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## COURT HOUSE NEWS

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

### TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE.

Theodore F. Brown, trustee of Joseph Formwalt, bankrupt, to Herman R. Doyle, 244 acres, for \$20,821.00.

Union Bridge Business Men's Association to Roland Smith and wife, lot in Union Bridge, for \$500.

George L. Stockdale, agent, to Robert L. Green and wife, 75 acres, for \$575.

Robert L. Green and wife to George Coleman and wife, 22 acres, for \$10.

Joseph H. Steele and wife to John LeRor and James Herbert Steele, 61 acres, for \$1.

Joseph H. Steele, et al. to Joseph Henry Steele, lot in Eldersburg, for \$2,000.

Ann R. Brown to Charles W. Brown, 68 acres, for \$1.

Henry H. Boyer and wife to James E. Schildt and wife, small lot, for \$925.

Lewis H. Schultz and wife to William D. H. Hepler, property in Sykesville, for \$5.

Columbus M. Wagner to John E. Will and wife, 34 acres, for \$1707.81.

Wm. E. Keefe and wife to Harry C. Brendle and wife, property in Mayberry, for \$100.

Harry C. Brendle and wife to Wm. E. Keefe, for \$100.

Elizabeth Keefe to Harry C. Brendle and wife, 17 acres, for \$400.

Harry C. Brendle and wife to Wm. E. Keefe and mother, 17 acres, for \$100.

Joseph B. Smith and wife to Robert V. Arnold, 118 acres, for \$5.

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Paul T. Case to S. Earle Smelser, 2 acres, for \$10.

Agnes L. Hood to Mary Davis, property in Mt. Airy, for \$10.

A. E. Van Bibber, to The Maryland Pelt and Paper Company, 19 acres, for \$195,000.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Charles G. Hill and Bessie Brown, both of New Windsor.

Edward R. Lipny and Margaret C. Smith, both of Carroll County.

### ORPHANS' COURT

Monday, January 16th.—The last will and testament of James J. Harner, deceased, was probated and letters testamentary thereon granted to Mervin J. Harner, who received warrant to appraise and order to notify creditors.

The last will and testament of Francis C. Case, deceased, was probated and letters testamentary thereon granted to Nathaniel H. Baumgartner, who received order to notify creditors.

Letters of administration on the estate of James E. Smith, deceased, were granted to Martha A. Smith, who received warrant to appraise and order to notify creditors.

Denton Condon, administrator of Thomas L. W. Condon, deceased, settled his first and final account.

The last will and testament of Edward Osterhus, deceased, was probated and letters testamentary thereon granted to Elizabeth E. Osterhus, who received warrant to appraise and order to notify creditors.

Tuesday, January 17th.—Sale of real estate of William H. Geiman, deceased, ratified by Court.

The last will and testament of Joseph W. Smith, deceased, was probated and letters testamentary thereon granted to Margaret L. Smith, who received warrant to appraise and order to notify creditors.

The last will and testament of Jeremiah Yindling, deceased, was probated and letters testamentary thereon granted to George M. Hoffman, who received warrant to appraise and order to notify creditors.

Cora V. Neudecker, administratrix of Frederick Neudecker, deceased, settled her first and final account.

### "ALL ABOARD!"

The talent committee, headed by Miss Anna Shriver, chairman, are making great headway in selecting a cast for "All Aboard", the show which the Woman's Civic League are going to put on at the Opera, February 2 and 3. They are all ready for the show. The rehearsals are going to take full charge of the rehearsals. Fortunately, they have secured the services of Miss Emily Richmond, who will play the leading role and who will be remembered in Oh, Cindy. The general opinion among the committee is that the coming event will be a splendid success.

