AMERICAN SENTINEL.
WESTMINSTER, MARYLAND
JOS. D. BROOKS, Editor.
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UNIONTOWN

Rev. G. J. Hill and Burrier L. Cookson are attending the M. P. Conference, held at Federalsburg, this week. Rev. Hill resigned as pastor of this charge at the last business meeting.

Services to be held Passion Week in the Lutheran church, will be a sermon by Rev. Hixon Bowersox, on Thursday evening, and one by Harry P. Baughman, on Good Friday evening, an early dawn prayer meeting on Easter morning, and in the evening the Sunday School will render an Easter service.

On last Saturday evening quite a number of Miss Arminta Murray's friends called to spend the evening, it being her birthday. Their coming caused a shower of handkerchiefs and after a social time, refreshments consisting of ice cream, cake, bananas and eggs were served. Beside the family those present were: Misses Blanche Bertha and Edith Shriner, Vernie Wilson, Clara Slonaker, Nellie Hann, Ruby Rodkey, Ruth and Mattie Crouse, Alverta Stuller and Shreeve Shriner.

Miss Ella Smith who was staying at Wm. Shaw's was attacked by one of the dogs on the farm and severely bitten in the hands and arm, causing much pain and soreness. Her condition seems some improved. The dogs were speedily killed.

Miss Elizabeth Orrison, of Frederick, is with her aunt, Mrs. Lanie Shaw, at her country home.

Salem Spies, of York, is visiting friends in the neighborhood.

John Romspert has gone to York, to learn to be a worker in iron. His aim is to become a mechanical draughtsman.

Miss Hermie Hann is visiting relatives at Glyndon.

Mrs. R. J. Mathias, of Baltimore was a visitor in town, first of the week.

The M. P. Mite Society held a social at the home of Wm. Eckenrode on Wednesday evening. It had been deferred from Monday evening on account of rain.

Mrs. J. W. Gilbert and Miss Alverta Erb are both confined to their beds this week.

Wedding bells will soon be ringing. Harry Fogle and Miss Mary Baughman will be married in the Lutheran church, at noon, April 12. On account of the church being small admission will be by card.

Invitations are out for the wedding of Miss Eva Senseney, daughter of Mr. Ezra Senseney, and Mr. Snader of Baltimore, at the bride's home, at noon, April 12.

On April 18, William Crabbs of Hagerstown, grandson of Wm. Baust, of this place, will be married to Miss Cordelia Legg, of Upperco, Baltimore county.

Miss Edna Cantner, of Huntingdon, Pa., is visiting her uncle, Rev. G. W. Baughman.

Elder W. P. Englar was in Washington over Sunday. This week he is helping invoice the store stock of the late Nathan Englar at Linwood.

Mrs. James Cover gave a birthday dinner to some friends on Saturday.

MANCHESTER

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Sherman celebrated their 20th. marriage anniversary on Saturday evening, 1st. inst., at their home on North Main street, with a large company of friends who enjoyed a pleasant time. The invited guests began to arrive about 8 P. M. and were received by their daughter, Miss Corine and ushered into the parlor that was in white decoration with potted ferns. Miss Julia C. Masenhimer entertained them with piano selections. Miss Fannie E. Shower gave a recitation and later, Mr. Stout, of Westminster, entertained them with piano music. With other social pastimes the time passed rapidly away. When the refreshment period arrived all were taken to the dining room, which was in lavender decoration, where the appointments were first class and abundant refreshments were served. They received many fine presents of china, and linen. Ere the good nights were said the wedding cake was cut and each guest received a piece. Miss Marie Weller of the Woman's College, of Frederick, Mr. Stout, of Westminster, and Messsrs Bollinger and O'Neil, of Glyndon, were the only guests from a distance.

The 13 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Slack, on South Main street, gave a social on Monday evening to 16 of her girl friends in honor of her birthday. That fun was alive is but putting it mildly. All the modern amusements were resurrected and received a full share of attention so that when the March was taken to the dining room their keen appetites enjoyed the cakes, and caramels, the fruits and the coffee very much. At a late hour the good nights were said and their best wishes left with Miss Frances, that she may enjoy many more anniversaries.

