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CITY NEWS PARAGRAPHS.

—The Orphans' Court will be held hereafter at 1 p. m. on Fridays.

—A slight fire occurred yesterday in the rear of 716 K street southwest.

—The Logan Camp Guard at a meeting last night changed its name to the Logan Rifles.

—Jennie Fowler was fined $50 in the Police Court yesterday for keeping a bawdy house.

—The postponed picnic for the German Orphan Asylum will be held to-day at Scheutzen Park.

—Mrs. Virginia Scott Yeates, wife of ex-Congressman Yeates of North Carolina, died yesterday.

—The Harvard Club will attend the funeral of Charles A. Wilson at the Church of the Epiphany this afternoon.

—William A. Wilson has filed a bill at the Equity Court against James B. Haliday for a dissolution of copartnership.

—Benjamin Fox was fined $5 at the Police Court yesterday for peppering a street-car with beans from a bean-shooter

—The will of Catherine Bergman, filed yesterday, leaves all her property to her daughters in trust for her grandchildren.

—The School Board will meet at 4 o'clock this afternoon to make arrangements to attend the funeral of the late W. W. Curtis.

—The funeral of H. Clay Douglass took place yesterday afternoon. Rev. C. F. Sontag officiated. The interment was at Glenwood.

—The East Washington Republican Invincibles last night elected a large number of new members and listened to a fine address by Mr. P. O'Ferrall.

—Edward Gilliland, who lives on Twenty-second street, near L, was fined $5 in the Police Court this morning for keeping a dog that bays at the moon.

—"Tug" Wilson, the negro who assaulted James Palmer on Sunday night, was captured in the fire-room of the Jane Moseley yesterday by Officer Sanford.

—Justice Cox has ordered that Mabel Ryan be turned over to Officer O'Neill of the Humane Society. She has been taken to the Children's Hospital.

—Sam. Allen was sent from the Police Court this morning to jail for sixty days for cutting another man in a saloon on Maryland avenue Monday night.

—A bank of earth fell on Prospect avenue, Georgetown, yesterday, and broke the leg of John Garrett, a colored laborer. He was taken to his home, 138 Pierce Place.

—Charles Conway was charged in the Police Court this morning with embezzling some $13 from Ira Godfrey. He was employed in the Swiss Laundry. The case was continued till Saturday.

—A temporary restraining order was made by Judge Cox yesterday, prohibiting the payment out of any money received for sales on assignment of the Golden Eagle Clothing House without further order of the court.

—Grace Smallwood, the colored girl who was arrested in East Washington on Sunday, on suspicion of having caused the death of her infant, was yesterday held by Coroner Patterson for murder. It is said that a member of Ebenezer Church is the father.

Bay Ridge to Close.

Bay Ridge will close its doors on the 6th inst., and this will be the last opportunity to see the great fire-work drama. No extra charge.

Amusements.

Maggie Mitchell is going to build a theatre in Harlem.

Sale of seats begins to-morrow at Harris's Bijou for Edwin Mayo in "Silver Age" next week.

Courtenay Barnes, with Palmer's "Jim the Penman" company, is the widow of the late John T. Raymond.

Box-sheet opens to-morrow morning for Ezra F. Kendall in "A Pair of Kids" at the National next week.

Minnie Palmer's reception in England was an "ovation." That's the only way John Rodgers knows how to spell reception.

The Booth-Barrett combination begins operations in Kansas City on the tenth instant under the management of Arthur R. Chase.

Fanny Rice, who was made a most palpable hit in "Nadjy" at the New York Casino, is to create one of the principal roles in Gilbert and Sullivan's new opera.

Trains for Bay Ridge leave Baltimore and Ohio depot week days at 9 a. m., 1:30 and 4:20 p. m. Returning leave Bay Ridge 7:10, 8:05, 11:45 a. m., 6:40 and 8:30 p. m.

BIG WINNIE'S BURIAL.

The Prize Fat Colored Woman Laid at Rest Yesterday.

Winnie Johnson, better known as "Big Winnie," is no more. Her obsequies took place from her late home on East street in Baltimore yesterday afternoon.

"Big Winnie" died of fatty degeneration of the heart at 11.30 P. M. Monday. She was well-known to the public as the prize fat colored woman, and claimed to be the biggest woman in the world, tipping the scales at 849 pounds. Evans & Spence, the undertakers who had charge of the funeral, experienced the greatest difficulty in preparing the body for burial. They searched every establishment in the city to find a coffin large enough, but without success, and finally they were compelled to order a special box from the Maryland Burial Case Company.

