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LOCAL ITEMS.

The public schools of this county will open for the fall term, on Monday, 16th inst.

Mr. Murray Dodrer has taken the position of night engineer and watchman at the college.

Barlow & Wilson's minstrels had a crowded house at Odd Fellows' Hall, this city, on Monday night.

Judge Wm. H. Thomas, of this city, attended the Howard County Court at Ellicott City, this week.

Numbers of Sunday School celebrations and picnics were held in this county on Saturday last.

Mrs. Elmer E. Hoppe has sold her house and lot, on the Manchester road, near Cranberry Station, to Mr. Wm. F. Hunter.

Numbers of farmers in this vicinity are hauling lime received over the Western Maryland railroad during the past week.

The season at Pen-Mar Park will close on Sunday, September 15th, a much earlier date for closing than in former years.

The Hotel Albion, this city, has been reopened by Mr. Branzell, formerly proprietor of the First National Restaurant.

Mr. Ober S., Son of Mr. F. K. Herr, has taken a position as clerk in the banking house of Messrs. Wm. B. Thomas & Son, this city.

The canning factories in this county are now generally very busy packing corn and incidentally give employment to a large number of people.

Mr. Jno. D. Bowers, of this city, moved this week to the property recently purchased by him from Mr. J. H. Handley, on Belle Grove Square.

Mr. Chas. E. Cootes, of this city, raised four tomatoes in his garden, this season, which weighed 5½ pounds. They were of the Ponderosa variety.

On the 16th and 17th inst., the City Council will sit for the purpose of making transfers and abatements. Tax payers should not forget the dates.

Today's SENTINEL contains the advertisement of a number of fine farms, to be offered at public sale, which should be read by prospective purchasers.

Prof. W. S. Crouse, formerly of this city, has been appointed principal of the grammar department of the Rockville High School, succeeding Samuel A. Lehman, resigned.

Mrs. G. M. Jarman, of Baltimore, who was heretofore engaged in millinery work in this city, and is recognized as an expert in the occupation, has returned here as the head milliner of the Miller Bros. Company.

The open season for squirrels in this county began on the 1st inst., and hunters are after them. Not many have been bagged, it is said, as, though numerous, they are, for some reason, unusually shy.

During the month of August 54 deeds, 16 mortgages, 2 bills of sale and 1 certificate of incorporation were received for record at the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court, and 19 marriage licenses were issued.

On Sunday last, Mr. David E. Walsh, of this city, drove to Soldiers Delight, Baltimore county, where his valuable driving horse was taken sick with colic and died within an hour. Mr. Walsh had refused an offer of $250 for the animal.

The fifth annual fair, tournament and horse show, given by the farmer's of the adjoining counties, Frederick, Carroll, Howard and Montgomery, is being held today at Wildwood Park, near Mt. Airy, and will be continued tomorrow.

Col. S. K. Herr has contracted with Mr. Edward Martin, of Taneytown district, to erect the new barn which is to take the place of the one recently destroyed by fire caused by lightning. The structure will be a fine one.

Mr. Edgar Flickinger, for sometime past clerk in Mr. Wm. N. Keefer's store, this city, has accepted a position as traveling salesman with Swift & Co, of Chicago. Mr. Thos. S. Little, has taken the place in Mr. Keefer's store vacated by Mr. Flickinger.

The members of Co. H, First Regiment Infantry, Md. National Guard, Capt. John N. Weigle, of this city, are getting new dress uniforms and will wear them for the first time during the parade of the State Militia, in Baltimore, October 12, in Home-Coming week.

"Old Defenders' Day," September 12, which is a legal holiday in Baltimore, has, by authority of law been declared a legal holiday for the present year, throughout the whole State, by Governor Warfield. Banks and county offices will be closed on that day.

Messrs. John P. Myers and Sylvester Mathias, executors of Mrs. Mary Ann Myers, sold at public sale, on Saturday last, in Union Mills, the real estate of the deceased, consisting of 14¼ acres of land, with improvements, to Mr. T. Herbert Shriver, for $800. At the same time all the personal property was sold at fair prices.

As previously advertised in the AMERICAN SENTINEL, Mr. Charles W. King's public sale of cows and heifers was held, on Saturday last, on John street, this city. The sale, conducted by Mr. J. Thomas Roop, auctioneer, was well attended and good prices were realized. Twenty five cows were sold at an average price of $44.50. The highest price was $58 00, and the lowest, $16 50. Thirteen heifers averaged $20 75, the highest price paid being $30.50 and the lowest $12.50.

Messrs. James S. Baer, of Tannery; Reuben N. Conaway, of Winfield; W. S. Drach, of New Windsor; T. J. Hunt and John W. Gill, of Hampstead, and other members of the G. A. R., of this county, will attend the National Encampment of the order, at Saratoga, N. Y., from the 9th to the 14th inst. Maryland, it is expected, will have a large representation at the encampment. More than 200, including veterans, friends and members of the Woman's Relief Corps, which latter organization will hold a national convention at Saratoga during the encampment, will leave Baltimore by special train over the Baltimore Ohio Railroad, for Saratoga, on Sunday morning next.

Farmers in this county, it is said, generally have their ground prepared for fall seeding, which is now about at hand.

The only recognition of Labor Day, Monday last, in this city, was the suspension of business by the banks and public offices.

The concert of the First Regiment Band, on the veranda of the old City Hotel, East Main street, this city, on Sunday, attracted a considerable crowd of interested listeners.

On the 27th ult. Mr. Francis Williams sold at public sale 11¼ acres, with dwelling house and other improvements, in the village of Mayberry, to Mr. Edward Dutterer for $1217.

Several thousand dollars will come to this county to U. S. pensioners who forwarded their vouchers to the pension department this week for the quarter's payment due on Wednesday, 4th inst.

While Mr. Joshua Ditman was driving near Spring Mills on Wednesday afternoon, his wagon was struck by lightning and one of the hind wheels broken to pieces. No other damage was done and no one was injured.

