

SOUTH DAKOTA FINE COUNTRY.

But Likely to buy a Through Ticket
to Old Maryland.

As it is almost a year since I left old Maryland, I will give those interested an idea where I have spent at least part of the time. The first four weeks after leaving Maryland, I spent in York and Philadelphia. I then decided I would rather be some place I had never been before, so went to Buffalo, N. Y., and then to Gaylord, Mich., which is 250 miles north of Detroit. Sure was surprised when arriving here the latter part of May to find quite a bit of snow, and the atmosphere was real cold.

I left Gaylord, Aug. 15, and spent one day at each of the following cities: Saginaw, Flint and Detroit, Mich.; Toledo, Ohio, Chicago, Clarence, Holstein and Sioux City, Iowa, and Omaha, Neb. I then left Omaha for Salt Lake City, going through part of Colorado and Wyoming to Utah. After two days and nights travel arrived there, and I can say that Salt Lake City is the most beautiful city I have been in.

I was told while here that Salt Lake City contains the longest straight street of any city in the world, it being 48 miles long, and perfectly straight. I also had the pleasure of going bathing in Great Salt Lake. The water being so salty it is impossible to go under.

After spending several weeks in and around Salt Lake City, I left here going north through Idaho to Portland, Oregon. I then spent a month or more around Portland, Oregon, Vancouver, Tacoma, Seattle and Spokane, Wash., but as it rains there most every day, I decided to leave those parts. I then came east through Idaho, Montana, North Dakota to South Dakota, where I still remain.

Being interested in the way they farm in Montana, I stopped several days near Helena, I was surprised to find that one farm there contained 20,000 acres, 20,000 being in wheat, last summer. They use thirty-two head of mules, in combined harvesters that is, they cut and thrash the wheat with the same machine at the same time. They sometimes worked as many as 90 mules in the same field at the same time.

This being too much different from Maryland, I came here to South Dakota, and I think that this is the most beautiful farming country than can be found, the land being perfectly level and not a stone can be found, and all the roads run north and south and east and west.

The farms range in size from 600 acres to 2000. The wheat here is all sowed in the spring, but the plowing is done in the fall. I also think it is more healthy here than most places, as you never hear of anyone having a cold or being sick. The atmosphere being so dry you really don't mind the cold. There was only a few days in January that the thermometer registered above zero. The coldest day being 40 below zero. The month of February was fine weather.

The first four days of March were real warm, but the fifth quite a bit of snow fell, and on the sixth it was ten below zero.

I would be glad to hear from any of the Taneytown boys; but better than all, I expect before long to buy a straight through ticket, and high-bail back to the land of sunshine.

RALPH M. CONOVER,
Groton, South Dakota.

Guy Steele's Home Burns.

The handsome dwelling owned by Guy W. Steele, attorney, Westminster, was almost completely destroyed by fire, Wednesday afternoon, due to a defective flue. The furniture on first and second floor was saved. Mrs. Steele was giving a luncheon at the time the fire was discovered by a passer-by on the street.

Fire Companies from Reisterstown, Manchester and Glyndon, responded to a call, as a general conflagration was feared. The Steele home was one of the finest in Westminster, three stories high, and occupies a fine location on Washington Avenue.

The loss is estimated at \$20,000, as it is believed that the entire house will have to be rebuilt. The firemen by splendid work prevented total destruction.

Clean-up Week in Pennsylvania.

Clean-up week will be observed in Pennsylvania, throughout the entire state, during the week beginning April 14. Every city, town, village and country home, is expected to observe the week, by destroying dirt and litter wherever it exists, and to eliminate all fly and mosquito breeding spots, etc.

The week is divided into special days: Monday is street and alley day; Tuesday is the day for forestry work, tree trimming dead growths, repair of fences, etc.; Wednesday is fly and mosquito day, when cesspools, dog pens, chicken coops and stagnant pools are to receive attention.

Thursday is junk day, providing for the removal of all rubbish and waste, Friday is truck day when the gathered up refuse of the four days is hauled away; and Saturday is "put in order" day, when everything overlooked on the preceding days is given attention.

This is a fine movement for other states to adopt, and the week is an ideal one for the job.

AN INTERESTING SUIT.

Is a Cannery Plant Engaged in Manufacturing?

Chief Judge William H. Thomas and Associate Judge Robert Moss held a special sitting of the February term of the Circuit Court for Carroll County, on Monday and Tuesday, for the trial of a suit involving more important interests of all the people of the county than presented in the trial of any case in the county in many years. It is the suit of the County Commissioners of Carroll County against the B. F. Shriver Company, one of the largest corporations in the United States, engaged in the business of canning vegetables, seeking to recover from the defendant the sum of \$3930.00 taxes alleged to be due under the levy of 1922.

The Legislature of 1914 passed a law permitting the County Commissioners of any county in the State, by resolution to exempt from taxation the tools, machinery, manufacturing implements and engines of corporations, firms and individuals actually engaged in manufacturing. On January 18, 1915, the County Commissioners of Carroll County, adopted such an exempting resolution. The present Board of County Commissioners alleges that it had no knowledge of this resolution until it was brought to the Board's attention in July 1920, by R. Contee Rose, Esq., of Baltimore the attorney for a corporation, that, notwithstanding the exempting resolution, had annually paid taxes on its tools and machinery, and demanded a refund of taxes thus erroneously paid. The Commissioners, upon investigation, found that a number of manufacturing corporations had paid taxes, and made the refunds demanded. They also allege that of the numerous partnerships, individuals and corporations in the county, engaged in canning corn, beans, peas, tomatoes, and other vegetables, the only one engaged in such business in the county that had enjoyed from 1915 to 1920 immunity from taxation of its tools and machinery is the B. F. Shriver Company. Upon this discovery, the County Commissioners in 1920 adopted a resolution repealing and rescinding the exempting resolution of 1915, and certified the repealing resolution to the State Tax Commission.

In 1922, the State Tax Commission certified to the County Commissioners a list of business corporations, with the assessable value of their tangible personal property, and among them the B. F. Shriver Company, with tangible personal property, valued at \$280,715.60. Upon the basis of this certification, the Commissioners, assessed all business corporations listed. They say that all such corporations, as the Shriver Co., and all partnerships and individuals paid their taxes so levied, except the B. F. Shriver Company. This Company claims that in its property upon which taxes were levied are its tools, machinery and manufacturing implements and engines, that these are exempt under the resolution of 1915, and that the Commissioners had no right to pass the repealing resolution of 1920.

Upon their refusal to pay, William L. Seabrook, attorney for the County Commissioners, brought the suit. His contention is that the B. F. Shriver Company is not a corporation actually engaged in manufacturing, and not being a manufacturing corporation, but solely engaged in packing and preserving vegetables, never was entitled to exemption from taxes, under the resolution of 1915; second, that even if it should be held to be a manufacturing corporation, the County Commissioners had the right to repeal the exempting resolution, and exercised that right; third, that even if the B. F. Shriver Company should be held to be a corporation actually engaged in manufacturing, and if it should be held that the Commissioners had not the right to repeal the exempting resolution, the Shriver Company is liable for the taxes levied in 1922, because it did not pursue the course, which the plaintiff claims was absolutely necessary under the law, to obtain the exemption, by certifying to the County Commissioners what tools, machinery and manufacturing implements it claims should be exempt.

The County Commissioners assign as a reason for rescinding the exempting resolution and their effort to collect the taxes in question, the fact that if all partnerships, individuals and corporations in Carroll County actually engaged in manufacturing, and with them the numerous canning and packing plants in the county are exempted from taxation, the assessable basis of the county will be diminished by from a million and a half to two million dollars, and the tax rate upon the ordinary real estate and personal property in the county, upon which levy would have to be made, would be increased by at least fifteen cents on the one hundred dollars, to make up the loss of revenue sustained by the exemption of the tools and machinery, etc., of corporations, firms and individuals actually engaged in manufacturing, and corporations, firms and individuals, engaged in the business of canning vegetables.

The plaintiff was represented by William L. Seabrook and Guy W. Steele, and the defendant by Alfred Jenkins Shriver and R. Contee Rose, of Baltimore, and Francis Neal Parke and Edward O. Weant. The Court withheld its decision for careful consideration of the important questions involved, and will announce its verdict later.

Send us your April 1 change in address.

ASKS ENDING OF AID TO COLLEGES

Governor Ritchie Presents a Radical
Change in Laws.

Governor Ritchie appeared before the Senate and House in joint session Tuesday night and urged that the State turn back the University Hospital and its allied schools to private ownership. Under his plan the Agricultural College at College Park would remain under State control.

He also advocated putting St. John's and Washington colleges on their feet and letting them stand alone after 1927, and giving Western Maryland College a lump sum of \$125,000 in commutation of all future aid.

The message was generally well received, but seems a very radical one to be presented so late in the session, without opportunity for its full consideration. He pointed out that the University of Md. Hospital of little use to the people of the counties, and that only 55 of the doctors graduated since 1909 are settled in rural Maryland, and that only about one-fourth of the enrollment comes from Maryland.

He advises that St. John's, Washington and Western Maryland Colleges be given a sort of final bequest, and that after that they support themselves, supporting these propositions with apparently good argument. He said of Western Maryland College:

"In addition to these two bills, another is pending in the Senate for a loan of \$125,000 to Western Maryland College, provided it raises an endowment fund of \$250,000 in addition to a like fund already raised. This bill, like the others, does not affect the State tax rate in the next three years."

"Western Maryland College is by no means in the situation of the other two, but I understand it is willing to surrender in the future its regular State aid of \$22,700 a year in exchange for this loan, and if this is correct the bill is certainly worthy of consideration on this basis."

"I do not believe that a better day's work could be done than turning the University Hospital and its allied schools back to private ownership, putting St. John's and Washington College on their feet and relieving the State of future aid to Western Maryland College."

Telephone Line Damage.

Nearly three quarters of a million dollars is the estimated total for repairing the telephone poles, cable and wires in the State of Maryland by the devastated storm of Monday and Tuesday of last week according to a statement made by Mr. A. C. Allgire, Manager of the Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Company.

Sweeping in from the gulf stream, head of a northwest gale, wet and heavy snow levelled miles after miles of our wire, flattened poles to the ground and tore up long distance generally. Not since the storm of 1909 has telephone service in the State of Maryland been so impaired.

On Tuesday morning, with Baltimore cut off from communication with all sections of the State and within less than twelve hours communication with Annapolis and within forty-eight hours many points had been reached with the Eastern Shore.

Every available man in the State was placed in service, and in addition men were brought in from other sections making a total of about 10,000 men. These men have been working day and night in order that service may be restored as rapidly as possible.

Some idea of the magnitude of the damage ahead of the Telephone Company to restore service, and the service of 15,000 subscribers, may be had from the figures of the estimated material requirements to repair and replace the damage plant.

In the State of Maryland alone it will be necessary to place, temporarily, about twelve million signal feet of copper wire, at a cost of approximately \$175,000. 5,000,000 feet of bare copper wire for permanent use at a cost of approximately \$50,000 about 7,000 poles at a cost of approximately \$200,000, and place about 100,000 conductor feet of cable at a cost of approximately \$300,000.

The greatest damage was done in Western Maryland where the service of approximately 11,000 telephones were interrupted and 3,900 poles flattened to the ground. In the Frederick district alone about 2,700 telephones were put out of communication and 750 poles were blown down.

Communication with Frederick was started on the 14th, and has since then been resumed to all points on the Eastern Shore is practically normal. In some of the rural sections due to the necessity of replacing great numbers of telephone poles, it is expected that a week will elapse before the service of all subscribers is restored.

New Windsor, Taneytown, Union Bridge and Westminster suffered mostly in what comprises the Westminster district, and contributed somewhat to the total loss. Forty trunks rendered useless, two hundred and fifty lines, which put out of order 1500 stations, with a total of 400 poles down.

THE AGRICULTURAL OUTLOOK.

Normal Production of Food Crops Promised.

The general agricultural outlook for 1924 indicates that farmers are undertaking a normal production program, according to a survey just completed by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, United States Department of Agriculture. But it is apparent that their operations will still be attended by the difficulties of high wages and other high costs, lack of workers, and the general disparity between the prices of farm and city products.

Domestic demand for agricultural products is at high level. And foreign markets seem likely, on the whole to maintain about the present level of demand for American cotton, pork, wheat and tobacco.

But the situation this season with respect to labor, farm machinery, fertilizer, credit and other cost items entering into production is not such as to favor any expansion in production. The wheat situation shows some tendency toward improvement.

Notwithstanding that there will apparently be fewer animals in the country to be fed next winter, corn growers report intentions to increase the acreage 3 percent. This increase will largely replace wheat.

The dairy industry has expanded to the point where gross domestic production, in terms of whole milk, slightly exceeds gross domestic consumption. Indications are that there will be a further increase in domestic production in 1924. Foreign surplus production is likewise steadily increasing.

Poultry production has expanded rapidly in recent years. And a further expansion is indicated in 1924. It would appear that production is now at a point where further profitable expansion may be dependent upon continuation of the present high level of demand.

Tobacco growers generally indicate an intention to plant about the same acreage as last year.

Sweet potato growers plan an acreage, which, with average yields, would mean a larger crop than the country has ever consumed in any one year. The proposed expansion is largely in the boll weevil area of the cotton belt. Intentions to plant feed crops (oats, barley, hay indicate increases over last year.—U. S. Dept. Agriculture.

Proceedings of the Orphans' Court.

Monday, March 10, 1924.—Harry P. Gorsuch, executor of James B. Allison, deceased, received orders to sell personal property, stocks and bonds and leasehold estate.

