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## SALE REGISTER.

Notices of sale, for which bills are printed at this office, will be published under this head for 50 cents. When bills are printed elsewhere $1.00 will be charged. Terms cash.

Monday, Feb. 19.—1 p. m., sharp, Edgar F. Keefer, 3 miles from Silver Run and 1¼ miles from Marker's Mill, Farm of 51 acres with improvements, personal property, &c. E. N. Davis, auctioneer.

Tuesday, Feb. 20.—9 a. m., Mrs. Susan Bowersox, 1 mile east of Westminster on Baltimore turnpike, grain, hay, furniture, stock, farm implements, &c. E. N. Davis, auct.

Monday, March 19th.—10 A. M., 5 horses, 17 cows, 1 bull, 4 shoats, 1 brood sow, heavy with pig; farm implements, furniture, &c., by E. G. Hull, on Littlestown turnpike, 1¼ miles from Westminster.

Thursday, March 1st.—12 M. sharp, 4 horses, 6 cows, 1 bull, 2 brood sows, with pig; 9 shoats, farm utensils, &c., by David C. Ranouil, on Bish farm near Weist's mill.

Thursday, Feb. 28th.—11 A. M., on the Buckley farm, near Finksburg, 3 horses, 2 mules, 3 year old colt, 2 yearling colts, farm implements, &c., by Jacob F. Hader. F. A. Crawford, auct.

Thursday, March 1st.—12 M., Horses, Colts and Mules, by Robt. H. Bankard, at his Sale and Exchange Stable, in Pleasant Valley. Wm. Warner, auct.

Tuesday, March 13th—9 a. m., 6 horses, 13 cows, bull, heifers, sheep, hogs, farm utensils, &c., by Mrs. Caroline Rinehart, 1¾ miles from Westminster on Uniontown turnpike.

Tuesday, March 13.—11 a. m., 3 horses, 8 cows, 11 sheep, 2 sows, 7 shoats, farm implements, furniture, &c., by Alfred C. Bachman, Bachman's Mills.

Thursday, March 15.—10 a. m., horses, cows hogs, farm utensils, furniture, &c., by John E Yingling, Mt. Pleasont, on Gettysburg pike.

## LOCAL ITEMS.

Rev. A. F. Campbell, of Baltimore, will preach at Centenary M. E. Church, this city, Sunday morning and evening.

Mrs. Wm. Frank Thomas, of this city, is spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Ary J. Lamme, of East Orange, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Horner, of Finksburg, will celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding on Monday next.

Elder David M. Shorb, of the Brethren's Church, Surrey, N. D., will preach at Medford at 7 o'clock, Sunday evening.

Mr. E. G. Hull has sold his farm, containing 100 acres, on the Littlestown turnpike, 1¼ miles north of this city, to Mr. Frank H. Garner, of Uniontown district.

Mr. Ira Englar and family have moved from Medford to this city, and Mr. Englar has a position with Messrs. Roberts, Roop & Co., in their steam roller mill.

Mr. Newton F. Bowers, of this city, has rented the Roop mill in Wakefield Valley and will take charge of and operate it at once, moving his family to the mill residence.

Mr. Charles B. Hunter has sold his house and lot of ground, on Fair Ground Hill, adjoining this city, to Mr. Benjamin Groft, near Carrollton Station, for $900 cash.

Mr. John H. Trumbo, son of Mr. Lewis C. Trumbo, of Washington, D. C., (formerly of this city,) has been granted a pension of $10 per month as a soldier of the Spanish War.

Mr. C. Edwin Helwig, of this city, has secured a position in Baltimore and has entered upon the discharge of his duties. He will move his family to that city later on.

Mr. Joseph S. Witter, of the clerical force of the Westminster postoffice, who had been ill for three weeks, has recovered and returned to the discharge of his official duties.

Mr. Thomas O. Hood, near Mt. Airy, hauled 7,990 lbs. of old iron to Frederick on Monday, with four horses, an average of within a couple of lbs. less than a short ton for each horse in the team.

The Carroll County Teachers' Association met at the High School Hall, in this city, this morning and since adjournment the teachers are receiving checks for their salaries for the winter term.

The proprietors of the Westminster Shirt Factory, on John street, this city, have increased the wages of their employees 20 per cent and will shortly put in the factory twenty new high-speed sewing machines.

Carroll Division No. 42, Sons of Temperance, of this city, will have a banquet at the Hotel Westminster on Tuesday evening next, in which the members, their wives and other invited guests will participate.

Mr. Lewis Zentz, near Warfieldsburg, was thrown from a horse, on Monday afternoon, and had one of his ears cut considerably and was also bruised about the head and body. Dr. Jos. T. Hering, of this city, dressed his bruises.

