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FRIDAY, MAY 7, 1909.

Arbor Day.

Friday last was Arbor Day and the public schools throughout the State observed it with exercises of an appropriate character, but, if the result shall be as it has been heretofore on similar occasions, that will be the end of it. As far as our observation extends Arbor Day has not been very productive of the objects for which it was instituted—growing trees and the promotion of forestry. It has excited interest in those objects for a few days, at most, and then that interest has lapsed. In the ten years since the institution of the day in this State many trees have been planted by the public schools, but not many have lived and grown, at least in this locality, while in that time the forests of Carroll county have been destroyed more rapidly than even before.

The schools are not responsible, in geat measure at least, for the destruction of the forests. Possibly, if they had carried the purposes of Arbor Day more energetically forward they might have created a sentiment in favor of saving some of the fine forests which have disappeared under the axe and saw of speculators in lumber. But if not that, they might at least have shown that the day was designed for something more than literary exercises and the planting of a few trees to be left to die untended and for want of proper care.

This criticism is not intended, of course, to apply to all schools. There doubtless are schools that can "point with pride" to practical results of their tree planting. The importance of the object, however, should prompt all schools to energetic and continuous effort to cultivate public sentiment in favor of planting and preserving forests. Let us have an arbor day, by all means, but don't let interest in the subject pass away with the close of the day. And, by the way, the creation and cultivation of such interest should not be left to the schools alone. The matter is of sufficient importance to claim the attention of every citizen and the work should be promoted by every reasonable means. The organization of a Forestry Association in every county, with sub-associations in the districts, or in several districts combined, would not be amiss. Public meetings should be held, addresses delivered by persons familiar with the subject, and literature bearing upon it widely distributed. With the coming of good roads, which now seems practical and possible, the assembling of citizens together to consider this question would not only serve to promote the cause of forestry, but would become a source of pleasure to those taking sufficient interest in it to ally themselves with such associations. Shall Carroll county be the first to adopt this suggestion?

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

For the Sentinel.

C. E. Convention at Hampstead.

"Thank God for such a convention." These words expressed the feelings in the hearts of the Endeavorers as the "Mispah benediction" sounded through the hall for the last time.

Truly the Lord himself guided the work from the time when the Hampstead Society first wondered if they "really ought" to extend the invitation, until the hour when entertainers and guests bade each other a reluctant goodbye.

Nothing but a common love for a common cause could have prompted the people of Hampstead to join so heartily in preparing for the pleasure and comfort of their guests. The very atmosphere of the place breathed forth Christian fellowship. The decorations showed appreciation of the convention theme and the crowded hall spoke an interest that inspired both officer and speaker.

After Rev. W. D. Nicoll had expressed a welcome which was already felt, Dr. Thomas Land explained that the theme "Ethical Revival" refers to a higher standard of morals in the individual life. If we have a lower standard than the life of Christ we need an ethical revival.

Mrs. F. P. Fenby, of Finksburg, in speaking of "Purity," said that just as the rose bush absorbs the elements around it and gives out what it has absorbed, so the human life from infancy absorbs its surroundings and gives out that which it has taken in. Only that person who keeps his thoughts pure and good can live a life of purity and helpfulness.

The county officers presented very encouraging reports. There are 24 senior societies in the county. Greenmount U. B. has been added during the year. $603.53 has been given to benevolence during the year, $273.19 of which has been given through the missonary boards.

Lineboro, the society noted for its liberal contributions and deep interest in C. E. work, surprised the Exec. Com. by offering to present the County Union with a new missionary banner in place of the worn one now in use. The timely gift was greatly appreciated and promptly accepted. As the Lineboro contributions went this year through other than missionary channels the banner was presented to Westminster Luth. Society.

Rev. J. Win. Jones spoke heartily of his faith in Christian Endeavor as a great working force for God.

THE JUNIOR RALLY.

Much thought, time and care had been given to the training of the Hampstead Juniors which resulted in a delightful and instructive program. They were assisted by the juniors from Westminster and addressed by Rev. John Somerlatte, Baltimore.

Westminster Luth. Junior society won the banner for the highest average attendance. The Uniontown Luth. Junior Society won the banner for the highest average per member in missionary contributions.

TUESDAY EVENING.

"There are three things," said Rev. C. H. Rauck, "that everybody thinks he knows how to do. 1st, How to run the government; 2nd, How to raise children, (other people's.) 3rd, How to preach a sermon." But in spite of the confidence we all have in our own ability, the moral life depending upon itself will soon go down. Only the soul that looks to God for its vision can keep up and grow stronger."

