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Pius J. Babylon, Alfred S. Young,
William A. Shaw, Charles E. Bankert,
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Mrs. George Kiler, Dr. L. C. Sitely,
A. P. Albaugh, Edward Naill,
George Garver, Mrs. Ellen Murray.
Charles Bond, Marshall Erker,
Reuben Conaway. John Moore.

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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

JOHN H. GERKE.

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 26th day of May, 1910; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 26th day of October, 1909.

MARY E. GERKE, Executrix.

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NO. 4495 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Carroll County, in Equity.

Ex-Parte. In the matter of the Trust Estate of Frederick Ludwig Henry Glendmeyer and Annie Louise Glendmeyer, his wife, and Fredericka M. Glendmeyer, Benjamin Frank Crouse, Francis Neal Parke, Joseph D. Brooks, Trustees.

Ordered, this 29th day of October, A. D., 1909, by the Circuit Court for Carroll County sitting as a Court of Equity, that the sale of leasehold property made by Benjamin Frank Crouse, Francis Neal Parke, and Joseph D. Brooks, trustees in the above cause, reported to this Court, on the 22nd day of October, 1909, be finally ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 29th day of November, 1909; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Carroll county in the State of Maryland once a week for three successive weeks before the 22nd day of day of November next. The report states the amount of sale to be $300.00.

DAVID F. SMELSER, Clerk.

True Copy—Test: DAVID F. SMELSER, Clerk.

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By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Carroll county, sitting as a Court of Equity in cause No. 4497 Equity, wherein Lloyd B. Shipley is plaintiff and Levi T. Haines and others are defendants, the undersigned, trustee, will offer at Public Sale on the premises known as the Mary J. Haines property, on

SATURDAY, November 6th, 1909,

at 2 o'clock, P. M., all that Real Estate containing

11 ACRES and 31 PERCHES,

improved with a Two-story Frame Weatherboarded Dwelling House, Stable and other outbuildings, situate on the road leading from Salem schoolhouse to the Washington road, about 1 mile west of the Washington road and 1 mile S. E. of Bloom and adjoining the lands of John Knauf, Grove O. Easton and Howard Barnes.

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IVAN L. HOFF, Trustee.

J. Albert Easton, Auctioneer.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given to the creditors of Mary J. Haines, deceased, to file their claims with the vouchers thereof with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Carroll County, within two months from day of sale.

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SALOON BARRED IN THE SOUTH

LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT

Distinguished Georgia Democrat Tells Why and How it was Done—Pleads With Maryland Democrats to Follow Example of Lower South.

A great mass meeting in the interest of the anti-saloon movement was held at Alumni Hall, Western Maryland College, this city, last Friday night. The meeting was called to order by Rev Dr. T. H. Lewis, president of the college, and Dr. Charles Billingslea was made chairman. Rev. P. H. Miller, D. D., pastor of Grace Lutheran Church; Rev. D. L. Greenfield, D. D., pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church, and Rev. L. Emory Bennett, pastor of Centenary Methodist Episcopal Church, also occupied seats upon the platform. After the audience had sung "My Country, 'tis of thee," Rev. Mr. Bennett led in prayer. The speakers were Mr. William H. Anderson, superintendent of the Maryland Anti-Saloon League, and Hon. Seaborn Wright, a distinguished statesman of Georgia.

DR. BILLINGSLEA PRESIDES.

Dr. Charles Billingslea expressed his appreciation of the honor of being asked to preside, his interest in the cause of temperance and especially in the movement, which called forth the meeting on Friday night. He said: "This movement appeals to all good citizens. It is in the interest of every family in the land. Every saloon in the land could be closed, thereby would be accomplished the greatest good. We talk of the important issues of the present political campaign. There is none of such importance as the anti-saloon movement, which embraces all churches and all parties. I am not here to make a speech, though with such an audience before me it is hard to refrain. I am here to introduce one who needs no introduction, Mr. Wm. H. Anderson, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of Maryland."

MR. ANDERSON'S ADDRESS.

