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Items Of Local Interest

Mr. Roger Murphy, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with his brother, Mr. George B. Murphy, of Caledonia.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Bickley Morton, of this city, spent from Saturday until Monday with relatives in Mount Airy.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Edler, of Baltimore, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Zimmerman, of East Main street, this city.

Mrs. Maude Waddell and little daughters and the Misses Forrest, of this city, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Otto, of New Windsor.

Mr. Abe Hecht, of Havre de Grace, was a visitor here on Thursday. Mr. Hecht was a former business man of this city.

Mrs. Georgeanna Phillips, of Baltimore, and granddaughter, Miss Mae Carter, of Sykesville, spent Monday with Mr. Lewis Shipley and daughter Alice, of Gamber.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Shipley and son Lamotte and Mr. Lewis Shipley, of Gamber, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sellers, of York, Pa.

Mr. Earle Wells, only son of Dr. and Mrs. Robert F. Wells, of Gamber, was taken to St. Agnes Hospital, Baltimore, Thursday of last week suffering with blood poisoning. Young Wells was a student of Mt. St. Mary's College, Emmitsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gamber, Miss Emma Clarke, Mr. Elmer Stansbury and Mr. Harvey Gamber, all of Baltimore, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. Gamber's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gamber, of Gamber.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Knight and grandson, Samuel, of Baltimore, are visitors at the home of Mr. Knight's brother and sisterin-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ezek Knight, E. Main street, this city. Mr. Knight was for a number of years a resident of this city.

The Cassell brothers have improved their property on West Main street, this city, by having a concrete pavement, curb and gutter laid in front and a side pavement to the rear of same.

Miss Sydney Lewis, of Mount Airy, was a recent guest of Dr. and Mrs. D. F. Shipley and family, of this city. Miss Lewis was one of the Red Cross Nurses that went to Pau, France, the past spring on the ship on which Mr. C. C. Beach, of this city, was an officer.

Those who spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Granville Coppersmith, of Bachman's Valley, were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Coppersmith, Miss Annie Coppersmith, Delpha Treish, of near Melrose; Ada Coppersmith, of Frizellburg; William High, of Pleasant Valley; Erma Coppersmith and Clarence Myers, of this city.

Mrs. Joseph D. Brooks, Jr., and son Joseph, of Baltimore, are guests of Mrs. B's. father-in-law and mother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Brooks, Sr., of this city. Captain Joseph D. Brooks, Jr., of Company B, Fourth Regiment, will join his wife and son Sunday at the home of his parents in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. William Marriott and Mr. and Mrs. William S. Hammond and daughter, of Baltimore, Dr. Mills, of Johns Hopkins, and Mr. Record spent Sunday with Mr. N. H. Baile and family, of New Windsor. Mr. Marriott is cashier of Western National Bank, Baltimore, and Mr. Hammond is cashier of First National Bank, Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hollenbaugh and two daughters, Marygrace and Doris, of Johnstown, Pa., are visiting Mr. Hollenbaugh's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hollenbaugh, of this city, and other relatives in this county. They arrived last Friday morning and will return tomorrow. Mr. Hollenbaugh reports business prospects in Johnstown are very bright.

About 60 members of the automobile Club of Boumi Temple, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, of Baltimore, took supper at the Main-Court Inn, this city, last night. The members from Baltimore arrived in fifteen automobiles. The local members present were: Messrs. O. D. Gilbert, Dr. Geo. E. Baughman, Chas. V. Wantz, John D. Bowers, from this city; JoJhn D. Bowers, from this city; Dr. M. D. Norris, Harry Bevard, Eldersburg and William Chipley, Sykesville.

For the Sentinel.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Smith, near Sam's Creek, Sunday, May 23, was a very happy family reunion when the children of Mr. and Mrs. S. were all gathered home for the first time in many years. All enjoyed the occasion to the utmost. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. James Smith, Mr. and Mrs. E. Harry Smith and young son Edward, of Gaithersburg, Montgomery county; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Blacksten and sons, Wilbur and John, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Smith, of Westminster; Mr. Thomas Smith, New Windsor; Master Ira Smith and Mr. and Mrs. David Reigle, of Oak Orchard.