Mr. Hoburn Yokoyamo, a native of Japan, now a student at Westminster, in broken English gave an account of the way mission work is helping morals in Japan. Mr. Yokoyamo wore his native costume.

WEDNESDAY MORNING.

The spicy debate, Resolved, That the Lookout Committee is of greater importance than the missionary committee; affirmative, A. S. Day and negative Richard Harris, was decided in favor of the affirmative by a vote of 53 to 51.

Mr. Geo. H. Birnie gave an address on "Personal Work" that was interesting and helpful, after which Mr. Wm. Shaw, of Boston, held the audience for nearly an hour in one of the most powerful addresses of the convention. He pressed home the thought that the education and care of the child is the most important work God has given the church to do.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

Mr. Spencer E. Sisco, State Pres., told us "Why we should attend conventions."

Miss Bessie Ford told "What God expects of Endeavorers in the Silent Hour;" Mr. Betz, "What God expects of Endeavorers at home," and Mr. T. F. Shearer, "What God expects of Endeavorers by the wayside."

Then Mr Wm. Shaw again captured the audience and so fully convinced them of the necessity of the "Memorial Building" as a permanent home for the United Society of Christian Endeavor, that 31 shares (at $5.00 per share) were promptly and heartily promised by the represenattives of the various societies. Several more shares have since been added.

Rev. A. B. Wood, an Anti-Saloon worker, who followed, said, "Mr. Shaw, says that Christian Endeavor at present has no place to call its home. I speak to you because I represent the Anti Saloon League, which wants the liquor traffic to get such a run on it that it can not call Maryland its home."

After this interesting address a Temperance Resolution was passed and the meeting adjourned.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

Rev. C. E. Fultz, of Washington, spoke most helpfully on "The Relation of Prayer to Upright Living."

Mr. Wm. Shaw again held the audience in a powerful address on "Business Righteousness." He said that Business Righteousness simply means righteousness in business. He spoke first of the necessity of voting right: then of conscientious dealing in money matters, and very forcibly of the fight that is being made against the liquor traffic.

The convention closed with "God be with you 'till we meet again."

The officers elected for the coming year are as follows: Pres., Dr. James E. Shreeve, Jr., Westminster; vice-Pres., Rev. G. W. Baughman, Uniontown; Sec. and Treas., Miss Sarah Wertz, Lineboro; Miss. Supt., Miss Amelia Birnie, Taneytown; Temp. Supt., Miss Myrle Caple, Sandyville; pastoral counsellor, Rev. Wm. E. Wheeler, Taneytown; press Cor., Miss Adelaide Messler, Linwood.

The convention of 1910 will be held in Lineboro.

EMMA R. ECKER,
New Windsor, Md.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Zion M. P. Church will hold a festival the first Saturday in June, beginning at 6 o'clock, p. m.

Stone Chapel Sunday School will hold a strawberry and ice cream festival June 26th. All are welcome. Children's service will be held June 20th, at 2 30 p. m.

LIVED 132 YEARS.

Wm. Parr—England's oldest man—married the third time at 120, worked in the fields till 132 and lived 20 years longer. People should be youthful at 80. James Wright, of Spurlock, Ky., shows how to remain young. "I feel just like a 16-year-old boy," he writes, "after taking six bottles of Electric Bitters. For thirty years Kidney trouble made life a burden, but the first bottle of this wonderful medicine convinced me I had found the greatest cure on earth." They're a godsend to weak, sickly rundown or old people. Try them, 50c at all druggists.

HELLO! HELLO!

The time of year is here when you want to look over your buildings and see that your lightning rods are in good shape to stand the electric storms of another summer. And don't forget that the Carroll County Rod Company does all kinds of repair work, and installs new rods. See their ad.

WON'T SLIGHT A GOOD FRIEND.

"If ever I need a cough medicine again I know what to get," declares Mrs. A. L. Alley, of Beals, Me., "for, after using ten bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery, and seeing its excellent results in my own family and others, I am convinced it is the best medicine made for Coughs, Colds and lung trouble." Every one who tries it feels just that way. Relief is felt at once and its quick cure surprises you. For Bronchitis, Asthma, Hemorrhage, Croup, LaGrippe, Sore Throat, pain in chest or lungs its supreme. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by all druggists.

FOR SALE.—One five foot Silver-Frame, Bow Front Show Case. Westminster News Co.