During the month of January there were received at the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court for this county, for record, 61 deeds, 13 mortgages, 8 bills of sale and 1 certificate of incorporation, and 25 marriage licenses were issued.

A disease supposed to be spinal meningitis has recently caused the death of a number of horses in Adams county, Pa., along the Maryland line. Mr. Harry Palmer, near Harney, this county, also lost a valuable horse by the disease last week.

It is reported that a new shirt factory is about to be established in this city by a company composed of citizens of the place. The factory will be located in the new building recently erected by Mr. Wm. B. Thomas, on West Green street, near Liberty street.

Mr. Fred. Himler, and Misses Kate, Margaret and Gertrude Miller, of this city, attended the wedding and the reception of Mr. Thomas F. Meyers and Miss Katharine M. Miller, at the home of the bride, 1200 Patterson avenue, Baltimore, on Wednesday evening of last week.

Mr. W. Frank Thomas, real estate agent, of this city, assisted by Mr. Elias N. Davis, has negotiated the sale of the farm of Mrs. Susan Bowersox, containing 70 acres, situated on the Baltimore and Reisterstown turnpike, a short distance from the limits of this city, to Mr. Edgar F. Keefer, of Silver Run. The price paid was $4,750.

From the itinerary of official visits to be made by Rev. Dr. F. T. Little, president of the Maryland Annual Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church, previous to the meeting of the conference in April, we learn that he will preach in this city, Sunday morning, March 11, and at Finksburg at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of the same day. Sunday morning, March 26, he will be at Deer Park. He preached at Union Bridge last Sunday evening.

Mrs. Marie Diffenbach, widow of Dr. Diffenbach, founder of Irving College, Manchester, is critically ill at the residence of her son, Mr. F. A. Diffenbach, Pa. avenue, this city. She is in her 81st year.

An entertainment for the benefit of West End school, this city, taught by Mrs. L. S. Sellman and Miss Mabel E. Buckingham, will be given at Odd Fellows' Hall, Wednesday and Thursday evenings of next week.

Mr. F. A. Diffenbach, proprietor of the Westminster News Depot, has removed his place of business from West Main street to the room adjoining the store of Mr. John D. Bowers, on East Main street, where he has opened with a new stock of stationery, books &c.

Salem Lodge, I. O. O. F., of this city, will confer the degrees on a number of candidates next Monday night. A degree team from Baltimore will be present and do the work, after which refreshments will be served. Visitors will be present from the lodges of this county.

Mrs. Elizabeth Eichorn, of this city, placed a small advertisement in the SENTINEL on the 19th ult., offering her little farm near Spring Mills for sale. The ad. brought a purchaser in the person of Mr. Edward Kimmey, who promptly bought the place at the price asked by Mrs. Eichorn—$350 cash.

The sale of the personal effects of the late Miss Henrietta A. Krouse, of this city, advertised in the SENTINEL by her executor, B. F. Crouse, Esq., and which took place on Saturday last, was largely attended, and fair prices were realized. Numbers of dealers in antique furniture, &c., from Baltimore, were present.

Mr. C. Irving Lindsay, of Unionville, spent yesterday with friends in this city, who were glad to learn from him that Mrs. Lindsay, who was in ill health when they resided here a couple of years ago, has entirely recovered. Mr. Lindsay has built a fine new home at Unionville and is very pleasantly situated.

In a batch of appointments made by Governor Warfield, a few days ago, the name of Mr. J. Oliver Wadlow, of Freedom district, appears as a member of the Board of Managers of the Second Hospital for the Insane, at Springfield, and the name of Mr. Wade H. D. Warfield, of Sykesville, as a member of the State Livestock Sanitary Board.

Edgar Smith, a cigarmaker, of Mt. Sherrystown, Pa., committed suicide shortly before 9 o'clock Wednesday night, 24th ult., by cutting his throat at his home on Main street. He was aged about 34 years. His wife stated that at the time mentioned her husband, who was in his usual health, walked to the back porch of his home and shortly after she found him lying on the floor dead.

After a week of moderate weather a cold wave struck this locality last night, and the temperature to day, with a high wind blowing, is far below the freezing point. Continued cold is predicted for to-morrow. This is a bright, sunshiny day, and those who believe in the groundhog theory will anticipate six weeks of rough weather, as the prophetic animal cast a clear shadow at noon.

A well known citizen of Uniontown district tells how a check for $100 recently paid indebtedness of $1100, by passing through eleven hands. The party who first received it endorsed and transferred it to another person, to whom he owed $100, and so it was endorsed and transferred ten times before the last person to receive it had it cashed. Most of those through whose hands it passed are farmers.