The following persons have had the Chesapeake and Potomac telephone installed in their residences: Mrs. Catherine D. Clabaugh, Taneytown, Taneytown 2r; Noah H. Harbaugh, near Medford, Westminster 827-24; David B. Haines, near Deningers, Westminster 809-15, and Jacob U. Brown, Mexico, Westminster 818-12.

Children's Day service will be observed Sunday morning, May 30th at Edgewood at ten o'clock. Everyone welcome.

The dwelling, furniture, barn and one horse belonging to Mr. Roy C. Simmons, nearSnydersburg, were destroyed by fire Monday night. The loss is estimated at $3000.

The annual meeting of the Carroll County Christian Endeavor Union is in progress at Grace Lutheran Church, this city. A full report of the proceedings will be published in the Sentinel next week.

Mr. J. William Barnes, who resides on the London Bridge Road, and who was so unfortunate as to lose several fine horses, wishes to thank his many kind friends and neighbors who so generously contributed to his loss.

The store of Mr. George W. Horner, at Finksburg, was burglarized on Sunday night, about 12 o'clock, to the amount, approximately, of $50. Some parties, passing at the time, saw the lights but thought it some of the family.

Camp No. 29, P. O. of A., of Winfield, will hold an ice cream and strawberry festival Saturday, June 5th in the hall at Winfield. Music will enliven the occasion. Everyone welcome.

Mrs. Julia Kurtz Fulton, of San Diego, California, a cousin of Mrs. Sallie Crout, of this city, who is visiting her brother in Baltimore, motored to this city yesterday with Mrs. Mary Poole and Miss Laura Norris and spent the day visiting old friends.

Rev. Wm. H. Hetrick and Mr. S. C. Stoner, of this city, left at noon on Tuesday for Akron, Ohio, to attend the meeting of the General Synod of the Lutheran Church now in session in that place, the latter going as a lay delegate and his pastor as a visitor. They will probably return tomorrow, though the Synod will be in session several days longer.

As Memorial Day occurs on Sunday this year the holiday will be observed on Monday. The banks, the register of Wills office and the Judges of the Orphans' Court will be closed. The postoffice will be closed and there will be only one delivery of mail and one collection in this city. The rural carriers will not go out on their routes.

The members of Company H, Maryland National Guard, will attend service at Centenary Methodist Episcopal Church, this city, Sunday morning. The members will assemble at the Armory, dressed in their uniforms, and attend the church service in the forenoon and in the afternoon will take part in the decoration exercises at the Opera House. The members will remain in their uniforms all day.

A meeting of residents of this city interested in the celebration of Independence day in a proper, safe and sane manner, will be held in the City Council chamber on Monday evening, at 8 o'clock. Arrangements will then be made for the proposed celebration and committees appointed to carry it into effect. It should hardly require urging to induce a considerable number of citizens to attend this meeting and take an active part in its proceedings and in carrying out its purposes.

Charles Edward Gall, Highfield, Md., a section foreman on the Western Maryland Railroad, was run over by a freight train Sunday night near Guilford and killed. His body was found early Monday morning. Mr. Gall had been working near Guilford. On his way home it is thought he sat down along the track and fell asleep. Coroner Macky, of Chambersburg, was notified and deemed an inquest unnecessary. For the last 15 years he had been in the employ of the Western Maryland Railway. He leaves a widow and three children.

The commencement exercises of the Nurses' Training School of Hahnemann General Hospital, Baltimore, were held last night at the Emerson Hotel, six young women receiving their diplomas. The diplomas were presented by John M. Wheeler, president of the board of directors of the hospital. The Rev. Dr. M. H. Lichliter delivered an address. Those who received their diplomas were Miss Nellie F. Belt, Hampstead; Miss Maude Etta Clark, Baltimore; Miss Mabel Elizabeth Wilgis, Belair; Miss Bertha Nelson, Perryman, Md.; Miss Laura Mathilda Nygren, Westminster, and Miss Mary Virginia Gilbert, Havre de Grace. Miss Nygren is a sister of Mrs. Walter Coppersmith, near this city, and of Mr. Dohnea C. Nygren, of this city.

