

PROCEEDINGS OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

Will Try to Secure Rooms for Taneytown Schools.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Education was called to order in the office of the Board at 10:30 o'clock on Dec. 3, 1924. Mrs. Forlines was absent.

The minutes of the previous meeting were approved as read.

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

The Committee, appointed at the last meeting of the Board to study the transportation service at the Sykesville School, reported that it had examined into the whole situation and was satisfied that the transportation was adequate and satisfactory. The Superintendent was authorized to continue the arrangement for the remainder of the year, and to draw up a satisfactory contract with Mr. William Umbaugh who has charge of the transportation. The Pine Knob school is to remain closed.

Superintendent Unger and Commissioner Koons were appointed a committee to meet a local committee in Taneytown to arrange for rooms, rents, heat, etc., to make it possible to continue the Taneytown elementary and high schools for the remainder of this year as the main building is condemned and considered too insecure to use after January 1, 1925.

The application of the county leagues of Johnsville and Priestland schools for assistance in the purchase of a school room heater for their schools was considered by the Board as a worthwhile object and the Superintendent was authorized to contribute one-tenth of the cost of these heat plants, in this way releasing several stoves for other purposes.

The Board authorized \$10.00 to be contributed to the Maryland State Colored Teachers' Association.

A committee consisting of President Wantz and Superintendent Unger was appointed to request the County Commissioners to grant the amount necessary to comply with the demand of the Mayor and Common Council to cover the new portable building on the Westminster school grounds with corrugated iron, and also, to grant a necessary amount of rent to cover the amount of rents needed for the Taneytown School for the remainder of the year.

The Board authorized Mr. Clemson to appear in the Circuit Court in the matter of Collin Brown's estate.

The request of Dr. W. C. Stone, Health Officer, to have put in force the use of a car, authorizing the permission of a child to attend school after being quarantined for some form of infectious or contagious disease, was authorized.

Requests for contributions to local funds raised for scout equipment were presented to the Board which contributed \$10.00 to the amount already raised in each case, with the understanding that the same is to be paid when the necessary funds are available.

Alesia \$31.30 school equipment; Stonesifer, \$25.31, library; Mt. Olive \$15.56, school equipment; Cherry Grove, \$20.87, library; Pine Hill \$15, phonograph; New Windsor, \$50.00 piano.

The meeting adjourned at 12:30.

The "Letter Box" Again.

We have had numerous expressions of interest in our "Letter Box" from both home and abroad, showing the feature to be generally read and enjoyed; but, some of these people who like the "Box", ought to be contributors to it. It is one of the features that the editor can not manufacture "letters" for, except very infrequently.

Besides, it is meant to be entirely an open forum for readers, and not for the expression of editorial experiences or opinions. Contributions to it need not be of the "Do you Remember" sort exclusively, nor of travel, but may include opinions and ideas on any topic concerning the home, schools, social questions, or on any of the practical problems of the day, and our invitation is general.

Subscription Expirations.

We have a large number of December and January subscription expirations, which we trust will be promptly renewed, before the Record is dropped. The label on the paper always contains the date of expiration; besides, we always aim to send an advance notice of a coming expiration. We get such notices ourselves for a large number of publications for which we pay. It is a business rule which we both appreciate, and practice.

Shoe Factory for Westminster.

A branch of the Newark Shoe Factory is to be located in Westminster. Men's Shoes will be made, and about 250 persons will be employed, with a payroll of about \$5000. a week. The sum of money that had to be raised to secure the factory, has not been publicly stated. Work on the factory building is scheduled to commence this month.

Rev. John A. Garner, of Millersburg, Pa., has accepted the call to the pastorate of St. Paul's Reformed Church, Westminster, and expects to take charge of the field about Dec. 17.

OUR FINE CHAUTAUQUA.

To the Sick and Afflicted of our Community.

DEAR FRIENDS:

This is such a busy time with planning of Christmas gifts and programs, but I must take just a few minutes to tell you how sorry we are that you were not able to get to all the events, for Tuesday night's program ended the finest Chautauqua program that was ever put on in Taneytown. I don't see how it can be done, but we are promised even a better one next year.

The Sunday program, was a dramatization of Job. I never realized the wonder of it before. Dr. Pearson's allusions to King Lear made me decide to read some Shakespeare too. The musical talent was part of Saturday night's quintet of lovely voices.

The lecture on Saturday night, also by Dr. Pearson, was both entertaining and clever. It is only one with a background of knowledge and power who can in such fashion fascinate the child-like, or indifferent, and also provide meat for the intelligent.

Anyone can spout a collection of unpronounceable words, but one must be master of them to give the thought simply. I can't take time or space to tell you of each program. The music was beautiful, the crayon pictures clever, the sand pictures wonderful, the magic just enough to make you wish for more, the Junior work lots of fun. Dr. Clemen's lecture with pictures and native Hawaiians alone was worth more than the price we paid for the ticket. We had splendid Superintendents. I surely hope you will be able to get out next year.

Sincerely Yours,
THE SECRETARY.

Carroll County Society Fall Meeting.

The usual Fall meeting of the Carroll County Society was held on Wednesday evening, Dec. 3, at Odd Fellows Hall, Baltimore. At this meeting a resolution was passed by the Society endorsing the bill that has been introduced in Congress, providing that Fort McHenry be made into a Federal Park. The fact that Francis Scott Key was born in Carroll County is the reason the Society is interested in having a Federal Park made of Fort McHenry.

The Society was greatly interested in the talk made by Mr. Paul Winchester. He referred to prominent Carroll Countians. The first one he mentioned was Francis Scott Key; the next one, Col. James G. Berrett who introduced the bill in the Legislature erecting a Carroll county. Col. Berrett was at one time Mayor of Washington. He specifically mentioned and spoke with a great deal of feeling about former Governor Frank Brown; Judge Charles B. Roberts; Herbert Shriver; Johnnie Beasman; Dr. Thos. H. Lewis, and Dr. Joshua W. Hering; Dr. Frank T. Shaw and B. Frank Crouse.

Mr. Winchester knew all of these men except Francis Scott Key. He said that Governor Brown was one of the best business Governors Maryland ever had. He also said that Judge Roberts as well as Herbert Shriver were each in a position to be nominated by the Democratic party as Governor of Maryland. He said that Johnnie Beasman was the watchdog of the treasury of the State of Maryland, when he was in the House and the State Senate. He further said that Carroll County should put up a monument to Dr. Lewis and Dr. Hering for having always been awake to obtain for Western Maryland College the most and the best they could. He further stated that Frank Crouse always had Carroll County and its people continually on his mind; that whenever he could do anything for them he was ready to do it. He finally concluded his argument by stating that Dr. Frank T. Shaw was one of the ablest men this State ever produced.

Committee to arrange for the annual banquet on January 19, will be appointed this week.

Proceedings of the Orphans' Court.

Monday, Dec. 8, 1924—Charles H. Sapp, executor of Mary E. Sapp, deceased, reported sale of real estate, which was immediately ratified by the Court.

John A. Yingling, executor of Luther Kemp, deceased, reported sale of personal property.

Laura F. Biehl, administratrix of John D. Biehl, deceased, settled her first and final account.

Ellen L. Rowe, administratrix of John T. Rowe, deceased, settled her first and final account.

The last will and testament of William H. Shower, deceased, was duly admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon granted unto May R. Shower, who received order to notify creditors and warrants to appraise personal property and leasehold estate.

Jeremiah Toop, administrator of Mollie K. Toop, deceased, settled his first and final account.

Henry W. Long, administrator of Caroline C. Long, deceased, settled his first and final account.

Tuesday, Dec. 9, 1924—Mary S. Leahy, executrix of Martin J. Leigh, deceased, returned inventories of personal property, debts due and current money.

Albert Kuhn, infant, received order to draw funds.

George L. Dutterer, administrator of John T. Fuhrman, deceased, reported sale of personal property and settled his first and final account.

The state road from Ladiesburg to Woodsboro, is expected to be finished this week, and opened to the public.

DONATIONS TO FRED'K HOSPITAL

Emmitsburg, Thurmont and Taneytown Help Institution.

Emmitsburg people contributed most generously last week to the appeal for donations to the Frederick City Hospital. Folks in this section are never found wanting when asked to assist a worthy cause and as this well known county institution has done wonderful work the good people in this section were more than willing to help toward its continued success.

Every year the donation sent in by Emmitsburg has been most liberal and the generous offerings of last week surpassed that of previous years and it is to be doubted if any town in the county was more liberal.

The cash contributions received by Mrs. Andrew A. Annan amounted to \$330.25, which was more than was contributed last year. A carload of country produce was sent by the members of the community while Mr. St. Mary's College sent in a truck load of selected vegetables from their farm.

The Hospital Board and Mrs. Annan, who is the local member of the Board, very much appreciate the kindness of the people of this section and also the people of Thurmont and Taneytown for their liberal and most generous offerings to this well known institution.—Emmitsburg Chronicle.

Aesop Down to Date.

Once upon a time there was a Farmer, who had upon his place a number of dogs, which he fed with great regularity, treated with kindness and housed comfortably in a Kennel.

Certain of these dogs, growing discontented with their lot, and noticing that occasionally packs of wolves descended upon the farm and made way with choice hens which were not part of the dogs' regular diet, decided to join the wolves, and betaking themselves to the woods, they made a contract with the wolves to make them leaders of the pack, in consideration of their being the better able to direct the marauders to the choicest pullets on the home roost.

But while making their first foray as wolves, the renegade dogs were discovered by the farmer and his sons, who with clubs and guns dispersed the pack and drove the wolves back to the forest.

On the following morning the renegade dogs, being cold and hungry, appeared at the farmer's house, demanding their breakfast and a warm place to sleep, saying: "Good farmer, we are no longer wolves, but dogs, and this being our home, we demand the right to occupy it once more and receive our daily ration of choice bones."

In this demand they were seconded by others of the dogs, who had secretly wished to join the wolves, but had not been brave enough to do so, choosing to remain behind to suck eggs on the sly and secretly help the wolves do any dirt to their benefactor they might be able to accomplish without publicly revealing their own cussedness.

But the good farmer, taking down his trusty shotgun, said to the dogs who had deserted him. "Begone, hounds. I have some respect for a regular wolf, but not for an animal who wants to be a dog when it serves his purpose and a wolf when he thinks there is more meat in it. As for you dogs who come here to intercede for your friends who joined the wolves in trying to rob my hen roost, the next time I catch you sucking eggs, there is going to be something doing."—National Republican.

Webster's International at \$5.00.

We have a good 1914 edition of Webster's International Dictionary, full sheep binding, for which we have no use. It ought to be mighty cheap to somebody at \$5.00—a new one is worth \$14.00. Has been in use only on our dictionary holder. Come in and look it over! We have in mind somebody who will give it to, if not sold before Christmas. It's worth too much to be idle.

Rev. R. S. Patterson Installed.

Rev. R. S. Patterson was installed pastor of Salem Lutheran Church, at Leister's Church, last Sunday. Rev. John B. Rupley, of Westminster, delivered the charge to the pastor, and Rev. W. L. Seabrook, delivered the charge to the congregation. Rev. Patterson was formerly pastor of the Woodsboro charge.

E. O. Weant, Attorney, Continues Ill.

Owing to the continued illness of Edward O. Weant, attorney, who is counsel in numerous cases, members of the petit jury have been notified that they are not to report for service unless called on. The probability is that they will not be called again for this term.

Community Christmas Tree.

The people of the community are cordially invited to attend and take part in a community Christmas tree carol service on the lawn of the Reformed Church, Tuesday evening, Dec. 23. A large tree will be erected in front of the church and illuminated. The service will consist principally of the singing of familiar Christmas Carols.

NEW AUTO LICENSE TAGS.

The Maryland Tag is Green with White Figures.

The auto license tags for 1925 are now being sent out to those who have made application for them, with funds to cover their cost.

Tags this year will number above 100,000 as all numbers between 30,000 and that mark, have been reserved for Baltimore city. In confining certain numbers to certain sections, Commissioner Baughman says that it is the hope of his department that theft of cars will be minimized. It is also the intention of the automobile commissioner to facilitate locating the owners of machines in case of accident.

Colonel Baughman also says that it is the intention of his office to stage a campaign against motorists who cover their license plate with isinglass, a practice which renders it difficult for officers to distinguish numbers and often results in mistakes in identification.

The new tags this year are especially distinctive, having white numerals against a green background.

The price per horsepower this year is 32 cents. In calculating the amount payable to the commissioner's office, the applicant should multiply the number of horsepower by the price per horsepower, and add 10 cents for postage. The application sent out by the Motor Vehicle Commissioner's office should be filled out properly and sent in immediately.

Loads of Hay Block Roads.

The following item of interest to farmers, appeared in Wednesday's Baltimore American:

"Motor Vehicle Commissioner E. Austin Baughman announced yesterday that a drive would be made to prevent farmers on the State roads from loading their hay wagons to such a width that they monopolize the right-of-way and endanger other vehicular traffic.

