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COMPANY H. MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

The meeting held Tuesday night at the Armory was not all that was expected. Many of those expected to attend were not there. That may be accounted for, in part, because on the same evening an entertainment by local talent for the benefit of Grace Lutheran Church was given at the Opera House.

The meeting was presided over by Mayor Koontz and number of songs and hymns, including, America, My Maryland, Battle Hymn of the Republic, Old Kentucky Home, Old Folks at Home, Pack up your Troubles in your Old Kit-Bag, and There's a Long, Long Trail, were sung by the audience led by Prof. Woolsey.

Adjutant General Milton A. Reckord, a recent appointee of Gov. Richie, made an earnest plea for volunteers for Company H. When the war began Adjt. Gen. Reckord was a major of the First Maryland Infantry and in command of the battalion of which old Company H. Commanded by Capt. John N. Weigle, was a unit, and the old boys have a warm spot in their hearts for him. They served with him on the Mexican Border.

The address of the evening was made by Rev. Father McGuigan, pastor of St. John's Catholic Church of this city. It was complete and convincing and the young man who heard it should not hesitate a moment about enlisting in the guard and thereby show his patriotism to his state and nation—neither should any young man who did not hear him.

No appeal for volunteers was made, those in charge feeling, perhaps, that heart-to-heart talks are more successful than public calls.

Moving pictures of the war were shown, but those in the center or rear of the audience could not see them. Either the lights or the machine was not strong enough to throw the pictures the distance from the balcony to the rear of the stage.

The Boy Scout Band, under the leadership of Prof. Chas. Peltz furnished the music, and Mrs. Harry M. Kimmey presided at the piano.

Owing to the lateness of the hour Guy W. Steele Esq., who was down for an address did not speak.

WEDDINGS

RICHARDSON—COX

Wednesday evening, June 2, 1920, Miss Ruth S. Richardson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward G. Richardson, of "Brookside", Medford, this county, and Mr. Harry E. H. Cox were married at the residence of the bride's parents by Mr. James Frasier, of New Windsor Presbyterian Church in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives. Immediately after the ceremony a reception was held and refreshments were served.

Later in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Cox left for Niagara Falls. They will reside at Asbury Park, New Jersey.

GORE—WINEMILLER

Mr. Paul Gracen Gore, of Freeland, and Miss Margaret M. Winemiller, of Parkton, were married on Saturday morning May 29th at the Methodist Episcopal Parsonage by the Reverend Arthur C. Day.

KILLED BY HIS BROTHER.

Two Little Boys Play With Revolver With Fatal Effect.

Hanover, Pa., May 28.—Raymond Zumbrum, aged 11 years, was instantly killed this afternoon when he was accidentally shot with a revolver in the hands of his brother John, aged 13. The boys are the sons of Mrs. Lovie Zumbrum and were playing in the kitchen of their home in West Manheim township, near here. They were tusseling for near here. They were tussling for possession of the weapon when it was discharged. The bullet passed through the upper portion of the boy's breast.

And there aren't truck drivers enough to get the food supplies to the people, but half a million pleasure cars must have their chauffers.

The Sentinel has received a copy of the 50th. annual statement of the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Dug Hill, Carroll County. The amount of risks in force May 1, 1920 was $9,003,230, and the amount of losses paid were $24,582.10. The expenses were $3,183.32.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Robert Olen Wilson and Mamie Viola Knauff, both of Sykesville.

Robert Horner Likey, and Ida May Clary, both of Baltimore city.

Grover F. Graf, of Manchester, and Margaret E. Bloberger, of Baltimore city.

Paul Grace N. Gore, of Freeland, Md., and Margaret M. Winemiller, of Parkton.

H. Estell H. Cox, of Philadelphia, and Ruth S. Richardson, of Medford.

Herman Albert Ward, and Martha Pearl Hoff, both of Gamber.

George Folkert Simpers, and Flora E. Berwager, both of Manchester.

Orville Reese Metcalfe, of Washington, D. C., and Mildred Arteen Keefer, of Union Bridge.

Charles Franklin Herbst of Manchester, and Helen Ann Lamp, of Baltimore.

ORPHANS' COURT.

Tuesday June 1st.—Charles J. Keller, executor of Julia Jane Coon, deceased, reported sale of real estate on which the court granted an order nisi.

