

Programs of Music and Mirth



1—Elsie Mae Gordon. 2—Judith Hampton Lydon. 3—Waino Kauppi. 4—Charles Clark Fuller.

The Chautauqua Entertainers will give two splendid programs on the second day of our Chautauqua. The company is composed of four people. Miss Elsie Mae Gordon, the reader, is an accomplished artist. She has had extended experience in the work and has an enviable record of success. Decidedly out of the ordinary will be the work of Miss Judith Hampton Lydon, who sings quaint songs of the southland, accompanying herself with the banjo. Waino Kauppi is usually referred to as "the boy cornetist." He is a Finn by birth and is a remarkable cornetist, having played many important engagements both in Europe and America. The quartet is completed by Charles Clark Fuller, the pianist and accompanist, who is a thorough musician.

GERMANS SINK ARABIC LINER

423 Passengers Abroad—8 Lost—Germans Still Gaining Ground in Russia.

The 10,000-ton White Star Line steamer Arabic, bound from Liverpool to New York, was torpedoed by a German submarine at 9.15 yesterday morning and sank in 11 minutes. There were 26 Americans among the 423 cabin passengers, 16 of whom are known to have been saved. The fate of the other Americans is unknown. The steamer's passengers numbered 423. There were 423 persons aboard the ship and 375 were saved. Forty-eight lives were lost. Six passengers are unaccounted for. Captain Finch declares that the Germans gave no warning.

Paris announces violent artillery engagements in the Artois region. In the Champagne, beyond the Meuse and in the Vosges. Attacks with grenades by the army of the German Crown Prince, in the Argonne, are reported to have been repulsed.

An Austrian squadron attacked the Island of Pelagos, in the mid-Adriatic, seized by the Italians early in the war. Attempts to make a landing were defeated. Further additions to the British forces in the Dardanelles have been made, London announcing that more troops have been landed at Suvla Bay, on the Gallipoli Peninsula. The British admit, however, that after hard fighting, their advance was checked by the Turks and Germans. Italy is preparing to send warships against Turkey if that nation declines to satisfy Italy's demands for the release of Italian subjects held in the Ottoman Empire.

'DECLINED' VOTER MAY VOTE IN PRIMARIES

Attorney General Says That He May Declare Affiliation Election Day.

Attorney General Edgar Allen Poe recently gave an opinion in regard to the right of an unaffiliated voter to affiliate on the day of the primary election and thus take part in the contest of September 14 next.

The substance of Mr. Poe's opinion is that an unaffiliated registered voter who has not voted in any primary since April 16, 1914, the date on which the law affecting the matter came into force, may on September 14 next, the date of the State-wide primary, vote to the election officers that he desires to vote in the Republican (or the Democratic) primary (as the case may be) and the election officers shall then put his party affiliation after his name on the books and let him vote.

Mr. Poe's opinion is given in a letter sent to a number of persons, each of whom have asked the same questions. It does not mean, however, that a registered Democrat can vote in the Republican primaries or a registered Republican in the Democratic primaries.

The decision in the case of Murphy vs. Wichter, which originated in Baltimore last spring, was to the effect that in the spring registration prior to the municipal election, a voter could change or declare his affiliation.

II GERMAN WARSHIPS SUNK

By Russians and Capture Troop Transports.

The naval battle in which German and Russian warships have been engaged for several days in the Gulf of Riga has resulted in the German fleet withdrawing after having lost the dreadnought type, three other cruisers and seven torpedo boats, according to a statement credited to the president of the Russian Duma.

This is the latest information concerning the German naval attack which was undertaken as a measure of co-operation with the Teutonic operations in Courland and especially against the important port of Riga.

The significance of the German withdrawal is not brought out in the Petrograd dispatch, and no mention is made in it by any Russian losses. A German report of Saturday announced that the Russians had lost three small warships—two gunboats and a torpedo boat.

Russian War Office announces that the German fleet has left the Gulf of Riga and that Russian destroyers have sunk over 100 Turkish boats. The president of the Duma announced that the Germans lost the super-dreadnought Moltke, three cruisers and seven torpedo boats in the battle in the gulf, but this is not confirmed from any other source.

WATERSVILLE.

The Sunday school of the Methodist Episcopal church here will hold a festival in the grove of the church Saturday.

