

\$1.00 PER ANNUM.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Transfers of Real Estate, Marriage Licenses, Etc.

Orphans' Court. Tuesday, September 8th.—Robert L. Moore, acting executor of Samuel L. Moore, deceased, returned inventory of personal property.

William E. Conaway received order to withdraw funds. The last will and testament of John T. Beard, late of Carroll county, deceased, was admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon were granted to Mary Beard, who received warrant to appraise and order to notify creditors.

Charles H. Kephart, administrator of Sophia M. Kephart, deceased, returned inventory of personal property and received order to sell same.

Francis M. Taylor and C. Edward Carlisle, administrators of Abraham W. Taylor, deceased, returned inventory of personal property and received order to sell same.

Charles Fritz, executor of William H. Bloom, deceased, settled his first and final account.

Nimrod Green, administrator of Mary K. Uhler, deceased, settled his first and final account.

Due notice having been given of the resignation of Elias O. Grimes as executor of Helen V. Grimes, deceased, and no objection being filed, the court duly appointed Charles E. Fink as administrator de bonis non.

Lydia E. Albaugh and Morris E. Albaugh, executors of Dallas Albaugh, deceased, settled their first account.

Albert A. Dorsey, administrator of Albert A. Dorsey, deceased, received order to transfer stock and settled his first and final account.

John W. Reincke, administrator of Clara B. Reincke, deceased, returned list of debts due and settled his first and final account.

John H. Utermohlen, administrator of William H. Utermohlen, deceased, returned inventory of personal property and received order to sell same.

Transfers of Real Estate. Chas. O. Bloom et al. to Bertie M. Fickinger et al., convey a parcel of land, for \$1200.

George Schrade and wife to Clarence E. Brown, convey 1 1/2 square perches, for \$5.

Ada K. Mahanah and husband to Geo. W. Phillips, convey 5 3/4 acres, for \$5.

Lydia E. Wampler to Atlee W. Wampler, conveys 8 acres, 1 rood and 29 square perches, for \$1400.

DEATHS.

Mr. John H. Wilson, formerly of Westminster, died at his home, at 123 London street, Chambersburg, Pa., on September 7, aged 61 years, 7 months and 3 days.

Mr. Wilson was employed by the Western Maryland Railroad until 3 years ago, when he was taken ill, and never regained strength enough to resume his duties.

He was the son of the late Jacob Wilson, of Westminster, and is survived by his widow, and three children, Mr. Clarence E. Wilson, of Manchester, Conn.; Mrs. William R. Valentine, of Baltimore; and Mrs. Reuben Bowler, at home, and one brother, Gardner Wilson, of Philadelphia, Pa.

Funeral services were held at his late residence Thursday, September 10, at 2:30 p. m., conducted by Rev. Dr. O. C. Roth, pastor of First Lutheran Church, Chambersburg. Interment in Cedar Grove Cemetery.

Warfield. William R. Warfield died at his home in Baltimore Wednesday morning from a stroke of paralysis. He was a native of Howard county being the son of the late William R. Warfield and Eleanor Watkins Warfield, and was in the sixty-eighth year of his age.

His funeral took place Friday morning at 11:30 o'clock in Old Jennings' Chapel, Howard county, near Woodbine Station. He was buried in the old Warfield burying ground on Cherry Grove Farm.

Crabbs. Charles B. Crabbs, of Mount Union, died on September 9 at his home after a lingering illness from an abscess of the brain, aged 46 years, 11 months and 13 days. He is survived by a widow and several children.

His funeral was held this afternoon at 1 o'clock, services in Mount Union Church. Interment in the cemetery adjoining the church. The pallbearers were members from the O. S. of W. of Taneytown, of which he was a member. C. O. Fuss funeral director.

Myers. John Lyle and William Edward, twin children of Harry and Elsie Myers, died at Pleasant Valley aged 25 and 26 days.

The funeral of John Lyle was held Sunday afternoon and that of William Edward, Tuesday morning. Interment in Pleasant Valley Cemetery.

Stoner. Mrs. Valinda A. Stoner, 76 years old, died Saturday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. Victor Long, near Boonsboro, Md. She was the widow of the Rev. Ephraim W. Stoner, of Union Bridge, and is survived by the following children: Mrs. D. Victor Long, near Boonsboro; Mrs. William M. Lyon, Washington; and Mrs. J. U. Straub, Baltimore.

Lookingbill. Emanuel R. Lookingbill, a well known resident of Ladiesburg, died Friday, aged 73 years, 8 months and 15 days. He is survived by his widow and these children: Mrs. Anna E. Stetely, Mrs. Samuel Fouts and Miss Hilly Lookingbill, Waynesboro, and Harry Lookingbill, at home. Funeral was held on Saturday.

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Teachers' Institute. The Annual Institute of the public school teachers of Carroll county began last evening at the High School building in this city.

County Commissioners. The board was in session on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, Monday being a legal holiday.