It affords us much pleasure to extend our congratulations to Mr. John Keck and Miss Emma Hoffacker, youngest daughter of Mr. George W. Hoffacker, one mile east of town, who were married on Thursday last. They have a large circle of friends and are popular in the Lutheran church and Sunday School, from early childhood. Mr. K. is a deacon and Mrs. K. is a member of the choir. They carry with them into their matrimonial life a reminder that will never be forgotten. They drove into town about 3 P. M. to the Lutheran parsonage, Mr. K. tying his horse in a shed. They were met in the reception room by the Rev. Lau who united them in the bonds of holy wedlock, in the presence of several close friends. While this ceremony was going on mischief was also busy and a farm mule with heavy harness was loosened from a spring wagon, taken by a round about way to the shed. Mr. K's. driving mare was taken from the shafts and the mule hitched in her place, while to the back of the buggy a streamer was fastened placarded "This is John's Team." The driving mare was hitched to the spring wagon and driven to the Hoffacker home. After the congratulations and best wishes of the minister and friends, the happy couple were ready to leave for home. Mr. A. H. Geiselman, as best man, went to the shed to get the team and found the driving mare had been transformed into a mule and the buggy decorated. The team was brought to the front entrance. The bride and groom enjoyed the trick and proceeded on their slow journey not even having a whip. Never mind Johnnie you will not have long to wait when you can reciprocate the joke with some of the perpetrators, and be sure you make the butcher drive an ox.

A gentleman friend of ours who sports a fine grey mustache was taken aback when a lady informed him that if he would have his mustache taken off it would add so much to his looks. He was so confounded that he at once proposed. We are anxious to see what the outcome will be.

The Mayor and Council election for this corporation was held on Saturday last. The vote was light and the old board elected. D. L. Dubbs, Mayor and Messrs. J. W. Snyder, Chas. Hively, J. E. Masenhimer, W. A. Wolf and H. S. Musselman Councilmen.

Thursday of last week was truly a moving day in our section and town teams were moving in all directions loaded to their full capacity with personal effects for homes, both in town and country. Messrs. Tilden G. and Parker Zepp left with their families and effects for Baltimore; Walter W. Wentz occupied the home of T. G. Zepp, on N. Main street; Mr. Smith, of Baltimore, moved into the house on S. Main street vacated by Wentz; Mr. Lorringer moved his effects into the new barn south of town until his house is finished; Mr. J. E. Yingling, occupied the home he bought on S. Main street, and Mr. P. Helfric occupied the home he vacated on N. Main street; Mr. Harry Warner, of Baltimore, moved to the home he purchased, near Germantown.

Last week Howard Trump, an employee in the Gettier cigar factory got into a tussle with a fellow workman about the opening or closing of a window. Mostly in fun, during the tussel, Trump fell across a table or box and his antagonist being much the heavier he was hurt about the kidneys so that at one time it was thought he would have to be put in a plaster cast. At this writing he is slightly improved.

Mrs. Susan Tracy, who was so extremely ill, last week, is convalescing.

Margaret R. Mining, who was operated on for appendicitis, three weeks ago, came home on Thursday last and is doing well.

Mrs. Noah Schaeffer, on North Main street, is very much indisposed. She has been an invalid for several years from paralysis, spending most of the time in a rolling chair.

The patrons of the stage from here to Greenmount will be sorry to hear that "Dan," the old standby of the team, is dead.

He made his last trip, he fought his last battle
With the hills, the stones and the mud.
No more will he hear the old stage rattle
Nor the breakdowns with a thud.
His service was long, faithful and true,
Outdoing many of his mates.
Now all that remains is phosphate and glue,
That sells at commercial rates.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin H. Geiselman entertained their nephew, Mr. Stout, of Westminster, several days last week.

Mr. John McQuade, an unmarried itinerant workman, who appeared among our people each year doing gardening &c., and who always selected some barn where he slept, made his appearance here several weeks ago and did some odd jobs. On Saturday last he anchored in the barn of Mrs. Diehl, near Maple Grove, where he was found sick by some of the family, who administered to his wants with tea, &c. He objected to medical aid, on Monday he was no better. On Tuesday it was noticed that he was quite ill and Mr. Sandrock living near took matters in hand and had him moved to his home, but ere they got him there he peacefully passed away at the age of 73 years. His remains were brought here to the establishment of Undertaker W. L. B. Bergman and prepared for burial. He was always reticent as to his relatives and no one knows anything of his family. He will be buried in the Catholic cemetery. He was familiarly known in this section as Irish John.

Although not unexpected our citizens arose on Monday morning and found 3 inches of snow on the ground with the trees and shrubbery decorated. It certainly was an ideal Christmas scene.