The funeral case measured five feet eleven inches in length (inside), three feet eight inches in width and two feet and two inches in depth. It was impossible to raise the woman from the bed, and the box was placed slanting against the bed and the body rolled into it. None of Evans & Spence's wagons were large enough to hold the box, and one of Frey's theatrical express wagons was required to carry the corpse to the cemetery.

When it was learned that "Big Winnie" would be buried at 4 o'clock, some 600 or 700 persons gathered on the street about the house and stood expectantly to see the huge box containing all that remained of Winnie carried to her last resting place.

It took twenty pall-bearers to lift the coffin.

Even then it was found that it was too large to pass through the door. The window of the store on the first floor was removed and the sash knocked out before the aperture was large enough. Then the express wagon was backed upon the sidewalk and the huge coffin pushed out, and proceeded to Laurel Cemetery, where the interment was made.

Fully 100 colored people followed the funeral, which consisted, besides the impromptu hearse, of two hacks containing the two sons of the deceased and the undertakers and T. A. Johnson, proprietor of the Baltimore Street Dime Museum, where "Big Winnie" had been on exhibition the greater portion of last season.

Arrived at the cemetery, the grave which had been prepared for the remains was found to be almost entirely filled with water, and Manager Jonhson refused to allow the body to be laid at rest there. Another grave had to be dug, and when the excavation had been made night was fast approaching. The grave was 5 feet 6 inches deep, 4 feet in width and 6 feet 2 inches long.

No minister had been brought along, but Brother Walker, of the Sharp-street Church, was found in the vicinity, and he was willingly pressed into service to conduct the ceremony. With the burial of "Big Winnie" the biggest woman known to the world has passed away.

Winnie Johnson was born in Henry County, Kentucky, in the year 1839. As a child she gave no signs of attaining her wonderfully unusual size. When she was fifteen years of age she married a man of her own race by the name of Johnson, and when twenty years of age she began to grow large, until Monday night, at the time of her death, she had amassed the enormous weight of 849 pounds. She was the mother of ten children, of whom three survive her.

Her husband died about six years ago, and soon after she contracted with a showman to go on exhibition, and has since then traveled over a considerable portion of this country. She was in Baltimore nearly all last winter, and left in June to visit her old home in Kentucky. She returned to this city on Tuesday, August 28, and at the time of her death was under contract to go on exhibition at Johnson's Dime Museum in about one month's time.

A Pension Office Scandal.

Wm. T. Fizer, a colored Pension Office clerk, has a weakness for being considered white, and he has fooled a number of people. His last experience resulted in his hasty retreat from the Pension Office and his family for parts unknown. Fizer is nearly white, and a man of good address. He is a graduate of Howard University, and received a salary of $1,600 a year. He was considered by his superiors to be an excellent clerk. He recently got an introduction into the family of a gentleman who keeps a saloon in the neighborhood of the Baltimore & Ohio depot.

Shortly afterward he began paying his addresses to the young lady of the house with whom he seemed to be infatuated. He took her to entertainments and excursions and lavished presents of a more or less costly nature on her, and finally proposed marriage. The lady's family then went to the Pension Office and made some inquiries about him and learned to their horror that he was a negro and had a wife and two children at 1819 Fifteenth street. On learning that he had been exposed he hastily wrote out a resignation and left the city. It is stated that he went to Baltimore. His wife is said to be left in destitute circumstances with several bills to pay.

Forty More Memorial Stones.

It is learned that there are now forty memorial stones yet to be placed inside of the Washington Monument, says the Baltimore American correspondent. Thirty-six only will be placed in position. The balance will be placed in the National Museum, as it is the most suitable spot for them. One of the blocks is from the Temple of Esculapius, on the Island of Paros. Another is a rough block, without any inscription, and is from the tomb of Napoleon. The third has a head carved on it, and this was said to have been done by Egyptians two thousand years ago. The fourth stone is from the original chapel dedicated to William Tell. It is proposed to inlay the thirty-six stones at a height of 270 feet from the ground. Many of these stones were contributed by individuals, colleges, Sabbath schools, fire departments, manufacturers and firms, and they will look like advertisements for the parties contributing them. General Casey, when in charge of the monument, had a large collection of marble slabs presented by the states and foreign countries inlaid, and they appear very well in the positions they occupy.

A Game Broken Up.

