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We have arranged with Old Santa Claus for a big Christmas. Our place is filled to overflowing with Xmas wares and "Old Kites" will be here on the roof next Tuesday and Wednesday. Don't fail to have the children see him.

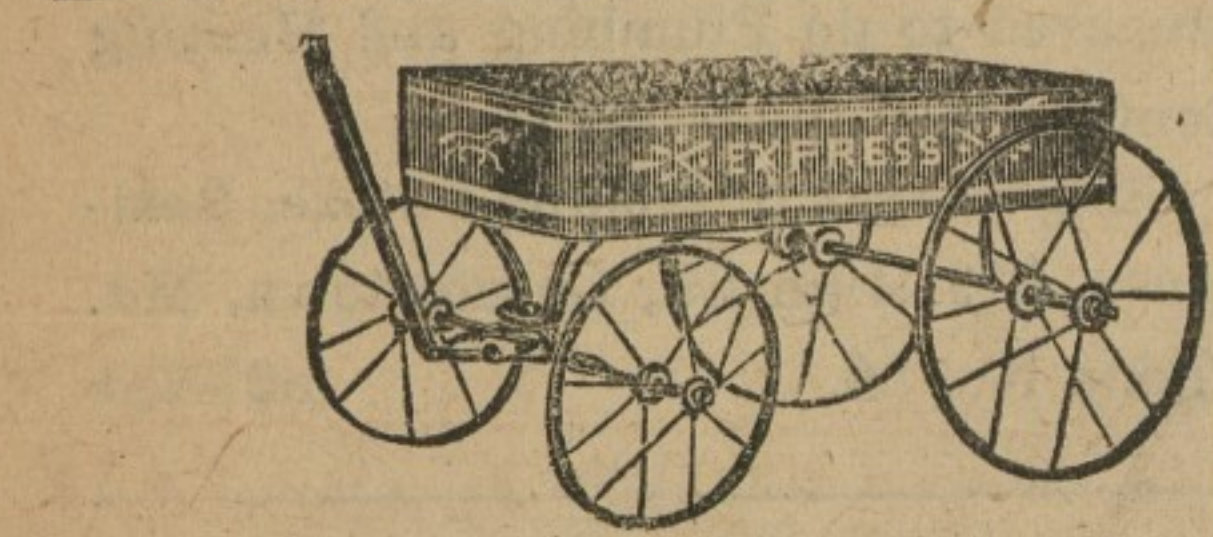
A Great Toy Show



The B. C. Bibb Co. installed the heating plant in the Community Hall on Wednesday. The Service Co. is installing a heater in St. Stephen's Rectory, near Earleville.

Our Annex "Warehouse" Filled With Toys Also

Shoo Flies, Hobby Horses, Sleds, Decks, Tables, Chairs, etc. All sorts of Children's wants. Baby Carriages, 50c to \$7.50.



Not a real horse, but close to it. The boy thinks he is alive, so easy do these Rocker Horses go. Price for full size, \$5.90, \$6.90, \$7.90.



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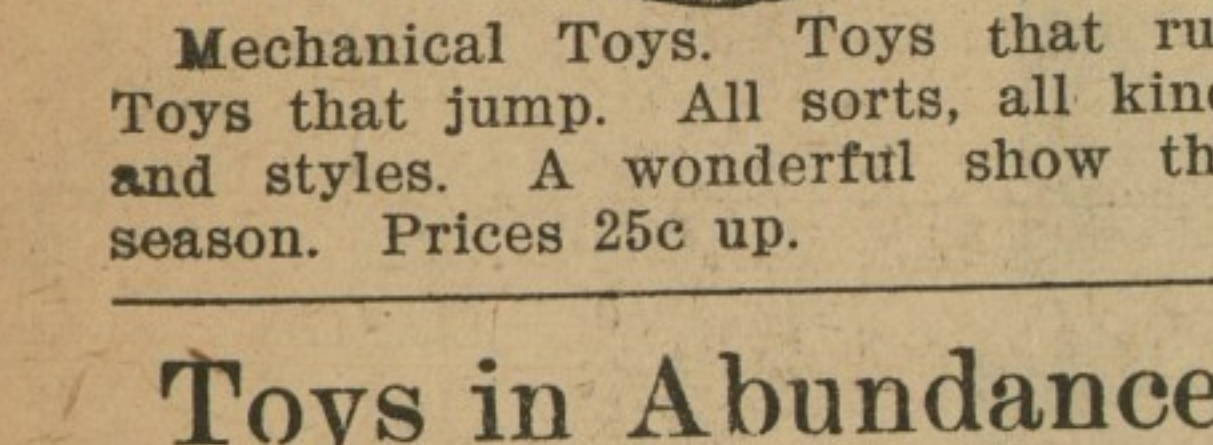
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Drums, little and big, 50c to \$1.50.