Success with fowl of any kind is assured when Fairfield's Blood Tonic and Egg Producer, for Poultry only is used regularly. It prevents and cures Roup, Cholera and all contagious poultry diseases and makes hens lay. Sold under written Guarantee by the W. H. Davis Co., Westminster, and Geo. W. Yeiser, Union Mills.

KILLS TO STOP THE FIEND.

The worst foe for 12 years of John Deye, of Gladwin, Mich., was a running ulcer. He paid doctors over $400.00 without benefit. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve killed the ulcer and cured him. Cures Fever-Sores, Boils, Felons, Eczema, Salt Rheum. Infallible for Piles, Burns, Scalds, Cuts, Corns. 25c at all druggists.

To build up a "run down" horse quickly, prevent Colic and keep the animal in good appetite, use Fairfield's Blood Tonic for Horses Only. It purifies the blood, regulates the bowels and exterminates worms. Sold under written Guarantee by the W. H. Davis Co., Westminster, and Geo. W. Yeiser, Union Mills.

SMASHES ALL RECORDS.

As an all-round laxative tonic and health-builder no other pills can compare with Dr. King's New Life Pills. They tone and regulate stomach, liver and kidneys, purify the blood, strengthen the nerves, cure Constipation, Dyspepsia, Biliousness, Jaundice, Headache, Chills and Malaria. Try them. 25c at all druggists.

The Magic Powder that turns a Chicken into Gold is Fairfield's Blood Tonic and Egg Producer for Poultry Only. It increases egg production, keeps all fowl in the pink of Condition and fattens them for market rapidly. Sold under written Guarantee by the W. H. Davis Co., Westminster, and Geo. W. Yeiser, Union Mills.

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

St. Paul's Reformed Church.—Sunday School 9.30 a. m. Morning Worship 10.30 a. m. Evening Worship 7.30 p. m. Mid-week Worship, Wednesday 7.30 p. m.

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

Centenary M. E. Church.—Preaching 10.30 a. m., and 7.30 p. m. Sunday School 9.15 a. m. Junior League 2.00 p. m. Epworth League 6.45 p. m.

L. E. Bennett, Pastor.

Salem Lutheran Charge.—St. Benjamin's.—Sunday School 9 a. m.

St. John's.—Sunday School 9 a. m. Holy Communion 10 a. m. Preparatory services Saturday, 2 p. m.

The annual congregational meeting of St. John's Church will be held Ascension Day, May 20th, at 2 p. m.

R. W. Doty, Pastor.

DIED.

IN MEMORY.

In sad but loving remembrance of my dear parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Myerly.

"Gone but not forgotten."

As the evening sun is setting,
Oftimes as I sit alone,
In my heart there comes a feeling
That my dear parents must come home.

Mrs. Arthur Wagner.

IN MEMORY.

In sad but loving remembrance of my dear grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Myerly.

My dear grand parents how I miss you,
Miss you more than heart can tell,
Every hour and day that passes
Brings me nearer with you to dwell.
By their grandchild, Mrs. Luther Lippy.

IN MEMORY.

In loving remembrance of my dear father, William Thomas Lippy.

Farewell, farewell, my father dear
Life is sad without you here,
Oh may we meet in Heaven above,
Where all is joy and peace and love.

By his son, Luther Lippy.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Framing Lumber, Boards and Shingles for sale by

WM. Y. FRIZZELL,
Bloom, Md., Carrier 9.
my 7 4t

Dwelling House for Rent.

A six room House on Green street, between the properties of Samuel Shipley and L. A. Haller, recently occupied by Mrs. Bartlett. Possession will be given at once. Apply to

CHARLES E. FINK, Attorney.
my 7 tf

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.

my 7 3t* DAVID J. HELWIG.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Merchants & Manufacturers Association, this city, will be held in the Royal Arcanum rooms, Wantz building.

MONDAY, MAY 31ST, 1909,

from 7 to 8 P. M., for the election of Directors and such other business as may come before the meeting. By order.

CHAS. C. GORSUCH, President.
FRANK Z. MYLER, Sec. and Treas.
my 7 4t

Western Maryland Railroad Company.

Account of the Fraternal Order of Eagles Convention at Hagerstown, May 18th to 20th inclusive, the W. M. R. R. Co. will run a special train from Baltimore to Hagerstown, and return on WEDNESDAY, May 19th, stopping at WESTMINSTER at 7.50 A. M. Round trip fare from Westminster $1.00; returning to leave Hagerstown about midnight. For those desiring to remain longer tickets will be furnished at 2 cents per mile the round trip, on presentation of card orders, which can be procured from lodge members, at a rate of $2.12 the round trip good during entire convention.

