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Our neighbor, at the corner of East Main and Center streets, speaks of the splendid record of the Democratic party of the State for the last forty years; but opinions may differ as to what constitutes a "splendid" record. If outrageous frauds on the ballot, which marked a large part of the forty years; plugging corporations, as asserted by the Baltimore *Sun*; and denying the rights of people—for Gormanism was synonymous with the Democratic party—as declared by a Carroll county Democratic convention, make a record to boast of, our neighbor is correct in calling it splendid.

The President's Message.

The annual message of President Roosevelt, submitted to and read in the United States Senate and House of Representatives on Tuesday, is a voluminous document, probably exceeding in length any President's message in the history of the country. It calls the attention of Congress to every question which, in the opinion of the President, requires legislative action, whether of major or minor importance, and suggests and recommends the adoption of measures deemed necessary for the preservation and promotion of the welfare and interests of the whole country and its people. Whatever may be the judgment of those who read the message, concerning the views it expresses, there must be genral surprise at the extent of the President's knowledge in relation to all subjects affecting the future of the country. Nothing of this character seems to have been too trivial for his notice. As usual every question discussed is treated with the boldness of utterance characteristic of the man.

The following brief summary from the *Baltimore American* gives an outline of the most important features of the message.

1. Federal incorporation for railroads.
2. Modification of the Sherman anti-trust law.
3. National control of big corporations.
4. Currency reform legislation.
5. No tariff tinkering until after 1908.
6. An income and an inheritance tax.
7. Limitation of injunctions in labor disputes.
8. An employers' liability law.
9. A general eight-hour day.
10. Development of our inland waterways.
11. No tariff on wood pulp.
12. A postal savings bank system.
13. Parcels post, especially on rural routes.
14. Campaign expenses paid out of the public treasury.
15. A national art gallery in Washington.
16. Increased pay for officers and men of Army and Navy.
17. Four new monster battleships.

More Business--Less Politics

The wise and patriotic words of Senator Raynor, on the eve of the assembly of Congress on Monday last, should be heeded by every Congressman, and those who act upon them will most surely merit the approval of their constituents. Senator Raymor said to the Washington correspondent of the Baltimore *Sun*:

"I think, without regard to politics, it will be our duty to help the country and bring to an end this artificial depression under which we are now suffering. If legislation can be of any avail it ought to be forthcoming at the earliest opportunity. Our condition now is unnatural, and the first and supreme effort of Congress ought to be, without any party division, to alleviate it, if possible, so that confidence will be restored and the industrial enterprises of the country can breathe free and resume their accustomed functions.

"It is impossible at the beginning of a session to predict what it will bring forth. The most important matters here arise over night, and what is least expected may come to pass. The mails of the members are flooded with financial schemes, largely from persons who have not been able to manage their own finances, but who have well matured plans for the immediate relief of the present emergency.

"What we want now is more business and less politics. A session devoted to politics will be condemned by the business interests of the country, and a struggle now between the parties to gain a political advantage over each other ought to be avoided.

"Our manufacturing enterprises want work, and our railroads want money, and the money market ought to be opened so that they can get it at reasonable rates. The banks are solvent and there is no reason on earth for timidity upon the part of depositors. Investments are away below normal figures, and there is no cause for this whatever.

"Congress can by wild agitation make the situation worse from now until the Presidential election, or, in conjunction with the President, it can restore the confidence of the country. To my mind the duty of all of us is clear in the premises."

Taft Leads Everywhere.

The Chicago Tribune has made a poll of Republican sentiment throughout the country in relation to the choice of the party as its Presidential candidate in 1908, and the returns show a large majority in favor of Secretary Taft. The poll was made by sending out queries to Republican newspapers and to prominent Republicans, asking among other questions, which of five men named—Cannon, Fairbanks, Hughes, Knox and Taft—were the first, second and third choice, respectively of the person addressed, and, in his opinion, of a majority of the Republicans in his locality. Without an exception, we believe, the answer to these queries has placed Taft first and generally, Hughes second, with third choice varying among the other three named. In the twelve strictly Southern States Fairbanks leads Hughes slightly. The poll for each of these twelve States is given as follows: First choice—Taft 358, Fairbanks 51, Hughes 48, Cannon 27, Knox 10. Second choice—Hughes 198, Fairbanks 86, Cannon 78, Taft 70, Knox 36. Third choice—Cannon 112, Hughes 107, Fairbanks 82, Knox 71, Taft 31. This makes Taft first choice of 358 to 142 for all others, and this approximates the showing in all quarters of the country.