Considerable complaint has been made to the Motor Vehicle Commissioner that farmers and hay dealers, particularly those using the Reisterstown road, have been loading so much hay on their wagons that they block the road. Owing to the fact that there was no definite law covering this particular traffic, no action has been taken heretofore.

Attorney General Thos. H. Robinson advised Commissioner Baughman yesterday that under Section 149 of the motor vehicle laws these could be regarded as driving "so as to endanger the lives of others," and the drivers could thereby be prosecuted."

High Cost of Seeing Game.

The United States spends more on sport each year than all the other countries of the world combined. Americans spend little more than any of the other leading nations of the world to play—that is, to play themselves (not so much, at least, as the British Empire), but we spend millions and millions of dollars to watch others play. The gross amount reaches well over the billion dollar mark.

Our national preference to watch paid experts perform in various athletic lines marks us a nation of sport enthusiasts rather than participants. To watch the skilled performances of others is more pleasant to us than to engage in competition ourselves, but we pay a staggering price for this preference.

Baseball and Football, annually cost spectators many millions of dollars, and easily lead all other sports.

Editor Rhoderick Dead.

George C. Rhoderick, editor of the Middletown Valley Register, was found dead in his bath room, Thursday morning of last week, death having been due to a stroke of apoplexy. He was in his 64th year, and had been in ill health for some time, but was able to continue his work almost uninterruptedly until the end.

Mr. Rhoderick was the publisher of one of the very best weekly newspapers of the state. The Register was always found on the side of righteousness, due to the unflinching regularity of Mr. Rhoderick and his influence for temperance, morality and the higher ideals of citizenship. His work was a continuous effort for good and uplift—and he practiced as he preached. Middletown has lost one of its very best citizens, and the newspaper fraternity one of its most honored members.

Adams County Increases Tax Rate.

The Adams County, Pa., tax rate has been increased from 4 to 9 mills by the County Commissioners. The reasons given are, the building of new roads, a decrease in horses and mules on farms that has decreased the basis and that the former rate was too low. The bond tax rate was reduced from 1 1/2 to 1 mill.

During the year, further increased expenses will be made on account of roads and bridges. It has also been found necessary to "charge off" a large sum of book assets of the county on account of "unpaid taxes", as much of this has been found to be uncollectible.

With the exception of first class mail and postal savings every service conducted by the Postoffice Department shows a substantial annual loss. Postmaster General New informed the Senate as a result of a far-reaching investigation.

THE RAILROAD CONSOLIDATION

Less Expensive Operation but not Government Ownership.

A railroad consolidation bill has been introduced in the House by Chairman Winslow of the House Committee on Commerce, along the lines of suggestions made to Congress by President Coolidge.

It is part of the proposition to first secure a fair valuation of railroad properties on which to base fair rates, and if this does not lead to a reduction in rates, then compulsory consolidation of lines will be effected in order to reduce operating expenses.

The bill would declare it the policy of Congress to authorize and bring about the unification of the country's railroads into a number of strong and efficient systems. These would, as far as practicable, maintain existing routes and preserve competition.

The properties of the carriers in each system would ultimately be managed and operated and owned or controlled by a single corporation, but not be directly owned or operated by the government.

Jersey Boy Wins Hog Weight Contest

Salem, N. J., Dec. 8.—Melvin Patrick, of Salem County, broke the State record and came within a few pounds of the world's record in the ton-litter contest. Within 180 days he was able to make a litter of nine pigs weigh 2643 pounds, or an average of 293 pounds each. This is within seven pounds of the world's record made in a Western State several years ago.

During the last two weeks of the contest the pigs made average gains of nearly four pounds a day. Three of the hogs made average gains from the day they were born until 6 months of age of nearly two pounds per day. Three of the nine pigs weighed 335 pounds; each one of these three made daily gains of four pounds each during the last fourteen days of the contest.

Young Patrick won \$75 in prizes offered by local banks and made a net profit on the pork value of \$100 over the cost of production.—Phila. Ledger.

A Millionaire's Gifts.

George Eastman, head of the Eastman Kodak Co., of Rochester, N. Y., announced, this week, new gifts of \$12,500,000 to institutions of education, in addition to a recent gift of \$2,500,000 to the University of Rochester campaign. The Massachusetts Institute of Technology gets \$4,500,000, which is added to a previous gift of \$11,000,000; University of Rochester \$6,000,000; Hampton Institute \$1,000,000; Tuskegee Institute \$1,000,000.

This makes a grand total of his gifts of \$58,602,900, including a total to University of Rochester of \$23,578,500. In making the last gifts, he has disposed of the most of his personal holdings in the Eastman Kodak Co.

88 Story Building for New York.

New York is to have an eighty-eight story office building, outranking in height the Woolworth building, which has fifty-one stories, according to information today in real-estate circles. A test to determine whether the Woolworth tower sways in winds of high velocity is said to have been planned in contemplation of the new skyscraper's construction.

The structure will occupy an entire downtown Broadway block, it is said.

Origin of Christmas Tree.

The Romans were the originators of the Christmas tree, though their ceremony had little to do with the modern idea of the Christmas spirit. They began by hanging small masks of Bacchus, the god of wine, upon the grape vines in the belief that the spot would become unusually fruitful. The occasion was made one of merrymaking and dissipation. After the advent of Christianity it was converted into the Christmas-tree celebration.

Steer Sells at \$1.40 a Pound.

"Deacon" the 950 pound grand champion steer of the Ken-Caryl ranch, Littleton, Col., owned by John C. Shaffer, a Chicago publisher, was sold at public auction at Chicago, last week, at \$1.40 a pound, to the Cadillac Hotel, of Detroit, or \$1330.00.

A champion carload lot of cattle sold at 39 cents a pound to the Pittsburg Packing and Provision Company.

Marriage Licenses.

John Leroy Bruehl and Goldie Virginia Wisner, Parkton, Md.

J. Arlington Stambaugh and Marjorie Stultz, Westminster.

Clair W. Trone and Twila E. Stambaugh, Hanover, Pa.

Although science knows the chief substances of honey and the proportion used by the bees, it is unable to equal the bee in the production of a delectable honey.

Bankers have estimated that more than 400 million dollars is hidden away in houses and similar hiding places by people who are afraid to trust banks. But in spite of this, for every dollar hoarded the sum of forty-six dollars is banked.

WARNS OF GRIP EPIDEMIC

Dr. Kefauver Urges Efforts to Check Spread of the Ailment.

Dr. E. C. Kefauver, Frederick county health officer, stated Friday that the epidemic of grip, throughout the county for the past week or two, had not assumed threatening proportions, but every effort should be made to check the progress of the ailment.

The grip, although very unpleasant to the patient, is not considered serious. In many cases it resembles symptoms of a heavy cold and is usually reported as such by the patient. Severe headaches, nausea and a bilious condition are the symptoms.

While a number of new cases have been reported, but little fear is held by the health officer, as no serious turn has been noted in the epidemic to date. Dr. Kefauver, repeated that every precaution should be taken by the public to prevent the spread of the grip. Close contact in public places, sneezing and expectorating are termed as conducive to the epidemic.

The health officer recommended plenty of fresh air, cold water and rest in bed, as the best and simplest treatment for the grip. Several days in bed usually breaks the hold of the disease upon the patient, and relief usually follows the treatment recommended.—Frederick News.

My Boy At School.

The November Maryland School Bulletin, says:

"Notwithstanding the fact that during the past four years the emphasis in Maryland schools has been upon the teaching of reading, writing, and arithmetic, more than half of the time of elementary school children being given to mastering these subjects, there are people who clamor for a "more practical education." They regard as fads and frills the newer subjects which they say are being given undue emphasis. This criticism is humorously exemplified in the following "Parent's Plea" quoted from "Life" magazine:

My boy is eight years old,
He goes to school each day;
He doesn't mind the tasks they set—
They seem to him but play.
He heads his class at raffia work,
And also takes the lead
At making dinky paper boats—
But I wish that he could read.

They teach him physiology,
And, oh, it chills our hearts
To hear our prattling innocent
Mix up his inward parts.
He also learns astronomy,
And names the stars by night—
Of course he's very up-to-date,
But I wish that he could write.

They teach him things botanical,
They teach him how to draw,
He babbles of mythology
And gravitation's law;
And the discoveries of science
With him are quite a fad;
They tell me he's a clever boy,
But I wish that he could add.

For Your Kiddies' Diet.

For children from 2 to 6 years old; Don't give your little children fresh bread.

Don't give them uncooked, ready-to-serve cereals.

Don't undercook cereals for children. Cereals require from two to four hours cooking.

Don't give them strongly acid or unripe fruits.

Don't give them salted or cured fresh meats, with the exception of bacon.

Here are some of the foods that are good for them:

Breads: Wheat bread at least 24 hours old; plain or toasted, with butter; with a poached egg; as bread and milk; as milk toast; as zwieback or twice baked bread.

Cereals: Cooked oatmeal, wheaten grits, farina, cream of wheat.

Fruits: The juice of pulp of stewed prunes; or oranges; of baked apples.

Vegetables: Baked potatoes; well cooked spinach, carrots, baby lima beans, asparagus, and stewed celery.

Meats: Fresh lean beef; lamb or chicken (boiled or baked not fried), cut into fine bits with all gristle removed; bacon, fresh white-fish.

Beverages: Milk 6 glasses, may be taken daily. Part of this may be used on the cereal; the rest with the meals. Serve the milk toward the end of the meal so that it does not interfere with the child's appetite for other nourishing foods, cocoa; from 3 to 4 glasses of water between meals.

Desserts: Cooked fruits, apple sauce, stewed prunes, junket, gelatine, custard, or blanc mange.

(From the Bureau of Child Hygiene of the State Department of Health.)

Political deposters say that the close harmony, amounting to a virtual coalition, between the Democratic minority in the Senate and the La Follette Republicans, which existed in the last session of Congress, is not likely to continue. The Democrats will not object if the La Follette forces support their opposition to Republican policies, but they will follow their own program as a party unit, without asking aid from the La Follette men.

A seat in the New York Stock Exchange recently sold for \$97,000. These seats, or memberships, are limited, and it is only occasionally that one is sold. They are held and disposed of, by owners, largely the same as property.

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"Pork" Raid Likely.

President Coolidge's "economy" slogan will have its enemies. Already it is stated that plans are afoot to try to put through this Congress "pork" riders to regular budget bills, by those who care nothing about the President's desire to make a record for his administration for reduction in expenditures, and further reductions in federal taxation. Some of these efforts will come from the Democrats, but "pork" is an attractive lure, and may find followers in the President's own camp.

The President's antagonists will make a special effort, at this session, to "put over" the postal salary increase bill. It is believed that the President would sign a modified bill, with a scaling down of the increases, providing there is provision made for increased revenue from the postal receipts; but that he would again veto the bill if it interferes with Secretary Mellon's plans for further tax reduction, that will come up in the new Congress. An increase of charges on Parcel Post packages, which is largely responsible for the postal deficit, is urged as the best way to meet the provisions for increased pay.

The President is in a strong position to carry out his financial plans, due to his re-election by such a tremendous majority, in spite of his vetoes, and it is quite probable that he will be able to manage whatever "raiding" propositions that may be placed before him.

One-Sided Game Laws.

We used to have laws to "protect" our game, and especially to "save the birds." Now, we seem to have laws to propagate game, in order that so doing may provide "sport" in hunting, being in a large license revenue, in order that more game can be planted, and more hunting sport derived—the "protecting" feature is largely an effort, not to save the life of game, but to protect it until the season when it can be conveniently killed by licensed hunters.

Right here is a question of importance that we think the land owners and renters have a right to more say about, and more protection. The game and fish laws are fashioned by sportsmen, and made so technical and intricate as to be next to not understandable, and of difficult enforcement, so far as prosecuting trespassers is concerned.

Farmers "advertise" against hunting, put up notices, and in other ways try to protect their land holdings against hunters, but it is largely wasted effort—there is nearly always a way for the trespasser to slip out; providing he is a "licensed hunter"; so, the laws work out about the way they are intended to work.

Common fairness to land owners demands that they have a square deal, under the laws. There need be no disgrace attached to hunting, as a sport, regulated by law. The hunter can have legal rights as well as the land owner or renter, especially when the state goes into the business of selling hunting privileges. But, the state has no right to sell a privilege that does not belong to it; no right to encourage a sport that is objectionable to those who must furnish the fields for the sport, get nothing out of it, and perhaps suffer damage to property besides, without considering the question of the ownership of the game.

Must Go Fast, to Be Safe.

Chairman Mackall, of the State Road Commission, is trying to establish it as fact that "the greatest menace on the roads is the slow moving vehicle" and that the maximum high speed law should be repealed, and in its place substitute a minimum slow speed. This seems like a queer way of avoiding accidents—by compelling all to travel faster—and we believe it will not bear analysis.

