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No. 1821.

ORDERED, this 25th day of November, 1912, by the Circuit Court for Kent county, in equity, that the auditor's account and report, stated and reported by Lewin W. Wickes, auditor, in the above entitled cause, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary therof be shown on or before the 28th day of December, 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 16th day of December, next.

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THE GRIM REAPER.

MRS. MARY J. MORRIS.

Mrs. Mary J. Morris, widow of the late William Morris, died at the home of her son, Mr. Walter T. Morris, near town, on Thursday morning at 12 15 o'clock of general debility, in the 76th year of her age. The deceased was one of the best known and most highly esteemed women in the county. For many years she lived with her husband on his fine estate and there raised a family of four sons and one daughter, who have grown to honorable manhood and womanhood and who are influentila citizens in the communities in which they reside. For years Mrs. Morris was an active member of St. James M. P. Church and her noble christian character and sweet and gentle disposition endeared her to a host of friends who always found a cordial welcome to her hospitable home and who found a warm place in her heart. Since the death of her lamented husband, Mrs. Morris had made her home with her children, though she spent most of the summer at her home on Queen street. Her sons and daughter sought to give her every comfort during her widowed life, and they looked after her every want and pleasure. She was a woman of christian influence, and strove to make those committed to her care loyal, honest and true. She leaves four sons and one daughter—Messrs. Walter T., James Elwood, John E. and Wilbur H. Morris, all prosperous young farmers and honorable upright citizens of this county, and one daughter, Mrs. Elmore Skirven, Baltimore, with whom she usually spent the winter, and from whom she received the most loyal and devoted attention. She also leaves one sister, Mrs. M. E. Stuart, of Chestertown, and a brother, Mr. Walraven, of Ingleside. Funeral services will be held this Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock from the residence of her son, Mr. Walter T. Morris, near town, conducted by Rev. G. A. Morris, of St. James. Interment will be made in the family lot in Chester cemetery. The pallbearers will be Hon. James A. Pearce and Messrs. Joseph R. Usilton, J. Walter Skirven, Robert G., William T. and John P. Nicholson. Undertaker J. E. Ferguson will have charge of the funeral arrangements.

MR. WILLIAM CLARK.

Mr. William Clark, purser on the Ericsson Line Steamer Anthony Groves, died aboard ship early on Tuesday from heart disease, aged 55 years. Mr. Clark had been in the employ of the Ericsson Company for thirty years. He was stricken on the trip to Philadelphia on Monday. Dr. Conrey, of Chesapeake City, was a passenger and gave the stricken man every aid. He died a few hours before the steamer reached Philadelphia on Tuesday morning. He leaves a widow and a son.

MRS. MARTHA WATSON.

Mrs. Martha Watson died at her home in Baltimore last Saturday. The deceased was before marriage a Miss Coleman. She was an aunt to Mr. Geo. R. Rouse, of Chestertown, whom she and her daughters visited nearly every summer. She will be kindly remembered by many friends in Kent county who knew and appreciated her beautiful character and charming disposition.

ALICE H. MOORE.

Alice H. Moore, eight-year-old daughter of Mrs. Almeda Moore, died at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Holden, in Warwick, on Sunday morning. She had been a sufferer from typhoid fever for several days but her death was unexpected. Funeral services were held on Wednesday with interment in Warwick cemetery.

The nineteen-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pearce, of East Neck Island, died last Friday. Funeral services were held Sunday morning in St. John's R. C. Church, Rock Hall.

TO MARRY ONLY THE HEALTHY.

Nevada Episcopal Ministers Pledged to Require Certificate.

The Episcopal Church of the District of Nevada, in convocation at Reno on Saturday, was placed on record by the adoption of a resolution pledging the clergymen to require a certificate of health before performing a marriage ceremony "in any case where there is a reasonable doubt as to the fitness of either party for marriage."

As a part of the resolutions, the convocations also advocated the passage of a law by the next Legislature in Nevada requiring that such a certificate of health be presented to the county clerk upon application for a license to marry.

The convocation, by resolution, also urged that the coming Legislature amend the present divorce law so as to provide for a residence of one year before coming under jurisdiction of Nevada courts. Why not embody these resolutions, which are of the utmost importance to humanity, into national laws.

Old Kris Letters.

We have received the following letters during the week from our little friends:

Massey, Md., Dec. 2nd, 1912.

Dear Old Santa Claus—I thought I would write and tell you what I want you to bring me. I want a wagon, post card album, a little dog, a stable and horses and some books, plenty of candy, nuts grapes and oranges and don't forget my brother and sisters.

Your little boy,
Franklin Moore.

Chestertown, Md., Dec., 1912.

Dear Old Santa Claus—As it is about time for you to be coming around again, I will tell you what I would like to have. Please bring me a pair rubbers, a fur coat, a pair gloves and a few picture books. Please do not forget papa and mamma. Good-bye until Xmas night.

Your little Friend,
Helen Duyer.

Chestertown, Md., Dec. 11, 1912.

Dear Old Santa Claus—As it is nearly Christmas I would like you to bring me a pair of rubbers and a pair of gloves and a companion full of pens and pencils and a sled and please do not forget mamma and papa and also my sick brother.

Yours truly from little
Bessie Duyer.

Galena, Md., Dec. 9, 1912.

Dear Santa Clause—Will you please bring me a sled, set of dishes, ball and a little piano and please don't forget the tree and don't forget to bring me some candy, nuts. oranges, figs and raisins.

From
Alice Shropshire.

Indications for the winter of 1912-1913, according to the markings of the breastbone of a goose hatched in Berks county, Pa., last spring, are that the weather will be mild up to the holidays, after which severe cold is promised, with several blizzards. Spring will be late. Pleasant weather will prevail during the Christmas holidays. These are the predictions of John A. Kalbach, the Reading goosebone weather prophet after reading the goosebone.

150,000 dozen of eggs at 24 cents a dozen were sold on Wednesday from a score or more stations scattered throughout Philadelphia—a record that is unprecedented. That's the result of the first endeavor of the first Housekeepers' League of Philadelphia in the campaign against the present high cost of living. One store alone sold 360,000 eggs. The league will "go after" other commodities besides eggs.

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Solid Gold Neck Chains, $1.00 to $3.95.
Solid Gold Lockets, $2.00 to $9.50.
Solid Gold Pendants, $1.50 to $15.00.
Solid Gold Scarf Pins, 75cts. to $28.50.
Solid Gold Bar Pins; set with genuine sapphires, amethysts and pearls, $3.50 to $19.50.
Solid Gold-Front Pin Seats, 50cts. and 75cts.
Solid Gold-Front Bar Pins, hand-engraved, 50cts. to $1.00.
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