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FEVERAL LOCAL NEWS

You can get a fine gilt paper for 7c roll at C. F. Fravel's.

We have corn, hay and fodder for sale. Saum & Eppard.

I will be in New York next week buying spring goods. T. G. Locke.

We have the best fine wall paper ever sold. C. F. Fravel.

Our new matings are in. Glenn Locke.

Just received a good lot of fresh cotton seed meal. Farmers Union.

FOR SALE—A few young maple trees. Mrs. M. J. Ewers.

FOR RENT—A five room dwelling, on Main street, apply at HERALD office.

Get DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve—it is good for piles. Sold by Walton & Smoot.

Our Spring wall paper is coming in daily. Prices lower than ever known. C. F. Fravel, Woodstock.

Mr. H. G. Chinedinst will sell personal property at Toms Brook, on Saturday, March 28.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, small, safe, sure little liver pills. Sold by Walton & Smoot.

HOUSE AND LOT for rent, also Blacksmith Shop if desired. G. W. GILL.

Special Sale Enamelware at Glenn Locke's. Some pieces worth up to \$1.50, choice 50c.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Newton have moved from Main street to the property on west Spring street, which they recently purchased of Judge Tavenner.

WANTED—A good farm hand with small family that can go a head with good reference, no other need apply. Geo. H. Gochenour, Woodstock, Va.

The Wm. Gochenour farm on Narrow Passage Creek at St. Luke was sold at public sale to Mr. Jas. Fultz, for \$7,000.

ROOMS FOR RENT—Pleasant Rooms for rent from June 1st. Apply to MISS ELEN MARCH, Woodstock, Va.

The Farmers' Mill on Narrow Passage, near St. Luke owned by Mr. W. F. Wilkin has been turning out flour of excellent quality and it has proved a great convenience to people living in that section of the county.

Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup is a new remedy, an improvement on the laxatives of former years, as it does not gripe or nauseate and is pleasant to take. It is guaranteed. Walton & Smoot.

Dr. D. L. Shaver and Mr. Jos. G. Sager have put acetylene gas plants at their residences and are highly pleased with the bright, soft light. Mr. E. M. Bushong is the agent for this section and is kept busily engaged.

Invest your money in the 4 per cent Certificates of the Shen. Valley Loan & Trust Co., Woodstock, Va. Security unquestioned. Interest payable semi-annually, and Certificates redeemable any time after six months on short notice.

Put your savings in the Savings Department of Shenandoah Valley Loan & Trust Co., Woodstock, Va., at 3 per cent, compound interest. Amounts of \$1.00 and upward received. The only savings institution in the county for the accumulation of the small savings of laboring men, women and children.

Question: When is a pain not a pain? Ans: When it is due to a condition that can be reached by an external application and somebody has been thoughtful enough to purchase beforehand a half pint bottle of Elliott's Emulsified Oil Liniment for 25c. and rubbed the affected parts freely. Guaranteed by Walton & Smoot.

WANTED—A wife, between the age of 16 and 60. Blonde preferred. Brunette with blonde teeth will do. Money no bar to eligibility. More money more eligible. I am 40 years old, weigh 185 pounds and was considered good looking by my nurse. Address, A. J. G., Box 72, Warren, Idaho.

Mr. P. E. Lindamood, has sold his place at Headquarters, and has moved to Strasburg. His farm of 52 acres sold for \$5,850, which is considered a good price. His personal property went at figures less satisfactory, but it was not sacrificed. George Tysinger will move into the residence vacated by Mr. Lindamood.

WANTED—A man of energy and ability to sell reliable nursery stock; 600 acres; established 55 years; varieties especially adapted to Virginia; reference or security required. For terms and territory address Hoopes, Bro. & Thomas Co., Stephen Girard Building, Philadelphia.

The road to Woodstock to Mt. Calvary is a disgrace to the civilization of the age. No better expenditure of money can be made by the town than to put this road in good condition, so far as it is within the limits of the corporation, and render assistance if necessary beyond the corporation lines. There is but one way to make a good road, and the town should realize that fact. Let it be macadamized and we will have a good road at all seasons. Stone wall District and Woodstock should have a rock breaker. Engines could be gotten on good terms to break up the rock and in a short time, we would have a road that would be a credit, instead of a disgrace, to town.

PERSONALS.

Miss Margaret Pulliam is visiting her sister in Luray.

Mrs. S. J. Hoffman visited relatives in Edinburg, last week.