Mr. John R. Stoner, of Thurmont, visited his brother, Mr. David Stoner, ex-president of the Carroll county board of commissioners, and other relatives in this city, yesterday. While here he called at this office and renewed his subscription to the SENTINEL until 1907. His name has been on the SENTINEL's subscription list for more than half a century. We were pleased to see him vigorous and in good health in his old age.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. McCollum, of this city, intend to remove in April to Taneytown, where they have purchased a dwelling house and grounds from Mrs. Weaver, of that place. In the following June Mrs. McCollum's son, Dr. S. Luther Bare, a rising young physician, will also locate at Taneytown, where he will engage in the practice of his profession. Westminster will lose and Taneytown gain very worthy citizens by these changes of residence.

The barn, corncrib and two hen houses, farm produce, provender, farm machinery, including a threshing machine, &c., on the farm of Mr. John T. Keefer, about a mile from Warfieldsburg, were destroyed by fire, between four and five o'clock, Monday afternoon, causing a loss of about $700. The barn was insured for $250 and contents for $200 in the Dug Hill Company. The origin of the fire is not known. It started, it is said, in a stack of fodder, which was consumed.

While two lads, aged, respectively, 12 and 10 years, sons of Mr. Patrick Sullivan, near Wesley Chapel in Hampstead district, were playing with the cap of a charge of dynamite, which they had found in their father's barn, it exploded and the flying metal lacerated their faces and hands severely. Fortunately their eyes escaped injury. and Dr. Edgar M. Bush, of Hampstead, who was summoned and dressed their wounds, says the effect thereof will only be temporary and the boys will fully recover.

The SENTINEL is indebted to Mr. Chas. W. Ely, principal of the Maryland School for the Deaf and Dumb, at Frederick, for a copy of the biennial report of the president and visitors, to the Legislature. In the list of pupils accompanying the report we find the names of Verda A. Becraft, Howard F. Hood, of Mt. Airy; Mary C. Myers, of Manchester; Lillie E. Shaffer, of Melrose, Adah A. Smeach, of Bixler and Roland L. Stultz, of this city. The school is one of the best of its kind in this country.

Workmen have been engaged during the past week putting in the new machinery in the steam roller mill of Roberts, Roop & Co., in this city. The machinery is of the highest order and the mill will, when entirely restored, be one of the best equipped to be found in this State or elsewhere. The energy displayed by the proprietors, in replacing the machinery burned a couple of months ago, is highly commendable, as the mill, when in operation, as it soon will be, will give employment to 25 hands or more.

As will be seen by the proceedings of the County Commissioners, Mr. Augustus Humbert, of Myers' district, has been appointed steward of the alms house, dating from March 1st, proximo. Mr. Humbert succeeds Mr. Francis L. Hann, who has been the alms house steward, on separate occasions, for several terms, and whose administration was so satisfactory that about everybody interested in the institution desired his retention. His retirement, however, is entirely voluntary, as he positively refused to serve another term. He was regarded as a model steward.

In the third and closing lecture of his course at Alumni Hall, this city, on Friday evening last, Rev. Dr. Curtis Lee Laws gave his audience many fine stereopticon views of the most notable historical buildings and attractive localities in London; also numbers of beautiful and interesting scenes outside of London in England and Scotland. Those who attended the lectures of Dr. Laws were well repaid for the expense and time devoted to the course. Tonight Dr. W. E. Griffis, of Ithaca, N. Y., will give his illustrated lecture on Japan, that wonderfully interesting country, whose people have so recently astonished the world with their military prowess. Dr. Lewis, the president of the college, has also arranged for a vocal recital by Mr. Calthrop, next Friday evening, 9th inst., and a piano recital, on Friday evening, 16th inst., by Mr. Hutcheson. These efforts by President Lewis to provide entertainment and instruction for the citizens of Westminster, should receive their support and appreciation.

Mr. L. P. Manning has sold his small farm, on the Gorsuch road, near this city, to Mr. Howard F. Shipley, for $2,500.

At the close of business on the 29th ult., the individual deposits subject to check in the First National Bank of New Windsor were $93,612 01; in the Farmers and Mechanics National Bank of Westminster, $156,431.03; in the First National Bank of Westminster, $901,-929.55, and in the Union National Bank of Westminster, $330,954.75; total, $887,-918.32. At the same time the deposits in the Westminster Savings Bank were $893,359.86 and with the Westminster Deposit and Trust Company $531,861.-13, making a total in all the institutions named of $2,313,139.31.

