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Pursuant to the resolution adopted at its meeting, on the 5th ult., the Republican convention will meet again, at Odd Fellows' Hall, this city, on Monday next, 11th inst., when candidates for the House of Delegates and county offices will be nominated.

The attention of the Republicans of the county is called to the notice given by the supervisors of election that they will be at their office in this city, at 9 A. M., Thursday, 14th inst., for the purpose of granting transfers to registered voters whose residences have been changed. Persons desiring transfers must apply in person, but those whose names have been erased from the lists can get certificates to that effect by writing to the board. No Republican entitled to be registered and vote anywhere in the county, at the November election, should fail to have his name on the list where it properly belongs.

PEACE TREATY SIGNED.

The treaty of peace between Japan and Russia was signed at 5 P. M., Tuesday, at Portsmouth, N. H., by the envoys of the two countries. The terms require the complete evacuation of Manchuria by the Russians within 18 months; payment of real cost of maintenance of prisoners of war; division of Sakhalin Island; Japanese fishing rights in certain Russian waters; Japanese possession of Port Arthur and Dalny; Japanese protectorate over Korea and important railroad and other concessions to Japan.

Notwithstanding Japan has gained so much by the war many of the people are dissatisfied with the terms of peace, and there has been serious rioting at Tokio.

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

The Republican State Convention, held in Baltimore on Wednesday, adopted a platform for the pending campaign, in which the Poe amendment is discussed at length and unsparingly condemned, as it should be by all who abhor trickery and unfairness in politics. We are unable to give the resolutions in full this week, but will do so in the next issue of the SENTINEL. They were adopted without a dissenting voice and the convention was harmonious throughout. Ex-State Senator Putzel, of Baltimore, was temporary chairman of the convention and Secretary Charles J. Bonaparte permanent chairman. Strong speeches were made by former State Senator Dick, of Allegany county; Hon. Sidney E. Mudd, of Charles county; Hon. S. A. Williams, of Harford county; Congressman Wachter, Mr. Putzel, Mr. John C. Rose, and Mr. Bonaparte, of Baltimore. Mr. Richard W. Barnes, of this county, was a member of the committee on credentials, and Mr. Herbert Wooden, of the committee on resolutions.

The convention deferred the nomination of a candidate for Comptroller to a future date on account of uncertainty regarding the legal status of the Baltimore delegates, the primaries in that city not having been held in accordance with the law to legalize primaries.

After the adoption of the resolutions submitted, supplemental resolutions empowering Chairman Bonaparte to reassemble the convention for the purpose of nominating a candidate for comptroller, summoning the new state committee and authorizing the chairman to appoint a committee of five to suggest such amendments to the State Constitution as may be deemed necessary, were submitted by Hon. Sidney E. Mudd. The following committee was appointed: Sydney E. Mudd, Phillips Lee Goldsborough, John B. Hanna, Lewis Putzel, Dr. R. A. Ravenscroft.

Immediately after the convention adjourned the new State Central Committee met and was organized by re-electing Hon. John B. Hanna, of Harford county, chairman; Mr. John C. Simering, of Baltimore, secretary, and Mayor E. Clay Timanus, of Baltimore, treasurer.

PURE SPECULATION.

Frederick correspondents of the Baltimore papers continue to report the story that the Wabash Railroad Company is seeking a route, with easy grades, from that city to Hagerstown, over or through the Catoctin and South mountains, for the Western Maryland with a branch from Frederick to Washington. The last story on the subject is that the Catoctin mountain is to be tunneled underneath Jigger Hill, near the village of Braddock, and that the tunnel is to have a length of one mile and a half. This story, it is asserted, comes from a gentleman connected with the engineering corps making the survey for the Wabash. It may be taken for granted that it is, at best, but pure speculation. Frederick is several hundred feet lower than any point on the Western Maryland Railroad between Westminster and Hagerstown, but the Frederick route may offer fewer inequalities of surface than the more northern route now traversed. Still those who are familiar with the conformation of the surface of Middletown Valley know that it can only be crossed for railroad purposes by an immense amount of cutting and filling, to say nothing of the South Mountain which lies between it and Hagerstown.