Officer Dailey ran in on a meeting of the Freeman's Alley Crap-Shooters Association yesterday. Boneshaker William Hatton had just thrown successively a pair of aces, a deuce and a tray, a deuce and a four, and a tray and a four. The last throw shut him out of the "pot" and it was Brother Edwards Lewis's turn to throw when the policeman made the raid. Hatton concealed the "bones" and Brother Lewis followed to the station-house to get them or find where they were. He was so persistent that he was arrested for profanity and had to give his personal bonds in the Police Court this morning.

A Romance in Real Life.

Sarah Jenkins, has long nourished a penchant for Dave Johnson but Dave has of late become wearied of her. Yesterday she found Dave preparing to go to a picnic with another girl and she whipped out her razor and told Dave that if he went she would cut out his heart and eat it. She was arrested before she had time to use her razor and for 90 days she can only see David on Sundays if he cares to call at the workhouse.

Departure Odd Fellows' Representatives

Messrs. J. T. Petty and M. D. Brainard, representatives of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows, and O. H. Dufour, of the Grand Encampment, leave to-morrow for Los Angeles, California, to attend the meeting of the Sovereign Grand Lodge. Mr. Petty, who is the Auditor of the District, will be accompanied by his daughter, and they will remain in California for thirty days.

A Dishonest Trustee Caught.

A year ago, Eliza Brooks, a colored woman living in Hennings, entrusted to George H. Boston, a colored contractor living here, the wherewith to pay a note for $138.54. Boston delayed payment and made various excuses until yesterday when he was arrested and put under bonds. He promises to make restitution in which case the case is to be nolle prossed.

The Last Days Positively.

Have you seen the fire-works at Bay Ridge? Continues on the 2d, 5th and 6th.

THE DISTRICT GOVERNMENT.

Private C. W. Hopkins has been fined $15 by the Police Trial Board for "hoodling" in the Columbia Railroad office for 45 minutes, on the morning of August 24. Private Otto Holtnorth has been assessed $30 for going into a place where liquor is sold while on duty. Private C. R. Williams went into a saloon at Seventh and L streets and ate a sandwich in ten minutes, and paid $5 for so doing, when he should have been patroling his beat. The charges against Private Royal were dismissed.

S. E. Arnold, of the Washington Asylum, has been promoted to overseer. D. Stewart has been reduced to a watchman, at $365 per annum and W. Schnolfe has been appointed in the place of Stewart.

O. B. Brown, of 411 Spruce street, Le Droit Park, has protested against a suspension of the order of the Commissioners extending the fire limits to take in the park, in order to give N. T. Haller permission to erect 3 frame houses there.

The Commissioners have issued permits to the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company to lay underground cables along the routes proposed in a letter recently addressed to the Commissioners by President Bryan, of the Telephone Company. These permits cover conduits already laid, and also the following new lines to be laid: Commencing on east sidewalk of 15th street, south of H street; running thence north on sidewalk to 15th street to northeast corner of 15th and K streets; across 15th street to Southwest corner of 15th and K streets; with branches from 15th street, between H and I, to cable pole in square 220, and from 15th street, between N. Y. avenue and H, to cable pole in square 222.

THE BASEBALL CASE.

The Washingtons to Have Another Chance to Secure Widner.

An impression that has gained some currency among people interested in baseball, that Pitcher Widner is irrevocably restrained from playing with the Washington nine, is erroneous. The injunction which went into effect yesterday, with Judge Cox's approval of the bond offered by the New Orleans club, operates to prevent Widner from playing with the Washingtons until it can be determined by a further hearing in court, whether or not the injunction shall be made permanent. The injunction stands until the final hearing of the court, unless the Washington club can show some cause why it should be dissolved.

The order of the court reads that Widner is enjoined from rendering services as a baseball player to any persons without the New Orleans club's consent, under the further order of the court.

WEST WASHINGTON.

Nannie Johnson was arrested this morning, by Officer Volkman charged with petit larceny. Officer Lahna, one of the new policemen, is the complainant; and he says that while making an arrest Nannie, who was in the crowd, stole his watch chain. Nannie denies this, and says she found the chain on the ground.

The Seventy-sixth monthly meeting of the First Co-operative Building Association was held last night at Association hall. Money sold at 84 cents. Bonds sold at $219 and with accumulated interest, makes them a value of $221.19. A number of bonds have changed hands during the past month as an investment at $220.50.

Temperature and condition of water at 7 a. m.: Great Falls, temperature 71, condition 12; receiving reservoir, temperature, 77; condition at north connection, 15; condition at south connection, 36; distributing reservoir, temperature, 72; condition at influent gate-house, 13; condition at effluent gate-house, 36.

