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LOCAL MATTERS.

Sale Date Changed.—The date of the sale of the personal property of Mr. Joseph H. Porter on the Reese Beck farm near Worton Manor has been changed from Thursday Dec. 28, to Thursday Dec. 21. Please bear this fact in mind.

Chester River Appropriations.—Secretary Shaw asks for $3,000 to establish range lights on the Chester river, in Maryland. The navigation of this river is dangerous at night, as the channel is narrow. These lights are needed to enable vessels to keep clear of the shoals.

Farm Purchased.—Mr. P. D. Spaeth, of Philadelphia, has purchased the farm in Morgnec owned by Mr. J. A. Stauffer. The tract contains 140 acres and is under excellent cultivation. The price paid is private. Mr. Frank Ivens, who is now located on the Almshouse farm, will tenant Mr. Spaeth's farm next year. The deal was made by J. Waters Russell, real estate.

Woman's Suffrage.—Woman's suffrage was put into practice at the Overall Plant this week, when the young lady operators decided by a close vote to close the plant during Christmas week. There was considerable scheming and wire-pulling but those favorable won out, and Manager Larrimore is a full fledged woman's suffrage man from now and hereafter.

Bridge Offered Havre De Grace.—The tax payers of Havre de Grace are considering whether to accept a tender of the old P. B. &. W. R. R. bridge over the Susquehanna to be converted into a toll bridge for vehicles. It is said that the cost of removing the structure would be fully $65,000, and the railroad management prefers to give it away under certain conditions. Considering the cost of repairs, liability for damages, etc., the gift might prove an elephant and it is likely that the city will decline the offer with thanks. The railroad is required to transport passengers and vehicles over the river free of cost, and few there be who would care to pay a toll when they can be transported free.

Paid Conscience Money. — Deputy Treasurer John Haddaway was quite surprised on Wednesday morning when a gentleman walked into his office in the Court House and stated that he wanted to pay the taxes of a certain individual which had been in arrears since 1896. The gentleman handed Deputy Haddaway $150, but refused to divulge either his own name or the name of the person for whom the taxes were paid. Mr. Haddaway made a memorandum of the payment, and wrote an explanation of the occurrence in order that the money may be properly accounted for on the Treasurer's books. Such occurrences are exceedingly rare in this county, but there are no doubt many who wish that the conscience of *their* debtors was sufficiently keen to prompt them to pay what they owe.

Pythian Jubilee in Baltimore.—A grand march with half a dozen bands in line, from the City Hall Plaza to the Lyric; a dinner to distinguished guests at the Belvedere and the confering of the page rank upon the largest class ever initated in the history of the Order in the United States were the features of the thirty-eighth anniversary jubilee celebration of the Knights of Pythias, Baltimore district grand domain of Maryland, Thursday afternoon and evening. There are about 4000 members of the Order in Baltimore city; 450 in Baltimore county, and 4500 in the State. An attendance of no fewer than 3000 was expected in addition to 500 from Washington several thousand from the counties and a considerable number from Delaware. The class initiated numbered 1100 and included Governor Warfield, Mayor Timanus and other prominent Marylanders.

Educators Meet.—The annual meeting of the Association of School Commissioners and County Superintendents of Maryland was held in Baltimore last Thursday and Friday. Superintendent W. H. Dashiell, of Somerset county, read a paper Friday, entitled "Should Summer Schools Take the Place of County Teachers Institutes?" Before adjourning the association appointed a legislative committee for the purpose of amending the School Law, so that the various institutes throughout the state need not be confined to their respective counties, but may have a union meeting in instances where two counties have institutes which are near to each other. Should the School Law be amended according to this plan, it would also give the institutes the privilege of holding a general convention at some place that may be appointed, and which, in the opinion of the association, would make the meetings more agreeable. School Commissioner W. B. Copper attended the meetings and delivered a splendid speech, on the Industrial Education of the Colored Child, which was highly commended for its excellence. Supt. Melvin was also present and took part in the discussions.

LITTLE LOCALS.

*†*Mad dogs are reported plentiful in and near Golts.

*†*Moving days are near at hand and already there are some who have caught the fever.

*†*Great quantities of poultry have been shipped to city markets during the week for the holiday trade.

*†*The young men of Chestertown are preparing for their annual Christmas dance to be given in Stam's Hall Thursday night, Dec 28.

