

BALTIMORE LETTER.

Hotel Rennert. Baltimore, December 1, 1921. The Governor has about finished the preparations for the biennial budget, and will at once take up the actual construction of the measure, which is in reality the appropriation bill which will be presented to the General Assembly for its action during the sessions. Under the present system of appropriations, the legislature has power to reduce any items in the list but cannot increase them, and therefore any sudden efforts at public extravagance on the part of the General Assembly, such as were of frequent occurrence under the old system, are prevented and reductions are practically unheard of so the Governor in reality is in absolute control of all appropriations, and the old-time log-rolling and scandal, connected with the passage of the appropriation bills, is to a very great extent a thing of the past.

The indications are that the budget will keep the expenditures for the next two years, closely within the revenues of the State, and that there will be no increase in the tax rate, but in all probability a slight reduction from the rate of the last two years. The Governor realizes to the fullest extent that it would be desirable, under normal conditions, to branch out into many improvements but he is opposed to doing anything that will increase the burden of taxation, or require the issuance of more bonds. He is firm in his determination to insist on the most rigid economy in all the departments, and will pare everything down to the closest possible limit of necessity. Most of the increases asked for, he classifies as public luxuries, and they must be done without for the present, and until times have gotten back to normal conditions. There is no doubt of his firm determination in this regard, and all the dreams of vast expenditures in the way of new buildings for many of the State institutions will prove to be illusions when the budget is given out to the public. While he is Governor there will be no more sixty thousand dollar kitchens built to cook food for wards of the public charities of the State, they will have to be content with less expensive culinary establishments in which to prepare their food and the chances are that many of the State officials who are now riding around, and airing their families in State purchased limousines and other expensive cars, will have to side with the common herd in jitneys and ordinary street cars.

The contest for the speakership of the House of Delegates is assuming interesting proportions and bids fair to be a real strenuous contest. There are now three candidates in the field for the position, Mr. John F. C. Lee, of Harford, Mr. Clarence Roberts, of Prince George's and Mr. J. Allan Coad, of St. Mary's. All are capable and experienced men, and all have served acceptably in the House in the former years. Mr. Lee was a member in 1894, and has served another session since that time. He is a lawyer of ability and high standing, and is well known throughout the State. Mr. Roberts is also a lawyer of ability and standing, and has an excellent record. At the present time the member from Prince George's seems to be in the lead—he is reported to have the support of most of the State leaders, including in the number Senator John Walter Smith, State Treasurer John M. Dennis, Mr. Frank A. Purat, Mr. Samuel E. Dennis, Mr. Max Ways and Frank Kelley.

The general impression here is that the Eastern Shore with its large Democratic membership, could obtain the speakership should united effort be made by the members from across the bay, and such an effort may be made before the matter is settled. There has been some talk about Delegate Samuel Crockett, from Worcester county, as a candidate for the honor, but no word has come from that gentleman on the subject. Mr. Crockett is a former member of the House, is the editor of the Worcester Democrat, one of the best County papers in the State and has every qualification for the place, and it has been a matter of surprise to his friends that he has not made a bid for the prize.

It seems to be settled that Senator William I. Norris, of Baltimore city, will be re-elected President of the Senate without contest. The honor seems to be going to Mr. Norris without any effort on his part, and his reelection will be a well-deserved tribute to his ability and worth as a faithful and efficient public servant. PAUL WINCHESTER.

SWALLOWS FALSE TEETH

Bloomburg, Pa., Nov. 29.—Robert S. Pugh is carrying his false teeth in a very unusual place, in fact, he is carrying them in his intestines. Pugh's wife was away from home and when she came back Pugh missed his teeth or she noticed they were missing. They instituted a search and even tore apart beds, but the teeth were nowhere to be found. Pugh got to thinking, and finally came to the conclusion he must have been "wearing" them when he went to bed and swallowed them in his sleep. Then he felt a pain in his intestines. A physician was consulted and an X-ray photograph was made.

The photograph revealed the set of teeth in the lower intestines. While they are causing Mr. Pugh some annoyance he is not confined to his home, but is able to be around as usual. Meanwhile, a local dentist is hurrying work on a new set.

