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LOCAL ITEMS.

Field corn in this locality is beginning to tassel.

Emory Grove camp-meeting will begin tomorrow and will, from present indications, be the best in its history.

Postmaster S. K. Herr expects to have a C. & P. telephone placed in the postoffice by the first of next week.

Large quantities of new wheat have been received at the steam roller mills in this city during the past week.

Onions in large quantities, grown in some localities in this county, are being shipped to market from this city.

By the close of this week the oats harvest in this county will be about over. The crop is a good one.

The annual picnic of the German Lutheran Church at Smallwood will be held tomorrow.

The Sunday School of St. Paul's Reformed Church, this city, will picnic in Mr. Ralph Reifsnider's grove, near Fenby, on Thursday next, 8th inst.

Rev. Jas. B. Stonesifer, pastor of Carroll charge, Reformed Church, will preach in the Third Reformed Church, Baltimore, on Sunday.

Prof. J. J. John, of Union Bridge, will preach in the Brethren's Church at New Windsor, on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The annual picnic of Grace Lutheran Sunday School was held in Mr. Theo. F. Englar's grove, near the city limits, on Tuesday.

The annual statement of the receipts and expendisures, made by the County Commissioners of this county, will be found on the first page of the SENTINEL this week.

Mr. Jas. D. Mitchell, photographer, of this city, leaves Sunday for Dayton, Ohio, to attend the Photographers' convention to be held in that city, next week.

A concrete pavement is about to be laid in front of Grace Lutheran Church and parsonage, in this city, at the grade fixed by the municipal authorities.

Mrs. Pius C. Yingling, of this city, who fell some time ago and crushed the small bones of her right ankle, is able to move about the room on crutches. Dr. Chas. R. Foutz is her physician.

The health officers of Baltimore advise the strenuous use of coal oil in yards and gutters during the month of August, that being the period when those pestilential insects, the mosquitoes seem to be most prolific.

Miss Ava Taylor, of Hurlock, a graduate of the high school of that place, has been awarded a free scholarship at Western Maryland College, by the school commissioners of Dorchester county.

Boyer Spriggs, colored, of this city, for drunkenness and an assault on Noah Wisner was sentenced to the House of Correction, by Police Justice Shriver, on Tuesday, for the period of four months.

The length of today in this latitude is 14 hours, 4 minutes, the sun rising at 4.58 and setting at 7.02. During this month the days will decrease in length rapidly and the 31st will be but 12 hours 58 minutes long.

As will be seen by a notice in our advertising columns a reduction in county and State taxes will be made for prompt payment, while failure to pay until after January 1st will add interest to the tax bills.

Mr. David A. Circle, administrator of the late Lydia C. Circle, sold at public sale, on Saturday last, four shares of the stock of the Union National Bank of Westminster, to Elder Uriah Bixler, at $52 per share; par value $25.

One day last week Anna, the three-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Reifsnider, Jr., of this city, fell from a porch and fractured her left arm at the elbow. Drs. Hering and Fitzhugh adjusted the fracture.

The concert of sacred music given by the First Regiment Band, at Belle Grove Square, this city, on Sunday afternoon, was attended by many people who thoroughly enjoyed the expressive and beautiful rendering of the well selected program.

Rev. H. L. Elderdice, D. D., president of Westminster Theological Seminary, assisted Rev. James B. Stonesifer in the Holy Communion service at Benjamin's Reformed Church, near this city, on Sunday last, and delivered a discourse which was highly appreciated by everybody in attendance.

Gen. L. Allison Wilmer, president of the Maryland State Bar Association, has announced the standing committees for the ensuing year. Guy W. Steele, Esq., of the Westminster bar, is named as a member of the committee on grievances, and Ex-Judge James A. C. Bond, as a member of the committee on legal education.

Mrs. John Price, of St. Louis, Mo., who is visiting her brother-in-law, Mr. Abraham Price, and family, of this city, fell in stepping down from the pavement in front of the Lutheran Church, on Wednesday evening of last week, and sprained her right ankle so severely that medical attention, which was given by Dr. H. M. Fitzhugh, was required.

Large numbers of people from the surrounding country visited this city on Saturday evening last, most of whom were attracted by the fete of St. John's Catholic Church. The school ground and street adjoining were crowded with people during the evening, but good order was maintained. Excellent music for the fete was rendered by the Pleasant Valley Cornet Band.

Mr. James W. Branzell, of the First National Restaurant, this city, has leased the Hotel Albion, corner East Main street and Railroad avenue, this city. He will put it in first-class order throughout, giving it a thorough overhauling from garret to basement and cellar, and will furnish it with fine furniture. He expects to occupy it by the 15th of this month.

