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DEACONESSES' CELEBRATION

MR. AND MRS. JOHN SENTF, PLEASANT VALLEY, ENTERTAIN THE LUTHERAN DEACONESS AND MOTHER HOUSE.

About three years ago Mr. and Mrs. John Sentf, of Pleasant Valley, conceived the idea of giving the Deaconesses of Baltimore, a day's outing on their farm six miles north of Westminster. The venture was so thoroughly enjoyed by these young ladies, and the official staff of the Mother House, and brought with it so much real heart compensation to their host and hostess, that it was quietly decided, in the Sentf home, to make the event an annual affair. The program was carried out last year by fixing upon a mid-week day in the midst of the abundant apple crop for which the Sentf farm became widely known in 1920. There being no apple crop this year, or any other crop of unusual size on Carroll County farms, Mr. and Mrs. Sentf selected a "week-end" date for the outing, Saturday, September 3.

Plans were at last completed, and early Saturday morning, the large 3-ton truck of the Sentf farm thundered through the streets of Westminster on its way to meet that early train from Baltimore, before many town-folks had given any thought yet to the matter of rising and beginning the day's work. Pretty soon the truck was rumbling back on its return trip, loaded to its full seating capacity with happy, vivacious, jesticulating ladies evidently bent on a real "outing in the county." A quiet court, by your correspondent, during the afternoon, revealed the following persons here, there, and elsewhere gathered in happy groups after the lavish spring-chicken dinner, playing games, renewing acquaintances, exchanging vacation experiences, or discussing church conventions, problems, or slated conferences: Dr. Charles E. Hay, D. D., pastor of the Baltimore Mother-House; Sister Sophia, Matron of the Institution; Sister Magdalene, general utility mother about the Home and the living cyclopedia of Deaconess Work and Woman's Ministries in general in the Church; Sister Caroline Heald of the Kindergarten of the Mother-House; Sister Zora, Matron of the Lutheran Hospice for Girls, in Baltimore; Sister Christine, Inner Mission Deaconess of the Maryland Synod; Sister Bertha, Sister Mary, Sister Mildred, Sister Beulah and Sister Theodora, all of the Mother-House, the latter three out in the Church as Deaconesses of individual congregations. In the group was also a Miss Ross, of Mechanicsburg, Pa., just entering the Mother-House as a probationer.

In addition to the truck load that reached the farm early enough for the waiting breakfast of delicious haw and fresh eggs, other auto loads arrived later in the morning and these added their quota as "invited guests" to the Deaconess event. Among these guests were Rev. and Mrs. A. G. Wolf and daughter, Marion, Rev. Wolf being pastor of the Sentf family; Rev. and Mrs. Harry D. Newcomer, Rev. Newcomer being the Superintendent of the Inner Mission Society of Baltimore; Rev. and Mrs. S. J. McDowell, of the Third Lutheran Church of Baltimore, and regular "vacation guests" at the Sentf home for the past four years; Miss Lizzie T. Birely and Mrs. J. Birely and daughter, Louise, from near Uniontown; Mrs. Helen Bailey, of Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. C. Gordon Siegmund and daughter, Catharine, of Baltimore; Mrs. Claude Lawyer, of Silver Run; Mr. Milton Sentf, of Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. William Starner and son, William; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sentf and daughter, Eliza, of Silver Run; Miss Anna Norwat, of Marlinton College, Marion, Va.; Clarence Welk, Misses Mary and Elizabeth Starner and Miss Agnes Masonhelm.

The Sentf family consists of the parents and their daughter, Annie. It was, doubtless, in view of the fact that "outing" arranged for the Deaconesses came so near the date for the departure of Miss Sentf to take up school life in Philadelphia, that the gathering was so large this year.

The day was ideal for weather conditions, and the large company thoroughly enjoyed the freedom of the large farm and of the hospitable Sentf home. About the middle of the afternoon the games and the conversation ed later in the day, and Mrs. Harry Sentf called to the dining hall to enjoy another spread; this time of ice cream and cake. Then the large motor truck was again cranked and headed for Westminster Railroad Station. With sincerest expressions of gratitude to host and hostess for the delightful outing furnished at their expense of thought, time and service; and with many best wishes for the young daughter of the home for success in her work, and much real delight in her new school home in Philadelphia, the Deaconesses with school girl agility began to climb to their improvised seats on the great truck. As Mr. Sentf, the happy chauffeur, carried the load down the steep hill, from the farm yard to the main road, with the carefulness of real father taking his children to school over treacherous, rumbled kerchiefs, some, what the worse for the warm day's wear waved not only a reluctant farewell to farm and family, but to another annual outing that had passed into history.

