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Deer hunting in the Northern woods of Michigan, Minnesota, and Wisconsin, must be a dangerous business. A telegram dated at Milwaukee, November 30th, states that during the hunting season, which closed on that date, 14 men had been killed and 11 others shot and seriously wounded. Presumably the shooting in these cases was accidental, but the despatch omits to so state.

On the first day of the second session of the Fifty-seventh Congress, which began on Monday, Representative Mudd, of the Fifth district of Maryland, introduced a bill to amend the tariff law by putting anthracite coal absolutely on the free list. This action of Mr. Mudd will, doubtless, meet the approval of most of his constituents, and of the people of Maryland, if not of the whole country, generally. It may be possible, however, that the proposition is too sweeping in character to be in the interest of the miners, who should be carefully protected by the tariff. Existing conditions are calculated to awaken such a spirit of hostility to the operators as to prompt legislation designed to inflict penalties upon them for their obstinacy in resisting the demands of the mine-workers until the people of the country are suffering for lack of proper fuel. In harmony with this spirit Mr. Mudd's bill will be generally applauded and is probably all right. But before passing upon it Congress should be fully advised as to its effect upon the interests of the men who mine the coal.

There is in New England an Anti-Imperialist League the members of which do not seem to realize that that fad has had its day and is practically defunct. The league held its annual meeting in Boston, on Tuesday and, at a luncheon in which about two hundred ladies and gentlemen participated, Ex-Governor Boutwell, who presided, made a speech recounting the growth of anti-imperialistic sentiment, but declared that the Republican party must be destroyed or disintegrated before imperialism can be overthrown. Mr. Boutwell, who was years ago a member of the Republican party and Secretary of the Unietd States Treasury, has been for some years engaged in endeavoring to destroy the party that conferred upon him all the official honor of which he has ever been the recipient, but his efforts in that direction have not prospered. He doubtless expected much from the cry of imperialism raised against the party and taken up by the Democrats, but in the recent campaing it was rarely alluded to and cut no figure whatever in the result. This fact is due to the sound common sense of the American people, who know very well that taking over the sovereignty of the Philippine Islands cannot change the structure and form of our own government. The acquisition of these islands from Spain was, in essence, not at all different from the acquisition of Alaska, which in all the years it has been in our possession has not had a territorial government. Yet nobody ever heard any talk about imperialism in connection with the acquisition of Alaska. Why, then, apply the term to the acquisition of the Philippines?

DOGS AND CATS BEFORE CHILDREN.

Chicago is a hustling city, and has probably gained a larger per centage of population during the last ten years, than any considerable place in the world. But if the following story, told in a special despatch to the Baltimore *American* on the 30th ult., be correct, it is a more desirable locality for dogs and cats than for impecunious human beings:

"While the Thanksgiving dinner of turkey and trimmings were being prepared for the 70 fortunate inmates of the Chicago Home for Friendless Dogs and Cats last Thursday an unfortunate father, Charles F. Maloney, of 555 South State street, was trudging through the south division, carrying his diphtheria stricken two-year-old daughter in his arms, in search of some asylum, home or place where she could be taken in and cared for.

Refused admission at hospital and dispensary, one after another, he finally reached a police station, whence he was directed to the Health Department, but the child died before he arrived at the commissioner's office.

The Health Department used this story today as the basis for an appeal for someone to emulate the founders of "Home for Friendless Dogs and Cats" and provide hospital accommodations for friendless infants and children stricken with contagious diseases. Now the only place for diphtheria cases is in the overcrowded County Hospital, from 10 to 18 miles away."

MEETING OF CONGRESS---PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

Congress met on Monday, 1st inst., for the short session, which will end at noon on the 4th of March next. It is probable that the session will be comparatively uneventful, in the matter of legislation, though President Roosevelt in his annual message, which was read in both houses on Tuesday, recommends the consideration of some important measures.

