AMERICAN SENTINEL.

WESTMINSTER, - MARYLAND.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 2, 1909.

While unsparingly condemning the House of Representatives of the United States, or rather the Republican majority in that body, for failing to thoroughly modify the rules which have been in force for a decade and more, and which give the Speaker extraordinary authority, the Democratic rural press, as a rule, neglects to inform its readers that that failure was caused by the action of Democratic members, 22 of whom voted to limit such modification. Enough Republicans voted for thorough revision to have made the effort successful if the Democrats had been united in its favor.

The Pending Tariff Bill.

As expected, Congress is engaged in a wordy discussion of the pending tariff bill, the principle opposition to the various schedules coming, of course, from the Democratic side. It would be well nigh impossible to frame a law that would meet the undivided support of the Democratic members. It has not been forgotten that when the Democrats had full swing in both the Executive and Legislative departments of the Government they failed to agree among themselves on tariff legislation. In fact, the Democratic party has no settled policy on the subject. Many Democrats are out and out free traders, while others favor a tariff for revenue, with incidental protection, whatever that may mean. "Incidental protection" is a flexible phrase, that may mean one thing to some Democrats and something very different to others. Some Democrats are protectionists, especially when interests of their own localities are affected; others are free traders or for tariff for revenue only, while others still occupy the ground of what they call incidental protection, a doctrine that may be stretched to suit almost any opinion concerning the imposition of tariff duties.

As the matter stands the Republicans may be trusted to pass a law calculated to promote the interests of the country generally; to increase duties where it may be necessary to maintain the standard of the American workman's wages, and to reduce them when it can be done with safety to that standard. They are not in favor of prohibitive duties, except, possibly, in the case of some infant industry, which would otherwise utterly fail; such, for instance, as was the tariff on wire nails and tinplate.

It is not, of course, an easy matter to adjust the duties to all conditions, but the Republicans are making an honest, earnest effort to meet the expectations of the country. No matter what their action may be, however, there will be cavilings and fault-finding by many who are only superficial students of the subject. That is to be expected and it may be well to discount it in advance. The party that has framed and passed such laws in the past as have made this the most prosperous country in the world is not likely to fail in the work of the present.

Embezzlement in Baltimore.

Large Sum Stolen by William F. Downs, a Clerk in the Office of the City Register.

William F. Downs, a clerk in the office of the City Register of Baltimore, is in jail on the charge of having embezzled or stolen $26,000 from the city. He is held for the theft of that amount, but the shortage in his accounts is much greater, the sum thus far discovered to be missing approximating $67,000, and State's Attorney Owens says it may exceed $100,000. Downs was entrusted with the duty of depositing city funds in the eighteen banks selected as depositaries and his method of misappropriating money was to deposit a less sum than he had in hand and then alter the figures of the bank books to correspond with the sums entrusted to his custody.

When his defalcation was first discovered he was admitted to bail in $2,000 or $3,000, but as the amount stolen grew in magnitude he was rearrested and required to give bail in $10,000. That was furnished but again he was taken into custody and his bail has been raised to $50,000. The purpose of the State seems to be to require a bail bond large enough to make it impossible for him to furnish it. It is said his friends will furnish it today, but preparations are being made, in that case, to rearrest him.

Downs is the son of a saloon keeper who has, apparently, great influence in machine politics. The young man, it is said, has been going a very fast pace, spending money lavishly in immoral living.

The discovery of his peculations has prompted Mayor Mahool to institute an investigation of the books of the Register's office and he has employed the American Auditing Company of New York for that purpose. A suspicion is expressed that the office has been crooked for many years and the investigation is to be carried back through several administrations.

City Register Thomas is bonded for $50,000 and his bond is responsible for that amount. Presumably he will be personally responsible to the city for anything in excess of that amount.

Of course the affair has created a profound sensation in Baltimore and there is a tendency to exaggerate past conditions. It would show remarkable laxness in the administration of the office if embezzlement has been going on for years without discovery.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

For the Sentinel.

