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Transfers of Real Estate, Marriage Licenses, Etc.

Transfers of Real Estate.

Charles H. Mackley and wife to Wm. H. Koonz, convey 9,900 square feet, for \$5.
Wm. H. Koonz to Charles H. Mackley and wife, convey 9,900 square feet, for \$5.
Joseph Englar to E. Ray Englar, convey 1126 square feet, for \$5.
Jos. Englar, surviving executor to E. Ray Englar, convey 1 acre and 10 square perches, for \$4300.
John S. Myers et al. to The Old Dug Rod, convey right of way, for \$50.
Thos. M. Dixon and wife to Clyde Dorsey and wife, convey 1 acre, 1 rood and 30 square perches, for \$700.
Benjamin F. Croft and wife to Amos E. Evans, convey 36 1-2 acres, for \$2240.
Thomas W. Warfield to Albin D. Myers and wife, convey 3 tracts, for \$5.
Charles A. Crouse and wife to Edw. Laughman, convey 1 acre and 80 square perches, for \$5.
Isaiah Naill and wife to Alora Porter and husband, convey 1-2 acre, for \$5.
Jacob Sharretts, executor, to Cornelius Koons, convey 2 roods and 56 perches, for \$500.
Cornelius Koons to John C. Newman and wife, convey two tracts of land, for \$3,000.
James C. Geiman and wife to Wm. H. Hesson, convey 20 acres, for \$1000.

Marriage Licenses.

Paul Edgar Wisotzky and Anna Lillian Baughman, both of Littlestown, Pa.
Samuel A. Miller, Hanover, Pa., and Katherine O. Myers, York county, Pa.
George Hook and Minnie Poole, both of Carroll county, Md.
Harry Stock, New Oxford, Pa., and Clara Stough, Gettysburg, Pa.

County Commissioners.

Russell Blizard, of Westminster Hospital, Baltimore, by the board. He is suffering from typhoid fever. The expense will be paid by the state.

Orphans' Court.

Special session, Friday, August 15—Irvin H. E. Buckingham, executor of Nehemiah Buckingham, deceased, received order to transfer stock and settled his first and final account.
Harry R. DeVries, administrator d. b. n. c. t. a., of Mary E. A. Baker, deceased, received order to sell stocks and bonds.
H. Newton DeVries and Harry R. DeVries, executors of J. Oliver Wadlow, deceased, executor of Mary E. A. Baker, deceased, reported sale of stocks and bonds and received order to sell the same; also settled first and final account.
Monday, August 18th—William H. Walker, administrator of Mary E. A. Baker, deceased, returned inventories of personal property and money.
Lillian M. Grimes, administratrix of Elmer E. Grimes, deceased, returned inventories of personal property and debts and received order to sell personal property.
Arthur N. Becraft, acting executor of Milton Lee Becraft, settled his first account.

The last will and testament of Solomon S. Shoemaker, late of Carroll county, deceased, was admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon were granted to Mary K. Shoemaker, who received warrant to appraise and order to notify creditors.
Tuesday, August 19th—The last will and testament of Mary V. Manning, late of Carroll county, deceased, was admitted to probate and letters of administration w. a., were granted to Aletta E. Oursler, who received warrants to appraise personal property and real estate, also order to notify creditors.
Francis Neal Parke, executor of George M. Parke, deceased, received order to transfer stock.
On petition of Frank G. Mercer, surviving executor of Manella E. S. Jenkins, deceased, the court granted an order to re-sell real estate.
The Union Bridge Banking and Trust Company, executor of Leanna Englar, deceased, received order to transfer mortgages, notes, judgments and stocks. The sale of real estate by said executor was finally ratified and confirmed.
The last will and testament of Rebecca Wagoner, late of Carroll county, deceased, was admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon were granted to Clay A. Main and Irene Stone, who received order to notify creditors.

EUGENICS IN NORTH DAKOTA.
New Law Forbids the Marriage of Diseased Persons and Drunkards.
Under the new North Dakota marriage law, which has just become effective, the marriage of diseased persons is prohibited. This is the first step taken toward the more rigid control of marriages and is in the line with the general movement throughout the country for the physical examination of persons about to enter the marriage state.
Each person desiring to be married must file with the license clerk a certificate of health, the certificate to show that the person is not afflicted with any contagious or infectious disease. Another certificate must be filed to show that the persons are not in any manner related by blood. Habitual drunkards are prohibited from marrying.

