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BOTH VESSELS CULPABLE.

A Reminder of a Fatal Collision on the Patapsco—The Crash Between the Steamers Louise and Virginia Passed Upon by Judge Morris.

Judge Morris, of the United States District Court, filed an opinion Friday in the collision case of the steamers Louise and Virginia, in which fifteen lives were lost, near Fort Carroll, on the evening of July 29, 1890. The opinion covers upwards of seventeen type-written pages, and concludes by finding both vessels in fault. The case heard was upon the libels and petitions of the injured passengers of the Louise, and who, under the Maryland statutes, were entitled to sue for the death of those who were killed; these libels and alleging that both steamers were in fault, and upon the cross libels of the owners of the steamers, each alleging the other was wholly responsible for the collision.

The testimony on the part of the Louise shows that she left Tolchester at 7 o'clock P. M. to bring passengers to Baltimore, and that when in the Brewerton Channel, some distance below the bend, her pilot saw ahead a three-masted schooner, the Yale, under sail up the channel in the same direction the Louise was going, and that he saw the Virginia coming down from in the direction of the Fort McHenry. He blew two blasts as a singal, intending to indicate to the Virginia that the Louise had starboarded her wheel, and desired to take the southerly and westerly side of the channel, and to pass the Virginia's starboard side. This signal was answered, not by the Virginia, but by a steam tug coming up to the schooner Yale to speak to her, and which was outside of the channel to the northward.

"It clearly appears," says Judge Morris, "from the case made for the Louise, by the testimony of her master and pilot, that, without getting any agreement by interchange of signals, and without slackening speed, and while violating all the rules prescribed to avoid risk and seeing all the time the red light of the Virginia open off their starboard bow, they kept on, trusting solely to an expectation that when the Virginia had reached the turn and cleared the Yale, she would starboard her wheel and change her course so as to pass the Louise on her starboard side. This was leaving all to chance in a situation which called for a distinct understanding with the approaching steamer, and the strictest observance of all the rules for safe navigation. It does not seem to me that there is any view that can be taken of the navigation of the Louise, which does not inculpate that steamer."

"The case of the Virginia prerents much greater difficulty. Unless the Virginia delayed too long, considering her high rate of speed, and the want of certainty as to the movement of the Louise, in taking the initiative and giving the proper passing signals prescribed by the pilot rules, I can find no other fault which can be imputed to her navigation. If, however, on the other hand, it can be true that when the danger was seen and the signals given, the vessels were half a mile apart, then it is evident that the Virginia's speed of fourteen miles an hour was dangerous for her to maintain, in the night time, navigating the channel, with a schooner ahead of her, and a steamer coming up astern of the schooner, whose course had not been indicated by her side lights or her whistle.

"There is no question but that there is a great difference between the capability of the officers navigating the Virginia and those of the Louise. The latter were primarily in fault for creating the collision, while those navigating the Virginia did everything to avoid it, and are only in fault for allowing the Louise to get as near as she did without taking the initiative and giving the proper passing signals, apparently taking for granted that the Louise was coming up to her proper side of the channel, as they supposed the interchange of signals between her and the tug indicated that she would. The great number of lamentable collisions which have occurred, resulting in loss of life and destruction of property, demonstrates that with vessels approaching each other in these channels, risk of collision is liable to arise unexpectedly at any moment, and that safety can only be secured by the strictest observance of every precaution prescribed by statue regulation and good seamanship. I find that both the Louise and the Virginia are in fault."

The court reviewed the testimony at great length, and the opinion is a very exhaustive one.

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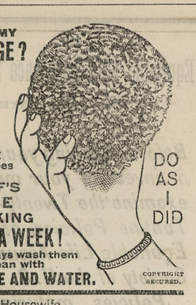

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and will continue to meet at the same place and hour EVERY TUESDAY until the 5th day of May next, for the purpose of noting transfers and correcting assessments. All persons who have sold or transferred any assessable property since their last sitting for said purpose, are particularly requested to attend at an early day to have their assessments corrected and adjusted.

After TUESDAY, 5th of May, next,

no alterations or corrections in the assessments will be made for the present year.

☞All persons having ACCOUNTS against the county are requested to present the same on or before TUESDAY, 2d day of June next, otherwise they may be excluded from the levy this year. All accounts properly chargeable to the county are required to be made out in a clear manner and itemized and rendered under oath.

All applications for pensions must be made in writing, stating the condition and circumstances of the applicant and vouched for by three or more freeholders having a knowledge of the facts therein set forth.

N. B.—All persons neglecting to have their assessments corrected are hereby notified that no allowance for taxes paid in error in consequence of such neglect will be made.

