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Notice is hereby given of free scholarships which are vacant and are to be filled by the Board of School Commissioners:

One at Western Maryland College, Westminster, Md. For a girl. Board and tuition free. Appointment by competitive examination.

Five at the State Normal School, Baltimore, Md. Tuition Free. Appointment by competitive examination.

The examinations indicated above will be held in the public school building in Chestertown, August 6th, 1907, at 9 A. M.

MILTON MELVIN, Secretary.

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What do you think of it after reading my experience with this order? About 22 years ago, I took a policy in this order for $3000.00 and paid my assessments regularly until June 1905 and had paid in up to that time nearly $2000.00 in cash, when the Supreme Council increased our assessment more than double what they agreed to charge its members on entering. I like many others demurred at the increased assessment and refused to pay until it was decided that as the rates had been fixed by the Supreme Council, they would have to be paid and that all members who desired could be reminstated without medical examination if application was made before December 1st, 1905, accompanied by check for dues and on November 14th. Sixteen days before the time limit, I sent check and an application in due form to Park Council (of which I was a member) and it was held for several months and then returned saying "I could not be re-instated and I had been dropped as a member" and after all this time, they positively refuse to return to me, one dollar of the two thousand paid in, or to reinstate me and as they are now making strenuous efforts to start new councils, I thought possibly some of my friends, might enter and ultimately have my experience and have therefore concluded to inform the public how the Royal Arcanum treated me and what they think of it,

Respectfully, THOMAS R. HUBBARD.

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Respectfully FLETCHER AND HADAWAY, R. F. D., NO. 4, Chestertown.

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NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

On and after Monday, July 15, I shall be located in my new office, corner of High and Front streets, just four doors below old stand. Entrance on Front street.

DR. CHARLES R. TWILLEY, Chestertown, Md.

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NOTICE TO

Parents, Guardians & Others.

Washington College.

NOTICE has been recieved by the Orphans' Court that Kent county is entitled to a BENEFICIARY in Washington College by virtue of the graduation of Charles F. Wheatley, of Chestertown, Kent county, Maryland.

It is required that the applicant be a male resident of Kent county, Maryland, at least 15 years of age, that he shall be able to read, write and spell well, and shall have completed English Grammar, History of Maryland and United States, Geography and Arithmetic, so as to devote himself to the collegiate course proper

In compliance with the law, the Orphans' Court for Kent County hereby gives notice to parents, guardians and others, who are disposed to avail themselves of this notice, that on

Thursday, August 15, 1907,

at 10.30 o'clock A. M., applications will be received by this court; the applicants for this position must appear in person for examination by the court. The condition of scholarship requires the successful applicant shall give bond to the Orphans' Court in the penalty of $50.00 to teach for two years in the public schools of the State, if required to do so by the School Commissioners for Kent county.

All applications must be filed on or before the day named with the Register of Wills.

By order of the Court, JAMES E. MORRIS, Register of Wills

jy29-4t.

MR. BAKER ON LIQUOR QUESTION.

He States His Views Regarding Use And Sale of Intoxicants.

Mr. Joseph D. Baker, of Frederick county, states his position in regard to the liquor question, in view of the mention of his name for a place on the Democratic State ticket. He says he believes that question to be one with which the Democratic party is able to deal, and therfore he has never joined the Prohibitioh party. Mr. Baker also says:

"I am now and always have been against the saloon, but have always and will continue to believe that the saloonkeeper is my brother. And I recognize that so long as the saloon is authorized by law it must have the law's protection in its legal rights. However, in accordance with the decisions of our higher courts, the restriction of the sale of liquor in certain districts and the prevention of its sale altogether in others, according to the public will, is the established policy of our Government, and not now an open question.

"I stand for the fundamental principles of majority rule and self-government, and believe that the liquor question, the same as other matters, should be left with the people of the various communities for decision by a majority of the voters of the several localities interested. Further, if elected, I should use my personal influence in favor of legislation designed to carry the expression of the people's will into effect on this or any other great question."

Mr. Baker says he would "not by word or example encourage any man to drink, or speak of drinking as a trivial or unimportant matter. I have been all may life and am now opposed to the use of intoxicants, not because of any narrowness of view, but because of the havoc which I have seen wrought by them."

Farm Notes.

Mr. J. Raymond Bowers has rented the farm in the Sixth district now tenanted by Mr. Robt. C. Morgan, and Mr. J. Thomas Blackiston will go where Mr. Bowers now lives.

A number of the farmers began threshing wheat this week, and in most instances the yield is reported to be above the average. Here are some of the yields:

Mr. Joseph Atwell, on Col. William J. Vannort's Worton farm, got 1200 bushels from 40 acres, an average of 30 bushels per acre.

Mr. Lemuel Faulkner, in Quaker Neck, is reported to have threshed 18 bushels to the acre. Mr. Faulkner tried the new variety of wheat known as Shanghai, and it did not do so well this year.

The yield on Mr. Thomas G. Wroth's farm is reported fine. He has not finished threshing yet, but his yield will be about 30 bushels per acre.

