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COURT HOUSE NEWS.

Transfers of Real Estate, Marriage License, Etc.

Transfers of Real Estate.
Mary G. Shorer and husband to Charles Stoffe and wife, convey 19,547 square feet, for \$300.
Mary G. Shorer and husband to Charles Stoffe and wife, convey 19,535 square feet, for \$350.
Mary J. Green to Jacob M. Geiman and wife, convey 3 1/2 acres, for \$1100.
Mary B. Franklin to William J. Garver et al., convey 8000 square feet, for \$10.
Charles M. Frock and wife to George E. Warehouse, convey 87 square perches, for \$1850.
George W. Hush et al. to Arthur H. Hush, convey 2 acres, for \$1.
George William Hush et al. to Walter E. Hush, convey 60 acres, for \$5.
Francis Neal Parke, trustee, to S. Frank Fleagle and wife, convey 137 1/2 acres, for \$1850.
Elias and John T. Nace, executors, to Jacob W. Wertz, convey 13 acres, for \$576.98.
Jacob W. Wertz, executor, to G. Howard Nace, convey 13 acres, for \$625.
Edward M. Etzler, executor, to El Nace, convey 9 acres, for \$271.12.
S. Frank Fleagle and wife to Harry D. Wertz, convey 2 acres, for \$145.
S. Frank Fleagle and wife to Charles H. Black, convey 5 acres, for \$882.95.

Marriage Licenses.
Harry H. Hempler and Rebecca Lowe, both of Washington, D. C.
John E. Williams, Reisterstown, and Lillian H. Foutz, Carroll county.
Ernest W. Lippy and Ruth L. Gilbert, both of Millers.
Harry F. Berwager, Tannery, and Emma A. Reese, Westminster.
Edward L. Spencer, Smallwood, and Effie M. Bloom, Westminster.
Floyd W. Stough and Naomi Ebert, both of York, Pa.

Orphans' Court.
Monday, September 23rd.—Letters of administration on the estate of John F. Flohr, deceased, were granted unto Nannie M. Himier, who received warrant to appraise and an order to notify creditors.
John E. L. Hanna, administrator of Mary C. Porter, deceased, settled his first and final account.
Tuesday, September 24th.—The sale of real estate of Henry S. Stick, deceased, was finally ratified and confirmed.
Elias J. Zupp, administrator of Lewis D. Zupp, deceased, settled his first account and received an order to notify creditors.

SMALLWOOD.
Washington Camp Patriotic Order of Americans will hold its anniversary meeting at the hall on Saturday night, September 28. Members come and bring their courts, also a cake if it be convenient.
Mrs. Spencer Welsh, who has been spending the summer with Mrs. Laura Wagner, has returned to her home in Baltimore.
Dear Park school has opened with 17 scholars.
Mrs. Douglas Campbell is home visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Sayers.
Mr. Ivan Sayers is very busy at his cannery as tomatoes are very plentiful this year in this section.
The Stills run by Mr. Howell Davis are as busy as ever.
Mr. Edward Spencer, of Camp Meade, and Miss Ethel Bloom were quietly married at the home of the groom.
Miss Rosa Spencer visited her brother, Mr. Harold Spencer, near Baltimore.
Mr. and Mrs. Abbott and Mr. George McCabe were Sunday guests of Mrs. Laura Wagner.
The funeral of Mrs. Peter Wolf took place at the Trinity Lutheran church, interment in the adjoining cemetery.

Charles E. Fink, Jr., Made Captain of Artillery.
Charles E. Fink, Esq., this city, received a telegram yesterday morning from his son, Charles E. Fink, Jr., stating that he was promoted within the last day or two to a Captaincy in Field Artillery.
Captain Fink is stationed at Camp Jackson, S. C., and is his second promotion within the last month.
He graduated at Fort Myer Training Camp as Second Lieutenant in artillery and for a time was stationed at Camp Meade, Md., and from there was sent to Camp Jackson, and it was at the latter camp that his two promotions took place.

