American Sentinel.

WESTMINSTER, - MARYLAND.

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It would be a blessing to the poor people of this country if Mr. John D. Rockefeller would forbear contributing of his hundreds of millions of dollars to objects of education and benevolence. Recently he announced a gift of $32,000,000 to the cause of education, and now consumers of coal oil, among whom are millions of the wage earners of the country, are making it up to him by having to pay a cent or two per gallon more than they would otherwise have been obliged to do. It is not good news to the masses of the people that Mr. Rockefeller is contemplating another liberal gift to benevolent objects. He is sure to recoup himself for his generosity by his exactions upon the public generally. It is about time that some method were devised to end the Standard Oil Company's dangerous monopoly. Mr. Rockefeller is about the greatest unconvicted criminal in this country. He is a constant menace to the peace and welfare of a large part of the land. Is he "sowing the wind to reap the whirlwind?"

AN IMPORTANT MOVEMENT.

The Maryland Oyster Culture and Good Roads League has been organized, with Hon. S. A. Williams, of Bel Air, president, and an executive committee which has not yet been fully completed, but of which the following gentleman have been appointed members: Wm. H. Buckler, chairman; George T. Phillips, W. W. Parker, A. Stanley Bryan, B. Howard Haman and Thomas H. Robinson. The movement for this organization only began on Friday last, but numbers of prominent citizens have become identified with it. It was called into being by a movement in some of the tidewater counties intended to procure, if possible, the repeal of the oyster culture law passed by the General Assembly last year.

It is not likely that the latter movement would, in any event, meet with success. Under the law of 1906 the Shellfish Commissioners are having careful surveys made and the grounds suitable for oyster planting and culture located. The work has gone forward with reasonable celerity, but some time must necessarily elapse before the entire completion of the surveys. Then the planting grounds will be let at a fixed rental per acre, and all surplus money, over and above expenses, derived from this source, will go to the several counties to be devoted to road making.

While immense sums for the purpose may not be derived from the rentals, it is believed that the amounts will be sufficient to afford material assistance in improving the roads. Many tongmen in the tidewater counties are apprehensive that their interests will be seriously affected by the operations of the law, and hence are organizing for the purpose of endeavoring to procure its repeal. The best authorities, however, are of the opinion that instead of injuring the business of the tongers, their interests will be promoted by putting the provisions of the law into effect. The oyster industry in this State was being rapidly overthrown by processes in operation before the passage of the oyster culture law and it was only a matter of time, and not a very long time at that, when, if the law of 1906 had not been passed, the oyster beds of the State would have been practically destroyed.

Under such circumstances the repeal of the law, at this juncture, would be the height of folly and the people of this section of the State should take up the cudgels against repeal, in no uncertain or halting manner.

Policeman Terence Doyle.

Terence Doyle, a member of the Baltimore county police force, died suddenly at his home in Catonsville, of paralysis, on Sunday night, and his funeral took place Wednesday morning from St. Mark's Catholic Church, in that place.

The death of Policeman Doyle recalls an incident in a remarkable series of robberies committed at Carrollton, in this county; Pikesville, Baltimore county; Carlisle, Pa., and in the vicinity of Harrisburg, Pa., in 1895, by William Hall, alias Charles Wells, Joseph Cost and others. It will be remembered that after Evans' store at Carrollton Station had been robbed, on one occasion, Hall, Cost and their companions were corralled in a vacant house between Tannery and Carrollton and they were captured after one of the number had been shot and his leg broken. That Wells and Cost escaped from the county jail, and got safely away into Pennsylvania, where they committed robberies at Carlisle, Harrisburg, Mechanicsburg and elsewhere. Then they got back into Baltimore county and burglarized the residence of Mr. Watts, near Pikesville. Then they got to Catonsville, where Officer Doyle, while attempting to arrest them, was shot and seriously wounded by both Hall and Cost. The men were finally arrested, tried in Baltimore and sentenced to the penitentiary. Cost's time expired several years ago, but Hall is still serving a 25 year term.