Then it is not probable that anybody connected with a railroad survey is so deep in the counsels of the company as to know thoroughly what is contemplated by such survey, and, it is very certain, that any one possessing such knowledge would not divulge it to newspaper correspondents. The Wabash has been having a number of lines for the final route of the Western Maryland located, and it yet remains to be seen which of these routes will be adopted.

If it be true that it will require a mile and a half tunnel through the Catoctin mountain to get into Middletown Valley from Frederick there is little probability that that route will be selected. If it be desired to construct a branch to Washington it can be done on a route from Westminster or New Windsor but little, if any, longer than such a branch would be from Frederick.

The whole matter, however, pending the final action of the company, is simply speculation. It is very clear that from Westminster westward the company will select the best and most feasible route. If that shall be by a line from this city to Frederick and thence to Hagerstown the company will have sound and valid reasons for adopting it. Otherwise it will be excluded. The latest report from Frederick says:

"The Wabash surveying corps, which a couple of weeks ago began to survey a line to Frederick from a point on the Western Maryland Railroad, near Westminster, is now nearing the Monocacy River, a few miles east of Frederick, and has moved its headquarters to Linganore Hills Inn. The corps is running the survey along the Linganore Creek, which flows through a gap in the Linganore hills before emptying into the Monocacy. The survey is to connect at Frederick with the survey made westward from this city by the Wabash corps, under the direction of G. W. Furrey."

WOULD AN APPEAL LIE?

Democratic supporters of the Poe amendment are undertaking to show that, if it shall be adopted, any person refused registration because of inability (in the opinion of officers of registration) to properly interpret a clause of the constitution submitted by such officers, may take an appeal to the Judge of the Circuit Court from such action. The argument in support of this contention is based upon the existing election law, which provides that "any person who feels aggrieved by the action of any board of registry in refusing to register him as a qualified voter, or in erasing or mis-spelling his name, or that of any other person on the registry, or in registring or failing to erase the name of any fictitious, deceased or qualified person, may at any time, either before or after the last session of the board of registry" have the matter carried to the Circuit Court for final adjudication.

It is very questionable, however, whether this law will be applicable to the Poe amendment, if that shall be adopted by the voters of the State. The Constitution of the State, as it exists at present, clearly defines the qualifications of voters and leaves nothing to the discretion of the officers of registration. Age, residence and freedom from conviction of infamous crime constitute all the qualifications requisite to entitle a voter to registration. From an arbitrary refusal of the board of registry to recognize these qualifications an appeal will lie to the Circuit Court under the existing election law.

It is not at all clear, however, that such an appeal would lie in the case of the refusal of the board of registry to place the name of an applicant on the list of registered voters for failure to satisfy the board of his ability to properly interpret the constitution, as required by the amendment. The first provision of the amendment is that to become a qualified voter a person must be "able to read any section of the Constitution of this State submitted to him by the officers of registration and to give a reasonable explanation of the same; or if unable to read such section is able to give a reasonable explanation thereof when read to him by the registration officers."

This will be organic, not statute, law if adopted by the voters and will supersede the election law to the extent of conferring upon the officers of registration the sole power to determine whether an applicant shall be sufficiently familiar with the meaning of the Constitution to entitle him to registration. The board of registry is given the sole authority to determine whether the applicant shall be possessed of a sufficient knowledge of the Constitution to entitle him to registration, and, as this will be, if adopted, organic law, the existing election law will not be applicable in the matter and there will be no appeal from the dictum of the officers of registration. This is an inevitable and logical conclusion in the matter.

It is hardly too much to say that the peculiar verbiage of the amendment was adopted for the express purpose of preventing an appeal from the decision of the board of registry. Its author, Mr. John A. Poe, is an astute and cunning lawyer and knows the value of legal verbiage. He understands fully that statute law is subordinate to the Constitution, and that, in this case, the election law will be superseded by the amendment if it shall be adopted.

