

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN.

The Annual Meeting of the Eastern District of Maryland Held in Baltimore.

The Eastern District of Maryland, Church of the Brethren (Dunkards), concluded its annual session Tuesday night at the Woodberry church, Baltimore.

The assembly of the 21 Elders and 32 delegates composed the advisory and voting power of the conference. At each meeting the commodious and comfortable audience room was well filled with visitors.

Among those of general interest was an order to schedule time and place of each succeeding district meeting. One paper passed of interest to the general conference, looking forward to a concurrence of all the churches of the brotherhood East of the Ohio, uniting on a permanent place, whenever their turn comes to hold the annual meeting.

The second day was largely devoted to hearing and approving reports from Boards, Secretary's committees, Trustees, &c. The Home Mission Board, was re-elected, with enlarged powers for its growing interests.

The Temperance Committee is on good financial footing, well organized, and is rapidly crystallizing sentiment in favor of saloon abolition.

The Educational Board has the encouragement of \$5,000—annual State appropriation. Eld. H. C. Early, pastor of Washington City Church, will represent this district on the Standing Committee.

W. E. ROOP, Press Correspondent.

A Quilting Party.

Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Leister, of near Gamber, gave a very enjoyable quilting bee on last Tuesday. The guests started and quilted two large quilts and were ready for supper by 4.30 p. m.

Those present were Mesdames: D. H. Leister, Rebecca Shaffer, David Elseroad, Edward Houck, Leo Leister, Grant Leister, all of near Hampstead; May Frizzell, George Benson, Jabez Barnes, Joshua Patterson, Lewis Brennen, Charles Bollinger, Thomas Dell, Frank Stockdale, Elmer Wampler, James Bowers, Martha Shipley, Courtney Shipley, Tom Nash, Flora Barnes; Masters—Weldon Benson and David Elseroad.

WORLD'S RECORD FOR DUCK PINS.

The world's record for duck pin bowling was made on "Cy" Albaugh's bowling alleys on Wednesday afternoon by Orlando Brown, Liberty street, this city, who spilled the pins for 237. This feat is one to be proud of and it may stand for years to come.

The score is as follows: 30 60 90 119 139 159 188 208 218 237

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IN MEMORIAM.

In memory of our dear father, Wm. K. Leppz who departed this life four months ago December 6, 1911.

Loved in life in death remembered. A precious one from us is gone. His voice we loved is still. His chair is vacant in our home which never can be filled.

Friends may think we soon forgot you, And our wounded hearts be healed, But they little know the sorrow That's within our hearts concealed.

Tears within our dim eyes, A family's aching hearts, Can only tell the agony How hard it was to part.

Dear father, could you speak to us, And could you live again, Our aching hearts would then be healed, But this we believe, our dear father, Once our home was bright and happy, Oh how sad and dreary today: For our dear loving father, Has forever passed away.

Oh the misery of that dreary night When we stood around his bed, Till hearied this upon him softly, And we knew his soul had fled.

Oh since then our lives are saddened, Since that day our hopes are slain, But his voice seems sweetly saying, "Courage we will meet again."

By his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Leppo, Westminster, Md.

In loving remembrance of Missouri Babylon, who died 15 years ago, April 15.

Some may think I have forgotten you, And my wounded heart is healed, Little do they know the sorrow That's within my heart concealed.

I often sit and think of you When I am all alone, For memory is the only friend That's tried on call its own.

She will never be forgotten, Never shall her memory fade; Sweetest thoughts shall ever linger Round the grave where she is laid.

You have gone from me dear mother, To your Saviour good and true; You have won the heavenly glory, Which is for me to do.

From this world of grief and trouble To a land of peace and rest, You have landed in the arms of Jesus, There to find everlasting rest.

By her four daughters, Grace Audrey Lambert, died April 21st, 1897.

"Fondly loved and remembered though long unseen," They never quite leave us the friends who have passed, Through the shadows of death to the sunlight above.