The Summer Girl.

Judge: There was a girl in our town and she was good to scan; she spent her days in playing games where she got lots of tan. And when she saw the tan was on, with all her might and main, she rushed into a beauty shop and took it off again.

CENTRAL RAILROAD NOW UNDER CONSTRUCTION.

Built by Pennsylvania R. R. Between Key Mar and Union Bridge—Outlet for Cement Plant.

A new branch railroad, a subsidiary line to the Northern Central Railway, is being built by the Pennsylvania Railroad company between Key-Mar and Union Bridge, Md. The large plant of the Portland Cement Company is located at Union Bridge and the five and one half mile spur is being constructed to handle the heavy cement shipments over the Pennsylvania route. The branch will connect with the York, Hanover and Frederick branch at Key-Mar immediately south of the Western Maryland Railway junction. It will be known as the Central Railway of Maryland.

The work on the new road was started week before last. A large force of men has been put to work by the contractor and the work will be pushed as rapidly as possible. It is expected that it will be completed and in operation at the expiration of 60 days.

The section of country through which the road will run is somewhat hilly, but the road will encircle the hills and have hardly any grades. There will be only one track.

W. D. Cornwell, supervisor of the Columbia branch, York, will have charge of a portion of the work of building the new branch. The work of putting in a 2,500-foot siding at Key-Mar, to be used for hauling supplies for the construction work, as well as making the switch connections, will be done under his direction. The switch will be later used to form a portion of the new road. The work is being started at the Key-Mar end of the road.

The new branch will be an important factor in the Northern Central and will add greatly to the freight tonnage over the York, Hanover and Frederick branch. York will likely be the junction point for the cement shipments handled over this road.

The road will pass through a rich agricultural country and is expected that in years to come these resources will add greatly to its business.

The Central Railroad of Maryland, by its attorneys, William J. O'Brien, Jr., and Edward O. Weant, has filed in the Circuit Court of Baltimore its petition for condemnation of the land of George P. Buckley, Jr., near Union Bridge. The petition states that the company is a Maryland corporation authorized to build a railroad from a point near Union Bridge to connect with the York, Hanover and Frederick Railroad at or near Key-Mar and to construct branches to other points in Carroll and Frederick counties.

Mr. Buckley, by Guy W. Steele, his attorney, in answer to the petition alleges that the company is not a corporation and that it is not authorized to construct and operate a railroad; that the proceedings sought to be enforced are in conflict with the Constitution of Maryland and with the Fifth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States; and that the Central Railroad of Maryland is the Tidewater Portland Cement Company, a foreign corporation under another name, and that if the road were constructed it would be one of no benefit to the public, but simply a private line of the cement company solely for the benefit of private individuals.

Senator Tillman Argues Against Woman Suffrage.

In a speech delivered in the United States Senate last Monday, Senator Tillman of South Carolina pitched in to woman suffrage.

His speech was in defense of Dr. Bledsoe of Baltimore, whose article on "The vote and woman" was printed in the Congressional Record at Senator Tillman's request and later struck out because it was said to reflect on Northern women.

"It is a beautiful dream," said he, "that female suffrage will purify politics. The vote and womanhood are two things to consider in the effect on women themselves. We had better endeavor to get rid of the corruption in politics and debauchery in our Government rather than bring about a condition which will mar the beauty and dim the lustre of the glorious womanhood to which we have been accustomed all our lives.

"We can better afford to have degraded and corrupt politics than both in ever-increasing degrees, as was the case in Rome, would make the world so unappealingly horrible, as well as so corrupt, that good men and women both would disappear from the face of the earth and civilization would be blotted out like it was in the Dark Ages after the fall of Rome.

"I am so thoroughly a convert to the belief that you cannot touch pitch without being defiled that I shudder to think of the consequences to the womanhood of America should suffrage become universal, taking in both sexes and all races. Yet, the experiment is going to be tried, I fear."

Senator Tillman included in his speech a vigorous attack upon the divorce evil and referred to the Diggins-Cammetti white slaves case in California.

DEATHS

Walking.

