Items of Local Interest

The fete at St. John's Catholic Church, this city, will be held to-night and Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Eckard have moved from Tyrone, this county, to this city.

Mrs. C. Bickley Morton. of Rosburg, Pa., spent several days this week visiting friends in this city.

Rev. Chalmers W. Walck, pastor of St. Paul's Reformed Church, this city, is on his vacation, and this month no services will be held in the church.

Miss Mary Euginia Parke, of Norfolk, Va., has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. George M. Parke, Court street.

Misses Mabel and Sarah Billingslea, Texas, are here on a visit to their grandmother, Mrs. Clara S. Billingslea, East Main street.

The annual picnic of the Young Peoples' Society of Baust Reformed Church was well attended. The receipts were $360.70.

Friday last Wm. Morrison, this city, was taken to the Mercy Hospital, Baltimore, and operated upon for gall stones.

Frank M. Thau, for 18 years an engineer for the Western Maryland Railway Company Saturday died in Hanover, Pa.

Monday Mr. and Mrs. J. Theodore Gosnell, of Mt. Olive, this county, visited Mr. Gosnell's mother, this city, who celebrated her 88th birthday.

It will cost this county between seventy-five and one hundred thousand dollars to replace the 35 bridges washed away by the recent flood.

Wednesday the Westminster base ball club defeated the New Windsor club on Hoffa Field, this city, by a score of 10 to 0.

Edward O. Weant Esq., this city, is having the large brick stable in the rear of his residence converted into a garage.

Sunday last Rev. Lee, of Baltimore, conducted services in Ascension P. E. Church, this city, and will continue to do so during the month of August.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Smith, East Main street, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter on Sunday at the Maryland General Hospital, Baltimore.

Mrs. Charles Lindsay, Baltimore, Mrs. C. M. Copenhaver and son Wilfred, this city, spent Friday afternoon last at the home of Mr. Ezra Spangler, of Tyrone, this county.

Wednesday Mrs. Grant Schwarz and daughter, of Harrisburg, Pa., who were visiting Mrs. Schwarz's parents, Judge and Mrs. Wm. H. Thomas, this city, returned home.

Saturday last Gov. Ritchie attended the Dutch Picnic near Smallwood, this county, and delivered an address. He was entertained at dinner by Edward O. Weant Esq.

Joseph D. Brooks Esq., this city, has announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for Chief Judge of the Fifth Judicial Circuit, comprising Anne Arundel, Howard and Carroll counties.

Sunday last Mr. and Mrs. Mark Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Buffington, Mr. and Mrs. Skinner, and Miss Ruth Buffington, of Baltimore, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shugh, this city.

Sunday evening lightning struck the cupola on the residence of Mr. Harry Cover and burned out the electric light fuse and set a radio on fire. However, the fire went out quickly. No one was hurt.

Mr. John W. Reaver, the well-known auctioneer of near Mexico, this county, has returned home after two weeks spent in the Maryland General Hospital, Baltimore, where he underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Edward Frock, aged 64 years, a former resident of Bachman's Valley, this county, August 2, 1923, died at his home in Uniontown, Pa. He was a son of the late Michael Frock, and a brother-in-law of Mr. Denton Warehine, this county.

Saturday last the real and personal property of Mrs. Laura Brown were offered at public auction on the premises near Mexico, this county. The live stock and farming implements brought over $1000.00, the farm of 167 acres brought $64.30 per acre, and the 15 acre home place brought $38.16 per acre. A very large number of people attended the sale, which was advertised in the Sentinel.

Miss Mary Salter, of Pikesville, is visiting Mrs. Paul M. Wimert.

Mr. Charles Rainey, of New York, is visiting his parents in this city.

This week Mr. John Boylan, of Baltimore, visited his cousin, Mr. Thomas Boylan, of this city.

Miss Edna Erb, this city, has gone to Lancaster, Pa., for a stay of several months.

Mrs. Orlando Reese was a guest over the week-end of her daughter Mrs. R. Abner Parke, Willis street.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Stoner and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver M. Crouse, this city, are at Ocean City, Md.

Many women with beautiful hands are said to be quite fond of doing needlework.

Mr. and Mrs. John Whitmore and daughter are visiting Mrs. Whitmore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lukens, of York, Pa.

Mrs. John Everhart and daughter Ruth, this city, attended the funeral of her cousin, Paul Nirkirk at Williamsport.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cunningham and son Motter, of Washington, D. C., are spending their vacation with Mr. Cunningham's mother, Mrs. Mary L. Cunningham, this city.

Mrs. Joseph W. Smith, and Mrs. Clara S. Billingslea, this city, and Mrs. Martha Fenby, Baltimore, have returned home from a visit to California and other Western Cities.

