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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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Receivers.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Mr. George N. Hunter, of this city, shipped a carload of apples to Georgia on Wednesday.

Mr. John E. Deeds, of this city, shipped 23 coops of chickens and ducks to Baltimore this week.

During this week 139 tickets to the Frederick Fair were sold at the railroad ticket office in this city.

Dr. S. Simpson, superintendent of the public schools of this county, visited fifteen of the schools of Franklin and Mt. Airy districts this week.

Mrs. Jesse Manahan, of Enterprise, who underwent a surgical operation for a tumor, at the Baltimore University Hospital, Baltimore, two weeks ago, is slowly improving.

On Monday next Mr. John Bernstein, who is a native of Germany, will have been in this country fifty years, and will celebrate the anniversary by visiting friends in Baltimore and Annapolis.

Mr. E. O. Grimes, who for thirty-seven years has been the faithful and efficient agent of the Western Maryland Railroad in this city, has tendered his resignation to the company, to take effect December first.

Mrs. Horace L. Shipley, of Daniel, who has been very seriously ill for the past two weeks, following three surgical operations, is improving. She is still confined to bed but the physicians in charge feel sure of her recovery.

The Potomac Synod of the Reformed Church in the United States is in session at Newport, Pa., at this time. Revs. J. B. Stonesifer, J. S. Hartman and C. S. Slagle, of this county, are in attendance as clerical delegates primarii.

Mr. Elias G. Shipley, mortgagee, sold at public sale, on Saturday last, the farm of Mr. John T. Edmondson, on Morgan Run, containing 39 acres, 1 rood and 35 perches, to Mr. John W. Edmondson, for $1,550. Ivan L. Hoff, Esq., was attorney in the case.

Mr. Joseph Weimert, near Cranberry Station, raised in five rows, averaging about 75 feet long, fifteen bushels of sweet potatoes. A single stalk yielded six potatoes which weighed 8½ pounds. A number of the potatoes weighed 3½ to 4 pounds each.

The W. H. Davis Co., of this city, recently placed for Mr. Marshall E. Campbell, East Main street, one of the most complete butchering outfits in this State, consisting of a five-horse power Geiser engine, Buffalo meat chopper and 50-gallon lard machine.

The Polk will case, referred to in the SENTINEL last week, is still on trial in part 2 of the Superior Court of Baltimore. In addition to the counsel heretofore named as engaged in the case are Messrs. Joseph D. Brooks, Chas. T. Reifsnider, E. O. Weant and B. F. Crouse, of this city.

By the recent registration of voters in this county the total number entitled to the ballot, as ascertained by the Supervisors of Election, is 8,535. This, they state, is a gain of 24 over last year, but the table of the Baltimore Sun Almanac gives last year's total registration as 8,599.

Mrs. I. N. Stoner, of Medford, raised an ordinary red beet in her garden, during the past season, that is hard to beat, its weight being ten and three-quarter pounds. As a beet it is not inferior in its proportions to Mr. Stoner's 165-pound pumpkin, mentioned in the SENTINEL last week.

An unusually enjoyable and successful dance was given at the Lyceum in Sykesville on Wednesday evening. Ellicott City, Harrisonville, Woodstock, Granite and Marriottsville were represented in the attendance. Quite a large body of the nurses and attendants at Springfield State Hospital were also present.

While Governor Warfield was driving from Woodbine to his home in Howard county, with his daughter, on Friday last, his horses took fright and ran away. The Governor and his daughter were both thrown out of the carriage, badly shaken up and bruised to some extent, but escaped serious injury. The carriage was demolished.

At the sale of the personal property of the late Lewis N. Baile, near Stone Chapel, by his executor, Mr. Fletcher A. Baile, on Tuesday, high prices were realized for some pieces of rare old furniture. A very small table sold for $9 and a grandfather's clock brought the extraordinary sum of $165. It was purchased by Mr. James Lambert, of New Windsor. Mr. J. Albert Easton, of Winfield, was the auctioneer.

In the first game of the season played on home grounds in this city on Saturday last the Western Maryland College football team defeated Washington College by 32 to 0. Western Maryland made the first four touchdowns, with only six second downs, and every time the Washingtonians had the ball they were held for downs. They did not succeed in the whole game in getting nearer their opponents' goal than 25-yard line, and this only once. Capt. Higgins of Western Maryland made a 23 and 25-yard gain and Marcus a 20-yard gain, at the close of the second half. The game was played in two 25-minute halves.

Mrs. Edward S. Mobley, formerly of this city, was awarded the following premiums in the art department, Frederick Fair, this week: Best head in oil, best figure in oil, second landscape in oil, second marine view in oil, best flowers in oil, and best and second fruit in oil, second marine view in water color, second display of paintings and second pyrography or burnt wood.

Joseph W. Corby, a freight conductor on the Western Maryland Railroad, died Sunday afternoon after an illness of six weeks of typhoid fever, aged 46 years. Mr. Corby had been in the employ of the railroad for 18 years, and for 12 years he was a conductor, running between Williamsport and Baltimore, and was well known in railroad circles. He was a member of the Knights of Pythias and Shield of Honor orders and is survived by a widow, one daughter, his mother, two sisters and three brothers, all residing at Williamsport.

The Prohibitionists Nominate.