Water Melon Party. One of the most pleasant watermelon parties of the season was held at the home of Mrs. Fannie Ogg, on Tuesday night, September 1, near East View.

PRaise FOR GERMANs BY MRS. SCHOFIELD.

RODE AND ATE WITH SOLDIERS ON TRAIN—QUESTIONED AS TO BEING A FRENCH SPY—TREATED WITH KINDNESS AND RESPECT.

A party of five, Mrs. D. J. Schofield, her mother, Mrs. Pauline Kotosky, two aunts, Mrs. E. Bailey and Mrs. Mary Yander, and niece, Miss Susan E. Ford all of St. Louis, have just returned from Europe on the steamer Rydam, from Rotterdam were guests from Friday until Monday of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ford, at "The Heights," this city. Mrs. Schofield is a niece of Mr. Ford, and having only recently been in the countries engaged in war has a few interesting experiences to recount.

The party went first to London, then to Paris, Brussels, Antwerp, the Hague, Amsterdam, Cologne, Frankfurt and Kissingen. Referring to their experiences Mrs. Schofield says: "While we were in London and Paris, which was about the 20th of July, there was little reference to war. When we reached Brussels, however, rumors were prevalent of an impending war between Austria and Serbia and the feeling was then becoming general that if war was declared, two of these nations would be more countries would become involved. The stock exchange in Brussels was ordered closed on the day we were there in order to avert a panic, there having been a decline in values the day previous of 20 per cent.

On our arrival in Frankfurt, a few days later, mobilization had been ordered by the Kaiser in consequence of which the wildest excitement prevailed and attention was paid to nothing else. We had intended to go from Frankfurt to Switzerland and from there to Carlsbad, but were informed by the railroad agent that the boats would be asked to reach Carlsbad, in fact, train service after the order of mobilization became an uncertainty, so all we could do was to remain in Frankfurt until we could determine upon some plan. Having friends in Kissingen, we telephoned there, but not knowing that only the German language was permitted, I spoke in English. Immediately the connection was cut off and I had a very difficult time to have it given to me again. Upon assuring the operator, however, that I was interested in the rule which gave us without a passport, in fact, train service after the order of mobilization became an uncertainty, so all we could do was to remain in Frankfurt until we could determine upon some plan.

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IMPROVEMENT TO STREET BLOCKED.

RAILROAD COMPANY REFUSED TO ACCEPT PROPOSITION BY CITY TO REPAIR STREET AT FREIGHT HOUSE.

The Mayor and Common Council on Monday and Tuesday nights were engaged in considering the improvement and repair of the road leading from the State road to Main street at the freight house.

This piece of road, though used by the public, is not owned by the city, as is generally supposed. As far as the railroad property extends it is owned by the railroad, and beyond to the State Road, although dedicated by the Longwell estate, has never been accepted by the city, owing to the fact that it did not control the end next to town.

Negotiations have been going on between the Railroad Company and the town for several years in regard to the acquisition to this end which resulted in Mr. Ennis, the General Superintendent of the Railroad, the Division Superintendent F. L. Brendel and several other officials visiting the town Monday and submitting the proposition, that if the town would pave and maintain not only the street, but also its railroad property to its tracks and freight house, it would convey to the town a street approximately 36 feet wide. The town authorities declined to accept this proposition, but offered to accept a conveyance of a street 36 1/2 feet wide and to pave it, also the railroad property to its own property. This offer the Railroad Company refused to accept, and it now looks as though this entrance to the town will still continue to remain in its disgraceful condition.

When the Railroad Company bought from Thomas and Grimes the strip along the Albion Hotel for a road to reach its freight house it agreed to macadamize it, but has never done so. It was suggested that the way for the town to get out of the difficulty would be to extend Short street and open the street back of it to the State Road, which would bring the traffic into town on Main street a short distance from the railroad.

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PERSONALS

Miss Jeanette Jerome spent a few days the past week in Baltimore.

Miss Irene Lippy spent Sunday and Monday with friends in Baltimore.

Miss Hazel Zepp spent the week's end with her sister, Mrs. Bertrand Caples.

Miss Mary R. Null, of near this city, is spending Centennial Week in Frederick.

Mrs. Rose Ideason, of New York, is visiting her niece, Mrs. D. L. Farrar, East Green street.

Mrs. Edward Groupe, of Washington, D. C., is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ford, at "The Heights."

Mrs. Charles E. Yingling and son, Master Robert, Bond street, are spending this week in Baltimore.

Mr. Gar Link, of Baltimore, spent Saturday in this city as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Gilbert, East Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dull and children, of Patapsco, spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Kastner, of Colgate, Md.

Mr. Joseph D. Brooks, Jr., of Baltimore, spent Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Brooks, Sr., Willis street.

Mr. Hezekiah Hahn, Kump's Station, was in this city on Monday. Mr. Hahn is 86 years of age, but is as active as a man at 50.

