

COURT HOUSE NEWS.

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE—ORPHAN'S COURT MINUTES, &c.

County Commissioners.
A special pension of \$5 was granted to Mary Shultz, district No. 8, by the board on Monday.

On Monday the board appointed William Mitten, this city, constable for district No. 7, in place of Elias N. Davis, who was recently elected sheriff.

Marriage Licenses.

George W. Beam and Grace O. Cold, both of Carroll county.

John R. Everhart and Virgil E. Ruthrauff, both of Westminster.

Charles D. Albaugh and Nettie M. Harman, both of Taneytown, Md.

Geo. E. Allen, Sykesville, and Pearl E. Barnes, Gamber, Md.

Harry D. Wantz, Pleasant Valley, and Carrie V. Martin, Taneytown.

Geo. A. Clark, Glen Morris, Md., and Mary V. Bloom, Finksburg, Md.

Howard C. Lescaulte and Ella G. Eller, both of Carroll county.

Charles R. M. Routsom and Lydia A. Mercier, both of Baltimore.

William F. Talbert and Sadie R. Gill, both of Baltimore.

Roland A. Dorsey and Nellie Norwood, both of Mt. Airy.

Austin D. Stoner, Adams county, Pa., and Maggie L. Tawney, of Carroll county.

Transfers of Real Estate.

Jos. T. Hunter and wife to Francis L. Hunter and wife, convey 109 acres, 2 roads and 10 perches, for \$2500.

Noah F. Pleagle and wife to Emma Pleagle and husband, convey 27 acres, 3 roads and 36 square perches, for \$1200.

Jacob H. Handley and wife to Reverend N. Snader, convey 3 acres and 2 roads, for \$400.

Elizabeth Kiler to Elizabeth A. Barnes et al., convey 32½ acres and 29 perches, for \$100.

J. Franklin Reaver and wife to John S. Myers, convey 14 acres and 28 perches, for \$500.

Geo. W. Carr and wife to Howard W. Hahn and wife, convey lot in Mt. Airy district, for \$650.

Geo. W. C. Demmitt to Wm. H. Hood, convey 33 acres and 4 perches, for \$5.

Wm. A. Hood and wife to Elizabeth M. Reed et al., convey 33 acres and 4 roads, for \$5.

George Dudrer to Josiah Dudrer, convey ½ acre, for \$20.

Sarah Janetta Stavelly et al. to Elmira J. Dutter, convey 15½ acres and 15 square perches, for \$1425.

Frederick N. Mather, Jr., and wife, to James S. Praley, convey 90½ acres and 30 perches, for \$1250.

Orphans' Court.

Monday, December 18.—The last will and testament of Mary Jane Carter, deceased, admitted to probate, and letters testamentary thereon granted unto Nathan H. Baile, who received warrant to appraise, and order to notify creditors.

The last will and testament of Geo. P. Buckley, deceased, admitted to probate, and letters testamentary thereon granted unto Daniel E. Buckley, John C. Buckley, Ezra A. C. Buckley, and George P. Buckley, who received warrant to appraise, and order to notify creditors, also order to sell real estate.

Horace A. Leppo, executor of William K. Leppo, deceased, received order to sell stocks and personal property.

Charles E. Baughman, administrator of George F. Baughman, deceased, reported inventory of personal property, debts and money also received order to sell personal property.

Frank T. Miller, admr. w. a. of Chas. E. Hering, deceased, reported inventory of debts, and settled his final account.

Florence Repp, guardian to Walter G. Repp and Clara I. Repp, settled their first and final account.

Tuesday, December 19.—Thomas P. Buckingham administrator of Louise Buckingham, deceased, settled his first and final account.

Nathan H. Baile, executor of Mary J. Carter, deceased, reported inventory of personal property and money, and received order to sell stocks and personal property.

Daniel E. Buckley, John C. Buckley, Ezra A. C. Buckley and George P. Buckley, executors of George P. Buckley, deceased, reported inventory of personal property and received order to sell stocks and personal property.