Mr. Kirby Orndorff has returned from Washington.

Mr. Levi Emswiler has moved to Jacksonville, Florida.

Mr. Saml Hisey is critically ill at his home near Calvary.

Mrs. Arthur Phillips is quite ill at her home on South Church.

Mrs. Charles Burner is visiting friends in Harrisonburg.

Mr. Jas. M. Palmer was in town, on Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Gella Ramey returned from Harrisonburg last week.

Mr. S. T. English is in the Northern cities this week, purchasing goods.

Mrs. Snelling, of Strasburg, visited her sisters in this place, this week.

Miss Lucy Ott left Friday morning to visit friends in Willsburg, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Geary were in Harrisonburg the first of this week.

Mr. Herman Bash, of Conoverville, paid us a pleasant visit last Monday.

Mrs. Mary Hottel, of Washington is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. S. French.

Miss Ella Magruder is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. O. Laughlin, in Wheeling, W. Va.

Mr. Wm. McInturff, of Washington was called home by the death of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kneisley, of Strasburg visited Mr. K's father, Mr. L. C. Kneisley and family.

Mr. F. S. Bowman left last Monday for the Eastern cities to purchase his spring and summer goods.

Mr. Ed. Hickman and Mrs. Campbell of Mt. Jackson were in Woodstock last Wednesday.

Mr. J. L. Wisman returned from Florida last Tuesday. He is greatly pleased with St. Petersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Spitzer, of Frederick county, attended the funeral of Mr. Levi McInturff, last Saturday.

Rev. W. E. Parish, of Berryville, is visiting his brother-in-law, Mr. J. A. Seoville, at Woodstock Lime Works.

Mr. Gilbert M. Keller, of Loudoun county, visited his friends in this county, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Fristoe, of Parkersburg, W. Va., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Walton last week.

Mr. J. L. Shaffer, of the firm of J. L. Shaffer & Co., is in the Northern cities this week purchasing a stock of spring and summer goods.

Miss Mabel Walton who has been visiting her friend Miss Hattie Wyser at Pulaski, Va., returned to her home in this place, Monday.

Mrs. Lucy Rush who has been visiting her daughter Mrs. Ray Gant in Clark county returned to her home near this place Wednesday.

Miss Martha H. Paxton, of Natural Bridge, Va., who had been visiting Mr. J. C. Paxton and family returned to her home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burner who have been living in Cumberland, Md., for the past three years, returned to Calvary, last week where they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pike, of Washington, visited Mr. J. C. Paxton, this week. Mr. Pike is a member of the geodetic corps of surveyors.

Mrs. C. L. Bowman, Mrs. May Jordan and Miss Annie Davoll, of Mt. Jackson, were in Woodstock last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Grandstaff, of La Porte, Ind., and Mr. A. F. Grandstaff, of Red Banks visited Mr. Frank Fravel and family last Wednesday.

Mr. Robert McInturff, of McComb, Miss., was called by his old home by the death of his father. Mr. McInturff is a conductor on the railroad and enjoys the full confidence of his company.

Mr. J. L. Feller, cashier of the Valley Savings Bank, who has been living in the Wisman property on South Main street, has moved, with his family, to his farm near Mt. Olive.

Educational Meeting.

An educational meeting will be held at the Court House, next Wednesday, to which everybody, especially business men, are invited.

Hon. J. D. Eggleston, jr., Supt. of Public Instruction of Virginia; Prof. Ormonde Stone, University of Virginia, and Prof. Charles G. Maphis, Examiner for the Fifth Circuit, of Virginia will deliver addresses.

Miss Williams Entertains The Tuesday Club.

The Tuesday Club was entertained by Miss Nan Williams on the evening of St. Patrick's day and everything was arranged to remind the guests of Erin's Patron Saint. The menu was adorned with Shamrock and each bore some quotation from one of Ireland's poets. Green and white were the predominant colors in the decorations. An elegant lunch was served.

History of Frederick County.

Mr. T. R. Cartmell, for many years Clerk of the Circuit Court of Frederick county has prepared a history of that county. Citizens of Shenandoah will be much interested in this history, as Shenandoah was originally a part of Frederick county. The history as taken from the old records, as well as that of Revolutionary times, sketches of villages, churches, &c. will render this work valuable to all classes. A prospectus of the work will be sent by applying to F. K. Cartmell, Winchester, Va.

