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## LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Prof. Brown, of Silver Run, has been elected to the principalship of the East Berlin schools.

George Matthews, East Main street, is having his house painted. Lippy and Cassell are doing the painting.

The supervisors of elections met today at the court house and swore in the election officials for the coming election.

A number of our citizens attended the Fourth of July amusements at Pen Mar, River View, Bay Shore, Pimlico and elsewhere.

Dr. George E. Baughman was elected recorder of the Mystic Circle on Monday night last in place of Theodore Kauffman resigned.

Ex-Sheriff Joseph L. Franklin, proprietor of Franklin's Livery, was awarded the contract for one year to sprinkle the streets of Westminster by the Mayor and Council.

The ladies of Thomas Chapel Sunday school, at Tannery, will hold a leafy lawn party on the lawn at the church on the evenings of July 17th and 18th. Everybody welcome.

One of our exchanges boasts of a wheat crop that averaged 25 bushels to the acre. George E. Marker, near Westminster, can beat that. His yield was 49 1/2 bushels to the acre.

The Baltimore and Reisterstown Turnpike Company has declared a semi-annual dividend of 2 per cent., clear of State taxes, county and municipal taxes deducted, payable after Monday, July 13.

Messrs. E. P. Brundige, E. O. Gimes and Mrs. Ella Roberts, West Main street, are improving the street gutters in front of their residences, with concrete. Mrs. Roberts is also laying a pavement of the same.

Paul Shipley and Frank Tracy will leave Baltimore on the 18th for London. The trip across consumes ten days, and they will remain on the other side about two weeks, visiting points of interest in and near London.

The Advocate is indebted to E. J. D. Shaffer, of Bachman's Valley, for a barrel of choice honey. From 3 hives Mr. Shaffer has taken this season 168 pounds of honey, an average of 56 pounds to the hive. Altogether he has 23 hives.

Major M. Elizabeth Barter, chief officer of the Southeastern division of the Salvation Army, will open a 10 days' camping in Wildwood Park, Mount Airy, on July 12. Major Barter, whose headquarters are in Baltimore, will have entire charge of this camp.

The First Regiment Band will give a concert on Sunday afternoon at 4 p. m. on the porch of the Court Inn, East Main street. The program was not announced by Prof. A. B. Morelock, but the music will all be good, as the band never fails to please its audience. On Sunday, June 19, the band will play in the park.

Western Maryland Council No. 79, J. O. U. A. M. initiated 23 members into the order at the meeting this week. A big crowd from the New Windsor order came down to help install the new officers of 79. After the business was disposed of, there were refreshments of ice cream, cake, root beer and cigars. About 150 were present.

The horses in John D. Rockefeller's coal oil wagon ran off last Friday afternoon and ran into the greengrocery wagon of George N. Hunter, breaking off the shafts. Mr. Little, driver, stuck to the horses in this wagon, but could not stop them, until they ran into the above wagon, throwing one of the three horses down. No damage was done to the coal oil wagon.

The Norman Phillips, aged 12 years, son of Samuel Phillips, of North Branch, met with a serious accident Saturday. He fell from a cherry tree, breaking and splintering both bones of the forearm, and when picked up by the doctor, he was protruding the flesh. Dr. W. W. Ward, of Harrisonville, was called and dressed the wound, but the fracture is of such a nature that amputation may be necessary.

The rector, Rev. Thomas Hill, and members of St. Barnabas Episcopal church, Sykesville, treated the Sunday school of that church to an all-day picnic at Gwynn Oak Park, Baltimore, on Wednesday last. The children were in charge of Miss Bennett, Mrs. Frank H. Hise, Grace Grace Welling, Mrs. Samuel D. Shipley and Mrs. Walter Ritter. All who attended the picnic pronounced it a most enjoyable day.

We are indebted to I. N. Stoner for a box of fine raspberries. Mr. Stoner also left at the office a branch broken from one of the bushes containing a number of berries, showing the production. From two acres of ground he gathered this year 97 bushels of berries. At ten cents a bushel more than \$300 would have been realized. If we knock off \$1000 for picking and other expenses, there is still left a handsome profit from two acres of ground.

