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Other Bonds and Stocks	1,422,345.89
Loans on Mortgages	579,656.22
Banking House and Lot	14,500.00
Due from Approved reserve agent	92,351.18
Cash in Bank	30,145.24
	$ 2,756,286.34

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in	$ 50,000.00
Surplus (Earned)	175,000.00
Undivided profits	30,988.14
Dividends unpaid	5,000.00
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BACHMAN'S VALLEY

Sunday school 9 A. M.; preaching 10 A. M. at Bachman's Jerusalem church by the pastor Rev. R. R. Richard.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Bish, and Miss Mazie Beachtel, of Ebbvale, called Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Resh.

Those who spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Coppersmith were Mr. and Mrs. Delphia Trish and family, Miss Treva Klinedinst, Hanover, Pa., and Mr. Millard Utz, Lineboro.

Mrs. H. S. Wineholt entertained the following Saturday evening: Mrs. William Therit, Mrs. Charles Fuhrman, Mrs. William Eisenhuth, daughter Mary and son Levere.

Mr. G. M. Tracy and Noah Arbaugh made a trip to Mr. C. N. Myers's farm near Pleasant Hill, Pa., Friday.

Miss Viola Wineholt spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Mary Eisenhuth, Ebbvale.

Sunday evening visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Eisenhuth, were Mr. and Mrs. William Therit, son Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Leese and daughter Corrine, Miss Sarah Yingling, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wineholt, daughters Viola and Reba, and sons Lester and Russell.

Miss Dorothy Leister spent the week-end in Hanover, Pa., visiting at the home of Mrs. Lizzie Mathias.

Messrs. Roger and Russell Lambert called on Spencer Wineholt Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lambert and daughter Virginia called Sunday at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George B. Lippy.

Miss Naomi Thomas returned home Sunday after visiting with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. David Frock, who recently moved to Pennville, near Hanover, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mathias and family and Mr. Harry Leese motored to Baltimore on Sunday.

SANDYVILLE

Sunday school this Sunday morning 9:30. The W. C. T. U. will hold a special service at 10:45, all cordially invited. C. E. at 7:45. Business meeting also. All committees urged to leave written reports.

C. E. was led last Sunday night by Mr. A. H. Gehman, who gave a splendid talk on the subject of Missions. He also announced the prayer meeting committee has appointed leaders for May and will meet with them one evening a month to help them arrange for their service and plan work. Rev. Mr. McCaslin will meet with them also. Mr. McCaslin preaching a good sermon.

Sandy Mount Sunday School was reorganized last Sunday morning. The old officers were reelected.

The Mite Society will meet at the home of Mr. Hoff next Thursday afternoon, May 8.

A "Sock Social" will be held at Sandy Mount Church Thursday night, May 15. If inclement it will be held on Friday night.

Admission, twice the number of sock you wear in silver or in cents. If you have not received a sock you will be given one at the door. A program will be given. Refreshments for sale. Each member of the Mite Society is reguested to bring a bonnet or an apron to be sold.

Farmers are busy planting potatoes and doing early spring work.

Among those who are seeking for adjusted compensation are the kids who are looking for a bigger allowance.

GAMBER

Sunday school at Providence M. P. Church Sunday afternoon at 1:30 P. M. Preaching at 3 o'clock. C. E. at 7:30 P. M. All welcome to these services.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Houff and daughters Doris and Helen, Mrs. Clare Weirich and son, of Baltimore, spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bonner and Mr. T. J. Miller.

Mr. Reuben Small and Mrs. Edward Bonner and daughter Mary Margaret, of Martinsburg, W. Va., spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Coleman.

Those who spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Shipley were Mr. and Mrs. Peter Nelson, and Mr. and Mrs. George Woelper and son Nelson, all of Baltimore.

The C. E. Society, of Providence M. P. Church will hold an ice cream and strawberry festival May 24.

Miss Lillie Brauning spent the week-end with Misses Annie and Gladys Leister.

The play "Looking For Mary Jane," given by the C. E. Society of Providence M. P. Church, will be given at Union Mills hall on Saturday night, May 3, at 8 o'clock.

The Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Leister, May 15, at 2 P. M.

Those who spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. Reinle, of Ten Hills, were Mr. Marshal Patterson, and Misses Margaret Raver, Maryetta Brauning and Florence Patterson.

Memorial service at Providence M. P. Church, May 31, at 2 P. M.

Those who spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jabez N. Barnes were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer C. Hunt, daughter Florence and son Gilroy and Mr. Edward Barnes, all of Baltimore. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Flater and family, Mrs. Pearl Allen, daughter Edna, and son Ralph, Mrs. Joshua Barnes sons Ira and Leonard, and daughter Eva, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ford and son Junior.