In another column of the Sentinel an appeal will be found for contributions of spool cotton and bed ticking to "ease the dying" in Serbia, where soldiers suffering with typhus fever are lying on bare planks. The appeal was brought to this office by a Westminster lady, who added her own request to that of Miss Nina L. Duryea. The appeal tells just where the articles deired can be sent, in New York. Let it be read and acted upon. The Sentinel would suggest, however, that the lady who joins in the appeal here, should agree hereself, or induce some other person to receive such contributions in this city, and send them in bulk to the Duryea American Relief Clearing House, Pier 57, North River, New York. That plan would certainly increase the number of such contributions, by relieving contributors from the necessity of personally shipping them.

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MEMORIAL DAY

"The long, long line of the children,
Leads the shortening line of the Blue."

Sunday, May 30th, will be observed as Memorial Day by Burns Post No. 13, G. A. R., of Westminster. Appropriate services will be held at the Opera House at 2.30 P. M., after the decoration of the graves at the Cemetery, which will take place at 2 o'clock.

All children wishing to take part, will meet at the High School at half past one, bare headed, and carrying a small bunch of flowers, where they will be taken in charge by Miss Mary B. Shellman and Troop No. 1, Boy Scouts of America. Flags will be given them, and led by the Junior Order Drum Corps, they will lead the march to the cemetery where they will assist the veterans in strewing with flowers the graves of their departed comrades. Co. H and the First Regiment Band will escort Burns Post to the cemetery where a short serice will be held.

During the decorating of the graves the Band will play several dirges and "Taps" will be sounded by the Bugler.

The children will then be disbanded and the Band and Co. H will lead the march back to the Opera House, followed by the Junior Order Drum Corps, Burns Post and visiting veterans, escorted by the Boy Scouts, where seats will be reserved for them.

The following program will be given at the Opera House.

PROGRAM
PART I

Hymn—"Nearer My God To Thee,"
Choir and Audience.
Prayer, Rev. Calvin S. Slagle, D. D.,
Pastor St. Paul's Reformed Church.
Opening Exercises of the Post,
Commander James L. Baer.
Reading records of the dead,
Adjutant John H. Mitten.
Crowning vacant chairs with flowers,
Boy Scouts.
Hymn, "Peace, Perfect Peace,"
Choir.
Drummer, U. S. G. Brown.
Taps, Bugler.

PART II

Mr. Charles C. Gorsuch, presiding.
Hymn, "Onward Christian Soldiers,"
Choir and Audience.
Lincoln's address at Gettysburg,
Mr. Walter L. Graefe, Western Maryland College.
Anthem, "The Recessional," Kipling.
M. E. Church Choir, Mrs. H. M. Kimmey, Leader.
Address, Rev. Dr. Havenner,
Pastor Centenary M. E. Church.
"America,"
Choir and Audience.
Prayer and Benediction,
Rev. Carleton Barnwell, Rector Ascension Episcopal Church.

Memorial Day, coming this year on Sunday, gives every one the chance to unite in honoring the memory of the men who offered their lives in defense of the Union.

The ranks are growing smaller every day. Seven vacant chairs will speak silently but eloquently of the lessening numbers of our own Burns Post.

Let us make it a day of sweet, sad memories and let no grave be neglected.

"God of our fathers, known of old,
Lord of our far-flung battle line,
Beneath whose awful hand we hold
Dominion over palm and pine,
Lord God of Hosts, be with us yet,
Lest we forget—lest we forget."

WEDDINGS

WELLER—FRITZ

A very beautiful wedding took place on the 19th of May, when Miss Helena Fritz, of Linwood, became the bride of Mr. Carl Weller, of Greenwood. Their pastor, Rev. John H. Gonso, of Westminster, officiated at the occasion. They were married in Westminster. The bride was handsomely attired in a pink costume and the groom wore the usual black.

After the ceremony they were congratulated with best wishes for a long and prosperous life. They then left for their home at Greenwood.

DECORATION AT SMALLWOOD

In view of the fact that Memorial Day services will be held in Westminster on next Sunday afternoon, it has been found necessary to postpone the services at Smallwood until evening. Members of the Grand Army of the Republic and Patriotic Order Sons of America are requested to meet at the Deer Park Methodist Protestant Church, promptly at seven o'clock on Sunday evening, to decorate the graves in the adjoining cemetery and in the cemetery at Trinity Lutheran Church. Following the strewing of flowers, there will be a service at the Methodist church, Smallwood, at 7.45 o'clock, with addresses by Reverends W. A. Sites and W. L. Seabrook. The public is invited and all who attend are requested to bring flowers.

