# The Weekly Cibromicle. 

CHRISTMAS IN EMMITSBURG USHERED IN BY CAROLS Mid-Night Masses Celebrat ed In Catholic Churches pRE-FESTIVAL ENTERTAINMENTS Lights In The Houses And Wreaths In grammes In The Churches. Wram of Garety. Probably in no community of its size
have the holidays been more thoroughenjoyed than in Emmitsburg and hroughout this district. A few days be-
Christmas the schools presented formal programmes of entertainment keeping with the spirit of the thenpproaching festival. The decorations all the scholars. Nearly every household in the town windows and in consequence the streets presented a cheerful and friendly aspect,
greens and brilliant lights being in evi As bas been the custom for years past the twenty-ifth was ushered
Christmas carols sung in the open and
at different places throughout the com munity by a chorus of twenty voices.
Precisely on the stroke of twelve Sol mn High Mass was begun in St. Jos
ph's Catholic Church, Rev. J. O. Hay en, C. M., Pastor, being celebrant, as
isted by Father Eckels, Deacon, and Rev. Mr. O'Connor, of Mount Sain
Mary's Seminary, sub-Deacon. This was the first time for many years that parish Catholic Church. The edifice
was filled to overflowing for the ser
vices, many persons unable to obtain eats having persons unable torn to a later Mass
wo other Masses 7 and 10 o'clock, Benediction of the
lessed Sacrament after the latter ser vice concluding the ritual observance of
the day. night Mass was of a special nature
nuch time having been devoted to it preparation by the choir members un
der the direction of Mrs. John H. Mat and Messrs. Thomas Lansinger an Robert Rider assisted in the instrumen-
al renditions with violins and cornet
$\qquad$ The Sunday School of the Reformed
Church held its Christmas service on
Christmas Eve at 6.30 . The exercises were appropriate to the occasion and
the caros were those hallowed by long
usage. A spectal offering for the orphans of the Hoffman Orphanage real-

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PARCEL POST RATES LOWER THE SYSTEM A SUCCESS Reduction Made Possible By Increased Revenue BOOKS ADMITTED ON MARCH 16 th Fifteen Million Dollars Increase over Last Year For Fourth Class Mat
ter. - Days of Express Graft

The parcel post system, under the
able and intelligent direction of Postmaster General Burleson is rapidly be-
coming one of the most important and coming one of the most important and
useful functions of the postoffice department. The express congressional
by, which for decades prevented such
extensions of the postal facilities as the growth of the country and the needs of
the public demanded, has been routed with the advent of a Democratic admin-
istration, and the postoffice department is now being conducted in the interest
of the whole people and for their convenience and benefit, regardiess of the
lessened profits of the express companparcel post packages was increased and made possible by the vastly increased revenue the first great extension of
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the tariff and the currency bills lies ather than in the real operating effect, ith any degree of accuracy."

（Formerly Rowe Min slothing store）

## Snider＇s Department Store

## NEWS FOR THE NEW YEAR

$\mathbf{W}^{H Y}$ the very mention of it sets our hearts aglow，and W recalls to mind many happy hours spent in company with friends，both old and young and prompts the feeling
of good will within us，wherefore we send forth our wishes for their Happiness and Welfare for the New Year．We are glad to say that you will find each and every depart ment in our Bargain Store full and complete of all the newest and best up－to－date goods for the New Year．We
invite you to call at Snider＇s Départment Store at all times to do your trading as our aim is to please you and to make

Special Prices on Each and Every Suit and Overcoat

New Suits，New Overcoats for the New Year
Shoes，Gum，Felt and Lumberman Boots
for one and all．When you need footwear Snider＇s is the right place
Horse Blankets and Lap Robes
Groceries！Groceries ！


ago to handle the flute．At four A．M．
Christmas morning，Larry was again
heard on the mountain，his journey led Special Meeting of The

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Fine teams for all occasions．
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$4.00 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$
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Be it resolved：－
＂That every customer of Matthews Brothers will be treated in the same cordial and pleasing manner and same courtesy will be shown throughout the New Year that was rendered them during the year of 1913 and furthermore we extend to each customer best wishes for a happy and prosperous New Year．

Matthews Bros．

The Racket Store，through its Proprietors， wishes all its patrons and friends a Merry Christmas and extends its very best wishes for the new year 1914，appreciating the patronage it has enjoyed during 1913.