Mr. Horatio Black, of Hanover, bought 17 acres of farming land, just north of town ,from his father-in-law, Peter Helfric, for $1800.

MILLERS

Mrs. Harry Brilhart, of Baltimore, spent Wednesday and Thursday of last week beer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Barber.

We extend hearty congratulations to Miss Emma Hoffacker and Mr. John Keck who were married last Thursday evening at the Lutheran parsonage, Manchester, by their pastor, Rev. J. B. Lau. They were treated to an old time serenade by our calithumpian Band.

Mrs. Jacob Zepp visited friends at Melrose, last Wednesday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Richarts and daughter, Mrs. Howard Hare, visited Hanover friends, last Thursday.

Emory Bollinger, who moved to York, Pa., last fall, has moved his family back to this place.

George Smith and family, of Old Fort, spent last Sunday the guests of George Albaugh and wife, of near here.

Mrs. Everett Miller spent last Thursday visiting her cousin, Mrs. Clayton Sauble, of Melrose.

Henry M. Miller, of Alesia Ave., is ill with pneumonia. Dr. Sherman is in attendance.

Joseph Tarbart moved his family from here to Germantown, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Wentz and son Vernon, visited Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Wareheim, of Lineboro, last Sunday.

John Bollinger visited friends at Baltimore, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Keck spent Friday and Saturday at Hanover Pa., the guests of the former's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Miller spent Sunday visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Garrett, near Stiltz, Pa.

Clinton Bortner, of Lineboro, Md. spent Sunday visiting his mother, Mrs. Belle Bortner, of near here.

Harry W. Geiman, near here, is having about 25,000 shingles sawed to cover his barn and wagon shed.

UNION MILLS

The storm that swept over this locality last week did a considerable amount of damage. Conrad D. Rusher's barn was twisted completely out of shape and some of his other outbuildings were badly damaged, and at other places corn cribs and fences were blown down. Richard H. Steward's hay shed was demolished and his straw stack rolled over. After the storm Mr. Steward was missing from home and the report got out that he was buried under the straw pile. A couple dozen of his neighbors quickly came together and removed the straw, but the missing man was not found, and it was afterwards learned that he had gone to Littlestown with a neighbor and was safe and sound.

On the 2nd. inst., Rev. W. Watkins, the new pastor of Moorehead M. E. Church, preached his introductory sermon. He is very much liked by his new parishioners and his work here will no doubt be crowned with success.

The following changes in residence have taken place in this vicinity this spring: Isaac Stonesifer to the B. F. Shriver Co. farm; Elmer Bollinger to Wm. Frock's tenant house; Raymond Markle to Isaiah Humbert's, (pending improvements to his own house); Jacob Warehime to Miss Rebecca Earhart's farm; Joseph Croft to his own farm; George Stonesifer to the tenant house of Mrs. H. Wirt Shriver and Louis E. Shriver; Dr. C. A. Wolf to Theo. James' dwelling and Tolly Berwager to John Frock's tenant house.

The members of I. O. M. Lodge will hold a banquet for its members and guests on the evening of the 13th. inst., preceding which the Order be addressed by George W. Yeiser.

Mr. Herbert Yingling, of Baltimore, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim J. Yingling, last week.

NEW WINDSOR

Dr. Benham Ph. D., of Baltimore, gave his lecture, on Friday evening last, in the Presbyterian Church, on the Passion Play as he saw it at Oberammergau last summer. It was enjoyed by all present.

Rev. A. Gill, the Methodist minister of this place, has been sent to Aberdeen, Md. His successor will be Rev. J. T. Marsh.

Williard Hann, Jr., son of Williard Hann, of near Wakefield, was kicked in the left side by a mule, on Sunday last, and at this writing it is thought doubtful whether he will recover.

Cards have been received here announcing the marriage of Rhoda J. Helm, and Mr. Johnson. Miss Helm was head nurse in a hospital in Va.

Thomas Haines moved from the farm he recently sold to John C. Brown, on Monday, to his new house on Pike Hill.

Mrs. Leona Pearre, of Unionville, visited her mother, Mrs. Greenwood, the first of the week.

Miss Grace Bower, of Taneytown, visited friends in town, on Sunday last.

W. A. Bower and wife, of Taneytown visited Mrs. B's. parents, J. H. Roop and wife, on Sunday last.

Wm. Mitten moved from here to Westminster, on Monday last.

