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It is estimated that the cost to the State of the milltia's trip to Chestertown will be close to $3,000.

It is to be hoped that 1914 will have nothing like 1913 to record—during the Christmas holidays, at least. It has been rather an exciting occasion, to say the least.

The Grand Jury acted wisely in taking the advice of the State's Attorney in the matter of prosecutions for violence at the jail. The leaders of a mob very often are not half as guilty as the ones who urge them on, but stand in the background.

A great deal of the excitement in Kent was on paper. Most of the daily papers exaggerated to a great extent the conditions here, which was an injustice to our people and gave a wrong impression to the Governor and the outside world.

Hon. James Alfred Pearce did all in his power to save Kent county from the disgrace of a lynching. He remained at the jail Saturday night until a late hour and addressed the crowd in a most forceful manner. He did his best to have the trial here, but higher authority over-ruled his wishes. Judge Pearce is Kent's nobleman.

STATE'S ATTORNEY VICKERS

Every citizen in Kent county should feel a pride in having as their attorney that intrepid young lawyer, Harrison W. Vickers, Esq. He has been tried the past week as by fire and weighed in the scales of vigilance and fidelity and not found wanting. By his prompt action and fearless conduct the two murderers of the late James R. Coleman were caught and brought to jail after midnight of the day of the heinous crime. Since which time he has known no rest. Events followed in quick succession, but Kent's plucky State's Attorney met each one with unswerving loyalty and bravery. Even when the crowd surged about him on Saturday he went out before them and made a speech noted for its calmness and recognition of the demands of the people. His every step has been cautiously taken, and from all sides come the highest praise for his faithfulness and devotion to duty. He worked the case up for the Grand Jury so that there was little left for them to do, and fought with all his strength against a removal of the trial.

Well done, good and faithful servant of the people.

KENT'S NEW SHERIFF.

It is indeed gratifying in such exciting times as have been experienced in Chestertown during the past week to have officers who appreciate the conditions and who have the courage to do their duty. Such we are proud to say are Sheriff William E. Brown and Deputy James C. Bolton. These two men with State's Attorney Vickers visited the scene of the murder about 9 o'clock at night and for four hours ransacked colored houses near Melitota until they had arrested the men afterward confessed to having killed Mr. Coleman. This was not all, for when the jail was assailed, Sheriff Brown addressed the crowd saying that no one thought more of the murdered man and his family than he did, but that he was sworn to protect his prisoner and to uphold the law and he expected so to do, and he did it. Deputy Bolton, calm and composed, with hand on his hip was ready to do his duty and met every emergency with valor and true courage.

The men who were sworn in as deputies Saturday night did a remarkable thing in keeping the boys from getting the prisoner and are to be commended for duty well performed.

Resolutions Passed by Chestertown Colored Law and Order League.

Whereas Norman Mabel and James Paroway, who are members of our race, did on the 23d of December, 1913, bring shame and disgrace upon the colored citizens of Kent county by committing a hideous crime in killing and robbing Mr. James R. Coleman, of Kent county (white), and that we, the better citizens, realize that ignorance, idleness and drunkenness leads to crime and disgrace, and we therefore desire to record our disapproval, with the white citizens of Kent county and the State of Maryland, that we disapprove and deprecate such actions on the part of any member of our race. We therefore recommend that the criminals be brought to justice and dealt with according to the full extent of the laws of the State of Maryland.

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A STIGMA ON OUR CITIZENSHIP.

On behalf of the great majority of the citizens of Chestertown and of Kent county the News herewith records their bitter denunciation of the arrival of militia in our most Tuesday night and their just indignation at the removal of the prisoners under such circumstances.

In the first place it is the opinion of many there was no need for them nor was there any justifiable ground to base the claim of the attorneys that the murderers could not get a fair trial here either before the Court or a Jury. They had made their trial a mere form by the expeditious work of State's Attorney Vickers and detectives, so that a plea of guilty was entered before the justice and even if they had been compelled to change this plea in Court the evidence was so plain that a conviction was inevitable. If there had been any doubt about the guilt or innocence of these men then there might have been some reason for a change of venue. Even then we believe a Kent jury would have been able to give them a fair and impartial trial and the Court a righteous and just sentence.

The deed for which they were to be tried was peculiarly brutal and well calculated to inflame the public mind especially in a section like Kent where the negro population numbers many who are vicious and dangerous. The people had settled down to quiet and order as soon as the Court opened the case Monday and on Tuesday there were but few people in attendance, feeling assured that they would be legally tried and given their just deserts.

But when a change of venue was asked the citizens of Kent feel that it is a reflection on their citizenship and ability to conduct internal affairs. We think our people are able to evidence self control sufficient not to require any suppression from without. The good citizenship of Kent is able to carry out law and is chagrinned at the idea going abroad that the county is a little Mexico. We can maintain law and order without foreign help, and, to say the least, must record our opinion that someone blundered.

It is not so much the punishment of these murderers that is desired but something which shall prove to the vicious class that there is law and a Court which shall act promptly especially in such heinous cases would go a long way toward this end.

Does the postponement of this case do this? Does the interference by militia sent by a Republican Governor have any deterrent effect on the colored robber or murderer? Does the sight of two confessed murderers surrounded by 300 white soldiers and escorted to a steamer for a special trip to Baltimore have any salutary influence on preventing crime or in encouraging citizens to allow the law to take its course in the future?

