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It is announced that Hon. Richard H. Alvey, formerly chief judge of the Court of Appeals of Maryland, who was appointed by President Cleveland chief justice of the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia, is about to resign that office and retire from the bench. Judge Alvey's home is in Hagerstown. He has always been regarded as a profound jurist and, as a judge, an honor to the State. He is now about 78 years old and having rendered so many years of faithful service to the State and Nation will carry with him into his retirement the extreme regard of all who admire ability and integrity. United States Senator Louis E. McComas is most prominently spoken of as his successor, and his appointment by President Roosevelt would meet the approbation of most Marylanders. S. A. Williams, of Harford county, is also spoken of in connection with the position, and would undoubtedly make a very capable judge. Both he and Senator McComas, however, may have political aspirations in the future of Maryland, redeemed from Democratic misrule, and may not be very anxious to accept an appointment that would, in all probability, serve to shelve the appointee politically. Since Judge Alvey's appointment by Mr. Cleveland he has seldom been heard of, and never in the domain of politics. The appointment of Senator McComas, or Mr. Williams, or any other Marylander to the place would mean his permanent retirement from the political arena.

The *Advocate* seems to have missed the point of the SENTINEL'S article on the mandamus proceeding of Mr. Murray Vandiver against Governor Warfield to compel the latter to advertise the constitutional amendments embodied in bills passed by the legislature, last winter, but not submitted to the Governor for his approval. The SENTINEL does not doubt that the Governor may be compelled, by writ of mandamus, to perform a purely ministerial duty, if he shall be in default in such a case. But an attempt to sue out and enforce a writ of mandamus against the State Executive, six or eight months in advance of the period when he may, or may not, be required to perform such a duty, seems to be an unheard of proceeding. If the Governor, when the time for its performance shall arrive, shall fail to recognize the validity of the bills, and shall refuse to advertise them, he may be compelled to do so by the writ of mandamus, provided the Court of Appeals shall hold that bills filed with the clerk of said court have become laws without the Governor's approval. To anticipate his non-action and attempt to mandamus him months before the arrival of the time for the performance of the alleged duty, seems to the SENTINEL, as a most unheard of proceeding. Possibly the *Advocate* may have knowledge of precedents which justify issuing the writ of mandamus long months before default on the part of the Governor. If so the SENTINEL will freely acknowledge its error. Otherwise its comments on the proceeding of Mr. Vandiver, in suing out the writ, must be considered reasonable and proper.

WHY INVESTIGATE?

Hon. George A. Pearre, member of Congress from the Sixth district of this State, is quoted as saying that he considers the determination of the Republican State Central Committee to abandon the contest against the action of the state canvassers in giving the certificates to seven Democratic electors is a grave error.

"We ought," he says, "to have made the fight, and I propose to do what I can to bring about an investigation of the counting of the returns. I am convinced that the state went Republican, and I intend to see if we can't prove it. When the vote of Maryland is called I shall challenge it and give my reasons, and I shall ask that Congress appoint a committee to investigate the matter."

He further says: "We owe it to every Republican in the State who voted the Republican ticket on election day to at least try to get justice for him. A man has a right to cast his vote as he pleases and he has an equal right to have that vote counted as he cast it. What a pretty spectacle it is to claim that we Republicans carried the state and then tamely submit to have it stolen from us! I for one won't submit. If there is any way of having the election investigated I shall try to bring about an investigation, and if it accomplishes nothing more it will at least prove to the Democratic machine in Maryland that there are some Republicans in Maryland who will not permit themselves to be cheated with impunity."

Mr. Pearre's attitude on the subject is worthy of admiration, but will not probably be sanctioned by Republicans generally. There is probably no doubt that the Republicans would have elected all the Roosevelt and Fairbanks electoral candidates if the official ballots in all the counties had been fairly arranged, instead of having been printed in a form which in most of the counties gave the Democrats a great advantage in marking their tickets. The arrangement, however, except probably in some of the southern counties, was in accordance with law, and an investigation by Congress would probably demonstrate that fact and confirm the electoral college of the State in casting a single vote for Roosevelt and giving the remaining seven to Parker. Even if the result of such an investigation should be otherwise and should operate to add the whole vote of the State to Roosevelt's electoral majority, the only practical effect of it would be to make a Congressional record of Democratic trickery in the State. Whether that would justify delay in counting and declaring the result of the votes of the electoral colleges, is doubtful. A Congressional investigation can do no more than officially expose the trickery of which the Democratic managers have been guilty and which is already known to everybody. It must be patent to all intelligent citizens that the only relief from these conditions must come from the overthrow of the political cabal that runs the Democratic machine, and that can only be accomplished with the assistance of Independent Democrats, who cherish a desire to see the State governed by men of integrity, rather than by political tricksters, who care only for success, no matter how achieved.

