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TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE, ORPHANS COURT, MARRIAGE LICENSES, ETC.

Transfers of Real Estate.

Joseph Poole and wife to William H. Miles, 89 acres, for \$3000.
Augustus P. Berwanger and wife to George H. Hunt and wife, 32 square perches, for \$2350.
Ada H. Witter to George H. Hunt and wife, 31 square perches, for \$175.
Mayor & Council of Manchester to Samuel Smith, lot, for \$105.
Martha E. Holman and husband to Maryland Title Guarantee Co., tract, for \$5.
Elizabeth Trump to Edward J. Weaver and wife, 2 acres, for \$500.
Alice S. O'Neill et al. to Kaufman Waskins and wife, 6914 square feet, for \$5.
Kaufman Waskins and wife to Arthur Yingling and wife, 6914 square feet, for \$5.
Paul T. Case to Vernon S. Eckenrode and wife, 21,000 square feet, for \$10.
Henry H. Boyer to Julia F. A. Hahn, 1-3 acre, for \$3000.
Lillie R. Benson and husband to William E. Williams and wife, 6 acres, for \$10.
Philetus R. Haight to Amanda J. Wilson et al., 13 square perches, for \$5.
Philetus R. Haight to Howard H. Trout and wife, 23 square perches, for \$5.
Violet E. Nixon et al. to George F. Leister and wife, 32 square perches, for \$1100.
Harry W. Grosse and wife to Mary A. Winter, 35 acres, for \$100.
Roy J. Littleton and wife to Maryland Title Guarantee Co., 2 tracts, for \$5.
George M. Hoffman and wife to Geo. J. Loring and wife, 20 square perches, for \$600.
Liberty & Pipe Creek Turnpike Road Co. to County Commissioners of Frederick County, several tracts, for \$4800.
County Commissioners of Frederick County to George P. Buckley, 1/2 acre, for \$1010.
Theodore F. Brown, trustee, to David N. Myers, 2 lots, for \$700.

MEADOW BROOK.

On Wednesday about noon 15 army trucks and a number of motorcycles and one army car passed through our vicinity.
The farmers of this vicinity are very glad they can use vegetables out of these gardens and truck patches by this time.
Miss Lillie Strevig is visiting her friends and relatives of Hanover, Pa.
The friends of Mr. Sipes, Mr. Froel and Mr. Fogle are very sorry to hear they have not found the thief who stole their meat.
Miss Martha Fogle is now visiting her grandparents, of Detour.
The girls and boys of this vicinity are getting ready for school which starts next month.
Miss Hazel Vinson and Mr. Herbert Greenholzwitz, of Westminster, visited Katherine Sipes, of this place on Sunday evening.
There were a good many people disappointed on Saturday past when the rainy weather held the Farmer's picnic to be held in Kaufman's Grove.
The folks of this place are very busy with their plowing and other work.
The Meadow Branch Church have been holding revival meetings. They have been largely attended by folks from different parts of the county.
The faithful workers of Meadow Branch church held a bible class at Miss Mary Devilliss', of Pleasant Valley, on Wednesday past.
The weather at this writing is very unsettled.

Marriage Licenses.

Nicholas Quigley and Lydia P. Davidson, both of Annapolis.
Jacob Roland Martin and Leah Blanche Schamel, both of Baltimore City.
Louis Alexander Parsons, of Gettysburg, and Eva Pauline Derr, Hampstead.
Horace W. H. Palmer and Grace Mae Becker, both of Baltimore City.
Thomas Morris of Troy, N. Y., and Mary A. Shaum, of Taneytown.
Henry Alexander Yancey, of Waynesboro, Va., and Laura Benson Shipley, of Taneytown.

County Commissioners.

The board passed an order to pay J. C. Melville interest on money advanced by him on the Oakland road, interest to commence June 1st, 1920.
The Commissioners decided to have the annual report published in all of the County papers which are willing to print it for 30 cents per inch, a copy being sent to each paper.

