Carroll County Society of Baltimore Banquet

For the Sentinel.

The Carroll County Society of Baltimore City usually gives a very entertaining program when it holds its banquets, but there are times when they exceed the usual thing, and this occurred at the fifth annual banquet of the society which was held on Saturday night last at the Rennert Hotel.

More than one hundred Carroll countians attended the dinner. Parties from Westminster, Sykesville and Washington, D. C., were present. The features of the musical program that require special mention were the baritone solo's by Mr. Robert Ballard, and violin solo by Mr. Edmund R. Cook.

The principal speaker of the evening was Miss Mary Bostwick Shellman, there is no one better known in the county than she. Miss Shellman spoke of the early days of Westminster, and particularly mentioned "Aunt Betsy's" she said "No one knows it by any other name, and as one generation of children after another would cross the threshold of young womanhood and manhood, another generation would take its place and be ready to follow in their footsteps, and exchange their cherished pennies for long, slim, very slim sticks of yellow taffy, or squares of ginger bread, and sugar cakes cut out in shapes of birds, and hearts, and stars."

"But a few doors from my own home, on the lot now occupied by Matthias' marble yard, there stood a log, one-story, three-room cabin, with a little 'lean-to' used as a summer kitchen. There were three inmates to the house, 'Aunt Betsy,' her sister 'Peggy,' and Peggy's daughter 'Mary Ann.'

"The old house was built by their father and mother, Thomas and Eleanor Addlesperger, in the early days of their married life, which was some time before the Revolutionary War. It was my delight to slip away from my little companions, and listen to the quaint old stories and legends of early Westminster.

"I think we must have made a very interesting picture as we sat there; I, with my yellow curls and wide awake eyes, all interest and wonder, my hands folded in my lap, and seated on an old fashioned rush bottom chair, my feet an uncomfortable distance from the floor but afraid to move, for fear I might interrupt, and would hear no more of the wonderful, hair splitting ghost stories which I loved, yet feared and believed. She, old and bent, with her wrinkled face and snow white hair, seated in her comfortable old rocking chair, her big black cat, which we firmly believed to be a witch, curled up at her feet, bending forward as she talked and now and then emphasizing her story with a vigorous thump of her heavy cane on the hard-wood floor, which made pussy jump, and sent my heart into my mouth."

She then touched on the founding of the town, she said: "The original town was laid out by William Winchester, its founder in 1764, and extended from Mitten's Hill, now called Reservoir Hill, which was then a part of Baltimore county to the corner of Court street, Frederick county. The tract of land on which it was laid out was known as 'White's Level' which was granted to John White in 1733 and comprised 169½ acres. He named the new settlement Winchester, and its one street, King street, which he afterwards changed to Main street where he served his connection with the King of England and the Mother Country. The name of the village itself was afterward changed to Westminster, by Act of Assembly, because it was then in Frederick county, and mails became confused with those of Winchester, Frederick county, Virginia. The town was incorporated in 1830 and erected into a city by Act of Assembly February 1837."

Miss Shellman touched on the physicians from her earliest memory to the present time as well as the lawyers. In fact her talk was so interesting that the thought was expressed that she have it printed some later time. The society was greatly complimented by having Miss Shellman with them.

Another interesting feature of the evening was the presentation of a gavel to the Society by George R. Babylon, the Secretary of the Society. Mr. Babylon was given the wood for this gavel by Mr. Peter Baumgartner who now lives on the farm formerly owned by Francis Scott Key, and it is understood that Mr. Key built the barn that was recently torn down and it was wood from the old barn that was used to make the gavel. Mr. Morrill P. Greene of near Westminster made it. Mr. Babylon in his remarks touched on the part that Key took in the incident prior to the writing of the Star Spangled Banner, and showed how the gavel was particularly historical interest.

Interesting talks were made by Willis E. Myers, Charles R. Miller, George W. Houck and Dr. Edwin B. Fenby.

The officers of the society are President, Louis H. Dielman; Vice-President, Dr. William M. Panebaker; Vice-President, Mrs. Gara W. Bagwell; Secretary, George R. Babylon; Treasurer, George W. Houck; Board of Governors, Harry E. Houck, W. Maurice Routson, Mrs. Lily R. Benson, Lawrence Wooden.

