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BALTIMORE'S NEW MAYOR.

By the death of Mayor Robert M. McLane the president of the Second Branch of the City Council, Mr. Edwin Clay Timanus, becomes mayor of the City. Mr. Timanus is a pronounced Republican, but it is not expected that politics will play a very prominent part in his administration. Baltimore's need, just now, is the conduct of her municipal affairs on thorough business lines. Of course, there are some appointments which Mayor Timanus can and probably will confer upon Republicans, but even in this respect there will be a disposition to hamper him in his just rights, by Democrats, who will be loth to lose anything by the tragedy of Mayor McLane's death. If they had a facile Governor, like John Walter Smith, they might even try legislating Mr. Timanus out of office through a special session of the legislature. In this, however, it is reasonable, from Governor Warfield's record thus far, to anticipate their failure if they attempt it.

IT WILL BE IGNORED.

An indictment of the Republican party of the United States by a convention of Maryland Democrats, at this period of the country's history, is an almost farcical proceeding. And yet that is about what can be said of the resolutions adopted and the speeches made at the Democratic convention in Baltimore last week. Little or nothing that has been done under Republican administrration escaped animadversion and adverse criticism, and the Democratic solons declaimed and resolved, in dreary platitudes, that the Democratic party, of which it can be truthfully said that it advocated the payment of the public debt in irredeemable greenbacks; that it repeatedly voted that a 50-cent dollar has as much purchasing power as a 100-cent one; that free-trade is better than protection; that it made Maryland politics a stench in the nostrils of decent people for thirty years, and that from 1893 to 1897 it brought the country to the very verge of financial wreck and ruin, is the party to reform abuses and deliver the land from existing abuses—abuses which, according to this indictment, are almost without limit.

It is not too much to expect that the people will return this Democratic indictment "ignoramus," at the election in November. They had the experience of a Democratic administration from 1893 till 1897, which, in its consequences, make its repetition most undesirable to people who prefer prosperity to adversity. The history of that period is yet too fresh in the minds of all, except the very young, to be lightly put aside as of no consequence in the affairs of the country. There is many a business man whose career of prosperity was ruthlessly cut short by the action of the tariff tinkers elected in 1892, and who does not desire to see a return of the stagnation which marked almost every line of industry during that era.

The contrast between the prosperity of today and the adversity which marked the four years of Mr. Cleveland's last administration is about the best answer that can be given to Maryland Democrats, or Democrats of any part of the country, who undertake to arraign and condemn the Republican party, which has administered the government and done much to make the country great, as well as prosperous, during the last seven years and more. And the people are not likely to forget it.

THE WAR IN MANCHURIA.

Reports from the seat of war in Manchuria are to the effect that Gen. Kuropatkin, the Russian commander, is moving a large army southward for the relief of Port Arthur and that a decisive battle is impending. Since the Japs captured Ninchau, however, the prospect of protecting Port Arthur from seige and capture by the Japanese is a very slender one. It begins to be apparent that the movements of the latter, from the beginning, have been designed to facilitate the investment of the Russian stronghold and that the Russians have been completely outgeneraled.

In assuming the aggressive north of the Yalu river, Gen Kuroki created the impression that he meant to inaugurate a forward movement against the Russians.

After the battle with and defeat of the Russian forces under Gen. Sasselitch a sort of see-sawing movement began and the Japs, after flanking the Russians out of several strong positions, retired from their most advanced stations, then advanced again and so on. In the meantime operations on the Liao-tung Peninsula were going forward until a sufficient Japanese force was landed, Ninchau and its defences, which were regarded as impregnable, captured, and the evacuation of Dalny, the great Russian seaport, rendered necessary. Now these points are in the hands of the Japanese and Port Arthur, the real objective of the Japs, is cut off from relief, except by an overwhelming army and at the cost of the slaughter of untold thousands of Russians.

Japan has sacrificed many men to gain this vantage ground, but now holds the key to the situation, with a bright prospect of ultimately compelling the surrender of Port Arthur. When that object shall have been accomplished the war will probably come to an end. Japan will be in a position to dictate terms, as the English and French were when they captured Sevastopol fifty years ago.

Some desultory fighting has occurred between detached portions of the contending armies, but these are mere incidents, without permanent effect either way.

U. S. SENATOR QUAY.

Matthew Stanley Quay, United States Senator from Pennsylvania, and for the last quarter of a century or more the leader of the Republican party and the controlling power in the politics of that State, died at his home in Beaver, on Saturday afternoon last, at the age of 71 years.

