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Frank Brown, Governor of Maryland from 1891 to 1895, and for many years a powerful factor in the Democratic party, died Tuesday at his apartments, 900 North Charles street. He had been ill since October 28, when he suffered an attack of heart trouble. This was followed by a general breakdown. He defeated Col. W. J. Vannort for Governor. His sending an ice boat to Chestertown and taking the Hill murderers away was an eventful episode in his life.

ITS A MATTER OF JUSTICE

To the man or woman who will study conditions and look into the affairs of State he cannot but be convinced that the time for giving woman the ballot has arrived. The West, North and East has recognized the justice of their claims and should Maryland deal less kindly with her people? The antis claim that there is no demand from the majority of women. Grant that this is true. Majorities do not always represent right. Some of the greatest movements for reform were started by a very few and yet when their cause was presented crowds flocked to their standard. So it is with women voting. In the States where this privilege is granted a larger percentage vote than do the men proving that they take more interest in the franchise and affairs of government than the men.

Then we hear that oft repeated saying, woman's place is in the home. We agree with this but if she remained there we fear many churches would be closed, many hospitals would be minus nurses and help, many works of charity would be left unattended to and many orphans go unfed. She cares for the health and welfare, moral as well as physical, of her family. She is responsible for the cleanliness of the house, for the wholesomeness of the food, for the children's health and above all for their morals.

How far can the mother control these things? She can clean her own rooms and care for her own plumbing and refuse, but if the building is unsanitary, the streets filthy, and the garbage not carried away, she cannot protect her children from the sickness that will result.

She can cook her food well, but if dealers are permitted to sell adulterated food, unclean milk or short weight or measure, she cannot provide either wholesome or sufficient feeding for her family.

She can open her windows to give her children air, but if the air is laden with infection, she cannot protect her children from disease.

She can send her children out for exercise, but if conditions on the streets are immoral and degrading, she cannot shield them from these dangers.

It is the government of the town or country that controls these things and the officials are controlled by the men who elect them.

Women do not elect these officials, yet we hold the women responsible for the results of unclean houses, defective sewerage, unwholesome food, fire risks, danger of infection, immoral influence on the streets. If women are responsible for the results, let them have something to say about what the conditions shall be. There is one simple way to do this. Give them the vote.

In the words of a prominent writer, "Women are by nature and training housekeepers. Let them help in the town and county housekeeping. They will introduce an occasional spring cleaning."

In the South the men claim that the colored women will over power the white majority. Listen. There are in the Southern States 2,017,286 more white women than negro men and women put together. In Maryland there are 301,317 more white women than the total colored population. These figures answer successfully the negro bugaboo. Finally, the women should have the ballot because it is a question of simple JUSTICE.

A WORTHY INSTITUTION

A few gifts to Washington College have been recently announced. These include about twenty-five volumes of standard books from Mrs. P. A. M. Brooks, of Chestertown; some shrubbery for the campus given by Mrs. C. L. Jarrell; and about fifty volumes of standard encyclopedias and valuable county histories, some fine pictures, a check for one hundred dollars to be used for setting out trees on the campus, and another check for two hundred dollars to be applied toward a fund to establish a college boat club, all from Clarence Hodson, a son of Col. Hodson, of Somerset county. Mr. Hodson now conducts a large bonding business in New York.

Such gifts should be a reminder to people of this community that Washington College is worthy of much greater support than it now receives from the town and county. Books, pictures, shrubbery, and many other things can be used to advantage by the college. Just at present the college is said to be in great need of a good upright piano. The campus in particular is one of the beauty spots of this county, and the public would be serving itself as well as the college by donating box-wood, lilacs and other hardy shrubs to make the place still more beautiful. When strangers passing through Chestertown are so impressed by the beauty of the campus that they voluntarily offer to draw a check for its improvement, it seems high time for those who live nearby to do something toward the same end.

There are no signs here among the County members of the General Assembly, both Senators and Delegates, that there is any reaction against the rigid enforcement of the prohibition laws, either of the State, or founded on the 18th Amendment to the Federal Constitution, but rather the contrary. A careful canvass among the members of the Counties which were made dry by local option, indicates very clearly that the popular sentiment there, is, if possible, stronger than ever in favor of prohibition, and there does not appear to be any doubt but that they will so vote when the bills provide for enforcement of the 18th Amendment come up for final action. Nearly all the Counties of Maryland have voted at various times in the last forty years, and any hope based on a revulsion of feeling in favor of alcoholic drinks, will be found very disappointing. In fact, there does not seem to be any change in this regard from the sentiment which prevailed here two years ago, when the 18th amendment was ratified by a large majority in both Houses.

