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## NOVEMBER TERM OF COURT

DRAWING OF THE PETIT AND GRAND  
JURORS, &c.

The Docket Contains 60 Trials, 13  
Appeals and 36 Originals

The November term of the Circuit Court for Carroll county began here Monday morning, with Chief Judge William H. Thomas on the bench. Edward B. Owings is clerk and C. Carroll Henry, messenger. The following bills were appointed: Mr. Uria Zentz, bailiff to grand jury; Orestes Feeser, bailiff to petit jury; and Claude Myerly and William W. Boyer, bailiffs at the gates.

The drawing of the juries resulted in the selection of the following grand jury: William T. Bowers, foreman; Thos. A. Barnes, Elsworth E. Lovell, Frederick Hoffman, Frank F. Fowler, William H. Owings, Nathan H. Haines, David J. Closser, Harry K. Shaeffer, Joseph U. Baker, William K. Murray, Benjamin F. Armacost, E. Joseph Englar, Henry M. Null, Frank Keefer, Thomas Kuhns, Harry E. Reck, John T. Albaugh, August Gesell, Charles S. Conaway, William W. Wright, Jesse M. Albaugh and Stephen Charles.

The following is the petit jury: Charles E. Smith, Richard M. Martin, Francis B. Goruch, Charles P. Welk, John H. Smith, Jr., George M. Hyder, Joseph C. Dodder, Jesse E. Warner, Peter R. Willide, George W. Starr, Edgar F. Keener, George C. Fowble, Charles R. Hockensmith, Charles F. Koozts, David H. Zimmerman, George H. Winemiller, Robert C. Burdette, John E. Beniller, Richard M. Kesselring, Milton S. Brown, John R. Bennett, Michael McCaffrey, William H. Belt, Charles W. Adams, and William Wilson.

Following are cases disposed of up until time of going to press:

Frank L. Lewis, appellant, vs. W. H. Hood & Son, appellees, appeal from Allen Griffin, J. P.; tried before jury; verdict for appellants for \$35.92; cost, judgment for appellees for \$30.66; &c. Steele for appellants; Bond & Parke for appellees.

Peter P. Sauble, appellant, vs. Chas. E. Wampler, appellee; appeal from John T. Hill, J. P.; tried before jury; verdict for the appellee for \$35.92; Hoff for appellant; J. M. Reifs, for appellee.

Geo. D. Schockey vs. County Commissioners of Carroll County; judgment of non pros, on motion of plaintiff's attorney. Brooks for plaintiff; Fink for defendant.

The John Rauch Co. vs. George Holman, assumpsit; judgment for plaintiff for \$174.45 with interest, &c. Fink and Brillhart for plaintiff; Steele for defendant.

George M. Oggett vs. Mrs. Alice R. Stell, assumpsit; judgment of non pros, under rule of security for costs. Hoff for plaintiff; Brillhart for defendant.

Wm. Brandt and wife vs. David E. Walsh, administrator, appeal from the court; judgment in favor of plaintiff by agreement for \$165. Hoff for plaintiff; M. E. Walsh for defendant.

Consolidated Gas, Electric Light and Power Co. vs. Albert F. Arrington, assumpsit; trial before a jury; verdict for plaintiff for \$307.32. C. T. Reif, Gans & Hamon, J. M. Reif, and V. Cook for plaintiff; Steele for defendant.

TO BECOME A CATHOLIC

Rev. Henry R. Sergeant a prominent member of the Protestant Episcopal Order.

From the Baltimore Sun of Nov. 10

Rev. Henry R. Sergeant, a prominent member of the Protestant Episcopal Order of the Holy Cross, a former curate of Mount Calvary Church, Madison avenue and Eutaw street, Baltimore, is preparing to become a member of the Catholic Church.

Rev. Mr. Sergeant is now traveling abroad. The first intimation that he was contemplating the change was conveyed in a letter to a friend in Philadelphia.