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STILL POND

Miss Anna Bowers spent several days last week with Mrs. Elwin Ford, near Blacks, Md. Mrs. A. J. Hackett and Mrs. Chas. Jewell spent several days this week in Baltimore. Mrs. Sallie Clinton, a former resident of Still Pond, died at her home in Wilmington, Del., this week and was buried here on Thursday morning. Mrs. Sallie Norris has returned to her home after spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. H. Wheeler, in Baltimore. On next Thursday afternoon at 2 p. m. the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society will hold its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. L. B. Harper. Come prepared to answer the mystery box questions. Friday evening at 8 o'clock, Rev. H. C. Collins will present the second chapter of the text book "China," in the Sunday School room. Everybody welcome. The Devotional service of the Epworth League will be on Sunday evening by Mrs. S. B. Parrott.

CECILTON NOTES

Miss Alice Gardner is spending the week-end with her mother in Perryville, Md. John Coppage has been in Baltimore purchasing Xmas goods. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Jones and son, Julian, of Massey, and nephew, J. Norman McCoy, motored to Philadelphia on Sunday, returning on Tuesday. Raymond Nickerson is in Philadelphia under a specialist's treatment for his eye. The B. C. Bibb Co. installed the heating plant in the Community Hall on Wednesday. The Service Co. is installing a heater in St. Stephen's Rectory, near Earleville. Mrs. Annie Richards is spending some time in Philadelphia. J. C. Rowan has removed to his new home recently purchased from Miss M. E. Richards. Howard Benson moved into the house vacated by Mr. Rowan. The 25 pound turkey chanced off at the bakery of Padley & Benson was won by Arnold Crawford. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Weed are spending a week in Philadelphia. The first of a series of entertainments given by the National Alliance of Cincinnati, Ohio, was held in the Community Hall on Monday evening by the Chicago Trio. A highly pleasing program was presented, consisting of songs interspersed by recitations in which the reader impersonated Bobby under the table, Mary Coney of the Orphan Asylum and several other selectiones encores. The next entertainment will be in December. Watch for the date.

MILLINGTON

Miss Mildred Clark, of Wilmington, spent several days this week with her grandmother, Mrs. M. A. Vansant. William Taylor moved last Tuesday from the Burris house on South Crane street, known as the Britton property, to Chester, Pa. Miss Margaret Slaughter, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Slaughter, entertained a number of her little friends at her home, near town, last Saturday, in honor of her eighth birthday. Mr. Fred Higman, of Philadelphia, who has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. Alinda Smith, has returned home. Miss Helen V. Price, of Washington, D. C., is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Annie S. Price. Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Minner spent a couple of days this week in Wilmington. The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of Asbury M. E. Church was held last Tuesday evening at the parsonage. Mrs. Gove Everett, of near Golts, was the guest of friends in town a few days this week. A very pretty wedding took place last Tuesday, Dec. 6th, at the home of Mrs. Annie S. Price, when her oldest daughter, Miss Mary B. Aydelotte, was joined in holy wedlock to Mr. Martin Luther Ellwanger. Promptly at 1:30 p. m. the bride entered the parlor on the arm of the groom preceded by the minister, Elder Stevens, of Smyrna, Del. The wedding march was played by Mrs. Stevens, a friend of the bride. The room was beautifully decorated with holly and evergreens and a very pretty bell under which the bride and groom stood. There were no attendants, a number of the bride's relatives and a few close friends witnessing the ceremony. The bride was becomingly attired in brown with accessories to match. Proceeding the ceremony a sumptuous wedding dinner with all the delicacies of the season was served to the immediate family and all out-of-town guests, and following was a social hour during which refreshments were served in abundance, and the bride and groom received the congratulations and best wishes of their friends. Among the out-of-town guests were: Mrs. Elizabeth Cleaver and Mrs. Maggie Webb, of Kennedysville, Md.; Mrs. George Bennett, of Lancaster, Pa.; Mrs. Elizabeth Smyth, of Chestertown; Mrs. Elva Smith, of Centerville; Miss Helen Price, of Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Gove Everett, of near Golts; Mrs. Norman Higman and Miss Nellie Higman, of near town, also Mr. Paul C. Price and family and Mr. Alrich Price and family. Mr. and Mrs. Ellwanger left on the 3:05 train amid a shower of rice, for their home near Viola, Del., where the groom is engaged in farming. The bride is well-known in this community, having lived here about all her life and will be greatly missed by her many friends here. Mrs. Catherine Galloway died on November 26, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mary King, near Middletown, Del., aged 84 years, and was buried in St. Dennis cemetery, near Galena, on Nov. 30th. Mrs. Galloway is well-known in this community having lived at Massey for years, but more recently she has made her home with hers, Mrs. King and Mrs. George J. Smith, near Millington. She had many friends who will regret to hear of her death.