Family Reunion.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Reese, near Mexico, was the scene of quite a pleasant family reunion on Sunday last. It was a surprise planned by the children in honor of Mrs. Reese's 65th birthday. Mrs. Reese received many presents and a large number of post cards. At noon all were invited to a grand dinner. In the afternoon refreshments were served consisting of ice cream, lemonade, cakes, fruits and candies of all kinds. The following were present: John Reese and wife, Edward Reese and wife, Absolam Reese and wife, Emory Hoffman and wife, Miles Sharrer and wife, Harry Baker and wife, Allen Ebaugh and wife, Misses Allie Mathias, Edna Smith, Mary Reese, Ethel Sharrer, Ruth Ebaugh, Messrs. Absalom, James, George, Ralph, Albert, Lester, Harvey and John Reese, Gilbert Ebaugh and Arthur Hoffman.

Gamber Items.

Our well regulated school under the training of our most efficient teachers, Miss Rosa McCall and Miss Grace Leister, rendered a most suitable program on Maryland Day. The children were well drilled for the occasion, but owing to the extremely disagreeable day some parts had to be omitted. They sang all the patriotic songs, with some recitations. The Jr. O. U. A. M. No. 78 presented the school with a handsome bunting flag and Bible. The presentation speech was made by Jabez N. Barnes, of the order, and accepted by Mr. Earl Simpson, of Westminster high school, with an appropriate address in behalf of our school. The Jr. O. U. A. M. raised the pole on the following Saturday evening. The flag was unfurled to the breeze with the ringing of bells, blowing of whistles and yells of the young Americans. Maryland is one among the few States that can point with pride to her early history. Justice tempered with mercy and toleration marked her first steps, and has been blazed all along the way from the landing of Calvert at St. Mary's on the 25th day of March, 1634, to the present day. The proud position of the State in educational affairs, church and commerce as well as in minor matters, should be indelibly impressed upon the minds of the rising generation. There is much of which the people of Maryland should be proud. Our teachers deserve credit in the management of our school, it being crowded with 104 pupils on the roll, and good attendance. The schoolhouse needs some repairs, and as it is entirely too much crowded, we hope the school board will give us another room, which is very much needed.

Our little town is improving very fast. The macadam road, which adds greatly to the comfort of our people in the way of travel, is appreciated by all and has stood the winter well. A gentleman from Sykesville remarked that it was the best road of the kind in the county. Quite a compliment for our contractor, B. F. Poole.

Alvey L. Conaway, formerly with Mr. Zepp, of Westminster, has opened a new enterprise, saddlery and harness making, also a full line of goods, such as go with that business, in the corner store property recently purchased by Geo. E. Benson from Geo. Bream & Son.

Mr. Conaway is a very efficient mechanic and we hope the community will show their appreciation by patronizing him.

H. L. Shipley is preparing to build a barn on his farm.

John Spencer has recently beautified his house with a number of improvements.

Geo. Knox is preparing to build an addition to his residence.

Dr. Wells has improved his property in various ways, such as an addition to his house, landscaping, and an elaborate cement walk and steps. His son Earl, who has had such a serious time, is now getting along nicely. We hope he will soon be able to be out romping with the other boys.

John O. Benson contemplates some improvements to his property.

Lewis Shipley has improved his property by grading and new entrances to his grounds.

Geo. E. Benson is building a new house which is most complete.

The sick of our community, Mrs. C. L. Arnold, Mrs. L. C. Jordan, C. L. Braunning and Gertie Warehime, are improving.

Miss Hollis Williams, who had been spending the winter with her sister at Elkton, is in our neighborhood visiting some of her many friends.

Elmer Bennett is home on a visit.

A. F. Gamber, who purchased a property from Reuben C. Gamber, has taken possession; Geo. W. Arnold has moved in the house of L. Calvin Jordan; Joseph Willis has moved into the property of Geo. E. Benson; John Conaway has purchased the Galloway farm and moved thereon this week; Harvey Davis has purchased the property of Joshua Peeling; Geo. Brothers will occupy the farm of Nicholas Benson, near the village; Reuben C. Gamber will move to the old Griffee homestead; John W. Barnes has moved to his residence in Finksburg; Frank Phillips has moved on Thomas Jenkins' property; Geo. Schaffer has moved from Eli T. Bennett's farm, near Westminster; Charles Lockard will take his place; James Shipley has moved in one of Mrs. Slaseman's houses; Lee Ward will occupy one of Jabez N. Barnes' farms. Hence the numerous flittings and good things to eat.

It is rumored that our town will be dry by the first of May.