Messrs. James P. Wade and James P. Carter had a hearing before Justice D. Shriver Brandenburg, at Sykesville, on Monday and were held to bail for the action of the grand jury of this county on a charge of cruelty to a mule. The case was brought before the justice by the Sykesville Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. It was investigated by Agent Harris, who alleged that he found the mule suffering with a torn joint, the bones protruding through the flesh. That he wanted the animal killed, as there was no probability of a cure, but that Mr. Carter, who was treating it, and Mr. Wade both strenuously objected, whereupon he had warrants issued for their arrest.

### Jurors Drawn.

On Saturday last Judge Wm. H. Thomas drew four jurors for the February term of court in place of that number excused, as follows:

Uniontown—James C. Myerly, in place of Charles Phillips.

Franklin—George W. Harris, in place of Charles S. Pickett.

New Windsor—Samuel M. Hoff, in place of E. Bradford H. Greenwood.

Union Bridge—Jesse Reisler, in place of Frank J. Shriner.

### A New Masonic Lodge.

Monocacy Lodge No. 203, A. F. and A. M., was constituted at Taneytown on Monday evening last, with thirteen members, under a dispensation from Grand Master Shryock, who was represented on the occasion by Mr. George R. Gehr, of Door to Virtue Lodge of this city, Senior Grand Warden. Twelve members of Door to Virtue Lodge were present and several members from other lodges in this county. Grand Lecturer Graham Dukehart, of Baltimore, was also present and participated in the proceedings. The officers elected for the first term are: W. M., Dr. C. Birnie; S. W., Rev. W. E. Wheeler; J. W., Mr. Miller; secretary and treasurer, Mr. George H. Birnie. After the lodge was closed an elegant luncheon of oysters, turkey, coffee, ice cream &c., was served.

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### Silver Jubilee Service.

At the Meth. Prot. Church of this city on Sunday evening, at 7.30, a Silver Jubilee will be held under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor society. The service is to commemorate the 25th anniversary of the Christian Endeavor movement. Six C. E. Societies from the county will join in the service. There will be brief talks on the topic by Revs. J. B. Stonesifer, R. W. Doty, C. S. Heininger, L. F. Warner. Dr. H. L. Elderdice, of this city, a recently elected trustee of the United Society of Christian Endeavor, will make the principal address; subject, "Follow Me." Special music and other interesting features. Seats reserved for all Christian Endeavorers. Public cordially invited. Come and hear about the great Christian Endeavor movement.

### Personal.

Mrs. C. S. Slagle, of this city, spent this week with relatives in Philadelphia.

Messrs. Jos. D. and W. Scott Zepp, and George Batson, of Baltimore, spent Sunday in this city.

Miss Nellie Jerome, of this city, is the guest of the Misses Aiken, North Calvert street, Baltimore.

Mrs. Elizabeth Zahn, of this city, attended the celebration of the fifty-third anniversary of the wedding of her parents, held last night at the home of their son, Mr. Harry M. Leas, of Baltimore.

Rev. and Mrs. C. E. McCullough, of Uniontown; Mr. and Mrs. Dennis A. Smith and daughter, Miss Grace, of Wakefield, and Miss Susie Hann, of Medford, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Stoner, of the last named place.

### Funeral of Mr. Vanderford.

The funeral of Mr. Charles H. Vanderford, junior editor of the *Democratic Advocate*, who died at his home in this city on Friday morning last, took place at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon from Ascension Episcopal Church, and was largely attended. Not more than half of those present were able to enter the church. Many of the most prominent residents of the town were in attendance, including most of the members of the bar, physicians, merchants and business men generally. Dr. Frazer and Major Wedderburn, of Baltimore, intimate friends of Mr. Vanderford, were among those present from a distance. The funeral service was conducted by the rector, Rev. Dr. Frank M. Gibson. The pall-bearers were Dr. J. W. Hering, Judge William H. Thomas, Charles E. Fink, Dr. James H. Billingslea, Dr. Frank T. Shaw and J. Milton Reifsnider. The remains were interred in the little cemetery in the rear of the church, beside those of the father and mother of the widely known journalist. The casket was covered with exquisite flowers.

### The Banquet of the I. O. M.

The banquet of Westminster Lodge No. 41, I. O. M., at the Firemen's Building, this city, on Tuesday evening, was largely attended and amply successful, not less than 181 ladies and gentlemen having sat down at the tables in the apparatus room of the building, where they were served with an abundant feast of oysters, (raw, stewed and fried,) turkey, ham, cheese, biscuit, pickles, coffee, ice cream, cake &c. The banqueters were principally members of the lodge and their wives or other members of their families, with a few guests not identified with the order. All were received and seated in the reception rooms of the building, before proceeding to the banqueting room, and the affair was greatly enjoyed by the participants in a social as well as gustatory way.

