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Are fraught with the mem'ries that 'bout it now cling;
And oft in my dreams I have found them disclosing
The vision of friends as those words they would sing.

I wake for the moment—each word seems to fill me
With boundless compliance for neighbor and friend;
There's a glory ecstatic that instantly thrills me
With emotion I never can quite comprehend.

There's never occasion when I am repining,
And feel the oppression of life and its dross,
But, seeking the "cleft," I can see the light shining—
Revealing that "refuge"—the "Rock" and the Cross.

I cannot decipher life's unwritten pages,
Nor fathom the future's unlimited years;
I know but one haven—the "Rock of the Ages"—
The Rock that assuages our sorrows and tears.

How oft have I fancied when I shall be winging
My flight to the "Worlds" to us mortals "unknown,"—
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CLIFTON SPRY IS GIVEN FIVE MONTHS

Clifton Spry, of 1202 West street, Wilmington, convicted of the illegal manufacture of intoxicating liquor and the possession of liquor and utensils, designed for the manufacture of liquor, was sentenced to five months' imprisonment by Judge Hugh M. Morris, in the Federal Court Monday afternoon. He has already spent 23 days in the New Castle county workhouse, but this is not included in the five-months' sentence. Inability to pay the costs of the case may add another month to his imprisonment.

Spry, who was charged with the manufacture of liquor in Blackbird Forest during the latter part of October, 1922, was not represented by counsel and conducted his own case. He personally cross-examined the Federal agents who were called to testify in the case.

John Peruski, a government agent, testified that he entered into partnership with the accused man on October 19, 1922, to manufacture whiskey in the depths of Blackbird Forest. Peruski testified that he gave Spry $10 as his financial share of the partnership and that the money was used for the purchase of materials for the manufacture of liquor. On October 26 the still was raided. Peruski, while in partnership with Spry, went under the name of "Smitty." Peruski, at one point in his testimony was sharply called to order by the court. In answer to one question, the agent gave the direct answer, and then continued talking, referring to Spry's domestic relations. He was interrupted by Judge Morris, who told him he had gone far enough. Peruski, however, merely smiled and continued to testify, at which point Judge Morris rapped severely for silence, saying to Peruski: "When I say stop I mean it."

Spry denied the charges made by Peruski and other Federal agents who conducted the raid on October 26. He said he had been hauling wood from Blackbird Forest and Peruski had hired him to taake him to the forest one day. He called his wife, Mrs. Bertha Spry, to the stand to testify in his behalf. She attempted to confirm her husband's story, and, referring to Peruski, turned to Judge Morris and asked: "Wasn't Smitty locked up last summer for selling booze?" The judge smiled and declined to answer the question.

Continuing, Mrs. Spry said that Peruski came to the Spry home nearly every night for several weeks in an effort to induce her husband to join him in the moonshine business. Her husband refused, she said, because he did not want to get into any trouble, whereupon Peruski assured them that everything was safe. She quoted Peruski as saying to Spry: "It's all right. I'm on the right side of the government men. Why, I've sold them as much booze as to anybody."

Miss Sadies Hickman, who boards at the Spry home, also testified in Spry's behalf. Spry did not go on the stand. Dr. Herbert Watson, State bacteriologist, testified that samples of the liquor said to have been taken from Spry, which he had analyzed, showed 49 per cent alcohol.

WASHINGTON COLLEGE WINS OVER K. OF C. QUINTET

The St. Mary's basketball team from Wilmington failed to reach Chestertown Saturday night owing to illness among some of the members, but a team from the Knights of Columbus came and gave the Washington College team one of the stiffest fights this season. At the outset of the game, the visitors ran away with things scoring seven points before the local quintet knew what was happening, but the college team soon pulled itself together, and when the game was over the score was 47 to 27 in favor of Washington College.

The visitors played a fine game, but were not equal to the task of defeating Washington College quintet. Washington College has lost but one game this season. The management of the college has erected seats along the line of the floor in the gymnasium for he accommodation of the big crowd now attending the games.

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In Memory Of The Late Nicholas Brown.

The late Rev. Nicholas Brown, the son of Frisby and Sarah Brown, born at Still Pond, Md., April 23, 1858. He was early in life converted to Christ and joined the M. E. Church at Still Pond, Md. For more than fifty years he was a prominent citizen and because of his superior "Gifts," "Graces" and "usefulness," he was recommended by Rev. F. T. Johnson, to be an exhorter and local preacher in the church by the request of the quarterly conference of Still Pond charge, it was granted.

Bishops W. F. Anderson and J. F. Berry consecrated and ordained him Deacon and an Elder in the church by the request of the Delaware Conference M. E. Church. He was very sick for three months with a complication of physical ailments and was tenderly cared for by his doctor, wife and friends.

After an honored and useful life spent among his people, he departed this life on Thursday morning about 2.15 in the full triumphs of faith. His life was a life of service. He was a strong man, useful in life, a model husband and a strong Gospel preacher, and for more than fifty years, he pled for the Cross of Christ, and he wrought well, wherever he was sent as a leader among his people to lift them for better citizenship. His funeral service was held Tuesday, Jan. 23, at 11 a. M., in Mt. Zion M. E. Church, Still Pond, the church he filled with citizens of the surrounding churches, showing their respect to this remarkable man, who was a credit to his race. The funeral was in charge of Rev. J. H. Blake, of Trappe, Md.; Rev. W. C. West, Rev. J. H. Stevenson, Rev. L. E. Hodges, Rev. George Hackett and Mr. J. N. Bennett was a life long friend of Rev. Nicholas Brown delivered fitting remarks touching the life and character of this good man. He leaves a wife, three daughters and a host of friends to survive him.

TELEPHONE NEWS

Shortage of telephone facilities in certain places throughout the United States because of the "continuing and increasing applications for exchange service" is explained by President H. B. Thayer, of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, in a notice which has just gone out to the 3,300 Maryland stockholders with the January dividend checks.

"There can be no better demonstration that the value of telephone service to the public greatly exceeds its cost," says Mr. Thayer in the statement, "than the continuing and increasing applications for exchange service and the constantly increasing use of toll and long distance lines.

"After a year of extraordinary plant extension undertaken with the expectation that by the end of this year we should have ample facilities and in spite of the fact that more telephones have been added than we expected, we are confronted with only a slightly diminished shortage of facilities. In a period of shortage of housing facilities, the flow of population is often in unexpected directions. City houses are turned into apartment houses and large suburban tracts more or less remote from city facilities become quickly covered with residences.

"The central offices and the underground conduits to furnish service in such districts must be of a permanent character to guarantee continuous service, and require a longer period of construction than the houses they serve. In such districts, and on account of such districts, there is still a shortage of facilities although a less shortage than at the end of 1921.

"In other respects, including quality of service, financial operations and financial operations and financial results, the progress during the past year has been gratifying.

"Although complete and final earnings figures for 1922 are not yet ready in detail, they will show, as usual, a substantial margin above dividend requirements."

During 1923, $3,662,000 will be spent in Maryland in adding to the telephone plant. Of this amount $1,567,000 is to take care of the increase in the number of telephone users by furnishing instruments and apparatus for the State during the year.

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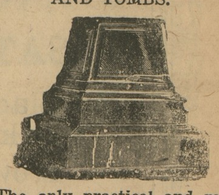

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