FAMILY REUNION

The home of Mr. and Mrs. David Watson, near this city, was the scene of a very enjoyable gathering Sunday, May 23rd. The occasion was a family reunion.

Mrs. Watson had prepared quite a sumptuous dinner which all enjoyed very much. Four generations were represented. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. David Watson and daughter Katherine, great-grandmother Horning, (who is 82 years old and quite active) Mr. and Mrs. Moses Horning, Mrs. Jesse Baile, Mr. Samuel Horning, Messrs. and Mesdames John Horning, Walter Fritz, Harry Horning, Clarence Myers; Misses Birdie Hare, Edna Horning and Mr. and Mrs. J. Earnest Horning, Edith Horning, E. Dorsey, Miriam Baile, Sarah Fritz and Mary Horning, Messrs. Joseph, Raymond and Munsey Talbert, Roger Baile, William Fritz and Norman Russell.

OBITUARY

From our Union Mills correspondent

DEATH OF JOHN BURGOON OF UNION MILLS

On Sunday morning, May 23, John Burgoon, a prominent resident of Union Mills, passed away in the sixty-ninth year of his age. He had been in ill health for a year or more, and his death, resulting from a complication of diseases, was not unexpected. He was a man of splendid parts, straight-forward and upright in all his dealings with his fellowmen, and a fine type of an unassuming christian gentleman. He took an active part in the erection of Moorhead M. E. Church at Union Mills, in 1880, and has ever since been one of its leading members. At the time of his death he was the steward of the church and superintendent of the Sunday school. Mr. Burgoon was a farmer and a dealer in farming implements and fertilizer. In former years he filled with marked ability the office of justice-of-peace and for a long period he taught most acceptably the public school at Carroll Academy. At the time of his death he was a trustee of the school, a director of the Union Mills Savngs Bank and a member of the I. O. M. lodge of Union Mills. Mr. Burgoon was a staunch supporter of the cause of temperance. He was several times a candidate on the Prohibition ticket in Carroll county, and was in hearty sympathy with the local option forces which achieved such a great victory in the county in the campaign of 1914. Deceased is survived by a widow who is a daughter of the venerable Martin Yngling, of Union Mills, and by five children, as follows: Irving J. Burgoon and Archer Burgoon, of Gettysburg, Pa.; Mrs. Wm. J. Zacharias, of Silver Run; Mrs. Monias Bankert, of Union Mills, and Miss Emma Burgoon, a trained nurse, at home. The last named most devotedly nursed her father throughout his long spell of sickness. All of the brothers of Mr. Burgoon have died and his only living sister is Mrs. Susan Bankert, of Mt. Pleasant, this county. Calvin E. Bankert, treasurer of the Union Mills Savings Bank, is a brother-in-law. The remains of Mr. Burgoon were deposited in their final resting place, on Tuesday morning, 25th inst., in the picturesque grave yard of Moorhead M. E. Church, which immediately adjoins the former home property of the deceased. The funeral was the largest ever held in Union Mills. Rev. A. Byron Albertson, the present pastor of the church, and Rev. W. E. Watkins, a former pastor, were in charge of the services and both of them made addresses. The I. O. M. Lodge of Union Mills attended the funeral in a body and at the grave its chaplain, George W. Yeiser, read the burial service of the order. The active pallbearers were taken from the lodge members and were as follows: George G. Myers, Daniel P. Frock, George Smeach, James C. Myers, Charles E. Nusbaum and Josiah S. Erb. The directors of the Union Mills Savings Bank were the honorary pallbearers. Edward F. Groft was funeral director.

Mr. Burgoon was a brother-in-law of Mrs. Hoffman Fuss and Mr. Austin Yingling, of this city.

