.

Mr. Augustus Mitten, a native and former well known resident of this city, died at his home in Baltimore, on Friday last, after an illness of two weeks, of jaundice, aged 73 years, 7 months, 24 days. Mr. Mitten was a carpenter by trade and formerly followed that occupation here, but about 18 years ago removed to Baltimore and engaged in the commission business on Franklin street. He was a brother of the late Mrs. Jno. Bernstein, Henry G., Nelson and William J. Mitten and was the youngest and last member of that generation of the family. He leaves a widow and three sons—Harvey R., Augustus G. and George Edward Mitten. His remains were brought to this city on Sunday afternoon and interred in Westminster Cemetery in the presence of a large concourse of citizens, including the members of Westminster Lodge No. 41, I. O. M., who attended the burial in a body. The church burial service was conducted by Rev. Wm. A. Crouse, and the rites of the I. O. M. were performed at the grave by Westminster Lodge. The pall-bearers were: Messrs John J. Reese, George A. Miller, John B. Saylor, J. Wesley Yingling, Thomas Zepp and Harry E. Cootes. Many beautiful floral pieces were contributed by members of the family and friends.

George W. Gardner.

Mr. George Washington Gardner, a native of this county, but for many years a prosperous farmer near Libertytown in Frederick county, and for some time past a resident of Union Bridge, died on Saturday morning last, at the residence of his son-in-law, Rev. L. W. Warner, pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church of this city, aged about seventy-seven years. Mr. Gardner was a son of the late Nimrod Gardner, of this county. Upon his marriage in early life he removed to Frederick county and, as stated, engaged in farming. Less than two years ago he retired and removed to Union Bridge. He was a gentleman of intelligence and high character and an influential member of the Methodist Protestant Church. His aged wife survives him and he leaves two children—Mrs. L. F. Warner, of this city, and Mr. Roy Gardner, who resides on the homestead, near Libertytown. He was a brother of Mr. E. N. Gardner, of Baltimore; Mrs. Lewis Stocksdale, of Reisterstown, and Mrs. J. B. Allison, of this city. His funeral took place on Monday morning, the service, which was held at the M. P. parsonage, this city, having been conducted by Rev. E. P. Read, of Union Bridge, assisted by Rev. W. A. Crouse and Rev. Dr. H. C. Cushing, after which his remains were taken to Union Bridge and interred in Mountain View Cemetery. The pall-bearers were: Dr. J. W. Hering, T. W. Mather, F. K. Herr, S. K. Herr, Joseph Tregallis and James H. Clemson. A peculiarly sad feature of the funeral was that neither the aged widow of the deceased nor her son were able to be present at the interment, on account of illness.

WEDDING BELLS.

Cashour-Eckenrode.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred. M. Eckenrode, George street, this city, was the scene of a very pretty and happy nuptial event at half after two o'clock, yesterday afternoon, when their daughter, Miss Catherine Gertrude Eckenrode, was wedded to Mr. Clarence William Cashour, son of Mr. Albert Cashour, of Central, Frederick county. The house was tastefully decorated for the occasion with palms, ferns and flowers. The marriage ceremony was performed by the bride's pastor, Rev. Joseph H. Cassidy, rector of St. John's Catholic Church, this city. Miss Mary Cashour, sister of the groom, was maid of honor and Mr. Albert Eckenrode, brother of the bride, best man. The ushers were Misses Minerva Finney, of Round Top Park, Baltimore; Lola Nusbaum, of Central; Helen Rinehart, of Union Bridge; Lena Metcalfe, of Unionville; Flora Steffey, of this city, and Margaret R. Eckenrode, sister of the bride. The bride wore a gown of white chiffon silk, trimmed with real lace, with orange blossoms in her hair, and carried white carnations. The maid of honor was gowned in white Paris mousseline. The wedding march from Lohengrin and Mendelssohn's march were played by Prof. Howard White, of Union Bridge, in his inimitable and highly artistic manner, on the piano. After the ceremony a reception was held and a wedding luncheon served. Mr. and Mrs. Cashour left by the fast mail train yesterday evening, for a wedding trip. The wedding presents were numerous, handsome and very valuable.

Baker-Snader.