DEATHS.

HARDING.

Katie W. Harding, wife of Charles M. Harding, near Westminster, died at the Maryland General Hospital, Baltimore, Monday morning, aged 60 years. Services were held at her home yesterday at 10 a. m. Interment in Loudon Park cemetery, Baltimore. The survivors are: Her husband, Miss Gertrude Harding, Miss Esther Harding, Miss Catherine Harding, at home; Mrs. Reynolds, Mark Harding and Mrs. Hanna, Baltimore. Funeral services were in charge of Rev. Arthur C. Day, assisted by Rev. Edward C. Day, at 10 o'clock, at home; Pallbearers were Walter H. Davis, J. E. Stem, Dr. Charles R. Foutz, Geo. R. Gehr, J. E. Stoner and Harry P. Gorsuch. Harvey Bankard & Son funeral directors.

WANTZ.

George Z. Wantz died at his home near Pleasant Valley, yesterday of typhoid fever, aged 58 years, 4 months and 1 day. Funeral will be held Saturday, leaving the house at 10 o'clock with services at the Lutheran church, Pleasant Valley, by Rev. Wolfe. He is survived by his wife and the following children: Edward, Clarence and Elwood, near Pleasant Valley; Mrs. Murray Myers, Mrs. Walter Haines, of near Pleasant Valley; Mrs. Walter Wantz, of Marker's Mill, and Denton, Monroe, Leonard and Carroll, all at home; three brothers, John Wantz, of Baltimore; Albert Wantz, of Mayberry, and Elmer Wantz, of Frizellburg, and one sister, Mrs. Jeremiah Koontz, of Pleasant Valley. C. O. Fuss & Son funeral directors.

EYLER.

Mrs. Jane Eyer, wife of John W. Eyer, of Linwood, died at the Maryland General Hospital, Baltimore, after an operation for a colic in her neck, aged 42 years, 1 month and 21 days. She is survived by three children, Wilbur and Edwin Eyer and Mrs. Blascen, of Linwood. Funeral services were held Monday morning at Winter's church by Rev. C. Bauch, assisted by Rev. Murray. Interment in adjoining cemetery. Pallbearers were Samuel Hoff, J. W. Yingling, Samuel Foutz, Robert Tyler, Herbert Englar and Clarence Haines. James M. Stoner funeral director.

DODDER.

J. Calvin Dodder, a well known citizen of Carroll county, died September 10, while on a visit in Oklahoma of bronchial pneumonia, aged 57 years. Funeral services were held September 16, in Baust church by his pastor, Rev. Murray Nis. Interment in adjoining cemetery. He is survived by his wife and two children, Abram Dodder, of near Tyrone; Mrs. John Lemmon, of Westminster; also three brothers, Edward Dodder, of Mayberry; William Dodder, of Westminster, and Harvey Dodder, of Littlestown; also two sisters, Mrs. Milton Hull, of York, and Mrs. Milton Bowman, of Silver Run. Undertakers, C. O. Fuss & Son.

GRAHAM.

Mrs. Mary A. Graham died September 14, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Calvin Wilson, of Keymar, aged 91 years. Funeral services will be held today at the home of her daughter, by Rev. Samuel Repp. Interment in Church of God cemetery, Uniontown. She is survived by three sons and one daughter, Amos Graham, of Johns-ville; John Graham, of near Taneytown, and Samuel Graham, of Denver, Col.; one daughter, Mrs. Calvin Wilson, of Keymar; also 26 grandchildren and 22 great-grandchildren. Undertakers, C. O. Fuss & Son.

KOONTZ.

John T. Koontz died at his home in Philadelphia Wednesday, aged 59 years, 9 months and 13 days. Funeral services were held today at 5 o'clock at the Trinity Lutheran Church, Taneytown, by Rev. L. B. Hater. Interment in Lutheran cemetery. He is survived by his wife and two sons, Wilbur Koontz and Franklin Koontz, both of Philadelphia. C. O. Fuss & Son funeral directors.

BOYD.

Mrs. Celia E. Boyd, widow of Jas. Boyd, died September 8th at the home of her son, Chas. G. Boyd, of Taneytown, aged 68 years. Funeral services were held September 11, in Trinity Lutheran church by her pastor, Rev. L. B. Hater, assisted by Rev. Guy P. Bready. Interment in Reformed cemetery. She is survived by two sons, Lewis S. Boyd, of near Taneytown, and Chas. G. Boyd, of Taneytown; also two sisters, Mrs. Kump and Mrs. Thomas, C. O. Fuss & Son funeral directors.

