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LOCAL MATTERS.

The Anthony Groves Libelled.—The steamer Anthony Groves, of the Ericsson line, was libelled by U. S. Marshal W. R. Flinn, on complaint of Edward L. Clark, of Delaware City, for injuries to a horse on the craft, and was released on Saturday, upon the Company's giving security to answer the claim.

A Good Appointment.—The appointment of Mr. Harry C. Willis as a member of the Auditing Committee for Kent county by Judge Pearce this week is an excellent one. Mr. Willis was appointed in the place of the late Thos. W. Skirven. He is a progressive young farmer of the Sixth District, thoroughly qualified to discharge the duties and responsibilities of the office. The remainder of the committee is the same as last year— Messrs. J. F. M. Woodall and Wilbur Eliason.

Law Regarding Cigar Boxes.—Since the publication in the TRANSCRIPT of a recent law in regard to the disposal of cigar boxes by dealers, recently passed by the United States Government, several of our merchants have investigated the matter. There is little need for any concern regarding the disposal of the boxes, or the interpretation of the law. Dealers will be allowed to give them away or to use them in their display window, upon the following condition—that the stamp be scratched, the caution notice effaced, and the stamp of the manufacturer be cancelled. These requirements the dealers must comply with, or they will render themselves liable for violation of the law.

Town Election.—The town election for the selection of one commissioner to succeed Col. W. J. Vannort, whose term expires May 1, will be held Monday next, April 24th. Mr. Wm. A. Burk has announced his intention not to become a candidate, although many of his friends were urging him to allow the use of his name, and the contest now seems to be between Col. Wm. J. Vannort, the present incumbent and Mr. Wm. S. Carroll, who have announced themselves candidates at the earnest solicitation of their many friends. Both of these gentlemen are thoroughly qualified to discharge the duties of the office. Both Col. Vannort and Mr. Carroll have cards in this issue announcing themselves as candidate for the position.

Gift to St. John's College.—Gov. Edwin Warfield on Tuesday received a communication from Hon. Wm. J. Bryan requesting him to designate a college in Maryland which will receive the sum of $400, the income of which is to be used for the purchase of a prize for the best essay discussing the principles of free government. This amount is paid out of $10,00 left by Mr. Philo S. Bennett, of New Haven, Conn., to be distributed to 25 colleges or universities throughout this country. Gov. Warfield wrote Mr. Bryan designating St. John's College, Annapolis, as the proper institution to be the recipient of Mr. Bennett's legacy. Gov. Warfield later advised Dr. Thos. Fell, President of St. John's, of his action.

Suit Against Chester River Co.—In the suit of John J. Riordan, Jr., against the Chester River Steamboat Company for $5,400 commissions alleged to be due for services rendered in the sale of the Steamboat Co. to Nicholas P. Bond and Henry P. Scott for $180,000. Judge Wright on Wednesday in the Baltimore courts instructed the jury to render a verdict for the defendant. It was the contention of the defendant as borne out by the testimony of Mr. Thomas M. Lanahan, counsel for the steamboat company, that Mr. Riordan was employed to sell the property for the specified sum of $275,000 to a specified corporation, the Queen Anne's Railroad; and that having failed to do this, the property being subsequently sold to different persons for $180,000. Mr. Riordan had not earned his commission.

New Head for State Normal School.—It is reported that Dr. E. B. Prettyman, who has been principal of the State Normal School for the past fifteen years, will probable retire because of impaired health at an early date. The selection of his successor will be considered at the May meeting of the State Board of Education, in which is lodged authority to choose the principal of the school. There are already four applicants for the prospective vacancy in the field. They are Prof. Geo. W. Ward, of Western Maryland College: Prof. Rowland Watts, late of Western Maryland College; Richard H. Alvey, Jr., of Hagersown, and Prof. John Montgomery Gambrill, assistant State superintendent of public education, and aut or of a history of Maryland. President James W. Cain, of Washington College, has also been mentioned as a probable successor, but Dr. Cain wishes us to state that he will not be an applicant for the position, nor does he contemplate leaving Washington College. Dr. Cain is a member of the State Board of Education. The position of principal of the school is a most desirable one. It carries with it an annual salary of $2500 and house rent free.

