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To the Republican Women of Carroll Co.

It gives me great pleasure to recommend to the women voters of Carroll County, Mr. Wesley C. Brooks, Candidate for the nomination of Register of Wills on the Republican ticket. I have known Mr. Brooks from childhood and know him to be a young man of good character, courteous and kind to all with whom he comes in contact and by experience as a deputy in the office fully equipped and competent to administer its affairs. If nominated and elected I feel confident that all women who have the misfortune, through the death of loved ones, to be obliged to go through the trying details of settling up an estate will meet kindness, courtesy and justice from him in all things pertaining to the office.

MARY BOSTWICK SHELLMAN.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH CONFERENCE AT W. M. C.

The Presbyterian Church will conduct a Leadership Conference at Westminster, from August 8 to 4 The buildings of the Western Maryland College have been very generously turned over to the Presbyterians during this period, and they will be used for the accommodation of the conference. Its purpose is instruction, fellowship, inspiration and recreation, and it is expected that 200 will be in attendance. While the conference is planned with Presbyterian young people in mind, there is not the slightest objection to having young people from the other denominations enroll and attend, and have full part in the advantages, so long as they are willing to comply with conference standards. The registration fee is $2.50, and room and board $12.50 for the full week. Rates will be given for shorter periods, and single meals will be served for 50 cents.

There will be evening vespers and inspirational meetings to which the public is cordially welcome. The conference authorities would be glad to have young people from different churches attend these meetings in groups. Upon notification of such intention, blocks will be reserved for seating same.

There will be courses in all modern church methods and work. Special courses in Missions, Sunday School, Young People's Societies, Personal Work, etc. The program follows:

8:00 to 8:20, Morning Prayers.
8:20 to 8:50, Study Period.
8:50 to 9:45, First Period Classes.
- Bible Evidences.
- Foreign Missions.
- Sunday School Organization and Management.
- Cradle Roll, Beginners and Primary Methods.
- Week Day Church School Work.

9:45 to 10:35, Second Period Classes
- Missionary Education in the Individual Church.
- Teacher Training.
- Young People's Society Methods.
- The Church Program of Religious Education.

10:35 to 10:50, Recess.
10:50 to 11:40, Third Period Classes.
- Bible Study.
- Home Missions.
- Teen Age Methods.
- Young People's Department Methods.
- Essential Christian Doctrines.

11:40 to 12:10, Open Parliament.
- Section 1. How Our Church Works. For older delegates.
- Section 2. Life Questions of Young People. For younger delegates.

Afternoons, Rest and Recreation.
Evenings, Vespers and Inspiration addresses.

MEETING OF POMONA GRANGE.

The fall meeting of Pomona Grange will meet at Medford, September 3rd. This is going to be a big day for grangers and their friends, as the National Grange Lecturer, Sen. Ketcham, of Michigan, will be present. This will be an open meeting so grangers are invited to bring friends to the afternoon session.

Sen. Ketcham is a fine speaker and will bring us a message from the National Granges and tell us some of the things we ought to know in regard to present legislation.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

Miss Marguerite Shunk, of this city, is visiting Mrs. James Andrews at Hurlock, Maryland.

Mrs. Joseph Stouch and son Charles, of this city, Sunday last visited Mr. and Mrs. John Byers, of Littlestown.

Mrs. Margaret Cassell, of this city, is a guest of her aunt Mrs. Carrie Harner, of Littlestown.

To-day Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Myers and daughter Harriet left for a two weeks visit in Absecon, New Jersey.

To-day the M. P. Church Sunday school of this city is spending the day at Druid Hill Park, Baltimore.

Mrs. Emanuel Bunty, McSherrystown; Frank Bunty and daughter Miss Gertrude and Frank Carbaugh, Hanover, spent Sunday in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Myerly and two children, of this city, spent the week-end with Mrs. Myerly's mother, Mrs. Alice Crebs, of Taneytown.

This morning Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beggs, of Tiffin, Ohio, who were visiting friends and relatives in this city, left in their auto for their home.

Yesterday after a three-day session at Aberdeen, Md., which was well attended the Baltimore Annual Conference of the M. E. Church South closed.

Mrs. J. Theodore Gosnell, of Mt. Olive, this county, who, during the week, visited relatives in Waynesboro, Pa., and this city, yesterday returned home.

Yesterday Mrs. Leeds K. Billingslea and Mrs. Mary S. Brooks, of this city, visited Mr. Leeds K. Billingslea, of this city, who is a patient in the Universty of Maryland Hosptal, Baltimore.