"Shady Hill Farm," the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Philip B. Snader, near New Windsor, was the scene, at 1 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, of one of the most interesting and prettiest weddings ever witnessed in that neighborhood. Their only daughter, Miss Edna Baile Snader, was the bride, and the groom was Mr. William Edward Baker, of Baltimore, whose father, Mr. John W. Baker, is a prominent Frederick county farmer. The house decorations, which were in charge of Mrs. Cora Stouffer, florist, of New Windsor, were very elaborate and artistic. The bride was most becomingly attired in a going-away gown of olive sapho silk, trimmed in embroidered chiffon and French applique, with hat and gloves to match, and she carried Bride's roses. The attendants were Mr. R. Smith Snader, brother of the bride, and Mr. John Smith Baile, cousin of the bride, who acted as ushers. Mrs. R. Smith Snader, sister-in-law of the bride, presided at the piano and played the wedding march from Lohengrin as the bridal party entered the parlor where the marriage ceremony was impressively performed by Rev. L. Emory Bennett, pastor of New Windsor circuit, M. E. Church. Large numbers of relatives and friends of the contracting parties were wedding guests on the occasion and were entertained with genial and generous hospitality. An elaborate luncheon of crabs, salads &c., followed with ices, cake, fruits, coffee and lemonade was served. During the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Baker were driven to New Windsor and took a train for a wedding trip to New York, Boston, Niagara Falls and other points in the North and on their return will reside at 2808 Evergreen Terrace, Baltimore.

Stoffle-Yingling.

The home of Mr. and Mrs Eli Yingling was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Sunday, when their eldest daughter, Miss Bessie May Yingling, became the bride of Mr. Horatio George Stoffle, son of Mr. George Stoffle, of Snydersburg. The house was beautifully decorated with flowers and evergreen, and a large evergreen arch, from which a floral bell was suspended, spanned the spot where the bridal party stood while the ceremony was performed. Miss Mamie Leppo, of Union Mills, was maid of honor, and Mr. Harvey Yingling best man. Misses Bessie Barnhart and Ella L. Yingling were ushers. The bride wore a gown of sky blue moravian silk, with white silk, all over lace and white satin trimming, and carried a Bible. The maid of honor was attired in a gown of blue silk with lace trimmings. The groom and best man wore the conventional black, with white ties. The wedding march from Lohengrin was beautifully rendered by Miss Elsie Brown, of Cranberry Valley, as the bridal party, promptly at 6 P. M., entered the parlor where the marriage ceremony was performed by the bride's pastor, Rev. R. W. Doty, of Salem charge, Lutheran Church. After the ceremony a reception was held and an elaborate wedding luncheon served, Miss Clara May Grogg, of Lineboro, and Mr. Wm. M. Harris, of Cranberry, serving the guests. The bridal presents were numerous, useful and beautiful. Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Yingling, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stoffle, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stoffle, Rev. and Mrs. R. W. Doty, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Abram Snyder, Mrs. Geo. Stephan, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Giggard, Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Yingling, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Yingling, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Ebaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Snider, Mrs. John Shultz, Misses Perdido Yingling, Bessie Stoffle, Treva Stoffle, Elsie and Treva Brown, Melvie Brown, Hester Snider, Helen Giggard, Melvie and Florence, Hattie and Grace Yingling, Edna and Fay Barnhart, Treva and Ella Harris, Jane and Laura Ebaugh, Bessie Barnhart, Ida Hosfield, Annie Graf, Mamie Leppo, Clara Grogg, Ella Yingling, Rosie Zepp, Evelyn Brown, Messrs. Henry and Harry Snider, Chas. Barnhart, Gerrie, Lester and Elmer Giggard, Clarence Yingling, Will Reed, Wm. Hosfeld, Horace Leppo, Wm. Harvey, Elmer and Carroll Yingling, Horace Ebaugh, Sterling Snider, Arthur and Sherman Harris, Hering, Sterling and Geo. Brown, Elias and Vernon Yingling, Chas., Albert and John Stephan, and Horatio Fleishman.

Melrose Items.

Mr. Edward Stermer shot two fish cranes on the farm of Mr. P. J. Geiman, each of which measured 6 feet, 8 inches across its wings and was 3 feet, 6 inches in length.

Considerable interest is manifested in the iron ore prospectors who are finding considerable of the valuable metal in the neighborhood. Iron ore has been located on some of Mr. Sellers' land. We learn that some gold has been found on the farm of Mr. David Brown, of Cranberry.

Rev. J. A. Metzger will preach a sermon here on Sunday evening, Sept. 3rd, promptly at 6 o'clock. As it will be out of doors he can not hold the services if the weather should be unfavorable.

There is a woman in the neighborhood who set a hen with 17 eggs and 17 little chicks were hatched from them.

Mrs. Theodore Fridinger has three pumpkins of last year's growth that are as solid and sound as the day they were put away.