Onslaught on Sheep.—Dogs got into the flock of fine sheep belonging to Mr. Alfred S. Crouch, who lives near Melitota, on Wednesday night, and killed 14 sheep, 1 lamb and mangled nearly all of the entire flock of 27 sheep. There were three dogs that did the damage and they have all been killed. The sheep were in a pen in the woods near the main road on the farm when attacked. This is a severe loss to Mr. Crouch, as about $100 worth of sheep and lambs were killed.

LITTLE LOCALS.

*†*Mr. S. R. Hurlock, of Queen Anne's, is the first farmer to begin planting corn in this locality.

*†*Mr. Wm. H. Cooper, of near Melitota, caught 140 shad in his gill net one morning recently.

*†*Mrs. Lineta B. C. Morris has been appointed postmistress at Sassafras, vice Mr. R. S. Griffith who has resigned.

*†*Mr. J. D. Bacchus has purchased through J. Waters Russell, Mrs. Sarah Ivens lot on Cannon street, near College avenue.

*†*The season for oyster tonging closes next Tuesday, April 25. It has been an unprofitable season for Kent tongers.

*†*Mr. Wm. T. H. Whiteley has purchased Mr. H. P. Skipper's fine driving mare, Little Fannie, through Mr. Chas. H. Hurlock, agent.

*†*Chestertown stores and streets were without electric lights on Saturday night from 8 to 10.30 o'clock, due to an accident to the electric light plant.

*†*Mr. William Bradford Copper is having erected at his home on Washington avenue, a comfortable side porch adjoining the front porch. Mr. W. S. Carroll is doing the work.

*†*Messrs. Louis Leeds and Wethered Barroll, went shooting for wild ducks in Turner's Creek several days this week. They bagged 18 fine ducks in one day's shoot.

*†*Messrs. Stavely & Bowers, contractors and builders, are erecting a comfortable dwelling on the Ireland farm, near Galena, recently purchased by Capt. Andrew Woodall.

*†*Washington College closed for the Easter recess on Tuesday afternoon, and many of the students left on the afternoon train for their homes. The exercises will be resumed Wednesday next.

*†*Mr. Harry Barnett has disposed of the tables, fixtures, etc., of the pool-room formerly conducted by him on Cross street, and the owner, Mr. Chas. S. Smith, will improve the house for a temporary dwelling place.

*†*Col. Wallen, of Queen Anne's brought the first asparagus of the season to the town market on Tuesday. The consignment consisted of four bunches, and was sold to Mr. D. A. Bacchus for 30 cents per bunch.

*†*The next meeting of the Kent County Teachers' Association will be held some time in the early part of June. The date has not yet been fixed. The schools of the county closed for the Easter recess on Thursday evening. They were reopened on Tuesday morning.

*†*Fraternal Hall, in the TRANSCRIPT building, the meeting room of the P. O. S. of A., Heptasophs, D. of A., Modean Woodmen of America, Jr. O. U. A. M. has recently been repapered and painted and thoroughly renovated by Wm. L. Fowler. It is now one of the nicest and most complete lodge rooms in the State.

*†*The price of fish took a jump during the week on account of the cold weather and high winds which prevented the fishermen from working. Roe shad were selling for 50 and 60 cents apiece in local markets, and the price at the shore varied according to the catch. They have been bringing $50 per hundred at Baltimore.

Protect Your Game.

Mr. Alexander T. Laws, of Sassafras, this county, a deputy State game warden, was in Chestertown this week and requested us to publish, for the benefit of owners of dogs the following extract from the Game Laws of the State:

"Owner of any dog or bitch allowing the same to run at large and hunt any within prohibition times liable to a fine of $5; one-half to informer. Dog or bitch hunting out of season may be killed by the person in possession of the propepty on which said dog or bitch is found, or his order, while said dog or bitch is on the property.

Fruit and Vegetables Unharmed.