Letters of administration d. b. n. c. t. a., on the estate of George A. Chrest, deceased, were granted unto Edward A. and Jesse F. Chrest.

Letters of administration on the estate of Margaret J. Chrest, deceased, were granted unto Edward A. and Jesse F. Chrest, who received order to notify creditors and warrant to appraise personal property.

Daisy M. Formwalt, administratrix of William H. Formwalt, deceased, returned inventory of personal property and received order to sell same.

Annie J. Williams, executrix of Peter F. Wisner, deceased, settled her first and final account.

John H. Cunningham, executor of William A. Cunningham, deceased, settled his second and final account.

F. Marion and Lillian P. Hall, executors of Mary C. Hall, deceased, reported sale of real estate which was immediately ratified by the Court.

Monday, March 17, 1924.—Jesse P. Garner, administrator with the will annexed of Ella Beam, deceased, reported sale of personal property.

Peter Irvin Cross, administrator of Marion K. Cross, deceased, settled his first and final account.

Laura J. Biehl, administratrix of John D. Biehl, deceased, returned inventory of personal property.

George L. Dutterer, administrator of John T. Fuhrman, deceased, received order to sell stocks and bonds.

Tuesday, March 18, 1924.—The sale of real estate belonging to Lewis F. Mencha, deceased, reported sold by Edward M. Mencha, executor and immediately ratified by the Court.

Letters of administration on the estate of Mary R. Hann, deceased, were granted unto Daniel D. Sharrer, who received warrant to appraise and order to notify creditors.

Letters of administration on the estate of Thomas Stonesifer, deceased, were granted unto William H. Stonesifer, who received warrant to appraise and order to notify creditors.

Edward A. Chrest and Jesse F. Chrest, administrators of Margaret J. Chrest, deceased, returned inventory of personal property and received order to sell same.

J. Gloyd Diffendal, executor of Mary Ellen Handley Myers, deceased, settled his first and final account.

Carrie A. Hewitt, executrix of James E. Hewitt, deceased, received order to sell personal property.

(Tuesday March 25, 1924, being a "legal holiday" Court House will be closed).

Daylight Saving, one More.

The "daylight saving" bill, that The Record considers a very foolish proposition, as well as one that "mixes things up" because of its very limited adoption, is again before the legislature. The counties very emphatically do not want it, and if the city workers want it, let them adapt the plan of going to work an hour earlier, and get the same benefits. The clock has nothing to do with establishing working hours—it simply measures time, the same as the calendar divides the days in a year, on a standardized basis for all.

LEGISLATURE NEAR CLOSE OF SESSION

Big Appropriation Measures are
Still Being Held Up.

The bill was introduced, last Friday, providing for the borrowing by Carroll County, of \$500,000 for new school buildings.

Western Maryland College, in a Senate bill, asks for \$125,000 for a science building, and that the state debt be increased for that purpose. Such a bill is rather late in coming in, and it seems that it should not have much chance for favorable consideration. This bill provides that the College raise, in addition, \$250,000 for an endowment fund.

A bill was introduced in the Senate providing for the relief of disabled veterans of the world war, which proposes to create a relief fund for providing the necessities of life for such Maryland veterans as are sick or disabled, and who are without means to pay for proper care, and providing funeral expenses. \$25,000 a year is the amount carried by the bill, to be included in the budget each year.

A large delegation of Baltimore ministers appeared before the House Judiciary Committee, on Tuesday, in opposition to the Sunday movie bill, which was strongly characterized as a blow at religious worship in Baltimore.

The House, on Tuesday, passed 65 bills and cleared its files, 31 of them being Senate bills, and now ready for the Governor.

The Baltimore annex increased tax bill, that would have added 10c to the rate in the old annex, and added \$800,000 a year to the city's revenue, was defeated, on Tuesday, largely by votes from the counties.

The bill to restrict the sale of oleomargarine was killed, on Tuesday.

The bill providing for the election of County Boards of Education by the people was killed in the House, the unfavorable report of the committee being adopted. The bill was attached chiefly by Miss Risteanu, who said it "had not one good feature."

The bill requiring appointment of members of the State Road Commission to be approved by the Senate, was defeated in the Senate.

Daylight saving for Baltimore was killed in the House, on Thursday, on the adoption of an unfavorable report on the bill.

The main fight of the session is over the big appropriation asked for by Maryland University, and the large appropriations wanted by Colleges. This matter is covered briefly in another column, which indicates active participation by the Governor, and strong opposition by University interests.

High School Teachers hold last Meeting of the Year.

The High School Teachers of Carroll County had a very helpful conference, last Friday, March 14, in the Hampstead High School building. The morning program opened with a demonstration lesson in Social Science, taught by Miss Helen Hantenhauser, to a class of 19 Hampstead pupils. The members of the class showed in a most interesting way, both by reports and by pictures, the development of transportation by land from the most primitive times to modern times.

Following the lesson, two very helpful talks on the theory of teaching were given by Miss Lulu Crim, grade supervisor of the county, and by Dr. Samuel M. North, High School Supervisor of Maryland.

At 12:30 the Home Economics Department, Miss Martha Manahan instructor, served an excellent luncheon. The school has in its possession a large supply of beautiful silver and linen, which have been given by their Parent-Teacher Association. These, together with the dainty potted plants made the tables very attractive.

The afternoon session opened with a short business meeting conducted by the President, E. C. Seitz. The minutes were read and approved. New officers were then elected for the next year, as follows: President, J. Keller Smith; Vice-Pres., Miss Katharine Fischel; Sec.-Treas., Miss Mayfield Walker.

Group Conferences took up the greater part of the afternoon. Leaders had been assigned to the several departments as follows: English, Dr. Samuel M. North; Science, Agriculture, Biology, General Science, J. Keller Smith; Mathematics, Geo. F. Morelock; Home Economics, Miss Knappe; Manual Training, J. L. Hunsberger; Commercial, Ross Blocker; Music, Miss Gertrude McGraw; Principals Conference, Supt. M. S. H. Unger.

From 2:30 to 4:30, Miss Dorothy Fischel met all the principals and athletic teachers of the county, in order to complete plans for the spring athletics.

Pennsylvania expects to construct 850 miles of durable highways this year, and considerably more next year. The new type of road is said to require less steel, less concrete, and less labor, but to be more durable.

A weekly paper—The Alto (Texas) Herald—is believed to have the longest circulation record for a paid in advance subscriber, as it recently received a check for \$108,000 for 72 years, with the order to "keep 'er coming." This same paper has another subscriber paid up to 1935.

HOUSE APPROVES BONUS.

Bill Now Up to Senate, and Perhaps a Presidential Veto.

The soldier-bonus bill, carrying 20-year paid-up endowment insurance policies as the principal feature, was passed by the House on Tuesday by the overwhelming vote of 355 to 54, with four members voting "present."

The legislation now goes to the Senate, where, because of its radical departure from the measures previously considered, the final action cannot be forecast with any degree of definiteness. The support of 70 Senators, four more than the two-thirds necessary to override a veto on that side, claimed for the bill by its advocates, was based on the original four-option plan approved by the veterans' organizations.

The bill as it goes to the Senate carries three features:

1. Cash payments for veterans who have \$50 or less due them.
2. Cash payments, divided into 10 quarterly instalments for the dependents of veterans who have died since the war.
3. Insurance policies for surviving veterans who are entitled to more than \$50.

Cash payments are determined on the basis of \$1 a day for home service and \$1.25 for overseas duty, with maximums of \$500 for home service and \$625 for service abroad. The first 60 days of each veterans' service is excluded on the theory that that period was taken care of in the \$60 cash bonus paid upon discharge. Where a veteran did not have sufficient service to entitle him to the maximum of \$625, he will be allowed credit for the full-time overseas at the rate of \$1.25 a day and take off the 60 days from his home service, paying only \$1 a day.

Dollings Officials Jailed.

Columbus, O., March 10.—William G. Benham and Dwight Harrison, officials of the former R. L. Dollings Company, who were tried in United States Court on charges of having used the mails to defraud in connection with the activities of the company, were each sentenced to 20 years in Leavenworth Federal Penitentiary, and to pay a fine of \$5000 by Judge John E. Sater this afternoon.

These convictions bring out the fact that in Washington county was staged the first opposition to this company and its methods. This was done by S. W. Sowers, who, at one time, a firm believer in the company was one of the first to discover what he believed to be the unscrupulous methods employed by them. He turned against them, and in season and out, day by day, he did everything he could to bring people of this section and other sections to the conclusion he had reached.

Information, at first, was hard to get, almost none at all. Mr. Sowers clung tenaciously to what little evidence he had and builded upon it day by day.

Letters came to him from the company officials, threatened suits, personal challenges were made, and through all these he smiled and kept "sawing wood."

The big commercial agencies, banks etc., at that time, were giving the company and its methods clean bills and everything appeared to be correct but alas later revelations have proven that the big and the mighty and the banker can, at times, be mistaken, and at the very times they were being given words of praise, it was shown that the Dollings organization was tottering and that the ground work was then being formed for the later gigantic failure.

When later conditions did shape themselves that persons saw in the moves of the company certain things that did not pass muster in the best financial circles, when several states stopped the sale of securities, of one or more of their companies. These acts were made public by Mr. Sowers.

Then came the time when money could not be gotten back on stock sold, which was before one of the big selling points, and then things began to get equally for the Dollings Companies.

Later came the receivership and twice have officials faced the courts and each time convictions for fraud and wrong-doing have resulted.—Hagerstown Globe.

New Priest for Littlestown.

Rev. W. J. Callahan, of Littlestown has been transferred to Waynesboro, St. Andrew's Church, while Rev. E. O. Flynn has taken charge of St. Aloysius, Littlestown, the two priests exchanging charges. The change was made on Monday.

Father Callahan had been in Littlestown for eleven years, and Father Flynn in Waynesboro for eight years. The latter made quite a record, having cleared a debt of \$14,000 on the church property, and left in the treasury a surplus of \$6,893 in cash. He was also very popular with all classes, Catholic as well as non-Catholic, and was quite active in all public affairs.

The Deer Park Hotel, at Deer Park, Garrett county, has been sold by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad to Henry S. Duncan, operator of hotels in the East and Middle West. Mr. Duncan, according to announcement by the railroad company, contemplates spending \$500,000 in remodeling and improving the present buildings and erecting a modern resort hotel.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 21, 1924.

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All articles on this page are either original, or properly credited. This has always been a fixed rule with this Office, and we suggest the adoption of it by our exchanges.

The automobile business so far this year, is reported ahead of last year. This includes trucks and motor-buses. Somehow, looking for signs of scarcity of money, taking the country as a whole, is a tiresome and unfruitful business.

Actually, William Jennings Bryan has been required to make the statement that he is "not a candidate" for the Presidency; which of course does not mean as much as it sounds. An admirer—in Arkansas, we think—wrote him, to know about it.

If Congress would set "wash day" after election day, instead of before it, "the wash" would be decidedly smaller. Perhaps if all the "washing" was done in Washington that needs to be done, at all times, there would be little time left for legislation.

There has been an unusual display of feminine beauties, this winter, having marital troubles with millionaire husbands. Evidently, a lot of our American beauties are still playing the old game of "Face and Fortune"—if not started by Mother Eve, then away back near the beginning of the race. The only difference is, in the old days such games were not considered good first page articles for daily newspapers.

Why Keep It Up?

The tendency of a certain shade of American public sentiment seems to be to see how close amusements, personal liberties, habits and general policies, can go to the danger line, and not meet with disaster; how close one may go to actual sin and crime, and escape the laws as well as moral condemnation. A large percentage of so-called "good people"—and some not making any great pretensions toward goodness—are encouraging sin and immorality by flitting with doubtful habits, and setting up the policy that it is foolish and old-fashioned to lead such strictly correct lives, always avoiding the appearance of evil.

We are growing into a big body of dissenters and debaters, and we encourage ourselves in the belief that in doing so we are evidencing a superior degree of intelligence, and practicing a commendable measure of liberality. Our defense of gambling, our attacks against long-established Sabbath day rules, our pleas for more booze in spite of the 18th Amendment, the freedom of the press and the daring character of limited female dress under the plea of "fashion," all betoken the fact that we are "going the limit" toward acts and habits that, to make the best of them, are dangerous to the majority of those who engage in them.

In plain English, in our umpiring of the game of life, we are deciding close plays in favor of the Devil. We are so afraid of being called puritanic that we make a virtue of skating on the thin ice surrounding impurity and danger. Why keep it up, in the face of the thousands of wrecks that do not escape danger?

The world is not growing more immune from sin than at the creation; we are merely overloaded with a certain smartness that passes for superior intelligence, and are still wise in that conceit that leads to its inevitable end, and evidences the unending activity of the prince of darkness. Our modernism, in matters of personal indulgence and superior liberties, due to claimed greater intelligence, are the greatest errors of the age.

The Farm Bloc Defeated.

For a wonder, the Senate, last Thursday, defeated the farm bloc's Norbeck-Burness Crop diversification bill, that carried an appropriation of \$75,000,000, without much signs of political play, the vote being 20 Republicans, 10 Democrats and 2

Farm-labor for the bill; and 18 Republicans and 23 Democrats against. Many were in sympathy with the intent of the bill who felt compelled to vote against it on constitutional grounds, and because of the precedent that would be set by it.

Just why the hot and cold players of politics as a game, did not try to put the administration in a bad light before the northwestern farmers, is an untold story. Perhaps they argue that as the Republicans nominally have a toe-hold majority in Congress, headed by a President, that the party is thereby responsible for what is done, and what not done; and that the farm-bloc will therefore be more incensed at the Republicans than at the Democrats because of the defeat of the bill.

