

House Furnishings Goods Week.

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

Special Prices on the Every Day Necessities.

China Ware! China Ware! China Ware!

72 PIECE DINNER SETS \$5.50 Good quality American ware, clear white with pretty gold scroll band decoration.

26 PIECE SET \$1.69 Cottage or "Newly Wed" sets consisting of the most needed pieces. Gold decoration.

100 piece sets in the best makes of American ware in decorations to please all. Dinner sets that are attractive in design and of good quality at prices that make buying easy.

VASES \$1.25 Your choice of any of our pretty Japanese vases that sold at \$1.50 to \$2.50. This week only at this price

BUREAU SETS \$1.25 Imported china bureau sets, our regular \$1.50 to \$2.00 sets, special for this sale at only \$1.25.

CUPS AND SAUCERS 10c Hundreds of cups and saucers that sold at 15c to 25c each now on sale at 10c. All are imported china, prettily decorated and worth double the price asked.

Decorated Bowls and Pitchers Pretty decorations at no more than you usually pay for white ware.

\$3.00 Sherbet Glasses \$2.50 Cut glass sherbets offered special for this sale only. The best goods from our regular stock reduced from \$3.00 to \$2.50.

Toilet Paper 5 rolls for 25c These are the full 1000 sheet rolls of high grade white tissue, in fact the same roll as is sold by most stores at 10c or three for 25c. Special price for limited time only.

Bath Tub Seats either in hard wood or white enamel, with rubber covered hangers only 48c.

GLASS TOWEL BARS WITH NICKEL ENDS 48c.

WIZARD MOPS 39c Special for this sale only, we offer you the well known Wizard mops either oiled or chemically treated.

FLOOR MOPS 98c One of the best floor mops made, the \$1.25 kind and a 50c bottle of polish all for 98c. Don't fail to take advantage of this sale.

WASH BOILERS 79c We offer you what is considered the best \$1.00 wash boiler made for 79c. Made of heavy block tin with a non rust bottom and heavy wood handles, it is a bargain to be taken when offered.

GALVANIZED BUCKETS 9c 8 quart galvanized buckets guaranteed not to leak.

10c Enamel Pie Plates 6c These are first grade goods, nice and deep, at less than is often asked for light weight and seconds.

40c Granite Mixing Bowls 25c Large size lighter than crockery and will not break. These are the well known Royal goods, the best wearing gray enamel made.

Aluminum Coffee Pots \$1.25 These are the percolator style and make the best of coffee.

Enamel Pudding Pans 4c 8c and 10c sizes and values. Just this one lot at this price.

Big Values In Silverware We were very fortunate in being able to buy a lot of "Wallace" silverware at not much more than half price. Wallace on silverware is a guarantee of its quality. This is heavily plated, guaranteed fully by the makers and by us and at the low prices named is the biggest silverware bargain we have ever been able to offer.

\$1.00 gravy ladles 50c. \$2.75 orange spoons \$1.95. 2.00 soup ladles \$1.35. 1.25 tea spoons 75c doz. 75c cold meat forks 45c. 2.50 table spoons \$1.50 doz. \$1.00 set of butter knife and sugar shell 58c.

Cut Glass At Saving Prices

We have received a new shipment of sample pieces of cut glass. These are the new cuttings and while these samples are marked under the price we will give special for this week 10% from these low prices.

CLOCKS \$1.98 8-day alarm clocks regular price \$2.50, for this sale for only \$1.98.

Aluminum Tea Kettles \$1.98 Light in weight, long wearing and good looking, these are the sensible kettles to buy.

10c paring knives 8c. Scissors 9c pair. Moth balls 5c package. Sawyers blue, 3 boxes 5c. Matches 3 large boxes 10c. Steel Skillets 9c. 5c asbestos mats 3c. Good laundry soap 4c cake.

10 Mouse Traps in a box for 10c Clean and sanitary, you can throw away the mouse and trap and use a new trap each time at this price.

ALUMINUM KETTLES 19c 3 and 4 quart aluminum sauce pans, worth double the price.

ALUMINUM SPIDERS with ebony handle \$1.25. 98c Mrs. Potts Irons set of three with handle and stand 75c.

Nickel Tea Kettle 98c Good heavy copper tea kettles, nickel plated, No. 8 size.

