



WESTMINSTER, MD.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON, JUNE 12, 1914

MEETING OF DIRECTORS.

The Board of Directors of The Democratic Advocate Company will meet in the Advocate office on MONDAY, JUNE 15th, 1914, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of declaring the semi-annual dividend payable June 30 and to transact such business as may come before them.

NEXT!

The next thing to look forward to is the Safe and Sane Fourth of July celebration. The prospects for a rousing time are growing brighter, and by a rousing time we do not mean the kind that carries with it the smell of burning powder and the noise of exploding fire crackers all over town with the accompanying accidents. That is wisely prohibited by our Town Council. The plans for the coming celebration mean a good time for everybody, both old and young, and not the smallest part of this enjoyment will no doubt come from the extensive display of fireworks to be given at night. With the funds it is hoped to have for this, taking into account the reduced cost of the materials when purchased by a municipal committee, a most attractive display of pyrotechnics.

One of the main features, however, will be the large chorus of children's voices singing the national anthems, and the address on the significance of the day, to be delivered on Athletic Field.

OPTIMISM.

To look on the bright side of life and its affairs with an enthusiastic belief that everything is all right and for the best is ideal. This is especially true as it applies to those who come in contact with the sick. A physician, above all men, should be an optimist—ready to stimulate hope even though he may not have it himself. Hopefulness in the countenance and optimism in the words and actions of the physician are as sunshine in the sick room; they stimulate hopefulness of recovery in the sick and a courage that often has potent influence for good. Even when recovery is not possible, the Journal of the American Medical Association thinks that good, not harm, is done. They make life worth living while it lasts. The psychic influence is always felt so long as consciousness remains. Paget, speaking of hypochondriacs, says, "Your chance of doing good will depend mainly on the skill with which you can influence the patient's mind; for of the components of his case the mental condition is the worst."

HOUCKSVILLE.

Mrs. Silas Martin, John Spahr and Stanley Minnick, all of Union Bridge, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Elseroad.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Snyder and daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hoffman.

Francis, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Buchman, met with an accident, last Friday. While picking cherries the limb broke and he fell seven feet on his head, cutting a gash about two inches long. Dr. E. M. Bush rendered the necessary surgical attention.

The writer thinks we had the largest crowd at Wesley last Sunday at the Children's Day service we ever had. We received the largest collection, \$16.77.

David Elseroad and family spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Elseroad.

T. W. Buchman and son, Thomas, spent last Friday in Baltimore.

We are glad to know that Altee W. Wampler's tenant house will be used as the Methodist parsonage of the Carrollton Circuit. The pastor moved the past Thursday.

In the spelling contest given at Wesley school those that won in the first test for the first eighteen weeks of school were: First grade, first premium, Milton Hill; Second grade, first premium, Leroy Snyder; Third grade, first premium, Evelyn Evans; Fifth grade, first premium, Alice Bosson; second premium, Second grade, Elsie Ford; Third grade, second premium, Hazel McMillan; Fifth grade, second premium, A. P. Harrington. The second test for the last eighteen weeks: First premium, First grade, Milton Hill; Second grade, Leroy Snyder; Third grade, Evelyn Evans; Fifth grade, Eugene Eby; Second premium, First grade, Edna Taylor; Second grade, Lois Leather; Third grade, Hazel McMillan; Fifth grade, A. P. Harrington.

Raymond and Roland Dell made every day in the school year.

BARK HILL.

Mr. John Smith and wife, of Hagerstown, are spending some time with their relatives at this place and Union Bridge.

Mr. Ephraim Myers and family, of near Union Mills, spent Sunday with Luther Uermahlen.

Mr. William Baker and wife, of Hagerstown, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Yingling.

Children's service will be held on Sunday at this place, afternoon and night.

Mr. Edward Koons and family, of Fair View, visited Mr. Samuel Gilbert on Sunday.

When the liquor's out why clink the canakin?—Robert Browning.

EDMOND ACQUITTED.

FOUND NOT GUILTY OF MURDER BY CARROLL COUNTY JURY AFTER THREE BALLOTS.