The Thurmont Tennis Association and the Country Club of Westminster will play a game on the court of the latter, in this city, on Tuesday next, 6th inst., at 2 o'clock, P. M. The game will be an interesting one and will be open to the public without charge. The Country Club recently met defeat at the hands of the Thurmont Association and its friends hope for better luck in the pending game.

Mr. Harry Cootes has taken a position in the freight department of the W. M. R. R. Co. in this city.

Mr. Geoege N. Hunter, of this city, shipped several hundred bushels of onions to Baltimore this week.

Lightning struck and killed a horse belonging to Mrs. Thomas Shipley, near Taylorsville, yesterday morning.

Mr. Geo. R. Gehr, Jr., of this city, has been appointed a clerk in the office of the W. M. R. R. Company, at Union Bridge.

Rev. W. L. Seabrook will preach in Centenary M. E. Church, on Sunday morning. There will be no evening service.

Mr. J. E. Deeds, of this city, shipped this week to Messrs J. W. Buffington & Co., Baltimore, 1350 bushels of onions.

Dr. Hitchcock, a veterinary surgeon of this city, has had a large brick stable erected to be used as a hospital for sick horses.

Mr. James W. Lockard, of this city, has sold his automobile to Mr. Wm. E. Grumbine, manager of the shirt factory on West Green street.

A souvenir post card from Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Babylon, announces their safe arrival in Boston, and they are enjoying the sights of the Hub very much.

Prof. Garrison, of Catawba College, Newton, N. C., is visiting Mr. Geo. P. Panebaker, in Bachman's Valley, and will preach in Bachman's Church on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

During the month of July 41 deeds, 16 mortgages and 5 bills of sale were received for record in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court for this county, and 12 marriage licenses were issued.

A freight train ran into an open switch at Union Bridge, at an early hour this morning. Some of the cars were derailed and the tracks blockaded, causing delay in the running of passenger trains. Nobody was hurt.

Mr. Chas. E. Bowers, painter, of this city, has completed quite a handsome sign for the Westminster Fertilizer Co. The letters are large and shaded in colors on a yellow back ground.

The M. P. Church Sunday School is holding its picnic today in the grove at the Pool of the Westminster Water Company, and the M. E. Sunday School in Mr. Theo. F. Englar's grove near the city limits.

The Commonwealth Band of Baltimore, a colored organization, paraded Main and Green streets, yesterday afternoon, and at night gave an entertainment and dance at Odd Fellows' Hall. The music rendered by the band was excellent.

Mr. John Hymiller, near Spring Mills, has had the dwelling house and outbuildings on his farm repainted, giving them a greatly improved and attractive appearance. The painting was done by Mr. Hiram Gardner, near the pool of the Westminster Water Company.

Nathan Crawmer, an inmate of the county home, who fell down an embankment near Spring Mills, several weeks ago, and badly fractured one of his legs, was taken to the Maryland General Hospital, Baltimore, for treatment, by Steward Humbert, on Wednesday.

Western Maryland Council No. 79, Jr. O. U. A. M., is having a series of lectures delivered by members of the council, explanatory of the principles of the order. A lecture will be delivered every Wednesday evening at a council meeting, only members of the council to be present.

The B. F. Shriver Co. has 70 persons —men, women and children—picking beans on their farm adjacent to this city. The beans are being canned at the company's nearby factory and must be picked when just in order for that purpose, making a large force in gathering them necessary. The yield is large and the product profitable.

Mr. John M. Myers, of Bachman's Valley, has an old Champion binder which has been used to reap twenty-one harvests of 45 to 60 acres each year, but which he says is still in perfect order, although during that time it has not cost $5 for repairs, except canvases. Mr. Myers would like to know whether any other Carroll county farmer has a reaping machine that can equal this record.

An error was made in the hours during which the Republican primary for Freedom district is to be held, in the call published last week. The time named in the call was 5 to 7 o'clock, P. M., when it should have been 4 to 7 P. M. The error was in the record of the proceedings of the Central Committee furnished the SENTINEL for publication. The meeting will be opened at 4 instead of 5 o'clock and will continue until 7 o'clock.

A severe thunderstorm, with heavy rain, passed over this county yesterday morning. The precipitation was greatest west and south of this city and the public roads in some localities were badly washed. Damage by lightning also occurred, in a barn having been burned and a horse killed, as will be seen by accounts elsewhere. In the neighborhood of Union Bridge the rainfall was the heaviest for several years. In this city the streets were flooded and the railroad track at the station was submerged.