The culinary arrangements were entirely in the hands of Mr. Fred. Willcox, of the Hotel Ideal, who furnished the banquet and there was no stinting in the quality or quantity of the viands served. Grace was said at the tables by Rev. Dr. P. H. Miller.

The following ladies constituted a reception committee for the lady guests: Mesdames James E. Smith, John T. Anders, George W. Babylon, S. C. Stoner, Jacob H. Handley, Geo. A. Bixler, James H. Cassell and John H. Mitten.

Messrs. James E. Smith, John B. Saylor and John H. Mitten constituted the committee of arrangements.

During the evening an orchestra, selected from the First Regiment Band, discoursed fine music to the pleasure of the entire company.

### WEDDING BELLS.

#### Russell-Harstone.

Mrs. Emily L. Harstone, widow of the late Dr. Harstone and daughter of the late Henry Rahter, formerly of this city, and Mr. Charles Russell, of Baltimore, were married at the Hotel Ideal, this city, on Monday evening. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. P. H. Miller, of Grace Lutheran Church. Mr. and Mrs. Russell will reside in Baltimore.

#### Mitten-Wilhide.

Miss Josephine Wilhide, of Church street, this city, daughter of Mr. John Wilhide, and Mr. John B. Mitten, bailiff and policeman, were quietly married at the parsonage of the Methodist Protestant Church on Monday evening. There were no attendants. The marriage ceremony was performed by the pastor, Rev. L. F. Warner. The groom is a son of the late Justice Wm. J. Mitten.

### DEATH'S DOINGS.

#### Emma Marie Fleming.

Emma Marie Fleming, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Fleming, of Freedom district, died at the home of her parents on Wednesday, 24th ult., aged 7 years, 1 month, 8 days, and her funeral took place from Ebenezer M. E. Church, Winfield, on Friday, Rev. G. C. Harris assisted by Rev. Geo. W. Cecil, officiating.

#### Mrs. Sophia Lowe.

Mrs. Sophia Lowe, widow of Caleb Lowe, and sister of Mr. Wm. Hoffman, of Hoffmanville, Baltimore county, died last week at New Freedom, Pa., aged 71 years. Mrs. Lowe's husband was a sergeant in the First Maryland Regiment Potomac Home Brigade, commanded by the late Col. Wm. P. Maulsby, of this city, in the Civil War, and was killed in battle.

#### Miss Mary O. Lindsay.

Miss Mary O. Lindsay, daughter of the late Lewis Lindsay, died at her home near New Windsor, on Saturday last, aged 51 years, 9 months, 27 days. She was a sister of Mr. Charles H. Lindsay of this city. Funeral services were held at Pipe Creek German Baptist Church on Monday, Elder Ephraim W. Stoner, of Union Bridge, officiating, after which the remains of the deceased were interred in the burial ground adjoining the church.

#### Mrs. Fannie E. Devilbiss.

Mrs. Fannie E. Devilbiss, wife of Mr. Charles Devilbiss, died at the home of her son, Mr. Edward Devilbiss, near Reese, on Wednesday evening, after a week's illness, of pneumonia, aged 55 years, 6 months. Her husband, one son, Mr. Edward Devilbiss, and one daughter, Mrs. Warren Bush, survive her. Funeral services will be held at the house at 1 o'clock, tomorrow, after which her remains will be interred in the burial ground of Pleasant Grove M. E. Church. Mr. F. C. Sharrer will be funeral director.

#### Mrs. Mary Sharetts.

Mrs. Mary Sharetts, wife of Mr. David Sharetts, near Weldon, died very suddenly in Baltimore on Sunday night last, in the 46th year of her age. Mrs. Sharetts was taken to Baltimore on Sunday morning, to be treated for hernia at a hospital in that city, but died within a few hours after reaching her destination. She was a daughter of Mr. Abraham Long and a sister of Mr. Milton A. Long, near Sams Creek. She was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church and was highly esteemed. Her sudden death was a great shock to her many friends and neighbors. Her husband and one adult daughter survive him.

#### Harry Green.

Mr. Harry Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Green, died at the home of his parents, near this city, on Friday last, of consumption, at the age of about 37 years. Mr. Green was a turfman and was was widely known all over the country. He contracted the disease which caused his death, while pursuing his calling and came home to die. He was unmarried. His parents, one sister, Mrs. Fred. Rinehart, of this city, and four brothers, Messrs. Howard and Elmer Green, of Baltimore; Morris Green, of Carrollton, and Edward Green, of Atlantic City, survive him. His remains were interred in Benjamin's Cemetery, near this city, on Sunday afternoon, after funeral services by his pastor, Rev. C. S. Slagle, of St. Paul's Reformed Church.

