Items of Local Interest

This week "flittings" were on the go.

This week Mr. Joseph L. Mathias, memorial dealer, this city, was confined to his home by illness.

Saturday night the Westminster firemen put out a fire in a chimney of a small house on Charles street.

Mrs. Harriet Petry, of West Main street, is confined to her bed with bronchial pneumonia.

Sunday Mr. H. Price Goodwin, near this city, visited Mr. Frank Gorsuch, of Reisterstown, who recently underwent a surgical operation.

Mrs. Charles Christ and daughter, of near Pleasant Valley, have returned home after spending the past week in Littlestown, Pa.

Friday last Mrs. Joseph W. Smith, her son Joseph, and her niece, Miss Eleanor LaMotte, this city, returned from a trip to California and intermediate points.

Monday Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fisher, of this city, who recently purchased the house and lot on Court street from Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Taylor, moved into their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baker, Monday last moved to the property they recently purchased from Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dinst, E. Main street, Mr. and Mrs. Dinst will build a residence on the Lincoln Road, this city.

Saturday last Prof. Seitz, principal of the Westminster High School, attended a meeting of high school principals of Montgomery, Howard, Washington, Frederick, and Carroll county, held in Frederick, Maryland, for the purpose of discussing school problems.

The Woman's Missionary Society of St. Benjamin's Lutheran Church will meet Thursday evening, April 5th, at the home of Mrs. Charles Hosfelt at 7:30. If the weather should be unfavorable it will be held the following evening.

Saturday last Jefferson D. Hooper, of Franklinville, this county, pleaded guilty in the U. S. District Court, Baltimore, to having 200 gallons of peach mash, and ten gallons of distilled spirits on his premises, contrary to the Volstead law, and was fined $250 and costs.

Mesdames John Utermahlen and Vernon Smith attended a quilting party at the home of Mrs. A. C. Bell, near this city, it being Mrs. William Bell's birthday. All present enjoyed the day. Dinner, and later refreshments were served. Then the guests departed wishing Mrs. Bell many more happy birthdays.

Harry Sallow, proprietor of the Hub Clothing Company, Hagerstown, who was tried for setting fire to his stock of goods and causing a loss to a number of persons, among them being the late Milton Magin, this city, who boarded over the store, was convicted of arson and sentenced to the penitentiary for 20 years by the Circuit Court for Waoshington county.

The Westminster Fire Department was called to a fire above New Windsor, eight miles out of town Saturday morning at 10:30. The fire was out when they arrived. Saturday evening a chimney fire at the Woodward residence, Meadow Branch, was extinguished by the aid of chemicals. A chimney fire was also put out by chemicals at 10:15 P. M. the same day.

The Easter Sunday services of Grace Lutheran church, this city, Rev. John B. Rupley, pastor, will be as follows: Dawn services at 6:30 a. m. with sermon "An Easter Dawn." Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Morning worship with reception of new members and holy communion at 10:30 a. m. Infant baptism at 2 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Special program by Sunday school in Sunday school rooms at 7.30 p. m. Confessional service and holy communion marked the worship on Holy Thursday.

Because the decision of Attorney-General Armstrong will hinder the transfer of prisoners from the Penitentiary to the House of Correction, Col. Claude B. Sweezey, warden of the two institutions, said that legislative action will be taken next year to settle the problem. Under an opinion rendered last week the Board of Welfare was told by the Attorney-General that it must adhere to the strict letter of the law in its transfer of prisoners from one institution to another. Under the law, transfer may be made only for disciplinary purposes, while the plan of the Board of Welfare was to use the prisoners of the House of Correction who had sentences of a year or more in the prison shops.

Mr. Vernon Smith, of near this city, spent last Friday in Baltimore.

This week Mrs. Harry Allison, of Baltimore, visited relatives in this city.

On April 17 and 18 the State Council of the Maryland Jr. O. U. A. M. will be held in Frederick, Maryland.

Sunday last Mrs. J. Francis Reese and daughter Betty, of this city, returned home from a visit to friends in Washington, D. C.

Easter Sunday beginning at 10 A. M., an Easter program will be rendered at Sam's Creek Church of the Brethren.