Averages of Pupils of Chesterville School for November

Seventh Grade—Elizabeth Lockwood 83, Catherine Simpler 81. Sixth Grade—Eva Wallace 91, Irving Woodall 85. Fifth Grade—Herman Jones 88, William Miller 81, Carl Lockwood 81, Ella O'Neal 80. Fourth Grade—Helen Simpler 89, Madaline O'Neal 85, Edwin Powell 80, Third Grade—Elizabeth Dill 93, George Wallace 96, Marie Miller 85, Grace O'Neal 78. Second Grade—Louise Lockwood 91, Margaret Miller 89, Paul Wallace 89. First Grade—Atta Jones 85, Bradford O'Neal 85, James Wallace 85, Wilmer Jones 81, Emma Miller 79, Raymond Freeman 78, Pearl Powell 76.

CHURCH NOTES

Chestertown Methodist Episcopal Church, Rev. Omar E. Jones, pastor. Public worship with sermon in the morning at 10:30; Sunday School in the afternoon at 2:15. In the evening Union Revival service in the Methodist Protestant Church. Sermon in the morning to young men on "Why a Young Man Needs Salvation." The officers of the auxiliaries of the Middletown District of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society met by special invitation at the home of Mrs. H. H. Klinefelter November 22. The roll call showed eight auxiliaries of the twelve on the district, represented, making a total of thirty-eight present. The officers for the year were elected as follows: President, Mrs. J. A. Leach, Greensboro; Secretary, Mrs. L. B. Harper, Still Pond; Treasurer, Mrs. H. W. Chambers, Centerville; superintendent of young people's work, Mrs. James Newnam, Chestertown; superintendent of Mite Boxes, Mrs. M. V. Turner, Baltimore; superintendent of the Missionary and Mrs. Stanley Matthews, Still Pond; secretary of extension work, Mrs. Mary Chandler, Crumpton; Easter offering, Miss Ethel, presented briefly the manual which is to be put out by the Baltimore branch as a souvenir of its fifteenth anniversary in 1921. It will contain a short historic sketch of the work of the half century, the plans and working of the financial system of the branch and present responsibilities of the women of the Methodist Episcopal Church. The next meeting will be held in Centerville in February. After a delicious luncheon served by our hostesses and a delightful social hour, Rev. J. A. Leach, of Greensboro, favored us with a beautiful solo, "My Heavenly Father Watches Over Me," after which the meeting adjourned with singing and prayer.

Asbury M. E. Church, Millington, Rev. O. H. Connelly, pastor. The following services will be conducted on Sunday and during the ensuing week: Sunday School at 10 a. m. in charge of H. L. Higman, supt. He had a splendid attendance last Sunday and we hope to see more present in the Sunday School next Sunday. At 11 a. m. the pastor will preach from the subject: "The Second Coming of Christ." The evening service will begin at 7 o'clock with a service of song. The pastor will preach following this service, using as his subject, "The Verity of God's Promises." The Jr. Epworth League will be held on Friday at 7 p. m. The pastor will preach at Massey Church Sunday morning at 3 p. m. The habit of attending Church is a splendid habit to form. Why not begin next Sunday? Tell your friends about the advantages of partaking in Divine worship and invite them to attend with you.

