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The supplement which forms part of this week's issue of the SENTINEL contains the laws passed by the legislature at its recent session, as designated by the Governor and Attorney General for publication and officially certified by the Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates and the Secretary of the Senate.

The collieries in the anthracite region of Pennsylvania are resuming operations and the miners have decided that they will not strike. They had suspended work for several weeks upon the order of John Mitchell, president of the Mine-Workers Union, pending negotiations with the operators. The latter, however, refused to make any concessions and probably would have been well satisfied to have had a strike. Mr. Mitchell, however, must have foreseen that it would have been a foolish and losing game on the part of the miners and finally advised their return to work on the old schedule and upon an agreement that this shall remain in force for three years. The men were almost unanimous in favor of that course. Mr. Mitchell claims that the result is a victory for the miners as it involves the recognition of the Union. Whether this be a correct view of the case or not, it is very clear that the miners have acted wisely in deciding against a strike in which they and the public would have been the sufferers. The outcome of the controversy is undoubtedly gratifying to coal consumers generally.

A RUSSIAN PARLIAMENT.

The first parliament of Russia assembled yesterday at St. Petersburg and was opened by the Czar, who delivered an address in which he stated that he desired to see his people happy and to hand down to his son an empire secure, well organized and enlightened.

The members of the parliament, it is said, received the address in stolid silence, while the nobles who surrounded the Czar cheered his utterances wildly. There is little prospect that the parliament will be able to do anything to promote the freedom of the people or diminish the autocratic power of the Czar. Many of the delegates are said to be ignorant peasants and even unable to read. At the same time it is apparent that the better and more intelligent of the masses of the people are determined to have constitutional government and will not be content to hear the word of promise to the ear and have it broken to the hope.

Evidently the Czar apprehends an uprising of the people when they shall realize that the power of the parliament is a sham and the prospect of constitutional government nothing but a dream and a delusion. A battery of machine guns and a force of armed men surround the palace of the Czar where the parliament was inaugurated.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT ON STANDARD OIL.

The efforts of President Roosevelt to curb the rapacity of corporations and monopolists have heretofore been met with sneers and sarcasm by the Democratic newspapers, which have seemed to regard such efforts as only a huge joke, to be laughed at. Possibly the report of Mr. James R. Garfield, corporation commissioner, upon the methods of the Standard Oil Company, and the President's summing up of the effect of those methods upon the rights and interests of the people, in a message with which he accompanied Mr. Garfield's report to Congress, may serve to disabuse the minds of Democratic editors of the notion that this and other investigations, still pending, were undertaken merely as a "play to the galleries." Among other things the President says:

The report shows that the Standard Oil Company has benefitted enormously up almost to the present moment by secret rates, many of these secret rates being clearly unlawful. * * *

Three-quarters of a million a year represents the profits made by the company at the expense of the railroads, but, of course, the ultimate result is that it obtains a much larger profit at the expense of the public. * * *

The Standard Oil Company also profits largely by open rates, which are so arranged as to give it an overwhelming advantage over independent competitors. * * *

The granting to the government of the power to substitute a proper for an improper rate is, in very many instances, the only effective way in which to prevent improper discriminations in rates. * * *

Investigations such as this prove that the proper play for individual initiative can only be secured by such governmental supervision as will curb those monopolies which crush out all individual initiative. * * *

What is needed is the conferring upon the interstate commerce commission of ample affirmative power, so conferred as to make its decisions take effect at once, subject only to such action by the court as is demanded by the constitution. * * * I am well aware that within the limits thus set the commission may at times be guilty of injustice, but far more frequent injustice and injustice of a more injurious kind now results. * * *

The Standard Oil Company has largely, by unfair or unlawful methods, crushed out home competition. It is highly desirable that an element of competition should be introduced by the passage of some such law as that putting alcohol used in the arts and manufactures on the free list. Furthermore, the time has come when no oil or coal lands held by the government should be alienated. The fee to them should be kept in the government, and the land should be leased only on such terms as will enable the government to keep entire control thereof.