He is connected with one of the well-known families of Boston, Mass., and was educated at Harvard University, graduating with high honors. In 1879 he entered the Episcopal Theological Seminary in New York, from which he obtained a degree in 1887. He was ordained deacon in 1885 and advanced to the priesthood by Bishop Parrot, of Baltimore, in 1886. He was one of the curates at Mount Calvary Church from 1885 to 1887.

Rev. Sergeant was at the head of the Order of the Holy Cross, which was stationed in the property formerly owned by Miss Van Bibber, opposite the Court House. Rev. Sergeant was very popular among the citizens of our town while here.

Mr. Stevens a Vote Getter.

Frank M. Stevens, a former resident of this city, makes a good run in Frederick county for a Republican Commissioner, but is defeated by 337 votes, while some of his running mates were defeated by more than 1050. Mr. Stevens now resides two miles South of Cragers town, and was the second highest man on the Democratic ticket. Samuel Thomas, who was the only man to be elected on the Democrat ticket, received 16 majority over Lloyd Palmer, the Republican candidate for Register of Wills. Mr. Stevens received seventy-seven Republican votes in his district. Only one Democrat in that district forgot to vote for him. In Thurmont he ran 40 ahead of his ticket. Woodsboro he received 40 Republican votes, Lewistown, 35. Mr. Stevens received \$201 in the county. His opponent, Mr. Johnson, Republican, received 553.

Grace Lutheran Church.

Luther Day sermon, theme at 10.30 a. m. "Some Characteristics of the Lutheran Church." 7.30 p. m. Special Luther Day exercises by the Sunday school. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.45 p. m.

## DEATH'S HARVEST.

Well Known Residents And Others Who Have Passed Away.

Freeman.

We are very sorry to announce the death of Mrs. Barbara Freeman, wife of Harvey C. Freeman, of Baltimore, formerly of this city, who was fatally burned by the explosion of a gas-line stove on Thursday evening of last week and died on Friday noon at the Maryland Homeopathic Hospital. After her death the body was removed to an undertaker's establishment where it was prepared for burial. Her age was 52 years.

Mrs. Freeman leaves a host of friends in this city to mourn her death. Her kind and gentle disposition won her many friends.

She is survived by her husband, son and two daughters—Harvey C. Freeman, Daniel Freeman, Misses Hattie and Tillie Freeman.

Mrs. Freeman was in this city several days before the fatal accident occurred and spoke to friends of coming up on a visit in a week and would see all of her friends.

Her body was brought to this city on Sunday morning, on the 10.42 o'clock train, after which it was taken to St. Benjamin's (Kreider's) Lutheran Church, where services were held before the largest gathering of relatives and friends ever assembled at that church for a funeral. Rev. H. Mon and conducted the services at the grave.

The pallbearers were Jacob H. Handley, F. Thomas Babylon, George K. Shaeffer, William Arthur, Joseph K. Broyles, and Bailey Morelock. James M. Stoner funeral director.

Dutterer.

Mrs. Elmira Dutterer, aged 80 years, 4 months and 21 days, died on October 4, at her residence near Silver Run. She was a member of the Silver Run Lutheran church.

She is survived by four daughters: Mrs. Wesley Stavelly, of Littlestown; Mrs. Landa Wierde, of near Littlestown; Janora and Arabella Dutterer, at home.

Funeral took place on October 4, Revs. Yoder and Hoover officiating.

Leese.

Mrs. Mary Leese, wife of Edward Leese, and a daughter of James Hahn, died at the home of her parents, near Brummel, on November 5, of tuberculosis, aged about 24 years.

She is survived by a husband and one daughter. Funeral took place at St. John's (Lester's) Lutheran church, at Brummel, on Sunday. The pallbearers were Joseph D. Welmer, Walter C. Weibert, Abraham Burkholder, Weibert Hoeffel, Theophilus and J. H. Null, James M. Stoner undertaker.

Robertson.