*†*Washington College will close next Tuesday for the Christmas holidays. Sessions will be resumed Wednesday, Jan. 3rd.

*†*Sunday was one of the most disagreeable days of the year in Kent. The wind blew a gale from the northwest and left in its tracks a cold snap.

*†*Mr. J. W. Beauchamp will operate Brown and Morris' flour mill, near St. Paul's Church next year. Mr. Claude J. Brown will conduct Brice's mill, near Lankford.

*†*Mr. Edward Armstrong and family have moved to the Copper estate, near Fancy school house. Mrs. Copper has not sold the farm as was reported some time ago.

*†*Mrs. John Brice and Mrs. Etta Fountain have rented a part of the double dwelling on Queen street owned by Miss Margaret Plummer, and they will remove there Jan. 1.

***Frank Hopkins, a colored resident of Chestertown, was taken suddenly ill last Sunday morning while digging a grave in Janes M. E. Church cemetery and died Monday morning.

*†*Contractor Wm. S. Carroll who sustained a bad fall last week while at work on the barn on Mr. Edward Jester's farm near Lankford, is able to be out, we are glad to state.

*†*Cashier Richard S. Wallis, of Galena, has purchased of Lewin W. Wickes, Esq., three shares of Galena Bank stock at $50 per share. This bank is in a prosperous condition and its stock is way above par.

*†*Did you ever see such pretty displays of Christmas goods as the Chestertown merchants are showing now? The people will miss something if they fail to come to Chestertown to make their purchases.

*†*The teachers and pupils of the Chestertown High School are busy making preparations for their annual Christmas entertainment, which will be given in the Assembly Hall of the school on Friday evening, Dec. 22.

*†*The Athletic Association of Washington College, last week elected Mr. Carl Gillingham manager of next year's football team, Mr. W. Lusby Nicholson, assistant and Mr. A. Parks Rasin, captain. Good selections..

*†*The new homes of Messrs. Harry Dempsey and Jack Pennington, of Galena, have recently been papered throughout. The work was done by Messrs. Needle Bros., of Chestertown, and is done in their usual neat and artistic manner.

*†*Mr. Vernon Barnett and family returned this week from Cambridge where he has completed the erection of a handsome home for Mr. Arthur Hurlock, made of his cement building blocks. Mr. Barnett has made a very favorable impression in Cambridge, and he is considering plans for the erection of three more dwellings there in the spring. His material is first-class and a most excellent building material.

*†*Mr. Thomas J. Elburn, a prominent oysterman of the Fifth District, left at the TRANSCRIPT office this week several large clusters of oysters which he caught on Swan Point bar. To a brick bat were growing about 20 small oysters in excellent condition, and Mr. Elburn says the catch is but a sample of the bountiful supply of young growth. When asked what is needed for the improvement of the oyster industry he said "REST."

*†*The Mt. Vernon Literary Society of Washington College held an open debate Friday evening, the question discussed being "Resolved, that arbitration can be made a substitute for war.' Affirmative, Messrs. W. H. Davis and S. N. Pilchard; Negative—Messrs. C. Morris and V. R. Truitt. The program was as follows: calling to order, E. G. Breeding, chaplain; address of welcome, W. Houston Toulson; declamation, T. K. Bordley; declamation, C. T. Wheatley; impromptu, A. Hitch; impromptu, W. R. Huey; essay, C. V. Goslee.

Sent Poisoned Candy.

A case which is similar to that of Mrs. Cordelia Bodkin's, of San Francisco, Cal., who has twice been convicted for causing the death of two Dover (Del.) women by sending them poisoned candy, has come to light, and is now being investigated at Port Deposit by the Cecil county authorities.

One morning recently some unidentified person rang the door bell at the home of William Roberts on North street in that town. Miss Roberta Roberts, his daughter, answered the call, and upon opening the door found a neat package of candy, in which was also a gentleman's name card. Thinking that such actions were peculiar none of the candy was eaten.

The candy has since been analyzed and found to contain quicksilver and arsenic enough to kill a dozen persons had they eaten the sweets.

DEATH OF DR. REICHE.

Eminent Physician Killed Late Saturday Night by an Electric Car.