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Race-track gambling seems to have had pretty strong backing in many legislatures of the past. But there were a number of evil things in the past which do not have the backing they once had. Race-track gambling is one of them, and it has been knocked out in most sections, very few indeed remaining. There is no reason in the world why Maryland should shield such swindlers and race-track gamblers. The legislator who would protect them is away in the rear. He doesn't belong in the Maryland legislature and will not stay there.—Denton Journal.

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Order of Publication

Mary E. Brown, Admr., and others
versus
H. Clay Hadaway and others.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County, Maryland. In Equity. No. 132.

The object of this Petition filed in the above entitled case is that Emma J. Vickers or the six children, viz: Elizabeth A. Davis, Emma J. Davis, Mary E. Davis, Julia M. Davis, Lillian Davis and Franklin Davis, of the said Emma J. Vickers, as devisees under the last will and testament of Ann Hadaway, deceased, may be compelled by Decree of Court to bring into Court the remainder of the purchase money mentioned in the said Petition with interest on the principal sums from January 1, 1919, and in default thereof, the "Home Farm" or "Broad Neck Farm" described in this Petition may be decreed to be sold at the risk of the said Emma J. Vickers and the said six children.

The substance of the Petition is as follows:

1. That on Bill of Complaint filed July 31(1867, this Honorable Court by decree appointed Richard Hynson, trustee, to sell certain real estate of Edward Hadaway, deceased, for the purpose of discharging certain debts and distribution of the remainder of proceeds of sale among the parties entitled thereto.

2. That said trustee on September 19, 1867, sold the farm known as "Shipyard" containing 283 acres, 2 roods and 5 perchases of land with wood lot containing 30 acres, 1 rood and 4 perches to David R. Derrickson for $20,111.49; and he sold the "Home Farm" containing 106 acres of land and wood lot containing 20 acres to Ann Hadaway and her son, John W. Hadaway, subject to dower of said Ann Hadaway for $5,040; said sales being duly ratified and confirmed by the said Court.

3. That the trust in this cause concerning the "Shipyard Farm," above mentioned, and the proceeds of sale thereof, has been fully completed and ended, and that this proceeding relates only to the "Home Farm," above mentioned, and the proceeds of sale thereof, reported as aforesaid, sold to the said Ann Hadaway and John W. Hadaway.

4. That a purchasers' agreement provided for payment in 5 equal installments, with bond of security, said purchase money to be credited by John Hadaway's portion of proceeds of sale, and sum of money allowed said Ann Hadaway in lieu of her dower in the "Shipyard Farm" also to be credited on said purchase money, after deducting her vendue note to William H. Lambert and H. C. Hadaway, Administrators of said Edw. Hadaway, deceased, for $1763.79.

5. That in 1869 said bond was given with Emma J. Hadaway and Benjamin F. Beck as sureties.

6. That said trustee paid to said William H. Lambert, Admr., $1,000 in part of sum to be allowed Ann Hadaway in lieu of her dower in the "Shipyard Farm;" and in 1872 paid said Ann Hadaway $1,257 for part allowance in lieu of said dower in real estate of Edward Hadaway; and that said payments amounted to more than the allowance to said Ann Hadaway in lieu of her dower in the "Shipyard Farm."

7. That said trustee made payments to and for the account of said Emma J. Hadaway amounting to $321.80; and that the remainder of said Emma J. Hadaway's share of proceeds of sale of said two farms was applied to the purchase money of said "Home Farm," by virtue of her suretyship on the bond of said Ann Hadaway and John W. Hadaway, the said purchasers thereof.

8. That said John W. Hadaway paid $400 to said trustee on account of the purchase money; that said trustee made payments for and on account of said John W. Hadaway amounting to $172.38; that the remainder of said John W. Hadaway's share of proceeds of sale of said two farms was applied to the said purchase money.

9. That said John W. Hadaway departed this life in February 1872 leaving a will by which he gave all his estate to his mother, Ann Hadaway.

10. That the Auditor's Account duly ratified and confirmed in 1886, allowed $1,784.52 to said Ann Hadaway from the purchase money of the "Shipyard Farm" in lieu of dower; and $2,211.03 each was allowed said John W. Hadaway and Emma J. Hadaway for their respective shares of said estate.