This exhibit indicates, also, that unless a marked change in the preferences of the Republicans throughout the country shall take place, Mr. Taft will be the choice of the next Republican National Convention as the party's candidate for the Presidency, by an overwhelming majority. There are those who insist that President Roosevelt is the logical candidate and will be renominated. He has declared, emphatically, however, that he will not consent to a renomination, and should be taken at his word. He favors the nomination of Taft, but it is not certain that this adds to the Secretary's strength with the people. Those who have carefully observed Mr. Taft's course in the public service have learned that he is a man who does things without creating unnecessary antagonisms. He is not a man of negative character, but reaches his purposes rather by convincing men of their practicability and propriety than by roughly and arbitrarily insisting upon them. He has won public confidence in his ability to comprehend and solve difficult problems of government and it is this confidence which gives him so large a lead over others named in connection with the nomination.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

We are giving to every customer, free, a CALENDAR for 1908. DOYLE & MAGEE.
West Main Street, Westminsterr

A REAL WONDERLAND.

South Dakota, with its rich silver mines, bonanza farms, wide ranges and strange natural formations, is a veritable wonderland. At Mound City, in the home of Mrs. E. D. Clapp, a wonderful case of healing has lately occurred. Her son seemed near death with lung and throat trouble. "Exhausting coughing spells occurred every five minutes," writes Mrs. Clapp, "when I began giving Dr. King's New Discovery, the great medicine, that saved his life and completely cured him." Guaranteed for coughs and colds, throat and lung troubles, by all druggists. 50c. and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

The Carrollton Cornet Band will hold an oyster supper on the nights of the 28th, 29th and 30th of November, at the band hall at Carrollton. Ice cream and confectionery will be served. The band will furnish music for the occasion. A cordial invitation is extended to all who wish the band success.

BADLY MIXED UP.

Abraham Brown, of Winterton, N. Y., had a very remarkable experience; he says: "Doctors got badly mixed up over me; one said heart disease; two called it kidney trouble; the fourth, blood poison, and the fifth stomach and liver trouble; but none of them helped me; so my wife advised trying Electric Bitters, which are restoring me to perfect health. One bottle did me more good than all the five doctors prescribed." Guaranteed to cure blood poison, weakness and all stomach, liver and kidney complaints, by all druggists, 50c.

LOST.—A pocketbook, between the office of Dr. Myers, dentist and Mitten's bakery. Please return to this SENTINEL Office.

HERE'S GOOD ADVICE.

O. S. Woolever, one of the best known merchants of Le Raysville, N. Y., says: "If you are ever troubled with piles, apply Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It cured me of them for good 20 years ago." Cures every sore, wound, burn or abrasion. 25c. at all drug stores.

A DANGEROUS DEADLOCK

that sometimes terminates fatally, is the stoppage of liver and bowel functions. To quickly end this condition without disagreeable sensations, Dr. King's New Life Pills should always be your remedy. Guaranteed absolutely satisfactory in every case or money back, at all drug stores. 25c.

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

Methodist Protestant Church.—Sunday School 9.15 a. m. Preaching 10.30 a. m., and 4 p. m. Junior C. E. service 2 p. m., Christian Endeavor Society 7 00 p. m. Prayer Meeting on Wednesday night.
D. L. GREENFIELD, Pastor.

Trinity Lutheran Church, Deer Park road.—Sunday School 9. a. m. Preaching service 10 a. m.
W. L. Seabrook, Pastor.

Ascension Church.-Sunday Services-7.30 a. m., Holy Communion. 10.30 a. m., Morning Prayer, Litany and Sermon. (Holy Communion on first Sunday of month). 4.30 p. m., Evening Prayer. 8 p. m., Service and Sermon in Chapel.
Rev. Frank M. Gibson, Ph. D., Rector.