The most important item of the message is the discussion of trusts and the proper method of dealing with them. On this subject, and the suggestion that tariff revision and reciprocity afford methods by which they may be controlled, he says, among other things, that

"Corporations, and especially combinations of corporations, should be managed under public regulation. Our aim is not to do away with corporations; on the cont.ary, these big aggregates are an inevitable development of modern industrialism. * * * Publicity can do no harm to the honest corporation; and we need not be overtender about sparing the dishonest corporation. * * * The power of Congress to regulate interstate commerce is an absolute and unqualified grant, and without limitations other than those prescribed by the Constitution. * * * If it prove impossible to accomplish the purposes above set forth by law, then, assuredly, we should not shrink from amending the Constitution so as to secure beyond peradventure the power sought."

"One proposition advocated has been the reduction of the tariff. * * * Not merely would this be wholly ineffective, but the diversion of our efforts in such direction would mean the abandonment of all intelligent attempt to do away with these evils. * * * Many of the largest corporations—many of those which should certainly be included in any proper scheme of regulation—would not be affected in the slightest degree by a change in the tariff save as such change interfered with the general prosperity of the country. To remove the tariff as a punitive measure directed against trusts would inevitably result in ruin to the weaker competitors who are struggling against them."

"One way in which the readjustment sought can be reached is by reciprocity treaties. If it prove impossible to ratify the pending treaties, then the same end—to secure reciprocity—should be met by direct legislation. * * * When needed changes cannot with advantage be made by the application of the reciprocity idea, then it can be made outright by a lowering of duties on a given product. * * * A commission of business experts can be appointed, whose duty it should be to recommend action by the Congress. * * * In my judgment, the tariff on anthracite coal should be removed."

These views of the President deserve careful consideration. They are mainly in harmony with the opinions held by Republicans generally, though some differences of opinion exisit in relation to them.

The message is a very strong paper throughout and has been read with great interest all over the country.

Maryland's Exhibit at Charleston now on Exhibition in Baltimore.

Mr. Marshall Ballard, of the Maryland Geological Survey, has sent to the SENTINEL the following information in relation to Maryland's exhibit at the Charleston Exposition:

"Maryland's geological-industrial exhibit at the Charleston Exposition has been brought back to Baltimore and is now on exhibition here. As announced some time ago, the exhibit was distinguished at Charleston by 22 awards, twelve of which were gold medals of the first class. It was prepared for the Maryland Commissioners by the Maryland Geological Survey under the direction of Professor Wm. Bullock Clark, the State Geologist. He decided to reinstal it in Baltimore for two reasons. It had been suggested to him in view of the instructive and stimulating nature of the display that it would be well to make it where more of the residents of the State might see it than the comparative few who were able to be at Charleston. With the approach of the great Louisiana Purchase Exposition, to be held in St. Louis, where the competition between the states for general recognition will be much sharper than it was at Buffalo or Charleston, it is considered that Maryland might be very much more effectively represented there if the nucleus of her future exhibit were set up in order that additions and improvements might be systematically made to it.

"To serve those two purposes the Johns Hopkins University made some sacrifice to let the Director of the Geological Survey have the corridor and two large rooms in its Howard street building. There the exhibit was opened to the public on last Monday, (Dec. 1st.) It cannot, of course, be seen to such advantage as in its more spacious quarters down south. Nevertheless its main features are fully reproduced and it affords an excellent and instructive idea of the resources of the state and the way in which those have been developed, and paths to further development of the same sort. It may be said in brief that the exhibit embraces a comprehensive series of the raw and manufactured products that come from the mines, quarries and pits of the State, including the coals, building and decorative stones, slate, brick, tile and pottery clays; flints, building and moulding sands, mineral paints, silica, kaolin, iron ores, cement, rocks, limestones, marls and other natural substances as well as the various types of pottery, tile, firewell as the various types of pottery, tile, fire-brick, building and enameled brick, terra cotta and other articles manufactured from them. The special value of seeing those in this way is the greater appreciation of their relations to each other which may thus be formed.

"A systematic geological collection in the corridor represents all the formations of the state and shows the plant and animal fossils characteristic of each throughout the great range for which Maryland is remarkable. Many manufacturing processes and land scenes are illustrated by pictures, maps and transparencies.