Our very enterprising merchants, Shipley and Bonner, are kept busy supplying the needs of their cutomers.

Wakefield Items.

Mr. Charles Peltz has purchased from Frederick Hull, of Westminster, the little farm, containing about 40 acres of land, known as the Stout farm, situated about ¼ mile from Avondale, along the New Windsor road, for the sum of $2,600. He will move on this farm some time in the near future. Mr. Peltz will still continue the poultry and fruit business.

J. Howard Devilbiss is working with Mr. A. J. Kauffman, contractor and builder, in New Windsor, at present.

Mrs. Dennis A. Smith is on the sick list at present.

Thursday will be moving day in and around here, as there will be 11 families move to their new destination.

Mr. William Miller paid a flying visit to Baltimore from Saturday till Tuesday.

Mr. I. N. Stoner is getting his raspberry patch in fine shape at present. Mr. Stoner has for sale this season 15000 choice plants. He also has one of the finest nurseries in the State. His stock has been carefully examined by the American Agricultural College and a certificate given that his stock is free from all injurious diseases.

The Western Union Telegraph Company is this week putting new poles along the railroad to replace the old ones, which were recently destroyed by the storm.

Mr. I. N. Stoner was in Baltimore on Monday, on business.

Mr. M. F. Hann sold his old mules to a man in Sykesville, on Monday last.

Mr. Guy Babylon is suffering with a very badly sprained arm and wrist at present.

Mr. Alfred S. Babylon, of Frizellburg, was the guest of his brother, Mr. J. Fletcher Babylon, on Tuesday

The railroad company has erected a new steel mail crane for the purpose of hanging out the mail at this place.

Our farmers at present are doing their plowing for their spring crops.

Peaching at the Brick M. P. Church, Sunday morning, at 10.30 o'clock, by Rev. G. J. Hill, of Uniontown.

M. C. I. Notes.

We, as well as our friends, who were looking forward to the Cutter-Mack entertainment were very much disappointed at their failure to appear. This last number of our course will be filled by Charles R. Taggart, entertainer. Mr. Taggart, ventriloquist, violinist, and reader, is an entertainer of high order as shown by his success. He has appeared 200 times in New York and 50 times in Boston. The date of this entertainmet has not yet been fixed.

The next number of the College Rays will be edited by the Hiawatha Literary Society.

Miss Emily K. Harlacher and nephew, Jesse W. Forney, of Hanover, Pa., visited Miss Margaret Harlacher over Sunday.

President Wine spent Sunday at West Point, Md.

Professor John and family will take possession of their country home the latter part of this week.

A number of our students have not been able to attend classes the past week on account of the grip and severe colds.

Elder C. D. Bonsack and Mr. D. R. Beard were among our visitors this week.

President Wine's son Emory had a severe attack of spasmodic croup last week.

Mr. Daniel Englar will preach in the Brethren Church Sunday morning, April 4. Preaching in the College Chapel Sunday evening by Professor Blair.

The Methodist Protestant Church.

Sunday School and Adult Bible Study classes at 9.30 A. M. 11 A. M. Sacrament of the Lord's Supper and reception of members. 7.30 P. M. public worship, and Palm Sunday address. Christian Endeavor meeting at 6.30 P. M.

Millers Items

Mr. Geo. W. Hoffacker lost his good old family horse last week by death, caused from colic.

The friends here of Mr. Lewis Redding, of Baltimore, were very sorry to learn of his death. His funeral took place from his home in Baltimore on Tuesday. Mrs. Isaiah Miller and Mrs. Henry K. Miller attended the funeral.

Misses Laura Miller and Elsie Deagen visited friends in Baltimore last week.

Our town has been kept very lively this week by flittings as quite a number of our residents are changing their homes. Among them are the following: Mr. Frank Sandruck moved his family to the home vacated by Mr. John Cape, and Mr. John Rinehart to the house vacated by Mr. Sandruck; Mr. Theo. Hoffacker, of near Alesia, into the house vacated by Mr. Rinehart, and Mrs. Rosa Richarts into Mr. Jesse Deagen's house. Mr. Frank Utz moved his family from Greenmount to the home vacated by Edward Brown. Mr. Ivan Miller moved to his new home near Lineboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brilhart left on Monday for their new home near Stiltz, Pa., where they have rented a farm.