John C. Shreeve, surviving executor of Jesse F. Shreeve, deceased, returned an inventory of real estate and settled his third and final account.

David A. and Benedict B. Snyder, acting executors of Sarah E. Snyder, deceased, settled their first and final account.

Walter R. Rudy, executor of Kate Harn Bellison, deceased, reported sale of personal property.

John J. Shreeve and George L. Stocksdale, executors of Agnes M. Shreeve, deceased, reported sale of real estate on which the court granted an order nisi.

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE

George W. Jones and wife, to Arthur V. Leister, 170 acres for $12000.

Board of Education, to David N. Leister and wife, 1 acre for $75.

Wm. D. B. Hepner and wife, to J. Fred Rinehart, 148 sq. prs. for $500.

Samuel G. Frederick and wife, to Jacob C. Frankforter, 4356 sq. ft. for $350.

Ida J. Mitten et al., to Andrew J. Skipper, 1 acre for $10.

George F. Leister and wife, to Mary A. King, 1|2 acre for $2700.

Milton D. Crouse, to Susan Clapsaddle and husband, tract for $500.

Martha E. Fogle, to Margaret E. Rentzel, tract for $600.

Albert E. Lambert and wife, to Dawson H. Ecker and wife, 25 sq. per. for $10.

Lavina A. Brown et al., to Milton J. Study, 75 sq. prs. for $25.38.

Thomas Pickett et al., to Lloyd Pickett and wife, 25 acres, $1500.

Jesse E. Stoner and wife, to Samuel P. Caltrider and wife, 2 tracts for $10.

James E. Shreeve and wife, to Rosalie Manger and husband 4153 sq. ft. for $10.

Jacob M. Miller and wife, to Samuel G. Frederick et al., 1 acre for $800.

Milton A. Sullivan and wife, to John R. Guthrie, 2 lots, for $700.

Charles Brilhart and wife, to Chas. E. Barnhart and wife, 7 sq. prs. for $10.

James E. Shreeve et al., to John Scott Weller et al., 5940 sq. ft. for $10.

James E. Shreeve et al., to Henry M. Fitzhugh and wife, 3 acres 75 sq. prs. for $10.

OBITUARY

ELLA L. SHIPLEY

Ella L. Shipley died May 28, 1920, at the home of John D. Harp, Knoolwood, Howard county. She was a daughter of Milford D. and the late Maria Shipley, of this county.

The funeral services were held Sunday May 30, 1920, in Westwood M. E. Church. Howard county, and the interment was at Sykesville, this county.

The nominating speeches always demonstrate that this country is raising a large number of George Washingtons and Abraham Lincolns.

The Circuit Court is engaged in trying the case of Jesse H. Null vs. The County Commissioners of Carroll county, involving the question of the right to turn surface water on to Mr. Null's land. Steele for plaintiff, Seabrook, Bond and Parke for defendants.

ENTERTAINMENT AT OPERA HOUSE, "MISS ANN TEEK" GIVEN BY DORCAS CLASS OF LUTHERAN SUNDAY SCHOOL.

On Tuesday evening last, at the Opera House the Dorcas Class of Grace Lutheran Church Sunday School, this city, presented "Miss Ann Teek' very creditably before a full house. It was enjoyed very much, not simply because those taking parts were home folks, but for its merits and the manner in which the participants acquitted themselves.

The committee in charge of the entertainment consisted of Miss Margaret Wilson, chairman and Mesdames Carl Schaeffer, William Young, Helen Tracy and Martha Shaw.

CAST: Vivian, Miss Nettie Sebour; Elsa, Miss Emma Currens; Lelia, Miss Helen Reese; Helen, Miss Grace Lippy; Gertrude, Miss Emma Bemiller; Bob, Charles Stouch; Jack, Clarence Bell, and Miss Ann Teek, Miss Marjorie Armacost.

CHORUS; Mrs. Wm. Young, Miss Hilda Wertz, Miss Idona Baile, Miss Elsie King, Miss Eethel Marker Miss Mary Myers, Miss Margaret Wilson, Miss Margaret Currens, Miss Treva Miller, Miss Elizabeth Study, Miss Elizabeth Reaver, Miss Marjorie Yingling, Miss Marjorie Armacost, Miss Helen Miller and Miss Reba Bowers.