Mr. Wm. N. Sellman, of this city, who was graduated from Western Maryland College, class of '07, left on Monday for De Soto, Mo., to become the principal of the High School at that place. He is a promising young man and has many friends whose best wishes for his success accompany him.

Western Maryland College will begin the fall session of its forty-first year, Wednesday, 18th inst., with a large attendance of students. During the summer vacation many improvements have been made about the buildings. The interior of most of them have been repainted and no effort spared to make the college attractive in appearance and comfortable for the students.

Miss Katharine Slagle, of this city, sang a solo at the concert of the Frederick Maennerchor, in the Town Hall, Thurmont, last Friday night and has been highly complimented for her contribution to the entertainment. The *Catoctin Clarion* says "her rendition of 'The Flower Song from Faust' was fine," and that many persons were surprised "by the great advance she has made since they last heard her."

Mr. Charles L. Thomson, who has become the proprietor of the First National restaurant in this city, is having it repaired in excellent and attractive style and will open it to the public tomorrow and will conduct it as a hotel as well as restaurant. The amusement hall, heretofore an adjunct of the establishment, will be dispensed with and the comfort of guests promoted in every way possible.

Vehicles of Westminster manufacture again took the lead at the Timonium Fair, this year. Messrs. Herr & Babylon exhibited four vehicles and took first premium on three of the four—runabout, depot wagon and Germantown. Messrs. John E. Eckenrode & Son took first premium on trap and second on surrey and on runabout. Mr. John Arthur, of Manchester, took first premiums on buggy and surrey and second on buggy.

Stock feeds of all kinds have advanced in price in this locality and elsewhere. Corn is selling at $4 per barrel and oats at 70 cents per bushel in this city. Bran and other feeds of that character are also unusually high priced. In the Baltimore markets corn, in carload lots, is quoted at $3.75 per barrel, and oats at 57½ cents, these being the highest figures for goods of the best grade.

According to the almanac-makers the autumnal equinox will occur shortly before midnight of the 23rd inst., and the days and nights in this latitude will be equal on that date, when the sun will rise at 6 in the morning and set at 6 in the evening. This will be true by actual time but railroad time, which now controls, varies between 6 and 7 minutes from almanac time. The sun, therefore, on the 23rd inst., will not rise until after 6.06 in the morning and set that much later in the evening.

Mr. Clarence Stoner, manager of Mr. Howard E. Koontz's dairy, this city, is suffering severely from an apparently very trifling injury. In tying a package, one day last week, the colored thread used cut the second finger on his right hand slightly. The wound healed promptly, but subsequently the finger became much swollen, has caused him much pain, and he is confined to bed. Dr. M. L. Bott, who is attending him, lanced the finger in two places on Wednesday.

At its regular meeting this week Western Maryland Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., this city, which will present a Bible and Flag to Friendship school, at Fenby, tomorrow, decided to start from the lodge room in Odd Fellows' Hall, for the scene of the presentation, at 6 P. M. In addition to the presentation ceremony a fine drill will be given by the degree team. We are requested to say that the presence of all members of the council is desired on the occasion.

A stock company having been organized for the publication of the AMERICAN SENTINEL, the receivers who took charge of it upon the death of Mrs. Emily J. Rippard, February 10, 1905, will turn over the paper to the company on the 14th inst. The receivers, in an advertisement published on the first page of this issue, request all persons in arrears for subscription during the receivership, to make prompt payment, as they are officers of the court and are required to make such collections and report the same without delay. See their advertisement on first page.

Mrs. John Lawrence Reifsnider, of this city, has announced the engagement of her daughter, M. Louise, to Lieut. Richard Bennett Creecy, U. S. M. C. Miss Reifsnider made her debut at the Bachelors' Cotillion, Baltimore, about three years ago, and is well known among the younger set in that city, where she has spent several winters as the guest of her cousins, Mrs. J. Winfield Henry and Mrs. Dulin, of 107 West Monument street. Lieutenant Creecy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Creecy, of Ilchester, Howard county, formerly of Washington, D. C., and has lately returned from three years' duty in the Phillipines.

Divorced and Married the Same Day.

Laura V. Brown, of this city, secured from the Circuit Court, through her attorney, Ivan L. Hoff, Esq., a decree granting her an absolute divorce from her husband Arthur Brown, on Tuesday last, and the same day was married to Milton A. Harden, also of this city. The parties are colored people.

Winfield Academy.

Winfield Academy, at Winfield, this county, will begin its fall term on Monday, 23rd inst., with an increased number of students and prospects of a successful year. The eleventh catalogue of the institution, which has been printed at this office, outlines an admirable curriculum. Following is the faculty:

George A. Steele, Ph. D., Principal, English, History, Natural Sciences, Mathematics, Languages.
Edwin DeWitt Cronk, M. D., Anatomy, Physiology and Hygiene.
Rev. G. C. Harris, Ethics.
Addie Bair, Piano and Organ.
Ambrose Streaker, Voice.

Tennis Day of the Westminster Country Club.

Monday last was Tennis Day of the Westminster Country Club and its court was the scene of numerous interesting events, which resulted as follows:

Babylon and Frank Mather defeated Messrs. Mardick and Carroll Shunk, 6, 2—6, 1.

Dr. Shreeve and Gehr defeated Messrs. Edwards and T. W. Mather, Jr., 6, 2—6, 2.

Cover and Babylon defeated Shunk and Armacost, 6, 1—6, 2.

Misses Lewis and Slagle defeated Misses Gehr and Albaugh, 6, 3—2, 6—6, 1.

Shreeve and Mardick defeated Edwards and F. Mather, 6, 4—6, 2.

Gehr and T. W. Mather, Jr., defeated Cover and Armacost, 6, 5—6, 5.

Miss Albaugh and George Armacost defeated Miss Lewis and T. W. Mather, Jr., 2, 6—6, 3—6, 2.

A Family Reunion.