From our Manchester correspondent

MISS LAURA BURNS

Miss Laura Burns, who several weeks ago accompanied her sister, Mrs. N. W. Sellers, to her home in York, Pa., expecting the change of surroundings would do her good and recruit her strength, but the bronchial trouble was too deep seated and with the best treatment and care and nursing she gradually grew worse and at 8 P. M. Saturday she passed peacefully away in her 63rd year. Her remains were brought here to her home on South Main street on Monday evening, and were laid to rest in a family lot in the Reformed cemetery, Dr. T. S. Land officiating, after which services were held in the Reformed Church of which she had been a consistent member from early girlhood, always ready in both church and Sunday school to aid in any enterprise that was for the upbuilding of her zion. She was a teacher in the Sunday school for a number of years and secretary of the Willing workers aid society from the time of its organization, always prompt and correct in her clerical work. She was a teacher in the public schools of the county for a number of years. Her funeral was largely attended and she was honored with beautiful floral designs by friends and societies: Messrs. H. S. Musselman, H. T. J. Lamotte, George Theiret, Frank Slack, Abbott and Martin Menchey were the pallbearers, Jacob Wink had charge of the funeral. She is survived by six sisters, Mrs. E. Yingling, this place; Mrs. N. W. Sellers, York; Mrs. Noah Lippy, Virginia; Mrs. John Houck, Mrs. A. Albaugh, Snydersburg; Mrs. J. Ebaugh, Greenmount; and one brother, John W. Burns, of this place.

MRS. HENRY F. GERLACH

Mrs. Minnie M. Gerlach, (nee Shuler,) wife of Mr. Henry F. Gerlach; died Tuesday, 25th inst., aged 40 years, 6 months and 25 days.

The funeral was held this (Friday) afternoon at two o'clock from her late residence, No. 1502 East Hoffman street, Baltimore, and the interment was made in Loudon Park Cemetery.

J. W. SENSENBAUGH

Mr. John W. Sensenbaugh, Sr., 73 years old, died Monday at Pondsville. He is survived by his widow and the following children: John W. Sensenbaugh, Jr., Hartford, Conn.; David T. Sensenbaugh, Joseph N. Sensenbaugh, Mrs. Sarah Flook, Hagerstown; Benjamin F. Sensenbaugh, Maryland Station, Ill.; Mrs. S. S. Kuhn, Bondsville; Mrs. J. W. Pope, Polo, Ill.; Mrs. Barbara Shipler, Polo, Ill.; Mrs. Barbara Shipler, Union Bridge; Mrs. Emma Doub, Williamstown, Pa.

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THE KEY BIRTHPLACE MONUMENT AND ITS DEDICATION

As has been previously announced, the Patriotic Order Sons of America, assisted by the Public Schools of Carroll and Frederick counties, will have the honor of erecting a monument at the birthplace of Francis Scott Key, author of the "Star Spangled Banner," on Saturday, June 12, at "Terra Rubra," the present home of Mr. Peter Baumgardner, near Keysville.

The monument will be a handsome piece of work, of Tennessee marble, and will occupy the end of the lawn fronting the public road. It is a special design, made for the occasion, and will be erected by Jos. L. Mathias, of Westminster. The dedicatory exercises will take place about 10.00 o'clock in the morning, after which a full day's program will be rendered in Stonesifer's grove, nearby.

The program has not been completed in every detail, but the following speakers will be present: Wm. A. Granville, D. D., President Pennsylvania College, Gettysburg; Prof. Wm. James Heaps, State Secretary, P. O. S. of A., and William F. Williams, of Baltimore; Rev. W. L. Seabrook, State President, P. O. S. of A., and Prof. Geo. F. Morelock, Superintendent of Schools, of Westminster; Prof. Palmer, Superintendent of Schools, of Frederick, and perhaps others.

John Ross Key, of Washington, grandson of Francis Scott Key, over 80 years of age, will be present and give personal recollections of Francis Scott Key and the old homestead.

A great choir of school children, led by adult voices and an orchestra, will render a number of patriotic and appropriate selections. All pupils and patrons of the public schools are especially invited. It should be a great day for the children.

There will be one or more bands of music, and special features that can not now be announced. Refreshments of all kinds, also sandwiches and coffee, will be served. The event will be a "basket" picnic, and visitors are requested to come and spend the entire day.

Flags, badges, souvenirs, and post cards in great variety will be on sale for the benefit of the monument fund. This will be a great day for "the flag," and all will be expected to in some way wear "the colors," and for this reason a patriotic booth will supply all needs.

