

\$1.00 PER ANNUM.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Transfers of Real Estate, Marriage Licenses, Etc.

Orphans' Court.

Monday, March 19th.—Blanche K. Baer, administratrix of James S. Baer, deceased, returned an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

Frank W. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, returned an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

John H. Green, administrator of the estate of John H. Green, deceased, reported an inventory of personal property and received an order to sell same.

DEATHS.

Birnie.

Dr. Clotworthy Birnie, 74 years, died 2 months and 3 days old, died at his home in Taneytown, Friday evening.

He was a Republican in politics. He served in the legislature when Governor Lowndes was governor. He was president of the Carroll Record Publishing Company of Taneytown and a member of the Maryland Historical Society. He never married. He was one of a family of eight children, sons and daughters of Rogers and Amelia K. Birnie. Two brothers, Col. Rogers Birnie, a retired officer of the United States Army, of New York, and George H. Birnie, banker, of Taneytown, and two sisters, Mrs. Robert Anna and Miss Amelia Birnie, of Taneytown, survive him.

Funeral services were held Monday at his home Rev. Seth Russell Downie, assisted by James Cattanch, of Baltimore, Revs. Hafer, Brady and Marks, of Taneytown, officiating. Interment in Piney Creek cemetery.

His death was sudden, yet hardly a surprise, as the doctor and his friends understood his condition, and knew that sooner or later he would probably be the victim of apoplexy. Some time ago he suffered a minor stroke of the same character, but soon recovered; and although always somewhat weakened, he was able to continue his practice to the end. The final stroke came on Thursday night, March 15, and the doctor lingered in an unconscious state until the next afternoon when he answered the final summons.

Dr. Birnie was born at Glenburn, near Taneytown, and spent his whole life in this vicinity. In young manhood he prepared for his chosen profession at the University of Pennsylvania, finishing his course there in 1870, and for all of the 47 years since that time he practiced medicine here at his native place. He was a skillful physician and he always did his best.

But while he endeavored himself to many of the people of this community as a physician, it was even more on account of his high type of manhood, and his marked christian character, that he was held in such general esteem. All of his life a devoted member of the Presbyterian church, he was prominent in her councils, and always ready to render service where opportunity offered.

Monocacy Lodge, No. 203, A. F. & A. M., of which he was the first master and ever since a member, conducted a service at the grave. He had long held a prominent place in the ranks of Masonry, having been admitted to Door to Virtue Lodge, Westminster, many years ago.

The pallbearers were D. J. Hosson, William Arthur, George Arnold, John Davidson, E. E. Reinhold and Robert S. McKinney. C. O. Fuss & Son, funeral directors.

Reed.

Mary Reed, wife of John T. Reed, died Tuesday afternoon at 5.20 o'clock from a complication of diseases, aged 73 years, 8 months and 8 days. She was a member of Synodians Reformed Church where funeral services were held this morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. J. H. Blatt, of Manchester, had charge of the services. Interment in the adjoining cemetery.

Mrs. Reed was a daughter of the late Adam Essig and the last surviving member of the family.

The following children survive: Mrs. John S. Leister, Charles Reed, Harry Reed, near Snyderburg; Granville Reed, near Hampstead; William Reed, near Manchester; Preston M. Reed, near this city; Mrs. Harry J. Lippy, Greenmount; Mrs. Sussie Simmons, at home; Pallbearers were William H. Ruby, George Stoffle, Arthur Benedict, John R. Houck, Eli Null and J. R. Smith. C. V. Tipton & Son, funeral directors.

Croft.

Benjamin Croft, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Croft, near Carrollton, died Saturday afternoon at the Maryland University Hospital, Baltimore, aged 19 years, of acute peritonitis following an operation for appendicitis. He was very popular and well thought of in his community, which was attested by the large gathering of friends who attended the funeral and the beautiful floral tributes. He is survived by his parents, one sister, Mrs. Estelle Manhan, this city; and three brothers, Charles, of Stevenson; Frank, of Highland, Md., and Robert, of Walcott, Ind.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon in Bethel church, conducted by Rev. S. B. Craft, pastor, assisted by Rev. J. G. Fields. Interment in adjoining cemetery. The pallbearers were Hayden Taylor, Emory Arbuthnot, Harold Spencer, Clarence Leppro, Shreeve Craft and James Long. C. V. Tipton & Son, funeral directors.