An antique clock, supposed to have been made in the sixteenth century, or about 400 years ago, was stolen from the residence of Mr. A. D. Garl Link, 2344 Edmondson avenue, Baltimore, last Sunday week, but has been recovered. The thief sold it to Mr. Paul Hoffman, 1509 Mosher street, who has a collection of curios. Mr. Hoffman learned that it had been stolen and notified the Police Department, and through Patrolman Martin Brady it was restored to Mr. L. He prizes it very highly. Mr. Link is a son-in-law of the late Mr. and Mrs. John H. Bowers, of this city.

Astronomers inform us that a new comet is visible and may now be seen with the naked eye between 3 and 3.30 A. M., by looking due east at about 45° above the horizon. This comet was first discovered in June of last year by Prof. Daniel, of Princeton University, and, as the astronomers say, is gradually approaching the earth and sun. It must be moving with tremendous velocity, however, as it is said to be now 85,000,000 miles from the sun, but on September 3rd will be only 46,000,000 miles distant. Its distance from the earth is said to be 7,000,000 miles. According to Prof. Pickering, of the Harvard Observatory, it has a multiple tail instead of the single short tail mentioned in other reports.

While a threshing rig belonging to Mr. Frank Orendorff, near this city, was being operated at the barn on the farm of the B. F. Shriver Co., at Avondale, on Thursday of last week, a crashing noise was heard in the separator and upon investigation it was found that a hard object of some sort—possibly a piece of iron or a stone—had run through the cylinder, shattering the machine considerably. A report which got into circulation to the effect that the separator was blown up by a stick of dynamite and so badly damaged that it would require a large amount of money to repair it, Mr. Orendorff says was incorrect. There was no dynamite in the case and no explosion. The machine was repaired and in running order by Friday evening, at a cost of $15 or $20.

Porters Items.

Farmers in this vicinity are about through harvesting their grain and hay.

Mr. L. M. Bushey and Mr. and Mrs. James Hewitt attended the grangers' picnic, near Taneytown, last Saturday.

Miss Carrie Hewitt, of Oella, who had been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. R. C. Hewitt, has returned home.

Miss Alice Fronnfelter, of New Windsor, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Shoemaker.

Messiah Lutheran Sunday School will hold its annual picnic in the grove adjoining the church, August 10th, beginning at 2.30. An interesting program is being prepared, consisting of music and speaking. There will also be special music from Taneytown, afternoon and night.

Barn Burned by Lightning.

During the heavy thunderstorm which passed over this county yesterday morning, lightning struck the barn of Mr. Frederick Walkling, Jr., about three miles south of this city, and caused its destruction by fire, with all its contents including Mr. Walkling's crop of hay and grain. It was a new barn. We have not been able to obtain an estimate of the loss, nor of the amount of insurance, which, however, only very partially covers it.

New Windsor, 9; New Market, 4.

New Windsor defeated New Market in a well-played game on the latter's grounds 9 to 4 on Saturday last. The batting order:

New Windsor—Hammond, ss.; Danner, c.; Spencer, 2b.; Barnhart, 3b.; Tracy, 1b.; Smith, cf.; Roop, rf.; Haines, lf.; Geiselman, p.

New Market—Dudderar, 2b.; Hogartha, 3b.; Wood, 1b.; Sponcellar, c.; W. Willis, rf.; Orrison, p.; Sundergill, c.; H. Willis, lf.; C. Willis, ss.

The Band's Sacred Concert.

Following will be the program of the sacred concert which will be given at Belle Grove Square, by the First Regiment Band, from 4 to 6 o'clock, Sunday afternoon:

March,— King Radium, Chambers.
Overture, — Rosemonde, Schubert.
Cornet Solo.
Intermezzo,— Waconda, Nunez.
Selection,— Faust, Gounod.
Intermezzo,— Hearts and Flowers, Tobani.

Melrose Items.

Mrs. John P. Nace, living north of here, has a hydrangea plant, 17 years old, that has 90 bunches of bloom, and one 3 years old that has 60 bunches.

Wentz's Union Sunday School met on Sunday morning. The president selected the stand committee for the annual celebration Saturday, Aug. 31st. There is an active interest in getting up a good program of dialogs, recitations &c. Mr. W. W. Wilson, of Baltimore, addressed the school.

Wheat is not yet all housed the latter part of July, something that has not happened in most men's lives. Corn which was somewhat stunted by the cold and wet Spring is coming out nicely and promises to be excellent.

Lineboro Sunday School celebration will be held Satuday, August 3; Sherman's on Saturday, August 10.