At Minneapolis, Minn., the total loss by a fire on Wednesday, which destroyed the Boutel Brothers' furniture store, the Peck Photograph Supply House and Bintliff Manufacturing Company's plant, is estimated at from $700,000 to $750,000. One member of the insurance patrol was killed.

There is an epidemic of diphtheria in the vicinity of Braddock tollgate on the National pike, between Middletown and Frederick.

Against Machen and Others.

A dispatch from Washington, D. C, under date of the 13th inst., says:

"The District of Columbia Court of Appeals today affirmed the decision of the Criminal Court in the postal conspiracy cases of August W. Machen, George E. Lorenz, Samuel A. Groff and Diller B. Groff, who were sentenced to two years imprisonment in the Moundsville, West Virginia, Penitentiary and to pay a fine of $10,000.

"The Court of Appeals announced that, after considering every point made by counsel, no error had been found in the proceedings in the trial for which the judgment ought to be reversed. As to Samuel A. Groff, of this city, one of the defendants, the court said that the circumstances tending to show his connection with the conspiracy are neither so numerous nor so strong as those which tended to show the participation of Diller B. Groff, his brother; but the court added: 'We cannot say that they were insufficient to warrant the submission of the question of his guilt to the jury.'

"The opinion called attention to remarks of special counsel for the government, in which the latter had said that the only juror who hung out in the star-route trials subsequently was indicted for bribery and stated that if the lower court had not interrupted this line of argument as it had done the case would have been reversed.

"It is possible that the counsel for the defense in the postal cases will now seek to carry the cases to the Supreme Court of the United States."

WANT MORE PAY.

Employees of the Western Maryland Railroad are petitioning for more pay and it is said the officials of the company have the matter under consideration, though probably an adjustment of wages will not take place until the Western Maryland connections with the West Virginia Central and Pittsburg Railway shall have been completed.

It is stated that a standard day on the trunk lines is 10 hours, with pay for time worked over that. For overtime service the standard pay ranges from 10 to 35 cents an hour. Engineers on the Western Maryland are allowed 25 cents an hour and firemen 17 cents an hour. Conductors and trainmen do not receive any extra compensation for work beyond regular hours. Now a passenger conductor receives $3.25 a day for a round trip between Baltimore and Hagerstown, which is the maximum pay of a passenger conductor on the road. Freight conductors are paid from $3 to $3.35 a day, with no allowance for overtime. By the establishment of the standard day system passenger conductors would get a maximum pay per day of about $3.85; engineers on passenger trains from 3 cents a mile to 3½ to 4 cents a mile, and on freight trains, from 3½ to 4 and 4½ cents a mile; trainmen from $1.60 to $1.90 to $2 and $2.50 a day. Firemen get 55 per cent. as much as the pay of an engineer, and a change would benefit them. Freight conductors would also get more pay under the new plan. Mr. H. G. Clark, manager of the Railroad, announced Thursday that the application for an increase of wages cannot be granted now, because the earnings of the road do not justify it.

Explosion in Powder Works.

A terrific explosion occurred about 12.30 o'clock, on Monday, in the mixing house of the Rockdale Powder Works, near Hoffmanville, Baltimore county, ruining the dynamite plant. Emanuel Anstine, one of the employees, was badly injured. The Methodist church at Hoffmanville, about three-quarters of a mile from the powder works, was moved about eight inches by the explosion and all the glass in the windows of the structure was broken. Buildings within a radius of five miles of the powder works were shaken. This is the third explosion at the works since they have been in operation. The cause of the accident is not known.

It is stated that the reports submitted to Chairman John B. Hanna, of the Republican State Central Committee, by Republican leaders and watchers in the counties comprising the First congressional district, afford ample grounds for a contest by Mr. W. H. Jackson, Republican, of the seat in the next Congress awarded to Mr. Thomas A. Smith on the face of the returns. It is largely upon these and similar reports that the question of contest is being considered, and it will not be a surprise, therefore, if there shall be a contest.