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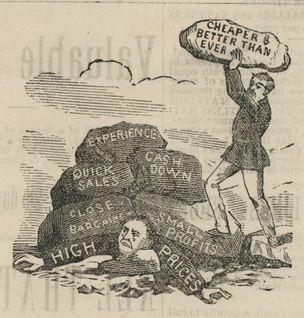

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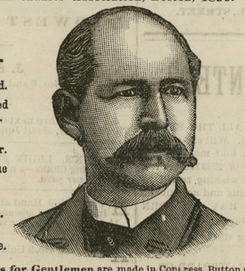

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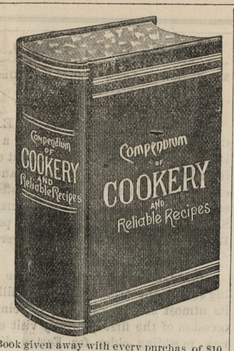

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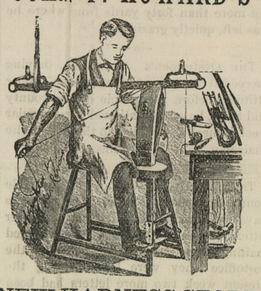

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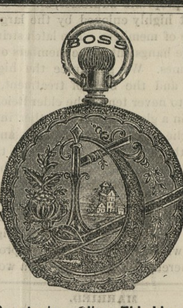

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By order:—
T. J. SHALLCROSS, PREST.,
ROBERT C. MORGAN,
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Will leave Tolchester Beach - 9 A. M. and 4.30 P. M. SATURDAY ONLY.
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Sassafras River Line!

The Steamer Tockwogh

will resume her trips on Saturday, Feb. 21, 1891.

Leave pier 6, on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 10.30 A. M.

Leave Georgetown on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 7.30 A. M., stopping at the usual wharves.
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Chester River Steamboat Company.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

TUESDAY, April 14, 1891,

Steamer EMMA A. FORD

Will leave Chestertown on and after, Monday October 13, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 8 A. M., for Baltimore, stopping at Rolph's, Booker's Quaker Neck, Eastern Neck, Queenstown, Kent Island and intermediate landings on Chester river, arriving in Baltimore at 1 P. M.

RETURNING will leave Pier 7 Light Street Wharf at 11 A. M., Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, for Chestertown and intermediate landings.

Steamer GRATITUDE

Beginning April 14th, will resume DAILY ROUND TRIPS, leaving Centreville at 7 A. M., Rock Hall, about 9.30 A. M., for Baltimore.

RETURNING, will leave Pier 7, Light St. Wharf, at 2.30 P. M.

☞The United States Express Company Service on board both steamers, affording patrons an opportunity of making through shipments to all points in the United States without delay.

☞For the convenience of our patrons we have at Rock Hall landing ample accommodations for the care of teams.

April 11, 1891. GEORGE WARFIELD, PRESIDENT.

Balto. and Delaware Bay Railroad

TIME TABLE No. 2.

To Take Effect May 11th, 1891.

GOING EAST. No. 3, Tuesday only.	No. 1, daily except Sunday.	DISTANCE.	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. No. 2, daily except Tuesday & Sunday.	No. 4, Tuesday only.
Read Downwards. P. M.	A. M.			Read Upwards. P. M.	A. M. P. M.
1 45	6 30		Lve Chestertown Arr	1 05	11 40 6 52
2 00	6 45	5 "	....Worton..... "	12 50	11 25 6 37
2 10	6 51	7 "	....Lynch's..... "	12 44	11 19 6 31
2 20	6 57	9 "	..Sull Pond... "	12 38	11 13 6 25
2 25	7 10	12 "	....Kennedyville "	12 25	11 00 6 12
2 50	7 24	15 "	.....Black's..... "	12 12	10 47 6 00
3 02	7 36	18 "	..Lambson's.... "	11 59	10 34 5 48
3 14	7 50	22 "	....Massey's..... "	11 45	10 20 5 35
3 24	8 01	25 "	...*Delaney's.... "	11 34	10 06 5 24
3 33	8 13	28 "	..*Bingham's.. "	11 22	9 57 5 12
3 45	8 25	32 Arr	.....Clayton..... "	11 10	9 45 5 00
P. M.	A. M.			A. M.	A. M. P. M.

Train No. 1 connects with Delaware Division, No. 80. Train No. 3, connects with Delaware Division, No. 48. Train No. 2, connects with Delaware Division, Nos. 1 and 12. Train No. 4, connects with Delaware Division, Nos. 81 and 74.

E. P. STACEY, SUP'T.

Phila., Wilmington & Baltimore R. R.

DELAWARE DIVISION.

On and after Feb. 2d, 1891, trains will leave as follows:

SOUTHWARD. PASS	PASS	EXP.	PASS		NORTHWARD. PASS	EXP.	PASS	PASS.
P M	P M	A M	A M		A M	A M	P M	P M
‖6.07	‖4.01	10.23	‖7.27	...Phila....	‖9.32	‖10.32	‖1.17	‖7.11
5.27	12.45	9.08	6.30	...Balto....	10.37	11.10	2.00	‖8.35
7.00	4.50	11.08	8.15	Wilmin'n	8.43	9.42	12.25	6.25
	5.06		8.24	Farnhurst	‖8.33			
7.11	5.10		8.30	N. Castle.	8.28	9.31	12.12	‖6.12
	5.16		8.36	StateRoad	8.22		12.06	6.06
*7.19	5.21		8.41	....Bear....	8.17		12.00	6.00
7.26			8.50	..Porter's..	8.12	9.19	11.55	5.55
7.31	5.28	11.30	8.55	Kirkwood	8.06		11.50	5.50
*7.39	5.36		9.03	M.Pleas't	7.57		11.43