When Hall learned of the death of Officer Doyle he invested $5 in a large wreath of roses which, at his request, was sent to the home of the deceased policeman and placed on the casket containing his remains. Accompanying the wreath was a card bearing the inscription: "Sympathy of William Hall, (alias Charles Wells,) Maryland Penitentiary." Hall is said to be a model prisoner and will have his sentence of 25 years greatly lessened by his good behavior.

The new 16,000 ton battleship Minnesota, the latest product of the plant of the Newport News Shipbuilding and Drydock Company, was turned over to the Navy Department by General Manager W. A. Post, representing the builders, at the Norfolk Navy Yard on Monday. Capt. John Hubbard, who has been appointed to the command of the new ship, accepted her on behalf of the Navy Department. The Minnesota's crew is being assembled at the navy yard and will be transferred to the ship when she is commissioned, the latter part of this month. When the ship goes into active service she will be sent to sea on a "shakedown" run and will then return to Hampton Roads and await the arrival of Admiral Evans' Atlantic Squadron, to which she will be attached.

The portable steam sawmill owned by N. H. Musselman, of Gettysburg, Pa., and operated by A. Lincoln Cleaver, was burned early Thursday morning of last week, in a tract of timberland on what is known as the Shorb farm, near Flat Bush school house, about two miles from Littlestown, Pa. Mr. Musselman's loss will be about $1,600.

Presidents James McCrea, of the Pennsylvaaia Railroad, and Oscar G. Murray, of the Baltimore and Ohio, had a conference with Vice-President Landstreet, of the Western Maryland, at Hagerstown, on Saturday last, in relation to the handling of fast freight and the erection of a union depot at that place.

Ex-Mayor William T. Malster Dead.

Ex-Mayor William T. Malster, of Baltimore, died at his residence, 1811 North Charles street, in that city, at half after four o'clock, last Saturday morning. Mr. Malster was born April 4, 1841 and would have been 66 years old if he had lived till the 4th of next month. The immediate cause of his death was pulmonary œdema, but he had been suffering with partial paralysis for several years. He was twice married and his second wife survives him. By his first wife, who was a Miss Florence, of North Carolina, he leaves two daughters—Misses Florence and Sara Malster. His second wife was Mrs. Anna L. Hardcastle, of Cecil county, widow of Dr. Marion L. Hardcastle. Their marriage took place about nine years ago. Mr. Malster was a native of Cecil county and began life as a poor boy, but worked himself up to high station in the business and political world. He was Mayor of Baltimore from 1897 till 1900 and was United States Naval officer for four years, until recently. He was a large hearted, true man. The following from the editorial columns of the Baltimore *Sun*, of Sunday last, briefly, but accurately describes his life, character and achievements:

"Few men have lived in Baltimore in recent years who had so great a number of devoted friends as William T. Malster, who died yesterday. He had all the qualities to inspire affection. He was generous, self-sacrificing and loyal. With a modest start in life, deprived of the advantages which many young men possess, he rose by his own determination, energy and industry to high position. He persisted in his determination to become a skilled mechanic, and from fireman on a canal steamboat he became president of a large shipbuilding company. The Columbian Iron Works and Drydock Company was the development from a small beginning inaugurated a good many years ago. From the time that he began the business of repairing vessels here, nearly 40 years ago, to his retirement from the Columbian Iron Works Mr. Malster brought a vast amount of money to this city, which gave employment to thousands of skilled artisans. He repaired many vessels and built some that were famous, and for years his activities added greatly to the business of the port and to the general wealth of the city. Because of his remarkable popularity Mr. Malster was nominated for Mayor of Baltimore in 1893, but was defeated. In 1897 he was again nominated and that time was elected. The chief feature of his administration was the appointment of the commission which framed the present Charter of the city. It was perhaps unfortunate that Mr. Malster ever embarked in politics. He was not fitted for political life and work. His proper sphere was that in which he moved so many years and in which he accomplished so much good for his fellow-citizens. He had a great and a warm heart in his massive frame, and there are many devoted friends to lament his death."

Remarkable Longevity.

A good many cases of extraordinary longevity have been recently reported in the daily newspapers. One of those mentioned last week was an Arkansas man aged 114 years. Another was a woman aged 110 years.