"Governor Smith and Comptroller Hering saw the exhibit last Friday, after the meeting of the State Geological Commission, and both expressed their satisfaction with it in its new place. The rooms where it stands will be open each day from 9 o'clock until 5 (on Saturday) until 3 throughout the winter and spring. Dr. Clark, through this paper, invites all residents of Carroll county, to visit the exhibit whenever they happen to be in Baltimore. The Survey building is at 532 North Howard street, just above the Academy of Music.

The Maryland Geological Survey has completed a new topographic map of Calvert county and a geologic and soil map of Garrett county. The first presents an accurate picture of Calvert's surface features, its hills, plains, and depressions being clearly marked by contour lines which indicate the grading of the roads, the drainage possibilities, and all other details of the county's relief. The map is drawn to the uniform scale upon which the survey is proceeding with the graphic delineation of the entire state, one inch to the mile. Similar sheets have already been issued for Garrett, Worcester, Cecil and Harford counties. The Garrett map of geology and soils has been prepared upon the topographic base of the county. It indicates the extent and distribution of the geological formations of which the county is composed, showing all mines, quarries, pits and other mineral workings. The map of soils indicates the agricultural resources of the county. These maps may be obtained by residents of the state upon application to the director of the Maryland Geological Survey, at his office in Baltimore. They will be mailed to applicants upon the payment of postage.

Pittsburg capitalists have bought 4000 acres of land in and around Cape May, N. J., and intend to expend eleven millions of dollars in improvements, including a million-dollar hotel and a hundred ten-thousand-dollar cottages. The Pennsylvania and Reading Railroads are planning for a large increase in railroad facilities, and a determined effort is to be made to elevate the place to the head of the list as a seaside resort.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Personal.

Mr. Percival F. Lynch, of Elkton, Md., spent Thanksgiving Day with Mr. W. Scott Zepp, of this city.

Miss Rita M. Edwards, of Arlington, is visiting Miss Florence Hoff Mitten, of this city.

Mr. Ed. O'Connor, of Baltimore, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Gilbert, West Main street, this city.

Mr. Harry J. Robinson, of New York, who had been visiting relatives and friends in this city, has returned home.

Miss Lou Harbaugh, of this city, has returned home after a month's visit to her sister, Mrs. Robt. S. Dungan, of Baltimore.

Mr. A. T. Hunt and bride, of Hampstead, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Atlee W. Wampler, of this city, on Sunday and Monday last.

Miss Nora Buchman, of Houcksville, has returned home after a visit of several days to her sister, Mrs. Atlee W. Wampler, of this city.

Miss Lizzie Forsyth, of this city, has returned home from a visit to her niece, Mrs. J. Frank Brinkerhoff, and family, of Philadelphia.

Mr. Wilson Williams, of Baltimore, manager of the Security Mutual Life Insurance Company, spent a few days with friends in this city, this week.

Mr. Albert Rogers and Miss Pauline Mitten, of Gettysburg, Pa., spent a few days with relatives and friends in this city, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Engel, of Sams Creek, have returned to their home, after spending some time visiting Mrs. Engel's uncle, Mr. Thos. J. Frazer, and family, of Clifton street, Baltimore.

Messrs. Kent and Carroll Shaffer, of Chicago, Ills., and Mr. Law Watkins, of Scranton, Pa., son of Mr. Watkins, of the Coal Strike Commission, were the guests of Col. and Mrs. S. K. Herr, of this city, on Sunday last.

Cards are out for the wedding of Miss Carrie R. Hoover, daughter of Mr. Oliver J. Hoover, and Mr. David H. Ebaugh, which will take place at the home of Mr. Hoover, Melrose, at 6 o'clock, Thursday evening, 11th inst.

Miss Nettie V. Crumbacker, of Carroll county, was married to Mr. Harry Hobley at 2902 Cedar avenue, Baltimore, Thursday night of last week. Rev. John S. Bowers, pastor of Clarke Memorial Church, performed the ceremony. A reception followed at the home of the groom, on Cedar avenue.

For the Sentinel.

Carroll County Sunday School Convention.