Mr. Anderson said in part: "It is very fitting that the inauguration of a great forward movement against the saloon in Carroll county should take place in a college town. The Anti-Saloon League was born in a college town and organized in a college church. It has always had the cordial support of our institutions of learning, especially of our religious institutions. I wish to acknowledge the courtesy of the President and Board of Trustees of Western Maryland College in permitting the use of Alumni Hall tonight, without which it would have been impossible to hold this great meeting in Carroll. I am not here tonight to make an extended address, you are here to listen to another, who comes with a stirring message from the lower South. I will plunge at once into the heart of things. I know that there are some here who fear that I will say something rash, others hope I will do so, but I propose to disappoint both.

"The Anti-Saloon League is a federation of the churches; it is the agency of the church and the temperance sentiment, fighting the saloon as an institution, when the time comes to fight. It does not go into the pulpits.

"As a matter of fact, its fairness and practicability are most thoroughly appreciated by most men. It is true there are some who say they do not like some things about it. For a Christian man to say that he does not like it is to say that he does not like himself; for it is a union of the moral forces, of which he is a part, against the saloon. Sometimes, someone does not like something his church or his country does, but he does not leave his church, does not expatriate himself. Agents of the league may come and go, but the movement will go on seeking the extermination of the saloons. If the acts of its agents are not in harmony with the intelligent business men, who control its policies, they will change their agents.

"The League has been endorsed by most religious bodies as a practical movement in which each church may cooperate. This theory of the Church has justified itself. Ten thousand saloons were closed last year, and 7,000 already this year and the fall elections have not yet taken place. Any movement that does business that way merits consideration. The League must tread very cautiously about election time. It has been said in Carroll that it is working squarely in the interest of the Republican party. It is just as firmly declared by others that it is working for the Democratic party. Both cannot be right. Both are wrong. The League deals not with parties but with individuals. In Pennsylvania a corrupt Republican gang killed the efforts of the League for a local option law. In Maryland a corrupt Democratic gang did the same thing. It is not a party nor a partisan question. Illinois, Kansas, Maine, great Republican States; Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, great Democratic States, and others North and South have voted out the saloon.

Some of our friends do not like the methods of the Anti-Saloon League. There are some men we can't please. We can't please the liquor dealers. We can't please the friends of the saloon. We can't please those who fear the liquor business. We are not trying to please any of them; we are trying to please the fairminded citizens. The main offence of the League is that the League has told the truth about men on this question. Some say that we are too severe, that more flies can be caught with molasses than vinegar; but we are not catching flies, we are killing snakes. The League simply sends out information as to the attitude of candidates on this question. We have sent out that information in this county. It would not be appropriate to bring up the subject here. This meeting was called for another purpose.

DARE NOT DEFY SENTIMENT.

"The great object of this meeting and meetings of kindred character is to so crystalize the anti-saloon sentiment that it will make no difference who is elected; so that no man will dare defy the sentiment of the citizens of this county. We are after bigger game here than a mere legislative election. The object of this meeting is not so much to affect legislative election as to begin a movement which shall not stop until every saloon in Carroll county closes its doors."

Mr. Anderson here exhibited a map on which the dry territory of Maryland was marked by white and the wet by black. He said that of the 23 counties of the State 10 are absolutely dry. Only three counties are absolutely wet, Carroll, St. Mary's and Charles; the latter two in what is known as the black belt, and remarked "I do not know whether you people of Carroll like to be in that sort of company."

"The issue is whether the people in that part of the State marked black shall have the right to vote themselves white if they want to do so. That is, simply stated, the local option issue. Carroll county has no local option law. Your hope is the next legislature, and you need to do your part. You should have the opportunity to clean up this college town, which has such a disproportionate number of saloons to the number of its population."

WHY THE SOUTH DID IT.

Hon. Seaborn Wright said in part: "Twenty-six years ago I was elected to the Georgia legislature, a boy, just about old enough to take the seat. Then every one of the 1100 counties of the lower South were as is Carroll county today, so far as the presence of the saloon is concerned. No one, however, who did not live there could, have any idea of conditions. Eight millions of slaves had been set free not long before. Under the laws of the old South it was a crime to sell or give intoxicating liquor to the negro slaves. With freedom these laws ended, and it is a literal truth that in one year 10,000 saloons were opened where none existed before at every cross roads and 8,000,000 children had access to these doggeries, children and not vicious children, children who had been guarded by their masters from this evil. Such a saturnalia of debauchery the world never witnessed as followed the freeing of the slaves and the establishment of the saloon among them. If our people had not set to work at once to remedy the evil it would have

DESTROYED THE RACE.