Many of the camps of the P. O. S. of A. will be present in uniform and regalia. A large delegation is expected from Baltimore, and the National body will be represented. Visitors will be present from many miles, to the extent that the outlook is for this to be the greatest outdoor event ever held in this county. Should Saturday, the 12th, be inclement, the event will be held on Monday, the 14th.

The concrete foundation for the monument was laid on Thursday, so as to give it time to become solid.

The following interesting preface to the aforegoing was published in the Frederick News:

Intimate details and events of the home life of Francis Scott Key during his residence at "Terra Rubra," near Keysville, Md., told by John Ross Key, of Washington, and a grandson of Francis Scott Key, will be one of the chief features of the ceremonies on June 12, marking the unveiling of a monument erected at the Key birthplace and home. Nearly a year ago when John Ross Key, accompanied by Mrs. Key, came to Frederick to participate in the centennial celebrations held here in memory of his grandfather, interesting stories of actual life of the famous author were told. Mr. Key, in his attractive manner, talked interestingly of the life of his famous grandfather, his partiality for animals, and things which make a lasting impression on the mind of a boy. Mr. Key was then only a child, but was with his grandfather much of the time.

FINED FOR VIOLATING THE LIQUOR LAW

On Saturday last about ten young men, of this city, went in one of the busses to Reisterstown for the avowed purpose of obtaining and bringing back liquor with them. The fact became known and was in some way communicated to Sheriff Davis, Deputy Sheriff Arnold and Officer Stem, who went to the Eastern limit of the city and awaited the return of the party. They came back in the bus which reached here about 2 o'clock, Sunday morning. They had bags and gripsacks in which they were carrying beer and whiskey. The bus was halted and the young men, with the receptacles containing the liquor were taken in charge by the officers who found, after investigation, that each of three of them had more than the gallon allowed by law to be brought into the county by a single individual. These three were placed under arrest, and the others of the party left to go on their way. The liquor the three carried was taken to the office of State's Attorney Weant to be confiscated and destroyed. On Monday morning the three young men arrested had a hearing before Police Justice Brown, who found them guilty of violating the Carroll county prohibition law and imposed the minimum penalty, a fine of $50 and costs upon each. The fines were paid.

State's Attorney Weant expressed his firm determination to enforce the law against all offenders, and it is to be hoped that few cases will arise to require his services.

The names of the young men in Saturday night's party are withheld from publication by the Sentinel, which has no desire to throw obloquy upon them, forbearance which it trusts they will appreciate and abstain from repeating their escapade. It must be added, as a warning, however, that those who may indulge in such trips hereafter, will be exposed and their names made public.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

CIRCUIT COURT

Court convened on Monday, after a recess from Friday, 21st inst., with Judges Thomas and Forsythe on the bench, and continued until Tuesday afternoon, when it again took a recess until Monday, 31st inst., when several civil cases are set for trial.

The Criminal docket, which was called on Wednesday, 19th inst., was completed on Tuesday, although unusually large.

State vs. Melvin Myers, larceny, tried before jury; verdict guilty; sentenced to House of Correction for one year; Weant for State, Walsh for prisoner.

State vs. George Gamber, arson, tried before Court; verdict guilty; sentenced to Maryland Penitentiary for five years; Clemson and Walsh appointed by Court for prisoner.

State vs. Clinton Polsten, rape; tried before Court; not guilty of capital offense, guilty of carnal knowledge; sentenced to House of Correction for two months; Weant for State, Reifsnider and Steele, appointed by Court, for prisoner.

State vs. Richard Alban, bastardy, tried before Court, guilty; Weant for State, Steele for traverser; sentenced to give bond.

State vs. Wilson Erb, larceny, plea of guilty; paroled by Court.

State vs. James Smith, larceny, plea guilty; paroled by Court.

A large number of merchants in the county, who through inadvertence had neglected to take out licenses in 1914, who had been indicted by the Grand Jury, were sentenced by the Court, each to pay a fine of five dollars and costs. In the case of four parties who, under the same circumstances were indicted for conducting the business of real estate broker without license, a stet was entered on payment of costs. This action was taken in view of the fact that the minimum penalty for acting as real estate broker without license is five hundred dollars.

Sentences were given as follows: John Squirrel, larceny, House of Correction six months; Levi Fisher, larceny; House of Reformation for colored minors, Cheltenham; David Dorsey, larceny, House of Correction, nine months.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED

Carroll Weller, New Windsor, and Helena Fritz, Linwood.