GAME TO BE DISTRIBUTED IN THIS COUNTY

At the request of State Game Warden Le Compte the Forest and Stream club will look after the distrimution of game in Carroll county as has been the custom for several years. The club has appointed a committee consisting of H. L. Hobby, chairman, J. Albert Mitten and Sereck S. Wilson to arrange for the distribution. The club has been advised that several hundred Kansas rabbits will be shipped to Westminster in the near future. They should help a lot to restock the county covers as rabbits were scarce last fall. The club also expects to have bobwhites and pheasants for distribution as well as pheasant eggs for setting under hens. This game will be divided the committee states as equally as possible among the various precincts of the county.

The committee has selected the following precinct managers, with whom all those desiring game for stocking are requested to get in touch in their respective districts: Taneytown, No. 1, George I. Harman, No. 2. Walter Wilt; Uniontown, No. 1, Guy Cookson, No. 2, W. H. Dern; Myers, Silver Run, A. W. Feeser, Union Mills, George N. Bankert; Woolerys, No. 1, John L. Magee, No. 2, George E. Knox; Freedom, No. 1, George H. Melville, No. 2, G. Harry Bevard; Manchester, No. 1, Horatio T. Wentz, No. 2, J. W. Hoffacker; Hampstead, No. 1, Walter E. Kriel, No. 2, William H. Snyder; New Windsor, No. 1, Amos W. Wagner, No. 2, Guy Babylon; Franklin, A. J. Stem; Middleburg, P. D. Koons, Jr.; Union Bridge, F. Earl Shriner; Mt. Airy, Alonzo B. Sellman; Berrett, Ray Brown; Westminster, No. 1, J. Albert Mitten, No. 2, H. L. Hobby, No. 3, Guy W. Steels, No. 4. J. Gloyd Diffendal, No. 5, Sereck S. Wilson.

A number of cases of scarlet fever existing in Mt. Airy, this county, have been reported to the State Health Department. However, it is not serious enough to close the public schools.

STONE CHAPEL

Sunday School 1.30 P. M.; Holy Communion 2.30 P. M.

Mite Society met at the home of Mrs. Clarence Lantz, January 19. Society called to order by the president; 36 present; singing by the society; Prayer; Scripture reading; roll call; collection of dues; plate collection. business meeting; impromptu program, as follows: reading, "Bad Children," Mrs. Sellman; reading, "A Black Boy's Heart," Mrs. Grace Stuller; reading, "Who Took Teddy," Mrs. Carrie Cook; reading, Mrs. Minnie Snader, and singing, a duet, "In the Garden," Mrs. Hattie Cook and Mary Louise Cook. Program concluded we were having a good social time when to our surprise light refreshments, consisting of sugar cakes, ginger snaps, coffee and cocoa, everything delicious were served in abundance. It was called light refreshments. Why not follow entertaining, it would not be so laborious or expensive.

During the wind and rain storm Wednesday, January 16, at the home of Walter Duvall the barn door blew off and fell on Mr. Duvall hurting his back and angle. He was confined to his bed several days but is able to be about with the aid of crutches.

We were greatly socked to hear of the sudden death of our young friend Paul T. Bond. He was born and raised in the country within a few miles of us. As a clerk in his father's store we all learned to know and admire him. We extend our love and sympathy to the bereaved family.

Jesse Cushing spent Monday and Tuesday with Weldon Duvall and family enjoying music over the radio.

Announcements were received from Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur S. Gladhill, of Union Bridge, announcing the birth of a daughter, Helen Elizabeth, Friday, January 18th. Mrs. Gladhill was formally Miss Beatrice Zile, of this place.

Dances formerly used to be referred to as "hops," but it might be more appropriate to call some of them "jumps" now.

POULTRY

Corn Is Probably Best Single Fattening Food

Any rations compounded of such fattening foods as corn, oats, buckwheat, barley and wheat will give good results in poultry fattening. Corn is probably the best single fattening food, but gives better results when combined with other grains. Under farm conditions the simple rations will usually give the most satisfactory results, as they are easily mixed and handled.

Since the finishing ration is essentially a fattening ration, fattening foods should be supplied. Cornmeal and milk or beef scraps are usually used as their base. A ration composed of six parts cornmeal, one part beef scrap and four parts middlings is very satisfactory for fattening. By its use about one and one-half pounds have been added to roasters in two weeks.