Mrs. Geo. Grof, of Hanover, Pa., spent Tuesday last at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Rinehart.

Postmaster Miller has received a new desk from the postoffice department to be used in connection with the R. F. D. service. The desk being a beautiful piece of furniture, adds greatly to the attractiveness of the office.

Mr. John Keeney near Shrewsbury, Pa., spent a few days visiting relatives here.

Pleasant Valley Items.

Mrs. Catherine Myers, who lives with her son, Mr. Hollie Myers, is poorly at this writing.

Sunday School at 9 A. M. Divine service at 10 A. M., by Rev. John O. Yoder. Prayer and praise service in the evening.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Sow and Pigs for sale. Apply to Mrs. Shipley, Bird Hill.

Garlic is excellent for cows but it gives milk a bad flavor. Fairfield's Blood Tonic for Cattle Only, fed regularly three-quarters of an hour before milking, prevents all garlic taste or odor in milk or cream. Sold under written Guarantee by the W. H. Davis Co., Wetminster, and Geo. W. Yeiser, Union Mills.

WORDS TO FREEZE THE SOUL.

"Your son has Consumption. His case is hopeless." These appalling words were spoken to Geo. E. Blevens, a leading merchant of Springfield, N. C. by two expert doctors—one a lung specialist. Then was shown the wonderful power of Dr. King's New Discovery. "After three weeks use," writes Mr. Blevens, "he was as well as ever. I would not take all the money in the world for what it did for my boy." Infallible for Coughs and Colds, its the safest, surest cure of desperate Lung diseases on earth. 50c and $1.00 at all druggists. Guarantee satisfaction. Trial bottle free.

SWEPT OVER NIAGARA.

This terrible calamity often happens because a careless boatman ignores the river's warnings—growing ripples and faster current. Nature's warnings are kind. That dull pain or ache in the back warns you the Kidneys need attention if you would escape fatal maladies—Dropsy, Diabetes or Bright's disease. Take Electric Bitters at once and see Backache fly and all your best feelings return. "After long suffering from weak kidneys and lame back, one $1.00 bottle wholly cured me," writes J. R. Blankenship, of Belk, Tenn. Only 50c at all druggists.

"I'D RATHER DIE, DOCTOR,

than have my feet cut off," said M. L. Bingham, of Princeville, Ill. "but you'll die from gangrene (which had eaten away eight toes) if you don't", said all doctors. Instead he used Bucklen's Arnica Salve till wholly cured. Its cures of Eczema, Fever Sores, Boils, Burns and Piles astound the world. 25c. at all druggists.

Manufacture your own stock foods as you need them by mixing a small quantity of the Fairfield Blood Tonics with the animals, regular ration. A separate Tonic for each kind of animal, in highly concentrated form, gives greater results at less cost than the old style preparations. Sold under written Guarantee by the W. H. Davis Co., of Westminster, and Geo. W. Yeiser, Union Mills.

UP BEFORE THE BAR.

N. H. Brown, an attorney, of Pittsfield, Vt., writes: "We have used Dr. King's New Life Pills for years and find them such a good family medicine we wouldn't be without them." For Chills, Constipation, Billiousness or Sick Headache they work wonders. 25c at all druggists.

Hogs are more susceptible to disease than any other animal. Fairfield's Blood Tonic and Flesh Producer for Hogs Only is a sure preventative of Hog Cholera and all the minor ailments of swine. It is a great flesh builder. Sold under written Guarantee by the W. H. Davis Co., Westminster, and Geo. W. Yeiser, Union Mills.

MARRIED.

At the parsonage of Grace Lutheran Church, this city, March 31st, 1909, by Rev. Dr. F. R. Miller, Mr. Clarence W. Magin, of Smallwood, and Miss Martha E. Baker, of Bird Hill.

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

Carroll Charge—Reformed Church.—Benjamin's.—Divine service 10 a. m.

Divine service at Bachman's 2 p. m.

Service during Lent. Benjamin's every Wednesday 2 p. m.

Pleasant Valley every Friday 2 p. m.

James B. Stonesifer, Pastor.

Salem Lutheran Charge.—St. Benjamin's.—Divine service 10 a. m.

St. John's.—Sunday School 1 p. m. Divine service 2 p. m.