The United States Supreme Court has affirmed a decision of the United States Court at Richmond, Va., which involved the bankruptcy of the Blue Mountain Iron and Steel Company, of Baltimore, Judge Morris had previously passed an order in the U. S. District Court of Maryland, declaring the company bankrupt. This was carried to the Appellate Court at Richmond, which sustained Judge Morris, and the Supreme Court has now rendered a similar decision. The property of the bankrupt company is located at Catoctin Furnaces, Frederick county.

Manager Clark, Superintendent Ennes, General Traffic Manager Griswold, General Freight Agent Hunter and General Passenger Agent Howell, of the Western Maryland Railroad were at Hancock on Tuesday on business in connection with the opening of the new line to that point next Monday.

The new United States grand jury, in Baltimore, was organized on Tuesday, with Mr. Thomas T. Tongue as foreman, by appointment of Judge Morris. The body at once took up the alleged fraudulent naturalization cases and two witnesses were examined from this city.

On Wednesday the Board of Public Works met at Annapolis, but deferred action on the bids for the state's interest in the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal until next Thursday. The Western Maryland Railroad's bid is, it is said, the highest.

Rev. A. H. Rice, of the U. B. Church, died at the residence of his son-in-law, Dr. George D. Gohn, in Dayton, Ohio, last Monday. His last illness began three months ago with cerebral hemorrhage and grew rapidly worse until the end came.

Snow has greatly hampered Connecticut farmers in hauling water from ponds for their stock. The drouth has caused wells to run dry.

Although the Democrats won at the municipal election in Boston, the Republicans gained two members of the Board of Aldermen.

Gus Bruehl has been appointed postmaster at Butler, Baltimore county, Md., vice Shadrach W. Tipton, removed.

DIED.

In this city, December 15th, 1904, Irvin N., son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Strasburger, aged 23 months.

In this city, December 14th, 1904, Rosa, daughter of John G. Six, in the 17th year of her age.

In Baltimore, December 13th, 1904, Mary C., wife of David Haines, aged 67 years. Interment at Taylorsville.

At Jefferson, York county, Pa., November 23rd, 1904, Elder Aaron Baugher, aged 74 years, 3 months and 29 days.

Near Winfield, December 10th, 1904, Francis L. Criswell, aged about 66 years

Near Lineboro, December 13th, 1904, Henry E. Morelock, formerly of Westminster, aged about 79 years.

In Tyrone, December 10th, 1904, Mrs. George F. Marquart, aged 75 years, 4 months and 4 days.

IN MEMORIAM.

In sad but loving remembrance of my beloved husband, Nelson Reid Buckingham, who died three years ago, December 13th, 1904.

Three years! Oh! husband can it be?
The weary months I've mourned for thee,
And yet it feels so fresh—the pain—
I count them o'er and o'er again.
Oh, how sad and dreary our home to-day,
For my dear and loving husband
Has forever passed away.
I set alone to night and gaze
Upon an empty chair
And memory takes me back to days
When my dear husband sat there.
But now three lonely years have passed
Since I have seen his face,
I think of him just as when last
He sat in his old place.

By his Wife.

IN MEMORIAM.

ROSENBERGER.—In loving remembrance of our dear brother Lewis Rosenberger, who departed this life, one year ago, December 12th, 1903.

"Gone, but not forgotten."

He will never be forgotten,
Never shall his memory face;
Sweetest thoughts shall ever linger
Round the grave where he is laid.

And his trials at last are over,
He will gain a sweet repose,
Fought his fight, his race is ended,
Gained his crown on earth he chose.

It was just one year ago
Since his dear spirit fled,
How sudden was the summons
When word came he was dead.
Time was too short to say farewell,
To those he loved so well.

Past his suffering, past his pain,
Cease to weep for all is vain
Calm the trouble on his breast
For he who suffered is at rest.

By the Family.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an election for FOURTEEN DIRECTORS for The First National Bank of Mount Airy, for the ensuing year, will be held at Banking House, in Mount Airy, on TUESDAY, JANUARY 10th, 1905, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M. and 12 o'clock, M.

J. L. BURDETTE, Cashier.

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PUBLIC SALE.