The wintry weather of the earlier part of the week gave our farmers and fruit growers considerable alarm for the safety of fruit and vegetables. On Monday morning the thermometer registered 29° and we were informed that in many parts of the county newly plowed ground froze. There were snow flurries all morning and there were grave fears as to the safety of the peach buds which have since burst into full bloom. Reports from the "peach district" around Betterton, Still Pond Neck and Coleman's are that the cold snap has not affected the fruit, and there are still excellent prospects for a good crop of both pears and peaches. It was feared by many that there would be a damaging frost on Monday night but it failed to come and consequently all fears for the safety of the fruit have been allayed and the hopes of the "peach prophets" have been dashed to the ground.

Program for Arbor Day.

LAMBSON'S SCHOOL.

Singing, "Arbor Day," School.
Reading, Governor's Proclamation, Mamie Skinner.
Recitation, "Arbor Day," Mabel Brockson.
" "Poor Little Doll," Jennie Hurtt.
" "The Kitty and the Mouse," Bernice Vansant.
Colloquy, Henry Caldwell and Frank Bishop.
Singing, solos, "Festal Day," 4 girls.
Recitation, "The Strawberry," Lorine Woodall.
Reading, "History of Arbor Day," Evalyn Ford.
Primary Class Exercise, "A Flock of Birds."
Recitation, "Dear Little Dolly," Alverta Hurtt.
Singing, duet, Blanche Bishop, Mrs. Brockson.
Dialogue, "Mrs. Burleigh's At Home."
Recitation, "Poor, Poor Dolly," Anna Vansant.
Class Ex., "Kingship of the Trees," 7 large boys.
Recitation, "Poor Old Grandma," Flossy Skinner.
" "The Minister's Sermon," Blanche Bishop.
Recitation, "Flo's Letter," Anna Gale.
"Flag's of Our Nation," 4 girls.
Tree Planting.
Recitation after planting, Mary Johnston.

Tree named Joseph Peterson in honor of our late examiner. The patrons of the school presented a beautiful cake to the teacher, Miss Brockson.

GLEE AND MANDOLIN CONCERT.

A Splendid Programme to be Rendered in Stam's Hall Next Thursday Evening.

The concert to be given by the Glee and Mandolin Club of Washington college in Stam's Hall next Thursday evening promises to be the musical event of the season. Much time and labor have been spent by the members of the club in rehearsals for the concert and the numbers of the progamme are such as will please the taste of the music loving public. The members of the club are as follows:

First Tenors, C. W. Long and H. P. Porter; Second Tenors, A. H. Brice, E. A. Coughlin, E. F. Hitch, E. A. Howard, C. B. Morris, C. E. Noland, L. C. Robinson, C. G. Sutton and V. R. Truitt; First Base, A. S. Garrison, H. O. Stephens; Second Base. W. H. Davis, C. V. Goslee, J. G. Moore.

MANDOLIN CLUB.

First Violin, L. K. Bordley; Second Violin, E. F. Hitch; First Mandolin, E. A. Coughlin, R. H. Finley, G. C. Sutton; Second Mandolin, H. O. Stephens, W. H. Toulson; Third Mandolin, H. P. Porter; Guitars, W. H. Davis, A. S. Garrison, V. A. Truitt; Clarionet, D. F. Stam; Leader, H. O. Stephens.

The following is the

PROGRAMME.

FIRST PART.

1. We Sing for Washington
GLEE CLUB.
2. March, "The Jolly Students" ..... Zickel
MANDOLIN CLUB.
3. Three Little Piggies ..... Custance
GLEE CLUB.
4. Reverie, "The Wayside Chapel" ..... Wilson
MANDOLIN CLUB.
5. a, The Untruthful Daisy ..... Jones
b, She Is So Fair ..... Jones
MESSRS. PORTER, HITCH, STEPHENS, DAVIS.
6. Mazurka, "Evelyn" ..... Tocaben
MANDOLIN CLUB.
7. The Story of a Tack ..... Parks
GLEE CLUB.

SECOND PART.