MELROSE

Mrs. Milton Dressler, on Melrose Hill, is having a new chicken house built, intending to have more chickens in the future.

Two young men coming down the state highway on bicycles, tired and weary, stopped at the garage here in town. One of them, in trying to avoid striking some school children on the highway, drew the brakes too suddenly throwing him from his wheel, bruising him, helped him to induce his mate to sell their wheels to Mr. Sandruck, and take the McMahon bus to Baltimore. Their names and whereabouts are unknown.

One of the chicken fanciers of our town boasted that she didn't lose a chick last year. In some way a few of her little chicks recently contracted a disease, and after treatment are hearty and well, eating food, drinking water, and scratching as only a hearty chick knows how to do.

There will be a "Spider Web" social at Wentz's schoolhouse, on Saturday evening, May 3rd, 1924. There will be cake, candies and ice cream for sale. Music will be furnished by St. David's Orchestra. All are welcome.

Fish are plentiful this season. One of the truckmen passing through our town, besides a choice line of early vegetables, had seven kinds of fish for sale.

One of our marketmen, last week, bought three crates (ninety dozen) of eggs from one of his customers, that didn't stand the incubator test. They were sent back from Baltimore, and what happened we do not know, but the peaceable God-fearing people should soon all know what our Saviour said about the Golden Rule, as found in St. Matt. 7: 12.

It is with pleasure that we met, in our little town, after a severe winter on the old folks, the familiar face of Mr. John Wolz, of Shrewsbury, president of the Mason and Dixon Mining Co., on Saturday last. Among other things he told your correspondent that his sons, when they want to go only a short distance, instead of walking, use a car. The "I. W. W. Society" may mean complicated things, but we may call part of it. I Won't Walk Society.

Mr. Raymond Strevig recently purchased a coupe.

Marvin Wilson, one of our Wentz's Union Sunday School officers of former years, now living in Hanover, was a pleasant visitor to your correspondent on Sunday last.

In a letter from California, we find the following: "Spring is here. Fruit is plentiful, nice oranges and lemons, 10c a dozen, and fine strawberries, 2 boxes for 25c."

Dr. E. H. Garey

DENTIST

Westminster, Md. Phone 183

Among the folks who want constructive legislation are those who are working for public building appropriations.

A SUBJECT FOR LADIES' AIDERS

By VIVIAN HAYES

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EARLY in the morning Abner's daughter, Emma Caroline, hurried down the road to her father's farm. She was a thin, wiry woman, brisk of motion and sharp of tongue. Behind her, her own immaculate house, husband and children bore eloquent testimony to her neatness and efficiency. Inside of half an hour she had "red up" her father's house and placed before him with a clatter two prunes, a glass of buttermilk and a slice of thin toast. She whipped out the dishpan, briskly poured out some boiling water and stood, the dishcloth in her large, red hand, her eyes roving impatiently from the clock to her father as he picked listlessly at his breakfast.

"Land, pa!" she burst forth at last, "what a time it takes you to eat! I don't want to hurry you, but I've a million things to do at home this morning—carpet rags to dye, soap to make, and I don't know what all besides. And since your sick spell my beau here so much does eat into my time.

"I hope you'll realize that you can't ever again eat anything but simple food that'll digest easy. I hear Abbie Styles has been saying that in her opinion 'twas nothing more'n eatin' your own cooking that brought it on. Says that never to her dying day will she forget the meal she saw you fixing for yourself one noontime when she stopped to get a setting of eggs—greasy fried potatoes and coffee that had boiled at least an hour and was black as night. Says it made her headache—humph! Maybe 'twouldn't have ached quite as much if she hadn't been a widow and you a widower.

"I said as much to the one who told me, and, says I, 'Pa can come and live with us any time he says the word,' says, 'an' he knows it. It beats all the way he hangs onto living there alone, when he might be where there is folks'—and you'd better think it over seriously, pa.

"When you had your health 'twas some different, but you can't deny that you aren't picking up any. I'll do the dishes for you do do. I shan't be down again today.

"Your egg-nogg for lunch is on the cellar bottom and there's plenty prunes cooked up—and you can put your hot milk and your rice for supper. I'll be down first thing tomorrow morning." With a jerk of her shawl she hurried away.

For a long time her father sat motionless, his broad shoulders sagging despondently as he leaned unseeing over his untasted breakfast. With sigh his eyes focused upon his food and an expression almost of fear appeared upon his kindly features. He hastily cleared the table and went out to attend to the chores. At noontime he assembled his egg-nogg and the prunes and then set them away, untasted. He sank listlessly into his armchair and gazed out of the window.