Florence Again Gets the Short End.

Woodbine defeated Florence for the second time this season on Woodbine Athletic Field, August 22. A large crowd was in attendance and witnessed a nicely played game. Florence had one bad inning, making four errors. The score:

FLORENCE.		A.	B.	R.	H.	E.
Mayne, 2b.	4	0	1	2		
J. Haines, 3b.	4	0	0	1		
Motesworth, 1b.	4	0	2	2		
Brown, c.	4	0	0	0		
Burdette, if.	4	0	2	0		
Black, ss.	4	0	0	1		
G. Haines, cf.	4	0	1	0		
Mullinix, rf.	3	0	2	0		
Doherty, p.	4	0	1	1		
Total	35	0	9			

WOODBINE.

A.	B.	R.	H.	E.
Mills, 3b.	5	0	0	0
Gosnell, 1b.	5	1	0	0
Day, ss.	5	1	0	0
Grann, if.	4	1	0	0
Bidinger, 2b.	4	1	0	0
Butler, c. if.	4	1	1	0
Condon, rf.	4	2	2	0
Beall, cf.	4	2	0	0
Wetzel, p.	4	0	1	0
Total	39	9	5	0

Struck out by Doherty 8; by Wetzel, 7. Two base hits—Butler and Wetzel.

Score by innings:
Florence . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Woodbine . . . 1 1 6 0 1 0 0 0 x-9

Bootleggers Use Hearses, Coffins Contain Liqueur, N. Y. Agent Told.

New York, Aug. 23.—A report was received today by James Shevlin, supervising prohibition enforcement agent, that illegal transportation of liquor in Westchester county is being carried on by using hearses, the coffins in which contain liquor instead of a corpse.
Mr. Shevlin has instructed his men to take a peep at the inside of caskets where their suspicions are aroused, but at the same time he recognizes the impracticability of holding up all funeral corteges to search for liquor.

Important Notice to Subscribers!

The Democratic Advocate Company regrets that the increase in the wages of labor, in the price of ink, type, supplies and paper make it impossible to publish the Democratic Advocate at its present price of \$1.00 a year. Our readers will more quickly see the necessity when they are told that paper on which the Advocate is printed now costs 15 cents a pound when it formerly cost 3 cents.

The Advocate delayed advancing its price as long as possible and it now makes the increase from necessity and not from choice. Beginning with September 1st, 1920, the price of this paper will be \$1.50 a year for new or renewal subscriptions.

The Advocate is confident no subscriber will object or believe the price unreasonable.

DEATHS.

Steele.
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Harman.
Harry C. Harman, 5131 Parrish street, Philadelphia, died on August 30, after an illness of a year or more at the age of 66 years. He was born in this city and was the son of Wm. H. Harman, who conducted the foundry and machine shop on Court street. He was in business with his brothers up to a few years ago. He leaves three brothers and three sisters. His parents died some years ago.

Death Caused by Horse Kick.
Howard Yingling, a young farmer near Hampstead, died in a Baltimore hospital Thursday morning, August 19. Several days ago Mr. Yingling was kicked by a horse. It was found necessary to remove the injured man to the hospital at which place he died. Mr. Yingling is survived by a widow and four small children. Services were held Saturday morning at Manchester Lutheran Church.

Republicans of Carroll Open Club.
The Republican County Central Committee met on Wednesday night and among other business transacted adopted a resolution recognizing and approving the constitutional amendment giving to women the right to vote, and decided to add to the three men from each precinct, now constituting the committee, three women from each precinct, thus increasing the membership of the committee to 126.