Under the auspices of the Maryland Sunday School Union a county convention of Sunday School workers was held in Uniontown, on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 28th, 29th and 30th. For several weeks previous the interested workers by means of committees and as individuals had been busy getting everything in readiness. A talented union choir was organized from the choirs of the three churches in town, with Miss Emma Erb organist and under the leadership of Prof. Judefind, of Baltimore, was an inspiring part of the convention. A male quartet from this choir, consisting of Messrs. Charles Sittig, Wm. Sittig, Arthur Sittig and Dr. Luther Kemp gave an appreciative selection at each session.

A large audience gathered in the church of God on Friday evening for the opening service. After a song and devotional service, State Superintendent George H. Nock, of Baltimore, effected a temporary organization of the convention by naming Jesse P. Garner, of Linwood, and Mrs. G. W. Baughman, of Uniontown, president and secretary, respectively.

J. P. Garner made the address of welcome, to which Rev. C. J. Burdette, of Deer Park, Md., fervently responded. Rev. B. B. James, Ph. D., of Baltimore, also Doctor of Philosophy in Western Maryland College, made the principal address of the evening. His theme was Bringing God Into the Convention. It was very forceful and magnetic.

The Saturday morning session was almost entirely canceled as a mark of respect to a faithful Sunday School worker in the Lutheran church, so early in life's morn called from her work. After the funeral, a brief session was held in the M. P. church. In the unavoidable absence of the secretary, Miss Annie Shaw, of Uniontown, was appointed secretary pro tem. Throughout the convention a bountiful noon and evening lunch was served to all delegates and friends in the lecture room of the M. P. Church.

Saturday afternoon session was held in the Lutheran church. Interesting features of this service were: Permanent organization, in which temporary president was retained and Miss Myrle Caple, of Carrollton, named as permanent secretary; and appointing of committees. State Superintendent Nock named Messrs. George H. Birnie, of Taneytown; Joseph Englar, of Linwood, and Chas. W. Otto, of New Windsor, as an executive committee. Prof Rowland Watts, of W. M. College, in a delightful talk gave his practical experience as a teacher, which was very helpful to teachers of boys. His personal appearance and enthusiasm suggest him as well fitted to teach and hold the heart of that wonderful creature, the American Boy, and his suggestions, if carried out, would do much toward solving the "Boy Problem." Prof. Judefind told, as only an artist and lover of music can tell, "What is Good Sunday School Music."

Dr. James in a forcible, earnest manner gave an address, not soon to be forgotten, on, "The Home Touch." The audience was large and appreciative.

The Saturday evening session was also held in the Lutheran Church. The principal address of this meeting was given by Rev. Wm. M. Poisal. His manner and brilliant utterances were no less unique than his subject, "The Man Behind the Gun." To hear Mr. Poisal is to wish to hear him again. Following this was a round table conference on "How to Secure and Maintain Attendance at Sunday School," participated in by a number of speakers.

Sunday morning, preaching in the three churches—In the Lutheran by Dr. James, in the Methodist by Rev. George H. Nock, and in the Church of God by Rev Wm. Poisal.

Sunday afternoon, a union Children's service was held in the Church of God, consisting of songs, recitations and addresses. Master Albert Clark and Miss Caroline Burdette McCullough, Uniontown, and Miss Lulu Haines, of Linwood, gave recitations. Miss Rhoda Benson, of Uniontown, and Miss Larue Myers, of Medford, sang solos.

The Sunday night service, closing the convention, was held in the Methodist church.

It was a general Sunday School workers rally. The topic, "Should the Pastor Ever be Superintendent?" was vigorously discussed. Mrs. Sarah Fuss gave one of her esteemed heart talks and Elder Phillip Englar, a plea for greater activity in Sunday School work.

Resolutions of thanks, farewells, and the convention closed with benediction by Elder Englar.

Perhaps the best testimony to the success of the convention was the large gatherings on Sunday afternoon and night amid the downpour of rain and snow. The universal sentiment is that the meetings were a blessing. Though the attraction centered around genial, warm-hearted State Supt. Nock and his coadjutors, it is but fair to note that though not prominent in the program, having unselfishly given precedence to their visitors, the three pastors of the town. Revs. McCullough, Baughman and Clark, were tireless workers both before and during the convention, in its behalf. Their labors are esteemed. A fair number of delegates throughout the county was present, though in this respect there was room for improvement. A hearty co-operation of all the Sunday Schools in the county would make an ideal convention possible.