Some time later the door flew open with a bang and a red-cheeked urchin slammed a napkin-covered basket upon the kitchen table, glibly repeating, "Mis' Styles sent this for the Ladies' Aid supper, and tell Mis' Henderson she'll be down in time to make the coffee." With a clatter he was off and away. Abner ran to the back door shouting, "Hey, this belongs at Lafenderson's, on the lower road," but the small messenger was out of sight.

An aroma, elusive, provocative, memory-stirring, pervaded the vicinity of the basket. Cautiously Abner folded back the enshrouding napkins and stood gazing worshipfully. There, as hot as though just out of the oven, reposed an earthen baking dish of fragrant escalloped oysters, its opulent mound of crusty brown surface hinting tantalizingly of the delicousness beneath, and a deep, golden-hued pumpkin pie. Abner stared hungrily, his wistful eyes shining. Then with a groan, he threw back the covering and walked resolutely away—but eventually he came back!

Some time later Abbie Styles rapped lightly at the kitchen door. "Has my basket been left here by mistake?" she began, then stopped as her glance fell on the empty dishes.

"Abbie," stammered Abner, his shamefaced air but partially concealing an all-pervading satisfaction, "a few hours ago I was a poor, starvin' old critter, dying a horrible death from an overdose of skimmilk and prunes. If your First Aid supper hadn't come just when it did, I vow I would be passed away. The Ladies' Aider never had a likelier subject for missionary work. I'm through dieting for good and all—only," he heaved a prodigious sigh, reddened in embarrassment, and blurted out, "it'll be awful hard to go back to my own cookin' again! Ho, hum!"

Mrs. Styles' comely face became a trifle more rosy. "I'm real glad you ate it, Abner," she declared heartily, "and, land, I do a sight of cookin'. Ain't a mite of reason why you shouldn't come up to supper tomorrow night. I'll be expecting you." She hurried away, and the doorway looked suddenly bleak in consequence.

"Land, land!" breathed Abbie, with a mischievous smile, as she caught up another basket from beneath the edge, "maybe 'twas awful bold of me—but him so shy and never quite daring to come to the point! Yes, yes, 'an being most starved, together with that 'first aid supper,' was the only combination that would've ever been effective! What'd he say, I wonder, if he knew that basket was sent there on purpose?"

SMALLWOOD

An Affectionate Welcome To Rev. J. N. Link And Family.

Our pastor, Rev. J .N. Link, was somewhat puzzled when he came from a meeting in Westminster last Friday night and found Deer Park Church dark, for he had announced that we would resume our mid-week service at that time. The puzzle was soon solved for when he entered the parsonage he found about 110 Deer Parker's singing "Glad Welcome to You." We have sung this song in our hearts ever since our pastor's return from Conference, but this was our first opportunity to collectively welcome him and his family. A short program was given. In the welcome talk our pastor was welcomed back because of himself, because of all that he has done for us as a pastor, and because of the great work that remains to be done at Deer Park. We have never met any one more consciencious, more sympathetic, more earnest in his efforts, and more Christ like in his methods than Mr. Link has been. With all truth and no flattery we pay him the greatest compliment that any man can receive when we say he has exemplified the very life of our Master. We can only appreciate what Mr. Link has done for our church by comparing the position of Deer Park some years back with its standing now. Truly we are indebted to our pastor for the progressive work of our church. Great heights have been reached, great achievements have been accomplished, but there is still a greater work to be done. We have a beautiful modern parsonage as a result of Mr. Link's efforts and leadership and we earnestly hope that before many years we will have an equally beautiful and convenient church. Our Sunday School is overflowing now, our church is filled every Sunday for preaching service and our Juniors must have their meetings at the home across from the church. In Mr. Link's response he thanked the people for the kindly feeling that prompted their coming out in such a goodly number to welcome him back and said: "He hoped to do more for them with the help of the Heavenly Father in this coming year than the past, with the co-operation of the congregation all things could be accomplished." He also said: "If I could see a great church building on that corner, if I could have the joy of seeing a boy from our church enter the ministry, or a boy or girl go to the mission field, I would be willing then to leave this earth, for life would have been more than worth while." Our prayer is that the future will bring with it the fullfilment of all these wishes of our pastor. This was truly the largest and most successful social that we have ever given our pastor and his family. Our prayer is: "God will send Mr. Link back many more years. We pledge him our cooperation and with pastor and people working together progress is sure."

Our Endeavors have been working earnestly on the "Friends of Christ Chart." Sunday night, April 27th, the Senior obtained their final points so that we are a gold seal society once more.

This chart presents a wonderful program, and with this program as a basis our work must go forward. Our Juniors are not far behind us.