CROUSE.

Mary A. Crouse, John street, died Saturday, aged 84 years, 3 months and 15 days. She is survived by one son, Harry Crouse, at home. Funeral services were held Monday at 2 p. m. by Rev. Ruple. Interment at Kridler's cemetery. Pallbearers were Harry Morningstar, George Morningstar, Louis Burman, Charles Cootes, William Helm and Harry Smith. Funeral directors, Harvey Bankard & Son.

FOGLE.

William Fogle died September 6 at his home near Copperville, aged 91 years. Funeral services were held in Trinity Lutheran church, Taneytown, by his pastor, Rev. L. B. Hater September 9. Interment in Lutheran cemetery. He was never married and leaves therefore no immediate family. One nephew, Edward Fogle, and one niece, Miss Estella Fogle, survive. C. O. Fuss & Son funeral directors.

WEDDINGS.

ROTHAR-ENGLAR

Mr. Joseph H. Rothar, son of Mr. Henry P. Rothar, of Miami, Florida, and Miss Mildred Englar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Englar, Jr., were married at noon on Thursday, September 15th, at Woodside, the home of the bride, near Westminster, Md.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. William C. Parrish, of New Windsor, in the presence of a few relatives of the bride and groom.

The house was elaborately decorated by Mrs. Cora Stouffer, of New Windsor, with native flowers and with tropical palms and mess brought by the groom from Florida. Music was furnished by Professor Fisher, of New Windsor, and Mr. Philip Royer, of Westminster.

The bride wore a gown of white satin and lace. Her veil was trimmed with orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley and white roses.

Mrs. D. Roger Englar, of New York City, the sister-in-law of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore a cream lace gown and carried yellow chrysanthemums. The bride's niece,

parents. Both bride and groom have many friends here and elsewhere who wish them much happiness as they sail down the sea of life.

BANKS-GIGGONS.

Married at noon, September 15th, in the parlors of the City Hotel, Gettysburg, Pa., by Rev. W. C. Robinson, local pastor of the Presbyterian Church, Miss Margaret Elizabeth Giggons and Mr. B. C. Banks, Miss Giggons is from Thurmont, and Mr. Banks, from Philadelphia, Pa. The bridesmaid was Miss Elizabeth Jones, of Philadelphia, and the best man Mr. Wm. M. Eckart, of Gettysburg, Pa. A number of friends from Philadelphia attended the wedding. Mr. Banks is a traveling salesman for the Lawrence Publishing Co., of Philadelphia.

BOHN-SCHETTLE

Daniel E. Bohn, of Union Bridge and Nellie L. Schettle, of Westminster, were married by Rev. Daniel O. Metz at Union Bridge on September 3.

AN ENTHUSIASTIC AND WELL ATTENDED CONVENTION

The annual convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union

morning session which were adopted. Mrs. Lydia L. Smith welcomed the convention in a very neat and appropriate address and in closing urged the ladies to seriously consider the fact that by the passage of the 19th Amendment women are now really and truly citizens of the great republic, but the privilege of the ballot had increased their responsibilities many times, and she urged the women to let principle and not party or political govern their actions, and by wise council and judicious judgment prove that they are worthy citizens and by so doing prove to the world that the United States had taken a step forward in the right direction by adding the 19th Amendment to the constitution. Mrs. Emory Ebaugh responded in a very fitting and appropriate way.

The election of officers resulted as follows: president, Mrs. Philena Fenby, of Finksburg; vice-president, Mrs. John Harris; corresponding secretary, Mrs. D. F. Shipley; recording secretary, Mrs. Blanche Magee of Sandville, treasurer; Mrs. Luther Bare, of Westminster.

Perhaps the most entertaining feature of the convention was the exercise of the Loyal Legion under leadership of Mrs. Gussie Bliz, superintendent of Loyal Legion for the county. Each child who part deserves special mention reflected great credit upon Miss E. Seneuser, who trained them. The children's exercise Mrs. Bohn closed the convention with a for each person present to work law enforcement and to support such men at the polls who engaged themselves as standing for an amendment law for Maryland.

LORRINGER'S NEW STORE OPENED

George J. Lorringer, of Manchester, manufacturer of the well-known and popular J. G. L. cigar, after remodeling the store room formerly occupied by Claude Mitten, East street, is now open with a line of cigars that are the best made in the county. In connection with the cigar store is a barbershop with an expert barber at its head. The store room is also being equipped with a rear of the store to accommodate any one who likes the sport.