Miss Anna Robertson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Robertson, died at her home in this city November 6, aged 20 years. When reading the death notice of this young woman we pause and say truly, "God moves in a mysterious way," and our earthly faith almost wavers. This young girl, just entering into womanhood, had much to live for—home and many friends—but God knew what was best for her and gave her His best, an early crown into eternal life. At the age of 8 years she entered her name upon the church record of historic Stone Chapel, and up to the hour of death she had been an earnest child of God, and as the shadows of the valley of death gathered about her, she read the last chapter of Revelations, telling of the new Heaven, into which she felt she was soon to enter. She was amiable in character, appreciative of all kindness shown her, and thus she gathered about her many friends in the short time she had lived in Westminster.

The funeral services were held at Stone Chapel, conducted by Rev. A. J. Gill, pastor of the church, assisted by Rev. L. E. Bennett, pastor of the M. E. Church in this city. The music was in charge of the choir of both churches.

Many beautiful tokens of love in choice flowers covered the casket, and the following young men of her associates bore her to her resting place: Robert Ebaugh, Lever Dinst, Harry Cover, Levine Price, Benton Stoner and William Royer. F. C. Sharrer funeral director.

Wolfe.

Joseph Wolfe, after a brief illness quietly passed away near mid-night on November 1. He had attained the ripe old age of 84 years and 1 month. Had been a resident of Union Bridge for over fifty years, and to him as an architect and builder the town owes its existence. He leaves one brother Daniel, the last one living of a large family of brothers and sisters. Of his children, Clayton Wolfe, of Manassville, Oklahoma; W. Scott Wolfe, of Union Bridge, Md.; Mrs. J. Elsie Miller and T. C. Wolfe, of Philadelphia, Pa.; and Mrs. W. Straw, of Mt. Airy, survive. His life one of the highest type of noble manhood, honest and upright in all his business transactions with his fellow man, most kind and affectionate to his family, always providing most liberally for their comforts.

Funeral services were held November 4 at the home of his son Scott, in charge of Rev. J. McLain Brown of the M. P. Church. Interment in Mountain View cemetery.

The pallbearers were six nephews of the deceased—Elmer, Abraham and Frank Wolfe, John H. Repp, Reuben Saylor and Capt. Thornton Wright.

Mrs. Roda Walter Hyatt, 84 years old, widow of Henry M. Hyatt, died at her home, Emlen, Md., on November 6, of paralysis. She was a daughter of the late Edward and Mary Walker and is survived by three sons and two daughters. They are William Edward Hyatt, of Jjansville; J. Bradley Hyatt, of Howard county; Lewis Howard Hyatt, of Baltimore; Mrs. William Chapman Shaw, of Newmarket, and Mrs. C. T. Turnbull.

Lockard.

James W. Lockard, senior member of the well-known firm of J. W. Lockard & Son, Liberty street, died early Thursday morning at the University Hospital, Baltimore, after an operation for stomach trouble.

Mr. Lockard was a farmer, but retired a number of years ago and located in this city, after which he opened a grocery store and later entering in the furniture and implements business, at which he has made a large success. He was a most exemplary citizen, and was a member of the Methodist Protestant Church. He was 64 years of age.

He leaves a wife and one son, Carroll Lockard, the junior member of the firm.

## "The Little Tycoon" a Success

THE HOUSE WAS PACKED AND THE INTEREST OF AUDIENCE WAS INTENSE

THE PLAY WILL BE REPRODUCED ON TUESDAY NIGHT

Willard Spencer's American-Japanese comic opera was played on Tuesday and Thursday nights at Odg Fellows' Hall by local talent. Although a new play, it has been a great success. It brought down the house and the interest of the audience was intense from beginning to end. Save for a few anachronisms in the costume and staging, everything was perfect and the acting could not have been surpassed.

It was staged in two acts, the second having two scenes. The first act opens on deck of an Ocean Steamer returning from Europe. Those on board are General Knickerbocker with his long line of Dutch ancestors, ambitious for his daughter Violet, who against his will is in love with Alvin Barry, a New York stock broker. The General wishing her to marry royalty has made the choice of Lord Dolphin, who is known as a dandy, and there is the party. Miss Hurricane, a prim old maid, the chaperon to tourist maidens, finds herself in love with General K. and worries him and all in her insatiable desire to be the wife of the rich.