Rev. Dr. Richard Watkins Trapnell, rector of St. Andrew's Protestant Episcopal Church, Wilmington, Del., has been called to Ascension Church, Baltimore, Md., to succeed Bishop John L. LaMothe. Dr. Trapnell was among those mentioned for a time seemed likely to be elected Bishop of Easton. Some years ago he was called to St. Michael and All Angels' Church, but declined the call. He comes originally from Charlestown, W. Va. After mission work in the mountains he had a church at Bluefields and at Amarilla, Texas, before going to Wilmington.

St. James M. P. Church, Rev. Avery Donovan, pastor. Services for Sunday—Sunday School, 10 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m. Lynch—Sunday School 2 p. m. preaching 2:30 p. m. Ladies' Aid Society will meet at Mrs. Mary Morris' on Tuesday, Dec. 13, at 2:30 p. m.

The Union Evangelistic services have been continued this week in Christ M. P. Church, Rev. J. F. Wooden preached Monday evening, Rev. J. T. Rowlenson on Tuesday evening, Rev. Avery Donovan Wednesday, Rev. Omar E. Jones on Thursday and Rev. A. F. T. Raum last night. Miss Helen Baxter sang a sweet solo Wednesday evening. The services have been well supported, a pleasing feature each evening being the presence of classes and clubs. A well-rendered duet by Miss Emma Ward and Roy Woodland was enjoyed Thursday evening. The S. D. A. of Rock Hall will hold a week of prayer meetings, Dec. 10-17, inclusive. All church members cordially invited. Kennedyville M. P. Church, Rev. J. F. Wooden, pastor. Services for Sunday, Dec. 11—Sunday School at 10 a. m., L. W. Ford, supt.; preaching at 11 o'clock; Christian Endeavor at 7:15, Mrs. J. F. Wooden, leader. The pastor will follow with a short talk on the C. E. topic.

The Third Quarterly Conference of Kennedyville Charge will be held in the church on Wednesday evening, Dec. 14, at the conclusion of the weekly prayer meeting. Kent Charge, M. E. South, C. E. Kirby, pastor. Chesterville—Sunday School at 10 a. m., classes for everybody in the family. Preaching by the pastor at 11. Another opportunity to join Trinity, Millington—Sunday School at 2 p. m., bring the company along with you. Preaching by the pastor at 3 and 7:30 p. m., Epworth League for young people at 7 p. m. A welcome for you at "The Friendly Church."

Services at Emmanuel Church, Chestertown, for Sunday, Dec. 11, will be as usual. Holy Communion at 8 a. m.; service and sermon at 11 a. m.; S. S. at 2:30 p. m.; evening prayer and sermon at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m. there will be service and sermon, followed by the choir rehearsal. The Young People's Guild will meet in the Parish House at 7:30 p. m. on Monday. The Chancel Guild will hold its regular monthly meeting on Tuesday at the rectory at 7:30 p. m.

Wm. M. Slay, Attorney.

RATIFICATION NISI. William M. Slay, Attorney. versus William H. Wheat, et al. In the Circuit Court for Kent County. In Equity, No. 2135. Ordered this 8th day of December, 1921, by the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity, that the Auditors Account and Report, stated and reported by S. Scott Beck, auditor, in the above entitled cause, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 3rd day of January, next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county, once in each of two successive weeks before the 27th day of December, next. True Copy—Test: ROBERT R. AYRES, Clerk.

