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LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. Wm. N. Keefer of this city, is confined to his bed with rheumatism.

Mr. John T. Taney has moved to near Melrose, this county.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Nourse and three children, of Atlantic City, N. J., are stopping at the Main-Court Inn.

Miss Marion Duvall, of Baltimore who has been visiting Miss Elizabeth Bowers, of Parr's Ridge, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Smith and family are registered at The Westminster, this city.

Mrs. David N. Henning has rented a part of the property of Miss May Gardner on East Main street.

Mr. James Trayer has moved from Green street to the property of Miss Mary Gardner on East Main street.

Rev. L. Emory Bennett, pastor of Centenary M. E. Church, this city, is attending conference in Washington D. C.

Mr. Reuben Humbert, of near town sold his farm to Mr. Harry A. Little and will take up his residence on Pennsylvania Ave., this city.

Burns Post, No. 13, G. A. R. will meet Saturday, April 8th, 1911, at 1.30 P. M., for the transaction of important business. All comrades are requested to be present.

Chief Judge Wm. H. Thomas, who was apparently well enough last week to indulge in a short outing, has had a relapse and is now confined to his bed.

Miss May Gardner has moved into a part of the house now occupied by Ex-sheriff J. Belt Townshend, where she will reside during the erection of her new house on Fair Ground Hill.

Dr. S. Luther Bare moved to-day to the home he recently purchased from Mrs. Wm. R. McDaniel, known as the residence of the late John Smith of Wakefield, situated on West Main St.

Rev. and Mrs. Simpson Stansfield, of Harrisburg, Pa., returned to their home, on Monday last, after a pleasant visit to Rev. Stansfield's sister, Mr. Dr. J. W. Helm, of New Windsor, this county.

Mr. Ferd. D. Schaeffer, of this city, has accepted the position of General Agent of the Carroll County Mutual Fire Insurance Company and has entered upon the discharge of his duties.

On Monday last, during a thunder storm, Mr. Henry C. Dull was injured by the doors on the barn on the farm of Mr. Atlee W. Wampler, near Wesley Chapel, this county, blowing off and striking him. He is now partially paralized.

Rev. W. C. Mikesell will occupy the pulpit in Grace Lutheran Church, this city, Sunday morning next. Immediately after which a congregational meeting will be held. A full attendance of members is requested.

On Wednesday Mrs. Lucinda A. Ecker, of near Mt. Olive M. E. Church, this county, sold her farm, consisting of 78 acres and 3 roods of farming land and 10 acres of timber land, to Mr. Curtis S. Penn for the sum of $6035.

A private office has been built in the office of the Register of Wills for this county. This became a necessity by reason of the frequent interruption the Register has been subjected to while stating accounts for executors, administrators and guardians.

The appointments made for this county by the Washington Conference of the African M. E. Church while in session at Lynchburg, Va., Tuesday last, are as follows: New Windsor, G. D. Young; Westminster, W. A. English, and Sykesville, C. H. Arnold.

Methodist Episcopal Church—Sunday School 9.15 A. M. Adult Bible Class. Junior League 2.30 o'clock. Epworth League 6.45 o'clock. Preaching 10.30 A. M. by Rev. Ronalds Taylor. Preaching at 7.30 P. M. by Rev. J. E. Pritchard.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Carroll County Teachers' Association, Emory C. Ebaugh, President, will be held in the Assembly Hall of the Westminster High School, on Friday, April 7, at 10 a. m. The following program has been arranged by the committee:

1. Opening Hymn and Prayer.
2. Recitation: Bessie Wine.
3. Adress: Hygiene of the Mouth —Dr. James E. Shreeve, Jr.
4. Round Table Discussion: The Teaching of Arithmetic.
   Fractions: Geo. F. Morelock.
   Practical Measurements Mary H. Stansbury.
5. Business meeting.
6. Superintendent's address.

Mr. Joseph H. Hahn, of this city, was one of the witnesses before the Baltimore police investigation on Tuesday. He told of buying drinks at a saloon at Hillen and Colvin streets on Sundays and that he recently went to the saloon with two men who were working to get evidence against the Police Board He declared that he had played craps in a saloon on East street, below Gay, about three years ago and that part of the money he lost in the game was turned over to the proprietor. He told of a number of trips he made to the "red light" district to get evidence of of liquor selling, and on one occasion, he said, two policemen came in and told the proprietress to stop selling drinks.

For the Sentinel.

The Mechanicsville Athletic Club of Gamber, Md., wish to thank its friends and patrons for their liberality in contributing to the club by way of patronizing its oyster supper, held on March 23 and 25 inst., and also thank the immense crowd for its orderly conduct. The oyster supper was a great success for the boys, as they cleared $57.75.

