

COURT HOUSE NEWS.

MAY TERM OF COURT STARTED ON MONDAY.

A Number of Cases Were Disposed of—Juryman Dismissed on Account of His Hearing.

Circuit Court.

The May term of the Circuit Court for Carroll county began Monday morning. Chief Judge William H. Thomas, who has been ill for several months, was able to be present and occupied the bench with Associate Judge William H. Forsythe. The court appointed John H. Greenholtz bailiff to the grand jury, William H. Conway bailiff to the petit jury and H. Clayton Barnes and Benj. F. Rawlings bailiffs at the gates. Grand and petit jurors were drawn as follows:

Grand Jurors—John W. Hoffacker (foreman), Martin L. Buffington, John N. Kroh, J. Edgar Barnes, Joseph B. Horton, John H. Fuss, William H. Schwartz, Harry C. Frick, Columbus V. Conway, Lawrence C. Lyon, Albert C. Hawn, James W. Martin, Jacob S. Gladhill, Samuel H. Hare, Theodore S. Clarke, Samuel G. Storer, William J. Haines, Reuben A. Stonestifer, Milton J. Houck, Franklin H. Koozts, George E. Conway, Edward H. R. Osterhouse and Jonas M. Wagner.

There are only 24 petit jurors, Jesse W. Ryan having been found ineligible on account of deafness and the court deemed it unnecessary to draw another trial place.

Petit Jurors—D. M. Humbert, Geo. A. Shoemaker, David R. Fogle, Eugene W. Eckenrode, Frederick H. Myers, Mervin E. Cashman, Moses J. M. Troxell, Franklin H. Myers, G. Harry Bevard, David O. Reed, Theodore T. Beaver, Abraham Price, Charles E. Bowers, James Pearey, Howard M. Thomas, John F. Flohr, Howard M. Hyle, John W. Abbott, Joseph Davidson, Lee C. Leister, Jesse P. Weybright, John Cornell, Milton H. Harrison, Arthur C. Baile.

The following cases were disposed of this week:

Walsh Bros., appellants, vs. Josiah D. Crowl, appellee, tried before jury; verdict for appellants; Walsh, Decker & Parke for appellants. Weant for appellee. State vs. William Sterling, common tramp; tried before Court; not guilty. Reifsnider for State; Brown for traverser. State vs. James Delany, common tramp; tried before Court; verdict not guilty. Reifsnider for State; Brown for traverser. State vs. John Davis, assault and battery; plea of guilty confessed; sentenced to Maryland House of Correction for two years. Reifsnider for State; Brown for traverser. State vs. George Brooks, assault and battery; tried before Court; verdict not guilty. Reifsnider for State; Clemson for traverser. State vs. Carson Brooks, assault; tried before Court; verdict not guilty. Reifsnider for State; Clemson for traverser. Arthur S. Blizard vs. William Devillish, damages; non pros. under rule. Wells and Young for plaintiff; Reifsnider for defendant. Frederick Mehring vs. John H. Miller, assumpsit; tried before Court; judgment for plaintiff \$109.82. Rowe and Bond & Parke for plaintiff; Weant for defendant. The petit jury was discharged yesterday until Monday.

Marriage Licenses.

Ezra C. Caylor, 54, Uniontown, Md., and Annie L. Wolf, 35, Carroll county. John W. E. Cartzenzeder, 50, and Mary S. Selby, 53, both of Carroll county. George W. Zender, 34, and Anna B. Smith, 27, both of Westminster.

County Commissioners.

The bids received by the County Commissioners, on May 8, for building a steel bridge over Piney creek near Sykesville, were as follows: J. S. McInrae, \$525; Wm. Buchanan, \$557; Nelson Merydith Co., \$564; York Bridge Co., \$495. The York Bridge Company, being the lowest bidder, received the contract.

The assessors have completed their work in all the districts. The Board of Control and Review will complete their work in a few days, and the Clerk will be through in a week or two. The Board will then be in a position to give the county the gain of taxable basis and what tax rate will be levied. The commissioners are sure that the rate will be considerably lower.

The Frederick County Commissioners were in this city on Thursday to take up the matter with the Carroll County Commissioners as to building a bridge over the Monocacy at Mumme's ford. This is one of the most dangerous fordings on the Monocacy, the commissioners of the two counties will meet at the site on the 19th to further consider the matter.

