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E. O. DIFFENDAL, Manager. FRIDAY AFTERNOON, JAN. 13, 1922

SALE REGISTERS.

March 4, at 9 a. m., stock of machinery, etc., of Farm Power Company, John Street, Westminster, Joseph E. Hunter, Trustee.

BRIEFS

The January bills and winter weather are two things that remain unsettled. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Yingling spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dull and family.

Susan Miller, 14 years old, a student of Hannah More Academy, Reisterstown, who mysteriously disappeared from the institution Saturday afternoon and was reported missing to the police, was found Monday in Baltimore at the home of a friend.

Mrs. Martin Fogle, of Detour, is recovering from a recent illness. Mr. Guy W. Steele has returned from a hunting trip in North Carolina.

The annual banquet of the Amnae Association of Western Maryland College will be held in Baltimore on January 20.

Nathan Waldron, Philadelphia, was put on cold storage when two audits locked him in his own refrigerator after they took his receipts for the day.

Robert Coursey, of Centerville, has been appointed clerk of the Senate, a post held by Joseph George, of the same county, for seven years.

The Pennsylvania station, Havre de Grace, was broken into Saturday night, the third time this year, as the cash box in the telephone booth was again stolen.

The Girls' Club of Grace Lutheran Church will hold an oyster supper and bazaar at Firemen's Building February 2, 3 and 4, for the bene of the new Sunday school building.

Sixteen hundred men in Baltimore city took the examination for a birth on the police force Tuesday. It has never been known in the history of the Department for that many to take a like examination.

Frederick County Agricultural Society elected the following officers: P. L. Hargett, P. M. Hites, David Cramer, Lee Ranneberger, R. V. Smith, Eugene A. Grove, J. T. Best, Dr. C. H. Conley, John W. Imm, G. A. T. Snouffer and Abraham Kemp.

The trustees of the widow's (Pa.) hospital dismissed two registered nurses and nine of their pupils on charges of insubordination and lack of compliance with discipline.

Charles Garland, Middlebrook, who 14 months ago refused \$1,000,000 from the estate of his father the late James A. Garland, of Boson, on the ground that it would be inconsistent with his views regarding property confirmed a report that he had had a change of mind and that he would accept the legacy.

The Victory Sparkler Company of Elton, has cut its employees' wages 20 per cent. Congress has appropriated \$9,250,000 for enforcement of prohibition during the fiscal year beginning July 1.

Mr. Adam Slory and son, have returned to their home in Dayton, Ohio, after visiting his parents in Westminster. The floor mill of D. P. Sentz, near Harney, that was destroyed by fire has been rebuilt and will soon be ready for business.

A marriage license was issued at Ellicott City, Saturday, to George Boerner, Baltimore, and Hilda Reed, Carroll county. A total of 45 murders and 15 suicides is Fayette county's record for 1921, according to the report of Coroner S. H. Baum.

H. J. Wolf, Harney, received a badly fractured arm while crawling his automobile. The accident happened in Harrisburg where he was on a visit. There were 43 automobile wrecks in Hazleton in 1921, costing five lives and sending six other persons to the State Hospital for more than two weeks.

Western Maryland College basketball team was defeated by Gettysburg College, at Gettysburg, Saturday by a score of 37 to 15. Bowis, of Western Maryland, featuring. Mrs. Henry Schultz, New York, nearly choked to death from swallowing the metal top of a pepper-shaker. She is certainly not careful of what her diet consists.

Miss Helen Matthews, East Main street, who was operated on at the Woman's Hospital, Baltimore, for appendicitis, returned home Saturday. She is much improved. Mr. and Mrs. William Miller, of Baltimore, are receiving congratulations over the arrival of a daughter.

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The Advocate has received a quantity of garden seeds from United States Senator O. E. Weller for free distribution which will give out as long as the supply lasts. None given to children. Each package contains five varieties—pea, beet, carrot, lettuce and tomato. Mr. Charles R. Miller entertained to dinner on New Year's day at his residence, 2206 Roslin avenue, Baltimore, Misses Ella and Maude Miller and Messrs. Harry and Thomas Miller, this city; Mrs. R. L. Hoppe, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Wentz, Mr. and Mrs. Neale Chapel, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller and Mr. William Miller, of Baltimore.

Edward Wright, the Pennsylvanian, (N. J.) milk dealer who was shot by a special officer in mistake for an escaped convict, suffered amputation of his leg, at the Salem County Memorial Hospital, as gangrene had developed. It was necessary to take the limb off almost at the thigh. Wright is hovering between life and death.

And up-to-date dairy plant will be erected at Western Maryland Railroad, at Arlington, according to an announcement made. Weldon B. Woodson of the Oak Grove Farm Dairy has purchased four and one half acres of land through the office of Farr & Farr, for a price, said to have been \$20,000. Mr. Wogden, in the spring, will erect a two-story stucco main building, an ice plant and a garage on the site. The cost of construction will be about \$30,000. Mr. Woodson announced that he would continue to operate his 98-acre farm at Arlington in conjunction with the new plant.