Complaint is made that the schools do not provide enough debating contests, but the pupils have them with their parents anyway.

Mr. Frank Yingling, who was paralyzed on Monday, is in a very serious condition at the home of his brother, Mr. Daniel Yingling, Webster street, this city.

This week Mr. and Mrs. Bushrod Hagy, who have resided in this city for a number of years, Mr. Hagy having been superintendent of the Carroll Oak Tannery, at Tannery, near this city, moved to Pittsburgh, Pa.

The funeral of Mrs. Louisa J. Mackall, mother of John N. Mackall, Chairman, of the State Roads Commission, and Director of Public Works of Maryland, who died Monday last, took place Wednesday at Port Republic, Charles county, Maryland.

Frederick county farmers are buying seed corn of Reid's yellow-dent and Johnson county white varieties from farmers of Harford county, Maryland, who won first prizes at the recent National Corn Show, believing that the corn will do better in Frederick county than Harford.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy W. Steele, this city, have announced the engagement of their eldest daughter, Miss Mary Grafton Steele, to Commander Comfort Benedict Platt, U. S. Navy, now stationed in Washington, D. C. The wedding, which will be a military one, will take place in June in Ascension Episcopal Church, this city. The groom elect is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Murray Platt, of Pittsfield, Mass.

The University of Maryland Extension Service has selected the following young men and women of this county to receive three settings of eggs offered by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company for the purpose of raising Rhode Island Red and White Plymouth Rock chickens: Berkley Barnes, Evelyn M. Bair, Margaret Poole, Howard Zepp, Columbus E. Grimes, Sykesville; F. Walter Smith, Lucinda Logue, Mabel S. Shipley, Stanley D. Bowersox and Irvin E. Flickinger, Westminster.

Howard McLaughlin, aged 23, Emmittsburg, was accidently shot in the left cheek by his younger brother, John McLaughlin, at their home, near Emmitsburg, Sunday afternoon with a .22-calliber revolver. The victim is at the Frederick City Hospital for treatment but is not in a serious condition. The accident resulted, it is said when the younger brother, said to be 16 years old, handled a revolver he did not know was loaded.

PLEASANT VALLEY

Mrs. Sarah, wife of William Henry Myers, was taken to a Baltimore hospital on Tuesday. She has been suffering for the past six months and is now in a very weakened condition. Mr. Myers had sale on Monday and will move to Cherry Grove.

Holy Week services are being well attended.

Holy communion Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Easter services in the evening at 7:30. Special orchestra music at both services, with Prof. Edward P. Zepp leader.

Mr. Elmer F. Kindig is beautifying his home by giving his buildings a coat of paint. Mr. Hollie Myers is doing the work.

Mrs. John H. Brown held a quilting on Wednesday to which a few of her friends were invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eckard entertained on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Samuel H. Eckard, Stonersville; Mr. and Mrs. Oliver M. Mathias and children, Littlestown; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Myers and son and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Helwig.

Misses Mary and Fannie Geiman held a quilting on Tuesday.

Mrs. Horace Koontz returned home after spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Warehime, Littlestown.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Devilbiss, Hanover, spent several days with their son George and family.

UNION MILLS

The Jesters Club, of Western Maryland College, entertained with humor and music, very pleasantly, an audience at the Charles Carroll school building on the evening of the 21 inst. The community had only about twenty-four hours notice that the jesters were coming, else the audience would have been much larger.

Mrs. A. F. Dreisbach, wife of Rev. Dr. A. F. Dreisbach, a former pastor of the Reformed church, Silver Run, died, February 28, aged 62 years, at the home of her husband, in Weehawken, N. J. Her remains were interred in Greenwood cemetery, Lancaster, Pa.

The parent-teacher meeting held on the 22 inst., at the Charles Carroll school building, was for the benefit of the farmers. County Agent Radebaugh and Mr. Ballard, who conducted some work in Cecil county, last year, talked on tomato culture, and Mr. Carmichel exhibited a set of moving pictures entitled "Exit Ascaria," which related to the raising of swine.

Arthur L. Hollinger has converted his machine shop into a sash factory, and, with some additional help, has taken a contract for furnishing the window sash for a hundred or more houses that are being constructed at Battery Park, near Bethesda, Md.