Financial Gain in Ten Years.
At the close of the fiscal year the banks of the county publish statements of their condition which give a pretty good index of the money situation in Carroll county, and which show a substantial increase in their resources over last year. A comparison of the amount of money now on deposit in the five banks in this city with that on deposit 10 years ago, is interesting. The First National Bank deposits on December 5th, 1911, were \$406,910.21; ten years ago they were \$246,525.16; the Union National Bank deposits this month, were \$230,962.53; ten years ago they were \$218,310.42; the Farmers and Mechanics National Bank deposits amounted this month \$619,148.58; ten years ago, to \$109,839.72; the Westminster Savings Bank has now on deposit \$1,089,856.96; ten years ago it had \$656,801.10; the Deposit and Trust Company has on deposit this month \$613,063.20; ten years ago it had on deposit \$340,116.55. The total amount on deposit in the five banks December 5, 1911, was \$2,534,941.78; ten years ago, on December 5, 1901, it was \$1,571,651.95, showing an increase of \$963,289.83—nearly a million dollars.

Grace Lutheran Church.
Christmas sermons will be preached next Sunday. In the morning the subject will be "Christmas Joy for All" and in the evening, "No Room in this Inn." The Sunday school entertainment will be held on Christmas night at which time the scholars will receive their treat.

MAY BE FORCED TO RAISE TOLL.

Problem for Turnpike Companies of Maryland.

Members of the Maryland State Turnpike Association met in Hagerstown, December 15, for the eighth annual convention. In his address Mr. Towson said that the companies would either have to charge more toll or else fall in meeting the demands now being made by the traveling public. He said that while autoists were content to bump over rough streets in cities, they demanded that turnpikes be equal to the best European government-controlled roads. Mr. Towson thought the swift-running automobiles were largely responsible for the pikes wearing out as fast as they do.

Secretary Wareham said that during the year six turnpikes, the owners of which were members of the state association, had been acquired by the state. The six pikes required 112 miles. The pike mileage of the companies in the association, before the six pikes were sold, was 284 miles. Five years ago the turnpike mileage in the state was 728 miles.

The treasurer's report showed a balance on hand of \$139.64. Addresses were made by Thomas Murray, Baltimore; Charles D. Wagsman, and William H. Armstrong, Hagerstown. Practically all of the turnpike companies in the association were represented, the membership including the following: Adamstown, Baltimore and Reisterstown, Buckeystown, Beaver Creek and South Mountain, Frederick and Woodsboro, Hagerstown and Sharpsburg, Hagerstown and Smithsburg, Hagerstown and Newnanville, Hagerstown and Conococheague, Liberty and Pipe Creek, Liberty and Frederick, Liberty and New Windsor, Monocacy and Urbans, Marsh and Washington, Washington and Westminster, Woodsboro and Creagerstown, Westminster and Meadow Branch, Williamsport and Green Castle and Woodsboro and Frederick.

Officers were elected as follows: President, Arthur L. Towson, Smithsburg; vice president, Alexander Armstrong, Jr., Hagerstown; secretary and treasurer, O. C. Warehime, Frederick; counsel, George R. Dennis, Frederick; executive committee, A. P. Snader, Dr. J. H. Billingslea, Carroll county; Abraham C. Strite and William H. Armstrong, Hagerstown; Daniel Wolfe and R. C. Dutrow, Frederick.

A committee composed of George R. Dennis, Daniel W. Doub, Thomas A. Murray, Noah E. Cramer, D. Webster Crook, O. C. Warehime, and Dr. J. H. Billingslea, was appointed on recommendation. President Towson also appointed the following committee to prepare an amendment to the law on the books relating to the condemnation of turnpikes not kept in good repair: Thos. Murray, George R. Dennis and Alexander Armstrong, Jr.

The next annual meeting of the association will be held in Hagerstown at a date to be selected.

Second Meeting of Assembly and Cottillon Club.

The second of the series of five dances given by the Assembly and Cottillon Club was held last Saturday night at the Main-Court Inn. It was even a greater success than that of Thanksgiving. Dancing began at 9 o'clock and ended at 12. Supper was served during the period. The gentleman was led by Patterson Pendleton of Baltimore. A number of out-of-town members and guests of the Assembly were present. The remaining dances will occur on the 30th inst., January 27, and February 17.