These are plain truths and important suggestions. Whether they will be met with proper legislation by Congress to govern the case and protect the public remains to be seen. If not, those legislators who stand in the way should be made to step down and out by the people. It is not an easy matter, however, to enact remedial legislation in such cases in a day. Time must be given for thorough ventilation of the subject. There are diverse views as to the best means of reaching and dealing with such cases by national law. There can be no doubt about the sincerity and honesty of purpose of the President in his crusade against Standard Oil, railroad and other monopolies, but Congress may honestly differ with him as to the extent of the power imposed upon the government to deal effectively with the subject. It would be folly to pass any measure that would not stand the judgment of the Supreme Court. But the Senate, which is now considering the railroad rate bill, contains some of the ablest lawyers of the day, and there should be no insuperable difficulty in arriving at an agreement upon an effective law to prevent discrimination by railroads in favor of big corporations against little ones or individuals.

The movement for more equitable methods on the part of railroads and other mopolistic corporations is in reality, only in its infancy; but the good work is begun and it is up to the people to see that it shall not be suffered to languish by future Presidents and Congresses.

The Democratic press will serve the country more effectively, too, by treating the matter from a serious standpoint, than by flippant ridicule and sarcastic criticism of the authorities which are honestly striving to protect the people against the exactions of the monopolists and to bring about a condition of healthy competition in business enterprises, great and small.

For the Sentinel.

Protect Your Fruit Trees.

The above words should appeal to every farmer or orchardist who appreciates home and the efforts of his family to serve fruit both in its raw as well as preserved state. For what is more disgusting for a cook to anticipate having fruit for dessert, and to find upon preparing it that the majority of it is wormy or otherwise diseased; and it is more discouraging for an orchardist to anticipate pecuniary benefit from his orchard and upon picking the fruit to realize that the best of it is unsaleable. In the competition for market the grower of the best will always have an advantage; first-class fruits and vegetables rarely fail to bring some profit where low grade products cannot be sold at any price; and no fruit that is wormy, defaced or otherwise injured by insects ever ranks as first-class. The prospect is for a large crop of fruit this year, therefore the grower of the best will secure the profit.

Spray your apple trees at once with paris green, 1½ pounds to 50 gallons of water, or other arsenite, and better use in combination with bordeaux mixture, same proportions as with water for codling moth and circulio. Repeat the spraying in 10 days and spray apple trees again about July 10th. In experiments conducted by this department last year treated trees showed 90 per cent. profit over untreated trees. Destroy the apple tent caterpillars by either applying arsenites, torch to the trees or pulling out the nests.

Spray plum trees with the same solution, using 3 pounds copper sulphate and 9 pounds lime for making the bordeaux mixture for plum circulio, repeating once or twice, ten days intervening. Later if necessary jar the trees in early morning having a sheet under the trees to catch the circulios.

It would also be advisable to spray the peach trees at this time with a weak bordeaux mixture and arsenite for curculio and fungus diseases.

Any further information will be gladly given by writing to the State Entomologist, College Park, Md.

THOMAS B. SYMONS,
State Entomologist.

FROSTS AND ICE IN MAY.

The country from the lakes to the gulf and from the Mississippi to the Atlantic coast has been under a cold wave for several days and from every direction in this territory come reports of damaging frosts and unseasonably low temperatures.

Frosts in Alabama and Tennessee killed the cotton crop.

An ice-forming temperature damaged fruits and vegetables in Pennsylvania.

A half inch of snow fell in New York.

Delaware fruits were nipped by heavy frosts.

A wide area of fruits and vegetables in Ohio and Michigan was injured by ice, snow and frost.

Ice formed in the mountainous regions of Maryland and frost was general throughout Maryland and Virginia. From Frederick it is reported that ice half an inch thick was formed in that city yesterday morning, but this is probably an exaggeration. There is no doubt, however, that the temperature was unusually low at this date, all over the State of Maryland, reports of frost coming even from the Eastern Shore. In that section, however, it is said that little damage was inflicted upon fruit.