Now, if Congress will only vote along the same lines, and as independently, when questions involving miner and railway employees unions come up, and on such questions as the Soldier bonus, we will begin again to hold to the theory of government, that it must be for the best interests of the whole, and without respect to class.

Using one sort of action for farmers, and the opposite sort for union labor and highly organized bodies of voters, will not do at all; and the farmers have a pretty vivid recollection of what happened to the wheat farmers and the cotton growers, during the war, and how in general the lid was off as to most sorts of profiteering, except that in which the wheat farmers were interested.

Big Losses of Publishers.

Figures running into the hundreds of thousands would scarcely record the volume of money lost to country publishers as a result of bad debts. The old difficulty of getting money out of the subscriber has largely passed away. For the most part the publishers have finally put their papers on a paid in advance basis and have learned the wisdom of cutting off dead head subscribers and dropping from their lists those who fail to renew promptly. However the more serious problem of the poor pay advertiser is still to be reckoned with, and worse than that there are far too many merchants who are not only "slow pay" but who do not pay their advertising bills at all. Many of them seek every possible excuse to avoid parting with their cash.

Some merchants regard the newspaper bill for advertising as the last bill to call for attention. Peculiarly it is found that job printing accounts are paid more promptly than are advertising accounts. The layman seems unconsciously to assume that advertising space does not cost anything, whereas printing involves an outlay for stock. They never think of news print. Then we have the small merchant who opens up in the small town with a great splash. Often he goes up like a rocket and comes down like the stock, and the publisher is left with a big unpaid bill on his hands.

The time has arrived when this question of credits must be more seriously considered. Perhaps the most tactful method of approaching the problem is through the local board of trade. Merchants often have their own trouble with credits. In such cases it may be wise for the publisher to urge the establishing of a credit bureau for the protection of the merchants. When this is done, in the process of organization it is not difficult to have merchants themselves establish proper credit. Indeed this should be one of the first requirements of membership in a trade organization.

Publishers make a mistake when they fail to press for the payment of their bills. Merchants recognize the fact that as their bills must be paid when they are due, so must they pay other men's bills if business is to continue. Sometimes a publisher may feel diffident about approaching some of his extensive advertisers when they owe him money but the approach can be made in a manner that will gain respect rather than ill for the publisher. Business men look with pity on the man with slipshod business methods, and they soon come to lose confidence in the worthwhileness of the business handled if the head of the concern permits himself to be led away from the course of firm but kindly economic conduct.—The American Press.

Army Planes Start Round the Globe.

If these were normal times and ordinary days in these United States, every American eye would be fixed on the four airplanes that will leave Los Angeles today. These, however, are not ordinary times.

Our tax troubles, our oil scandals, our Dohenys, our Sinclairs and Falls and the rumblings of the campaign of 1924 leave little room in the national mind for aviation. Our priceless Roxie Stinsons from Main street, our precious Gaston B. Means, our Harry M. Daughertys and all of that queer procession now crossing the Washington stage have conspired to make

us forget the beginning of what may be an epoch in air navigation.

Forgotten or not, ignored or not, something picturesque and romantic begins at Los Angeles today. Four American Army planes, manned by eight American Army fliers, will take wing for Seattle. From Seattle on April 1, north by west they swing up across the glaciers, around the snow peaks and over the everlasting ice fields to the smoky Aleuts. With the cold seas of Bering to their right, they will notch the ice-covered noses of their planes on Akutan, Naza, Chicagoff and others of the barren and bleak islands in the fog-covered, God-forsaken world of waters that separate America and Asia.

The lucky and living men of these eight fliers hope to climb down out of their own planes in Washington, District of Columbia, on August 10. That is to be the terminus of the round-the-world flight. They may, of course, fail. The Britisher, Major Blake failed; but his was more of a lone-handed effort. The American Army has planned this attempt with exceeding great care. Supplies, oil, equipment—everything and every need that may be foreseen have been anticipated. As nearly as advance calculations can make it, this flight is organized and insured. For two years the plans have been under way.

There will be plenty of chances for failure. This flight is no summer aviation picnic. Open water, deserts, mountains, winds, lack of landing fields and uncharted air currents are only a few of the dangers that wait along the 26,000-mile course that has been marked out around the globe.

There is the long "hop" of 860 miles from the dark Aleuts down into Japanese waters, with never a mile of it ever flown over by air-men. It is "unknown air," and American watchers will breathe easier when the planes come to the Kuriles and the main Japanese islands. Once there, the course over Eurasia will be over lands known to aviators. It will go round Southern Asia via Nagasaki, Shanghai, Saigon, Calcutta, Delhi, Bagdad, Aleppo and to Bucharest, to mention a very few of the scheduled stopping places. Crossing Europe, the star-marked planes will come home via the Feroes, Iceland, Greenland and Labrador.

All this effort will be expensive, risky and downright dangerous. Nevertheless, it is worth the hazard and worth all it may cost. It will gain for the army airmen a vast experience in long-distance flying and the problems of supplying such flying. The feasibility or not of round-the-world commercial airways will be shown. Nor will it be a little thing for the American Army Air Service to bring to America the honor of the first flight around the world.—Phila. Ledger.

Local Pride

will induce you to try Rein-o-la Laying Mash—the good results will keep you a regular feeder of it. It actually does all we claim. Contains high-grade beef scraps—no tankage. Makes all the difference between profit and loss. A trial is convincing.—Reinold Bros. & Co. —Advertisement

Cause for Congratulation.

A city motorist got lost in the back districts. He scratched his hands removing climbing briars from sign posts. He made many a weary trip to farmhouses for directions. He started down promising lanes and wound up in barnyards. He backed out and ran into swamps. After about five hours of this he managed to strike the state highway. Whereupon he remarked fervently: "I'm glad life hasn't as many forks as a country road."

World's Largest Organ.

The largest organ in existence is in Sydney, New South Wales. The erection of the great organ in Music hall, Boston, by a German builder, Walcker, of Wurttemberg, gave the first impetus to public interest in the matter. Roosevelt of New York and Jardine, likewise of New York, soon became two of the best-known organ builders in America. Among the largest organs in America are the organs of the Roman Catholic cathedral, Montreal; the Cathedral of the Holy Cross, in this city, which possesses 83 stops; Music hall, Cincinnati, with 96 stops and four manuals, and the Tremont Temple of this city with 95 stops.—Boston Globe.

The Crime.

"We are all ready to start the game," said the captain of the first convict team.

"So are we," responded the captain of the second convict team. "But who will umpire the game?"

"Well, let's get the game warden," suggested the captain of the first convict team.—Ohio State Sun Dial.

Hall's Catarrh Medicine

will do what we claim for it—rid your system of Catarrh or Deafness caused by Catarrh.

Sold by druggists for over 40 years
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio

THIS "FOG-HORN" NOISELESS

Seems an Anomaly, but Explanation Given Should Convince the Most Skeptical.

This is the name given to a signaling device to prevent collisions at sea. Part of it consists of a siren that by means of high-pressure steam will produce powerful air waves with the low frequency of fourteen or fifteen vibrations a second. It is contended that these waves, although too low for the human ear to hear, have a great penetrating power. When they are interrupted by some object, such as a ship, a cliff or an iceberg they are, it is said, reflected or echoed back to a special receiving apparatus on the deck of the vessel.

Since this receiver is fitted with an ingenious apparatus for registering the strength of the reflected vibrations, it may be possible to learn the distance and even the nature of the object that has intercepted the sound waves. The siren is designed to be mounted on deck so that at night or in a fog, when the presence of icebergs or of other ships is suspected, it can be turned in various directions to explore the sea ahead of the ship. The apparatus is said to be still in an experimental stage.

FIRST OF LIVING ORGANISMS

Expert Opinion Is That Earliest Forms in Lakes Must Have Been of Vegetable Origin.

Interesting studies have been made by Monti on the earliest forms of life appearing in the Alpine lakes. One of these, the lake of the Seracs, has been created within human memory, and it seems to justify the statement that the first living forms inhabiting lakes are of a vegetable nature. Only five living species are found in the lake of the Seracs, all of them plants and four of the order of diatoms. In the older lakes of Ong and of Tignaga animal forms begin to appear, feeding upon the diatoms. The first two steps in the populating of a lake, according to Monti's conclusions, are, first, the appearance of diatoms absorbing carbonic acid dissolved in the water, and second, the appearance of simple animal organisms, such as rhizopods, whose nourishment depends upon the pre-existing vegetable forms. Geologists have supposed that the first living forms in the oceans were vegetable.

They Met Their Pledge.

Several members of the Butler University chapter of the Delta Delta Delta sorority recently heard that a display of late fashions in women's finery was planned at a convention of dry goods merchants in Indianapolis. The young women, who were accepted as models for the display, were to receive \$75. It happens that the chapter pledged \$500 to the Butler college endowment fund, and that one-fifth of the amount pledged was due in September. With unusual loyalty to their school and their chapter, the members banded together and went after the job. They got it, and they planned to apply the \$75 to their \$100 pledge in September, all the while wondering where they could get the remaining \$25.

The display was given. It was successful. Out came the man in charge. "You've done your work so well," he said, "that we've decided to make it \$100," and he handed a \$100 bill to the girls.—Indianapolis News.

His Only Solace.

Cortlandt Bleeker, the New York clubman, said on the Aquitania:

"I was in Berlin one pay day, and it was a funny sight to see the Berlin work people carrying their wages home in suitcases, wheelbarrows and hand carts. A man earning \$20 a week, normal exchange, would have, you know, some 25,000 marks in notes of small denomination. No light burden."

"I spoke to a German banker about the demoralized German mark. I said I supposed it distressed him considerably."

"Yes, it does," he agreed, and then he added:

"Sometimes, by heaven, I feel so depressed that to cheer myself up a little I take a few marks out and see how many rubles I can get for them."

Vivacious Engine.

An engineer was giving evidence in a case in which a farmer was suing a railway company for damages resulting from the death of a cow, which had been run into by a train.

The farmer's lawyer was heckling the engineer, and kept reverting to his pet question, which was:

"Now, tell me, was the cow on the track?"

At last the engineer became angry, and answered the question:

"Well, if you want me to tell the real truth, the cow was bathing in the stream the other side of the track. But the engine saw her, leaped off the rails, dashed over the bank, and, landing right on top of the cow, strangled her to death without a word."—Milwaukee Journal.

Novelties in Weddings.

At a recent English wedding the seven attendants of the bride were attired in colors representing the favorite flowers of the bride. The effect was very brilliant.

At a similar function there were five child bridesmaids who looked charming in Joshua Reynolds costumes of white muslin with quaint mop caps, blue sashes and bunches of king roses. The little ones looked as if they had just stepped from the painting of the distinguished artist.

Hesson's Department Store

DISPLAYING A Full Line of Merchandise for Spring Household Needs.

Room Sized Rugs.

In this department we are showing a very attractive assortment of 8.3x10.6, 9x12 and other good sized Rugs of grass, wool fiber, congoileum and tapestry and axminster qualities. We are sure when you once look over our stock of various grades of Rugs, you will have the problem solved about what you will cover that floor with this Spring. A very pretty assortment of the Nationally advertised Gold Seal Congoileum Rugs, suitable for any room always in stock.

Carpets.

For those who prefer carpet for their rooms, we have on hand a line of every pattern of rag or chain carpets, in the 36 and 27-in. widths at moderate prices.

Congoileum Rug Border

Just the thing for making the floor around the border of that Rug more attractive by covering the rough floor with a piece of oak colored rug border.

Linoleum and Congoileum

A very pretty assortment of patterns of 2 yd. wide Congoileum and Linoleum here for you to make your selection.

We are headquarters for that "Best Quality" Gold Seal Congoileum. The kind that makes a very attractive and yet not too expensive floor covering.

Also carry a full line of the better quality 2-yd. wide Linoleums.

Rubber Stair Pads

A good sized fine quality rubber pad for a very low price.

Window Shades.

We have on hand a fine assortment of regular sizes, in Window Shades in all the leading colors and quality. For the inexpensive shade we have the water color, mounted on a good spring roller. Also carry a fine assortment of the non-fade oil color shades, mounted on the famous Hartshorn rollers.

When you are thinking of replacing your old Shades, call on us, and let us explain to you the merits of our shades, and our service in this department.

Dishes.

If it's dishes you need, be assured we have a full line of them. We carry at all times a full line of open stock white, blue Willow ware, and fancy patterns in fine quality china-ware. Also a very nice assortment of 100-piece sets of attractive designs.

Kitchen Utensils.

Visit our kitchen ware department when in need of anything in the cooking utensil line. If it's Granite, Enamel or Aluminum, you will almost be sure to find here what you want.

Sheets and Pillow Cases

When in need of these look over our line. We have Sheets in 72x90 and 81x90, of very good quality muslin.

Also a full line of bleached and unbleached Sheetting in all the standard widths.

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Time Is Money

There are at least two times when time is money—while you are working for money and while money in the way of savings, is working for you.

Many a man has missed his opportunity for a good investment simply because he didn't have the ready cash when the chance came. The time to prepare for such opportunities is NOW. We invite you to open an account at our bank, where your money will be safe until you need it.

Resources Over \$1,100,000.00.

School Shoes.

Fit the CHILDREN out with Shoes that will stand the wear and tear of school days. We have that kind, and at prices within the reach of all. We believe in selling the kind that wear or another pair. We have them from the cheapest to the best. Bring the children in and let us fit them up. We make a specialty of

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made of all leather and guaranteed to wear.