Tuesday Mrs. Martha Shaw, and Misses Helen Reese, Treva Miller, Hattie Willet, and Miriam Hall, this city, motored to Gettysburg, Pa., to see a pageant given at the college during the convention held there.

This week Mr. Frank Mather, of the T. W. Mather and Sons department store, made a business trip to New York.

Lightning struck a tree near Winters Church on the state road from this city to Union Bridge, cutting it off about six feet above the ground. The top fell on telephone wires and broke them.

About September 1st. Mr. and Mrs. George M. Osborne, proprietors of the Star moving picture theatre, this city, expect to move into the new and large theatre in the Walter H. Davis building.

Saturday afternoon, August 11th, Zion M. P. Church Sunday school picnic will be held, and on August 23rd the Ladies' Aid Society will hold a festival, to which every one is invited.

At a regular meeting of the Mayor and Common Council, this city, a resolution was adopted that to-day all departments of the city government be closed out of respect of the late President Harding.

Wednesday Dr. Walter Charlesworth, accompanied by Dr. Mazie Charlesworth and daughter Dorothy, Messrs. Fred Young and Howard Hoffman drove to Washington to attend the funeral of President Harding.

Miss Estelle Houck, a graduate of Western Maryland College, has been chosen a teacher in the Hanover, Pa., high school. Friday last she returned to her home in Rocky Ridge, Md., from the Johns Hopkins Hospital, where she underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Monday afternoon the garage of Mr. Edward O. Diffendal, this city, was destroyed by fire. An automobile belonging to Mr. Joseph Stoner, this city, which was in the garage, was destroyed also. The prompt action of the firemen saved the nearby buildings.

Thomas Zepp, alias "Rattlesnake Bill" who was charged with operating a gambling device at the Hampstead firemen's carnival Monday last was tried before Police Justice Hutchins and fined $30 and costs, which were paid. E. O. Weant Esq., represented Zepp and States Attorney Brown the State.

Early Wednesday morning of last week Miss Esther Brenizer and Mr. Lee McGlaughlin, both of Fairfield, Penn. awoke Rev. Ralph Baker, pastor of the Lutheran Church at Fairfield, induced him to accompany them to this city, where a marriage license was secured, and, after riding out of this city for a very short distance, the auto was stopped and Miss Brenizer and Mr. McGlaughlin were married by the Rev. Baker, the bride and groom standing in the tonneau of the machine.

CLEAR DALE

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blizzard and Mr. and Mrs. William Shadle entertained at their home on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hahn, Mr. Wesley Hahn, Mrs. David Wintrode and grandson, Master David Wintrode, of Hanover, and Misses Grace Sell, Rosella, Hilda and Kathryn Miller.

Mrs. Fern Sullivan and children Ivan and Margaret, of Baltimore, spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Hesson.

Born recently to Mr. and Mrs. William Shadle a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Crouse, of Black's, spent Sunday with Charles Crouse and family.

Miss Esther Bair has returned to her home, after visiting relatives in Baltimore and Reisterstown.

Mrs. Geary Angell and daughter, of Bethel; Misses Anna and Grace Halter, of Silver Run; Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hess and daughters Anna and Helen, of near St. James Church, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Byers and son Charles, and Edwin Hargett spent Sunday at Shippensburg where they visited Miss Minnie Byers, who is a student at the Cumberland Valley State Normal School.

Those who spent last Sunday with Mr and Mrs. Frank Blizzard and Mr. and Mrs. William Shadle were Mrs. Kurvin and Mrs. Caligon, of New York City; Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Urban, of Baltimore, and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Reaver and daughters Edith, Rose and Charlotte and son Lewis, of near Littlestown.

SANDYVILLE

Don't forget the picnic to be held at Sandy Mount this Saturday afternoon and night, August 11. Supper will be served, beginning 5 P. M. Other refreshments for sale. Base ball at 2 P. M.

Sunday school Sunday morning 9:30. Christian Endeavor at 8 P. M.

Mrs. William Hanson died in Baltimore last Thursday night. She formerly lived in this county, and was a member of Sandy Mount Church, where the funeral services were held last Sunday afternoon. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. McCaslin. She leaves a husband and four children.

Rev. Charles Zepp, wife and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Pick, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foster, and others spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stocksdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy W. Caple entertained the following on Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Ashland Caple and Mrs. Howard Rein and children, of Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. David J. Blanks, of Baltimore, and Mrs. and Mrs. Bertrand Caple and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Caple and daughter, Mr. Fillmore Hoff, Mr. and Mrs. Claude G Buckingham, and daughter.

Mrs. T. O. Shipley has been sick a couple weeks.

Miss Ruth Vincent is still on the sick list.