Baseball.

Before the largest crowd ever known to attend a baseball game at Mt. Airy, the nine of that place defeated the Catonsville Country Club, in a brilliantly played game, on Saturday. The score was 4 to 3. The fielding of both teams at times was sensational. Bouse and Whipp carried off the batting honors. Williams at short played a fine game for the home team. Talbott and Ulsch both pitched fine ball. The batting order:

Mount Airy—Williams, ss.; Breuning, 3b; Whipp, 2b.; Creager, c; Talbott, p.; Heuley, lf.; Bamer, 1b.; C. Hood, cf; I. Watkins, rf.

Catonsville Country Club—Green, 3b; Bouse, c.; Ray, lf.; Rossiter, 1b.; Brodit, ss.; Brown, 2b.; Ulsch, p.; West, cf.; Schaub, rf.

Score by innings:

Mount Airy 0 3 1 0 0 0 0 0 x—4—7—3
Catonsville 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0—3—5—4

Batteries—Mount Airy, Talbott and Creager; Catonsville Country Club, Ulsch and Bouse. Attendance, 1,800.

Odd Fellows Picnic at Mt. Airy.

The annual picnic of Prosperity Lodge No. 58, I. O. O. F., took place on Saturday last and was largely attended. Early in the morning vehicles laden with people began to arrive at the park, and by noon a great throng had assembled. Carroll, Howard, Frederick and Montgomery counties were well represented.

Prominent members of the order from various parts of the state were present. Addresses were made by Grand Master Robert W. Mobray, Department Grand Master John W. Young, Grand Patriarch Fred A. Groome, Grand Guard Irvin G. Herman and Brother Harry S. Bevans, of Zion Lodge, No. 87, of Pikesville.

The Frederick Orchestra furnished music for dancing. The Mount Airy Cornet Band was also in attendance.

The committee in charge of the arrangements comprised A. Frank Miller, chairman; A. E. Phebus, R. G. Molesworth, E. T. Mercer and Dr. W. B. Hopkins.

Daniel Items.

The picnic held by Enterprise Lodge, I. O. G. T., on Saturday afternoon and night last, was very largely attended. There was no program until night, because it was thought few people would be present in the afternoon, owing to late harvest. Rev. C. P. Nowlin and Rev. G. W. Cecil were the speakers. The male quartet furnished the music. One of the most successful and orderly picnics the Good Tempers have had.

Miss Della Patterson, of Sparrows' Point, is visiting Mrs. O. T. Buckman.

Miss Ethel Richardson, who has been visiting in Baltimore, is home again.

Miss Tracey, of Baltimore, is the guest of Misses Emma and Myrtie Conaway.

Mr. and Mrs. Swanson and child are the guests of Mr. Reuben N. Conaway.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. D. Snider and young daughter, of Washington Court House, O., were the guests of Mr. J. A. Snider a few days last week, returning from a trip to Niagara Falls and Jamestown.

A Strange Mistake.

Patapsco, Md. July 30, 1907.

Ed. American Sentinel, Dear Sir:

Seeing in your valuable paper of July 26, that the Pikesville Baseball Club claimd to have defeated the Patapsco Baseball Club on Saturday, 20th inst., by the score of 15 to 5, we wish to say that our boys had no game scheduled for that day and consequently did not play. To show the Pikesville boys that they mistook the Finksburg boys for Patapsco, we journeyed to Pikesville, Saturday, July 26, and easily defeated their team by the score of 9 to 2. At no time during the game did the Pikesville's have a look in for the game. The all around playing of the Patapsco's was a feature. The score:

Patapsco,	0	0	1	3	1	0	0	3	1	9	R	15	H	1	E
Pikesville,	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	R	6	H	5	E

Batteries—Flater and Spencer, for Patapsco; Worley and Corbett, for Pikesville. WM. M. TRACEY.

Patapsco Items.

Our farmers will finish their harvesting and hay making this week. In most places the crops were fair. Corn is also looking well, but potatoes are dying with blight and it is said by some that the yield will be short. The apple crop will not be large, and other fruit will not be abundant.

On last Saturday evening, as Mr. and Mrs. James H. Tracey, of Tracey's Mills, near this place, were returning from Westminster in a runabout, the colt Mr. Tracey was driving took fright near Squire Shamer's house and ran down a steep bank. The runabout was upset and its occupants thrown out. Both were hurt though no bones were broken and Mr. and Mrs. Tracey are out again. The road at the place where the accident occurred is very narrow, with a very steep bank below it. It is a dangerous place. Another similar accident happened there a short time ago. There should be a protecting fence at this point, which our supervisors, having their attention called to it, will now probably provide.