Centenary M. E. Church.—Sabbath School Sunday at 9.30 a. m. Junior League 2.30 p. m. Epworth League at 6.45 p. m. Prayer service Wednesday evening at 7.30 p. m. Preaching 10.30 a. m., and 7.30 p. m.
HAROLD M. RIDER, Pastor.

St. Paul's Ref. Church.—Sunday School at 9.30 a. m. Worship at 10.30 a. m., and 7.15 p. m.
CALVIN S. SLAGLE Pastor.

Grace Lutheran Church.—Prayer meeting Wednesday 7.30 p. m. Sunday School 9.00 a. m. Young People's meeting 6.45 p. m. Divine service 10 30 a. m., and 7.30 p. m. Junior Catchise, Saturday 2 p. m. Senior Catechise, 3.30 p.m.
P. H. MILLER, D. D., Pastor.

Salem Charge—Lutheran Church.—St. Benjamin's.—Sunday School 1 p. m. Divine service 2 p. m.
St. John's.—Sunday School 9 a. m. Divine service 10 a. m.
R. W. DOTY, Pastor.

Carroll Charge—Reformed Church.—Benjamin's.—Divine service 10 a. m.
Divine service at Pleasant Valley, 2 p. m.
JAMES B. STONESIFER, Pastor.

Carrollton Charge M. E. Church.—Pleasant Grove, Sunday School and Class 9.30 a. m. No preaching service in evenings.
Thomas Chapel preaching 2.30.
Patapsco communion service. Sermon by Elder Dr. Heisse 7.30.
I. Toner, Pastor.

MARRIED

At Grace Lutheran Church parsonage, this city, December 4th, 1907, by Rev. P. H. Miller, D. D., Mr. Leighton A. Byers, of Union Bridge, and Miss Florence E. Wheadler of this city.

At Taylorsville, M. E. Church parsonage, Oct. 16th, 1907, by Rev. G. C. Harris, Mr. Jesse B. Marring, of Mt. Airy, and Miss Edna E. Welsh, of Woodbine.

At Taylorsville M. E. Church parsonage, Nov. 28th, 1907, by Rev. G. C. Harris, Mr. David W. Snader, of New Windsor, and Miss Effie Crawford, of Mt. Airy.

At the residence of the officiating minister, Nov. 30th, 1907, by Elder S. E. Engler, Mr. Samuel F. Otto and Miss Lillie M. Frolo, both of Linwood.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Raw Furs Wanted.
Highest Cash Prices Paid for same by
GEO M. ROOP,
R. F. D. No 1. York Road, Md
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WANTED.
Yellow and White Corn. Also Rye. Highes Cash Price Paid for Strictly Dry Yellow Corn
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A. L. WAGNER,
Westminster, Md., New Windsor Road.
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Two Very Desirable Small Farms, well watered and having good buildings.
Terms Easy.
Apply to
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dec 6 3t

NO. 4384 EQUITY.
In the Circuit Court for Carroll County, in Equity.
Charles B. Hunter, assignee of assignee of mortgagee, vs. Robert F. Hunter, Elizabeth E. Hunter, mortgagors.
Ordered, this 2nd day of December, in the year 1907, by the Circuit Court for Carroll county, in Equity, that the sale of the real estate made and reported in the above entitled cause by Charles B. Hunter, assignee of mortgagee, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 6th day of January next; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Carroll county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 30th day of December, 1907. The report states the amount of sale to be $551.00.
DAVID P. SMELSER, Clerk.
True Copy—Test:
dec 6 3t DAVID P. SMELSER, Clerk.

Horses for Sale!
Having sold my livery business and part of my horses I now have left on hand about 15 head of good
"Chancy Thin" Horses,
that I will sell at bargain prices, as I haven't room for them and will not get possession of my new sales stable before February 1st, 1908.
SPECIAL.—I also have a standard BRED COLT, 2½ years old, that is very promising for speed.
BENJAMIN DORSEY,
dec 6 1t* Westminster, Md.