A family reunion was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Poole on Sunday. Those who were present were Mr. and Mrs. James A. Poole, Mr. David Stem and daughter, of Sams Creek; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilt and Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Wilt, of Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Price, of Hyattstown; Mr. and Mrs. John Wilt, of Pittsburgh, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hartman, Mrs. V. O. Shipley, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wilt, of Watersville; Misses Olivia Poole, Nettie Porter, Olive Wilt, Rosa and Effie Hartman, Messrs. Wesley Poole, Alfred Harrison, George Wilt, John Hartman, James and George Hartman, Oscar Shipley, Edgar Shipley, Howard Wilt. It was a very happy reunion and greatly enjoyed by all present, with a hope that there might be many returns.

Mr. Alonzo B. Sellman has made a fine improvement to his hotel by building a handsome portico with a concrete base.

Mr. R. W. Burdette is having painted the building occupied by Mr. Ernest Hall.

Mrs. Josephine Windbrenner and Mr. J. M. Pharnay have added much to the convenience of their homes by having wells bored with pumps affixed.

Mr. Malcolm Sellman, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sellman was married to Miss Madeline Nelson, of Chicago, on Monday. We welcome our bright young friend to the ranks of the Benedictines.

Mr. W. A. Shipley, of Florville, was a visitor here last Thursday.

Miss Addie Spurrier has returned from Baltimore, where she attended the Johns Hopkins summer school for teachers.

Miss Lillian S. Gartrell visited her cousin, Miss Waters, recently.

Dr. S. R. Waters has returned from a visit to his brother, Mr. George T. Waters, of Montgomery county.

Mrs. J. M. Pharnay is visiting relatives in Waynesboro, Pa.

The "Mt. Airy Fair and Picnic" was largely attended by the residents of this neighborhood and was a success, notwithstanding the rain of last Saturday.

PLEASANT VALLEY.

The seventeenth annual reunion of the Reformed churches, of Carroll county which was held at this place on Thursday, August 19, was a success, the net proceeds being \$100.84, which will go towards paying the debt of the church. One of the features of the reunion was the fine music by the Mayberry Band.

Mr. C. Tobias Yingling had the misfortune of losing two fine cows last Sunday morning. They were turned out in young clover, became bloated and died in a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Upton H. Myers entertained at dinner Sunday a party of Baltimoreans including Rev. and Mrs. McCulloch and son, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Warehime, Mr. Warner, Mr. and Mrs. Lester McEroy, Miss Ruth Knox, Miss Helen Beg, Mrs. Jesse Parker and daughter, of Hot Lake, Oregon; Mrs. Huff, of Hagerstown; Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Leppo and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wertz and children.

Mr. Norva Hahn, wife of son, Harland, of Baltimore, are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hahn.

Miss Goldie Myers, of Westminster, is spending some time with her brother, Mr. C. Herbert Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. George Devilbiss are visiting in Baltimore.

BARE BRANCH.

Mr. John V. A. Kooztz spent a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Kooztz.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wantz and little daughter, of Cranberry, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stanner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brown entertained on Sunday Rev. J. W. Reinecke, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kauffman and Miss Bertha Brown, of Canada Hill.

Mrs. J. T. Kooztz and daughter, Mrs. W. Helwig, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. David W. Circle, of Pleasant Valley.

Mrs. David Circle, who has been confined to her bed for the past seven months is not much improved at this writing.

Mrs. Ella Hassler and son, Leonard, of Hampstead, spent Thursday with Mr. J. H. Kooztz, of Littlestown, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Helwig, of Mahogany farm, and attended the Reformed reunion at Pleasant Valley.

No. 4820 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Carroll County, in Equity.

Mary Eleanor Hutchins and others, Plaintiffs, vs. Albin S. Mercier, Defendant. Ordered this 20th day of August, in the year nineteen hundred and fifteen, by the Circuit Court for Carroll County, sitting as a Court of Equity, that the sales of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Harry S. Owings, trustee appointed by decree of this Court to make said sales, be ratified, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 20th day of September, nineteen hundred and fifteen; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Carroll County, once in each of three successive weeks before the 15th day of September, nineteen hundred and fifteen.

The report states the amount of sales to be \$25,161.00.