Cloth all Wool and Paint all Patent, is cheaper than shoddy cloth or shoddy paint. The L. & M. is Zinc Metal made into Oxide of Zinc combined with White Lead, and then made into paint with pure Linseed Oil in thousand gallon grindings and mixings. Wears long; actual cost only \$1.20 per gallon. L. & M. Paint, Agents, The Shenandoah Farmers Union.

Plants for Sale. Cabbage and Tomato Plants for sale. Address, WALTER M. FRAVEL, March 20—Imo. Woodstock, Va.

William C. Fox, a prosperous hardware dealer, of Front Royal, aged 38 years, died Tuesday of consumption.

Mr. Gill Will Move to Pittsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Wm. Gill will move to Pittsburg, Pa., about 15th of April where they will make their future home.

Mr. Gill has been one of Woodstock's most honored citizens for the past 61 years. He was born in Winchester in 1843 and came to this place with his parents when he was four years old. As soon as he was late enough he went with his uncle, the late Jacob Anderson, where he served his apprenticeship in the old blacksmith shop, on Main street next to the Reformed Church.

During the civil war, Mr. Gill served with the Muhlenberg Rifles, Co. F, 10th Va. Infy. At the close of the war, he opened a blacksmith shop and has continued working at his trade on South Main street ever since. In 1889-93 he was a member of the Town Council.

Mr. Gill was the father of eight sons and one daughter, all of whom are living except one, the late Robt. Gill. Russell, his seventh son, enlisted in the U. S. army and went to the Philippine Islands in 1899, where he served three years, and sailed for the United States. He landed in San Francisco the summer of 1902 and wrote his father that he had landed safe and would start for home in a few weeks, which was the last ever heard of him. Mr. Gill thinks that he must have met with foul play, or was killed in a railroad accident.

Four sons live in or near Pittsburg and Mr. and Mrs. Gill are going to the Smoky city, to spend the evening of their lives, so they will be near them.

Death of Levi McInturff.

Mr. Levi McInturff, a veteran of the Mexican and Civil wars, died at his home near Woodstock, last Thursday night, in the 84th year of his age.

For several years he had suffered from disease and the infirmities of old age. He was a member of the Primitive Baptist church.

He was a good man, highly esteemed by a large circle of friends. He is survived by his wife, three sons: Messrs. Robt. McInturff, of McComb, Miss., Wm. McInturff, of Washington, and Ed. McInturff, and five daughters: Mrs. Laura Cooley, Mrs. Perry Miller, Mrs. Chas. Orndorff, of this county, Mrs. Charles Spitzer, of Clarke county, and Miss Maggie McInturff.

His funeral was conducted by Rev. W. J. D. Sherer, of the Lutheran church, last Saturday, and his body was buried in Massanutten cemetery.

PUPIL ASSAULTS TEACHER.

Winchester, Va., March 17.—Several hundred men and women from all sections of Frederick county were attracted to-day to Whitehall, where Judge Luther Pannell had the trial of Robert Brannon, a pupil of the Green Spring public school, who was alleged to have stoned a United States flag that had been raised at the school-house recently, and who was charged with assault and battery on his teacher, Frank Shippe.

The Federal authorities failed to appear against Brannon, but he and his mother, Mrs. Rose Brannon, and several young men friends, who had assaulted Teacher Shippe on a dark and lonely road several nights ago, were assessed with fines aggregating nearly \$78. Intense feeling prevailed during the trial, and it was with difficulty that the officers maintained order.

Prof. Shippe is a son of the late "Son" Shippe, who was killed by a Southern freight train at Hawkins town last spring and is well known in this county.

J. L. Boyer Back With Harvester Company.

Mr. J. L. Boyer, of this place, has accepted a position as assistant of Mr. W. M. Masters, who has charge of the Valley for the International Harvester Co., and has entered upon his duties. Mr. Boyer is well and favorably known through out the Valley, and once before was connected with the international people. For some time past, however, he has been with the Thomas Manufacturing Co.

Church Notes.

Rev. W. A. Lynch will preach his last sermon before a conference at Wesley chapel next Sunday morning and at Jadvyn Sunday afternoon.

Regular services were held in the Methodist, Lutheran and Presbyterian churches last Sunday morning and night.

Rev. J. W. Webster, a Presbyterian minister at Capon Bridge, W. Va., has received a call to Front Royal.