Wheeler.

William H. Wheeler, Jr., son of Elizabeth J. and the late William H. Wheeler, died Friday afternoon at Springfield State Hospital, aged 33 years. He is survived by his mother, four brothers, Dr. E. M. Wheeler, Baltimore; Thomas, Irvin and Elijah, Hampstead, and two sisters, Mrs. John C. Armacost, near Hampstead, and Mrs. Walter Martin, Laurel.

Funeral services were held Monday morning in Grace Methodist Episcopal church, Rev. D. M. Dibble officiating. Interment in adjoining cemetery. Pallbearers were Charles Martin, Luther Martin, William Rhoten, Winstead Bentz, Edward Kemp and Wesley Cooper. C. V. Tipton & Son, funeral directors.

Witte.

Catherine Witte, wife of August Witte, died Tuesday at her home near Tanny, aged 64 years, 5 months and 19 days. Funeral services were held at the house yesterday at 11 a. m., by Rev. Wm. H. Hetrick. Interment in Westminster cemetery. Besides her husband she is survived by the following children: Mrs. William Witte, Sparks, Md.; Mrs. Walter C. Wimer, A. Frank Witte, this city; Mrs. E. O. McElwee, Gore, Va., and one sister, Mrs. Charles Smith, Baltimore.

James M. Stoner & Son, funeral directors.

50 FARMERS MEET.

DISCUSS STATE ROAD FROM THIS CITY TO MOUNT AIRY—COMMITTEE APPOINTED TO PUSH THE IMPROVEMENT.

On Tuesday night, about fifty farmers residing in the vicinity of Warfieldsburg met at that place to discuss the possibility of securing a State road from Westminster via Mt. Airy to Ridgeville. Those present organized by electing Mr. Wm. A. Roop, chairman, who appointed a committee to secure the co-operation of all living along the proposed road, in a united effort to have the State Roads Commission select this road for improvement. There are few roads in the county over which there is more travel and the improvement of which would benefit more people than the road leading from Westminster to Mt. Airy.

This road does not run near any railroad, therefore all produce must be hauled to market. Furthermore the improvement of this road will be an important link in the completion of the State system of highways as at Ridgeville it would connect with a state road to Washington, D. C., also to Baltimore, Frederick and Hagerstown, and at Westminster would connect with the State roads leading to the county seat.

Reigel. Daniel P. Reigel, a Civil War veteran, died Monday night at 10.40 o'clock at his home in Cumberland township, Adams county, from the effects of a stroke of paralysis. He was aged 73 years and 1 month. The deceased was born near Littlestown, and spent most of his life there. He moved to a farm near Gettysburg four years ago.

His wife, who was Miss Savilla Groft, died about a year ago. He leaves four children, Mrs. Reuben Rupp, of Gettysburg; Mrs. Harry Stouffer, of Taneytown, and Miss Anna Reigel and Miss Ida Reigel, at home. Three sisters, Mrs. James Snyder, of Littlestown; Miss Susan Reigel, of Manchester, and Mrs. Beniah Bankert, of Melrose; a step-brother and a step-sister, William Reigel, of Littlestown, and Mrs. John Hull, of Kingsdale, survive.

The funeral was held today at noon from his late home, the Rev. Dr. F. S. Lindman officiating. Interment was made in Mt. Carmel cemetery, Littlestown. The G. A. R. Post, of Gettysburg, had charge of the services.

Easley. Mrs. Bertha May Easley, wife of Harvey Easley, of Hanover, Pa., died Tuesday afternoon at 4.30 o'clock from tuberculosis. She was aged 35 years, 4 months and 7 days. The deceased was a daughter of John Miller, of Baltimore. She is survived by her husband, one son, George, her father and the following step-children: Earl Easley, of York; Claud Easley, of Shippensburg; Vera Easley, of Hanover, Pa., and Helen, Roger, Roy and Iva Easley, at home.

The funeral was held this morning with short services from her late home at 8.30 o'clock, after which the remains were taken to Silver Run, where further services were held in St. Mary's Reformed church, the Rev. S. P. Mauer, of Grace Reformed church, assisted by the Rev. S. C. Hoover, of St. Mary's church, Silver Run, officiating. Interment was made in the Union cemetery, at Silver Run.