This week a story comes from Portland, Oregon, where a Mrs. Ramsey L. Wood will, if she lives till May 20th next, be 120 years old. She was born in Knoxville, Tenn., in 1787, if the story be correct, and is so well preserved that she recently subscribed for a magazine for five years and says she expects to read the last issue in that period.

A better authenticated story of extreme longevity comes from Little Rock, Arkansas, which states that "Rev. George Brinsfield, said to be the oldest preacher in the world, died at the home of his son-in-law, Thomas Cankey, near Huron, Izard county, at the age of 108 years.

"Brinsfield was a local Methodist preacher and a remarkable character. He came to Arkansas 84 years ago from Alabama. He always attended the conferences of his church, and at the age of 100 years he walked to Batesville, a distance of 50 miles to attend the conference at that place.

"He was born in Guilford county, North Carolina, May 16, 1799. In 1818 he married Miss Charity Skipper, and of the union six children were born. After her death he married again and eight children were born to his second wife. He had 50 grandchildren, 87 great grandchildren and 12 great-great-grandchildren."

Snow, Wind, Thunder and Lightning.

A sudden and violent storm of wind, with blinding snow and in some localities thunder and lightning, swept over the country from Pittsburg, Pa., in an easterly direction, on Tuesday evening. The storm struck Pittsburg about nightfall and within half an hour the mercury dropped 15°. For a time a real blizzard prevailed and street car service was at a standstill, motormen having been unable to see more than a few feet in front of them.

A lady who left a car to go a couple of squares, fought her way a short distance and then stopped at a porch. She was taken into the house, but in a few minutes died from over-exertion. The wind blew so strongly that telegraph and telephone wires were broken, chimneys blown down and other damage inflicted.

The storm reached this locality about 9 P. M., but was less severe than at Pittsburg. High wind prevailed all Tuesday night and all day Wednesday, and half an inch of snow fell during Tuesday night.

Washington, D. C., caught the blow about 10 o'clock Tuesday night. Rain, changing to snow, accompanied it with repeated flashes of lightning and loud peals of thunder. The flurry was over in about an hour.

Hon. Robert Garrett is one of a syndicate of six Baltimoreans who have purchased Guilford, the A. S. Abell property, lying for the most part between the York road on the east, Charles street avenue on the west, Merryman avenue on the south and Cold Spring lane on the north and containing 296 acres, chiefly within the limits of Baltimore City. The price paid was $1,000,000, and the purpose of the syndicate is to develop the property as a residential section of the city, with dwellings of a high grade. The location is a magnificent one.

Frank Van Dusen, assistant general passenger agent of the Pennsylvania Railroad lines west of Pittsburg, Pa., died at his home in that city on Monday, of pneumonia, and his wife died in an adjoining room, an hour after his demise, of the same disease. Mr. Van Dusen had been in the active service of the Pennsylvania Railroad for 30 years, and, it is said, was deeply wounded by the promotion of another man over his head for the general agency of the company and was physically weakened by brooding over his disappointment. It is said also, that in dying with him Mrs. Van Dusen had the dearest wish of her life gratified.

One of the worst landslides since the completion of the Cumberland extension of the Western Maryland Railroad occurred Saturday morning near Kieffers station, 45 miles west of Hagerstown. For a distance of over a hundred yards the track was covered with earth and rock that rolled down the mountain side. All section hands on the division were rushed to the scene of the trouble, but it was not until late in the day that the track was cleared. East and westbound trains were run over the Baltimore and Ohio between Cherry Run and Cumberland.

Mr. Charles G. Cramer has sued G. Clinton Winebrener, in the Circuit Court for Frederick county, for malicious prosecution, and Mrs. Cramer has sued Roy B. Winebrener for assault. Cramer was assaulted by the Winebreners jointly and Mrs. Cramer was struck in the mouth by Roy. The Winebreners were fined $225 and costs last week for these assaults. These were criminal cases. The suits now entered are civil cases for damages.

Ground has been broken at Emmitsburg for a grain elevator, which the Emmitsburg Railroad Company will erect near its station at that place. The building will be equipped with elevators having a capacity of 400 bushels per hour, and the bins will hold 5,000 bushels of grain. The elevator is to be ready for use by April 1. It will be managed by the firm of Frizzell & Boyle.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS

For the most part wintery weather has prevailed during the past week.