John Moser, living near Tannery, had a mule killed by the Pen Mar express on the Western Maryland Railroad on Sunday. The mule, with three horses, was being driven across the railroad track on a field on the other side, when the Pen Mar express came in sight. One horse jumped down a ten-foot bank to a creek, while the mule tried to return, when it was struck in the side and dragged for a good distance on the front of the pilot engine. The train was stopped and the mule taken from the track.

Andrew Currens, of George street, this city, who is employed in the Western Maryland car shops at Union Bridge, had three fingers on his right hand cut off by coming in contact with a circular saw in the woodwork shop. The saw works up and down and Mr. Currens had just finished sawing one piece of lumber and was in the act of raising his hand upward when the accident happened with the above result. Mr. Currens had been working for the Lumber, Coal and Supply Co. for some time, but resigned to work on the above place. He had only worked one day before the accident happened.

## PATRIOTIC SERVICE.

### Independence Day Celebrated at Centenary M. E. Church.

An interesting service in commemoration of the nation's birthday July 4, 1776, was held at Centenary M. E. Church, on Sunday evening at 8 o'clock, which was enjoyed and participated in by a large number of the citizens of Westminster and vicinity, irrespective of denominational or political preferences. Protestant and Roman Catholic, Jew and Gentile joined together in singing our national hymn and listening to the reading of the Declaration of Independence by Michael E. Walsh, of the Westminster bar, and a patriotic address by the pastor, Rev. C. Herbert Richardson, D. D., on "The Gift of America to the World." The church, which had been tastefully decorated with the national colors, was filled, every seat being occupied, but in spite of the heat, the closest attention was paid to the stirring address of the pastor, and to the other numbers in the very interesting program. Albert C. Mitten presided at the organ, and the choir and congregational singing were led by the director, John W. Miller. On the platform were Hon. J. W. Hering, State Comptroller, who presided and made the opening address; members of the City Council, Messrs. Crouse, H. K. Oursler and Claude T. Smith, Michael E. Walsh, Ed. W. Leabrook and the pastor, Rev. C. Herbert Richardson, D. D., to whose zeal and patriotism we are indebted for this fitting and beautiful service. Company H, First Infantry, Maryland National Guard, Capt. John N. Weigle and the First Regiment Band, A. Bailey Morelock, leader, were also present. The entire program was interesting, patriotic and well rendered throughout, and will be long remembered by all who had the privilege of being present. The singing of the "Star Spangled Banner," with band accompaniment, was especially fine.

### The 4th at Reese.

A very pleasant day was spent on the glorious 4th at Reese. In the morning some very fine performing was done by M. C. Green on the tight rope. In the afternoon two games of ball were played by the Sandyville and Reese base ball clubs, but both games were rather considered due to the Reese base ball club being out of practice. Scores as follows: First game—Sandyville 14, Reese 1; batteries, Spencer and Taylor; Zepp and Green. Second game—Sandyville 12, Reese 2; batteries, Oursler and Taylor; Mummaugh and Green.

There was to be a horse race in the evening between Pete Harris and Carroll Caples, but it did not come off on account of Harris not showing up. It is rumored that Harris was afraid of being beaten earlier in the afternoon by a party on a bicycle and he did not want it repeated.

Refreshments were served by C. W. Zepp, whose residence and store was very nicely decorated with bunting, flags and Japanese lanterns. The day closed with a very fine display of fireworks given by all the residents of this village.

### Fell from Horse.

Ed. Bruce Elliott, 11 years of age, fell from a horse on Liberty street Wednesday afternoon, striking upon his head, and receiving injuries of a serious nature. He was unconscious to a late hour Wednesday night, but Thursday morning his condition was much improved, and his recovery is now expected. Young Elliott accompanied by his mother and two sisters, came from Taneytown Tuesday to visit his grandfather, George C. Crass, who lives on Hollow Rock, below the gas house. The boy is thoroughly familiar with horses, his father being the proprietor of a hotel and livery in Taneytown, and the accident was caused by a dog rushing at the horse and biting it on the leg, causing it to spring suddenly forward. The young man was picked up by Carroll Lockard and taken to the office of Dr. Coonan, being afterwards removed to the home of his grandfather. He is a nephew of Mrs. N. H. Baumgartner, East Main street.

