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### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

This is to give notice that the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Carroll county, Md., letters testamentary on the estate of

**FRANK C. SHARRER**

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 subscribers on or before the 13th day of September, 1920, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under our hands this 10th day of February, 1920.

JESSE C. SHARRER,
JOHN J. REESE,
J. FRANCIS REESE,
Executors.

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## Clerk Wanted

**Medford Grocery Co.**

**Medford, Maryland**


### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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

**ALBERT J. STEELE**

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 he subscriber on or before the 13th day of September, 1920, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 9th day of February, 1920.

JENNIE STEELE,
Administratrix.

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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 and Tuesday of each week for the transaction of business.**

By order,

SAMUEL J. STONE,
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# SOME FACTS AND FANCIES ABOUT THE PHILIPPINES

## There Has Been Much Misrepresentation in America About People and Conditions.

By MAXIMO M. KALAW,
Secretary of the Philippine Mission.



Maximo M. Kalaw.

A certain lady at the St. Louis Exposition saw at a ballroom a brown complexioned man in faultless evening dress and accosted him with the inquiry, "I suppose you are Japanese, sir?"

The man addressed replied, "No, madam."

"Then you must be Chinese," she said.

"No, I am not. I am a Filipino," he replied.

"How's that?" asked the lady. "I thought they were all savages living in the woods."

"Well, I'll tell you how I came here," he said. "A month before I left the Philippines I was living in the woods, but the American Governor decided to catch as many wild men as possible, train them and send them over here. So here I am, just as you see." And the St. Louis lady actually believed him.

That is what you would call fancies about the Philippines. The fact is, however, that the 11,000,000 Filipinos and their ancestors have been civilized and Christians for 300 years; that the non-Christian population, according to the census of 1918, is only 500,000, and even these are not all uncivilized.

Another fancy is that not until the coming of the Americans were school buildings seen in the Islands, roads built, or substantial houses erected. Do you know that for hundreds of years the Filipinos have had colleges and schools and that the University of Santo Tomas is only twenty-five years older than Harvard? That as early as 1866, out of a population of 4,000,000 people, there were 841 schools for boys and 833 for girls? That in 1892, eight years before the coming of the Americans, there were 2,137 schools?

"To grant self-government to Luzon under Aguinaldo would be like granting self-government to an Apache reservation under some local chief." Thus spoke a former President of the United States during the Filipino-American war. Exaggeration could be an excuse at a time when the dignity of the American people demanded the extinction of Filipino opposition, but do you know that the Philippine Republic, before the American occupation of the Islands, had the approval of prominent Americans who were on the spot—like John Barrett, Director of the Pan-American Union, who compared it favorably with the Japanese government? That Admiral Dewey considered the Filipinos better fitted for self-government than the Cubans? That they had drafted a constitution at Malalos which elicited the approval of distinguished Republicans like the late Senator George F. Hoar? That before the coming of the Americans they had produced national heroes like the martyred Jose Rizal, pronounced by a Republican congressman, Representative Cooper, as the noblest victim that has ever fallen into the clutches of tyranny?

And do you know that the Filipinos have not had for hundreds of years any caste system, blood distinction or royal families, and that, unlike their oriental sisters, they are the only Christian people in the orient?

People have pictured an ignorant mass of Filipinos, illiterate, poor, living a life of servitude for a few wealthy land owners and foreigners, with no houses or farms or property of their own. Do you know that 70 per cent. of the people above ten years of age can read and write and that this percentage of literacy is almost as high as some of the states of the Union? That it is higher than in any country of South America, higher than the literacy of the Spanish people, and unquestionably above that of any of the new countries recognized in Europe? Do you know that there are a million and a half farms in the Philippines and that 96 per cent. of these farms are owned by Filipinos. In other words, that out of the 11,000,000 Christian Filipinos, 8,000,000 of them at least live on their own farms, with houses of their own, independent of any absentee landlord or foreign master? That 91 per cent. of the urban property consisting of houses and lands is owned by the natives of the Philippines, and only 9 per cent. is in the hands of foreigners? Yet these are facts cabled by acting Governor Charles Emmett Yeager to the War Department from the recent census estimates.