The attempt of Democratic supporters of the Poe amendment to make it appear otherwise is a tacit acknowledgement that it would be utterly undemocratic to invest officers of registration with such powers as are conferred by the Poe amendment. Their opinions, however, are purely dogmatic. They are without argument to sustain their contention and must take for granted an untenable assumption, in order to give the slightest ground for the acceptance of their theories by intelligent and well informed citizens. It may be considered as extremely probable that the courts will not consider appeals from the action of registration officers in refusing to place the names of applicants for registration upon the lists, if the Poe amendment shall be adopted. Let those who argue otherwise give something more than mere dogmatic assertion to sustain their contention.

The Royal Arcanum Rates.

The determined efforts of the older members of the Royal Arcanum to induce the Supreme Council to abandon the increased rates imposed upon them have failed. The matter was vigorously pressed at the recent meeting of the Supreme Council at Put in-Bay, Ohio, but a resolution to rescind the action of that body, taken at Atlantic City, some months ago, was voted down by a large majority, only 20 representatives having voted in the affirmative, while 73 votes were required for its adoption. A compromise resolution was adopted, but is practically no diminution of the rate. A clause covering the relief of the member 65 years of age or over, whose rates are jumped radically at attaining that age, merely provides that he shall pay only half of his assessment per annum during life, while the balance, with 4 per cent. interest, compounded annually, shall be deducted from the face value of the policy or benefit certificate, at death. For the relief of those who, over 65 years of age, cannot pay part or all of their portion due of the assessment, a special fund is to be raised of 20 cents a year. The disbursement of this fund will be under direction of the supreme Regent, and will be purely for the purpose of the relief specified.

It is impossible to form an opinion as to the probable effect of this action on the future of the order, but the dissatisfaction with the increased rates imposed on the older members is great and may end in their withdrawal from connection with the original body and the formation of another organization.

Capt. W. L. Atkinson, formerly of Baltimore, died at his home in Philadelphia on Friday last, after a short illness of neuralgia of the heart. Capt. Atkinson commanded Co. I, Cole's Maryland Cavalry, in the Civil War. He leaves a widow and one son, Mr. Lewis Atkinson, of Philadelphia. His mother and one sister, residing on East North avenue, Baltimore, also survive him.

FORCES IN THE CIVIL WAR.

The following interesting letter in relation to some points in the history of the war between the States—1861 65—was written by Mr. A. H. Huber, of this city, and published in the Baltimore *Sun* of Monday last. Mr. Huber is one of the best informed men in the country in relation to the history of America's great conflict, and his statements on the subject bear the impress of fact:

MESSRS. EDITORS:—The contribution to The Sun in its Sunday issue of August 20 by Richard D. Steuart was an extremely interesting article. His probable slip of the pen in stating that "there was no instance during the American conflict where a corps of 10,000 or more men were captured in the field," if an error, is minor in comparison with some of the assertions of his reviewer, Mr. I. H. Crawford, as recited in The Sun of August 25.

In correcting Mr. Steuart his critic might have included the Confederates captured by Grant at Fort Donelson, who, according to General Buckner's own statement, were "not fewer than 12,000 nor more than 15,000 men;" or, stronger still, the 29,491 that Pemberton surrendered at Vicksburg. This being Grant's way, and not "Stonewall's" probably explains the omission.

There is no discounting the bravery and skill of "Stonewall" Jackson. So long as military heroes are admired that splendid soldier will always take a place in the front rank; but let it not be forgotten that Shields defeated him badly at Winchester (March 23, 1862), and at Antietam the records show that Jackson, who at that battle fought against McClellan's right, and not his left flank, as stated by Mr. Crawford, was scarcely able to hold his own. Jackson himself admits "falling back some distance to the rear," while, according to the official reports of some of his subordinates, "the falling back" assumed the character of a disorderly rout.