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PUBLIC SALE OF A VALUABLE HOUSE AND LOT

on Pennsylvania Avenue, Westminster, Md.

The undersigned will offer the residence of the late Francis J. Classon, at Public Sale, on

SATURDAY, MAY 29th, 1909,

at 2 o'clock, p. m. Said property fronts 40 feet on said avenue and is improved by a substantial Dwelling and other buildings.

For terms and particulars see hand bills, or call on the undersigned.

ANNA M. CLASSON,
Executrix of Francis J. Classon, deceased.
M. E. Walsh, Attorney.
E. N. Davis, Auctioneer. my 7 4t

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF WESTMINSTER, AT WESTMINSTER, IN THE STATE OF MARYLAND, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, APRIL 28th, 1909.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$ 276,220 31
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		298 48
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		125,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		5,000 00
Bonds, Securities, etc.		231,197 85
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		25,000 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		1,846 25
Due from State Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings Banks		3,730 20
Due from approved reserve agents		16,844 67
Dividend 89		9 70
Checks and other cash items		646 78
Notes of other National Banks		990 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		313 22
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$ 50,621 45	
Legal-Tender notes	885 00	
		51,506 45
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		6,250 00
Total		$ 744,854 18

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		125,000 00
Surplus fund	$ 70,000 00	
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	17,868 40	
		87,868 40
National Bank notes outstanding		121,040 00
Due to other National Banks		28,238 11
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers		3,973.25
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	$ 26,271 19	
Dividends unpaid		186 22
Individual deposits subject to check	$352,221 23	
Cashier's checks outstanding	55 78	378,548 20
Total		$ 744,854 18

State of Maryland, County of Carroll, ss:

I, Geo. 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.

GEO. R. GEHR, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of May, 1909. N. H. BAUMGARTNER, Notary Public.

Correct—attest:
FERDINAND D. SCHAEFFER,
JACOB J. WEAVER, JR.,
DAVID J. ROOP,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK, AT MT. AIRY, IN THE STATE OF MARYLAND, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, APRIL 28th, 1909.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$	166,962 84
Overdrafts secured and unsecured		17 95
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		25,000 00
Bonds, securities, etc		74,046 70
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		7,994 71
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		2,395 76
Due from approved reserve agents		15,090 18
Notes of other National Banks		480 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		370 56
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$ 4,464 65	
Legal-tender notes	14,822 00	
		19,286 65
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		1,250 00
Total	$	312,875 35

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		25,000 00
Surplus fund		10,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		4,244 15
National Bank notes outstanding		24,500 00
Due to other National Banks		229 14
Dividends unpaid		6 00
Individual deposits subject to check		248,877 56
Certified checks		27 50
Total	$	312,875 35

State of Maryland, County of Carroll, ss:

I, J. L. Burdette, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. L. BURDETTE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of April, 1909.

BRADLEY C. LEATHERWOOD, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
E. M. MOLESWORTH,
W. H. HOOD,
WALTER R. RUDY,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE WOODBINE NATIONAL BANK, AT WOODBINE, IN THE STATE OF MARYLAND, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, APRIL 28th, 1909.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$	80,510 40
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		6,250 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		310 55
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		6,277 43
Due from approved reserve agents		25,385 53
Notes of other National Banks		420 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		34 63
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$ 5,583 75	
Legal-tender notes	1,210 00	
		6,793 75
Redemption funds with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		312 50
Total	$	126,294 79

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$	25,000 00
Surplus		1,500 00
Undivided profits less expenses and taxes paid		1,826 39
National Bank notes outstanding		6,250 00
Individual deposits subject to check	52,687 90	
Savings deposits	36,521 50	
Certified Checks	509 00	
		91,718 40
Total	$	126,294 79

State of Maryland, County of Carroll, ss:

I, Harry S. Owings, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HARRY S. OWINGS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of May, 1909.