8. Poor Ned ..... Koerner
GLEE CLUB.
9. Angel's Serenade ..... Braga
TWO VIOLINS, MANDOLIN AND GUITAR.
MESSRS. BORDLEY, HITCH, STEPHENS, GARRISON.
10. a, Little Tommy Went a Fishing ..... MACY
b, "Fishing" ..... Parks
GLEE CLUB.
11. Intermezzo. "Whispers," ..... Dean
MANDOLIN CLUB.
12. In The Rain ..... Parks
MESSRS. PORTER, LONG, STEPHENS, DAVIS.
13. Campus Dreams, Waltz ..... Blake
MANDOLIN CLUB.
14. Pickaninny Lullaby ..... Macy
GLEE CLUB.
15. The Man in the Moon's Ball ..... Carpenter
GLEE CLUB.

PATRONESSES.

Mrs. James A. Pearce, Mrs. Marion DeK. Smith, Mrs. W. Frank Hines, Mrs. William M. Slay, Mrs. Harrison W. Vickers, Mrs. Hiram M. Brown, Mrs. Thomas W. Eliason, Mrs. Richard D. Hynson, Mrs. Samuel Vannort, Mrs. George B. Westcott, Mrs. Lewin W. Wickes, Mrs. William W. Beck, Mrs. Mrs. James W. Cain, Mrs. James R. Micou, Mrs. A. Sager Hall, Mrs. Edward J. Clarke, Mrs. David L. Greenfield, Mrs. William L. White.

APRIL TERM OF COURT.

The April term of the Circuit Court for Kent county was convened on Monday morning with Chief Judge James A. Pearce on the bench, and the following officers in attendance: Clerk, James T. Dixon; deputy clerk, Whittier C. Copper; State's attorney, W. W. Beck, Esq.; sheriff, Lionel J. Keyser; deputy, S. E. T. Startt; crier, John H. Greenward; bailiff to grand jury, Geo. C. Atkinson; court bailiffs, Charles H. Hurlock and S. Q. Moody; court stenographer, John J. Hartnett.

Judge Pearce designated Mr. Philip G. Wilmer as foreman of the grand jury which was drawn as follows:

Philip G. Wilmer, foreman;	Harry T. Rash,
A. S. Crouch,	Harry R. Graham,
Purnell Jefferson,	J. Ronnie Byron,
Wm. F. Stoops,	Purnel Jump,
John E. Hadaway,	Charles H. Crewe,
J. Raymond Bowers,	Howard Turner,
Thos. W. Trew,	George Bell,
John W. Hirons,	J. Neal Willson,
James L. Leary,	Wm. M. Hurlock,
Chas. A. Jessup,	John E. Beck,
Chas. W. Kibler,	Wm. W. Baldwin,
	Joseph H. Clark.

Messrs. John V. Kilbourn and Richard Lockwood were excused from jury service and Messrs. George L. Bowers and E. J. Watson drawn in their stead. The petit jury panel being as follows:

Thos. J. Willis,	Benj. F. Rash,
Samuel Mann,	Wm. R. Larrimore,
John Medders,	Stewart Matthews,
Robert R. Hill,	Lewis P. Atwell,
E. Thos. Massey,	Wm. G. Rasin,
Wm. Parr,	Robert G. Nicholson,
Daniel W. Hadaway,	Azariah M. Kendall,
Theodore Dempsey,	Geo. Spencer Boulden,
E. J. Watson,	Robert Comley,
Francis X. Kraft,	Frank S. Smith,
Geo. W. Hatcherson,	Wm. Hepbron,
E. B. Pennington, Jr.,	Harry Griffith.

The morning session of court was occupied in reviewing the several dockets, marking cases for trial, etc.

Associate Judges Wm. R. Martin and Edwin H. Brown arrived on the noon train and took their places on the bench. Chief Judge Pearce left town on the afternoon train for Annapolis.

The Court appointed Messrs. James F. M. Woodall, Wilbur Eliason and Harry C. Willis county auditors.

The first case called for trial was No. 1 on the appeal docket: Wm. R. Pippin vs. R. F. Parks. This case was a suit growing out of a dispute as to contract provisions. Jury trial, verdict in favor of Pippin with judgment for $27.13. Hope H. Barroll, Esq., was attorney for Pippin, and R. D. Hynson, Esq., for Parks.

Appeal No. 2.—John Jankowsky vs. Robert Jewell. Court trial, judgment for $52.25 in favor of Jankowsky.