OSCAR D. GILBERT, Clerk. True Copy. Test: OSCAR D. GILBERT, Clerk. aug 20-15

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

This is to give notice that the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Carroll County, in Maryland, letters of administration on the Personal Estate of

FRANCES AMANDA TAYLOR, late of Carroll County, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers therefor legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 20th day of March, 1916, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under our hands this 17th day of August, 1915.

G. CLEVELAND TAYLOR, HOWARD E. TAYLOR, Administrators.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Carroll County, in Maryland, letters testamentary on the Personal Estate of

ELIZABETH WILDERSON, late of Carroll County, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers therefor legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 20th day of March, 1916, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 16th day of August, 1915.

HORACE WILDERSON, Executor.

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

EMMA S. GITTINGS, late of Carroll County, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers therefor legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 20th day of March, 1916, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 16th day of August, 1915.

JAMES C. GITTINGS, Administrator.

No. 4849 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Carroll County, in Equity.

William E. Freyman and others, Plaintiff, vs. Helen F. Logue and others, Defendants. Ordered by the Circuit Court for Carroll County, sitting as a Court of Equity, this thirteenth day of August, nineteen hundred and fifteen, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by John Milton Reifsnider and Francis Neal Parks, trustees, appointed by decree of this Court to make said sale, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 20th day of September, 1915, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Carroll County, Maryland, once in each of three successive weeks prior to the sixth day of September, nineteen hundred and fifteen.

The report states the amount of sale to be eighteen hundred dollars.

True Copy.—Test: OSCAR D. GILBERT, Clerk. aug 13-15 OSCAR D. GILBERT, Clerk.

RATIFICATION NOTICE

In the Orphans' Court of Carroll County, August Term, 1915.

Estate of Michael Walsh, deceased.

On application, it is ordered, this 9th day of August, 1915, that the sale of the Real Estate of Michael Walsh, late of Carroll County, deceased, made by Michael E. Walsh, Executor, of the last Will and Testament of said deceased, and this day reported to the said Executor, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary on or before the 2nd Monday, 13th day of September, next, be shown to the Court by the insertion of a copy of this order in some newspaper published in Carroll County, before the 1st Monday, 6th day of September, next.

The report states the amount of sale to be \$1,500.00.

True Copy.—Test: ROBERT N. KOONTZ, HARRY K. SHAEFFER, SAMUEL MILLER, Judges. aug 13-15 WILLIAM ARTHUR, Register of Wills for Carroll County.

No. 4866 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Carroll County, August Term, 1915.

Joseph T. Hering, et al., Executors, vs. Arthur V. Moore, et al. Ordered this 11th day of August, 1915, by the Circuit Court for Carroll County, in Equity, that the sale of the Real Estate in these proceedings mentioned above and reported by Thomas A. Murry, Trustee, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 12th day of September, 1915, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Carroll County in each of three successive weeks before the 8th day of September, 1915. The report states the amount of sale to be \$2000.00.

True Copy.—Test: OSCAR D. GILBERT, Clerk. aug 13-15 OSCAR D. GILBERT, Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Carroll County, Maryland, letters of administration on the Personal Estate of

SAMUEL F. T. SHARP, late of Carroll County, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers therefor legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 15th day of March, 1916, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 9th day of August, 1915.

WILLIAM H. SHARP, Administrator.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Carroll County, Maryland, letters of Administration on the personal estate of

JOHN T. YINGLING, late of Carroll County, Maryland, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers therefor legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 8th day of March, 1916, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefits of said estate.

Given under my hand this 3rd day of August, 1915.

JOHN T. YINGLING, Administrator.

RATIFICATION NOTICE.

In the Orphans' Court of Carroll County, August Term, 1915.

Estate of Nicholas Benson, deceased.

On application, it is ordered, this 18th day of August, 1915, that the sale of real estate of Nicholas Benson, late of Carroll County, deceased, made by George E. Benson, Executor, of the last will and testament of said deceased, and this day reported to this Court by said Executor, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause be shown to the contrary on or before the 2nd Monday, 20th day of September, next; provided a copy of this order be inserted for three successive weeks in some newspaper printed and published in Carroll County, before the 2nd Monday, 13th day of September, next.

The report states the amount of sale to be \$1,375.00.