The yield of wheat this year on low land is only fair. It was here that the damage was done to the crop. Some little threshing has been done in the lower part of the county, but the yield is reported to be only fair. Threshing will be general next week, and then look out for the big crops.

Messrs. H. P. Skipper and S. Rol Hurlock have threshed and both got fine yields.

Mr. John Duyer, on the Vickers farm in Flatland, got 22 bushels on stalk ground. Mr. Jere Miller just across the road got 21 bushels.

Mr. James Middleton, near Melitota, on the Stephens' farm got 23 on stalk ground and tomato patch.

Mr. W. J. Benton, on Col. Wm. J. Vannort's Hermitage farm, got 900 bushels from 40 acres.

Mr. W. T. Smith, of Smithville, got 27 bushels of wheat to the acre on an average.

Mr. Joseph Fowler got 17 bushels to the acre.

Mr. Hyland P. Smith got 17 bushels to the acre.

Mr. James Brice has rented his Morgnec farm now tenanted by Mr. Wm. H. Minner to Mr. Charles W. Carter, a prominent young and aggressive farmer of Queen Annes. Mr. Minner will discontinue farming and remove to Wilmington the first of the year, it is reported.

Bitten by Mad Dog.—Gilbert Newton was bitten through the lip, Saturday morning by a rabid dog owned by Mr. Alfred Boone. The wound was at once cauterized by Dr. H. G. Simpers who took him on Thursday evening to the Pasteur Institute for treatment. The dog was killed Saturday afternoon by Mr. Weller in Queen Anne. Mr. Newton knew the dog and had been accustomed to playing with it every time he saw it. He saw the dog coming toward him and he stooped down and commenced playing with it, not knowing it was mad.

OBITUARY.

ROBERT LAWRENCE McWHORTER.

Robert Lawrence, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. McWhorter, died early Monday morning of broncho-pneumonia, aged 14 months. The interesting little one had been quite sick for about three weeks with a disease incident to young children in their second summer, but under the skillful attention of Dr. H. G. Simpers, the child was thought to be out of danger on Saturday evening. Pneumonia developed on Sunday evening when all hopes for his recovery was dispaired of and the little bud was transplanted in the Garden of the Immortals, to bloom forever in the world where it will never know sorrow or pain. Still its going has left a vacant chair, a lonely spot in the home which the dear little one filled and only a mother's love can tell how sorely it will be missed. But just remember that it is the first link in the chain that holds earth closer to heaven, and that He who gave, hath taken away, and that His name is blessed. Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon, with interment in Chester Cemetery.

The pall-bearers were: Masters Frank, Gilbert and Carey Jarman and Clayton Wright. Undertaker J. E. Ferguson had charge of the funeral arrangements.

MRS. CATHERINE A. BEATTY.

The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Amelia Beatty, widow of Dr. Louis Huntley Beatty, of Ingleside, took place Tuesday morning. Services were conducted by Rev. J. D. Pope, pastor of the Ingleside Methodist Episcopal Church South. Her body was taken to Sudlersville for burial. Mrs. Beatty before marriage was Miss Catherine Amelia Robinson, of Denton, daughter of Peter and Sallie R. (Mitchell) Robinson. She was the mother of the late Prof. Louis Lacy Beatty, who from 1886 until his death last November was County School Examiner for Queen Anne's county. Her brother, the late Judge John Mitchell Robinson, was chief judge of this judicial circuit for nearly 30 years.

MRS. ELIZABETH E. HUBBARD.

Mrs. Elizabeth E. Hubbard, widow of John Wesley Hubbard, died of heart disease at her home, in Denton, Md., last Sunday night in the 71st year of her age. Five children survive her as follows:

Mrs. Alice Bradley, wife of Capt. Thomas Bradley; Mrs. Martha Towers, wife of Capt. Thomas Towers; Mrs. Ida Lewis, wife of Mr. Samuel Lewis, and Messrs. Ernest and Oscar Hubbard.

MR. VACHEL BURGESS HINES.

Mr. Vachel Burgess Hines died last Sunday morning at the home of his son-in-law, Hopkins Burgess, near Rock Hall, aged 84 years. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning conducted Rev. S. R. S. Gray; interment in St. Paul's cemetery. Undertaker John N. Dodd had charge of arrangements. The deceased was the father-in-law of Mrs. William Hines, nee Miss Sue Wilkins, of near town.

MRS. FRANCES A. WILSON.

Mrs. Frances A. Wilson, 70 years old, died at her home in Ingleside Tuesday morning of heart failure. She had been an invalid for nearly three years. She was the widow of Benjamin Wilson, who was prominent in the political affairs of the county. She is survived by two sons and two daughters. One of her sons is Wm. R. Wilson, who represented his county in the Maryland legislature at the last session.

P. O. S. of A.

Camp 34 P. O. S. of A. had the honor of having the National Vice-President, Wm. E. Valliant, to preside over the camp and who very gracefully installed the newly elected officers, assisted by Wm. B. Coleman, district president, who assigned them to their respective office. Brother Valliant made a very fine talk on quality as well as quantity in regard to membership.