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At the meeting of the board of directors of the Springfield Asylum, Wednesday, in the Maryland Telephone Building, Baltimore, it was decided to ask for bids for the erection of a new building at the institution, which will contain the kitchen and dining-room. The cost will be about $40,000 and the latter room will be arranged so as to seat about 600 patients. Bids were opened for the establishment of a new filter plant, but all of them have been referred to Water Engineer Quick, of Baltimore, for perusal before the contract is let. Those present at the meeting were Governor Warfield, Comptroller Atkinson, J. W. Wadlow, William H. Forsythe, State Senator Johnzie E. Beasman, Col. Edward Lloyd, Hon. John Hubner and Dr. J. Clement Clark.

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E. M. Wilhoit, formerly an agent in the employ of the Standard Oil Company, testified yesterday before the Interstate Commerce Commission in Chicago that by direction of his superiors he bribed various clerks to get information of the business of competitors, and also cheated customers.

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While the people of this country east of the Mississippi have been shivering with cold for several days, the usually cold Northwest has been sweltering under midsummer heat. The maximum temperature yesterday at Helena, Bismarck and other places was 84° to 88°.

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Yesterday striking Italian laborers in Newark, N. J., attacked those who took their places, and later marched under the red flag.

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An earthquake shock was reported to have passed through the Elkhorn Valley in Nebraska yesterday.

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Troops are gradually being withdrawn from San Francisco and the police resuming authority.

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General Greely reports the conditions in San Francisco to be improving.

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Mrs. Jefferson Davis remains critically ill in the Hotel Gerard, New York.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

Gamber Items.

The Ladies' Mite Society of Mt. Pleasant Church held its annual election of officers on Thursday, May 3rd, which resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Eliza Barnes; 1st V. P., Mrs. Geo. Gorsuch; 2nd V. P., Mrs. Robert E. Barnes; Treas., Mrs. Geo. A. Barnes; Sect., Mrs. Samuel Monroe; Asst. Sect., Miss Martha Zentz; collectors, Mrs. Abraham Haines, Miss Viola Klausman and Miss Beulah Shauck.

William Bell, who had been ill of spinal trouble, died last week and was buried at Providence on Thursday, May 3rd. Rev. Kittell, of Deer Park, officiated.

The strawberry festival, which was advertised to be held on June 2nd by the Ladies' Mite Society, will be held on May 26th instead.

Providence M. P. Church will hold its annual children's day service on Sunday, June 10th, and the annual memorial service will be held at the same place on Tuesday, May 29th.

Mrs. Eliza Barnes, who had spent the winter in Catonsville, has returned home.

Mr. David H. Leister is erecting a new barn on his "Deer Park Farm."

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

Pleasant Valley Items.

Rev. O. C. Roth, the Lutheran minister from Altoona, Pa., will preach his 25th anniversary sermon in Pleasant Valley Church at 10 A. M., May 20th. As this was his first charge when he entered upon the ministry he has selected it in which to celebrate this anniversary.

On Tuesday, 8th inst., Mr. Jacob Lawyer, while hewing posts for Mr. Henry Helwig, accidentally cut a gash about an inch long in the head of Mr. Luther Helwig's little boy George. Fortunately the cut is not serious and the little fellow is doing well at present writing.

Mrs. A. P. Bish is still confined to her bed with very little improvement.

Sunday School at 9 A. M. Divine service at 10 by Rev. Jas. B. Stonesifer.

Orphans' Court.

Monday, May 7th, 1906.—Jacob Farver, executor of Catharine Buckingham, deceased, settled his first and final account.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Mary Jordan Mering, deceased, granted unto Evan Haines, who received warrants to appraise real estate and personal property, and order to notify creditors.

J. W. Gilbert, executor of Agnes Ann Gilbert, deceased, returned report of sale of personal property and inventory of debts, and settled his first and final account.

Sarah J. Utz and David B. Utz, administrators of Melville H. Utz, deceased, returned inventory of debts and additional report of sale of personal property, and settled their first and final account.

Mary C. Schaeffer and George E. Schaeffer, executors of Albert Schaeffer, deceased, received order to pay to Charles A. Schaeffer, funds deposited in his name in The Westminster Deposit and Trust Co.