The Merry Makers' Club was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Davidson. A pleasant evening was spent. Delicious refreshments served.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertrand Caple entertained a number of relatives last Thursday.

SHIPLEY

Sunday last Mr. and Mrs. John A. Polster, Mrs. Clayton Bloom and son, and others visited Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bair.

Sunday last Mrs. Margaret Caples entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leppo and family, of Westminster, and Miss Margaret Caples.

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Miss Bell Easton and friend, Mr. John Sailor, spent Sunday afternoon with friends near Bird Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Arbaugh and Miss Marie Arbaugh spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Noah Arbaugh, of Patapsco.

Sunday last Mr. and Mrs. E. Jerome Wagner entertained Messrs. and Mesdames Charles McClory and Raymond Cook, Mrs. Ernest Gosnell, Miss Virginia Lee Cook, Doris Cook, Messrs. Roland and Sterling Gosnell, of Baltimore; Raymond McClory, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Haines, Misses Marie and Elsie Haines, of Mt. Airy; Mr and Mrs. Levi Haines, of Woodbine; Mrs. Annie Pickett, of Winfield; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wagner and son Hershey, Sterling Stater, Jennings Zepp, Calvin Zepp, Harry Brooks, Carr Robertson, Murvin Deerdorf, and others.

Wednesday Mrs. Margaret Caples entertained Mrs. Viola Martin and Miss Pauline Martin, and Mr. Donald Martin, of Brummels.

Sunday last Mr. and Mrs. C. A Shipley, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Shipley and son Howell, Miss Mabel Shipley and Mr. Donald Shipley visited friends at Bird Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Waltz are preparing to build a new house near Zion M. P. Church. It is reported that Mr. and Mrs. Leo Davis have started their new home.

It is confidently predicted that a third party candidate next year will be able to land in third place.

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

Bids will be received by the County Commissioners of Carroll and Howard counties, Md., at a joint meeting in the office of the County Commissioners in the Court House at Westminster, Md., up until Wednesday 11 A. M. August 22nd, 1923, and opened 11:30 A. M. same day, for the building complete of the superstructure of a one-span steel bridge; also the building complete of the Superstructure for the same. All as per plans and specifications herewith.

Plans and specifications are on file in the County Commissioners' office at Westminster, Md., and also in the County Commissioners' office at Ellicott City, Md., and can be seen by prospective bidders at any time.

Bids will be received in the following manner:

No. 1. Bidders can bid a lump-sum, covering Super and Substructures complete in every respect, ready for travel as per plans and specifications.

No. 2. Bidders may bid on superstructions complete as per plan and specifications; complete ready for travel.

No. 3. Bidders may also bid on the Substructure complete, as per plans and specifications, ready to receive the Superstructures.

All bidders on the Substructures are required to name a price per cubic yard for any additional concrete that may be required.

The County Commissioners, jointly, reserve the right to increase or decrease the length of wing-walls. They also reserve the right of giving the exact location of the bridge; that is to say, the abutment on the railroad side may be placed closer to the stream than the plan may indicate and should it not be necessary to go to the depths as shown on plan for proper footings, for abutments and wing-walls; the amount of concrete saved in this event shall be deducted from the lump-sum price at the per cubic yard price named. Should any additional masonary be required, such as lengthening wing-walls or going to a greater depth than that shown on the plans; the contractor will be paid for the additional concrete or yardage at his per cubic yard price.

The County Commissioners of the Joint counties shall be the sole judges of when proper footings have been reached and at all times the joint County Commissioners shall have supervision over the construction of this work.

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of Five Hundred ($500.00) Dollars; made payable to the County Commissioners of Carroll County and Howard County, Md.; not as a penalty but as liquidated damages should the low bidder refuse to enter into contract at his bid or be unable to furnish bond for the same; he would then forfeit his certified check to the above County Commissioners.

Immediately after the award of the contract; certified checks of unsuccessful bidders will be returned at once. Certified check of the successful bidder will be retained by the County Commissioners until the successful bidder has entered into contract and furnished bond; acceptable to the County Commissioners for the amount of contract. When he has complied with the terms of the contract, conditions, and the acceptance of his bond for the faithful performance and completion of his work; said certified check will be returned to the successful bidder.

No bid will be considered upon any other than the drawings and specifications on file nor from any bidder who fails to comply with the above conditions.

The County Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

All bidders are required to name date of completion of the above work.

Cement Bridge.

The same day at the same hour, bids will be received for a cement bridge at the same place. Bids to comply with the State Roads Commissioners specification for bridges of similar character.

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D. WILTON C. PARLETT,
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Many farm workers of Maryland have flocked to the big cities, but perhaps in time they will learn that jazz music is not so satisfying as Mother's cooking.

The summer girls might reflect that they can get a handsome coat of tan just as well while cultivating vegetables as in sitting on the beach.