It is also a defense, in a way, of

that Maryland roads are second to none in this country—a proposition that we very much doubt. He is also reported to be opposed to state laws requiring motorists to "stop, look and listen" at railroad crossings, because the passenger traffic on our state roads is much greater than on the railroads; which is presumably an argument that if there is to be any "stopping" at road crossings, it should be the trains, and not motorists; and again we must doubt the wisdom of the argument.

The real question at issue in both cases, is not so much the opportunity to engage in high speed, as it is to avoid accident and loss of life. The state, if we understand public highways and their use, must first concern itself about how to provide good roads and safe roads, for all classes of users—for all classes of property owners and taxpayers.

If this be correct, then the slow moving wagon of farm produce, the horse and buggy, and the leisurely moving auto, have rights on the road equal of the flyers, and the laws must be so framed as to regard these rights equitably. We are not—if we know it—building roads at the expense of the whole people, for the special accommodation of speeders—who, as a class, pay the least of the taxes that build the roads.

Again, with slow speed, or what may be called reasonable speed, when accidents occur due to any form of collision, the damage done is greatly less than when the vehicles are going at great speed. The weight—the momentum—of the principals in a collision have much to do with the amount of damage—the lighter of course suffering most—but the laws of force and gravitation all prove that where there is the least force, there is the least damage.

Railroads would not need to care greatly whether the "stop, look and listen" warning is observed, or not, on the score of injury to trains or engines. The thing that makes the warning important to them, is the possibility of big damage suits growing out of the wreckage of the highway users.

Mr. Mackall may have a lot of plausible argument with which to back up his position, but to us all laws of physics seem to be in favor of "making haste slowly" if serious danger is to be avoided in the use of our highways—especially considering the prevalence of the fool speeder, and the driver tanked up with boot-leg.

President Coolidge to the Farmers.

At Chicago's International Livestock Show yesterday Calvin Coolidge found an audience from the ranges, the fields and the corn belt feed lots. It represented millions of Americans from an industry that has known five years of trouble. He rubbed elbows with cattlemen still hurt by dry, lean years and leaner markets. He saw feeders and farmers who for years have dreaded the bankers' summons and the sheriff with his writs of foreclosure.

In the great primary farm market of the world he faced this audience with sympathy and understanding. In two addresses he dealt faithfully and fairly with the farm country. It cannot be said that he does not understand its problems. He was born and Marylands narrow roads; that, as the roads would be too expensive to be made wide enough to allow speeders to go around slow drivers, the only thing to do is compel the slow ones to speed up. This is road supervision

with arbitrary vengeance, and if carried to its conclusions would debar all slow moving teams or vehicles of any sort, and make the laws of the road solely for the benefit of the high-speed users.

Mr. Mackall may know how to build roads, and perhaps his claim is true worked on a Vermont farm. For years he represented a country district. There is a country-mindedness about him. Probably no President ever sympathized with the farmer more or understood him quite so well.

That understanding blended with the Coolidge common sense, makes it sure that no unsound effort to set agriculture on its feet will get very far in Washington for four years. The President knows, as well as any man between the plow handles, that 1919 to 1924 were lean farm years. He realizes the distress endured by farm men and women that drove them by the million to the cities.

He realizes, also, that the farmer must, for the most part, work out his own salvation. He pays the farmer the tribute of believing that the farmer can and will do this with the aid of sound and workable measures calculated to insure against the return of the lean years.

Such measures, governmental and otherwise, must be shaped to aid marketing and aimed to end overproduction. These are the twin curses of the farm today. The Government has met many of the farm demands made upon it, but it has not met these key troubles. Nor can it do so unless the farmer will stand up on his own two feet and help.

The President reminded his hearers of loan after loan made and credit after credit created. Within three years more than \$500,000,000 has gone into farm aid through the War Finance Corporation. Farmers have a place on the great Government boards and commissions. They wrote their wishes into the last two tariff acts. Protected against foreign competition on all they produce, almost every article used in their business is duty free. Every gap has been closed. Everything asked short of absolute price-fixing has been granted. The White House is granite against this, but it does not believe farm problems are insoluble.—Phila. Ledger.

Genius of Philology Given Stern Justice

Curious pleas have sometimes been put forward in support of the reprieve of notorious criminals. One of the strangest was that on behalf of George Ruloff, an American school teacher, who was convicted in 1870 of a series of robberies and murders, his own wife and daughter being among the victims. For cold-blooded cruelty his record would be hard to beat, but Ruloff had his other side.

He was an ardent philologist, and had been engaged for years on the invention of a universal language. No one could attempt to palliate his crimes, but a widely signed petition was presented to the governor of Virginia for his reprieve on the ground that as his invention, if completed, would be of the utmost benefit to mankind it would be criminal folly to extinguish such a light of learning. The governor thought otherwise and Ruloff was duly hanged.

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POULTRY

HUMAN ELEMENT FOR SUCCESS IN POULTRY

Three big factors enter into success in poultry work. These are: Finance, location and the human element.

A large amount of finance does not always contribute to the success of a commercial poultryman. He should have finances enough to carry him through the first year but one should remember that a hen knows nothing of marble halls. Some people get just as good results from straw sheds as they would in houses costing much money, providing the premises are kept clean.

Location is important with regard to arrangement of flock and closeness to a market. If at a distance from a market you have to buy higher feed and pay more for labor, but it is not necessary to live too close to a market. You can develop retail trade and will not necessarily have to sell your eggs on the market.

The remaining factor is the human element that enters into the work. The human element in anything is the controlling element. Failure in the human element spells nothing or success. The ability to do is one factor. Into ability enter the physical and mental elements. Some people are mentally incapable. Mental ability does not always mean lack of power, but lack of concentration. You must be capable of concentrating your mind upon the work. The world is full of people always trying to find something better. The quitter in life is going to be put out of business even before he gets a good start. Honesty is another of the human elements that enter into the work. Some people are notable liars and are unscrupulous in their dealings.

Roup Can Be Eradicated Only With Difficulty

Fowls suffering from roup in such mild form that its presence passes unobserved and frequently unsuspected often introduce the disease into a flock, from which it can be eradicated only with great difficulty, according to Dr. C. C. Lipp, director of the animal health laboratory at South Dakota State college. Three types of roup are common—the comb, the nasal and the mouth types. The symptoms include small scabby swellings on comb and wattle, nasal discharges and difficult noisy breathing, and small scabby areas on the tongue, mouth lining and throat. There is also reduced vitality and egg production, and frequently death in from one to three weeks.

Careful Culling Will Improve Egg Production

T. S. Townsley, poultry culling specialist at the college of agriculture, University of Missouri, says that since pullet culling is based upon estimates of the future production, while hen culling is based upon characteristics which indicate past production, pullet culling is not so much of an exact science as is the culling of hens. He adds that such can be done, however, toward improving the average production of the flock, by carefully culling the pullets before the laying season starts, using as a basis the rate of maturity, general vigor, quality, and laying type.

Laying Pullets Require Abundance of Good Grain

Laying pullets need an abundance of grain to keep the body warm and maintain the small surplus of fat needed by all good layers, stated Prof. A. G. Phillips of the Purdue university poultry department.

A higher percentage of grain should be fed from October to January, slightly less from January to March and a normal ration in the spring. This enables pullets to keep up the body weight and still produce eggs. Most pullets that were early hatched, properly matured and ready to lay in the winter fell down on the job when cold weather hit them, because they were too thin.

Poultry Facts

Clean, infertile eggs will bring a better price on the open market.

Hens are heavy feeders and will lay more eggs if you give them a light so they can see to eat.

Chicks hatched from weak parents never make as good growth under the same conditions as those produced from healthy stock.

Old geese should only be plucked when the feathers are ripe. Breeding geese cannot be reasonably expected to yield a crop of feathers and lay vigorous, hatchable eggs.

Hens under lights, giving them 14 feeding hours each day, made an extra profit of ninety cents per hen above those having only normal daylight hours, find poultry workers of the North Carolina State college.

A pinch of sodium fluoride on the neck, under the wings, region of the vent, fluff, breast, etc., will kill the blue lice on the hens. The hens should be treated so as to keep the lice from getting on the young birds.

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Boys' Heavy Sweaters, 48c each
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5-gal. Nameled Pots, for 98c each
\$1.48 Coffee Mills, for 98c each
Cameo Cigarettes, \$1.20 per carton
Chesterfield Cigarettes, \$1.20 per carton
Piedmont Cigarettes, \$1.20 per carton
Pineapple, 5c can
New Orleans Syrup, in bulk 80c gal
Leave your order of Xmas Oysters
Mandolins, 15c each
Lotto, 15c
Black Hawk Brand, \$1.95 bag
Pillsbury Flour, \$1.25 bag
Gold Metal Flour, \$1.25 bag
Ford Auto Chains, \$2.48
Flour Shares, 70c each
Ford Roadster Tops, \$2.98 each
Ford Touring Tops, \$3.98 each
Muskrat Traps, \$1.60 doz
Flash Lights complete 69c each
Congoleum Mats for under stoves, 29c
Congoleum Rugs, \$5.00
Polarine Auto Oil, 55c gal
Yard Wide Muslin, 10c yd
Horse Collars, \$1.39 each
Inlaid Linoleum, \$1.25 per yard
Mascot Auto Tires, \$5.98 each
Buffet, \$11.98 each
Table Syrup, 59c gal

Wash Boiler, 98c each.

Kitchen Cabinets, \$34.98 each
50-lb Salt Blocks for Stock 59c each
56-lb bag Coarse Salt, 49c bag
140-lb. bag Coarse, for 98c bag
Beef Scrap, \$2.98 per 100 lb
Excel Tractor Oil, 49c gal
Ford Auto Springs, \$1.69 each
Full Set Ford Fenders, \$9.98 set
Ac Spark Plugs, 49c each
Dynamite for sale
Dates, 15c box
Laver Figs, 29c lb
Figs, 9c pack
Bon-Bons, 25c lb
Peanut Brittle, 25c lb
4 bars Palm Olive Soap, for 25c
1-lb Rumford Baking Powder, for 29c Can
Oyster Shell, 90c per 100 lb. bag
Walter Baker Chocolate, 8c bar
Eagle Tractor Oil, 60c gal
Children's Hose, 10c pair
Spad Timers for Ford Cars, \$2.39
Columbia Phonograph Records, 11c
We buy McCormick Potatoes
Roofing Paint, 69c gal
School Buckets, 10c each

Children's Underwear, 50c
Boys' Fleece Shirts or Drawers, 69c
Boys' Knit Union Suits, 98c
Boys' Knit Union Suits, 48c
Arbuckle's Coffee, 39c lb
Men's Fleece Shirts or Drawers, 69c
3 pks. Post Toasties for 25c
3 pks Kellogg's Corn Flakes for 25c
Cheese, 29c lb
3-lb. Raisins for 25c
Cabbage, 2c lb
Lewis Linseed Oil, \$1.05 per gal
Tire Reliners all Sizes, 50c each
8x10 Window Glass, 49c doz
Clay Pigeons for sale
Alarm Clocks, 98c each
Ford Carburetors, \$3.75 each
Kirkman's Soap, 6c cake
Dried Peaches, 10c lb
Gold Seal Congoleum, 39c sq. yard
Bed Blankets, \$1.39 each
2 Cans Salmon for 25c
Cocoa, 5c lb
Rexoline Motor Oil, 49c gal
Muslin, 7 1/2c yd
Havoline Cup Grease, 15c lb
Iron Beds, \$5.00 each
Box of 25 Cigars for 50c
lb. Pack Macaroni for 10c
Dark Green Window Shades, 39c each
High Chairs, \$2.25 each
Tractor Kerosene 10c gal (drum lots)
Tractor Kerosene 11c gal (less lots).
Chilled Shot Shells, 98c box 7 1/2 shot
Boys' Slip-on Sweaters, 48c each
10-peck Bag of New York Potatoes, for \$1.98.