Julian Edmond, was pronounced not guilty by a jury in the Circuit Court here Wednesday afternoon, shortly before 2 o'clock. It was the third day of the trial, and a demonstration occurred when Foreman Stephen announced the verdict that set Edmond free of the charge of killing his sister-in-law, Eleanor Cole, on August 12, 1913, in Baltimore. The jury had been out two hours and fifteen minutes. When the verdict was announced, the crowd in the courtroom cheered. The case is the most important to be tried at this term of Court and much interest was aroused. Edmond's first enlistment was as a member of Company F, 1st Maryland Volunteers, under Captain Charles W. Adams, now Major Adams, who is now living on the Baker farm near Sykesville.

The killing of Miss Cole was surrounded by mysterious circumstances. At 11 o'clock on the morning of August 12 the Northern district police received a telephone call to send the ambulance to 3221 Abell avenue, Baltimore. When the police arrived they found Miss Cole unconscious from a bullet which had entered her back and pierced the spinal cord. Julian Edmond was sitting on the kitchen stool with a bullet wound in his left breast an inch below the collar bone. The pistol was lying on the table and Mrs. Edmond was pleading with neighbors to aid her. The pistol was a five-shot weapon and all the cartridges were exploded. Mrs. Edmond said that after the shots had been fired by her husband she took the pistol and fired three shots from the kitchen door to attract attention. In a statement Edmond declared that the shooting was an accident and that after Miss Cole he turned the weapon on himself.

At the inquest conducted by Coroner Algire, of the Northern district, four days after the killing of Miss Cole, a note which Edmond, according to a witness tore up, was read. When Mrs. Edmond heard the contents of the note she fainted and was carried from the room by her father, J. C. LeGrand Cole.

The case was removed to the Carroll County Court and on Monday, five panels of talesmen, containing 82 names, were examined before a jury of 12 men who decided the fate of Edmond, was selected.

Assistant State's Attorney Harry Nice, of Baltimore, made the opening statement, asking for a verdict of first degree murder. The case is first prosecuted by Deputy State's Attorney Roland Marchant of Baltimore, together with Mr. Nice, and State's Attorney E. O. Went, of Carroll county. The defense is represented by former Deputy State's Attorney Emory Stinecomb, of Baltimore, assisted by Attorney Guy W. Steele, of this city.

Judges Brashears and Forsythe were on the bench. The jury selected was as follows: Jacob H. Stephan, Howard R. Lippy, Arthur G. Albert, Henry R. Fuss, William D. Bush, Henry F. Walking, and John W. Wilkling. J. Edmond Myers, George W. Stair, Joshua J. Henson, James Myers and John F. Schweigart. Both the state and the defense announced that they would be willing to permit the jurymen to go to their homes, but the court ruled that the jurors were to remain in the charge of Sheriff Davis and Bailiff Barry, and were quartered at the Main Court Inn.

LOCUST HILL.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Abdiel Sherman on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. John Sterner and daughters, Madge, Alice and Minnie, and Mr. Brandt, of Maytown, Lancaster county. The trip was made in Mr. Brandt's auto. Also Mr. and Mrs. Roy Krentler, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Myers and daughter, Grace, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wheeler and children, Laura, Cora, Roy and George.

Children's day service will be held at St. Bartholomew's Church on Sunday evening, June 14.

The Carroll County Reed Band will hold a festival on Saturday evening, June 13, in H. H. Sterner's woods. Everybody is invited to come.

Miss Reida Stonestner and Monroe Gobrecht attended the third district Sunday school convention of Adams county, held at St. John's Church. They were delegates from Pine Grove Sunday school, also Misses Lottie Leese and Hilda Hawk and Wilbert Hawk attended from Bart's United Brethren Church.

A shepherd dog belonging to Jacob Utz strayed away on Friday. Anyone finding it please notify Mr. Utz.

The Carroll County Reed Band rendered music for the decoration service of the Red Men's Lodge at Manchester on Sunday afternoon.

Farmers are beginning to cut meadow hay.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wilson and children, Mervin and Besse, of Melrose, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Uriah Wentz. They came in Mr. Wilson's auto.

Rev. Charles Hartman, son of Rev. H. Hartman, occupied the pulpit at our church on Sunday.

