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Trusts sometimes come to grief without the intervention of law to control them, and the general public will not be sorry to learn that the American Ice Company, which sought to create a monopoly, is not prospering. At a meeting of the trust, in New York, on Wednesday, it was ascertained that on December 31, 1902, there was a deficit of $162,493, as against a surplus of $656,470 the previous year. This means no dividends for the stockholders and does not give a roseate view of the condition of the trust for the future. The fact is that a corner in ice, after a severe winter, is a very difficult proceeding. Iceponds are numerous and there is an abundance of ice at this time, stored away for summer consumption in the country. Of course the trust only operates in large cities, but even these great centres may draw on the smaller towns and country places and thus defeat the greed and rapacity of the ice combination

IT GOES BRAVELY ON.

The fight in our State Metropolis, Baltimore, between the different factions in both the Democratic and Republican parties, over candidates to be voted for at the municipal election in May, goes bravely on. The Democratic machine does not find perfectly clear sailing for its selection of a mayorality candidate—State's Attorney Robert M. McLane. There are three other aspirants for the nomination—Mayor Hayes, Ex-Mayor Latrobe and Francis E. Yewell—and these three are making common cause against Mr. McLane, as the candicate of the party bosses. They ought to be able to prevent his nomination, if fair primaries shall be held; but that is more than doubtful. Mr. Fink, in his fight against the bosses for the congressional nomination in the Second district, last fall, had the experience of seeing his majorities in the city wards turned into minorities, by machine manipulation, and it is not likely that better methods will be observed in the fight for the mayorality nomination. Mr. McLane stands a good chance of getting the nomination, therefore, even against the united opposition of the strong trio mentioned.

The contest among the Republicans is much simpler. There are but two candidates for the mayorality nomination—Congressman Frank C. Wachter and Mr. William D. Platt. Mr. Platt represents the organization and will probably receive the nomination, though Mr. Wachter is putting up a strong fight against him. The situation promises rather embarrassing conditions for independent voters, who are wont to bolt nominations made through the influence of party organizations.

SHOULD THE PRESIDENT INFLUENCE LEGISLATION BY CONGRESS?

Senator Hoar, of Massachusetts, objects to the President of the United States employing the power of his high office to influence legislation by Congress. Theoretically the Senator's contention may be based upon sound reasoning, but practically there is no written law to prevent the President from intimating to Senators and members of the House his opinion upon the necessity of legislation. Of course he should not use coercion to enforce his views with legislators—the coercion of giving or withholding the privilege of controlling patronage. Probably that is the point to which Mr. Hoar especially refers. Outside of that, we think, the President may freely tell Senators and Representatives what sort of legislation he approves, and can, under the constitution, do so by messages to the Senate and House; and otherwise, if he see proper, by conversations with individual members of them in person. There would seem to be no good reason to deprive the President of a privilege which is possessed by the humblest citizen of the country; provided, however, the privilege be not exercised with a covert threat behind it.

During the recent session of Congress powerful trust influences were brought to bear to prevent any legislation to restrain and curb the rapacity of such organizations. John D. Rockefeller, the Standard Oil magnate, brusquely notified the national legislators that no trust legislation was wanted, and went so far as to send an attorney to Washington to represent him with Congressmen and Senators in person. With him, in the effort to prevent legislation, were other powerful trust organizations, with their far reaching influences, controlling great and wide interests. What the effect of all this might have been, if President Roosevelt had not taken a firm stand in favor of the passage of laws to regulate and control the trusts, as far it could be constitutionally done, of course cannot be said. But it is extremely probable that some of the laws enacted for that purpose would have failed of passage without his powerful influence behind them.

In his efforts in that direction President Roosevelt undoubtedly represented the wishes of the masses of the American people, and has thereby incurred the hostility of the monopolists, who now threaten to punish him by preventing his nomination for the Presidency next year. Having bravely discharged his duty in the matter the people should see to it that he shall not be made the victim of monoplistic hate for his bold and manly attitude upon the subject.

Floods in Western Rivers.