Camp Meade Quarantined—No One Admitted.
To arrest the spread of the Spanish influenza Major General Jesse McI. Carter, commander of the Lafayette Division, issued an order Wednesday afternoon which makes it impossible, for the present, for any officer or enlisted man in training to leave the cantonment. The quarantine will be made general today and no visitors will be admitted until all danger of an epidemic through the state has passed. The disease runs its course, it is said, in five days. Thus, if things go well the quarantine will not be for long.

Literary and Musical Treat Coming.
On Friday evening, October 11, in the Methodist Protestant church, Miss Dorothy Elderfield will render a delightful program of readings, wartime plays of our Allies, etc. The music for the evening will be a rare attraction. Miss Emily Richmond of the College will sing, and also Mr. Ballard of the Seminary. Earlier particulars next week. Prof. J. W. Missionary Society of the Methodist Protestant church.

Letters to the Folks

Back Home.

LIEUT. SCHAEFFER

BADLY WOUNDED

PLANE BROUGHT DOWN IN FLAMES—

RECEIVED EIGHT BULLET WOUNDS—

LANDED IN FRANCE—IS IN PARIS

HOSPITAL—HIS PLANE HAS 56 HOLES IN IT.

Mrs. Mary Myers, this city, received the following letter notifying her that her son, Lieut. Lloyd Schaeffer was wounded in active service:

"Paris, September 3, '18.
"Dear Mrs. Myers,
"I fancy you received my letter three days ago saying Lloyd Schaeffer was in the hospital at Seuil. I have now succeeded in having him evacuated to an American hospital in Paris. We left Seuil yesterday at three, arriving at seven, a long, painful trip for your son, but he stood it wonderfully and was a perfect brick, although I know he is in great pain. Have no fear for I'm sure my first letter must have scared you. He met eleven Boche planes, but succeeded in downing his Boche. His own plane fell in flames and it was a miracle he was saved. I don't think his wounds will prove serious, although he received five bullets. The arm is not broken but paralyzed for the time being, the doctor says. He also hurt his left knee, and from what the doctor tells me, he will probably be in the hospital from two to three months yet, after which we expect to see him with his escardille in the best of health.

"He has been wonderfully courageous through it all and I congratulate you on having such a son. I have left three stamped envelopes for the nurse, who will write me and I will send the letters on to you as soon as received.
"Believe me, yours sincerely,
"LYON CROSBIE MACKINNOY."

"Y. M. C. A.,
"12 rue d'Assues, Paris.
"P. S. I want to again emphasize that I think you have a very, very wonderful son, and one certainly to be proud of. I guess you are curious about me. I am not a nurse but one of the Y. M. C. A. workers stationed at Seuil for the time being. The minute I have any news I will send it on immediately.

"Mr. Schaeffer was presented with the French Croix De Guerre with a star, also the Escardille, Thosetire and enigma with a citation by a French Commander, at a presentation a short while before he was wounded.
"Yours sincerely,
"LYON CROSBIE MACKINNOY."

Mrs. Mary Myers also received the following letter from her son, Lloyd Schaeffer, telling of the accident:

"Dearest Mother and Folks:
"Just a line to tell you how things are. I thought I would not be able to write and my friends wanted to write for me, but I know you would like to hear the case exactly and from me, so they have propped me up and I'll write it. My one arm is not up pretty badly, my back had two bullets which came through my shoulder and shattered it badly. I fear, my right leg has two bullets through it with one through the knee and one through the calf, altogether eight holes in me. I managed to land over the line in France, thank God for that, so they immediately operated on me and with luck and my wonderful constitution I think I will pull through. I was attacked by eleven Boche, and I sent one down in flames, had fifty-six holes in my plane.

"I just heard I was recommended by the army for a citation.
"They will take me to Paris to a hospital and I dread the trip, but I will come through and will try to get back to work as soon as I can.
" Lovingly,
"LOYD."