The home of Mrs. Eva Gilbert, Pennsylvania avenue, this city, was the scene of an interesting and enjoyable family reunion on Monday last, when among her descendants present were her sons, Messrs. Wm. E. Gilbert, of Washington, D. C., and John W. Gilbert, of Baltimore, and their families; her daughters, Mrs. Michael F. Hann, and her husband and family, of this city; Misses Mary and Agnes Gilbert, at home. Miss Kate Seltzer, of Baltimore, and Miss Joe Hann, of this city, were also guests on the occasion, and nine of Mrs. Gilbert's grandchildren were present. An elegant and sumptuous dinner was served and a very happy time enjoyed by the venerable hostess and all others present on the occasion.

Council Proceedings.

At the meeting of the Mayor and Common Council on Monday night it was decided that, as Salem Lodge, I. O. O. F., declined to deed to the city ten feet of its lot running back to the alley in its rear, the proposition of Mr. Joseph B. Boyle to deed the city ten feet of his holding between the alley and Green street, upon the condition that the municipal authorities would lay and maintain a paved walk thereon, could not be accepted. But it was further decided to construct an ash walk along the alley between Main and Green streets. It need hardly be said that the Mayor and Council might acquire the necessary title to the Odd Fellows' strip of land, required for the purpose indicated, by condemnation, if it be not already, by prescription, a public thoroughfare, having been so used, without interruption, for fifty years or more.

The street commissioner was ordered to have all trees trimmed which obstruct the light from the arc street lamps.

Deposits in Carroll County Banks and Deposit and Trust Companies.

The deposits in the banks and Deposit and Trust Companies of this county have been increasing with gratifying rapidity during the last year or two and, at the close of business on the 22nd ult., amounted to $4,707,688.16. They were placed as follows:

First National Bank of Sykesville	$ 13,377.35
First National Bank of New Windsor	111,878.13
Farmers and Mechanics National Bank of Westminster	160,307.67
First National Bank of Mount Airy	192,080.26
Sykesville National Bank	230,963.33
Union National Bank of Westminster	291,979.27
First National Bank of Westminster	371,349.32
Total deposits subject to check	$1,371,935.33
Carroll County Savings Bank, Uniontown	145,422.95
Taneytown Savings Bank	154,797.64
Manchester Bank	259,012.56
Hampstead Bank	270,286.20
Union Bridge Banking and Trust Company	352,552.33
Birnie Trust Company, Taneytown	503,894.64
Westminster Deposit and Trust Company	619,490.27
Westminster Savings Bank	1,030,296.24
Total	$4,707,688.16

Interesting Story of a Prison.

Mrs. C. Robert Miller, of Baltimore, who was Miss Sadie Kneller, formerly of this city, is a great traveller and a contributor by pen and camera to Leslie's Weekly. Her most recent work in this line is an illustrated description of the great federal prison in course of erection at Leavenworth, Kansas, the largest in the United States. This prison, she says, was begun in 1898 and will take several years to finish, 965 prisoners being engaged in its construction. With a reservation of 740 acres, 160 under cultivation, the wall surrounding the building enclosing 16½ acres, it can readily be seen that an institution of this size is of colossal proportions and will take considerable time. Mrs. Miller gives a vivid account of the prison and its workings, the discipline and the prisoners, the prison, she says, being like a model town, which the officers expect to make self-supporting. The sanitary and hospital arrangements are of the best, and the food, while not pampering the palate, wholesome and plenty, while the physical, mental and moral needs of the convicts receive ample attention, an instance being a library of 8,000 volumes. Mrs. Miller mentioned seeing at work in the laundry at the time of her visit William January, whose case lately excited much sympathetic interest all over the country, leading to his pardon eventually by the President. A short account is added of the warden, Major McClaughry, a veteran of the Civil War, whose conduct of the prison is warmly praised. He was the first man to introduce the Bertillon system in state prisons, and also introduced finger print mode of identification at Leavenworth. The article is profusely illustrated with Mrs. Miller's own photographs.

Killed In Baltimore.

On Sunday night last, about 9 30 o'clock, Mrs. Katie Myers, of Baltimore, was killed under circumstances strange and up to this time not fully explained. The event is of interest here by reason of the fact that Mrs. Myers is the wife of Henry Myers, son of Mr. Jonathan Myers, of John St., this city, and Chas. E. Troyer, who is under arrest, charged with causing her death, formerly resided with his parents at the coal chute, Cranberry.

The statements of witnesses as to the circumstances of her death are conflicting and contradictory, but it is clear that it was the result of a quarrel and fight between her husband and Troyer.

Mrs. Myers was sitting on the steps in front of her home, when her husband returned from "down on the shore" where he had been crabbing all day Sunday. Myers' little daughter Clara, aged 10 years, says that Troyer, who lives near, followed her father to the sidewalk in front of his home and began the quarrel, and the two men engaged in a pitched battle, in which Myers was being worsted, when Mrs. Myers stepped in between the fighting men. The child declared that she saw Troyer strike the blow that felled her mother to the ground.

At the inquest, other witnesses testified that Troyer was in front of his own home when Mrs. Myers fell to the ground, and that no one was near her at the time except her own husband. Myers himself stated that he did not know whether Troyer struck his wife, that he had been stricken unconscious by a blow from Troyer, and when he recovered his wife was lying on the pavement dead.

The verdict of the coroner's jury did not connect Troyer with the woman's death, but he was held by the police authorities, charged with the killing, for hearing before Justice White. Yesterday Troyer was committed for Court, in default of bail, which was fixed at $1000.

The body of Mrs. Myers was brought to this city, on Wednesday, and, after funeral services at the Meadow Branch German Baptist Church, conducted by Elder Uriah Bixler, was buried in the cemetery near the church. Mr. Jas. M. Stoner was the funeral director.

For the Sentinel.