Walter Walking, Crowl avenue, aged 27 years, died at the State Sanatorium on Saturday evening, August 16, from hemorrhage of the lung. He is survived by his wife and three children, his mother, Mrs. Frederick Walking, and the following brothers and sisters: Henry F. Walking, John Walking, William Walking, and Ernest A. Walking, of Woolery's district, Charles H. Walking and George E. Walking, of Baltimore; Mrs. George Voelkel and Mrs. George Pitts, of Baltimore; Mrs. David McLeod, of Harburg, and Mrs. William P. Poinel, of Philadelphia.

Funeral services were conducted on Tuesday from his mother's home on Bishop street, Rev. W. L. Seabrook officiating. Interment was made in Westminster Cemetery. The pallbearers were Messrs. Albert Arnold, Elmer Logue, Edward Arnold, Charles Weeks and Theodore Christ. Funeral directors, Harvey Bankard & Son.

Boyer.

After an illness of six months, Mrs. Annie K. Boyer, 64 years old, died at her home, 3521 Falls Road, Baltimore, Saturday night. Death was due to throat trouble. Mrs. Boyer was born in Sykeville. For the past 17 years she had been an active member of the Otterbein Memorial United Brethren Church. Besides her husband, William P. Boyer, she was survived by three sisters, Mrs. F. S. Strobridge, Mrs. H. W. Phelps and Mrs. George Hofstetter, and two brothers, Frederick A. and Ferdinand Barnes. The funeral took place from the Otterbein Memorial Church at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Rev. F. Berry Plummer conducted the services. Burial was in Loudon Park Cemetery.

Yingling.

Mrs. Sarah E. Yingling, wife of the late George Yingling, of Snyderburg, Md., died Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock at the Washington County Hospital, Hagerstown, after an operation for cancer, aged 57 years, 9 months and 26 days.

Mrs. Yingling had been ill for nearly a year but had taken her bed on Sunday last. Tuesday afternoon she was taken to the hospital in an automobile to have an operation performed. The surgeons had scarcely begun the operation, about 7:25 p. m., when they discovered it impossible to save her life. Sinking rapidly from the moment the operation began, she passed away about 8:35 minutes after she had been placed on the operating table.

Sarah E. Yingling was born October 22, 1855, the daughter of Samuel and Caroline Zapp, this county. When about 24 years of age she married George Yingling. After her marriage she resided in this county until her husband's death, 10 years ago, when she moved to Waynesboro.

Mrs. Yingling was a member of the Lutheran church and active in her church work. She was survived by one son, Luther H. Yingling, of Waynesboro, Pa.; by one sister and two brothers: Mrs. Margaret Beard, Rouzerville; S. J. Zapp, this city, and A. J. Zapp, Plattaburg, Ohio. Interment in Green Hill cemetery.

Frey.

After a protracted illness Mrs. Magdalena Frey, widow of Jacob W. Frey, late of Pennsylvania, Pa., died Sunday, August 17, at 5:30 p. m., aged 84 years, 5 months and 22 days.

The deceased was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Mellinger, of Lancaster county, and survived by five sons and two daughters. Mrs. Mary Krob, of Cranberry, being one of the daughters.

Funeral was held Wednesday, August 20, brief services at the house at 9:30 a. m., further services and interment at Hall's meeting-house.

Hull.

Miss Edna Hull, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hull, died at her home, at Silver Run, on Thursday, August 14, from a complication of diseases. Her age was about 10 years.

She is survived by her parents, one sister and one brother, at home. The family of the deceased is well known in Hanover.

The funeral was held on Saturday, interment being made in the Silver Run cemetery.

Newcomer.

William Newcomer died on Wednesday night at his home at Harney. Funeral services will take place tomorrow morning in Harney Lutheran Church. C. O. Fuss, funeral director.

PERSONALS.

Mr. Elmer Cleffer, of Baltimore, is visiting friends at Rossville.
Miss Mary Austin Fouke is visiting Mrs. Gertrude Gallagher, at Roland Park.

Miss Elsie Gerand, Green street, is spending the week with friends in Baltimore.
Mr. Gregg Diffendal, McKeesport, Pa., spent Friday with relatives in this city.

Miss Myrtle Thompson, of Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. Charles Duttorer, East Main street.
Mr. William Weeks, of Washington, D. C., is visiting his father, Mr. Thos. Weeks, West Main street.

Miss Violetta Zimmerman, East Main street, is spending several weeks on Long Island, New York.
Mrs. H. O. Deillon and daughter, of Hanover, Pa., are spending a week with friends at Marriottville.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Little, West Main street, are visiting relatives at Sandgate, St. Mary's county, Md.