AUTOS IN QUARRY HOLE

Lancaster, Pa., Dec. 5.—State police today discovered a "cemetery" for insured automobiles in a deep quarry hole on the Lancaster-Chester county line, not far from Nottingham. It is presumed that motorcar owners needing cash secured it by dumping their insured cars down the abandoned quarry and collecting the insurance. Two machines were taken out, and it is believed that others are concealed by the inky waters. The quarry may be drained.

AMERICAN LEGION PASS RESOLUTION.

RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE AMERICAN LEGION at the Third National Convention, Kansas City, October 31st to November 2nd, 1921. WHEREAS, The prevalence of tuberculosis among ex-service men has created a problem of most serious proportions, both to the Government and to the American Legion; and WHEREAS, The National Tuberculosis Association has been generous in its continuous co-operation with the American Legion and the Federal agencies that have been trying to solve this problem and to provide proper care for tuberculosis ex-service men; and WHEREAS, The state and local tuberculosis associations have constantly supported the efforts of the American Legion in securing adequate care for ex-service men and are still continuing with their educational and organization campaigns to reduce the incidence of tuberculosis among ex-soldiers; THAT the American Legion pledges its unqualified support to the National Tuberculosis Association and its affiliated state and local associations in the fight against tuberculosis which they are carrying on, and that we urge all local posts of the American Legion to co-operate with local and state tuberculosis associations in their several campaigns for the prevention of tuberculosis and especially in the fourteenth annual Christmas Seal Sale.

HIGH ANALYSIS BRANDS OF FERTILIZER

Resolution adopted by The National Fertilizer Association with respect to the use of High Analysis Brands of Fertilizer. WHEREAS, The cost of labor, bags, freight and hauling are the same for both high and low analysis fertilizers, and WHEREAS, such overhead expense must, therefore, be much lower per unit of plant food in high analysis fertilizers than in low, and WHEREAS, THE NATIONAL FERTILIZER ASSOCIATION holds itself obligated to do all in its power to secure for the consumer the greatest possible return for his money. Therefore BE IT RESOLVED, That THE NATIONAL FERTILIZER ASSOCIATION shall urge upon its members the manufacture and sale of high analysis fertilizers, containing not less than 14 units of plant food, and BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this Association shall lend its assistance and recommend that its members co-operate with the United States Department of Agriculture, the various State Experiment Stations, agricultural colleges, extension directors, county agents, farm papers, and others, to establish in the minds of consumers the advantages to be gained in the purchase and use of high analysis fertilizers.

WHY A GIRL MARRIES THE MAN SHE DOES

Fear of being an old maid. To keep some other girl from getting him. Anxiety to connect with a permanent meal ticket. To reform him. Because she thinks he has money. Because she hasn't any better sense. Because she thinks she is in love with him. Because he is her last chance. And Just because.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

W. M. R. FURNISHES 50 PER CENT.

Shippers aided the Western Maryland in the purchase of 40 locomotives built during the year 1920 by the Baldwin Locomotive Works, according to the annual report of President M. C. Myers just submitted to shareholders. The net income of the company, the balance having been advanced by the United States Government. The company's gross corporate income during 1920 was \$3,274,462, while total deductions were \$3,196,897, leaving net income of \$77,564. The credit income balance transferred to profit and loss was \$57,735. Corporate and Federal income account combined showed operating revenues of \$2,205,687, against \$14,619,000 for 1915. Operating expenses for the year were \$20,374,791, leaving a net operating revenue deficit of \$169,104, against \$94,954 in the preceding year. The net income deficit totaled \$2,363,000, as contrasted with \$3,632,764 for 1915.

FREEDOM M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH.

R. Carl Maxwell, pastor. Sermon theme, "The One Means of World Peace." At Freedom at 11 a. m. All members of the woman's mission society are urged to be present; at St. James at 3 p. m., and at Bethany at 7.30 p. m. Prayer meeting at 8 p. m. every Wednesday at Fohrville and New Oakland. Epworth League at New Oakland every Sunday night.