The M. A. C. played a practice game on Saturday last, which resulted in favor of the regulars by 9 to 0. They will play a practice game on Saturday, April 1st, probably with Sandyville, before the regular opening on April 8th, when M. A. C. plays North Branch, at North Branch. There are now about twenty members in the M. A. C., some of whom are the well well-known boys, O. Monroe, G. Jordan, Shauck, S. Arnold, T. Flater, R. H. Barnes, A. Gamber, T. Gosnell, J. Shipley, C. Bitzel, R. Paynter and others. The M. A. C. would like to schedule games with all strong uniformed teams in Carroll and Howard counties. For games with the M. A. C., address R. H. Barnes, manager, or Oscar Monroe, secretary.

Respectfully,
Mechanicsville Athletic Club.

A MAMMOTH ENTERPRISE AT UNION BRIDGE.

Tidewater Portland Cement Company Making Rapid Progress. It Has Numerous Side Tracks, 400 Men Employed and is now Installing Machinery.

The construction work of the large cement plant of the Tidewater Portland Cement Co. at Union Bridge, this county, and the company hopes that by the early summer it will be turning out 2000 barrels of its product per day, and by November 1st, to have the entire plant completed when it expects to be able to turn out 4200 per day of lime and cement. All the buildings, except those for the manufacture of cement and the cement store house, are now under roof; the construction throughout being steel and concrete. The cement store house is more than half finished. The following are the dimensions of the buildings: Kiln, 394x110; raw mill, 96x60; finish mill, 164x90; coal mill and storage, 176x80; crusher building, 104x106; power house, 168x110; limestone and shale storage, 104x76; cement storage house, 32x114; machine shop, 60x40; blacksmith shop, 24x40; general storage, extra parts, etc., 96x40; lime plant, 196x108; lime storage, 134x96.

Nine side tracks have been built and two others are under construction. The machinery is now being installed by the Krupp Mills. It was purchased from the famous Krupp gun manufacturers, of Germany. The kiln, 125x8, will soon be ready for the lining of more than 50,000 fire brick. The boilers are completed and the four Wisconsin engines, of 1,000 horsepower each, are in place, the pulverizers and dryers and the coal mill have been installed, the first grind pulverizes and crushes are in place and more than one half mile of tunnels will, in the near future, be equipped with automatic conveyers. More than 400 men are daily employed by the company.

METHODISTS MEET.

The Baltimore Conference Opens In Washington.

Washington, March 28.—The advance guard of ministers of the Baltimore Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church, arrived here today, so as to be in attendance tomorrow morning at the opening session of the conference at Douglas Memorial Church. The preachers, in many cases accompanied by their wives, first made their way to the church, where they were registered and direct d to their hotels or boarding-houses. In the auditorium of Douglas Memorial Church there was a small group of young men, the first-year candidates for admission to local orders, working like trojans over a list of questions which had been prepared for them by the board of examiners.

The young men taking the examination were: Messrs. George H. Bennett, Merritt Earl, E. L. Hudson, C. K. Lewis, Joseph Sinclair and Arthur Day. Rev. William M. Ferguson, president of the board of examiners, and Rev. John T. Ensor, the registrar, were in charge. The subjects in which they were examined were English, Bible history, general history, Christian doctrine, discipline and John Wesley and His Century. The result of the examination will be reported to the conference later in the week.

At 6 o'clock a special delegation of the local branch of the Epworth League met a delegation of 200 members of the Baltimore branch of the organization, who came over to attend the Epworth League anniversary in Douglas Memorial Church tonight. They were given an enthusiastic reception upon their arrival. Mr. H. S. Omohundro presided at the meeting, and after a short song service he introduced Rev. C. S. Rinser, of Brooklyn, N. Y., as the speaker of the evening.

Dr. Risner reviewed the work of the Epworth League and also outlined a practical plan of campaign which the league might follow in its effort to better humanity. At the conclusion of the service a reception was tendered Bishop William F. Anderson, who will call the conference to order at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. A collation was served by the ladies of the church.

The opening session of the conference will be in the nature of a memorial service. In the afternoon Rev. J. M. Gray will address the members of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society. In the evening the anniversary of the Board of Education will be held, at which Rev. C. L. Pate will preside. Rev. E. S. Tipple will speak and music will be furnished by the Waugh Church Choir.

ORPHANS' COURT.

Monday, March 27th, 1911.

Maretta W. Mills, executrix of Maria E. Duvall, deceased, settled her first and final account.