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John Soffel, president of the Maywood State Bank, Chicago, was shot and killed, and Louis Sweeney, chief of police of the suburb, and Arthur Benson, a bank messenger, were wounded Thursday when five bandits robbed them of a \$12,000 payroll for the Maywood plant of the American Can Company, and escaped. Pinned under a big tree he was being, Joshua H. Taggart, of Watsonown, Pa., was slowly being crushed to death but directed Lewis Swartz, his helper, how to saw through the trunk as close to his body as possible. Then Swartz, using a pry rolled the tree off Taggart. He suffered a broken right shoulder and internal injuries, but is expected to recover.

George E. Mason needed a couple of assistant safecrackers to carry out a little job he had in mind, so he approached two strangers loitering in the Pennsylvania Terminal, New York, Friday, and offered them the position. The strangers happened to be detectives. In a few moments Mason was in a police station charged with possessing burglars' tools.

Miss Agnes Kibblehouse, 19-year-old daughter of Ralph K. Kibblehouse, of Spring House, Pa., and the man to whom she was engaged to be married, Ralph Knott, 29-year-old son of Miller Knott, of Maple Glen, were instantly killed Saturday afternoon when a Lehigh Valley Transit Company trolley car demolished their automobile just as it emerged from a driveway leading to the Kibblehouse home.

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Saturday's Special

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For Saturday, Jan. 14, Only.

Westminster Candy Kitchen

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T. W. Mather & Sons WESTMINSTER'S LEADING STORE

THE January Clearance Sale continues, the most wanted Winter Merchandise is offered here at the Lowest Prices you have heard of for a great many years.

Ladies' Coats, Suits, Dresses Are Greatly Reduced.

- \$30.00 to \$37.50 Coats \$23.75. \$25.00 to \$28.50 Coats \$19.75. \$19.50 Coats \$14.75. \$15.00 Coats \$9.75. \$25.00 Silk Dresses \$18.75. \$19.75 Silk or Cloth Dresses \$14.75. \$12.50 Prunella Cloth Skirts \$7.75. \$8.00 Serge or Poplin Skirts \$3.75. All Suits 1-3 off. \$5.00 Silk Waists \$2.85. \$2.00 Voile Waists \$1.45.

Millinery. All winter millinery must be closed out this month. Our Best Hats \$1.98. A lot of trimmed hats in a splendid assortment of shapes and colors including black hats that have been selling at from \$5.00 to \$10.00, now only \$1.98.

Children's Hats 98c. A lot of children's hats formerly sold at from \$1.50 to \$2.50, suitable for children from 2 to 10 years, now only 98c.

Flannel Middys. Our best quality all wool flannel middys, trimmed with silk and emblem in either regulation style or the new style waist middy. The colors are bright red and navy blue. For the CLEARANCE SALE this regular \$5.00 middy for \$3.95.

Ladies' Flannelette Gowns 75c. Good quality gowns of pretty striped outing flannel, cut full size for misses and ladies. For the CLEARANCE SALE 75c.

Ladies' Gowns 98c. Our best quality heavy flannelette gowns in either solid white or pretty blue and white stripes. For the CLEARANCE SALE 98c.

Window Shades 49c. Best quality dark green water color window shades for this sale 49c.

Rubber Foot Wear. The prices have been lowered on all rubber foot wear for the January Sale. Our rubbers are all of the best quality and you will find these prices the lowest.

- \$5.00 Men's Ball Band Vac Boots \$4.50. \$5.00 Men's Hipster Red Boots \$4.50. \$3.75 Boys' Ball Band Boots \$3.25. \$2.65 Youths' Ball Band Boots \$2.25. \$5.00 Women's Ball Band Boots \$2.75. \$2.65 Misses' Ball Band Boots \$2.25. \$2.25 Child's Ball Band Boots \$1.95. \$1.15 Ladies' Ball Band Storm Rubbers 98c. 98c Misses' Ball Band Storm Rubbers 85c. 85c Child's Ball Band Storm Rubbers 69c. \$1.25 Boys' Ball Band Storm Rubbers \$1.10. \$1.00 Youths' Ball Band Storm Rubbers 85c. \$1.50 Men's Ball Band Storm Rubbers \$1.35.

Artics. \$2.75 Men's Ball Band Artics \$2.45. \$3.00 Men's Ball Band Artics \$2.65. \$2.25 Boys' Ball Band Artics \$2.00. \$1.50 Youths' Ball Band Artics \$1.65. \$2.00 Ladies' Ball Band Artics \$1.75. \$1.75 Misses' Ball Band Artics \$1.50. \$1.30 Child's Ball Band Artics \$1.25.

\$4.50 Men's Buckle Artics, \$2.65. Special lot of men's all rubber, 4-buckle artics, bought from the government, U. S. Hood and other makes at the special price of \$2.65.

Dry Goods. Yard wide unbleached muslin 10c. Fine unbleached muslin 12 1/2c. 40 inch unbleached muslin 15c. Canton flannel 10c a yard. Good dress ginghams 19c a yard. Outing cloth, yard wide 19c a yard. Comfort covering 19c a yard. Best apron ginghams 15c.

Picture Frames Made to Order. For the JANUARY SALE we have gotten together all our odd lots of picture moldings and these will be made up any size you want them for framing pictures, certificates, diplomas, etc., only a little more than half the usual price.

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