AN EXCITING POTATO RACE.

Down in New Mexico they call it "The Spud Game." A large box of potatoes is placed in the center of an open space. Men who want to enter the game must use horses, and should be proficient horsemen. Each contestant is armed with a sharpened lance, and as he rides along side the box at rapid rate tries to secure a potato with his lance. The one who secures the greatest number of "Spuds" is the winner.

A NEW MEASURE

The officer of the deck was asked how many boats was he going to send ashore at 11 p. m., that being the curfew for the beach party that night in Yokohama. "Let's see, chief," the lieutenant said reflectively, "about how many men do you think are still ashore?" "Sir," said the boatswain's mate, "I should say that there are not less than three saloonfuls."

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HOWARD J. SPALDING, Littlestown, Pa. oct28-10t

Notice To The Public!

Have opened Garage and Repair shop with skilled mechanics Any make of car a specialty. Location at Chest Brothers, East Main St. Give us a trial that will convince you of good workmanship.

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ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the members of The Mutual Fire Insurance Company, of Carroll County, for the election of ten Directors, to serve for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the company, 249 East Main street, Westminster, Md., on Monday, the 5th day of December, 1921, between the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., and 11 o'clock a. m.

C. GLOYD LYNCH, Sec. nov 19-3t

DR. R. F. WELLS

Announces a change of Location from NO. 182 EAST MAIN STREET, TO NO. 7 EAST MAIN STREET, 2nd Floor, over Klee & Hoff's Sales-room. Telephone 265 nov18-6t

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NO. 6317 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Carroll County, sitting as a Court of Equity. In the matter of the first estate of Clyde Ross Betts and Gladys M. Betts, his wife, Charles O. Clemon, Trustee. Ordered this 24th day of November, A. D. 1921, that the account of the estate aforesaid filed in this cause be finally ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 12th day of December, next; provided a copy of this order be inserted for two consecutive weeks before the last named day in some newspaper published in Carroll county.

STOP, LOOK, LISTEN, then go to the Automobile Garage of JOHN E. ECKENRODE

at the old established Suggy and Paint Shop, George and Liberty streets, Westminster, where you can get first-class work. I have been in the business for forty-five years and claim to know when a job is up to standard. I have a painter that worked for McRenell's Bros. of Washington, D.C. and can give you first-class work. I paint automobiles and put on new tops and do repairing of all kind. I am still in the BUGGY BUSINESS. Glad to have you call and look my work over.

George and Liberty Streets, WESTMINSTER, MD. Phone 15M.

PUBLIC SALE

OF VALUABLE 275 Acre Farm, and Personal Property, Saturday, December 10, 1921

This farm will be sold at 12 o'clock and is one of the best grain and dairy farms that is for sale in Carroll county, situated on the Washington road, 1 mile south of Berrett, 3 1/2 miles west of Sykesville and near churches, school and stores.

200 acres cultivated, 50 acres great pasture, right at barn; 25 acres of timber. Land is loan with clay sub-soil. Level to rolling. Great crops. Splendid location. A going proposition. Improvements consists of: Colonial style brick house, 10 rooms and bath, large recreation hall; 3 porches, stationary wash tubs, large collar, complete DeLco Electric light and water system at house and barn. Modern bank barn 40x78, apex 16x55, 42 stanchions, 10 horse stalls, 200 ton silo, dairy, concrete engine house, chicken house, smoke house, garage, machine shed, corn house and tenant house.

80 acres of wheat, lot of hay and straw goes with the farm. Terms:—\$500 on day of sale. About 1/2 cash balance long time or will try and arrange terms to suit purchaser. Possession any time. Inspection of farm solicited.