Y. P. S. C. E 7.15 p. m.

R. W. Doty, Pastor.

St. Paul's Reformed Church.—Sunday School 9.30 a. m. Morning Worship 10.30 a. m. Evening Worship 7.15 p. m. Mid-week Worship, Wednesday 7.30 p. m.; also during Holy Week at 7.30 p. m.

Calvin S. Slagle, D. D., Pastor.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

USE CAREY'S MAGNESIA ROOFING; ABsolutely Fire Proof; stood the test in the recent fire of Albaugh & Babylon Grocery Co. Sold by

WESTMINSTER HARDWARE CO.

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CAUTION NOTICE.

I hereby forewarn all persons not to trust any other person on my account, as I will not pay any debts not contracted by myself individually.

WM. A. SHAW.

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No. 4446 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Carroll County.

W. Frank Thomas, Assignee of Mortgagee, vs. Raymond P. Bankert, Mortgagor.

Ordered, this 2nd day of April, A. D. 1909, that the account of the Auditor filed in this cause, be finally ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 19th day of April, inst.; provided a copy of this order be inserted for two successive weeks before the last named day in some newspaper published in Carroll county.

DAVID P. SMELSER, Clerk.

True Copy Test: DAVID P. SMELSER, Clerk.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Carroll county, Md., letters Testamentary on the estate of

CHARLES C. RICHARDSON,

late of Carroll county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 6th day of October, 1909, ther may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 29th day of March, 1909.

MARTHA ALICE RICHARDSON, Executrix.

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Baltimore Markets.

Winter Flour— Extra	$4 65@	$4 85
" " Clear	5 15@	5 30
City Mills High Grade Patent	6 30@	6 30
" " " Straight	6 00@	6 00
" " Rye Flour	4 25@	4 50
Wheat	1 15@	1 30
Corn	67@	72¼
Oats	54@	58½
Rye	75@	84
Hay	10 00@	15 00
Straw	7 50@	21 50
Dry Salt Shoulders	8½@	8½
Dry Salted Rib Sides	10½@	10½
Hams	12@	12½
Lard	11½@	11½
Butter	17@	32
Eggs	15@	20

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

HEREAFTER, and until further notic the County Commissioners of Carroll county will meet at their office in Westminster EVERY MONDAY for the transaction of business.

By order, FRANCIS L. HANN, Treasurer.

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FERTILIZER for Oats and Early Potatoes. N. I. Gorsuch Son Co.

Spring Opening at SULLIVANS

No Music. No Souvenirs. But Quality and Low Prices.

Granulated Sugar per lb	05c	1 lb 60c Tea, Green, Blk. or mixed	30c
15c can Chip Beef	5c	5 lbs Evaporated Peaches	50c
15c can Sifted Peas	10c	4 lbs Pike or Trout fish frozen	25c
15c can Larkin Talcum Powder	10c	4 lbs Haddock fish fresh	25c
2 lbs 14c Coffee	25c	Bay Hering per dozen	20c
2 lbs 15c Apricots	25c	Fresh Shad a piece	30c 35c
2 lbs 15c Prunes	25c	Lemons per dozen	20c
3 lbs 10c Raisins	25c	Bannas per dozen	10c, 12c and 15c
6 lbs 7c Rice	25c	Country Sauer Kraut 3 per qt	25c
5 lbs Prunes	25c	Flour per 24½ lb sack	60c
3 pcks Seeded Raisins or Currants	25c	Oyster Shells per 100 lbs	65c
3 cans Babbitts or Banner Lye	25c	Grit per 100 lbs	75c
8 bars Larkin Sweet Home Soap	25c	Charcoal for chickens per 100 lbs	$2.00
4 Boxes Larkin Lye	25c	Oatmeal for chickens per 100 lbs	$2.50
4 Boxes Larkin Boraxine	25c	Cipher's Chick Food	$2.65

I am carrying a full line of fancy and Staple Groceries, Green Groceries, Fresh and Cured Meats.

A CALL IS SOLICITED.

Yours for business, MILTON A. SULLIVAN.

C. & P. Phone. 90 W. Main St.

HORSES AND MULES

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

I will arrive in Westminster, April 5th, with a Car Load of Horses and Mules, as fine as ever came to this county, all well broke and to suit all purposes.

CHAS. W. KING.