Private William H. B. Anders, a former treasurer of the Union Bridge Banking & Trust Co., who is now somewhere in France, writes Mr. George W. Albright, this city, the following: "Have been waiting to drop you a few lines since I landed but we have been on the move and very busy. Had a good trip over and hope we have one back. Papa sent me a statement the other day and think it looks fine and hope it improves. Sure will be glad when I can get behind that counter again, and hope Papa and Mr. Senseney can keep their health until I do. But we have a big job on hand over here. We want to finish right first and I feel we are going to do it before so long. Will try and write you more. With regards to all,
"PRIVATE W. H. B. ANDERS,
"311th M. G. B., Co. D.,
"American E. F."

The above was mailed in France on August 25 and received by Mr. Albright September 24.

Somewhere in France, Private Luther L. Bankard, of Co. D, 311th M. G. B., American E. F., mailed the manager of the Advocate the following on August 28: "I have arrived safely in France and am now located in a beautiful French village. The French people sure love the Yankee soldier and do all in their power to make him feel at home. All we boys from home are well."

MET PATROL IN NIGHT

SHOOTING

ROBERT SNITZER HELPS TO GET PRISONER—DESCRIBES VILLAGES.

Robert W. Schnitzer, of Westminster, and now with the 313th Infantry, is in the intelligence section of his outfit and at the time of writing a recent letter was well up towards the lines while his regiment was far back in the training area. He says:

"I was away up on a mountain top to-day reading maps. From where I was I could see six different villages. You know there are no frame houses in France. The country people all live in little villages like Bonnevillie and then go out each day to work their land. That is the reason the towns are so close together, never more than three or four miles apart.

"I think the drawing lessons I used to take will come in good to me now in my map making. If I only had all my drawing stuff. You know how I used to make maps of the country to check up all their good hunting grounds. Well, it's just the same here only the game is different.

"I wish I could tell you all I am doing, and how and why, but I cannot. Here are a few of the things. I draw landscape maps of the country from 'mountain tops,' scout at night, sniper, go out on patrols, and read maps, so you can see that I am not playing the part of one with cold feet but am right in it.

"The greatest risk is in getting ammunition to the front and next in line are the intelligence men. Last night we had patrols out and captured one. I was the point in our patrol and the whole bunch passed within five yards of me. When the surprise came I got one down, when two of his men came, and three of them then got me down. My long stem pipe was broken and I lost some money. The pipe though spites me most of all.

"I am as stiff as an old horse to-day. That crawling around in the wet grass last night wet me through and through. I tell you that pipe affair was a loss to me as I cannot replace it and I smoked it for three years.

"Just at present we have the Germans on the run. In the last three days we have taken 24,000 prisoners and observations of any that were turned in in four different regiments. And on the rifle range out of eighty picked men from our regiment there were only ten who made a score of 20. I was one of them. I could have made 25 but for reasons of my own I did not do so."

First Lieutenant George M. Englar, of the 313th F. A., A. E. F., sent the manager of the Advocate a card from Somewhere in France with the following appreciated words: "Well old top I am glad you are still at home running the newspaper, because it is a pleasure to look forward to its arrival. It is usually about four weeks behind, but we all read it and delight in the way the folks at home are supporting us. With such support we must win."

Lieut. Englar is a son of Mr. and Mrs. George P. B. Englar, New Westminster. The card was mailed on August 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Musselman received a letter from their son, Harry, postmarked Bordeaux, France. He told of a long journey in box cars, then a hike of 12 miles to their present camp. They are now sleeping in their dog-tents. They have plenty to eat and of a good quality, but good drinking water is scarce. He described an attack between five French planes and a German plane. After an hour's chase the French were victorious, bringing down the German plane near their camp. He is a member of the Ammunition Corps and expected to see active service within the week.—From Manchester correspondent.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Frankforter received a letter from their son, Paul. He is well and seeing active service in the front line trenches. He stated he was in the hospital for several days but was all right again.—From Manchester correspondent.