Mrs. Zelman Byers spent Friday evening with Miss May Jenkins. Those who spent Sunday with Wm. Bowers and family were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Brown, of Sykesville, and Miss Nellie Wright, of Taylorville, and Harry M. Zile, of Baltimore.

Mrs. Emma Frizell, Mrs. Alice Alexander and niece spent last Tuesday with Mrs. Thomas Moore. Miss Lelia Franklin, of Winfield, spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Charlie Bair, last week of Sam's Creek.

Carroll Wanzel, of Winfield, has accepted a position at the Springfield Hospital as a guard. He will be missed very much in our community.

Earl Tucker, our great crack shot of this town, had fine luck the first day's hunting. He crippled one rabbit.

Miss Bessie Franklin is preparing for her wedding.

TYRONE.

Wednesday was the 10th, and sounds of guns were heard on every side, indicating lots of game or lots of ammunition wasted.

Mordecai Fritz, who was paralyzed last Sunday, is still very poorly.

Harry Fritz and wife, Edward Fritz and wife and Fannie Fritz were called to the home of Mr. Fritz, who is very poorly this week.

Luther Helwig and family and Jas. Hingler and wife were guests of Geo. Hingler and family last Sunday.

Earl Haines is suffering from a felon on his hand. It will be some time before he will be able to use his hand.

Do not forget the great Christian Endeavor Rally at Baust Church this Sunday afternoon and night. Eight societies to be represented. Dr. Shreve, of Westminster, the County President, will have charge of the services. G. W. Yeiser, of Union Mills, and other speakers from a distance will be present.

D. E. Moyland, a mute preacher, of Baltimore, will preach at Baust church next Thursday night.

BARK HILL.

Wm. Nuebaum and wife and Mrs. Francis Wilson spent Sunday with George Welk and family, of Frizellburg.

Mrs. Abraham Harris, who has been sick and paralyzed, died last Friday. Funeral services were held at the home on Sunday afternoon, Rev. E. F. Murray and W. H. Englar officiated. Interment at Uniontown.

Mrs. Louis Rowe, of Patapsco, visited friends at this place.

A. F. Wilchem is visiting in York, Pa.

Lucy Shue is visiting Reuben Saylor's family.

Mrs. Clarence Blaxton and children and Mrs. Clara V. Tate, all of Roop's Mill, spent Monday afternoon with their sister, Mrs. W. H. Jones and family.

Harry Eckard's father, who is almost totally blind, is spending some time with him and his family of this place.

MD. COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE.

Miss Bessie Wine entertained the other members of the graduating class and a few friends on Saturday evening.

Our latest enrolled students are Guy Hartman, of Kaufman, Pa.; Claude Etzler, Linwood; Talmage Hoover, Wakefield.

## SMALLWOOD FARMERS' GRANGE

GRAND SUCCESS OF FIRST ANNUAL PICNIC

The Exhibits Were Numerous and of a Superior Quality

For the Advocate.

The exhibits of horses, colts and farm products at Smallwood Hall, in Smallwood, on Friday and Saturday, 25th and 26th ult., under the auspices of the Smallwood Farmer's Grange, were quite numerous and made a great success of the exhibition. The horses and colts were hard to excel, and the other exhibits were of superior quality. Many prizes were given, the list in full being as follows:

The E. G. Shipley, C. A. Shipley and George A. Shipley Stock Company, of Shipley, on heavy draft stallion, first; Frank Yingling, of Eastview, on light stallion, first.

John Spencer, on heavy draft horse, under four years old, first; Bertram Blizard, second. These were single drivers.

Heavy draft, double drivers, a pair of grays driven by Albert Cover, of Marston, first; Light draft, double drivers, a pair of bays, driven by Harry J. Babylon, first; light draft, single drivers, A. L. Davis, first; Vernon R. Hook, second; Clarence Shipley, third.

Four-year-old saddle horses: Elmer Davis, first; Arthur Blizard, second.