Dr. Peter H. Reiche, one of Baltimore's most prominent physicians was killed by a York road car late last Saturday night, as he was on his way to his home from a professional visit. Dr. Reiche was about to board one car, but instead of getting on from where he was standing he walked around the car almost in front of a southbound car which he did not see approaching. The platform of the southbound car struck Dr. Reiche and knocked him to the cobble stones with considerable force, cutting his head severely in several places and otherwise bruising him. He was placed on a special car and hurried to the City Hospital over the St. Paul street line, but died a few minutes after reaching the Hospital. Dr. Reiche was a brother of the late Mr. Ernest Reiche, of Chestertown and an uncle of Mr. Charles J. Reiche and Mrs. J. E. Ferguson. He was a most prominent physician and was beloved by a host of friends in the city. He was regarded as an authority on medicine in the city and his practice was large and lucrative. His funeral was largely attended by representatives of the medical profession and friends in the city as well as from other parts of the state. Mrs. J. E. Ferguson attended the funeral from Chestertown. Dr. Reiche was 69 years of age, and owned considerable valuable real estate in the city.

Handsome Memorial Stones.

Mr. A. L. Davidson, the proprietor of the Chestertown marble yards, has recently erected a handsome sarcophagus in the Lusby burial lotin Chester cemetery to the memory of the late lamented Josiah Lusby. It is a three-piece stone of the best light Barre Vt. granite, with a base 6 ft. by 4 ft. and stands 5 ft. 6 in. high. In handsome raised letters on both sides of the stone is the word "Lusby." The sarcophagus is ornamented with rich carving of the finest 10 cut work. On each side of the pediment is an old English "L". The marker at the head of the grave bears the inscription "Josiah Lusby." It is one of the handsomest memorial stones in the cemetery, and is finished in Mr. Davidson's usual excellent manner.

Mr. Davidson has also recently erected in the Hepbron burial lot in Still Pond cemetery a handsome memorial stone to the memory of the late Archer Kerr Hepbron. The style of the stone is a sarcophagus of dark Barre granite. On the face of the die in handsome raised letters is the incription "Archer Kerr Hepbron, son of Archer M. Hepbron and Lida P. Merritt, Died July 28, 1905. On the bevel of the die are the words "Our son" in raised letters in full relief. The quotation reads "And God looked upon the young man and loved him"—a most fitting epitaph to such a noble young life. Mr. Hepbron is buried in Shrewsbury cemetery and a handsome stone will also be placed at his grave there. The stone is a very handsome memorial and is of the best workmanship and finish.

With Our Advertisers.

J. Waters Russell has a very pointed and convincing advertisement for property owners on the 4th page. Read it. Read every word of it. Think about it. Think about it well.

Jarrell's great selling out sale is to continue a few weeks longer. He has some splendid bargains left yet, but his goods are going fast. His large advertisement on page 8 will give you the key to his sales to-day.

Medders & Co's big Christmas supplement is very attractive this year. You will find it in to-day's paper. It is well worth your reading for it contains bargains too numerous to mention. There is an immense stock of Christmas goods in this large store, and they will all go at bargain prices. Preserve the s-up plement.

Harry F. Jefferson's big supplement in this issue offers big inducements in the prices of dress goods, notions and millinery. Christmas at this big store will offer bargains rich and rare, and you will find a fresh and splendid assortment of goods from which to select a valuable Christmas present.

Old Kris has his headquarters in the large department store of Arlington L. Sparks this year. You will find him in the beautiful display window offering anything from a dainty silk handkerchief to a fine fur muff or stylish coat. He'll bid you a royal welcome. Walk in and buy your Christmas gifts.

N. Lieberman, at Melitota, expects to have a big Christmas. He has provided a splendid stock for the trade in groceries, candies and confections, general merchandise, etc. Prices right at Lieberman's all the time.

Read J. H. Sides Christmas advertisement this week. His store is brim full of beautiful presents. Rare inducements.

KENNEDYVILLE ITEMS.

Miss Margaret Kennedy, from Baltimore, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Kennedy.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Kennedy were shopping in Baltimore last Saturday.

Mrs. Hurtt is erecting a new granary and addition to her dwelling on her farm tenanted by Mr. John Comeygs.

Mrs. J. E. Merriken and daughter, Ethel, are visiting Mrs. Merriken's mother, Mrs. S. E. Rhodes, near Queen Anne's, Md.

Farmers are busy butchering their hogs.

The mill wrights are busy putting in machinery for Mr. R. Haggerty's feed and meal mill here.

Kennedyville W. C. T. U.