Mr. Theo. Fridinger is building a new hog house 50x22 feet, and a new spring house. Armstrong and Leese are the carpenters.

Not since 1858, some of our older residents say, was there such a downpour of water as fell the latter part of last week. Cellars were flooded, fences and bridges washed away, and deep gulleys washed in fields and roads. The turnpike, which was condemned several years ago, is almost impassable between here and Manchester. Mr. Emanuel Sellers, besides losing fences, bridges, etc., had nearly a carload of lime washed away.

Gist Items.

The heavy rain of last Friday did considerable damage to ploughed fields and fences and washed the roads in places so badly that travel was next to impossible. Some of the bridges on Big Morgan were washed away, and several were under water from 2 to 3 feet.

Messrs. Klee Bros. lost a valuable horse last Saturday morning with colic.

There will be harvest home services at Harmony Grove M. P. Church, Sunday, Sept. 10th, at 10 o'clock, A. M. and again at 7 o'clock, P. M.

Don't forget the picnic at Harmony Grove, Saturday, Sept. 9, commencing at 1.30 P. M. Mr. Bradley Stocksdale will furnish music. Should the weather be inclement it will be held the following Monday afternoon and night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Criswell, of Newark, Ohio, who had been visiting relatives in this vicinity, returned to their home on Monday.

Mrs. Laura J. Kopp and children, Eva and Nellie, of Baltimore, are visiting Mrs. K's. mother, Mrs. C. A. Jordan. Mrs. Hollie Hood and daughter Dola, of Baltimore, are also visiting Mrs. Jordan.

Mrs. Wm. F. Jordan is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Shipley, in Bernett.

Mr. Jos. B. Shipley has cut some corn off this week. The farmers are busy hauling sweet corn, which is a good crop, for the factories.

New Windsor Items.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wilson and daughter, Miss Edna, spent a few days with Mrs. W's. son William in Westminster.

Walter Abbot of Baltimore, spent a few days with his uncle, John Gosnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Devilbiss, of Baltimore, spent Sunday last with his family, who will move to Baltimore this week.

Miss Lamora Bankard left on Saturday last for Washington, D. C., where she spent Sunday and on Monday, accompanied by her friend, Miss Fenno, went to Warrington, Va., to attend a house party.

Mr. and Mrs. Steinmetz and daughter Grace and Mrs. Hamilton, all of Baltimore, visited at Mr. I. Smith's this week.

Louisa Parker (colored) has been taken by Dr. Winterson to Baltimore, to the hospital for treatment for stomach trouble.

The watermelon party given by Mr. Jno. H. Roop to the children of the town and vicinity was postponed on Friday evening last until Monday on account of the weather. About 175 persons were present and all did justice to the melons; which were fine.

Mr. Walter Getty and wife moved into their home on Monday.

Mr. Gilbert and family, of Philadelphia, Pa., arrived on Tuesday evening to take possesion of Hotel Windsor Sept. 1. D. S. Rector, the present owner, with his family, will leave for Berlin, Pa., on Monday for a visit to relatives. They expect to make their future home in San Antonio, Texas.

On last Saturday while removing husks at the noon hour, at the canning factory, a Mr. Miller accidentally ran a fork through the foot of a child named Zepp.

Miss Hitchie, of Annapolis a granddaughter of the founder of New Windsor, visited the home of her ancestors this week.

The second quarterly conference of this circuit of the M. E. Church convened on Tuesday.

Conway, one of the firemen at the factory, was overcome by heat on Monday.

Rev. Harry Ecker and family, of Frostburg, are visiting Mr. E's. parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Ecker, near town.

Mrs. Mary Correll and Mrs. Scott Smith, of Bridgeport, spent a day, recently, with Mrs. J. Ross Gall.

Mrs. Zumbrum, of Union Bridge, spent Thursday with her brother, Mr. Alfred Bankerd and family.

On Thursday evening a number of ladies from town, assisted by talent from a distance, gave an entertainment, for the benefit of the base ball club, consisting of readings, recitations, songs, quartettes and solos, after which refreshments were sold.

Bloom Items.

The farmers are making ready for sowing the fall crop. While some are plowing others are harrowing and those who have sugar corn on hand for the canners are hauling.

Mr. Charles Frizell, of Bloom, is convalescing from an attack of typhoid Fever, under the skillful treatment of Dr. E. D. Cronk.

The recent heavy rains have left our roads in a bad condition.

Mr. Lloyd B. Shipley recently burned and hauled out a kiln of lime.