### AMERICAN LEGION.

A get together meeting of all the fellows who served their Country in the World War will be held at the club room of Carroll Post, just a jolly good time fellows—eat, smoke and everything. We will talk about the plans for the big mass meeting that is to be held February 17 at 8 p. m., at the Armory. The mass meeting will be of almost importance to every person in this community. The get together meeting will be held this coming Monday, January 23 at 8 p. m. Comrades, Attention! Lets go. C. C. BEACH, Commander, Carroll Post No. 31, A. L.

## NEWBERRY ISSUE FOR DEMOCRATS

COUNTRY TO BE FLOODED WITH SPEECHES, CONTAINING FACTS OF NOTORIOUS SCANDAL.—HULL SOUNDS THE SLOGAN.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 13.—Democratic leaders are preparing to take the Newberry case to the country. Undaunted by the outcome, which was forecast from the time the seating of the Michigan Senator was made an Administration fight, Democratic Senators, through organization channels, expect to flood the country with the speeches containing the facts in this notorious scandal. Republican Senators who were so recently alive to the moral issue involved in escape the clutches of the Newberry lobby are as keen as ever the Democrats to put the issue up to the nation.

The Senators who refused to be bound by secret caucus action, or bow to the White House in so vital a matter, realize that they will be put to the sword wherever the "regulars" have the power to destroy them politically. They are, therefore, preparing to go to work to convince the Republican voters at home that it was the standard-bearers who were guilty of perfidious conduct toward the party, and not those who voted to unseat Newberry.

Chairman Cordell Hull, of the Democratic National Committee, today sounded the slogan of the approaching campaign for his party. The corrupt use of money in elections is to be condemned in a nation-wide campaign this year, waged under Democratic auspices.

### Barely Escaped Expulsion.

Senator Newberry's retention of his seat in the Senate by the slender majority of five of his Republican colleagues is for him only a narrow escape from the penalty of expulsion, but it is a distinct personal triumph for President Harding, who came to his rescue at the crucial stage of the case by letting the Senate and everybody know that "President Harding holds Senator Newberry in very high esteem," said Hull.

"This voluntary character indorsement from the President of the United States, with all that it implies in regard to that great office, cheered the embattled Old Guard Senators and provided a needed excuse for some Western Senators, including five progressive progressives, to vote for Newberry on the ground that by voting for him they are only acting as the leader of their party and the Chief Executive of the nation indicated that he would act in the circumstances.

"And in this connection also the press has strongly hinted at the significance of the visit of Senator Willis, of Ohio, to the White House and the subsequent offering by him of a resolution condemning the expenditures in the Newberry case, but which, in effect, is an admission that the seat was purchased.

"Senator Newberry, accused openly in the Senate of occupying a purchased seat and convicted in Court of the facts, retains that seat by the gracious commendation of the President of the United States.

"With a Republican majority of 24 in the Senate, the Republicans had no motive for the grounds of party expediency alone. The Republican reactionaries and their sham progressive adherents who voted for him voted to maintain the system of political bargain and sale long existing between the Old Guard leadership in party control and the predatory interests.

"For three years the press of the country and honest, decent men and women everywhere have been inquiring if seats in the United States are for sale and asserting that the honor of the Senate, of the State of Michigan and of the nation was at stake in the Newberry case. Regardless of the shame and infamy in which they involve their party and this Administration, the Republican majority, after three years of cool deliberation, brazenly answered in the affirmative.

### Republican Bolters Praised.

"The nine Republicans who voted against Newberry, all from the West, save one, were true to their constituents and to their personal convictions. The solidly with which the Democrats voted against Senator Newberry retaining a seat gained through purchase and corruption merits the plaudits and the gratitude of the entire nation. It illustrates, perhaps, as no other event could illustrate that only the Democratic party can be depended upon to guard and uphold the public morals, the purity of the ballot box and the honor of the United States Senate and the American nation."