Shriver. William J. Shriver, son of the late William Shriver, this city, died at his residence, 1629 Westwood avenue, Baltimore, yesterday morning, in his 51st year. Mr. Shriver married Miss Louise Lynch, of this city, and formerly lived here. He is survived by his wife and son, John Lynch, and the following brothers and sisters, Mrs. Snader, and Miss Mamie Shriver, of Pittsburg; Misses Emma, Bertie and Sussie Shriver, Baltimore; Thomas F. Kye, of Baltimore, and Stewart Shriver, Pittsburg.

His body will be brought to this city on the 9.24 train tomorrow morning and taken to St. John's church, where services and interment will take place. F. C. Sharrer, funeral director.

Engel. David Cassell Engel, aged 61 years, 11 months and 23 days, son of the late Peter and Mary Cassell Engel, died Sunday at his home in New Windsor. He leaves three sisters and a brother, Mrs. Amelia Aldridge, New Windsor; Mrs. Ida Wood, Baile; Miss Marie Engel, New Windsor, and Charles Engel, Union Bridge.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at his late home, Rev. J. T. Marsh officiating. Interment in Cassell's cemetery, at Avondale. Pallbearers were Philip Snader, Charles Jones, George Englar, N. T. Bennett, Charles Graybill and J. Wm. Snader. Harvey Bankard & Son, funeral directors.

Blizzard. Stephen W. Blizzard, aged 73 years, died Friday at the home of John W. Coppersmith, Hampstead. He was a veteran of the Civil War and a member of Burns Post, G. A. R., No. 13, this city. He is survived by two brothers, Charles, near this city, and John W., of Patapsco.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon in Bethel church, by Rev. S. B. Craft, pastor, assisted by Rev. D. M. Dibble, of Hampstead. Interment in adjoining cemetery. Pallbearers were Howard Shaeffer, Wm. Seaks, J. W. Williams, David Brown, Pinkney Blizzard and George Hughes. C. V. Tipton & Son, funeral directors.

Shipley. Annie J. Shipley, wife of Robert Shipley, died at her home in Reisterstown, Friday last, aged 64 years. Funeral services were held at Finksburg Methodist church Sunday. Interment in the adjoining cemetery.

UNION MILLS.

The remains of Mrs. Lewis Haifey were brought from the Hahnemann Hospital, Baltimore, last Tuesday and laid to rest in the Methodist Episcopal cemetery on Thursday morning. Mrs. Haifey had been suffering with gangrene and it was thought that her removal would be effective but "her work was finished, and she had fought the fight" and death claimed her. She was a daughter of the late Samuel Harner and is survived by a husband, one son, Franklin, of Westminster; three daughters, Mrs. Frank Shadle, of Littlestown; Mrs. Milton Bish, of Deep Run, and Mrs. Clayton Houck, of Hanover, also an aged mother, and a number of grandchildren. She was aged about 65 years. Her pastor, Rev. Stone, conducted the services in the Methodist Episcopal church. The bereaved family has the sympathy of a host of friends.

Levi Flickinger, with his family, has moved to Pennsylvania. Miss Beryl Erb, who was quite ill several days last week, has resumed her school work.

Mrs. Sarah Byers is spending some time in Westminster. Catherine, youngest daughter of Dr. G. L. Wetzel, is confined to her bed with grip.

Miss Mary and Louise Bankert and Anna Nusbaum spent last Sunday with Rev. Reinecke and family, near Westminster.

Publish the Author. To the Editor of Democratic Advocate. In reference to the article in last week's Sentinel criticizing the school authorities of this county, I venture to place before the public the names of the six gentlemen who represent the county on the Board of Education:

Mr. J. Pearre Wantz, Mr. A. W. Feeser, Dr. Wm. D. Hopkins, Mr. Abram N. Zentz, Mr. H. L. Allender, Mr. Clifton G. Devillbiss.

The above gentlemen are well known men in their respective communities. Every one of them has been selected by various Governors because of his standing in his community. They are all known to be men of integrity, business men, reliable in all their dealings with the public. Men who have made a reputation for themselves in the community that is unquestioned.