We tremble at the result of this action by our officials. No one can claim a greater allegiance to our authorities than we, but in this instance a great wrong has been done the citizens of Kent from which they will be long to recover. We hope this incident may not have the unhappy effect of precipitating the trouble it is sought to avert.

THE SHERIFF OF KENT.

"Hats Off To Him!" Says The New York Tribune.

[Editorial in New York Tribune.]

Hats off to the Sheriff of Kent county, on the Eastern Shore of Maryland. A man of resource, of brains, of nerve, of grit, of sand and of other efficient qualities too numerous to mention outside the pages of the thesaurus. Likewise, it is gratifying to add a man of success in dealing with a mob.

They tried to storm the Chestertown jail the other night to lynch a "nigger" who had helped to kill a white man. But the Sheriff had conscientious scruples against such doings. So he just strolled out to meet the mob, gave the glad hand to half a dozen of its ringleaders, impressed them as a special posse and led them into the jail to bear the brunt of its defence against their own followers. At which the remainder of the mob vanished away as completely as though it had met not a mere Sheriff but a Boojum Snark.

Nothing simpler and nothing more effective, when you have the trick. But it probably all depends upon the man who tries it. This man was a namesake and presumably kin of Brown, of Calaveras, that quiet but sarcastic gentleman who "on several occasions had cleaned out the town." Anyway, we nominate him to be the next recipient of the hero medal.

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PRISONERS IN BALTIMORE.

Guarded by Company K. of the fifth Maryland Infantry, three detectives and five Baltimore city policemen, James Paroway and Norman Mabel, the two negroes who confessed to the murder of James R. Coleman, on December 23 arrived in Baltimore at 3 45 o'clock Wednesday afternoon on the state steamer Governor McLane. James Blake was also with them

A crowd, estimated at 4,000 gathered at the city pier at the foot of Calvert St. and saw the negroes husteled from the steamer to the pier and whisked away in the Central district patrol under heavy guard.

The arrival of the militia and the detectives with their prisoners, says the Sun was one of the most spectacular events that has occured along the water frnt for many years. Scores of policemen made an effort to keep back the throng as surged toward the auto-patrol.

Five minutes after the arrival of the Governor McLane the negroes were locked in the cells at the Central Police Station, where they will be detained until commitment papers arrive from the authorities of Kent county. The negroes then will be taken to the city jail, where they will be held until their trial, which had been removed to Elkton, on March 2nd.

Blake was released Thursday and says he will never return to Kent county.

When seen in their cells all three of the accused men frankly admitted that they thought last Saturday night would be their last night on earth.

"Deed boss," said Paraway, "When I heard that mob holiering on the outside I thought there was no hope anymore. I crawled under the cot in de cell and prayed to the good Lawd to save my life. I sure was scared and never want to go through it again. I am glad we got away from dat place alive. I don't care what they do with me now."

Mabel also stated that he was glad to be in Baltimore.

The following are the officers elected by Chestertown Camp No. 34, P. O. S. of A. to serve six months:

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Preventable Diseases of Hogs.

Nearly every disease of hogs can be prevented. Hog cholera is practically under control throug the double vaccination method which must however, be done by competent men, as it is very dangerous. Information relative to the disease and treatment can be furnished by your State veterinarian.

Worms in hogs can be prevented by giving, every spring and fall, several doses of turpentine, a teaspoonful to 60 pounds weight each day for three days, on empty stomach. It is best given in sour milk or other slop, On the fourth day you can give a tablespoonful of epsom salts to 100 lbs. weight mixed with sour milk or slop.

Hogs, to be healthy, should have mineral matter at all times. A mixture containing three (3) bushels charcoal, and one (1) bushel wood ashes, eight (8) pounds common salt, and two (2) quarts air-slaked lime mixed together into a fine powder and then sprinkled with one and one-forth (1¼) pounds of copperas dissolved in a gallon of hot water, and mixed again thoroughly, will supply this need. This should be placed in shallow troughs so that little pigs can get to it at all times, and the troughs should be covered to protect the material from bad water.

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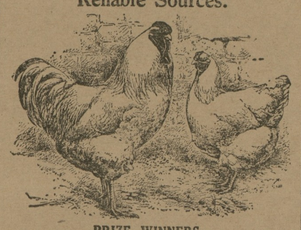

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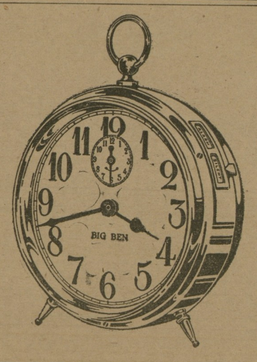

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The examinations will commence at 9.00 A. M. and close at 3.30 p m. each day.

Paper, pens and ink will be furnished.

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JOHN D. URIE,
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Public School Commissioners.

By order of the Board.
j3-2t Jefferson L. Smyth, Secretary.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county letters testamentary on the estate in Kent county, Maryland, of

ROBERT N. C. AYRES,

late of Kent county, Md., deceased.

All persons having claims against deceased are hereby warned to exhibit same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 3rd day of July, 1914, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. All indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber.

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jan3-4t LOUIS C. AYRES, Executor

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