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## COURT HOUSE NEWS

### TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE, ORPHANS COURT, MARRIAGE LICENSES, ETC.

#### Transfers of Real Estate.

John L. Williams and wife to Burgess Condon, several lots, for \$775.  
Albert B. Blanton to Henry M. Naylor, 11 acres, for \$13,100.  
Henry M. Naylor to Industrial Grain Products Corporation, 11 acres, for \$1.  
Emanuel Schaffer to Robert R. Hesson and wife, 8,400 square feet, for \$10.  
Mary Jane Beitzel and husband to Theodore W. Fringer and wife, 1 1/2 acres, for \$600.  
Herbert F. Leatherwood and wife to Samuel S. Gonnell and wife, 23 square perches, for \$10.  
Cornelius Mullinix and wife to Samuel S. Gonnell and wife, 1 acre, for \$950.  
John Conoway and wife to H. B. Gore et al., several tracts, for \$1.  
Charles Trite et al. to Charles O. Clemson, 5 acres, for \$5.  
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Paul T. Case to Geo. A. Rickell and wife, 7 lots, for \$10.  
Alice J. Groat and husband to Harry L. Groat and wife, 3,615 square feet, for \$200.  
Geo. W. Albaugh R. E. & B. Co. to Harry L. Groat et al., 5,600 square feet, for \$105.

#### Orphans Court.

Monday, July 19.—Edward C. Yingling, administrator of Mary E. Fowler, late of Carroll county, deceased, settled his first and final account.  
Mary Edith Crumrine, executrix of Mary E. Crumrine, deceased, returned an inventory of personal property.  
William H. Crumrine, surviving executor of William Crumrine, deceased, returned an order to sell real estate.  
The last will and testament of Kitty Cromwell Jones, deceased, was admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon were granted unto Nathan H. Baile, who received warrant for appraisal and an order to notify creditors.  
Emma M. Gilbert, administratrix of Joseph C. Gilbert, deceased, reported sale of personal property and settled her first and final account.  
Tuesday, July 20.—Letters of guardianship of Margaret S. John J. and Grace C. Frederick, infants, were granted unto the Westminster Deposit and Trust Company.

#### Marriage Licenses.

George Birnie Crabbs, of Taneytown, and Louise Elizabeth Myers, of Hagerstown.  
Charles Ivan Hughes, of Westminster, and Blanche Marie Null, of Taneytown.  
Walter Edward Young, of Taylorsville, and Savilla Reaver, of New Windsor.  
Orville Eugene Earhart and Nellie Marie Ryland, both of Westminster.

#### Surprise Party.

Mr. Benton Arbaugh was greatly surprised July 7 when a few of his friends called on him in the evening. It was in honor of his birthday. He received some nice presents, also a sum of money. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Benton Arbaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Arbaugh, Mr. and Mrs. John Coppersmith, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Greenwood, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Davis, Mrs. Howard and Lydia Arbaugh, Lillian Bessie and Miss Arbaugh, Charlotte Davis and Mable Arbaugh, Messrs. Raymond Coppersmith, Randolph Edwards, Albert Coppersmith, Marion, Benton and Ralph Arbaugh, Clinton Davis, Atlee and Granville Arbaugh. Refreshments were served and all spent a very pleasant evening.

#### Printed Paper in Parlor.

Word was received from Sanford, Fla., of the death of J. Hamilton Repp, an aged citizen of that place. The deceased was well known in this county. J. Hamilton Repp, who died at Sanford, Fla., last week, was born October 21, 1841, on the Repp homestead, near Clemsonville, Frederick county. He was the oldest child of Christian and Anna Barbara Repp, and was the last surviving member of his family. He began life clerking in a store. Later he operated a store at Union Bridge in partnership with Captain Lightner, who is still living in California. The store was located in the old Shaw property, now the store of J. W. Little. Later, Mr. Repp went into the warehouse business at Middleburg, and after that operated at the warehouse at Union Bridge.

It was said of him that he was not ashamed to work and that he thought little of anyone who was. He engaged in various occupations from blacksmith to running a newspaper, and was the founder of the Union Bridge Pilot. He edited that paper for several years, getting it out weekly in the same house in which he lived. In fact, the paper was printed in the parlor and the piano was allowed to remain in the room with the printing equipment. Sometimes, when things went wrong about the plant, Mr. Repp and his employees would have a little music and then go back to their tasks. Later, Mr. Repp disposed of the Pilot to the present publishers.

At his request he was buried at Sanford, where he had been a permanent resident for the past eight years. Brief funeral services were held at the house with Dr. George Hyman, of the Baptist church, officiating. So far as is known Mr. Repp died intestate. He is understood to have left an estate of considerable value.

## DEATHS.

### Leppo.

Jacob M. Leppo, aged 86 years, 3 months and 14 days died at the home of his son-in-law, George Hughes, at Carrollton, Tuesday morning. Besides his widow the following children survive: Mrs. Wesley Pickett, Mrs. John Allgire, Reuben Leppo, William Leppo and Mrs. George Hughes.  
Funeral services were held Thursday morning at Bethel church at 10:30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Gonso. Interment was made in the adjoining cemetery. Pallbearers were Charles Spencer, Reuben Shipley, William Westaway, Jacob Caples, William Long and John Houck. James M. Stoner funeral director.