O. Edward Dodrer, administrator of Milton I. Hull, deceased, returned an additional inventory of money, and reported sale of personal property, also settled his first and final account.

The last will and testament of Thos. S. Jones, deceased, admitted to probate, and letters testamentary thereon granted unto Angeline Jones, who received warrant to appraise and order to notify creditors.

Lewis H. Wisner and Jacob F. Wisner, administrators of Peter J. Wisner, deceased, reported sale of personal property.

Isaiah L. Reifsnider and David B. Reifsnider, executors of Isaiah Reifsnider, deceased, returned inventory of personal property and received order to sell the same.

Tuesday, March 28th, 1911.

Letters of administration on the estate of Dorothy Sittig, deceased, granted unto Calvin E. Bankard, who received warrant to appraise, also order to notify creditors.

Westminster Deposit and Trust Co., guardian of Ethel A. Franklin, settled its first and final account.

Samuel J. Renner, administrator, W. A. of Ida M. Renner, deceased, returned inventory of personal property money and debts, and received an order to sell the personal property of said deceased.

Mary E. Clousher and David S. Clousher, executors of Verley J. Clousher, deceased, returned inventory of personal property and money.

Frank Z. Miller, administrator, W. A. of Charles E. Hering, deceased, reported sale of personal property.

The last will and testament of Nathan Englar, deceased, admitted to probate, and letters testamentary thereon granted unto E. Ray Englar, who received warrant to appraise, also order to notify creditors.

Nathan H. Baile, executor of Ephraim B. Repp, deceased, returned inventory of personal property, money and debts.

Wesley M. Geiman, acting executor of Abraham I. Geiman, deceased, returned an additional inventory of personal property.

Frederick N. Hook, surviving executor of James W. Hook, deceased, returned inventory of real and personal property.

William I. Babylon, administrator of Charles R. Babylon, deceased, settled his first and final account.

Agnes F. Wamaling, administratrix of Robert L. Wamaling, deceased, reported sale of personal property.

MARYLAND DAY AT HIGH SCHOOL.

Charles O. Clemson of the Westminster bar, delivered the address at the celebration of Maryland Day at the High School here last Friday afternoon. He referred to the great service rendered the country by several distinguished Marylanders. Sketches of William Pinkney, Francis Scott Key, Gen. Mordecai Gist and Col. Joshua Gist, were read by pupils of the school and numerous recitations were given by the pupils.

Among the selections were three poems by the Bentztown Bard.

HOBSON'S GREAT TMEPERANCE LECTURE.

Congressman Richard P. Hobson's celebrated temperance lecture "The Great Destroyer" tas been made a public document and can be sent out under his frank, postage free, without any cost, save printing and addressing.

The Anti-Saloon League of Maryland, 802 American Building, Baltimore, has arranged to have a copy of this great address, which makes a pamphlet of 20 pages, sent absolutely free to any resident of Maryland who asks for it.

This address of Captain Hobson is a purely scientific discussion of the effect of alcohol and entirely free from prejudice. It gives the result of the latest scientific experiments of liquor, moderate drinking, etc., and is worthy of the consideration of every thoughtful person.

AN EVENING WITH CHARITY LODGE NO. 58, K. OF P.

On Friday evening March 24th, 1911, Davis Hall, this city, was filled with the members and invited guests of Charity Lodge No. 58, K. of P., who came in response to an invitation of the lodge to enjoy an evening with its members. Members had brought with them either their wives, sweethearts or sisters, the male invited guests had done the same and the result was a very pleasant indeed. Mr. John H. Mitten presided, Guy W. Steele, Esq., a member of the order, delivered the address of welcome and Miss Anna Shriver presided at the piano. The following program was rendered:

Overture, Orchestra; Prayer, Dr. D. L. Greenfield; Address of Welcome, Kt. Guy W. Steele; Cello Solo, Kt. Geo. H. Armacost; "That Picnic", R. V. Lewis; Music, Orchestra; "Kentucky Philosphy", Miss Grace Eichorn; Vocal Solo, "Beggar Song", By a Tramp; Violin Solo, Guy Williams; "Farmer Whipple, Bachelor", J. E. Pritchard; Music, Orchestra. Refreshments.

For the Sentinel.

examination of Pleasant Gap School.