PILLOW CASES 12 1/2c Made of a fair grade of muslin some are hem-stitched, some the plain hem.

SHEETS 62 1/2c Good grade of bleached sheeting, size 81x90, seamless torn and ironed. Special for this sale.

SHEETS 75c Made of the standard grades of the best sheetings. Actual values from 85c to \$1.00.

NAPKINS 75c doz. Mercerized napkins size 18x18 ready hemmed.

TABLE DAMASK 39c yard

Mercerized table damask 64 inches wide and good quality.

TOWELS 12 1/2c The best turkish towels we have ever seen at this price.

Wash Cloths 4c Tooth Brushes 10 & 15c values 8c Toilet Soap 3 for 10c Hand Scrub Brushes 8c

WILLIAMS TALCUM POWDER is one of the largest as well as one of the best cans of high grade Talcum Powders selling for 15c. We are not allowed to sell it for less but during this sale we will give with every two cans sold a 10c towel for 1c. 31c for the combination.

CUSHIONS 25c

Cushions all ready to use covered with cretonne with a wide ruffle all around. These are made by a comfort mfg. to use up his remnants or they could not be sold at this price. Summer is coming when you need porch cushions so supply your needs while these last. A great bargain at 25c.

TWO RUG SPECIALS

\$1.98 AXMINSTER RUGS \$1.25 50 Smith's Axminster Rugs in this lot—floral and Oriental patterns, our regular price on these rugs is \$1.98, these will go at \$1.25.

\$3.50 to \$4.00 RUGS \$2.95 Just one dozen in this lot, oriental and floral patterns in Saxong and Kirman brand axminsters, all perfect goods, a real bargain at \$2.95.

MATting SPECIAL 19c

Lot of China and Japanese matting regularly worth 25c. The lot includes plain white, white with floral designs, and neat checks, worth 25c, while it lasts only 19c.

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E. O. DIFFENDAL, Manager.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON, APRIL 16, 1915

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Leister, Liberty street, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a fine and healthy baby boy.

Strayer's Business College, Baltimore, is scheduled to play a game of ball with Westminster High School here on May 1, and in Baltimore May 13.

The first thunder gust of the season passed over this county on Saturday night. On Sunday copious rains followed, refreshing the earth, and making grass and grain start to grow. In some parts of the county the rain was heavy, but no great damage has been reported.

The handsome residence of Senator Johnnie E. Beasman, at Skyesville, which is being remodeled, when completed will be the most convenient home in the county. The contract for the artistic and beautiful designs of papering to adorn the walls has been let to Matthews & Myers, paper-hangers, East Main street.

It is reported that the Baltimore and Ohio and Western Maryland Railroads have entered into an agreement for trackage rights over some part of the Baltimore and Ohio lines reaching the coal fields of the Consolidation Coal Company by the Western Maryland gave rise to some conjecture as to how far the influence of John D. Rockefeller in the Baltimore and Ohio may have brought about that result.

Little Miss Josephine Connan, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Connan, East Main street, fell and broke her left arm at the elbow. On Monday the child was taken to the Maryland University Hospital, Baltimore, where an X-ray was taken. The injury is a bad one, and may possibly leave her a stiff arm. The accident happened while playing with a whirl wheel, which she was riding on and fell off.

Mr. Charles H. Sapp, one of Hampstead's most enterprising citizens, will put in operation on Saturday, May 1st, a bus line between Hampstead and this city, by the way of Manchester. Two round trips a day will be made in the start, one in the morning and the other in the afternoon. The bus to be used will accommodate 12 passengers comfortably. If the proposition is successful Mr. Sapp contemplates many improvements in the schedule. Mr. Sapp has in operation a bus line between Hampstead and Reisterstown which has been a success.

Twenty-three properties in Harford county were sold for taxes by the county treasurer.

The base ball game to be played at the Western Maryland College Saturday was cancelled.

Burglars in Hanover on Friday last used the same tactics as was used in this city recently by breaking show windows with a stone or brick and stealing watches, &c.

The Carroll Transit Company, to accommodate all people living along the route of its bus line, will on Monday only, make special trips to carry all who wish to attend the circus at the afternoon and evening performances.