Transfers of Real Estate.

Charlotte A. Jordan to John E. Jordan, convey 67 acres and 20 perches, for \$1700. Henrietta M. Miller to Wm. H. Hann, convey lot in Manchester, for \$100. Noah Shaffer and wife to Thos. T. Shaffer and wife, convey 127 acres, for \$5500. Sarah Smith and wife to Robert Lee Myers, convey 3 lots in Union Bridge, for \$1. Henrietta M. Miller to Sarah C. Shaffer, convey lot in Manchester, for \$17.00. John C. Buckley and wife to County Commissioners, convey right of way, for \$1. Joseph Formwalt et al. to Harry R. Formwalt, convey 164 acres, for \$1700. Peter Helrich and wife to Anna M. Wolf and wife, convey 13 acres and 7 square perches, for \$6300. Peter Helrich and wife to Horatio Black, convey 16 acres and 15 square perches, for \$1700. Henry M. Miller to Peter Helrich, convey 2 lots in Manchester, for \$34.

WEDDINGS

Wright—Wallace.

Mrs. John H. De Lashmutt announces the marriage of her daughter, Mrs. Anne De Lashmutt, Wallace, to Rev. S. Otto Wright, of Richmond, Va., on Saturday, April 29. The wedding was performed by Rev. J. A. Trostle, of Virginia, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Howard, 1732 St. Paul street Baltimore. The bride's only attendant was her sister, Miss Mildred Lee De Lashmutt, and the guests were limited to the family and a few intimate friends. The bride is the eldest daughter of Mrs. and the late John H. De Lashmutt, of Mt. Airy. Mr. Wright is a member of the Virginia Methodist Episcopal Conference, South, and is a graduate of Randolph-Macon College and Vanderbilt University. Mr. and Mrs. Wright will make their future home in Richmond.

Orphans' Court.

Monday, May 8.—Ampley Baughman, administrator of Benjamin Baughman, deceased, settled his first and final account. E. Ray Englar, executor of Nathan Englar, deceased, returned inventory of personal property, inventory of debts and inventory of current money. Frederick Seaks, executor of Frederick Seaks, deceased, returned inventory of personal property, also inventory of debts. Cornelia L. Myers and Nettie A. Weaver, executors of Edman H. Weaver, deceased, returned inventory of debts and inventory of personal property.

The last will and testament of Caroline Kolb, deceased, admitted to probate, and letters testamentary thereon granted unto J. Oliver Wadlow, who received warrant to appraise personal property, warrant to appraise real estate and order to notify creditors.

Letters of guardianship granted unto Angelina Jones, to the infant children of Lilly May Hooper, and grand children of Thomas Jones, deceased. Joseph H. Study, executor of Albert Study, deceased, received order to deposit distributive shares of Loyd E. Crouse and Mary E. Crouse, infants.

Manda S. Lockard, executor of Jas. W. Lockard, deceased, returned report of sale of real estate, interest, and settled her first and final account. Harry C. Horner, administrator of Amelia Walker, deceased, settled his first and final account.

Wesley M. Gelman, acting executor of Abraham I. Gelman, deceased, received order to sell real estate. Harry Newton Deviles, acting executor of William S. Deviles, deceased, returned inventory of money, also reported sale of stock, received order to assign mortgage, and settled his first and final account.

Tuesday, May 9.—William P. Englar, executor of Elizabeth Switzer, deceased, received order to set stock and bonds. John Milton Reifsnider, administrator of Eugene Trayer, deceased, returned inventory of money, also debts, petition and order of court to employ counsel.

The last will and testament of Betie S. Reifsnider, deceased, admitted to probate, and letters testamentary thereon granted unto Charles T. Reifsnider and J. Smith Reifsnider, who received warrant to appraise, also order to notify creditors.

Eunith Franklin mother of Margaret R. Franklin and John E. Franklin, infants, received order to use \$75.00 of their funds for their maintenance. Joshua Koutz, administrator of Sarah Koutz, deceased, returned report of sale of bank stock.

The sale of the real estate of Margaret Emily Bay Armacost, deceased, ratified and confirmed by this court.

SANDYVILLE WINS.