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CORRESPONDENCE

Latest Items of Local News Furnished
By Our Regular Staff of Writers

All communications for this department must be signed by the author; nor for publication, but as an evidence that the contributor is legitimate and correct. Items based on mere rumor, or such as are likely to give offense, are not wanted. We desire correspondence to reach our office on Thursday, if at all possible. It will be necessary, therefore, for most letters to be mailed on Wednesday, or by Fast Mail, west, on W. M. R. R., Thursday morning. Letters mailed on Thursday evening may not reach us in time.

MELROSE.

Your correspondent and family, are indebted to a good friend, a beekeeper in Pennsylvania, for a 2½ lb. can of choice pure honey, by parcel post.

One of the McMahon transportation buses took a load of our Melrose people to Baltimore, on Wednesday night of last week, on a pleasure trip.

During the recent snow blizzard, many were the means of transportation employed to keep business going. Four-horse wagons were in evidence. Even drag-sleds with milk cans in peach baskets were used. The State Roads Commission had two of their efficient road plows in action, one whole night, to make traveling possible. Squads of men with shovels were on country roads. This was the worst blizzard our section had for twenty or more years.

D. D. Fuhrman, auctioneer, reports two big sales last week in Bachman's Valley, George C. Bixler, total amount of sale \$2,492.91, and Frances Klinedinst, total amount of sale, \$2,548.42.

Charles Dicks, operator of the Hanover-Carlisle bus route, brought Mrs. Dicks and daughter, Martha, to Melrose, on Saturday evening, to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Sauble, to spend the week-end.

Our neighborhood was shocked to hear of the death of one of the best known citizens, John R. Strevig, who passed away peacefully, on Saturday evening, at the advanced age of 74 years, 9 months and 4 days. He retired from active business about five years ago, having taught school in Carroll County for 17 years, was secretary of the Dug Hill Fire Insurance Company for 23 years, Justice of the Peace for 24 years, besides being a successful farmer. He leaves a devoted wife, and two children, Mrs. Charles F. Stock, Lineboro, J. Warren, at home, and a host of friends to mourn his loss. His remains were laid to rest in the Lineboro cemetery on Tuesday afternoon. Rev. R. R. Richard, officiating.

NORTH EAST CARROLL.

The Mt. Ventus School is preparing for a spider web social and entertainment, which they will give on Friday evening, April 25.

Christian Monath, of Lineboro, is seriously ill at this time. His son, Charles Monath, of this place, visited him on Sunday.

The teacher and pupils of Mt. Ventus all attended the sale of Noah Yost's property, held on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Leppo entertained at their home Sunday: Stewart Zentz, John Senesick, William Mehan, Peter Ceven, William Cavanaugh, all of Philadelphia; Archie Zentz, Robert Sterner and Mrs. Ervin Miller of Cherry Hill.

Glenn Harman and his friend, of Baltimore County, and Harry Mumert, visited at the home of John Wisner and wife, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcellus Yost, sons Norman and John, visited at the home of George Fuhrman and wife, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Horich, Robert and Beatrice Yingling, visited at the home of Chester Masener and wife, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bowman entertained at their home on Sunday: Mrs. Charles Monath, children Norman and Anna, Marcellus Yost, Charles, Elmer and Maurice Wisner.

DETOUR.

Mrs. Margaret Routzan, of Westminster, is spending some time with L. D. Troxell and family.

We are glad to hear that Kate Six, who had a slight stroke, is better.

Miss Nellie Shry, spent Friday with Mrs. D. L. Sharrer and family.

David Hinea remains about the same.

J. W. Whitmore, spent the week-end at Frederick.

Mr. and Mrs. John Crushon have moved in the house vacated by Earl Roop. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Cowell have moved where Mr. Crushon moved from, and Mr. and Mrs. James Crushon have moved where Mr. Cowell moved from.

Work is progressing on the milk plant.

MAYBERRY.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Flickinger, spent from Tuesday till Saturday with the former's sister, Mrs. Daniel Bair, of near Littlestown.

Theo. King, of Mayberry, was doing some work, on Monday, for Mrs. Wesley Hahn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Crushong spent Sunday afternoon with his brother, Ellis and family.

Mildred Morelock is sick at present writing.

Charles Reck, the Mayberry teacher, spent Sunday with Cyrus Leppo. Roy King has moved to their new home, near Littlestown; Thursday, Oscar Hiner moves to the new home at Green Valley School house.

Mrs. Walter Crushong spent Saturday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. Harvey Leister, of near Union Mills. The roads are drying off nicely and the weather begins to feel like Spring is near.

LITTLESTOWN.

Nineteen new houses will be built this summer, in this place, according to a statement made by I. H. Crouse, contractor and builder. Jacob Keefe will build a double dwelling on Lombard St., Webster Snyder, Renner Brothers and Harvey Schwartz, will build on East King St.; George Mayers and Jessie Byers, along Baltimore Pike; Prof. Paul King, west of St. John's Church; William Sneeringer, two on Gettysburg St., at edge of town; Rider and Yingling, each one on Myrtle Ave., and William McSherry, two adjoining Rider and Yingling, and the Littlestown Improvement Company will build six at different places over the town. The Littlestown canning company is also erecting a large building to can corn this year.

Abia Smucker has returned home, after attending the conference held by the Methodists and the laymen convention, held in Williamsport, last week. He was a guest of Rev. Long, who was a pastor here 24 years ago.

Norman Tagg, of Baltimore, son of Hicks Tagg, of this place, has been chosen by Sharp & Doane, to be assistant manager of their Baltimore wholesale drug house.

On Sunday morning, about 9:30 o'clock, Millard Engle was given quite a surprise, at his home on Patrick St., when his brothers and sisters and their families from Frederick, Md., motored to his home to remember his 34th birthday anniversary. It was a complete surprise to Mr. Engle and his family. They came laden down with all good things to eat, to which all did ample justice. A beautiful large birthday cake was presented to Mr. Engle, with 34 lighted candles. After singing "God be with you till we meet again," they all left for their respective homes, about 4 o'clock, wishing Mr. Engle many more such happy birthday occasions. He was the recipient of many beautiful gifts. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Millard Engle and children, Edna, Betty, Aldena, Wilbert, Roger and Laverne and Woodrow Kiffe, of this place; Mr. and Mrs. John W. Engle, Mr. and Frank Engle, Mr. and Mrs. John Fegga, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Hahn, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Engle, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Engle, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Crum, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kimmel, Mrs. Laura Phlegger, Misses Ella Eyer, Edith Kimmel, and Virginia Engle, Bernard and Jos. Engle, all of Frederick; Mrs. Harry Hawk and daughters, Pauline and Frances, Miss Grace Wagner and Eugent Hawk of Hanover.

Mrs. Harry G. Hawk, spent last Saturday as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Millard Engle and family.

Miss Edna Humbert, who spent several days in Hanover, as the guest of Miss Arlene Bowman, has returned to her home in this place.

LINWOOD.

Mrs. Robert Etzler entertained the W. M. S., at her home, Thursday evening.

The Sewing Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Laura Etzler, Thursday March 27th.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Binkley and Miss Julia Wilhide, motored to Baltimore, on Monday.

Elmer Pittinger and wife, entertained a few friends, last Friday evening.

Robert and Ralph Myers, of Mercersburg Academy, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Lee Myers. Claude Etzler, wife and daughter, Jane, spent Sunday with Joseph Langdon and family, of New Windsor.

Glad to report that Mrs. John Ernst, who has been quite ill with pneumonia, is able to sit up.

Mrs. M. A. Zollicoffer, of Uniontown, and daughter, Mrs. Jesse Smith of Portsmouth, Ohio, were callers in town, Tuesday morning.

R. Lee Myers and wife were in Baltimore, Wednesday.

E. M. Rouzer, of Baltimore, was here with his home folks, on Sunday.

A motor car used by the railroad section workmen, on its way to New Windsor, was derailed a short distance from the Linwood Station, Friday morning. Five of the workmen were slightly hurt; the boss, Amos Fritz, received several scalp wounds. Dr. T. H. Legg was summoned and rendered medical aid.

Movings are the order of the day. John Eyer moved, this week, from Uniontown to his farm, near here. Mr. Sager, of Clemsonville, to Joseph Englar's house. Mr. Delphy, from here to Middleburg.

Miss Julia Wilhide, of Ladiesburg, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Calvin Binkley.

Howard Harr and wife, of Baltimore, were Sunday visitors in the home of Harry Spielman.

Walter Hines and wife, of Frederick, spent the week-end with Mrs. Mollie Hines.

KEYSVILLE.

The Christian Endeavor held a St. Patrick's Social in the basement of the church, Monday evening. Each person was met at the door and presented with a little green bow, by St. Patrick. It was a very enjoyable affair and one of the best socials ever held by the Society.

Mrs. Calvin Valentine is spending a few days with her son, L. R. Valentine, near Emmitsburg.

John Moser moved, Tuesday, to the farm occupied by C. M. Forney. Mr. Forney will move to Baltimore. Harry Clabaugh will occupy the place vacated by Mr. Moser.

Miss Mildred Ensor, of New Windsor, was a recent guest of Miss Victoria Weybright.

Mrs. M. P. Baumgardner is ill at this writing.

Mrs. Alma Newcomer and Mrs. John Cluts, of Taneytown, visited relatives at this place, Tuesday.

Peter Baumgardner and wife, gave a reception, Friday evening, in honor of their son, Roy Baumgardner and bride, Mr. and Mrs. Baumgardner were recipients of many useful and beautiful presents, consisting of silverware, cut glass, linen, aluminum-ware, money, furniture, etc.

UNIONTOWN.

The Uniontown District Convention of the Md. S. Association will be held in the Lutheran Church, on Thursday afternoon and evening, March 27. The union choir is invited to participate.

The W. M. Society, of Baust Lutheran Church presented Mrs. Martin Myers with a beautiful plant. Mrs. Myers has recovered from an attack of typhoid fever.

Mrs. H. K. Myers, of Frizellburg, entertained Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Lowe Thursday, March 13.

Rev. E. A. Sexsmith, of Baltimore, delivered a sermon, Sunday evening, in the M. P. Church, to the graduates of the teacher training class of the Sunday School. Those in the class are Mrs. Fannie Cummings, Mrs. Maud Haines, Mrs. Gertrude Zollicoffer, Miss Ella M. Heltibrille and Miss Nettie Myers.

Dr. T. Clyde Routsen, of Buckeys-town, visited his aunt, Miss Ella V. Smith, one day last week.

Sales and movings are all the go. Charles Fritz moved to his lately purchased home; Daniel Dickensheets moved to the property bought of Mr. Fritz; John Eyer moved to his farm, near Linwood; Theodore Haines will move to the property bought of Mr. Eyer; Russell Fleagle moves this week to his home, which he has improved very much; Miss Annie McMahon, of Baltimore, will take rooms in the Mering building lately occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Fleagle; Hall Martin will move to his home purchased of Clarence Wolf, who takes the property vacated by Mr. Lane, who goes back to Baltimore. This place was bought by U. G. Crouse, who expected to take possession, but not being able to rent his farm has to postpone for a year.

G. W. Slonaker is having a large pantry built on his back porch.

Our roads have been impassable in places for machines.

B. L. Cookson is having a number of new floors put down in his house.

Dr. M. Hamm, of the Md. S. S. Association, spoke in the Lutheran Church, Sunday morning, giving many interesting thoughts on the work.

Tuesday morning, the wash house at Charles Crabbs', Clear Ridge, caught fire and was burned. Neighbors gathered and helped to save the house adjoining. Mr. Crabbs has been in bed 3 years, from paralysis.

Mrs. Jesse Smith, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Zollicoffer, left her home in Portsmouth, Ohio, in Wednesday. While here, she had their household goods moved from their former home in Linwood, to this place, where they will be stored for a time. The truck had to go by New Windsor, Westminster and Frizellburg, making a twenty mile trip, instead of three.

Mrs. Nicholas E. Norris, aged 12, a farmer, near Liberty, died Saturday from paralysis. He was stricken a few days previous while in bed. He was a life-long resident of Liberty district and was born in the house in which he died.

Mr. Norris married Miss Fanny Browning, of the same locality, who died a number of years ago. Three sons, Browning, of Louisiana; Paul, Baltimore, and McKinstry Norris, at home, and three daughters, Mrs. F. Lorraine Simpson and Mrs. Walter McKinney, Liberty; Mrs. J. D. Flagg, Pawtucket, R. I., and Mrs. Rauley Optenberg, Washington, Iowa, survive.

MR. WILLIAM G. FAIR. Mr. William G. Fair, aged 75, formerly of this locality, died at his home, Lemoyne, Pa., March 7. He was buried in the Enola cemetery, near Harrisburg, March 11.

He is survived by his widow, five daughters and five sons. They are: Mrs. P. Charleston, Norfolk; C. A. Fair, Harrisburg; Mrs. Andy Gagle, Baltimore; Mrs. Alex. Gordon, Woodbury Heights, N. J.; J. W. Fair, Atlantic City, N. J.; George T. Fair, Atlantic City, N. J.; Sterling Fair, of Harrisburg; Ernest Fair, Lemoyne; Mrs. Howard Keim, Ennaut, and Miss Ethel Fair, Lemoyne. Also by one sister, Mrs. Mary I. Null, of Taneytown, and one brother, S. J. Fair, of Waynesboro.

Wm. Naill and son, Wilmer, attended the wedding reception at Peter Baumgardner's, on Friday evening, in honor of their son, Roy and bride.

Thomas Motter has gone to work for Carroll Hess, near Taneytown. Wm. Motter will work for Edgar Miller.

Joseph Bollinger, who has been sick, is improving.