Everybody is going to attend the Carroll County picnic to be held Saturday, September 10, in the Meadow Branch Church grove, near this city. We will all have a grand and glorious time.

This afternoon a number of the members of the Westminster Fire Department went to Hampstead to attend the annual carnival now being held there which began Wednesday and will close to-morrow night.

Wednesday Lyman Hunter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Hunter, of near this city, had a finger on his left hand cut off by a job printing press which he was operating in the office of the Democratic Advocate, this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cunningham, of Washington, D. C., are here to spend the month of August with Mr. Cunningham's mother, Mrs. William H. Cunningham, Sunset Hill, this city.

Mr. and Mrs. James D. Mitchell and daughter, Mr. Upton L. Reaver and daughters, the Misses Mary and Elizabeth, and Mr. Eugene Reese, of this city, spent Sunday with Miss Emma Reaver, of Taneytown.

Mr. Paul Ridinger, of the Sentinel office who, last week, had his left foot caught in the large newspaper press, this week was able to assist in getting out the paper. His foot is still very sore and it will be some time before the broken bones will knit.

SPACE ALLOTTED GRANGES AT TIMONIUM FAIR.

Many Farmers' Clubs Enter Contest For Best Display Of Agricultural Products

Drawings for spcae in the Community Organization Building at Timonium Fair were made yesterday by granges and other farmers' organizations that are to have booths at the fair September 5th to 10th.

Representatives were present from Baltimore and other counties, and much enthusiasm was shown in the contest, which is for the best display of products of the farm. The spaces were allotted by M. L. Daiger, assistant secretary and treasurer, who explained that 10 prizes will be given.

The organization making the drawing and representatives are: Ringgold Community Club, Washington County, Daniel G. Howe; Third Gunpowder Club, Monkton, H. Guy Nelson; Rural Life Club, B. T. Brown; Freeland Grange, B. T. Brown; Preston Farmers' Association, Denton, W. Cullins Thomas; Jarrettsville Grange, S. J. Ady; Rockville Community Club, Montgomery county, C. L. Gilpin; Sparks Grange, William H. Carroll; Forest Hill Grange, Miss Hattie A. Poole; Long Green Grange, Mrs. H. S. Reier; White Hall Farmers' Club and Improvement Association, W. Evans Anderson; Harford Grange, Fallston, J. Leon Anderson; Sweet Air Community Club, Thomas L. Burke; Cambridge, Arthur K. Austin; Junior Gunpowder Agricultural Club, Glyndon, Frank J. Hoon.

CORN AND WHEAT FOR NEAR-EAST RELIEF.

Farmers of this county can ascertain from their county agent the collection points to which to take the grain for donation to the Near East Relief during the present appeal for corn and wheat which ends August 15, inclusive.

"Granges and county federations are given wonderful opportunity in this appeal to the farmers to perform a real humanitarian work," says Harold F. Pellegrin, Maryland Director, Near East Relief, "and we are counting heavily upon their co-operation. We are depending upon them mainly for the work of organization and the carrying out of the details for the appeal in the various counties and we feel sure this help is being cheerfully and heartily given."

The farmers are asked to give 14,000 bushels of both their surplus corn and wheat that an urgent and critical food crisis in the Caucasus and the Levant, threatening many thousands of adults and little ones, may be alleviated. The first donation reported to Maryland Headquarters, is 25 bushels of wheat from J. R. Selby, President of the Howard county Farmers' association.

DEDICATION OF KEYSVILLE LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Keysville will be the scene of an enthusiastic series of services commencing next Sunday morning at 10:00. At that time the new building of the Keysville Lutheran congregation will be dedicated, Rev. J. S. Simon, D. D., president of the Maryland Synod preaching the sermon. Rev. J. C. Nicholas, Pittsburgh, Pa., will officiate at night. During the week, Rev. L. B. Hafer, Taneytown; Rev. Guy P. Bready, Taneytown; Rev. W. C. Day, Emmitsburg; Rev. Charles Ritter, Mahanoy City, Pa.; and Rev. I. M. Lau, Littlestown, will preach respectively. August 14, communion and reception of members in the morning and Rev. R. S. Patterson, Woodsboro, will preach the closing sermon.

The new church is a beautiful building of brick with modern furnishings. Rev. W. O. Ibach is pastor of the congregation.

Special music will be in charge of the choirs of the Lutheran churches of Taneytown, Rocky Ridge, Emmitsburg, Union Bridge and Keysville.

The public is cordially invited to all services.

Sunday last Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cratin, of Union Mills, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Byers, of Littlestown.