A birthday social gathering was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Winter, near New Windsor, on September 1st, 1907, in honor of Mr. Winter's 69th birthday. A fine time was had by all present, and Mr. and Mrs. Winter each received a number of useful and handsome presents including a pair of fine gold glasses to each of them. A bountiful dinner was served, to which all did full justice. Those present were: Wm. Winter and wife, Luther Winter, wife and three children, Charles Haines, wife and five children, Ernest Winter, wife and three children, Charles, Cora and Earl Pittinger, of Dennings; D. W. Engleman and wife, Charles Euker and wife, Misses Mary F. Winter, Mary Taubenhein, Mary Connelly and Pearl Engleman, Messrs. Chas. Engleman, Lawrence Engleman, Earl Engleman and Earl Euker, all of Baltimore; O. P. Fowble and wife, Mrs. E. Zepp and daughter, Charles B. H. Winter, Mahlon S. Lambert, Roy B. Dickensheets and Smelser Brown, of New Windsor.

Special Meeting of Classis.

A special meeting of the Maryland Classis of the Reformed Church was held in St. Paul's Reformed Church of this city, Tuesday, 3rd inst., at which the following business was transacted:

The report of the committee appointed to organize another congregation in Baltimore was received and confirmed.

The invitation from the Cavetown congregation in Washington county to entertain the Classis at the next annual session was accepted and Wednesday, May 13th, 1908, at 2 P. M., was appointed as the time of meeting.

The pastoral relation between Rev. B. R. Carnahan and the Mt. Moriah charge, Keedysville, was dissolved and a call to Rev. Carnahan from the Mt. Pleasant charge, in Frederick county, was confirmed. Revs. C. N. Motter, S. S. Miller and J. J. Schaeffer were appointed as a committee of installation of Rev. Carnahan, and Revs. J. S. Kieffer, D. D., G. W. Snider and C. N. Motter were appointed as a committee of supply for the Mt. Moriah charge.

The ministers and elders present at the meeting were Revs. J. S. Hartman, Silver Run; Lloyd Coblentz, Baltimore; Martin Schweitzer, Union Bridge; C. Clever, D. D., Hagerstown; Rev. Ranck, of Baltimore; Revs. C. S. Slagle and J. B. Stonesifer, of this city; Elders Wm. J. Brown, of Silver Run; Barnhart, of Mt. Pleasant; Harry Little, W. H. H. Zepp, of this city, and others.

WEDDING BELLS.

Lippy-Myers.

Mrs. Marian M. Myers, daughter of Mr. George Everhart, of Manchester, and Mr. George E. Lippy, of this city, were married at the parsonage of Trinity Reformed Church, in the former place, on Saturday evening last. The marriage ceremony was performed by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Thos. S. Land, and Mr. and Mrs. Lippy came at once to the home of the groom in this city. The marriage was something of a surprise to the numerous friends of the parties, who wish them, sincerely, long and happy married lives.

Bercaw-Witherow.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. W. Witherow, near Taneytown, was the scene of a quiet but interesting nuptial event on Tuesday, 3rd inst. The bride was Miss Daisy Margaret Witherow, their daughter, and the groom Mr. J. E. Bercaw, of Monroe, Ohio. The marriage ceremony was performed by the bride's pastor, Rev. D. J. Wolf, of the Reformed Church, Taneytown. Only the immediate family of the bride was present. The bride was attired in a gown of white French mousseline, with gloves and slippers to match. The groom wore the conventional black with white gloves and tie. After the ceremony a wedding dinner was served. Mr. and Mrs. Bercaw left by an afternoon train for their home at Monroe, Ohio.

Feeser-Bemiller.

At the home the officiating minister, on the evening of Sept. 1st., occurred a very pretty wedding. The contracting parties were Miss Emma R. Bemiller, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Bemiller, of near Pleasant Valley, and Mr. Milton H. Feeser, of Union Mills. The ceremony was performed by Elder W. E. Roop in the usual impressive manner of the German Baptist Brethren Church. The bride was becomingly attired in a handsome suit of blue silk. The groom wore the conventional black. The maid of honor was Miss Mary E. Bemiller, sister of the bride, and the best man, Mr. John E. Study, of Pleasant Valley. Mr. and Mrs. Bemiller will reside in Union Mills.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

Miles B. Grogg.

Mr. Miles B. Grogg, of Hampstead, died at his home in that place on Tuesday, aged 59 years. Mr. Grogg was a well known farmer. He was a member of the M. E. Church and a Republican, and was a son of the late David and Mary Grogg, of Hampstead. He leaves a widow and family of grown children. His funeral took place from the home at 10 o'clock this morning.

Mrs. Margaret Miller.

Mrs. Margaret Miller, 70 years old, widow of Thomas Miller, died Sunday afternoon at her home at Berean, Baltimore county. She was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Mount Carmel and a daughter of Elijah Benson, of White House. Her children are Mrs. George Hoshall, of Shamburg; Mrs. Wilbur Harmon, of Palmyra, N. J.; Mrs. Harvey Murray, of Hampstead; Miss Ada Miller and Messsrs. Edward and Herbert Miller, of Berean. Mr. J. Wesley Benson, of Glyndon, and Mr. Melchoir Benson, of Berean, are her brothers. There are 14 grandchildren.

Dr. S. B. Southerland Dead.

Dr. Silas Bruce Southerland, the oldest Methodist Protestant clergyman, is dead. His death occurred yesterday morning, at the Union Protestant Infirmary, Baltimore, after an operation for appendicitis. Dr. Southerland was born in Prince Georges county, Md., in 1816. He was one of the incorporators of Western Maryland College, and from 1877 to 1881 pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church of this city. Having filled every position of honor that could be conferred upon him by his conference and served as pastor of its most important churches, he retired from the active pastorate in 1885. Two sons and three daughters survive him—Messrs Clarence Southerland, of Wilmington, Del., and Bruce Southerland, of Baltimore; Misses Alice and Mary Southerland, and Mrs. Margaret Topham, of Washington. The SENTINEL hopes to give a more extended account of his life and labors next week.

Mrs. Frances O. Wilson.