### Kolb.

Mary Margaret Kolb, aged 82 years, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. D. Dillar, near Detour, Tuesday. Surviving are Mrs. E. D. Dillar, Detour; Mrs. Jesse W. Kool, Frederick; Mrs. E. H. Koons, Hagerstown, and Mrs. Sudio Florh, Washington, children; also these brothers and sisters, Mrs. Amy B. Dillar, Detour; Mrs. Henry Lodge, Tacoma, Wash.; Isaac W. Saylor, Colorado, and David Saylor, Cortez, Col.  
Funeral services were held today at the Brethren church, Rocky Ridge by Elder J. J. Johns. Interment in adjoining cemetery. C. O. Fuss funeral directors.

### News of the Forest and Stream Club.

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### SHIPLEY.

Mrs. Elizabeth Withide has as her house guests, Misses Edna and Anna Dixon, of Govans.  
Miss Susanna Caples, of Westminster, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Margaret Caples.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lynch had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Truman Sauble and family.  
Mr. and Mrs. Warner Shauk and Miss Beatrice Shauk spent Saturday evening and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shauk, of Gamber.  
We wish to congratulate Mr. Donald Shipley and Miss Hilda Haines, who were married Saturday.  
Mr. Jennings Zepp had as his guest Sunday Mr. Sterling Slater.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wagner had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wagner and family.  
Mr. Lester Polster and Mr. William Rupert were Sunday guests of Mr. Andrew Polster.  
Mr. and Mrs. Warner Shauk had as Sunday evening guests Mr. and Mrs. Robert Zahn and Miss Gladys Zahn.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hughes had as their guests from Thursday until Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Steven and son, Arthur, of New Jersey.  
Miss Anna M. Harman, of Westminster, spent several days with Mrs. G. B. Smith.  
Mrs. Alice Smith and son and daughter and Miss A. M. Harman spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Withide.  
The Ladies' Aid Society of Zion Methodist Protestant church will meet August 5 at Rev. J. N. Link's.  
Mr. John Schneider is on the sick list.

### Lightning struck Zion Methodist Protestant church Wednesday and did much damage.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bair entertained Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bair and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Butler and daughter, Dorothy, of Mt. Airy.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bair had as visitors Sunday Miss Marie Polster and Mr. Emory Arbaugh.  
Mr. Charles Magin spent Saturday and Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. Wm. H. Shugars, of Emmitsburg.  
Mrs. Charles Magin, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Mitten, Mrs. Theo. Mitten and Miss Elizabeth Mitten, of Westminster, spent Sunday visiting relatives and friends in Baltimore.  
Mr. Carvel Horton, of Taylorsville, and Levi Zahn, of Westminster, spent Sunday afternoon with Milton Magin.

### The Body of J. W. Robb Found in the Potomac.

The body of J. W. Robb, 65 years old which was found standing in 8 feet of water in the Potomac river above Cumberland, was taken to his former home at Wilmont, Pa., for burial. Mr. Robb recently purchased the Harris farm. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Alice Robb, and three children, Harry Robb, station agent for the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad at Curtin, W. Va.; Mrs. Judy, wife of Rev. W. A. Judy, pastor of Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, Midland, and Mrs. W. H. Fortney, with whom Mr. Robb resided.  
Mr. Robb conducted a lunch room in the room occupied by Mr. S. W. Bond, and later the Carroll Hotel. He was well known here.

### Convict Escapes Camp.

John Apple, a convict under a five-year sentence at the Maryland Penitentiary for larceny, made his escape Monday afternoon from the state road camp on Pennsylvania avenue. He was one of a gang employed on the state road work at Silver Run. When the guards passed through the camp at 4 p. m. Apple could not be found. A hurried search proved that he had made his escape. Several groups of citizens searched surrounding territory for the man without being rewarded for their efforts.  
Apple was sentenced in Baltimore. His term would have expired had he benefited by good behavior, in 1923. He is 27 years old, about five feet eight inches in height, has dark brown hair and brown eyes.

### Too Busy to Both With Fortune Now.

Boylston, Mass., July 19.—David Nicholl Cant, farmer, who has just been notified that he has been left one-sixth of the million-dollar estate of his father, in Scotland, is too busy with the farm work to bother about the fortune now.  
"I'm about a month, if my boss will let me, soon's as I get his hay in, guess I'll go over and get it," said Cant.  
The farmer heir, who is about 47, and "never took a fancy to go out and get myself a girl," plans to buy a big American farm with his new found wealth.

## TANEYTOWN.

### Deaths.

Mrs. James H. Reinhold and sister, Miss Margie Baumgardner, of Dayton, Ohio, are the guests of relatives and friends here.  
Miss Margie Baumgardner is confined to bed by illness at the home of her sister, Mrs. Elyse D. Dorn. Her many friends hope to see her able to be around in the near future.  
Miss Dorothy Chenoweth, of Mercy Hospital, Baltimore, is enjoying a vacation at the home of her parents, Nelson Hawk and wife.  
B. B. Chenoweth.  
Miss Pauline Brining, of Johns Hopkins Hospital, paid her home folks a flying visit on Saturday evening, returning Sunday.  
Mrs. Mervyn Fuss and daughter, Onedia, spent Saturday with her parents, John Marker and wife, in Littlestown.