Appeal No. 3.—Robert Jewell vs. John Jankowsky. Court trial; judgment for $51.50 in favor of Jankowsky.

The Grand Jury brought in two presentments against Ernest Hill for violating the local option law.

TUESDAY'S SESSION.

Court convened with Judges Martin and Brown on the bench. First case—Geo. W. Bolton vs. Hope H. Barroll, Esq., attorney for Hubbard & Co., of Baltimore. Suit for payment of note. Appealed from Justice Calder. Jury trial; verdict for Bolton, judgment of lower court reversed. John D. Urie, Esq., for Bolton.

D. W. Hill vs. Richard Haggerty. This is a case growing out of disputed conditions of contract in sale of the Kennedyville creamery. Jury trial; verdict returned on Wednesday morning for Haggerty for $53.98; Beck for Haggerty, Smith for Hill.

Madison Brown, Esq., of Centreville, was admitted to practice at the Chestertown bar.

WEDNESDAY.

First case—Disbrow & Co. vs. Canning & Mercantile Co. Suit for bill for consignment of rope. Jury trial, verdict for Disbrow & Co. for $33.40. Smith for company, Beck for Canning & Mercantile Co.

Second case—Wm. J. Vannort vs. American Strawboard Company. Suit for trespass. Case was compromised before it reached a trial. Vannort paying one-half the costs, and the strawboard mill paying the other hnlf of the costs and for the straw.

Grand jury found presentments against Chas. Guss for stealing talcom powder and witch hazel soap from F. H. Harper, and against Alexander Hamilton for larceny of clothing from F. H. Harper.

At the afternoon session the grand jury brought in true bills—Alex. Hamilton, for larceny; Thos. Matthews, for assault; Thos. Matthews, for carrying concealed weapons, and the following presentments, Grover Greenwood, (3) violation of the local option law; John Comegys, carrying concealed weapons, and one for assault; Benj. Greenwood (2) violation of the local option law. Harry Hopkins for stealing gilling skiff.

Case of State vs. Emory Sewell for violation of local option law. Jury trial; verdict guilty. Beck for State, Townshend for Sewell.

Case of State vs. Charles Guss, accused of larceny of store goods from F. H. Harper at Still Pond. Court trial; verdict not guilty. Beck for State, Townshend for defense.

THURSDAY.

Court convened with Judges Martin and Brown on the bench.

State vs. Alfred Spencer for disorderly conduct on streets of Galena. Court trial, verdict guilty. Fined $1.00 and cost or to be confined in county jail until paid. Beck for State, Urie for defense.

State vs. Thos. Matthews for assault upon Alex. Barroll. Plead guilty to charge of assault. Tried by jury for carrying concealed weapons. Verdict guilty. Sentence withheld. Beck for State, Townshend for Matthews.

State vs. Alexander Hamilton, larceny of overcoat from store of F. H. Harper. Court trial; verdict guilty, Sentence withheld. Beck for State, Townshend for Hamilton.

Grand jury brought in true bills against Benj. Greenwood for violation of local option law; Edw. Armstrong, same, and one against Grover Greenwood for same offense.

State vs. Grover Greenwood. Violation of local option law. Plead guilty, Sentenced to a fine of $500 and costs, or House of Correction for 12 months in default of payment.

State vs. Ernest Hill, violation of local option law. Plead guilty. Sentenced to fine of $100 and costs, or in default thereof to be confined in House of Correction for six months.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Grand Jury brought in true bill against Harry Hopkins for stealing skiff, also presentments against Edw. Harris for larceny of two suits woman's underwear the property of Lizzie Lee, value $2; against Marian Comegys of being accessary before the fact in assisting Hayes Comegys to escape from jail; against Joseph Walker upon same charge; against Hayes Comegys for attemping to break jail; against Harry Hopkins on same charge.

State vs. Harry Hopkins for lanceny of skiff, court trial; verdict guilty, sentenced to two years in penitentiary. Beck for state, Smith for Hopkins. Court adjoined until 9.30 o'clock this morning. The Grand Jury will likely finish its work to-day.

CHURCH NOTES.

Chestertown M. E. Church: Preaching at 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Sunday School at 2.15 P. M. Epworth League Meeting at 6.45 P. M. Morning Subject: Our Risen Lord. Evening: Our Resurrection. All are cordially invited.