United States Senator Thomas Pryor Gore, of Oklahoma, who closed the Chautauque sessions with a lecture at Frederick Monday evening, found while in Frederick that a marriage license was issued May 29, 1915, at the clerk's office in Frederick, for the marriage of his grand-children, Thomas Gore and Mary Smith. The Gore family are from McKinstry's Mills.

Good Will Fire Company No. 1, Lonaconing, Md., was organized in April, 1882, some time after the big fire which destroyed the business section of Lonaconing. This evening the members will meet and celebrate the thirty-third anniversary of the organization. An elaborate program will be rendered, and a smoker and luncheon will probably follow, after which dancing will be inaugurated and continued throughout the remainder of the night.

In executive session Monday afternoon, the members of the Baltimore Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Grace Church, Baltimore, for the second time rejected the report of the Commission on the Methodist and, by so doing, refused to take over the paper as their official organ. The report was referred back to the commission for further consideration. It may and it may not be brought up again for discussion before the conference closes.

The manager of the Advocate Tuesday morning received a souvenir postal from Mr. Zacharias Sanois, who has been detained in his native country, Greece, on account of the war. Mr. Sanois says: "I expect to be in Westminster soon and believe me I'm very anxious to come." Mr. Sanois left here to visit his father in Greece some time last summer, while there the war started and his country would not give him a passport to leave, fearing their country would declare war.

Drawing over \$200 from the bank of a small legacy left her by her parents, Miss Lucinda Sittig, of Hanover, Pa., left town. William Erisman, who, it is said, has a wife living in Baltimore, is also raising and Miss Emma Sittig, a sister of the missing girl, feels sure that her sister is with him somewhere in Maryland, as he has been paying her attention for some time. Miss Sittig is 35 years of age and Erisman is about the same age. Miss Sittig, with her sister, Emma, have been living in Hanover several years. On the first of April the money was drawn from the bank at Union Mills, notwithstanding the younger sister's protest, and since that time both Erisman and the woman have been missing.

The Waynesboro, (Pa.) Motor Club has decided to hold a run to Ridgeville on June 10.

By a freight car jumping the track at Lawndale Sunday morning, the 9:36 train was delayed about 40 minutes and a few hundred ties damaged.

The large grass field of Mr. Geo. W. Albaugh, near the Gas Works, caught fire last week, and on account of the dryness the field was burned over nearly its entire area.

The Federal, American and National League base ball clubs opened the season for 1915 this week before large crowds, showing the popularity of the great game. The Baltimore club got banged for three straight defeats in the opening games.

The funeral of J. C. Hager was held Tuesday at Salem Methodist Episcopal Church, Cedar Grove. Damascene Lodge of Odd Fellows had charge of the funeral. Odd Fellows from Montgomery, Howard, Frederick and Carroll counties and Baltimore and Washington attended. The Rev. Howard Keane, pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church, Kempstown, officiated.

Tome School, after a lapse of four years, announces the renewal of its annual interscholastic meet, at Port Deposit on May 8th. Formerly, on the second Saturday of May, for eight years, Tome held a great interscholastic field meet, to which came athletes from every school of importance in Baltimore, Philadelphia, Washington and this section of the country. This meet grew in importance and in interest every year and became established as the most unique scholastic athletic meeting south of Mason and Dixon's line.

Passenger train No. 27 between Cincinnati, North Vernon and Seymour, Ind., on the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern railroad, established a record for punctuality of having been on time at its destination from February 15, 1914, to March 31, 1915. In this period of 411 days the train was operated approximately 369,000 miles, and being an accommodation made twenty-seven intermediate stops between terminals and made a schedule of 27 1/2 miles an hour, including stops, on the 87-mile run. The train was required to meet several other passenger trains on the schedule as well as the regular freight traffic on the division.

Logue. Lottie Elizabeth Logue, daughter of Rosa and the late James A. Logue, formerly of near this city, died at her home, 1804 Rosedale street, Baltimore, Saturday, aged 24 years, 7 months and 16 days. She is survived by her mother and six brothers. Funeral services were held Tuesday in the Church of God, Warfield'sburg, by Rev. P. H. Miller, at the interment in adjoining cemetery. Pallbearers were Grover Zahn, Granville Erb, Elmer Caple and Clarence Zahn. F. A. Sharper, funeral director.