Mrs. John Conway, of Lansdowne, Md., is a guest of her brother, Mr. Alfred Buckingham, John street.
Miss Mary Weagley, East George street, is visiting relatives at Chambersburg, Pa., and Cavetown, Md.

Mr. Michael E. Walsh, of this city, addressed the Pleasant Hill Grange picnic at Arcadia yesterday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Starr and Miss Cora Butler are spending ten days at Patchogue, Long Island, and New York.

Mr. Nicholas Samios and son, Peter, of this city, spent this week in New York. While there they visited Coney Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nygren, of Hicksville, Long Island, are visiting relatives and friends in this city and county.
Miss Elizabeth Shaeffer, of Baltimore, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Shaeffer, Pennsylvania avenue.

Mr. Monroe Englar, of New Windsor, will leave on Sunday for a pleasure trip to Niagara Falls, Buffalo and Montreal.

Mr. Carroll Gorsuch, of Baltimore, spent a few days this week with his grandmother, Mrs. E. C. Little, West Main street.

Miss Hanna Gillelan, of Emmitsburg, Md., is visiting her nephew, Mr. Lawrence Gillelan, and family, East Main street.

Mr. Edward Lynch, of Philadelphia, Pa., spent Sunday as a guest of his brothers, Messrs. John and Gloyd Lynch, this city.

Miss Myrtle Oursler has left for Pasadena, Cal., to visit her aunt, and expects to stay until after the Panama Exposition in 1915.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hatley, of Muscatine, Iowa, are visiting their aunt and uncle, Mrs. J. W. Shunk and Mr. J. T. Anderson, this city.

Mrs. Margaret Little, West Main street, has returned home after spending a two weeks' vacation in York, Pa., and Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. Eli Butler and Mrs. Frank Butler, of this city, are guests of the former's daughter, Mrs. Carroll Albert, in Waynesboro, Pa.

Mrs. R. F. Baughman and daughter, Miss Alice Baughman, of Hanover, Pa., have returned home after visiting relatives in Taneytown.

Mrs. Charles Phillips and daughter, Katharine, of Philadelphia, Pa., are visiting their mother, Mrs. William Phillips, West Main street.

Mr. Erastus J. Gorsuch, of Mosher street, Baltimore, spent Sunday with relatives and friends in this city, for the first time in eight years.

Misses Kitty and Blanche Shaeffer, of Pennsylvania avenue, are visiting their brother, Edward, at Washington Heights, a suburb of Harrisburg, Pa.

Mr. H. Carroll Leister, a student of Washington College, and son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Leister, of Rossville, left yesterday for Woodstown, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cratin and children, Katherine and Willard, of Hanover, Pa., have returned from a few days' visit to relatives and friends at Pleasant Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ganter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller and friend, of Manchester, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. David Crowl, Center street.

Miss Mary Utz, of Washington, D. C., who spent the past month in Atlantic City, N. J., is now visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Israel Utz, Church street.

Mr. K. Roberts Greenfield went on the excursion yesterday to the Luray Caverns.
Miss Beatrice Snyder, of Baltimore, is a guest of her sister, Miss Etta Snyder, the city.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Rose returned yesterday from a visit to Miss Ethel Pentz, at Walbrook, Md.
Mr. and Mrs. John E. Eckenrode will leave tomorrow for a week's visit to Atlantic City and Philadelphia.

Miss Mary Gilbert spent Sunday with Mrs. Kretzner and Miss Joanna Hann and other friends in Hagerstown.
Miss A. Mira Shilling, of Sandyville, is the week-end guest of her sister, Mrs. P. O. Bortner, Arcadia, Baltimore county.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Rohda and son, of this city, who spent the last two weeks at Atlantic City, will return home Sunday.
Mrs. Howard Biscoe, of North avenue, Baltimore, has returned to her home after visiting Pen-Mar, Hanover and Patapsco.

Miss Margaret A. Stem, of Sam's Creek, and her niece, Miss Marguerite L. Stem, of this city, left today for Atlantic City, for a week's stay.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rapp and daughter, of Baltimore, visited Mrs. Sarah Sheeler, Pennsylvania avenue, on their way home from New York.

Mrs. Anna C. Jones and children, Charles C. John, Marianne and Paul, of Thurmont, spent the past week with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Leister, at Eden.