Three-year-old saddle horses: Walter E. Sayers, first.

Heavy draft colts: Geo. A. Shipley, first and second; E. G. Shipley, third.

Light draft colts: Minnie E. Sayers, first.

On Pony—Henry Kanaugh, first.

The prizes on corn and other exhibits were awarded as follows, by Prof. N. Schmitz, of the Maryland Agricultural College:

White Cap Dent—E. G. Shipley, first; Harry Buckingham, second; Robert Gist, third.

Yellow Corn—Luther Zahn, first; James Bowers, second; E. G. Shipley, third.

Golden Beauty—Robert Nelson, first; John Nelson, second; Fred Richter, third.

White Corn—Robert Gist, first; Charles Kress, second; E. G. Shipley, third.

Red Corn—Ralph Reifsnider, first; Robert Gist, second.

Sweet Corn—John M. Hook, first; Grey Back Corn—Mack Horton, first.

Potatoes.

Charles Downy—Howard Logue, first; Ralph Reifsnider, second; Eddie Case, third.

Monroe Seedling—Geo. A. Shipley, first; Grove J. Shipley, second.

Green Mountain—Geo. Klee, first; Early Ohio—George Case, first.

Early Florida Blom, first. Parker's pride—Howard Logue, first. Oats—Harry Buckingham, first; E. G. Shipley, second.

Pumpkins—Albert Davis, first. Pears—Mrs. Grant Hook, first. Beets—Mrs. Martha Baker, first. Turnips—Harry Logue, first. Wheat—Christ Schnable, first. Peanuts—Edward Spencer, first. Stock beets—Eddie Case, first; Chas. Kress, second.

Apples.

York Imperials—Elizabeth Klee, first; Eddie Case, second; Chas. Wagner, third.

Pound—Christ Schnable, first; Harry Buckingham, second; Mrs. Grant Hook, third.

## ST. MARY'S BODILY DEFEATED

Western Maryland College defeated Mount St. Mary's here Saturday afternoon by 47 to 6 in a game noticeably free from unnecessary roughness. The two teams were evenly matched in weight, but Western Maryland played faster and was in better training. The forward pass and tackle plays were used frequently by both teams.

Captain Gill, Tuley, starved Bird-sall, Twig and Dugley starred for Western Maryland, while Barrett played a good game for Mount St. Mary's. Dr. Linn, of Colgate University, was referee; Professor Cottrell, of Colgate, umpire. Smith, of Western Maryland, head linesman; Wiley, Western Maryland, and O'Brien, St. Mary's, assistant linesman; Touchdowns, Turner, 5; Thomas, 2; Birdsall, 1; goals from touchdowns, Stoltz, 7.

Senator Beaman for President of the Senate.

While no move has yet been made to indicate upon whom the choice will fall for President of the State Senate and Speaker of the House, there is a great deal of interest being manifested in the possible choice. So far State Senator Beaman is the only avowed candidate for President of the State Senate. He was a candidate four years ago, but he was beaten out in the race. Gen. Joseph B. Seth of Talbot county having been the choice of the party caucus.

Fitzsimmons—Norris.

Miss Clara Galtner Norris, daughter of Mr. Henry Norris, of Unionville, and Mr. Charles J. Fitzsimmons, of Galtersburg, Montgomery county, were married at Locust Grove, the home of the bride's parents, Wednesday, Mrs. Mary Haines, sister of the bride, played the wedding march. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Jos. Kavanagh. A reception followed the wedding. They will live in Galtersburg.

Washington Inventor.

A Washington man has invented a muzzle for the roosters, to keep them from crowing before he gets ready to "wake up in the morning." Now, if he will invent some preventer from crying during the night he will have conferred a lasting blessing on the race.

Horrible Example.

Mrs. Harriman now is said to be the richest widow in the world. If Hetty Green had saved her money instead of blowing it recklessly for \$18 flats and thirty-nine cent hats she might have been able to make a showing in that line.—Chicago News.

It costs about \$3,500,000 to lay a modern telegraph cable across the Atlantic Ocean.