STRICTLY CASH

## DR．C．L．KEFAUVER， <br> 

Will be in EMMITSBURG，MD．，at＂SLAGLE HOTEL＂
Second Thursday of Each Month．


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$\begin{gathered}\text { dent tin poiticics, progressive in spirit } \\ \text { and a champion of what it conceives }\end{gathered}$ to be right. Its columns will al-
ways be open for a dignified dis cussion by the people of any subject
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NAME YOUR FARM AND USE
PRINTED STATIONERY.
There are a great many farms in this district-in every district, in fact-that, although they are quite worthy of them, do not
bear names. There is an individuality about almost every farm. farm's location, character of soil, nature of nearby trees, its view, characteristics should suggest a name to the owner, and these names should by all means be
perpetuated. The name will very soon become identified with your place. The rural carrier will
kown it; your friends will quick kown it, your frime familiar with it and, and it will be a great convenience to you-every customer of yours,
every firm with which you deal will direct your mail accordingly. On the subject of stationery
the Brunswick Herald aptly re the Brunswick Herald aptly re-
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Every farmer ought to have printed stationery, with his and the name of
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 by adopting this practical, con WORLDINTERVENTION IN MEXICO. Mr. Hamilton Fyfe, corres pondent of the London Mail, pas ing through Washington City re cently, stated that the only way to solve the Mexican problem is for a world intervention such as
the Powers made in China on the occasion of the Boxer uprising




The New City Hotel, Frederick, Maryland, is
known to and patronized by Tourists from all parts of the country. This hotel makes a Specialty of Serving Delicious Meals to Auto Parties.
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Good Service, and Considerate Attention to all guests are the characteristics
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| Excellent Cuisine. |
| Liberal Management. |
| Fireproof Consifuction. |
| WASHINGTON PLACE |
| BALTIMORE, |
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| THURMONT. <br> 0000000000000000000000 ! <br> Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shaw, of this place, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Griffin, of Baltimore. <br> Mr. George Wilhide and children spent Christmas with his brother, Mr. Lewis Willhide, in Baltimore. <br> Miss Ethel Heimer, of Millersville; Messrs. Roger Heimer, of Johns Hopkins University; Lloyd Mackley and Frank Anders, of Baltimore, spent the holidays with their parents of this place. <br> Mr. George Root spent Christmas with his sister, Mrs. George Schleigh, of Pittsburgh, Pa. <br> Miss Ethel Grimes, of Baltimore, spent the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Gertrude Grimes. <br> Miss Kate Hartley, of Baltimore, spent the holidays with her sister, Miss Lizzie Hartley. <br> Dr. Lloyd Gall, U. S. N., is now at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gall, near this place. <br> Mr. Lester Eyler, of Philadelphia, spent Christmas with his parents of this place. <br> Mr. Donald Waesche, of New York, spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Waesche. <br> Rev. and Mrs. Carl Mumford, of Mt. Holly. Pa., spent Christmas with Rev. M. L. Beard. <br> "The Country Doctor" a four act comedy given by the young people of this place, Saturday, Dec. 27th, was quite a success and was exceedingly well rendered. <br> Miss Nellie Kipe and Miss Florence Benchoff, of Highfield, Md., were in Thurmont Saturday evening to attend "The Country Doctor.' <br> Mr. and Mrs. Wolf, of Foxville, were in Thurmont Saturday night to see their daughter, Miss Hazel Wolf, star in the "Country Doctor." <br> Mr. Glen Poffinberger, of Gettysburg college, spent a few days with Mr. Edgar Eyler. <br> Miss Esther Firor, of Graceham,spent <br> a few days with Miss Bessie Martin. <br> Miss Ruth Dixon, of Frederick, is visiting Miss Marie Eyler. <br> Miss Nellie Cover, of Emmitsburg, visited her cousin, Miss Jane Gigeous, during the past week. |
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Notes and Remarks Bot
Personal and Pertinent
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tributor. tributor.