E. M. Raubenstine has raised oats in the garden that measures three feet six inches.

Sunday school at Pine Grove on Sunday at 2 p. m.

William Utz is building a hospital.

On Sunday at St. Bartholomew's Church, Sunday school at 12.50 p. m. Preaching at 2 p. m. by Rev. S. L. Hench. Children's Day service in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Raubenstine spent Sunday at the home of their sons, Theodore and Milton Raubenstine, also at Edward Hauck's, at Hanover.

Paul Utz, Lillie Utz, Mrs. Uriah Wentz attended the funeral of Martha Mummert, at Christ Church Tuesday.

No Pittsburgh Express Through Here.

The Pittsburgh Express on the W. M. R., which passes through here each morning and evening will be run over the Baltimore & Harrisburg Division instead. No. 4, known as the 4.10 train, will be run over the same old 10.40 a. m. train, will be made a through train instead of a local. There will be a local train put on which will arrive here between 9 and 10 a. m., and return after the fast mail in the evening. The schedule will be changed Sunday.

ANOTHER ARREST IN EELES CASE.

P. M. Reidy Taken in Custody at Main-Court Inn—Alexander III with Mumps.

Solomon Alexander who was arrested at the Main-Court Inn last week by special officers of the Department of Justice, continues ill here mumps. The Alexander is charged with having violated the criminal code of the United States in defrauding Mary T. Eeles, of Long Beach, Cal., of \$3,000, by representing himself to be an officer of the United States.

Scarcely had he fallen into the hands of the United States authorities when the process of the state courts was invoked to recover from him large sums of money which he is said to have obtained from Robert H. Keys, who with his wife and baby came to this city when Alexander was engaged in the Main-Court Inn, later however, removing to Dint's Hotel. He is said to have been with Alexander and Reidy in California and Harrisburg, Pa. Charles E. Fink has had a writ of attachment issued out of the Circuit Court here to seize the money or other property of Alexander.

Keys' father and brother had come in from Nebraska and were here when the writ of attachment was issued. It was laid in the hands of the Farmers and Mechanics' National Bank of this city, the process served on John H. Cunningham, cashier, but what funds are there cannot be ascertained until the case is called in court or the garnishee sees fit to confess assets. The statement of account upon which the writ was issued claims \$6,065, which, it is asserted, is only the portion of the money obtained by Alexander from Keys. Alexander has retained Edward O. Went as his attorney in the attachment case, claiming that he does not have any money belonging to Keys.

When Alexander was arrested he asserted that he could not imagine any cause for his arrest under a warrant of the United States and could think of nothing which could lead to his arrest, unless it might be the result of a poker game in which one of the participants had robbed another. He has been gotten in between them. When confronted with the real charge, he is said to have admitted his acquaintance with Mrs. Eeles, and to have become very friendly with her.

During the period of their intimacy he has been in possession of \$3,000, which he says he is ready to repay when the note which he gave for it becomes due. Chagrined at his deception of her to return to his allegiance to his own wife and desire for revenge is his explanation of her charge against him.

Another member of the party which came to the Main-Court about a month ago, is Paul M. Reidy, lawyer, former bank vice president of Klamath Falls, Ore., and member of the Maryland bar. He was taken into custody at the Main-Court by special Agents J. J. Gurewicz, a few days after Alexander's arrest, was brought to Baltimore and given a preliminary hearing before United States Commissioner Bond. The date for his final hearing was set for June 18, and bail fixed at \$1,000.

Reidy is charged with conspiracy, by conspiring with Alexander, in the latter's alleged attempt to swindle Mrs. Eeles by representing himself as a United States Government officer.

Reidy, who, only two weeks ago, was admitted to practice at the Court of Appeals at Annapolis, said he knew Mrs. Eeles, but denied having done anything unlawful. He said he advanced Mrs. Eeles \$3,000 on her home at Long Beach merely in the capacity of a banker and an acquaintance. Mrs. Eeles states that this \$3,000 was gotten from her by Alexander.

The case is causing a sensation on the Pacific Coast, and the government authorities state they will go into the matter thoroughly. It appears that the charge against Alexander is only a technical one, on which the government authorities hope to take him back to California to face charges preferred by local authorities. It is not yet known whether Alexander and Reidy will fight extradition.