Mrs. Frances O. Wilson, widow of the late Rev. Dr. David Wilson, an eminent clergyman of the M. P. Church, and chaplain U. S. A., died this morning, at the home of Mr. Thomas H. Routson, in Uniontown, aged 68 years, 5 months, 23 days. Mrs. Wilson was a daughter of the late John and Mary Smith, of Uniontown. She was married to Dr. Wilson, December 12, 1872, and by the marriage three daughters and one son survive—Mrs. James C. Ord, of Chevy Chase, near Washington; Mrs. Joseph C. Byron, of Hagerstown; Mrs. Joseph P. Hampson, of the City of Mexico, Mexico, and D. Edgar Wilson, Esq., a prominent member of the Denver, Col., bar, all of whom were present at their mother's deathbed. Mrs. Wilson was a most estimable and devoted Christian lady and was held in the highest regard by all who knew her. Her funeral will take place at 2 o'clock, Sunday afternoon, from the home of Mr. Thomas H. Routson, and her remains will be interred beside those of her deceased husband, in the Methodist Protestant Church Cemetery, Uniontown.

James B. Reifsnider.

This bright and promising lad, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Milton Reifsnider, of this city, died at the Maryland University Hospital, Baltimore, about half-past 7 o'clock, last Sunday evening, after having undergone an operation for intestinal obstruction or entanglement. His illness was brief and his death very sudden. He was taken sick while eating breakfast on Saturday morning and received prompt medical attention, but grew worse and on Sunday morning was taken to the hospital by his father and mother. The little fellow was much weakened by intense pain, but the only hope of saving his life lay in the performance of the operation, and this proved ineffectual. His remains were brought home on Monday morning and funeral services held at Ascension Episcopal Church on Tuesday morning, by the rector, Rev. Dr. F. M. Gibson; interment in Westminster Cemetery. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. Howell, Robert and Smith Billingslea, Lawrence Wroth, Wm. and Robert Shriver. Mr. Frank C. Sharrer was funeral director. It is almost superfluous to add that sympathy for the bereaved parents and family in their great sorrow is deep and general. Something of this feeling was manifested in the extent and beauty of the floral contributions.

Mrs Eurith Roop.

Mrs. Eurith Roop, one of the oldest residents of the county, died in Uniontown, this morning, in her 88th year. The funeral will take place on Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

Uniontown Items.

Mrs. Elizabeth Davis has a bed of coleus that is worthy of mention. A lady of travel said she had never seen in the city, nor of hot house culture, anything to surpass it, for variety of coloring, or perfection. In a word "a thing of beauty."

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mumford and son Norman, of Fairmount, W. Va., were guests of Mrs. Mumford's brother and family during the week, Mr. and Mrs. John Stuller.

Mrs. Joseph Hampson, and children, of Mexico City, Mex., and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Wilson of Denver, Col., arrived here on Thursday evening, having been summoned by telegraph on account of the serious illness of Mrs. Frances Smith Wilson, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Routson. Mrs. Hampson and Mr. Wilson are children of Mrs. Wilson.

On Saturday morning Mrs. Lousia Sittig, wife of Mr. Charles Sittig, died, aged 60 years, after weeks of a lingering illness, produced by a paralytic stroke. She leaves a husband, three daughters, Misses Elizabeth, Minnie and Denie Sittig, and one son, Arthur Sittig. She was a true, solicitous, tender-hearted, christian mother, a loving wife and a kind hearted neighbor, ever ready to relieve any suffering, speak the word of consolation, do the kind act. She will be much missed by family, neighbors and her church association. Her funeral took place Monday afternoon, services in the Lutheran Church by her pastor, Rev. G. W. Baughman, interment in Winter's Church Cemetery. Miss Nellie Parkhurst, of Ohio, sang a solo, "A Little While," very sweetly and affectingly. Pallbearers were: Messrs. John Clingan, George Lambert, John Stoner, Habanas Bowers, Charles Reindollar, Aaron Plowman; H. H. Weaver, undertaker.

Mrs. Clara Baust Crabbs, Miss Nellie Crabbs, and Miss Stella Hollenberger, of Union Bridge, were guests of the first named's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Baust, on Monday, Miss Nellie remaining longer.

Mr. Edward G. Cover, of Easton, Md., was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cover, a few days during the week.

George Diehl, who was visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Bankard, returned to his home in Hagerstown on Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Ogg Smith, of New Windsor, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Routson's during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Erb entertained the Methodist Protestant Mite Society on Tuesday night. After the business meeting was dismissed the hospitable host and hostess served refreshments.

Miss Nellie Weaver returned to her school of training in Franklin Square Hospital, Baltimore, on Friday. Her sister Miss Loretta Weaver, accompanied her and will visit her grandma Martin and aunt, Miss Virginia Martin.

Mrs. Susan Gore Harbaugh, of New York, is the guest of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Hollenberry.

Mrs. Edward Hawn and daughter, and Mrs. Charles Black, of Pleasant Valley, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Baust, on Wednesday.

The executive committee of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Eldership of the Church of God met on Tuesday at Rev. V. K. Betts at Carrollton. Mrs. Joseph Dingel of our village is a member and was present and presided, in absence of the president, who was sick and could not be in attendance.

Miss Alverta Stuller is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nelson, Keysville.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Wilson, of Denver, Col. are visiting, Mr. W's. mother, who is critically ill.

Miss Marie Kerner, of Baltimore, was the guest of Mrs. Nevin Hiteshew, this week.

Union Bridge Items.

On last Thursday the Union Bridge Farmers' Club held its monthly meeting at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Wolfe, on South Main street. The president, Daniel Wolfe, occupied the chair, and Miss Haines, in the absence of the secretary, acted as secretary protem. The roll was called, the minutes of the previous meeting read and approved, and, after brief discussion of several subjects of interest to the club, all present were delightfully entertained with instrumental and vocal music, etc. The next meeting of the club is to be at the residence of the Misses Wolfe, one mile south of Union Bridge. About 5 o'clock the members of the club and invited guests were shown into the two large dining rooms where they sat down to a sumptuous and elaborate dinner. The keen enjoyment of this part of the exercises on the part of all spoke more highly than words can do of the culinary art of those who prepared this "feast of fat things."