The Prohibition convention for Carroll county, called by Acting Chairman Charles R. Woods, met at Carroll Hall on Monday afternoon and was called to order by Mr. Woods. It was opened with prayer by Mr. Charles Elderdice. Mr. George K. Mather, of this city, was elected chairman, and Dr. James E. Shreeve, Jr., of this city, secretary.

The first action of the convention was to adopt, unanimously, the following county platform, submitted by Mr. Woods:

Good government is the chief aim of a pure and enlightened citizenship and is obtained only through clean politics.

Convinced that the liquor traffic, more than anything else, causes dishonesty and corruption in politics by lowering the moral standard of our citizens, both white and black, the Prohibitionists of Carroll county declare the suppression of the legalized liquor traffic to be the paramount issue before the people.

Convinced that no question of morals, of race, or social condition can ever be satisfactorily settled so long as the open saloon is permitted to degrade our citizens, white or black, we reaffirm our allegiance to the Prohibition party, the only organization which is pledged to the suppression of this greatest of all evils.

After the adoption of this platform the convention proceeded to the nomination of a full ticket, with the exception of a candidate for County Surveyor, voting upon each name submitted, separately, and nominating by acclamation, as follows:

House of Delegates.—Emory C. Ebaugh, of Woolery's district; Edward H. Schaeffer, of Uniontown district; Jesse F. Shreeve, of Westminster; Franklin P. Fenby, of Woolery's district.

County Treasurer.—Kinzey R. Taylor, of Hampstead district.

County Commissioners.—John D. Armacost, of Woolery's district.

Sheriff.—Washington Ridgely, of Freedom district.

After electing Charles R. Woods county chairman, and authorizing the president and secretary to fill any vacancies that might occur on the ticket, the convention adjourned.

The Convention of the Woman's Missionary Society.

The twenty-third annual convention of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society, Maryland Synod, Lutheran Church, which met in Grace Church, this city, last week, and which was scheduled to adjourn at noon on Friday, had not concluded the business before it at that hour, and it became necessary to hold an afternoon session. At this session officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, Mrs. P. A. Heilman, of Baltimore; vice-presidents—Eastern Conference, Miss M. Hay Morris, of Lutherville; Middle Conference, Mrs. Geo. W. Baughman, of Uniontown; Western Conference, Mrs. W. H. Bixler, of Hagerstown; Allegany Conference, Miss M. E. Kephart, of Cumberland; recording secretary, Mrs. James P. Reese, of Lutherville; corresponding secretary, Miss Mary Baylies, of Baltimore; treasurer, Mrs. S. F. Zeigler, of Baltimore; historian, Miss Sarah C. Trump, of Manchester.

Many interesting incidents occurred during the sessions, which it is impossible to relate. It is gratifying to note, however, that in many respects the convention was a great success and in none more amply than the entertainment of the delegates, who were welcomed to many of the homes of the city, and for whom elaborate luncheons were served, noon and evening, each day of the convention. This, with the cordial reception they met wherever entertained, formed pleasant features in the experience of the delegates. Numerous visitors, too, who had no official connection with the convention, were freely invited to participate in the luncheons, which, through the generosity of citizens, in town and surrounding county, were made equal to all demands.

In the closing hours of the convention the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

"Resolved, That the hearty thanks of this convention be tendered to the pastor and wife, of this congregation, and to all who have so ably and generously assisted them, for the many acts of kindness and hospitality extended; to the ladies who served luncheon; to the choir for delightful music; to the liverymen of Westminster for free transportation from station to places of entertainment, and to the officials of Western Maryland Railroad for reduced rates."

The Maryland Society forms part of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the General Synod, Lutheran Church, in the United States, which has been in existence a little longer than a quarter of a century, and during that time has raised and expended in efficient mission work more than half a million of dollars. Missionaries have been supported by the society in the foreign field and a number of churches have been planted by it in our own country during that time.

New Windsor Items.

Mrs. Seilhammer, of Lancaster, Pa., spent Tuesday evening with her daughter, Mrs. U. G. Heltibridle.

Quite a number of persons attended the Frederick Fair from this place on Thursday.

Mrs. Walter Getty visited her parents in Frederick this week.

Wm. Phillips, who farmed for Chas. King, near Springdale, has had sale and moved to Philadelphia, where he has secured work on the street railway cars.

Miss Bertha Roop spent Wednesday in Taneytown, visiting friends.

Mr. Jesse Stevenson and daughter, Miss Elsie, are visiting in Baltimore.

Mr. Jesse Stuller, near Dennings, moved into the Ecker house on last Tuesday.

Mr. Isaac Smith visited his daughter at Newport News this week.

Mrs. E. K. Reaver, of Taneytown, visited her niece, Mrs. M. D. Reid, on Tuesday and Wednesday.

The C. & P. Telephone Co. is putting in an exchange which will be situated at C. W. Smith's and Miss Hattie Smith will have charge of it.

Periodicals and magazines in the future will be furnished for the students of New Windsor College, through the efforts of Rev. Geo. W. Baughman, of Uniontown.

Mr. M. D. Reid and family returned home on Tuesday evening from Taneytown.

Letter to B. F. Shriver & Co.,

WESTMINSTER.

Dear Sir: Two years ago the estate of the late Congressman Scott, of Erie, Pa, painted 24 Rolling Mill houses one coat Devoe at a saving of 11 per cent for paint (lead-and-oil was after the job).

That's how the tale reads. We infer what really happened.

The buyer, as usual, went by the cost of paint; got bids. Lead-and-oil bid low and guessed the quantity low; the saving was only 11 per cent.