Private William Myers, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Riley Myers, Center street, writes home that the men in old Company H have been in the trenches on the front, and came out after being relieved without one man being injured.

Judges for War Gardens. The following committee has been appointed to act as judges on the War Gardens of Carroll county: Mr. Frederick Fuller, County Agent. Mr. Joseph Smith, Food Administrator. Mr. Jesse E. Stoner, Westminster. Mr. F. P. Fenby, Abostomes. Miss Rachel Everett, Home Demonstration Agent.

The contest for gardens is closed but we still hope to have more entries for wheat and corn. Report blanks are being sent out: be sure and send in before October 15th.

ARMORY FURNISHED

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS PURCHASE CHAIRS—OPEN FOR PUBLIC MEETINGS.

STARTS TOMORROW, SATURDAY—CARROLL COUNTY TO RAISE \$2,000,000.

The greatest campaign ever waged in Carroll county will start tomorrow Saturday, when the bankers of Carroll county, assisted by the Council of Defense will start to raise \$2,000,000, as Carroll's apportionment of the \$8,000,000,000 the entire country is asked to subscribe between this and October 1st.

A meeting of the bankers held at the First National Bank of Westminster on Monday under the leadership of Mr. George R. Gehl, county chairman of the Liberty Loan, definite plans were laid for the campaign and a tentative allotment for the various districts was made. Each district will be given its pro rata share, instead of dividing the entire sum between the banks as was done in the previous loans following the plan of basing such assessment on the taxable basis of each district as shown on the tax books, and each district will be expected to come up with its full quota.

With the exception of the big county meeting to be held in the armory at an early date, which will be in charge of the bankers, the entire arrangement of meetings and speakers will be left to the Council of Defense, and Rev. Edgar T. Read was chosen chairman of this committee.

Mr. J. Pearce Wantz was made chairman of transportation. The government has lifted the ban on the use of gasoline for those attending Liberty loan meetings that may be held on Sunday, and cards have been prepared showing "On Liberty Loan Business" for use on such occasions and may be had at the Council of Defense office, Times Building, this city.

An intensive, rapid fire campaign of meetings has been planned covering the entire county, every village and hamlet, at each of which there will be music and prominent speakers. All of this will be followed by a personal canvass of the various districts by the Men's and Women's Section of the Council of Defense.

In districts where community councils have been organized the amount allotted the district will be further subdivided among the various communities and each held to a full responsibility for its share. All this will be thoroughly systematized and make it possible to reach the last man down the line.

At a large meeting of the district and community leaders of the Council of Defense held in the armory, this city on Thursday afternoon, at which practically every district was represented, the whole matter was fully explained by county chairman, Mr. George R. Gehl, and the entire Council of Defense organization for Carroll county turned over to his leadership. The meeting was held for the duration of the loan.

Daily reports will be required as to the progress made and all Council of Defense as well as all other Loan workers are asked to report at the close of each day to their nearest bank, who will in turn report to Mr. Gehl, who if this is not convenient they may report to Mr. Gehl direct.

An immense thermometer, 21 feet high is on the way and will be placed in a prominent place in this city showing the progress of the drive as the reports come in. Watch it so up. People generally are urged to be in their subscriptions early, in the campaign, during the first few days if possible. Do not wait for some one to call on you, phone the nearest bank at once that you will take so many hundreds, or thousands, or hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of bonds as they may be.

Get the game early and stay in. Make things hum. Set the thermometer to boiling right from the start.

Careful arrangements have been made to have each district credited with the full amount subscribed in its territory, whether there be banks in that district or not. No matter where or to whom the subscription is made, the credit will be given to the district in which the person or firm is located that makes it.