Among those who were so fortunate as to be present, either as members of the club or invited guests, were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Sayler, Mr. and Mrs. Pemberton Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fuss, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ebbert, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Flickinger, Rev. and Mrs. B. F. Clarkson, Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Straw, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Nichols, of Baltimore; Mr. Elsie Miller, of Philadelphia, Pa.; the Misses Haines, Miss Flickinger, the Misses Wolfe, Mr. Frank Englar, Mr. Reese Metcalf, Mr. Frank Sayler, Mrs. Margaret Ensor, son and daughter, Miss Catherine Fleagle.

Mrs. Emily Norris entertained at dinner a number of her friends from Baltimore and Union Bridge on last Wednesday evening. It goes without saying that the dinner was greatly enjoyed by all, as were also the other social features of the occasion. The residence of Mrs. Norris and her brother, Mr. Scott Clemson, is one of the most palatial in our vicinity.

A number of our Union Bridge folks spent a delightful day last Tuesday with Mr. Ed. Baker and family, near Unionville, Frederick county.

Rev's. Bregenzer and Clarkson, of our town, were speakers at the Keysville picnic on last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Smith, of Baltimore, are visiting at the M. E. parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Miller, of Philadelphia, are visiting at the home of Mr. Joseph Wolfe.

The fall term of the M. C. I. opened on last Tuesday, and the sound of the school-bell is once more heard on the ambient air.

Rev. B. F. Clarkson is announced to preach next Sunday at Middleburg at 10.30 a. m., Double Pipe Creek Church at 3 p. m., and at Union Bridge at 7.30 p. m. Revival services are to be held at the old Stone Church, Double Pipe Creek, early in October.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nelson have departed for their home in Ohio.

Mr. Robert Craine left our town on last Tuesday for his home in Altoona, Pa.

For the Sentinel.

A Pleasant Surprise.

A very enjoyable surprise party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Flickinger, near Union Mills, on Thursday evening, Aug. 29, in honor of their daughter, Miss Cora A. Flickinger. The guests began to arrive about 8 o'clock, and games and music were indulged in until a late hour, when refreshments were served in abundance. Then all left for their homes, having enjoyed the evening very well. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Flickinger, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Reese, Mr. and Mrs. George Myers, Misses Mary Bemiller, Mary Copenhaver, May Lippy, Cora Flickinger, Mary Frock, Jennie Cover, Mary Brown, Emma Frock, Rosie Warner, Nettie Flickinger, Clara Morelock, Elva Koontz, Lila Reese, Lillie Bemiller, Naomi Myers, Esta Wantz, Hilda Reese, Nellie Reese, Messrs. John Study, Clarence Smeak, Levi Flickinger, William Brown, Oscar Dell, Wesley Yingling, Oscar Brown, Gruver Morelock, Dennis Dell, Roy Myerly, William Earhart, Murray Myers, William Humbert, Oliver Dutterow, Clayton Myers, Clayton Wantz, John King, Clemington Reese and Wesley Reese.

For the Sentinel.

Is Westminster Getting A Square Deal.

Citizens of Westminster are inclined to feel proud of their High School. This is because they judge by results, never stopping to think that if such good work is accomplished under the disadvantages apparent to any casual observer much better work would result from improved conditions. Much has been done under the present administration but the constant increase in the number of pupils and the very improvements already inaugurated now necessitate more and an enlargement of the teaching force. Last year the school had 440 pupils enrolled and 8 teachers, an average of 55 to a teacher. Other schools in the county, many of them, have not over 25 to 35 pupils, with average attendance much lower than that of the Westminster High School, and every one with an average attendance exceeding 40 has 2 teachers. A public school in another town in this county with about 150 pupils has 5 teachers. In view of these facts it is evident that Westminster is not getting a square deal at the hands of the County School Board.

Taking the school as a whole one finds conditions bad enough. The number of pupils is too large for the building, the rooms are consequently crowded and the air most unhealthy and dangerous; the teachers are taxed to the limit of ther strength and endurance. The writer has been informed by some of the teachers that at examinations, etc., they have been obliged to work on Saturdays and even Sundays, to say nothing of night work during the week.

In the High School Department conditions are especially bad. Here 3 teachers do all the work, having charge of 75 High School pupils. This in itself would be enough but in addition to work which demands the highest efficiency they do the work of two grades of the Grammar School containing 75 more pupils. In other High Schools of the State 5 to 7 teachers are employed for this amount of work.

More might be said about the High School but space forbids. The Manual Training Department attracts our notice. Situated in the basement or cellar (a better word) it is reached by a tortuous passage which has been compared to the entrance to the Infernal Regions. The dampness here is so great that the tools must be removed and stored in the room above to prevent their being ruined by rust, besides, an abundant growth of toadstools and other fungi has appeared on the wainscoating which in some places the moisture has made bulge out several inches. Do the people of Westminster consider a place like this fit for an instructor to stay in six hours a day or for their children to be in even for two hours at a time?

The writer is informed that the principal and teachers have been assured that these deplorable evils will be rectified. So far, however, nothing resembling a move in this direction has been made by the School Board. Are the people content to let things remain as they are for another year? Or to grow worse as they will do unless precautions are taken and the necessary changes made. Is an epidemic necessary to bring all this vividly before them? If not, wake up. Let the taxpayers bring some pressure to bear upon their representatives in the School Board and insist that Westminster shall have in this matter a square deal.

A TAXPAYER.

Manchester Items.