Deputy United States Marshal John H. Stonestner, with his assistants, B. Frank and James M. Stoney, of this city, are at the hotel keeping strict watch, though the prisoner is too ill to escape even if he desired to do so.

TANNERY

Dutch Heinle, night superintendent at Tannery, wishes to explain to the public the cause of the extra loud shrill whistle which is annoying your McGinnis Siding correspondent so much. Heinle has received quite a boost in his salary from the proprietor of the Fair View Hotel, who states that the whistle has been a great assistance to him in arousing one of his guests. The manager of the McGinnis distillery is also much pleased with the good work of Heinle's whistle and states that he is now able to start his distillery on scheduled time each morning and hopes the good work of Heinle's whistle which he admits he prefers to the shrill voice of the Colonel yelling "Her-man," "Her-man," and the loud voice yelling back: "Vont you please go away and let me sleep."

Philip Peterman, who rented the hall at J. M. Long on the corner of Railroad avenue and Gorsuch road and will open a Latin school there in the near future. Mr. Bitzel has secured the services of Professor Herman Lipnick as principal of his school. Max Farnum wishes to congratulate Mr. Bitzel in securing the services of such an able man as Professor Lipnick as principal of his school. Max states that he has heard the able Professor pronounce such distinguished Latin words as Schiller, Anshauer Bach and Bannerschmidt in a very creditable and correct manner.

Manager Charles Long of the McGinnis Athletic Club announces the release of Catcher Lipnick, who's work behind the bat this season has been terribly off color and anything but pleasing to the fans. Manager Long has been trying to dispose of his catcher to some team in the ZZ organization but this far has been unable to do so and therefore decided to hand him his un-conditional release.

Mr. Raymond Waddell, formerly of this city, died suddenly in Denver, Col., and his remains will arrive here Saturday night or early Sunday morning and will be buried in the family lot in Westminster Cemetery.

The Boy Scouts, under command of Assistant Scout Master Augustus Shriver and Latimer Elderdicke made a fine appearance in the parades and were repeatedly cheered.

WATERSVILLE.

The Busy Bees will be busy at Sellman's Hall on Saturday evening, 13th instant, as they will hold a strawberry and ice cream festival for the benefit of the Methodist Church. All are invited to help the good cause, and an enjoyable time assured.

Harold Hall, aged four years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hall, died on Saturday, 6th inst. His sickness was only of a week's duration. Mr. and Mrs. Hall have the sympathy of the community in their bereavement. Funeral service was held on Monday afternoon at the Methodist Protestant Church, Poplar Springs. Rev. T. M. Dickey was the officiating minister. Interment in the cemetery adjoining the church.

Misses Mary and Jennie Selby and Estelle Waters, of this neighborhood, attended the commencement of the Mt. Airy High School on Friday evening, 5th inst. The exercises were interesting, and the attendance very large.

Miss Lydia Crawford Selby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. William Selby, of this neighborhood, graduated with honor at Mt. Airy High School, and at the recent commencement made the salutatory address.

Dr. S. R. Waters received and accepted an invitation to attend the annual commencement of the Maryland State Normal School Thursday evening, June 11th.

Mr. Earle Snader, of Waynesboro, Pa., who had been visiting his relatives, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fahrney, has returned home.

Mr. A. B. Sellman has planted 13 acres in tomatoes.

A severe drought was broken by a copious rain on Monday night. It was accompanied by some electrical disturbance. During the storm a fine horse belonging to Mr. Oscar Shipley was struck by lightning and instantly killed. Two dogs were found dead in Watersville and it is supposed they were also killed by lightning.

SILVER RUN.

Mrs. Magdalena Myers died at her home in this place on Saturday night, June 6th. She had not been feeling well for several days, and on Sunday morning they found her dead in bed. Her age was nearly 85 years. Seven children survive her: Augustus and George Myers, near Silver Run; Alonza Myers, Westminster; Mrs. Josiah Hahn, Hanover, Pa.; Mrs. Linn M. Morelock, S. D. Spangler, Pa.; Mrs. Jacob Kooz and Mrs. Ed. H. Flickinger, of this place. The funeral took place on Tuesday, with services in the Reformed Church, Rev. S. C. Hoover officiating. The pallbearers were: H. S. Morelock, Milton M. Morelock, S. D. Spangler, William P. Halter, Abraham Bankert and Joshua Brown. Funeral director Ed. F. Grot.