I would suggest to the Sentinel that it place beside these six names the name of the gentleman who wrote the column in the Sentinel. Let the public scrutinize his name and see if his record will bear comparison with that of the above named gentlemen. The right may then judge whether he has a right to attempt to offer criticism of the action and performances of the six gentlemen who have the honor of conducting the educational affairs of this county. A CITIZEN.

Peddicord-Ridgely. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ridgely, of "The Pines," Ellicott City, Md., announce the marriage of their youngest daughter, Beulah Irene, to Mr. Forrest Field Peddicord, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Peddicord, of Bethany, Howard county. The ceremony was performed February 15, at St. Paul's Rectory, by Rev. Dr. Arthur B. Kinsolving. Miss Ridgely was a former resident of Carroll county. Mr. and Mrs. Peddicord have gone to reside in the Green Spring Valley, where the groom is engaged in farming. We wish them much happiness.

Bowers-Lachman. At the Lutheran parsonage, Taneytown, on Tuesday evening, March 20, by Rev. L. B. Hafer, Mr. Harry E. Bowers and Miss Helen M. Lachman, both of near Taneytown.

SANDYVILLE. Flag Sunday was observed at Sandy Mount in the Sunday school. Pulpit was draped with flags. Mr. Frank Magee gave an excellent address in connection with the temperance lesson. The superintendent, Mr. Filmore Hoff, made a few remarks, closing with all singing in America. The Sunday school will be reorganized this Sunday morning. A good attendance is desired.

The Macedonian Missionary gave an interesting lecture to a large audience. An offering was given him.

The Loyal Temperance Legion will be held at Pleasant Grove this Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. All children and friends are invited to be present.

The Willard W. C. T. U. will meet this Thursday afternoon, March 29, at the home of Mrs. Flossie Taylor. If inclement it will be held Friday afternoon.

Miss Grace Storp has been very sick the past week with nervous indigestion.

Misses Myrtle and Lottie Caple spent several days last week in Baltimore visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Brown motored to Baltimore with friends on Tuesday.

The sale of Mr. William Heagy was largely attended on Tuesday. C. E. services will be led this Sunday night by Curtis Rash. Topic, "The Saloon, The Foe of Society."

Last Sunday being Anti-Cigarette Day, Mrs. L. W. Caple, superintendent of that department in the W. C. T. U., presented the anti-cigarette pledge in Sunday school, and a large number of boys signed. She will continue the work.

An Easter Party. Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Carroll Albright, East Main street, gave an Easter party in honor of her niece, little Miss Eleanor Uher, of Baltimore, from 3 to 6 o'clock. The children were delightfully entertained playing games, after which Easter bunnies, eggs and baskets were given each guest. The table was very pretty, a nest of eggs and bunnies being in the center and at each guest's plate a chicken, rooster and basket of eggs were found. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. The guests who attended with their mothers were Misses Elizabeth and Ruth Gillelan, Eleanor and Thomas Babyton, Martha and Lydia Fogle and Evelyn Mather.

ANNIVERSARY OF BOY SCOUTS.

WAS ORGANIZED IN MARCH, 1915—DR. C. E. FORELINES IS SCOUT MASTER—HAS 63 MEMBERS—PLANNING OVER NIGHT HIKES.

Monday, March 19th, was the third anniversary of the formation of the Boy Scouts of Westminster. Starting with about 22 scouts the number has been increased to about 63.

Some time in February, 1914, the Scout Commissioner of Maryland at that time Mr. Eddy, visited this town and gave a lecture on the Boy Scout movement in the Opera House and in the roll county over which he had the purpose of starting a troop in this city. Miss Mary B. Shellman, Dr. Henry M. Fitzgub, Dr. C. E. Forlines and others interested in this nationwide movement appealed to the citizens of Westminster and succeeded in getting a small body of men to serve as an advisory council.

Under the leadership of Scoutmaster Dr. C. E. Forlines and Assistant Scoutmaster W. Augustus Shriver, Jr., and H. Latimer Elderdice, Jr., the boys who joined this troop took an active interest in this movement from the first. This same year the boys camped for eight days on the headwaters of the Potomac River near the town of Marlowe, Va. This was enjoyed by the boys and caused a still more active interest in Scouting.