DEMOCRATS TO MEET.

The County Central Committee of Carroll County, is hereby called to meet at Boyle's Hall, Westminster, Maryland, on Thursday, September 22, at 10 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of organization, filling of vacancies, and the transaction of any other matters relating to its work. By order of the State Central Committee of Carroll County.

EDWARD P. BRUNDIGE, Chairman.

Mrs. Jacob Sentz spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. Andrew Graham, and family, of Littlestown.

THREE FIRES AT FINKSBURG

TWO BARN BURNED AND A HOUSE DAMAGED—ALL FIRES OF AN INCENDIARY ORIGIN.

Finksburg citizens were aroused to a high pitch over three fires that had occurred there within the last week. Friday night the barn of Samuel Frazier, Sunday afternoon the Mansion House of Misses Fanny and Ellen Gray and Tuesday morning the new bank barn of Lawrence Doyle.

The fire of the Frazier barn was from an incendiary origin. It is reported that a man was seen striking a match at the barn and run. All the contents were consumed, except some harness. The loss is partly covered by insurance. Mr. Frazier was sitting on his porch when a neighbor notified him that his barn was afire.

A fire of undetermined origin which broke out at the colonial brick mansion of the Misses Fanny and Ellen Gray, for a time threatened to destroy the building. The Misses Gray were entertaining company when the fire starting on the south wing porch, which was destroyed, spread to the reception hall. Fire companies responded to telephone calls for assistance and soon after their arrival had the blaze under control. In the meantime residents of the neighborhood formed a bucket brigade and fought the blaze. The damage will be about \$1500, covered by insurance.

The large bank barn on the farm of Lawrence Doyle was discovered on fire about 4.45 Tuesday morning. The fire is supposed to have started from a lantern exploding. All his hay and straw with 800 bushels of wheat were consumed. The loss will be \$5000. The barn was used for his cows. His horses were kept in an adjoining barn. Mr. Doyle arose shortly after 6 o'clock and hung a lantern in the barn while he went to a pasture to drive in the cows. He had not gone far when the blaze broke out, and by the time firemen arrived, it was beyond control. They succeeded in preventing the blaze from spreading to adjoining buildings.

The Westminster, Glyndon and Reisterstown fire companies responded to all three of the fires and saved the adjoining buildings. At the Doyle fire Westminster fire company was called back the second time to put out smoldering debris which was rekindled by the high wind. A line of hose was run from a stream of water and the fire extinguished in one hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Fern Weaver and child, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Nettie A. Weaver.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

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

ORPHANS' COURT

Tuesday, September 13th.—Letters of administration on the estate of Elmer E. Yingling, deceased, were granted unto Alverta M. and William J. Yingling, who received warrant to appraise and an order to notify creditors.

Annie E. and D. Oliver Millender, administrators of Daniel H. Millender, deceased, returned inventory of debts and reported sale of personal property.

Edward E. Reindollar, executor of Edward E. Reindollar, deceased, returned inventories of debts and money.

Laura V. Stansbury, executrix of Macajah Stansbury, deceased, settled her first and final account.

The last will and testament of William Fogle, deceased, was admitted to probate and letters testamentary thereon were granted unto David C. Nushbaum, who received warrants to appraise and an order to notify creditors.

Mary H. Brown, executrix of Francis W. Brown, deceased, received an order to sell stocks and bonds.

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE

Charles W. Greenholtz and wife to Louis E. G. Graham, 3 acres, for \$250. Manchester Bank to Robert W. Carter, 98 square perches, for \$2000. Union Bridge Banking & Trust Co. to Scott O. Clemson and wife, tract, for \$5.

Vernon Kenny Leister et al. to Arthur L. Murray and wife, 6000 square feet, for \$10.

Carroll G. Wareheim, trustee, to Daniel P. Wildasin and wife, tract, for \$4000.

F. Grant Richards et al. to Milford B. Leister, 12 acres, for \$125.

Walter M. Carr and wife to Guy L. Hanson and wife, 22 square perches, for \$100.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Roger Samuel Knill and Anna Margaret Mercer, both of Lisbon, Md. Michael Fringer Robinson of Baltimore, and Edna Marie Blizard, of Westminster.

Arthur L. Stauffer and Thelma A. Staub, both of Hanover. Edgar William Eyer and Naomi Marie Lovell, both of New Windsor.

DEMOCRATIC WOMEN

You must register and vote if this county is to be controlled by the best thought of the white race. Registration Days, October 4 and 11.