XXXX Powdered Sugar, 9c lb
Fresh Crackers, 11c lb in 3 1/2 lb cans
3 large Packs Cream Corn Starch, for 25c
Bed Mattress, \$4.48 each
2 pks Camel Cigarettes for 25c
50-lb. Box Dynamite, \$9.75
2 pks Chesterfield Cigarettes for 25c
Air Tight Wood Heaters, for \$1.48 and up.
Men's Knit Union Suits, \$1.48 each
Men's Fleece Union Suits, \$1.48
Wood for sale sawed ready for stove,
Wood Sawn ready for the stove, 29c 100 lb
Stock Syrup, 20c gal
Cornmeal, 4c lb
Sleds, 98c each
Babbitt's 1776 Powder, 5c box
Kenney's Coffee, 29c lb
Gal. Table Syrup, 59c gal
25-lb Raisins, for \$1.98 box
Ford Radiators, \$11.98 each
Jersey Gloves, 19c pair
Amoskeag Gingham, 14c yard
Gillette Razor Blades, 39c pack
O. N. T. Cotton, 4 1/2 Spool
Clothes Pins, 1c doz
Table Tumblers, 39c doz
Babbitt's Soap, 5c cake
Galvanized Pails, 15c each
Gum Boots, \$2.39 per pair
Butcher Knives, 25c each
Women's Rubber Shoes, 48c pair
Black Powder Gun Shells, 75c box
Smokeless Gun Shells, 70c box
Girls' Sweaters, 98c each
Women's Sweaters, 98c each

Matting, 25c yard.
Sleds, 98c each
1gal. Pie Peaches, 25c can
Cotton Seed Meal, \$2.45 per 100 lb
Gal. Can Table Syrup, 59c can
Florida Oranges, 19c doz
Wood sawed for stove, \$6.98 per cord
Comb and Brush Sets, \$1.39 each
Toy Violins, 25c each
Shovels and Pails, 10c each
Train of Cars, 98c each
Toy Banks, 10c each
Dolls, 5c each and up
Toy Tractors, 48c each
Dolls, 25c each and up
Medford Store will be closed Christmas and New Years Day
Mamma Dolls, 98c each
Toy Drums, 10c each
Climbing Monkeys, 15c each
Toy Automobiles, 48c each
Alabama Coon Jiggers, 48c each
Harmonicas, 5c each and up
Ask for Free Calendar
1-lb jar Prince Albert Tobacco, \$1.25
Cornmeal, 2c lb for poultry
Leather Jackets, \$2.98 each
Suit Cases, 98c each
Dirt Shovels, 25c each

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They are hand embroidered and will make Christmas gifts that any woman would appreciate.

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SILK NIGHT GOWNS OR ENVELOPE CHEMISES
The gowns are of crepe de chine in sleeveless models. The envelope are of rayon silk or crepe de chine.

\$4.95

WOMEN'S FLANNELETTE NIGHT GOWNS
Plain white or in assorted color stripes; collar, collarless and slip-on models.

\$1.95



WOMEN'S HEAVY COAT STYLE SWEATERS
Button front in the jumbo stitch; colors, maroon, navy and white. Sizes 38 to 46.

\$8.95

HEAVY STITCH HOCKEY CAPS
With pompon; for skating. Colors, maroon, navy, tan and white.

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BOYS' NECKTIES WITH METAL PENCILS
The ties are knitted and are Rayon (artificial silk). The pencils are in metal container.

59c



WOMEN'S WHITE GOLD-FILLED WRIST WATCHES
Six-jewel movement; imitation sapphire stem; mounted on moire ribbon; good time.

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Patent, morocco, beaver, calf and novelty leathers. Underarm, swaggar and tailored shapes.

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Maire and Pekin stripes; good quality moire lining; fitted with good size mirror and purse.

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Products of America's foremost perfumers; choice of many delightful odors.

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In vanity metal containers; silver or gold effects; containing face powder and rouge; mirror and puff, all the popular shades.

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WOMEN'S NOVELTY GLOVES

Of French kid; 1 clasp at wrist; fleece cuff or turnback cutout designs or embroidered. P. K. and overseam sewn, beige, heaver, brown, grey, black with white.

\$4.50

WOMEN'S GLOVES

Two-clasp French kid, contrasting embroidery, overseam sewn. Beaver, beige, grey, black and sand, black with white.

\$2.75

WOMEN'S SILK STOCKINGS

Full fashioned with lisle rarter top, medium weight. Colors, stone grey, racquet penny, airdale, new silver, nude, "awn and black.

\$1.95

It Happened in Boston

There had been a visitor, and to the lad she said: "And so this is little Walter? My, my! What a big boy you've grown to be! I wouldn't have believed it possible!"
"Mother," said Walter when the visitor had gone, "doesn't it pass your comprehension how persons in whom one would naturally expect an ordinary degree of intelligence appear to believe, all history and nature to the contrary notwithstanding, that the children of their acquaintance will always remain infants, and persist in expressing surprise when they observe the perfectly natural increase in one's stature?"—Washington Star.

Knew His Business

The storekeeper in a little country town was a smart business man, indeed. He knew just when to strike and just when the iron was hot enough. That was how he had built up such a prosperous business.
"Miss Smith," he said to one of his assistants, "do you know anything about the new minister who is coming to the town next week?"
"Yes," replied the girl, "he is a tall, good-looking man, about twenty-eight, and he isn't married."
"Is that so?" said the proprietor briskly. "Miss Smith, you may put all the new hats in the shop into the front window right away."

Unable to Oblige

An actor was stopped one day by a pretty girl, who pinned a yellow chrysanthemum in his buttonhole, gave him a dazzling smile and hurried off without a word.
The actor went on his way and that evening received a note from the girl, reminding him of the afternoon's romantic episode and asking him to send her two seats as a memento of the occasion.
The actor, with a grim smile, snatched up a postcard and wrote the pretty girl these lines:
"I should be delighted to send you the seats you ask for as a memento, but on personal investigation at the theater I find that they are all nalled down."

Old Mystic Ceremonies

The Orphic mysteries were mystic ceremonies in honor of Bacchus (Dionysus) Zagreus, observed by the followers of Orpheus at a very early period in the history of Greece. These Orphic worshippers of Bacchus, however, did not practice the licentious rites usually characteristic of the "Dionysia" or "Bacchalia," but aimed rather at an ascetic purity of life. They dressed in white linen garments and ate no animal food save what was yielded by the sacrificed to Dionysus.

Chamois Skin Demand

There has been an increase in the production of chamois skins in the Niort district of France. The estimated production of 1923 was 125,000 dozen skins, compared with 120,000 in 1922. The local glove industry absorbed the major part of the production, and there has been a marked increase in the shipments to the United States, which took 10,953 dozen chamois skins, valued at \$235,820, in 1923, as compared with 2,888 dozen skins, valued at \$63,172 in 1922, and 5,562 dozen skins, valued at \$77,099, in 1921.

Acres of Flowers

Each year there are acres of flowers, roses, lilies, violets and others, raised in France and southern Italy to supply the world's increasing demand for perfumes. The process of extraction of the oils exuded by the flowers is quite lengthy and millions of freshly picked blossoms are required to make the supply equal the demand. Large distilleries have recently been built in southern Italy for the extraction of valuable oils from citrus fruit rind which yields essential oils in the making of perfume.

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 items contributor are 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. E. Thursday morning. Letters mailed on Thursday evening may not reach us in time.

LEAR DALE.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Slifer entertained at dinner, the following guests at their home on Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Elmer King, of Union Mills; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Study and daughter, Hilda, of Silver Run; Mr. and Mrs. William Bishop, of Littlestown; Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Dutterer, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bankert and son, Harvey, and Mr. and Mrs. William Study and sons, Edgar and Howard, of near Silver Run.

Herbert Crouse, of Gettysburg, spent Saturday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Crouse.

Those who spent Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blizard were: Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Heltridde and daughters, Mary and Virginia, and Mrs. David Wintrose, all of Hanover.

Austin C. Sauerwein, of Baltimore; William Keiss, Misses Martha Dhrer and Freida Frank, of Lansdowne, Md., spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Sauerwein and family.

William Bankert has purchased a player piano.

Mr. and Mrs. Landis Wintrose and grand-daughter, Mary Wintrose, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Crouse and son, Lawrence, spent Sunday evening as the guests of the former's daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Shanfelter.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Noel and daughter, spent Saturday with Calvin Rickrode and sister, Miss Vertie.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bankert entertained at their home, on Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Palmer, of Littlestown; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Spangler, Mr. and Mrs. James Stair and sons, Clarence and Kenneth, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Spangler and daughter, Mary; Charles and Thomas Gouker.

Clarence Crouse, of Columbia, spent Monday visiting his brother, Hobson D. Crouse and family, of near Two Taverns.

Miss Edith Lemmon spent Friday with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Slick, of near Walnut Grove school-house.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Leatherman and daughter, Esther, of Mummansburg, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William M. Lemmon and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin S. Myers and daughter, Pauline, and son, Walter; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rickrode spent Sunday with the latter's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Geisy, of near Abbottstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Lemmon and son, Eugene, spent several days as the guests of Mrs. Lemmon's parents, Rev. and Mrs. E. K. Leatherman, of Hampton.

LINWOOD.

Walter Brandenburg and wife, and Claude Etzler, wife and daughter, Jane, spent Sunday with Mrs. Warfield, of Frederick.

Calvin Binkley and family, visited friends in Hagerstown, over the week-end.

Miss Mary Senseney spent last week with Samuel Pfutz and family.

Joseph Langdon and family, of New Windsor, were Sunday visitors in the home of Mrs. James Etzler.

John Drach and daughter, Miss Bertha, motored to Baltimore, on Sunday.

Miss Adelaide Messler entertained to supper, Wednesday evening, Miss Weant and Miss Willhide, of New Windsor.

Some of the members of the Parent Teachers' Association gave a very quaint and enjoyable entertainment last Wednesday evening. We are pleased to note the interest manifested in these monthly programs. Through this organization our hall and public school rooms have been wired and fitted with electricity.

Alva C. Garner, of Owings Mills, was here with his home folks, over Sunday.

A sacred cantata entitled, "God's Gift of Love," will be given by the young people of the Linwood Brethren Church, Friday, Dec. 26, at 8:00 o'clock. A silver offering will be taken at the door.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Haines visited friends in Darnestown, Montgomery Co., over the week-end.

NORTH EAST CARROLL.

The Ladies Home Missionary Society of St. David's Reformed church rendered a very delightful program, on Sunday evening. Miss J. Marion Jones, of Philadelphia, delivered a very interesting lecture.

William Bubb is at present suffering with blood poisoning in his hand, as a result of treating a horse that had lock jaw.

From last reports heard, Charles Leese, who is confined to the Maryland General Hospital, Baltimore, is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Black and daughters, Corrine and Garnet, of Manchester, visited at the home of Howard Bowman and family, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker Month and son, David, of Greenmount, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Month, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Leppo and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Zentz visited at the home of the latter's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zentz and wife, of Baltimore, on Sunday.

UNIONTOWN.

Mrs. Rhoda Waltz is spending the week with John Newcomer's family, near Overlea.

Miss Nellie Hann left, Sunday, for a visit in Philadelphia.

Quite a number have been victims of the grip colds, that have been going the rounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hoch, of Columbia, visited at Rev. J. H. Hoch's, on Sunday.

Our Sunday Schools are busy rehearsing for Christmas services. Sunday evening, Dec. 21 a pageant entitled, "The Heart of the Bells," will be given at the M. P. Church.

Tuesday evening, Dec. 23 at the Bethel the pageant, "When the Stars Shown" will be rendered.

Christmas Eve the Lutheran School will present the Pageant, "The Light that Ne'er Fades."

The burial of Mrs. Harriet Baker, widow of the late Henry Baker, was held in the M. P. cemetery, Thursday, Dec. 11. Rev. J. E. Lowe having charge of the services at the grave. Her body was brought from Baltimore where she died. The family were former residents of this place.

Mrs. Alice Kemp and Charles Lamb of Hanover, spent some time here, on Monday. We were glad to see them back.

The Christmas spirit is in the air—the ladies are busy with their embroidery and crocheting, and packages are traveling through the mail.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Weaver received a very nice gift from their daughter, Miss M. Nellie Weaver, of Holtsville, N. Y., a Senora Victrola. So now Mr. Weaver will be kept busy putting on the records.

MAYBERRY.

Miss M. Obel Bortner, of Hanover, spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob N. Hetrick and family.

Benjamin Fleagle, of Baltimore, returned home Thursday, after spending some time with his daughter, Mrs. Theodore Keefer and family.

Word was received here of the death of Mrs. Harvey Flickinger, in Baltimore. Mrs. Flickinger was well known around here.

The family of Denton Byers was on the sick list, but are much improved at this writing.

Paul Wildison has purchased a touring car.

Little Miss Mae Hymiller has returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hymiller, after spending some time in Baltimore, with friends.

Those who spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Ellis E. Crushong and family were: Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Crushong and daughter, Pauline, and son, Harry, of Hanover; Mrs. Harry Wildison, daughter, Irene. Paul H. Wildison also called at the same place, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Crushong called on Mrs. D. W. Crolley, of Good Intent, and delivered her a hog, all ready butchered, on Friday.

Abram Crushong has returned to school after being absent on account of illness.

EMMITSBURG.

Lloyd Ohler and Roy Gelwicks have rented the garage, at the east end of town, formerly managed by W. B. Clark. They took possession on Monday.

H. W. Baker has purchased the Annan Horner property, on West Main St.

The members of the Lutheran Church will hold their annual bazaar, on Saturday afternoon and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Gross, moved into their new home, this week.

The Chautauqua was well attended, and sufficient guarantors were procured for their return next year.

Edw. Hopp, who was injured in an automobile accident, a few weeks ago and was taken to the Waynesboro Hospital, returned to his home, last week, very much improved.