MARRIED

At the Lutheran parsonage, Uniontown, Dec. 3rd, 1902, by Rev. G. W. Baughman, Mr. Clayton D. Biggs, of Baltimore, and Miss Bessie M. Gladhill, of Union Bridge.

DIED.

In Baltimore, Dec. 4th, 1902, Henry Hawk, aged 86 years.

On Dec. 5th, 190 , David W. Royer, aged 40 years.

In this city, Nov. 30th, 1902, Rev. Dr. Benjamin F. Benson, in the 68th year of his age.

Near Winfield, Nov. 28th, 1902, Bessie Viola, daughter of Fletcher A. Baile, aged 19 years, 10 months and 8 days.

In loving remembrance of my dear mother, Margaret Shunk, who died one year ago to-day, December 6th, 1902.

One year has passed and still I miss her,
Friends may think the wound is healed;
But they little know the sorrow
That lies within my heart concealed.

By her daughter.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR RENT.

A small Farm, situated about ¾ of a mile from Carrollton Station, on the W. M. R. R. Apply to REIFSNIDER & GRIMES, dec 6 tf Attorneys at Law, Westminster.

ELECTION NOTICE.

First National Bank of New Windsor, Md., New Windsor, Md., December 3rd, 1902.

The annual election for SEVEN DIRECTORS of the above named Bank will be held at the Banking Rooms on TUESDAY, January 13th, 19 3, from 1 to 3 o'clock, P. M.

NATHAN H. BAILE, Cashier.

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ELECTION OF DIRECTORS.

Union National Bank of Westminster, Westminster, Md., December 5th, 1902.

An election for TEN DIRECTORS for the Bank will be held on TUESDAY, the 13th of January, 1903, between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M., and 12 M. of said day, at said Bank.

J. W. HERING, Cashier.

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ELECTION NOTICE.

The Stockholders of the Farmers' Fertilizer Company of Carroll County are hereby notified that the annual election, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors to manage the affairs of said Company for the ensuing year, will be held at the Company's office, on TUESDAY, the 13th day of JANUARY, 1902, between the hours of 11 A. M. and 12 o'clock, M.

By order of the Board,

dec 6 4t JOHN ROYER, Secretary.

ELECTION NOTICE.

The First National Bank of Westminster, Westminster, Md., December 6th, 1902.

The Stockholders of this Bank are hereby notified that the regular annual meeting for the election of NINE DIRECTORS to manage the affairs of the Bank for the ensuing year, will be held at the Banking House, on TUESDAY, the 13th day of January, 1903, between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M., and 1 o'clock, P. M.

GEORGE R. GEHR, Cashier.

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ELECTION NOTICE.

Farmers and Mechanics National Bank of Westminster, Westminster, Md., December 2nd, 1902.

The Stockholders of this Bank are hereby notified that an election for DIRECTORS to manage the affairs of the Bank for the ensuing year will be held at the Banking House, on the Second TUESDAY, being the 13th day of January, 1903, between the hours of 1 and 2 o'clock, P. M.

J. H. CUNNINGHAM, Cashier.

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REMEMBER THE POOR.

"Not what we give, but what we share," brings blessings alike to the giver and the receiver, and as the blessed Christmas time approaches, we again appeal to the kind people of Carroll county, to aid us in carrying a little of the brightness of our own lives, to the aged and afflicted wards of the county, whose last days are ending in our Alms House. As they have so generously aided in the past, we feel sure that our request will again meet with willing responses. With the kindly aid of the present steward and his good wife we hope to make this Christmas an especially happy one. Please send all donations to the care of

MARY BOSTWICK SHELLMAN, for the Committee, Westminster.

EX-PARTE.
NO. 4004 EQUITY.
In the Circuit Court for Carroll County, in Equity.

In the matter of the trust estate of David Cassell and wife, John T. Cassell and Ephraim Haines, trustees.