Pianist—Mrs. Carl Schaeffer. Male chorus—Mr. Zepp, Mr. Stouch, Mr. Bell, Mr. Anders, Mr. Bollinger, Mr. Arnold and Mr. Mathias.

During intermission Miss Mary Whitmore read "The Family Album" which was illustrated by living pictures. Music by Westminster Orchestra.

HELP FOR THE BLIND

Miss Lillian E. Latimer, Asst. Field Officer of the Maryland Association of Workers for the Blind, is spending a few days in Westminster.

Some of the objects of this association are: To educate children, to train adults, who have not had a chance; to find employment for the capable blind to pass away the tedious hours.

We hope that, the fact that there are several blind in this county will help to make the good people here realize the need for co-operation and that they will avail themselves of this opportunity to help the blind to help themselves through work, to be useful members of society.

TRIPS FOR GIRLS' CLUB MEMBERS.

The girls who won County Championship in Girls' Club work last year are Aileen Shriver, Union Mills, and Alice Reinhart, Union Bridge, with Mary Wolfe of Union Bridge and Rosalie Shriver of Union Mills as alternates. They will have a week's trip to Washington and College Park with all expenses paid. There are many others who deserved to be honored for work done.

Miss Everett has been called home suddenly on account of sickness and there will be no club meetings for two weeks. She wishes the president to call at least one meeting during her absence.

The camping trip to Big Pool is planned for July 25th to August 1st. A Girls' Short Course is being planned in home making problem. Demonstrations on sewing, bread making and canning will be given by girls themselves. Talks on personal hygiene, girls' dress, and the furnishing of the girl's own room will be given by specialists. Recreation of all sorts will be provided. A swimming teacher has been secured. Every girl club-member should plan to go. A week in the woods will do you good. We hope every girl will earn the $6.00 necessary for the board and room. About eighty girls from Washington and Carroll counties are expected. If you are planning on going notify County Agent's office, Times Building. Mothers need need not be afraid as the camp will be well chaperoned.

CARROLL REFORMED CHARGE

St. Benjamin's:
Sunday School 9 A. M.
Divine Service 10 A. M.
St. Matthew's, Pleasant Valley:
Sunday School, 1 P. M.
Divine Service, 2 P. M.

St. Benjamin's Reformed Sunday School will hold its Childrens' Day service on Sunday, June 13th at 9 A. M.

J. W. Reinecke, Pastor.

To-morrow Congress will adjourn sine die.

MEMORIAL DAY IN WESTMINSTER

Immediately after dinner the units which were to form the parade to the Westminster Cemetery began to assemble. The Veterans of Burns Post G. A. R., Veterans of Foreign Wars and the American Legion formed at the Armory and started toward the cemetery led by a fife and drum corps with U. S. Grant Brown as leader. The old flag of Burns Post was carried by Comrade Fossett, guarded by members of the American Legion and Veterans of Foregin Wars.

At Center street the parade was enlarged by 150 children carrying flags and flowers and led by the Boy Scout Band, Prof. Charles Peltz leader. The children were marshalled by Miss Mary B. Shellman, assisted by Miss Blanche Baer, Mrs. Louis P. Manning and Mrs. Russell Haines. Masters Henry Kimmey, Charles Groft and Francis Thomas, dressed in Army and Navy uniforms, led the line.

At the head of the whole line Chief of Police John Baile and Assistant William F. Helm marched and kept open the route.

At the cemetery Rev. W. L Seabrook offered a prayer, "Nearer My God To Thee" was sung, the ritual of the Veterans of Foreign Wars was read, and the Vets deposited a wreath of flowers and a flag on the mound in the center of the cemetery. During the strewing of flowers the band played at the grave of their former member Frank Miller, late of the U. S. Navy.

In addition to the published program the exercises at the Armory were enlarged in some respects. Burns Post G. A. R., having disbanded its flag, which has been carried for many years was presented by Commander John H. Mitten to the American Legion and the Veterans of Foreign Wars. In an appropriate response, Adjutant D. Eugene Walsh received the flag and promised that its present owners would ever cherish it. Miss Mary B. Shellman then committed to the American Legion, the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Boy Scouts the trust of perpetuating Memorial Day, now that Burns Post has passed out of existence.

Mr. O. B. Langroll, of Baltimore, a student at Western Maryland College recited Lincoln's speech at Gettysburg.

NOTES.