Preaching service will be held at Tcm's Creek Church, Sunday, March 23, at 10 o'clock, by Rev. W. S. Jones. This will be the last service before annual conference.

BRIDGEPORT.

Charles Staub, of Motters, spent the week-end at the home of Jacob Stambaugh and family.

Clarence Kemper has gone to Baltimore, where he has secured a position.

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EMMITSBURG.

James M. Kerrigan, a highly respected citizen of this community, died at his home Saturday evening, after an illness of several months, at the age of 69 years. He is survived by his widow, three daughters, Mrs. F. J. Campbell, of Cleveland, Ohio; Mrs. O. H. Stimson, of this place; Alice, at home; three sons, Robert, of Philadelphia; Lefevre, of Baltimore, and Ward, of this place. The funeral was held on Tuesday morning with services in St. Joseph's Catholic Church, officiated by Rev. Father Rosensteel, a cousin, of Rockville, Md., assisted by Rev. Father J. O. Hayden, interment in cemetery adjoining.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harner and son, Richard, spent Wednesday in Baltimore.

Mrs. Hazel Palmer, of near Staunton, Va., is spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. B. Martin.

Mrs. M. C. Welsh has returned home, after spending some time with her son, at Atlantic City.

Miss Pauline King, of Waynesboro, spent the week-end with Miss Lottie Hoke.

Quite a few cases of scarlet fever and diphtheria are in our community. The Social Help Society of the Lutheran Church, met at the home of Mrs. George Wilhide, last Friday evening.

Mrs. John Hospelhorn, spent Tuesday in Gettysburg.

Maurice Keilholtz, conductor on the Emmitsburg railroad, moved to town, on Wednesday from Rocky Ridge.

The Vigilant Hose Co., is remodeling its building, by converting the second floor into a private hall.

An Honest Laying Mash

strictly high-grade, always fresh made, high in protein, Rein-o-la Laying Mash excels in the results it produces. Try it.—Reindollar Bros. & Co.

By her Sister and Husband.

MR. and MRS. ALBERT RIFFLE.

11-30-24

Advertisement

HARNEY.

J. V. Eckenrode, who has been confined to the house for some time, is able to get out and around again.

The entertainment given by our school, on the evening of St. Patrick's day, was well attended and considered very good. After the entertainment a box social was held; the boxes sold at auction brought from 25c to \$4.15.

Mrs. Marshall had the misfortune to be kicked by a cow, on Wednesday evening. It was thought at first that her leg was broken, but on examination by the doctor, it was found that the bones were not broken, but that several ligaments were torn.

A. C. Fink's sale, on Wednesday, was well attended, and like most of sales, some things brought all they were worth, while others sold cheap.

DIED.

Obituaries, poetry and resolutions, charged for at the rate of five cents per line. The regular death notices published free.

MR. JOHN CALVIN BROWN.

Mr. John Calvin Brown died at his home in New Windsor, March 17, in his 64th year. He is survived by his wife and the following children: Raymond and Duval Brown, Mrs. Preston Roop and Mrs. Earl Fowle. Funeral services this Friday at the M. E. Church, in charge of Rev. W. R. Randall and Elder A. P. Snader.

MR. WILLIAM H. MILLER.

Mr. William H. Miller, died on Tuesday morning, March 18, from pneumonia, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Jacob Strawsburg, near Otter Dale, aged 77 years and 4 months. He was ill only about a week. Funeral services were held this Friday morning, at the Reformed Church, by Rev. Guy P. Bready.

He is survived by the following children: Edward, Charles and Oliver Miller; Mrs. Sallie Strawsburg, Mrs. Hattie Strawsburg and Mrs. John Frook.

MRS. LOUISA HILL.

Mrs. Louisa Hill (colored) died at the home of her son, James Hill, in Taneytown, on Tuesday morning, aged 85 years, 8 months, 28 days. Funeral services will be held this Friday morning at 10 o'clock, at St. Joseph's Catholic Church.

She is survived by the following children: James and Samuel Hill, of Taneytown; John, of Baltimore, and Charles H., of York; Mrs. Jos. E. Armstrong, of Waynesboro; Mrs. Carrie Woodyard, of Baltimore, and Miss Maggie Hill, of Baltimore; also by 21 grand-children and 9 great-grand-children.

MR. NICHOLAS E. NORRIS.

Nicholas E. Norris, aged 12, a farmer, near Liberty, died Saturday from paralysis. He was stricken a few days previous while in bed. He was a life-long resident of Liberty district and was born in the house in which he died.

Mr. Norris married Miss Fanny Browning, of the same locality, who died a number of years ago. Three sons, Browning, of Louisiana; Paul, Baltimore, and McKinstry Norris, at home, and three daughters, Mrs. F. Lorraine Simpson and Mrs. Walter McKinney, Liberty; Mrs. J. D. Flagg, Pawtucket, R. I., and Mrs. Rauley Optenberg, Washington, Iowa, survive.

MR. WILLIAM G. FAIR.

Mr. William G. Fair, aged 75, formerly of this locality, died at his home, Lemoyne, Pa., March 7. He was buried in the Enola cemetery, near Harrisburg, March 11.

He is survived by his widow, five daughters and five sons. They are: Mrs. P. Charleston, Norfolk; C. A. Fair, Harrisburg; Mrs. Andy Gagle, Baltimore; Mrs. Alex. Gordon, Woodbury Heights, N. J.; J. W. Fair, Atlantic City, N. J.; George T. Fair, Atlantic City, N. J.; Sterling Fair, of Harrisburg; Ernest Fair, Lemoyne; Mrs. Howard Keim, Ennaut, and Miss Ethel Fair, Lemoyne. Also by one sister, Mrs. Mary I. Null, of Taneytown, and one brother, S. J. Fair, of Waynesboro.

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In Sad But Loving Remembrance of my daughter,

CLARA E. GRIMES, who departed this life one year ago, March 19, 1923.

God takes away the loved ones from our home, but never from our heart.

Gone in the best of her days, Blinded in life's early bloom, Torn from the hearts that loved her, To sleep in the silent tomb.

She has crossed the shining river, And has gained that radiant shore, Where no heart with grief can grieve Where all parting scenes are o'er.

When the wintry storms are over, And the spring comes fresh and fair, We will meet beside her grave, And place some flowers there.

By her Mother, MRS. W. H. MOSER.

We often sit and think of you When we are all alone, For memory is the only thing That grief can call its own.

You are peacefully resting, dear Clara, One sad year has passed away; You are gone but not forgotten, As I think of you each day.

By Her Sister, MAUD MOSER.

Today recalls sad memories, Of a loved one gone to rest, And the one that thinks of you today Are the ones that loved you best.

God needed one more shepherd, Amidst His shining band, And so He bent with loving smile And clasped my sister's hand.

MR. and MRS. HARRY DINTERMAN.

In Loving Remembrance of our dear sister

MRS. ROBERT GRIMES, who died one year ago, March 19, 1923.

In the hospital, no trembling laid farewell From her quivering lips that morn was heard

So silently she crossed the silent stream With not a by a ripple stirred.

When'er we gather in our home Our loved ones there to greet Our hearts are bowed down with grief, For our circle is so incomplete.

By her Sister and Husband.

MR. and MRS. ALBERT RIFFLE.

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THE WINCHESTER STORE

KEYMAR.

Miss Belva Stottlemeyer, of Middletown, spent last week-end with Miss Esther Ibach.

Mrs. John Danner and children, Annabel, Robert and David, spent last Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Forrest.

SPECIAL NOTICES

SMALL ADVERTISEMENTS will be inserted under this heading at One Cent a word, each week, counting name and address of advertiser—two initials, or a date, counted as one word. Minimum charge, 15 cents.

REAL ESTATE for sale, Two Cents each word. Minimum charge, 25 cents.

APPLY AT RECORD OFFICE ads not accepted—but will receive sealed replies. No personal information given.

THIS COLUMN is specially for Wants, Lost, Found, Short Announcements, Personal Property for sale, etc.

ALL NOTICES in this column must be uniform in style.

HIGHEST CASH Prices paid every day for delivery of Poultry, Butter and Eggs. Specialty, 50¢ for delivery of Calves all day Tuesday or Wednesday morning. Geo. W. Motter.

WANTED.—Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Lard, Squabs and Calves at highest prices. 50¢ a head for delivering Calves. Highest prices paid for Hides and Furs of all kinds.—H. C. Brendle's Produce. Phone 3-J 1-5-tf

JERSEY BLACK GIANTS Hatching Eggs, \$1.25 for 15.—J. Frank Sell 3-14-St

FOR SALE—1 Grand Susquehanna No. 9 Cook Stove, good as new; one 10-gal. Churn and Buck, good as new; one 10-ft. solid cast Water Trough; single Bed Spring and Mattress, good as new. Have no use for the above.—Geo. C. Naylor, Taneytown, Md. 3-14-2t

PRIVATE SALE—Intending to quit farming, will sell, 1 Horse, will work anywhere hitched; Grain Drill, Roller, Brown Corn Plow, Mower, Horse Rake, Buggy Spread, Harrows, Single and Double Trees, Wheelbarrows, Pump Jacks, 2 Gasoline Engines, Single row Corn Planter, with fertilizer attachment, 2 Barshear Plows, set new Breechbands, set Front Gears, 2 sets Buggy Harness. All machinery in good condition.—L. K. Birely, Middleburg. 3-21-2t

ABOUT 60 pairs of Pigeons for sale.—Chas. A. Kemper, Taneytown.

RADIO TICKETS must all be returned, soon, as we will positively give Radio set away April 1st.—A. G. Riffle.

WHITE ROCK EGGS 3c each at my residence; 4c each prepaid Parcel Post.—Nevin L. Ridinger, Route 2, Taneytown. 3-21-2t

DON'T FORGET my sale of Stock, Farming Implements and Household Goods, Friday March 28.—Abbie B. Angell, Administratrix of Lester Angell.

FOR SALE—1 Horse, 8 years old, offside worker, fine driver.—Earl C. Ecker, near Kump. 3-21-2t

FIVE PIGS, 6 weeks old, for sale by Harry Cutsall, near Kump.

EGGS FOR HATCHING—From S. C. Anconas, Black Minorcas, White Minorcas, Barred Rock, S. C. Reds, Black Orpingtons, S. C. White Leghorns, Silver Campines, White Wyndottes, Silkie Bantams, Fawn and White Runner Ducks, Toulouse Geese, The Ribbon winners of Taneytown and Frederick Fairs are mated up in these pens. Winning 42 ribbons out of 46 entries. Write your requirements to George M. Mentzer, Detour, Md. 3-21-3t

6 TONS OF TIMOTHY Hay for sale, at \$25.00 ton, by Curtis L. Roop, Keymar.

PORTABLE HEN HOUSE, 12x32, for sale by Jacob A. Hess, near Oregon School-House.

FOR SALE—Building Lot 55x214, George St., Taneytown, improved by cement pavement.—Apply to Geo. W. Newcomer. 3-21-2t

CHAS. C. WILLIAMS can take a few more orders for S. C. White Leghorn Baby Chicks, to be hatched last of April, or first of May, all hatched from 2-year-old Hens. Prices: April, \$16.00. May, \$14.00 per 100.—Fairview Poultry Farm, Sykesville, Md. Phone 4-F-11. 2-21-3t

BIG ANNUAL Community Sale at Harney, Md., April 3. Anyone having anything to sell, please hand list to us not later than Wednesday, Mar. 26. So we can advertise next week.—Guy W. Haines.

FOR SALE—Buff Leghorn Eggs for hatching.—J. Walter Kugler, Fairfield, Pa.

AUTOMOBILE SHED for rent, on Middle St. Possession given April 1.—Mrs. Nettie Angell.

DON'T FORGET my Public Sale of entire Household Goods, March 26th.—Harry D. Hiltbrich.

STRAYED to my place, on last Friday, 3 Hogs. Owner come get them, and pay the cost.—Harry G. Lambert, Jr.

FOR RENT—Half of my Dwelling on Mill Ave.—Mrs. Pierce Garner.

SEED POTATOES—The price of Seed Potatoes has been changed to \$1.79 from \$1.98, as our ad has it.—Medford Grocery Co.

NOTICE—I will sell at my sale my driving Horse, good Rubber-tire Buggy and Harness, also good Where Range, with tank and warming closet.—Charles Cluts.

FOR RENT—House and Lot in Greenville. Apply to Clara V. Reaver.

BABY CHICKS for sale, 100 R. I. Red Chicks and 800 Barred Plymouth Rock Chicks, ready Mar. 26. Splendid stock. Phone, write or call—Reindollar Bros. & Co.

FOR SALE—Pair of 6-year-old Mules, one Mule, 3 years old; large Wagon Bed, holds 135 bushel; pair Hay Carriages, 8x20. 1½ H. P. gas or kerosene Mogul Engine.—Ray Hahn. 3-14-3t

DEEDS, MORTGAGES, Wills &c., written on short notice.—G. Walter Wilt. 3-14-2t

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Why not buy a Silo this Spring and produce more milk at less cost? The most economic silo to buy is the

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HAULING OF ALL KINDS—long or short distances. Movings a specialty.—J. S. Teeter, Phone 28F2, Taneytown.