Country Club Function.

The Country Club of this city gave a "ladies' evening" at the club rooms in the Wantz Building last night, which was quite an enjoyable social affair. Among the incidents of the function were an address of welcome by the president, Dr. James E. Shreeve; readings from Maud Muller, by Prof. J. B. Edwards, Frank Mather and T. W. Mather, Jr.; a guessing contest for a prize, which was won by Miss Bessie Roberts; music &c., by the revolving disc, (Mr. S. S. Wilson's graphophone); games and other amusements, concluding with tempting refreshments, served in abundance. The affair was much enjoyed by the members of the club and their lady guests.

Personal.

Mrs. John H. Landers and daughter, Miss Clara, of Thurmont, and Capt. G. F. Landers, of Fort Hamilton, N. Y., spent Monday in this city, with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph J. Royer.

A marriage license was issued yesterday, by the clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of Baltimore, to Mr. Elby Shipley, of Baltimore, and Miss Georgianna Leatherwood, of this county.

Mr. W. Sprinkle, of Waynesboro, Pa., spent Saturday last with his brothers-in-law, Messrs. Joseph and David Witter, of this city, and then visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elias Sprenkle, of Carrollton, over Sunday.

Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Thos. H. Lewis arrived in Baltimore from Florida on Tuesday. Dr. Lewis' health is very much improved. He will go to Chicago to attend a meeting of the commissioners of the Methodist Protestant, United Brethren and Congregational Churches, in the interest of their union, on the 19th inst.

Union Mills Items.

After a lingering illness from that dread disease, consumption, Miss Rebecca E. Tagg peacefully departed this life on the morning of the 4th inst. She bore her sufferings most patiently, and her life was one of devotion to her friends, her family and her church. She was in the 61st year of her age. The late Wm. Tagg was her father. She is survived by her mother and the following named brothers and sisters: Rev. Dr. F. T. Tagg, editor of the Methodist Protestant, Baltimore; Perry O. L. Tagg, Sparrows Point, Md.; Hicks Tagg, Littlestown, Pa.; Harvey Tagg and Misses Lucretia Tagg and Mollie Tagg, at home, Union Mills, Md. Miss Tagg was a devoted member of Moorhead M. E. Church, where her remains were laid to rest on Wednesday morning last, in the presence of a large concourse of sympathising friends and relatives. Her pastor, Rev. J. W. Long, of Littlestown, conducted the services. Undertaker Edward Groff was in charge of the funeral. There were twelve pall-bearers, as follows: G. W. Yeiser, Daniel P. Frock, George D. Humbert, Ephraim Yingling, Josiah Erb, Dr. J. H. T. Earhart, Calvin E. Bankert, Edward Steward, Theodore Frock, Bernard Ecker, C. O. Bloom, Wm. E. Frock. The casket was carried from the house to the church, a distance of a fourth of a mile, and the pall-bearers acted in relays of six.

On Saturday, 9th inst., Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Shriver and their four daughters, Misses Madeline, Helen, Jeannette and Angela Shriver, will sail from New York on an extended trip to Europe.

Miss Merle Nusbaum, who has been critically ill for some weeks, is much improved in health and is now considered out of danger.

Bachman's Valley Weather Report.

MONTH OF FEBRUARY.

Date.	Temp'ture.		Precipitation.		Character of days.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Amount.	Prevailing wind direction.	
1	35	9	.28	E	Cloudy S R
2	57	29	.18	SE	Cloudy R F
3	32	20		N	P Cloudy
4	30	14	1 10	NE	P Cloudy S
5	18	11		N	"
6	20	4		N	Clear
7	26	13*		NW	"
8	24	1		NW	"
9	21	0		NW	"
10	42	22		SW	"
11	38	18		NW	"
12	28	3		NW	"
13	35	5		S	"
14	48	25	T	SNW	P Cloudy
15	35	18		NW	Clear
16	46	18		SW	"
17	47	31		NW	Cloudy R
18	38	26		NWSW	Clear
19	36	12	.18	SW	Cloudy R
20	41	26		NW	Clear
21	36	20		NW	"
22	20	14		NW	"
23	8	2		NE	"
24	22	12	50	NE	Cloudy S
25	41	10	T	W	Clear
26	38	10	T	SW	"
27	36	17	.15	NE	Clear S
28	34	7		SE	P Cloudy
Sum.	932	384	2.39	NW	
Mean	33.3	13.7			