Among those present on Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. W. Frank Thomas, Mrs. William H. Thomas, Mrs. John M. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Parke, Jr., J. Milton Reifsnider, Misses Lina Reese, Frances Seabrook, Dorothy Albaugh, Caroline and Sue Billingslea, Betty and Grace Knapp, Alice and Harriet Miller, Eleanor Thomas, Elizabeth Roberts, Mary Gehl, Eleanor Reifsnider, Jewell Simpson, Marie Senseney, of Union Bridge, Ruth Richardson, of Medford, Messrs.—Robert Aldridge and Earl Simpson of Annapolis; William Anderson of Danburg, Ga.; Alan C. Woods, Chas. E. Ellicott, Jr., Geo. H. Preston and Patterson Pendleton, of Baltimore; Herbert E. Catlin, of New York; Robert Campbell, of Owings Mills; Robert and William Shriver, of Union Mills; Edward Richardson, of Medford; Charles Elmsom, Hobbs Thomas, William Simpson, Howard Benson, Russell Schaefer, Smith Billingslea, Carroll Shunk.

Springfield Inspected.

Governor Crothers and the board inspected the Springfield Hospital for the Insane Wednesday. The annual meeting of the board was held in the afternoon. After the inspection of the buildings, Governor Crothers expressed himself as greatly pleased.

One of the first sections inspected was the re-educational department. This is a new department, which has been in operation but three months.

The four new buildings, one power house and three cottages, which are now being erected, were next viewed. The cost is \$270,000, from the loan of \$600,000. It was pointed out that, although these new cottages will accommodate about 400 persons, they will increase the capacity of the institution by but 300, as the present buildings are overcrowded. A remarkable feature about the work on the new buildings is that a large part of the excavating and the concrete work has been done by the patients.

Among those visiting the institution were Governor Crothers, Dr. Arthur P. Hering, Dr. Hugh H. Young, former Senator Johnnie E. Baseman, Henry Forsythe, former Senator John Hubner and J. Oliver Wadlow.

New Officers for Smallwood Grange.

On the 19th of December, the Smallwood Grange elected the following officers for the incoming year: Secretary, John E. Nelson; overseer, George Klee; lecturer, Elias G. Shipley; steward, George A. Shipley; assistant steward, D. Grant Hook; chaplain, Mrs. Noah Bowers; treasurer, Columbus A. Shipley; secretary, Wm. H. Buckingham; assistant secretary, Ray Brown; gatekeeper, Noah Bowers; care, Mrs. George A. Shipley; Pomona, Ethel Davis; Flora, Mrs. George H. Shipley; L. A. Steward, Mrs. Elias G. Shipley; organist, Mrs. Albert L. Davis.

DEATHS

Wentz.

Philip K. Wentz, died at his home near Manchester, Md., on Sunday morning, December 17, from a complication of diseases, at the age of about 60 years.

The deceased was born and lived near Wentz's Church, this county, and moved about five years ago to near Manchester. For many years he was a local minister of the United Brethren Church.

He is survived by his wife and one daughter, Mrs. Harvey Rupp, who lives at home. He is also survived by six brothers and one sister—Adam Wentz, of Oklahoma; Ephraim and Josiah, of near Wentz's Church, Reuben, of Hanover, Pa.; and Henry of Hanover, Pa. and Mrs. Wharton A. Bish, of Hanover, and Jesse Wentz, of Parkville.

Funeral was held Tuesday, December 19. After brief services at the house at 9:30 a. m., the remains were conveyed to Greenmount U. B. Church, where further services were held and interment made, Rev. G. W. Strine officiating.

Wildasin.

After a prolonged illness with a complication of diseases, Miss Estella Wildasin, daughter of Levi Wildasin, died at her home in Lineboro, Md., on Wednesday, December 13, at the age of nearly 25 years.

Deceased is survived by her father, four brothers and one sister. The funeral took place Friday, December 15, brief services at the house at 9:30 o'clock. Further services and interment were at St. Paul's (Dubbs) Church.

Doyle.

Elizabeth Doyle, widow of the late Matthew Doyle, aged 78 years, died December 15, in Baltimore. Funeral took place Monday at 9:30 a. m., from St. Joseph's Catholic church, at Sykesville, Md.

Baldwin.