McClellan in his report admits having 87,164 men under arms, while Lee's numbered less than 40,000. The loss was about 25,500 in killed, wounded and missing on both sides, the bloodiest single-day battle of the war. Both armies were severely punished, and it is now known the Confederates, in addition, badly disorganized. A Grant instead of a McClellan would then and there have ended the war. Fifteen thousand men under Fitz John Porter never fired a gun. That, we premise, was "McClellan's way."

Concerning Mr. Crawford's time-worn statement that 600,000 represented the total Confederate enlistment during the four years of war, there ought to be little, if anything, said in refutation. It has been disproved so frequently that the wonder is that now, after 40 years, enough remains for resurrection. Mr. Crawford's attention is directed to the discussion still going on between the States of Virginia and North Carolina as to which of the two States sent the greater number of men into the field during the war. The evidence already produced shows that those two States alone sent nearly 400,000 men into the Confederate ranks. A proportionate number was certainly furnished by the nine remaining States.

The cadets from the Military Institute at Lexington, Va., who at the battle of New Market fought like veterans, were all boys under 18 years, and the conscription was so worked that when the regulation age for admission to that institution was reduced to 16 years the State laws regarded even those as part of "the reserve" and liable to be called out. And this was true in every one of the seceding States. In the summer of '64, when Sherman was pushing Johnson back into the lines of the latter around Atlanta, the Governor of Georgia called into active service the old men of the State up to the age of 50 years and the boys down to 16 years, thus robbing in fact, so to speak, "the cradle and grave." When with all this there is considered that over a million of men were of military age in the 11 seceding States by the census of 1860, without considering those who became such before the war closed, and that thousands of young men from Maryland, Kentucky and Missouri were found in every Southern camp, it is fair to conclude that from first to last the Confederacy had nearly, if not quite, 2,000,000 men behind the guns. There is not a living soldier of the armies of the Republic who found during his campaigning in '63 and '64 a single able-bodied white man at home. Even the negroes were pressed into service, being utilized to build the the earthworks that made Richmond, Atlanta and other lines almost impregnable.

The records of the War Department show that 126,940 Federals were captured during the war, of whom 30,192 died in captivity, or about 24 per cent. Of the 220,000 Confederates captured 26,436 died in captivity, or about 12 per cent. There were no Andersonvilles north of the Potomac and Ohio.

A. H. HUBER,
Westminster, Md.

FARMERS AT Md. A. C.

The thirteenth annual meeting of the members and delegates of the various farmers' organizations of Maryland was held at the Maryland Agricultural College and Experiment Station last Friday afternoon and Saturday. About 150 delegates were present.

On Friday the delegates met at the College, divided into two sections and inspected the departments of the college and experiment station. They spent the night at the college. A grange meeting was held in the college auditorium at 7.30 and at 8 P. M. a meeting of the delegates was held in the college library for the consideration of the reports of the committees and other business.

Saturday morning they spent inspecting the grounds. Dinner was served at the college at 2.30, and at 3 they met in the auditorium for the adoption of reports.

The report of the committee on the Agricultural College contains, among other things, the following:

A delegate tells us that the college bought his crop of potatoes last year, and used 60 bushels per month and 600 bushels a year. When an establishment using such large quantities of provisions has to buy them in small quantities just when needed, because unable to store them, we can readily see that much additional expense is incurred.

We note that while the professor of agriculture has been given some additional assistance during the past year, his facilities for teaching and experimenting are not up to the standard of institutions of this class in the neighboring states, and we hope that the trustees will add to the advantages which this most important department offers to students.

Most students will go where most advantages may be found and our self-interest and civic pride lead us to hope that in opportunities to study agriculture and its applied branches Maryland shall lead, rather than follow her sister states.

A popular feature instituted the past year is the opportunity for boys to earn their board by work while studying. Sixteen young men have availed themselves of this opportunity during the past year, and of that number only two proved careless about their duties, and after being called to account a number of times, had to be discontinued. The others have been highly satisfactory.