Some of the strongest speeches made against Newberry came from the group of nine Republicans who voted against confirming his election. Kenyon of Iowa, a Republican of progressive tendencies, whom the Old Guard leaders recently tried to remove from the Senate by the bait of a Federal Judgeship proffered by President Harding, made a short speech containing a most scathing indictment of the promoters of the "whitewash." The Iowa Senator rose to superb heights of moral indignation as he condemned the surrender of the principles of common honesty by his fel-

low-Republicans. His peroration was an appeal to the "folks back home" to right the wrong. It sounded the warning that the real fight had just begun.

"Thank God for the folks at home. Thank God for the men and women in the factories and on the farms and around the firesides of this country who will eventually determine this question. I do not care how it is determined. I know they have been gathered in; they are ready to sign the directed verdict. Sign it in your infamy." Senator Norris, another Western Republican, delivered a masterpiece of irony which will be long remembered when he feigned to defend the right of a Senator to purchase a seat provided he "thought it honestly and paid the price."

"They had a public sale up in Michigan," said he. "The property that was taken on the auction block was a seat in the United States Senate. The sale was public; the bidding was in the open and the property was knocked down to the highest bidder. Every citizen of Michigan had an opportunity to get in the bid. Why, then, all this fussing and fuming? The only question before the Senate is, shall the sale of a seat in this chamber be confirmed? It is a question of confirmation of a sale which is admitted to seem to me, to have been according to the rule."

### KILL THIS BILL

At the opening of the Legislature a Bill known as House Bill No. 4 was introduced by Delegate Isador Beierfeld of Baltimore City, requiring all automobilists in the State of Maryland to furnish security guaranteeing the payment of damages to the extent of \$5,000 on account of the injury or death of any one person in any one automobile accident and to the extent of at least \$10,000 on account of the injury or death of more than one person in any one accident, and further to furnish bond to guarantee payment to the extent of \$1,000 on account of damage to property in any one automobile accident.

This Bill provides that such security may be furnished by procuring an indemnity bond from some authorized Company or by depositing acceptable securities or by pledging real estate of the value of \$10,000. The cost of a surety bond to meet the requirements of this bill will run from \$35.00 per annum up according to the make of the car and should this Bill become a law every automobilist in the State will be affected.

There can be no possible excuse for requiring every automobilist in the State of Maryland to go to this expense for the reason that there are thousands of automobile owners residing beyond the limits of congested cities who rarely, if ever, have accidents and it is, therefore, unjust and unreasonable to require these people to bear this heavy burden.

If this bill passes it will seriously effect our residents and the farmers who are owners of automobiles. We hope and ask that our representatives to vote against the bill if it comes up before them for passage.

### W. M. C. BANQUET TONIGHT

Architect's drawing of McDaniel Hall, Western Maryland College, Westminster, a new dormitory for which ground was broken last week was published in the Sun this week. This will be one of the finest dormitory buildings in this section of the country and will cost more than \$140,000. It is named for Dr. William R. McDaniel, vice-president of the college, who has been a member of the faculty for 37 years. Dr. McDaniel has seen more students come and go from Western Maryland College than any other one man ever connected with it. He will be a guest at the seventeenth midwinter banquet of the alumni association, which will be held at the Southern Hotel, Baltimore, tonight, at which more than 400 former students are expected.

Mabel Garrison, grand opera prima donna and a former student of the college, will likewise be invited to be a guest.

Robert R. Carman, United States District Attorney, president of the Alumni Association, will preside, and J. H. K. Shannahan, of the class of 1902, will be toastmaster.

### A QUILTING PARTY.

On Tuesday, January 17, a group of women spent the afternoon very pleasantly around the quilting frame at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Frock, of Meadow Branch, and knotted comforts made of squares that Mr. Clarence Frock brought from France when he returned from the late World War Service. After a few hours work an abundance of cakes, candies, popcorn and lemonade were served by Mrs. Frock. The sound of sleigh bells told the Westminster women that Mr. Frock was ready to give them a ride back to town.

The guests were the following: Mrs. Janev Woodward, Mrs. Theodore Encular, Mrs. Margaret Reese, of Linwood; Mrs. Lewis Woodward, Mrs. Carrie Rinehart, Mrs. Ray Fogle, Mrs. Wm. E. Roop, Lavinia C. Roop, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Charles Rill and daughter.