Ordered, this 5th day of December, 1902, by the Circuit Court for Carroll County, sitting as a Court of Equity, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by John T. Cassell and Ephraim Haines, trustees under deed to make said sale, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 5th day of January, 1903; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Carroll county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 29th day of December, 1902. The report states the amount of sale to be $5,5 9.97.

JAS. H. BILLINGSLEA, Clerk.

True copy,—Test:
dec 6 3t JAS. H. BILLINGSLEA, Clerk.

Baltimore Markets.

Winter Flour—	Extra	$2 95@	$3 15
" "	Clear	3 35@	3 45
City Mills High Grade	Patent	4 55@	4 55
" " "	Straight	4 15@	4 15
" "	Rye Flour	3 00@	3 25
Wheat		70@	74½
Corn		50@	54
Oats		35@	37½
Rye		50@	56½
Hay		12 00@	17 00
Straw		7 00@	17 00
Dry Salt Shoulders		11½@	11½
Bulk Rib Sides		11½@	11½
Hams		12@	14½
Lard		11½@	11½
Butter		15@	32
Eggs		18@	27

John D. Bowers.

CHRISTMAS Good Things.

Our large and steady patronage increases to such an extent at Christmas that we give enormous orders in advance for the choicest things in the land. Don't fail to give us your order and as early as you can. You shall have the best the market affords cheap.

Staple and Fancy
GROCERY DEPARTMENTS

are in readiness for business. We are headquarters for NUTS, FRUITS and CONFECTIONS, as well as in GROCERIES. You want something special for the HOLIDAYS, so here is the place to get it. NUTS, RAISINS, CITRON, CURRANTS, GRAPES, ORANGES, CRANBERRIES, CHEAP MIXED CANDIES. WHITMAN'S CONFECTIONS, 20c to 80c per lb. You all know what they are. Special bargains for the Holidays. Our wagon is going from morning till night. Speedy delivery of goods. Call and see for yourself what is in store for you. Country produce taken in exchange. Highest prices paid.

JOHN D. BOWERS, OPPOSITE CATHOLIC RECTORY,
jan-23-02-1y C. & P. TELEPHONE, 11-3. 47 and 49 East Main St., Westminster.

CHRISTMAS AT CASSELL'S.

THERE ARE SEVERAL REASONS WHY YOU SHOULD Purchase your Jewelry, Silverware, Watches, Clocks, China, Cut Glass, Silver Novelties, Combs, Brushes and Mirrors in Silver, Shell and Antique Ivory; Bric-a-Brac, Military Brushes, Christmas Stationery, Ladies' Pocket Books, Ladies' and Gents' Umbrella from me: BECAUSE

my goods are reliable; my selections the largest and best; my stock is clean and up-to-date; my prices are reasonable. Come early, make your selections, have them laid by, avoid the rush and get first choice. Engraving on all goods FREE. Wishing a share of your patronage, I am respectfully yours,

JAMES H. CASSELL,
successor to A. H. Wentz.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE WESTMINSTER SAVINGS BANK, AT WESTMINSTER, IN THE STATE OF MARYLAND, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, NOVEMBER 25th, 1902.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 204,489 87
Stocks, securities, etc		229,616 82
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures		12,000 00
Other real estate and mortgages owned		284,528 69
Due from National Banks		2,271 62
Due from State Banks		3,765 71
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		132 61
Money in bank, viz:		
Specie	$1,748 00	
Legal-tender notes	890 00	
		2,638 00
Total		$ 739,443 32

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 10,000 00
Surplus fund	30,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	14,433 39
Interest	1,245 44
Special Deposits	354,160 31
Certificates of Deposit	149,010 47
Weekly and Monthly Deposits	180,593 71
Total	$ 739,443 32

State of Maryland, County of Carroll, ss:

I, Thos. E. Reese, Treasurer of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

THOS. E. REESE, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of December, 1902.