Floods in Western rivers have been causing serious apprehensions to the inhabitants of that region. The Ohio has been above the danger line, 50 feet at Cincinnati, several times during the past week, but apparently there is now no probability that it will exceed that and rise to high water mark, 52 feet. The country along the Mississippi is now being menaced. The highest gauge yet reported at Vicksburg, during the flood, is 47.7 feet. A dispatch from New Orleans, Wednesday night, says: "The government, state and city authorities are inspecting levee lines and preparing for emergencies. They all admit that the river likely will break all records before it quits rising, but the levee system is higher and stronger, and they claim it will withstand the extra strain. Large forces of men are being utilized to strengthen weak places and to guard the banks night and day. The gauge here tonight reads 18.5, a rise of one-tenth in the past 12 hours. The high-water record is 19.5."

AN EXTRA SESSION POSSIBLE.

The purpose of President Roosevelt, in calling an extra session of the Senate, was to procure the ratification of the Panama Canal and Cuban Reciprocity treaties, but the Senate has reached an agreement among its members which carries over the Cuban treaty to the next session of the Congress. Senator Morgan, who is a strong advocate of a canal project, is opposed to the Panama route contained in the treaty and has been inclined to talk the measure to death, or to prevent action upon it by the Senate, by such other methods as can be readily employed to bar progress in that body.

Strange to say, the Democrats, who pretend hostility to protective tariff legislation, are opposed to reciprocity with Cuba and hence object to the ratification of the treaty to that end. They have taken the ground that without the concurrence of the House of Representatives it would be unconstitutional for the Senate to act upon a measure affecting the rates of tariff duties and this, notwithstanding the Dingley tariff law confers the authority upon the executive to negotiate treaties of reciprocity with foreign countries.

Whether well taken, or not, however, the Democratic attitude on the subject makes the ratification of the Cuban treaty by the Senate, within a reasonable period, at least, an impossibility, and hence an agreement has been reached by which it goes over. The Panama Canal treaty, it is understood, will be ratified shortly and the extra session of the Senate will probably end by the first of April and possibly at an earlier date.

But President Roosevelt is anxiously solicitous for the ratification of the Cuban treaty, and may decide to call an extra session of both Houses of Congress to obviate such objections as have been urged against its consideration by the Senate independently.

Consular Work by Col. McKellip.

The Washington correspondent of the Baltimore *American*, writing under date of the 8th instant, says that "Col. W. A. McKellip, who was appointed consul to Magdeburg, Germany, recently, has entered on his work with commendable energy and intelligence.

"Owing to numerous inquiries from persons in the United States as to further details of the manufacture in Germany of bricks made of sand and lime and described in reports from the former consul at Magdeburg, Col. McKellip was led to investigate the matter and prepare an elaborate report, which he transmitted through the Department of State to a firm which had requested full details, together with pamphlets and other exhibits. In this report Consul McKellip expressed the opinion that patented processes are not now necessary in Germany in making this kind of bricks, and quotes authorities to show that other systems are used, for which no licenses are required. The Consul adds:

"'Whether the process for combining lime and sand can and will be perfected so that artificial stone or brick can be produced in our country for building and other purposes as cheaply (in view of durability and other qualities) as clay brick or natural stone is a problem yet to be solved; it has not been satisfactorily determined in Germany. If it can be done, I doubt not that the scientific ability and inventive genius of Americans will so improve existing methods of making this stone as to finally settle the question.'

"The Consul concludes by saying that persons who are interested can obtain full details as to the present methods in Germany by addressing manufacturers of brick machinery in Germany, who will cheerfully give the necessary information. Among these manufacturers Col. McKellip mentions the Krupp Works, of Buckau; Messrs. Roehrig & Koenig, of Magdeburg-Suddenburg; the Association of Manufacturers of Lime and Sandstone, of Charlottenburg; Brueck, Kretschel & Co., of Osnabruck, and Stahl und Eisen Aktien, Gesellschaft, of Hoerde (Westphalia)."

Important, If Correct.

A large stockholder of the Wabash Railroad is quoted from Washington as giving some very important information, if it be correct, in relation to the purposes of the purchasers of the Western Maryland Railroad. Among these purposes is a line from the Western Maryland to Washington, D. C., diverging from Hagerstown, or paralleling the Baltimore and Potomac and the Baltimore and Ohio from Baltimore. Another is an additional tidewater terminal, for which Newport News, Va., has been selected as the objective. Baltimore, however, it is stated, is to be the chief tidewater terminal and large carshops and other terminal requisites are to be erected there. The stockholder referred to is quoted as saying that rights of way for the Washington and Newport News lines have been already obtained and when the Baltimore connections are completed work will be begun on them.