Nobody seems to have thought of this: the painting costs two or three times as much as the paint. How much did we save on the painting? Don't know.

The tale ends with this: We often refer inquirers to those houses, for wear of Devoe.

That's a good-enough story; but nobody knows what it is. Our only difficulty is want of paint-intelligence.

Yours truly

70 F W DEVOE & CO

Geo. M. Yeiser, Union Mills, sells our paint.

WEDDING BELLS.

Albaugh-Reisler.

The marriage of Miss Hilda L. Reisler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Reisler, to Mr. Carroll Albaugh, of this city, took place at the home of the bride's parents, 1707 St. Paul street, Baltimore, at high noon Saturday last. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. L. F. Warner, pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church, of this city. The bride wore white lace over white taffeta and carried Bride roses. She was given away by her father. She was attended by her sister, Miss Mary A. Reisler, who was dressed in lavender silk and carried Bridesmaid roses. Mr. Lawrence Gillelan, of Emmitsburg, was best man. Miss Nellie Albaugh, sister of the groom, presided at the piano. The parlors and dining room were beautifully decorated with palms, roses and carnations. A wedding breakfast was served after the ceremony. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful presents in silver, cut glass, china, linen, etc. The groom's present to the bride consisted of a diamond bracelet. The groom, a prominent young business man of this city, where the happy couple will reside after their return from a trip North, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Albaugh. The bride's father was formerly a member of the faculty of Western Maryland College and later was editor and publisher of a newspaper at Union Bridge. The bride's travelling suit was a navy blue broadcloath, with waist and hat of Alice blue. Those present at the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Reisler, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Albaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Wright, Misses Mary and Helen Reisler, Mr. Edward T. Reisler, Misses Nellie T. and Marianna Albaugh, Miss Catharine Wright, Mrs. Margaret Stoner, Rev. and Mrs. L. F. Warner, Miss Evelyn Chandler, Messrs. Frank Saylor, Lawrence Gillelan and Arthur T. Kreh.

Baumgartner-Crass.

The people of this city were given a surprise and treated to a sensation by the unique character of the wedding of Mr. Nathaniel H. Baumgartner and Miss Hilda E. Crass, which took place about the noon hour on Sunday last. Both the bride and groom are widely known in this county. The bride has been for a number of years one of the most prominent teachers in the public schools. The groom, previous to 1898, was deputy register of wills during Mr. George M. Parke's incumbency of the register's office, and since that time has been assistant cashier of the Westminster Deposit and Trust Company, of which Mr. Parke is the cashier, the two being close friends.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. George C. Crass, a well-known farmer, owning and residing on "Hollow Rock Farm," near the city limits, and the groom is a son of the late John J. Baumgartner, who was one of the leading members of the Westminster bar. The marriage took place at St. John's Catholic Church soon after the close of the second morning service. That it was impending was known to many persons, but, apparently, only Rev. Jos. H. Cassidy, the officiating clergyman, and, possibly, the sisters in charge of the parochial school, who were the witnesses, knew of the time it was to take place. Mr. Baumgartner left the church when the congregation was dismissed, and a few of those who had loitered about the grounds exchanging greetings saw him return and later emerge with his bride, but were not aware of the marriage until a short time afterwards.

There was nothing in the apparel of either bride or groom to indicate that such an important event had transpired. The bride wore a blue cloth gown which she had often worn before and the groom's apparel was not new. After leaving the church they walked together to the home of the bride's parents. The element of romance is not wanting in the event, as it is said the parties were lovers years ago, and there was an engagement which was broken off by a disagreement, only to be renewed later and consummated on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Baumgartner left by the fast mail train, Sunday evening, for a short bridal trip, returning Wednesday. Both have many friends whose best wishes are with them for a long, happy and prosperous married life. The SENTINEL heartily unites in this sentiment.

Uniontown Items.

Dr. J. Newton Gilbert, of Annapolis, was a visitor to his parents and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wesley Gilbert, from Saturday until Tuesday.

Mrs. Harry Weaver, who was in Baltimore nearly six weeks on account of the illness of her daughter Nellie, returned home on Tuesday evening, leaving Nellie still in the hospital, but slowly convalescing.

Miss Ida Hesson, of Mayberry, is the guest of Mrs. Wm. Rodkey and attending the Church of God Eldership at Carrollton.

Mr. Arthur C. Glanvale, recently married to Miss Edna Vayne, both of Baltimore, has been a frequent visitor to our town. His grandfather, Mr. Frederick Taney, and aunt, Mrs. Sallie Selby, are now residents of our town. We extend our congratulations.

Misses Rebecca and Margaret Thomas, of Baltimore, were in town several days visiting relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brough and other friends.

Mrs. Clarence Billmyer and wife, of Baltimore, spent several days during the past week with Mr. B's. parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Billmyer.

Mrs. Jesse Nusbaum, daughter Bessie, and son Walter, near Westminster, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Hollenberry on Sunday.

Miss Debbie Hamburg has returned from Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Sarah Fuss is attending the Church of God Eldership at Carrollton.

Rev. J. C. Forncrook, pastor of the Fourth Church of God, Harrisburg, Pa., preached in our Bethel on Tuesday night.

Rev. Samuel Burns Craft, of Canton, Ohio, former pastor of our Church of God, was in town this week, enroute for Church of God Eldership, and guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Wesley Rodkey.