Rev. F. T. Little, D. D. President of the Maryland Annual Conference, paid his official visit to Christ M. P. Church on Sunday last and preached a fine sermon at the morning service. A fine congregation greeted the President. Rev. A. H. Covey filled the pulpit at night and delighted his audience with an able sermon. Mr. Covey is one of the best young preachers in the Wilmington Conference and his sermons are always full of power and profit.

Rev. D. L. Greenfield, D. D., has sufficiently regained his health as to be able to fill his pulpit to-morrow (Sunday) when he will preach a special Easter sermon. The Choir under the direcion of Prof. A. M. Culp will render special music appropriate to the occasion. At night the Sunday school and Young People's meeting will render an appropriate Easter exercise.

The New Castle Presbytery began an interesting session in the Presbyterian Church, St. George's, Del., at one o'clock on Tuesday. The session was called to order by the Rev. Dr. T. A. McCurdy, of Wilmington. The Presbytery then elected the Rev. Wilson P. M. Beale of Rock and Zion Churches, Cecil county, as moderator, Rev. John Mason Duncan, head of the Wilmington Military Acadamy, was admitted as a member from the Vincennes, Indiana, Presbytery. Much important business was transacted including the election of commissioners to the General Assembly which meets in Winona, Indiana, in May, and the discussion of union with the Cumberland Presbytery. The Presbytery voted unfavorably on the overture to unite with the Cumberland Presbytery (the churches in the South). Commissioners elected to the General Assembly were Rev. J. B. North, of Snow Hill, Md.; J. Edgar Franklin, Wilmington; Elders H. C. Ellison, Mount Pleasant; William S. Prickett, Wilmington.

The Maryland delegates to the International Christian Endeavor Convention, which meets in Baltimore July 5 to 10, numbering about 10,000, will have their headquarters at Northminster Presbyterian Church, on the corner of North avenue and St. Paul's streets. It will be here that the delegates from every society in the state, including those from this county, will be expected to register, and secure the convention privileges, upon the contribution of $1.00 for one share of the convention stock. The other states and countries which will have their headquarters at Northminster Church will be Vermont, Mexico and South America. The headquarters of the Juniors, who are to be given a grand rally on the afternoon of July 6, in the Fifth Armory, will be in Brown Memorial Presbyterian Church. It is likely that one or more members of the general "committee of 1905" will visit several of the societies in this county very soon, and give a complete explanation of the convention affairs. There are nearly 275 societies in the state.

Kennedyville M. P. Church, Rev. R. S. Rowe, pastor. Texts of sermons for Sunday, April 23rd: 10.30 A. M., "Who shall roll us away the stone from the door of the sepulchre?" 7.30 P. M.. "Now that the dead are raised, even Moses shewed at the bush," etc.

The Choirs in all the Churches of the town have been rehearsing special music for to-morrow, Easter Sunday.

The congregation of Mt. Royal avenue Methodist Protestant Church, Baltimore, presented their retiring pastor, Rev. F. H. Lewis, and his wife, a handsome silver service on Tuesday night. The members assembled at the church and went in a body to the parsonage, where the presentation took place. Rev. Wm. M. Poisal made the presentation speech. Rev. Mr. Lewis left on Thursday for Pittsburg, where he will take charge of the First Methodist Protestant Church, at a salary of $3,000 per year.

St. James M. P. Church.—10.30 A. M. Special Easter services by Sunday school and choir. The offering will be for Home Missions.

Lynchs 3 P. M. Preaching by Rev. R. S. Rowe, of Kennedyville. Easter Hymn's by the choir. Public cordially invited to both services.

The Maryland Sunday School Union invites all Sunday Schools in Maryland to observe April 30th as Decision Day. It is not intended that the matter of Decision be postponed until the day mentioned. It is really a reaping day, a day on which the faithful instruction and personal work of the teachers are manifested. It is hoped' therefore, that the teachers will begin at once, if they have not already begun, to make earnest prayer in behalf of their scholars, and earnest appeals during the lesson hour, and in personal interviews at their homes and else-where, to give themselves to Christ. The pastor and superintendent can greatly aid in their public utterances to awaken serious thought on the subject of religion; and the parents have an opportunity, with their wonderful influence, to make Decision Day a day of ingathering of the precious children and youths of the Sunday School into the kingdom of Christ.