"The first thing they did was to set about suppressing the saloon. What we have done has been the result of necessity. We went at it immediately, and one of the first laws passed was 'the three-mile law', forbidding the existence of a saloon outside a corporate town, within three miles of a church or school. If a saloon started anywhere in the country, we built a church or school-house. By this method, in a short time the saloon was driven into the cities and smaller towns. This led to laws for the protection of the smaller towns. I was in the legislature that passed the first county local option bill in the lower South. No Southern man ever dreamed of offering objection, for thus our people were simply given the right of local self-government. As soon as that period of the conflict was reached, one by one the counties were added to the list and in 20 years 1000 counties outlawed the saloon. Many saloons were not destroyed by this method, and the evil concentrated in the larger cities, using express and freight offices as adjuncts to the city saloon. This condition continued until three years ago. Then came the Georgia bill cutting out the saloon. Alabama, Mississippi, North Carolina, and last of all Tennessee followed the example of Georgia. You may start on the seacoast of North Carolina and journey across the South to the Father of Waters and not put your foot in a single state where there is a saloon. The fight is not against the men who drink, but to outlaw the saloon as an institution, instead of having it recognized by the government. The policy in the South is to criminalize it.

UNLIKE ANY OTHER BUSINESS.

"The reasons we did what we have done are very simple. The saloon is unlike any other business. This is the basic idea, which those who talk about confiscation of property forget. The saloon business is unlike any other. It is the only business that trades upon the virtues of men; that dies when the virtues of men are strong; that grows when the virtues of men die; that capitalizes sin; takes the passion of men for strong drink and deliberately capitalizes it; and the State, for money, sells the right to individual men to establish business to appeal to these passions; and thus manhood is destroyed in body, mind and soul. Thus the State is in partnership, taking its share of the profits of a business that destroys everything it touches, that never brought a dollar of wealth into a community, nor a smile to a woman's cheek; that sells the virtues of the people for money. There is no finer virtue than sobriety. No business man will tolerate an employee, who has lost it. No father, who would not rather see his boy in his coffin than have him become the besotted victim of the saloon. I repeat that the saloon lives when that fair virtue dies: and unless that virtue dies, the saloon cannot live.

WORSE THAN NEGRO SLAVERY.

"Down in the Southland, we took a slave and put him on the block and sold him to the man, who offered the most money. Brother, what are you doing here. You take not alone the black man, but your own child and in this beautiful little city sell your boys to 16 men. Men, the system is wrong. If you could show me one thing in the way of wealth or blessing that they bring to a community, I would say nothing. This is the beginning of the fight in this county, and as certainly as God lives, the saloon will be outlawed here as in the South. The system of capitalizing vice to make money out of it is iniquitous, and must end. Look at the city of Chicago, with 8,000 saloon keepers, and in one year $100,000,000 of intoxicating liquor sold. Think of the condition of a people who will spend $140,000,000 for strong drink, as New York City did last year. In Chicago the gambling evil, always an adjunct of the saloon, brings in a profit of $18,000,000. Capitalized shame of women, with 11,000 registered helpless creatures, in the same city in 1906, meant a so-called profit of $23,000,000. Strong men, with characters formed, may resist the presence of such evils, but what of the young, who in constant contact with saloons, gambling hells and houses of shame go down like stubble in the flame. In one year 100,000 American boys are destroyed by the liquor traffic. Everywhere the issue is narrowing. No longer a question of wealth. The country is saturated with wealth and has awakened to the fact that there is a greater issue and that it is death if relief does not come. All great cities are struggling with the problem, realizing that it is sin that damns and destroys. This is the meaning of this great movement. Just as the wages of sin is death to the individual, so to the State and the Nation. The World is beginning to realize that the whole saloon system is wrong, the principle is wrong.