You will Laugh, Look, Listen FRIDAY NIGHT, MAR. 20

IRWIN'S OPERA HOUSE.

BIG MINSTREL SHOW

A CARNIVAL OF Cake Walking, MUSIC, MIRTH and MELODY.

A Big Attraction. A Small Admission Fee.

10 Cents. Reserved Seats 15c.

THE BEST LOCAL TALENT.

Benefit of NEW TOWN HALL.

FRIDAY, MARCH 20th, 8 p.m.

The graded school at Craigville, Augusta county, were closed by reason of several cases of smallpox, and the remainder of the session will probably be lost.

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THE APPLE CROP OF 1907.

Last year the large apple crop was expected, but on account of the unusual weather in March and April, when the mercury rose to 93 degrees in March and as low as 19 degrees in April, many apples were frozen, especially in young orchards.

We publish below a report from Capt. C. M. Borum, Traveling Freight Agent of the Southern Railway, showing the number of barrels of apples shipped from the Valley and Washington and Ohio branches of the Southern Ry.

It will be noticed that of the 69,221 barrels shipped from points from Harrisonburg to Manassas nearly 43 per cent was from Shenandoah county.

Strasburg, Va., Mar. 15, 1908. Capt. John Grabb, Woodstock, Va.,

Dear Sir:— As per request, I hand you herewith record of apple movement during the past season from line of Southern Railway, Harrisonburg and Manassas branches, showing territorial shipping points or sections in which sections of country to which shipments have been made.

Apples have moved as follows: From Harrisonburg to New Market, incl., 4719 bbls.

From Quicksburg to Edinburg incl. 3398 "

"Woodstock to Maur-crown incl. 5192 "

"Toms Brook to Strasburg incl. 21,054 "

"Waterlick to River-ton incl. 435 "

"Front Royal 23,048 "

"Happy Creek to Manassas incl. 11,377 "

Total 69,221 bbls.

You will note from above that Shenandoah county has furnished 29,644 bbls. of this entire movement and Rockingham only 4719. It is true that a good many apples from Rockingham went out by Chesapeake Western R. R. through Elkton and Valley R. R. through Staunton. A good many of these above credited to Rockingham, were delivered to Southern Ry. at Harrisonburg, by both Chesapeake Western, and B. & O., hence I assume that other lines did not get any more of the business than the Southern Ry.

Now when we come down to the territorial division of our own county, we find the entire upper end, down to Edinburg inclusive, shipped only 3398 bbls. Then we reach out another 6 miles which takes in Woodstock and Maurertown, and we have 5192 bbls. Then Toms Brook to Strasburg incl., which shows a total of 21,054 bbls.

It is proper, however, that I should say that most of these credited to Strasburg came to us at Strasburg Junction from B. & O. But I do not count shipments from Capon Roads, which I have been unable to get officially, but am unofficially advised, the total is about 6000 bbls, so, if this is correct, and I think it is nearly so, it would be fair to credit the territory, Toms Brook to Capon Roads, with about 29,000 bbls.

You must also understand that the movement from Front Royal of 22,046 bbls. embraces shipments from Rappahannock county which has outlet by Manassas branch of Southern Ry. Parts of Rappahannock county are nearer our main line than Manassas Branch, and take cars at Culpeper and other stations on main line, but I think a large majority of the business comes to Front Royal.

The entire apple movement from my territory which includes 4268 bbls. from Washington and Ohio Branch, is 72,525 bbls. and has been distributed as follows:

Eastern Cities and Exp't 14966 bbls.

Winchester Cold Stor. 8,478 "

Front Royal B " 1,500 "

Local Points 870 "

West 7,221 "

South 40,489 "

The proportion of the crop as taken by the South, is very suggestive when we remember that that section, in 1905, took only about 12,000 bbls. out of a total production in the same section of 95,000 bbls.

This year, with a shortage of 25 per cent, or only 73,000 bbls., the Southern section of our country takes over 40,000 bbls., showing clearly that the Valley of Virginia grows apples, and that soon with the enormous Southern Territory opened up to us by the Southern Railway, we will get able to grow them in sufficient quantities to meet Southern demands.

Yours truly, C. M. BORUM,

T. F. A.

I omitted to say that Judge Tavenner, of Woodstock, sent out the finest car load of apples with Mr. John Pifer of Fishers Hill, a close second.

C. M. B.

TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS.

To all of our subscribers who receive their papers in single wrappers, from California to Virginia, we have sent kind invitations. If you can not appear in person please send acknowledgments.