The following obituary of a former Carroll countian, was published in the "Shellsburg Call" Iowa:

Ada Z. Greenwood was born in Franklin district, Carroll county, Md., July 29, 1846. She came to Benton county, Iowa, in 1868, and was married the same year July 26, to Chauncey Baldwin, she being six years his senior. Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin have lived eighteen years in the place where the deceased spent her closing days, though only permitted to enjoy for a short time the beautiful new house built with hands, being called to a home not built with hands, eternal in the heavens. To this happy union God entrusted the care of six children—three boys and three girls. Of these three are living, Nathaniel, of Shellsburg, Elmer of Kansas and Ada Elizabeth Fawcett, of South Dakota. Lovica, Oscar and Eva together with a loving mother and father, also three sisters—a brother and a grandchild have preceded her in answering the summons. Leaving her to join in the happy thought that she is not dead but sleeping, a dear companion—three children, five sisters, two brothers and six grandchildren, besides a host of other friends and relatives, Mrs. Baldwin sweetly passed into the arms of her master at 7:05 Sunday evening, May 28, and there awaits her beloved ones still left to walk the pathway of this life for a time.

Shriver.

Augustus Haines Shriver, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Augustus Shriver, Oshkosh, Wis., formerly of Waynesboro, Pa., died at the home of his parents, at 2:20 o'clock, Saturday morning, aged 5 years.

Death was due to pulmonary trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Shriver and their family moved from Waynesboro to Oshkosh in July, 1910. In that city Mr. Shriver accepted the position of superintendent of the Ransom Mfg. Co.

The death of their young son will be learned of with much regret by friends here of Mr. and Mrs. Shriver. Mr. Shriver is well known in this city, and he here he has relatives. His parents are natives of this county.

The body will be placed in a vault and afterward brought to the east.

Helwig.

Howard R. Helwig, aged 37 years, died at 9 o'clock, yesterday morning, December 21, at the residence of his brother, Edward Helwig, George street. Mr. Helwig was a victim of tuberculosis. He was employed in Union Bridge by the Western Maryland Railway Company and was brought to this city about two weeks ago as his health was falling so rapidly. Surviving him are his father, George F. Helwig, two brothers, Harry and Edward, of this city, and a sister, Miss Fannie Helwig, of Philadelphia, Pa.

The funeral will be held from the house on Sunday morning at 10 o'clock; services will be conducted at the Dunkard Church, Meadow Branch. The pallbearers will be William Little, Jesse Warner, David Hahn, Burnside Hively, Noah Babylon and Alfred Babylon. James M. Stoner is the funeral director.

Boys' and Girls' Club Movement.

The committee appointed at the recent meeting of the Taneytown Grange to consider the formation of boys' and girls' clubs in Carroll county, to work under instructions from the Agricultural Department, met in Westminster, on December 11, and elected the following organization: President, Harvey Morelock; Vice-President, E. O. Garner; Secretary, Mrs. Mary Peltz; Treasurer, Charles Feltz.

Mr. Knapp, of the Agricultural Department, was unable to be present, being detained in Washington because of a visit of boy members of corn clubs from the South. Addresses were delivered, largely along the line of ways and means of conducting the proposed clubs. It was decided to try to enlist the interest and co-operation of the School Board and teachers in the movement, and to hold another meeting in Westminster, on the second Monday in January, when the plan for operations will be more clearly defined.

A Song for Christmas

HANT me a rhyme of Christmas—
Sing me a jovial song—
And though it is filled with laughter,
Let it be pure and strong
Sing of the hearts brimmed over
With the story of the day—
Of the echo of childish voices
That will not die away—
Of the blare of the tasseled bugle,
And the timeless clatter and beat
Of the drum that throbs to muster
Squadrons of scampering feet.
But O, let your voice fall fainter,
Till, blent with a minor tone,
You temper your song with the beauty
Of the pity Christ hath shown.
And sing one verse for the voiceless;
And yet, ere the song be done,
A verse for the ears that hear not,
And a verse for the sightless one.
For thought it be time for singing
A merry Christmas glee,
Let a low, sweet voice of pathos
Run through the melody.
JAMES WHITCOMB RILEY.

BANK REPORTS.

Following is a condensed report of the twenty financial institutions of Carroll county. As will be seen below a gain of \$372,637.57 in the county was made from the report of a year ago, November 10, 1910.