#### Mrs. Rhoda Diehl.

Mrs. Rhoda Diehl, widow of the late Jonas Diehl, died at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. Joseph H. Lippy, of Snydersburg, on Wednesday, of indigestion, at the age of 94 years, 19 days. Mrs. Diehl's maiden name was Bush, and she was a sister of the late Daniel and Benjamin Bush, of this county. Her husband has been dead for many years. She was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church at Arcadia, where her remains will be interred Sunday after funeral services at 10 o'clock. Mrs. Diehl belonged to a family somewhat noted for longevity, one of her brothers having lived to the age of 95 years. With probably a single exception she was the oldest resident of this county. She leaves one daughter, Mrs. Joseph H. Lippy, of Snydersburg, and four sons, John Diehl, of Indiana; Richard Diehl, whose residence is not known; Messrs. George and Thomas Diehl, of this county. She also leaves a number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren, Mr. Chas. Lippy, of the Babylon & Lippy Company of this city, being one of her grandsons. Dr. E. M. Bush, of Hampstead, is her nephew.

#### D. W. Gimmell.

Mr. D. W. Gimmell, the well known manager of the works of the Citizens' Water Company of this city, died shortly before eleven o'clock, yesterday morning, at his home on West Main street, after an illness of nine days, of pneumonia, at the age of 70 years, 2 months, 16 days. Mr. Gimmell came here from Hanover, Pa., soon after the work of constructing the Citizens' Company's plant began and it was then carried forward to completion under his supervision. He took a deep interest in the enterprise and gave it the closest supervision, doing everything possible to further its interests. To his fidelity the success which has attended the works has been largely due.

Mr. Gimmell was a native of Baltimore county and was at one time superintendent of the Ashland Iron Company's works at Ashland, in that county. He superintended the construction of water works at Hanover, Pa., where he formerly resided, and the construction of the Lake Royer dam, near Pen-Mar, on the Western Maryland Railroad, was done under his supervision. He was a competent and thoroughly conscientious gentleman, and was highly respected for his upright character and blameless life. He was a member of the M. E. Church and an independent democrat. He leaves a widow, who was a Miss Curry, a sister of the late Dr. Wm. R. Curry, of Baltimore, who was well known in this city. He also leaves the following children: Messrs. William and James Gimmell, of York, Pa., Mrs. Martin Moul and Mr. Walter Gimmell, of Hanover, Pa.; Mrs. J. H. Reynolds, of Chicago, Ill., and Mrs. Joseph Corman, of Carlisle, Pa. A funeral service will be held at his late home at 8 o'clock, tomorrow morning, and his remains will be taken to Hanover, Pa., by the 9.11 A. M. train, for interment in Mt. Olivet Cemetery at that place.

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#### A Handsome Memorial Tablet.

A handsome memorial tablet has been placed in Ascension Episcopal Church, by the family of the late Mrs. Shellman, of Westminster. The tablet is of antique brass on a background of antique oak, and bears the following inscription:

"In loving memory of Katharine Jones Shellman for fifty three years a faithful member of Ascension Parish. 1815—1898

Her children arise up and call her blessed."

The tablet is the work of Messrs. J. & R. Lamb, of New York, who rank among the best artists of the country, and is a beautiful piece of workmanship. It was placed in position by Mr. Meade Ohler, of Westminster, on the wall immediately above the pew occupied by Mrs. Shellman for fifty years of her long and useful life. The tablet was unveiled with appropriate services by the rector, Rev. Dr. F. M. Gibson, at the close of the evening service, Wednesday, 31st of January. Mrs. Shellman was one of the original members of the church, which she helped to build, and at the time of her death was the last surviving member of the first congregation. The tablet was unveiled by her youngest descendant, Mr. J. Meriwether Shellman, son of the late Harry J. Shellman, of Brooklyn, New York.

### LIST OF UNCLAIMED MATTER

remaining in the Postoffice, Westminster, Md., Jan. 27th, 1906:

Brenneman, Mr. Nelson
Delouy, Mr. Amos.
Dunston, Mr. Wm.
Cough, Mr. Eills
Hartner, Mr. Chas. B.
Fowls, Mrs. Aumos
Rice, Miss Goldie
Robinson, Miss Nanie

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


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


### Uniontown Items.

Miss Ida Mering is spending the Winter in Baltimore with Mrs. McMahon.

Miss Hermon Hahn has returned from her visit to friends at Glyndon, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Hester O'Mera.

Mr. Daniel Diehl has returned from a visit to friends in Elizabeth, Pa.

Mr. John Lescaleet has rented and will occupy, in the spring, a vacant room adjoining the bank, formerly occupied by his son, William Lescaleet.