On same day and date beginning at 10 o'clock, the following personal property will be sold: 4 good work horses 5 extra good mules, 2 good leaders, one pair 3 1/2 years old, good workers; family cow, fresh in February; large brood sow and 9 pigs, 4 fat hogs, 4 broad tread wagons, 2 narrow tread wagons, new 12 disk Thomas drill, Emerson spreader, nearly new; 1 18-inch 24 double disk harrow, 4 spring tooth harrows, 4 riding cultivators, 2 riding plows, potato plow, 2 6-foot Mc Cormick binders, perfect condition, 8-foot Emerson mower, Emerson side delivery rake, Thomas hay loader, 15-horse power S. H. C. gasoline or kerosene engine, good as new; 4-horse power gasoline engine, perfect condition, mounted with new Holland saw and Peerless grinder; S. H. C. ensilage cutter, perfect condition; 50 gal. fruit sprayer, with 4 row attachment, only used one season; 9 sets harness, 9 bays; 17 good collars, good wagon saddle, 125 lbs. corn, lot of hay, part alfalfa; 4000 bundles fodder, 100 bushels potatoes and a number of other useful articles.

Terms:—Sums of \$10.00 or less, cash; over that amount a credit of 10 months will be given with approved security, payable at the Sykesville National Bank.

F. J. BRANDENBURG, Woodbine, Md. Edgar Mercer, Auctioneer.

Trustees' Sale

Of one of the most VALUABLE FARMS In Westminster District, Carroll County, Maryland

By virtue of the power of sale contained in the deed of trust of Walter M. Little and wife to Edward O. Weant and William E. Little dated October 29, 1921, and duly recorded, the undersigned Trustees will offer at public sale on the premises on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1921.

at 2 o'clock P. M., all that valuable farm formerly known as the "Gladdish Farm" situated on the State Road running from Westminster to New Windsor, about 2 1/2 miles from Westminster and 1/2 of a mile from Avondale station on the Western Maryland Railroad, and 3 1/2 miles from New Windsor, containing

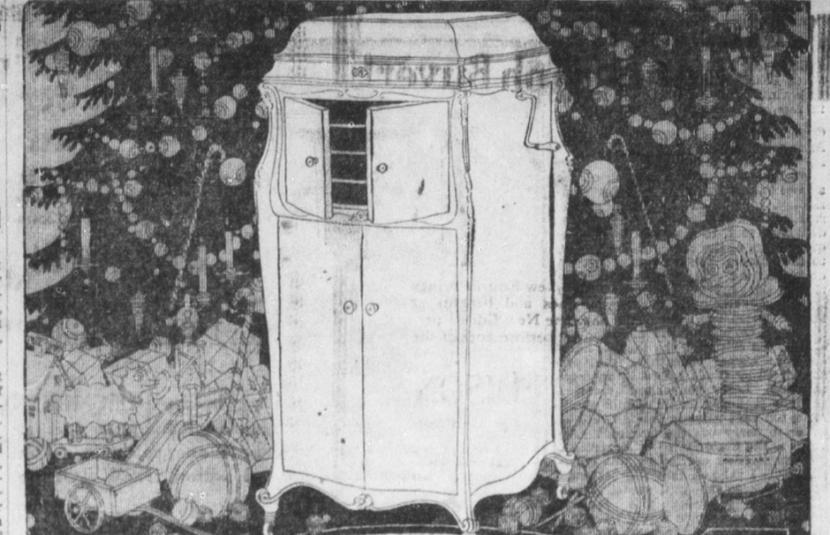
137 1-2 Acres of Land,

more or less. This farm is improved by a 2 1/2 Story Weatherboarded Dwelling House, 12 rooms, Large Bank Barn room for 32 head of cattle and 22 head of horses, large wagon shed, large house, garage, 2 chicken houses, large wash house, dairy, silo and other necessary outbuildings. There is water in the house and barn. This is a splendid dairy farm, cattle stables being equipped with stanchions and cement floors, and 12 acres in meadow land. The farm is well watered as a fine stream runs through it. The land is in high state of cultivation and very productive, ample fruit trees of all kinds. The farm was formerly owned by Upton Gladhill and is now occupied by Walter M. Little, very convenient to churches, schools and Western Maryland Railway Station.