"Thousands of men," the stockholder says, "are now at work building the line from Zanesville, Ohio, to a point just below Parkersburg, W. Va., to connect with the Little Kanawha railroad. A second connecting link from Burnsville to Elkins is under construction to connect with the West Virginia Central and Pittsburg road. The third connection, from Cherry Run to Cumberland, is also under way, and the line to Baltimore will be completed in 18 months."

The report that a traffic agreement has been or will be effected between the Wabash and Pennsylvania Railroad systems is emphatically denied.

State Firemen'S Convention.

It is stated that the citizens of Frederick are making extensive preparations to entertain the eleventh annual convention of the Maryland State Volunteer Firemen's Association, to be held in that city June 10, 11 and 12 next. The association was organized in Frederick in 1893 with 10 companies. Now there are 35 companies in the association. It is in honor of the first decade of its existence that the people are going to celebrate the event in a fitting manner. From reports received from companies in New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Virginia, West Virginia, District of Columbia and Delaware the demonstration promises to surpass anything of the kind ever heretofore witnessed at Frederick. The railroad companies have offered a reduced rate of fare. Cash prizes aggregating $1,000 will be awarded for the various contests.

Activity still marks volcanoes in various parts of the world, the latest report being from Tuxpan, in the western part of Mexico, near the volcano of Colima, which is said to be in active eruption. The people are fleeing from their homes and taking refuge in the surrounding hills. The eruption began about the 1st instant, with great violence. Huge rocks were thrown into the air from the crater and dense volumes of smoke rose high above the crest of the mountain.

Miss Mattie Owings, of Baltimore, formerly a resident of Howard county, has sold her house and lot on Main street, opposite the Methodist Episcopal church, in Lisbon, to Frank Hartsock, who, with his family, will take possession in April. Mr. Hartsock has been farming for several years, and has just sold his farm, one mile above Poplar Springs, to Freeland Stuhl, of Frederick county.

The United States Weather Bureau has issued the following forecast: for Saturday rain; light, variable wind, becoming northeast.

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BUSINESS LOCALS.

PUBLIC SALE.—Rev. J. A. Weigand, librarian, will sell at public sale, on Thursday Night, 19th inst., at 8 o'clock, at Easley's Department Store, Westminster, last year's stock of magazines and periodicals of the West End Literary Society.

MARRIED

Near Dennings, March 10th, 1903, by Elder Wm. H. Franklin, Mr. Harry W. Kelley and Miss Neoma Lizeta Fowble, both of this county.

Near Weldon, March 11th, 1903, by Elder Wm. H. Franklin, Mr. Wm. E. Diehl, of this county, and Miss Ida Gitt, of Frederick county.

At the Lutheran Parsonage, Uniontown, March 12th, 1903, by Rev. G. W. Baughman, Mr. Harvey J. Hull, of Myers district, and Miss Mollie B. Gilbert, of Uniontown.

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Wait for the FUNNY VILTON FAMILY and their Funny Show. Monday Night, March 16, 1903.

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A CARD.

We take this method of returning our sincere thanks to our neighbors and friends for their many acts of kindness shown by them to us during the illness and death of our son, Edward G. Hoff.

JACOB HOFF AND FAMILY.

Sandyville, Md., March 13th, 1903.

NO. 4002 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Carroll County, in Equity.

Fannie I. Little and others, plaintiffs, vs. George W. Weimert and others, defendants.

Ordered, this 12th day of March, A. D. 1903, that the sales of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by George L. Stocksdale, trustee, therein set forth, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 13th day of April next; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Carroll county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 6th day of April next. The report states the amount of sales to be $872.

JAS. H. BILLINGSLEA, Clerk.

True Copy—Test: JAS. H. BILLINGSLEA, Clerk.

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The best results have come from the use of our Fertilizer on Potatoes and Corn when used by the side of other goods.

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N. I. GORSUCH & SON, Westminster, Md.

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Public Sale.

The undersigned, having sold her property and intending to move to Baltimore, will sell at Public Sale, on the premises, 2½ miles south of Westminster, on the Baltimore turnpike, on

THURSDAY, THE 26th OF MARCH, 1903,

at 12 o'clock, m., the following Property, to-wit: One set of Shoemaker Tools, set of Carpenter Tools, 1 bedstead, chairs, 1 large kitchen and 1 dining room table, 1 range, 1 ten-plate stove, large iron kettle, half barrel copper kettle, wheelbarrow, grindstone, crosscut saw, barrels, lard cans, and other articles.