STATEMENT of the condition of The Continental Insurance Co., of New York, Dec. 31, 1908.

Capital Stock paid in	$ 1,000,000.00
Total Assets	19,314,636.31
Total Amount of all Liabilities	7,997,946.33
Surplus as regards policy holders	11,316,750.48
Bonds and Stocks owned by company	16,092,005.00

State of Maryland, Office of State Insur. Dept. Baltimore, February 1, 1909.

I hereby certify that the above is a true abstract from the statement of the above named company.

BENJ. F. CROUSE, Insurance Commissioner.

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CASH SYSTEM ADOPTED.

On APRIL 1st, the Cash system was adopted at our MILL, IN TYRONE, and will hereafter be observed in all transactions. On a STRICT CASH BASIS we hope to give our patrons better service than heretofore, and we hope to receive a continuance of past favors from all.

All persons indebted to us on book account are requested to make settlement, by cash or note, within 30 days.

Very Truly Yours,

J. FORMWALT & SON,

April 3, 1909. TRYONE, MD.

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It Never Pays

Horse Owners to be careless in making purchases of HARNESS, FLY NETS, LAP DUSTERS, or even in the matter of Repairing.

In all the features, which go to make up a desirable place to trade, we positively know that we are AT THE HEAD.

Goods of absolute reliability.

Prices that are reasonable and fair.

A full stock with judicious selection of goods renders our place a desirable one on which to bestow your patronage. We know we can offer advantages and to this end we solicit your favors.

Traveling Outfits, Turf and Base Ball Specials.

OPEN AT NIGHT.

Resp'y, J. W. SHUNK, Popular Cash Harness Emporium,

sep 20 07 43 E. Main St., Westminster.

PUBLIC SALE

OF

2 Valuable Farms

AND

PERSONAL PROPERTY.

The undersigned will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 21st,

1909, at 12.30 p. m., sharp, the farm of the late Miss Caroline Bennett, situated in Freedom District, Carroll county, Md., on the public road leading from the Liberty pike to the Oakland Woolen Factory, adjoining the lands of Charles W. Melville, B. F. Bennett, Philetus R. Haight and others.

This Estate is improved by a STONE and FRAME DWELLING containing nine rooms, attic, kitchen, &c.; 2 barns, stables, wagon shed, corn houses, granary, dairy and other outbuildings. Also a good TENEMENT HOUSE.

This land is in a high state of cultivation, about

20 ACRES IN FINE TIMBER,

a good Apple Orchard and other Fruit Trees.

I will also offer on the same premises the farm of the late Elisha H. Bennett, a distanee of about one mile from the above described farm, situated in Baltimore county, adjoining the lands of the Oakland Woolen Factory and others.

This is improved by a large STONE DWELLING, containing ten rooms, with halls, attic, kitchen, &c.; bank barn, wagon shed, corn houses, carriage houses, stable for driving horses, dairy, blacksmith shop and numerous other outbuildings.

Also two TENEMENT HOUSES, in good condition.

This is one of the most productive farms in this locality. There is about

25 ACRES OF FIRST-CLASS TIMBER,

principally White Oak and Hickory.

PERSONAL PROPERTY.

Also Personal Property of the late Miss B. Bennett:

Four good work horses, two of which are good drivers; one yearling colt, five good milch cows, several fresh by day of sale; bull, brood sow, 12 shoats, 4-horse wagon, broadtread, with bed and hay carriage; 3-horse wagon, 2-horse spring wagon, 1-horse spring wagon, carriage, nearly new; Deering Binder, only used two seasons; one Champion Mower, used one season; Penna. Grain Drill, hay tedder, hay rake, corn sheller, cutting box, horse cart, seed plows, corn plows, harrows, cultivators, grain cradle, breech bands, lead harness, collars, bridles, wagon saddle, side saddle, carriage harness, and numerous other articles found on a farm.

Also Corn, Hay, and Growing Wheat, Poultry, etc.

All household furniture consisting of Parlor, Sitting and Dining Room, Kitchen and four Bed Rooms. In this collection are rare pieces of Mahogany.

Terms of Sale on Real Estate to be made known on day of sale.