SUMMARY.—Mean maximum temperature 33.3. Mean minimum temperature, 13.7. Mean temperature, 25.5. Maximum temperature, 48, date, 14; Minimum temperature, 13 below; date, 7. Total precipitation, 2.39 inches. Greatest in 24 hours, 1.10; date 4; total fall of snow, 19.5 inches; with .01 inch or more precipitation 6. Clear days 18; partly cloudy 5; Cloudy 5. Date of sleet 19.

*below zero.

J. M. MYERS, Voluntary Observer.

For the Sentinel.

A Pleasant Surprise Party.

A very pleasant surprise party was given at the home of Mrs. Wm. Lowe on Thursday evening, Feb. 28th, which all enjoyed till a late hour, when refreshments were served. Those present were: Mrs. Wm. Lowe, Mrs. Jacob Green, Mrs. Isaac Long, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sies, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bowman, Misses Bertha Lowe, Anne Long, Margaret Clary, Blanche Bowman, Edna Green, Leah Green, Ethel Lowe, Nora Murry, Maggie and Nannie Bitzel, Mary and Ida Lowe, Marie and Mattie Long, Elizabeth and Ida Clary, Blanche Little, Julia Berwager, Amanda Sies, Mary Frebertshauser, and Marian Bowman, Messers. Robert Lowe, Chas. Sies, Jas. Bowman, Othon Clary, Owen Green, Harry Clary, Calvin Long, Wm. Tawney, Jas. Frebertshauser, Wesley Bowman, Jas. Little, Chas. Long, Howard Tawney, Frederick Bitzel, Earl Green, Albert Lowe, Irving Sies, Edward Long.

Littlestown, Pa., Items.

Miss Margie Baker, of King street, has gone to Philadelphia, where she will undergo an operation at the Methodist Hospital.

The condition of Mr. Augustus Mering, who has been confined to his bed for several weeks, remains about the same.

Mr. John Burgoon and family, of Union Mills, visited their son, Prof. W. A. Burgoon, on Sunday.

With the good wishes of his congregation, Rev. C. P. Bastain left for his new charge, Keyser, W. Va., on Friday. Rev. Bastain was pastor of the St. John's Church for six years and leaves it in a flourishing condition.

Miss Margaret Elliott, who had been ill for the past week, has finally resumed her duties as the teacher of the intermediate school. Miss Lizzie Nicks is still confined to her bed with the grip. Her school has been idle for over a week.

Gist Items.

Mrs. Chas. W. Klee is spending a week in Baltimore with friends.

Mr. Wm. F. Jordan returned home on Saturday last from a visit to Baltimore and Catonsville.

Mr. Chas. H. Brown, who had been confined to his home by illness, is able to be out again.

Mrs. C. A. Jordan, who had been ill with the grip, is convalescent.

The oyster supper held by the Ladies' Mite Society in the P. O. S. of A. Hall on the nights of Feb. 21st and 23rd., proved a grand success. The society realized over $36 clear of expenses. Many thanks to friends and patrons.

Mr. Geo M. Brothers, formerly employed by the Klee Milling Co., has moved his family to his own home near Gamber.

Mr. John Williams, on the Deer Park road, has moved in the house just vacated by Mr. Brothers. He has been employed by the Klee Milling Co.

Ladies' Mite Society meets at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Columbus A. Shipley on Tuesday, March 12th, at 2 P. M. sharp.

College Y. M. C. A. Notes.

At a regular business meeting of Y. M. C. A. of the Western Maryland College, on March 2nd, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Pres., C. W. Bates, '09; Vice-Pres., W. E. Short '08; Sec., Jesse E. Pritchard, '09; treasurer, Wm. H. Mikesell, '09; librarian, L. W. Gerringer, '10; historian, T. F. Smith, '10.