Dr. J. A. WRIGHT,
Physician and Surgeon.
Successor to Dr. S. N. Gorsuch.
Office—GAMBER, Md.
Office hours—8 to 9 A. M., 12 to 2 P. M., 4 to 8 P. M.
dec 6 6m

ELECTION NOTICE.

The First National Bank of Westminster, } Westminster, Md., December 7th, 1907. }

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 14th day of January, 1908, between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M., and 1 o'clock, P. M.
GEORGE R. GEHR,
dec 6 4t Cashier.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE WESTMINSTER SAVINGS BANK, AT WESTMINSTER, IN THE STATE OF MARYLAND, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, DECEMBER 3rd, 1907.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 220,853 26
Stocks, securities, etc		598,852 18
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures		12,000 00
Other real estate and mortgages owned		280,384 86
Due from National Banks		24,572 63
Checks and other cash items		254 08
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		24 33
Money in bank, viz:		
Specie	$ 6,878 00	
Legal-tender notes	1,000 00	
		7,878 00
Total		$1,144,819 34

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 10,000 00
Surplus fund	90,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses, taxes paid	35,747 29
Special Deposits	567,769 47
Certificates of Deposit	196,388 22
Weekly and Monthly Deposits	244,914 36
Total	$1,144,819 34

State of Maryland, County of Carroll, ss:
I, Jacob H. Handley, treasurer of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
JACOB H. HANDLEY, Treasurer.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of December, 1907.
Chas. E. Hering, Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:
F. THOMAS BABYLON,
CHARLES BILLINGSLEA,
ELIAS O. GRIMES,
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, DECEMBER 3rd, 1907.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$ 90,249 95
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		317 79
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		55,000 00
Bonds, Securities, etc		79,254 74
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures		4,000 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		390 13
Due from approved reserve agents		1,878 26
Notes of other National Banks		1,000 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		34 48
Lawful money reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$10,562 00	
Legal-tender notes	3,000 00	
		13,562 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		2,750 00
Total		$ 248,637 46

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 55,000 00
Surplus fund	20,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	12,693 58
National Bank notes outstanding	55,300 00
Due to other National Banks	5,044 24
Dividends unpaid	241 50
Individual deposits subject to check	101,848 00
Reserved for taxes	510 14
Total	$ 248,637 46

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 5th day of December, 1907.
J. Win. Snader, Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:
GEO. P. L. HOOVER,
DAVID E. STEM,
GEO. O. BRILLHART,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF WESTMINSTER, AT WESTMINSTER, IN THE STATE OF MARYLAND, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, DECEMBER 3rd, 1907.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 287,049 75
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		29 13
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		125,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		5,750 00
Bonds, securities, etc		187,357 69
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		27,089 93
Dividend 96		321 63
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		274 49
Due from State Banks and Bankers		4,571 91
Due from approved reserve agents		4,129 47
Checks and other cash items		4,004 33
Notes of other National Banks		100 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		960 60
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$51,132 85	
Legal-tender notes	8,560 00	
		59,692 85
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		5,750 00
Due from U. S. Treasurer, other than 5 per cent. redemption fund		10,000 00
Total		$ 721,880 80

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 125,000 00
Surplus fund	$ 70,000 00	
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	16,416 01	
		86,416 01
National bank notes outstanding		118,240 00
Due to other National banks		14,597 13
Due to State Banks and Bankers		191 57
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	$ 17,736 72	
Dividends unpaid		379 21
Individual deposits subject to check	359,298 08	
Certified checks	19 25	
		377,054 05
Cashier's checks outstanding		2 83
Total		$ 721,880 80

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 5th day of December, 1907.
Chas. E. Hering, Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:
JACOB J. WEAVER, Jr.,
THEO. F. ENGLAR,
FERDINAND D. SCHAEFFER,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FARMERS AND MECHANICS NATIONAL BANK AT WESTMINSTER, IN THE STATE OF MARYLAND, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, DECEMBER 3rd, 1907.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$ 217,902 28
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		347 25
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		50,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		2,475 00
Bonds, securities, etc		21,855 56
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures		14,738 83
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		790 53
Due from State Banks and Bankers		1,962 43
Due from approved reserve agents		6,877 03
Checks and other cash items		1,979 81
Notes of other National Banks		1,000 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		27 81
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$4,030 00	
Legal-tender notes	4,370 00	
		8,400 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		2,500 00
Total		$330,926 58

