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GENERAL LOCAL NEWS.

H. Winkley, at Alexandria, Va., has old arable land for sale. Globe Beer has the reputation; it is drunk by every nation.

The Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad has advanced freight rates on coal to Staunton manufacturers from \$1.25 to \$1.88 per ton.

Our coal dealers anticipated spring and warm weather, and as a consequence are not prepared to meet the continued demand for coal.

Chester and Timothy seed for sale by Wightman, Hisey & Co., at Woodstock and Edinburg.

The thirtieth session of the Washington Conference of the M. E. Church, closed, convened at Staunton Wednesday.

A fine new stock of wall paper, borders, etc., at Leitch's, 3d door above Catholic Church, Woodstock.

The Lyons farm, near Hebron Church, Augusta county, containing 185 acres, has been sold to J. C. F. Bell for \$6,475.

For Sale—A walnut marble top bedroom set, cheap, for cash. Also a carpet and hair mattress. Apply at this office.

Positively your last chance for Brown to make your pictures count day at Gillock's. Don't put it off. Everybody come.

Sole leather, trimmed or untrimmed, only 25c per lb. W. C. Barron.

When help-kicks become fashionable the general public will be able to keep well posted on the styles in hosiery—Shepherdson's Register.

Pure harness oil, something that will not gum, for sale at Grabb's Harness Store.

Prices range from two to ten thousand dollars at Excelsior Marble Works, Mt. Jackson.

Mr. Gabriel Smith, aged eighty-three years, and Miss Florence Webster, aged twenty-five years, were married in Luray last week.

The celebrated Globe Beer is for sale at Geary's, here.

No political preference shown. Republicans, Democrats, Prohibitionists and People's party monuments and tombstones at Excelsior Marble Works, Mt. Jackson, Va.

Fresh herring, spring onions, cabbage, etc. W. C. Barron.

Let the aspirants for the offices which are to be filled this year remember that the early bird catches the worm, and make their announcements forthwith.

Candidates in other counties are doing so every day.

R. F. Leitch, the celebrated paper hanger and decorator, has on hand a fine stock of wall paper, borders, decorations, etc.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Barbara Miller is very ill, at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Dan L. Lichliter, of this place.

Mr. Hugh Clover, of Washington, is now on a visit to his parents in this place. The girls all say that they don't want Hugh any longer.

Mr. A. H. Snyder, of the Rockingham Register, paid us a call last Monday. We are always glad to have our sanctum illuminated by his bright face, and our heart cheered by his encouraging words.

We regret to learn that our old friend, H. C. Tinsley, Esq., of the Fincleator, has been obliged to return to the Johns Hopkins hospital. We hope that it will be for a short time and that he will soon be at his post in the Fincleator office.

Our local Editor left us last Friday in order to witness the inauguration ceremonies at Washington. Up to the hour of going to press he has not put in an appearance. We feel justified in promising our readers something rich from his racy pen in our next issue. Look out for it.

Mr. Charles Sam has returned from Florida. He brought with him a lot of shells, alligators, tropical fruits, etc. He reports Dr. Carter as looking and doing well. Strathmore Allen, one of the Daedalus Kentucky horses, took the first premium at the Florida State Fair and is much admired by the crackers.

Quite a number of the Knights of Pythians, of this place, attended the funeral at Winchester, on Monday.

At a called meeting of King Arthur Lodge, No. 75, K. P. of Woodstock, to take suitable action upon the death of G. V. Chandler, Jas. A. Nulton, of Winchester, Va., Lodge No. 65, the following Knights were appointed to prepare suitable memorial resolutions.

WHEREAS, It hath pleased the Supreme Ruler of the Universe, to remove brother Jas. A. Nulton in the meridian of his noble, official and private life, and inasmuch as he was the instituting officer at the installation of King Arthur Lodge, No. 75, we feel moved by the bonds of fraternity to formulate the following resolutions as an evidence of the love which lodge No. 75 bore towards him.

Resolved, That in the death of brother Nulton our lodge has lost a sincere and earnest friend.

Resolved, That we cherish fond memories of his official and social contact with us as lodge and individual member thereof.

Resolved, That the order of K. of P. generally and Grand Jurisdiction of Virginia has lost an able champion and exponent.

Resolved, That we shall, as a lodge, endeavor to emulate the virtues of friendship, charity and benevolence, as he practiced them and exemplified them in his life.

Resolved, That we, as a lodge, tender to our sister lodge at Winchester the sincere expressions of our sympathy for them in the loss of one of the brightest ornaments of their lodge.