Mr. Samuel Harbaugh was elected delegate to the Eldership from the Bethel Church, Rev. R. L. Crawford pastor.

The pulpit of the Church of God will be filled on Sunday by a supply from Eldership.

Mrs. Kate Cookson, of Westminster, has been spending the past week visiting friends in town and vicinity.

Mrs. Eli Hull, of Baltimore, is the guest of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zile.

The Maryland Day service in the M. P. Church on Sunday evening was well attended. Mr. Jesse P. Garner, of Linwood was present and delivered a most excellent address on "Work," which was thoughtful with fine practical and profitable points, thoroughly advanced and analyzed, which appealed to any wise thinking person as full of truth and rich in thought. Those who failed to be present missed an intelligent treat.

The Mission Band and Cradle Roll members of the Lutheran Church will hold a thankoffering service on Sunday morning at 10.30 o'clock, to which everybody is cordially invited.

For the Sentinel.

Memorial Meeting.

At the residence of Mrs. Dora Zepp, on the afternoon of Oct. 12th, the Finksburg W. C. T. U. held a meeting in memory of one of its late honorary members, Mr. J. Wesley Zepp. Appropriate hymns were sung and prayers offered. Several beautiful poems were read by the ladies present. Rev. S. F. Cassen and Miss Annie Hollingsworth spoke of the influence of Mr. Zepp as a christian and gave many helpful and comforting thoughts to his widow and son.

Resolutions passed by the union were read which expressed the loss sustained by the death of one of its most faithful honorary members and extended its sympaty to the bereaved family and friends.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher
The Kind You Have Always Bought

DEATH'S DOINGS.

John Kraft.

Mr. John Kraft died at his home in York county, Pa., on the 9th inst., aged about 58 years. Mr. Crowell Kraft, of Hampstead, is one of his four children. He leaves a widow.

William H. Cleary.

Mr. Wm. H. Cleary, who many years ago resided on the Washington road, near this city, died at his home in Baltimore on Saturday last and his funeral took place from his late residence, No. 2018 Eastern avenue, at 8 o'clock, Wednesday morning. A requiem high mass was said at St. Patrick's Catholic Church, at 9 o'clock. The deceased leaves a widow, Mrs. Mary A. Cleary.

Mrs. Lillian Long.

Mrs. Lillian Long, wife of Mr. Walter Long, died at her home, near Union Bridge, on Saturday morning, 14th inst., at the age of 18 years, 3 months and 14 days. Mrs. Long was a daughter of Mr. Ezra J. Yingling, formerly of this city, of which she was also formerly a resident. Her husband, one sister and four brothers survive her, namely, Mrs. Florence Daly, U. Grant and Edward Yingling, of this city; Harry L. Yingling, of Hagerstown, and John L. Yingling, of Philadelphia. Her remains were interred at Unionville, Frederick county on Monday last.

Mrs. Cora M. Dotterer.

Mrs. Cora M. Dutterer, wife of Mr. John W. Dutterer, of Silver Run, whose serious illness after a surgical operation at the Maryland University Hospital was mentioned in last week's SENTINEL, died at that institution on Saturday, aged about twenty-seven years. Her husband and two small children survive her. She was a daughter of Mr. Amos Ebaugh, of Mt. Pleasant and a sister of Mrs. Sue Geiman, near this city, and of Mr. Wm. F. Ebaugh, of Littlestown, Pa. She also leaves several other brothers. Mrs. Dutterer was a highly esteemed lady, and her funeral, which took place from St. Mary's Reformed Church, Silver Run, on Tuesday, was attended by a large concourse of people.

Mrs. Scott Biddinger.

Mrs. Lavinia Biddinger, wife of Mr. Scott Biddinger, of Double Pipe Creek, died at 7 o'clock Sunday morning of cancer of the breast, aged about 37 years. She is survived by her husband and one daughter. Mrs. Biddinger also leaves the following sisters and brothers: John Snook, of Rocky Ridge; Clayton Snook, of Double Pipe Creek; Wm. Snook, of Johnsville; Mrs. Jacob Hyder, Mrs. Milton Koons and Mrs. Jacob Diel, all of Johnsville, and Mrs. Wm. Turbon, of near Haugh's church. She was a daughter of the late William Snook. Her funeral took place from her late home at 1 P. M., Tuesday, conducted by Rev. Otto Bregenzer, of Union Bridge, assisted by Elder T. J. Kolb. Interment at Haugh's Lutheran cemetery. The pall-bearers were Milton Troxell, Granville Fox, Oliver Engle, James Warren, Marshall Wachter and William N. Fogle.

Rev. Joseph Price.

From the Hanover Herald.

Rev. Joseph Price, a well-known minister of the German Baptist denomination, died at 12.20. a. m. on Tuesday, October 10, from heart disease, at his home at Baresville (York St. extended), after an illness of two weeks, aged 69 years. Rev. Mr. Price had been in the ministry of the Baptist Church for a period of 30 years, but in latter years had not been assigned to a regular charge; he conducted services and preached frequently, however, in churches in this vicinity. He is survived by his wife, four sons and four daughters. The sons are Theodore, of Astoria, Ill.; Joseph, of Westminster, Md.; Jacob and George, of Hanover. The daughters are Mrs. Susan Keeny, of Shrewsbury; Mrs. Lizzie Miller, of Hanover; Mrs. Lydia Wolf, of Abbottstown, and Mrs. Amanda Ensor, of Baltimore. Funeral from his late home at Baresville on Friday morning, October 13, at 9 o'clock, where short services were held. Further services and interment at Black Rock German Baptist Church, Revs. John Utz, David Becker and Edward Miller officiating.