Having solemnly promised the Filipinos their independence and having gone before the world as the champion of self-determination, the Filipino people cannot understand how America can consistently refuse to make good these promises.

### CLIMATE OF THE PHILIPPINES.

The Philippine Islands have a mildly tropical climate. The nights are cool and sunstrokes are unknown. The temperature record for the past thirty years shows an average of 80 degrees.




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### MANCHESTER

The employees of the El Dallo Cigar Factory on North Main street gave a social on Friday evening 20th in honor of their moving from the congested rooms of the old building to an up-to-date work room 32 by 60 feet, lighted by 60 windows and six large sky lights, with a ceiling 15 feet high, covered with white plaster board that adds much to the reflection in the room. The ground floor room was cleared and in full readiness for the accommodation of the guests; all in decoration with red white and blue with old glory prominent all along the line and lighted with Delco lights with red shades that made it quite inviting. The guests arrived at 8.00 P. M., and were conducted to the cloak room with their wraps. At 8.30 there was a grand march, singing "America", led by Miss Minnie Burgoon at piano. After which, Manager H. S. Oursler came to the front and in well-chosen remarks gave all a welcome with best wishes for a good social time, followed by his reading a letter from the propertors, expressing inability to be present on account of sickness in their families but with the hope that those present would enjoy the pleasures of the evening and that it was a pleasure to them to build up-to-date rooms for their employees and that would improve their time and make good wages, that received a worthy applause. The introductory over, floor managers J. M. Warehime and J. C. Keck arranged all in line, singing "Happy is a Miller boy" in the march, but was of short life as old Bingo burst in upon them and, got the sway and the old familiar spirit that made the solid floor tremble. At this period Messrs. Harry Shaffer and Will Hare came to the front with their violins that introduced dancing. The floor was soon full of round dancers. The floor managers arranged their sets and had 48 couples on the floor that skipped the lightly to their full enjoyment. Committeeman J. C. Keck came to the front with a large letter, L saying it filled more places in the word El Dallo than any other. It too stood for leap year when the gentlemen were to do the bidding of the ladies, and better than all it stood for "Lunch" that was at hand and basketfuls of fine sandwiches followed by coffee and pickles were served to the full satisfaction of the 125 persons present, with a bountiful supply still in store at the financeering of the proprietors. The amusements were again taken up and the midnight hour had passed ere the reluctant good nights were said. They have the capacity for 100 employees and are offering good inducements to learners. The work is not complete yet as it will be fit up with water through the building and closets on each floor. They have a fine heating plant and the whole place is lighted with Delco lights. The arrangement committee was H. S. Oursler, J. M. Warehime, J. C. Keck, Walter Trout, Irvin Shaffer, Howard Glas, Mrs. J. M. Warehime and Miss Treva Lippy.

The relatives with the remains of Mrs. William J. Shaffer who died at the home of her son, William, Forrest Avenue, Baltimore, were brought here on Monday morning by the early train, the remains were placed in the vestibule of the Reformed church and the friends went to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Samuel Miller on York street until 10 A. M., the funeral hour when the remains were laid to rest in a family lot, Rev. Freeman officiating, followed by services in the church. The deceased was a daughter of the late George Bixler of the mill, three miles west, from here. She was 78 years of age and is survived by her husband, two daughters, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Miller, two sons, Walter and William of Baltimore; one sister, Mrs. Susan Bixler, of this place, and two brothers, Jacob Bixler of Hanover and Charles, of York, Pa.

The furling of the service flag in Trinity Reformed Church on Sunday evening was largely attended. Rev. Freeman followed the opening service with a special sermon in which he eulogized the boys that went forth to battle for liberty and sorrow for those that made the complete sacrifice. The little Misses Isabel M. Wentz and Ida Brilhart went to the front and by the pulling of the cords unveiled the service flag, at the call of Rev. Freeman friend of those on the honor roll went to the flag and drew a star as a souvenier to the family. The flag was then lowered with the gold star and given to Mr. H. C. Frankforter a brother of corporal George, Paul Frankforter who made the complete sacrifice.