The Department of Farmers' Institutes is in a very satisfactory condition, several new features having been introduced during the past year and more new ones are to come in the near future. The corn trains on the railroads last spring were very popular and successful, and likewise the exhibition tents at the county fairs. These features are the result of co-operative work between the Experiment Station and Department of Farmers' Institutes.

The farmers adopted the following resolution:

Moved by a profound realization of the widespread interest in the agricultural development of the United States, and realizing that may factors not found among us are operating in this direction in the North and West of our country, as well as in the Province of Ontario; and, further, believing that we have but to place before those in whose power it is to introduce these agencies, the reasonableness of their introduction as a business proposition; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we invite the attention of the managers of the transportation companies of Maryland to the work being done by similar organizations in other sections to bring the farmers of those sections into an intimate acquaintance with the work of the colleges and experiment stations of their sections, and the consequent improvement in their farms and increased production followed by the necessary consequence of larger freight and express transportation.

To the end that this purpose may be most forcibly presented, it is further

Resolved, That a committee be appointed by this meeting whose duty it will be to gather statistics for presentation to the transportation companies of Maryland of the work done elsewhere in this direction, and the beneficial results following from such co-operation between agriculturists and transportation companies.

Resolutions expressing unbounded confidence in Secretary of Agriculture Wilson were also adopted.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Davidson, H. L. Rinehart, J. H. Devilbiss, W. E. Benson, K. H. Gill, Leroy Gill, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. W. Beacham, G. H. Winemiller, L. E. Hilterbrick, C. W. Winemiller, Richard I. Lea, Miss Olive Gardner, L. P. Slingluff, Luther Brashears, L. M. Bushey, John P. Wilson, John A. Shaffer, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Eckert, S. W. Benner, J. E. Althoff, Samuel H. Little, Milton Ohler and A. B. Twigg.

The visitors were pleased with the fieldcorn experiments. It has been found that manure broadcasted on the sod land and let lay until spring and then plowed under produces better corn than rotten manure applied in any way. As much as 20 barrels of corn to the acre has been produced at the Experiment Station in this way.

While the ranks of the veterans of the Civil War are being constantly depleted, the attendance at the National Encampment of the G. A. R. at Denver, Col., this week was immense and it is estimated that 15,000 members of the order participated in the grand parade on Wednesday. The first meeting of the legislative body of the order was held yesterday, when speeches were made by Commander-in-Chief John R. King, of Baltimore, and others. A diamond badge was presented to Gen. King, indicative of his past commandership. Officers for the ensuing year had not been elected at the last report.

Letter to F. A Sharrer,
WESTMINSTER.

Dear Sir: There are two sorts of furniture. You know both; for you sell 'em both. One sort looks better than it is, and the other is better than it looks. There isn't any other sort.

The same, two sorts of paint, no more; and we make 'em both—we make tons of stuff that isn't worth its freight. Belongs to the business—have to. Belongs to your business—you have to.

But this is aside. We put into cans, with our name on, the very best paint there is in the world: Devoe lead-and-zinc. It takes fewer gallons than mixed paints, and it wears twice as long as lead-and-oil.

Mr. C O Brown, Columbia, S C, painted his house with Devoe lead-and-zinc. The painter, on seeing the quantity sent to the house, said there wasn't enough. There were ten gallons left when the job was done.

Yours truly
65 F W DEVOE & CO

Geo. M. Yeiser, Union Mills, sells our paint.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

St. Benjamin's Reformed Sunday School will hold its annual celebration in Mrs. Elijah Wagoner's grove, on Saturday, Sept. 16th. Several speakers have been invited to be present. Good music.

A festival will be held on the lawn of the Church of God at Wardleidsburg, on Saturday afternoon and night, Sept. 9th, for the benefit of the Sunday School.

The League Society of Thomas Chapel will hold a lawn fete at the home of Mr. Marion Abbott, on the Manchester road, near Mexico schoolhouse, Saturday evening, Sept. 9th. If the weather should be unfavorable then the following Tuesday evening. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the church. The public cordially invited.