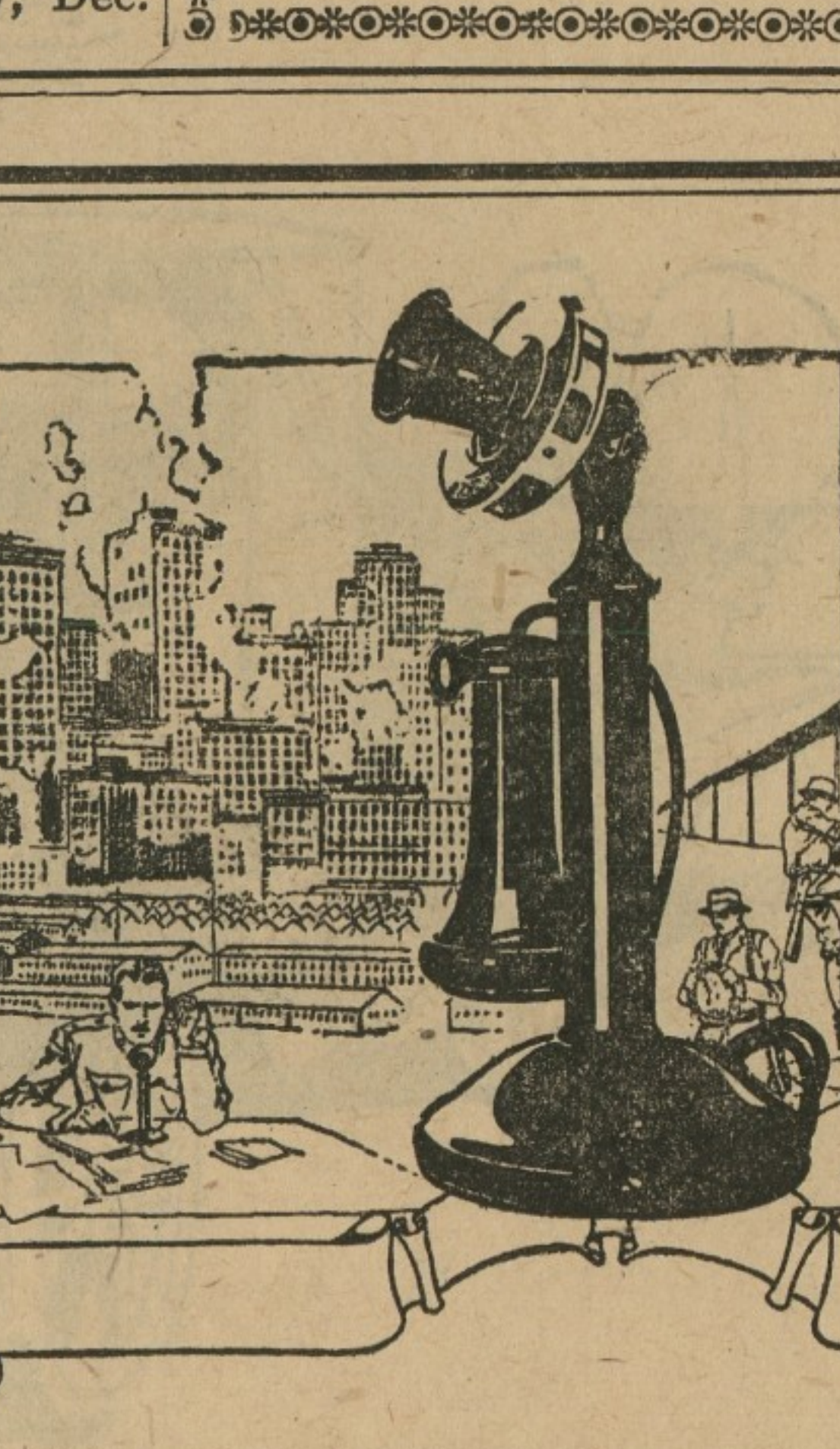
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HEADQUARTERS FOR HOLIDAY GOODS