The Post Office Department requires us to cut off all who are in arrears over one year on the first of April. Please give this your prompt attention, as we do not wish to cut off a single subscriber. We are willing to extend the usual credit, but Uncle Sam won't let us.

A. F. & A. M.

A special meeting of Cassia Lodge, No. 142, A. F. & A. M. will be held in Masonic Hall, Monday night, March 23, at 7:30 o'clock. The Master Mason's degree will be conferred.

D. LICHLITER, Sec. W. C. FORD, W. M.

Half the Crop is in Drop.

The J. I. Case Corn Planters Drop Corn accurately and will also put the fertilizer where you want it on the corn or from two to twenty inches away. They have other special features found on no other planters.

FARMERS UNION.

Two Thoroughbred Dorset Bucks for sale. Apply to C. E. Russell, Woodstock, Va.

Massanutten Academy.

ATHLETICS.

The Baseball Season at M. A. opens this year with a game to be played on Friday afternoon 3 p. m. the 27th of this month—between City Prep. and the Massanutten Academy.

The following schedule of games have been arranged for: March 27 M. A. vs. Gettysburg Prep. School.

April 4 M. A. vs. Harrisonburg High School.

April 11 M. A. vs. Shenandoah Valley Bus. Col.

April 17 M. A. vs. Balt. City Col.

" 20 M. A. vs. Bethel Mill. Acad.

" 25 M. A. vs. Bridgewater Col.

May 15 M. A. vs. Shen. Valley Bus. Col. Harrisonburg.

May 16 M. A. vs. Woodberry Forest—Orange.

May 18 M. A. vs. Fishburne—Waynesboro.

An entertainment will be given for the benefit of the baseball fund, in Irwin's Opera House, on the 1st of April. The program will consist of a play entitled—"Ye Deestrick School of Fifty Years Ago."

The title suggests the nature of the play—it will be clever and amusing from beginning to end. Don't miss it. Reserved seats 35. Admission 25.

POE LITERARY SOCIETY.

The members of the Poe Literary Society of Massanutten Academy, gave a supper on last Friday night in the Confederate Veteran Hall—proceeds to be put in the treasury of the Poe Society. The evening was a success financially and artistically. The supper was unusually good for an affair of that kind—and the one act farce "Per Telephone," was well rendered, and much enjoyed. The Society cleared something over \$30.00 and they wish to thank the friends "who so generously and substantially aided them in this undertaking."

PROCEEDINGS OF THE CIRCUIT COURT.

Susan Moonson vs. Sydney Keller &c. Order for distribution of funds.

H. D. Gochenour et. al. vs. Melvin Lutz and others. Deed ordered to be made to Jas. C. Fultz.

Mary A. Sager vs. Chas. J. Sager. Divorce a mensa et thoro.

Charles F. Hamrick vs. Lemuel Coffelt. Sale confirmed.

G. R. Eskey vs. J. S. Clem. Final decree.

J. W. Hodges vs. Haleburton Fry, &c. Order of distribution.

Mollie C. Kelley vs. Minnie A. Hepper. Rule against purchasers.

List of Conveyances.

E. D. Newman, com. to C. E. Swartz, 21 acres near Quicksburg, \$925.85.

Eugene B. Cullers to Emma Coats, land near Capon Roads, consideration nominal.

Cyrus Klester and wife to Robt. L. Holler and wife, lot near Strasburg, \$35.00.

Jas. H. Coby and wife to Charles W. Gochenour, lot near Harrisville, \$550.

H. C. Burgess and wife to J. M. Foy, lot near Strasburg, \$50.50.

Geo. Eberly and wife to Ephraim Baker undivided interest in land, \$36.00.

E. D. Newman to M. L. Hite, 44 acres in Madison District, \$170.00.

W. W. Logan, sub. tr. &c. to Bud Mauck, land in Madison District, \$160.

Newton Cook and wife to Peter Cook, 26 acres in Powell's Fort.

Meeting of County School Board.

There will be a special meeting of the school board of Shenandoah county at Woodstock at nine o'clock Wednesday, the 25th of this month. Matters of unusual importance will be considered, and every member of the board should be promptly on hand.

Supt. of Public Instruction J. D. Eggleston and Examiner Charles G. Maphis will attend this meeting, and they wish to see every school officer in the county personally, and so does your humble servant.

J. B. MCINTURFF, Supt.