### A Birthday Surprise Party.

A very happy surprise party was given at Mr. and Mrs. William H. Dodrer's, of Westminster on Sunday, June 28, in honor of Mr. Dodrer's forty sixth birthday. A delightful dinner was served about one o'clock. Refreshments were served at four o'clock, consisting of ice cream, cake, candies and bananas. Those present were: William Dodrer and wife, Murray Dodrer, wife and children, Charles, Glenn and Ed, Frank, Sturdy, wife and daughter, Pauline, near Taneytown; Joseph Dodrer and wife, Tilden Dodrer and wife and Mildred Crowl, of Hanover; Mrs. Weber Lippy and children Agnes and Guy, of Baltimore; Calvin Dodrer and wife, of Uniontown; Austin Dodrer and wife, of Stonersville; Frank Blah and wife, of Stonersville; Mrs. Catharine Benson; Misses Alice Lippy, Susie Marsh, Pauline, Ruth, Grace and Agnes Dodrer, William Lippy, Leister Groshon, Master Herbert Dodrer.

### K. O. T. M. Meeting.

On Monday evening last Westminster Tent No. 22, Knights of the Macca-bees of the World, held a well attended meeting at which Deputy Supreme Commander L. K. Monrumb and Deputy State Commander F. E. Schneider were present and delivered some appropriate remarks for the good of the order. Deputy State Commander Schneider will be here for two weeks and, with the assistance of the Sir Knights of Westminster Tent, he expects to increase the membership 25, for which they will receive a handsome and well equipped first degree outfit. It is expected that in the near future the Tent will be holding weekly meetings, from which some good results will be obtained.

The Carroll Record came to us in a new form last week, having changed from a four to an eight-page paper. Most of the county papers have adopted this style.



WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN.

## THIRD TIME THE CHARM

### BRYAN AGAIN THE CHOICE OF THE DEMOCRACY

#### Work of Convention Not Completed as We Go to Press.

The Democratic National Convention met in Denver Tuesday, July 7, and was called to order promptly at noon by Chairman Taggart, who made a brief speech. The session was short. The official call for the convention was read, temporary officers were named and seated. Theodore A. Bell, of California, temporary chairman, spoke an hour and a half. A resolution in eulogy of the late Ex-President Cleveland was adopted, and the convention adjourned for the day.

The convention reassembled Wednesday at noon, but the committees were not ready to report, and no business of importance was transacted. The time was spent in listening to speeches by prominent men in the party. At the mention of Bryan's name by the blind Senator from Oklahoma, there was a remarkable demonstration. For one hour and twenty-seven minutes the convention hall was a scene of wild delirium. No other man ever received such an ovation.

When quiet had been restored, the convention adjourned to 8 p. m., to hear the report of the committee on credentials. Thursday the convention met at 11 a. m. and got down to work. Congressman Henry D. Clayton, of Alabama, permanent chairman, spoke for more than an hour. The committee on resolutions were not ready to report the platform, and the time was passed in speech-making. After hearing the report of the committee on credentials, the convention adjourned to 7 p. m., when it had been announced the platform would be ready.

The platform committee was not ready to report when the evening ses-

sion began, and, after listening to political oratory, the rules of procedure were suspended and the convention proceeded with the speeches placing the candidates for president in nomination with the understanding that the vote would be deferred until the platform had been adopted.

The speech placing William J. Bryan in nomination was made by Ignatius J. Dunn, of Nebraska, a youthful orator of fire and eloquence, whose closing phrase stirred the vast assemblage into demonstration. "I nominate," he exclaimed, "as the standard-bearer of our party the man who in the thrilling days of 1896 and 1900 bore the battle-scarred banner of Democracy with fame as untarnished as the crusaders of old-America's great commoner, Nebraska's gifted son, William J. Bryan."