Owing to the fact that Pleasant Gap school having had prepared quite an elaborate program for Maryland Day, the teacher, Mr. W. F. Barnes, held the examination for promotion of pupils on Wednesday and Thursday, March 22d and 23d, instead of Thursday and Friday, as arranged by the school board. The result of the examination is as follows:

Promoted from 7th to 8th grade—Norma Buckingham; from 5th to 6th—Ailler, Lillian Barnes and Lottie Barnes; from 4th to 5th—MaggieBabylon, Marie Grimes and Marie Lindsay; from 3d to 4th—Iva Mumford, Sherman Barnes, Hollin Wagner and Eva Kopp; from 2d to 3d—Rhoda Wagner, Roby Phillips, Ruth Phillips and Carrie Lindsay; from 1st to 2d—Theodore Wilson Luther Jordan, Norman Barnes, Mildred Buckingham, Willie Smith and Vernon Wagner.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED.

Lloyd B. Loats and Nellie N. Frederick.

Clarence R. Mackley and Edna M. Frock.

William G. Duvall and Bertha H. Danner.

Judson Hill and Helen P. Price.

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE.

Fanny Buck to Elenora M. Koons 34a, 1r and 29prs.

Wm. P. Edwards to Charles R Edwards, 16a, 2r and 12prs.

Gideon Smith and wife to Edward E. Lescalleet and wife, 144a and roadway.

Samuel E. Hildebrand and wife to Sarah C. Hamer, 69a, 1r and 36prs.

Elmer E. Jenkins and wife to Wm Bloom, 20 sq. prs.

Thos. W. Wilhelm and wife to Mary B. Foglesong and husband, 89½a.

Charles Phillips and wife to Wm. H Lippy, 33⅞a.

Mary C. Taylor and husband to Oscar M. Taylor and wife, 10¾a and 15pr.

Fanny B. Reifsnider and husband to Chas. W. Hess et. al., 46a and 3pr.

Washington R. Reaver to Harry M. Bowers, 7a, 1r and 22prs.

Charles W. Zepp and wife to Clifford C. Beachtel and wife, 141a, 3r and 27prs.

Wm. Loringer and wife to Rosa J. Asper, 23a, 1r and 39prs.

Mary A. Hildebrand and husband to Milton Flickinger, 18a, 2r and 39pr.

Minnie E. Kump and husband to John R. Reese and wife, 42a and 18 prs.

Ida V. Bish, et. al. to Jacob W. Hann and wife, ¼a.

Fred. Green and wife to Louis C. Stouffer and wife, 74a and 3 2-3prs.

Chas. Stouffer and wife to Harry S. Switzer and wife, 82a, 2r and 5prs.

Lizzie A. Nash and husband to Herbert W.Frock and wife 43a, 2r and 36prs.

Jno. W. Shipley and wife to Wm. J. Franklin and wife, 116¼a and 10 9-10 prs.

U. Grant Yingling and wife to Wm. J. Babylon and wife, 32a, 3r and 35prs.

Annie E. Graf to John A. Stump and wife, 9a, 3r and 20prs.

David W. Martin and wife to Martha E. Costley 1a and 32 sq. prs.

Elmer E. Grimes and wife toMartha E. Costley, 6a and 46 sq. prs.

Samuel E. Currens and wife to Noah E. Cutsail, 8a, 1r and 28prs.

MANCHESTER.

The newly elected directors of the Dug Hill Fire Insurance Company met at their office, on North Main street, on Saturday last, and organized by electing David J. Brown, President; Chas. Brilhart, secretary, and Jacob Rupp, treasurer, who also constitute the executive committee. Mr. Whitfield Stansbury, of Hampstead, was made general agent, with Messrs. Wm. Y. Frizzell, E. H. Sharretts, H. T. Wentz, Milton P. Myers and Theo.. M. Leister, of Westminster, sub agents. The company is in a flourishing condition with about 3500 policy holders.

Our section has been having all kind of weather experiences, during the last week, with the thermometer soaring into the 70's and in less than twenty-four hours falling to 10 degrees, with the wind driving the cold into every crack and crevice, testing the heating quality of our best heating plants and stoves and reducing the coal and wood supply to a minimum. A heavy thunder storm passed over this section on Monday evening with a heavy downfall of rain, followed by heavy cold winds.

The water question still claims a great deal of attention as the season is here for the water to strengthen which is the case at some places, but the old standard wells, particularly on North Main street, are entirely dry, and several of them that were deepened, water was not struck until at depth of 8 to 10 feet from the bottom. The well drillers added 30 feet to the depth of the well at the gas house, that now has a good supply. The dug well at the public school house was drilled to a depth of 94 feet, also the dug well of Mr. Helfric, on North Main street, was deepened to 83 feet. They are now drilling a well at the new house of George Lorringer, South of town.

Mr. Edward Yingling bought the house and lot on the corner of South Main and High streets from Mr. Samuel Smith, for the sum of $900 and will occupy the same next week.