Messrs. Mikesell, Taylor and Pritchard were elected delegates to the Intercollegiate Mission Conference, to be held at Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, March 9-10.

On Sunday, March 3rd, Miss Mary B. Shellman, of Westminster, gave a delightful address in joint meeting of Y. M. C. A. and W. C. A., on the work at the Carroll County Home. Miss Shellman said that the world applauds greatly the work of the world's great benefactors, and yet the work which is being done at our County Home, Sunday after Sunday, is the same kind of work on a smaller scale. Miss Shellman's style was pleasing and each one present was heartily in sympathy with her work.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

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For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC, BALTIMORE.

Jefferson De Angelis brings to the Academy of Music, Baltimore, on Monday, March 11th, for one week with matinees on Wednesday and Saturday, a new Comic Opera "The Girl and the Governor," which has proved a great success in all cities. The production is very complete and beautiful.

SAVED HER SON'S LIFE.

The happiest mother in the little town of Ava, Mo., is Mrs S. Ruppee. She writes: One year ago my son was down with such serious lung trouble that our physician was unable to help him; when, by our druggist's advice, I began giving him Dr. King's New Discovery, and I soon noticed improvement. I kept this treatment up for a few weeks when he was perfectly well. He has worked steadily since at carpenter work. Dr. King's New Discovery saved his life." Guaranteed best cough and cold cure by all Druggists. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

HOW TO REMAIN YOUNG.

To continue young in health and strength, do as Mrs. N. F. Rowan, McDonough, Ga., did. She says: "Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured me of chronic liver and stomach trouble, complicated with such an unhealthy condition of the blood that my skin turned red as flannel. I am now practically 20 years younger than before I took Electric Bitters. I can now do all my work with ease and assist in my husband's store." Guaranteed at all Drug Stores. Price 50c.

WORKED LIKE A CHARM.

Mr. D. N. Walker, editor of that spicy journal, the Enterprise, Louisa, Va., says: "I ran a nail in my foot last week and at once applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve. No inflamation followed; the salve simply healed the wound." Heals every sore, burn and skin disease. Guaranteed by all Druggists. 25c.

FOUND AT LAST.

J. A. Harmon, of Lizemore, West Va., says: "At last I have found the perfect pill that never disappoints me; and for the benefit of others afflicted with torpid liver and chronic constipation, will say: take Dr. King's New Life Pills." Guaranteed satisfactory. 25c at all Drug Stores.

MARRIED

At the parsonage, Feb. 21st, 1907, by Rev. Jas. B. Stonesifer, Mr. Geo. Lippy and Miss Madaline Mash, both of Deep Run.

At the parsonage, March 1st, 1907, by Rev. Jas. B. Stonesifer, Mr. Wm. P. Dodrer and Miss Ada M. Crowl, both of Hanover, Pa.

In this city, March 2nd, 1907, by Rev. P. H. Miller, D. D., Mr. Grover Cleveland Gist and Miss Rosa C. Hubbs, both of this city.

At the parsonage, this city, March 7th, 1907, by Rev. R. W. Doty, Mr. Frederick W. Witte, of Tannery, and Miss Emma C. Hunter, near this city.

DIED.

In Uniontown, March 7th, 1907, Harrison Weaver, aged 91 years, 3 months and 6 days.

In Union Mills, March 4th, 1907, Miss Rebecca E., daughter of the late Wm. Tagg, aged 60 years.

In Baltimore, March 3rd, 1907, Anne Maria, widow of John Greenwood, aged over 80 years.

Near Carrollton, Feb. 28th, 1907, Annie R., daughter of Geo. E. Hughes, aged 8 years and 19 days.

In Balimore, March 1st, 1907, Uriah B. Mikesell, aged 64 years and 5 months.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED.

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One Columbia Graphophone with Large Horn; Cheap. Apply to

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mar 8 3t

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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

PHILIP H. L. MYERS,

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 4th day of September, 1907, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 4th day of March, 1907.

MILTON P. MYERS,
mar 8 4t Executor.

WANTED.

Horses AND Mules.