WHAT KEEPS UP THE SYSTEM?

"What keeps the saloons in this county? Is it the men who drink? No, it is the miserable pittance they say they pay. Back of the saloons is the lust for money. The Federal Government is in the partnership. If you consider all the profit from the sale of liquor, the greater part of it goes to the government, $148,000,000 annually. The saloon keeper says that he pays it. He claims that he pays this $148,000,000. It is said that if the saloon is abolished the taxes will be increased. It is a pitiful subterfuge. Men go into partnership in such a business and sell their children for the money the liquor men say they pay. But the fact is that the liquor business does not pay a dollar of it. How long is it going to take the people to learn this fact? If a saloon is set up in a community, what does it bring? It brings its fixtures and its liquors and nothing else. The saloon end furnishes the liquor, the people furnish the dollars. No saloon keeper ever brought or furnished a dollar of money. Every dollar that went into the saloon business and came out again the people first put into it. If the people of this county spend $100,000, $200,000 for liquor annually, where does it come from? The saloon never brought a dollar of it into the county. It brings the liquor and exchanges it for your money, and sends four-fifths of the money to the city away from you, leaving a miserable pittance in the way of license money and taxes by way of a bribe. The system never creates wealth, never adds a dollar, but bleeds it, drains it from the people. Who does the liquor business belong to? Where does the money go? The absorbing man spends $1.00 for whiskey. Seventy-five cents of it goes to the distiller and jobber. In that way the counties get poorer and poorer. Yet men are found who say that we cannot put out the saloons because the taxes will go up 2½ cents. If our business men were to run their business as the country runs the saloon business they would go to smash, first paying into the saloon to get just a little back.

WHAT THE SOUTH HAS DONE.

"When they got through with us in the South in the 60's we had precious little left except the horses and mules that the great-hearted Grant, at Appomattox, let our soldier boys take home to work their farms, and we have always loved him down there for this magnanimous act, and revered his memory. We were not rich. We found that our people were wasting $200,000,000 on liquor, and our bankers and business men looked around and said 'We will cut off this waste,' and we've cut it out. The old South used to pay to the Federal Government $40,000,000. We've cut it out. Has it killed us? Read your own Baltimore Manufacturer's Record, summing up the growth of the South compared with every other section of our country in the past ten years, outstripping all. The lower South has established three times as many banks in ten years as all the rest of the country put together. My own little town in Georgia has grown in ten years from a community like Westminster to a beautiful little city of 20,000. In the past six years, $7,000,000 of northern capital has been invested there in manufactures. Do you think any manufacturer, who employs labor, would want to establish a factory in a place like Westminster, with sixteen saloons to tempt his employees and get their money and render them unfit for their work? No manufacturer would do it. And it is you people who pay the freight. I am not talking to you alone. This is only part of the great economic movement that is sweeping round the world.

A PLEA TO DEMOCRACY.

"I do not know your politics and I do not care. I'm a Democrat. Like all my brothers in the lower South, Im a Democrat from principle, and that principle is the right of local self-government. If Democray does not mean that, it does not mean anything and everything that does not mean local self-government is not Democracy. What is the condition of our country today? One single interest has grown so powerful that it not only takes 100,000 of our boys, and 60,000 of our girls every year, but dares to say to the people 'You shall not exercise the right of local self government;' that has grown so strong and arrogant that it says, 'You shall not have the right to govern yourselves;' strong enough to control the politcs of this county, but of every county in America where the saloon exists. The South never questioned that right. Do you know what's the matter? You people in the counties are permitting the great city to control. The power behind the governing body is the city and behind the city's power is the liquor interest, which dares to say to the people of a great State like Maryland, 'We will compel you to sacrifice even the great Democratic principle of local self-government.' What are you going to do? You Republicans can do as you please. It is your funeral, not mine. I appeal to my fellow Democrats. I want my party to stand for clean men with clean hands. The spirit of commercialism is on the wane. The time has come to stop making dollars. This government did not lay its foundations in wealth, but on honorable citizenship. It is the duty of every man to stand firmly against those evils that have weakened its citizenship."