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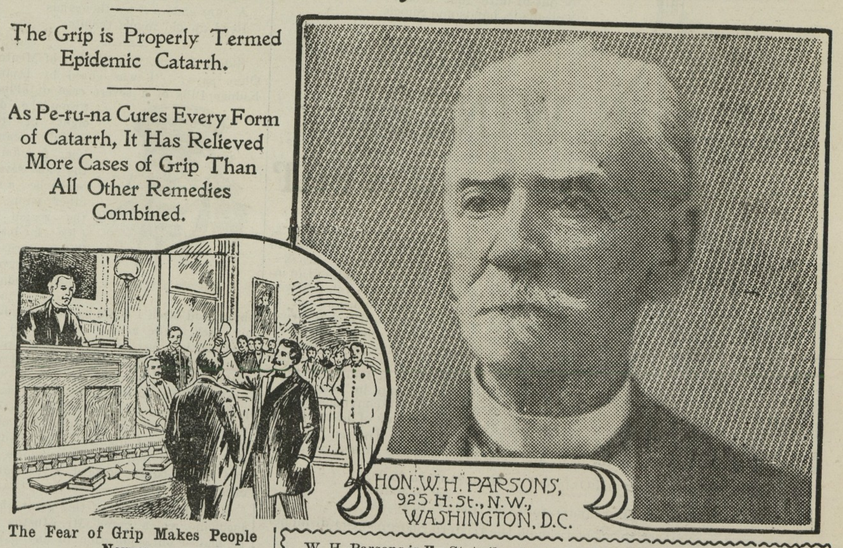
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A great many remedies have been suggested for this condition from time to time, but Peruna is the only remedy that has any substantial value in these cases.

It has never failed to give satisfaction during forty years' experience and still occupies the unique position of being the leading (if not the only) specific remedy for the after-effects of la grippe.

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If you are suffering from the after-effects of la grippe—if you have become discouraged in your attempts to cure yourself with other treatments, take a bottle of Peruna now.

A bottle of Peruna taken during the beginning of the disease is worth more than a dozen bottles after the trouble has become deep-seated.

Miss Eugenie Lafortune of 110 Berrie street, Montreal, Can., writes:

"Peruna cured me of a severe case of la grippe when nothing else had any effect on me. Five bottles did the work and they were worth hundreds of dollars for the comfort and health restored to me. I therefore feel that the least I can do is to gratefully acknowledge its merits."—Eugenie Lafortune.

W. H. Parsons is Ex-State Senator and Ex-Special Judge of the Supreme Court of Texas, and was also Brigadier-General in Confederate Army. In a recent letter from 925 H street, N. W., Washington, D. C., this prominent gentleman says:

"Upon the recommendation of personal friends and many strong testimonials as to the efficacy of Peruna in the treatment of the numerous symptoms of the grippe with which I have been afflicted for four months past, I have been induced to undergo a treatment with this justly celebrated formula. I feel a decided change for the better after using it only one week.

"It is especially good in toning up the stomach and has had a decided effect upon my appetite. I therefore feel much encouraged that I am on the road to complete restoration.

"My numerous friends in Texas, where I have had the honor to command a brigade of her Veteran Cavalry in a four years' war, may accept this voluntary testimonial to the merits of Peruna as a sense of obligation on my part for its wonderful efficacy."—W. H. Parsons.

A reward of $10,000 has been deposited in the Market Exchange Bank, Columbus, Ohio, as a guarantee that the above testimonial is genuine; that we hold in our possession authentic letters certifying to the same. Every one of our testimonials are genuine and in the words of the one whose name is appended.

County W. C. T. U. Items.