The subscriber will sell at Public Sale, on the farm of Jos. E. Shreve, near Warfieldsburg, ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 10th, 1905, at 10 o'clock, A. M., 4 head of HORSES and MULES, 4 MILCH COWS, 3 Brood Sows, 1 Boar, Harness, Furniture, &c. For particulars see bills. 8 months credit.

Mrs. LAURA I. GAUGH.

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ELECTION NOTICE.

The Stockholders of the Ice and Cold Storage Company of Westminster are hereby notified that an election for Eleven Directors to manage the affairs of the Company for the ensuing year will be held at the First National Bank Building, in Westminster, Md., on TUESDAY, JANUARY 3RD, 1905, between the hours of 11 A. M. and 12 o'clock, M.

JOSEPH W. SMITH, Secretary.

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ELECTION NOTICE.

The Stockholders of the Farmers' Fertilizer Company of Carroll County are hereby notified that the annual election, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors to manage the affairs of said Company for the ensuing year, will be held at the Company's office, on TUESDAY, the 10th day of JANUARY, 1905, between the hours of 11 A. M. and 12 o'clock, M.

By order of the Board,

JOHN ROYER, Secretary.

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ELECTION OF DIRECTORS.

Notice is hereby given to the Stockholders of the Westminster Hardware Company that an election for Directors to manage the affairs of the Company for the ensuing year will be held at the office of the Company, in Westminster, Md., on MONDAY, JANUARY 9th, 1905, between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock, A. M., and for the transaction of any other business that may be presented.

T. HERBERT SHRIVER, President.
D. SNIDER BABYLON, Sec. and Treas

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sep 2tf Westminster, Md.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING OF the Carroll County Electric Light and Power Company.

WESTMINSTER, MD., DEC. 12TH, 1904.

Notice is hereby given to the Stockholders of the Carroll County Electric Light and Power Company that the annual meeting thereof will be held at the office or the Company, 141 East Main street, on WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 4th, 1904, being the first Wednesday of said month, between the hours of 7 and 8 P. M., for the purpose of electing Seven (7) Directors to manage the affairs of said Company during the coming year, commencing January 1st, 1905, to receive the report of the Secretary-Treasurer and to pass upon such other business as may be presented.

dec 16 3t A. H. HUBER, Sec.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE,

In Myers' District, Carroll County, Md.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Carroll County, in Equity, passed in cause No. 4189 Equity wherein, Mary A. E. Reinecker and others are plaintiffs and John Ickes and others are defendants, the undersigned trustee will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, on

SATURDAY, JANUARY 7th, 1905,

at 12 o'clock, M., sharp, all that Real Estate of which Henry F. Formwalt, late of Carroll county, died seized and possessed.

1st. The Home Place, containing

404 ACRES AND 12 SQUARE PERCHES

of land, more or less. This property is in Myers' district, Carroll county and State of Maryland, adjoining the Stone Road, 2 miles from Silver Run and adjoins the lands of Levi J. Motter, Solomon Boose and others. This property is improved by a large  Weatherboarded Two story Dwelling House, with a good cellar, well arranged; a large Bank Barn, with Wagon Shed, Corn Crib, Carriage House, Summer House, Smoke House and other outbuildings; a fine spring of pure water convenient to the dwelling and also a fine Spring House. All the buildings are in good condition, and the land is under good fencing and produces well. There is fruit of all kinds, and a due proportion of Timber Land.

2nd. All that lot of land containing

84 ACRES, 3 PERCHES, MORE OR LESS,

lying on the Stone Road and adjoining the first above mentioned place, and lands of Levi J Motter and others. The improvements consist of a Two-story Dwelling House,  well arranged, in good condition, with a basement and cellar, a spring of pure water convenient to the dwelling, a good small Barn, &c., and is under good fencing and well improved, and has abundance of good Fruit.

3rd. A Wood Lot adjoining the above first mentioned place, containing

2 ACRES, 25 PERCHES OF LAND,

more or less, and well set with good Timber, of Oak, Hickory and Chestnut.

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GEORGE A. FORMWALT, Trustee.

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Wm. H. Warner, Auct. dec 16 4t

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ELECTION NOTICE.

Farmers and Mechanics National Bank of Westminster, Westminster, Md., December 6th, 1901.