The friends of Miss Daisy Bargoon and Miss Eva Preston whom we reported so critically ill, last week will be glad to hear that the crisis is passed and they both bid fair to a complete recovery.

Mrs. Essen Tracy, on South Main street contracted a severe cold several weeks ago that yielded to treatment after several days confinement to her room, having a cough that last week became worse and developed into pneumonia, with a high temperature, so that for several days in her weakening condition her life was dispaired of. At this writing her general condition is more favorable.

Margaret R. Mining, who was taken to the hospital, three weeks ago, expects to come to her home next week.

Mr. George Hare, who had been confined to his home for three months, suffering from rheumatism, is able to be out in favorable weather.

Mr. William C. Brilhart left on Monday last for Seattle, Washington, to visit his brother, David M. Brilhart, who went West a year ago and is in a flourishing grocery business. Mr. Brilhart expects to be gone about one month.

Bailiff Joseph Waggerman moved from South Main street to the Cox home, on York street, which was vacated by Mr. David Myers, who moved to Baltimore.

Mr. Neader, who was stock boss in the Gettier cigar factory, last year, moved his family and family effects to Two Taverns, Pa. The Waggerman house, on Foundry avenue which he vacated on Tuesday was occupied by Mr. Harvey Menchey and family. Mr. James Waggerman has the stock boss position in the cigar factory vacated by Neader.

The members of the sewing circle were entertained excellently at the home of Miss Carrie Baker on Thursday evening last.

Mr. Charles H. Miller, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Miller.

Mr. H. A. Myers, of Baltimore, was home on Monday, among friends.

Miss Corinne Sherman entertained her lady friend, Miss Marie Weller, of the Woman's College, Frederick, and Mr. John B. Baker, of Hagerstown, for several days, including Sunday.

Mr. Eli Mummert, entertained a number of Pennsylvania friends on Sunday.

On Sunday evening, about 7.30, Mr. Lloyd Loats and Miss Nellie Fredericks drove to the Reformed Church parsonage, where the Rev. Dr. Laud, in the presence of his family, launched them on the sea of matrimony. If reports are correct, we will have quite a number of brides and grooms enjoying their honeymoon in their life boats, down the stream of time, at Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Lippy and daughter, of Westminster, enjoyed a dinner with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Burgoon, and visited friends on Sunday last.

Messrs. Delone, Smith and Miller, of Hahover, spent some hours on Monday in the Gettysburg cigar factory, looking after their interests in the same.

After the regular meeting of Rebeckah Lodge, No. 18, I. O. O. F., on Tuesday evening, the members and a large company of friends held a social and dance that was much enjoyed. Refreshments were served. The Gummel Bros. furnished the music.

CARROLLTON.

Mrs. William Tawney, who has been suffering the past week with grip and tonsilitis, is improving.

Little Herbert Allgire, who has had the mumps and a severe cold, has improved.

Frank Shaffer is still suffering with rheumatism.

Lewis Green, who has been housed up with mumps, is able to be out again. His daughter, Miss Carrie, is confined to her room with mumps.

Last Saturday, while helping cut fodder, Howard Harpel caught his glove in the cog wheel and mashed his hand very badly.

He was taken to a Baltimore hospital on an afternoon train, Saturday, accompanied by his father Phillip Harpel. He had one finger taken off and is now getting along as well as can be expected.

Marion Green is digging a well on the lot he recently bought of John Houck where he intends building a house, in the near future.

Grant Dell, whose house was destroyed by fire a short time ago, has the frame and everything ready for another one which will be put up in the near future.

Fuller Lebron has moved his family into John Reese's tenant house at Carrollton.

William Harris will move from the Walsh farm to Bish's farm, near Cranberry Station, Thursday.

Lee Martin and lady friend, of Baltimore, William Long and wife and son, Martin, spent last Sunday visiting Mrs. Mary Martin.

Edward Shaffer and wife and daughter Ruth spent last Sunday with their daughter Mrs. Francis Frebertshauser, of Tannery.

C. T. Matthews and wife and son, Addison, of Hampstead, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shaffer.

Quite a number of members of the Ladies' Aid Society of Bethel met with the Wesley Aid Society, last week, at the home of T. M. Buchman.

The farmers in this section are busy plowing and getting ready for the spring crops.

A number of people around here attended the sale of the late Jesse W. Leppo.

We all join in wishing our enterprising miller, George Drechsler, and his bride a long and happy life.

MARRIED.

DUVALL—DANNER.