In range fattening the ration is largely grain. Usually corn is used, not because of better gains secured, but because it is inconvenient to feed a wet mash to birds having the liberty of the barn. Fattening rations should be fed wet, preferably moistened with sour milk, since milk gives excellent results. The ground feeds should be used as far as possible. Experiments show that they are superior to gains produced to whole grains.

In the case of pen feeding, corn moistened with water or sour milk is often used to supplement the ration.

Home-Grown Feeds Best for Production of Eggs

Commercial chicken feeds to stimulate egg production are not used by the majority of the leading poultrymen of Iowa. That fact was brought out in the recent survey made by the poultry extension men of Iowa state college.

A questionnaire was sent out to the leading poultrymen of the state and 57 reports were received. Of these 57, there were 34 who had never used commercial feeds for stimulating egg production. Of the 23 who had used commercial feeds, 11 stated that they believed the feeds were valuable and the other 12 stated that the feeds were not beneficial.

The Iowa poultry department at Ames recommends the following:

Scratch feed: 2 parts corn, 1 part of wheat and 1 of oats.

Dry mash: 1 part ground corn, 2 parts ground oats, 1 part gluten, ¾ tankage. Sour milk or buttermilk could take the place of tankage.

Green feeds, as cabbage, sprouted oats, steamed alfalfa hay are beneficial. Fresh, clean water is essential. Gravel or crushed stone are necessary for grit. Oyster shell supplies the hen with material needed to form egg shells.

Many Young Chicks Die Every Year From Gapes

Many thousand young chicks die every year from gapes. The disease is caused by a parasitic worm which attaches itself to the walls of the windpipe. This worm is sometimes called the forked worm by reason of the fact that the male and female are so firmly united that at first glance they have the appearance of one worm with two heads. The worms suck blood from the mucous membrane, thus weakening the chick. They also clog the windpipe, which interferes with breathing.

The first symptoms of the disease are coughing and sneezing. Soon the chicks begin to gape, plainly showing that they are unable to get sufficient air. Gapes spread rapidly. The female in the windpipe develops a large number of eggs, which are coughed up by the chick, or else are swallowed, passing through the intestines and being voided with the droppings. In its efforts to rid itself of the obstruction in its windpipe, the chick often coughs up live worms.

Difficult to Eradicate Tuberculosis in Flock

Tuberculosis in fowls can be eliminated only by disposing of the infected stock. Treatment is impractical and of no value in the control of the disease. To eradicate the disease:

1. Replace the entire flock as soon as possible with healthy birds raised on uninfected ground.
2. Kill and burn all birds showing symptoms of tuberculosis.
3. Put dropping boards in poultry houses and keep them clean.
4. Get plenty of fresh air and light into the poultry house.
5. Get rid of old fowls.
6. Burn and bury deep all dead birds.
7. Plow up and sow down land when practical

POULTRY NOTES

Good feeding helps in making a greater hatch, with fewer weak chicks

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Rations for baby chicks should contain nutrients necessary to furnish both heat and energy and to manufacture bone and muscle.

EASTVIEW

Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Bollinger entertained at their home on Tuesday night of last week the C. E. Society. Those who rendered music were Rev. J. N. Link and Elsie Conaway with comic selections and hymns; Edward Bollinger and Elsie Conaway with instrumental music; also Mr. Frank and daughter Thelma. The young folks enjoyed games of various kinds and some were much enjoyed, as the good hearty laughs that came from the parlor proved them such.

When the hour came for refreshments the guests were invited to the table that was groaning under the weight of good things to eat and I fear some of us could say we were in sympathy with the table, as when we had partaken of cake of many kinds, and home-made candy, oranges, apples, bananas, peanuts, and lemonade and root beer. Those who at a late hour took their various routes home were Messrs. and Mesdames Edward Arnold, George Ditman, John N. Link, Frank Welch, John Conaway, Edward Bollinger, Clarence Bitzel, John Beard, William Lockard, Frank Freyman, Harry Ogg, Louis Hally, David Spencer, Jesse Myers, George Freyman, Harvey Shipley and George Freyman; Mesdames Emma Blizzard, Margaret Bollinger and Estella Leppo; Misses Rosa Spencer, Delia Ogg, Elsie Conaway, Lillie Lamden, Eva Ditman, Mary Lockard, Thelma Welch, Evelyn Little, Eva Logue, Ethel Glover, Catherine Saylor, Alma Blizzard, Helen Beard, Catherine Bollinger, Margaret Beard, Edna Freyman, Emily Leppo, Frances Little, Margaret Ditman and sister, Madeline Myers, and Messrs. Holmes Lockard, Walter Arnold, Wesley Bollinger, John Bollinger, Russell Freyman, Elias Arnold, George Ditman, Jr., Raymond Saylor, Howard Link, Raymond Beard, Edwin Bollinger, Stanley Bollinger, David Spencer, Jr., and many more the writer had not received.