It was the pleasure of the Kennedyville W. C. T. U, to greet an unusually large and appreciative audience last Tuesday evening, Dec. 12, at their regular meeting held in the M. P. Church. With Miss Lula VanDyke at the organ, the meeting opened with a short song service and the song, "We are Coming dear Leader to answer Thy call;" prayer by Rev. Mr. Holt, of Still Pond. A scripture reading by Mrs. Jarrell, Romans 12; and a fine solo by Miss Annie Dryden, of Baltimore, "The glory Song." Report of meals served on election day was given by Mrs. Shafer, who reported a net gain of $41 to be added to our treasury. Mrs. Jarrell stated that she would be glad if all subscribers to the "White Ribbon Herald" would renew their subscription by handing her the amount required or send the same to the publishers and report to her that she may credit the same. A beautiful solo was given by Mrs. Clara Reese, "We are Building for Eternity."

After some other business transactions the president introduced as the speaker of the evening, Rev. W. L. White, of Chestertown, who chose as the basis of his remarks, Exodus 21st Chap. 28, 29 verses. "If an ox gore a man or a woman that they die, then the ox shall surely be stoned, and his flesh shall not be eaten, but the ow ner of the ox shall be quit."

"But if the ox were wont to push with his horns in the time part, and it hath been testified to his owner and he hath not kept him in, but that he hath killed a man or a woman, the ox shall be stoned and his owner also shall be put to death." The following thoughts were presented:

"The liquor traffic represents this gigantic ox that stalks boldly over this beautiful country of ours. Has the saloon ox been wont to push with his horn? Yes. He was once thought very gentle and perfectly harmless, a necessity, but alas! his apparent gentleness has only given him the opportunity to work the greater destruction. If he suddenly destroyed men he would be put to death, but his work is gradual, nevertheless sure, since one hundred thousand of our boys and girls were last year gored and tramped beneath the feet of this stupendous ox, some of them the best and brightest of our nation, none are exempt. He is not only dangerous but an expensive beast, since it cost one billion, eightymillion dollars last year to feed this enormous ox. Shoes for thousands, bread for starving children and all the home-comforts of those whom he gores and their dependent families went to feed this gluttonous beast.

But the question has arisen "What shall be done with the beast?" some say "Keep the people out of the way." Others say, "Teach the children to fear and avoid him:" still others say, "Drive him over in the other county" this is local option, and yet another says, "We will make him more respectable, we will polish his horns, and make him a more attractive place in which to dwell" this is high license; still another class says, "We will stone him with the ballot, he must be killed," and this is the measure that makes him bellow and howl! God is not mocked, righteousness must prevail, and the edict is that he shall be sent to the realms of perdition from whence he came. "What is your attitude in the matter?" Everyone is called to do his best and may God help us to answer truly, for surely this is a monster evil, a child of the evil one, and he shall be sent back to the pit of darknsss from whence he came, and let all the people say "Amen."

Miss Dryden favored the audience with another solo "Ship Ahoy!" A canvass for members resulted in one new member. After a few pertinent remarks by the president the choir sang, "Shine on" and the meeting was dismissed with the benediction by Rev. Albert Jamison of the Presbyterian Church.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Rev. F. J. Connelly, of Wilmington, Del., visited friends in Kent last week.

Mrs. Charles S. York, and little granddaughter, Margaret York, of Baltimore, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob F. Thompson, and Mrs. York's son, Mr. Charles S. York, last week.

We are glad to state that Mr. Horace Reed, engineer on the Kent train is able to be at the throttle, after an attack of sickness.

Mrs. Annie H. Hayes injured her arm last summer while in bathing at Asbury Park. The injury gave her considerable trouble and last week she visited a specialist in Baltimore, who applied the x-ray to the injured member. A small bone was found to be fractured and she now has her arm in splints. It is improving rapidly.

Mr. Louis J. Hayes, representative of the Prudential Life Insurance Company here has been promoted to the position of Assistant Superintendent at Dover. He has assumed his new duties, and will no doubt make a great success of his work.

Mr. Medford H. Crew has been appointed a deputy game warden for Kent county.

Mrs. E. A. Brownly, of Baltimore, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. R. Pippin, at Pippin's Hotel.

Supt. Milton Melvin was present at a dinner given to the educators of the State by State Superintendent M. B. Stephens, at the Hotel Rennert, Baltimore last week.

