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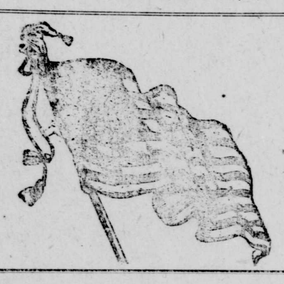
AMERICA FIRST



LIBERTY JUSTICE

MUST COUNTRY TOWNS SUFFER?

We trust that Postmaster General Hays will not press his recommendation to Congress that free mail delivery be abandoned in 752 towns of less than 10,000 population. No doubt Mr. Hays is under great pressure to reduce expenses, but that should not cut any figure at all in this particular case.

If postal expenses must be cut, let the necessary slashing be done in the cities or on the hosts of useless employees in scores of government bureaus.

Free mail delivery is a service that every village and town should have.

Except for the post office itself, millions of Americans are given no service whatever by their government. Although the national government spent upwards of FOUR BILLIONS of dollars last year, only the smallest fraction of it went in serving the 50 per cent. of the people in country sections. You cannot count the rural free delivery in it at all because it was self-supporting or so nearly self-supporting that the deficit meant nothing as compared with FOUR BILLIONS.

As this newspaper has said before, it is time for the government to begin spending its billions in service to the whole people, not to 50 per cent. alone, as in the past. And if the villages and small towns of the United States permit this retrogression, permit this abandonment of mail delivery in 752 places, a precedent will be established which cannot be recovered from in many years.

AUDITOR'S ORDER NISI

Herman D. Horsey, et al.,
vs.
Alverta Trice, et al.

In the Circuit Court for Caroline County.
In Equity. No. 2080

Ordered this 29th day of December, 1921, that the Auditor's Report, made and filed in the above cause, be ratified and confirmed unless good cause to the contrary be shown within three weeks from the 29th day of December, 1921, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Caroline County once in each of two successive weeks before the 7th day of January, 1922.

GEORGE A. DEAKYNE,
True copy, Clerk.
Test: GEORGE A. DEAKYNE,
29-2t Clerk.

AUDITOR'S ORDER NISI

Merrick Clements, et al,
vs.
Annie Carter Sinclair

In the Circuit Court for Caroline County.
In Equity. No. 1998.

Ordered this 28th day of December, 1921, that the Auditor's Report, made and filed in the above cause, be ratified and confirmed unless good cause to the contrary be shown within three weeks from the 29th day of December, 1921, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Caroline County once in each of two successive weeks before the 19th day of January, 1922.

GEORGE A. DEAKYNE,
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True copy, Clerk.
Test: GEORGE A. DEAKYNE,
29-2t Clerk.

ORDER NISI

In the Orphans' Court for Caroline County, in equity.

In the matter of the estate of CORINNE E. MOWBRAY, dec'd

Ordered this 27th day of December, 1921, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Samuel G. Nuttle, Executor, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 28th day of February next; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Caroline county, once in each of four successive weeks, before the 30th day of January next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $4,750.00.

RICHARD T. WEST
ELISHA H. HARPER
WILLIAM J. SHAWN

True copy—Test:
J. HOWARD PASTORFIELD
Register of Wills for Caroline County.

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health and happiness—
Here's the esteem of your
fellow men with the fulfillmer
of your most cherished desi
All through 1922

THE FARIRS SUPI C. inc.

E. ZEIGLER, Manager.

DENTON, MD.

FACTS FROM *FEDERALSBURG*

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Sparklin and children, Barbara and Lois, who for six months have been here with Mr. Sparklin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Sparklin, left Wednesday for their home in Norfolk, Va.

Miss Catherine Davis, who has been at home for the holidays, left Monday with Miss Margaret Skiliman, who has been her guest, for the Mary Baldwin Institute, Staunton, Va., where both are students.

Mr. and Mrs. Roe MacSorley and little son, Roe, Jr., have been visiting Mr. MacSorley's parents, Rev. and Mrs. F. C. MacSorley, at the parsonage.