Labor day was not generally observed here. The bank was closed and the cigar factories for the day and the baseball enthusiasts were all in readiness for the game of ball to be played. The New Freedom team put in an appearance about noon and were dined at the Hotel de Stick. At 1.30 P. M. Umpire J. H. LaMotte called the game when the following lineup responded:

Manchester		New Freedom
E. Scharf	s s	Bowers
Barnhart and Wink	3 b	Rohrbaugh
Spencer and Richards	c f	Lowe
Loats	1 b	Frey
Cooke	l f	Miller
Land	2 b	Eckenrode
Theiret	c	Breck
Burgoon	r f	Hunter
Myers	p	Geiselman

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	Total
Manchester	0	0	0	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	2	8
New Freedom	0	1	1	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	7

Strike outs—Man. 10, N. F. 6.

The second game was without much interest. Frey pitched for New Freedom and was hit at every turn, so that in a 5 inning game the score was 10 to 5 in favor of Manchester. A game full of fun was played on Saturday afternoon between the fats and the leans and brought forth rounds of applause, ending in favor of the leans. LaMotte and Rohrbaugh, battery for the fats; Hassett and Myerly for the leans.

The members of Trinity Reformed Sunday School drove to the grove of Mr. Jacob Zepp, north of town, in straw wagons, surries &c., on Saturday morning, where they enjoyed a most pleasant day amid the games and fun and the many good things for the inner man. It is an ideal picnic ground with a play ground of five acres or more. A grand march introduced the amusements which were followed by baseball, sack racing and wheelbarrow wheeling, all of which were much enjoyed by the large company present. An interesting feature to the members of the school was a treat to ice cream.

On Tuesday Mrs. Geo. Wentz and her little 6-year-old daughter came to the home of Mr. John S. Wentz, on South Main street, to spend the day. About noon while the ladies were busy sewing in the room the four-year-old son of Mr. Wentz took a revolver from the buffet and a six-year-old brother took it from him. In the struggle a cartridge was discharged and the ball entered the shoulder of the little six-year-old visitor and passed downward. Dr. Sherman was at once summoned but could not locate the ball. Later Dr. Zeigler, the family physician came in consultation but they could not locate the ball. It is supposed that it is in one of the lungs. In the early evening the parents took their little daughter home with the chances of recovery all against her.

Mr. George E. Lippy, of Westminster, and Mrs. Marian M. Myers, on York street, gave quite a surprise to their friends and the general public on Saturday evening, when they went to the Reformed parsonage where the Rev. Dr Land made them man and wife and they immediately left for Westminster, their future home. Our best wishes attend them.

Mr. Samuel Houck and family, of Baltimore, spent Sunday and Monday with their sister, Mrs. Cornelius Miller.

Mr. and Mrs Edward Scharf, daughters and son-in-law, Mr. Joseph Cooke, of Baltimore, are guests at the home of Mr. Charles W. Motter for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin J. Hayes, of Baltimore, spent Sunday here among friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Whack, of Baltimore, are visiting their sister, Mrs. John E. Masenhimer.

Mrs. Troutman, of W. Va., is visiting her friend, Mrs. Robert Brilhart, south of town.

Dr. Land will preach a special sermon to the members of Pochahontas Tribe, I. O. R. M., on Sunday, 14th inst., in Trinity Reformed Church of this place.

Mr. Geo. Land left on Thursday of last week for Norristown, Pa., where he entered upon his duties as teacher of the Latin class in the High School. Mr. John Land left on Tuesday for Alexandria, Huntingdon county, Pa., to take charge of a school on Monday.

Mr. Samuel E. Keller, of the firm of Bergman & Keller, is attending the Timonium fair with a number of vehicles on exhibition from their factory.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Marshall, of Silver Run, occupied the Everhart property on York street on Tuesday.

Miss Laura Myers entertained the members of the Lutheran choir at her home, on Thursday evening of last week. A very pleasant evening was spent, amid the music and social features; abundant refreshments were served.

On Wednesday evening the members of the choir mentioned and friends took the Lutheran parsonage by surprise, and captured the Rev. Mr. Flick, upon his birthday. They spent a pleasant evening and, having gone fully equipped, all enjoyed abundant refreshments with the family.

While this company was on the move another company of friends went to the home of Mr. Charles W. Motter and surprised Mr. and Mrs. Edward Scharf and daughters. Many old time pleasures were rehearsed with the visitors and pleasant games enjoyed till a late hour, when Mr. Motter extended an invitation to the dining room, where fine refreshments were served and heartily enjoyed.

At the Geo. P. Fuhrman sale of personal property, on Saturday last, 15 shares of Hampstead Bank Stock, par value $10 per share, brought $34 per share; 20 shares of Manchester Bank Stock brought $25 per share, par value $10. 13 acres of farming land was purchased by Mr. John Yingling for $1000.

For the Sentinel.

A Pleasant Anniversary.

A very pleasant birthday surprise was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam'l. Harman, of this city, on Sunday, 1st inst., in honor of the 78th anniversary of Mr. Harman's birth. The self-invited guests arrived about 2 P. M. and after joyful greetings and donating of presents, sumptuous refreshments were served. A very pleasant afternoon was spent after which all left for their homes, wishing Mr. Harman many more happy birthday anniversaries. Those present were the children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Harman and a few most intimate friends of the family.

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The sale of local Post Cards grows right along. We have just gotten up a new one of the famous tree across the Washington road, near Morgan's Run. It is a beauty and we are sure all our Carroll county friends will want one or more.

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Orphans' Court.

Tuesday, Sept. 3rd.—The sale of real estate of Jacob Fisher, deceased, finally ratified and confirmed by the Court.

Milton A. Reaver, administrator of Joseph M. Reaver, deceased, returned inventory of personal property, and received order to sell same.

George A. Hosfeld, administrator of Mary D. Hosfeld, deceased, settled his first and final account.

Levi E. Williams, executor of Jesse N. Williams, deceased, filed additional bond, returned inventory of leasehold property, and received order to sell leasehold property.

Levi E. Williams, administrator of Mary Jane Williams, deceased, received order to sell personal property.

Josiah Englar, administrator of Lydia M. Englar, deceased, upon petition received order to transfer notes, mortgages, etc.