Name	Capital	Profits	Deposits
Westminster Savings Bank	\$50,000.00	\$119,021.48	\$1,089,856.96
Westminster Deposit & Trust Co.	100,000.00	108,862.31	613,063.20
Birnie Trust Co.	40,000.00	30,023.88	537,459.93
Union Bridge Banking & Trust Co.	23,980.00	43,853.43	515,625.95
Hampstead Bank	20,000.00	22,255.04	351,971.86
Manchester Bank	10,000.00	34,161.85	325,643.02
Union Mills Savings Bank	10,000.00	16,850.77	237,631.85
Taneytown Savings Bank	25,000.00	32,081.35	232,656.54
Carroll County Savings Bank	20,000.00	26,901.34	229,318.20
Mt. Airy Savings Bank	12,270.00	1,856.75	50,950.12
Total Capital Stock of Trust Companies, Savings and State Banks in Carroll county		\$1,311,250.00	435,862.20
Total Surplus and Profits			4,184,177.03
Total Deposits			14,841,177.03

Name	Capital	Profits	Deposits
First National, Westminster	\$125,000.00	\$93,512.99	\$406,910.21
First National, Mt. Airy	25,000.00	28,281.53	380,779.92
Union National, Westminster	100,000.00	95,957.18	230,962.53
Sykesville National	50,000.00	56,000.00	291,028.23
F. & M. National, Westminster	50,000.00	54,446.47	194,148.88
First National, Union Bridge	25,000.00	4,298.21	238,935.21
Woodbine National	25,000.00	7,503.19	146,345.68
First National, New Windsor	55,000.00	34,278.58	116,667.17
First National, Sykesville	25,000.00	2,740.14	89,323.93
First National, Hampstead	25,000.00	1,797.92	72,475.67
Total Capital Stock of National Banks in Carroll county, Md.		\$505,000.00	349,816.21
Total Surplus and Profits			2,177,676.53
Total Deposits			7,177,676.53

Name	Capital	Profits	Deposits
Total number of Trust Companies, Savings and State Banks		Ten	\$4,184,177.03
Total number of National Banks		Ten	2,177,676.53
Grand Total			\$6,361,753.56
Total Deposits on November 10, 1910			5,989,115.99
A gain in 1911 of			\$372,637.57

TO SUCCEED DR. UHLER.

L. H. Dielman, Executive Secretary of the Peabody.

Louis H. Dielman, now assistant librarian at the Enoch Pratt Library, Baltimore, will succeed Dr. Philip R. Uhler as executive secretary of the Peabody Institute and will have entire charge of all the business details of the Peabody, which involves overseeing an expenditure of about \$100,000 a year. He will also have charge of the library.

Mr. Dielman is a native of this county. He was born in New Windsor, Md., and is a son of the late Louis Dielman, the well known hotel man of New Windsor. He began his commercial life in 1881 at the drug store of Croft & Conly, Baltimore. Later he studied at the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy. Always a bookworm, however, his yearnings in this direction were gratified about 14 years ago, when he was made State Librarian, in charge of the library at Annapolis. He continued there for four years, at the end of which he accepted the position with the Pratt. He is married and lives at 1401 John street, Baltimore. Dr. Bernard C. Steiner, the librarian of the Pratt, has not selected a successor to Mr. Dielman, but will announce the appointment in a few days.

G. P. BUCKEY'S WILL PROBATED.

Disposes of Estate of About \$00,000.

The will of George P. Buckley, the banker, of Union Bridge, who died suddenly, December 8, was filed in the Orphans' Court here and was probated on Monday.

The will disposes of an estate estimated at about \$300,000. It contains only three special bequests—\$5,000 to his brother, Daniel E. Buckley, of Littlestown, Pa.; \$5,000 to his sister, Mrs. Mary Englar, widow of E. L. Englar, of Union Bridge, and his gold watch and chain to George P. Buckley, a nephew, of Union Bridge.

The will directs that all his property be sold, and after the payment of the special legacies the residue to be divided equally among his 18 nephews and nieces share and share alike. They are John C. Buckley, Clara C. Thomas, Maggie E. Cash, Daniel H. Buckley, George P. Buckley, Jennie A. Nusbaum, Ada L. Snader, Jos. E. Englar, Geo. F. Englar, Clara E. Englar, Emma L. Snader, Ezra E. Buckley, William G. Buckley, Elmer D. Buckley, D. Princeton Buckley, Lula Buckley, Clemson and Minnie Buckley Thomas.

By codicil his nephew, D. Princeton Buckley, of Frederick, is appointed attorney to John C. Buckley, Ezra A. C. Buckley and George P. Buckley, the executors, and allowed a fee of \$1,000.

Trinity Lutheran Church.