Mr. Aubrey Smoot an instructor at Western Maryland College, has been the recent guest of his cousin, Mrs. Charles H. Smith, here.

Mrs. Cora Bradley of Brooklyn visited her aunt, Mrs. J. E. Wright a part of last week.

Little Miss Isabel Adams spent a part of last week here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Adams.

Mrs. Oliver Keys had as her guest last week Miss Kate Carroll of Hurlock.

Indians Accomplished Entertainers

The Princess Nadonis Indians, a group of four, admirably entertained an interested audience at The Temple Tuesday evening. The songs, which included several old favorites, as well as the best of the lovely Indian melodies, were especially well done, as were the very beautiful original poems the Princess Nadonis read so feelingly. The entertainers, dressed in the colorful native costume, made a picturesque group. This entertainment is the second in a series of five of the Lyceum Course which the Woman's Club is sponsoring this winter. The third, an humorous lecture by "Sunshine" Dietrick, will be held January 19.

Novel New Year's Service

An interesting service, as impressive as it was unusual, was held Sunday Evening, New Year's Night, at the Union Methodist Church by the pastor, Rev. F. C. MacSorley, aided by twelve young people. Following a brief talk upon the spiritual darkness that reigned before Christ's coming, the electricity was turned off. the pastor lighting a mammoth candle at the altar, this typifying Christ, the Light of the World. From this 12 smaller candles were lighted and the bearers went through the audience, ligting the tapers of each individual, until everyone held a light. The effect from the many lights gleaming in the darkened room with the mingling of voices in "Let the Lower Lights be Burning" was strangely beautiful.

Afterward an illuminated cross was erected by the pastor, who made further remarks concerning the application of the illustration. "Lead Kindly Light" was then sung.

Children Enjoy Christmas Party

The children of the M. E. Sunday School, little and big, enjoyed a merry party held in the Temple Hall on Tues-day afternoon, December 27, from 2 to 4 o'clock.

The party was divided in many groups according to age, each group enjoying games of its choice until all joined in fishing at the fish pond, each one making some surprising "catch." Even the elderly scholars threw themselves into the games with zest.

Finally the long-anticipated appearance of genial, good old St. Nick was made and the joy of the children knew no bounds when his red-clad, rotund figure entered and with a smile he extended to each child a box of candy. The party was a general success.

Woman's Club Held Holiday Meeting

The Woman's Club met on Wednesday, December 28th, at its club room with a special Christmas program, following the business meeting. At a previous meeting the club had voted to invite the wives of the resident ministers and the teachers of the schools here to be honorary members of the club. A number of these were present, as were also other guests.

An excellent Christmas story was read by Mrs. H. H. Long and Mrs. J. F. Short read an entertaining article about Christmas customs of various nations. The music of the day—instrumental by Mrs. Robert Edington and vocal by Miss Anna Brown—was exceptionally fine and especially enjoyed.

With the advent of the New Year, life has resumed its customary routine following the holiday season, with its frolics and festivities. The numerous students at various colleges and young people teaching elsewhere who spent the Christmas vacation in Federalsburg, their home town, have all returned to resume their scholastic tasks. Likewise, the teachers of our school living elsewhere, have returned here after spending the holidays at their respective homes.

The presentation in moving pictures of "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse," Ibanez' powerful story of the recent war, drew many spectators to the Opera House, Tuesday afternoon and night, who were rewarded by seeing one of the most dramatic, realistic and impressive of all film productions.

Carpenters are now engaged in remodelling and enlarging the house located next the William Warren property and owned by Mr. T. Fred Wright. It is expected to be ready for occupancy by March.

Many changes in residence have taken place among our townspeople in the past ten days. Mrs. M. E. Walker has moved into her attractive new bungalow on Bank Street extended, Mr. O. G. Martino and family following Mr. and Mrs. Walker into the home they vacated, which Mr. Martino had purchased, while Mr. W. E. Cox this week moved into the recent Martino home, purchased by Mr. Cox from Mr. Joseph T. Frampton. Mr. W. H. Johnson has moved to the property on South Main Street owned by Mr. Thomas Todd, while Mr. John Meredith is now occupying the house vacated by the Johnsons.