I will be in UNION BRIDGE at the UNION BRIDGE HOTEL, ON THURSDAY, MARCH 14th, 1906, from 10 A. M., to 1 P. M., and at COOK'S HOTEL, IN WESTMINSTER, the same day, from 1.30 to 6 P. M., to buy all grades of Horses and Mules, for which the very Highest Cash Prices will be paid according to age and soundness.

F. P. GOODWIN,
ma 8 1t Reisterstown, Md.

THE CANTATA

ENTITLED

Ruth, the Gleaner,

will be given by Home Talent, in the

Hall at SILVER RUN,

ON

Saturday Night, March 9th.

36 Characters will be represented in full Oriental Costumes.

Proceeds for Lutheran Sunday School at Silver Run.

Doors open at 7 o'clock. Performance at 8 o'clock.

ADMISSION—Adults, 20 cents; Children, 15 cents: Reserved Seats, 25 cents.

EGYPT

The Land of the Pharaohs, an Illustrated Lecture, will be given by

Dr. Frank M. Gibson,

under the auspices of the Country Club of Westminster, at

ODD FELLOWS' HALL,

Tuesday Night, March 12th,

1907. Reserved Seats at Boyle's Drug Store. Admission 25 Cents.

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CONDENSED STATEMENT

Showing the Condition of the Commonwealth Casuality Company of Philadelphia, Pa., December 31st, 1906.

Total Income during the year	$ 193,719 76
Total Disbursements during the year	145,006 65
ASSETS.	
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate	1,000 00
Stocks and Bonds owned by Company	109,143 12
Cash in Office and in Bank	34,911 75
Interest and Rents due and accrued	893 33
Other Ledger Assets	3,657 64
Gross Premiums in course of Collection	2,753 43
Gross Assets	$ 152,359 27
ASSETS NOT ADMITTED.	
Agents' balances due three months or more, supplies, printed matter, &c.	5,000 00
Bills Receivable past due, Gross Premiums in course of Collection	165 59
Furniture and Fixtures, Etc	1,451 70
Balance due from Agents	205 94
	$ 2,323 23
Total Admitted Assets	$ 150,036 04
LIABILITIES.	
Losses and Claims Unpaid (net)	2,6?3 00
Total Unearned Premiums	10,576 34
Salaries, Rents, Expenses, Etc	277 46
Commission, Brokerage, Etc	252 82
Reserve for Saving Fund	14,352 67
Reserve for Government Bonds	3,213 32
Total Liabilities, Except Capital	$ 31,285 61
Capital actually paid up in Cash	100,000 00
Surplus over all Liabilities	18,750 43
Surplus as regards Policyholders	118,750 43
Total Liabilities	$ 150,036 04
Premiums on Maryland Business in 1906	1,79? 02
Losses Paid in Maryland in 1906	446 66

State of Maryland, Office of the State Insurance Department.

Baltimore, Feb. 13, 1907.

I hereby certify, That the above is a true abstract, taken from the Annual Statement of the Commonwealth Casualty Company for the year ending December 31, 1906, now on file in this Department.

BENJ. F. CROUSE,
mar 8 3t Insurance Commissioner.

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PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE

REAL ESTATE,

In Franklin District, Carroll County, Md.

By virtue of the authority contained in the last will and testament of Richard Brashear, late of Frederick county, Md., deceased, and an order of the Orphans' Court of said county, the undersigned will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, on

WEDNESDAY, 3rd DAY OF APRIL, 1907,

at 1 o'clock, P. M., all that Farm belonging to said deceased, containing

97 ACRES OF LAND, more or less, being the same farm upon which Henrietta Hood, and Basil Hood, her husband, resided, situated ½ of a mile from the county road leading from Westminster to Mt. Airy, and about 4½ miles north of Mt. Airy Station, on B. & O. Railroad, and adjoins farms of Mrs. Mary Baker Wm. Gosnell, Miss Bacon, Geo. Grimes and others. The farm is well watered, with pump, at the house, and fine spring. The land is in fair condition, and it is an excellent wheat farm. This property is well worthy the attention of purchasers.