It is thought that farm help could be secured more easily, if each man could have a heeler to carry his hoe for him.

The summer girls now have their victims roped and thrown, and they are merely waiting to have them branded.

The Land of Unborn Babies

In Maeterlick's Play—
"The Blue Bird," you see the exquisite Land—all misty blue—where countless babies are waiting their time to be born.

As each one's hour comes, Father Time swings wide the big gate. Out flies the stork with a tiny bundle addressed to Earth.

The baby cries lustily at leaving its nest of soft, fleecy clouds—not knowing what kind of an earthly "nest" it will be dropped into.

Every baby cannot be born into a luxurious home—cannot find awaiting it a dainty, hygienic nursery, rivalling in beauty the misty cloud-land.

But it is every child's rightful heritage to be born into a clean, healthful home where the Blue Bird of Happiness dwells.

As each child is so born—
the community, the nation, and the home are richer. For just as the safety of a building depends upon its foundation of rock or concrete so does the safety of the race depend upon its foundation—the baby.

And just as there is no use in repairing a building above, if its foundation be weak, there is no use in hoping to build a strong civilization except through healthy, happy babies.

Thousands of babies—
die needlessly every year. Thousands of rickety little feet falter along Life's Highway. Thousands of imperfect baby-eyes, strain to get a clear vision of the wonders that surround them. Thousands of defective ears cannot hear even a mother's lullaby. And thousands of physically unfit men and women occupy back seats in life, are counted failures—all because of the thousands and thousands of babies who have been denied the birthright of a sanitary and protective home.

So that wherever one looks—the need for better homes is apparent. And wherever one listens can be heard the call for such homes from the Land of Unborn Babies.

The call is being heard—
by the schools and colleges that are establishing classes in homemaking and motherhood; by public nurses and other noble women who are visiting the homes of those who need help and instruction; by the hospitals that are holding Baby Clinics.

By towns and cities that are holding Baby Weeks and health exhibits; by magazines and newspapers that are publishing articles on pre-natal care.

By Congress that has passed the Mothers and Babies Act, under which health boards in every State will be called upon to give information to expectant mothers.

All this is merely a beginning—
The ground has hardly been broken for the Nation's only safe foundation—healthy babies—each of whom must have its rightful heritage—An Even Chance—a healthy body.

The call will not be answered until every mother, every father and every community helps to make better homes in which to welcome visitors from the Land of Unborn Babies.

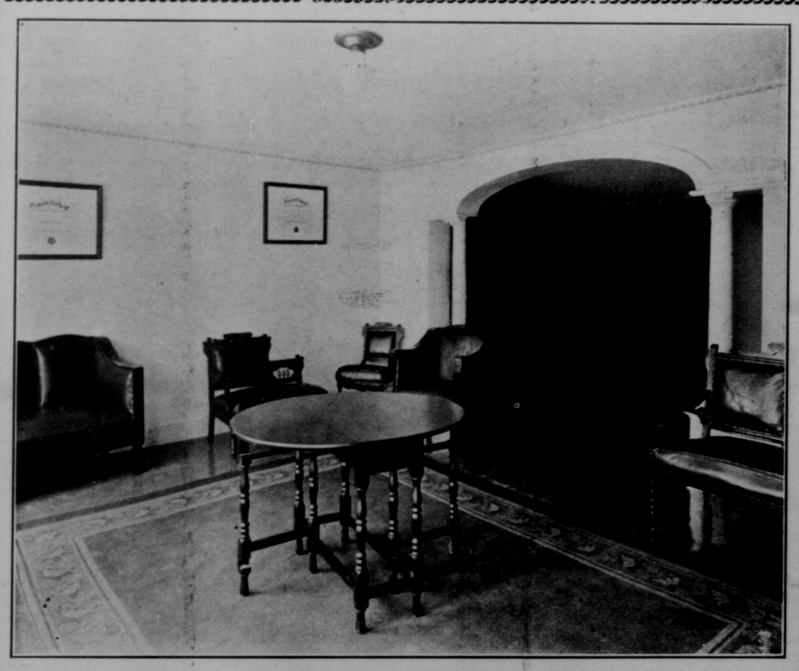
Every expectant mother under whose heart a new life is coming into being should have the care of a competent Chiropractor for several weeks up to within one or two weeks of the event in order that the Little Visitor may enter this world with a better chance at An Even Chance and that his coming may not be fraught with the pain and danger that is customary but which is entirely unnatural and unnecessary.

The Intelligence that forms, builds and creates that little body and endows it with a mind, a life and a soul never intended that its coming should be brought about by force and instruments, attended with danger to the life of the mother and always with the possibility of an injury to the babe that dooms it to a life of disease, deformity or imbicility.

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