The County Executive Committee met with Mrs. S. M. Usilton on April 12. In absence of president, Mrs. Shafer presided and the following motions prevailed: Voted to defer consideration of convention until next meeting. A request was ordered sent to grand jury and State's Attorney to investigate the manner in which cigarettes are procured by small boys. Voted to co-operate with the efforts of the State Anti Saloon League. The following has been received. "Kindly announce among W. C. T. U. that all persons interested in the temperence question in Kent are invited to attend a conference in the M. E. Church, Chestertown, next Thursday, April 27, at 11 A. M., I will be there and speak of Anti Saloon League work and methods, and we will arrange to help the temperance cause in Kent." C. A. Grise, Supt. for American Anti Saloon League for Maryland.

The treasurer's report showed an unusual promptness in payment of dues and enabled the executive to cancel all indebtedness to date.

PRESS SUPT.

With Our Advertisers.

The attention of contractors and builders is called to the advertisement of the building committee of the Visitors and Governors of Washington College to the proposal for bids to erect the handsome administration building on the College campus. Plans and specifications are in the hands of the committee which is ready to submit them to all those desiring to make bids. See the advertisement in another column.

C. W. Hague, of Still Pond, has his spring advertisement in this issue, calling attention to his splendid line of carriages, runabouts and farming implements. This is one of Kent's reliable houses, and the character of the work done is first-class. He will attend to all orders with promptness. Give him a call.

Bradford Pierce calls the attention of our readers to his spring opening. He has a splendid display of men's, women's and children's shoes in all the latest styles. His store at Galena is headquarters for special lines of shoes, and you'll make no mistake in giving him a call.

Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, letters of Administration upon the personal estate of

SIMON SMITH,

late of Kent county, Md., deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 7th day of October, 1905, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. Given under my hand and seal this 28th day of March, 1905.

R. D. HYNSON,
a1-4t. Adminisotratr

Subscription to the Transcript $1.00 per annum.

STATEMENT

Showing the Condition of the

Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance

Company, of Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 31st., 1904.

Total Income	$36,711,149.57
Total Disbursements	21,903,183.97

ASSETS.

Real Estate Owned by Company	3,374,607.53
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate	93,386,076.20
Loans on this Company's Policies Assigned as Collateral	16,555,450.00
Premium Notes on Policies in force	313,740.46
Bonds and stocks Owned by Company	70,930,530.58
Cash in Office and in Bank and Trust Co's.	3,588,036.85
Interest and Rents due and accrued	2,910,082.40
Net Uncollected and Deferred Premiums	2,006,089.92
Agents' Debit Balances	17,091.02
Market Value Bonds and Stocks over Book Value	1,712,819.35
Gross Assets	$194,794,524.31

ASSETS NOT ADMITTED.

Agents' Debit Balances	17,091.02
Total Admitted Assets	194,777,433.29

LIABILITIES.

Net Reserve	$158,826,634.00
Present Value of Amounts not yet due on Matured Installment Policies	788,354.00
Policy Claims	583,676.97
Dividends due Policy Holders	406,937.12
Accts, Commission, Etc.,	75,230.72
Premiums Paid in Advance	36,917.72
Unpaid Contracts	2,215.00
Dividends Apportioned to Policy Holders	2,921,181.03
Tontine Surplus	22,859,507.97
Unassigned Funds and Surplus	8,276,778,76
Total Liabilities	$194,777,433.29
Amount at Risk in United States, Dec. 31st, 1904	708,552,287.00
Amount Written in Maryland during 1904	1,051,250.00
Premiums in Maryland in 1904	486,636.91
Losses Paid in Maryland in 1904	230.722.00
Losses Incurred in Maryland in 1904	244,330.00

STATE OF MARYLAND,
Insurance Department,
Commissioner's Office,

BALTIMORE, January 16th, 1905.

I hereby certify, that the above is a correc copy of the Statement of the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company of Milwaukee, Wis. to December 31st, 1904, now on file in this Department.

FRANK I. DUNCAN,
Insurance Commissioner.

a15-3t.

DOWNES & MILLER, General Agents, Baltimore, Md.

M. B. NICHOLS, District Agent, Easton, Md.

Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Kent county, letters testamentary upon the personal estate of

SARAH N. JONES,

late of Kent county, Md., deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 7th day of October, 1905, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. Given under my hand and seal this 28th day of March, 1905.

GEORGE JONES,
a1-4t. Executor.

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