District President visited Camp 37, Rock Hall, to install their offices, there being such a few out, owing to harvest being on, the district president instructed the past president to install the following evening. The district president presented two presents, one a beautiful badge with number of camp on it, to Mr. John W. Boyer, the second a gold P. O. S. of A. pin to Mr. Alex. Taylor as reward for getting in new members. This camp is doing fine work notwithstanding having to suspend sick benefits for six months. The brothers went down in their pockets and satisfied the wants of their sick brothers. This is what I call fraternity crystalized, so commending. A sick brother in good standing never laps out. His dues are kept up, thus he is beneficial all the time. Where is an insurance company that pays a man's dues when sick? The P. O. S. of A. is one of the finest orders existing to-day, and stands for God, our country and our order. D. P.

ALSIKE POISON.

An Effort Being Made by Interested Farmers and Landowners to Stamp Out a Dangerous Disease.

For sometime past there has been a dangerous disease among horses known as Alsike Poison. The disease attacks the legs, causing them to swell and fester, and if the proper attention is not given the poison will go through the horse's system, causing death. In view of the fact that quite a graet deal o Alsike clover has been grown in Kent county in recent years, Messrs. Hope H. Barroll and J. Biddle Hossinger, two of our prominent landowners and farmers, have been in correspondence with the United States Department of Agriculture and with State veternarian G. Allen Jarman as to the cause of the poison, and the remedy for its cure. With the permission of these gentlemen we publish the letters which have been received, in the hope that they may be of use to those in need of information upon this disease:

MR. HOPE H. BARROLL, Chestertown, Md.—Sir: Referring to your letter of the 24th instant, I beg to advise that a similar letter was received from one of the farmers you mention, namely, Mr. J. B. Hossinger, in connection with the disease prevalent in that section, manifested in horses pastured on alsike clover.

It would seem probable that the trouble is what is called Trifoliosis, or clover disease, which disease is sometimes manifested by symptoms which are localized upon the skin and buccal mucous membrane, or there may be grave lesions of the internal organs. While the local lesions are not entirely confined to white parts of the skin, it would seem that such parts become more readily affected. Nothing can be done in the treatment of the disease until the cause is removed, therefore, the first indication in treatment consists in at once stopping the feeding on clover, to be followed by such medication, should any be required, as may be indicated by the symptoms and condition of the animals.

Some success has been obtained by treating the local lesions the same as you would burns, with sweet oil and lime water, or linseed oil and lime water, which may be applied freely with the hand, and you might try the application of linseed oil and lime water, applied to the legs on absorbent cotton, held in place by a roller bandage. Treatment, however, must be chiefly prophylactic. Very respectfully,

R. W. HICKMAN, Chief, Quarantine Division.

P. S.—The oil and lime water should be mixed in equal proportions.

MR. JOS. B. HOSSINGER, Kennedyville, Kent county, Md.—Sir: Referring to your letter of the 27th ultimo, concerning a poison prevalent in that section of the country, which is manifested in horses pastured on alsike clover, it would seem probable from your description that it may be what is called Trifoliosis, or clover disease. This is a recognized disease of the horse and is believed to be due to the irritating action of a mold which grows on the clover. Clover disease is sometimes manifested by the symptoms which are localized upon the skin and buccal mucous membrane, or there may be grave lesions of the internal organs. The local lesions, however, are not usually confined to white parts of the skin, though such points on horses might show a tendency to become first affected. The treatment consists in at once stopping the feed of clover, and such medication, should any be required, as may be indicated by the symptoms and condition of the animals. A short description of this trouble may be found in volume one of Freidbeger & Frohner's Pathology and Therapeutics of Domesticated Animals.

Very respectfully, R. W. HICKMAN, Chief, Quarantine Division.

MR. HOPE H. BARROLL, Chestertown, Md.—Dear Sir: Your letter in regard to horses affected with aliski poison received to-day. I have seen quite a lot of this trouble, and have talked with many people in regard to it. From all information I can gather the trouble is not due to the alsike but to a poisonous plant called St. John's Wort. This plant will usually cause sore legs if the same happen to be white, but will not affect any other color. Some alsike pastures do not cause any trouble because they happen to be free from St. John's Wort. I judge this St. John's Wort seed came in the alsike seed. That is how it looks to me. Write Prof. Patterson, Maryland Agricultural College, and see what he has to say. Yours,

G. ALLEN JARMAN.

Closing the Stores.

Quite a number of the merchants o the town have joined in a very commendable movement to close the stores at seven o'clock in the evening. This is an innovation which meets with the ful approval of the purchasing public, and if all the storekeepers would join in the movement it would be very popular. We regret to notice, however, that several of the merchants are not closing their stores, and while they may have a good reason for not joining the movement, still, if they did, it would be so much better. It is to be hoped that all those merchants who are not now closing will see their way clear to do so, as we believe the plan a very commendable one from the standpoint of both the employer and employe.

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