Local Suffrage Work.

The Just Government League of Carroll county held its regular monthly business meeting at the residence of Mrs. S. K. Herr, East Main street, on Tuesday evening, August 19th, at 8 o'clock. Although a number of the members have been absent during the summer the work of the League has gone steadily on, and interest is being shown by the increase in membership and the formation of branch Leagues in other parts of the county.

The secretary, Miss Whitman, reported a membership of 62 with branch league recently organized in Sykeville, with 18 members making a total of 80. The treasurer, Mrs. Carroll Albough, reported that the handsome banner of the League has been paid for and that all members had paid their dues, and the league has no debts. Mrs. D. L. Farrar, chairman of the petition committee, reported 237 names of voters had been signed to the petition to the Legislature asking that the action of suffrage be submitted to the people. Twenty members of the League attended the lecture of Judge Lindsay, of Denver, Colorado, in a body and gave him the Chauvauque salute. A letter of greeting was sent him by the League which was carefully acknowledged by the Judge. The banner of the league is of green felt, with a diamond of white felt, and the motto "Just Government League of Carroll County" in purple letters, and finished with a heavy white fringe. It is probable that Mrs. Emma Smith, vice president of the National Council of Women Voters, and the woman who won suffrage for Washington State, may visit Westminster in the near future and make an address under the auspices of the League.—Mary B. Sheilman, President.

The Efficiency of Buying at Home.

Did you ever stop to think what a convenience it is to have a full line of good retail stores at home in our own community?
It enables people to see goods at any time before paying down money. In that way the purchaser detects many faults that could never be found in buying from a catalog cut.
Furthermore you get your goods when you want them without bother, letter writing, or without the fatigue of a journey to a big city and tramping all over the streets. It is an economy of time, car fares, human energy.
Furthermore, you can do your shopping at your leisure, when you are in a mood for it, rather than in the haste and flurry of a trip out of town. In our home stores you take all the time you want to talk over your purchase and inspect goods. You can positively assure yourself that you are buying right.
Furthermore you get more personal and intelligent attention in a home store than anywhere else. The proprietors and clerks must please home trade, or get out of business. It is human nature to take more pains for people that are known than for strangers. The home merchant will go the utmost limit to give satisfaction for defects in the goods, and without irritating red tape.
When locating for residence or business, people are as slow to settle in a place lacking good stores as in a place where the water is not good.
If we want to draw in new residents, everyone must do his share to provide them with the conveniences of retail trade. The only way to do this is to patronize the home merchant.
It is the good fortune of this community to have a line of finely equipped stores. But if every dollar possible were spent at home, these stores could grow faster, put in fuller assortments, employ more clerks. Thus they would contribute to the convenience of every resident, and add to the prosperity of every property holder.

Monthly Meeting of Civic League.

The regular monthly meeting of the Civic League was held at the Opera House yesterday afternoon. The flower committee reported quite a good deal of progress on certain streets, where children are especially interested.
The sanitary committee is busy looking after bad drains and gutters and doing other good work.
The fly committee is still swatting the flies.
The committee on expectation reports more signs needed, but that there is already a great improvement in the cleanliness of the sidewalks.

"I'm still on deck," remarked the collection plate, "in spite of the fact that I'm a thing of the passed."

HORSE SHOW AT MT. AIRY.

Big Crowd at the Farmers' Picnic in Wildwood Park.

Wednesday marked the opening of the eleventh annual farmers' fair and picnic in Wildwood Park, near Mt. Airy. Clear skies and ideal weather conditions drew a large crowd. The day was given over to the horse show, at which some of the very finest horses in Frederick, Carroll and Howard counties were shown. On the grounds is a large exhibit of farm machinery and agricultural products. In the horse show there were three classes, with first winners as follows: Heavy draft, S. G. Molesworth, Ridgeville, who swept things clean with Percherons; general harness, Edward Smith, Barhows; light harness, Nathan Dorsey, Mount Airy. In the class for colts, C. Spencer Stull, of Ridgeville, won first place.

Today's program will be in the hands of the Maryland Agricultural College Committee. Addresses will be made by Col. William H. Powell, Prof. Thomas S. Symons, of the Maryland Agricultural College, W. H. Malbie, Senator Blair Lee, Congressman J. Fred C. Talbot and Congressman Frank O. Smith.
A tournament in which has entered some of the best riders in the state will be the attraction for Saturday. The charge to the knights will be delivered by Michael E. Walsh, Leo Weinberg, of the Frederick Bar, will make the coronation address.