The immediate cause of Senator Quay's death was exhaustion, due to inability to assimilate nourishment. Chronic gastritis and inflammation of the stomach were the foundations of the trouble.

Matthew Stanley Qnay was born in Dillsburg, York county, Pa., September 30, 1833. He was graduated from Jefferson College in 1850, and was admitted to the bar in 1854. In 1856 he was elected prothonotary of Beaver county, which place he held until the outbreak of the Civil War. He then went to the front as a lieutenant in the Tenth Pennsylvania Reserves, afterward resigning from the regiment and occupying various staff positions.

He also held several civil positions of trust before his election to the Senate, in which he has served several terms.

Suicide of Mayor McLane.

Hon. Robert M. McLane, mayor of Baltimore, committed suicide on Monday afternoon, by shooting himself through the head with a bullet from a 32 caliber revolver. As nearly as the time when the shot was fired can be fixed, it was at quarter after three o'clock, and death ensued at five minutes before 5 o'clock. The act of self-destruction was committed at the mayor's home, No. 29 West Preston street. The bullet which ended Mayor McLane's life, entered the right temple near the eye, passed horizontally through the brain, and emerged from his head just above the left ear.

The causes which led to the dreadful deed are shrouded in mystery, but it is generally attributed to the strain placed upon the mayor by the consideration of questions growing out of the rehabilitation of Baltimore from the great disaster which occurred early in February. Mayor McLane has been the subject of much adverse criticism because of his apparent inability to lead in a campaign for the betterment of the city. He was not a practical business man, and was illy equipped, in that respect, for the tremendous responsibilities thrust upon him by the awful fire which wiped out the business section of the city. He was probably conscious of his defects in this respect, and it may be that this, coupled with the severe criticism to which he was subjected, drove him into a desperate mood, in which he plunged deliberately into the unknown to escape the annoyances and troubles he was encountering in his official life. This, however, is altogether a matter of speculation, as up to a few minutes before he committed the fatal act Mr. McLane appeared in a cheerful mood, made an engagement to walk with his wife, to whom he was married only 16 days before, and joked with her about some trivial affair.

The opinion has been advanced by friends of the mayor that the shooting was accidental, but that theory is totally untenable. The muzzle of the revolver from which the fatal shot was fired was held so close to his head that the flesh was scorched and his hair singed. It is possible, as has been suggested, that the act was committed under a sudden insane impulse and without premeditation. All accounts agree that nothing in the manner of the mayor, up to the moment when last seen alive by his wife, gave any intimation of mental abberation or suicidal purpose.

The dreadful deed is simply inexplicable. Mayor McLane, to all appearances, had everything to make life desirable. He was a lawyer of acknowledged ability and had been honored by the people of Baltimore to a degree that would have been gratifying to many a citizen of greater age and equal standing in private life. He was a member of a distinguished family and his own future held the promise of even greater personal distinction than had already fallen to his share. He was only in his 37th year and his recent marriage was apparently a happy one. Taking all things into consideration the mystery of his act of self-destruction cannot be solved by any human being.

But, whatever the cause, the tragedy was one of the most startling in the history of Baltimore and shocked the people of the city, and of the entire State as well, beyond measure. The remains of the dead mayor were removed to the home of his father, James L. McLane, 903 Cathedral street, on Tuesday, and a strictly private funeral service held on Wednesday afternoon, after which they were interred in Greenmount Cemetery.

The exercises connected with the commencement of the Woman's College, at Frederick, will begin with the baccalaureate service, which will be held on Sunday evening, at 7.30 o'clock, in the Evangelical Reformed Church, Frederick. The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered by the president, J. H. Apple, A. M. The commencement will take place in College Hall, Thursday, 8th inst., 8 P. M. An address will be delivered on the occasion by Dr. Merrill E. Gates, ex-president of Amherst College.

The name of Powhatan, Baltimore county, has been changed to Woodlawn. The change was made by the postoffice authorities at the request of Mr. A. Bowling, vice-president of the Woodlawn Cemetery Company, which owns nearly all of the ground in and about the village, and whose holdings are about 400 acres.

For the Sentinel.

BULL DOGS AND BOYS.

My Dear Mr. Editor:—The ADVOCATE of last week had a very emphatic statement of its principles as to the relative value of bull dogs and boys. As the owner of a bull dog and the father of a boy (a combination which I think has not been the experience of the Advocate's editors,) I take issue with the would be sarcasm of that paper to the extent of saying that there is at least one man in the city of Westminster who has done his duty as he saw it—paid his taxes on the bull dog and endeavored to make home attractive enough to keep the boy off the streets at night.