Miss Bertha Danner, of Medford, and Mr. Wilmer Duvall, of Winfield, both of this county, were quietly married at the parsonage of Salem Lutheran Charge, by the pastor Rev. R. W. Doty, Thursday, March 30th, 1911, at 8 P. M.

DEATH'S DOINGS

REV. JOHN EDWARDS DEAD.

He Was A Methodist Preacher For 51 Years.

Rev. John Edwards, for 51 years a Methodist clergyman, one of the oldest members of the Baltimore Conference and for the last four years pastor of the Twenty-fourth Street Church, died at noon Tuesday at his home, 2125 Huntingdon avenue, Baltimore. For two weeks he had been suffering from bronchial trouble, but up to last Friday he thought that he would be able to attend the conference of his church, which is now in session in Washington.

At his bedside were the members of his family and his two nephews—Revs. Philip H. and John R. Edwards—both preachers and members of the same conference.

Born in Cornwall, England, Feb. 16, 1843, Mr. Edwards was reared in the "Old Country" and became a preacher in the Western Methodist Church when only 17 years old. Two days before sailing for America he was married to Miss Annie Rogers, who survives him. He first went to Pennsylvania. He joined the Baltimore Conference in 1871. His first charge was at Bloomington, Md. Since then he has served at Keyser, W. Va.; Hancock, Lonaconing, Westminster, Alexandria, Va.; Martinsburg, W. Va.; Woodberry, Annapolis, Appold Church, Baltimore; Pikesville, Mount Savage and the Twenty-fourth Street Church, Baltimore.

Besides his wife Mr. Edwards is survived by his daughter, Miss Bessie R. Edwards, two sons, Prof. T. H. Edwards, of the Baltimore Postoffice, and nine grandchildren.

The funeral was held at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the church of which he was pastor when he died. Rev. J. T. Nicholson, superintendent of the Baltimore district of the conference, conducted the services, assisted by other ministers of the conference, from whom the pallbearers were selected. Burial was in Druid Ridge Cemetery.

Mr. Edwards was a former pastor of Centenary M. E. Church, this city, where he served for five years.

NEW WINDSOR.

On Saturday last John G. Snader was elected a director in the First National Bank to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Nathan Englar.

Mervin Devilbiss, of the U. S. Navy, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Jennie Devilbiss.

On Wednesday noon a dog came to Mrs. Jno. Lambert's and acted in a strange manner. They secured the services of Rodger Fritz who, after a chase, killed the dog in the meadow of Geo. Englar.

Miss Marie Baile gave a well appointed luncheon to some of her Baltimore friends and a few friends from town.

Mrs. Geiman, of Westminster, spent Monday night with Mrs. Elizabeth Wilson.

On Tuesday Isaac Smelzer moved from Prof. Bullock's house to Miss Alice Frounfelter's.

BLUE RIDGE COLLEGE.

The music department of the college will give a concert on Saturday April 8th, at 8 p. m. This concert will consist of the sacred cantata, with solos, etc., for voice and for piano, also several numbers by the Glee Club. There will be a charge of twenty cents for admission.

The Brethren Educational Committee consisting of Eld. L. F. Holsinger, and Eld. A. G. Grosswhite, and Flora Indiana, respectively, inspected our school this week.

All of our folks except Mr. Robert Smith, who were reported sick, are out again. Mr. Smith is suffering with fever.

Dr. E. O. Taylor, of Boston, Mass., will lecture here on Friday, March 31st, and Sunday, April 2d, at 8 p. m. The lecture will be illustrated. Gunpowder will be exploded in liquor and he will have a pint of beer on fire for ten minutes. Other chemical experiments that will explain the liquor question from the scientific side. All are cordially welcome.

Mr. H. G. Baker, assistant manager of the base ball club, went to Baltimore Tuesday, March 28, to purchase some base ball goods.

Messrs. M. D. Anthony and H. H. R. Brechbill, spent a few days at their homes recently.

UNIONTOWN.

Mrs. Trayer has returned from her winter's visit to her neice, Mrs. Rose Christ Griest, at Atlantic City.

Miss Beryl Erb, one of our teachers, has not been able to be in school this week on account of sickness. Rev. Hill has been helping out.

Mr. Arthur Crumbacker had sale and moved his family to Baltimore, on Monday.

Mrs. Lanie Shaw is again making her home with her son William. Mr. Brothers, who has been there, has gone to Kurtz Warner's.

Theodore Haines moves to a farm near Springdale, Mrs. Fannie Haines having bought his home here.

Lewis Waltz moves to the property vacated by Mrs. Haines, he having purchased it some time ago.