Terms of Sale on Personal Property.—All sums of $10 and under, cash; all over that amount a credit of six months will be given, purchasers giving their notes with approved security bearing interest from day of sale, payable at The Sykesville National Bank, of Sykesville, Md. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

MRS. JOHNZIE E. BEASMAN, Owner.

JOHNZIE E. BEASMAN, Agent.

Joseph W. Berrett, Auctioneer.

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J. S. Myers, Westminster, Md. J. E. Myers, New Windsor, Md.

DRS. MYERS,

SURGEON DENTISTS, are prepared to do all kinds of Dental Work, including ALUMINUM PLATE. First Friday and Saturday of each month J. E. Myers at Westminster office, J. S. Myers at Taneytown. Both Phones.

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WANTED.—Reliable, energetic man to sell lubricating oils, greases and paints in Carroll and adjacent counties. Salary or Commission. The SWIFT PAINT CO., Cleveland, Ohio. mar 19 2t*

PLANT WOOD'S SEEDS For Superior Crops.

Cow Peas

The Best and Surest Cropping of Summer Soil-improving and Forage Crops.

Makes poor land rich; makes rich land more productive, and improves the condition and productiveness of soils wherever they are grown.

The crop can be cut for forage, making a large yielding and most nutritious feed, and the land can be disked afterwards—not plowed—making an ideal fertilization and preparation for wheat and all fall-sown grains. All of our

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are recleaned, free from hulls and immature peas, superior both in cleanliness and quality, and of tested germination.

Write for prices and "Wood's Crop Special" giving timely information about Seasonable Farm Seeds.

T. W. WOOD & SONS, Seedsmen, - Richmond, Va.

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DAVIS MYERS,

late of Carroll county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 16th day of October, 1909; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 16th day of arch, 1909.

WILLIAM PHILIP ENGLAR, Executor.

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Transfers and Abatements.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested that the County Commissioners of Carroll county will sit for the purpose of hearing applications for transfers and abatements at their office, in the Court House, Westminster, Md., as follows:

April 6 for Districts Nos. 1 and 2.
April 7 for Districts Nos. 3 and 4.
April 13 for Districts Nos. 5 and 6.
April 14 for Districts Nos. 7 and 8.
April 20 for Districts Nos. 9 and 10.
April 21 for Districts Nos. 11, 12 and 13.

The Board will sit from 9 a. m. until 3 p. m. on each of said days, and notice is hereby given that after the sittings as aforesaid no transfers or abatements will be made to affect the levy of 1909.

F. L. HANN,

mar 26 4t Clerk and Treasurer.

PUBLIC SALE.

The subscriber as agent of Mrs. Mary Catharine Rickell, will sell at Public Sale, on the premises, the Brick and Frame House formerly owned by the late Adam Rickell, on George street, Westminster, on

SATURDAY, APRIL 3rd, 1909,

at 1 o'clock, P. M. The lot on which it stands contains about

THREE ACRES OF LAND

and the property is in good condition. Persons desiring to view the property can obtain the key to the house from Mrs. Amos Hahn on Liberty street.

CHARLES RICKELL, Agent.

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LIME! LIME!!

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One 5 horse-power Gas or Gasoline Engine; and one 2½ horse-power Gasoline Engine, with Pump Jack, made by Quincy Engine Company. Both these engines are in good order. Apply to

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TO-DAY

Is The Last Of The Opening Days

You and Your Friends are Cordially Invited.

Piano Concert.

IN addition to our great fashion display, TO-DAY, April 3rd, we will have a piano concert by Miss Elizabeth Slagle, assisted by Mr. Guy Williams on the Violin, from 10 to 12 A. M., 2 to 5 and 8 to 9 P. M. Special selections from "Princess Bonnie." The piano to be used on this occasion is the celebrated Blasius Piano from Prof. J. T. Royer's Palace of Music of this city.

The New Dress Fabrics.

A display of elegance unequaled, including the latest worsted Suitings, and lustrous clinging Silks, in winsome shades and designs.

Rich Dress Trimmings.

Gold Laces, Bands, Braids, Buttons and Ornaments. Irish Point, Venise, Cluny, Mechlin, Torchon Laces and exquisite Embroideries.

Bewitchingly Beautiful Millinery,

Presenting an infinite variety of styles and color combinations. The Easter Hats are certainly visions of loveliness.

Accessories for the Easter Costume.

