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THURSDAY, MARCH 31, 1910.

President Taft has appointed Mr. John C. Rose of Catonsville, United States Judge to assist Judge Morris at Baltimore. Mr. John Philip Hill of the Twelfth Ward of Baltimore city has been appointed United States District Attorney to fill the place made vacant by Mr. Rose's elevation. Both appointments are first-class.

Tuberculosis took a heavy toll on the Baltimore population last month, 28 persons dying from the disease. From reports compiled by the health authorities the ravages of the white plague would seem to be on the incerase, which calls for renewed efforts on the part of those combating the disease. Since the early part of January more 2,100 cases have been discovered. Sanatoriums for the treatment of the disease are now taxed far beyond their limit, with hundreds on the waiting list. If it would the public could aid materially in assisting in the crusade in stamping out this scourge of humanity by a more strict observance of the rules regarding the spread of the disease.—Towson Union.

COPYING AFTER CAROLINE

The Baltimore Sun correspondent at Annapolis on Tuesday sent the following to that paper:

"Whenever a new road bill providing, among other things for a road engineer, is introduced in the Senate—and there have been six this season— Senator Goslin rubs his hands together gleefully and chuckles to himself: 'Aha, another victory for the Caroline idea!'

"For Caroline claims to be the pioneer in the work of modern county road improvement, and Senator Goslin is the father of the local law, which a number of other counties have copied in whole or in part.

Caroline got its road law in 1904, when Mr. Goslin was a member of the House of Delegates from that county. For many years previously—since Caroline had been a county no doubt—the highways had been looked after under the old system of local supervisors. Each road was cut up into so many sections and each section 'farmed out' for repairs and improvement. Each man worked his section according to his own ideas, and 'repairs' consisted generally of throwing loose dirt into holes in the road. The result was a discouraging patchwork and a poor system of roads.

"If the system was not good for the roads, it was good for the politicians; in fact was one of the principal assets of whatever party was in power. For years it was realized that the people's money was not being well spent, although the road supervisors, as a rule, were honest and worked hard. The trouble was lack of a systematic scheme and the application of modern, scientific principles.

"In 1904 the leading men of both political parties got together and decided that Csroline should have a new road law. This, as stated, Mr Goslin had passed by the Legislature. It gave the County Commissioners authority to collect a complete road-making outfit and appoint a road engineer at a salary of $1,500 a year. There was no bond issue; the cost of improvement was to be carried in the tax levy each year. The county now owns 32 mules, a complement of road-making equipment and recently has added a steam roller. During the road-making season from 25 to 80 men are employed The system is out of politics, and Caroline has some of the best roads in the State, where formerly it had some of the worst."

The idea of Mr Goslin claiming to be the "father of the road law" is amusing to those who remember his attitude toward the measure at that time, refusing to even introduce it unless it should be referred to the people He did not think it necessary, however, to refer the law to bond the county for $50,000 for road purposes which passed on Monday,

Road Work Begins.

Spring work began with the State Roads Commission Monday, when it met and awarded eight contracts for 33 1-2 miles of road to be constructed in ten counties at the aggragate cost of $368,238.16. Work of construction on the contracts awarded will begin this week.

Most of the contracts awarded are for continuations of roads improved by the commission last season. The program is to build the main arteries of the syatem first before constructing the connecting links, unless some special case makes it necessary and advantageous. Among the contracts awarded were the following: Kent County — Chestertown, Kennedyville, road, 4.55 miles to Juniata Paving Company for $43,916.79. Of this sum $4,982.75 is for grading, $34,274.34 for stone macadam and $4,959.70 for bridging and draining.

Talbot County—Wye Mills road, 6.40 miles, to William C. Evans for $76,168.38. Of this sum $11,502 is for grading, $58,751.52 for stone macadam, and $5,884.50 for bridges, culverts and draining.

Caroline County — Greensboro road, 4.07 miles, to Thomas J. Barrett, for $40,004.30. Of this sum $2,576.70 was for grading, $34,301.40 for stone macadam, and $3,816.20 for bridging and draining. Lewis Trice road, 2.67 miles, to Holt Constrction Company for $29,436.35. Of this sum $3,749.40 is for grading, $21,870.75 is for stone macadam and $3,816.20 for bridging and draining.

How To Cure Rheumatism.

The cause of Rheumatism and kin dred diseases is an excess of uric acid in the blood. To cure this terrible disease this acid must be expelled and the system so regulated that no more acid will be formed in excessive quantities. Rheumatism is an internal disease and requires an internal remedy. Rubbing with Oils and Liniments will not cure, affords only temporary relief at best, causes you to delay the proper treatment, and allows the malady to get a firmer hold on you. Liniments may ease the pain, but they will no more cure Rheumatism than paint will change the fibre of rotten wood.
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Orphans' Court.

Orphans' Court was in session on Tuesday with Judges Clark, Liden and Fleetwood present and the following business was transacted:

Letters of administration on the personal estate of Wm. Minner, deceased, were granted to Thos. H. Draper. Bond filed and approved. J. Ed. Willis and Benjamin Stewart were appointed appraisers.

On application of Julia E. Adams, guardian to Solomon L. Adams, order granted authorizing her to deposit funds of said ward in Savings Department of Denton National Bank.