Resolved, That we tender to the stricken household of our deceased brother the most heartfelt condolences and sympathies in this hour of their darkest ordeal of their lives.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread on the minutes of King Arthur Lodge No. 75, and a copy be transmitted to the Winchester Lodge No. 65, and the family of our deceased brother, and the same be given out for publication.

Resolved, That we attend to the funeral of our deceased brother in a body.

Respectfully submitted, M. L. WALTON, W. H. BARKLEY, M. H. HORTON, Committee.

Black Peppin in Butter. Several of our exchanges have recently reprinted from the Richmond Dispatch a letter from Mary Hall, Omah, Nebraska, recommending the use of black peppin in churning.

The boys that went to Washington to the inauguration give very gloomy accounts of the weather and the suffering of the soldiers in line. It is very nice to play soldier in pretty weather, but to endure the hardships of a soldier's life for only one day is more than they could stand.

Subscribers living at a distance to whom we have repeatedly sent statements of their indebtedness to the HERALD are once more requested to send us the amount they owe. At the small subscription rate of one dollar a year we cannot furnish them the paper on time and wait until eternity for the money as some of them seem to expect.

After many persistent efforts Mrs. McCann, of this place, succeeded in getting one of her hens to set, last week. The news was most grateful to our manager and foreman; for they had already anticipated the joys which are produced by the savor of fried spring chicken—but alas! some miscreant, who had no regard for the seventh commandment, stole eggs and chicken, and converted the proceeds thereof to their own use.

Many Persons are broken down from overwork or household cares. Brown's Iron Bitters rebuilds the system, aids digestion, removes excess of bile, and cures malaria. Get the genuine.

Death of Colonel Nulton.

Col. Joseph Nulton, of Winchester, died of pneumonia at his home last Friday night. He was Colonel of the 24 Virginia Regiment. He had only been sick one week. He contracted his cold on the way to Richmond, where he had gone to arrange for his regiment to attend the inauguration. During the late war he was sergeant in Company F, Second Virginia Regiment, Stonewall Brigade. He was clerk of the Circuit Court of Frederick county, a member of the Turner Ashby Confederate Camp, a member of the Knights of Pythias and grand vice-chancellor of the State of that order. He was highly esteemed for his many excellent qualities.

Judge Turner Saturday appointed Mr. Howard S. Nulton to succeed his father as clerk of the Circuit Court for the county of Frederick and the city of Winchester. Mr. Nulton has been connected with the firm of Hensbrough & Carter in the insurance business for several years and is thoroughly competent to fill the position. The Circuit Court, which has been in session for several days, adjourned until after the funeral of Colonel Nulton.

On Wednesday J. W. Walters was received into the conference, and examination was passed favorably by the following ministers: William Lutz, W. H. Bartter, S. Scott, A. Hoover, George Harman, J. N. Fries, G. P. Holt, A. M. Horn, J. A. Evers, and J. E. Font.

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U. B. Conference.

The sixty-second session of the Virginia annual conference of the United Brethren in Christ convened Wednesday morning last week, at Hawkinstown, in the Castle of Elkhardt, Ind., with G. P. Holt as recording secretary and J. B. Chamberlain as statistical secretary.

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Hawkinstown News. The U. B. annual conference was held at this place last week, all spending a very pleasant time.

Misses Dora and Rose Neff and Alice Miller, of Quicksburg, and Miss Bowman, of Broadway, were the guests of Misses Cora and Pat Kagey last week.

Our County Towns.

The B. & O. Field, a publication issued regularly from the office of the Land and Immigration Agent of the B. & O. R. R., Baltimore, Md., and devoted to the interests of the country through which this great road and its branches extend, is doing splendid service for the counties of the Valley of Virginia. It brings our magnificent natural advantages to the notice of thousands of people throughout the United States who are looking for just such investments as the Valley offers. The March issue of this publication has the following to say about the towns of Shenandoah county.

STRASBURG, VA.—Fifty-two miles from Harper's Ferry. Has the advantage of two roads, the Baltimore and Ohio and the Richmond and Danville, and is going forward in industrial improvements. Has several potteries employing a great many hands. A new flooring mill, with a capacity of 200 barrels per day, is in operation, and the Southern Manufacturing Company have under construction a large plant for the manufacture of horse and mule shoe. The Shenandoah river passes near by. The town is in a picturesque region and a rich farming and stock raising territory.

FISHER HILL, VA.—The first station south of Strasburg. A farming, stock raising, timber and mineral section.

TOM'S BROOK, VA.—Fifty-five miles from Harper's Ferry. Is one of the most progressive villages in the Shenandoah Valley. A great many new buildings have been erected during the past year. The industrial enterprises at this point are lime kilns, operated by Jones & Bauserman, and Mr. J. S. Borten has a successful factory turning out barrel staves and headings.