In Woolery's district, for instance, there is no bank, and many of its citizens, will no doubt, buy bonds from the bank at Westminster, with which they are in the habit of doing business. In every such case, however, no matter where the subscription is made, the credit will be given to Woolery's district. In this way every district will have a fair show and no favorites.

Spencer—Bloom. A very quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. Andrew Spencer, Smallwood when Miss Ethel M. Bloom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Bloom, of this city, became the bride of Mr. Edward Spencer, of Camp Meade, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Spencer, of Smallwood, Saturday evening, September 21, by the pastor, Rev. William Dobson. The wedding march was played by the groom's sister, Mrs. Charles H. Bauerlein. The bride was beautifully attired in blue taffeta silk with white hat, gloves and shoes. The groom wore the khaki uniform. The decorations were ferns and potted plants and after the wedding a reception was served. The groom returned to camp Sunday night while the bride will make her home at the home of the groom's parents until his return. Those present were Messrs. and Mrs. Andrew Spencer, John Spencer, Rev. and Mrs. Dobson, Rosa Spencer, Grace Spencer, Charles H. Bauerlein, Andrew Bauerlein and Dr. Spencer.

A little bit of a dangerous thing—was a call 22 M.

HALTS DRAFT CALL

CROWDER CANCELS ORDER FOR MOBILIZATION OF REGISTRANTS ON ACCOUNT OF SPANISH FLU.

BECAUSE OF EPIDEMICS OF SPANISH INFLUENZA IN ARMY CAMPS, PROVOST MARSHAL-GENERAL CROWDER CANCELED CALLS FOR THE ENTRAINMENT BETWEEN OCTOBER 7 AND 11 OF 142,000 DRAFT REGISTRANTS.

Because of epidemics of Spanish influenza in army camps, Provost Marshal-General Crowder canceled calls for the entrainment between October 7 and 11 of 142,000 draft registrants. During the 24 hours ending at noon yesterday 6,139 new cases of influenza in army camps had been reported to the office of the surgeon-general of the army. One hundred and seventy deaths, resulting chiefly from pneumonia following influenza, and 723 new cases of pneumonia also were reported.

Two camps, Kearney, California, and Virginia, were added to the list of those where influenza has made its appearance, leaving only 13 camps free from the disease. The total number of cases of influenza in all camps was placed at 35,146 with 3,036 cases of pneumonia. One out of every four men at Camp Devens, Mass., has contracted influenza, it was announced, and 10 per cent of the cases have developed into pneumonia.

The urgent need for such action was presented by Mr. Guy W. Steele of the Westminster Bar and Mr. George Mather, secretary of the local council authorized to purchase same and immediately put in place.

Supporting this action of the Council of Defense there was presented by the secretary a petition signed by a majority of the leading business houses of Westminster, and by Mr. George R. Gehl, of the First National Bank, a resolution unanimously adopted by the Carroll County Bankers Association at a large meeting of that body in Westminster on Monday morning.

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W. C. T. U. MEETING

Session at Mechanicsville—Good Program and Fine Attendance.

THE 25th CONVENTION OF THE WOMAN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION OF CARROLL COUNTY WAS HELD AT MECHANICSVILLE FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20.