Miss Anna Willson, of Edesville, has been in Washington for some weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Canby, of Betterton, will probably spend the winter in Mexico after touring the Southern States.

Mrs. Luther Cole is much improved, having been paralyzed recently.

Master Roger Harris, son of Mr. Carson Harris, has been quite ill with scarlet fever.

Mr. H. L. Crewe is completing a large and commodious dwelling on his farm near Betterton.

Miss Anna Dryden, of Crisfield, who has been for some weeks the guest of Mrs. Wm. G. Rasin, has returned to her home.

Thomas Hill, Esq., of Baltimore, was in the county during the week on business.

Mrs. Edward J. Clarke, of the College, is spending the Christmas holidays with her sister, Mrs. E. B. Freeman, in Norfolk, Va.

Master Stephen R. Collins is the guest of Miss Catharine B. Hopper, in Baltimore.

Mrs. Joseph Gerker, nee Miss Bertha Hynson, formerly of Chestertown, but now of Louisville, Kentucky, was recently tendered a theatre party by a prominent society lady of that city.

Mrs. Charles Carpenter, of Boston, Mass., was recently entertained by Mrs. Jack Gardiner, the acknowledged leader of the Hub's 400. Mrs. Carpenter is the daughter of Mrs. A. J. Hynson, of Chestertown.

Mrs. Samuel Roseberry and Mrs. H. L. Crew have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roseberry, Baltimore.

Miss May Sheridan, Miss Letta Riggs, of Montgomery county, Miss Caroline Fenby, of Baltimore, and Miss Mae Usilton have been entertained by Rev. and Mrs J. M. Sheridan during the week.

Mrs. Wilbur Morris visited friends and relatives in Baltimore this week.

Mr. Harry Barnett, who is connected with the well-known clothing firm of Hamburger & Sons, of Baltimore, was in Chestertown on business this week.

Mrs. Wm. A. Smith and Mrs. Wm. R. Pippin, have been visiting in Baltimore during the week.

Mrs. A. L. Houston will leave town on Monday for Washington, D. C., where she will spend the winter with her granddaughter.

Mrs. J. L. Smyth has returned to her home from Baltimore, where she has been for special treatment, very much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. John Norris, who have been making their home in Chestertown for some months, will remove to Wilmington, Del., the first of the year. Mr. Norris has been connected with the electric light plant here for sometime.

Mr. George French returned from Elkton last week, and assumed charge of his duties as Superintendent of the Prudential Life Insurance Company here. Mr. French is a hustler and will make the business go.

Mr Robt. A. Shallcross, representative of the Prudential Life Insurance Company at Rock Hall, has been presented with a wallet by the company, for doing an extra amount of business. Mr. Shallcross is a most valuable representative of the company.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hackett, of Still Pond, have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Mary Willie, to Mr. Charlie Alfred Jewell, on Wednesday, December 27th, at seven o'clock in Still Pond M. E. Church.

Miss Nannie Bordley and Miss Mabel Toulson have been viisiting in Baltimore during the week.

Mrs. G. H. Beaston, of Brooklyn, N. Y., has been the guest of her mother Mrs. Rachel Redmile, near Kennedyville.

Miss Florence Green, who has been in Baltimore during the past week for special treatment, is reported very much improved, we are glad to state.

Mr. Thomas D. France attended the funeral of his aunt in Baltimore this week.

Mrs. S. F. Smith and daughter, Miss Fannie, have, removed to Fairlee where they will make their home with her son, Dr. Frank W. Smith. Mr. A Levine will occupy the Smith store room on High street, opposite the Voshell House after Jan. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lynch, of near Kennedyville, have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Effie Regina, to Mr. Walter Howard Hickman. The ceremony will be performed in Grace Presbyterian Church, Kennedyville, Tuesday evening Dec. 19th.

Mr. H. C. Powell and daughter, of Kennedyville, are visiting in Philadelphia.

Miss Lucy Thompson has been quite sick during the week at her home in Broad Neck.

Mrs. Solon E. Anderson, of Philadelphia, is the guest of her brother, Mr. Charles J. Reiche, on Front street.

Mrs. Wm. B. Usilton and daughter, Miss Clara, are the guests of Mrs. Usilton's son, Dr. M. Earle Usilton, in Philadelphia, and of her daughter, Mrs. Percy T. McFeely, in Mt. Vernon, N. Y.