Mechanicsville Has a Number of Games Scheduled. The Mechanicsville Athletic Club, of Gamber, was defeated on Saturday last by the Sandyville Club, at Sandyville, by 4 to 1.

Two errors by the M. A. C. boys proved fatal in the second and seventh innings, allowing Sandyville to score all four runs.

Brown and Tracey were in the box for Sandyville and pitched great ball. Tracey had his spit ball working nicely and Mechanicsville boys simply could not touch them. Barnhart caught his usual good game. Stockdale was the leading stick artist, followed closely by Spencer.

Lineup: Sandyville—Taylor, 2b; Zepp, 1b; Barnhart, c; Stockdale, lf; H. Spencer, cf; Tracey, 3b; Brown, p; O. Spencer, rf; T. Spencer, ss. M. A. C.—Shiple, 2b; Arnold, rf; Paynter, c; Myerly, 3b; Linton, ss; Monroe, cf; Bittel, p; Shauck, 1b; Jordan, lf.

Score by innings: Sandyville.....1 0 0 0 0 3 0 0—4 M. A. C.....1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 Today, Saturday, Sandyville will go to North Branch to play the club of that place. A good game is expected.

The Mechanicsville Club has the following schedule made out until July 13. Emory at Gamber. May 20, Patapsco at Patapsco. May 27, Open. June 3, North Branch at Gamber. June 10, Woodbine at Gamber. June 17, Open. June 24, North Branch at North Branch. July 1, Open. July 4, St. Ann's Catholic Club of Baltimore at Gamber. We would like to fill the three open dates with strong uniform teams in this county.

Public Spraying Demonstration.

A public spraying demonstration will be held in the orchard of J. W. Beacham, Avondale, Md., on Friday, May 19th, at 1.30 p. m.

The public is cordially invited to attend and observe the manner of preparation and application of the solution for the control of the codling moth, plum, curculio, and various other diseases that cause worms and rotten fruit.

The demonstration will be conducted by Prof. Thos. B. Symons, State Entomologist.

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Report of Westminster Free Library.

At the annual meeting of the Westminster Free Library, held at the home of Mrs. Mather, librarian, reported books purchased during the year, 1910. Total books in library, 558. Circulation of books during year, 2,365. Number of members and borrowers, 191.

Dr. James E. Shreeve, Jr., secretary and treasurer, reported. Receipts as follows: Balance, \$10.89. Received from M. & M. Assco. rent, 18.00. Members, 115.00. Special donation, 5.00. \$154.64

Expenditures. New books, \$48.60. Md. State Lib. Assn., 2.75. Printing, 2.75. Gas, 2.10. Rent, 61.50. \$128.45

Balance on hand, \$29.19. The treasurer's account was audited by Rev. C. S. Single and Denton Gehr, and reported correct.

The officers were re-elected as follows: William L. Seabrook, president; Frank W. Mather, librarian; Dr. J. E. Shreeve, Jr., secretary and treasurer; executive committee, the above named officers and Rev. C. S. Single, Denton Gehr and Miss Mary E. Shellman and Mrs. Laura Sellman, Denton Gehr and Ober Herr were appointed assistant librarians. It was determined to keep the library open for distribution of books on Monday and Thursday evenings and Saturday afternoon, as heretofore.

The president was instructed to make an earnest appeal through the Westminster papers for liberal patronage of the library. He therefore urges all contributing members to pay the annual dues of one dollar. Every member is also requested to become a solicitor for new members paying fees. If each new member will secure one unit about the receipts will be doubled and the means provided for the purchase of a larger number of books during the coming year. Thus it will be to the mutual benefit of all for each to take a personal interest in increasing the contributing membership. All, who have been using borrowers cards in the past, are requested, if possible to become contributing members. The annual fee of one dollar should be paid at once to one of the officers or solicitors.

A Family Reunion.

Cheer and sunshine were taken to the home of Mrs. Mary J. Shipley near Gist, on Saturday evening of last week, it being the 51st anniversary of Mrs. Shipley's birth. The event was a complete surprise to Mrs. Shipley, but she entered at once into the spirit of the affair and enjoyed the general good time. The company were equipped, not only with fun, but also with baskets laden with good things to tempt the appetite. The guests began to arrive at about six o'clock and took full possession of the home. The early part of the evening was spent in social conversation, and about eight o'clock when all were invited to the dining room where a feast had been prepared which did credit to the company.