Terms of Sale, as prescribed by the Court:—One-third cash on day of sale, or upon ratification thereof by the Orphans' Court, balance in 6 and 12 months from day of sale, the purchaser or purchasers giving his, her, or their notes, bearing interest from day of sale, with good and sufficient security, to be approved by the executor, or all cash at option of purchaser. A cash deposit of $200 will be required from purchaser on day of sale.

OWEN DORSEY BRASHEAR,
Executor of Richard Brashear, deceased.
Geo L. Stocksdale, Solicitor.
Edwin Mercer, auct. mar 8 4t

PUBLIC SALE

OF HORSES, MULES, COWS, HOGS, &c.

The undersigned, intending to quit farming, will sell at Public Sale, on the farm of Elder Uriah Bixler, 2 miles west of Westminster, and near the New Windsor road, on

FRIDAY, 22nd day of MARCH, 1907,

at 9 o'clock, A. M., sharp, the following Personal Property, to-wit:

5 Work Horses, some of them good leaders; 4 Mules, all good leaders; 13 Milch Cows, some fresh by day of sale; 1 Stock Bull, 3 Brood Sows, will have pigs by day of sale; 5 Shoats.

THREE BROADTREAD WAGONS,

2-horse Western Wagon, Truck Wagon, Spindle Wagon, Spring Wagon and Pole, Surrey and Pole, Falling Top Buggy, Milk Slet, Side and Dung Boards, 2 Stone Beds, 4 Hay Carriages, Grain Drill, Low Down Penn. Drill, Farmer's Favorite Drill, 2 Horse Rakes,

2 HOOSIER CORN PLANTERS,

3 Sulky Corn Plows, 1 Walking Plow, 2 Wiard Plows, Oliver Chilled Plow, Single and Double Shovel Plows, 3 Single Corn Cultivators,

DEERING BINDER, OSBORNE BINDER,

Deering Mower, Weeder, Hay Tedder, Clover Seed Buncher, 4 Springtooth Harrows, Drags, Roller, 2 Pelton Horse Powers, in good order; Winnowing Mill, Hay Fork, Rope and Pulleys, 60 ft. Leather Belting, Scientific Chopper,

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Intending to quit farming I will sell at Public Sale on the farm of the late Chas. Schaeffer, near Krider's Church, 1 mile from the Littlestown Turnpike and 2 miles from Westminster, on

WEDNESDAY, THE 20th OF MARCH, 1907,

at 11 o'clock, A. M., sharp, the following Personal Property, to-wit:

12 Head of HORSES, MULES and Colts,

consisting of 4 work Horses, 1 a dark bay Mare, 11 years old, will work anywhere hitched and a good leader; 1 grey Horse 13 years old, will work anywhere hitched and a good leader; 1 pair bay Mules coming 3 years old, well broke to any kind of work, one of them a good leader; 1 pair black Mules coming 3 years old, well broke; 1 Ruby-Wilkes Colt, 2½ years old, well broke to drive; 3 Colts, bred by Star Russell, coming 2 years old and show good marks;

2 FINE MILCH COWS, 1 BROOD SOW,

Road Cart, Stick Wagon, Sleigh, Hay Carriage, Dung Boards, 2-horse Narrowtread Wagon and Stone Bed, Broadtread Lansing Wagon and Stone Bed, Weeder, Low Down Penn. Drill, Hay Rake, Hay Fork and Pulleys, Roller,

1 McCORMICK BINDER, 6 ft. cut,

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Wheat, damp	73@	73
Rye	45@	50
Barley	35@	40
Oats	30@	35
New Corn	2 00@	2 25
New Timothy Hay per ton	12 00@	14 00
Mixed Hay per ton	10 00@	12 00
Rye Straw	6 00@	7 00
Wheat Straw	4 00@	5 00
Corn Meal per 100 lbs	1 50@	1 50
Bacon Shoulders	9@	10
Bacon Sides	7@	8
Hams	10@	12
Butter	25@	25
Clover Seed per lb	8@	12
Lard	8@	9
Dressed Hogs	6 50@	7 00
Buckwheat Meal	2 50@	2 50
Potatoes	40@	40
Onions	30@	35
Eggs	14@	14

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,
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