Tuesday, May 8th, 1906.—James W. Lockard and Joshua Lockard, executors of Joshua Lockard, deceased, received order to sell real estate.

The last will and testament of Fannie E. Devilbiss, deceased, admitted to probate, and letters testamentary thereon granted unto Edward H. Devilbiss and Carrie May Bush, (formerly Devilbiss), who received order to notify creditors.

Elizabeth H. Brown and Margaret L. J. Barnes, executors of Julia Ann Ingels, deceased, returned inventories of personal property and debts.

Dr. S. R. Waters, executor of Sarah A. N. Waters, received order to sell stock.

James E. Lowe, administrator of Nicholas Lowe, deceased, settled his first and final account.

Manchester Items.

Mrs. M. L. Morelock entertained the members of the Sewing Circle and invited friends at her home on Thursday evening last. The evening was most pleasantly spent in social chat and exhibitions of the many pieces of work being done. At 10 P. M. refreshments, consisting of salads, sandwiches, coffee, cake, and whipped cream were passed and much enjoyed. Mrs. M. was assisted in serving by her nieces, Mrs. H. T. J. LaMotte, Miss Ethel C. Gettier, Mrs. C. J. Everhart, Mrs. C. Miller and Mrs. H. S. Musselman.

A joke, which might have had serious results, was perpetrated at the home of Mrs. Wm. Graf two miles south of town on Sunday, 29th ult. Mrs. G. gave a reception and wedding dinner to her daughter, Miss Sadie C. Graf, who was married the week previous to Mr. Cleveland Myers, of this place, by the Rev. C. M. Eyster, at the parsonage in Baltimore. A large company of relatives and friends responded to the invitations and were present to extend their congratulations to the happy couple. A sumptuous dinner was prepared and enjoyed by all, followed later by refreshments. Early in the evening after arriving at their homes several of the guests were taken sick and by 10 P. M. no less than 18 of the party were suffering with cramps. It was thought for several hours during the night that the attack would prove fatal with the groom and also the aged grandmother of the bride, Mrs. Herman Keck, but we are glad to know that all are again enjoying their usual health. It appears that, as a joke, some one assisting in the preparation of the dinner put croton oil in the mashed potatoes and every person indulging in the dish became sick. Some of the potatoes were given to the dogs and they too were made sick.

The newly elected Mayor and Common Council of this corporation organized by electing Geo. A. Shower, clerk; John E. Masenhimer, treasurer. H. S. Musselman was appointed committee on lamps and lighting, Messrs. J. W. Snyder and Wm. A. Wolf committee on streets, and Nimrod Armstrong committee on alleys. Mr. John S. Sanders was elected bailiff, collector and lamplighter, at a salary of $125 per annum.

Rev. Siegel, of York, Pa., preached in the Reformed Church of this place on Sunday morning and evening.

Mr. Thomas Noony, who is in the employ of Mr. William Zepp, north of town, was brought to the office of Dr. J. H. Sherman last week with his face badly bruised and cut from the kick of a horse. The animal is considered safe and gentle, but, while being led to water, in play kicked, striking Mr. N. full in the face and inflicting a gash which it required some stitches to close and also bruising the face considerably. Mr. N. is improving but is not yet able to take solid food.

Mrs. John Berwager is quite ill with pneumonia, at her home on York street.

Miss Norma E. Gettier spent from Friday to Monday at home from Baltimore.

Miss Zinn, of York, Pa., was a guest of her friend, Miss Hazel Maurath, on South Main street, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Shaefer, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with Mrs. Shaefer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Shower.

Dr. J. H. Preston is now able to get about on crutches and now and then is enjoying a short ride in the country.

Mr. William Folgert, east of town, has torn down part of his house and is rebuilding it in more modern style. It will be a fine home for himself and family.

