

MAY BUILD LOW-GRADE LINE

WESTERN MARYLAND RAILROAD'S NEW CUT OFF

Would Shorten Distance from Hagerstown to Baltimore

Frederick, Maryland, is becoming very much interested as a result of rumors that have been circulated in the community recently to the effect that the Western Maryland Railroad Company may build a low-grade line through Frederick county as a part of the proposed New York Central and Western Maryland line from the West to the Atlantic.

The line through Frederick county was surveyed in the fall of 1905 by a corps under the direction of G. W. Forrey. From Westminister to Westminister it was reported at the time, one per cent. grade line was laid out, one low was the grade determined by the survey that, according to a report current at the time, it was thought by the railway officials to whom it was submitted a mistake must have been made and the corps was sent back to verify the survey.

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THESE WIN PRIZES.

Laughable Mistakes of Schoolboys Set Forth in Competition for the Best Collection. The following is a selection from a large number of "howlers" submitted in connection with a prize competition, arranged by the University Corporation, for the best collection of twelve mistakes made by schoolboys: Lord Raleigh was the first man to see the Invisible Armada.

In India a man out of cask may not marry a woman out of another cask. Tennyson wrote "In Memorandum." George Eliot left a wife and children to mourn his genil. Thomas Beckett used to wash the feet of leopards.

Louis XVI. was galledated during the French Revolution. Romulus obtained the first citizens for Rome by opening a lunatic asylum. The Rhine is bordered by wooden mountains. Algebraical symbols are used when you don't know what you are talking about. Geometry teaches us how to bisex angels.

Gravitation is that which if there were none we should all fly away. A renegade is a man who kills a king. The press-to-day is the mouth organ of the people. A lie is an aversion of the truth. A deacon is the lowest kind of a Christian. Pythagoras built a bridge for asses. Etymology is a man who catches butterflies and stuffs them.

Woman's suffering is the state of suffering to which they were born. Il pleut a verse—He cries at poetry. Le couer purifie—The disinfected yard. Ad hoces suplices sacerdoties verunt—The priests came to the enemy in their surplises.

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ATTENTION, FARMERS! Headquarters for Wanted! Choice Western Clover and Timothy Seed, Alfalfa, Orchard Grass, Alsike, Red Top Kentucky Blue Grass, White and Crimson Clover, always on hand. One Hundred Ton Rye Straw and Five Thousand Bushels of Wheat.

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LEGAL NOTICES. COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE. The County Commissioners of Carroll county will meet at their office, in Westminister, every Monday in March, 1910, for the transaction of business.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS. This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Carroll county, in Maryland, letters of Administration on the Personal Estate of JOSHUA LOCKARD, late of Carroll county, deceased.

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NO. 4494 EQUITY. In the Circuit Court for Carroll County, Elizabeth A. King and others, vs. Lorna D. Hewitt and others.

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RATIFICATION NOTICE. In the Orphans' Court of Carroll County, Estate of James Boylan, deceased.

DR. GEO. E. BAUGHMAN, SURGEON DENTIST. ALL BRANCHES OF MECHANICAL DENTISTRY A SPECIALTY.

JAMES E. SHREEVE & SON, DENTISTS. Westminister Office, 3 Doors West of Herr & Babylon's Repository.

Dr. Joe Lane Finley, Has removed his Office to the Peter Wood Farm on the Baltimore and Reisterstown Pike, between Finksburg and Westminister.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

J. F. RINKER, JUSTICE OF THE PEACE. Derr Building, East Main street, Westminister, Md.

J. MILTON REIFSNIDER, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW and SOLICITOR IN CHANCERY. Special attention to Collection of Claims and Settlement of Estates Office Albaugh Block, Court street Westminister, Md.

ELIAS N. DAVIS, Constable, Collector and General Auctioneer. Westminister, Md. Special attention given to collections and auctioneering Terms moderate. Orders can be left at this Office or at his residence on Liberty street.

J. A. C. Bond, F. Neal Parke, BOND & PARKE, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW, and SOLICITORS IN CHANCERY. Opposite City Hotel, Westminister, Md.

CHARLES E. FINK, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW and SOLICITOR IN CHANCERY. Office 19 Court street, Westminister, Md.

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GEORGE O. BRILHART, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Westminister, Md. Office with Charles E. Fink, Esq., Court street.

CLAUDE T. SMITH, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Office with James E. Smith, corner Main and Church streets. Phones—Md. 131; C. & P. 23 M.

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WANTED—A Bookkeeper and a good clerk in Country Store. Apply to HAMMOND BROS., mar4 3t Hoods Mill, Md.

RYE WANTED. RYE WANTED AT BURKHOLDER'S DISTILLERY. A. S. BURKHOLDER, Cranberry, Md. jan 21

WANTED—Good fresh and springer Cows, and all fat stock. Highest cash price paid. Will have good fresh Cows on hand for sale at all times. Mail card for particulars. CHARLES E. OWINGS, Frizzellburg, Md. dec3 3m*

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WESTMINSTER IRON AND METAL COMPANY, Corner Green and Bishop Streets, WESTMINSTER, MD. Having organized under the above firm name, we will buy all Iron and Casting at 55 Cts. per 100 lbs. Delivered. Also Rags, Gum and Bones. Highest Cash Price paid for all Metal Delivered at the Yard. CHARLES COHEN, Manager. jan 21 3m C. & P. phone, 37 R.

Bark Wanted AT..... WE WILL PAY EIGHT DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS (\$8.50) per ton of 2,000 pounds for 2,000 Tons Prime Chestnut Oak Bark, AND..... SIX DOLLARS (\$6.00) per ton for BLACK OAK BARK of this year's peeling, delivered in good order and condition at the Carroll Tannery, before the 1st day of July, 1910. We will not buy any Span Oak Bark this year, and will only buy Black Oak Bark from parties who will sell us their Rock Oak Bark. The Carroll Oak Tanning Company, Of Carroll County, Maryland. Tannery Station, on Western Md. R. R. mar4 3m

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TO FARMERS. We will pay Eleven Dollars (\$11.00) per ton for Evergreen Sugar Corn delivered at any of our factories in good condition during the packing season of 1910. Anyone wishing to avail themselves of this price are requested to call at our factories as soon as possible to sign contracts. feb18 4t B. F. SHRIVER CO.

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CARROLL COUNTY NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. SEALED PROPOSALS for building a section of State Highway about 2 and 3/4 miles in length along the Ridgeville-Damascus Road, between Ridgeville and Claggettville, in the Counties of Carroll, Howard, Frederick and Montgomery, will be received by the State Roads Commission, at its offices in the Union Trust Building, Baltimore, Maryland, until 12:00 M. on the 24th day of March 1910, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. Bids must be made upon blanks to be furnished by the Commission, or application and payment of two dollars. No bids will be received unless accompanied by a certified check for the sum of Five Hundred (\$500) Dollars, payable to the State Roads Commission. The successful bidder will be required to give bond, and comply with the Act of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1908 Chapter 141, respecting contracts. The Commission reserve the right to reject any and all bids. BY ORDER of the State Roads Commission, this 24th day of February, 1910. JOHN A. TUCKER, Chairman. J. C. BOWERMAN, Secretary. mar 4 2t

ALL KINDS OF JOB WORK DONE.