In 1915 the boys camped at Buckeystown, Md., on the Monocacy River, and were very nicely entertained by the people of Buckeystown. The latter part of the same year the movement had increased to such an extent that it became necessary to start a second troop with W. Augustus Shriver, Jr., as Scoutmaster and Philip D. Myers, Glenn E. Miller and Carroll C. Crawford, as Assistant Scoutmasters were appointed for the first troop. These were Thomas K. Shaw, Jr., Alfred Nelson Myers and George W. Arnold.

The past year the Scouts and also the band spent one week in camp at Taneytown, Md., during the Granger's Fair. This last year so much attention has been given to the Band that Scouting was not advanced so much as in the past year. The work is now going on, and the motto for this next year is "Every member a First Class Scout by 1918." The boys are planning some over-night hikes and general out-door Scouting for this summer. The camping place has not yet been decided upon but it is thought that they will go to Buckeystown, Md., again, where they will always be welcome.

The combined troops register four merit badge Scouts, 16 first class scouts, 10 second class scouts and 23 tenderfoot scouts, and at the present time two applicants for membership. Both troops meet on the first and third Fridays of each month for general business as well as for general Scouting. Weekly hikes are taken by the boys so as to make them familiar with the birds, trees and nature in general.

Dr. C. E. Forlines, who is a great enthusiast on the subject of birds and nature, teaches the scouts many things about the fields and woods. Too much cannot be said about the attention, time, self-sacrifice, and hard work that Scout Commissioner Forlines has given to this work and also the attention that he has given to attract the attention from the nature, teaches the scouts many things about the fields and woods. Too much cannot be said about the attention, time, self-sacrifice, and hard work that Scout Commissioner Forlines has given to this work and also the attention that he has given to attract the attention from the nature, teaches the scouts many things about the fields and woods. Too much cannot be said about the attention, time, self-sacrifice, and hard work that Scout Commissioner Forlines has given to this work and also the attention that he has given to attract the attention from the nature, teaches the scouts many things about the fields and woods.

Each troop is divided into four patrols, registering eight scouts each, one of whom is the patrol leader, and one assistant patrol leader. Each troop has also its senior patrol leader and scout scribe.

A little over a year ago the scouts held an oyster supper for the purpose of raising money to buy instruments for use in a band, which was started under the direction of Prof. Charles J. Peltz, formerly of the Marine Band at Washington, and with Scout Commissioner Dr. C. E. Forlines as financial manager. Forty boys from the two troops now compose this organization. This band is not the soul of scouting in Westminster as many of our citizens think it is, but is intended to be a stimulus to the movement and to advance the cause of scouting. It is only a minor institution when compared with the scout movement in this city. The band has been very successful. For the past year it has had many engagements in Carroll county and elsewhere. Particularly noteworthy was the part it took in the fight against the saloon in Carroll county this past year. The band played at many street meetings and made one tour of the county in this campaign.

The boys are always ready to participate in any event that is for the good of the community.

Friday night, March 16th, the advisory council of the boy scouts of this city, held their monthly meeting and found it necessary to make plans for the starting of a third troop in this city, appointing Alfred Nelson Myers as scoutmaster, and David Smith as assistant scout master. They also found it necessary to pass a law saying, "That all scouts found guilty of using tobacco in any form will be required to hand over their scout badge and give up membership in the troop to which they belong."

Do not judge this organization by its weakest members, but by the best scouts and those that do their good turn daily. These are the ones to judge this organization by and because the things that scouts do for the good of the community are not always made public do not think that

they are not doing a good work for this community. The boys prefer to do the work and keep silent rather than boast about their accomplishments as this boasting cannot be found in the scout program anywhere. Any father or mother wishing to give their sons a chance of becoming a good citizen, familiar with the forms of nature as seen in the field and woods, a knowledge of first aid to the injured, signaling and many other things set forth in the handbook for scouts would do well to have their son join the boy scouts of this community.

Scoutmaster W. Augustus Shriver, of the second troop, has also been very much interested in this work and has given a great deal of his time to this cause, but he has not been able to give as much of his time as he would like so the work on account of sickness in his family, and other unavoidable causes. However, his three assistant scoutmasters are pushing forward the work in his absence.