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### BLACK'S CORNER.

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Mr. Samuel H. Mayers purchased a fine new driving horse.  
Mrs. Mabel N. Copenhaver is spending this week in Hanover at the home of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wentz.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harner and daughter, Ruth, of near Pleasant Grove, spent Sunday afternoon visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willson H. Study.  
Mr. and Mrs. James Crabbs and son, Ervin, of Georgetown, and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Crabbs and daughters, Grace and Catherine, of near the Stone road, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. George Mayers and family.  
Mr. and Mrs. George Degroff and children, Leroy, Willie, Esther, May and Ruth, motored to Finksburg on Sunday where they visited Granny (Mrs. Etelinda) Snyder. Mrs. Snyder was a former resident of this place.  
Our farmers are about through harvesting and threshing seems to be the go now.  
Mr. and Mrs. James J. Harner and son, Nevil and grandson, Ralph Copenhaver, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Harner on Tuesday afternoon.  
The health of the community, good.

### Program of Horticultural Meet.

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## DAY.

### Deaths.

Since the little town of Day was last heard from through the columns of the Advocate, Albert O. Lewis has erected fine new dwelling and he and his wife and son moved into it several weeks ago. There are now four families of Lewis' living in Day.  
Another addition to our town is a blacksmith, William McWilliams, a brother of Mrs. John S. Lewis. He and his brother, George, recently came from Ireland, both have settled down to hard work and have much to say in praise of America.  
There will be a picnic at Morgan Chapel on July 23, beginning at 7 p. m. There will be a band and other attractions.  
Wheat harvest is about over. There is much hay to be made and oats is ready to cut also.  
The Ladies' Aid Society will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Trayer on Wednesday, July 28, at 2:30 p. m.  
There was quite a time at a ball game in one of our neighboring towns on last Sunday. One side claimed that a fellow made an out, while his side said he made his base. Two brothers fought others joined in the fight, many blows were struck, bloody faces were much in evidence, women were screaming. Shy maidens with tear dimmed eyes were making every effort to keep their sweethearts from shooting somebody else's sweetheart. So it was a general mix-up. John Barleycorn was the main reason why the game came off so well. There were good staunch church members playing as well as witnessing. So much for Sunday base ball.

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Mr. Roy Simmons and family, of Hampstead, and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lynard and daughter, of near Manchester, visited at the home of Geo. A. Leister on Sunday.  
Mrs. Harvey Hutchins and Miss Catherine Kaleska, of Baltimore, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Reese.  
The Misses Ebaugh, of Carrollton, are spending some time at the home of their uncle, Geo. L. Reese.  
St. John's Leister's annual Sunday school picnic will be held in the grove near the church, on Saturday, August 28, beginning at 12 o'clock m. The Pleasant Valley band will furnish the music. Prominent speakers will be secured for the occasion.

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## BRIEFS.

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The 9:46 a. m. train yesterday struck a taxi at Mt. Hope crossing and wrecked it. The chauffeur was slightly injured.  
Isaiah Fountain, colored, who was convicted of assaulting Bertha Simpson, was hanged at Easton at 3 o'clock this morning.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Starr and Edward Little, this city, spent several days this week at Sand Gates, St. Mary's county.  
The sale of the Jacob L. Trenton property, in Frieselburg, which is advertised in this issue, has been withdrawn. The sale will not take place.  
Ten thousand persons were present at the annual reunion of the Lutheran Churches of Maryland, Pennsylvania, Virginia, West Virginia and the District of Columbia at Pen Mar Park yesterday.  
The sap of the Chile tree, which grows in South America, is the source of the chewing gum supply of the United States. The gum is cooked, stretched, and then shipped in 25 pound cakes to factories in this country where it is made into chewing gum for some 75,000,000 chewers.  
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Edward W. Case has just sold through his office the Rebecca Zepp property, 140 East Main street, to Martha Routson, of Union Bridge; also the Josephine B. Gardner property adjoining Carroll Hall, East Main street, to Mrs. T. M. Amaze. The M. L. Smith house, 186 East Green street, to T. J. Mathias and Mr. Mathias' farm of 18 acres, located near the State road, at Cranberry, to Mr. M. L. Smith.  
Aaron S. Watkins, of Germantown, Ohio, has been nominated for president on the Prohibition ticket in place of William Jennings Bryan, who declined the nomination by saying "my connection with other reforms would make it impossible for me to focus my attention upon the prohibition question alone and besides I am not willing to sever my connection with the Democratic party, which has so signally honored me in years past."  
Many men are now looking for "white collar jobs with big salaries and short hours," a magazine says. The same magazine says we should "get ready for the financial panic that is sure to come, sooner or later. We should prepare for it just the same as we make preparations for the winter that is sure to come." Judging the future by the past, after high prices and high wages, brought on by war, the change must come soon.

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