After another short social period, the guests again repaired to the dining room to partake of refreshments consisting of ice cream, cake, coffee, bananas, oranges, confectionery, etc. About 10.30 Mr. E. H. Shipley, the oldest son of Mrs. Shipley, disappeared and an air of mystery pervaded the room until he reappeared carrying a large handsome Morris chair which was presented to Mrs. Shipley by her children. At about half past eleven the guests began to depart wishing Mrs. Shipley many happy returns of the day.

Mrs. Shipley is the widow of the late Bruce Shipley, and is the daughter of Obadiah and Hannah Buckingham. She is a direct descendant of the Duke of Buckingham of England. Mrs. Shipley and her brother, Leonard Buckingham, of Warfield, are the only survivors of a large family. Mr. Buckingham being in his 91st year.

Mrs. Shipley has always been loved because she possesses the high ideals of Christian life.

Those present were as follows: Mrs. Mary J. Shipley, R. H. H. Shipley, Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Pool, Emma L. Shipley, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Bennett, of Freedom; Mr. and Mrs. Harry V. Shipley, of Cockeysville; Mr. and Mrs. Byron Shipley, of Mt. Airy; Dora E. Shipley, Annie Miller and George Miller.

Bush Harbor vs. Woodbine.

The Bush Harbor Base Ball team defeated Woodbine A. C., May 6, by a score of 6 to 4.

The game was very quiet and interesting: Gibroy, for Bush Harbor, struck out sixteen men; Butler, for Woodbine, struck out seven. This is the second time for Woodbine to go home defeated.

Bush Harbor team is ready to hear from all strong teams in the State. The picture of the players will be in this paper later.

JOHN GIBROY, Manager.

28th COMMENCEMENT.

WESTMINSTER THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY.

Fourteen Men Graduated Into the Ministry—Dr. H. L. Elderdice Delivered Baccalaureate Sermon.

The twenty-eighth commencement of Westminster Theological Seminary was held this week, May 7-9. The baccalaureate service, in the Methodist Protestant church, Sunday morning, was largely attended. The annual alumni sermon was preached in the evening, by Rev. Roly F. Day, A. B., B. D., a graduate of the Seminary class of 1900. Monday evening the twenty-eighth anniversary of the Stockton Literary Society was celebrated in the seminary chapel, the annual meeting of the board of governors was held in the chapel Tuesday morning.

The baccalaureate sermon was delivered by Rev. Dr. Hugh Latimer Elderdice, president of the seminary, who commended to the members of the graduating class Nathan, the prophet, who wisely yet boldly rebuked King David for his grievous sin in his conduct concerning Bathsheba and her husband, as an example to be imitated by the preachers of today. His text was: Thou art the man (II. Samuel, xii. 7), and his subject was Nathan, the minister as a personal preacher. He said in part:

The Personal Preacher. "This old testament prophet is a splendid specimen of the personal preacher, his requirements are his reward. He had a special message for a certain man and without losing time or wasting words he found him and had his say. He did not ramble through the royal art gallery to indulge his aesthetic taste, nor linger in the national library to confirm his credentials, nor tarry in the council chamber to flatter the army; but made hot haste to the king's throne and a deep thrust to the king's conscience.

"Herein is he a model for some ministers whose preaching is so impractical, who are content to find men dealing with creed rather than conduct, speculation instead of revelation and talking more about the church fathers than to the church sons, every Sabbath they travel from Dan to Beersheba without saving a soul.

"Preaching is an oral message from a person by a person, from God, the Divine Person, by the minister, a human person, to an audience of flesh and blood. It follows that it must be personal; for the mere delivery of a sermon is not preaching; what it is will depend upon how it is applied. If it closes without a direct application to the persons present it is only truth in the hands of an intellectual gymnast.

The Requirements. "The requirements of the personal preacher are God-sent, tactful, courteous, the recognized, the Lord sent, Nathan unto David. This divine authority was essential to equip a subject to meet his monarch on such a mission. Had he been inspired only by his own sense of wrong, or urged alone by the petition of the friends of dead Uriah, he would have had neither the diplomatic bravery to indict the royal criminal.