Gamber Items.

Don't forget the convention of the Carroll Co. Epworth League Union, Saturday and Sunday, 21st and 22nd inst., at Mt. Pleasant Church.

Mrs. Eliza E. Barnes contemplates spending the winter with friends in Catonsville, Baltimore Co., for which place she will leave on Friday, 20th inst.

Oscar, son of B. F. Gorsuch, is taking a course at Franklin High School, Reisterstown.

Mr. Wm. Creswell is having erected new porches to his residence.

Mr. F. C. Warehime has purchased a fine riding and driving horse from Jacob Wolf.

Mrs. Annie Binns, of New York City, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Susan Gardner.

Mr. Oliver Bolden, wife and daughter Mazie, and Howard Stocksdale and wife, all of Baltimore, spent Sunday with Mr. Wesley Barnes and family.

Mr. E. W. Anderson, wife and daughter Bessie, Mr. and Mrs. Nath. Richardson, of Baltimore; Mr. Harry Streaker, of Berrett, and Miss Bessie Richardson, of Eldersburg, were the guests of Mr. Robt. E. Barnes and wife, on Sunday.

Melrose Items.

Mr. Geo. Dherit has purchased the Jacob Newman property for $2600 cash.

J. Albert Zepp and son Ernest were in Baltimore last Thursday when Mr. Zepp purchased a Gordon printing press to install in "Shut In Mission Worker" building for his increasing business.

Mr. Jonas Royer has had his large residence west of town repainted.

We can have good roads if the work is done properly. Years ago the road from Bucher's blacksmith shop to the the point where it connects with the county road was one of the worst in the neighborhood. By a little work our enterprising farmers have made that better than some of our county roads.

Mr. H. Clayton Miller's new barn is now completed.

Mr. Jacob Sterner raised a sweet potato that tipped the scales at four pounds.

Much sympathy was felt in the neighborhood for the Gilbert family in losing their bright 8 year old son by fracture of the skull caused by an accident while playing.

The Findlay Mining Company's engine was sent to the Union Bridge shops for repairs last week.

Taylorsville Items.

Husking corn has begun in this locality and everybody reports a good yield.

Miss Nellie Wright visited Miss Belle Cecil, of this place, from last Saturday until Sunday.

Miss Addie Barnes is visiting at her uncle, Mr. R. Bennett's, near Berrett.

A crowd of our people, both old and young, attended the Hagerstown Fair last week. A number of them also attended the Frederick Fair.

The Ladies' Aid Society of this place will hold its next meeting on the 26th inst., at the home of Mrs. Isaac Frizzell.

The Taylorsville Sunday School will hold its annual celebration on the 28th inst. A special program for the occasion is being prepared. Mr. James Frizzell, of Baltimore, will deliver an address.

Sunday School Sunday morning, 9.30.

Bloom Items.

Some farmers are still seeding while others are done and have commenced husking their corn, which is said to be an extra good yield.

Protracted services at Salem are going on, Rev. Harris officiating.

Elisha P. Prugh, at this writing, is confined to his bed with inflammatory rheumatism.

The sale of Mr. David N. McQuay, on the 14th inst., was well attended and every article sold brought a good price.

Wm. H. McQuay, has moved to and taken charge of the farm owned by his mother, Mrs. Sarah McQuay, who will reside with him. Mrs. McQuay, who is the widow of James H. McQuay, Sr., will be 96 years old next Sabbath, 22nd inst.

David N. McQuay has moved from the old homestead to his son, Reuben W. McQuay's, near Bloom.

Football Team.

For the Sentinel.

The Young Nationals would like to hear from all teams whose average weight is from sixty to seventy-five pounds. New Windsor is preferred. Challenges should be sent to

JOSEPH SMITH,
79 West Main St.,
Westminster, Md.

Personal.

Mr. George Batson, of Baltimore, spent Tuesday in this city.

Capt. O. H P. Mathias, of Baltimore, spent several days with friends in this city, this week.

Mr. Hezekiah D. Morrow, near Brummel, visited friends in Baltimore and Hagerstown last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Angel and son, of Taneytown, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hoke, of Gettysburg, Pa.

Mr. W. S. Drach, of New Windsor, is attending the Maryland Synod, Lutheran Church, as the delegate, with Rev. G. W. Baughman, the pastor, from the Uniontown charge.

Rev. Dr. P. H. Miller, pastor, and Mr. Theodore A. Kauffman, lay delegate from Grace Lutheran Church, this city, are attending the meeting of the Maryland Synod, at Cumberland.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Oliver Grimes, Jr., of this city, will leave for California on Monday, to be absent five or six weeks. Business in connection with the estate of his uncle, the late Franklin A. Grimes, calls Mr. Grimes to the Pacific coast.

Rev. R. W. Doty, pastor of Salem charge Lutheran Church, and the delegate from the charge, Mr. Fred. Brehm, are attending the annual meeting of the Maryland Synod, which convened in St. Paul's Church, Cumberland, yesterday evening and will be in session until the early part of next week.

Manchester Items.