FARM BOYS AND GIRLS RECEIVE INSTRUCTIONS

See Demonstrations And Hear Addresses By Experts At State University.

College Park, Aug. 2.—One hundred and seventy farm boys and girls, representing most of the counties of the State, today began a week of varied activities at the University of Maryland.

Most of them arrived late yesterday afternoon in charge of county and home demonstration agents who brought them in by automobile and train, in time for the welcoming address by Dr. A. F. Woods, president of the University of Maryland, and Dr. Thomas B. Symons, director of the extension service.

After setting-up exercises and breakfast which immediately followed the 6:30 reveille this morning, the boys and girls were grouped according to ages and were given class demonstrations under university professors and specialists of the extension service, who modified their class methods to suit the students. Instruction in poultry management, farm crops, tractor operation and livestock occupied the attention of the boys while sewing, canning and cooking lessons were provided for the girls.

Brief Talks Made.

At the assembly meeting just before noon, Louis McLane Merryman, of Baltimore county, who has been assisting in coaching boys' dairy judging teams throughout the State, and Miss Venia M. Keller, State home demonstration agent, made brief talks. Judge Frank I. Duncan, of Towson, and O. B. Martin, of the United States Department of Agriculture, are expected to speak here tomorrow.

The following county and home demonstration agents are here acting as group leaders: W. C. Thomas and Mrs. Edith Norman, of Caroline; O. C. Jones and Miss Elizabeth Hodgson, of Queen Anne's; S. E. Day and Miss Sue Garberson, of Washington; R. L. Post, of Howard; E. E. McLean, of Baltimore; H. B. Derick, of Kent; R. F. McHenry, of Allegany; Miss Ethel Joy, of St. Mary's; Miss Katherine Cowsill, of Montgomery, and Miss Ellen Davis, of Prince George's.

Miss Mabel Krall, of Philadelphia, who is connected with Young Women's Christian Association work; Miss Adele Stamp, of Baltimore, and Dr. A. W. Neal, superintendent of the Boys' Club, of Washington are all assisting in the program. Dr. Homer C. House, professor of English at the University of Maryland is leading the group singing.

To Pick "All-Star" Members.

West Virginia has sent here for the week four agricultural club members, who are selecting from the Maryland boys and girls' "All-Star" members. They are Raleigh Shawver, of Nuttallburg; Stephen Morton of Camden; Adele Bigelow of Parkersburg, and Gladys Scranage, of Grafton. The all-star organization originated in West Virginia and is composed of a select group of agricultural club members.

FAMILY REUNION.

A reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Ebaugh, of Hanover, Pa., in honor of Mrs. Ebaugh's brother and his family, of Ashly, Illinois, who travelled in an auto from their home to Hanover in five days. Mrs. Ebaugh's brother, Horatio K. Hoover, his wife, two daughters and a son made up the party. Among those present at the reunion were, besides the families of Mr. Ebaugh and Mr. Hoover, George D. Hoover and wife and son Oliver; Mrs. Rebecca Hoover, mother of George P. L. Hoover, and her two sons, George E. Hoover and Frank Y. Hoover; Mrs. Clayton Babylon and son Leroy Babylon, of Wakefield, this county; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bixler, Mrs. Michael Bilhart, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Benson, of Hampstead; Mrs. Maria Brilhart, of New Windsor, and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hull, daughter and three sons, of Westminster.

Every time the economizers save the government a dollar, some spender jumps up to get two dollars spent for something new.

The nations that come to the peace conference with chips on their shoulders may possibly get them knocked off.

OBITUARY

MRS. WM. H. ZELLER

Whilhelmine Zeller, wife of Wm. H. Zeller, a former resident of this county, died Saturday, July 30, 1921, at the residence of her son David A. Zeller, 1610 East 25th. street, Baltimore, in her 64th. year.

The funeral services were held Tuesday at German Evangelical Lutheran Church, Smallwood, this county, and the interment was in the adjoining cemetery.

FUNERAL OF PRIVATE CARL W. BEASMAN

The funeral services for Private Card W. Beasman, a member of Company A. Sixth Machine Gun Battalion, U. S. Marine Corps, who died in France October 7, 1918, will be held Sunday, August 7, at 2 P. M., at Freedom M. E. Church South, thiscounty, and the interment will be in the adjoining cemetery.

Private Beasman who was 21 years age, was the son of William and Annie R. Beasman, of Eldersburg, this county.