THE LADIES' MITE SOCIETY OF PIPE CREEK CHURCH will hold a name social in Medford Grange Hall, Medford, Saturday, April 24, at 8 p. m.

Joseph H. Dandy, of near Hampstead, for 15 years one of the most widely known schoolteachers of Carroll county and recently principal of Hooks Mill School, left Monday for Oklahoma, where he will become identified with the oil business.

About 200 delegates and members of the Grand Army of the Republic gathered at Red Men's Hall, Baltimore April 8, for the thirty-ninth annual encampment of the Department of Maryland. New Windsor, Fowlesburg, and this city were represented.

The third raid has been made upon the henery of Mr. H. S. Rood, West Main street. This time eight chickens out of 14 were taken. The thieves were held as the chickens were taken between 9 and 10 o'clock Monday evening. The lock on the chicken house was taken off and stolen.

Millers United Brethren Church, at Millers, reopened Sunday with special services after having been closed for more than a month, during which time extensive improvements were made. The Rev. Harry Zuse, a former pastor preached at 10 a. m., on "The Secret of a True Worshiper" and at 7 p. m., on "The Bread Upon the Water." J. H. Ness, a student of Lebanon Valley College, also took part in the services.

Within a month every danger point and cross-road on the state highways within a 60-mile radius of Baltimore will be posted with direction and caution signs of the Automobile Club. The signs are black, with a yellow arrow along which is painted in bold letters the name of the city toward which it points on the word "danger." They are to be erected upon specially designed and constructed iron posts.

Because of the demand for new State roads and various improvements in different localities the Frederick County Commissioners decided Saturday that they could not grant the Frederick fire companies an appropriation of \$3,000. President Holter said the appropriation on account of a general demand for a lower rate, which they had promised. The recent \$500 tax exemption will mean a loss of \$15,000 to the county—about 5 cents on each \$100 in the tax rate.

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NO. 4818 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Carroll County, Anna H. Ruby, infant, by her next friend William H. Ruby, Plaintiff, vs. Roscoe H. Ruby and Anna H. Ruby, infants, Defendant. Ordered this 16th day of April, A. D. 1915, that the account of the Auditor filed in this cause be finally ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 3rd day of May, next; provided a copy of this order be inserted for two successive weeks before the last named day in some newspaper published in Carroll County.

True Copy.—Test: OSCAR D. GILBERT, Clerk. apr-16-15 OSCAR D. GILBERT, Clerk.

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

GEORGE HARDY, late of Carroll County, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereon legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 15th day of December, 1915, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Under my hand this 14th day of April 1915.

MARGARET A. HARDY, Administratrix. apr-16-15

Our "JITNEY" Offer—This and 5c. DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c to Foley & Co., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup; Foley Kidney Pills, for pain in sides and back, rheumatism, backache, kidney and bladder ailments; and Foley Cathartic Tablets, a wholesome and thoroughly cleansing cathartic, especially comforting to stout persons.

"SUCCESSFUL BUSINESS IS BUT THE LENGTHENED SHADOW OF THE MAN." Emerson. Emerson wasn't speaking about the Coal business, for he would have said that the quality of the coal and the service helped some. It's time to be thinking about Coal for the next year—think also of Smith & Reifsnider.

Taking Care of the Children. No parent would consciously be careless of the children. Joe A. Rozmarin, Clarkson, Neb., writes: "I am now taking Foley Kidney Pills about ten months ago. I am now able to do all my work without fatigue. I am now 61 years of age and feel like a 16-year-old-girl." Foley Kidney Pills strengthen and invigorate weak, tired and deranged kidneys; relieve backache, weak back, rheumatism and bladder trouble. They are tonic in action.

GET YOUR COAL ORDER LISTED AT THE LOWEST PRICE OF THE SEASON—NEW COAL IS COMING. You will save money, if you buy next month. Nobody knows what next fall and winter will be like.

FOR SALE—Two 3-year old Colts, black and bay; from pacing sorrel. EDGAR F. KEEFER, apr-16-15 Westminster, Md.

Makes 61 Feet Like 16. "I suffered with kidney ailment for two years," writes Mrs. M. A. Bridges, Robinson, Miss., "and commenced taking Foley Kidney Pills about ten months ago. I am now able to do all my work without fatigue. I am now 61 years of age and feel like a 16-year-old-girl." Foley Kidney Pills strengthen and invigorate weak, tired and deranged kidneys; relieve backache, weak back, rheumatism and bladder trouble. They are tonic in action.