MAURERTOWN, VA.—Two miles south of Tom's Brook. Has a population of 150 and is surrounded by an excellent agricultural district. Has schools and churches, and is the location of a saw mill.

WOODSTOCK, VA.—This town, with a population of 1,200, is the county-seat of Shenandoah county. In the way of industries it has in operation a furniture factory and three flouring mills; also a capacity of 100 bbls. and the other two 50 bbls. each per day. In addition to these there are several smaller industries. An iron foundry and machine shop is located here, not now in operation. The plant consists of good buildings equipped with a considerable amount of machinery and is situated not more than seventy-five feet from the track of the B. & O. R. R. The owner who formerly operated it is an elderly gentleman of means and does not care to have the responsibility of the business. This accounts for its being idle. It could readily be converted into a furniture factory or almost any wood-working establishment and operated to advantage. The terms of sale or lease could be easily arranged to suit parties. We will be glad to give details to any one who may be interested. The B. & O. R. R. has a beautiful station building here, built of stone of unique design. The private dwellings are ornamental and comfortable, and present a very creditable appearance. There is a flourishing band in the town, and church spires rise at frequent intervals. Two weekly newspapers of large circulation are published here, and the large fair grounds of the Shenandoah County Agricultural Society, one of the most successful in the State, are located at this place. The country tributary to Woodstock contains some excellent farming land on which good crops are raised, as well as stock and poultry.

EDINBURG, VA.—This town is the shipping point for the Liberty Iron Company's products. They have large furnaces eleven miles west, from which a narrow gauge railroad extends to the B. & O. R. R. at this town. The plant has a capacity of seventy-five tons of iron per day, and there is apparently an inexhaustible supply of ores.

As a new industry at Edinburg, we notice a planing mill and lumber yard. There are also several new houses being erected, which manifests a spirit of progress. The Stony Creek manufacturing Co.'s wood-working establishment is also located here.

One mile from the town is said to be an abundant supply of black and variegated marble, with traces of what appears to be lithograph stone and granite.

This deposit is entirely undeveloped and samples submitted show it to admit of a very fine polish. The stone rises in a bluff about 125 feet high from the Shenandoah river, and crops out on the surface for half a mile back. We will be glad to obtain samples for interested parties and arrange for them to examine the property. There certainly appears to be some merit in this deposit; at any rate it is worth investigation.

NEWS FROM EDITH. It has been some time since we have written any items from this place, but now pen a few, which we trust may escape the waste basket.

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The deceased was married to Margaret Glenn on the 25th day of July, 1932, and lived in happy union with her until his death, and was a good and kind husband and father and a worthy and useful citizen.

Eleven children were born to them, four sons and seven daughters. Deceased had 43 grand children and 13 great-grand-children. Three of his children preceded him to the spirit land, 1 son and 2 daughters.

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NEW MARKET, VA.—Has a population of 750. The main portion of the town is situated about one mile from the B. & O. depot. Has five churches, four schools and one college. Several flouring mills within two miles of the town. Is the location of wagon factory buildings which can be leased on easy terms. Has a water power. Iron, magnesia and other minerals in the neighborhood.

All designs, from the pianest to the most elaborate, any style executed, building marble of all kinds, curbing, vases, iron fencing, monuments and tombstones furnished by Excelsior Marble Works, Mt. Jackson, Va.

EXCHANGE NOTES.

The North River correspondent of *Yost's Weekly*, of last week, says: The spontaneous revival at Spring Hill, notice of which was made in the last issue of the *Weekly*, continues with unabated vigor. Up to last Monday twenty-six conversions were reported, and the meetings seem to grow in interest as they progress. The services are held without the aid of a regularly ordained minister, the congregation being addressed by any one whom the spirit moves when the proper time arrives. The other portions of the service are provided for in the same manner, and the revival is attracting much attention in that section of the country, as much from the results obtained in the way of conversions as from the unorthodox manner of its origin and conduct. It is a forcible illustration of the fact that regular church organizations are not essential to successful spiritual revivals.

Hampshire Review: The 'Gest couple ever divorced in this county and probably in the State, figured in the last term of court here. A divorce was granted Mrs. Mary Ann Shoemaker, aged about 70 years, from her husband Wm. Shoemaker, who is nearly 75 years of age. They had lived together for forty years, when some trouble arose and the old lady applied for a divorce. They have children married and grand-children of considerable size. The decree of divorce allows the old lady alimony to the amount of \$35 a year, but provides that neither party shall ever marry again. Our opinion is, that that part of the decree was superfluous. They were residents of Mill Creek District.