Settlement with the retiring treasurer of this corporation, Mr. H. B. Burgoon, showed

Receipts from all sources	$1109.99
Expenditures for the year	721.93
Balance in treasury	388.06

Rev. and Mrs. S. M. Roeder celebrated their silver wedding on Wednesday, 9th inst., at the parsonage on North Main street, and entertained to dinner Rev. and Mrs. Slagle, daughter Emma and son Calvin, of Westminster; Rev. and Mrs. Hartman, daughter Esther and lady friend, Mrs. Megary, of Silver Run, and Rev. and Mrs. Stonesifer, of Carroll Place, Westminster.

Rev. H. H. Flick will hold communion service in Emanuel Lutheran Church of this place on Sunday morning next; preparatory services on Saturday afternoon, at which he will confirm a class of catechumens.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Children's Day service will be held at Deer Park M. P. Church, Smallwood, on Sunday, June 10th. An interesting program is being prepared for the occasion. The public cordially invited.

Owing to the bad weather on Sunday afternoon the Union Sunday School was not organized, as had been stated at Jerusalem Church, Bachman's Valley; but on Sunday afternoon, May 13th, at 1 p. m., all members are expected to be present and it will then be organized.

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For the next Two Sundays, all people who buy the great Philadelphia Sunday Press, will get a fine picture suitable for framing. Many newspaper picture supplements are only cheap chromos. These are not. You never see a Sunday Press picture thrown away. It is a work of art. Sunday press pictures cost more to make than any other pictures and people frame them. Are you reading the New Anthony Hope Novel in the Philadelphia Sunday Press. Your news dealer, Mr. F. A. Diffenbach, East Main street, Westminster, will supply you.

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FORTUNATE MISSOURIANS.

"When I was a druggist, at Livonia, Mo.," writes T. J. Dwyer, now of graysville, Mo., "three of my customers were permanently cured of consumption by Dr. King's New Discovery, and are well and strong to day. One was trying to sell his property and move to Arizona, but after using New Discovery a short time he found it unnecessary to do so. I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as the most wonderful medicine in existence." Surest Cough and Cold cure and Throat and Lung healer. Guaranteed by all druggists. 50c and $1. Trial bottle free.

BARNUM & BAILEY'S GREATEST SHOW IN BALTIMORE, MAY 16th and 17th, 1906.

Manager J. A. Bailey, of the Barnum & Bailey Greatest Show on Earth, will exhibit in Baltimore, on Wednesday and Thursday, May 16th and 17th, next. Among the thousand and one wonderful sights are little elephants, sea-lions, tiny ponies, dogs, sheep, geese, &c. "Speck," the smallest horse in the world, a troupe of tiny Lilliputians, a giant, a Finnish giantess, and the ridiculous antics of the clowns, are all features of the show. In the menagerie pavilion in addition to the notable display of wild animals, with its rare bi-horned rhinoceros and its herd of giraffes, &c. Reduced rates on all railroads to the show.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Finksburg M. P. Church will hold a strawberry and ice cream festival on the church lawn, Saturday evening, May 26th. Sunday School Anniversary June 7th.

POSTMASTER ROBBED.

G. W. Fouts, postmaster at Riverton, Ia., nearly lost his life and was robbed of all comfort, according to his letter, which says: "For 20 years I had chronic liver complaint, which led to such a severe case of jaundice that even my finger nails turned yellow; when my doctor prescribed Electric Bitters; which cured me and have kept me well for eleven years." Sure cure for Biliousness, Neuralgia, Weakness and all Stomach, Liver, Kidney and Bladder derangements. A wonderful Tonic. At all Drug stores. 50 cents.

Children's Day services will be held in Centenary M. E. Church, this city, Sunday evening, June 3rd, beginning at 8 o'clock. An attractive program of special music, recitations and other features is being prepared for the occasion. The attendance of the public is cordially invited.

A MOUNTAIN OF GOLD

could not bring as much happiness to Mrs. Lucia Wilke, of Caroline, Wis., as did one 25c box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, when it completely cured a running sore on her leg, which had tortured her 23 long years. Greatest antiseptic healer of Piles, Wounds, and sores. 25c at all Drug stores.

DEATHS FROM APPENDICITIS

decrease in the same ratio that the use of Dr King's New Life Pills increases. They save you from danger and bring quick and painless release from constipation and the ills growing out of it. Strength and vigor always follow their use. Guaranteed by all Druggists. 25c. Try them.