The Stockholders of this Bank are hereby notified that an election for DIRECTORS to manage the affairs of the Bank for the ensuing year will be held at the Banking House, on the Second TUESDAY, being the 10th day of January, 1905, between the hours of 1 and 2 o'clock, P. M.

JOHN H. CUNNINGHAM, Cashier.

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ELECTION NOTICE.

The First National Bank of Westminster, Westminster, Md., December 7th, 1904.

The Stockholders of this Bank are hereby notified that the regular annual meeting for the election of NINE DIRECTORS, to manage the affairs of the Bank for the ensuing year, will be held at the Banking House on TUESDAY, the 10th day of January, 1905, between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M., and 1 o'clock, P. M.

GEORGE R. GEHR, Cashier.

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ELECTION NOTICE.

The members of the Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Carroll County are requested to meet at their office in Westminster, on

MONDAY, THE 19TH OF DECEMBER, 1904, for the purpose of electing TEN DIRECTORS

to serve one year. The election will take place between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M., and 12 M. By order,

C. GLOYD LYNCH, Secretary.

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NO. 4183 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Carroll County, in Equity.

Martha J. Shriner et al., vs. Noah F. Fleagle et al.

Ordered, this 25th day of November, 1904, that the sales of the propert es mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by George L. Stocksdale and Ivan L. Hoff, trustees, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 26th day of December, next; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Carroll county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 19th day of December next. The report states the amount of the sales to be $1620.94.

DAVID P. SMELSER, Clerk.

True Copy.—Test:
DAVID P. SMELSER, Clerk.

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PUBLIC SALE OF A HOUSE and LOT, at Linwood.

I will sell at Public Sale, on the premises at Linwood, at 2 o'clock, P. M., on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31st, 1904,

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City Mills High Grade	Patent	6 10@ 6 10
" " "	Straight	5 85@ 5 85
" "	Rye Flour	4 20@ 4 60
Wheat		98@ 1 10¢
Corn		48@ 48
Oats		32@ 36
Rye		67@ 86
Hay		10 00@ 15 00
Straw		7 50@ 20 20
Dry Salt Shoulders		8¼@ 8¼
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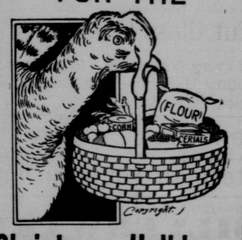
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Commissioners Notice.

HEREAFTER, and until further notice the County Commissioners of Carroll county will meet at their office in Westminster EVERY MONDAY for the transaction of business.

By order, FRANCIS L. HANN, jy 2 tf Clerk,

THE MILLER BROS. CO.

The Biggest, Brightest AND BUSIEST

Christmas Store!

THIS IS Santa Claus' Headquarters.



From Basement to Roof this store is a gigantic and splendid Holiday Headquarters. Enormous quantities of choice new merchandise from all parts of the world. Section after section, floor after floor, reveals in surprising abundance multitudes of Christmas attractions.

The Whole Store Throbs With the Merry Spirit of Christmas.

Everything is emblematic of Christmas. So much to see that one can scarcely comprehend it all. The decorations are immensely attractive. But, of course, the most powerful magnets are the Christmas stocks. Everything for everybody. We did a magnificent Christmas business last year. This year we are determined to do still more. We have made tremendous preparations with that achievement in view. Stocks are bigger and more varied than ever before.

And that means superior merchandise at extraordinarily low prices. EARLY SHOPPERS will find it wonderfully advantageous to visit this Store. Chrisnmas stocks are now in the very flower of freshness and attractiveness. Everything is at its best.

A REAL LIVE SANTA CLAUS

will be at our stores from SATURDAY, DEC. 17th, till CHRISTMAS EVE, and he wants all his friends, young and old, to come to see him.

(AS IS OUR CUSTOM.) On Saturday afternoon, December 24th, at 4 o'clock, Old Santa Claus will give all our little boy and girl friends a Christmas present. Owing to the immense crowds we have had former years, and likely to be greater this year, we would ask all our little friends to line up single file on THE PAVEMENT and when Old Santa Claus drives up at 4 o'clock, to march in slowly and KEEP TO THE RIGHT. Watch for Old Santa's arrival. He will first drive over town.

WISHING YOU A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS.

THE MILLER BROS. CO.,

Popular Cash Stores, Westminster, Md.

STORES OPEN AT NIGHT.

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