David Bloom, Charles Fritz and families move to the house vacated by Waltz.

Hugh Hiltabridle takes a part of the Obidiah Fleagle house at the West end of town.

Mrs. Susan Caylor and son Charles move to her home in Possum Hollow.

George Lambert, who for twenty years has been having his shoe shop in the room formerly owned by the late H. H. Brough, moved on Wednesday to the shop vacated by O. Crumbacker.

Mr. Sol. Myers and Ezra Caylor are getting their room ready for the butchering business.

Mrs. Harlen Mentzer visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Eckard, last week.

Last Thursday Miss Clay Mering was unfortunate in tripping on the floor and breaking her arm above the elbow. Her sister, Miss Ella, has confined to bed with grip. Both are reported as improving.

Roy Singer has had all the locust trees removed along the roadway and buildings, and will substitute some ornamental trees for shade, and start a privet hedge fence. He expects to plant the most of his land in fruit trees and devote his time to the culture of them.

Mrs. Rev. Hill and daughter, Miss Belle, spent Saturday in Baltimore.

MATHER'S

SATURDAY, APRIL FIRST

The Last Day of the Opening

Have You Seen The Leading Displays Of

Millinery, Dresses, Shoes, Corsets, Underwear and Spring Dry Goods?



A MILLINERY TRIUMPH.

Ever since this millinery department was opened six years ago, each season it has scored a great success. We make it our business to employ milliners with the artistic taste, trained to design hats for the opening days that show great beauty, having the maximum styles without the extreme showiness that make so many hats ridiculous. Miss Williams who conducted our millinery department last season with such success is with us again with the same able corps of assistants. You must see this great display of fashionable millinery, don't delay, but come early.

SPRING SUITS AND DRESSES.

One piece ready-to-wear dresses will be the thing this summer. Never before has this pretty garment been so popular as now. Never were prettier styles shown for so little money. Buy your dresses ready made and save the bother of sewing or trouble of going to the dressmaker. We mention here a few of the attractive dresses of the new spring stock.

GINGHAM DRESS $1.48.

Attractive dress of pretty check gingham, nicely trimmed with bands of plain color material. A remarkable garment for the low price of $1.48.

WHITE DRESSES $2.98.

Beautiful white lingerie dress, lavishly trimmed with lace and insertion, a very attractive model that is so cheap that you cannot see how it can be made for the price of $2.98.

SATEEN DRESS $3.98.

A beautiful creation of a nice quality of mercerized sateen, in pretty neat navy blue and white and black and white figures. Made with yoke and collar of fine lace. This dress $3.98.

SUITS.

Linen suits will be worn of course. They are so serviceable and practical for traveling and general wear.

SUITS $5.00.

Tailored suit of good quality pure linen, natural color, jacket made plain in the very popular 27 in. length. Exceptional value at $5.00.

SUIT $7.00.

Tailored suit of fine quality pure linen, beautiful tailored, with plain 27 in. jacket and attractive skirt. A beautiful quality that will appear to those that want a first class suit. The best quality for $7.00.

NEW WAISTS.

Our customers know that this is the place where they can always find an attractive line of waists at reasonable prices. If possible this sason's models are prettier than ever. Dozen of styles lavishly trimmed with lace, embroidery and insertion, all styles, open front or open back, long sleeves and the popular short sleeves, dutch necks or high necks. All styles at the popular prices.

98c $1.25 $1.98 $2.49

MIDDY BLOUSES.

These are so popular now for the girls. Ours are made of an extra good quality of white drilling and made with pretty blue or red collars and cuffs. Sizes 6 to 18 years. The best quality 98c.

MIDDY BLOUSES 75c.

Middy blouses made of good cambric, with wide collars and cuffs. A good garment for 75c.

RAIN COATS $5.00.

These are so popular and so practical. Full length coats of fine rubber in the shades of grey and tan. Made with close fitting collars and cuffs. Only $5.00.

LINEN DUSTERS.

These much needed summer garments are here too. Full length dust coats in the proper styles. $1.98 and up.

CHILDREN'S DRESSES.

This line appeals to the mothers. These dresses are so attractive that you cannot help buying them. All kinds from the long white slips for the youngest infants up to the sizes for girls of fourteen years. White goods, ginghams, percales, linen finish and all the wanted fabrics are combined inthese dresses.

INFANTS' DRESSES 50c.

Infants' slips or short dresses for children up to 4 year size, made of white lawn, nicely trimmed with lace and insertion and tucks in yoke, remarkable values at 50c.

INFANTS' DRESSES 98c.