Letters of administration on the personal estate of Fred. T. Wright, deceased, were granted to Jas. E. Wright. Bond filed and approved. Notice to creditors ordered. Howard B. and J. Frank Wright appointed appraisers.

On petition of Geo. W. Dukes, he was appointed guardian to Lucetta Ross and George M. Ross, minors. Bond filed and approved.

Last Will and Testament of Alfred Sigler, deceased, admitted to probate. Renunciation of widow filed. John A. Sigler made application for letters of administration c. t. a. on the personal estate of said deceased.

Petition of E. L. Ross filed, order granted authorizing Jas A. Trazzare, guardian to Annie E. S. Kimmey, to expend certain part of principal for maintenance and support.

H. R. Lewis and A. G. Towers, administrators of Jas. R. Butler, deceased, presented a list of sperate debts and a first and final account of administration, which were approved and passed.

Annie E. Wheeler, guardian to Chester C. Wheeler and Edward Wheeler, presented her seventh guardain accounts for each ward, which were approved and passed.

Court adjourned to April 5, 1910.

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Spring Forest Fires.

Forest fires for 1909 in Caroline County, Number 2; Acres burned over, 50; Estimated damage, $250.

This the season of the year when most of the forest fires occur that result from brush burning and the clearing up of old fields. During the past year 20 per cent. of the forest fires of which the origin was known started from careless brush burning. These spring fires are as rule, more destructive than those in the autumn, because the trees in the spring have come out of the dormant state of winter and begun the growth activities of another season when the buds and bark are easily injured.

The state forest fire laws make it a misdemeanor, punishable by fine and imprisonment, for any one to allow a fire to escape from his own lands to those of his neighbor. It is therfore, of the greatest importance in the burning of brush, the firing of marshes, or in burning off old fields, that every precaution be taken to prevent the spread of the fire beyond the limits marked. The State Forest Wardens are authorized to take all necessary steps to extinguish fires when they occur, and the local warden should be notified in every case when a fire is beyond control, in order that prompt action may be taken. But the best way to deal with forest fires is to prevent them, and that can only be done by cooperating with the state and county officials in the strict enforcement of our fire laws which are ample to deal with any cases that may arise. The damage from forest fires for 1909, as reported by the forest wardens, shows the seriousness of this matter. There were 84 fires reported, which burned over 23,277 acres of woodland and caused a damage of $82,200. This does not include all the fires that occured, nor does it cover the full loss to young growth which would add considerably more to the above estimate. Thirty of the fires reported were extinguished by forest wardens and the assistants they employed, at a total cost of $367, which was paid by the several counties in which the fires occurred. It would be difficult to find a greater return for so small an expenditure of public money.

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Order Of Publication.

Harry E. Dickerson,
vs
Cassie May Dickerson..

In the Circuit Court for Caroline County. In Equity. No. 1417.

The object of this suit is to procure a divorce a vinculo matrimonii from the Defendant and to secure the custody and control of their infant children.

The Bill states:

1. That on the fourth day of May, 1890, he was married to Cassie May Dickerson, nee Rogers, by the Rev. Mr. Davis at the Methodist Episcopal parsonage in Georgetown, Delaware, and lived and cohabited with her as man and wife until the fourth day of March, 1904

2. That ever since their marriage your orator has behaved himself as a faithful, chaste and affectionate husband toward the said Cassie May Dickerson

3. That there was born to your oratrix during wedlock three children, namely: Martha L. Dickerson who was fourteen years old November 10, 1909; John Edward Dickerson, who was nine years old August 7, 1909, and William Dickerson, who was seven years old about August 1, 1909.

4. That the said Cassie May Dickerson on divers days and times since their said marriage, to-wit, between the fourth day of May, 1890, and the filing of your orator's Bill, has committed the crime of adultery with one George Hastings, both in the State of Maryland and in the State of Delaware, and with divers other persons whose names are to your orator un-known

5. That your orator has not lived or co-habited with the said Cassie May Dickerson since he has discovered her said adulteries.

It is thereupon this 24th day of March, 1910, ordered by the Circuit Court for Caroline County, sitting in Equity, that the Plaintiff, by causing a copy of this Order to be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Caroline County, once in each of four successive weeks before the 29th day of April 1910, giving notice to the said absent defendant of the object and substance of this Bill, warning them to appear in this Court in person or by solicitor on or before the 16th day of May, next, to show cause, if any she has, why the Decree ought not to pass as prayed.

J. KEMP STEVENS,
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J. KEMP STEVENS,
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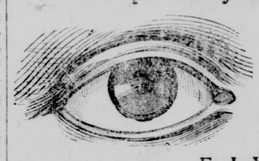

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Default having occured in conditions in said Mortgage contained, on the part of the Mortgagors to be performed, the undersigned assignee will offer and expose at public sale in front of the Court House door in the town of Denton, Maryland, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 5th,

1910, between the hours of two and four o'clock P. M. the following described real estate:

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Order Nisi.

Albert G. Towers, Assignee,
vs
Gootee S. Neal.

In the Circuit Court for Caroline
In Equity. No. 1357.

Ordered, This 29th day of March, 1910, that the Auditor's Report, made and filed in the above entitled cause, be ratified and confirmed, unless good cause to the contrary be shown, within three weeks from the 31st day of March 1910; provided a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper, printed and published in Caroline County, once in each of two successive weeks before the 8th day of April, 1910.

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