Jerusalem Church Union Sunday School, at Bachman's, will hold their annual celebration Saturday, Sept. 9th, in Mr. Geo. Warehime's grove near the church. There will be an interesting program for both morning and afternoon services. Able speakers will be present. Music will be furnished by the Mt. Pleasant Band. Refreshments will be sold on the ground for the benefit of the school. All are welcome.

HOUSE FOR RENT.

A fine residence in first-class order, on East Main Street, for rent. Possession at once. Apply to John Bernstein.

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

Centenary M. E. Church.—Sabbath School Sunday at 9.15 a. m. Junior League 2.30 p. m. Epworth League at 6.45 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30 p. m. Preaching at 10.30 a. m., and 7.30 p. m.

D. G. MILLER, Pastor.

Methodist Protestant Church.—Sunday School 9.15 a. m. Preaching 10.30 a. m., and 7.30 p. m. Junior C. E. service 2 p. m., and Christian Endeavor 6.30 p. m. Prayer Meeting Wednesday evening 7.30.

L. F. WARNER, Pastor.

St. Paul's Ref. Church.—Sunday School at 9.15 a. m. Divine service at 10.30 a. m., and 7.15 p. m.

CALVIN S. SLAGLE, Pastor.

Grace Lutheran Church.—Sunday School 9 a. m. Divine service 10.30 a. m., and 7.30 p. m. Y. P. C. E. S., 6.35 p. m. Prayer Meeting on Wednesday evening 7.30 p. m. Harvest Home services Sunday, Sept. 17th, 10.30 a. m.

P. H. MILLER, D. D., Pastor.

Ascension Church.—12th Sunday after Trinity.—7.30 a. m., Holy Communion. 10.30 a. m., Holy Communion and Sermon. 4.30 p. m., Evening Prayer. 8 p. m., Service and Sermon in Chapel.

Rev. Frank M. Gibson, Ph. D., Rector.

Carroll Charge, Reformed Church.—Benjamin's—Service 2 p. m. Sunday School 1 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. 7.30 p. m.

Harvest Home service at Bachman's 10 a. m.

Catechize at Pleasant Valley every Thursday 2 p. m.; Bachman's every Friday 2 p. m.; Benjamin's every Saturday 2 p. m.

JAMES B. STONESIFER, Pastor.

Salem Charge, Lutheran Church.—St. Benjamin's.—Sunday School 9 a. m. Holy Communion 10 a. m. Preparatory services Saturday 2 p. m.

St. John's.—Sunday School 9. a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. 7.45 p. m. Holy Communion Sunday, Sept. 17th, 10 a. m. Preparatory services Saturday. Sept 16th.

R. W. DOTY, Pastor.

There will be held at Deer Park Methodist Protestant Church at Smallwood, on Sunday, October 1st, a harvest home service. There will be three services during the day—at 10 a. m., 2.30 and 7.30 p. m. All the people from far and near are invited to come and share in this service.

There will be special services at Zion M. P. Church on Sunday, Sept. 17th, at 10 a. m., and 2.30 p. m. We cordially invite all who can to attend these meetings.

Baust Church: Harvest Home service Sunday, 10th, at 10 a. m.

Winter's Church: Harvest Home service Sunday, 17th, at 10 a. m.

G. W. Baughman, Pastor.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED.

A Boy at once to work in a store. Experience not needed. Must come well recommended. Apply to C. ENGLE & CO.,
sept 8 1t Medford, Md.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

The Mayor and Common Council of Westminster will sit for Transfers and Abatements, on Monday, Sept. 11th, and on Monday, Sept. 18th, 1905, at 7 o'clock, each evening. All taxpayers desiring any changes should attend these meetings. No abatements will be allowed after the levy is made. By order,
O. D. GILBERT, Mayor.
sep 9 2t H. B. GRAMMER, Clerk.

PUBLIC SALE.

I will sell at Public Sale, on the premises, near Carrollton Station, on

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23rd, 1905,

at 1 o'clock, P. M., a small Farm of 44 Acres, more or less, improved with a Dwelling House, Barn, and other buildings. Timber, Fruit, Water, &c.
sep 8 3t* EDWARD T. HOUCK.