Immediately perfect pandemonium of sound and motion was unloosed as delegates and spectators rose en masse and joined in the reverberating chorus of tribute to the Nebraska candidate. The standards of the states were wrenched from their places and borne through the hall to the platform, while banners bearing the portrait of the commoner were waved aloft and the multitude joined in long-continued tribute. At times the intensity of the demonstration threatened a panic. One woman was borne out fainting.

It was 10.20 p. m. when this demonstration ceased, it having consumed nearly an hour. The secretary then proceeded with the call of the States. Bryan's nomination was seconded by Augustus Thomas, of New York; Gov. Glenn, of North Carolina; Congressman James, of Kentucky; Congressman Hefflin, of Alabama; Governor Swanson, of Virginia, and others.

Governor John A. Johnson was placed in nomination by Congressman Hammond, of Minnesota. Judge Gray was nominated by Hon. L. Irving Handy, of Delaware. At midnight (3 a. m. in the east) the platform committee had not reported. As the nominating speeches had all been made, and it had been decided not to go on with the balloting until the platform was adopted, the convention adjourned to meet Friday morning and complete their work. This will not be accomplished in time for us to give the formal result of the

balloting, but there is not the least doubt of Bryan's nomination by much more than a two-third vote.

As to the vice presidency the convention is at sea. There are many candidates, but there has been no crystallization of sentiment about any particular one, and it is impossible at this time to make any sort of guess as to whom it will be.

#### Considering the Steam Road.

A special meeting of the M. & M. Association was held in the Wantz Building on July 3, to consider proposition for building a steam rail road from Washington to Gettysburg, and to be known as the Washington, Westminster and Gettysburg rail road. J. M. Reifsnider, in behalf of the rail road company, stated that what they asked for was a franchise to go through Westminster and rights of way for four miles each way from the city. On motion of Claude T. Smith the following committee was appointed by the president of the M. & M. association to meet the representatives of the proposed W. W. & G. R. R. and learn exactly what rights of ways, &c., they desire and report same to the M. & M. Association and to recommend what is best for the securing of said rail road to go through Westminster: Geo. W. Albright, W. F. Thomas, J. W. Hering, T. H. Shriver, Fred. D. Miller, J. M. Reifsnider, Guy W. Steele, C. T. Smith, B. F. Crouse, F. T. Babylon, C. E. Fink, Jos. W. Smith.

#### Series of Sermons at M. E. Church.

Rev. Dr. Richardson will begin next Sunday evening, July 12, at Centenary Church a series of "Talks About Ourselves." The several topics are: July 12—"Ears, and What to See;" July 19—"Ears, and How to Hear;" July 26—"Hands, and How to Use;" August 2—"Feet, and Where to Stand Them." The service will begin promptly at 8 o'clock and will be embraced within one hour. A feature of the service will be the singing of familiar hymns, which the congregation has been invited to select. The morning (10.30 o'clock) and evening services of this church will be continued during the summer as usual.

## WEDDING BELLS

### Leese—Petry.

A very quiet but interesting wedding was that of Miss Ida Jane Petry, near Pleasant Valley, and Charles Henry Leese, near this city, which took place at the parsonage of Rev. R. W. Doty, this city, the groom's pastor, on Sunday morning, June 28. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David R. Petry, near Pleasant Valley, and the groom a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Leese, near this city.

There were no attendants. The bride wore white point de sprit over white silk. It was made in princess form. The groom wore the conventional black, with white tie. After the ceremony the bride and groom were driven to the bride's home, where a wedding breakfast was awaiting them. Only the intimate friends of the families were present. The bride was a graduate of W. H. S. of the class of '07, and she has been playing in the Lutheran church at Pleasant Valley for seven years.

### Martin—Miller.

A quiet but pretty wedding took place last Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Isalah Miller, of Miller's, when their daughter Miss Maggie was married to Charles Martin, son of Thomas Martin, near Miller's, by the bride's pastor, Rev. H. W. Zuse. Samuel Hoffacker rendered the wedding march beautifully. Miss Laura Miller was bridesmaid and Geo. Bollinger groomsmen. After the ceremony a reception followed.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Isalah Miller, Mrs. Thomas Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Miller, Mrs. Rachel Wilson, Misses Laura Miller, Dellah Miller, Daisy and Erma Martin, Ella Miller, Messrs. Geo. Bollinger, Robert, Maurice and Peirre Miller and Master Monroe Miller.

