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Captain Emory grew on one occasion 17 tons per acre. Mr. Zac T. Gilbert grew 19 tons to the acre. Mr. G. W. Collins has bought as high as 50 tons per year, and his men grew from 12 to 15 tons per acre. We have sold already in Anne Arundel county, the lower counties and New Jersey, hundreds of tons already. Messrs. Baker and Morgan have bought as high as twelve hundred dollars worth; Messrs. Smith, Rouse & Webster have bought in the past as much as several thousand. Captain Dashiel says he would have it if he had to give $50.00 per ton for same. Mr. Joseph Downey says when he was canning that he could actually tell the difference in tomatoes grown with Peerless when brought to his cannery. Mr Numsen says he knows that tomatoes grown with our goods are fine. Mr. Frank Moore who runs Assaw Bains & Co.'s cannery, says the best tomatoes brought there are from Peerless. Mr. Loose, a customer of his, says a ton of Peerless grew him $96.00 worth more tomatoes than another goods costing $7.00 less per ton. Mr. Money says it is certainly good. We could go on, but with a testimonial will close.

Unsolicited, some time ago Mr. W. S. Elburn & Son came into our office and said: "I believe your Peerless to be the best tomato goods I ever saw. You remember what an advocate I was of it when I lived out at the mill. Well, wherever I have lived since, on the Western Shore or elsewhere, I would have it, and last year I put some of this same goods on some onions grown from the seed, and they were as fine as Bermudas. Many measured 4 inches in diameter, and I grew over 600 bushels per acre, or at the rate of 1192 baskets. I used it on strawberries and picked 8000 quarts per acre.

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Respectfully,

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BLACK FRIDAY.

The Mad Scene In the Gold Room on That Fateful Occasion.

In the middle of the gold room was a small fountain. Around this the day's proceedings began, writes T. Hendrick in the American Magazine. Jay Gould's own brokers, pale, haggard, half distrustful and half ashamed of their work, started the bids. Gold had closed the day previously at 144. Now a Gould broker offered 145 for $100,000 gold.

His only response were the curses and fist shakings of a bedraggled, perspiring crowd.

"One hundred and forty-six for $100,000 gold."

Still there was no response.

"One hundred and forty-seven."

Each advancing point meant millions in profits to Gould and likewise millions in losses to the community. At every advance the crowds, losing all restraint, alternately roared and wept.

"One hundred and forty-eight."

"One hundred and forty-nine."

Above the pandemonium the monotonous voices of the Gould brokers could be heard, quietly, remorselessly putting up the price.

"One hundred and fifty."

"One hundred and fifty-one."

At this point the buying began. Hitherto the crowd had been held magically spellbound. The audacity of the Gould brokers had paralyzed all. Board brokers were particularly dazed. In face of the clique's demonstrated power no one seemed able to bid, even to make the feeblest attempt to check the terrible rise.

A few uptown merchants now, however, started to purchase. Soon the bidding degenerated into panic. Every one scrambled to get his gold now while the price, judged by what had already happened and the unquestioned power of the gang, seemed low. All purchases, however, meant enormous losses.

Fortunes accumulated through years of self sacrificing toil were swept away in a moment. In their craze men ran aimlessly about the room, moaning, screaming, vainly appealing for help. Outside, where the crowds breathlessly waited announcements, the same scenes were repeated. Ruined men, unable to get into the building itself, pushed, cursed and fought. At each rise in the price the rage against Gould increased. When the bid reached 150 there were cries of "Lynch! Lynch!"

And meanwhile what was the plotter of all this mischief doing? He was selling gold. To whom was he selling? To Fisk and all his own associates. He was the only man who really understood the situation—who knew, that is, upon what a flimsy basis his "corner" rested. He sent Fisk, Belden and Speyer into the gold room to advance the price ostensibly for the benefit of the clique, and when it had reached a certain point unloaded on his own account. He had sold largely, unknown to his confederates, the day before.

The Greatest of Rivers.

The Amazon is the king of streams. From first to last it receives over 1,200 tributaries, of which more than 100 are large sized rivers and rise so far apart and have their floods and ebbs at such different seasons that the Amazon is at about the same height the year around. At some points on its lower course one bank is invisible from the other. The beholder seems to be looking on a great yellow sea of fresh water. When discovered, some tribes of Indians on the lower portion knew nothing of the existence of the opposite shore and did not believe that it existed, saying that "the great river flowed all around the world." Its mouth, including that of the Para, is 180 miles in width, and it is navigable for large sized ocean steamers for 1,000 miles from the sea, and so vast is the flood that the ocean is tinged yellow for 400 miles from the coast of Brazil.

The Achaean League.

The Achaean league was formed by the twelve towns of Achaea for mutual protection against foreign aggression. It was broken up by Alexander the Great, but reorganized B. C. 280 and again dissolved B. C. 147. The second of these leagues comprised all the leading cities of the Peloponnesus and, indeed, most of the cities and states of Greece. It was this league which contended with the Romans for the independence of Greece; but, its troops being defeated by Metellus at Scarphaea and by Mummius near Corinth, the league was dissolved, and all Greece submitted to the Roman domination.