NOTICE—I beg to state I have been appointed Corsetiere, for the Spirella Corsets, for Taneytown, Union Bridge and Sykesville. Twelve years training and experience. Will gladly make appointments at Client's home. Call Sykesville 50F14 or address—Mrs. John H. Williams, Sykesville, Md. 3-21-6t

SEVEN FINE SHOATS, for sale by Walter Eckard, near Walnut Grove 3-14-2t

PUBLIC SALE by Mrs. Jas. B. Galt, at Everhart sale, March 22, Bedsteads, Springs, Kitchen Table, Dressing Bureau, Carpet, Washing Machine, etc. 3-14-2t

MY TENANT HOUSE, and 2-acre Lot, for sale or rent.—Calvin T. Fringer. 3-7-tf

FOR SALE—Desirable Brick House in New Windsor. All modern conveniences. Apply to—E. Ray Englar, Helen Englar, Vivian Barnes, New Windsor, Md. Phone N. W. 1-R. 3-7-tf

FOR SALE—I am now booking orders for Eggs for Hatching, from my exhibition White Plymouth Rock, Light Brahma and Black Langshan show winners. Prices reasonable.—Green Lawn Poultry Farm, New Midway, Md. 3-7-4t

FOR SALE—Grim's Famous Silver Laced Wyandottes, winners at Frederick and Virginia State Fairs. Hatching Eggs from selected matings, that will produce show winners. Prices on request.—S. J. Grim, New Midway, Md. 3-7-4t

I SPECIALIZE in White Wyandottes. The breed that combines beauty, size and quality. I offer selected eggs only, from 7-lb. fowl and 10-lb. males, at only 75¢ per setting; \$4.75 per 100. If you cannot call, just drop a card, and say how many you want.—J. Raymond Zent, Keymar, Md. 3-14-tf

EGGS FOR HATCHING—S. C. Black Minorca, Columbia Wyandotte, 15 for 75¢. For Sale: Rubber-tire Buggy, narrow tread, Blocher make; and Rubber-mounted Harness, also X-Ray Incubator, 200-egg.—Murray B. Myers, Mayberry, Md.

I SPECIALIZE in White Wyandottes. Pure-bred Eggs for hatching.—J. Raymond Zent, near Keymar, Md. 2-8-tf

GIANT PEKIN DUCK Eggs for hatching, 75¢ per 12.—Ida Edwards, Taneytown. 3-7-4t

PIGEONS! PIGEONS!—Will pay the highest market price for any amount of old Pigeons.—H. C. Brendle. 3-7-tf

EGGS FOR HATCHING from S. C. Anconas, S. C. Brown Leghorn, 75¢ per setting.—O. L. Heltbride, near Mayberry, Phone Taneytown 56F3. 2-29-5t

BABY CHICKS—Let us have your order now for Baby Chicks. Early orders avoid disappointment. We sell strong, vigorous Chicks from good reliable stock.—Reindollar Bros. & Co. 12-28-tf

EGGS FOR SETTING from now on—S. C. R. I. Reds, and S. C. Light Brown Leghorns, thoroughbred. By the setting or by the 100.—Roy F. Smith, Phone 43F3, Taneytown. 2-29-tf

NOW IS THE TIME to feed Tankage to your Pigs and Chickens.—Taneytown Reduction Plant. 9-7-tf

CUSTOM HATCHING—With over 12,000 egg incubator capacity, we are prepared to accept custom hatching until our books are filled up for Baby Chicks.—Reindollar Bros. & Co. 12-28-tf

SPECIAL PRICES, on Ranges—Call and see them and save money.—Raymond Ohler. 1-11-tf

PLACE YOUR ORDER NOW—High quality Baby Chicks, all leading varieties; also custom hatching.—Maryland Hatchery, J. Wm. Schwarber, Prop., Ladiesburg, Md. 12-21-tf

SPECIAL TO FARMERS—Just arrived a carload of latest type new Idea Manure Spreaders with auto steer and solid axle which ever style preferred. Price low, \$155.00.—James M. Saylor, Motters, Md. Phone Emmitsburg, 56F2. 2-22-6t

FOR SALE—Fine Homes, improved by Brick and Frame Houses and all improvements, in and out of town.—D. W. Garner, Real Estate Broker. 10-5-tf

HOGS WANTED.—Eight to fifteen Hogs wanted every Wednesday. Must not weigh over 125 pounds dressed. Highest market price.—Rockward Nusbbaum, near Uniontown, Phone Taneytown 12-3. 11-23-tf

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MARCH.

22—1:30 o'clock. R. B. Everhart, Taneytown. Household Goods.

24—10 o'clock. Charles Cluts, near Keyville. Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

25—11 o'clock. John Sauble, on Joseph Harner farm, near Walnut Grove. Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

25—10 o'clock. Jas. D. Haines, 2 miles N. W. of Taneytown. Stock, Implements Household Goods. B. P. Ogle, Auct.

25—11 o'clock. Walter A. Snyder, Stock Implements and Household, ¾ mile north of Hoffman Orphanage.

26—11 o'clock. Harry D. Hiltbrich, near Taneytown. Household Goods. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

26—10 o'clock. Percy V. Putman, 3 miles east Middleburg. Stock and Implements. E. A. Lawrence, Auct.

27—11 o'clock. Howard F. LeGore, near Walnut Grove School. Stock and Implements. Luther Spangler, Auct.

27—12 o'clock. Wm. C. Eckard, 2 miles east Taneytown. Stock, Implements, Household Goods.

27—10 o'clock. John P. L. Froek, near Meadow Branch Church, Westminster road. Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

28—11 o'clock. Wm. H. Myers, near Mayberry, on Dr. Kemp farm. Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

28—1 o'clock. Silas Shoemaker, Taneytown. Household Goods. A. J. Baumgardner, Auct.

28—12 o'clock. Abbie B. Angell, Adm., on Bullfrog road. Live Stock, Farming Implements, Household Goods. B. P. Ogle, Auct.

29—12 o'clock. Wm. J. Baker, near Coperville. Stock, Implements, Household Goods. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

29—12 o'clock. Frank Moser, between Taneytown and Harney. Stock and Implements. B. P. Ogle, Auct.

31—12 o'clock. Mrs. Abbie Warren and Son, on Milton Fisher Farm, 1 mile from Pine Hill to Keyville. Stock and Implements. J. N. O. Smith, Auct.

31—12 o'clock. B. T. Kanode, near Basehoar's Mill. Stock and Implements.

APRIL.

3—Guy W. Haines, Harney. Community sale.

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Notes of the Meeting of the Board of Education.

The regular meeting of the Board of Education was called to order in the office of the Board at 10:30, on Wednesday, March 5, 1924. All Commissioners were present.

The minutes of the February meeting were approved as read.

The bills presented to the Board were approved and ordered paid.

It was decided by the Board to have the old Maxwell car that was wrecked some weeks ago, repaired and converted into a truck.

Harry Riggie was appointed a trustee for Friendship school.

The following problems were laid before the Board for their consideration:

1—The establishment of the a. 4th. Year High School in Manchester.

b. 4th. Year High School in Charles Carroll.

c. 3rd. Year High School in Pleasant Valley.

d. 2nd. Year High School to be started in Winfield.

e. 3rd Year High School to be extended in Union Street (colored).

2—The above involves Additions in Manchester, Charles Carroll, Pleasant Valley, Union Street, and the renting of the hall in Winfield, with alterations.

3—The above will require \$2000 worth of furniture and equipment.

4—Boring of well, motor and pump, heating plant and plumbing in Pleasant Valley.

5—Boring of well, motor and pump plumbing in Mechanicsville.

6—Fire escapes for Westminster High School and Graceland.

7—New roof for Mt. Airy.

8—Portable for Reese.

It was decided to postpone definite action on the same until the next meeting.

The request of Mr. Wildie asking the Board to give books and pay tuition for the Detour children, so that they could attend the New Windsor High School, instead of the Union Bridge High School where they are now attending, was refused. The Board did not think it advisable to change its rules with respect to giving books and paying tuition to pupils who are not residents of the New Windsor High School district.

A delegation came before the Board from Winfield with a request that a high school be opened in Winfield, giving a list of 27 pupils who are ready to enroll at the opening of school in September 1924.

A report was made on the damage to the furnace in the Hampstead high school. The Board decided to have the necessary repairs made, at once.

The present course of study was shown to be inadequate, and the Board decided to bear the expense necessary to bring out the new course of study.

The Board approved of the extra expense necessary to bring about a closer correlation of the elementary and high school in New Windsor, to take effect September 1924.

It was decided by the Board to develop for next year, Junior Project work for boys and girls in the following schools: Linwood, Uniontown, Middleburg, Harney, Reese, Finksburg, Wesley, Mechanicsville, Taylorsville, Woodbine, Oakland, Mills, and Meadow Branch, providing the teaching service can be secured.

The Board adjourned at 12:10 P. M.

Farm for Sale

Small farm of 30 Acres, located near town High School and railroad, 7-room Dwelling, new Barn, Wagon Shed, Corn Crib, Garage, Chicken House, Wood Shed, Dairy, Water at barn, new Sio. These buildings are all practically new; would make an excellent chicken and truck farm. Sacrifice price to quick buyer.

H. W. BARRICK, 2-29-3t

ROCKY RIDGE, MD.

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Select any sidewall pattern in my 1924 Pan-American sample books. Pay the regular price for one roll—the next roll will cost you ONLY 1 CENT! The third roll will cost you the full price—the fourth 1 CENT—and so on for any quantity!

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Discouraging Tantrums in Children.

If the three or four-year-old child is sometimes contrary, it is only to be expected. At that age contrariness is a natural stage of development.

Fathers and mothers may gain some ray of comfort from the observation of a "Hygeia" writer, Mrs. Helen T. Wooley, whose article in the March issue on "Overcoming Contrariness and Fears in Children" contains much that is helpful to parents and teachers.

"Children at three or four are just realizing that they have personalities," says the writer, "and are trying out their powers and their limitations."

"They like to see if and how far they can assert their own wills and get the better of adults about them. Exaggerated types of contrariness, of course, are detrimental to mental health."

When a spoiled and contrary child at Mrs. Wooley's nursery school in Detroit has a tantrum, the teacher says:

"If you wish to behave this way, it must be in a room by yourself. You are disturbing everyone here with your noise."

The child is then led or removed bodily to a quiet room and left alone until the fit is over.

No one coaxes, no one threatens, no one compromises.

As soon as he is quiet again he is allowed to come back as if nothing had happened. A few applications of this treatment does away with tantrums in the school room.

The course of most trouble in managing children is in the inability of the parents to see the child from his own point of view. Parents often seem to enjoy fussing with their children. The child's whole regime is one of adult correction and interference.

Contrariness in children is cultivated in two ways, Mrs. Wooley believes.

The first is that of constant interference and argument over everything that has to be done and of continual attempts to direct the child in small detail.

The other type of error is to de-

mand behavior which is beyond the child's present possibilities.

If mother or father makes demands about unnecessary small details of life, the child in self-defense rebels in everything. He is apt to become interested in refusal and to make a game of the row that results. The upshot is that he is in the attitude of looking for a chance to refuse.

It is perfectly possible for parents to insist on reasonable things in such a way that it will not occur to the child to refuse. But if they insist on things of which the child is, at the time, incapable, his only mode of defense is to refuse and become ill tempered about it.

Parents should learn the simple lesson of providing suitable occupations for young children and then letting alone as long as they are happy and busily occupied, never interfering unless it is necessary to do so. Through such management, most excessive contrariness could be avoided.

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DETOUR, MD.

Sunday School Lesson

(By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D.D.,
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Lesson for March 23

THE REIGN OF SOLOMON

LESSON TEXT—II Chron. 1:7-12; I Kings 11:6-11.
GOLDEN TEXT—The fear of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge.—Prov. 1:7.

PRIMARY TOPIC—A Young King's Dream.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Solomon's Choice.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Solomon's Wisdom and Folly.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Lessons From Solomon's Reign.

Here again we must go outside of the particular text assigned and make a survey of Solomon's reign.

I. Solomon Anointed King (I Kings 1:5-40).

David had heretofore failed to show the people who should be king after him (v. 20). Through the combined appeals of Bathsheba and Nathan, he is now stirred to action. He immediately sent for the faithful three, Zadok, Nathan and Benaiah, and bade them to anoint Solomon king. They speedily executed their commission, and soon the people shouted, "God save King Solomon."

II. Solomon's Wise Choice (II Chron. 1:7-12).

1. God's Gracious Offer (v. 7). This offer followed Solomon's lavish sacrifice to the Lord. God said, "Ask what I shall give thee," thus placing very wide possibilities before the king. God, as it were, signed blank checks and turned them over to Solomon to fill in any amount that his heart desired. This offer to Solomon was no exceptional one, for opportunities equally limitless are placed before us. God is saying to every one of His children, "Ask, and it shall be given you." (John 15:7).

2. Solomon's Wise Choice (vv. 8-19).

The Lord's gracious offer brought the king face to face with the responsibility of making his choice. Solomon did not ask for wisdom for vain display, but for the good of others. He desired inward worth, not outward show. In this choice, he asked for two particular things:

(1) That God's promise to his father, David, might be established.

(2) That wisdom would be given to him to perform his duties.

3. God's Unstinted Gift to Solomon (v. 11). Solomon's petition pleased the Lord. Because he put wisdom first God saw that he could be trusted with material goods also.

III. The Glory of Solomon's Reign.

1. His Extensive Kingdom (I Kings 4:21-25). He ruled over the kingdoms from the Euphrates river to the Mediterranean sea, except the Phoenicians, and they were in alliance with him.

2. His Great Wisdom (I Kings 4:29-34). It excelled that of the Chaldeans, Persians and Egyptians. He had a singularly comprehensive mind. He was:

(1) A moral philosopher. He spoke three thousand proverbs.

(2) A poet. His songs were one thousand five.

(3) A botanist. He spoke of trees from the cedar tree, which was in Lebanon, even unto the hyssop.

(4) A zoologist. He spoke of beasts and of fowl, and of creeping things, and of fishes.