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000 00
Surplus fund	50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	6,325 00
National Bank notes outstanding	50,000 00
Due to other National Banks	8,556 22
Dividends unpaid	561 29
Individual deposits subject to check	164,660 42
Certified Checks	6 60
Cashier's checks outstanding	17 00
Reserved for taxes	500 00
Total	$330,926 53

State of Maryland, County of Carroll, ss:
I, John H. Cunningham, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
J. H. CUNNINGHAM, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of December, 1907.
Edwin W. Shriver, Justice of the Peace.
Correct—Attest:
J. WESLEY BIGGS,
JAMES A. C. BOND,
FRANK C. SHARRER,
Directors.

Baltimore Markets.

Winter Flour— Extra	$3 95@	$4 15
" " Clear	4 20@	4 35
City Mills High Grade Patent	5 45@	5 45
" " " Straight	5 15@	5 15
" " Rye Flour	4 35@	4 85
Wheat	96@	1 01
Corn	61@	62
Oats	52@	55
Rye	75@	85
Hay	15 00@	19 00
Straw	6 50@	14 50
Dry Salt Shoulders	9@	9
Bulk Rib Sides	9@	9
Hams	12@	14
Lard	10@	10
Butter	22@	30
Eggs	20@	31
Potatoes	50@	53

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Maryland's Perfect Whiskey.
A. McGINNIS CO.,
Distillers, Carrollton, Carroll County, Md.
OUR WHISKEY COMPLIES STRICTLY WITH THE
NATIONAL PURE FOOD LAWS.
It Is A Straight. Pure Rye Whiskey,
A PRODUCT OF ONE OF THE FINEST DISTILLERIES in the State of Maryland.
Sold in same condition as received from the Distillery by
LOUIS SACHS,
WESTMINSTER, Md.,
Distributor for Carroll County.
dec 6 6mo

"WHO'LL CATCH THE PIG?"
Fun on Rollers, Pig on Rollers.
FUN FOR EVERYBODY.
New Westminster Skating Rink,
WILL PRESENT AN UNIQUE NOVELTY ON
SATURDAY EVENING, December 7th.
A Pig will be let loose and the person catching it entitles him to the ownership. "Come and get in it game."
EVERYBODY INVITED.
dec 6 1t MITCHELL & BERNHARD, Proprietors.

Cassell's Holiday Greeting.
WE SHOULD BE VERY GLAD OF AN EARLY OPPORTUNITY TO SHOW YOU OUR
CLEAN, FRESH STOCK OF
New and Beautiful Christmas Gifts,
COMPRISING THE GREATEST GATHERING OF
Desirable Christmas Merchandise
WE HAVE EVER OFFERED OUR HOLIDAY PATRONS.
Yours Respectfully, JAMES H. CASSELL,
jy 5 C. and P. Phone. 196-R Jeweler and Optician, East Main Street, Westminster.

USEFUL CHRISTMAS GIFTS.
IF YOU DESIRE TO GIVE SOMETHING USEFUL AND PRACTICAL FOR A CHRISTMAS GIFT LET IT BE
Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gloves, Hosiery,
Suspenders, Neckwear, Handkerchiefs, Underwear, Umberellas, Trunks, Dress Suit Cases, &c.
We carry the largest line of Shoes in this city, from the cheapest to the best grades.
Splendid line of Men's and Ladies' House Slippers, from 50c to $1.50 per pair.
Our selection of Neckwear is the finest we have ever shown. Prices 25c and 50c.
We have just received a new lot of Dress Suit Cases—prices from $1.00 to $5.50.
We are giving away to each customer making a purchase a beautiful CALENDAR for 1908.
None to children.
Our stock is the largest in Westminster and our prices the most reasonable.
WM. C. DEVILBISS, 22 W. Main St., Westminster.
dec-23-06-1y