Mr. Melvin Routson went to Baltimore on Wednesday to attend the Methodist Protestant annual C. E. convention as a representative from Uniontown M. P. Church C. E. Society. Also to visit his brother, Dr. Charles Routson, who is in ill health.

Mrs. Edward Cover and daughter Lanie have returned to their home in Easton, Md., as Mrs. C's. mother, Mrs. Lanie Shaw, is convalescing from her illness of pneumonia.

Quite a number of the friends of Mrs. (Aunt Sally) Selby gathered at her home on Saturday afternoon, each loaded with groceries, meat, live chickens, lard, &c., which were cheerfully and willingly presented as a mark of their high esteem. An address and prayer were made by her pastor, Rev. R. L. Crawford, prayer by Aunt Sally, and several hymns were sung, during their stay.

On Tuesday Mrs. Milton Zollickoffer and Mrs. Burrier Cookson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Englar, at New Windsor.

On Monday H. H. Weaver & Co., undertakers, conducted the burial of Miss Olevia Lindsay, who died on Saturday morning about nine o'clock, at the residence of Mrs. Mary Otto, a cousin with whom she had been making her home since the death of her mother, several years ago. Funeral services were held in the German Baptist Church, of which she was a member. Interment in the church cemetery. Miss Olevia was a very quiet, kind mannered woman, and much esteemed by those more closely associated with her. She was 51 years, 9 months and 26 days old. Two brothers, Mr. William Lindsay, of Baltimore, whose wife assisted in nursing her the last few weeks of her illness, and Mr. Charles Lindsay, of Westminster, survive her.

Alfred Zollickoffer, one of Lorene Academy's pupils, has entered as a pupil the Taneytown Academy, a private school.

Miss Emma Ogg Smith, trained nurse, of New Windsor, who was nursing Mrs. Lanie Shaw, through her critical illness, closed her engagement on Thursday and returned to her home.

On Friday evening, Mr. Charles Zile's two horses and wagon were standing in front of Englar's store, when two buggies collided, frightening Mr. Z's horses. They ran down the street with his son Russell on the wagon, pulling the rubber, but he could not stop them. Then he climbed from the wagon down on the tongue, jumped on the saddle horse, turned them between a tree and Dr. Weaver's pump on the street, and succeeded in checking them, by endangering his own life.

Mrs. Eliza Roberts Zollickoffer is visiting Mr. William Baust's family.

Rev. C. E. McCullough was in Baltimore on Thursday, attending the Methodist Protestant C. E. convention.

Mr. James Taney, near Hanover, Pa., was in town this week, the guest of his father, Mr. William Taney, and Aunt Sally Selby.

Dr. Frank T. Tagg, editor of the Methodist Protestant Church paper, Baltimore, will fill the pulpit of the Methodist Protestant Church on Sunday morning at 10.30. Everybody cordially invited.

On Sunday morning the Church of God will not hold any public preaching service. The membership will worship with the M. P. congregation.

The revival services in the Bethel closed on Tuesday evening, resulting in several conversions. The pastor, Rev. R. L. Crawford, was assisted in these services by Rev. G. W. Baughman, of the Lutheran Church, Elder W. Philip Englar, of the German Baptist Church, Rev. C. E. McCullough, of the Methodist Protestant Church, and Rev's. Elderdice and Hoffman, of the Westminster Theological Seminary, all of which was much appreciated by the pastor in charge and the large congregations present.

The ministers of churches of town have decided to hold a union meeting in the Methodist Protestant Church, commencing on Sunday evening, Feb. 4, and continuing during the week. Prominent ministers of Baltimore will preach. The choirs of the different churches will unite and furnish the music.

Rev. W. L. Hoffman will preach in Pipe Creek M. P. Church, Sunday morning, at 10.30, and in the Chapel at Frizellburg, Sunday evening, at 7 o'clock.

### West Falls Items.

Miss Clara Garver is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Miller, of Frederick.

Miss Minnie Brown, of Westminster, who had been visiting her sister, Mrs. Oscar Hood, has returned home much pleased with her visit.

Mr. George Garver spent Saturday in Frederick on business.

Mr. Chas. Ogle, has been on the sick list for the past two or three days but is now convalescent.

Miss Edna Norris, of Unionville, spent Sunday with Miss Anita Peddicord, of "Cedar Grove Farm."

Mr. Harry A. Peddicord recently spent a very pleasant evening with friends at "Locust Grove Farm," near Unionville, and, accompanied by his friend, Mr. Howard Smith, of Mount Airy, attended the ball given by the Libertytown Cecilian Club.