Despite the steady downpour of rain a goodly number was present and a good time was had by all. Sunday "White Ribbon Rally Song" devotion led by Rev. H. C. Owens, convention called to order by the president, Mrs. Fenby; roll call, committees appointed, viz—Resolutions, Mrs. Waites, Forlines, Clough, Mowbray and Magee; credentials, Mrs. Shipley, Bowen and Rainey; new members, Mrs. Annie Shipley; report of departments, Franchise, Mrs. Rupp for Miss Mary Shellman; mother's meetings, Mrs. Magee reported special services held by Finkburg and Sandyville union, Soldiers and Sailors, Mrs. Rupp; Mrs. work done all over the county, systematic, Mrs. Clough, in by Miss Moores; good temperance literature, Mrs. Smith for Mrs. Senesney; reports adopted; Mrs. C. E. Ebaugh gave good report of work done in her L. T. L. at the Bethel church; then came the fine report of the corresponding secretary, Mrs. L. G. Shipley, showing how the ladies have been all over the county; treasurer's report by Mrs. Bare, although only one year old as our county treasurer, showed her to be the right one for this work; received during year \$361.89 and expenses during year \$232.22, balance \$129.67; report of auditing committee, Mrs. Shipley and Rainey, adopted; treasurer's report adopted by rising vote; all sang doxology; minutes of last county expenses read; sang "Christ for the World"; noontide prayer by Mrs. Fenby; adjourned to meet at 2 p. m.; then came dinner and all who know how those ladies can cook, etc. well, they just know all about it as do all who were at the convention. Afternoon session, executive meeting; devotional, Rev. Clough; election of officers; president, Mrs. Philena T. Fenby; corresponding secretary, Mrs. L. G. Shipley; recording secretary, Mrs. J. F. Magee; treasurer, Mrs. Luther Bare; superintendents of departments, Y. P. B. secretary, Mrs. G. B. Knox, Mechanicsville; L. T. L. secretary, Mrs. Annie Shipley, Finkburg; and nameticks, Mrs. Arthur Brown, Sykesville; franchise, Miss Mary Shellman, Westminster; mother's meetings, Mrs. J. F. Magee, Westminster; medical temperance, Mrs. Ruby Brown, Hampstead; press work, Mrs. Dean, Sykesville; soldiers and sailors, Mrs. Kate Rupp, Westminster; Sabbath observances, Miss Elizabeth Herr, Manchester; Sunday school work, Miss Adda Trump, Manchester; scientific temperance, Mrs. J. P. Wantz, Westminster; temperance literature, Mrs. Mary Senesney, Union Bridge; flower mission work, Mrs. Claude Buckingham, Finkburg; sang America; address of welcome, Rev. Owens; response, Mrs. C. E. Forlines; address, state president, Mrs. Haslup; voted to pay 25 cents per member for state work and to have new directories and stationary printed, committee, Mrs. Smith and Shipley; Miss Carrie Green read her L. T. L. report and the legions at Finkburg and Sandyville were made star legions and Mrs. Haslup presented pretty W. C. T. U. pins to the presidents, Mrs. Annie Shipley and Magee; Mrs. Azuba Jones, of Pennsylvania was present and gave an address and short parliamentary drill; adjourned and supper was served. Dr. Henry M. Fitzhugh, chairman of the men's section, presided.

Following this meeting Mrs. Cornelia Rector, home economics director for the Maryland Food Administration, and Dean Arnold of the Food Administration at Washington, made addresses explaining the plans and requests of the Food Administration.

The women's section, of which Mrs. Robert Sargent Shriver is chairman, has reopened the nurses' drive and already two volunteers have applied. Mrs. Charles O. Clemons is chairman of this committee.

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GIRLS CANNING CLUB

TO MEET

SESSION TO BE HELD IN ARMORY OCTOBER 25 AND 26—GOOD PROGRAM.

The Girls' Canning and Garden Clubs of Carroll County will hold their first annual exhibit and Short Course in the Armory, October 25th and 26th. From 75 to 80 will be in attendance from various sections of the county. They will be met at the respective schools by autos driven by young women of the Motor Messenger Service, on Friday morning at 9 o'clock. They will be taken to the Armory where a short program will be given. Special music, and an address of welcome by the Mayor and a response by one of the girls. A talk on Carroll county history will be given by Miss Mary Shellman. In the afternoon at 1.30 there will be a lecture and a demonstration given by Miss Ola Day, from the Extension Service of the State College. We all hope to have a nurse from the Frederick Hospital give talks on personal hygiene and "Home Care of the Sick."