J. WM. FLEMING, Notary Public

Correct—Attest:
ALBERT H. GOSNELL,
HOWARD S. KUHN,
SOLOMON WOLMAN,
DR. E. D. CRONK,
C. EDWARD STEM,
W. C. MULLINIX,
C. A. MULLINIX,
BEVERLEY B. BENNETT,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE WESTMINSTER SAVINGS BANK, AT WESTMINSTER, IN THE STATE OF MARYLAND, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, APRIL 28th, 1909.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$	271,992 41
Stocks, securities, etc.		613,097 18
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures		12,000 00
Other real estate and mortgages owned		286,177 50
Due from National Banks		30,177 66
Paid Interest		4,583 27
Checks and other cash items		1,331 34
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		75 06
Money in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$ 8,102 75	
Legal-tender notes	450 00	
		8,552 75
Total	$	1,227,987 27

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		50,000 00
Surplus fund		70,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses, taxes paid		37,701 78
Special deposits		862,257 05
Certificates of deposit		178,028 44
Total	$	1,227,987 27

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 3rd day of May, 1909. GEO. H. ARMACOST, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
F. THOS. BABYLON,
CHAS. BILLINGSLEA,
JOS. W. SMITH,
Directors.

If you desire your buildings rodded by competent and reliable people who thoroughly understand the business, send us your order, or write and we will have one of our salesmen call on you and give you estimates and prices on work. We use Copper Rod, and rod entirely on the Edison system, with sufficient points to protect gables, ventilators and chimneys; and all are connected in metalic circuit with not less than two rods running to the ground buried to moisture.

We also do repair work of all kinds and our prices are reasonable.

Do not have any rodding or repair work done until you consult with us on material and prices.

Carroll County Rod Co.,
Westminster, Md.
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COAL! COAL!! COAL!!!

For the month of MAY we offer **2240 lbs. SCREENED COAL** delivered in city limits at following prices:

LYKENS VALLEY OR RED ASH:

EGG	$6.90	NUT	$6.90
STOVE	6.90	PEA	5.25

HARD OR WHITE ASH:

EGG	$6.20	NUT	$6.20
STOVE	6.20	PEA	4.75

This is all first-class freshly mined coal and prices are made low as an inducement for the early placing and delivery of orders. Soliciting a liberal share of your valued patronage, we are

Very truly yours,
SMITH & REIFSNIDER.

Let us quote you on "ELK GARDEN," also the SCREENED LUMP for Domestic use. We are making a special price on a small vein coal that has proven to be a very satisfactory domestic fuel. Let us know your requirements and we can figure to meet them. SAWED AND SPLIT WOOD in any quantity.

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HORSES AND MULES

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

I have arrived in Westminster,
with a Car Load of Horses and Mules,
as fine as ever came to this county, all well broke and to suit all purposes.
FRESH COWS, BULLS, and 90 FINE SHOATS on sale SATURDAY, May 8.
CHAS. W. KING.

Spring Opening at SULLIVAN'S

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

Granulated Sugar per lb	4¾c	Bananas per dozen	10c, 12c and 15c
15c can Chip Beef	10c	Lemons per dozen	20c
15c can Sifted Peas	10c	Flour per 24½ lb sack	65c
15c can Larkin Talcum Powder	10c	3 cans Babbitts or Banner Lye	25c
6 lbs 7c Rice	25c	4 cans Larkin Lye	25c
2 lbs 15c Apricots	25c	4 Boxes Larkin Boraxine	25c
15c Prunes per lb	12c	8 bars Larkin Sweet Home Soap	25c
12c Prunes per lb	10c	3 packs Fancy Currants	25c
Dried Peaches	25c	Fancy Pine Apples a piece	15c
3 lbs 10c Raisins	25c	Choice Pine Apples 2 for	25c
3 lbs 15c Evaporated Apples	25c	35c and 40c Oranges per doz., to-day	30c
5 lbs Evaporated Peaches	50c	Oyster Shells per 100 lbs	65c
1 lb 75c Tea, Green, Blk, or mixed	50c	Oatmeal for chickens per 100 lbs	$2.45
1 lb 60c Tea, Green, Black or mixed	30c	Purina or Cypher's Chick Food per 100 lbs.	2.55
Fresh Bay Hering per hundred	$1.00	Florence Sewing Machine for sale cheap.	

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.
90 W. Main St

C. & P. Phone.

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The probabilities are that Corn will remain at the present high prices for some time to come. :-:

FARMERS SHOULD - - - Plant a Large Crop of Corn.
REMEMBER - - - - A Stimulant pays well on Corn.
OUR PEERLESS BRAND - - Fertilizer is the Best and
IS A SURE PRODUCER - - For both Ordinary Field and Sweet Corn.

A WORD TO THE WISE IS SUFFICIENT.

Respectfully, **N. I. GORSUCH SON CO.**

COAL UP NOW!

WHILE PRICES ARE DOWN

You know, of course, the ups and downs of coal prices.

¶ You know that while now they're down, they'll soon be up.