A thousand sweet memories are holding them fast To the place they blessed with their presence and love. SISTERS M.

Still on the lips of all in question, The finger of God's silence lies; While the hands in ours are folded, Will the shut eyelids ever rise?

Oh friend, no proof beyond this yearning, The outreach of our hearts we need, God will not mock the hope He giveth, No love He prompts shall vainly plead.

Then let us stretch our hands in darkness, And call our loved ones o'er and o'er, Some day their arms shall close about us, And the old voices speak once more. E. M.

"Midst pastures green He'll lead His flock, Where living streams appear, And God the Lord from every eye, Shall wipe off every tear. W.

In sad but loving remembrance of my dear daughter, Susie Caple, who died 5 years ago today, April 21, 1897.

How sad this day five years ago, When our dear daughter died, How sad my life without her, Words can never describe.

Loved in life in death remembered, Though cast down, we are not forsaken; Though afflicted, not alone, Thou didn't give and thou hast taken, Blessed Lord, Thy will be done.

I loved her so truly, I listen and wait For one sound of her foot step, And a glimpse of her sweet face; In heaven she is waiting for me to come, When His work is ended and God says "Well done." BY HER PARENTS.

Westminster May Have Chautauqua

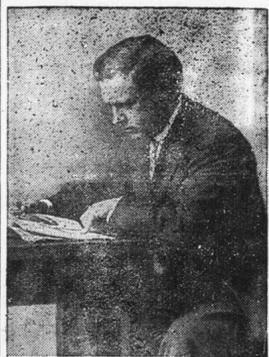
MR. C. H. TURNER WILL TALK ABOUT IT TONIGHT AT HIGH SCHOOL AT 7.45 O'CLOCK.

Movement Popular in Middle West—Circuit Plan May Include This City.

When a group of wealthy men organize a corporation ostensibly for the public good, it is customary to suspect the existence of an ulterior motive.

That men of wealth should really desire to use their means in unselfish service, without demanding return of any kind, is incomprehensible to many people, who usually begin to look about for a colored gentleman in the pile of combustible forest product.

A "No-Profit" Corporation. This corporation is organized to extend the Chautauqua Movement, which has proved so helpful and popular in



DR. PAUL M. PEARSON.

the middle west, into the section comprising the states of New Jersey, Delaware, Pennsylvania, and contiguous territory. If the association earns a profit in its operations, such profits are to be put into the improvement of the Chautauquas it conducts, and into the further extension of its field.

The association's capital stock of \$30,000 has been subscribed by men who are "soldiers of the common good," and who believe they can be of real service by making possible the establishment of Chautauquas in many communities.

An Inspirational Movement.

For Chautauqua is an unparalleled source of inspiration, as the experience of the more than one thousand communities of the middle west where such institutions are conducted proves. The fact that community after community in that section has organized Chautauquas is proof that they have been helpful to the community life.

Every good cause, every worthy reform, is strengthened by Chautauqua. Public libraries, civic improvement, "the city beautiful"—all these and many other community blessings are more largely indebted to the Chautauqua Movement than is generally known.

For it was at Chautauqua, N. Y., and on the platforms of the other older institutions of the kind, that these movements were first presented in a popular way. Indeed, the Chautauqua platform is an ideal forum for the discussion of all such new movements and programs for the common good.

An Unfettered Forum.

Chautauqua belongs to no creed nor party. While it seeks the conservation of all that is best in our civilization, it faces the future courageously, believing, with Browning, that "the best is yet to be," and it is not so much concerned with defending the formulae and conventions of the past as with helping find the solutions that are to make tomorrow better. Therefore, Chautauqua is an open court for the frank discussion of all proposed remedies for existing evils, of all schemes for the reform of abuses of whatever kind. Chautauqua neither endorses nor rejects these programs, but it offers to them all the privilege of a hearing.

Influential Endorsement.