Mrs. Mahlon Stonesifer was given a handkerchief and card shower, on her birthday. She was remembered by her many friends.

Miss Louise Nelson, of the Children's Aid Society of Frederick Co., gave an interesting talk to the Woman's Club, of this place, last Thursday afternoon. Miss Nelson has arranged a Christmas party, to be given at the Armory, on the afternoon of Dec. 13, to the needy children of the county, also Frederick City. The Woman's Club of this place has arranged to send a bus load from this community.

BLUE RIDGE COLLEGE.

The play last Thursday night, "Just Plain Mary" by the Senior Class of the High School was exceptionally well rendered and was thoroughly enjoyed by a large audience.

The program on Friday evening by the "Adanac Male Quartet" was pronounced by many as the best ever presented to a New Windsor audience. The music was of the highest type. The beautiful blending of the voices, lacking in many quartets, was very marked. The next number on the lyceum course is a lecture by Private Peat, on January 26. His subject is "The Inexcusable Lie."

Rev. Charles D. Bonsack, of Elgin, Illinois, and Dr. John A. Garber, of Washington, were among the visitors who enjoyed the program of the Adanac Male Quartet.

Dr. Henry delivered an address last Sunday morning at Rally Day Exercises in Methodist Protestant church in Union Bridge. A male quartet from Hagerstown gave the special music.

Professors Kinsey and Brumbaugh conducted a Bible Institute at Reisterstown Church of the Brethren last Sunday.

A group of volunteers of the Mission Band from the College gave two programs in Martinsburg, West Virginia, last Sunday.

The Bible Institute opened on Wednesday evening with a lecture by Dr. Ezra Flory of Elgin, Illinois.

HARNEY.

Harry Stambaugh's sale, on last Thursday, was largely attended, and things generally brought fair prices. On Tuesday, Mr. Stambaugh moved to Littlestown, where he expects to make his home, for the present. He has accepted a position with the Rumly people, and we are informed has been given the management of three counties. We are sorry to lose him in this community, but wish him success in his new field of labor.

Paul LeGore and wife moved to the Jones Ohler farm, on Tuesday, and have now commenced house keeping for themselves. The young couple have our best wishes in their present undertaking.

On last Friday evening, the Past Commander's Association of York and Adams counties, to which organization a number of our Past Commanders belong, held their monthly meeting in the A. O. K. of the M. C. Hall, at this place. Owing to the very rainy day and evening, there were not as many present as was expected; but in spite of bad weather and bad roads, about 150 persons attended the meeting. Several carloads of visitors were present from York, also several from Littlestown, and quite an enjoyable evening was spent together. The principal addresses were made by Mr. Brumgard, of Littlestown, who is President of the Association, and Mrs. Haner, of York, followed by a number of short addresses by visitors and home people. Mrs. Beulah Eckenrode and Mrs. Luella Fream sang several duets; thanks ladies for the favor. After the meeting closed, all were invited to the first floor of the hall, where refreshments were served in abundance, and all enjoyed that part of the program to the full extent, and the fact was clearly demonstrated that all present had good appetites. May many more such evening be spent together.

Jones Ohler is able to be out and around again, but must be very careful for some time to come.

On last Monday, while Joseph Snider was looking at his traps, he had the misfortune to slip and fall, striking the hammer of a rifle he was carrying, on a rock, causing it to go off. The bullet passed through his arm, between the shoulder and elbow. Fortunately, he was near Flem Hoffman's, who seen him fall, and heard the shot. Snider directed the creek to get over to the house, to get it bandaged up, but he fainted and fell before reaching the house. If the Hoffman's had not seen him, he would have died from loss of blood; but being somewhat used to bad accidents, they bandaged the arm very tight to stop the flow of blood, and took him to his home. A doctor was hastily summoned to examine and dress the wound. Fortunately, the bone was not injured. At this writing he is doing fairly well.

Many of our people are suffering from what some call the devil's grip. They all say it is the worst they ever had.

Mrs. E. M. Staub is again confined to her bed. She has been afflicted for a number of years. Mr. Staub expects to move to Littlestown, in the near future, where he has secured employment.

DIED.

Obituary notices and resolutions, charges at the rate of 15c per line. The regular death notices published free.

MR. JACOB H. ROUTSON.

Mr. Jacob H. Routson, died at Union Bridge, on Monday, following an extended illness, aged 72 years. Mr. Routson formerly lived in Taneytown district, his wife having been a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Martin.

He is survived by two daughters and three sons. Funeral services were held at Baust Reformed Church, on Wednesday afternoon, by Rev. Murray E. Ness.

MR. GEO. A. UTERMÄHLEN.

Mr. George A. Utermahlen died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Arthur Stevenson, Frizellburg, last Saturday morning, aged 70 years, 10 months, 20 days, after an illness of several weeks. He is survived by the following children: John, Westminster; Oliver and Harry, of Baltimore; Charles Utermahlen and Mrs. William Coe, of Hanover; Mrs. Carl Nygren, of Ohio, and Mrs. Arthur Stevenson; also by one brother, John F. Utermahlen, of Pleasant Valley.

He was a member of Camp No. 7, P. O. S. of A., of Pleasant Valley, and of the K. of P., of Frizellburg. Funeral services were held on Monday morning, at the Pleasant Valley Church, in charge of his pastor, Rev. A. G. Wolf, of Silver Run.

MRS. ELLA STOVER.

Mrs. Ella Stover died at the home of her brothers, George and David Carbaugh, near Taneytown, late Thursday night, from complications, aged 71 years, 3 months, 22 days. Funeral services will be held Monday meeting at the house at 10 o'clock, with further services at Baust Church, in charge of Rev. Lowe, assisted by Rev. Ness; interment in Baust cemetery.

She is survived by her husband, John Stover, who resides in York, and three sisters, Misses Maria, Sarah and Mary Carbaugh, at home; and five brothers, George and David Carbaugh, at home, Edward Carbaugh, of Mayberry; Charles and Frank Carbaugh, of Fairview.

CARD OF THANKS.

Our thanks are hereby extended to all friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us in any way during the illness and following the death of our dear sister, Mrs. Caroline Whitmore.

BY THE FAMILY.

CARD OF THANKS.

All friends and neighbors are earnestly thanked for their kindness and help, following the death, and at the funeral of my brother.

THOMAS ANGELL.



People who have that enviable ability to choose appropriate gifts usually select something useful. Useful gifts are sure to please. The Christmas Merchandise now on display in our Store offers shoppers an Unusual Selection of Sensible Gifts, appropriate for every member of the family.



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- Electric Irons
- Electric Washers
- Electric Cleaners
- Fancy Baskets
- Silverware
- Pyrex
- Aluminum Ware
- Oil Heaters
- Thermos Bottles
- Thermal Jars
- Oil Cook Stove
- Food Choppers
- Ladies Scissors and Shears
- Phonograph and Records
- Reading Lamps
- Rayo Lamps
- Freezers
- Knife Sharpeners
- Stainless Cutlery
- Roasters
- Manicure Sets
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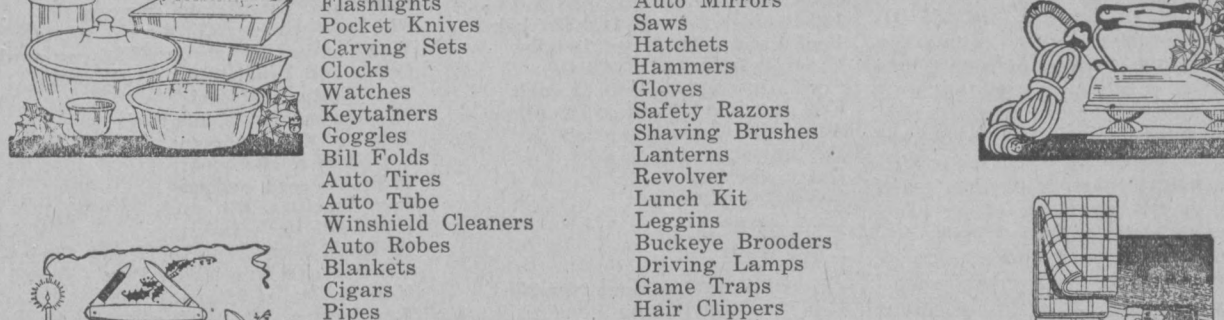
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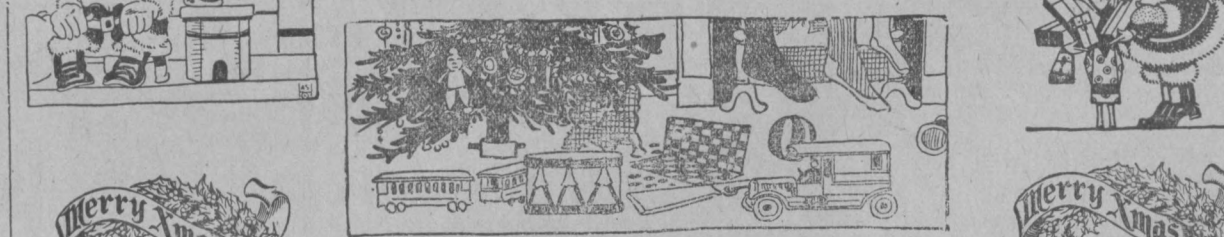


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- Bats
- Tennis Balls
- Tennis Rackets
- Pocket Knives
- Watches
- Books
- Scoters
- Toy Telephones
- Rifles
- Air Rifles
- Flashlights
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- Child's Tea Sets
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REAL 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 especially 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, 50c for delivery of Calves all day Tuesday or Wednesday morning. Geo. W. Motter.

WANTED.—Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Lard, Squabs and Calves at highest prices. 50c a head for delivering Calves. Highest prices paid for Hides and Furs of all kinds.—Frances E. Shaum's Produce. Phone 3-J 3-28-tf

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THROUGH a misrepresentation, my Farm, near Kumps Station, is again for rent.—John D. Devilbiss, Taneytown.

THERE WILL be a Christmas entertainment, by Washington School, Monday evening, Dec. 22, at 8 o'clock. Good eats will be sold after the entertainment. 12-12-2t

BLACK POLAND China Male Hog, for sale by Charles R. Hockensmith, near Taneytown.

I HAVE A Carload of Egg Cases—must be moved at once—cheap on car. Phone, or write at once.—L. K. Birely, Middleburg, Md. 12-12-2t

AN ENTERTAINMENT and Social will be held at Oregon School, Tuesday, Dec. 16. Everybody welcome. If rainy will be held the following evening.

YOUNG GUINEAS WANTED, 2 lb and over, \$1.70 pair.—F. E. Shaum. 12-12-2t

WILL THERE be a Piano or Player Piano in your home this Christmas? Special prices now. If you cannot call at one of our stores, send for catalogue.—Nace's Music Stores, Inc., Hanover, Pa., Gettysburg, Pa., New Oxford, Pa., Hampstead, Md. 12-5-3t

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WILL THERE be a Radio in your home this Christmas? Special prices now. If you cannot call at one of our stores, send for catalogue.—Nace's Music Stores, Inc., Hanover, Pa., Gettysburg, Pa., New Oxford, Pa., Hampstead, Md. 12-5-3t

BABY CHICKS and Custom Hatching. We will start hatching in January. Capacity 7000 eggs per week. Plant has been overhauled and enlarged. Let us book your orders now.—Reindollar Bros. & Co. 12-5-1t

JUST RECEIVED carload Latest Type New Idea Spreaders, will give special deals quick.—James M. Saylor, Motters, Md., Phone 56F2 Emmitsburg. 11-28-8t

13 NICE SHOATS, for sale by Geo. F. Stonesifer, on Kemp farm. 12-5-2t

FAT HOGS WANTED.—Light weights.—Rockward Nussbaum, Phone Taneytown 12-3. 11-14-1t

LOST.—White Male Collie, 1 Brown Ear; Licensed and Registered: Sunday morning, July 13. Liberal reward for information.—J. L. Gloninger, care Valley View Farm, Emmitsburg, Md. 7-25-1t

FIREWOOD! FIREWOOD to burn sawed to short stove length, and delivered.—Harold Mehring. 9-12-1t

YOU CANNOT feed Hogs at a profit without TANKAGE.—Taneytown Reduction Plant. 9-2-1t

NOTICE.—I'm going to make Brooms again this winter. Bring in your broom corn.—F. P. Palmer. 11-28-1t

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Our Letter Box

Under this heading we will be glad to publish letters from former Carroll-countians, who are now away from home; and especially letters from those whose home is Taneytown. These letters are very interesting to many, and we should be glad to publish one or more each week. On account of their length, it is not always convenient to use letters on first page, and will hereafter use the 4th. or 5th. page.

Reminiscent Old Native-Taneytown-er's Third Contribution.

Remember.—When a silo was unthought of by the farmer?

When the country was infested by pack-peddlers?