FARM OF 50 ACRES,

more or less, situated 1 mile north of Uniontown, Carroll county, Md., with good buildings, fruit, &c.; land fertile; a good water power for a mill, at which a booming trade was done for many years. Price $3,400; title good. Offers will be received until October 21st, 1905, when if not previously sold the highest offer then pending will be considered.
JOSIAH C. BANKERT, No. 66 Pennsylvania Ave., Westminster, sep 9 td.

FOR SALE.

A fine Store Property and Stock of General Merchandise, where business has been conducted for years, in a very desirable locality in Carroll county, Md. Address T, 8023 NEWS OFFICE, BALTIMORE,
au 25 tf Maryland.

J. Milton Reifsnider,
Attorney-at-Law and Solicitor in Chancery.
OFFICE—Albaugh Block, Court St., Westminster, Md. oc 21-1y

WE can deliver you a ton of 2240 lbs. or a car load of Elk Garden Coal. See Smith & Reifsnider, Westminster, about it.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE UNION MILLS SAVINGS BANK, OF CARROLL COUNTY, AT UNION MILLS, IN THE STATE OF MARYLAND, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, ON THE 25th DAY OF AUGUST, 1905.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 50,070 52
Stocks, securities, etc		40,988 31
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		2,000 01
Other real estate and mortgages owned		15,836 78
Due from Trust Companies		3,162 55
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		13 45
Money in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$ 99 85	
Legal-tender notes	1,315 00	
		1,414 85
Total		$113,386 67

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 10,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses, taxes paid	2,802 44
Individual deposits subject to check	11,447 88
Weekly and Monthly deposits	13,054 63
Time certificates of deposit	75,071 72
Treasurer's checks outstanding	10 00
Total	$113,386 67

State of Maryland, County of Carroll, ss:

I, Calvin E. Bankert, Treasurer of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CALVIN E. BANKERT, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 2nd day of September, 1905.

J. Wm. Earhart, J. P.

Correct—Attest:
JEROME KOONTZ,
WM. FROCK,
JOHN D. SCHAEFFER,
Directors.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF A VERY
VALUABLE FARM
In Freedom District, Carroll County, Md.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in the deed of John H. Ruby and wife to Guy W. Steele, Thomas A. Murray, and Francis Neal Parke, trustees, dated September 4th, 1905, and duly recorded among the land records of Carroll county, in liber D. P. S. No. 102, folio 226, etc., the undersigned trustees will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, near Freedom, Carroll county, Maryland, at 12 o'clock, M., on

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 4th, 1905,

all that valuable and productive farm containing

80 ACRES, 2 ROODS AND 36 PERCHES

of Land, more or less, situated 3 miles from Sykesville, on the Liberty road, between Eldersburg and Freedom, and adjoining the Steele property, and those of Mrs. Baker and Mr. Newton Devries. This property is improved by a Two and One-half Stories Weatherboarded Dwelling House, containing 10 rooms and a new Bank Barn, Wagon Shed and all other necessary outbuildings. It is well watered, has a splended Orchard of apples and other fruit, and enough Timber for the property. The land is fertile, under a good state of cultivation, and is exceptionally located, lying between two public roads, and near to churches, stores, and schools. This is one of the most desirable properties in Freedom district, and it is on the line of the proposed electric road between Baltimore and Frederick, and about 16 miles from Baltimore by turnpike. This section is noted as being the most fertile, beautiful and productive portion of Carroll county. The property offers a rare opportunity for anyone wishing a most desirable home or country residence.

And on the same day and at the same place, the said trustees will offer at Public Sale at one o'clock, P. M., the following valuable Personal Property: 3 Good Mules, 2 Milch Cows, 1 Heifer, new six-horse Western Wagon, Hay Carriage and bed; 2 four-horse Wagons and beds; 2 Buckeye Mowers, Empire Grain Drills, McCormick Binder, 2 Sulky Plows, 2 spring tooth Harrows, 2 Feed Mills, Plows, Harrow, Harness and numerous other articles of personal property.