### NEW POSTMASTERS

The Senate confirmed the appointments of William C. Shearer, as postmaster of Manchester, succeeding Robert Shriver, and Frank T. Buckingham, of Woodbine, to succeed L. H. Gosnell.

Mr. W. D. Lovell and son, of New Windsor, were in this city, on business, yesterday.

## FIREMEN'S BANQUET

ELECT OLD BOARD AS OFFICERS—FINE MENU AND PROGRAM.

The usual yearly banquet of the Westminster Fire Company was held Wednesday evening after the election of officers. There were no changes in the offices, the old ones being unanimously nominated to serve another term.

About 225 honorary members and invited guests gathered in the large room used for the meetings of the company to witness the election of officers and to hear the reports of the secretary and chief for the past year. At the conclusion President Ohler invited all to the banquet room where a feast of turkey, oysters in every style, Campbell's ham, Hunter's celery, Zile's famous ice cream and everything else for a successful banquet, and to finish with the celebrated J. G. L. cigar, that caused a smile to all.

The officers for the coming year will be as follows:

President, Meade Ohler.  
First Vice President, Frank Dillard.  
Second Vice President, Paul Whitmore.

Secretary and Treasurer, William Weagly.  
Assistant Secretary and Treasurer, Joseph G. Hahn.

Chief, Frank T. Shaeffer.  
Assistant Chief, Geo. F. Eckenrode.  
Foreman of Trucks, William Utz.

Assistant Foreman of Trucks, Harry Schweigart.  
Foreman of Reels, E. O. Duffendal.  
Assistant Foreman of Reels, A. J. Arbaugh.

Librarian, Harry Thompson.  
Assistant Librarian, William Noel.  
Marshal, William Helm.  
Assistant Marshal, S. C. Stoner.

The following programme was given after the banquet: Addresses by M. E. Walsh, Esq., Rev. Chalmers W. Walck and Rev. A. Norman Ward. Music was furnished by the Westminster orchestra.

The supper committee was Marshall E. Campbell, chairman; Joseph J. Little, Samuel Helm, Norman B. Boyle and Harry L. Hobby.

Entertainment committee—James Pearre Wantz and Denton Gehr.  
The executive committee for the coming year will be Meade Ohler, Frank B. Dillard, Paul I. Wimer, William Weagly and Frank T. Shaeffer.

This occasion is always looked up to as a meeting of friends where they can exchange greetings and have an evening's enjoyment together.

Those serving the guests under the direction of William Helm, the chairman, were Walter Hook, Paul Whitmore, Joshua Hesson, Wm. Long, Geo. Eckenrode, Jean McCaffrey, L. Wimer, John Whitmore, Edw. O. Duffendal, Edw. Grondorf, Harry Schweigart, Denton Gehr, Claude Buckingham, D. C. Weller, Jean Reese, Jos. Little, W. Frank Thomas and Harry Thompson.

### A COURSE IN DRESSMAKING.

The second meeting of the Home-maker's Club of Westminster, was held in the County Agent's office Monday afternoon with about 40 women present. Arrangements were made for a three months course to be given in dressmaking in the County Agent's office once a week. The arrangements for the Art Course have not been completed. Anyone desiring to take any one of these courses notify Miss Evernow in the sewing class so get your name in before next Tuesday.

The following officers were elected: Mrs. Michael Doyle, president; Mrs. James Beacham, vice-president, and Miss Edna Erb, secretary and treasurer.

Miss Lavinia Engle, of Baltimore, gave a talk on what the legislature is doing, especially along child welfare lines.

The meetings for the winter will be in charge of the citizenship committee of which Mrs. Grace Bish is chairman. It is hoped that the committee can work jointly with the citizenship committee of the W. C. T. U. so that both societies can get the benefit of this citizenship course. Speakers from the Baltimore League of Women Voters will assist. These meetings are all public and everybody is invited. Membership only 50 cents per year.