FANNIE E. ARNOLD

Fannie E. Arnold, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel M. Arnold died at the University Hospital, Baltimore, Saturday, July 30, 1921, aged 17 years and 5 months. The body was brought to this city the same day and taken to the home of her sister, Mrs. Paul E. Fowler, near this city, where she had been living. She is survived by the following brothers and sisters: Charles Arnold, Irvin Arnold, Emanuel Arnold, Vernon Arnold, Mrs. Paul Fowler, Mrs. Raymond Koontz, Aurelia Arnold and Nellie Arnold. Following a prayer at the home, services in charge of Rev. Betts were held at Sandymount Church Monday August 1st at 2 P. M. and interment made in adjoining cemetery. The pallbearers were James Little, Harold Stoner, Harry Nusbaum, Harry Brothers, John Shaeffer and Arthur Shaeffer. F. A. Sharrer & Son, funeral directors.

MRS. SARAH POWDER

Mrs. Sarah Powder died at the residence of her daughter Mrs. Frank A. Brightwell, Fair Ground Hill, this city, Friday, July 29, 1921, aged 79 years, 5 months and 5 days. She leaves the following children: Mrs. M. H. Wise and Mr. Leonard A. Powder of Union City, Indiana; Mr. Jacob Powder, of Unionville; Mrs. Julia A. Zentz of Baltimore; Miss Amanda Powder, of Washington and Mrs. Frank Brightwell, of this city. She is also survived by three sisters, Mrs. Robert McGinley and Mrs. Hetty Sator, of Indianapolis, Indiana, and Mrs. Anna Hill, of Des Moines, Iowa. Funeral services were held at the home Monday, August 1st, at 11 a. m., and interment made in Westminster Cemetery. The pallbearers were Messrs. Wales, Talbert Buckingham, Norris Stocksdale, George Stocksdale, Irvin Hunter and Edward Mancha.

F. A. Sharrer & Son, funeral directors.

LAWN FETE AND RAIN.

The inclement weather prevented the opening of booths at St. John's Lawn Fete during several evenings. In consequence the benefit will be continued on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings of next week. A cafeteria supper will be served each of these extra evenings.

WOMEN'S CIVIC LEAGUE MEETING

The July meeting of the Women's Civic League was held at the residence of Mrs. Martha Shaw, the ladies assembling on the cool and comfortable porch where swings and rockers had been placed. Some time was spent in that and then regular business was discussed. The Treasurer's report showed cash on hand, $326.81. Only a few chairmen of committees were present, and the principal business considered was the securing of a suitable building for the November entertainment, and the final decision was to rent the Opera House for the occasion. The meeting adjourned at 9:30.

Now that oil has been struck in Alaska, our government will probably feel that the people of that forsaken territory are entitled to better treatment.

POSTPONING R. R. DEBT.

Washington, August 4. "President Harding took another long step toward normalcy when he asked Congress to give authority to the War Finance Corporation to purchase half a billion dollars worth of railway securities," declares the Republican Publicity Association, through its President, Honorable Jonathan Journe Jr. "That is approximately the balance owed to the Government by the roads on account of additions and betterments made to the properties during the period of Federal control. It is in no sense a cancelation of the debt, but merely its postponement until such time in the future as the railroads can liquidate it without serious embarrassment to our transportation system.

"'I believe it essential,' said the President in his message to the Senate and House, 'to restore railway activities and essential to the country's good fortune to hasten both funding and settlement.' Mr. Harding knows, as every other sound business man knows, that efficient transportation must be maintained in the interests of the public welfare. It is recognized by those conversant with the facts that the standard of railway service must inevitably fall unless the roads are given the financial relief asked for them by the President. They have exhausted their credits with industries that furnish them with supplies, such as steel and lumber of which they are the heaviest users, and rapid depreciation is sure to follow unless new funds are forthcoming for maintenance.

"The President emphasizes the fact that the money is not to be appropriated for the purchase of bonds. It is already in the hands of the War Finance Corporation, lacking only Congressional authority for its use as railroad relief. 'There is no thought to ask Congress for additional funds,' declares Mr. Harding. 'No added expense, no added investment is required on the part of the Government; there is no added liability, no added tax burden.' How different is all this from the methods pursued by his predecessor in office. When more money was required to take care of the new burdens of expense loaded on to the roads by the Federal administration, the Treasury was asked to supply the funds and the taxpayers was called upon to increase their contributions to the cost of government.

"The roads are cooperating with the Government in the effort to bring about a speedy and permanent financial settlement. To that end they have waived temporarily their claims for added compensation on account of labor inefficiency during the period of Government control, those claims to be adjudicated later through the courts. The way appears to be clear for early adjustment, a consummation that will be materially hastened if Congress grants the relief asked. With the roads in position to take care of their pressing liabilities, the solution of other problems may be approached with confidence.