"The God-sent minister must use human tact. Nathan was diplomatic in dealing with a delicate situation. Had he bluntly denounced David by saying: 'You brute! I have caught you in your crime against the honor of Bathsheba and the life of her husband, he would have been doomed to the dungeon or the sword; but by using tact to hide that crime; under the garb of a parable, he was able to lead the king to act as his own judge. Tact in the pulpit is saying the right thing at the right time in the right way.

"Though it was Nathan's tact that invented his parable, it was his courage that made the application. In these days of high living and low salaries ministers are tempted to be friendly instead of courageous, compromising rather than courageous. With a family to feed and cloth and children to educate, they hear the tempter whisper: 'Go and stand in the pulpit, you will lose the subscription of Squire Smith.' But subscriptions are not lost that way, for even bad men admire courage in the pulpit.

Nathan's Reward. "Nathan's reward was the sight of a penitent king on his knees. This was to him richer than the crown of the king or the wealth of his kingdom. Brethren of the graduating class, my plea is: Be personal preachers. Fail anywhere but here. You dare not miss this mark. Let your message be so direct that men will know you are talking to them and not to the absentees. Do not play at preaching, but face your David like a man. Do not enter your pulpit until convinced that you are God-sent; then your sermon will not be a rehearsal of theological lectures from your seminary notebooks, nor a mangled revision of some lecture you have heard on the platform, nor a ventilation of some theory of Bible inspiration, nor some speculation over the origin of man, but a Scripture truth which you have discovered by hard study, or a personal experience which confirms the Word of God, or a message from the skies which finds you on your knees and sends you in search of some David in his unforgetting sins.

"And remember that the truest tact is born of sympathy and therefore tells the most terrific punishment in tones that are tender. Before you plunge the sword of the Spirit tell the story of the pet lamb. When the tempter bids you show the white feather, show the nerve of John Knox, who 'never feared the face of clay.'

"The closing exercises were held Tuesday evening in the Methodist Protestant Church. Rev. J. M. Sheehan, D. D., president of the Maryland Annual Conference, opened the exercises with prayer. William Henry Miskell, of Wilmington, Del., sang a solo, and Warren Hampton, Hodges, delivered the class oration. The address to the graduating class was

delivered by Rev. F. T. Tagg, of Baltimore, editor of the Methodist Protestant, Diplomas and degrees were conferred on 14 students by President Elderdice, their names and graduating theses were as follows:

Robert Wood Coe, Oxford, Md., Angelology: Memphis Evans, Nottolauga, Ala., The History of the Atonement: Joseph Wm. Gibson, Clanton, Ala., Baptism: John Israel Green, Baltimore, Justification by Faith; Reamer Ray Hess, Jamison City, Pa., The Holy Spirit: Arthur Earl Hughes, Jane Law, W. Va., Divine Providence: Gordon Grover Jones, Beaver Dam, Ky., The Doctrine of the Atonement; Reuben Young Nicholson, Olney, Md., Assurance: Paul Riegel, Experiment, Ga., The Theopneustic Christ; Stephen Franklin Silker, Beverick, Pa., The Kingdom of God; Robert Samuel Troxell, Gilon College, N. C., Repentance; Dwight Lyman Custis, Wilmington, O., Judaism and Christianity; Warren Hampton Hodges, Morgantown, W. Va., The Church and Psycho-therapeutics; Charles Walter Sanderson, Elamere, Del., Church Federation. The last named three received the degree of bachelor of divinity.

The following prizes were awarded: the Herling Hebrew and Parsons Memorial prizes to Warren Hampton Hodges; Bates Memorial Historical Theology prize to Gordon Grover Jones; Drinkhouse Memorial Impromptu Debate prize to Ronalds Taylor, of New York; Willis Memorial prize to Dwight Lyman Custis; Queen Hymn and Scripture Reading prize to Robert Samuel Troxler; Dr. C. E. Forlines Thelau prize to William Edgar Grove, of Ohio.

The benediction pronounced by Rev. Dr. J. L. Mills, of Wye, Md., closed the exercises.

Witter, Not Winter.