Cannot the editors of the ADVOCATE find a better whetstone for the sharpening of their wits than boys and bull dogs?

Yours truly
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ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

Co. H Baseball Team.

The baseball team of Company H, 1st Regt., I. M. N. G., is fast rounding into shape. On last Saturday afternoon they took the Winfield into camp to the tune of 15 to 10. Up to the seventh inning the game looked blue for the soldiers, but, after two hands were out in the seventh, they found Winfield's pitcher for several hits and, with the aid of an error, scored three runs, making the score 10 to 9. The lead put new life into Company H and they hammered out five more runs in the eighth inning and clinched the game. Score, Company H 15, Winfield 10.

On Wednesday, June 1st, they went went up against the Carroll Athletic Club, a team picked from all Carroll county, and the game ended in a tie score of 6 to 6. The game was well played from beginning to end, Company H having the advantage in batting, while the Carrolls put up the best fielding game. Erb, for the soldiers, clearly outclassed Danner, of the Carrolls, in the pitcher's box and no less than ten of the Carrolls fanned the air. The game was a see-saw, first one then the other having the lead, and the ninth inning opened with Carroll one run to the good. Company H had two men out when Zendgraft placed a nice single in right field and stole second; Shriver drove a pretty single to center and Zendgraft scored, tieing the score. Shriver died on the third, Lawyer being hit by a batted ball.

Carroll opened the tenth with a hit and scored one pretty hit over the fence by Hann. Then, with a man on second and one on third, Carroll's captain went down to third to coach and running along the base line towards home called, "Throw it home," and Erb threw the ball home to catch the supposed base runner. Company H claimed the man on third was out because of the interference of the coach, which claim was a correct one according to Sec. 16, Article 56, of the Playing Rules of Professional Baseball Clubs. The umpire refused to allow the claim and Captain Shriver refused to go on with the game. The game reverted to the last even inning played, the ninth, with the score 6 to 6, as the umpire did not call the game or declare a forfeit, but left the field.

Gamber Items.

The children's day exercise at Providence M. P. Church, last Sabbath, was a success in every particular, and reflected much credit on those who had the management of it. The church was crowded to its utmost capacity both afternoon and evening. The decorations were beautiful indeed, consisting of cut and potted flowers, ferns, &c. The following programme was well rendered; Organ voluntary, Mrs. Clemmie Sellers; singing, Waving Banners; prayer, by Rev. Cassen; responsive reading, led by pastor; singing Onward Faithful Soldiers; address of welcome, by Maggie Zepp; recitation, by Edna Barnes; solo, by Eva Shipley; recitation, by Viola Barnes; exercise, by 14 little tots; singing, by Primary Class, Blessed Story; recitation by Pearl Barnes; recitation, Bertha Philips; solo, Mabel Shipley; dialogue, Lewis Shipley and Wm. D. Bush; quartet, Let Us Rest, by Dr. and Mrs. Gorsuch, Mrs. Geo. Benson and Mr. N. B. Gardner; recitation, by May Brauning; recitation, by Frank Pool; singing, Send The Gospel; exercise, by 5 little girls; recitation, by Daisy Pool; duet, Mrs. Geo. Benson and Miss Goldie Barnes; recitation, by Pauline Barnes; recitation, by Bessie Zepp; solo, by Clemmie Sellers; recitation, by Grace Gamber; exercise, by 4 girls; recitation, by Charles Brauning; singing, Our Offering; recitation, by Stella Brauning; recitation, by Alverta Benson; address, by pastor; concluding song, "Goodbye"; benediction.

The net receipts of the festival held by the Ladies' Mite Society, on Saturday evening were $30, for which they extend their thanks to the public generally.

Mr. N. Benson is at work on the foundation of his new wind-pump and laying water pipes to his new residence.

Miss Lida Barnes spent some days last week in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Myrle Hood and sister, Maggie Arnold, of Baltimore, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Abram Haines.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Hoyt are spending some time with Mrs. Hoyt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. E. Barnes.

Mr. William Williams and wife are visiting at Mr. Lewis Shipley's.

Mr. J. W. Sellers and wife are visiting friends at York, Pa.

Uniontown Items.

Mrs. Susie McCullough, of Baltimore, is visiting her brother-in-law and family, Rev. C. E. McCullough, at the M. P. parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Myers attended the Agricultural College exercises near Washington, D. C., and also visited their son Howard, in Baltimore, for a few days, returning on Monday.

Misses Ray Grumbine, of Frederick, and Grace McAlister, of Woodside, were guests of Mrs. Robert Davidson, near Hampstead, the past week.