3. The Temple (I Kings 5-6). This was an exact reproduction of the tabernacle, double in size, executed in marble and gold. The amount of labor, skill and money expended on the building was exceedingly great (I Chron. 22:14-16).

4. His Royal Palaces Adjoining the Temple (I Kings 7). He was nearly twice as long in building these as in building the Lord's house.

5. His Commerce (I Kings 9:26-28. Compare II Chron. 9 and 10:21). His trading ships went east as far as the Indian ocean, perhaps even to India; and west as far as Spain.

6. His Army and Navy (I Kings 10:26-29). This was for more than display. He put his nation into a state of preparedness.

This greatness was associated with the name of the Lord. It was known that his fame was due to his relation with the living God.

IV. Solomon's Failure (I Kings 11:6-12).

Because Solomon did evil in the sight of the Lord, the Lord was angry with him and assured him that the kingdom would be rent from him and given to his servant. However, for the sake of David, he would not bring this humiliation upon Solomon while he lived. Solomon's chief offenses were alliances with foreign powers through marrying kings' daughters. This compromise weakened his moral nature and he soon followed his wives in the worship of false gods.

The Real Source.

A great part of human suffering has its root in the nature of man.—Lowell.

Share Your Knowledge.

If you have knowledge, let others light their candles at it.—Fuller.

Prayer.

Prayer clears the brain as well as the heart.—Firelight.

They Who Serve.

They also serve who only stand and wait.—Milton.

THE CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR TOPIC

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The Personal Touch in Winning Others to Christ
John 1:40-51

To know Christ as a personal Saviour and to make Him known to the world as such is the greatest blessing and privilege that can come to any life.

"He first findeth his own brother Simon." Yes, but not until he had first found Christ for himself. "Out of the abundance of the heart, the mouth speaketh." The more we find in Christ, the greater the power to tell others about Him. Andrew abode with Christ (v. 39), then out of the overflowing satisfaction that came to his own heart he went out after his brother with the words, "We have found the Christ, the Messiah," "and he brought him to Jesus."

This kind of work is often referred to as personal evangelism. It is the most desirable and most fruitful of all forms of Christian activity. In order to engage in it, one must have a personal spiritual experience which satisfies the heart, a love for the souls of men, and a working knowledge of the Bible. It is not human philosophy that the awakened conscience needs, but the divine salvation. This salvation centers in Christ. "He that hath the Son hath the life; he that hath not the Son of God hath not the life" (I John 5:12). This divine salvation is to be distinguished from idealism, sacramentalism, and church membership. Salvation is the gracious work of God on behalf of man. Into all that God has wrought out for man one may enter by simple faith, as it is written, "By grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God" (Eph. 2:8).

The personal touch in bringing others to a knowledge of this salvation will be seen in such Scriptures as John 8:1-16; 4:26; Acts 8:26-40.

SMALL WONDER SHE BALKED

Bob's Selection of Best Man Naturally Created Misgivings in Mind of Bride-to-Be.

"Well, I suppose Mary and Bob are happily married by this time," Gladys remarked.

"No, Gladys, they're not!" Virginia answered. "I had a letter just yesterday afternoon from Mary, and she said the wedding had been postponed."

"Postponed!" Gladys exclaimed. "Why, whatever can the matter be?"

"She didn't say, but she intimated that it was something awful. I sat down right away and wrote her to tell me all about it. I ought to have a letter in a day or two, and I'll tell you about it just the minute I hear."

Two days later Virginia came rushing over to Gladys with the expected letter from Mary.

"Oh, Gladys, I don't blame Mary a bit—not a single bit!" Virginia exclaimed. "She had the wedding date set and everything all arranged when she found out that the man Bob had chosen for best man was a young lawyer who was specializing in divorce cases."—Kansas City Star.

"Sporting One's Oak."

To "sport one's oak" is a phrase signifying that one is not at home to visitors. The expression originated at the English universities, where the students' chambers have two doors—an inner and an outer one. The outer door is made of oak, and when this is closed or "sporting" it denotes either that the occupant of the apartment is out or that he does not wish to be disturbed.

Here is an example:

"... Young Wardlaw went down to Oxford and shut himself up in his own room, a prey to fear and remorse. He sported his oak, and never went out. All his exercise was that of a wild beast in its den, walking restlessly up and down."—"Foul Play," by Charles Reade and Dion Boucicault.

Curious Scottish Custom.

A curious marriage custom prevails in the little northern fishing village of Burghhead, on the shores of the Moray Firth, Scotland.

If a fisherman or fishergirl is to be married, the guests do not expect a written or printed invitation to attend the ceremony. The custom is for some of the bride or bridegroom's relatives to go to the house of the invited guests (which often embraces the entire population) and shake an umbrella, at the same time remarking: "Ye ken what for."

The date, place, and time of marriage is then intimated, and the message bearer departs to shake the umbrella in the house of some other invited guest.

Turned Test Into Earnest.

Is there any Canadian parallel for this experience of a pastor in a small Pennsylvania town. The citizens were deaf to all appeals for progress. In his effort to get a new community hall he found himself appointed a committee of one to begin construction. The next morning with pick and shovel, the committee commenced to function. His spirit electrified the townsfolk to such a degree that they came to the rescue and completed the building.—Montreal Family Herald.



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Tender and True.
The restaurant owner wrote this on his window in a small western town: "For supper today: Chicken potpie, veal stew, steak and onions, pork chops."
Then below it he wrote, "Waitress and cook wanted."
Along came one wag, who erased the word "wanted."
The second wag was wittier than the first. He added, after the words "waitress and cook" "tender and true."
The restaurant owner asserted that that narrowed his list of applicants considerably, and also increased trade.

Needlessly Disturbed.
Mabel was trying to cross a busy street. The young man who lives next door happened along and gallantly offered to see her across. No sooner had they started, however, than he insisted on taking Mabel's hand. This she resented. He did it under the pretense of keeping her from being struck by an automobile, a flimsy excuse the girl thought. She promptly went home and told her mother. But her mother said the young man was quite in the right.
The fact is, Mabel is only five years old.

Extending Bombay, India.
Extensive reclamation work is being carried out at Bombay, India, says an illustrated article in Popular Mechanics Magazine. By means of a great inclosing sea wall, four miles long, 1,145 acres of Back bay will be reclaimed. The estimated quantities of material required for this wall in cubic feet are: rubble, 9,223,280; heavy pitching stone, 3,465,500, and concrete, 3,694,690. An additional work of smaller importance is another reclamation of some 132 acres. The estimated total cost of these enterprises, less interest during the six years required for completion, is £583,333.

Alma Bennett



Charming Alma Bennett, the "movie" star, was born in Seattle, Wash., in April, 1905. She was educated in San Francisco. Miss Bennett is 5.4 feet tall; weighs 118 pounds. She has dark brown hair and brown eyes. Her favorite recreations are swimming, dancing, golf. She plays the violin.

Have You This Habit?

By Margaret Morison

A SPEAKING VOICE

"OTHER things being equal," said the great doctor that evening at dinner, "a good speaking voice is the greatest asset a man or a woman can have. When I want to engage a secretary, I always try to have my first interview over the telephone. The secretary I have now I picked out from five other young women who applied, all of them capable, mainly because she speaks clearly and isn't nasal."

"Can a pleasing voice be acquired, doctor?" asked his host, "or is it just a golden spoon that some people are born with and others not?"

"Good voice production," answered the eminent specialist, putting down his fork and speaking emphatically, "good voice production is a habit and can be acquired. I once had a young assistant," he went on, "who purely by imitation and association with the group he was running with fell gradually into a sloppy way of talking that was very difficult to understand and very unattractive. I finally had it out with him; he saw my point—he was a fine fellow—and though it was a struggle he began to stand up straight, open his mouth, shape his words, get his voice forward. You'd be surprised if I were to tell you his name; everyone knows it these days."

The next morning at church the doctor's host heard a sermon that stayed in his memory for many days. The message of that sermon was fine, but he had heard the same thoughts many times before without consciously carrying them about with him afterward. The difference in the impression made lay in the voice of the speaker which, with no visible effort, carried clearly and quietly. He was quite undramatic. He was telling his own beliefs in unstrained, rightly placed tones that pronounced slowly and distinctly, not garbled sounds, but well-rounded English words.

It is of the universal habit of running our words and sentences together into one confused jumble, or squeezing our throats until our voices must come forth through our noses, of hissing and spitting out our sounds, of bawling and distorting our faces that we must beware.

HAVE YOU THIS HABIT?
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Men You May Marry
By E. R. PEYSER

Has a man like this proposed to you?

Symptoms: Looks dull, but brightens at your interest in him. Tells you, "You're the first person to understand me; my boss doesn't, never had one who does; my mother, dear little woman, always petted my brothers, and never did get me. All the girls I know jilt me for more successful chaps." Wants his own way in little things. Never thinks anything he does is wrong. "Nobody does it right. Why don't they let me?" Always talking about the fellows in the office who go ahead of him on the job. He's often late at his desk. He slinks around the office like an underdog.

IN FACT

He is dogged.

Prescription for his bride: Prepare for a real bully in the home.

Take spine exercises for your backbone.

Absorb This: **SUPPRESSION IS THE FATHER OF OPPRESSION.**
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TANEYTOWN LOCALS

Brief Items of Local News of Special Interest to Our Home Readers.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Everhart are now occupying their new home on Middle St.

Mrs. Charles A. Lambert, who has been ill all winter, is reported critically ill at this time.

J. Thomas Myers, of Hanover, spent several days last week with Mrs. Jesse Myers and family.

The public sales are "getting over," and prices are still holding up to a very satisfactory level.

Mrs. J. Lester Haugh, of York, Pa., was in town, on Monday, and says they like their new location fine.

Judson Hill, who has been in a helpless condition from paralysis, seems gradually losing ground.

D. Frank Harman, of Emmitsburg, who has been ill with diphtheria and scarlet fever, is getting better.

I take this method of thanking every one who helped us to make our supper a success.—Ida I. Landis, Treas.

Nineteen new houses are said to be planned for Littlestown, this year. Taneytown take due notice, and act accordingly.

There are a large number of bronchial and rheumatic victims in this neighborhood, who are hoping for Spring weather for relief.

Just as the roads were beginning to dry up, along came another whopper snow, on Thursday night, about ten inches, fortunately without wind.

Noah Baumgardner, who has been complaining for some time, threatened with cancer, is reported to be somewhat better by a Baltimore specialist.

Mrs. Clyde Hesson entertained a number of her friends at "500" on Monday night—St. Patrick's day being remembered in the accompanying fixin's.

The iron lamp posts are being removed from our streets, having served their day. Some of them are being bought for wash-line posts, for which purpose they are first-class.

Richard S. Mehning entertained a few of his friends, on Thursday afternoon, in honor of his 5th. birthday. Different games were played; refreshments were also served.

Mrs. Margaret Nulton left for Philadelphia, on Thursday, where she expects to be for several weeks, substituting for one of the teachers engaged in Lutheran settlement work.

The Editor of The Record is learning to be a recruit to the army of Radio fans, but never expects to acquire the lingo of the profession, and perhaps not the required patience.

Miss Belva Stottlemeyer, of Middletown; Miss Esther Ibach, of Keymar; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Haskins, Mrs. Wm. Haskins and daughter, of Philadelphia, visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dern past week.

Some petty thieving has been reported from the George St., section of the town, that appears to have been going on for some time. Even parts of buildings and building material, have disappeared.

At the Home-makers Club meeting, last Saturday, County Agent Fuller delivered a talk on "gardening", urging the growing of a greater variety of "greens" and also emphasized the value of flowers. Pyrox was recommended as a spraying agent.

Hardly a week passes that somebody does not tell us of the value of our Special Notice column. Of course, we have known all about that, for many years. The fact is, this column is worth, in itself, \$1.50 a year to many of our subscribers. We know that, too.

On Jan. 10, Percy H. Shriver received a telegram from his brother-in-law, Dr. Winder, saying that Mrs. Charles McFadden was ill, and to send Miss Anna McLaughlin on, at once. On Jan. 11, Miss McLaughlin and Miss Percy Adelaide Shriver left for Andalusia, Pa., the former to care for Mrs. McFadden, and the latter to reenter Eden Hall Convent school. Since then, Mrs. McFadden has recovered to such an extent that on March 5, at the age of 94, she called on her daughter, Miss Gertrude McFadden, who is a sister at Eden Hall, and also on her granddaughter, Percy Adelaide Shriver, the trip being four miles, which is remarkable, for her age. Mrs. McFadden once lived at Trevanian, near town.

Mrs. McC. Ott, near Harney, was taken to Springfield Hospital, on Tuesday, for treatment.

Mrs. A. G. Riffle has sufficiently improved, this week, to justify coming home from Frederick Hospital, this Saturday.

LAST PAGE EDITORIAL.

Why Not Farm Gate Sales?

There is no reason in the world why farmers should not sell more of their produce direct to consumers; that is, none that prevents the farmers from making a fair trial of the experiment. The "middle man" is not established by law—he has simply grown into the methods of transacting business—of bringing grower and consumer together.

Why, for instance, should not one or two days per week, be known, and used, for farm gate sales along our public highways? The extensive use of trucks and automobiles makes transportation from country to city a quick and easy matter. Along with country folks sending to the cities for their needs, why not also start the business of the city folks sending to the country for their needs?

Such a business could start with dairy and poultry products, fruits and vegetables; it could develop into a parcel post business. These roadside stands would take the place of advertising and selling expense, in large measure, requiring only a few plain bulletin boards, and a salesman.