Tough Eating.

Those who have partaken of peacock declare that gorgeous bird to be decidedly tough eating, while it is said of the swan that the fact of its ever having been a familiar dish speaks highly in favor of ancient English cutlery. Moreover, it should not be forgotten that when bustards' and boars' heads were as common as sirloins and saddles now are there were scarcely any vegetables to eat with them.

Why He Was Timid.

"Why do you avoid the man to whom I introduced you? He is very agreeable and interesting."

"I avoid meeting agreeable and interesting people," answered the misanthrope. "That was how I came to get my life insured in a bad company."—Washington Star.

Proof.

"They tell me that Skinner has joined the church. Do you believe he is in earnest?"

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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Commissioners of Chestertown

Ending May 30th, 1906.

RECEIPTS:

Balance on hand May 30, 1905	$3,465 56
Taxes received to date	2,574 80
Interest	11 15
Taxes and interest for 1904 5	34 93
Levy from Kent county	2,000 00
Levy from Mutual Fire Insurance Co	200 00
Dog taxes	122 50
Cart License	35 50
Circus license	15 00
Amt paid for pavement, G. D. Lofland	8 98
Amt paid for pump, W. R. Clough	7 26
Sewer tax	30 00
Sale of 2000 brick to W. J. Vannort	21 00
Sale of old iron and copper	8 52
Sale of old fire plugs	3 82
Sale of posts and lamps	4 00
Fines	8 00
Total Receipts	$8,490 02

EXPENDITURES:

Ches. Elec. Light & Power Co.	$1,216 20
Labor	663 94
Hauling	228 15
W. J. Hudson, day police	492 50
J. Frank Getshall, night police	562 00
Chestertown Water Works	590 00
do, for sprinkling streets	128 90
Fabric Fire Hose Co., for hose	275 00
Clerk salary, Dec. 1, '04 to Sept. 1, '05	125 00
M. deK. Smith, attorney to board	100 00
J. H. White & Son, for brick	225 00
H. P. Skipper, sand and gravel	101 35
W. C. Sutton, for new fire plugs	181 26
S. E. Cooper, for horse, w gon, harness	215 00
Edw. Robinson, sprinkling streets	114 00
do, use of horse	1 70
J. E. Newton, carter	58 75
N. B. Crossley, carter	23 75
John Latham, carter	60 00
Shells from local dealer	9 45
F. H. Greenwood, for hay	21 85
Capt. Pfeffer, for freighting brick	37 50
W. W. Needles, painting engine house	23 00
A. Levine, repairing clocks	11 50
Wm. Patrick, putting in new pump	5 10
do, repairing old pump	2 50
W. T. Bramble, for harness	3 85
Robert Cohee, for cutting down trees	12 00
T. W. Russell, judge of election, 1905	3 00
Clerk salary, Oct 1, '05 to May 30, 1906	100 00
Harry McWhorter, clk elec 1905	3 00
J. W. Lambert, for 10 loads of stone	10 00
Transcript Pub. Co	28 25
Enterprise Pub. Co	17 50
Kent News	24 95
J. H. Simpers, clk to elec, 1905	3 00
W. H. Blakeney, painting cart numbers	1 25
T. H. Topping, for cement, etc	3 00
Simon Westcott, typewriting charter	1 50
Stamps for sending out tax notices	6 00
do, use of office	2 00
H. S. Barnett, for bricks	83 15
Bill of J. D. Bacchus	83 17
do, Elwood Whaley	3 25
do, Chapman & Lambert	13 23
do, W. S. & A. M. Culp	7 55
do, T. D. France	1 90
do, McIntyre & Hodgskin	78
Rec'd, T. W. Eliason, taxes pd in error	22 16
do, West Union Tel. Co., do	6 11
do, Mrs. Mary Reed, do	2 70
do, J. Waters Russell, do	60
do, Arlington L. Sparks, fine	1 00
do Percy Johnson, fine	1 00
Paid to Wm. Barrett, for 16 post	4 00
Total Expenditures	$5,863 17
Balance	$2,626 85

Approved April 27th, 1906.

JOHN W. HIRONS, Prest.,
WILLIAM S. CARROLL,
THOMAS S. BORDLEY.

Attest:—T. S. BORDLEY, CLERK. m5-3t.

STATEMENT showing the condition of the Glens Falls Insurance Co., of Glens Falls, N. Y., December 31, 1905.

Total Assets.....$4,515,081 38
Total amount of all Liabilities.... 4,515,081 38
Surplus as regards Policy Holders 2,823,363 68

STATE OF MARYLAND,
OFFICE OF THE STATE INSURANCE DEPT.,
BALTIMORE, January 26, 1906.

I hereby certify that the above is a true abstract taken from the annual statement of The Glens Falls Insurance Company, of Glens Falls, N. Y., for the year ending December 31, 1906, now on file in this Department.

BENJ. F. CROUSE,
a21-3t. Insurance Commissioner.

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