SERMONS ON BUNYAN'S PILGRIM'S PROGRESS.

The pastor, Rev. L. F. Warner, will preach a series of sermons on Bunyan's Pilgrim's Progress, at the Methodist Protestant Church of this city, on the following Sunday evenings:

May 13.—The Christian Pilgrim.
May 20.—The Palace Beautiful.
June 3.—Vanity Fair.
June 17.—The Doubting Castle.
June 24.—The Heavenly City.

The public cordially invited.

The Linwood Union Sunday School will hold their annual Strawberry and Ice Cream festival, in Hall, on Friday evening and Saturday afternoon and evening, May 25th and 26th. A Band of music will be in attendance.

The Pipe Creek M. P. Sunday School will hold an Ice Cream and Strawberry festival at Mr. Dennis A. Smith's, Saturday evening, June 2nd.

Stone Chapel Sunday School will hold a Strawberry and Ice Cream festival, Saturday, June 9th, beginning at 2 o'clock, P. M., and continuing at night.

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

Grace Lutheran Church.—Sunday School 9.00 a. m. Divine service 10.30 a. m., and 7.30 p. m. Christian Endeavor 6.45 p. m. Prayer Meeting Wednesday night 7.30. p. m.

P. H. MILLER, D. D., Pastor.

Methodist Protestant Church.—Sunday School 9.15 a. m. Preaching 10.30 a. m., and 7.30 p. m. Junior C. E. service 2 p. m., Christian Endeavor Society 6.30 p. m. Prayer Meeting on Wednesday night.

L. F. WARNER Pastor.

Centenary M. E. Church.—Sabbath School Sunday at 9.15 a. m. Junior League 2.30 p. m. Epworth League at 6.45 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30 p. m. Sunday service 10.30 a. m. Preaching 10.30 a. m., and 7.30 p. m.

H. M. RIDER, Pastor.

St. Paul's Ref. Church.—Sunday School at 9.30 a. m. Divine service 10.30 a. m., and 7.15 p. m.

CALVIN S. SLAGLE, Pastor.

Ascension Church.—Sunday Services.—7.30 a. m., Holy Communion. 10.30 a. m., Morning Prayer, Litany and Sermon. 4.30 p. m., Evening Prayer and Lecture. 8 p. m., Service and Sermon in Chapel.

Rev. Frank M. Gibson, Ph. D., Rector.

Carroll Charge—Reformed Church.—Benjamin's—Divine Service 2 p. m. Sunday School 1 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. 7.30 p. m.

Service at Pleasant Valley, 10 a. m.

JAMES B. STONESIFER, Pastor.

Salem Charge—Lutheran Church.—St. Benjamin's.—Sunday School 2 p. m.

St. John's.—Sunday School 9 a. m.
Holy Communion Sunday, 10 a. m.
Preparatory service Saturday, May 12th, 2 p. m.

R. W. DOTY, Pastor.

Holy Communion at Baust Church on Sunday, May 20th, 10 a. m. Preparatory service Saturday afternoon, 2.30.

G. W. Baughman, Pastor.

DIED.

Near Smallwood, May 5th, 1906, William H. Hook, aged 70 years, 7 months and 15 days.

Near Union Mills, April 30th, 1906, Wm. Flickinger, aged 76 years, 6 months and 7 days.

In Union Bridge, April 28th, 1906, Ella, wife of Charles Lookingbill, aged 44 years, 5 months and 27 days.

Near Freedom, April 30th, 1906, Lizzie H., wife of E. M. Shipley, in her 6th year.

Near Harney, April 27th, 1906, Levi Shriner, in his 67th year.

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In loving but sad remembrance of our dear uncle, Chas. E. Shipley, who departed this life one week ago today, May 4th, 1906.

We ought not to weep for our uncle dear,
We know how he did suffer here;
And when on earth we'll breathe no more
We'll meet him on the heavenly shore.

By his niece, Edna Shipley.

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Near Ellicott's City, Howard county, Md., May 4th, 1906, Charles E. Shipley, formerly of Taylorsville, Carroll county, in his 54th year, beloved husband of Alice A. Shipley.