The name of the gentleman who died on Wednesday last week of scarlet fever, at his home near Snyderburg, as told in the Advocate of the 5th inst., was not Winter, but Witter. The Advocate received the account of his death by phone and misunderstood the name as it was spoken by the informant. Otherwise the account was correct, though some features of the case, of more than ordinary interest to the public, were omitted. It appears that Mr. Witter's death, several weeks ago, received a letter from a relative in the West, in whose family the scarlet fever was then prevalent. Germs of the disease were, without doubt, transmitted in the letter and Miss Witter contracted the disease and had been ill for ten days or longer when the father was called with the attack and died a fatal termination so quickly. He probably contracted the disease from his daughter, who was then well on the way to recovery, and having been in ill health yielded at once to the virulence of the malady. The incident should be a warning to the public generally to use great caution in sending or receiving missives written in fever-stricken houses, unless such communications shall be fumigated before transmission.

Mr. Howard S. Witter, the victim of the fatal malady in this case, was a worthy and honored farmer, and his death excited widespread sympathy for his afflicted family.

W. H. S. 19; Littlestown 4.

Westminster High School defeated Littlestown last Saturday in a one sided game, by 19 to 4. The battery work of Cook and Chrest was a feature, the former striking out 9 men. The High School made two double plays, one by J. Strickland and Merling, for Littlestown, had great speed, but was a little wild. He was succeeded by two other pitchers, but they were not able to find the plate. L. Smith scored five runs.

Score by innings: Littlestown.....1 0 1 0 0 0 2 0—4 W. H. S.....4 1 5 4 0 2 2 x—19 Batteries—Merling, Koozts, Dehoff and King. Cook and Chrest.

PLEASANT VALLEY.

At the annual election of the Sunday school last Sunday, the following officers were elected: President, Harry J. Myers; vice president, George C. Wantz; superintendents, J. Roy Myers and Edward Wantz; female superintendents, Alma Myers and Margaret Yingling; secretaries, Carroll Myers and Harry Logue; treasurer, Upton H. Myers.

Miss Alice V. Frownfelter, of New Windsor, spent several days with Mrs. Charles Eckard and Mrs. Luther Hering.

Daniel Eckard and cousin, Miss Jessie Ickes, are spending several days in Washington, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Ickes.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. Myers and son, Gordon, of Baltimore, are spending some time with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Myers.

The P. O. S. of A. will have decoration day on Saturday, May 27th. There will be a festival in the evening. Due notice will be given or the speakers next week.

E. W. Devillish on Wednesday morning of last week lost a new glove for the right hand, on the Stonersville and Pleasant Valley road, and found the finder will please return to him or leave with Mrs. John Byers.

Sunday school at 9 a. m. Divine service at 10 o'clock by Rev. John O. Yoder.

ALESIA.

Miss Alice Blocher visited relatives in Baltimore last week.

Dr. M. E. Shamer, son of Mrs. W. C. Withde, of this place, has been elected vice-president and medical examiner of the Maryland Homeopathic Hospital, of Baltimore.

The work visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sandruck and presented them with a boy.

Mrs. Hattie Zepp is visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Spicer, of this place. Don't forget May 20th, free Band Concert at this place. Curtain rises 7.30 p. m. Everybody turns out.

There will be a festival at Homestead School May 26th and 27th for the benefit of the school library. Turn out and help the good cause along.

Mrs. Charles Hersh and daughter, of Baltimore, visited Mrs. Charles Spicer, Wednesday evening.

DEATHS

Fleagle.

George Fleagle, aged 79 years, 4 months and 27 days, died on Sunday morning, May 7, at 1.20 o'clock, at his home, in Mayberry, Md., after a brief illness of only 2 days of gravity pneumonia, superinduced by the infirmities of old age. He was in early life a public school teacher and taught school in this county for a period of 23 years. He was also a brick-layer and a successful farmer. For some years he has lived rather a retired life. He always lived a peaceful and quiet life. He was a kind and loving father and neighbor, and will be missed by his family and many friends, who know however, that though his death is their loss it is his eternal gain. Many beautiful floral designs were received.

He was a member of Baust's Reformed Church for many years, and his remains were interred there on Tuesday morning in the presence of a large number of sorrowing and sympathizing friends. Rev. Martin Switzer officiated, taking as his text Corinthians 2d chap. and 9th verse.