Mr. Jacob T. Arbaugh, of this place, is threatened with typhoid fever. Dr. M. L. Bott, of Westminster, is his attending physician.

LIST OF UNCLAIMED MATTER

remaining in the Postoffice, Westminster, Md., July 27th, 1907:

Couner, Miss Mary R. Pickett, Mrs. Carrie A.
Graham, Mr. Ernest Wade, Miss A.
Jones, Mrs. Charleyst Wallace, Mrs. R. M.
Kight, Mr. Wheeler D. Yats, Mr. Dan.
Marrison, Mrs. S. W

Persons calling for matter in the above list will please say it was advertised. S. K. HERR, P. M.

Personal.

Miss Larue Herr, of this city, is at Braddock Heights.

The Misses Richardson, of Wakefield, left for Jamestown this week.

Prof. Wm. R. McDaniel and wife returned from Nova Scotia this week.

Madame and Mlle. Bonnotte are spending the summer at Ocean City.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Mather, of this city, are visiting relatives in York, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Lockard, of this city, are spending this week at Pen-Mar.

Mrs. Laura S. Sellman and son, who are at Emory Grove, were in town this week.

Miss Elizabeth G. Slagle, of this city, is visiting Miss Pauline Long, of Lynchburg, Va.

Mrs. Fenby Hering and children, of Finksburg, are visiting Mrs. H's. mother, Mrs. Virginia Armacost.

Mr. Ernest Bachman, of Baltimore, recently spent several days with Mrs. C. Alfred Shreeve, of this city.

Mr. W. Scott Zepp, of Baltimore, is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. H. Zepp, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Edgar Nusbaum, of New Windsor, spent a day recently with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Shreeve, of this city.

Mr. Victor Zepp, of Washington, D. C., spent a few days this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Zepp, in this city.

Misses Sadie Wolfe, Sadie Edlavitch and Jessie Loudon, of Baltimore, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sachs, of this city.

Miss Katharine Slagle, of this city, has returned home after a delightful visit of a week or more to Ocean Grove, N. J.

Mr. Wm. D. Lovell, of New Windsor, one of the deputy clerks of the Circuit Court for this county, is taking a well earned vacation.

Mrs. Harry Bowersox and son, of Washington, D. C., are visiting Mrs. B's. parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Gist, of Smallwood.

Prof. H. Mortimer, of Washington, D. C., visited Miss M. Malehorn, at her sister, Mrs. R. N. Snader's, this city, on Sunday last.

Mr. Harry M. Kimmey, of Philadelphia, spent Saturday and Sunday in this city, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Kimmey.

Messrs. Wm. E. and Frank H. Miller, of Baltimore, spent several days this week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Miller, of this city.

Mr. H. Peyton Gorsuch, of this city, has gone on a trip to Detroit, Mich., and other points of interest in the West. He expects to be absent about two weeks.

Mrs. S. C. Stoner, of this city, and her brother-in-law, Mr. Clayton L. Stoner, and family, of St. Louis, Mo., are spending a fortnight at the Jamestown Exposition.

Mrs. Jane Coon, of this city, who has been visiting her brothers, Dr. George E. and Mr. Chas. J. Yingling, and their families, in Tiffin, Ohio, will return home tomorrow.

Mrs. Duncan Ensor, of New York City; Mrs. Augustus Mitten and Mrs. Lizzie Cunningham, of Baltimore, were visitors of Mrs. Annie R. Mitten, of this city, this week.

Rev. and Mrs. R. W. Doty and little daughter, of this city, will leave for Frederick county on Monday to spend the vacation of Mr. Doty with the parents of himself and wife.

Miss Ella Louise Brown, near this city, spent the past week at Atlantic City, with her sister, Mrs. Wm. J. Coane, of Philadelphia, and her cousin, Mrs. George Epperson, of Indiana.

Miss Nettie Mitten, near this city, who had been visiting friends at Smithburg, Cumberland, and Braddock Heights, Md.; Harrisburg, Chambersburg, and Shippensburg, Pa., has returned home.

Dr. S. N. Gorsuch, of Gamber, who had been visiting his daughter, Mrs. George DeCon, at her home in Asbury Park, and while there also paid a visit to New York, returned home on Friday. He says he thinks Asbury Park one of the grandest places on earth.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli J. Butler, of this city, have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Florence Beulah Butler, and Mr. Harry J. Starr, which will take place at Centenary M. E. Church at half after 4 o'clock, Wednesday afternoon, 14th inst.