New Pipe Organ Installed.
A new pipe organ has been installed in St. Mary's Reformed church Silver Run. On Sunday morning, August 29, there will be a try out recital with Prof. Carl Austine, organist of Emmanuel Reformed church Hanover, presiding at the organ. Prof. Austine is a graduate of Syracuse University. The organ was built by the M. P. Moller Company, of Hagerstown. It is a two manual duplex organ with pneumatic action with seven stops. We invite the general public to enjoy this initial recital with us. A silver offering will be received. This organ will be dedicated on Sunday, September 12, with all day services.

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South Bend, Ind.—Governor Cox addressing a public gathering here said national and international financial and economic readjustment, as well as the high cost of living, are bound up in the success of the League of Nations.
He charged the Republican Senate oligarchy with responsibility for the delay in economic progress and the related reduction in living costs. He said the tide of moral thought is flowing against the Republicans and reiterated his charges of reaction against the Republican leaders.

A Birthday Dinner.

A birthday dinner was given on August 15 to Mr. Grover E. Harrison, in honor of his 28th birthday. A delightful dinner was given at one and at five ice cream and cake were served. Many presents were received. At six all departed wishing Mr. Harrison many more happy birthdays. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Grover E. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Gosnell, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Grimes, Mrs. Mary Yockel, of Baltimore; Mrs. Alice Richardson, Peter Gosnell, Misses Goldie, Larue, Blanche, Bertha, Beulah and Gladys Harrison, Mary Day and Master Ernest and Leon Gosnell and Roy Dotson.

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SYKESVILLE.

Miss Emma Beach, of Philadelphia, is visiting her sister, Mrs. D. B. Sprecher.
Misses Mildred Battie and Angela Coniff, of Wheeling, W. Va., are guests at the home of ex-Senator Wade Warfield.
Misses Virginia Waddell and Bessie Dorsey, of Westminster, have been visiting Miss Eleanor Dorsey.
Dr. and Mrs. George Ward, of Baltimore, have been recent guests of their niece, Mrs. Chas. Kemp.
Miss Mazie East, of Baltimore county, is visiting at the home of Mr. R. W. Carter.
Mrs. Ellen Smith, of Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. Walter Hawkins.
Miss Ethel Emmart, of Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. Charles Melville.
Mr. and Mrs. George Scherader, Louise and Lillian Berry and Mr. Frank Brown motored to Braddock Heights and Pen Mar, where they spent several days.

Mrs. Samuel Belt died last Saturday night in Baltimore, where she had gone for treatment. She was buried Monday morning. The funeral services were held in Freedom church. Mrs. Belt will be much missed, always ready to where there was sickness or trouble. She had been in ill health for some time. She was a daughter of the late James Reynold and was Mr. Samuel Belt's second wife.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shipley, Miss Katie Maddox and Mr. Richard Bennett, motored to Marion Station, on Eastern Shore, Saturday morning to visit the parents of Mrs. Wm. Shipley, where they spent several days.

Mrs. James Ridge entertained a cards Wednesday in honor of her wife and son, John B. Gray III, spent from Thursday to Monday last week with Mr. Gray's sister, Mrs. Charles O. Clemson, Court street.
The Ladies of Kriders' Reform Church will hold an Ice Cream Social on the lawn at the home of Mr. George Strevig, the Mrs. Wm. R. Steele's farm, Tuesday Evening, August 31st. Everybody welcome.
Police declared they had recovered lost estimated to be worth \$100,000 stolen in about fifty robberies in Brooklyn, recently, as a result of capture of three boy burglars, who had buried this amount of jewelry and silverware.

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BLACKS' CORNER.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Study, of near Pleasant Grove, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson H. Study.
Mr. James J. Harner and family entertained on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Krumrine and family, of near the New Church, and Mr. and Mrs. John L. Wolfe, of Marker's Mill.
Messrs. Wilson Study and Austin Bortner made a trip to the mountains on Monday morning for peaches.
Mr. George Mayers put a new roof on his barn on Monday.
The health of the community, good.

BRIEFS.