Everyone interested in the dressmaking course is asked to come to the County Agent's office on Tuesday, January 24th to make arrangements for class work. If for any reason you cannot be present be sure your name is sent in.

### BANKS TO RECEIVE CONTRIBUTIONS

Contributions to the Woodrow Wilson Foundation will be received for Carroll County at the following Banks: Union National Bank, Westminster; Sykesville National Bank; The Manchester Bank, Manchester; Commercial State Bank, Mt. Airy, Md.; Woodbine National Bank, Woodbine, Md.; First National Bank, Hampstead; Union Mills Savings Bank; and The Taneytown Savings Bank, Taneytown, Md.; Truman E. Lambert, New Windsor; R. E. Lee Hutchins, Westminster; Union Bridge Banking and Trust Co.; Mr. George W. Yeiser, Union Mills.

This fund will be a voluntary offering of the American people in recognition of the wonderful work Mr. Wilson did for international dealings. Usually such recognition takes place after a man's death, and it is a great tribute to this generation that it recognizes greatness in its own time.

## NEW ELECTION MAY CUT TERMS OF OFFICIALS.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT PROPOSED AFFECTS STATE AND COUNTY OFFICERS.—PLANS SAVING OF \$350,000—FIRST ELECTION UNDER NEW VOTING LAW WOULD BE HELD IN NOVEMBER 1924.

Philip B. Perlman, Secretary of State, has, at the request of Governor Ritchie, prepared for submission to the fewer elections committee of the proposed additional article to the State's Constitution.

The proposed article, which, in case of its adoption, would be Article XVII, provides for the holding biennially of elections for all State and county officers, the elections to be held in the years of the Congressional elections.

The proposed Article XVII is designed to carry into effect the recommendations of the fewer elections committee, of which Carville D. Benson is chairman. By thus reducing the number of State and county elections the committee has estimated that \$350,000 a year will be saved.

The first election under the proposed article would be held "on the Tuesday next after the first Monday of November, 1924."

The adoption of the article would mean:

That all State and county officers elected in November, 1923, will have one year pared from their respective terms as now fixed by law.

That the same fate will befall all officers appointed in 1924 by the Governor by the County Commissioners of the various counties.

The State and county officers whose successors under the existing law would not be elected until November, 1925 and 1927, will have their terms shortened by one year so that their successors will be elected in 1924 and 1926, respectively.

That the terms of all State and county officers heretofore appointed for terms which will not expire until 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928, will be reduced by one year.

That there will be a regular session of the General Assembly in 1924 and one in 1925 and thereafter biennially.

Many Officials Affected.

More in detail the effect of the proposed article, would be:

That the Governor, Attorney General, members of the Senate, Judges of the Orphans' Courts, among such other State and county officers who are to be elected in November, 1923, for terms hitherto fixed at four years, will serve but three years. The next election thereafter to such offices will accordingly take place in November 1926, in accordance with the biennial plan.

(Under another proposed amendment, for Comptroller is to be elected for a term of four years instead of two. Presumably, the effect of Article XVII would be to have the Comptroller elected in 1923, serve but three years.)

That the members of the House of Delegates and all other State and county officers elected in 1923 for a term previously fixed at two years, will serve but for one year.

That the Registers of Wills, Clerks of Courts and all other State and county officers elected in November, 1923, for terms hitherto established at six years, will serve but five years.

That the State Treasurer, elected by joint ballot of both houses, will, in the regular session of 1924, be elected for but one year.

That the Governor shall submit one budget for the ensuing fiscal year at the regular session of 1924; and two budgets, as now provided, at the regular session of 1925.

That the vote on taking the senses of the people in every 20 years about calling a Constitutional convention will be held in 1928 (instead of 1927) and every 20 years thereafter.

That the General Assembly in the regular session of 1924 will make such changes in the general election and primary laws as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of the article.