Miss Amy Roop, of Westminster, has been spending a week at her aunt, Mrs. Hannah Dotterer's, assisting in caring for her grandmother, Mrs. Lavina Senseney.

Dr. Frank Little, president of the Md. Annual Conference, M. P. Church, will fill the pulpit in the Methodist Protestant Church on Sunday evening, at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Irene Cover Shreeve and son Jesse are visiting her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Cover, at Easton, Md.

Miss Lucille Weaver is spending sometime with her grandma, Mrs. Penelope Martin, of Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Eyler, of Roop's Mill, were guests of Mrs. E's. sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Row.

Mrs. M. C. Gilbert, Miss Eva Gilbert and Tilden Gilbert spent Monday attending memorial services at Winfield.

Mrs. Frank Starr, Mrs. Griselda Starr and Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Brundige, of Westminster, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weaver on Wednesday evening.

Dr. Charles Routson, of Baltimore, was the guest of his father and family, Mr. George H. Routson, over Sunday.

Rev. Charles Paul Meeks will preach in the Church of God, Uniontown, on Sunday morning and evening.

The almost unexpected death of Mr. Marshall G. Shaw, on Monday morning, cast a gloom over our community. He was a man of ability and usefulness, always cheery and bright, and so willing to extend the helping hand to everyone in need. Devoted to his family he lived for their pleasure and happiness and was always looking forward to some anticipated enjoyment for them. O, how he will be missed in the home only those near and dear to him will know. How much we shall miss him, how our hearts ache with the knowledge that he will no more hail his many friends with his cheerful salutation. But he died, and a vacant chair is left that can never be filled with another like him. Lovingly kind to his parents he cared for them until their deaths, as he also did for many, many others.

Thirty-Fourth Commencement, Western Maryland College.

The 34th commencement of Western Maryland College will take place on the 15th inst., when eleven young men and seventeen young women will be graduated. Their names and an account of class honors will be found elsewhere in the SENTINEL this week.

The exercises incident to the commencement will begin on Friday evening, at 8 o'clock, with the program of the preparatory school in closing for the term, and will be continued daily as follows:

SATURDAY, JUNE 11, 8 P. M.

Class receptions, and entertainment of senior class at dinner by President Lewis.

SUNDAY, JUNE 12, 10.30 A. M.

Baccalaureate sermon, by President Lewis; 8 P. M., sermon before the Christian Association by Rev. Dr. A. R. Steck, pastor of Union Lutheran Church of York, Pa.

MONDAY, JUNE 13TH, 10.30 A. M.

Opening of exhibit of work in drawing and painting; 2 P. M., society reunions in society halls; 8 P. M., recital by graduates in music and elocution, as follows: Piano, Misses Mary E. Clark, Elsie L. George, Nelsie E. Horsey, Nellie A. Sellman, Bessie B. Sloan; vocal, Nellie A. Sellman; elocution, Levin I. Insley, Geo. L. White, Misses Margaret J. Bennett, Carrie W. Gardner, Eugenia C. R. Geiman, Ella Love, Marianna Sterling, Grace A. Thomas.

TUESDAY, JUNE 14TH, 10 A. M.

Annual meeting of trustees; 10.30 A. M., Freshman and Sophomore contests in elocution for the Norment prizes, in which the contestants are as follows: Freshmen—John H. Hendrickson, Lewis E. Purdum, Wm. N. Sellman, George F. Thomas, Misses Edith M. Mills, Sarah A. Stallings, Carrie H. Thomas, Lillian L. Zahn; Sophomores—Wesley D. Adams, George E. Bevans, Sumner Graves, Roy C. Smith, Misses Nellie Darby, Madeleine L. Gilbert, Marjorie Lewis, Margaret L. McCune; 4 P. M., annual business meeting of the Alumni Association; 8 P. M., oratorical contests of the literary societies, in which the contestants will be as follows: Irving Society—John M. Henry, Franklin E. Rathburn; Webster Society—Francis K. Little, Burdette B. Webster; Browning Society—Misses Sara R. Garey, Della M. Wright; Philomathean Society—Misses Clara E. Walls, Nellie Darby.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15, 9.30 A. M.

Commencement. Music by First Regiment Band, Prof. Leon Sampaix, leader; orations by ten graduates; award of undergraduate honors; conferring of degrees.

A CARD.

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Pleasant Grove M. E. Sunday School will hold their annual festival on June 4th, at the church near Sandyville, beginning at 6 p. m. If the weather should be unfavorable that day it will be held the following Monday. Public cordially invited.