¶ You know just what you need for the winter, and yet you delay.

Respect your Pocketbook
Order your Coal now
FROM
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New Coal and Wood Yard.

The summer schedule on prices is now in force.

Before purchasing we request coal consumers to give us a call, as we believe we can show the advisability of not only buying now, but that consultation with us will be advantageous.

We carry in stock

Lykens Valley, White Ash, and George's Creek Big Vein Coals.

We give 2240 lbs. screened coal for a ton.

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Office and Yard East Green St., near Railroad Bridge, Westminster, Md.
sept 18 1y C. & P. Phone.

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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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APPLICATION FOR DUPLICATE CERTIFICATE.—Notice is hereby given that after the 13th day of May, 1909, application will be made to the Merchants and Manufacturers Association of Westminster, for the issue of a new Certificate of Stock in lieu of a Certificate for Two Shares of Stock in said Association, now standing in the name of Joseph D. Zepp, being Certificate No. 70, bearing date August 16th, 1897, which Certificate has been lost or mislaid.

JOSEPH D. ZEPP,
ap 16 5t Westminster, Md.

Reduction in price of Anthracite Coal.

To our Patrons and the public in general, we offer the best grades of ANTHRACITE COAL, mined by Philadelphia & Reading Coal Co., and as the prices are low, now is the time to place your orders for early delivery and save money. Our price for 2240 lbs. clean coal, delivered in city limits, for month of May will be as follows:

LYKENS VALLEY OR RED ASH.
Egg, Stove and Nut Sizes, at - - - - $6.90
Pea sizes, at - - $5.25

HARD OR WHITE ASH.
Egg, Stove and Nut Sizes, at - - - - $6.20
Pea size, at - - $4.75

BITUMINOUS COAL

The genuine George's Creek coal for Smithing, Heating, Steaming and Domestic use, in both Run of Mine and Screened lump.

NONE BETTER ON THE MARKET

LUMBER

Our stock of lumber, Slate, Sash, Doors, Blinds and all kinds of high grade mill work is complete and our prices are the lowest.

Estimates cheerfully given and satisfaction guaranteed.

A complete line of Building Paper and Prepared Roofing in stock.

WOOD WOOD

Wood for sale, either sawed, split, or in cord, at lowest prices.

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Dress Goods

About fifty pieces of all wool dress goods, from 36 to 42 inches wide, not a yard worth less than 50 cents; dark, light and gray mixtures, to go on sale today at **25 cents** per yard.

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25 pieces of regular waist net, white and ecru and a few colors in the lot, just what the people are looking for, not a yard sold for less than $1.00, to go on sale today on center counter at **50 cents** a yard.

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40 pieces of nice sheer Persian lawn, 45 inches wide, sells in many stores at 25c. This lot on sale today, as long as it lasts, at **15 cents.**

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25 pieces of 36-inch wide corded madras, neat figures and stripes, better than 12½c percales, go on sale today at **8 cents** a yard.

Ribbons

100 pieces of all silk ribbons, 3½ inches wide, black, white, pink, light blue, cardinal, worth 19c, go on sale today at 10c a yard.

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All our Ladies', Misses' and Children's Spring Jackets reduced, just when you need them.

$12.00 Jackets	now	**$9.00**
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Ladies' Ready-Made Suits

We have left about 25 Ladies' ready made suits, that we simply must sell if price will do it. Come in and look them over and if you find your size you can have them almost at your own price.

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This department is very busy. We are showing some beautiful patterns in ready trimmed hats, that we are making a specialty of at **$5.00** each.

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Just 25 rolls of 3 patterns of extra heavy China matting, regular price of which was 25c. In fact the quality is just as good as that we are still selling at 25c, these three patterns go at **19c** a yard.

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25 dozen window shades, made on best spring rollers, and actual 25c quality. This lot **19c** each,

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5 gross boxes of good soap and talcum powder. A regular 25c package, just think, a good box of talcum powder and a large cake of soap, both for **10c.**

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50 pieces of good 7c apron gingham at **5c** a yard. Three bales of extra heavy 7c muslin (unbleached) at **5c** a yard. 25 dozen bleached sheets 81x90 at **49c** each. 50 pieces of regular 8c Scotch Madras and Seersuckers at **5c** a yard. 25 dozen of regular 15c huck and turkish towels at **10c** each.

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75c Green, Black or Mixed Tea 60c lb.
10c cans Chip Beef 5c.
Ravo Nickel Lamps $1.35 complete.
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5c package Velvet Starch 3c.
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