Chas. E. Hering, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
E. O. GRIMES,
J. WESLEY MYERS,
CHARLES BILLINGSLEA,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF NEW WINDSOR, AT NEW WINDSOR, IN THE STATE OF MARYLAND, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, NOVEMBER 25th, 1902.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$ 89,194 12
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		287 74
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		55,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc		57,347 79
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures		6,000 00
Other real estate owned		3,408 85
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		70 27
Due from approved reserve agents		5,076 11
Checks and other cash items		96 73
Notes of other National Banks		1,210 .0
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		161 89
Lawful money reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$ 7,499 00	
Legal-tender notes	4,340 00	
		11,839 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		2,750 00
Total		$ 232,826 50

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 55,000 00
Surplus fund	11,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	19,324 33
National Bank notes outstanding	54,400 00
Due to other National Banks	1,221 00
Dividends unpaid	1 5 50
Individual deposits subject to check	91,801 67
Total	$ 232,862 50

State of Maryland, County of Carroll, ss

I, Nathan H. Baile, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

NATHAN H. BAILE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of November, 1902.

J. Wm. Snader, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
JOHN H. STEM,
GEO. P. L. HOOVER,
CHARLES J. HIBBERD,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF WESTMINSTER, AT WESTMINSTER, IN THE STATE OF MARYLAND, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, NOVEMBER 25th, 1902.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 198,201 81
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		787 68
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		125,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		6,250 00
Stocks, securities, etc		210,861 39
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		27,089 93
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		1,095 70
Due from State banks and bankers		3,254 83
Due from approved reserve agents		9,460 57
Checks and other cash items		417 44
Notes of other National Banks		50 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		351 26
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$34,546 35	
Legal-tender notes	2,621 00	
		37,167 35
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		6,250 00
Total		$626,237 96

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 125,000 00
Surplus fund		50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		29,598 58
National bank notes outstanding		124,120 00
Due to other National banks		16,448 72
Due to State Banks and Bankers		207 25
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	$ 6,831 96	
Dividends unpaid		594 41
Individual deposits subject to check	273,237 04	
Certified Checks	200.00	
		280,269 00
Total		$626,237 96

State of Maryland, County of Carroll, ss:

I, George R. Gehr, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEORGE R. GEHR, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of December, 1902.

Chas. E. Hering, N. P.

Correct—Attest:
JOHN L. REIFSNIDER.
DAVID J. ROOP,
JACOB J. WEAVER, JR.,
Directors.

PUBLIC SALE OF A WOOD LOT AND A SMALL FARM.

As agent for Mrs. Vincent Yingling, I will sell at Public Sale, on the premises, two miles from Westminster, on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13th, 1902,
at 10 o'clock, A. M., a Wood Lot of
34 ACRES, more or less,

situated in the Furnace Woods near the new county road leading from the Meadow Branch Turnpike to the Pleasant Valley road, and adjoins the lands of Ezra Routzahn, Chas. Schaeffer, Andrew Reese and Wm. G. Rinehart. This land is covered with good timber—oak and chestnut, and would make a fine building site.

Also on the same day, at 2 o'clock, P. M., on the Corbin Mill Road, 1 mile from Westminster, a farm known as the Zentgraf, home, containing

9 ACRES, 3 ROODS AND 9 PERCHES,

more or less. It has a new Dwelling, with basement and cellar, and 8 rooms; new barn and all necessary outbuildings; water in the house and barn; good fruit; would make an excellent summer residence; land in fine condition. Persons intending to attend this sale will meet at the residence of Mr. Andrew D. Reese.

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RACHEL A. TATE.

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White Middlings per ton	22 00@	22 00
Wheat	71@	72
Wheat, damp	65@	70
Rakings	55@	60
Rye	45@	40
Barley	35@	40
Oats	30@	35
New Corn	1 75@	2 00
Timothy Hay per ton	12 00@	15 00
Clover Hay per ton	6 00@	7 00
Mixed Hay per ton	8 00@	9 00
Rye Straw	10 00@	10 00
Wheat Straw	4 00@	5 00
Hungarian Seed	50@	55
Corn Meal per 100 lbs	1 50@	1 50
Bacon Shoulders	9@	10
Bacon Sides	7@	8
Hams	10@	12
Butter	25@	25
Timothy Seed	1 25@	1 50
Clover Seed per lb	6@	8
Lard	8@	10
Dressed Hogs	7 00@	7 50
Flax Seed	60@	65
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