Mr. A. W. Feeser commenced canning peas on Monday. It is a fine crop.

John & Grot shipped their last tomatoes this week.

A number of our citizens attended the Firemen's Convention in Westminster this week.

Children's Day services will be observed in the Lutheran Church on Sunday, June 14, at 10 o'clock.

Mr. Walter Dell, wife and child, of Hanover, Pa., visited Mr. Dell's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lippy, last Sunday.

Cherries are ripe and are selling at from \$1.20 to \$2.00 a bushel.

Mrs. John Jenkins, of Union, Pa., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wisner this week.

Surprise Party.

One of the most enjoyable surprise parties of the season was held at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton J. Study, of near Silver Run, Saturday evening, June 6, in honor of their only daughter, Miss Ethel, who being a complete surprise to her. Games of all kind were indulged in, and while all were enjoying themselves, refreshments were being prepared and were announced at a late hour which all thoroughly enjoyed. The departure of the guests they all declared that they had spent an enjoyable evening and all wished Miss Ethel many more such happy events.

Those present were: Messrs. and Mesdames—Milton J. Study, Harvey Boosey, Harvey Dehoff, George M. Carter, Charles Crabbs, Samuel Mayers, Lee Hull, Joe Brown, Charles Brown, John Stair, Clayton Dutterer, Chas. Frownfelter, Edward Laughman, Oliver C. Hesson; Mrs. Augustus Stair, Mrs. Howard Sheely, Mrs. Geo. Dutterer; Misses—Ethel Study, Cora Weimert, Hattie Tressler, Bessie Brown, Catherine Feeser, Alice Lippy, Cora Bachman, Laura Lemon, Esta Bechtel, Beulah Bachman, Pauline Study, Pauline Mayers, Edna Heinkecker, Mahala Bachman, Ethel Sheely, Mahala Bankard, Beulah Boosey, Florence Cookson, Emma Weimert, Edna Morelock, Cora Dutterer, Grace Hull, Anna Nusbaum, Lillie Maus, Viola Myers, Naomi Mayers, Garma Boosey, Beulah Study, Annie Laughman, Romaline Study, Mary Baiy, Etta Bair, Anna Boosey, Mary Motter, Helen Frownfelter, Edna Frownfelter, Martha Dehoff, Miriam Dutterer, Mary Dehoff; Messrs.—Sterling Bachman, Oscar Brock, John Bankert, Moreland Warehime, Walter Warehime, Elwood Nusbaum, Lester Warehime, Thurman Brown, Charles Bowman, Harry Brown, Paul Hawk, Thomas Cookson, James Crabbs, Ernest Crouse, Paul Study, Granville Jacoby, David Harris, Wilson Crabbs, Floyd Study, Paul Dehoff, John Dehoff, Charles Bankard, Lester Brock, Clarence Bankert, Harold Dutterer, Harvey Feeser, Earl Dehoff, Robert Brown, George Brown, Jesse Unger, Ira Stonestner, Lloyd Nusbaum, Elmer Mayers, Ralph Study, Oliver Beangor, Clarence Warehime, Elwood Sheely, Charles Kooz, Charles Veit, Wilmer Dutterer, Louis Motter, Preston Crabbs, Paul Bankard, Ralph Dehoff, Earl Sheely, Robert Bankard.

Grace Lutheran Church.

Children's Day will be observed Sunday with appropriate services. The morning sermon will be preached to the children, and in the evening the Sunday school will hold its Children's Day exercises.

Among the visitors during the week were: Dr. Joseph T. Hering, of Westminster; Thomas A. Murray, of Baltimore; James M. Shellman, of near Uniontown; N. Price Turner, of Salisbury; J. Edward Beck, of Doro, Pa.; Henry B. Gately, of Hagerstown; D. M. Spurrier, of Baltimore; Dr. D. L. Greenfield and Mr. K. Roberts' Greenfield, of Baltimore; Mrs. H. Lynn Fooks, Newark, N. J.; Rev. F. T. Benson, Crisisfield.