On Friday night Mr. and Mrs. Conaway entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Shipley.

On Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ogg and Estella Leppo met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Conaway and together they made the committee program out for Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jones entertained Sunday Mr. Earl Lovell and wife and children, Mr. Harry Bond, Harry Buckingham, and Roy Shriner and others.

Mrs. Margie Hook who fell and sprained her ankle is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ford gave a lance to many of their friends of this place and Baltimore.

Mrs. M. O. Conaway and Elsie Conaway took supper at Mr. and Mrs. Frank Freyman's and met many others there, among who were Rev. and Mrs. J. N. Link and son Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Myers and daughter Madeline, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Baker, and Eva Logue.

The Ladies' Washington social must be boosted. Do not forget 22nd of February. Come and have a good time.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

A birthday party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Smith, near Pleasant Valley, Sunday, January 20th, in honor of their two little boys, Stewart and Daniel, whose birthdays come in the month of January, the 8th and 6th birthdays respectively. The young folks came in the afternoon and enjoyed themselves playing different games, both indoors and out. Then later all were invited to the diningroom where refreshments consisting of lemonade, cake, candies, apples etc., were served. Those present were: Misses Mary K. Petry, Margaret and Dorothy Steele, Martha and Mildred Powell, Martha Smith, and Masters Stewart Steele, Bernell Powell, David and Herbert Petry, Stewart and Daniel Smith, and Mr. Milto nPowell, and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Smith.

COMPANY H. TO HOLD RECRUITING DRIVE

Company H will hold a recruiting drive from February 1st to February 15th, 1924, at which time it is hoped that there will be enough new members taken in to fill up the company, whose present strength is 33.

Here is a chance for some of the red blooded men and boys to join an organization which has one of the finest buildings in Westminster, which is equipped with player piano, Victrolas, pool tables, shower baths, swimming pool, indoor target range, and one of the finest basket ball and indoor base ball courts in the State.

All members of the company are admitted free to all events held in the Armory, such as basket ball games, dances, shows, etc.

Call at the Armory any night and let one of the men or one of the officers answer any questions you may want to know.

Don't put it off go down tonight.

JOHN MAGIN,
Capt. 1st. Inft. Md. N. G., Comdg. Co. H.

Westminster Bargain Day Club

Beginning Thursday, February 14th., and each Thursday thereafter up to and including Thursday, April 3rd., (8 weeks) will be BARGAIN DAY in Westminster.

Special prices for special sales by each member of the Bargain Day Club.

The members will continue to give FREE TICKETS to their patrons who purchase one dollar's worth or more. The progressive merchants who have joined the Bargain Day Club up to this time are as follows:

T. W. MATHER & SONS
SHARRER GORSUCH & STARR
WESTMINSTER CANDY KITCHEN
GEO. N. HUNTER
KROOP BROS.
HARRY ROSENSTOCK
THE HAT SHOP
WESTMINSTER HARDWARE CO.
BABYLON & LIPPY
D. S. GEHR
W. F. MYERS & SONS
J. HOWARD MILLER
SAMUEL COHEN
ATLEE W. WAMPLER
PHILIP GOLDBLATT
ARTHUR STONESIFER
JESSE E. ROYER & SON
ROY A. SHIPLEY
MILTON A. SULLIVAN
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WESTMINSTER SAVINGS BANK
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Public Sale

—OF—

Live Stock, Farming Implements, and Household Furniture.

Near Western Chapel, Carroll County, Maryland.