American citizens have a right to hear all sides of every question, and the Chautauqua platform is dedicated to that purpose. The opportunity presented by the Chautauqua platform has been appreciated by our greatest men. Roosevelt calls Chautauqua "the most American thing in America," because of its unfettered liberty of discussion. Bryan, LaFollette, Champ Clark, the late Senator Dilliver, Senators Gore, Cummins, Bristow and many other moulders of public opinion have found the Chautauqua one of the best avenues through which to reach the ear of the people.

Entertainment and Amusement.

But the Chautauqua is not all serious—not all lectures and instruction. It stands for the sacredness of laughter. It ministers clean, pure, elevating entertainment to lives overburdened with cares and labors. While it instructs, it entertains; while it makes men think, it also makes them laugh. It stands for music—good

music, and lots of it; the best music, rendered so perfectly that the popular audience forgets its inherited prejudice against the classics. Thus, while it entertains, it also elevates.

Chautauqua appropriates every device for brightening and broadening life, hence moving pictures, so potent for weal or woe, are invariably a part of its program. The films used are carefully selected, some of them made to order, presenting bright, clean comedy, interesting travel scenes as well as purpose pictures.

Great Lectures and Debate. The Chautauqua which it is proposed to establish in our town will offer a superior program of lectures, music, readings and entertainments. Only a hint of the program's richness can be given here.

Among the lecturers who have been secured are Captain Richmond Pearson Hobson, the hero of Santiago and brilliant congressman from Alabama; Henry W. Wilbur, an unusually gifted Quaker preacher; William T. Ellis, the widely known journalist and traveler, whose articles on the world's unrest are attracting much attention; Dr. P. M. Pearson, in his charming masterpiece, "The Poetry of Life," and Mrs. George C. Pickett, the widow of the famous Confederate general, who will lecture on "Pickett's Charge at Gettysburg."

In addition to these there will be a great debate on the Aldrich Currency Plan, in which Hon. William H. Berry, late Keystone Party candidate for governor of Pennsylvania, who is an effective speaker, will attack the plan; and some speaker of national prominence, probably Mr. Robert E. Ireton, the editor of Financial American, will defend it. Furthermore, the platform manager, who will be one of a half dozen talented speakers under engagement for such service, will deliver a series of lectures on a literary, religious or economic theme. Then,



HON. WM. H. BERRY.

there will be an illustrated lecture on "Seeing America," for Chautauqua is intensely patriotic, and believes that our own country contains treasures of scenery as worthy of visitation as the beauties of the old world.

Superior Musical Features.

If the lecture program is incomparably fine, the musical offerings are at least of equal merit. The opening day will bring Chirilillo's great Italian band of twenty-five unusually skillful musicians. An interesting feature of this band is its nine-year-old director, Angelo Vitale, who shares the direction

of each concert with Maestro Salvatore Ciricillo. This band will give two great concerts. The next day the Walter Bentley Ball Concert Company will render two programs. Walter Bentley Ball is a very fine baritone soloist, who has made a special study of the American folk songs. One of their programs will consist of a popular interpretative recital of these folk songs and will constitute a distinguishing feature of the Chautauqua.

The next day will come the Lyric Glee Club, a male quartette and a horn quartette, which has years of professional success to its credit.

Later the Austro-Hungarian Orchestra will appear in two programs. This



WM. T. ELLIS, In a Circassian Settlement East of the Jordan.

is an organization of seven instrumentalists of European birth or training, whose musicianship is exceptional.

The last of the musical features will be two concerts by the Earnest Gamble Concert Party, which, after a career of thirteen years of success, stands facile princeps among musical organizations. This party is "small numerically, but big artistically," being composed of three individual artists, each the product of the greatest European masters, share equally in their programs, and whose concerts have been described as "the acute accentuation of merit."

Time and space fail to describe all the other features. There will be readings by Paul M. Pearson, whose reputation as a reader is nation-wide; and by Francis I. Hendry, of the Lyric Glee Club. There will be moving pictures each night. Above all, there will be the indescribable Chautauqua spirit, which will leave you longing for the return of the Chautauqua next year.