Curtis Stambaugh, Melrose, and Ruth M. Royer, Lineboro.

John E. Everhart and Anna Bankert, Bachman's Valley.

DeWitt Edward Kemp, Baltimore, and Mary Louise Houck, Winfield.

Earl Ray Moore and Margaret Ann Norcum, Baltimore.

COLORED

Dorothy Milberry, Linwood.

John A. Clarck, Union Bridge, and

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE

Samuel M. Hoff to John H. Hoff, 91 sq. rods, $56.94.

Samuel M. Hoff to John H. Hoff, 80 a., 29 sq. rods, $4500.

Mary C. Clary to Andrew J. Brandenburg, 1216 sq. ft., $1200.

Edward F. Groft to Harry L. Cratin, 70 sq. prs., $5.00.

Harry L. Cratin to Sarah Jane Groft, 70 sq. prs., $5.00.

Charles E. Fink, trustee, to Wm. M. Chipley, 2232 sq. ft., $3,000.

Wm. L. Chipley to Sykesville Nat. Bank, 2232 sq. ft., $3,000.

Chas. E. Gamber to Joshua R. Grossnickle, lot, $225.

Joshua B. Barnes to Ephraim T. Myers, 16 a., 62 sq. prs., $210.

ORPHANS' COURT

Monday, May 24th, 1915.

Agnes McK. Simmons and Edna McK. Scott, administratrices of Jennie E. McKinstry, deceased, returned inventories of personal property and money, receiving order to take personal property and additional warrant to appraise.

Letters of administration on the estate of George E. Linton, late of Carroll county, deceased, were granted unto Mary E. Linton, who received warrant to appraise and order to notify creditors.

Agnes McK. Simmons, surviving executrix of Mordecai C. McKinstry, deceased, received order to transfer stocks and settled her second and final account.

Tuesday, May 25th, 1915.

Francis H. Gosnell, executor of Mary Gosnell, deceased, reported sale of personal property.

The Court will not sit on Monday, May 31st, because of that day being a legal holiday. Court will sit Tuesday and Wednesday instead of Monday and Tuesday.

DISTRICT SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

The Eighth Annual District Sunday School Convention, comprising Manchester, Hampstead, Myers' and Uniontown districts, will be held at Silver Run, in Myers' district, in the Lutheran and Reformed Churches on Sunday afternoon and evening, June 6th, at 2 o'clock in the Lutheran Church and at 7.30 o'clock in the Reformed Church.

Able speakers will be present at both sessions. There are thirty Sunday schools comprising the association of which your school is one. Please have your school represented by a delegate and promptly fill out blank which will be mailed to each minister and superintendent next week and mail promptly to Mr. John E. Null, secretary of District Association, Frizellburg, Md., or present same at day of convention.

This convention is held in the interest of better Sunday schools and more efficient Bible study and you are urged to be present and to have your school represented.

It is of great importance that you give a report of your school, if you have not done so for 1915.

Winona hymns will be used. Bring it with you. Pray for the convention. Come prepared to take part in it.

L. F. Murray, President,
Uniontown, Md.

YOUNG MAN BADLY INJURED

HOWARD COLE STRUCK BY ENGINE NO. 718

Howard Cole, son of Mrs. Margaret Cole, of Pennsylvania avenue, this city, was struck at the railroad crossing by engine No. 718 about 10.30 o'clock last night.

The engine, which was going west, running light, was stopped and the engineer came back to learn the extent of the lad's injuries.

Young Cole and another young man were riding in a buggy on Main street, going west, and when crossing the track in front of the engine Cole either fell out or jumped from the buggy, the engine passing over the toes of the right foot, several of which were partially cut off.

After the engine had passed Cole made his way across the street and stood in the doorway of Mr. Harry Rosenstock's store and with the assistance of some friends he was taken to the Star moving picture parlor, and put in the automobile of Dr. Chas. R. Foutz which was standing there and Dr. Foutz, who was in the picture parlor was summoned and took the young man to his home.

Dr. L. K. Woodward took the young man to Hillen Station, Baltimore this morning. He will be taken in charge by the railroad authorities and probably placed in the Union Protestant Infirmary. Amputation of some of the injured toes may be necessary.