Mr. Link has purchased a roadspeed and he is putting into the hands of each member of the church a monthly Deer Park Messenger. On the first page of this paper is an inspiring picture, and the topics of the sermons for the month. On the second page, "Glances Backward; third page, "Glance Forward," and on last page, "A Word of Inspiration by The Way."

On Easter Sunday the yearly reunions of the family was held at Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wagner's. As usual, there were lively experiences forth coming when next hunting was in progress for 27 nests were to be found where the Easter Bunny had left them for young and old alike. There was a visitor among us, who said: "This is the first time I ever saw an Easter like this. I did not think older people could get so much fun out of it." But all holidays and your own life is what you make it. When dinner was served all enjoyed it as laughing and pleasant speeches help digestion, if hygiene be true. When the evening meal was over those that had some distance to go returned to their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Mueller and daughter Ruth were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Wagner at Easter; also Mrs. George Wick Sr.

Farming in our neighborhood is progressing nicely, even though the weather stays cold.

Some people's idea of ambition is to entertain a prejudice against working with their hands.

The literary aspirants whose productions are returned have a very low opinion of the judgment of editors.

The objection to work is not so intense here in Westminster as to prevent some people from working their friends.

CARROLLTON

Regular services in the Church of God on Sunday. Mrs. Covert Craft will have charge of the Christian Endeavor in the evening.

Reelection of Christian Endeavor officers on last Sunday evening for the coming year are as follows: President, Oscar Taylor; vice-president, Jennings Long; corresponding secretary, Eurith Evans; and recording secretary, Nora Hughes. Now that we are starting on a new year let us all try to become more interested and try to attend well. Everybody welcome to attend.

Mrs. Jane Blizzard, sons and daughters, and Ralph Taylor spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Herr, of Baltimore.

Mrs. Albert Dennburg, and Mrs. George Lutz, of Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. Webster Ebaugh and Miss Sallie Ebaugh, of Westminster; Mr. and Mrs. David Ebaugh, of Frederick, and Mrs. Emma Green, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Ebaugh, and Mrs. Myra Lockard were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ebaugh.

Mr. Jones, the bee man, is back in our village again.

K. R. Taylor, of Bethel Heights, is visiting Mrs. Taylor's brother, Mr. Smith, of Illinois, who has been very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lynch, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Lynch.

Mr. and Mrs. Bateman and daughter, of Baltimore, were Sunday visitors with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Bateman.

Ladies, don't forget the Aid on Saturday at the home of Mrs. Mary Martin; also please remember the "shower."

Mrs. Sarah Ebaugh had a fall last Thursday which has caused her to be confined to her bed under the care of Dr. Foutz. Her many friends hope she may soon be much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harpel and children, of Hagerstown, spent several days with his mother, Mrs. Katie Harpel.

Mr. and Mrs. George Miller and family spent Sunday with friends in Baltimore.

Sterling Long has gone to Green Spring Valley to assist his brother Oden in his garage.

Special Mother's Day services will be held in the Church of God on Sunday morning, May 11. We hope every mother in the community will be able to attend.

GREENMOUNT

Misses Ethel Wareheim and Margaret Belt, Lineboro, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wareheim last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Claude Hann and children spent a day last week at Manchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Erb and son George, Manchester, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mahaley last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Miller and children, of Manchester, spent Sunday at the home of Luther Wentz and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Abbott and daughter Madeline, Baltimore, visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Trump, of Baltimore, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mahaley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory McCullough, near here, gave a birthday surprise party last Thursday evening in honor of their daughter, Miss Beulah. A jolly good time was had by everybody. About 100 guests were present.

George Harris and Miss Bessie Rhoten spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Rhoten, of Parkton.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hann and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Brown, Melrose, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gamber and daughter, of Westminster, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mahaley last Friday evening.

Mrs. Charles Mahaley and son Charles Jr. spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Hare, of Manchester.

Russell Ebaugh has gone to Baltimore where he has employment.

Mr. and Mrs. David Reed and son and William Seaks, of Hampstead, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Reed, near here.

Russell Ebaugh, Baltimore, spent Saturday night and Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Isabelle Ebaugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seaks and Miss Doris Belt visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Royston, near Trenton, last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seaks entertained the following guests at their home last Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Milton Stuller, and son Marion, Baltimore, and Mr. and Mrs. Irving Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Wheeler, of White House.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Martin entertained the following guests at their home last Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ensor, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ensor, Mrs. Carrie Ensor, Miss Ruth Ensor, Miss LaRue Martin, all of Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Snyder, Houcksville, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith, of Snydersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Fillmore Boring, who spent the winter months in Florida, have returned to their home here.

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