In fact, it's merely the "going to market" idea, with the market at the home of the producer. If one can help himself, why not do it, and stop blaming the other fellow for seeing his opportunity?

We suspect that the idea would not be a big success. Ideally it ought to be—but if folks will not go to market in the city, with a basket, to save money, but want the small dealer and huckster to "wait on" them, why should they go thirty or fifty miles out in the country for their household necessities? Also, it is probable that the farmer would not have "the time," and would find it "too much trouble," to offer a lot of truck at his gate. Still, there might be something in it. At least, this is a free country, and the plan could be tried out. If it wouldn't work, then, stop knocking the "middle man."

CHURCH NOTICES.

U. B. Church, Manchester—Preaching, 10:30.

Bixler's—Preaching, 2:30; Prayer-meeting, Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Otto Harman.

Miller's—Sunday School, at 9:30; Preaching, at 7:30 P. M.

Trinity Lutheran Church—Regular services next Sunday morning and evening, by Rev. C. F. Sanders, D. D.

On Sunday one week, April 7, Rev. W. V. Garrett, the new pastor, expects to be in charge of the services, and regularly thereafter.

Uniontown Lutheran Church, St. Paul's—9:30 S. S.; 7:00 C. E., leader R. H. Singer.

Mt. Union—9:15 S. S.; 10:30 Worship and Sermon; 11:30 Jr. C. E.; 7:00 C. E.

St. Luke's (Winters)—2:30, Divine Worship.

Uniontown Church of God—9:30 S. S.; 10:30, Preaching Service.

Frizzellburg—S. S. and Preaching, Sunday afternoon.

Uniontown—7:00 Evening Worship

Pipe Creek Circuit M. P. Church, Uniontown—9:30 S. S.; 10:30 Morning Worship; 7:30, Evening Service.

U. B. Church, Town—S. School, at 9:30; Prayer and Praise Service, at 6:30; Worship with Preaching, 7:30.

Harney—Sunday School, at 9:30; Preaching, at 10:30.

Reformed Church, Taneytown—S. School, at 9:15; Service, at 10:15; C. E., at 6:30; Service, at 7:30.

Keysville—Service, at 2:00 P. M.

Baust Reformed Church, Saturday 2:00, Mission Band. Sunday: 9:30, Sabbath School; 10:00 Morning Worship and Sermon by pastor. 7:00 P. M., Young People's Society.

Presbyterian, Town—S. School, at 9:30; Christian Endeavor, at 6:45; Morning Worship, 10:30; Evening Worship, 7:30.

Piney Creek—Preaching at 2:00.

Another Chain Letter.

The following chain-letter is being circulated. In our judgment, those who send such letters show mental deficiency, or worse, and should be prosecuted, if found out, for improper use of the mails:

"The good Jesus, we pray Thee deliver us from evil and bring us to live with Thee. That prayer is sent all over the world. Copy, and see what will happen. All who pass it by will meet with great misfortune. Copy, and send to nine friends within nine days; then on the tenth day you will meet great joy. Sign no name. Just give the date received."

Marriage Licenses.

Gilbert E. Fowble and Ethel G. Wisner, Hampstead, Md.

William D. Fleagle and Mildred L. Pinder, Baltimore.

Belden D. Patrick, Jr. and Olive Poole, Woodbine, Md.

Melvin E. Bollinger and Mary Gladys Reese, New Windsor.

Herman C. Harris and Lillian Grimes, Gist.

The New York Herald has been purchased by the N. Y. Tribune, and the two papers will now be combined. The purchase also included the Paris edition of the Herald.

Another man jumped from the centre span of the Brooklyn bridge, on Monday. He died shortly after a police boat picked him up. He was about 35 years of age.

Locals Twenty-five Years Ago.

Rev. D. J. Frank Garland, pastor of Trinity Lutheran Church, received a call to the First Lutheran Church, Dayton, Ohio. He had served the Taneytown charge only about two and a half years.

A county baseball league was being organized, made up of teams from Westminster, Manchester, Hampstead, Union Bridge, and Oakland Mills. The project never materialized.

Prof. Henry Meier had arranged a trip to Washington for his pupils for April 6—Thursday to Saturday. The trip was taken and well remembered by many.

Robert C. Currens accepted position as overseer of tailoring department of Iowa State Industrial school for boys.

Rev. P. Rioseco announced that he would go to Cuba as a Missionary, to sail on March 21.

The Zolliecoffer mill site had been purchased by a syndicate, and an acre of land adjoining, on which to build an elevator, now The Taneytown Grain & Supply Co.

Judge H. M. Clabaugh took his place on the Supreme bench of the Court of the District of Columbia, on March 14, having closed up his business in Westminster.

Postmaster Englar announced that he would enlarge the box equipment of the office, and open a money order window.

There were seventeen public sales announced in the Sale Register, and only two advertised in full. This was before the time when farmers believed in newspaper advertising.

Market prices: Flour \$4.00 and \$5; bran \$18.00; Mixed hay, \$4.00; wheat 66c; rye, 50c; corn, 35c; potatoes, 30c; eggs, 9c; hams, 10c; hogs, \$4.00; butter, 16c.

The Reindollar Co. steam mill was being fitted with machinery, to be ready for operation in about two weeks.

Following a very severe winter, the wheat was reported to be looking fine. Taneytown was investigating the advisability of establishing an electric light plant, an electrician being on the ground making investigations.

The Fire Company, in uniform, announced a street parade. Think of that!

In the Special Notice Column was a want ad for a good bass singer. He is still wanted.

Ford Cars as Bandit Chasers.

Armored Ford cars as bandit chasers are the latest police innovation. Gen. Smedley D. Butler, Philadelphia's dynamic commissioner of public safety, is the man who introduced them. Before he took office a few weeks back, the Philadelphia city council voted General Butler \$5,000 with which to purchase an automobile for his personal use.

But when salesman for high-priced cars appeared and tried to interest him, he made it plain that he intended to spend the money in purchasing small, light cars for use as bandit chasers by the police department. The Ford runabout was his choice and it wasn't long before an enterprising Ford salesman had a car ready for the General's inspection.

Now the Philadelphia police have six of these armored Ford cars and under General Butler's plan this number will shortly be augmented until there will be ninety such bandit chasers in service.

The entire shell of the body is lined with 1/4 inch special steel and the space between the armor plating and the outside of the car is packed with loose cotton and coarse hair to retard the velocity of bullets. Armor plate also covers the cowl and runs up as high as the lower portion of the windshield. The upper portion is in two sections of bullet proof glass and wind-wings have been provided on either side, these also of bullet proof glass.

The Ford engines are specially equipped to afford increased speed and tests made show some interesting results. In one test to show the acceleration and power developed for hill climbing, a mile was covered in one minute and thirty-one seconds from a standing start. On a county road the car attained a speed of more than sixty-miles an hour and in a city street test covered 2,828 feet at a speed of approximately seventy miles an hour.

Ford cars have been in use by police departments all over the country for years and recently there has been a rapidly increasing tendency in the larger cities to use them in place of motorcycles since they are less conspicuous, and afford greater protection and comfort. Portland, Ore., is one of the latest cities to adopt the Ford cars to replace motorcycles and now has twenty-three of them in operation. Cleveland Heights, Ohio, and Cincinnati are other cities which have recently joined the Ford ranks, the armored Ford as used in Philadelphia, however, is General Butler's idea.

SERMONS ON

The Church of Christ

TO BE DELIVERED BY Very Rev. Joseph McAndrews, D. D. AT

St. Joseph's Catholic Church

ON The Fridays of Lent, at 7:30 P. M.

March 14th., The Church, the Teacher of Mankind.

March 21st., The Church, the Savior of Society.

March 28, The Church, the Guardian of Liberty.

April 4th., The Church, the Life Perpetual.

April 11, The Church, the Teacher of Infidelity.

2-29-7t

Subscribe for the RECORD

Schedule of Rates

Union Bridge, Maryland, February 28, 1924. In accordance with Order No. 8727 by the Public Service Commission of Maryland, in case No. 2191, The Union Bridge Electric Manufacturing Company begs to file the following amended rates governing the rendering of electric service along the Taneytown and Westminster State Road, for three-fourths of a mile east of Taneytown, Maryland, said rates to become effective on and after April 1, 1924.

SERVICE CHARGE—A service charge of 75c per customer will be made.

ENERGY CHARGE—12 1/2c per kwh for the first ten kwh's per month; 10c per kwh for all in excess of 10 kwh's per month.

MINIMUM CHARGE—75c per month (which includes 6 kwh's of energy) in addition to the 75c service charge, or a total of \$1.50 per month per customer.

C. E. EASTERDAY, President.

PRIVATE SALE OF

Gas Plant Building.

The frame weatherboarded, slate roof building, 20x30x12 1/2, situated at the rear of the property of George K. Dutera, and next to the Hanover Creamery Co., building, formerly used as the building for generating acetylene gas for the town of Taneytown.

Sealed bids for the same will be received not later than March 31st., after which time they will be opened by the board for consideration. All bids must be in writing and the board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. Any one wishing to, may inspect this building by calling on the Burgess.

By Order of—The Burgess & Commissioners

ALBERT J. OHLER, Burgess.

CLYDE L. HESSON, Clerk. 3-14-2t

NOTICE.

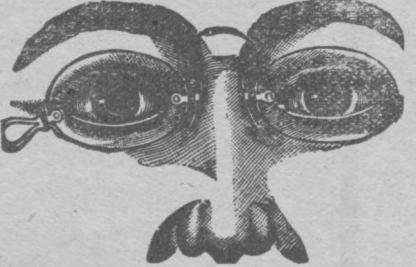
The County Commissioners of Carroll County, Maryland, will sit for Transfers and Abatements and Revision of Taxes on the following days for the different Districts of Carroll County, as follows:

Districts Nos. 1 and 2, April 2, 1924. Districts Nos. 3 and 4, April 3, 1924. Districts Nos. 5 and 6, April 4, 1924. Districts Nos. 7 and 8, April 9, 1924. Districts Nos. 9 and 10, April 10, '24. Districts Nos. 11 and 12, Apr. 11, '24. Districts Nos. 13 and 14, Apr. 16, '24. And there will be no abatements or revision granted after the 16th. day of April, 1924, for the Levy of 1924.

CHARLES W. MELVILLE, President.

SAMUEL J. STONE, Clerk. 3-21-4t

GLASSES



One may be short sighted in judgment as well as in eyes; so short sighted that they will not see what their eyes need. Let me help you see things in the right light.

Examinations free... Lowest Prices. Will be at "Central Hotel" Taneytown

THURSDAY, APRIL 3, 1924

C. L. KEFAUVER, Registered Optometrist, Frederick, Md.

15 YEARS EXPERIENCE.

2-21-tf

NEW THEATRE

SATURDAY, MARCH 22nd.

BUCK JONES

IN "Skid Proof"

OUR GANG COMEDY "Young Sherlock's"

THURSDAY, MARCH 27th.

WALLACE REID

IN "The World's Champion"

NOTICE

Tom's Creek Hall,

will be open only on every other Thursday—March 13 and 27—until further notice. If falling weather next night.

2-29-5t

Taneytown Grain and Hay Market.

Wheat\$1.05@1.05

Corn, new75@ .75

Rye70@ .70

Oats50@ .50

Hay Timothy\$23.00@23.00

Rye Straw 14.00@ 14.00

Taneytown's "Leading Fashion Store"

Koons Bros.
DEPARTMENT STORE.

TANEYTOWN, MD.

Now is the Time and Opportunity.

For the Selection of your Spring Merchandise, while Stock is complete. We would suggest early buying to get best and Lowest Prices.

New Spring Dress Goods.

French Serges, Silks, Mesalines, Crepe-de-Chines, Tub Shirtings, Pongees, and Poplins, in fancy and plain patterns and colors.

Bleached and Unbleached Sheet.

Pillow Tubing, Bed Ticking, Toweling, Table Damask and White Bed Spreads, Cretons and Window Shades. We carry a good line, at attractive prices.

Men's High-Grade Negligee Shirts.

all made with Turnback French Cuffs, with and without collars, in Striped and Checked Madras, interwoven combinations in plain Pongee Mercerized Finish. A beautiful line of Men's Silk neckwear. Popular priced and up-to-date patterns, reversible shapes, and open end floral designs.

Men's Hats and Caps

New Spring styles, in soft Dress Hats and nobby shapes, in all the new Spring shades. The kind you look best in.

Warner's Rust Proof Corsets

Correct Corset, fashions for every type of Spring costume. Guaranteed not to rust or break. Comfort is the watchword, and it is achieved in beauty.

Rugs. Rugs. Oilcloth.

Call and inspect our line of Rugs and Floor Coverings, before buying. We carry 9x12 Royal Axminster Rugs, 9x12 Tapestry Brussels Rugs, all new Patterns; Pattania and Wool and Fibre Rugs, 8x10 and 9x12, new designs, serviceable colors. Grass Rugs, in Crex and Deltex. Congoleum and Linoleum Rugs, 9x12, all perfect and in good patterns to suit any room. Linoleum and Congoleum by the yard, specially priced.

Postponed Sale

On account of inclement weather, my sale of Stock and Farming Implements, which was to have been held on March 11th., will now be held on

Saturday, March 29, 1924.

FRANK MOSER.

Public Auction

— OF —

Clothing & Shoes

consisting of Men's, Women's and Children's Clothing, Shoes and other Ready-to-wear Underwear, Shirts, Rubber Goods, etc.

Auction will be held at

The Opera House, TANEYTOWN, MD.

Starting on

Monday Evening March 24

AT 7:00 O'CLOCK.

HARRY VIENER.

For Particulars: Call Brendle's Produce.