All the latest frills and fancies in Neckwear; Gloves in shades to match the dress; Hosiery; Underskirts of Silk and Heatherbloom; Fashionable Footwear—Suede Shoes in shades to match the Costume are the Newest.

Nobby Styles in Men's and Boys' Clothing.

All the latest and most approved styles and fabrics that will appeal to all careful dressers. We guarantee perfect satisfaction as to style, fit and finish. Also call attention to our line of

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Attractive new Neckwear, Furnishings, Gloves and Footwear, all necessary adjuncts to the stylish Easter outfit.

EVERY department presents goods that are bright, beautiful and new; styles which the foremost fashion leaders have adjudged the best. The assortments are unsurpassed, and the values truly exceptional; we feel sure they will merit your hearty approval.

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HARTFORD, CONN.

Total Admitted Assets	$20,434,816.61
Total Liabilities	13,373,224.23
Surplus to Policy-holders	7,061,592.38

State of Maryland, Office of the State Insurance Department, Baltimore, January 22, 1909.

I hereby certify that the above is a true abstract taken from the Annual Statement of the Hartford Fire Insurance Company, of Hartford, Conn., for the year ending December 31, 1908, now on file in this Department.

BENJ. F. CROUSE, Insurance Commissioner.

J. HOFFMAN FUSS, Agent, Westminster.

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CONDENSED STATEMENT

Showing the condition of the Farmer's Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Dug Hill, Carroll County, Manchester, Md., December 31st, 1908.

Total Income during the year		$17,118 28
Total Disbursements during the year		17,710 61
ASSETS.		
Cash in Office and in Banks and Trust Companies	497 04	
Gross Premiums in Course of Collection	5,000 00	
Building and Office Furniture	650 00	
Total Assets		6,147 04
LIABILITIES.		
Salaries, Rents, Expenses, Etc.	800 00	
Taxes	10 00	
Office, Agency and Incidental Expenses	100 00	
Total Liabilities		910 00
Amount at Risk in United States, December 31, 1908	5,930,679 00	
Risks written in Maryland during 1908	297,699 00	
Premiums on Maryland Business in 1908	278 71	
Losses Paid in Maryland in 1908	9,585 28	
Losses Incurred in Maryland in 1908	9,585 28	

State of Maryland, Office of the State Insurance Department, Baltimore, February 15, 1909.

I hereby certify that the above is a true abstract, taken from the Annual Statement of the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co. of Dug Hill, Carroll county, for the year ending December 31, 1908, now on file in this department.

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300 Cords of Oak and Chestnut Wood for sale.

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Crown and Bridge Work, Plate Work, Filling Teeth, and teeth extracted without pain.

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J. W. HELM, D. D. S., Graduate of Maryland University, Baltimore. C. & P. Phone. jul10 05

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Having opened a Sales Stable in the rear of 92 West Main street, will have at all times a number of first-class Horses for sale or exchange. Call and inspect stock before purchasing.

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Customers in 15 States ready to buy or rent. Write for full particulars. Large Properties a Specialty.

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Having purchased of Edward Devilbiss his entire stock of furniture and tools, I am prepared at the old Chas. P. Baile stand, in

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to do promptly all kinds of

Repairing, Upholstering and Finishing.

In order to make room for a larger stock, I will sell the present stock, including

Beds, Mattresses, Springs, Chairs, Rockers, Couches, &c.,

at a sacrifice that will simply make them go. Remember I have the best

Five Dollar Rocker

in the county.

In connection with the above, I will continue in the

Undertaking Business

and as in the past will exert my best efforts to accommodate and please the public.

Thanking my patrons for past patronage, I remain yours for business,

jan 22 3m HARVEY BANKARD.

HERBERT COHEN.

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Westminster Hotel:

Westminster	every Monday.
Taneytown	every Tuesday.
Union Bridge	every Wednesday.
Emmittsburg	every Thursday.
Hampstead	every Friday.

MY EXAMINATIONS ARE FREE.

Proper Glasses are prescribed when needed, at very Reasonable Rates. A trial from you would be appreciated. jan 8 3m

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wishes to announce to its friends and patrons that on and after January 30th, 1909, Masters Guy C. Williams and Julian F. Williams will render selections on

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every Saturday, from 6 to 10 P. M., and every Sunday, from 12 M. to 2 P. M.

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