But one vacant draped chair was on the platform. It was crowned with flowers by Boy Scout Billy Ditman. Mrs. Estelle Kuhn, widow of Capt. Charles Kuhn, furnished the flowers.

The music, which was fine, was in charge of Mrs. Harry M. Kimmey.

Mrs. Samuel K. Herr, widow of the late Colonel S. K. Herr, who has taken an active interest in Memorial Day, and who is just recovering from a broken hip was in the audience, even though it required considerable to get there.

Mr. W. E. Matthews, of Sellersville, Pa., and Mrs. Elizabeth Thomson, who have not missed a Memorial Day service for 32 years, were also present.

An original poem entitled "To the Old Post", written by Miss Mary B. Shellman was read by her to the surviving members of Burns Post. It was in the nature of a farewell and created an impression upon the audience.

Mr. Joseph Englar, of Linwood, has sold his grain elevator to Messrs. Horst and Company, of Hagerstown.

Miss Lola Woods, of St. Mary's county, Maryland, is visiting Judge and Mrs. Wm. H. Thomas, this city.

On Thursday Dr. David J. Burrell, of New York, was elected president of the General Synod of the Reformed Church of America.

Mrs. William H. Owings, of E. Main street, this city, has gone to the University of Maryland Hospital, Baltimore, to undergo a surgical operation.

The young people of the Church of God will hold an ice-cream and strawberry festival on this Saturday, June 5, in Mrs. Mitten's basement, 2nd door from Keefer's Sanitary Store, Home-made cakes and candy also will be on sale. Everybody welcome.

NEW CHURCH DEDICATED IN WESTMINSTER, MD., JUNE 13th, 1920.

Attention is called to Sunday June 13th, 1920 when the new and beautiful Bethel of the Church of God at Westminster, Md., will be dedicated. A very interesting program is being prepared for the occasion. The public is cordially invited to these services. There will be three sessions, morning 9:30, afternoon 2.00, and evening 7:30.

Dr. William Harris Guyer, president of Findlay College, Findlay, Ohio, will have full charge of the day's program. Mr. Guyer is a speaker of great reputation, his messages are full power; don't fail to hear him. The Bethel will be dedicated after the evening service.

The Church of God at Westminster wishes to thank all who have in any way in the past been of assistance to the mission. The church in advance takes this privilege of giving expression as to its faith and confidence in the general public, believing that on the 13th of June, the day announced for the dedication, the financial burden of $8000.00 yet to be provided for, will, by the kind assistance of the friends of the church be gloriously and victoriously carried over the top.

The Church of God at Westminster, Md., is here to stay, and no one need to fear to make a contribution. We have been organized for over eight years. In the the past we were compelled to hold all our church services in a hall, a place very undesirable for to worship in, and the God above is the ony one who knows to what extent our faith has been tried during these years of strenuous labor; mixed with many disappointments. But we thank God, that instead of yielding in the hour of trial and discouragement we kept right on not for once entertaining the thought of failure or defeat. Thus thru God we have gloriously succeeded and gained the victory and are now worshiping God in his own temple.

As the pastor of the church I have not as yet made any personal solicitation. My purpose in not doing so, was, to first complete the building of the Bethel, then the public could judge as to whether the cause was worthy, also the church deservable. Now that the building is completed I leave this matter for the public to decide. We have tried to erect a house of worship that would do credit to the community, and the Bethel is open for the community's inspection. I will not speak for myself nor the small service that I was called upon, to render during the months while the Bethel was being erected. Only this much I will say. There was no kind of labor that I felt myself to dignified to help do During the work days of the week I was seldom seen with a ministerial garb on. I at least have tried to do one man's share. But speaking in behalf of the church, I can say with much pleasure, that a congregation could have been more loyal and true. As a church we acknowledge our past inefficiency, being much hindered with the obstacles of the past. We promise by the help of God to render more worthy service in the future.

The Church of God extends a hearty welcome to the stranger and non-church-goer. In the language of the one of old "Come thou with us and we will do the good" Our only aim and purpose is to be of helpfulness to others. We trust as a congregation we have rendered some worthy service. We believe that some homes in the community of Westminster are happier, and some folks better citizens since the Church of God has been organized in Westminster, Md.

As a church we solicit the prayers of all God's people every-where. Pray that we may be worthy of Christ's final blessing at the end of life's short day, "well done good and faithful servants".