There will be two Christmas services at Trinity Lutheran Church, Deer Park road, on Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock, the pastor, Rev. W. L. Seabrook, will preach a Christmas sermon, subject "Following the Star." On Tuesday morning, "Second Christmas Day," a service, entitled "The Redeemer," will be rendered by the young people of the church, with recitations and music. There will also be a Christmas tree and a treat for the members of the Sunday school. Everyone welcome at both services.

Card of Thanks.

I desire to thank the members of the P. O. of A., and my friends of Carroll county for the courtesy shown me during my sojourn among them.

Yours truly,
MRS. MARY E. WEIDNER,
District President of P. O. of A.

WEDDINGS

Buckey—Fuss.

An announcement was made this week which came as a great surprise to two Carroll county families as well as to their friends. It was learned that Miss Josephine Fuss, adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hoffman Fuss, Liberty street, became the bride of Paul E. Buckley, of New Windsor, over three months ago, on September 11. The ceremony was performed in Hagerstown by Rev. Mr. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fuss were not informed that the wedding had taken place until last Sunday, and the groom's family only learned of it a few days previous to that. The young lady, it is said, had always declared her intention of getting married quietly, and of not letting any one know of her plans. She is now visiting the groom's family, in New Windsor.

For the present Mr. and Mrs. Buckley will make their home with Mr. and Mrs. Fuss.

Allen—Barnes.

A very pretty home wedding was solemnized, Wednesday, December 20, at the home of the bride's parents, near Gamber. The contracting parties were Miss Pearl Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jabez N. Barnes, and George E. Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Allen, of Gist.

Promptly at 6 p. m., Mrs. Charles N. Stocksdale, rendered Mendelssohn's wedding march, and the bridal party entered the parlor, where they were married by Rev. S. F. Cassen, the bride's pastor. Miss Edna Blanche Barnes, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and M. Nelson Barnes, of Hampden, Baltimore, cousin of the bride, was best man.

The bride was attired in a beautiful gown of white satin, with a bodice of pearls and duchess lace; her going away suit was champagne braided cloth, with white picture, hat and gloves. She carried bride's roses. The maid of honor, wore a dress of blue and white flowered chiffon, over white satin trimmed with lace and pink roses. The house was beautifully decorated with evergreen, and quantities of holly tied with bows of broad green ribbon; the stairways were entwined with smilax and holly, and Christmas greens were festooned about the chandeliers. The centerpiece in the dining room was a huge mound of bride's roses and maiden-hair fern, and the mantle was backed with more roses and ferns. After the ceremony a reception was held from 7 to 9 p. m.

Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Allen, left for an extended wedding tour. They will be at home to their many friends in Gist, Md., where the groom is a prominent farmer. The bride was the recipient of many handsome and useful presents.

Hahn—Austin.

William T. Hahn and Miss Julia F. Austin, of near Detour, were married at Greencastle, on December 10, by Rev. R. Haeberer.

Angell—Devilbiss.

A very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Devilbiss, near Middleburg, on December 6, the contracting parties being their third daughter, Miss Ella M. Devilbiss, and Charles James Angell, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Angell, of Rocky Ridge. The ceremony was performed by Rev. O. E. Brengren in the presence of about fifty guests.

Wantz—Martin.

Harry G. Wantz, son of Mrs. Henry T. Wantz, of Pleasant Valley, and Miss Carrie V. Martin, of Taneytown, were quietly married on Wednesday evening, December 20, at the Lutheran parsonage, Silver Run, by Rev. John O. Yoder.

The young couple will make their future home at Pleasant Valley.

Maryland On National Anti-Saloon League Committee.

At the recent national convention at Washington, William H. Anderson, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, of Maryland, was elected a member of the national headquarters committee of the Anti-Saloon League of America.

This committee of seven is chosen by the national board of trustees composed of representatives of the State leagues and the national church bodies which co-operate with the league, and has full control of the business and affairs of the national league in the interim between the meetings of the board.

The other members of the committee are Filmore Condit, a prominent business man of New York City; J. L. Hudson, of Detroit, the leading merchant of Michigan; Hon. A. J. Scroggin, of Illinois, bank president and President of the Illinois State Baptist Association; Rev. James Cannon, Jr., D. D., of Virginia, educator and editor; Wayne B. Wheeler, Superintendent Ohio League and National Attorney; and Rev. Brooks Lawrence, Superintendent Alabama League.</