Union Bridge Items.

David Royer Engleman, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. D. Engleman, of Baltimore, who died at the home of his parents, was buried at Mountain View Cemetery on last Tuesday morning. The funeral services were held at the residence of Rev. and Mrs. Isaac Tozer, and were conducted by Rev. B. F. Clarkson, of the M. E. Church.

Mr. Geo. H. Eyler, who has been ill at his home on West Broadway, is now able to be up, and to leave his room.

Our postoffice has been treated to a new coat of paint, which adds greatly to its appearance.

The services held in the Union Bridge Park last Sunday night were largely attended. Rev. Mr. Clarkson is announced to preach in the Park on next Sunday night.

Rev. Edward Hayes, pastor of the Franklin Street M. E. Church, Baltimore, is to preach at Middleburg next Sunday night, for 8 o'clock.

Our Union Bridge Band is engaged to furnish music at the Middleburg picnic on Saturday, Aug. 10, at Walden's grove. On the following Sunday a woods-meeting will be held in the same grove.

Mrs. Frank Nelson and her two sons, of Miamisburg, Ohio, are visiting at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Isaac Tozer.

Mr. John Urner Englar and his bride, who were married on the 25th inst., are spending their honeymoon at Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Straw and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wolfe, are dwelling in tents on the banks of the historic Monocacy, and putting in the time fishing for bass, eels and sunfish.

The heavist rain storm that has visited our town in ten years, says an old citizen, came to us on last Thursday morning. We have seldom witnessed such a downpour. The thunder and lightning were appalling. At the beginning of the storm considerable hail fell.

The Union Prayer-meeting was held in the M. P. Church on last Wednesday night. Rev. O. D. Bregenzer, of the Lutheran Church, had charge of the service.

Rev. J. Tolly Marsh and wife, of Sykesville, are visiting Dr. James Watt and family, on South Main street.

Orphans' Court.

Monday, July 29th, 1907.—David A. Circle, administrator of Lydia C. Circle, deceased, returned report of sale of personal property, and received order to transfer stock.

Howard P. Hull, administrator of Elizabeth C. Hull, deceased, returned inventory of personal property and money.

Letters of administration on the estate of Mary Jane Williams, deceased, granted unto Levi E. Williams, who received warrant to appraise, also order to notify creditors.

Irvin E. F. Wantz, executor of Michael J. Frock, deceased, returned inventory of personal property, and received order to sell wheat.

Letters of administration on the estate of Thomas E. Reese, deceased, granted unto Andrew D. Reese, who received warrant to appraise, also order to notify creditors.

Letters of administration on the estate of Margaret J. Knight, deceased, granted unto Lewis V. Smith, who received warrant to appraise, also order to notify creditors.

Howard P. Hull, as administrator of Elizabeth C. Hull, deceased, executrix of William Hull, deceased, settled her first and final account.

Tuesday, July 30th, 1907.—Letters of administration, d. b. n. c. t. a., on the estate of Jacob Fisher, deceased, granted unto John M. Roberts, who returned report of sale of leasehold property, and received order ni si thereon.

Josiah Englar, administrator of Lydia M. Englar, deceased, returned report of sale of personal property.

John Milton Reifsnider, John L. Reifsnider, Jr., and George R. Gehr, executors of John L. Reifsnider, deceased, returned inventory of money and additional inventory of debts.

Levi E. Williams, administrator of Mary Jane Williams, deceased, returned inventory of personal property.

Mary R. Tregellas, executrix of Joseph Tregellas, deceased, settled her first and final account.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

Mrs. Ella Clark.

Mrs. Ella Clark, widow of the late Adam Clark, died in Taneytown on Saturday evening last, at an advanced age. Mrs. Clark was a daughter of the late B. Shoemaker. Funeral services were held in the Reformed Church, Taneytown, and interment was in the church cemetery.

Mrs. Eurith Wagner.

Mrs. Eurith Wagner, wife of Mr. Henry Wagner, died at her home near Shipley, on Tuesday, in her 58th year. Her husband and six grown daughters survive her. Her remains were interred in the burial ground of Deer Park Chapel, M. P. Church, at Smallwood, after funeral services conducted by the pastor, Rev. E. O. Ewing, on Wednesday afternoon. The pall-bearers were: Messrs Frank Grimes, Richard R Owings, Andrew Polster, Edward Freyman, Elias G. Shipley and Grove J. Shipley. Mr. James M. Stoner was funeral director.

George C. H. Gunther.