When everyone wore long linen dusters out driving, and on railway trains; in the late spring, summer-time and early fall?

When lumber—and timber—construction were commonly joined by mortising, and the use of wooden pegs instead of nails or spikes?

The community apple-paring bee, at making apple-butter in the big caldron-kettle, hung on an iron frame out o' doors, over a wood-fire, with the children usually taking turns at stirring?

The oven-roasting of coffee and its being then ground up in the box-grinder, held between the knees? the common use of coffee-essence, or chicory? the occasional substitution of roasted rye-grains?

When the negro slaves, of summer-evenings and Sundays, would hold uproariously high merry-making outside their grouped cabins? cavorting around in dancing-whirls, excited by the soulful banjo-strings?

When one washed face and hands with water in tin basins, either in the kitchen-sink or on a bench close by, and dried on a long roller-towel—the last washer finding it all wet, except, may be, a little strip along the edges?

When what downright wonders were a mowing-machine, then a reaper, last the binder? the steam-thresher, then the separator-combination? a lawn-mower, then its cut grass-collecting sack? the washing-machine and the clothes-wringer? the wire-strand clothes-line and the wire-fence?

When 'twas customary at the erection of the skeleton frame-work of a building, particularly a barn, that, from miles 'round, men neighborly would assemble and effect "the raising," while their womenfolk would join the hostess in the preparation and service of a big dinner—the only material reward for the visitors?

When there were cornhusking parties, 'way into the night, of the home-folk and the foregathered neighbors, followed by a great feast indoors? at which times, if a coy maiden or bashful swain chanced on the red ear-por-tent of an early marriage how she or he were unmercifully teased? more especially so, as indicating their own nuptials, if two such ears turned up or one to each of them?

WM. A. GOLDEN,

Pittsburgh.

KEYSVILLE.

John Albaugh, wife and son, and Mrs. Alice Albaugh, of Linwood spent Sunday with George Frock and wife. Miss Olive Ritter is spending a few days in Taneytown.

The Christian Endeavor Service, this Sunday evening, will be in the form of a camp-fire meeting. Everybody invited. A special collection will be asked.

Miss Hazel Inskeep spent the week-end in Westminster.

BRIDGEPORT.

Miss Rosa Anna Sites, of Emmitsburg, was the guest of Miss Violet Kempfer, on Sunday.

Tom's Creek Sunday School will hold their Christmas entertainment, on Sunday evening, Dec. 21st.

Clarence Putman and wife, visited relatives in Chambersburg, this week. Aaron Veant and wife, attended the funeral of Mrs. V's sister, Mrs. Mary Croft, of Union Mills, on Tuesday.

Miss Vesta Hockensmith, of Western Maryland College, visited her parents, Wm. Hockensmith and wife, one day this week.

Miss Annie Smith, who has been sick, is improving.

LITTLESTOWN.

The funeral of Cornelius King, a veteran of the Civil War, who died at his home near town, Wednesday, Dec. 3, was held Saturday at his late home with further services in St. John's Lutheran Church, Rev. George H. Eveler, officiating. Interment was made in the cemetery adjoining the church. The pall-bearers were: Harry and Clayton Fink, Luther Slifer, Edw. Plunkert, Raymond Hiltbrich and William Stair.

Messrs George Julius and Calvin Wintrose are confined to their houses on account of a bad case of hiccoughs.

Miss Catherine Frock, of Piney Creek, spent Sunday as the guest of her cousin, Miss Gertrude Stover.

Mrs. Fannie Staley and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sterner, of York, spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Lucinda Sterner.

Mrs. Fern Staley, of Harrisburg, returned to her home in that place after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Mummert.

OAK GROVE SCHOOL will hold an entertainment next Friday night, Dec. 19th. If weather is unfavorable, will be held 22nd.

FOR SALE.—Fine Homes, improved by Brick and Frame Houses and all improvements, in and out of town.—D. W. Garner, Real Estate Broker. 10-5-1t

MELROSE.

It is said the name of "Melrose" in America, originated from Melrose Abbey, in London, England.

Mrs. Charles Sandruck, Mrs. C. J. Sauble and Nellie A. Zepp, of our town spent Wednesday in Baltimore, shopping.

After an absence of 18 months, our genial friend, Harry K. Shaffer, came back to Melrose to be welcomed by his many friends. He was working in Akron, Ohio, and came east for a brief rest.

John Chamberlain recently purchased six sheep for his farm, claiming they are more profitable than cows.

On Sunday morning the sermon on "The Redeeming power of Jesus' Love" at the Brethren Church here in town was good, because of the thankful features in it.

Rev. Reimeyer, pastor of the Emmanuel Lutheran Church of Manchester, has inaugurated a splendid work by publishing a monthly paper calling it "The Lutheran News."

A large bread truck having a daily route between Baltimore and Hanover, accidentally got off the highway about one mile north of Melrose, and turned over. No one was hurt, but the truck was damaged. They telephoned to headquarters for help, and soon were on their way home.

DETOUR.

Mrs. Daisy Haskins and daughter, Dorothy, of New Jersey, spent a few days with her brother, L. D. Troxell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Frock and family, of near Keysville, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Deberry and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stambaugh spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Whitmore, of near Thurmont.

Miss Christina Coleman has been on the sick list.

Miss Vallie Shorb spent Tuesday in Frederick.

NEW WINDSOR.

Bible term, at the College, this week 10-14. A very good program has been arranged for the meetings.

Work is progressing on Murray Baile's new garage.

Mrs. Donia Mullineaux leaves this week, for Baltimore, where she expects to spend the winter.

David Cantrell and family, have moved into Mrs. A. Bloom's house.

Miss Lila Johnson, of Canada, is visiting her sister, Mrs. John S. Baile.

Word was received here, on Thursday, of the death of John Engle, of Ohio, a former resident of this section.

Edwin Englar and Charles Reid have arrived at Miami, Florida, where they expect to remain for the winter.

John H. Roop, who accompanied Charles Baumgardner, of Taneytown, to Tennessee, and other points South, returned home on Wednesday evening, accompanied by Grandville Roop and wife, of Louisburg, N. C.

Mrs. Wm. Frounfelter and Clarence Frounfelter and wife, visited Mrs. Cleason Erb, at Mayberry, on Sunday last.

Dr. and Mrs. Ira Whitehill, of Baltimore, visited in town, on Wednesday.

Dr. Forlines, of Western Maryland College, addressed the Union meeting, last Sunday morning, in the Presbyterian Church, on the "Near East."

A Good Thing - DON'T MISS IT.

Send your name and address plainly written together with 5 cents (and this slip) to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, and receive in return a trial package containing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchial, "flu" and whooping coughs, and tickling throat; Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for stomach troubles, indigestion, gassy pains that crowd the heart, biliousness and constipation; Chamberlain's Salve, needed in every family for burns, scalds, wounds, piles, and skin affections; these valued family medicines for only 5 cents. Don't miss it.

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A Letter to Santa Claus

Dear Children:
If you haven't sent a letter to Santa Claus it's time to write it now. Just as soon as you've finished, bring your letter to our store and mail it in the special Santa Claus Letter Box. Santa Claus wants to hear from you. That's the reason he put the letter box in our store. Each day the letters are sent direct to him. Write your letter soon.

TOYLAND

Toyland Is Open!

YOU'LL find them here—all the nicest gifts that Santa Claus could find for little boys and girls, and grown-ups, too! You'll enjoy a visit to Toyland. It's open now. Come soon—a royal welcome awaits you at Santa Claus' own headquarters.

W. M. OHLER TANEYTOWN, MD.

P. S. Santa Claus will be at our store Saturday, Dec. 13, from 2 to 4 o'clock and from 7 to 9 o'clock.

Christmas Gifts that Will Please!

- MEN'S SILK SHIRTS, in holiday boxes.
- MEN'S UMBRELLAS, all prices.
- MEN'S TIES, in holiday boxes.
- MEN'S INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS, in boxes.
- MEN'S HOSE, Silk or Wool.
- MEN'S SUSPENDERS, and Belts.
- MEN'S HOUSE SLIPPERS, either felt with soft sole, or all leather.
- WOMEN'S COMFY SLIPPERS—nothing will please her more.
- MISSES and CHILDREN'S SLIPPERS, warm and cozy.
- WOMEN'S SILK and WOOL HOSE.

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Beginning Dec. 8, we will give to our customers a beautiful Art Calendar, Let's make this a Merry Christmas.

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Be sure to call and see our display. Mamma Dolls that Walk and Talk. Fine assortment of Mechanical Toys, Books and Games.

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This Grade Cow More than Doubled her Milk Yield in 2 Years!

Early in August, 1921, a grade Holstein was received at the Larro Research Farm, and given a number—158. In 270 days, which constituted her first milking period, she produced 5,651.2 lbs. of milk. In the first 270 days of her next milking period she produced 10,643.3 lbs. And in the first 270 days of her third milking period she gave 13,157.1 lbs. Think of it—an increase of 130% in milk production in two years! And during her first two years on the Larro Farm her weight increased from 843 lbs. to 1226 lbs.—or 45%. There is real profit in such a cow as No. 158 is today. Yet it does not cost much more to feed and maintain her now than it did when her production was less than half what it is. The important point to you is that many of your own cows may show equally satisfactory results with the same management and care—plus Larro. You can easily prove that Larro is a money-maker by trying it on your herd and keeping records of milk produced per dollar spent for feed.

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THE WILLOUGHBY'S FORTUNE

By WALTER SCOTT STORY

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WHY is it some people are money lucky and others are not? How do people make money? How do they get a start?

John Willoughby, bank clerk, had often pondered upon this subject. Like many another man, he was sick and tired of trying to make both ends meet on a small salary.

One afternoon in May he came to his four-room flat more than ever disgusted with things as they were and almost determined to make a move to change his condition.

"Seeger's bill is here, John," announced Violet, his wife, as he was settling down to read his paper. As a matter of fact, the bill had come ten days before. Wives will understand this. "You know—for my blue silk dress."

"How much?" queried John, succinctly.

"Only \$63.27. It was marked down, you know."

John breathed a word fervently—a short one. His economic scheme for the month wobbled.

In a few moments, however, he grinned gamely; then he drew a serious face.

"Say, Violet," he declared, "I'm tired of owing everybody, counting every doggone cent, scrippling, scrippling and trying to make each dollar do for ten. We've just got to make money some way."

"I don't see why you can't make money, John," said Violet, earnestly. "You have as much brains as a good many of our friends who have everything, and—you're much nicer. Why, look at Henry Kirtland! A lot of them do it in real estate, don't they? I've always heard that real estate was the best thing to put money in. You always say so."

"Yes," agreed John, with a husbandly grin.

"We've got seven hundred dollars in the bank," said Violet, sitting down upon his lap. Her silk skirt rustled. John liked that crisp sound; it made him think of ready money.

"That's for a rainy day," he said, seriously, almost rebukingly, as if Violet had suggested laying hands on the ark. "It's taken us six years to save it."

"It's misty now," remarked Violet. "I'll say so," admitted John, a trifle bitterly. It's no great delight to feel that your wife thinks you unequal to the task of making money for her—the elusive sufficiency. "But we mustn't touch it," he added, with finality.

"All right," Violet agreed with him in a way that made it clear she thought differently. If you're a married man, you know how she spoke.

Day after day went by, and John and Violet, after many discussions, began to think that they ought to risk the rainy-day egg in some venture. John's feet grew warm.

The outcome of it was that John drew six hundred dollars from the bank and sank it in some mudholes over on Long Island. You should have seen the deed. It was as good as legal phraseology could make it, and nailed down by proper recording; and it was embellished with green and gold printing. It was fine!

Many a time John and Violet talked about "their land"—mostly marsh—and contemplated automobiles and diamonds and mansions. They enjoyed this anticipation of their wealth. In fact, these talks were the only dividends likely to come from the investment—as they very soon realized.

When it became clear that they had been fleeced by a smooth tongue and by their own eagerness they were angry, of course—with each other. The household gods wept.

"I didn't think you were a fool, John," said Violet, calmly, in a way indicating she had long been sure of it. "I've known it for seven years—seven very long years," retorted John, sarcastically, plainly referring to the time he had assumed the matrimonial bond.

After an hour or two, however, they made up, each at the moment trying to take the blame.

About this time Violet's Uncle Joseph, of Plaintown, Vt., discarded the flesh and left John's wife one thousand dollars blasted out of the granite hills of that rugged state.

"Shall we invest it?" queried John, half serious.

"No," returned Violet, promptly. "I'll put it in the bank in my own name. I don't throw money away."

Violet put her money in the bank. Then time went on as before. John worked on in his little cage and put aside five or ten dollars a month when he could.

One day, however, he came into the apartment with his face aglow with delight.

"What d'ye think, girl!" he cried, almost sang, as he hugged his nineteenth in exuberance. "What d'ye think!"

"What's the matter, John?" asked Violet, quietly. "Do be careful—you're musing my hair! You're a regular bear!"