Terms of Sale:—One-third cash on the day of sale or upon the ratification thereof by the Court, and the residue in two equal payments of one and two years from the day of sale, or all cash at the option of the purchaser. The credit payments to bear interest from the day of sale and to be secured by the notes of the purchaser with approved security, bearing interest from day of sale.

EDWARD O. WANT AND WILLIAM E. LITTLE, Trustees. nov 18-4t

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Public Sale

Of a VALUABLE FARM.

The undersigned will sell at public sale on

Saturday, December 10, 1921

at 2 o'clock p. m., a farm containing 53 acres, 2 roads and 29 perches of land, more or less. This farm is located in Carroll County, Md., about 2 1/2 miles East of Lineboro, near the road leading to Heller Mills, and is the property formerly owned by Levi Shaffer and Paul Shaffer. The farm joins the land of Joseph Zeigler, Urias Miller, John Kramer and others, and is in a high state of cultivation, contains 7 room house, bank barn, spring house, engine house, smoke house, wood house, tool house, chicken house, implement barn, brooder house and big house, all in first class condition. Running water at spring house, barn and hot house. There is a good orchard of fruit of all kinds. Fall crop of wheat needed. Also at the same time the following personal property will be sold: One young mare, 8 years old, buggy, one set of buggy harness, 20 chickens, about 450 bushels of corn fodder, about 250 bushels of corn about 4 tons of clover and timothy hay, about 8 tons wheat straw, about 2 tons oats straw, about 2 tons rye straw and other articles.

Terms of Sale for farm: \$2,000 of the purchaser's money can remain on the property in the form of a mortgage until April 1st, 1922, the balance over the \$2,000 to be paid cash. A deposit of \$500 to be paid cash on day of sale or all cash at the option of purchaser. Terms of sale on personal property:—All sums of \$10 and under cash; all sums over \$10 a credit of 3 months will be given, parties giving their note with approved security, bearing interest at 5 per cent from date, or cash at the option of the purchaser.

J. W. EVERHART, Geo. F. McCollough, Auct. nov 25-4t

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TRUSTEE'S SALE

Valuable FARM! NEAR THE WASHINGTON ROAD, ABOUT 9 MILES SOUTHWEST OF WESTMINSTER.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Carroll County, passed in cause No. 5338 Equity, the undersigned Trustee will offer at public sale, on the premises where Eleanor M. Wagner died intestate, and now occupied by Columbus M. Wagner, about one-fourth mile from Washington Road, and 9 miles southwest of Westminster, in Carroll county, Maryland, on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 24, '21

at 10 o'clock A. M., all that real estate of which Eleanor M. Wagner died seized and possessed, containing

50 Acres

more or less, that was conveyed by Cornelius H. Shirley to Eleanor M. Wagner by deed dated April 26th, 1892, and improved with TWO STORY WEATHERBOARDED HOUSE, BARN and all other necessary outbuildings. This property adjoins Henry Knaut, John Will and Charles W. Grimes. Possession of buildings and land will be given at once. All growing wheat reserved, but manure and straw will remain on the farm.

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COLUMBUS M. WAGNER, Trustee. Ivan L. Hoff, Attorney. W. T. Wilson, Auct.

Will Sell Valuable Business Property.

located in Manchester, Maryland, corner Main and York streets, known as the Hofferker Store Corner, consisting of large brick store and dwelling combined, with back lot suitable for warehouse or Public Garage. An opportunity to a live merchant. Will be sold at a bargain to quick buyer. Possession of Store room March 1, 1922, or earlier if desired. Possession of dwelling given April 1, 1922. Apply to

L. H. HOFFACKER, Hanover, Pa. dec 2-3t

Community Sale!

Rain or Shine, Canning Factory, Pleasant Valley, Tuesday, December 13, 1921, at 12 o'clock. Any person having anything to offer please notify T. A. Martin, Pleasant Valley, at once, and I will advertise same and let you know when to bring the articles.

T. A. MARTIN, Promoter and Auctioneer. dec2-3t*

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

The County Commissioners of Carroll county will meet at their office, in Westminster, every Monday and Tuesday, in the year, 1920, for the transaction of business. By order, SAMUEL J. STONE, Clerk.