THE LARGEST AND THE OLDEST
LIQUOR HOUSE
in Carroll county. LOUIS SACHS, SUCESSOR TO A. C. STRASBURGER,
73 East Main St., Westminter.
I am now ready for the HOLIDAYS with a fine stock of
Wines, Liquors, Brandies, Gins, Rums, &c.
THE BEST $2.00 WHISKEY
sold in Carroll county.
See me first before you go elsewhere as I have the goods to please you.
No extra charge for Jugs or Bottles.
A full line of Tobacco and Cigars.
A Handsome CHRISTMAS GIFT will be given to each one of my customers during the holidays.
Md. Phone 81. C. and P. Phone 51 R.
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EXECUTORS' SALE OF A TRACT OF LAND and PERSONAL PROPERTY.

In Franklin District,

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Carroll county, the undersigned, as executors of the last will and testament of Nathan H. Franklin, late of said county, deceased, will sell at Public Sale, at the late residence of said deceased, one-fourth mile from Taylorsville, ON SATURDAY, DECEMBER 28th, 1907, at 12 o'clock, M., a tract of land containing 45 ACRES, more or less,

Of which 17 Acres is cleared land, in a good state of cultivation and productive and the residue Woodland. There are no buildings or other improvements on this property. The land lies on the road leading from Grover's store to Mt. Airy, one mile west of Taylorsville and adjoins the lands of Luther Franklin, Miss Rachael Shipley and others.

Terms of Sale.—One-third of the purchase money cash on the day of sale, or upon the ratification thereof by the court, one-third in 6 and the other one-third in 12 months from the day of sale, the credit payments to be secured by the bonds or single bills of the purchaser or purchasers, with sufficient security and bearing interest from the day of sale, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser or purchasers.

At the same time and place the undersigned, as executors, as aforesaid, will sell at Public Sale a lot of Personal Property, consisting of 3 Horses, 2 Cows, 1 Brood Sow, 1 fat Hog, 6 Shoats, Wagons, Buggy, Sleigh, Farming Implements, Corn, Growing Grain, Hay, Fodder and other articles.

For terms and particulars see hand bills.

WM. J. FRANKLIN,
THOMAS N. FRANKLIN,
Executors.
F. A. Crawford, auct. dec 6 4t

DOYLE & MAGEE,
have just received, direct from the factory, a large and full stock of
HORSE BLANKETS AND LAP ROBES.
Remember, our stock is all new; not one Blanket carried over from last year.
nov 22 tf

NO. 2298 EQUITY.
In the Circuit Court for Carroll County, in Equity.
William B. Thomas and George M. Pearce, Trustees, vs. Joseph D. Barnes and Ida F. Barnes, his wife.
Ordered, this 29th day of November, 1907, that the sale of the real estate reported by William B. Thomas and George M. Pearce, trustees of Joseph D. Barnes, under and by virtue of the Deed of Trust from the said Joseph D. Barnes, in their third and supplemented report of sale, be finally ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 30th day of December, 1907, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Carroll county aforesaid, once a week in each of three successive weeks prior to the 23rd day of December, 1907. The report states the amount of sale to be $575.00.
DAVID P. SMELSER, Clerk.
True copy.—Test:
nov 29 3t DAVID P. SMELSER, Clerk.

PUBLIC SALE.

I will sell at Public Sale, at my residence 3 miles north of Woodbine on the Sams Creek road, on
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20th, 1907,
at 9.30 o'clock, A. M., 8 head of Horses and Colts, 11 head of fine select Jersey Cattle, 2 Brood Sows, 12 Shoats, Farm Implements, &c. See bills.
FRANCIS J. LEATHERWOOD.
F. J. Crawford, auct. nov 29 3t

Wanted.
1000 bushels of home grown CLOVER SEED. Farmers bring us a sample of your Clover Seed and we will assure you the highest prices, according to the quality of seed.
DOYLE & MAGEE,
28 and 30 West Main street,
Both Phones. Westminster, Md.
nov 22 tf