Terms of Sale of Real Property:—One-third of the purchase money in cash on the day of sale or on the ratification thereof by the Court, and the residue in two equal installments of six and twelve months from the day of sale, or all cash at the option of the purchaser. The credit payments are to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, with approved security, bearing interest from the day of sale.

Terms of Sale for Personalty:—All sums of $10.00 and under, cash on the day of sale; on all sums over $10.00 a credit of four months will be given, the credit payments to be secured by the notes of the purchasers, with approved security, bearing interest from the day of sale.

GUY W. STEELE,
THOMAS A. MURRAY,
FRANCIS NEAL PARKE,
Trustees.

Guy W. Steele, Bond & Parke, Solicitors.
sep 8 4t Joseph W. Berrett, Auct.

NOTICE OF THE TIME AND PLACE OF REGISTRATION AND REVISION THEREOF, IN CARROLL COUNTY, MD.

Notice is hereby given by the Board of Supervisors of Election of Carroll county, pursuant to and in accordance with the directions contained in Section 13, of Article 33 of the Code of Public General Laws of the State of Maryland, that the Board of Registry for the several election districts and precincts of Carroll county, Maryland, will sit for the purpose of registering qualified voters and erasing the names of those disqualified, between the hours of 8 o'clock, A. M. and 7 o'clock, P. M., on

TUESDAY, October 3rd, and TUESDAY, October 10th,

A. D. 1905, AND FOR THE PURPOSE OF

REVISION ONLY

(on which day no name can be registered) on

TUESDAY, October the 17th,

A. D. 1905, at the following places in the several precincts and districts, to-wit:

District No. 1, First Precinct.—In Firemen's Building, on Baltimore street, in Taneytown.

District No. 1, Second Precinct.—In Eckenrode's Shop, on Church street in Taneytown.

District No. 2, First Precinct.—At Johnson Hollenberry's Storeroom, in Uniontown.

District No. 2, Second Precinct.—At the room adjoining Angell's Store, in Tyrone.

District No. 3.—At the Mystic Chain Hall, in Silver Run.

District No. 4, First Precinct.—At the old Hotel Property in Sandyville, owned by Louis W. Caple.

District No. 4, Second Precinct.—At the Storeroom and Dwelling owned by Mrs. Mary A. Nelson, in Bird Hill.

District No. 5, First Precinct.—At the Misses Backer Building, in Eldersburg.

District No. 5, Second Precinct.—At the Storeroom of William A. Dorsey, Jr., in Berrett.

District No. 6, First Precinct.—At the Firemen's Building, in Manchester.

District No. 6, Second Precinct.—At the Factory of C. M. Masenheimer, in Manchester.

District No. 7, First Precinct.—At the Albaugh Building, corner Court and Main streets, in Westminster.

District No. 7, Second Precinct.—At the Storeroom of Doyle & Haines, West Main street, in Westminster.

District No. 7, Third Precinct.—At the home of Meade Ohler, opposite Albaugh Building, on Main street, in Westminster.

District No. 7, Fourth Precinct.—At the Lumber, Coal and Supply Co's Building, corner Green and Liberty streets, second door on Liberty street from Green, in Westminster.

District No. 8.—At the Firemen's Building, in Hampstead.

District No. 9.—At the residence of Mrs. Malinda Smith, in Taylorsville.

District No. 10.—At the Hotel of Mrs. Lynn, in Middleburg.

District No. 11.—At the residence of J. Edward West, in New Windsor.

District No. 12.—At the Firemen's Building, in Union Bridge.

District No. 13.—In the Vacant Storeroom of John B. Runkles, on the west side of Main street, in Mt. Airy.

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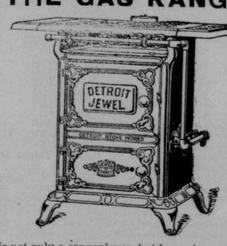
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