"The funding operation proposed by the President has the approval, and has been urged, by Senator Albert B. Cummins of Iowa, Chairman of the Interstate Commerce Committee. The inquiry conducted by that committee into the general railroad situation has convinced Senator Cummins that the railroads must be permitted to finance themselves if they are to be kept running. He points out that not only will the roads themselves be relieved, but all the industries to which the roads owe money will experience a marked revival, and the entire manufacturing situation will undergo a decided improvement. It can not be doubted that the wisdom of President Harding's recommendations will be seen by Congress and the necessary legislation speedily enacted."

CARROLL COUNTY PAGEANT SEPTEMBER 17TH.

Any one who has any information in regard to the early history of Carroll county, or any old relics which would help us in the arrangement of a historical pageant of Carroll county will please send such information to Miss Dorothy Elderdice, or Miss Rachel Everett, County Agent's Office, immediately. We hope to have such a pageant in the near future and would be glad to communicate with any of the old residents who could tell of those early times.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Arthur William Dumbauld and Helene Beatrice Shaum both of Taneytown.

Clarence C. Trump of Manchester and Cora A. E. Smith of Finksburg.

Walter C. Cook of Westminster and Evia B. Brown, of New Windsor.

George Rae Robinson of Philadelphia, Pa., and Edna Louise Grooms, of Sykesville, both Col.

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE

Paul Shaffer and wife to John W. Everhart and wife, 2 tracts for $10.

Paul L. Leese and wife to David J. Yingling and wife, 72 sq. per. for $4000

Theodore J. Mathias and wife to Herbert E Rhoten and wife, 1 1|2 acres for $160.25.

Edward A. Wachter and wife to Reginald Lowman and wife, lot for $300.

John F. Lockard to Hayden C. Bollinger et al. 42 1|2 acres for $10.

John F. Lockard to Edward Bollinger, 5 1|4 acres for $10.

George E. Wright and wife to Taylorsville Gen. Mdse. Store etc., lot for $500.

Howard S. Snyder and wife to Jesse V. Barnes and wife, 9000 sq. ft. for $5.

Philip H. Greenwood to Jesse D. Greenwood, 2 tracts for $10.

Wade H. Hobbs and wife to Walter J. Thomas, one acre for $10.

Elizabeth F. Crumrine et al to Edward J. Weaver, 3|4 sq. per. for $1200.

BIG LEAGUE STARS COMING TO WESTMINSTER

Desiring to give the fans of this city and the surrounding community the best possible in baseball, the Westminster Athletic Association has booked the American Chain Company of York, Pa. for a game here next Wednesday, August 10th. The American Chain Company Team is composed of players from the American, National, International and Virginia Leagues, and the brand of baseball which they will, no doubt, display will cause our boys to hustle in order to chalk up another victory to our rapidly growing list. It may seem to some that beating a team composed of all professionals is an impossible task for Westminster, but just remember that Westminster has one of the very best amatour teams in the State, and when our boys start hitting any pitcher has his work cut out for him. Among the more prominent players of the American Chain Company are: Hunter of Brooklyn Nationals, Elliott of Athletics, Orioles and Dry Docks, Costello of Orioles and Dry Docks, St. Martin of Montreal and Dry Docks, Dugan of Virginia League, Emlich of Athletics and Frank Dessau of Brooklyn and Orioles. In all probability Dessau will pitch the game, and many of the local fans will remember his wonderful work while with the Baltimore Orioles, where he was known as perhaps the best pitcher in the League. In addition to the American Chain Company Westminster will play Mt. Airy on the same date, thus making the first double header of the season for one admission. The selection of Mount Airy for the other half of this double header is a good one for they never fail to give Westminster a good run for the money.

The game with the American Chain Company was made possible through the services of Mr. John M. Reifsnider, Jr., formerly of this city, and now connected with the Chain Company. Needless to say, the game was booked at an enormous expense, and the Association is counting on the people of this city and the surrounding community to form the largest crowd of the season at College Field next Wednesday. First game starts at 2 P. M.

UTZ—FLICKINGER

On July 26, 1921, Miss Carrie V. Flickinger and Mr. George E. Utz, both residing on route 9, Wetsminster, were married at the Lutheran parsonage, Silver Run, this county, by the pastor, Rev. A. G. Wolf.

FREEDOM M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH

R. Carl Maxwell, pastor.

No preaching at Freedom at 11 A. M.; Military funeral of Carl Beasman, at Freedom at 2 P. M.; No preaching at St. James at 3 P. M., preaching at Bethany at 8 P. M.

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