A chicken supper, to which the public is invited, will be given in the social room of the Reformed church, Silver Run, on the evenings of April 11 and 12.

Charles O. Bloom, after spending the winter with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Woodfall, of Glenburnie, Md., has returned to his home in Union Mills.

Holy Communion will be celebrated at both the morning and evening services at St. Mary's Reformed church, Silver Run, on Easter Sunday.

MANCHESTER

Mrs. William N. Masenhimer was notified of the death of her friend, Mrs. Amanda Atwell, last week at a hospital in Washington where she went in company with friends and submitted to an operation that was successful, but another matter was found that required attention the next day, from which she did not rally, but passed away aged 26 years. She was a daughter of [illegible] Ritasc, who was a resident here for a number of years, conducting a bakery, and where Mrs. Atwell spent her girlhood days. When the family moved to Baltimore she married and made her home in Washington where her husband had employment. Her remains were brought to the Baltimore home from where she was buried. Mrs. M. told us that the flowers were in abundance and the most beautiful designs. The friends of Mr. R. at the Sun office, where he is a distributor, had some among the most beautiful designs.

The sudden death of Mrs. Leanora Shultz, wife of Hezekiah Shultz, both natives of this town, but for many years residents of Baltimore, was a shock to her friends. She was a sister of Mrs. J. Wesley Hoffacker and a frequent visitor at their home. She was 67 years old, and is survived by her husband.

This is our moving time and loaded wagons are zig zagging through the country roads and through town on their way to new homes.

Harry Warehime and family moved into the Lippy home on North Main street which they bought.

Charles Frederick moved to the farm north of town that for many years was in the Everhart family.

Mr. William H. Gettier moved into the Edward Trump home he bought on South Main street, from his farm he sold to his son-in-law, O. Graf.

Mr. George P. Everhart, of Hanover, stepped in upon us last week long enough to shake hands and say goodbye. He was looking fine and much improved in his general health.

Walter W. Wentz and family moved into part of our home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rupp went to housekeeping and occupied the rooms vacated by H. Warehime in the Berwager apartment house on North Main street, Mrs. B. taking those vacated by W. W. Wentz.

The new store on the North West corner of Main street and Foundry avenue has changed hands, the building and stock of goods, it is said, was sold to the late purchaser for $12,000.

Trinity Reformed Sunday school is in practice to take part in the evening service of Trinity Reformed Church on Sunday, April 1st.

Miss Sadie E. Masenhimer is back again at her work in the bank.

W. C. Stick had to take his bed and become a shut-in with influenza.

CARROLLTON

Regular services in the Bethel Church of God on Sunday with an Easter entertainment in the evening.

Services were well attended on Sunday morning with a splendid sermon by the pastor, Rev. J. L. Masemore. There was re-election of Sunday School officers, which resulted as follows: Superintendent, E. C. Ebaugh; Assistant, John Houck; Organists, Mary Long and Beatrice Houck; Treasurer, Irvin Evans, and Sectretary, Eurith Evans and Annie Spencer. Now, as we have reorganized we hope everybody will come out and make the S. S. more of a success than ever before.

Virgie Blizzard moved his family in W. H. Long's house on Monday and Roland Rill moved in Garnett Spencer's house on Tuesday.

Clarence Chew has been suffering greatly with his knee for over a week It is thought it may be an abscess under the knee cap.

BACHMAN'S

Mrs. Wm. Leister spent a few days in Baltimore last week visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Coppersmith and son Elmer called Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Coppersmith.

Harvey S. Wineholt and daughter Elsie motored to Baltimore last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Therit and family, of Hanover, Pa., spent Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Therit.

Mr. Spencer Wineholt returned home Monday after spending a week with M. Herbert Lambert and family, of Wakefield.

Mr. W. Fern Sullivan moved to Baltimore on Tuesday. Those who accompained the flitting were, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sullivan and son Melvin, Mrs. W. Fern Sullivan and children, H. S. Wineholt and daughter Viola.