The members of Daniel and Jacob Lodge No. 23, I. O. O. F., and a company of their friends, celebrated the 71st anniversary of its institution on Saturday evening, at the lodge building, where interesting addresses were made by Grand Master James W. Chapman, Jr., and Grand Secretary Wm. A. Jones, of Baltimore. Prayer was offered by Mr. J. W. F. Burgoon, Miss Myrtle Buchman sang a solo, with piano accompaniment by Miss Ethel Gettier and instrumental music was furnished by the orchestra. After these exercises the young folks of the company engaged in games and plays and their elders in social chat, until 9.30 o'clock, when an invitation was given to the banquet room, where ice cream, cake, fruit, coffee, &c., were served and heartily enjoyed. It was nearing the midnight hour when the good nights were said. About 150 persons participated in the function.

Mr. G. H. Stirling, the promoter of the Manchester Gas Light Company, has resigned and J. Millon Reifsnider, Esq., has been elected in his stead. The company is now chartered in Maryland instead of Delaware. Mr. Rush, of Canandaigua, N. Y., the inventor of one of the latest machines for the production of gas, has been here and from the present outlook will furnish the plant.

Messrs. John E. Masenhimer, John C. B. LaMotte, Edward Brilhart and others have bought the lot on the southeast corner of York and Church streets, adjoining the Reformed Cemetery, which they have laid off in burial lots, avenues and driveways, and will enclose with a neat fence. They have petitioned the municipal authorities for authority to use the property for cemetery purposes, and will be chartered as the Manchester Cemetery Company of Carroll County, Md.

A party was here last week talking railroad and some of the citizens are strongly favoring the building of a branch road to Maple Grove. The visitor, who claimed to be a practical railroad man, after ascertaining the sum total of freight and passenger tolls paid by the town, thinks it would be self-sustaining in a short time and, upon an estimate of the cost, thinks it can be built.

Elder Joseph Price, of the German Baptist Church, a former resident of this district, died suddenly while sitting in his chair at his home in Hanover, Pa., a few days ago, of heart disease, and his remains were interred at Black Rock.

A franchise was granted the Manchester Gas Light & Heating Company to use the streets and alleys to lay pipes and maintain posts and poles for street lamps and arc lights, by the Mayor and Common Council at a meeting on Wednesday evening.

Miss Grace Leese, who was treated at the Johns Hopkins Hospital for typhoid fever for 9 weeks, is home, convalescing, though weak.

Mr. Arthur Burgoon, while painting on the roof of Mr. J. W. Hoffacker, ran a splinter into his foot that required surgical treatment to remove it.

Mr. and Mrs. John Panebaker, of Pennville, Pa., were visitors at the home of Mrs. A. E. B. Myers, sister of Mr. Panebaker, on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hoffacker and daughter, of Hanover, were guests of their mother on Tuesday.

Mrs. Dr. Bardwell, of Woodberry, and Mrs. Dr. Beltz, of York, Pa., are visiting their sister, Miss Emma V. Shower, on York street.

Mr. Minning, of Philadelphia, was here on Sunday and took home with him Mrs. M. and children, who were summering at the Buchman Hotel. Mrs. M. is critically ill with pulmonary trouble.

Mrs. Ellen Berry has sold her home on South Main street to Mrs. Frock, for the sum of $800.

Mrs. J. W. Snyder and mother have been visiting friends in Hanover and vicinity during the week.

Messrs. John B. C. and H. T. J. Lamotte and Sheriff Wilson, are enjoying the Frederick Fair.

Carrollton Items.

The new and commodious bank barn recently built by William Walsh near Carrollton Station, was destroyed by fire on Monday night between seven and eight o'clock, together with the crops. There were eight or ten cows in the barnyard, with two horses in the stable, all of which were rescued from the flames by Messrs. Jeremiah Blizzard, Benjamin Croft and others, neighbors of Mr. Walsh. The barn was insured. The origin of the fire is unknown, but is thought to have been due to incendiarism. [The loss is estimated at $1200 to $1500 with an insurance of $400 on the barn and $200 on contents, in the agency of Mr. James E. Smith, of this city.—EDITOR.]

Mrs. Arthur Smith, near Union Bethel, went to Washington, D. C., on Monday last, where Mr. Smith is employed, and will remain there during the coming winter.

Mr. Edward Shaffer's youngest three children have been sick with the measles but are now improving. The measles have been raging for sometime in this vicinity. The children of many families have suffered from the disease.

Chestnuts are not as abundant here as usual. Your correspondent has five trees that should have yielded ten or twelve bushels, but all that could be gathered would hardly make one bushel.

Little Miss Ruth Walsh, daughter of Mr. Michael E. Walsh, fell against the window sill a fortnight ago and cut her right eye quite severely.

Mr. George Houck is building a very large and commodious hen house for the care of his flock of chickens during the winter season.

Mr. John Koons, mail clerk between Baltimore and Pittsburg, who had been on a visit to his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Koons, of Carrollton Station, returned to Baltimore on Friday last and resumed the duties of his position.

Mr. William Pinkney Blizzard, while getting straw from his rick, fell a distance of fifteen feet, hurting his hip quite badly.

Mr. Theodore Blizzard threshed over fifty bushels of rye from a three-acre field on Friday last. The machine of Thomas Blizzard did the work.

The Conference or Eldership meeting of the Church of God began its sessions on last Wednesday night, at which there was a large audience present. There are some fifty or sixty delegates and preachers in attendance. The meeting, it is said, will be prolonged over Sunday. Among those present is Rev. Mr. Craft, a former pastor of the Church of God of Carrollton. Rev. Mr. Philhower opened the session with a sermon.