FOR SALE. One Bay Mare, nine years old, good driver, apply to GEO. R. GRUMBINE, Westminster, Md.

WANTED.

Gentleman wishing to familiarize himself with cultural methods seeks quarters for wife and self for independent housekeeping on a well managed farm. Kitchen and bed room sufficient. Address C. K. C. Advocate. apr-23-15

FOUND.

Found on the Washington Pike on April 3rd three packages. Owner can have same by identifying the goods at the residence of James Case, near this city.

Candidate's Announcement.

I announce myself as a candidate for Clerk of the Circuit Court and respectfully solicit the support of the Democrats at the coming primary election in September, 1915.

N. A. HITCHCOCK, Taneytown District.

I announce my candidacy for the office of Clerk of the Circuit Court for Carroll county, subject to the decision of the Republican primaries, held September, 1915.

GEO. L. STOCKSDALE, Member of the Westminster Bar, Residence, New Windsor.

ELECTION NOTICE.

Westminster, Deposit and Trust Co. Westminster, Md., April 17, 1915.

The Stockholders of the Westminster Deposit and Trust Company are hereby notified that the regular annual meeting for the election of TWELVE DIRECTORS, to manage the affairs of the Company for the ensuing year will be held in the Banking Rooms of said Company, on MONDAY, 3rd DAY OF MAY, 1915, between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock, a. m.

N. H. BAUMGARTNER, Secretary and Treasurer. apr-16-15



THE CHOICEST CUTS of beef are the only kind we sell. If you haven't as yet enjoyed the complete satisfaction that comes from trading here begin at once by letting us supply the meat for your dinner. We know that our meats and prices will please you.

M. E. CAMPBELL, No. 71 East Main Street, Westminster, Md.

PUBLIC SALE

FRIDAY, APRIL 23, 1915, beginning at 1 p. m., sharp

On the road leading from Silver Run to Pleasant Valley, two miles west of Mt. Pleasant a tract of timber, formerly owned by John Leister.

50,000 Feet Of SOLID OAK BOARDS, PLANK AND SCANTLING,

all full edged 2x4, 3x4 and 4x4, from 8 to 16 feet.

75 CORDS OF SLAB WOOD Oak and Hickory, 12 inches long; 35 Acres of Uncut Tops, also Standing Timber, Oak and Hickory, in lots to suit purchasers. 100 Posts, 30 Cords of Cord Wood with no rails; Tree Tops, Chips, Chucks, Edging, &c.

Sale to begin at 1 o'clock, P. M., sharp. A credit of three months will be given to all purchasers giving their notes with approved security. All sums of \$5 and under cash. Positive no lumber to be removed until sale is over.

N. H. MUSSELMAN, J. N. O. Smith, Auctioneer. apr-16-15

PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at public sale at 73 East Main street, Westminster, Md., on WEDNESDAY, APRIL 28, 1915,

at 1 p. m., my entire stock of wines, liquors, cigars, and fixtures, 2 8-ft. two-shelf oak stained wall racks, 13 ft. oak stained counter, 11 ft. oak stained counter, 28 ft. two-tier barrel rack, 3 ft. wall case or cabinet, 20 ft. oak stained counter, 32 ft. two-shelf oak wall rack, 29 ft. barrel rack, 7 wooden stools, 3 ft. high; Sunshine cook stove, 2 ft. two coil paper rack, Regulator wall clock, Emerson Injection motor fan, 40 1-gal. glass jugs, desk chair, step ladder, chair, lawn mower, step ladder, window brush, window racks, whiskey barrels, wine kegs, dishes, ice chest, and other things too numerous to mention.

Terms—CASH. F. W. ROHDA, Wm. Blizzard, Auctioneer.

NOTICE

I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by any one but myself. HENRY COLEMAN. apr-16-15

LICENSE NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all persons and bodies, corporate or politic, to whom it may concern, that they MUST OBTAIN A LICENSE, or renew the same, on or before the FIRST DAY OF MAY, 1915, according to the provisions of the Code of Public Laws of the State of Maryland. ALBERT L. DAVIS, Sheriff of Carroll County. apr-16-15