The reception committee is composed of Albert Maynard, A. W. Hall, Dr. Howard Hopkins, Dr. J. E. Stinson, Melvin P. Wood, Marshall Devillias, Capt. Ignatius Dorsey, Frank Engle, Dr. J. E. Brownell, Charles Runkles, Robert Sellman, Joseph Cain, John M. Delashmutt, Marcus D. L. Pickett, Dr. A. Cronk, Senator Johnnie Beasman, Winter D. Jones, William Stinson, Harvey Davis, Dr. Bush Stone, Dr. Harry Spurrier, F. M. Jing, Lee Davis, Dixon Walker, George R. Dennis, Francis Leatherwood, William J. Grove, J. Lee Simmons, Byron S. Dorsey and Samuel Molesworth.
Judges of Horse Show—Charles E. Poole, Holden Patrick, Frank Hamaker, Charles Lawrence, Humphrey D. Wolfe and Lou Willis.

CANDIDATES FILE

Their Certificates for Coming Primary—Democrats Have Contests in Nearly Every District.

Democrats—County Commissioner—John W. Myers, New Windsor district; Joseph D. Wimer.
House of Delegates—James B. George, Berrett district; James H. Steele, Mt. Airy district; John B. Baker, Manchester district; William W. Shamer, Ivan H. Sayers, Woolery's district; Millard H. Weer, Freedom district; Jacob A. Frederick, Manchester district; Francis Earl Shriner, Union Bridge district.

County Treasurer—O. Edward Dodder, Uniontown district.
Sheriff—John L. Freyman, Franklin district; Albert L. Davis, Woolery's district; Jesse F. Stem, Westminster district; Samuel A. Harnish, Taneytown district.

State Central Committee—George S. Motter, Manchester district; Thomas J. Coonan, Westminster district; Milton D. Norris, Freedom district; Edward O. Weant, Westminster district; John Wesley Hoffacker, Manchester district; Daniel J. Hesson, Taneytown district.

Progressives—State Central Committee—J. Edwin Weaver, Charles H. Sapp, James H. Reindollar, Luther Kemp, George E. Baughman.

The contests for members of the Republican and Democratic State Central Committees are attracting more attention than any other.
As now made up the following will represent the Bull Moose on its state committee: Charles H. Sapp, Hampstead; J. Edwin Weaver, George E. Baughman, Westminster; James H. Reindollar, Taneytown; Dr. Luther Kemp, Uniontown. The Progressives also filed applications to be voted for as delegates to the state convention as follows: Dr. Luther Kemp, James H. Reindollar, U. G. Heitbride, John T. Anders and J. Harris Vandever.

Republican—State Central Committee—Walter R. Rudy, Mount Airy district; J. Thomas Harris, Freedom district; William E. Kolb, Union Bridge district; Preston Englar, Taneytown district; Andrew D. Reese, J. Belt, Townshend, Westminster district; William H. Bowers, Uniontown district.

The Republican Ticket.
A meeting of the Republican County Central Committee was held at the Opera House on Friday when the following ticket was nominated:
County Commissioner—Benjamin D. Kemper.
Sheriff—James M. Stoner.
County Treasurer—Charles B. Kephart.

House of Delegates—Herbert R. Wood, Melvin W. Rounson, George B. Knox and E. Frank Ely.
Mr. Wood is a prominent Progressive and Mr. Ely is said, has that leaning, but they will be supported by the Republicans. It is considered certain that the Progressives will not put a ticket in the field.

A Bitch Job.

Son of the House (to caller)—"I wanted to see you 'cos father says you made yourself."
Caller—"Yes, my lad, and I'm proud of it."
Son of the House—"But why did you do it like that?"—Punch.

Her Other Half.
The four-year-old twins, who had no playmates of their own age were delighted when a little girl of three came to visit a neighbor.
After the three children had played together for a time, the twins, hand in hand, went to their mother and said, "Mother, where's the other one of her?"

More women might be able to save money if the dry goods stores would cease having bargain sales.
After dreaming they were soul mates an Ohio couple married. May they never wake up!

WEDDINGS.

Warfield—Main.