Shall We Have It?

Surely a Chautauqua like this would be of such worth that we cannot afford, as a town, to miss it, now that the opportunity is presented. We are told the proposition to be presented by the Chautauqua association will put this great intellectual and artistic festival easily within our reach.

The association proposes to operate on a wholesale plan. It will conduct some eighteen or twenty Chautauquas in June and July, with six in simultaneous session all the time. This co-operative circuit plan, coupled with the fact that this is, apparently, not a money-making scheme, would seem to make a favorable proposition possible.

At any rate, the opportunity is one we cannot afford to treat with indifference. The association means business, and is going to conduct these Chautauquas in a number of towns. Undoubtedly a unique distinction will be conferred upon any town by a successful Chautauqua; and the question is whether we want that distinction for our town, besides all the benefit we may get, individually and as a community, from its sessions. Everybody who is interested in the welfare and standing of our town ought to co-operate to make the Chautauqua possible for our town.

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We have on sale Matting Rugs of different sizes, Crex Rugs in all sizes, wool and fiber Rugs in several sizes, all substantially made and will wear. From 39c up to \$9.50. Summer Portiers from 98c pair up. Genuine 25c Holland Window Shades, in all colors, 19c. No seconds. No damaged pieces.

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The Tenderfoot Farmer. It was one of these experimental farmers, who put green spectacles on his cow and fed her shavings. His theory was that it didn't matter what the cow ate so long as she was fed. The question of digestion and nourishment had not entered into his calculations. It's only a "tenderfoot" farmer that would try such an experiment with a cow. But many a farmer feeds himself regardless of digestion and nutrition. He might almost as well eat shavings for all the good he gets out of his food. The result is that the stomach grows "weak" the action of the organs of digestion and nutrition are impaired and the man suffers the miseries of dyspepsia and the agonies of nervousness. To strengthen the stomach, restore the activity of the organs of digestion and nutrition and brace up the nerves, use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is an untailing remedy, and has the confidence of physicians as well as the praise of thousands healed by its use. In the strictest sense "Golden Medical Discovery" is a temperance medicine. It contains neither intoxicants nor narcotics, and is as free from alcohol as from opium, cocaine and other dangerous drugs. All ingredients printed on its outside wrapper. Don't let a dealer delude you for his own profit. There is no medicine for stomach, liver and blood "just as good" as "Golden Medical Discovery."

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MEDICAL SOCIETY MEETS. Fifteen Members Present—Interesting Paper Read by Dr. Bay. A meeting of the Carroll County Medical Society was held at the Westminster Hotel, Westminster, Md., on Friday, April 12, 1912. The following members were present: Dr. C. H. Billingslea, C. H. Diller, R. F. Wells, C. R. Foutz, J. Sterling Geatty, T. J. Connan, M. D. Norris, J. J. Stewart, Lewis K. Woodward, G. Lewis Wetzel, J. F. B. Weaver, George H. Brown, H. M. Fitzhugh, Rowland Diller; visitors: Dr. R. P. Bay, Baltimore, Md., and J. D. Chaney, Mt. Airy, Md. The meeting was called to order by the president, Dr. M. D. Norris, at 11 o'clock a. m. After a business session dinner was served in the private dining room of the Hotel. After dinner it was announced by the Secretary that all would go to the Davis Building where arrangements had been made for Dr. R. P. Bay, surgeon at the University Hospital, Baltimore, Md., to deliver a paper on Fracture, illustrated by stereopticon views. All attended this lecture, and were very much pleased. The Carroll County Medical Society desires to extend the K. of P. Lodge its thanks for the use of the Magic Lantern. NOTICE! Every Wednesday and Saturday nights and Saturday afternoon, Vaudeville and Pictures. Admission 10c. children under 12 years of age 5c for Wednesday night and Saturday Matinee. Saturday afternoon one show only beginning at 3:00 sharp.



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