Mr. George Cleveland Henry Gunther, a son of Mr. Henry Gunther, near this city, died at the residence of Mr. C. G. Hood, in Mt. Airy, on Saturday last, after an illness of ten months, at the age of 22 years, 2 months, 19 days. His father, mother, one brother and one sister, the last two of whom reside in Baltimore, survive him. His remains were brought to the home of his parents and funeral services were held on Tuesday, in Benjamin's Reformed Church. He was a member of St. Paul's Reformed Church, this city, and the pastor, Rev. Dr. C. S. Slagle, officiated at the funeral. Interment was in Benjamin's Cemetery. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. Harvey Leister, Wm. C. Bish, Wm. Kane, Lewis E. Hyle, Eugene McCafferv and James L. Stoner. Mr. Jas. M. Stoner, funeral director.

Harvey E. Weant.

Mr. Harvey E. Weant, a prominent and well known resident of Taneytown, died at his home in that place about 11 o'clock Sunday night, at the age of 39 years. His death was caused by disease of the heart. Mr. Weant was formerly engaged in merchandizing in Taneytown, but during the last two years had been engaged in the manufacture of bricks. He was an energetic, enterprising business man and a worthy citizen and enjoyed the respect of all who knew him. He was a member of the board of town commissioners and a director of the Birnie Trust Company and the Reindollar Company. He was a faithful and consistent member of the Lutheran Church. Politically he was a Democrat. He leaves a widow and one child; also one brother and five sisters —Edward O. Weant, Esq., Ex State's Attorney of this county; Mrs. Kemp, wife of Dr. Luther Kemp, of Uniontown; Mrs. M. A. Koons, of Taneytown; Mrs. F. J. Shorb, Misses Anna and Rhoda Weant, of Detour. His mother, widow of the late John W. Weant, of Detour, survives him. His funeral took place from the Lutheran Church in Taneytown, at 10 o'clock, Wednesday morning, the pastor, Rev. Wm. E. Wheeler, officiating, and was attended by an immense concourse of citizens. The floral tributes were so numerous that a wagon was loaded with them. Interment was in the Lutheran cemetery, adjacent to the town. The pall-bearers were Messrs. E. E. Reindollar, George H. Arnold, Walter Wilt, Arthur Combs, Daniel Garner and Chas. A. Elliott.

Mr. Weant's death was very sudden and unexpected, he having only been ill from 10 o'clock, Sunday morning.

For the Sentinel.

Mrs. Nancy Jane Blocher.

Seldom has the death of any one been so startling as was that of Mrs. Nancy Jane Blocher, of Littlestown Pa., who passed away Monday afternoon, July 22, at one o'clock, of septicemia. On Tuesday, July 16, Mrs. Blocher gave birth to a daughter and her untimely death has proved a profound sensation to her relatives and a large circle of friends. Willing and loving hands ministered to her during her illness and all that medical skill could do to conquer the disease which caused her death was employed to save her to her loved and loving ones, but without avail. She was a loving wife and a devoted mother and will be greatly missed by her young husband, Geraldine, a daughter of four summers, and an infant, all of whom have the sincere sympathy of the entire community in their grief. The funeral took place Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock, with services at the house, Rev. Carl Mumford officiating, after which her body was borne to Mt. Carmel where it was tenderly laid to rest in that beautiful and Hallowed "God's Acre," amid tears, flowers and in the presence of friends. The beautiful day did not take away the sorrow, nor the flowers the tears. Sadness rested like a pall upon everyone present, lighted only by the reflection that though so early doomed to death she has only passed its portal to enter upon eternal life. Our loss is her gain. Nancy Jane Blocher was aged 21 years and 3 months and was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Izer, of North Queen Street, Littlestown, who, with her sisters, Misses Flora and Maggie Izer, and brothers, Mr. Walter and Master Stewart Izer, mourn the loss of an obedient and dutiful daughter and a kind and affectionate sister, together with a large circle of friends who mourn the loss of a kind friend.

A large number of floral pieces was contributed by relatives and friends. These beautiful pieces covered her casket. The young husband is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Absalon Fuhrman, near this city.

Female College Transferred.

The Salisbury, N. C., Evening Post, of the 23rd ult., says: "Claremont Female College at Hickory, which has been under the control of individuals, has passed to the Reformed Synod of North Carolina and will in the future be under the control of this body. Dr. W. B. Duttera, of Salisbury, becomes president, and Prof. J. H. Kellar, of the faculty of Mt. Amoena Seminary, dean of the new institution under the new order of things. Prof. Kellar will continue at Mt. Amoena, for the year, however, in fulfillment of a contract, and will not formally become the head of Claremont until the fall of 1908.