### Yingling—Roberts.

A very quiet wedding took place in Baltimore last Friday evening, when Miss Ruth Elizabeth, second daughter of Mrs. Mary D. and the late Francis N. Roberts, and Charles E. Yingling, of Baltimore, were married by Dr. Weber. They were attended by Miss Kathryn Roberts, sister of the bride, and J. Albert Mitten. The bride wore a crushed raspberry linen suit. They left for a trip north, and will reside in Baltimore.

### Buckingham—Stimmel.

Mrs. Christa A. Stimmel, of Westminster, was married to Isaac Buckingham at the Hampden Methodist Protestant Church at 9 o'clock Saturday morning, Rev. D. W. Anstine, pastor of the church, performed the ceremony. The wedding was a quiet one and only a few of the most intimate friends were present. Buckingham left for Washington, Westminister. On their return they will reside at 725 Potter avenue.

## RURAL LETTER CARRIERS.

### Meeting of the Association in Westminster July 4.

The Rural Letter Carriers Association of Carroll county met in Westminster in the W. H. Davis Hall on July 4, at 2 o'clock p. m. The meeting was called to order by William R. Anders, presiding officer, and organized by electing the following officers: G. C. Fitz, Carrier 8, president; William C. Starnier, Carrier 12, secretary and treasurer. They also elected the following delegates to the state convention to meet on Labor Day in Baltimore; William E. Starnier and Harry Baumgardner, A. J. Thomson and Elmer E. Eyer, alternates. The association voted to give the president power to fill any vacancies that may occur in the delegation to the state convention.

The members were gratified to have Mr. Pearce, the ex-president of the Maryland State Rural Letter Carriers Association, with them. Mr. Pearce has been twice a delegate to the National Rural Letter Carriers Convention and he is almost an encyclopedia of knowledge on rural delivery. He gave the association a quite a large amount of useful knowledge that was new to the members of this association.

The association has now a paid-up membership of 21 regular carriers and the promise of quite a number more who expect to join. All of the members present expressed their gratitude for the pleasure of meeting their brother carriers, and they had a general good time.

The next regular meeting will be held on New Years day, 1909, in Westminster. All carriers and substitutes are invited to be present. All carriers and substitutes wishing to join the association will please send their fees and names to William E. Starnier, Carrier No. 12, Westminster, Md.

W. H. Davis gave the association access to his hall free and a vote of thanks was extended to him by the association.

W. E. STARNIER, Sec. & Treas.

### Sykesville Athletic Club.

The management of the Sykesville Athletic Club is very grateful to the public for their most liberal patronage on July 4. It is their aim to make the games as interesting as possible. Few realize what it means to carry a ball team through the season successfully. The expenses are large and the details are many, and what is it all for? To encourage a manly sport and amuse the public. With the grounds now enclosed and a covered grandstand, it is better able to handle a crowd than ever before.

The game this Saturday, July 11, with the Frederick team, promises to be the most interesting and the hottest contested game of the season. The Richmond Journal of Wednesday says: A party of Marylanders reached the city last night, and are enjoying the day in Richmond. The visitors are John B. Saylor, Mayor of Westminster; Joseph L. Franklin, ex-sheriff of Carroll county; T. K. Shaw and L. C. Leister, prominent Democrats; B. F. Dorsey, horse dealer, who is on the Richmond market, and J. L. Reifsnider, dog crank and lumber merchant.

## PERSONAL MENTION

Albert Mitten, of Washington, visited his parents this week.

Ray Fogle, of Annapolis, spent a day or so in this city this week.

John Lindsay, of Baltimore, spent a few days in this city this week.

Miss Pentz, of Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. John J. Rose, East Green street.

Paul Winchester, of near Emmitsburg, Md., was in this city on Monday.

Cardinal Gibbons was a guest in the family of B. F. Shriver Tuesday.