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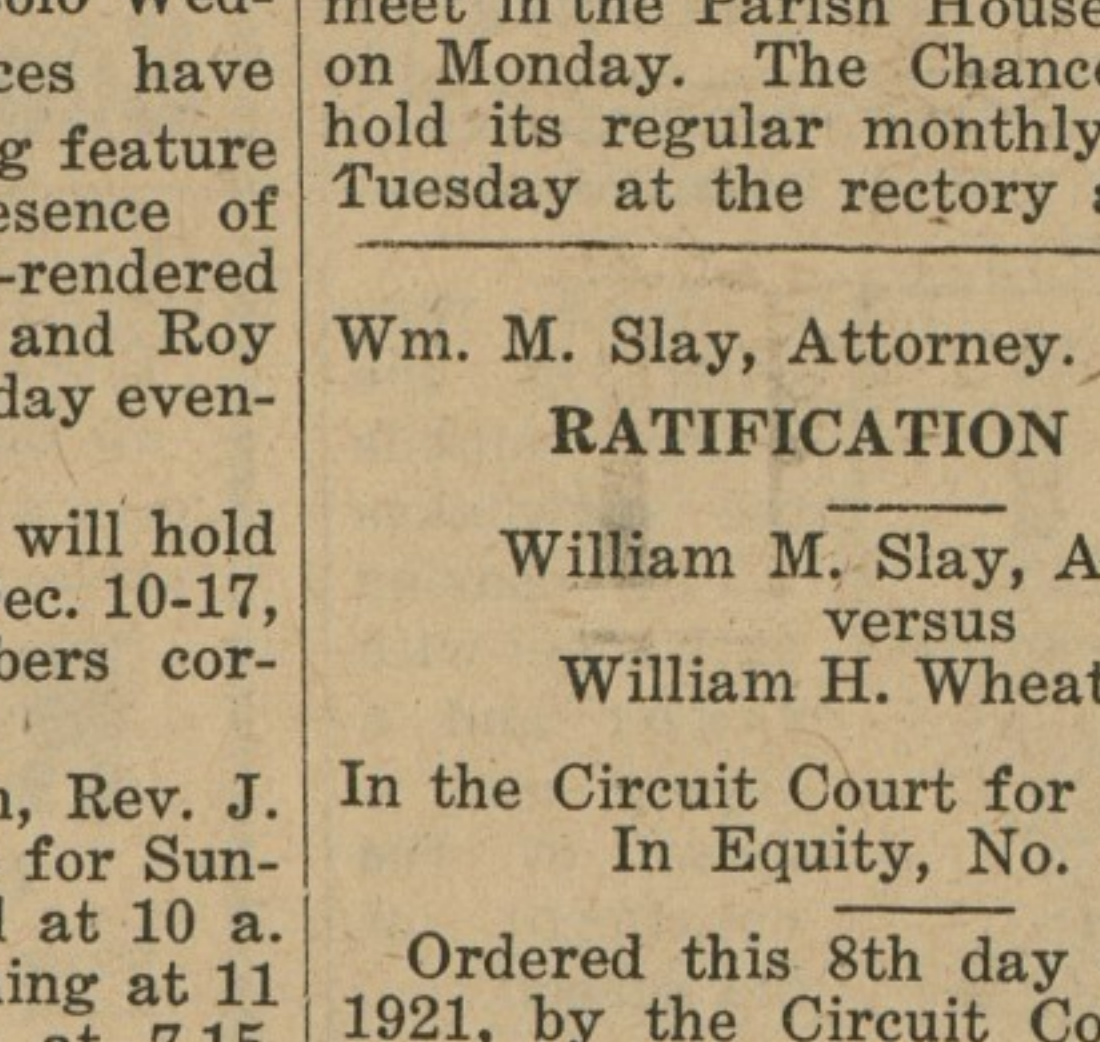
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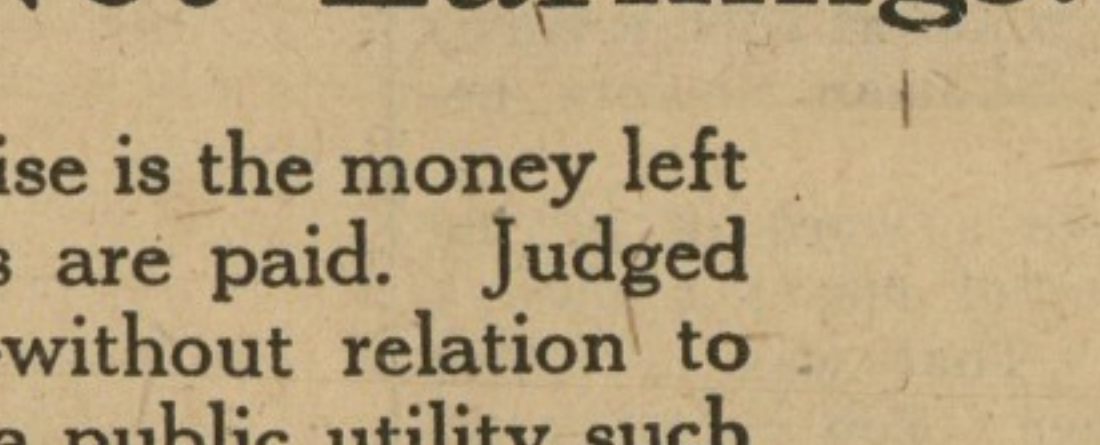
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