Miss Ruth Caesar is visiting Mrs. Edward Eckenrode, this city.
The public play grounds will close for the season on Friday, September 3.
Misses Mary and Julia Leahy, John street, are being entertained by relatives in Baltimore.
The Democratic State Central Committee will meet in Baltimore Tuesday in the Rennett Hotel.
The market for soft coal in Baltimore yesterday dropped \$3 on a ton. Let the good work go on.

In this issue will be found the statement of the affairs of Carroll county for the past year, ending June 30, 1920.
Judge Herman M. Dinst, this city, has been appointed by the Conservation Commission as game warden for Carroll county.
Quite a number of our people from this city and county took in the last big attraction at Pen Mar, "Everybody's Day," yesterday.

Prof. W. H. Davis and family, East Main street, have moved to Havre de Grace, where Prof. Davis will be principal of the High School.
Mrs. Bond and son, and Miss Margaret Mills, of Washington, are visitors to the former's mother, Mrs. G. W. Frizzell, East Green street.
The Westminster Fire Company took part in the Baltimore County Firemen's Convention which was held at Reisterstown yesterday. The fire engine and company were in the parade.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Seabrook have moved from Green street, and will reside in the Irwin property, East Main street, where they formerly lived for number of years.

Lamar Townshend, truck driver for B. F. Shriver Co., received a badly injured right hand by getting caught in some part of the machinery at Hampstead yesterday.

Mrs. Mary M. Darr, who has been visiting her son, Leo Darr, and family, of New York City, for over two months, has returned to her home on Washington avenue, this city. Her sister, Miss Margaret Hayes, also of New York, accompanied her home.

The airplane that was hauled through our streets Monday was being taken to Washington. The machine encountered a storm and came down in a field near Taneytown, where the machine was made ready for shipment. It started from Middletown.

Frank A. Brown, a familiar character in this city, was arrested Wednesday on the charge of cutting a young boy by the name of Bloom, of Finksburg, last week. Brown will have his hearing before Justice Walsh tomorrow. He is considered a dangerous man to let mingle among the public.

Struck by a northbound locomotive of the Western Maryland Railway Company early Wednesday morning on the tracks near Arlington Station, Benjamin Butcher, 65 years old, 3241 Chestnut avenue, was instantly killed before he could get out of the way of the train. The engineer did not know that his locomotive had struck the man, and the train continued on without stopping.

Those that stayed home from church Sunday morning missed a splendid sermon, which was preached by Rev. Edward Smith, pastor of the Christian Church, Washington. Rev. Smith is a brother of T. Arthur Smith, of Bethel Heights. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 7:45 p. m. Emory Evans will lead the meeting. Topic, "The Beauties and Wonders of God's World." It will be missionary night. Don't fail to be present to these services.

Annie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Spencer, of Bethel, was taken to the Maryland University Hospital last Sunday where she underwent an operation for appendicitis. Her many friends wish for her a very speedy recovery.

Mrs. Emily Alligre seems somewhat improved at present.
Obedy, son of Mrs. and Mr. Noah Long, had the misfortune of breaking his arm. This is the second time his arm has been broken in the same place within the past six months. We hope he will have better luck in the future.

The Aid will meet on September 4 at the home of Mrs. Sadie Leppo, Patapsco.

Congratulates the Ladies.

Mr. Editor:
I want to take this opportunity to congratulate the women of Maryland and of Carroll county that the privilege by law has been given them to register and vote in the coming Election for President and Vice-President.
My view has been for a long time that women ought to be enfranchised and while I know that many men here in Carroll county have been opposed to that view nevertheless, I feel that the result will justify the end, aside from the right of the matter, about which there never has been any question.
Women will not cure all the ills that men have done all these years, at least not quickly, but I have yet to see an instance where women have been banded together for a wrong cause, if they knew what was right. It ought to be deemed a man's high honor to help the new voters get acquainted with their new duty and privilege. I am sure the men of Carroll county who admit their own limitations will help the women and those who think "they know it all" could not help much if they wanted to.