John H. Gonso, Pastor.

INTERESTING SERVICES

Many persons have come to look forward with pleasure to the annual outdoor procession which will take place on St. John's grounds on Sunday afternoon at 5.30. A profusion of flowers and candles will be used in the decorations and an attractive musical program will be rendered.

In the morning the children of the parish will receive their first Holy Communion at a most interesting ceremony. Father McGuigan will preach at the morning service and the Rev. William A. Toolan of Baltimore will preach in the afternoon.

WESTMINSTER HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT

The Twentieth Annual Comencement of Westminster High School will be held Monday, June 7th, at 8 P. M. in M. N. G. Armory. The following program will be rendered:

Invocation, Dr. Edward H. VanDyke; Chorus, "Praise Ye The Father", Gounod, Fourth Year Class; Address, Dr. Charles H. Albert; Violin Solo, Beethoven, Romance in F, Mr. Philip Royer; Awarding Diplomas, Supt. M. S. H. Unger; Music, Triumphal March from Aida, High School Orchestra; Announcements, Prin. W. H. Davis; Chorus, "Anchored", Watson, Fourth Year Class.

The following will receive the State High School Diploma for satisfactory completion of a full four year course:

ACADEMIC—Julia E. Beach, Lyman D. Earhart, Dorothy E. Hoff, Elsie G. Hoffa, Miriam N. Hull, F. Lawrence C. Hull, David C. Meyer, Treva L. Miller, Helen M. Oursler, Helen R. Reese, Elsie E. Schaeffer, Charles R. Stouch, P. Virginia Trayer, Charlotte E. Walter, of Westminster; J. Melvin Kay, Finksburg; Frank W. Messler, Union Bridge; Lorrlynne E. Taylor, Patapsco; Victor R. Weybright, Detour.

COMMERCIAL—Walter J. Arnold, Ethel C. Brown, Ruth S. Helwig, Helen C. Michael, Ethel P. Mitten, Bessie S. Rosenstock, Philip S Royer, Hilda E. Schaeffer, Hilda S. Wertz, Mary S. Yeiser, of Westminster.

Harry Auldon Dobson, Uniontown, and David E. Stem, Westminster, have received special commercial certificates for satisfactory work in the commercial subjects.

PLEASANT VALLEY.

On May 29th at 2:30, the P. O. S. of A. Camp, No. 7, held its annual Decoration services which were largely attended. The Order led by the P. O. S. of A. Band, with the Sunday school, paraded to the cemetery, where all enjoyed three eloquent and inspiring addresses, by Revs. Day, Wolfe and Reinecke being attended by the largest audience for many years.

Arrangements are being made for Camp No. 7, to go to Uniontown on June 12 to participate in field day at that place, and all members of Camp No. 7 are urged to attend as well as all members of the band which will accompany to enliven the occasion.

There will be service at the church at 2 P. M. and C. E. Society at 7:30 P. M.

Uriah Fleagle, from the West, is visiting at J. Elmer Myers'.

Children's Day service on June 13, at 7:30 P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Myers were week-end guests at the home of Mrs. Myers' parents Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Devilbiss.

Miss Ruth Fitz from Gaithers, Md., visited her grandmother, Mrs. Mary E. Starner's.

SANDYVILLE

The Juniors and Intermediates had charge o fthe Christian Endeavor Society last Sunday night. They had recitations reading, luets and songs. At the close several persons who attended the county convention gave reports.

Sterling Caple will lead the meeting this Sunday night Roll-call and business meeting.

The L. T. L. met last Sunday morning. In the absence of the president, Miss Catherine Greene presided over the meeting. After the business a short lesson was given.

Sandy Mount Children's service will be held Sunday morning, June 20. If inclement it will be held at night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stocksdale entertained a number of relatives last Sunday.

A large number of persons from this place visited College Park, Saturday.

Messrs. Wm. Tanner, Ernest Stocksdale, Edgar Lockard and Guy H. Caple visited Washington, D. C., in the afternoon.

Harry D. Caple and others, from Govans, were in this neighborhood, Monday.

Preaching this Sunday morning at Sandy Mount at 10.45.

Pleasant Grove festival this Saturday night, June 5.

Rain is much needed at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Zepp, of Baltimore spent Sunday with Mrs. Lena Shilling, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Lockard spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Arnold.

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