### ACCEPTS A POSITION.

Arthur G. Wentz, son of J. V. Wentz, of Lineboro, who at one time was a student at Mt. Airy School for the Deaf, near Philadelphia, has accepted a position as Supervisor of the Boys' Club at the above school. Arthur had been working on his brother Spencer's farm for the past five years and he was always very faithful to his duties. It was with a great deal of reluctance that he finally decided to yield to the insistence of the above School Authorities to take the position.

He entered upon his new duties on January 3rd, and in writing to his friends back home, he states, that his work is very agreeable and that he appreciates the advice of those who encouraged him to go.

This is another evidence of what is in store for such young men who are filled with energy and faithfulness to their duties. May success be his in his new vocation.

Mr. Irvin Kroh, of Silver Run, is attending the Cannery's Convention at Louisville, Ky.

## REVIVAL CONTINUES WITH INTEREST

EVANGELIST DR. LEE STARKE OF NEW YORK STILL, DRAWING LARGE AND ENTHUSIASTIC CROWDS.

The revival campaign which began at the Centenary Methodist Episcopal Church, under the leadership of Dr. Lee Starke, of New York, grows in interest and attendance at each service. The evangelist delivered three great messages on Sunday to unusually large and appreciative audiences, and there were sixty-seven decisions and reclamations. At night the crowd was so great that it was impossible to seat them, extra chairs were placed in all the aisles, and in the gallery and many were turned away for want of room. The preacher is easily the strongest evangelist who has labored in this country for years. He is unique in his delivery, and fills his sermons with humorous allusions, and striking illustrations. He is a live-wire, there is no dragging from start to finish. He searches the hearts of his audience with the divine law, and reveals the hideousness of a heart of sin, and the glory of a heart of purity.

At the Sunday afternoon service, where a large audience of all ages, and of all beliefs were present, he conducted a children's service. A decision on the part of the children and young people was called for, and one of the most beautiful sights ever witnessed in Westminster was seen. Sixty-seven gathered about the great altar of the Church and pledged their decision for Jesus Christ in a prayer of consecration. It will mark a great turning of the young life to the Savior of men. At the night service the vast audience listened with rapt attention to a powerful sermon on "The Power of the Holy Spirit." Doctor Starke has consented to remain in Westminster until Sunday, January 29th, and to preach every night, and three times each Sunday. It is expected that Sunday will be the "the great day of the feast." At 10.45 the topic is to be "The Second Birth." At 3 p. m. there will be a great rally of young people, and the evangelist will take for his subject, "Keep Sweet." The Sunday Schools, the Christian Endeavor Societies, the Epworth Leagues, the High school students, the Boy Scouts, and the College young folks will be out in full force. Everybody is most cordially invited to this service. At night the topic will be "The Old Ship Zion." The singing and the music under the leadership of Mrs. H. M. Kimmey, and the fine chorus is one of the notable features of the campaign.

### CARROLL COUNTY SOCIETY

#### HOLDS ANNUAL BANQUET

The third annual banquet of the Carroll County Society of Baltimore city was held at the Emerson Hotel on Thursday evening, January 19.

Nearly 150 former Carroll county citizens, now who reside in Baltimore city, were present, and it was quite an occasion of a get-together and renewing old friendships, and will long be remembered by those present as the best meeting ever held by the society.

At 7.30 the guests who had assembled were invited to the banquet hall where a menu had been prepared especially for the society.

After the banquet the committee had arranged a program of music, speeches and other entertainment. Mr. Willis E. Myers, well known to many in Carroll county, presided and invited one of the Liberty Quartette of this city, composed of J. Smith Blythe, Edwin S. Gehr, Walter L. Zapp and Jas. Pearre Wantz, with Miss Anna Shriver as their accompanist. They sang six selections, which was enjoyed very much by all present.