The Manchester Bank sold at public sale their lot across the alley from the warehouse fronting 63 feet on York street and extending along the alley 150 feet, on the corner next to the alley are the hay scales; it was knocked down to George M. Hoffman, at his bid of $600.00. The indications are that he will build a residence or two on the same.

The W. W. Aid Society are having a paper sale this week for the benefit of their treasury.

Mrs. Julia M. League spent Sunday, here, at the home of her mother.

Saturday 21st was a snowy day from morning until evening and renewed the sleighing that at places was spoiled by the thaw. The most of the travel is on runners again. Heavily loaded trucks have had quite a time getting through both north and south from here.

A tramp shepherd dog came to town several months ago sporting a fine collar, but he was everybody's dog for a while until several friends took a liking to him and took him to their homes and gave him kind treatment. He was quite knowing as a pet, but it appears some one had in in for him and one Sat. evening he was poisoned and died on the porch at the home of J. W. Abkin.

The sympathy of a general public has gone out to Mrs. T. Clayton Turner, on York street, who had a mishap in her yard by falling on the ice and causing a break about the hip, on Tuesday morning. She was attending to her domestic duties and walked to the front of the yard talking to a passer-by about the slippery condition of the pavement, turning to enter the home she slipped and fell. Her mother could not raise her. Mr. George Lorringer went to her assistance and took her into the home and placed her in a chair and hurredily went into town and informed Mr. Turner. Doctors Sherman and Denner were called and found it required the practical experience of both to make her comfortable and reduce the fracture. During the night a slight rain and mist froze upon the pavement hard and as smooth as glass making walking dangerous.

### SMALLWOOD

A very enjoyable valentine party was given by Mrs. E. L. Skinner. The hostess home was appropriately decorated with red hearts which gave color and brightness to the occasion. As the evening advanced there were more surprises awaiting the guests, valentines for old and young as souvenirs. Those that received especially appropriate valentines were Mr. Herman Saylor, Charles Saylor, Clarence Bitzel, Charles Wagner and Mr. E. L. Skinner. The evening was spent pleasantly in playing games. Those that did not participate in games fell back on social conversation. Refreshments were served before the surprises came out. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Little and family, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Saylor, Clarence Bitzel, Richard Baker, Mrs. Laura Wagner, Kate Lockard, Edward Niner, Misses Nettie Niner, Lillie Lambelem, Messrs. Winnie Bitzel, Charles Saylor, Harry and Truman Beard, Charles Bitzel, Mr. Gist and others.

Mrs. Gertrude Bitzel and Miss Ethel Hoffman are going to give leap year party at Smallwood Hall on Wednesday, March 3rd. Every one welcome.

Mr. David Spencer is improving from his broken ankle which he received during the icy weather.

### MILLERS

Mrs. Frank Sandruck, near here, was notified last week of the deaths of her sister, Mrs. Alice Myers, and of a nephew. She attended the funeral of her sister at Hanover, on Friday. We extend sympathy.

Mr. Fred Finkeldey, of Jersey City, N. Y. visited his brother-in-law, Mr. Charles Giller and wife, several days recently.

Some of our people attended the sale of Mrs. Belle Ebaugh, at Greenmount, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bollinger visited at Patapsco, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Garrett and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Miller, Misses Rena Garrett, Fern Miller and Helen Frederick and Milton Miller visited at Alesia, Sunday.

Mrs. Jane Miller of Baltimore is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Hare.

Mrs. Leah Barber is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Smith and family of Old Fort.

Jacob Zepp is having a Deco lighting plant installed in his home.

Grand mother Cramer is very ill at this writing.

**Taking baby up at night is often the cause of bad colds. Use Dr. Fahrney's Teething Syrup and stay in bed. 25cts.**

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