Miss Nanna Nichols is employed as stenographer in the law office of Mr. W. Brewster Deen at Denton for a short time.

Mrs. J. O. Hornsberger of Elkton, Va., is visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Todd.

Mrs. J. L. Nichols has as her guest at the Methodist Protestant parsonage, her mother, Mrs. Laura Wilson of Pocomoke City.

Mr. J. R. Charles left this week for our state capitol to make his debut in the legislature, to which he was elected a Delegate last November.

The Ladies With the Masons Meet, And Very Tempting Viands Eat.

The annual banquet of the Nanticoke Lodge, no. 172, A. F. & A. M., which is one of the annually anticipated social events of the holiday season, occurred last Saturday evening, December 29, in the banquet hall of the Masonic Temple, with 150 covers laid.

The banquet, which is always particularly pleasing gastronomically, offered the following menu—turkey, chicken salad, Maryland biscuit, pickles, olives, ice cream, cake, coffee.

The outstanding feature of this occasion was the exceptionally fine vocal music with which the banqueters were entertained. Miss Anna Brown, our ever-pleasing soloist, was at her best after her absence of six months from our midst, while the choir of mixed voices, trained by Mr. H. W. Davis, sang delightfully. Those who compose the chorus are the Misses Miriam Stowell, Elizabeth Willoughby, Louise Brooks, Elizabeth Dwyer, Messrs. H. N. Hackett, H. W. Davis, and Dr. F. T. Brooks. Some quartette numbers also were splendidly sung by Miss Brown, Mrs. Spicer, Mr. Hackett and Mr. Davis.

After dinner speeches, with the Rev. T. S. Holt presiding as toast-master, were made by the Grand Chaplain of the Grand Lodge of Masons of Pennsylvania, Rev. Mr. Miller of Chambersburg, and Mr. Charles H. Burns, Grand Lecturer of the Grand Lodge of Maryland; also by the two local pastors, Rev. F. C. MacSorley of the Union Methodist Church, and Rev. J. L. Nichols of Christ M. P. Church.

YULETIDE WEDDINGS

HILL-BROWN

On Thursday evening, December 28, at the home of her parents on Academy Avenue, Miss May Brown was quietly married to Mr. Ralph Hill, by Rev. F. C. MacSorley, pastor of Union M. E. Church.

HUBBARD-TOWERS

Miss Hazel Towers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Towers, was married to Mr. Edgar Hubbard, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hubbard, on Wednesday, December 28, by Rev. Melvin Wheatley at Centreville.

DOUBLE WEDDING

An unusual wedding occurred last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Wilson Bradley, when their twin sons, Ambrose and Wilson were married to Misses Gladys and Ruth Tull respectively. The Rev. J. H. Thornton performed the double ceremony which was followed by a reception to relatives and friends

Federalsburg Couple Wed at Elkton.

Miss Elizabeth Bryant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adolphus Bryant of near Federalsburg, and Mr. Kemp Harper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Harper, surprised their many friends by quietly motoring to Elkton on Monday and being married there at about noon by the Baptist minister, Rev. Mr. Moon. They were accompanied to Elkton by two friends, Miss Raechel Jefferson and Mr. Roland Handy, who witnessed the ceremony at the parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. Harper motored to Washington for several days' stay, and will be at home on their farm near after January 7th.

The bride for the past year was an employe at the Jefferson Drug Store, where she won many friends by her courteous service and pleasing manner.

PRICE-BLADES

Miss Ethel Blades of this town was married in Wilmington on Saturday, December 24th to Mr. Reuben Price of Wilmington, formerly of Federalsburg, a son of the late Mr. Jackson Price of this place and of Mrs. Emma Price of Wilmington. Miss Blades has been for several years an operator in the telephone exchange here. Mr. and Mrs. Price will reside in Wilmington.

WILLIS-WRIGHT

Miss Ethel Wright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wright of this place and Mr. Milton Willis of near town were married December 24 by the pastor of Concord M. E. Church. They will reside on a farm near Friendship.