"Dr. Duttera stated today that many improvements are to be made on the property. The main building is to be entirely overhauled and an electric light and steam heating plant are to be installed.

"Claremont has a splendid history and it is proposed by those in authority to place it among the leading female institutions of learning in the State.

"The institution will be opened for the next year on the 17th of September.

"Dr. Duttera's election as president will not interfere with his work here. He will continue to serve his local pastorate, as but a proportionately small part of his time will be required at Hickory."

Dr. Duttera is a native of Taneytown and a son of Mr. Maurice C. Duttera, of that place. He is a graduate of Pennsylvania College, at Gettysburg. The college referred to in the article from the Evening Post, has been transferred to the North Carolina Classis of the Reformed Church.

New Windsor Items.

Quite an interesting game of baseball was played here on Saturday afternoon last by the Hamiltons of Baltimore and the home team. Score 9 to 2 in favor of New Windsor.

On Thursday last the New Windsor baseball team returned the New Market game. The scores were 9 to 4 in favor of New Windsor.

On this, Saturday, afternoon, a game is billed between the Frederick County Stars and the home club.

The Misses Roop, on "Quality Hill," have improved their house by having it painted.

Mrs. Utz, of Washington, D. C., is visiting Mrs. Elizabeth Wilson.

A number of persons from this vicinity attended the farmers picnic at Taneytown on Saturday last.

A number of persons along Sam's Creek took the train from here on Thursday morning to spend the day at Pen-Mar.

Mr. Kelso Anders, of Baltimore, spent Sunday last here with his father and sisters.

Mr. W. Wagner, of Baltimore, is spending his vacation with friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lantz entertained the Mite Society of the M. E. Church at their home on Monday evening last. There were about 95 guests present. An interesting program was rendered, after which refreshments were served.

Misses Lona Bankerd and Ethel Lantz are visiting friends at Walkersville.

Misses Marion Armour and Fannie Dillehunt, of Baltimore, who have been visiting friends here for the past two weeks, returned home on Wednesday.

Mr. Walter R. Rudy, of Mt. Airy, spent Thursday with Mr. C. Gilbert.

Mrs. Philip B. Snader gave a porch social at her home on Saturday evening last for the benefit of the carpet fund of the M. E. Church.

Uniontown Items.

Mrs. Clara Baust Crabbs, son Wm. Crabbs and Miss Nellie Crabbs, of Union Bridge, spent Sunday with Mrs. Crabbs' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Baust, and family.

Mrs. Alice Shugh Brough, of Union Bridge, visited friends in town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar D. Wilson, of Denver, Col., spent a week as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. H. Routson and family.

Mrs. William Segafoose and Mr. Guy Segafoose and family visited Mrs. Leanna Zile and family, on Sunday, at Winfield.

Mrs. Harriet Seilhammer, of Lancaster City, Pa., spent the week in town visiting friends.

Mrs. Thomas Shriner, of Baltimore, visited her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Obadiah Fleagle, during the past week.

Miss Elizabeth Sittig and Miss Denie Sittig have returned home from Baltimore, on account of the illness of their mother, Mrs. Charles Sittig.

The Lutheran Sunday School will picnic, August 17, in the grove at Winter's Church.

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mering entertained Mrs. S. L. McCabe and daughters, of Rock Island, Ill.; Mr. John Mering and son, of Great Bend, Ind.; Mrs. Charles Mering and son, of Baltimore, and Misses Alexana, Clara and Bessie Mering, of Clear Ridge.

Mrs. Frederick Peoples, of Baltimore, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weaver from Sunday until Tuesday evening.

Misses Christianna and Hildah Hite shew returned to their home in Baltimore on Tuesday.

Mrs. Wade Hampton Cummings and son Courtney, of Tilghman, are visiting Mrs. Cummings' mother, Mrs. R. J. Mathias.

Mrs. Annie Shaw Hoyt, of Hanover, Pa., is visiting her nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. William Shaw, and family.

Dr. and Mrs. Luther Kemp attended the funeral of Mrs. Kemp's brother, Mr. Harry E. Weant, in Taneytown, on Wednesday. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved families.

While Hugh Hiltebidle was helping on the farm of Mr. Daniel Diehl, to haul in grain, the grain began to slip off the wagon and in assisting to keep it on, the pole slipped and struck him on the head cutting a deep gash in the temple and knocking out an eyetooth. His injuries became so painful he was compelled to stop work.

Mr. Joseph Dingle and son Benjamin went to Buena Vista on Wednesday, to visit Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Moore and family.

Mrs. Harlem