Mr. Charles R. Miller, vice-president of the Fidelity and Deposit Company, and well known to many in Carroll county, was the subject of the address. He spoke of the "Some Men of Carroll Whom I Have Known," and he took for his subject shrdluu etoai reminded those present of many pleasant memories of those men who were the founders of this county and who were responsible for the many good deeds done for this county in the years gone by.

Mr. Hobart Smock was then introduced and all who have ever heard Mr. Smock know full well that his entertainment of funny sayings were well received by all and very much enjoyed, and with the addition of John C. Bohl's Orchestra to furnish the music. All admitted that it was an evening long to be remembered.

Others attending from this city were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mitten, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gist, Mr. and Mrs. J. Thos. Anders, H. Peyton Gorsuch, Mrs. Grace Bish, Miss Rachel Everett and Mrs. Jas. W. Beacham.

### TO REORGANIZE BOY SCOUTS.

An effort is being made to reorganize Troop I. D. S. of A. A very capable man has been found who is willing to act as scoutmaster if the troop can be properly organized. The success of the new troop depends upon the attitude of the young men of the town who were members of the old troop or who wish to become members of the new troop.

Another grandson has been born to the ex-kaiser of Germany. We congratulate the little fellow on his pluck.—Punch (London).

## LOSES LIFE FOR WHISKEY

JACK BONSAVAGE IS DEAD—STEVE MICHAELS IS EXONERATED FOR THE SHOOTING—BOTH ARE RUSSIANS.

Jack Bonsavage, aged 35, was killed at Union Bridge Wednesday night by Steve Michael, aged 65. Michael and Ben Polaski, workmen for the Tele-water Portland Cement Company, live together in a company house. Jack Bonsavage and Julius Bonsavage went to Michael's home, opened the door and walked in Jack demanded whiskey; Michael said he had none. Jack Bonsavage drew a heavy revolver and beat Michael on the head, knocking him down. Falling on his bed where his revolver was lying, Michael seized it and shot Bonsavage through the heart.

State's Attorney Brown conducted the inquest held by Justice Thomas S. Gaither yesterday afternoon. The jury, with Rev. W. O. Bach as foreman, gave a verdict of justifiable homicide, exonerating Michael on the ground of self-defense. All the parties are Russians. Michael and Polaski have worked for the cement company for a number of years. The Bonsavages are not related.

### THE WOODROW WILSON FOUNDATION.

To the Public: I have been appointed to receive contributions from Carroll county to the Woodrow Wilson Foundation, and the Banks and individuals whose names are given elsewhere in the paper have kindly consented to receive them for me, in their respective localities.

This movement of the American people is believed to be the first of its kind. And it is fitting that this honor should be paid to that man who alone was able to voice the high moral and righteous ideals of the nation in the trying years of 1917 and 1918.

Wilson kept faith with the American people, and our dead, but the American people deserted him. Stabbed by the malice and hatred of blind partisanship, a martyr in the cause of humanity, it is hoped that he will yet live to see the triumph of the cause for which we all fought and he fell and our country again assume her rightful rank as the leader of the world in righteousness.

The money given by the American people will be the foundation of a base, and its income in the future used to reward those men or women who under striking service in promoting or advancing those American principles of international comity voiced by Wilson. Every contributor will receive a receipt for which a certificate will be issued.

No apportionment of a definite sum has been made to Carroll County; the question is not the amount of money, but rather I think the number who will register themselves as still believing in the America for which Wilson spoke.

Will you not mail or deliver at once your contribution to the Bank or person in your locality which has consented to receive it? The privilege of being a participant in this great movement will end on the 27th of the month.

It would be high honor for Carroll County to be able to then say, not that she gave more money, but that she has more contributors in proportion to her population than any other county in the State.

And in this work our Churches and our various orders, societies and organizations can help; in fact without this aid, which is earnestly besought, a true reflection of the wonderful spirit which inspired this great country in 1917-18 cannot be had.

GUY W. STEELE.

### SALE OF FORMAL PROPERTIES.

Mr.