He is survived by three sons, Chas. H. E. Scott and Harry E. Fleagle, and by one daughter, Mollie A., wife of O. E. Dodder, county treasurer, and by one sister and one brother, Mrs. Levi Myers, of Pleasant Valley and Noah H. Fleagle, of Tampa, Fla.

The pallbearers were Wm. F. Boring, Samuel Keefer, Otto Elide, Wm. Erb, John Vaughan and James Yingling. Chas. O. Fuss undertaker.

Bartgis.

C. C. Bartgis, aged 55 years, died at his home in Baltimore yesterday morning of paralysis. Mrs. L. A. Haller, East Green street, is a sister of the deceased. Funeral will be held tomorrow, Saturday, afternoon.

Lee.

Robert Lee, aged 84 years, 3 months and 24 days, died at his home at Eldersburg, Md., on May 6th, 1911. The funeral took place on Monday, May 8, at 11 o'clock a. m., from Wesley Chapel, Freedom, Md.

Uhler.

Mrs. Margaret A. Uhler, aged 58 years, widow of the late William H. Uhler, died suddenly of heart disease Friday night while returning from services at the Lutheran church at Reisterstown. The deceased is survived by one son, Arthur H. Uhler, and one daughter, Mrs. Frank Shugart. Her funeral took place Tuesday afternoon from her late residence on the Reisterstown road. Rev. George Hazel, pastor of Grace Methodist Episcopal Church South, officiated. He was assisted by Rev. John A. Anderson, of Lewisburg, W. Va., and Rev. Dr. W. H. Best, of Roncoverte, W. Va., both of whom are also Southern Methodist Episcopal pastors. The pallbearers were George, Standish and William Uhler, Wm. Ruley, Elmer Wagoner and William Russell.

Miller.

Mrs. Samuel Miller died on Monday, May 8, at 1 p. m., at Grangeville, Pa., after an illness of paralysis, in her 64th year. Eli Hook, of Lineboro, Md., is a brother. Funeral took place yesterday, services at the house by Rev. D. B. Lau.

Baker.

Annie J. Baker, widow of the late A. H. Baker, founder of Calvert College, (now known as New Windsor College) and mother of David W. Baker, former United States District Attorney for the District of Columbia, died at her home in Germantown, May 3. She was 81 years old. Mrs. Baker had been an invalid for a long time and her death was not unexpected. She was a daughter of Daniel Boland, of Loudoun county, Va., where she lived previous to her marriage.

Mrs. Baker leaves two sons, D. W. Baker, of Washington, and A. H. Baker, of Germantown, Md., and four daughters, who also live in Germantown.

Cassen.

Miss Emma Cassen, aged 49 years died suddenly at noon, on May 4, at the residence of her sister, Ida Cassen Hilleary, 119 Bedford street, Cumberland Md. Miss Cassen was able to be about and was at the dinner table when the summons came. She is survived by four brothers, Rev. S. F. Cassen, Finksburg, Md.; Edward Cassen, Massalo, Ohio; Henry and Jarrett Cassen, of Cumberland, Md., and one sister, Mrs. Hilleary, of Cumberland, Md.

The deceased was buried in Rose Hill Cemetery, on Saturday afternoon, May 6.

FOUND DEAD.

Henry Steyer, of Silver Run, Community Saleide. Henry Steyer, residing 1 mile from Silver Run, was found dead in his wash house, where he committed suicide by hanging himself with a rope tied to the rafters yesterday morning. He was found there by some one of the family. The cause of this rash act is not known. He was about 75 years old.

He is survived by a widow, who was a Miss Matilda Bechtel, also two sons, George and Albert Steyer, of near Silver Run.

His funeral will take place tomorrow, (Saturday) morning at Silver Run Lutheran church.

Misses Ora Barnhart and Mira Shilling spent Sunday with Miss Helen Harman.

Mrs. Wilson Zepp has the mumps, which she is enjoying very much. George Tanner spent the past week in Westminster, as a guest of John Hering.

Mr. and Mrs. David Bowen spent Sunday with Mrs. Bowen's mother, Mrs. Lucinda Blizard.

W. K. Taylor and F. O. Shipley spent Wednesday in Baltimore city on business. They will be in Westminster on Wednesday evening