BUTCHERING TIME
is at hand. You need corn meal; you want the best. You can get none better than that made by the
WAKEFIELD ROLLER MILLS.
Kept on hand at all times for sale or exchange, or will grind your own corn.
One barrel of "SWAIN'S BEST" Extra Fancy Patent, or one barrel CHOICE STRAIGHT FLOUR and 25 lbs. feed given for 5 bushels of good clean wheat.
SWAIN, THE MILLER.
oct 18 tf

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Westminster's Best Stores
READY FOR CHRISTMAS

DON'T WAIT until the choice ideas are all gone.
BUY NOW You get novelties that cannot be had later.
Last week we urged you to begin your buying early. People are taking our advice as the buying already has been enormous, it has been almost impossible to wait on the crowds during the past week.
So **don't put off,** but come now.

Our Toy Dept.
Fills the entire lower floor through the center of the store's entire length, and it is so crowded that we have had to display our **dolls on second floor.** It is the largest and most complete display in Western Maryland. All are entirely new this season and are being sold very fast.
Do not put off until the last minute. Come now.

A Word to the Parents
Don't entertain the slightest hesitancy in letting your little ones visit this fairyland. We want them to come.

DOLLS
Ever so many of them. The most winsome collection we have ever had. You will be fascinated with the dolls here we are sure. The most natural ones, from the leading foreign and home makers are here.
From 5c to $6.00. Sleeping dolls, jointed dolls, kid body dolls, bisque dolls, dressed and undressed dolls, in fact the whole doll family is represented. **Bear in mind this department on second floor.**

Our China Department
in the Basement
The beautiful and useful are represented in this Christmas Basement Showing. Only eight steps into the basement, where you see a display that you will ever remember. The most beautiful line of foreign and domestic China, Bric-A-Brac, Vases, Bronzes and Lamps, as well as the practical kitchen utensils. Don't fail to visit this department.

Books for Xmas giving
Nothing that costs so little as a good book and gives so much real pleasure. This is everybody's book store, it has books for every age and taste, from a small tot's book at 5c to the fine covered books in leather at 98c for grown-up's, with all the prices between.
Special books for boys and girls, publishers price twice what we ask, we say 19c and 25c. Book dept. around the arch.

Handkerchiefs
A Wonderful Display
The Handkerchief section has been greatly enlarged, on your right as you enter the door. There is nothing more beautiful and useful to give than a Handkerchief or a box of Handkerchiefs.
It is simply impossible to describe in detail the various kinds but there is nothing in Handkerchiefs for men, women or children but what you will find here, and if you want with every purchase of 25c worth of Handkerchiefs or up we will put them in a beautifully holly decorated Handkerchief box. In making your Handkerchief purchases ask for one.

Holiday Umbrellas
An assortment that provides every imaginable style of handle for men, women and children. Handles of natural wood, gun metal, horn, pearl, gold and silver. The prices range from 50c to $5.00.

How about a
Dress Pattern for Christmas?
It is just the thing to give in many cases where nothing else would be appropriate. We are offering some special values for Christmas giving at 29c and 49c a yard, and also a special bargain in silks for waists and dresses at 49c a yard.

Gloves make most welcome Gifts
To intimate friends, to ones family or to an employee there is no gift of wider appropriateness.
The Christmas Glove Store is Ready
With the best showing of gloves we have ever made, from the 10c yarn gloves for children to the long 16-button length for ladies, at $3.50 with all the prices and makes between. From the cheap working gloves for men to the fine dress gloves.
Our Special Value in Ladies 2-clasp Kid Gloves at $1.00 in black, white and colors.

WE could go through the store and name a page of things for Christmas giving, and each department is offering some special value at this time to make easy selling.
¶ But there is only one way of seeing them all and that is a visit to the store. Not a department throughout the store but what is now at its best and your interest can be best served by this store, whose reliability has been proven by thousands of satisfied customers. Our sales-people are polite, attentive and resourceful and can offer many helpful suggestions.

We are giving away to each customer making a purchase a beautiful as well as ornamental combination calendar and match safe. Be sure and ask for one.

Stores Open Evenings Until Xmas
THE MILLER BROS. CO.
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