We saw him fade and waste away,
And watched him gasp for breath;
We knew that then upon his face
There were fatal signs of death.
Dear as thou wast and justly dear
We will not weep for thee
One thought will check the starting tears
It is that thou art free.
And thus shall faith's consoling power
The tears of love restrain;
Oh, who that knew thy suffering hours,
Could wish thee back again.

By his wife.

Once our home was bright and happy;
Oh, how sad and dreary to-day,
For our dear and loving father
Has forever passed away.

Mourn not for me, my life is past;
You kindly loved me to the last;
Prepare yourself, do not delay,
For I was early called away.

Alone in the silent graveyard,
'Neath the sod and the dew;
Never one moment forgotten,
In sorrow dear father we still think of you.

By his Children.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

STRAYED—REWARD.
SETTER PUP,

near full grown; white, with dark ears, black patch on left eye extending under the ear; well covered with small spots (ticked) over head, legs and body; has a very nice coat and carries tail low; timid disposition. The dog left my place Sunday afternoon, May 6th. I will give a liberal reward for the return, or any information leading to his recovery.

S. S. WILSON, Photographer.
may 11 3t Main street, Westminster, Md.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of The Citizens' Water and Power Company of Westminster, Md., will be held at the Banking House of Wm. B. Thomas, on MONDAY, JUNE 4th, 1906, between the hours of 4 and 5 P. M., for purpose of electing SEVEN DIRECTORS for the ensuing year.

WM. B. THOMAS, President.
J. H. FUSS, Secretary. may 11 4t

LUMBER FOR SALE.

I have Doors, Sash, Blinds and other Pine Lumber which I offer at COST.

CHAS. C. GORSUCH,
my 11 3t Westminster.

NOTICE.

Having sold my stallion, Maplewood Norval, I will close the season, Saturday, June 9th, 1906.

JOHN G. SHUNK, Owner.
Westminster, Md., May 7th, 1906.
my 11 3t

NO. 4282 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Carroll County.

W. Frank Thomas, assignee of assignee of mortgagee, vs. George W. Arnold, Eliza A. Arnold, mortgagors.

Ordered, this 10th day of May, 1906, by the Circuit Court for Carroll County, in Equity, that the sale of the real estate made and reported in the above entitled cause by W. Frank Thomas, assignee of assignee of mortgagee, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 11th day of June next; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Carroll county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 4th day of June next. The report states the amount of sale to be $395.00.

DAVID P. SMELSER, Clerk.
True Copy,—Test:
my 13t DAVID P. SMELSER, Clerk.

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Best Soft A Sugar 4½c pound.
Best Pulverized Sugar 7c pound.
Fresh Rio Coffee 13c, 15c and 17c lb.
Good Cheap Flour 40c sack.
Fresh Pillsbury Flour 70c sack.
Special price by the barrel.
White Rose Flour 50c sack.
Get my barrel price.
Best Quaker Oats 10c box.
Kafir Corn 2c pound.
Hemp Seed 5c pound.
Full line of Larkin products at reduced prices.
Baled Hay and Straw.
Whitewash Lime and Brushes.
Pure Corn Chop $1.25 per hundred.
Give me a call.
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88 and 92 East Main Street, Westminster.
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Do you know that Smith & Reifsnider carry Porch and Stair Work in stock?

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Respectfully yours,
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Westminster, Md., May 11th, 1906.

2240 pounds for a ton.
All coal screened before loading.
Direct from mines to the consumer.
my 11 2t

WANTED.

Horses and Mules.

I will be in MANCHESTER, at STICK'S OLD HOTEL, (Warren Shipley, proprietor,) ON THURSDAY, MAY 17th, 1906, from 9 A. M., to 12 M., and at COOK'S HOTEL, IN WESTMINSTER, the same day, from 1.30 to 6 P. M., to buy all grades of Horses and Mules, for which the very Highest Cash Prices will be paid according to age and soundness.

F. P. GOODWIN,
my 11 1t Reisterstown, Md.

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