Daniel Items.

The annual Sunday School picnic of Bethel Church of God was held on Saturday afternoon last. A large crowd was in attendance and an interesting program was rendered.

Mr. and Mrs. Swanson, of Baltimore, who had been visiting Mrs. Swanson's father, Mr. R. N. Conaway, have returned to Baltimore.

Mrs. J. B. Shipley and little son, of Ashland, Va., have been visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity. Mrs. Shipley was formerly of this county and has a host of friends here.

Misses Emma and Stella Shipley spent a part of this week with their mother, Mrs. H. L. Shipley, who is ill in Baltimore.

Rev. Mr. Harris is arranging to begin protracted services at Ebenezer, the first or second Sunday in November.

Enterprize Lodge, I. O. G. T., is making arrangements to entertain District Lodge No. 4, on Saturday, Nov. 11th, at which time it is hoped all Good Templars of this county will attend.

LIST OF UNCLAIMED MATTER remaining in the Postoffice, Westminster, Md. Oct, 14th, 1905:

Bennell, Mrs. Mamie
Bowers, Mr. E. J.
Brown, E. B.
Evans, Miss Myrtle
Grimm, Mr. David
Haun, Miss Mamie
Hoffman, Mrs. Emma
Holtz, D. Esq.,
Mason, Mr. B.
McHenry, Mr Bradley
McKerson & Robbins, Messrs.
Parks, Mr. Wm. D.
Shivers, Mr. Daniel
Steele, Mr. Geo.
Zumbrum. Mr. Wm.

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

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For the Sentinel.

ANOTHER COMMUNICATION FROM "A CITIZEN FIRST AND A DEMOCRAT AFTERWARDS."

MR. EDITOR:—In my article published in the SENTINEL last week I tried to prove that no Democrat whose judgment condemned the Poe Amendment was obliged to support it merely because it was attempted to make it a party measure. In order to make out a good case against it, it must be established that the amendment is vicious legislation. To do this would require more space than I could ask you to give me, and I will, therefore, content myself with a mere outline of some of the objections to it.

The position of the Democratic Organization will be accepted as the battleground upon which to prove this proposition, which position is that it is not intended to disfranchise a single white man, but it is aimed exclusively at the venal, ignorant negro. Where is that intention found? Not in the language of the amendment, for it could not find expression there as that would involve a violation of the Federal Constitution. The intention, therefore, must have a concrete existence in the administration of the law after it is adopted.

In the State of Maryland there are now from forty thousand to fifty thousand white voters who are not exempt under the so-called "Grandfather's Clause", and besides, every white voter becoming of age after next year is subject to the constitutional test.

The law will be mandatory: To every one of these two classes will be submitted a section of the Constitution to be read and explained, but the assurance is given them that this examination will be perfunctory, will be a mere sham, and that they need have no fear of its result. But whence comes the authority for this assurance? It is not in the law itself, and who will dare usurp a power superior to the Organic Law, defy its plain mandate, which is the sovereign will of the people, and issue instructions to the Registrars of Voters that one class of citizens must be subjected to an inquisition designed to disqualify them and that another class of citizens are to undergo an examination that is farcical, to preserve their suffrage?

Will the delegates from Carroll to the last Democratic State Convention take upon themselves the terrible responsibility of ordering the Registrars of this county to commit a crime akin to treason and to violate their oaths, which require them to administer the law without favor or partiality?

But this is digressing from the main subject, to wit: the assurance that no white man will lose his vote. Now, there are two divisions of white men who will come under the provisions of the amendment: First those who had the right to vote in 1869, and those whose ancestors had a right to vote then; Second, those who cannot claim this exemption, and this latter division includes sons and grandsons (becoming of age after 1906) of ancestors who had the right to vote in 1869.

Is the suffrage of each of these divisions equally protected under the amendment? The first enjoys a clear immunity from examination—his right is definitely fixed in the law, he is beyond the reach of registration officers, of judicial interpretation, and even of legislative interference. But where is lodged on behalf of the second division the precious privilege to vote? It is not specifically defined in the amendment, but rests upon the caprice of a subordinate tribunal clothed, in degredation of our Judiciary System, with the important duty of settling Constitutional rights. Is not this class legislation—unjust discrimination of one class of white men against another? What then becomes of the idle boast of the Democratic organization that every white man is to be protected, and besides, of what value is the promise of one who to fulfill his promise must be particeps criminis in the dishonest administration of the law? Nay, more, with each recurring year the number of white voters under the special protection of the present Democratic managers must increase, as every man of age after next year has no Constitutional exemption. In a short generation the majority of whites will have no suffrage privilege other than what is granted to them by grace of that patriotic (?), unselfish (?) organization. Not only the probability of such a condition of affairs, but even its possibility is enough to stamp it as vicious legislation. But the answer to this is, the right of appeal to the Courts. If that appeal is an effective remedy, it must be admitted that it goes far to mitigate the evils complained of. But what is the jurisdiction of the Court in such cases? The Court is subordinate to the Constitution, and when the amendment is adopted the Court cannot go contrary to it. The positive mandate of the law will be ability "to read any Section of the Constitution of this State submitted to him by the *officers of registration* and to give a reasonable explanation of the same." It seems clear that the Court would have no right to submit to the applicant any other section of the Constitution to be read and explained, nor to interrogate him to ascertain his educational qualifications. The appeal would be restricted to the particular section submitted by the Registrars, and to whether the explanation (not given to the Court on the appeal, but to the Registrars when applying for registration) was reasonable or not. This must be the correct construction of the Appellate jurisdiction, otherwise the applicant would have an opportunity to coach himself between the application for registration and the hearing of the appeal, which would be contrary to the purpose of the law.