Charles Swartzbaugh and wife, of this city, spent the Fourth of July in Hanover, Pa.

McKee Barclay, cartoonist for the Baltimore Sun, and wife are guests at Winchester Place.

Miss Carrie Gesell spent Sunday of last week with her friend, Miss Anna Warkling, of this city.

Percy Pfeffer, of Baltimore, was a guest at Grover Gies West Main street, on Saturday and Sunday.

Victor Zepp, of Washington, D. C., spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, West Main street.

Joseph McDonald, of Norfolk, Va., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald, John street.

George Gehr, of Hagerstown, spent the Fourth with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George R. Gehr, Bond street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan L. Hoff and daughters spent several days last week with friends in Littlestown, Pa.

Miss Lucy Freeman and Walter Scott, of Baltimore, were the guests of Miss Hattie M. Freeman over the Fourth.

Archibald and Eldridge Waesche, of Baltimore, spent the Fourth and Sunday visiting relatives and friends in this city.

Samuel Helm, of Washington, D. C., was home a few days this week visiting his mother, Mrs. Ella Helm, East Green street.

Miss Rachel Buckingham, who has been visiting friends in Baltimore, has returned to her home on East Green street.

Mrs. Clinton M. Smith and son and Miss Mattie Brown, of Baltimore, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown, West Main street.

Judge and Mrs. John E. Eckenrode, Liberty street, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. William Staup, York, Pa., for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moberly, of Walkersville, Frederick county, were guests of Mrs. Estelle Kuhn, Court street, on Sunday last.

Miss Ida Bishop, accompanied by her friend, Miss Cudy, of Baltimore, spent the Fourth of July with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bishop, near Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael F. Hann and children, Pennsylvania avenue, visited relatives and friends in Emburyburg, Gettysburg and Mount St. Mary's this week.

Gerald Smith, Merrivether Shellman, Charles Veamerford, of Baltimore, and Herden McFadden, of Philadelphia, spent Saturday and Sunday in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene M. Norton and Mr. and Mrs. Howard M. Addison of Baltimore, visited Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Stoner, West Main street, this city, on the 4th and 5th.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hofmann and daughter Margaret, of Baltimore, spent from Saturday until Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stouck, 26 W. Green street.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Voelkel, who spent some time with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Walking, Bishop street, this city, are now visiting in Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Fowler and son, Miss Emma Noonan, Jos. Noonan and Willie Noonan, all of Baltimore, have been spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fowler at Sam's Creek.

Mrs. Wilson Sheets and her sister, Mrs. John Derr, formerly of Frisellburg, now of Baltimore, are visiting their brothers, Louis and Robert Fleagle and their nephew, Joseph L. Baust and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Waltman and son, of Baltimore, are guests of Mr. Waltman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Waltman, this city, also sister, Mrs. Jos. S. Stoner, and brother, Murray Waltman, Frisellburg.

Paul Reese spent several days in Chesterton last week, where he was the guest of Professor Edward Clark. One of the pleasant features of his visit was an all-day fishing trip on the launch owned by Editor R. H. Collins, of the Transcript.

The many friends of Mrs. G. W. Slater, of Baltimore, formerly of New Windsor, who was quite ill, will be glad to learn of her complete recovery. Mrs. Slater is spending the month of July with Mrs. William T. Hunter, of Howard Park.

A Richmond (Va.) paper says: Insurance Commissioner Button does not hesitate to brag about the fine record of his nephew, Charles Button Coulbourn, who is now a cadet at the Virginia Military Institute. This young man, who is only eighteen, this session attained the highest general average in his class (the third)—a feat he likewise performed this year. He is a son of the late Rev. T. E. Coulbourn, a Methodist Protestant minister and is well known in Westminster. Two other nephews of Colonel Button, W. Clarke Coulbourn and Daniel Langhorne Coulbourn, aged respectively sixteen and fourteen, are now at Western Maryland College.

A report was circulated in Baltimore last Friday to the effect that Westminster was on fire and burning up, and that three fire engines from Baltimore were sent here. It was hot, all right, but not that hot.