A happy glad new ve A New Year free from care,
year blest with all that's year blest with all that's best; Miss Gertrude Ryan is spending the
holiday season visiting Doctor and Mrs, Martin and family in Balimore.
Mr. John Jordan Jr., is visiting Mr. John Jordan Jr., is visiting rela-
tives in McKeesport, and Pittsburgh Mr. J $\qquad$ Pa., is spending his Christmas vacation
with his mother, Mrs. J. Ledlie Gloni with his mother, Mrs. J. Ledlie Glonin
ger, "Valley View," Mt. St. Mary's. ger, "Valley View," Mt. St. Mary's.
Mr. and Mrs. George Wagner and
child, of Hagerstown, spent Christmas child, of Hagerstown, spent Christma
with Mr. and Mrs. J. William Seltzer at "Pine Tree Cottage." Miss Mary Kaas has returned hom
after spending a few days in after spending a few days in Baltimore
Miss Addie Peddicord has returned to Baltimore after spending Christmas
with her parents. with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John
B. Peddicord.
Messrs. John Conner and Charle Brawner, of Hagerstown, and Feli
Lingg, of Security, Md., spent th Lingg, of Security, Md., spent the
Christmas holidays with their respective families in this vicinity.
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Doctor and Mrs. Riall and little
daughter, Mary, are spending the daughter, Mary, are spending the
Christmas holidays with their mother, Mrs. J. Ledie Gloninger, and family a "Valley V
Doctor Doctor O'Donoughue, of Passaic, N.
J. is spending the holidays with hi . is spending the hol
family at "Bella Vista."
Miss Jo. Cretin, of Hagerstown,
spending a few days visiting relatives
in this locality.
Mr. Maurice
Mr. Maurice Walter, of Baltimore,
spent Christmas with his parents,
and Mrs. William Walter, near town.
Prof. and Mrs. Crumlish and children
are spending the holidays season with
friends in Baltimore.
Mrs. H. R. Grimes, who has spent th
past two months in this place, is leavin for an extended visit to Baltimore. Miss Mamie Cummings, of Baltim
few days. Professor and Mrs. Lagarde hav gone to New Orleans, La., as is thei he holiday season is over, Professo Lagarde will return to Mt. St. Mary'
College and Mrs. Lagarde will remain South until spring.
Miss Mary Seltzer spent Tuesday
visiting Misses Barry and Jordan and her sister, Catherrne.
Mr. and Mrs. William Seltzer enter home, "Pine Tree Cottage" guests as they assembled greeted their
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 guests were invited into the dining roo where the hospitable board was ladenwith all the delicacies with all the delicacies of the season, an
whilst the inner man was being refresh ed, the outer man was not overlooked for each person present contributed his
or her share of humorous anecdotes or her share of humorous anecdotes,
quick repartee, and cheery conversation quick repartee, and cheery conversation
which were bandied around the festive
board whilst all enjoyed the delicious board, whilst all enjoyed the delicious
viands, and praised the ones who cooked and served such a fine dinner in such
a skillful manner. After dinner the a skillful manner. After dinner the
guests adjourned back to the parlor, guests adjourned back to the parlor,
where the evening was spent in ad where the evening was spent in ad
miring the tree all lit up by electri
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scene of exquisite lovliness, in conver scene of exquisite lovliness, in conver-
sation, and in the singing of songs both sation, and in the singing of songs bot
new and old, followed by the dear old hymns in which all present joined. Af
ter which the guests took their depart ure for their respective homes, cordial ly thanking their genial host, and
charming hostess for their hospitality charming hostess
and pleasant evening spent in thei
company and in their cosy and home compane. And all who were present
like home
hope to enjoy their hospitality many hop FRANKLINVILLE NEWS. Mrs. John Ambrose and children spent Christmas Day with her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Charley Eyler, of Thurmont. Joseph Fry and Miss Ioma Mana
Mr. ham were married on Wednesday morn-
ing by the groom's pastor, Rev. Mr. Heimer, of Thurmont.
Mrs. William Dewees and daughter Lula and little granddaughter, Mable, spent Christmas day with Mrs. Aaron Stull.
Mr. and
daughter daughter, spent Christmas day with
Mr. and Mrs. Zentz Misses Maud and Mable Fry spen Christmas day with Miss Marie and Edith Dewees, of Zentztown.
Among those who visited Among those who visited Mr. and
Mrs. Charles Gall on Christmas day wre: Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gall and two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hoke and children, of near Emitsburg, and Mr. Warrenfeltz and daughter of Thur The Bill Posters Trust is negotiating
with the Government for a voluntary
dissolution.

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It is equipped with handle, and when detached makes a good hand lantern. Strong. Durable. Will last for years At Dealers Everywhere
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## Rayo Lantrans

 spent Saturday and Sunday evening Mr. Jago Colliflower who has been on writing and Mr. J. B. Pittinger whalso has been sick is very ter and able to be out held here Sunday evening were well tended and the service was finely renMr. Newton Six and family, of near Mrs. Jago Colliflower.

where refreshments were served.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry daughter, Miss daughter, Miss Bl
day in Thurmont.
 ples' Church, Saturday evening, titled "The Wonderful King" was we rendered by the school and enjoyed
all. The attendance was very all. The attendance was very large. Mrs. Freeze, of near Apple's Mr. an spent Tuesday aftern
Mrs. J. B. Pittonger.
Mr. Chester Joy and family are spend
ing the holidays with her father Mr
Summers of Middletown.

## G. W. Weaver \& Son

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## With A Happy New Year

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 Yo year of increased business for us and we thank pou confidence manifested by yon in trading with usNOW- fora better store for 1914 Beter in its assort-
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special clearance prices on Coats,Furs, Dress Skirts, Suits,\&c. New Fall and Winter Stock at much less than regul
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    stocks throughout the country are be-
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