Mrs. John Schorr and daughters, Misses Neva and Charlotte, of Baltimore, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Butler, West Main street.

Mrs. George W. Zepp spent Tuesday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Bertrand Caples. Miss Mariangela Caples returned home with her.

Mr. William F. Gude, president of the Chamber of Commerce of Washington, visited the greenhouse of Mr. Jesse P. King, Ridgeville, Liberty street, last week for Boston, Mass., where he will make preparations for his fall business trip through the South.

Mrs. Mattie Harrison Hull and little daughter, Baudia, of Baltimore, are visiting Mr. Howard Hull and sister, of Annapolis, and Mrs. J. D. Barnes, of this city.

Mr. Charles Roberts Seabrook and Mr. Harry Lewis, of Pittsburgh, Pa., are guests of the former's parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Seabrook, East Main street.

TANEYTOWN.

Miss Ellen Royner returned to Baltimore after spending a week with Miss Mary Hesson.

Mrs. Amanda Currens, of Thurmont, is spending the week with Mrs. E. K. Reaver.

John Shoemaker's family, of Yorkers, N. Y., are spending some time with his mother.

Mrs. Oliver Stonesifer, of Union Bridge, spent from Wednesday until Saturday evening with her brother, Mahlon Brown. Mr. Stonesifer called on John H. Diffendal on Saturday evening.

Mrs. H. Max Lantz is the guest of her brother, William G. Fair, near town.

Joseph E. Roelkey and family left on Tuesday for their new home, California. It is rumored. We are sorry to lose them as they are a family that will be missed in the community.

Quillie Weant and wife, of Baltimore, are visiting relatives and friends in and near town.

Mrs. Victor Zepp, of Washington, is spending the week with Mrs. E. Buffington and wife.

Miss Ruth Haines, of York, is visiting friends here.

The Misses Cluts, of Arlington, are visiting William Cluts and Scott Smith.

Miss Ethel Seuchhammer left on Monday for West Chester, where she is attending school.

Messrs. Walter Fringer and Earl and Carroll Koons entered Franklin and Marshall College this week.

D. J. Hesson and family spent Sunday at Gettysburg.

There will be public sale of seventy-five building lots on Saturday, situated along the state road, and recently purchased from the estate of the late Judge H. M. Clabaugh. The lots will make very desirable homes, and will be a good time to show the progressive spirit of the people.

Mervin Fuss has been taken into the business by his father, and to be known by the name of C. O. Fuss and Son. We extend our congratulations to Mervin, as he is quite young to be a partner in the firm, but we feel sure he will make good.

Master Monroe, Harnish, grandson of Samuel Harnish, died of diphtheria on Thursday evening.

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General Registration of Voters.

A general registration, decreed by an act of the last General Assembly, becomes effective in Maryland this year and every voter in the State must first be duly recorded by the registration officials before he can cast his ballot at the election next November. Four days of registration have been allotted, viz: September 22nd and 23rd and October 7th and 8th, with an additional day devoted solely to revision and correction of the registration records. Every voter must register in order to enjoy his franchise in November, and also that he may vote at the County and State primaries next summer. The importance of this general registration should compel the interest and direct the prompt action of every voter in Carroll County.

Surprise Birthday Party. Mrs. Noah Arbaugh, near Spring Mills, tendered her husband a surprise party on Saturday, September 5th, it being his 41st birthday, and Mr. Arbaugh had been sent to the store late in the afternoon, and most all the evening had been there, returning, making the party a complete success. All had a good time. The evening was spent in social chat with music on the organ, guitar, mouth organ and singing. Refreshments were served at 11 o'clock, consisting of fruit of several kinds, cake, candy, bananas, lemonade and sweet cider. Mr. Arbaugh received several presents.

Those present besides Mr. and Mrs. Arbaugh were his brother, Benton Arbaugh, of Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ward, and little daughter, Olga, of Westminster; Mr. and Mrs. Amos Wampler and little daughter, Ruth, of Medford; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Grimes, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Grimes, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Danner, Mr. and Mrs. George Phillips, Misses Alverta Grimes, Ethel Royer, Fanny Grimes, Ruth Arbaugh, Lillian Arbaugh, Bessie Arbaugh, Vernon Royer, Edwin Grimes, George Grimes, Baby Ward, Roland Grimes, Atlee Arbaugh and Granville Arbaugh.

Carroll Reformed Church. Jerusalem, Bachman's Valley, Harvest service 10 a. m. St. Benjamin's—Sunday school 1 p. m. Divine service 2 p. m. J. W. Reinecke, pastor.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Civic League will be held at the Opera House, at 3 p. m., on Thursday, September 17. There are many things of importance to be discussed, and it is hoped each member will make a special effort to attend.

Confidante at 17. Romantic Young Miss to Her Chum—"When I'm married I'm going to have my husband kiss me fifty times a day." "The Other—"Suppose he won't do it." "First Girl—"Then I will."

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