"A man came to the bank to see me today," said John. He paused for dramatic effect.

"A collector?" queried Violet, whimsically.

"No," laughed John. "Not that. A fellow came and offered me six hundred and fifty dollars for our land!" he declared, triumphantly. "Didn't I tell you it would sell sometime!"

"Did you tell him how poor it was?" "Ha!" exclaimed John. "Yes, I did. I was honest. I said it was in the wilds and mostly marsh, but—smiled. He was hot to buy it." John went into details of his talk. "Now, shall we sell or hold for a bigger rise, Violet?" queried the great speculator grandly.

"Why, sell, John, of course. But, then—it's your land. Do just as you think best."

John sold, and boasted here and there that he had made money in real estate. He let people guess the amount. As a matter of fact, his net profit was less than three dollars.

About three months after the sale he came home again in an excited state, but far from triumphant. He hurled himself into a chair—a big, soft easy chair.

"What's the trouble, dear?" asked Violet, perching on the arm of the chair and smiling upon her lord.

"Trouble!" roared John. "Trouble! Plenty of it! Oh, it makes me sick! There's hoodoo on me! Why," he explained, calmly but bitterly, "they're going to drain off those marsh lands we bought, and the Central's going to have a yard there. If I'd only held on to the land as I wanted, we'd made a barrel of money! I knew that place would be worth money some day!" he added, sourly.

"Why did you sell?" asked Violet. "You told me to."

"I did not. I told you to do what you thought best. I thought as long as we could get out even you might like to sell, John. But you used to say that the land would be valuable some day—couldn't help being—and I would have held it."

"Oh, you'd do wonders!" sneered John. "I'd have held it myself if I hadn't seen you were crazy to let go. And all the time I knew it was going to be a big thing!"

Violet began to cry, and after holding back for a while, John straightened up—physically and spiritually—and took her in his arms and told her that her loyalty and faith and encouragement and love were worth more than all the world—or a million worlds.

"It does make me hot, though," he said, at length, "to think of the way we've missed a big turnover—by misjudgment—the things you want and ought to have."

"Who bought the land from you, John? What was that man's name?" "Why, Smart, the real estate man in Thirtieth street. I knew he was up to something crooked. I remember how he grinned when we finished the deal."

"Was he buying for himself? Or for the railroad, do you think?" "I guess he was buying for himself, but he knew about the Central, all right. Funny I didn't smell a rat. But I suppose I was so glad to get out whole that I didn't think of anything else."

"John!" "Well?" John looked at his wife quickly, for her voice was very queer—soft, caressing, uncertain.

"I wonder whether you'll forgive me," said Violet, with a little catch of the breath. She disengaged herself abruptly from his arms and whisked away, leaving him staring in wonderment. Presently she came back from the bedroom and pressed a long, thick paper into his hand.

John stared at her, then slowly and in a half daze opened the paper. It was a deed he held—a deed to the marsh lands running to Violet A. Willoughby.

"By George!" he exclaimed. He rose slowly and looked with peculiar intentness at Violet, whose eyes were downcast. "You did it, Violet? You bought it with your legacy money?"

Violet looked up, her eyes tear-sparkling, and nodded, her lip quivering.

"To soothe my pride! To make me feel good!" cried John, in a queer, but understanding tone. "Well, by gracious! It ought to turn out as it has, Violet—for your sake." He tossed the deed into the chair and drew Violet into a bearlike hug, kissed her and let her bury her face on his breast and have a happy cry. And his eyes were moist, too.

And that's the way the Willoughbys began.

Not a Fat Part

A girl, winner of a local beauty contest, in which the first prize was a part in a big film play, left her native town the envy and admiration of all her friends.

Weeks passed without news. Then one day she returned and resumed her former occupation.

"But what about acting for the pictures?" she was asked. "Didn't they give you a part?"

"Yes, they gave me a part," she answered, bitterly. "They told me I could be the hand that held the bottle marked 'Poison' in the villain's nightmare."—London Tit-Bits.

Sweets for Fat People

Stout persons, anxious to reduce, usually make a special point of avoiding sweets. This is a mistake, according to Popular Science Monthly, for sweets offer a valuable weapon to those who would lose weight. Too much food is the usual cause of corpulence, and a slim diet offers the obvious remedy. A scant meal, though, does not seem so scant if brought to an end with dessert, and the practice of following lean meals with sweets is recommended as an aid to perseverance with a reducing diet.

WHY Fruit Growers Regard Lady-Beetle as a Friend

Insect friends—hundreds of them at once—are shown in the latest group put on exhibition by the entomological department of the American Museum of Natural History. When we hear of immense numbers of insects, we usually think of injurious kinds, but those shown here swarming over the rocks on the top of a Colorado mountain are "lady-beetles," insects that live from youth to old age by feeding upon either plant lice or scale insects.

There are many kinds of lady-beetles both in the East and in the West. The adult beetles pass the winter securely tucked away under stones, bark, or even in crevices of our own houses. Frequently a number of them hibernate snuggled up to each other as though for mutual warmth, and in the West uncounted thousands gather on the tops of hills and low mountains for their winter sleep.

This habit of the lady-beetles, or, to give them their originally longer name, the Beetles of our Blessed Lady, the Virgin Mary, is neatly turned to man's convenience by the fruit growers of California, who send pack trains to collect the beetles by the ton, keep them peacefully sleeping in cold storage until orchards become infested with man's insect enemies upon which these beetles feed, and then rush the beetles by parcel post to the scene of action.

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Why Success Comes to Young Men in Business

"I have watched many young men climb to the top," says a writer in the Efficiency Magazine, "and I have noticed that there are nearly always four reasons why they succeed."

"First, they make up their minds. They don't drift. They decide—that seems to be the beginning of every career. They choose the jobs that will suit them best and away they go."

"Second, I notice that they are always pleased with themselves and their jobs and their associates. They are happy and keen in their work. They smile their way through."

"Third, they are hungry to learn. They listen as well as talk. They study and think and appreciate the advice of other people. They are never cocksure and unteachable."

"Fourth, they finish what they start. This is a sure sign of a strong personality. There are scores of starters to every finisher. The average man gets stuck fast in his job. The obstacles bring him to a standstill."

Why Insects Don't Sink

Certain insects are known as water skaters, skippers or striders. They move about as freely on water as other insects do on a hard surface.

This they are enabled to do because of the surface film and because their feet are covered with a velvety substance which does not easily get wet, says Nature Magazine. The surface of a liquid acts as if it were covered with an elastic film like a thin rubber membrane.

If an ordinary sewing needle is carefully laid on the surface of water in a basin the needle will float, notwithstanding the fact that the density of steel is greater than that of water.

The needle floats for the simple reason that it is not heavy enough to break through the surface film. It bears down the surface of the water, yet does not break through it.

Why Stamps Are Not Cash

Adhesive postage stamps are not redeemed in cash because there is no authority in law for so doing. It is a measure of protection against the use of stamps for remittances, which use is contrary to the interests of the postal service, since it diverts the postal revenues from their proper channel, causing the mailing post office to do the work while the selling post office gets the revenue. Another objection to redemption is that it would afford opportunity for post office burglars to realize upon their plunder.

Why Smoke Hurts Trees

The Department of Agriculture says soft coal deposits a coating of carbon and coal ash upon the leaves of trees, which interferes with natural functioning of the breathing pores of leaves. Smooth-leaved trees, such as evergreens, suffer most because of the deposit that lies in close contact with the leaf surface. The hairy or woolly leaf coverings of some other trees prevent the forming of a compact coating over the leaf surfaces. Such trees endure a smoky atmosphere much longer.

How Earthquakes Originate

The origin of earthquakes has been traced to two principal causes, the first of which is tectonic, and the second volcanic. The former refers to movements in the earth's crust, known as faults, possibly caused by the shrinking of the interior of the earth by reason of cooling.

Why Justice Is Supreme

Justice and humanity have been fighting their way, like a thunderstorm against the organized selfishness of human nature. God has given manhood but one clew to success—utter and exact justice.—Wendell Phillips.

Why She Attended

Pastor (to four-year-old Lulu)—And what do you go to Sunday school for, my dear? Lulu—To see Tommy Jones.

Like the Postage Stamp

success is dependent upon the ability to stick to a thing until you "get there." Don't be discouraged because you can't save as fast as you would like to. Bring in any sum you can spare.

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A well that pumped beer would be a delightful curiosity. But if every Oil well were to stop pumping Oil, and pump beer instead, not only would there be more beer than could possibly be used—but all of us would be deprived of the blessings of The Red C Oil and The White C Oil, same except in color, the truly fine Kerosene for your Lamps, Stoves and Incubators.

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NO. 5543 EQUITY. In the Circuit Court for Carroll County.

EMILY BOYER MILLER and GLENN E. MILLER, her husband Plaintiffs.

JOHN H. BOYER, Infant, Defendant. Ordered this 27th. day of November, A. D., 1924, by the Circuit Court for Carroll County, sitting as a Court of Equity, that the private sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Glenn E. Miller, Trustee appointed by a decree of this Court to make said sale, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 29th. day of December, 1924, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper, printed in Carroll County, for three successive weeks before the 22nd. day of December, 1924.

The report states the amount of private sale to be \$9650.00.

EDWIN M. MELLOR, JR., Clerk. True Copy Test: EDWIN M. MELLOR, JR., Clerk. EDW. O. WEANT, Attorney. 11-28-24

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Sunday School Lesson

(By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D.D., Dean of the Evening School, Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.)
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Lesson for December 14

THE RAISING OF LAZARUS

GOLDEN TEXT—John 11:45.
LESSON TEXT—"I am the resurrection, and the life."
PRIMARY TOPIC—Jesus Comforts a Family in Trouble.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Lazarus Raised From the Dead.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Christ's Power Over Death.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Christ, the Resurrection and the Life.

I. The Revelation of Christ's Love (vv. 1-36)

The Bethany family held a peculiar place in the affections of Jesus. When the doors of other homes were closed against Him, the door of this home flung wide open to receive Him.

1. Lazarus Sick (vv. 1, 2). Even those who are in close fellowship with the Lord are not immune from sickness.

2. Martha and Mary Send for Jesus (v. 3).

Because they had come to know Jesus more than a mere man they instinctively turned to Him when this shadow fell across their home. Those who receive Jesus into their homes, when all are well and happy, can be sure of His love and sympathy when sickness and death overtake them.

3. Jesus' Strange Delay (vv. 4-19). Martha and Mary sent for Jesus because He loved Lazarus. Now, Jesus "abode in the same place" because He "loved Lazarus and his sisters." Mere human sympathy would have moved Him to hasten to the home of trouble, but Divine love, which rests upon perfect knowledge, caused Him to tarry.

4. Jesus Meets Martha and Mary (vv. 20-37).

Martha and Mary knew the peril to which He would be exposed and therefore did not request that He come, but merely gave Him notice. They were willing that His coming should be left to Him.

(1) Martha Met Jesus (vv. 20-27). As He was nearing the village, Martha, who with her sister had passed through the awful ordeal of the sickness and death of a dear brother, met Him with a complaint for His delay. Because of His love He ignored her complaint and taught her concerning the resurrection and life. Martha, like many today, had a vague belief that God would raise Lazarus some time in the remote future. To her came the compelling declaration, "I am the resurrection, and the life." The great truth to be apprehended is that here and now we are united to the living Christ, the source of life, and that this is the pledge of bodily resurrection and eternal reunion.

(2) Mary Met Jesus (vv. 28-35). Mary came with the same words, but with a different voice and attitude. She fell down at His feet. She had been sitting at His feet in the days of sunshine. Therefore she knew where to go when sorrows cast their shadows across her path. Her words were answered by His tears. "Jesus wept."

II. The Resurrection of Lazarus (vv. 38-44)

The great sympathy now expresses itself in supernatural power. Sympathy would be valueless without its connection with divine power. In this stupendous miracle we see an illustration of the quickening into life of those dead in trespasses and sin.

Observe:

1. He Was Dead. This is a type of the sinner, dead in trespasses and sins, even morally corrupt (Eph. 2:1).

2. The Stone Must Be Rolled Away. This is the part the human must play.

3. In Unbelief Martha Protests Against the Stone Being Removed. She insists that Lazarus had already undergone putrefaction.

4. Christ's Intimacy and Fellowship With the Father as Revealed in His Prayer.

5. His Manner of Dealing With Lazarus. It was by a call. He is calling men and women today by His Spirit, His Word and His providence.

6. The Response of Lazarus Shows That His Call Was With Authority and Power. With the call goes the power to hear and obey, even though one be dead in trespasses and sin and therefore helpless.

7. The People Are Commanded to Remove the Grave-Clothes and Set Him Free. They could not make Lazarus alive, but they could remove the grave-clothes which bound the man whom Christ made alive.

III. The Effect of This Miracle (vv. 45-47)

This mighty work caused division of sentiment. Some believed on Jesus and some went to the Pharisees with the news.