True Copy.—Test: ROBERT N. KOONTZ, HARRY K. SHAEFFER, SAMUEL MILLER, Judges. aug 20-15 WILLIAM ARTHUR, Register of Wills for Carroll County.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE. The County Commissioners of Carroll County will meet at their office, in Westminster, every Monday and the first Tuesday after the first Monday of the month in August, 1915, for the transaction of business. By Order, O. EDWARD DOBRER, Clerk.

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PUBLIC SALE OF 3 VALUABLE FARMS In Uniontown District, Carroll County, Maryland.

The undersigned will offer at public sale on the premises of Tract No. 1, on

TUESDAY, AUGUST 31, 1915,

at 2 o'clock p. m., all those three valuable farms located along the state highway running from Taneytown to Westminster, about three miles from the former place, in Uniontown district, Carroll county, Maryland, and which formerly belonged to the estate of Clotworthy Birnie, deceased.

Tract No. 1 contains 17 1/2 ACRES AND 20 SQUARE PERCHES, more or less, improved by a rough cast Stone Dwelling House, with 15 rooms, basement kitchen and linen room, with large Barn, Hog Pens, Wagon Shed and other necessary outbuildings, with well of good water and cistern at house and barn.

Tract No. 2 contains 150 ACRES AND 67 SQUARE PERCHES, more or less, located contiguous to Tract No. 1, in said Uniontown district and improved by a Good Weatherboarded Dwelling House, 7 rooms, basement kitchen, large Stable, Hog House and other necessary outbuildings, and a well of excellent water at the house. Bear Branch, a never failing stream of water runs through this tract and Tract No. 1.

Tract No. 3 contains 114 1/2 ACRES AND 82 SQUARE PERCHES, more or less, and is located contiguous to Tract No. 1, in said Uniontown district, Carroll county, Maryland. This property is unimproved, the land is in a high state of cultivation, and adjoins the lands of Curtis Ecker and the late Colonel Goulden et al.

The above properties to any person desiring to purchase valuable and productive farms, as the land is very fertile, located in the northern part of the County within a short distance of several markets and convenient to churches and schools.

The aforesaid tracts will be offered separately and then as a whole and sold to the best advantage. This is the same property which was formerly known as the Clotworthy Birnie estate and is fully described in the deed from Clotworthy Birnie, trustee to Adam M. Kalbach, by deed dated September 20, 1907, and recorded among the Land Records of Carroll County in Liber D. P. S., No. 108, folio 97, was devised by the said Dr. A. M. Kalbach to the undersigned, and now occupied by Mr. L. H. Winter.

Terms of Sale.—One-third cash on the day of sale, one-third in six months, and one-third in twelve months, the deferred payments to be secured by the notes of the purchaser or purchasers, with approved security bearing interest from the day of sale, or the whole of the purchase money in cash at the option of the purchaser.

MARY KALBACH, J. N. O. Smith, auct. E. O. Weant, attorney.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF THREE VALUABLE FARMS

On and near the Washington Road, 5 miles S. W. of Westminster, in Carroll County, Maryland, formerly owned by Elias G. Shipley, now deceased.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Carroll County, passed in cause No. 4858 Equity, wherein Goldie B. Shipley, et al. are plaintiffs, and Bertha E. Zahn et al., are defendants, the undersigned Trustees will offer at Public Sale on the premises described on

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1915,

at 2 o'clock, p. m., the following farms of which Elias G. Shipley died possessed:

1st. All that Home Farm, where Elias G. Shipley lived, on the Washington Road, 5 miles S. W. of Westminster, and now occupied by Mrs. Alice V. Shipley, containing

152 ACRES AND 16 PERCHES of land more or less, improved with a large brick dwelling house, large barn and all necessary outbuildings, reserving, however, the joint use of a roadway way leading from the farm laid out for the back farm. Possession of the buildings will be given to the purchaser April 1, 1916, but immediate possession of the land can be had for fall plowing.

2nd. All that adjoining farm, lying 5 miles S. W. of Westminster, on the Nicodemus Road, now occupied by Leo H. Davis, containing

142 1/2 ACRES OF LAND, more or less, improved with a large dwelling house and barn. About 20 acres of it is in very good timber. Together, also, with the use of a joint roadway way leading from the farm through the above Home Place to the Washington Road, as per survey made recently. Possession of the buildings will be given April 1, 1916