Infants' slips and short dresses of fine white lawn, made with beautiful yokes of lace and insertion, and tucked skirts, only 98c.

CHILDREN'S DRESSES 98c.

Dresses for girls from 6 to 14 years. Pretty percales and ginghams in the attractive figures and stripes. Just the kind for summer wear. Why make them when you can buy such nice dresses for only 98c.

Better and finer dresses in all the wanted summer materials, such as linens and fine white goods, at $1.48, $1.98, $2.48 and $2.98.



April 5th to 15th will be Hoosier Week with a special display of Kitchen Cabinets. One Cabinet will be given away absolutely free that week. Ask for Coupon.

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MILLERS.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Zepp and daughter, Minnie, spent last Sunday visiting at Hanover, Pa.

Mrs. Belle Bortner spent last Thursday with her son, Clinton, at the home of Carroll Warehome, of Linneboro, where he is employed.

The mumps are getting to be pretty bold in our village, as about a dozen children are confined to the house suffering with them. Some few have already recovered.

Last Wednesday the women folks of our little town were given the pleasure of enjoying another quilting party, at the home of Mrs. Isaiah Miller, on Main St. The women quilted briskly and finished two quilts and put quite a number of stiches in two others. Who can beat that? A sumptous dinner and supper was served to which all took their own part. Everybody was sorry when the hour came to depart for they had a royal time. Those present were: Mesdames Isaiah Miller, Henry K. Miller, John K. Miller, Jacob Zepp, Theodore Miller, George Bollinger, Jr., Belle Bortner, Luther Wentz, James Rohrbaugh, Lloyd Miller, George Kerchner, Aaron Redding, John Hoover, Joseph Frank, Clarence Mc. Comas, Henry Rinehart, Henry Miller, Mettie Shaffer and Amanda Lessner.

Theodore Miller, who has employment at Baltimore, spent Sunday with his family, here.

Joseph Hoffnagle, of near Baltimore, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rinehart Hoffnagle, over Sunday.

Clarence Miller, of Hanover, Pa., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Miller, over Sunday.

The teachers, Mr. Luther S. Wentz and Miss Laura Burns, and the scholars of Miller's school celebrated Maryland Day, last Friday afternoon, by singing and recitations as follows:

Song, The Battle Hymn of the Republic.

Opening remarks by the principal.

Greeting, by Minnie Wink.

Recitation, We'll celebrate Maryland Day, by Lottie Hare.

Reading, The 25th of March, by Lawrence Miller.

Reading, Maryland's first capital, by Allen Rohrbaugh.

Recitation, The Maryland Dead, by Minnie Zepp.

Recitation, A Tribute to Maryland, by four girls.

Recitation, In Maryland, by two boys.

Song, Maryland My Maryland.

Reading, Cecilius Calvert, by Preston Miller.

Recitation, Our Flag, by Treva Frank.

Recitation, Rivers of Maryland, by a class.

Recitation, Again We Greet You, by Alta Hare.

Reading, Wm. P. Whyte, by Edith Rinehart.

Exercise by seven girls, Our Maryland State is Beautiful.

Recitation, I am a Maryland Boy, by Curtis Miller.

Exercise, I Love the Flag, by Gilbert Miller and Thomas King.

Exercise, Memories of Marylanders, by three girls.

Reading, Barbara Fritchie, by Asst. Teacher.

Recitation, My Maryland, by Murry Miller.

Exercise, The Maryland Line, by three boys.

Exercise, The Maryland Braves, by three children.

Each scholar wore a beautiful badge of the Maryland colors.

Song, America.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Miller, of Alesia, spent last Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry K. Miller.

A SOCIAL.

On Friday evening March 24, at the home of Mr. H. R. Bower a social was given in honor of their daughter Elizabeth, and her cousin Marie Duvall, of Baltimore.

The evening was spent in playing games, and social chats until a late hour when most delicious refreshments were served. The dining room was tastefully decorated with laurel the table was decorated beautifully in pink crepe designs and pink carnations. Those present were: Misses Marie Duvall, of Baltimore; Elizabeth Bowers, Rhoda Barnes, Mattie Harman, Edith Harris, Mabel Cook, Mae Stoner, Mary Duvall, Ada Glover, Myrtle Smith, Etta Lee Duvall, Mary Gladhill, Edna Smith, Myrtle Cook, and Hazel Gladhill. Messrs. Arch Keefer, Clarance Barnes, Wilber Harris, Raymond Brown, Grover Haines, Raymond Stuller, Vernon Gladhill, Orval Smith, Arthur Natle, Clarence Glover, Chester Cook Weldon Duvall and Jacob Fitz.

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