Terms of Sale—Cash. No property to be removed until paid for.

RACHEL A. TATE.

Nicholas J. Walsh, Auct. mar 14 2t

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD GOODS AND other Personal Property.

The undersigned, trustees of David Cassell and wife, will sell at Public Sale, at the residence of David Cassell, on Little Pipe Creek, near the public road leading from Wagner's Mill to Medford Station, W. M. R. R., and about 1 mile north of the latter place, on

THURSDAY, 26th DAY OF MARCH, 1903,

at 9 o'clock, A. M., the following Personal Property, to-wit: One Alderney Cow, 50 or 60 barrels of Corn, if not sold privately before the day of sale; Marple Top Parlor Stand, set of parlor chairs, large cushioned chair, Mahogany dressing bureau and glass, lot of bedsteads and bedding, large and improved writing desk, lot of chairs, stands, tables, 2 sinks, settee, Brussels and woolen carpets, 2 coal stoves, 1 improved double heater, 2 cook stoves and fixtures, nearly new; ten-plate stove, tinware, lot of dishes, jars, window and door screens, &c.

☞ For further particulars and terms see hand bills.

JOHN T. CASSELL, EPHRAIM HAINES, Trustees.

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PUBLIC SALE OF Horses and Mules.

I will sell at Public Sale, at my Sale Stables, in Westminster, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 14th, 1903,

at 1 o'clock, P. M., a carload of fine young work or driving Horses from West Va., consigned to me by Patterson Bros. Also two pairs of fine young work Mules.

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WAREHOUSE FOR RENT.

Double Pipe Creek Warehouse and Elevator, on W. M. R. R. Possession given April 1st, 1903.

For further information apply to E. O. Cash & Bro., Double Pipe Creek, Md., or C. B. Anders, Union Bridge, Md.

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FOR RENT.

House, Stable and Lot on Liberty street extended, Westminster, recently occupied by Geo. W. Hoff.

Rent $6.00 per month. Apply to

CHAS E. FINK, Westminster.

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ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the members of the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Dug Hill, Carroll County, Md., will be held on SATURDAY, MARCH 21st, 1903, between 12 M., and 3 o'clock, P. M., at the Company's office, in Manchester, Md., for the purpose of electing TWELVE DIRECTORS for the ensuing year.

JOHN R. STREVIG, Secretary.

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FOR RENT.

A desirable and well located property, situate on Green St., 2nd door West of Centre. Has six rooms and hall, good cellar, large stable and other outbuildings, large yard and garden and plenty of shade. Possession can be given April 1, 1903. Apply to

WM. B. THOMAS, Westminster, Md.

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FOR SALE.

A No. 1 BAY HORSE. Inquire at this office.

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FOR RENT.

A small Farm, situated about ¾ of a mile from Carrollton Station, on the W. M. R. R. Apply to REIFSNIDER & GRIMES, Attorneys at Law, Westminster.

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PUBLIC SALE. Monday, March 23, 1903.

On the old home farm, on the road leading from Rocky Ridge, to D. P. Creek, near Valentine's fording, across Monocacy, the following Personal Property:

5 work Horses and 3 Colts, all superior animals; the work Horses will all work single or double and anywhere hitched; 1 is a Clydesdale Mare, 10 years old, weighs 1340 lbs., a good plow leader, and a No. 1 saddle Mare in team; 1 dark bay Percheron Mare, 10 years old, weighs 1340 lbs., a No. 1 wagon leader, in foal by the imported Percheron Stallion Houblon, of the Union Bridge Co.; 1 roan Mare, 5 years old, weight 1290 lbs., bred from an imported Stallion, and in foal by same horse mentioned above, will work under the saddle in team and a good leader; 1 bay Mare, four years old, weight 1280 lbs., as handsome as they grow, has good sense and style; 1 bay Mare, 5 years old, weight 1100 lbs., a good family Mare, any child can drive her. All of the above mentioned horses are bred from good stock, and are good brood mares. Two Horse Colts, 2 years old April 23, 1903, and one Mare Colt, 1 year old, April 27th, 1903. These three colts are bred from good mares, as will be explained on the day of sale, and sired by the imported Percheron Horse Houblon. 15 head of Milch Cows, and 1 yearling Heifer; 6 of the cows had 3rd and 4th calves and 4 Heifers will have first calves by sale, or shortly after; 3 others fresh by day of sale; several are fall cows, will give dates at sale. 13 head of fine Hogs, 3 Brood Sows, 1 has pigs now, and 2 will have pigs by day of sale; also 1 Registered Poland China Sow, 8 months old; 1 Registered Poland China Boar, 18 months old; anyone buying either of the above two hogs can have their papers; also 8 Shoats, 3 months old. (Come and examine stock before sale. I will have train West at 10.30 a. m., and East at 3.38 p. m., stopped at Monocacy siding on the farm, on day of sale; all stock sold between trains. 2 good Farm Wagons, one 4 and 6-horse thimble skein Wagon and Bed, Stick Wagon, Runabout, nearly new; Dayton Wagon, Buggy, Pole and Yoke; Cutter Sleigh, Sled, 1 Cutting Box, Wheelbarrow, 1 Hay Carriage, Deering Ideal binder, Deering Ideal Mower, Deering Horse Rake, Hay Tedder, Crown Grain Drill, double walking Corn Plows, 2 Loy Barshear Plows, 2 springtooth Saxton Harrows, other Harrows, double shovel Plows, Deere Corn Planter, Empire Grain Thresher, 2 Winnowing Mills, cast grinder and crusher; gears and harness of all kinds; breast, butt and fifth chains, double, triple and single trees, 1 Reid butter worker, Reid churn, nearly new; 1 bureau, and desk combined, coal stove, 1 DeLaval Cream separator, etc.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, a. m. Terms: A credit of 9 months with interest, on sums of $5.00 and upward. No property to be removed until satisfaction is given, as the undersigned intends moving away shortly after the sale.

JOHN D. DOTTERER.

T. J. Kolb, Auct.
D. C. Warner and J. P. Weybright, Clerks.
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EXECUTRIX'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL AND PERSONAL ESTATE,

In Manchester District, Carroll County, Md.

The undersigned, by virtue of the authority contained in the last will and testament of David J. Leister, late of Carroll county, Md., deceased, and an order of the Orphans' Court of Carroll county, will sell at Public Sale, on the premises, on the public county road leading from Westminster to Hampstead, 4 miles from the latter and 6 miles from the former place, on

WEDNESDAY, 8TH DAY OF APRIL, 1903,

at 12 o'clock, M., sharp, all that farm of which said David J. Leister died seized and possessed, containing

EIGHTY-THREE ACRES OF LAND,

more or less, improved by a Frame Weatherboarded House, 2-stories with Basement, 24x32 feet; Switzer Barn, 36x50 feet; Buggy Shed, Corn-Crib, Washhouse, Springhouse, Smokehouse and all usual outbuildings, Spring and Well of Water near buildings. The ground is in fair condition, and about 12 acres in timber; being the same land which was conveyed by C. T. Reifsnider, trustee, by deed to said David J. Leister, dated 28th day of February, A. D. 1887, and recorded among the land records of Carroll county, in liber W. N. M. No. 65, folio 359, &c. Also at same time and place will sell a Woodlot, containing

4 ACRES, 3 ROODS, 26 PERCHES OF LAND,

more or less, being the same property which was conveyed by D. H. Zimmerman and others, to said David J. Leister, by deed dated 6th day of December, A. D. 1893, and recorded among the land records of Carroll county, Md., in liber B. F. C. No. 78, folio 44, &c.

Also the undersigned as executrix, at the same time and place, will sell the following Personal Property, viz.: 2 Black Mares, 2 Cows, Threshing Machine and Horse Power, Winnowing Mill, Grain Drill, Corn by the barrel, Dayton Wagon, Hay Carriage, 2-Horse Wagon, 2-Horse Wagon and Stone Bed, Furrow Plow, Springtooth Harrow, 3 Corn Plows, Double Shovel Plows, 2 Single Shovel Plows, Corn Coverer, Corn Planter, half interest in Ross Fodder Cutter, Horse Rake, Basket Sleigh and Bells, set of single buggy harness, set lead harness, 2 patent forks, cow and log chains, scoop shovel, hay knife, triple, double and single trees, 2 spreaders, crosscut saw, meat grinder and stuffer, barrel copper kettle, 400 lb scales, grindstone, 2 stoves, 1 organ, half doz. chairs, 2 rockers, 3 bedsteads, 1 eight-day clock, bureau, bed and bedding, 38 yards of carpet, 40 yards of matting and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms of Sale of Real Estate.—One-third of the purchase money to be paid on day of sale, or on the ratification thereof by the court: residue in two equal payments of 6 and 12 months from the day of sale, the credit payments to be secured by the bonds or single bills of the purchaser or purchasers, with sufficient security, bearing interest from the day of sale. The purchaser may pay the purchase money all cash upon ratification of sale, if desired. A cash deposit of $350 will be required from the purchaser on day of sale, or certified check will be received in lieu thereof.