Woman: Mrs. Warren, of this town, a woman in many respects remarkable for one of her age, is now in her 84th year, daily employed in making a silk s'mber robe to be sent to the World's Fair. She takes great pleasure in the work, which is said to be beautifully executed.

Two children, aged respectively one and three years, of Mr. Thomas Fox, a highly esteemed and worthy citizen living on Dry Run, this county, died of pneumonia last Friday night within five hours of each other. They had been sick for several days, but their parents not fully appreciating their condition failed to call a physician until the disease had made such progress as to be beyond medical skill. Mr. and Mrs. Fox have the sympathy of a large circle of friends in their affliction.

Mr. H. P. Hershberger has in his possession a very rare coin that came into his possession in 1858, as one of the administrators of John Beaver, the father of Mr. Daniel Beaver, and also father of Mrs. Hershberger. Among Mr. B.'s effects two gold coins were found, the other going to Mr. Daniel Beaver. They are very old gold, about the size of a quarter of a dollar, though somewhat thinner. There is nothing on them to indicate their value, though in response to an inquiry made by Dr. Hudson of the U. S. Treasury that official states that it is "an old half eagle or \$5." It was made in 1803. On one side is the cap of Liberty, 13 stars, and date; on the other is an eagle, shield, 13 stars, and the words "UNITED STATES OF AMERICA." The one in Mr. H.'s possession has been but little used, and altogether is a very rare and handsome coin.

Last January 30, Henry and Sandy Eppard, aged respectively 21 and 23 years, sons of Mr. James D. Eppard, a worthy citizen of the Nated Creek neighborhood, this county, left home for West Virginia where they expected to obtain employment. Henry was taken sick in a few days and returned, leaving his brother from whom nothing was heard till about a week or ten days ago. It was then learned that Sandy had also started home on the 15th of January, and at Hinton, W. Va., on the 19th, he was run over by a railroad locomotive and killed. His identity was not known till a few days ago when his body was disinterred by some one who was looking for another man that had been missing for sometime. It was then discovered that the dead man's name was Eppard, and his family in this county was communicated with. His father then had the body disinterred, and finding it to be his son brought it home for burial, which took place at his home last week, twenty-four days after his death. The affair is altogether a very sad one, and Mr. Eppard and family have the sympathy of many friends in their bereavement.

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Another Letter from Florida.

In your communication from Florida last week, I concede that Mr. Samm has "one on me." The tortle egg story is absolutely true, but not on your humble servant. It really occurred with a gentleman living in this section. I being a physiologist could not have fallen to a trap like that. Also the prize I received for being the best player at progressive euchre was secured at a private entertainment. By the way, the social advantages of Mandarlin surpass that of any other place of its size in this State. The weekly social events compare favorably with a large city. Private theatricals, whist and euchre parties are participated in by both old and young. In fact no one seems to grow old. All enjoy themselves. It is a quite frequent occurrence to see ladies and gentlemen over seventy years engaged in dancing and cards.

The weather is delightful here, the thermometer ranging from 70 to 80 in the shade. Strawberries and all kinds of vegetation are in the market. One gentleman here has over one hundred thousand stands of celery, which is proving to be quite profitable, as he is now receiving from fifty cents to one dollar per dozen for it. Last year one person's receipts for strawberries alone was over sixty thousand dollars.

Messrs Samm and Hoover are delighted with Florida. With kindest regards, yours truly, D. D. CARTER.

DIED. Ada Bell, daughter of Perry J. and Louisa Bell, of Zepp, this county, was born May 2, 1892, and died Feb. 26, 1933, aged 8 months and 29 days.

Mrs. Mildred Ordoff departed this life at her home in Zepp school-house, this county, Feb. 23d, 1933; aged 67 years. She was a good Christian woman, a faithful member of Mt. Zion Lutheran church, a kind and obliging neighbor, and a true friend. Her life well ended. She now rests from her labors and her works follow her. Though the call came sudden, yet she was ready to go having for the some time longed to depart and be with Christ.

In Tom's Brook, Ethel Loraine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Frick, fell asleep in Jesus March 4th, 1933; aged 4 years and 1 month. May the much bereaved parents take comfort from the Master's own precious word: Suffer the little children and forbid them not, to come unto me, for of such is the kingdom of heaven.

Claude Allen, little son of Mr. Joseph Painter, of Willow Grove, died March 2, 1933; aged 1 year, 4 months and 21 days. Exceedingly bright and interesting, little Claude