The protracted services being held at Taylorsville are meeting with great success. So far 51 conversions have been reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Crimer spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. Baumgardner, of this place.

### Millers Items.

Mrs. Geo. W. Hoffacker died at her home, near here, on Friday, January 26th, at 8.15 P. M., from heart trouble. She had been in failing health for some time but for the last few months she seemed to be much improved until Friday noon, when she complained of not feeling well and in the evening passed away peacefully at the age of 57 years. Her husband and 9 children survive her. The children are: Mrs. John K. Miller, of this place; Mrs. T. M. Hare, of Manchester; Mrs. Harvey Rhodes, near Manchester; Mrs. Lewis Sprinkle, of Chattanooga, Tenn; Misses Vertie, Emma and Birdie and Mr. Roswell Hoffacker, at home, and Mr. Geo. L. Hoffacker, of Haverhill, Mass. Funeral services were held at Emanuel Lutheran Church, Manchester, on Tuesday last, Rev. H. H. Flick officiating, after which the remains were interred in the cemetery of said church.

### Melrose Items.

Recently a man from another neighborhood intimated that we live in "back woods." In reply we beg to say there is no "back woods," unless it is a place where hermits and uneducated people live, and we know of no such places in this part of our great and glorious county.

We noticed in a paper recently that the government favors the introduction of automobiles for R. F. D. carriers. Next thing the government will dispense with the trains in carrying the mails and use airships instead.

Last week we noticed that a man from our sister state says that he traveled on a Maryland road that was in such a bad condition that he was compelled to drive from one side of the road to the other to avoid upsetting. Shellman was one of the original members of the church, which she helped to build, and at the time of her death was the last surviving member of the first congregation. The tablet was unveiled by her youngest descendant, Mr. J. Meriwether Shellman, son of the late Harry J. Shellman, of Brooklyn, New York.

We learn that the poles of the C. and P. Telephone line are being erected in Manchester preparatory to extending the line to Melrose and Bachman's Valley. As the line to our town is already staked off, it will be but a short time until we can say "hello" to the rest of the world.

Notwithstanding the inclement weather the auction at Miller's store on Saturday evening was well attended.

### Gamber Items.

Mrs. Mary Streaker has sold her house and lot, situated in our village, to Mr. R. H. Barnes, of McComas' Mill.

Mr. Clarence Jenkins has rented the store-stand of Mr. Kinsey Williams, Louisville, and will engage in merchandizing.

Mr. John Arnsberger, of Baltimore county, has purchased the stock and fixtures of Shipley's Hotel and will continue the business.

Mr. B. F. Gorsuch contemplates building a large barrack on what is known as "The Bank Farm;" also an addition to his dwelling.

There will be an entertainment given by the young men of the neighborhood in Mechanics' Hall on Feb. 9th; proceeds to help swell the school library fund.

Miss Etta Parrish and Mrs. Ada Williams represented Mt. Pleasant Chapter, Epworth League, at the recent convention in Baltimore.

### Haight Items.

Don't forget the entertainment at Oakland M. E. Church to be given by Prof. Loose on the evening of February 8th.

The Mite Society of Oakland M. E. Church, which is in a very flourishing condition, was entertained by Mrs. William Haight on Thursday evening last.

Some years ago there was no little excitement about here over a dog case which was decided in court, and now we understand there is to be another case (not a dog case this time) but a mule case to be settled in court.

We hope the proposed law taxing dogs will pass, as there are too many useless curs running at large, and any person owning a good dog would not hesitate to pay the tax of a dollar or two, as the case may be.

### The County Commissioners.

At the meeting of the County Commissioners on Monday a protest from L. S. Patterson against the road petitioned for by Mr. H. B. Gore and thirteen others, in Freedom district, was filed.

Abatements on taxes levied on erroneous assessments for 1904 were allowed.

Mr. Augustus Humbert, of Myers' district, was appointed steward of the Alms House for one year from March 1st, 1906, at a salary of $400 per annum, the board reserving the right to revoke the appointment at any time.


# MATHERS'.

## Westminster and Manchester.

## Great 5 and 10c Sale.

Now For the February Business. We have arranged for a busy month. Something new every week. We start off with a great 5 and 10 cent Sale,

### Beginnining Saturday, Feb. 3, and Lasting One Week.

The best bargains we have offered will be found here this week at the little prices of 5 and 10 cents. Most of them come from the House Furnishing Goods Departments, but there are many small lots all over the store in all kinds of goods at these bargain prices. The sale will apply to both our stores and our Manchester Store will have an equally good list of bargrins, though in every case they may not be identical with those at Westminster.

The lists are so large and as many of the goods were bought special for this sale and are just coming we can name but a few of them.

### See Our Store Windows, Filled With