Mr. John R. Hull moved to a farm near Littlestown, Pa., on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Resh motored to New Oxford, Pa., on Sunday afternoon, where they visited relatives.

Mr. Chester Geiman was the chief butcher at the home of Mr. Francis Klinedinst on Wednesday.

Messrs. Herbert Lambert and Edw. Grimes, of near Wakefield, made a trip to this place on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wineholt and family called Sunday evening at the home of Mr. Wm. Eisenhuth and family at Ebbvale.

STONE CHAPEL

Sunday school 10 A. M. April 1st.

The Mite Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Owings, Morgan Valley, Wednesday, 2 P. M. April 4. We desire all members to be present as it will be the election of officers.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Formwalt spent Sunday with Clarence Duvall and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Bowers and daughter Ethel spent Monday in Baltimore.

Flittings are the order of the day.

Bernard Smith and family moved to Medford; Maurice Benkard will move to the Richardson farm, Wakefield; James Danner to the Kaufman farm, near Uniontown, and Walter Duvall to the O'Farrell farm above Westminster.

The women of the Medford Grange will have in the Times building a sale table of home made rolls, rusks, cakes, candy, potato chips, and colored and fresh eggs, Saturday March 31, beginning 10 A. M. and continuing during the afternoon.

Sunday school 1:30 P. M., and preaching 2:30 P. M., April 1st in the Bethel Church, Warfieldsburg. All are welcome.

TANEYTOWN

Milton Koons spent Friday in Baltimore.

Miss Ruth Ohler, of Mexico, Md., spent the week end in town.

Agatha Weant and Vesta Zepp spent Monday in Westminster.

Mrs. Harry Spankle, who for the past several weeks, was a patient at the Warner Hospital, Gettysburg, Pa., returned home on Saturday.

C. E. Dern spent Thursday in Westminster.

Samuel H. Mehring spent Friday in Westminster.

Miss M. Annan, of Baltimore, visited relatives and friends in town.

Carroll Dutterer, a student at Washington Colege, Chestertown, Md., is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. K. Dutterer, and family.

Mrs. Herbert Winter and daughter Carrie spent Saturday in Hanover.

Ernest Stoneselfer, and Howard Sentz, of Hanover, spent Saturday and Sunday in town.

C. E. King spent Monday in Westminster.

Martha Myers, spent Monday in Westminster.

Our street lights went off again Thursday night, due to the electrical storm that passed over our community.

George W. Baumgardner, of near Marker's Mill, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Baumgardner, and family.

Lena E. Angell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Albert Angel, and Fern Hitchcock, son of Dr. and Mrs. N. A. Hitchcock, were quietly married in York, Pa., on Saturday afternoon. Miss Angell, is a teacher of York, Pa., and Hitchcock is the captain of the baseball team, of Laurel, Delaware.

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Mr. Ezra Frock and family, who have been in our midst for eleven years, will make Hanover their future home.

One of our prominent men recently interviewed some of the "Big Men" of Westminster, who have supervision over our roads, and received the startling news that the road from the Mason-Dixon Line to Hampstead would be "repaired." What we need is a newly built macadam or concrete road, as this is a direct route between Gettysburg and the Lincoln Highway to Baltimore, rendering it a much traveled thoroughfare. There is no just reason why the road should not be rebuilt. Our taxpayers want, in return for their taxes, a "new" road, not a "patched up" affair.

Melrose is once more getting on the map with two well equipped stores, a garage and a creamery handling 16,000 pounds of milk every week, equal to about 500 pounds of butter.

So many changes have been and are being made in moving this spring that we will not attempt to write out all of them.

A number of our people have purchased touring cars.

Some of our farmers have purchased tractors and no doubt some contemplate purchasing airoplanes in the near future.

Mr. Grant Bish, of Ebbvale, had the misfortune to lose a valuable mule on Monday last.

Little chicks are making their appearance, which is a sign of spring. We learn that Mr. Harrly Warner of near Manchester, has a large "cluck" that hatches 18,000 eggs at one time.

Every day is April Fool's Day for the people who buy the sucker stocks.

The slang expression for dollars used to be "bones" or "bucks" but now its "berries." Probably because a dollar doesn't look much bigger than a huckleberry now.

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