EIGHT NURSES GRADUATE.

Exercises Held at Springfield Hospital Tuesday—Dr. Adolf Meyer Makes Address.

The graduating exercises of the class of 1914 of the Training School for Nurses conducted by the Springfield State Hospital for the Insane, at Sykesville, took place at 3.30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in the new amusement hall of the Woman's Group.

The large hall, which seats 1,500, was beautifully decorated in the Maryland colors and with potted and cut flowers. Rev. William K. Marshall opened the services with prayer, after which the hospital orchestra played Maryland, My Maryland, and a selection from The Bohemian Girl.

Dr. Hering, secretary of the State Lunacy Board, addressed the graduates and presented them with their diplomas. The graduates were also addressed by Dr. Adolf Meyer, one of the directors of the Henry Phipps Psychiatric Clinic. A musical program followed, after which Rev. Dr. C. R. Dudley gave the benediction.

Those receiving diplomas were: Mrs. Clara Courtney Beall, Queen Annes county; Miss Jennie Margaret Groll, Dorchester county; Miss Elizabeth Oakley Carroll county; Miss Ida Mildred Pitts, Virginia; Miss Hattie Pearl Revere, Virginia; Miss Martha Wheeler, and Mr. Emory Guy Barnes, Carroll county; Mrs. Charles Devillbiss, Frederick county.

High School Alumni Banquet.

The fourth annual banquet of the Westminster High School Alumni Association was held at the Main Court Inn, Monday evening, June 8. The members of the association gathered at the Westminster High School building and spent the early part of the evening renewing friendships and having a good time in general.

There were about sixty members present including a number of out-of-town graduates and students. A short program was rendered and about 9.30 o'clock the entire company went down to the hotel where everyone had a very good time to eat. Theodore F. Brown, Esq. acted as toastmaster. Toasts were responded to by Prof. George F. Morelock, Prof. C. H. Kolb, Miss Nettie Whitmore and a few of the graduates.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: President, S. Herr; vice president, Miss Katharine Lynch, and Secretary-treasurer, Noah L. Schaeffer.

During the session of a temperance meeting in a neighboring town, one of the persons who occupied the stage was an enthusiastic deacon who frequently interrupted the speakers by yelling: "Thank heaven for that!" One gentleman being called upon, began: "Ladies and gentlemen, I am heart and soul in this cause, and feel that it will be of great benefit to the people of this place." "Thank heaven for that!" yelled the deacon.

"But, ladies and gentlemen," he continued, "I am going to say that it will be impossible for me to address you this evening." "Thank heaven for that!" shouted the deacon. And then the chairman took him outdoors, and had two men sit on him.

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WANTED.

Wanted—Energetic man to take exclusive Sales Agency for Frederick, Howard, Carroll and Montgomery counties, Md., for meritorious patented article that appeals to every merchant, in fact, it's a merchant's necessity; in great demand everywhere introduced; \$5 to \$6 on every order; investment of only \$240 required, money secured by supply of goods; hustler can easily make \$300 a month. Acme Sales Co., 419 E. Lexington St., Baltimore, Md. j-5-2t

WANTED—Board, by 2 ladies, with 2 small children, on a farm with congenial people, near station and Catholic Church. Harry J. Roth, 7 N. Broadway, Baltimore, Md. may 29 3t

WESTMINSTER MARKETS.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes Wheat, Oats, Corn, Flour, Sea Foam, Bran, Linnseed, Timothy Hay, Mixed Hay, Clover Hay, Rye Straw, Superior Dairy Feed, Cotton Seed Meal, Linnseed Meal.

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DIVIDEND NO. 26.

Union Mills Savings Bank, Union Mills, Md., June 6th, 1914. The President and Directors of this Bank have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of FOUR PER CENT. upon the Capital Stock of the Bank, clear of all County and State taxes, payable June 30th, 1914.

Stock Books close June 20th, 1914, reopen July 1st, 1914. C. E. BANKERT, Treasurer.

