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Mary M. Burchinal vs. Jane R. Graves, Geo. Graves, her husband.

In the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity. No. 1520.

ORDERED, this 8th day of July, 1904 by the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity, that the sale of the mortgaged real estate of Jane R. Graves and George Graves, made and reported by Marion deK. Smith, Attorney and Trustee under power in a mortgage from Jane R. Graves and George Graves to Mary M. Burchinal, dated the 19th day of November, 1900 and recorded in Liber J. T. D. No. 4. folio 197, etc. be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 10th day of September next;—Provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county once in each of three successive weeks before the 10th day August next.

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CRABS SCARCE.

The optimistic predictions made a month ago by some dealers in sea foods that crabs, one of Maryland's chief delicacies, would soon cease to soar in prices and would settle to normal conditions about the middle of the summer, have not been borne out by facts. The amphibian and shellfish continue scarce, with no prospects of a change for the better, at least at an early date.

Referring to the crab market, Mr. R. O. Wilkinson, the crab expert with Wm. B. McCadden & Co., said yesterday:

"During my experience of twenty-eigh tyears I have never known anything like the present crab seoson. We are not getting one-third of our normal supply. At this time last year we were receiving from fifteen to twenty barrels of crabs from Queenstown, on the Chester river, alone, and today we get one barrel and that was the first shipment from that place this week. Here crabs are worth $2.50 a barrel today at wholesale, and it is impossible to get them at that price. Last year at this time they were selling at $1 a barrel, with an abundant supply, and thousands of persons were earning a livlihood in the industry. I have neyer known prices to rule so high, and there is no promise of a change of present conditions. There has been thousands of barrels sold in the Baltimore market in past seasons at twenty-five cents a barrel, but not so now.

"Of course when the hard crab is scarce the soft crab is equally so. Soft crabs of the finer grades are wholesaling at sixty-five and seventy-five cents, and he finest are going at retail at $1 and $1.25 a dozen. They rarely ever settle below twenty-five cents a dozen, but it is a long jump from twenty-fiye cents to $I.25 for the same morsel of food.

"Old crabbers down the bay claim that the hard winter is responsible for the great scarcity and consequent high price. It is not generally known, but thunder is fatal to the crab after he is out of the water. Thousands of barrels of crabs are killed during shipment to market by thunder."

Retail dealers gave the same report of the crab market. None of them had ever known the price so high or the supply so limited. The present demand is largely confined to restaurants and hotels.

"Of course," said a retailer, "there is always some family demand, it matters not what the price may be, but the hard and soft crab are now practically the food of the rich. To the man of limited means they are luxuries."

TO INTERPRET JAPANESE

Rev. Mr. Van Dyke Accepts Government Position.

Rev. E. H. Van Dyke, well known in Kent, who returned from Japan last January with his wife on the account of the break down of her health, after spending 14 years there in the service of the Missionaty Board of the Methodist Protestant Church, has accepted a position from the government as interpreter of the Japanese language at Vancouver, B. C. This office came to Mr. Vandyke unsought, being proffered to him on his arrival at San Francisco last January, but was not accepted until circumstances made it necessary to do so. When Mrs. Van Dyke's condition, which is slowly improving, will permit they will return to the Orient.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Dyke are both intensely interested in mission work and hope to do quite a little among the immigrants at Vancouver. Mr. Van Dyke left the home of his parents, in Baltimore, Thursday, expecting to join his wife at Dover, Del., and after spending Sunday with friends in Philadelphia, they will resume their journey and reach Vancouver next Saturday.

Mr. Van Dyke's address will be Vancouver, B. C.

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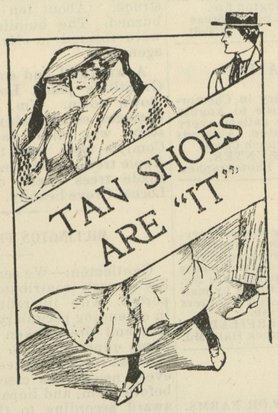

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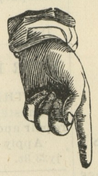

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