Lacking Something

Some men are all man except heart, brain and "backbone." — American Evangelist.

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No Apology

A three-foot rule does not have to apologize for being thirty-six inches long. — American Evangelist.

THE CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR TOPIC

From Moody Bible Institute Monthly
Chicago, Ill.

December 14
Count and Share Your Blessings
Psalm 107:1-9

The theme of this psalm is found in the first verse. It is the goodness and the mercy of the Lord out of which all our blessings flow. In the nine verses allotted to us, these blessings are displayed. Let us count them and then share them with others.

The first blessing is mentioned in verse two. It is that of redemption God, in the person of His own Son, has become our Redeemer. The cross of Calvary is the place where the great sacrifice was made, where every righteous requirement was met, where sin, death and condemnation were redeemed from the hand of the enemy. The personal apprehension and appropriation of this truth, this gracious provision of God, is the beginning of a life of blessing. Let us lay hold of this principle firmly so that we may indeed have something to share with others. By prayerful interest, by kindly word, by loving deed, by sacrificial gifts for world-wide evangelization, we can bring others into the experimental knowledge of God as the great Redeemer.

In the third verse the additional blessing of separation is presented. The redeemed are gathered out from the East and the West and the North and the South. This indicates precisely what God the Redeemer is doing. To use the words of James in Acts 15:14, God has visited the nations to take out of them a people for His name. Not all will receive the Redeemer as Saviour and Lord. Those who do receive Him are gathered out and form "a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, a peculiar people" showing forth the praises of Him who called them out of darkness into His marvelous light (1 Peter 2:9).

Other blessings may easily be counted in the remaining verses. For example, there is deliverance in times of distress, verse three; guidance in the right way, verse four; satisfaction and fullness in verse nine. No wonder then that the writer exhorts us to "give thanks unto the Lord" and cries out "Oh that men would praise the Lord for his goodness." Let us be among those who do it. Take time to count and share your blessings.

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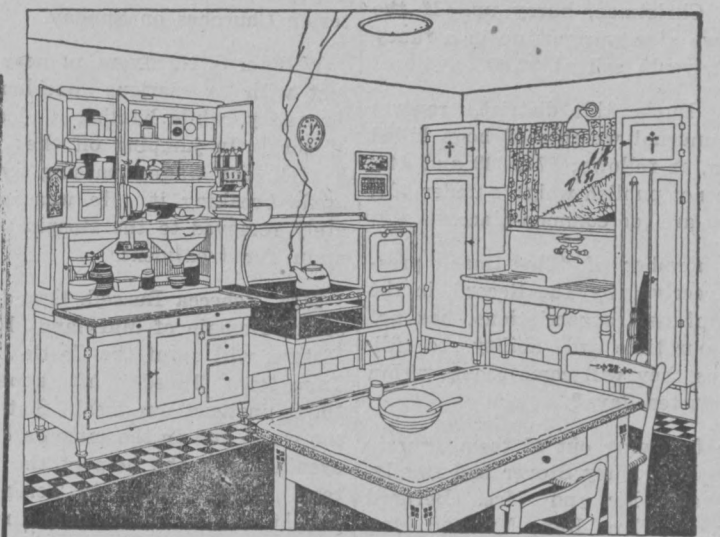
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NO. 5541 EQUITY
In the Circuit Court for Carroll County.

EMILY BOYER MILLER and
GLENN E. MILLER, her husband
Plaintiffs.

VS.
MAGGIE LEE BOYER, widow, et al.
Defendants.

Ordered this 27th day of November, A. D. 1924, by the Circuit Court for Carroll County, sitting as a Court of Equity, that the private sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Glenn E. Miller, Trustee appointed by a decree of this Court to make said sale, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 29th day of December, 1924, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Carroll County for three successive weeks before the 22nd day of December, 1924.

The report states the amount of private sale to be \$250.00.
EDWIN M. MELLOR, JR., Clerk.
True Copy Test:
EDWIN M. MELLOR, JR., Clerk.
EDW. O. WEANT, Attorney. 11-28-4t

TANEYTOWN LOCALS

Items of news from town, or vicinity are always wanted for this column. Especially accidents, sales of real estate, fires, important happenings, visits to or from the community social events, and all matters of general interest to those at home, and away from home.

No more Christmas Card orders taken for delivery before Christmas—it can't be done.

Lewin Hitchcock was operated on, Monday, for appendicitis, at Maryland General Hospital.

A. D. Alexander has bought the Paul Formwalt farm, near Baust Church—formerly David H. Hahn's.

Rev. G. W. Shipley has had a radio installed in the Presbyterian Manse. Walter Hape, near town, has also installed a set.

Rev. and Mrs. R. S. Patterson, of Westminster, spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. John Albaugh, at New Midway.

Both the Presbyterian and Lutheran Churches are issuing local parish papers containing news of their congregations and work, present and future.

Take the time to read our Christmas advertisements. They are intended to be of help to shoppers, and they are sure to be, if read carefully, and action taken promptly.

How our Dollar lots of Stationery (No. 2) are going! If you want yours before Christmas, hurry up. If the value we give was put up in a fancy box, it would sell at \$2.00.

John Duple, this district, reports three unusual weights of hogs killed by him, as follows; 574, 509 and 444. We do not publish weights under 400, as they are too common-place.

The number of "Christmas presents" received by The Record, in the shape of new subscriptions, has not taxed our time and ability to fill. Perhaps they will come along within the next ten days?

The following out of town guests visited Mrs. Mary Stover and family, on Sunday; Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Ecker, of Silver Run; Mr. and Mrs. George Myers, of Union Mills, and Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Brown, of near town.

The following were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Thomson and family, on Sunday; Mrs. Flora Sell, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morelock and son, George; Mr. Addison Morelock, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Nace and son, Donald, all of Hanover, and Miss Clara Devilbiss.

Albert Smith, who has been living in Oregon, and other western states for some time past, arrived in Taneytown, Sunday evening, for a short stay with his mother, Mrs. Thos. Smith, near town. The trip from Oregon was made in Mr. Smith's Ford auto.

We will be glad to publish a summary of the Christmas programs of the various churches, next week, if they are furnished to us; or, if preferred, the Christmas announcements can be added to the regular church notices.

For a double Christmas gift, send the Record a year to somebody who ought to have it—the other part of the gift goes to the Home paper—not so much the revenue that is involved, but the fact that you thereby show your appreciation of The Record as a worthy home enterprise, that needs your full support.

1925 Calendars are now being given out, and our 1926 line of samples is now on hand. Who will be among the first to order? Remember, when the order justifies, we do not sell the same design to any other person in Taneytown. That is the advantage in early orders—and there is no reduction in price later in the year.

Rev. T. D. Ritter was called home to Winchester, Va., on Monday morning, due to the serious illness of his mother. She died at 9:10 A. M., at Memorial hospital. Funeral services were held at the Winchester U. B. Church, Wednesday afternoon, in charge of her pastor, Rev. G. W. Stover, D. D., assisted by Drs. McFaden, Presbyterian, and Dr. J. E. Morgan, of the Christian Church. She is survived by her husband and eight children.

The congregation of the Lutheran Church, on Sunday, voted on the proposition to sell 50 feet front of the parsonage lot, subject to conditions, a two-thirds vote being required to carry. The proposition lost, there being 132 ayes and 117 nays. The probability is that the future problem of town churches, everywhere, will require larger, rather than smaller, church properties. Therefore, this desirable location may be needed by the church, within the next ten years.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Shoemaker have gone to Baltimore to spend some time with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shoemaker.

Professor and Mrs. Hunsberger and Miss Blanche Matthew, spent Wednesday evening at the home of W. D. Ohler and family.

Clarence E. Dern had a lump removed from his breast at the Maryland General Hospital, on Tuesday, and is getting along well.

Mrs. Merwyn C. Fuss and daughters, Oneida and Alice, visited several days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Marker, of Littlestown.

Grip colds are still plentiful, some of the sufferers having had second attacks. Fortunately, the cases are not of a serious nature, but need careful attention.

According to the proceedings of the School Board, arrangements will be made to continue our schools through the winter, by renting separate small rooms that are available.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. McKinney, Mrs. H. I. Reindollar and Miss Miriam Shipley enjoyed the Parlett Minstrel Show, on Thursday evening, given under the auspices of Wehler & King, Druggists, of Westminster.

Rev. G. Wilbur Shipley, who has been confined to his home for the past week, with flu, is improving; but not yet able to be out. There will be no preaching service in either the Taneytown or Piney Creek Presbyterian Churches on Sunday.

William C. N. Myers, of near town, met with a serious accident, on Thursday, while hauling a load of corn. In jumping off the wagon he fell, the wagon passing over his ankle breaking it. He was immediately removed to the Hospital to remain for treatment.

Mrs. Rebecca Russell, Grand Chief of the Domain of Maryland Pythian Sisters, will be at the Castle Hall of Taneytown, Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 16, to instruct our local Sisters in the work, and on the same date in the evening with the help of the degree team of Mountain City Temple, put on the degree work, help the local Sisters to elect officers and organize the Temple of Taneytown Pythian Sisters.

The Swarthmore Chautauqua program, this year, was excellent from start to finish—the Sunday feature included. The Travelogue, "Happy Hawaii" with its colored pictures, was the best presentation of the kind ever shown here; the musical numbers and lectures were good, and the night of magic was a delightful exhibition of fun and mystery. Probably not a single person who attended the whole course was dissatisfied with the investment of their \$1.50. Guarantors have been secured for a return engagement next year.

Wm. E. Wagner, Eli M. Dutterer, Harry Hilterbrick and William Baker, all of Taneytown, left Friday for an extended trip through the South and Florida. Will sail today from Baltimore on steamer Juniata, stopping at Savannah and Jacksonville. From there they travel to Tampa and St. Petersburg, through the Everglades to Palm Beach and Miami, Florida. Also through the different keys to Key West. From there to Cuba and Bahama Island taking in all points of interest. Mr. Wagner was a resident of Miami, Florida, the past two years.

LAST PAGE EDITORIAL. CALENDARS.

We wonder how many people appreciate the free gift of calendars, and just how much their cost amounts to? It does not take many ordinary calendars to cost \$1.00. Those who give them away, do so for their advertising value, and to meet the demands of their patrons, realizing that they are now a necessary part of the equipment of a home; but, they do not want to be made victims of mere "calendar collectors" who seem to take pride in getting all they can of them, regardless of whether they have actual use for them, or not.

Merely "covering the walls" with calendars, is waste. Letting children bring them home, as a sort of game, or contest, is wrong. It is the lack of appreciation of the real purpose of the calendar outlay by business men, that causes men to think, every year, that "this will be the last time for me." A calendar in each used room in the house, is proper, but a collection of them on the walls is taking advantage of opportunity.

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CHURCH NOTICES.

Emmanuel Baust Reformed Church, Saturday—2:00 Mission Band and practice for Christmas service. Sunday: 9:30 Sabbath School; 10:45, Annual Congregational Meeting and election of officers for coming year. 7:00 Young People's Society.

Baust Reformed Church will hold an early Christmas morning service, at 6:30; Children's Service will be held Christmas night.

Manchester U. B. Charge, Bixler's—Sunday School, 9:30; Preaching, at 10:30; Y. P. S. C. E., at 7:30; Prayer Meeting in the meeting house, on Wednesday evening.

Manchester—Preaching, at 7:30. Miller's—S. School, at 9:30; Y. P. S. C. E., at 7:30.

U. B. Church, Town—S. S., at 9:30; Preaching, 10:30; C. E., 7:00; Cottage Prayer Service, Monday evening, Parsonage.

Harney—Sunday School, at 9:30; Preaching, 7:00.

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

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

Wakefield—Evangelistic Service each evening during the week. Every one welcome.

Uniontown Lutheran Charge, St. Paul's—9:30 S. S.; 7:00 C. E. St. Luke's—9:30 S. S.; 10:30 Morning Worship.

Mt. Union—1:15 S. S.; 2:30 Worship and Sermon; 3:30 Jr. C. E.; 7:30 Sen. C. E.

Reformed Church, Taneytown—S. School, at 9:15; Service, at 10:15; C. E., at 6:30; Service, at 7:30. The Willing Workers, Friday evening, Dec. 12, at the home of Mrs. W. D. Ohler. Catechetical Class, Saturday afternoon, at 2. The Women's Missionary Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Edgar Essig, Tuesday evening, Dec. 16.

Keysville—Sunday School, at 1:00; Service, at 2:00.

Trinity Lutheran, Taneytown—9:00 Sunday School; 10:00 Morning Worship; 6:30 Christian Endeavor; 7:30 Evening Worship. Friday evening, Dec. 19, Christmas party for Junior C. E., in Sunday School room. Mothers invited.

Presbyterian, Town—S. S., 9:30, followed by practice of Christmas program; C. E., 6:45. No Preaching Service, either morning or evening.

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