Saturday morning an informal meeting will be held. Instructions and making button holes and finishing stitches will be given. The girls will have a button hole contest; thrift stamps will be awarded as prizes. On Saturday afternoon from 1.30 to 2.30 a parade has been planned and the girls will march in uniforms to the Armory where the last session will be given, consisting of a talk on "Winter Care and Feeding of Poultry" by Prof. Rickey of the College. Some of the girls will tell of work they have done and the Camp Fire Girls of Westminster will give a demonstration. Talks by Prof. Unger, Superintendent of Schools, and Mr. Fuller, County Agent, will be given.

The girls will be entertained in the homes of the High School girls. An exhibit of canned fruit can be seen at the Armory. Everybody is welcome to all of these meetings. If anybody has anything to suggest for the entertainment of these girls we would like to know, for the girls have worked hard this summer. Let us show them we appreciate their efforts. A complete program will be given in next week's issue.

We have also very little prize money and any public spirited men or women who wish to donate anything please notify our office. Telephone 72-30.

Yours truly,
RACHEL EVERETT
Home Demonstration Agent.

COUNCIL OF DEFENSE NOTES.

More Nurses Needed, So Drive Is Continued.

Acting under instructions from Washington, the State and County chairmen for the U. S. Student Nurse Reserve drive closed the campaign on September 15th, but they now receive instructions from National Headquarters to reopen the enrollment, so another chance is given women to serve their country as nurses. Only 7,000 completed application blanks were sent to Washington, a number insufficient to fill the vacancies in the fall classes, so an urgent appeal is made to women between 19 and 35 years of age to enroll in the U. S. Student Nurse Reserve, as the need of nurses is great. Apply to your district leader for the necessary application blanks and fill them out while there is yet time. For further information write or call Mrs. Charles O. Clemons, chairman, Miss Dorothy Elderfield or Mrs. S. K. Herr, all of Westminster.

The women have played a big part in the past Liberty Loan Drive. We must not lag behind in the coming fourth loan, which starts on September 28th. This is one investment to which woman can safely trust her savings. There is no danger of some crook getting away with the security. Be ready to do your part in the community council of your section.

The women's section of the Council of Defense has been asked to register women for essential war work, and this will be taken up in the near future. Women are necessary to the successful culmination of the war.

SHIPLEY.

Mr. Henry Wagner is ill at the home of his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Daton Waltz. Mrs. Margaret Horton, of near Winfield spent Thursday with them visiting her father.

Much sympathy is felt for the family of Mrs. Christina Wolf who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Laura Williams, hurriedly morning. Mr. and Mrs. Emory Baker visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Bollinger, near East View Thursday evening.

Mrs. Margaret Caples and family entertained on Sunday Mr. Clarence Caples, of Camp Meade, and Mrs. Thomas Barnhart and family, Miss Louise Caples and Miss Elizabeth Barnhart, of Westminster; Mr. and Mrs. Luther Zahn and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Zahn and daughter, Gladys, Mr. Ephraim Williams, Herchel Zepp, Sterling Caples and others.

Mrs. Margaret Caples entertained her sister, Miss Louise Easton, of East Orange, N. J., several days this week.

Mrs. Minnie Edmondson and Mrs. Beulah and Master Alfred son called on Mr. and Mrs. hide Sunday.

MARY WARD LEWIS.

Corresponding secretary.

Loan Drive in Carroll.

The Council of Defense for Carroll County held an advance Liberty Loan meeting at the armory yesterday to plan with the district leaders and members of the community throughout the county for the coming drive. Dr. Henry M. Fitzhugh, chairman of the men's section, presided.

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Mt. Airy Boys Missing.

William Turner, 16 years old, stepson of Frank Skiggs, and Percy Scitz, about the same age, son of William Scitz, both of Mt. Airy, disappeared Friday morning.

The lads were located in Harrisburg, Pa. They were trapped by means of a post card which one of the boys sent to a friend in Mt. Airy. Word was telegraphed to the boys' parents.

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