Westminster Deposit & Trust Co., Guardian of Myrtle S. Smith, ward, settled their first and final account.

Letters of administration on the estate of Sarah C. Clary, deceased, granted unto Ernest L. Clary, who received warrant to appraise, also order to notify creditors.

Emily J. Arthur and Harry L. Rinehart, executors of Jacob Rinehart, deceased, returned inventories of personal property, and debts, and received order to sell personal property.

Wednesday, Sept. 4th.—Josiah Englar, administrator of Lydia M. Englar, deceased, returned additional inventory of money and settled his first and final account.

Elizabeth Rakestraw, administratrix of John B. Rakestraw, deceased, returned inventories of money and debts.

For the Sentinel.

The home of Mr. Frank Magee, "The Locusts," was the scene of a large gathering on Thursday, 29th ult., on the occasion of the lawn social held by the Missionary Society of Pleasant Grove M. E. Church. There were about 175 people present. The lawn was brilliantly lighted and two large tables arranged—a fancy and confectionery table to which all responded so well that over $10 was realised. The other was the refreshment table for all. Seats were arranged facing the side porch which was decorated and well lighted and here in full view of all, the program was given: Full chorus, America; recitations, by Mrs. Eckenrode and little Ruth Tanner, of Baltimore; piano solo, "Wayside Chapel," Harry Weyrich, of Baltimore. The Sweet family then occupied the porch and completed the evening's program; Miss Bertha Matthews as Ma Sweet with 7 daughters, viz.: Misses Nettie and Myrle Rhoten, Lottie Seipp, Florence Shipley, Lillie Lockard, Ada Conaway and Bessie Green. Much credit is due each one who had part in the entertaining, each one having rendered her part so well. While refreshments were being served some very choice vocal and instrumental music was given by Mr. Weyrich and Miss Caple. The proceeds in all amounted to $25. The committee wishes to thank all for responding so heartily.

Shipley Items.

Threshing grain and hauling it away, hauling sweet corn and cutting clover seed seem to be most in evidence at this time.

The yield of wheat is fair and the quality fine. It averages about 16 bushels per acre, but some got 20 to 25 bushels. The sweet corn crop is a fairly good one this year. The potato crop is a pretty good one in most instances.

Misses Effie and Melvia Bolinger, of Lousville, are visiting their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jordan.

Mrs. P. E. Grimes and daughter Arretta visited friends and relatives in Baltimore last week. Our sportsmen have been bagging squirrels since the 2nd inst. The squirrels seem to be quite numerous. The health of our community is fairly good.

Gist Items.

Several soldier boys of Company E, First Reg't. U. B. B. A., of Baltimore, have been camping on the farm of Mr. J. J. Brown for the past week.

The Gist base ball team defeated the U. B. B. A. team on the Gist diamond, twice last week. The first game was played Friday afternoon and the score stood 12 to 1 in favor of the home team. The second game played Saturday morning and the score stood 15 to 3 in favor of the Gist team. The batteries, first game were: Gist, Smith and Myerly; U. B. B. A. Moore and Byers. Second, Gist, Baile and Myerly, U. B. B. A., Moore and Byers. The features of the games were home runs by L. Myerly and Willard Wilson, of the Gist team.

Mr. Ray Brown is home ill with typhoid fever but we learn he is improving at this writing.

Mr. Wm. Smith has made sale of his home and moved with his family to Westminster, Mr. Geo. A. Grau has moved into the house vacated by Mr. Smith.

Mrs. Annie Smith, widow of the late David Smith, 10 days ago in some way fell off the porch and fractured one of her hips. Mrs. Smith has been blind for more than a year and much sympathy is expressed for her.

Miss Lucy Adams, of Baltimore, who was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Jordan, has returned to her home.

Mrs. Laura J. Kopp, of Baltimore, has returned to her home after spending 3 weeks visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity.

Mr and Mrs. Walter Bolgiano, of Baltimore, has returned to their home after a 2-weeks stay at Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Shipley's.

Harmony Grove Sunday School picnic will be held in the grove adjoining the church Saturday afternoon and night, September 14th. There will be a game of baseball near the picnic grounds.

Messrs John E. Jordan and Tom M. Bower left last Saturday, for a two-weeks' visit to friends in Shellsburg, Iowa. They arrived safely in Shellsburg last Monday evening.

New Windsor Items.

Mrs. N. H. Baile entertained the W. H. and F. M. Society of the Presbyterian Church at her home on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. W. Cora Stouffer is visiting in Baltimore.

Mrs. Walter Getty entertained a number of her friends on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. E. S. Bankerd gave a porch social on Thursday evening, at her home on Pike Hill, for the benefit of the M. E. Church carpet fund.

Miss Gertie Hook, of Baltimore, who had been visiting Miss Ethel Lantz for the past 3 weeks, returned to her home on Wednesday.

Mr. John H. Roop and wife visited their daughter, Mrs. W. A. Bower, at Taneytown, on Sunday last.

Mrs. John Lantz entertained a number of her lady friends on Wednesday.

Messrs. Walter Abbott and Sewell Anders, of Baltimore, are spending their vacation here.

Daniel Thomson, colored, one of the oldest citizens of this community, died at his home near town on Monday night. Funeral on Thursday; interment at Mt. Olivet Cemetery.

Pleasant Valley Items.

The Union Sunday School, of this place, will hold its annual picnic, in Mr. Jos. P. Yingling's grove, Saturday, September 7th.

Mr. Peter Yost and son Charles, of Two Taverns, Pa., were entertained by Mr. William Myers and wife on Sunday.

Mrs. Jos. H. Hahn and little son William, of Baltimore, are visiting friends in this place.

Mrs. Foster Fleagle and Miss Margaret and Sarah Burgoon, of Harrisburg, Pa., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Levi Myers.

Mrs. George Roller, daughter of Mr. Philip Humbert, of this vicinity, is ill at her father's home.

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