Alexander Jones and wife, L. H. Dielman and wife, all of Baltimore, were guests of the Misses Dielman, on Sunday last.

Miss Jennie Zepp, of Baltimore spent Sunday last here with her parents.

Miss Grace Warner has scarlet-fever.

Miss Mary Foard of Hyde's, Md., a former student and graduate of New Windsor College, is visiting at the college where she was tendered a surprise party on Friday eve.

Mrs. A. C. Smelser entertained the W. H. & P. Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church at her home, on Wednesday evening.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Carroll county, Md., letters Testamentary on the estate of ABRAHAM S. R. DANNER, late of Carroll county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 18th day of October, 1911; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefits of said estate.

Given under my hand this 17th day of March, 1911.

ELLEN MARIA DANNER, Executrix.
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RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

Salem Lutheran Charge, St. Benjamins—Sunday School 1 P. M. Divine service 2 P. M. St. John's—Sunday School 9 P. M. Divine service 10 P. M.

R. W. DOTY, Pastor.

St. Paul's Reformed Church—Sunday School at 9.45 A. M. Worship and confirmation at 11 A. M. Evening Worship at 7.45. Sermons during Holy week at 7.30 P. M.

CALVIN S. SLAGLE, Pastor.

IN MEMORIAM.

In loving remembrance of my dear husband Noah Stonesifer, who departed this life two years ago April 7, 1909.

Dearest loved one thou hast left us,
And our loss we deeply feel,
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He alone can all our sorrows heal.
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When the toils of life is o're.

By his wife, Julia Stonesifer.

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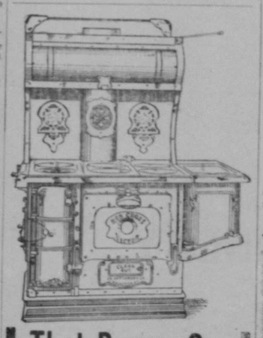

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CONDENSED STATEMENT

Showing the condition of the Aetna Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn., December 31st, 1910

Total Income during the year		$10,130,139.40
Total Disbursements during the year		7,882,817.36
ASSETS.		
Real Estate owned by Company	$ 588,207.93	
Bonds and Stocks owned by Company	15,852,049.66	
Cash in Office and in Banks and Trust Companies	1,605,460.37	
Agents' Balances	1,396,583.36	
Interest accrued	91,200.56	
Market Value of Bonds and Stocks over Book Value	1,705,176.09	
Gross Assets		21,239,677.97
ASSETS NOT ADMITTED.		
Agents' balances due three months or more	2,924.57	
Book Value of Securities over Market Value	213,207.93	216,132.50
Total Admitted Assets		$ 21,023,545.47
LIABILITIES.		
Losses and Claims unpaid (net)	$ 639,801.37	
Total unearned Premiums	7,323,103.38	
Reclaimable on Perpetual Risks	101,115.19	
Salaries, Rents, Expenses, etc.	1,000.00	
State, County and Municipal Taxes	140,000.00	
Balance held for Munich Re-Insurance Co., under contract	449,509.41	
Total Liabilities, except Capital		8,654,529.35
Capital actually paid up in Cash	5,000,000.00	
Surplus over all Liabilities	7,369,016.12	
Surplus as regards Policyholders		12,369,016.12
Total Liabilities		21,023,545.47
Amount at Risk in United States December 31, 1910	1,179,350,249.00	
Risks written in Maryland during 1910	8,009,446.00	
Premiums on Maryland Business in 1910	86,603.00	
Losses paid in Maryland in 1910	38,420.33	
Losses incurred in Maryland in 1910	30,744.99	

State of Maryland, office of the State Insurance Department.

Baltimore, February 1, 1911.

I hereby Certify, That the above is a true abstract, taken from the Annual Statement of the Aetna Insurance Company for the year ending December 31, 1910, now on file in this Department.

EMERSON C. HARRINGTON, Insurance Commissioner.

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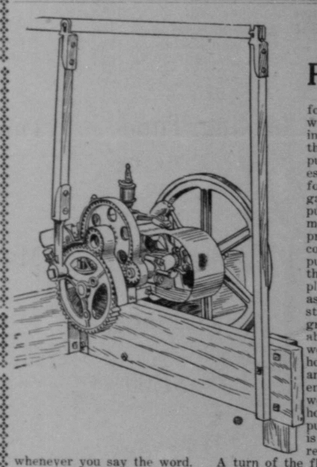

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