Miss Jessie Woodall, of near Crumpton, is visiting her sister Mrs. David B. Kendall, on High street.

Mrs. Marcelline Burchinal has returned from a visit to relatives and friends in the city.

Capt. Morris K. Barroll, U. S. A. stationed at Newport R. I. is enjoying a short "furlough" with his brother, Hope H. Barroll, Esq., at Byford-on-the-Chester.

Mr. William Welch, a former Chestertown boy, is among the most prosperous and successful young men who have gone elsewhere to make their living. Mr. Welch is now the Superintendent of the Harford Machine Works, Hartford, Conn., and writes us that he enjoys his work very much. Kent boys always make their mark wherever they go.

The marriage of Miss Nancy Willing Murray, daughter of Mrs. Edward Murray, of Elbank, Howard county, to Mr. Felix R. Sullivan, Jr., will take place at 6.30 P. M., Wednesday, Dec. 27, at the St. Paul street, Baltimore, residence of Mrs. Samuel Shoemaker, grandmother of the bride-elect. Miss Murray is of one of Baltimore city's first familes, and is well-known in Chestertown.

Mrs. Joseph Guest has been spending the week with Mrs. Albert I. Dugan, in Baltimore.

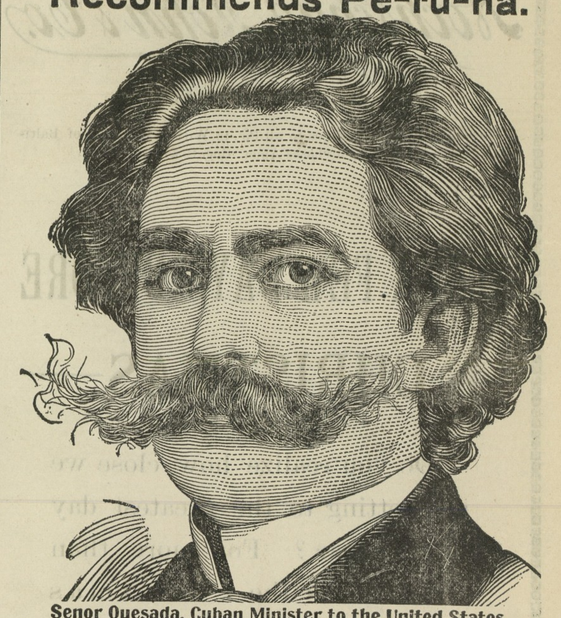
Mrs. A. M. Bowers and daughter, Mrs. Wm. R. Aldridge and daughters, Miss Gladys and Rebecca, are the guests of Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Bowers, in Baltimore.

Col. Wm. P. Howard and family, of Cape Charles, Va., have been the guests of relatives and friends in the town and county during the week.

Mr. Unit Rasin, of Kalamazoo, Michican, has been the guest of Chestertown friends this week.

CUBAN MINISTER TO THE U. S.

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Senor Quesada, Cuban Minister to the United States.

Senor Quesada, Cuban Minister to the United States, is an orator born. In an article in The Outlook for July, 1899, by George Kennan, who heard Quesada speak at the Esteban Theater, Mantanzas, Cuba, he said: "I have seen many audiences under the spell of eloquent speech and in the grip of strong emotional excitement; but I have rarely witnessed such a scene as at the close of Quesada's eulogy upon the dead patriot, Marti." In a letter to The Peruna Medicine Company, written from Washington, D. C., Senor Quesada says:

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Dr. Atkinson's New Clerks.

State Comptroller Gordon T. Atkinson has appointed Mr. Harry J. Hopkins chief clerk in his office to take the place of Mr. B. Frank Crouse, who was recently appointed State Insurance Commissioner. Mr. Hopkins has been a clerk in the Comptroller's office for more than 20 years and is regarded as the best informed man in the office. He is a graduate of Washington College, and one of its most valuable alumni. He has a wide acquaintance throughout the state and many friends. His promotion is much deserved. His salary will be $1,800 a year. Dr. Atkinson has also appointed Mr. Milton Tull, of Somerset county, to fill the vacant clerkship of his office, at a salary of $1,500 a year.

Rebecca's Triumph.

A drama in three acts.

The Chesapeake - 8.00 o'clock.

December 26th, '05.

The local talent of Betterton will present to the public Rebecca's Triumph, a drama in three acts, December 26th, 1905, Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

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