Suppose an applicant was asked to explain some provision of the Constitution which would puzzle the average lawyer and registration denied for want of reasonable explanation. The *particular section and his answer at that time* would constitute the record on appeal. It is very doubtful if the Court would have the right to go outside the record, and the only question for decision would be, did the applicant give a *reasonable* explanation when before the Registrars. The Court's jurisdiction, therefore, is very limited, and it is safe to predict that where the purpose is to disfranchise the Constitutional section to be read and explained, and the explanation given will be such that not one case in a hundred will be reversed on appeal.

The same thing can be done to a large majority of the white men of the second division, and the opportunity and power to do it will increase with each succeeding year as new voters become of age.

Constitutional provisions are to protect rights against designing men, and yet here is an amendment that places Constitutional rights almost absolutely in their hands. This is imperfect protection, and if the amendment is once adopted the franchise of Maryland's white citizens will slowly but surely pass under the control of politicians whose interests will lie in the direction of disfranchising enough voters from time to time to continue themselves in power.

It is no answer to say that it is absurd to suppose such a wrong would be inflicted on white voters, for the protection against it is not given in the power of law, but rests in the mere will of a political machine which in the past, even when checked somewhat by the fear of the law, has been steeped in outrageous assaults, upon independent thought and action, and has actually deprived, election after election, white men of their votes, whose names were on the registration books. When this machine is relieved of this restraint and is absolute master of the situation, with the nominal sanction of the law for their actions, the credulity of that man must be pitiable indeed who would rely upon their assurance that his suffrage is safe under their administration of the law.

A Citizen First, a Democrat Afterward.

On and after Monday next, 23rd inst., the collection of mail for fast mail train in the morning will be made only on Main street from Washington road to Alumni Hall, and on Pennsylvania avenue from Union street to Main. Persons wishing mail to be dispatched by early morning trains will deposit in boxes between above mentioned points.

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The Carroll County Epworth League Union will hold its annual convention and rally on Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 21st and 22nd, in Mt. Pleasant M. E. Church at Gamber, on the Patapsco Circuit, commencing at 3 p. m., on Saturday. There will be able speakers and special music, both vocal and instrumental. The public is cordially invited.

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MARRIED

In Baltimore, Oct. 12th, 1905, by Elder E. W. Stoner, Mr. Robert T. Smith, of Waynesboro, Pa., and Mrs. Emma E. Dilworth, of Harford county, Md.

In Baltimore, at the home of the bride's parents, Oct. 14th, 1905, by Rev. L. F. Warner, Mr. Carroll Albaugh, of Westminster, and Miss Hilda L., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Reisler, of Baltimore.

In this city, at St. John's Catholic Church, Oct 15th, 1905, by Rev. Jos. H. Cassidy, Mr. Nathaniel H. Baumgartner and Miss Hilda E., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Crass, all of Westminster.

Near this city, Oct. 15th, 1905, by Elder Uriah Bixler, Mr. James O. Grimes and Miss Laura A. C. Bowers, both of Westminster.

DIED.

In Baltimore, Oct. 14th, 1905, Cora M., wife of Jno. W. Dutterer, of Silver Run, aged 27 years.

Near Union Bridge, Oct. 14th, 1905, Lillian, wife of Walter Long, and daughter of Ezra J. Yingling, aged 18 years, 3 months and 14 days.

Near Manchester, Oct. 7th, 1905, John Clarence, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert, aged 7 years, 7 months and 16 days.

In loving remembrance of our dear daughter, Rachel V. Poole, who died March 8th, 1905.

One we loved has died and left us
For the dark and silent tomb,
Closed her eyes in silent slumber,
Faded in her early bloom.
She did not sink by slow decay
Like one that lives the longest,
But every tie was wrenched away
Just when those ties were strongest.
Our hearts are sad and lonely yet,
Our grief to deep too tell,
But with thee in heaven we hope to dwell.

By her Father and Mother.

A Tribute to our Brother John Wesley Zepp.

WHEREAS, On the 2nd day of July, 1905, God in his love and wisdom saw fit to suddenly call our Brother (while on his way to his earthly temple for worship) to his reward in Heaven and join with that great congregation that never breaks up,

Resolved, That in the death of our Brother our society of Woman's Christian Temperance work has lost one of its best honorary members.

Resolved, That we are grateful to God for the life and the beautiful Temperance principles of our Brother, and we rejoice in the belief that though he was taken from us so suddenly and at an unexpected hour he is at home with the Lord.

Resolved, That we will bow in humble submission to this Divine will. While we cannot understand all His dealings with us we do know He is infinitely wise and just in all His acts to his children.

Resolved, That we consecrate our lives more fully to God's service and endeavor to be more faithful in our work for Christ and the world.

Resolved, That we deeply sympathize with our much beloved sister in this her great loss and bear her up in our prayers that God will comfort and sustain her and give her grace to enable her to say "Not my will, but thy will, O Lord, be done."

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be entered in the minutes of this society and a copy given to our sister and son.

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