Terms of Sale of Personal Estate.—All sums under $5, cash; on all sums of $5 and upwards a credit of 6 months will be given, the purchasers giving their notes, with sufficient security, bearing interest from the day of sale.

M. ALICE V. LEISTER, Executrix.

Geo. L. Stocksdale, Attorney.
John W. Reaver, Auctioneer. mar 14 4t

NO. 4027 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Carroll County, in Equity.

John Milton Reifsnider, assignee, vs. William H. Gardner and Adeline Gardner, mortgagors.

Ordered, this 10th day of March, A. D. 1903, by the Circuit Court for Carroll county, in Equity, that the sales of the mortgaged real estate made and reported in the above entitled cause, by John Milton Reifsnider, assignee by virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage from William H. Gardner and wife to Charles A. Reid dated April 11th, 1883, and recorded among the Real Estate Mortgage Record of Carroll county, in Liber F. T. S. No. 19, folio 181, &c., and by several assignments duly assigned to the said John Milton Reifsnider, be finally ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 13th day of April next; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Carroll county, Maryland, once a week in each of three successive weeks before the 6th day of April next. The report states the amount of sales to be $1645.10.

JAS. H. BILLINGSLEA, Clerk.

True copy—Test: JAS. H. BILLINGSLEA, Clerk.

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WM. B. THOMAS & SON, Bankers and Brokers,

Westminster, Md., offer for sale the stock of Mine LaMotte Lead and Smelting Company of Mo. This is considered one of the best investments on the market. This stock paid 8 per cent. dividend Jan. 15th, 1903. The company has 13,544 acres of land heavily mineralized. The mines have been visited by stockholders in this county. Call and see us for further information. feb 28 4 mo

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The undersigned has for sale, Holland Gin, distilled by J. A. J. Nolet, Baltimore, in a distillery brought by him, in its entirety, from Scheidam, Holland. This is perfectly pure Holland Gin and is used extensively for medicinal purposes.

A. S. BURKHOLDER, Cranberry Station.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Carroll county, Md., letters of administration with the will annexed on the estate of

LEVI VALENTINE,

late of Carroll county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 2nd day of October, 1903, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 2nd day of March, 1903.

DAVID E. WALSH, Administrator W. A.

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Special Notice.

We have now completed arrangements by which we may be found at the OLD

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Flour—Diamond Medal	$ 5 25@	$ 5 25
Flour—Crown (extra)	4 15@	4 15
Flour—Gorsuch' Best	4 00@	4 00
Flour—Sea Foams (patent)	4 80@	4 80
Bran per ton	20 00@	20 00
White Middlings per ton	22 00@	22 00
Wheat	75@	75
Wheat, damp	65@	70
Rakings	55@	60
Rye	50@	50
Barley	35@	40
Oats	30@	35
New Corn	2 25@	2 25
Timothy Hay per ton	12 00@	15 00
Clover Hay per ton	6 00@	7 00
Mixed Hay per ton	8 00@	9 00
Rye Straw	11 00@	12 00
Wheat Straw	4 00@	5 00
Hungarian Seed	50@	55
Corn Meal per 100 lbs	1 50@	1 50
Bacon Shoulders	9@	10
Bacon Sides	7@	8
Hams	10@	12
Butter	25@	25
Timothy Seed	1 25@	1 50
Clover Seed per lb	6@	8
Lard	8@	10
Dressed Hogs	7 00@	7 50
Flax Seed	60@	65
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Potatoes	35@	35
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Corn	50@	52½
Oats	35@	42½
Rye	50@	59
Hay	12 00@	19 50
Straw	7 00@	16 50
Dry Salt Shoulders	9½@	9½
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