BLUE RIDGE COLLEGE COMMENCEMENT

The exercisee connected with the commencement of Blue Ridge College, at New Windsor, will be held from this evening until Wednesday morning next, and the program thereof will be as follows:

Friday, May 28.
8.00 P. M. Commercial Program.
Saturday, May 29.
7.30 A. M. Chapel.
8.00 P. M. Oratorical Contest.
Sunday, May 30.
9.30 A. M. Sunday School.
10.45 A. M. Graduating Exercises of the Mission Study Class.
8.00 P. M. Baccalaureate Sermon, by Rev. Frank T. Holsopple, A. M., Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of the Harrisburg, Pa., District.
Monday, May 31.
9.30 A. M. Final Chapel Service.
8.00 P. M. Music Graduate Recital.
Tuesday, June 1.
10.30 A. M. Class Day Exercises.
1.30 P. M. Alumni Banquet.
Alumni Business Meeting.
8.00 P. M. Recitation Contest.
Wednesday, June 2.
10.30 A. M. Commencement Exercises.
Address by E. E. Stauffer, A. M., Head of the English Department of Albright College, Myerstown, Pa.
Presentation of Diplomas, Chas. D. Bonsack, Vice-President.
Art Exhibition—Art Studio.
Sewing Exhibition—Room No. 131.
Monday and Tuesday, 9.00 A. M., 4.00 P. M.
Wednesday, 9.00 A. M., 12.00 M.

Twenty-two students, in the various departments of the college, will be graduated, the list being as follows:

Omer Benjamin Maphis, Brookville, O.; Holly Pearl Garner, Union Bridge, Md.; Harry Clarence Fries, Mercersburg, Pa.; Harold Clayton Miller, Eglon, W. Va.; Albert Clayton Schue, New Windsoor, Md.; Charles Emanuel Hoover, Timberville, Va.; Julia Margaret Snader, New Windsor, Md.; Gladys Anna Garber, Greensburg, Pa.; Anna Marie Englar, New Windsor, Md.; Cleta Barr Whitmore, Waynesboro, Pa.; Olive Elizabeth Maust, Elk Lick, Pa.; Marie Carlisle Smelser, New Windsor, Md.; Sadie Amelia Murray, Mount Airy, Md.; Ruth Marie Garber, Washington, D. C.; Della Francis Fike, Terra Alta, W. Va.; Robert Earl Fox, Ladiesburg, Md.; Charles Frederick Bachman, Taneytown, Md.; George Bucher John, New Windsor, Md.; Charles Arthur Hahn, Taneytown, Md.; Elizabeth Anna Angle, Mercersburg, Pa.; Mildred Merryman Marsh, New Windsor, Md.; Orpha Mae Byers, Rocky Ridge, Md.

MANCHESTER HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT

The commencement exercises of the M. H. S. in Trinity Reformed Church on Wednesday evening were largely attended. The school responded to the march by Mrs. Robert Shower at the organ and occupied seats in the front pews. The graduates, ministers and professors, with commissioner Hoffacker, were seated within the chancel which was beatifully decorated in white and green, the class colors. The invocation was by Rev. J. B. Lau; an anthem and the 7th Psalm, by school; Salutatory, Fannie Shower; singing, quartette, Mrs. Nable and Mrs. Erb, Messrs. Geiselman and Hoffacker; an oration, "Wisdom," Winifred Masenhimer. Prof. Wilcox, of the Md. Normal School addressed the graduates, and Mae Musselman delivered an oration, "Junctis Stamus," singing, quartette, Mesdames Lloyd and Shower and Messrs. Lippy and Loats; oration, Anna Shultz, "The Athenians," followed by an address by Dr. Tiffany, of W. Md. College. Mary Crumrine delivered an oration on Americanism. An anthem was sung by the choir and Mildred Hanson delivered the valedictory, "What is Nobility." After a short address Prof. Morelock presented the diplomas to the graduates. The school sang good night and Dr. Land pronounced the benediction, followed by the congratulations of the graduates by many friends.

That strong smell that comes in your windows on these nice afternoons is not the Germans employing asphyxiating gases in your back yard, but merely your neighbor's spring bonfire.

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