"WOMEN ONLY" MOVIE FEATURES CORSETS

Nusbaum & Jordan Have Engaged the Opera House for a Special Matinee.

There have been many reels of moving pictures exhibited in Westminster, but none to compare with the one Nusbaum & Jordan will show at the Opera House on Friday, March 23, at 3 p. m. We have seen grain wrecks, battle scenes, submarine views, horses plunging from cliffs, nobility at play, whaling crews in the Arctic, lion hunting in the African jungles, etc., but this newest product of the silent drama is the showing of front lacing corsets on living models.

The theatre has been engaged for a special matinee, and only women will be in attendance. Many male patrons will be disappointed at learning that they are to be excluded from this theatre on the afternoon mentioned, but as the seating capacity will be taxed, and as the film is of direct interest to women only, the men will have to content themselves with meager descriptions of those parts of the scenario that the women think might interest "mere men."

A dozen models of varying types are employed in this picture and the actual fitting of Gossard corsets is shown. Through clever manipulation of the motion picture camera it is possible, at the same time, to see two likenesses of each model advancing on the screen. In this way the contrast between the uncorseted and correctly corseted figure of each model is clearly shown. Around the fitting and model promenade there has been written a very interesting story entitled, "The Social Key."

Nusbaum & Jordan are to be congratulated on their ability to secure an early run on a film in such great demand.

Complimentary passes are being issued in their corset department and you can get as many as you like for yourself and friends.

Moving pictures are certainly to our doors sights that a few years ago were considered far beyond the reach of the average man or woman. It is the educating, as well as the entertaining feature of moving pictures that has made possible the wonderful success they now enjoy, and Nusbaum & Jordan will undoubtedly find themselves besieged for requests to this matinee for women only.

A Dance.

A very delightful dance was given on Thursday evening last at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ashland Stocksdale, by Messrs. Frank Pool and Leslie Barnes. At an early hour the young folks began to arrive in numbers and soon all were gliding over the waxed surface floor to music of violin and guitar, furnished by Snyder Arnold and Levi Gamber. A late hour refreshment was served in abundance and all departed for their homes expressing themselves as having spent a very pleasant evening. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames Ashland Stocksdale, J. Preston Albright, Levi Gamber, George Garver, Oscar Monroe, Mrs. Alverta Barnes, Misses Carrie Niner, Helen Zahn, Lula Gibson, Margie Barnes, Lillian Barnes, Emily Beasman, Wealthy Gibson, Lottie Barnes, Gladys Green, Thelma Gamber, Nettie Niner, Hilda Ford, Mildred Ward, Geneva Gamber, Eva Ford, Nellie Shipley, Virginia Duvall, Mildred Royer, Gaynell Gamber, Georgia Barthlow, Lydia Selby, Gertrude Green, Mae Brothers, Edith Myers and Mary Brothers, Messrs. Verley Phillips, Wm. Selby, Snyder Arnold, Arthur Green, Frank Pool, Edgar Barnes, Vial Miller, Marion Gore, Fuller Zentz, Ellis Gamber, Wm. Frizzell, Leslie Barnes, Lewis Myers, Frederick Zahn, Frederick Gore, Hildred Haines, Dale Barnes, George Shipley, Courtney Shipley, Francis Shipley, Raymond Barnes, Harry Yingling, Wm. Miller, Earl Barnes, Oswald Garver, Herman Green, Gilbert Steward, Harry Myers, Thomas Miller, Edwar Niner, Marion Shipley, Harry Flohr, Charles Huff,eroy Beasman, Lester Ward, Wm. Bush, Harry Gibson, Frank Lindsay, George Nichols, Bayard Arnold and others.

St. Patrick gave us a variety of weather. Spring set in Wednesday, but very dull looking, as the sun was not seen all day.

Mr. L. M. Sellman and family moved to Baltimore Tuesday. Their many friends regret to see them go.

Mrs. Elizabeth Jennings had said on Monday. Things brought good prices. She has rented her farm and will move to Warfieldsburg.

Mrs. Calvin Cook is of the sick list. Mrs. J. W. Zile has been extremely ill, being confined to her bed for over seven weeks. We will be glad to see her out again.