The Mite Society of the Pipe Creek M. P. Church will hold a lunch and strawberry festival on Saturday evening, June 11th, at Medford Hall, commencing at 4 o'clock, P. M.

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Taylorsville M. E. Church will hold an Ice Cream and Strawberry festival for the benefit of the Sunday School, June 11th, beginning at 5 o'clock, P. M., and continuing during the evening.

A Strawberry and Ice Cream festival will be held for the benefit of Bethel school, Saturday evening, June 11th, on the lawn at the school house, near Church of God, Carrollton.

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The Ladies' Aid Society of Zion M. P. Church will hold an ice cream festival on Saturday, 18th inst., commencing at noon and continuing until 10 P. M.

The trustees of Mt. Olive M. E. Church will hold their annual festival on Saturday afternoon and night, 4th inst. The Elite Orchestra will furnish music for the occasion. Come and have a good time with us.

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

Preaching, Sunday evening, June 5th, at Mr. Samuel Roser's, near Wakefield, by Elder T. B. Tyler, of the Church of God, near Carrollton.

MARRIED

On May 29th, 1904, at Surrey, N. Dakota, by Elder D. M. Sborb, Mr. I. Arthur Englar, formerly of Westminster district, and Miss Ida May Miller, both of Surrey, N. D.

In Taneytown, June 1st, 1904, by Rev. P. S. Hooper, Mr. Wm. Edgar Thomson, of Baltimore, and Miss Lorena Williams Le Fevre, of Taneytown.

At Centenary M. E. Church, this city, June 1st, 1904, by Rev. Durbin G. Miller, Mr. C. Edgar Nusbaum and Miss Henrietta Shreeve, both of this city.

In Baltimore, June 1st, 1904, by Rev. Jno. T. Ensor, Mr. Harry P. Wareheim and Miss Pleasant Pearl Matthews, of Hampstead.

DIED.

In Baltimore, May 30th, 1904, Anna M., wife of Peter J. Beck, and daughter of the late Samuel Ripple, of this county, aged 52 years.

Near Uniontown, May 30th, 1904, Marshall G. Shaw, aged 68 years, 11 months and 1 day.

In Sandyville, May 26th, 1904, Wm. P. Shilling, aged 78 years and 9 months.

Near Smallwood, May 26th, 1904, Mary, widow of John Lockard, aged 82 years and 4 months.

Near Bird Hill, May 28th, 1904, John L. Zahn, aged 53 years, 1 month and 23 days.

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REV. G. W. BAUGHMAN, Pastor.
JACOB S. GLADHILL,
AUGUSTUS LAMBERT,
May 18th, 1904. Trustees.
may 20 4t

We, the undersigned, being a majority of the directors of the A. McGinnis Company of Carroll County, do hereby call a special meeting of the stockholders of said company to be held at the Company's office, at McGinnis Sideling in Carroll County, Maryland, on Saturday, July 2, 1904, at ten o'clock A. M., for the purposes of considering and acting upon a proposition for the increase of a number of directors in said company and of increasing the capital stock from fifteen thousand dollars, divided into three hundred shares of the par value of fifty dollars each, to fifty thousand dollars, divided into two thousand shares of the par value of twenty-five dollars each, and of amending the certificate of incorporation accordingly.

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Wheat	98@	1 03
Corn	51@	57½
Oats	43@	48¾
Rye	76@	79
Hay	11 50@	16 50
Straw	10 00@	24 00
Dry Salt Shoulders	7½@	7½
Bulk Rib Sides	7¾@	7¾
Hams	11½@	11¾
Lard	7½@	7¾
Butter	14@	21
Eggs	15@	17½

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Flour—Crown (extra)	4 15@	4 15
Flour—Gorsuch' Best	5 50@	5 50
Flour—Sea Foams (patent)	6 00@	6 00
Bran per ton	22 00@	22 00
White Middlings per ton	25 00@	25 00
Wheat	96@	96
Wheat, damp	60@	60
Rakings	50@	55
Rye	60@	60
Barley	35@	40
Oats	30@	35
Corn	3 25@	3 25
New Timothy Hay per ton	8 00@	10 00
Clover Hay per ton	6 00@	7 00
Mixed Hay per ton	7 00@	7 00
Rye Straw	15 00@	16 00
Wheat Straw	4 00@	5 00
Hungarian Seed	50@	55
Corn Meal per 100 lbs	1 50@	1 50
Bacon Shoulders	9@	10
Bacon Sides	7@	8
Hams	10@	12
Butter	25@	25
Timothy Seed	1 25@	1 50
Clover Seed per lb	6@	8
Lard	8@	10
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