Mr. Thomas Jones, of Bloom, is running a full set of hands pulling stumps, using Ex-Sheriff Crawford's stump puller.

Mr. Daniel Smith is housed up with an attack of measles, his children having first had them.

Mr. George L. Lescalleete has built an addition to his barn, preparatory to handling more cattle.

Ex-Judge Frizzell purchased a pair of fine mules yesterday to replace the horse and mule which he lost about two weeks previous.

Mr. Harvey Frizzell has had a machinist all during the week overhauling his clover hullers, making ready for the fall trade. He has two threshers running daily and it seems as if they can't satisfy the demand.

On Tuesday 827 bushels of wheat and 23 bushels of rye were threshed with a Huber machine, running from 6.30 A. M. till 6 P. M., at Mr. Philip Lauterback's in Freedom district.

Uniontown Items.

Mrs. James Nixon and daughter Elizabeth, of St. Louis, who spent two months with Mrs. N's. grandfather, Mr. Harrison Weaver, and family, returned home on Tuesday.

Miss Grace McAlister and Miss Clara Dotterer are visiting friends in Washington, D. C.

Master Victor Foreman, of Washington, D. C., who spent the summer at Mrs. Hannah Dotterer's, returned home on Tuesday.

Miss Gertrude McAlister of Baltimore, is spending some time with her brother, Mr. Walter McAlister.

Rev. C. E. McCullough attended the funeral, on Monday, of his brother, Mr. James McCullough, in Baltimore.

Miss Nettie Arnold, who has her home with Rev. C. E. McCullough's family, after spending her vacation with friends at Sandyville, has returned.

Mrs. Edgar Yingling and daughter Hilda, who were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eckard, have returned to Baltimore.

Mrs. Penelope Martin and daughter Jennie, who spent a month with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weaver, returned to Baltimore on Thursday, accompanied by Miss Isabel Weaver, who will spend the winter with her grandmother, Mrs. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hollenberry have returned to their home, Wilkensburg, Pa., after visiting, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Hollenberry and friends for several weeks.

Mrs. Harry Yingling and son Edmond, of Baltimore, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eckard.

Master Guy Hooper, of Baltimore, is visiting Rev. C. E. McCullough's family, at the M. P. parsonage.

Mr. Lester Hollinger, of Everett, Pa., who was a guest of Rev. G. W. Baughman, at the Lutheran parsonage, has returned home.

There will not be a preaching service in the Church of God on Sunday morning, as the congregation will worship with the Methodist Protestant congregation. The church will hold a re-opening service, following the repairing, painting, &c., of the audience room and the exterior.

The friends and members of the church and other congregations, are very cordially invited to attend the special service on Sunday morning at 10.15, September 3. Special music will be a feature of the occasion.

Rev. R. L. Crawford, of the Church of God, has been granted a vacation and in company with Mrs. Crawford will visit his mother and sister in New York City. We wish them a safe and pleasant visit.

Mr. Arthur Wigle, of Harrisburg, Pa., was the guest of his cousin, Mr. Harry Rodkey, during the past week.

Miss Mary Preibert, of Union Bridge, was the guest of Mr. Charley Rodkey's family during the week.

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. J. Wesley Rodkey entertained Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hollenberry, of Wilkensburg, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. John C. Hollenberry, Misses Romain and Annie Goreine Hollenberry.

Miss Edna Canter, who was visiting Miss Mary Baughman, returned to her home in Huntingdon, Pa., during the week.

On Wednesday Mr. Norman Eckard returned to Baltimore preparatory to entering upon his duties as principal of Brooklyn, Md., High School.

Miss Rhoda Bowersox, who had been spending sometime in Westminster, returned home on Sunday.

Shipley Items.

The weather has become fall like and our farmers are very busy preparing for their fall work. Hauling away sweet corn, hauling out lime and harrowing of fallow plowed ground are the duties that require constant attention. The sweet corn crop is an extra one this year and the yield is from 60 to 75 tons per acre. Many are cutting their second crop hay and clover seed. Some are preparing to fill their silos with ensilage.

The corn crop in general is a good one, as is also the potato crop in most instances.

Miss Mary E. Williams, of Shipley, on the 26th ult., purchased, at public sale, the Burgess N. Williams farm containing of 69 acres, for $2130.