11. That said Ann Hadaway departed this life in September 1888 leaving a will by which she gave all of her estate unto her six grand children, viz.: Franklin Davis, Elizabeth A. Davis, Emma H. Davis, Mary E. Davis, Julia M. Davis and Lillian Davis, children of her daughter, Emily Davis (formerly Emma J. Hadaway.)

12. That said trustee never collected all the purchase money for said farm, and departed this life in 1889 leaving said trust incomplete; that Harrison W. Vickers and Richard D. Hynson were appointed new trustees.

13. That in 1892 said Richard D. Hynson, one of the trustees, entered into an agreement with a certain George T. Vickers to sell said farm and said George T. Vickers entered into possession in January 1893 and continued in possession to December 31, 1898, at which time he surrendered and by mutual consent without further liability for any part of the purchase money; that said George T. Vickers during his occupancy made payments aggregating $1178.80 which was applied on account of the purchase money.

14. That said Emma J. Davis after the death of her husband intermarried with a certain Thomas J. Vickers, since deceased, and she made payments aggregating $210, which has been applied on the original puchase price.

15. That said farm was leased by said Richard D. Hynson and Emma J. Vickers to Charles W. Fletcher for the years 1904 and 1905 and said Richard D. Hynson received as rent $325, which has been applied on the original purchase price.

16. That said farm was rented the year 1906 to Wesley Cannon, said Richard D. Hynson receiving rent of $100, which sum has been applied on the said purchase money.

17. That said Richard D. Hynson from the year 1898 to 1907 paid on account of rent and advances to said Emma J. Vickers sums aggregating $475.

18. That said Richard D. Hynson paid State and County taxes from the year 1898 to 1906, aggregating $353.37.

19. That said H. W. Vickers and Richard D. Hynson never collected the remainder of the said purchase money, except collections by said Richard D. Hynson above referred to.

20. That said Emma J. Vickers has been in occupancy of said farm since January 1, 1908, receiving all rents and no payments on account of said purchase money been made since the death of the said Richard D. Hynson.

21. That parties now entitled to legal or equitable interests in said farm are Emma J. Vickers, and the said six children of the Emma J. Vickers, as devisees of said Ann Hadaway.

22. That the remainder of the said purchase money now due, with all credits allowed and with interest computed to January 1, 1919, is $4541.78.

23. That in accordance with the Auditor's Account the shares of all the parties interested were paid by the said trustee, and the shares of John W. Hadaway and Emma J. Hadaway were applied on said purchase money.

24. That the Petitioner is advised the said six children of the said Emma J. Vickers never promised or bound themselves in any way to pay the purchase money for said farm and never claimed any interest therein.

25. That said Harrison W. Vickers and Richard D. Hynson, new trustees, never gave a deed for said farm to the heirs or devisees of the purchasers thereof or to anyone or more persons having legal or equitable interests therein, and that the said Richard D. Hynson departed this life on or about June 2, 1907, and that the said Harrison W. Vickers departed this life on or about June 5, 1911, leaving said trust incomplete and unfinished.

That Lewin W. Wickes was appointed new trustee in this cause by Order of Court dated July 31st, 1918, and by Order of Court passed December 18th, 1919, was discharged as trustee, and by Order of Court passed December 18th, 1919, Herbert E. Perkins was appointed new trustee.

26. That there is default in payment of the balance of said purchase money, as hereinbefore stated, and that in order to collect the said balance of said purchase money, it is necessary that said farm be sold, unless the said Emma J. Vickers or her said children pay said balance due thereon.

27. That the said Elizabeth A. Davis, Emma J. Davis, Mary E. Davis, Julia M. Davis and Lillian Davis are non-residents.

It is thereupon this 4th day of February, 1920, ORDERED by the Circuit Court for Kent County, In Equity, that the Petitioner, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published in said Kent county, once in each of four successive weeks before the 8th day of March, 1920, give notice to the said absent parties of the object and substance of this Petition, warning them to appear in this Court in person or by solicitor before the 26th day of March next, to show cause, if any they have, why a decree ought not to be passed as prayed.

A. PARKS RASIN, Clerk.
True Copy—Test:
A. PARKS RASIN, Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has obtained from the Orphans'Court for Kent Count letters Testamentary on the personal estate of

ANNIE C. MASSEY,
late of Kent county, deceased.

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