FOR SALE—Being over stocked I offer at private sale one Bay Mare, good leader, work wherever hitched, has always been gentle and perfectly safe; 1 fine young Jersey Cow, perfectly gentle, will be fresh about the first week in July; Mangel Wurtzel stock beef plants, 10 cents per hundred; by Parcels Post 20 cents per hundred.

JULYSSER H. SHIPLEY, June 12-3t Westminster, Md.

FOR SALE!

J. I. Case Thresher in good condition. The reason of sale as I have no use for it. It is a drag machine and will be sold reasonable. Apply at June 12-2t ADVOCATE OFFICE.

IF you suffer PILES send 50 cents for AIKISSON'S OINTMENT will give quick and permanent relief mailed post-paid George Aikisson 220 Guilford Ave., Baltimore, Md. j-12-4t

WANTED

Girl to help in house; wages \$8.00 per month. Apply to MRS. WILLIAM COWAN, Finksburg, Md. Care of J. F. Rader, June 12-3pt

J. W. Mather & Sons WESTMINSTER'S LEADING STORE

MILLINERY REDUCED. Several dozen of this season's best styles to be sold at reduced prices, in fact any hat in the house at a great reduction. A large lot former prices \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.50 now \$2.50. Other trimmed hats at \$2.00 and less, each one hardly more than half its former price.

Balmacaan Coats \$5.00. Just received a lot of the new Balmacaan coats that are so popular this season. The material is a grey mixture with snowflake effect and the style is the real balmacaan, special price for this lot \$5.00.

White Dress Skirts 98c. 5 doz. fine white P. K. skirts in four of the most popular models this season. The quality is so good you would take it for a \$1.50 skirt, while this lot lasts only 98c.

Ladies' Dust Coats \$1.25. A duster is a necessity for summer wear. Here is one made of a good imitation linen, cut with raglan sleeves and close fitting at the neck, all sizes \$1.25. Other dust coats \$2.00 and \$3.50.

Children's White Dresses 50c to \$5.00. We are showing a line of white dresses that will appeal to every mother. Dresses so attractive and low in price that you will want to buy all your children's dresses ready-made. All sizes from infants up to misses. 50c to \$5.00.

Children's Dresses 98c. New lot of dresses for children from 6 to 14 years, all made in this season's best styles, materials are ginghams, percales, ratines all fast colors, the best assortment available at 98c.

Boys' Wash Suits 98c. Wash suits for boys from 2 to 8 years, materials are percales, and linen finish, materials in white and attractive stripes, made with either sailor or military collars, extra value at 98c.

Ladies' Rubber Sole Oxfords \$2.00. Just the style all the girls are wearing. Made of white sea island duck, with soles of white rubber, and lining of white kid, sizes 2 1/2 to 7, \$2.00. Children's white oxfords with rubber soles, 8 1/2 to 11, \$1.00; 11 1/2 to 2, \$1.25.

\$1.50 to \$3.00 Ladies' Slippers 98c. Clearance sale of a lot of ladies' oxfords, pumps and strap slippers, former prices \$1.50 to \$3.00, to close out 98c.

\$3.00 Pumps \$1.50. Lot of tan pumps, former price \$2.00 and \$3.00, good quality perfect fitting goods, many of them are the famous RED CROSS make to close out \$1.50.

Muslin Underwear Specials Ladies' Gowns 50c. Six new styles, made in high neck, V neck or low neck and sleeveless, materials are fine cambric and long cloth, well trimmed with laces and embroideries, extra values at 50c.

Ladies' Drawers 19c. Drawers of good muslin, cut good size, open or closed style, ruffled finishes with three small tucks. Special price 19c.

Corset Covers 25c. 10 dozen new styles just received, trimmed with neat embroidery, or lavishly trimmed with lace, extra values at 25c.

Children's Drawers 10 to 25c. Drawers for children from 2 to 12 years; good muslin, with tucks, 10c; with lace edging 12c; with wide embroidery 25c.

Matting Hand Bags 50c. Ladies' hand bags, covered with fibre matting, open wide at the top, 14 inch size 50c, 16 inch size 58c.