Mr. Grove J. Shipley, whose barn, &c., were burned by fire caused by lightning, on the 23rd of July, has been making all necessary arrangements to build again. Mr. Shipley will build in the rear of the site of the barn destroyed, a bank barn 48x36 feet and 16 feet to the square, with the stabling under the barn proper, but not all under ground. The wall is now up; the carpenters are nearly ready to raise. Mr. Joshua Ditman, of Westminster, is the contractor; Mr. Howard Davis and Mr. Harry Frick, of Smallwood, were the masons. Judge Wm. V. Frizzell, of Bloom, furnished the whole frame, shingles, laths and posts; Smith & Reifsnider the weatherboarding and flooring; Mr. L. J. Grimes the hardware.

The recent hard rains have made our public roads bad in many places. The health of our community is good.

Silver Run Items.

Service at St. Mary's Reformed Church Sunday at 10.00 A. M.; Sunday School at 9.00 A. M.

Rev. Jno. O. Yoder will be installed as pastor of Silver Run charge, Lutheran Church, Sunday morning at 10 00 o'clock. Service in the evening at 7. Sunday School at 6 A. M.

Rev. J. Stewart Hartman will hold harvest home service September 10, at 10,00 A. M., and St. Mary's Lutheran Church will also hold their harvest home service on the same date.

Miss Grace Dell, of Hanover, Pa., has been spending a week with her grandparents, Mr. Jacob R. Lippy and wife, of this place.

Mr. Herbert Lippy is spending a few days with friends in Howard county.

Mr. Frank Warehime and family spent Sunday with Mrs. W's. parents, Judge A. Kurtz Myers and wife, of Frizellburg.

Mrs. Geo. Babylon, of Baltimore, recently spent a week with Mr. Frank Warehime and family.

Mrs. Dell and three children, of Hanover, Pa., are spending a week with Mrs. D's. parents, Mr. Jacob R. Lippy and wife, of this place.

Mr. Geo. Hartman, of Harrisburg, Pa., is spending a week with his parents, Rev. J. Stewart Hartman and wife, of this place.

Rev. Fultz, of Wilksbarre, Pa., is here on his vacation. He is welcomed by a large number of friends. Rev. Fultz was pastor of St. Mary's charge, Lutheran Church, for a number of years.

Orphans' Court.

Monday, August 28th.—Letters of administration on the estate of Levi D. Maus, Sr., deceased, granted unto Lydia A. Maus, Levi D. Maus, Jr., and Charles W. Maus, who received warrant to appraise, also order to notify creditors.

The last will and testament of Richard Owings, deceased, admitted to probate, and letters testamentary thereon granted unto Frances E. Owings and Vernon H. Barnes, who received warrant to appraise, also order to notify creditors.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Leonard Rill, deceased, granted unto George W. Rill and Daniel W. Rill, who received warrant to appraise, also order to notify creditors.

Leonard Parrish, administrator of John W. Parrish, deceased, returned inventories of personal property, money and debts, and received order of court to sell personal property.

Tuesday, August 29th.—Joanna Burall and Wm. H. Chaney, executors of Joshua Burall, deceased, returned inventories of personal property, money and debts, and received order of court to sell personal property.

Ephraim Williams and David D. Byers, executors of Burgess N. Williams, deceased, returned report of sale of real estate, and received order ni si thereon.

Charles Brilhart, executor of Margaret Nenninger, deceased, settled his first and final account.

George W. Rill and Daniel W. Rill, executors of Leonard Rill, deceased, returned inventories of personal property, money and debts, and received order of court to sell personal property.

David N. Henning, Charles E. Fink and F. Neal Parke, administrators, d. b. n. c. t. a. of Mary C. Lamotte, deceased, returned report of sale of real estate, and received order ni si thereon.

The Mercantile Trust and Deposit Company of Baltimore, guardian of Leslie R., Larry W., and Theodore T. Shipley, wards, filed petition to court to sell stock, and received order thereon to sell and transfer same.

There will be no Court on Monday, September 4th, which will be Labor Day. Court will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday.

MATHERS.'

Westminster and Manchester.

SPECIAL SALE OF Shawls, Fascinators and Golf Jackets.

We have secured some excellent values in these goods and we offer them at these special prices just now when the evenings are getting cool and you need something of the kind. Every one is a bargain and is new and fresh from the mills. No old stock, no old styles, everything new and up to date.

FINE KNIT SHAWLS 48c.

These are very pretty goods in all colors and black, large size, well made, splendid values at this low price.

48 CENTS.

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These are larger and heavier, very pretty patterns, just the thing for these cool evenings. Special values at 68 cents.

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These are very large and heavy. Beauties every one and sure to please. Special values at 98 cents.

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