A quiet but pretty wedding took place on city street 12, at the parsonage of the Brethren at New Market. The contracting parties were Mr. James W. Warfield, of Springfield, and Miss Grace V. Main, of Mount Airy. The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. K. Utz, pastor of the bride. Only the immediate family of the bride was present.

The groom is an attendant at Springfield State Hospital, Sykesville. The bride was becomingly attired in a tan coat suit with bonnet and gloves to match.
After the ceremony the happy couple left to the B. & O. for a wedding trip to Washington, D. C., Baltimore and other points. The bride received many handsome and useful presents.

Null—Harman.

Miss Maud Harman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Harman, of Westminster, and Mr. C. A. Null, all of Fritzellburg, accompanied by a number of friends, went to Jefferson, where they were married by Rev. Arthur G. Null, brother of the groom, at the parsonage of St. Paul's Lutheran church in that city. Mr. Null, a cousin of the bride, was made a best man. After a reception was given the couple by Rev. and Mrs. Null, Mr. and Mrs. Null returned to the home of the bride's parents on Saturday evening, where a numerous attended reception was given them. They will reside in Westminster.

Spencer—Hunter.

Miss Alice E. Hunter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Hunter, of Cranberry, and Mr. Benjamin Spencer, of Patapsco, were married at the parsonage of Centenary Methodist Episcopal Church, by Rev. L. Emory Bennett, pastor, on August 20. The only attendants were Misses Gladys and Helen Hunter and Ellen Stone. Mr. Spencer is the star ball player of the Petersburg (Va.) Club.

Charles C. Renna, widower, aged 34, and Miss Susan C. Snyder, 32, of near Mt. Airy, were married in Baltimore August 13.

Western Maryland Railway Notes.

General Superintendent A. R. Merick, of the Western Maryland Railway Company, announced the appointment of F. L. Brendel as superintendent of the Middle Division of the company, to succeed H. H. Berry, who has resigned his position. Mr. Brendel was formerly superintendent of the Western division of the company and will make his headquarters in Hagerstown.

R. M. Johnson, formerly inspector of transportation of the Western Maryland, succeeds Mr. Brendel as superintendent of the Eastern Division. He will make his headquarters in Baltimore. The post of inspector of transportation has been abolished. The new appointments affect men who enjoy a well-earned reputation in the railroad world. Both of these began at the bottom, and their application to business and the ability to quickly grasp the difficult problems of railroading, have succeeded in winning promotions which have placed them in the front rank among railroad men.

Mr. Brendel is an old Western Maryland man, highly esteemed by every official and employ of the company. He has filled every position with the road in a manner which has won for him the admiration of all who know him. Early in his career, Mr. Brendel was connected with the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, but left the service of that company to enter into business for himself. He then drifted into railroad work again, and has followed railroading as a career ever since. Mr. Brendel is a practical and made good in that position, and was advanced. As chief train dispatcher, he displayed unusual ability as a railroader, and was promoted to the post of train master on what was then Western Maryland. As a reward for this good work, he was made superintendent of the Baltimore terminals of the railway company, and held this post until he was appointed superintendent of the Eastern division of the railway company. This appointment was made by General Superintendent Merick soon after he came with the Western Maryland.

Mr. Johnson, who now becomes superintendent of the Western division, is considered one of the most capable men to be found with any railroad. He came with the Western Maryland from the Pere Marquette, where he made a splendid record. His last position with that company was that of train master on the Detroit division. Along this division are located the largest auto manufacturing concerns. Mr. Johnson is exceedingly popular with Western Maryland men.

Thunderstorm Ranges.

When clouds are driven past one another by wind currents, electricity of a fractional kind is produced. Lightning is caused by the passing of the electricity between the two clouds, or from a cloud to the earth. As it travels it expands and drives the air in front of it. When the lightning has passed the air that was driven away returns with a rush, and it is this rush which causes the noise of thunder.
It is not safe to stand under a tree during a thunder storm, for lightning usually strikes the highest object underneath it, so that the electric current may travel down the tree and under the person who is taking shelter. The chief danger is standing under one of thick group in a wood is not so dangerous, indeed to stand alone in the middle of a field with no tree near, or in any isolated spot where we happen to be the highest thing among our surroundings.

More women might be able to save money if the dry goods stores would cease having bargain sales.
After dreaming they were soul mates an Ohio couple married. May they never wake up!