HOBBS

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Collison entertained at dinner on Friday Mr. and Mrs. M. F. H. Collison of Burrsville, Mrs. L. Roe and daughter Myrtle of Federalsburg. The occasion was the 6th anniversary of their mariage.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Roland Chaffinch of Denton were entertained at dinner on Monday by Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ricards.

Mrs. B. B. Allen of Washington spent part of the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. M. E. Towers.

Mr. G. R. Belote of Onancock, Va., was a holiday visitor at the home of E. M. Willey.

Mr. W. H. Willey celebrated his 84th birthday on December 20th.

The Ladies Aid met at the parsonage on Friday evening of last week. A goodly number were present and everyone reported a nice time. Several of the Burrsville people were present.

Mrs. Betts, wife of Rev. A. W. Betts, had the misfortune to step on a rusty nail a week ago, and since then has been indisposed.

Mr. J. Robert Starkey has made extensive improvements to his property in town.

Miss Esther Willey has returned to Temperanceville, Va., after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Willey.

Mr. W. T. Thawley has moved to his new home in Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. H. Collison of Burrsville were guests of their son, Mr. C. D. Collison on Wednesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moore entertained dinner a number of friends on Fry.

Thriends of Mr. and Mrs. Alliston hg gave them a kitchen shower at home of Mrs. Long's mother, Mrs. ah Davis, on Monday evening.

Mis Esther Willey visited Ridgely friendon Sunday last.

Mr Filbert Merriken of Baltimore visitehis grandmother, Mrs. Irene Corkr, last Friday.

Mr. M. Willey was a Baltimore visitolast week.

GREENSBORO

Mis Annie G. Wetterman visited frienc in Baltimore during the days.

Mr and Mrs. William H. Rc Canon, N. J., were the guests o atir here this week.

Mr and Mrs. Wilmer Webber son Alvin, visited relatives at F Del recently.

Inch Strannahan and family mote into the property owned b Helvia Milk Condensing Co., the ation.

Meisrs. Wallace Isaacs and Grons of Wilmington spent the end with the former's parents, and Mrs. Joseph Isaacs, East Gre bor.

Mis Martha Jones spent the days with her parents, near Goldst

Mr and Mrs. G. Earl Nichols chiltren of Worton, Md., were gu of their parents here this week.

Mr Lawrence Thornton, of the S. S. St. Louis stationed at League land, is in the Naval Hospital t for an operation.

Miss Ruth Carrow has succee her sister at the postoffice here.

The sermon subject for next S day night at the Baptist Taberni will be "An Expensive Hair-Cut."

Our paper, The Enterprise, printed in its new home on its n press this week. When The Ent prise was first started in 1918 o one page could be printed at a tin This week we printed four page once on the new machine, just ins ed. All the machinery is on con bases and is driven by electric motor In the near future another large jo press will be installed. The new o fice is located directly opposite t old location.

Mr. Hiram Kenton and Miss Ev Bishop were in Philadelphia the latt part of last week.

KEEP JACK FROST OUT OF YOUR RADIATO

Operators of automotive equipm must be on their guard when the s son approaches when Jack Frost his visits. Radiators and coo ems are not troublesome in mer time but they do require able attention in cold weat wise operator will use an a ze mixture as a circulating n.

e most common is calcium c , or common salt. The freez t of a saline mixture varies f egrees above zero for 10 per to 18 degrees below zero f er cent solution.

ome operators use kerosene ing medium and while it in gas engines with a co al curcuit, still in automobil tors which sometimes have nections, it is liable to be in lso has a tendeny to seep t ts and gaskets and deposit n inflammable material on or of the engine, which i fire danger.

mixture of alcohol and g he best anti-freeze mixture does very well when us h water, but the glycerin etardant upon the rapid of the alcohol. With he alcohol-glycerine mixtu ts of water, the freezing ered to 22 degrees fahre per cent solution in wat ezing point of 18 degrees

n trying to kill two bird he bonds of matrimony ys pay interest.

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