The undersigned, intending to quit farming will offer at public auction on the premises known as the Clayton Danner farm on the road leading from Westminster to Stone Chapel, Westminster district, Carroll county, Maryland, on

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1924

beginning at 12 M., the following live stock and farming implements, to-wit:

Bay horse, 6 years old; sorrell horse 12 years old; black horse, 17 year sold; yellow cow, brindle cow, fresh March 20, 1924; sow and 8 pigs, sow and 10 pigs, boar hog, 2 sets lead harness, 4 work collars, 2 work bridles, 2 buggy collars, 2 sets of buggy harness, set of check lines, 2-horse wagon, good as new; spring wagon, buggy, Farmers' Favorite grain drill, Deering mower, 16-tooth harrow, good as new; 3-legged plow, sulky corn plow, shovel plow, 16 foot hay carriage, 12-foot hay carriage, lever harrow, sand screen, 10-inch Tornado fodder cutter, 4 forks, log chain, DeLaval cream separator, No. 10; cream can and churn, over-top busket, grindstone, 3-horse power gasoline engine, 30 feet of belting, circular saw, forge and anvil, vise and lot of blacksmith tools, double and single trees, set of iron truck wheels, barrel of vinegar, **lot of ear corn,** lot of **potatoes,** lot of **chickens,** and many other articles.

Household Furniture.

Couch, cupboard, table, rocking chair, bureau, mattress, coal stove, coal oil stove, crocks, and many other articles.

Terms of Sale.

All sums of $10 or under, cash; on all sums above $10 a credit of six months will be given on approved notes, bearing interest from day of sale.

JAMES L. CRABBS,
FLORENCE S. CRABBS,

Geo. C. Morningstar, Auctioneer. his wife. 1-25-2t

HOME-MAKERS' MEETING

The Home-Makers' Club of Pleasant Valley met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Devilbiss on Monday afternoon, January 21, at 2:00 P. M. The meeting was called to order by the president. The program was as follows: Singing, "America the Beautiful," roll call and reading of minutes, reading, Mrs. Edward Black, "Home Talks," which proved very interesting; recitation, Miss Martha Smtih; then Miss Cobb, the Home Demonstration agent, presented a paper which was indorsed by the secretary. She also spoke on the subject "A Well Balanced Breakfast," after which she gave a demonstration on waffle making, which was much appreciated. Owing to the severity of the day the attendance was small, but those who braved the weather felt well repaid for coming out to attend the meeting.

Notice To The Public

Beginning February 1, 1924

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Dealer in select meats, green groceries, fish in season and McNaney's extra fine oysters.

SHIPLEY

Mrs. Louise Garner, of Baltimore, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Frank E. Schneider who is ill. We hope she may recover.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wilhide received the sad news of the death of her aunt, Mrs. Mary Matilda Cook, who made her home with her great niece, Mrs. Mary Dorsey Bennett, at Winfield. She has our sympathy.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Hook and son Wm. were **Sunday** guests of Mrs. Mary E. Baker, Bird Hill.

Mr. Hosea Robertson visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Robertson Sunday, of Westminster.

Mrs. Albert Lutz, of Owings Mills, spent from Sunday until Monday with Mr. and Mrs. George Stem.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Arbaugh and daughter Marie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Noah Arbaugh, near Patapsco.

Those who visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schneider Sunday to see Mrs. Schneider who is ill were her sister, Mrs. Catherine Wagner, her daughter Mrs. Louise Garner, her sons Wm. Frick, of Baltimore, and Frank Frick, of New York. Other guests were Mrs. Orville Zepp, and Charlie Magins and others.

The Ladies' Aid Society, of Zion M. P. Church, will meet Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock February 1, at Mr. and Mrs. John M. Hook.

The Christian Endeavor business meeting and social will meet February 1, 7:30 o'clock in the evening at Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hughes'.

Sale Register

March 22.—Live stock and farming implements by John Beard on the Charles Repp farm near New Windsor.

February 6.—Live stock, farming implements and furniture by James L. and Florence S. Crabbs, on Westminster and Stone Chapel road, near Western Chapel. Geo. C. Morningstar auctioneer.

March 6.—1 P. M.;Live stock and farming implements by Joseph G. Petry on road from Union Mills to Bachman's Valley, one mile from Westminster and Littlestown road. William Warner, auctioneer.

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White girl, or woman, General house work. No cooking. Best wages. Good home for the right person. Apply at once.

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Westminster, Md.

IN MEMORIAM

Hiram Englar died January 27, 1893.

Omnipotence can have nothing of which to complain.

There are said to be too many "educational fads." Many of the kids consider that going to school is a useless fad anyway.

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