DEFERRED LOCALS.

Uniontown Items.

Mrs. Capt. Byron and son, David Wilson, of Hagerstown, Md., spent several days with Mr. T. A. Routsons.

Miss Ella Smith gathered a quantity of green tomatoes off of a volunteer stock, the largest one weighing 2 lbs, 6 ozs., the next 1lb. 13 ozs. She also reports 11 sweet potato pumpkins weighing 154½ lbs., the largest one 20 lbs., a good yield for the dry season.

Mrs. Laynie Shaw is visiting her sister, Mrs. Orrison, of Frederick, and relatives in Virginia.

Mr. Ezra C Caylor, of Possum Hollow, has purchased of Mrs. A. L. Brough, her property here, now tenanted by Mr. C. E. Smelser. Mr. C. will move here in the spring, having sold his farm to Mr. Jesse Trite, near McKinstry.

Mr. E. Lee Erb, of Union Bridge, has disposed of his former home here, now occupied by Mr. Geo. Selby, to Mrs. A. L. Brough, who will take possession April 1st.

Mr. Edward Hartsock and Mr. Fielder Gilbert have returned from a trip through different portions of Virginia.

Mr. Lester Reindollar and wife, of Manchester, spent several days with Mr R's. parents, Mr. C. F. Reindollar, of Clear Ridge.

Miss Effie Wagner is on a two week's trip to Baltimore.

Mrs. Leana Zile, of Winfield, spent some time with her sister, Mrs. William Segafoose.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlem Mentzer, of Blue Ridge Summit, are at Mrs. M's. parents, Mr. and Mrs Theodore Eckard's.

Mr. Edmund K. Fox visited Dr. J. J. Weaver for a short time.

Mrs. Geo. Selby entertained his sister, Mrs. Hixon Tagg, of Littlestown; his mother, of New Windsor, their daughter Florence and friend, of Baltimore.

Mr. Newlyn, who is travelling in the interest of Findlay College, has been entertained at Rev. Murry's. He preached in the Bethel on two nights while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Zollickoffer entertained at supper, on Wednesday evening, of last week, some friends from town and others from New Windsor.

The members of the M. P. Church held a Hallowe'en social at the parsonage Friday evening.

Wakefield Items.

We are sorry to state that our neighbors, Mrs. C. C. Richardson and daughters, have moved from this village to New Windsor, where they have purchased a handsome dwelling house. May they have health, happiness and joy in their new home.

Miss Carrie Belle Miller visited friends in Washington last week.

It became necessary for Mrs James J. Robertson, who underwent an operation at the Union Protestant Hospital, Baltimore, 2 weeks ago, to undergo another operation on Friday, 22nd inst.

Mrs E. A. Zile visited her daughter, Mrs. Will Foutz, at Winfield, on Monday and Tuesday, Oct. 25 and 26.

Mr. G. G. Bixler and family moved from this place, on Thursday, to Baltimore, for the winter.

The night series of meetings came to a close on Sunday night, Oct. 24, at the Brick M. P. Church.

Mr. Granville G. Bixler, Jr., was home with his parents over Sunday, Oct. 24th.

Miss Mabel Hann, of this place, visited friends and relatives in Baltimore last week.

Taylorsville Items.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Price and son Oliver spent Sunday, Oct 24th, with Mr. Frank Zepp and family.

Mrs. Kate Long, near Harrisville, spent Saturday afternoon, Oct. 23rd, with Mrs Charles Tucker.

Mrs. Elizabeth Brown and daughter, of Westminster, spent a few days with Mrs. B's. sister, Mrs. James A. Barnes.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Burdette, of Ridgeville, spent Sunday, Oct. 24th, with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Burgess Condon spent Sunday with friends at Winfield.

Mrs. Howard Price and son Oliver spent from Wednesday until Friday with Mr. P's. sister, at Frederick. They also attended the fair during their stay.

The new house being erected by Mr. Thomas A. Barnes will be ready for the plasterers the coming week. Mr. Shipley, of Harrisville, is contractor for the carpenter work.

A great many of our people attended the Frederick fair.

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