Respectfully yours, Charles O. Clemson, Westminster, Md.

A Remembrance.

A letter of love and sympathy has been sent to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eckert, who are at St. Joseph's Hospital and have been seriously ill of typhoid fever for the past six weeks, by the members of Finksburg church, Sabbath school and Christian Endeavor Society. They have also been visited by the pastor and members and remembrance with flowers. We hope for their early recovery and return to us in their usual health and strength.

Signed ALPHA V. BENTZ.
The people who kick on railroad fares and the price of gasoline are reminded that you can keep a bicycle well oiled for a few cents annually.
We see the Germans have been ordered to destroy their guns again. If this keeps up those guns will soon be a total loss.—Baber County, Kansas.

There are plenty of coal hearings. What the people want is some coal seeing.—New York Evening Sun.
No doubt Germany will deliver the coal demanded by the time she tries her war-criminals.—Associated Editors, Chicago.
Villa probably regards the position of revolutionary leader as more permanent than that of Mexican President.—Washington Star.

TANEYTOWN NEWS

AIPLANE COMES DOWN IN MOTTER'S FIELD—REUNION OF THE BASE-NOAR'S, ETC.

Mrs. Harry Lerley and children, of Passic, N. J., are the guests of her parents, J. Albert Angell and family. O. D. Sell and family entertained the following during the week end: Howard Bless and wife, of Baltimore; her parents, Augusta Bankard, wife and daughter, Margaret, and master David Sell, of near Westminster.

Frank Palmer is ill with typhoid fever.
Milton Myers and wife and Levi Myers and wife were Sunday guests of Mrs. Jessie Myers and Mrs. Lizzie Zepp.
Sixteen army trucks and cars and a number of motor cycles pazed through town on Tuesday.

Our canning factory began canning corn on Monday.
Joseph Dayhoff, of Linwood, has sold his large lime stone farm to Mr. Bowers, of Louisiana. The sale was executed by Edward Case, of Westminster, Md. This is one of Carroll county's fine farms. Sale was on private terms.

Matthew Gait and family, of St. Louis, are the guests of his sisters, Mrs. Margaret Stott and Miss Anna Gait.
Dr. Wilcox and family, of Hanover, spent Sunday with Harry I. Reindollar and family.

Misses Hattie and Ethel Knapp, of Baltimore, are the guests of their uncle, Geo. A. Shoemaker, Jr., and family, Miss Frances Shoemaker returned from a two weeks visit to Baltimore.
Miss Margaret Smelser, of New Windsor, is the guest of Miss Carmen Shoemaker.

A wild sensation landed near our town on Friday last in the shape of an airplane. It was on its way from Middletown to Washington, and owing to the heavy rain could not see to proceed, and landed in Mrs. Mary L. Motter's field, near town. It was viewed by the town and vicinity until Monday afternoon, when a huge truck from Washington arrived, dissected the bird and took it home.
Mrs. Lizzie Zepp spent Thursday last with her mother, Mrs. Zepp.

The Taneytown Garage Co. was entered by thieves on last Friday night and accessories amounting to several hundred dollars was stolen. At the same time George R. Sauble's dairy house was entered and the summer boarders were cheated out of their good eats for the following day.
Jas. A. Reid and wife, of Hanover, spent the week end in town.

Clarence Ober and wife, of Hanover, spent Sunday with their home folks.
David Clouser, of near Littleton, spent Sunday in town.
Edw. Bair, wife and son, Homer, of Littleton, spent the week end with friends here.

E. M. Dutterer and wife spent Sunday with M. J. Myerly and wife of Kingsdale.
On Thursday last a reunion of the family of the late Amos Basehoar and wife was held at the home of D. W. Garner and wife. After special cornet and piano music, all were invited to the dining room, where the table groaned under its weight of good things. After the dinner the guests were called on for toasts.