Georgetown University Notes.

Rev. Father Doonan, ex-president of the University, left last night for New York where he will go to the college of St. Francis Xavier, as professor of philosophy.

Rev. Father Collins, ex-vice prest. of the University, will leave on Friday for Frederick, Md.

Rev. Father Goeding, a teacher at the University and the pastor of the church at Tenleytown, also goes to Frederick.

Rev. Father J. Templeton Gardiner, of St. Mary's County, Md., a former teacher of the University, is on a visit to the college.

Rev. Father Gardiner will be stationed at Frederick next year.

Rev. Father Cataldo, the famous Rocky Mountain missionary father, is a visitor at the college. He has been a missionary among the Indians for 27 years. He is the Superior General of the Jesuit Missions in the Northwest.

Will of James C. McGuire.

The will of Jas. C. McGuire was filed in the Equity Court yesterday. It directs that a plain marble shaft be erected over his grave, and gives $500 to each of the orphan asylums in the city, $500 to the Little Sisters of the Poor and to the Bookbinders' Relief Association. Six months' wages are directed to be paid to each of his employes. He gives his son J. D. the farm "Wilton," in Howard County, Md., upon which he now resides, upon conditions. He gives the Corcoran Gallery his own portrait, by Elliot, with portraits of Col. McKenney, W. C. Bryant and Prof. Joseph Henry. His bequest of his collection of shells is left blank in the will. He directs that the residue of his estate be divided into five equal parts, one for each of his children or their heirs, and that J. D. McGuire put $25,000 into the common fund, provided he takes the Wilton estate.

Local Republican Politics.

The East Washington Republican Invincible Club last night determined to attend the ratification meeting at Hyattsville this evening. They also decided to attend the Republican meeting at Takoma Park, on Tuesday next, and the Republican Union Veteran Club flags raising on the 12th. The Glee Club sang songs, and Capt. Patrick O'Farrell addressed the meeting.

A Square Proposition.

Little Johnny one day surprised his father with:

"Pa, I love grandma and I want to marry her."

"You silly boy, that would be impossible."

"Why, pa?"

"Because—because she is my mother."

"Well, pa, didn't you marry my mother?"

Pa collapses.—[New York World.

At the Forepeak House.

Miss Sadie (to obsequious attendant at dinner)—So you are one of the student waiters, sir. I trust you will accept this (tendering coin) in the spirit in which it is offered.

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OVER THE READING TRACKS.

An Agreement With the B. & O.—A Good Thing for Both.

An agreement has, according to the Baltimore American, to all intents and purposes, been made between the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad and the Reading Railroad for the through route from the West to Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York. "Even when the agreement for through trains over the Reading is completed it will be a couple of weeks before the plan could go into effect," said Third Vice President Lord yesterday. "The contemplated changes would necessitate a complete alteration in our schedule and also changes in the Reading. All changes in trains would require two weeks' notice, and so changes decided upon this Sunday could not go into effect until Sunday two weeks."

The principal subject now to be settled between the roads, and the one on which the through business hinges, is to get the B. & O. trains over the Reading road with the least possible interference with the business of the Reading Company. The schedules have to be examined to determine at what hour it would be the most convenient for the Reading to allow the B. & O. trains through Philadelphia. The greatest trouble lies in getting the B. & O. trains through Philadelphia. mont to Wayne Junction—a stretch of track that is always crowded with coal trains.

When the arrangements are completed, the new vestibule trains will start from New York. This feature brought up the question of recognizing the tripartite traffic contract made two years ago, which was never approved by the Reading receivers.

The tripartite agreement was made in the summer of 1886, and was singed by President Garrett for the Baltimore & Ohio, President Gowen for the Reading, and President Little for the Central Railroad of New Jersey. It was very broad in its terms, providing that the three roads should be used as one through line, and each road was to provide cars proportionate to the mileage it enjoyed, or to pay the company that should furnish them. The receipts were to be divided on a pro-rata basis, with the exception that the New Jersey Central, in consideration of having only a short haul and being a terminal line as well, should receive an allowance for furnishing terminal facilities.

The Baltimore and Ohio, on its part, agreed that during the term of the agreement—999 years—it would not build an independent line between Bound Brook and New York. It further agreed that for a period of two years it would send all freight over the Jersey Central's lines to Jersey City, and for six years it would send all express and passenger trains to Jersey City; but after the expiration of the times stipulated, the freight and passenger traffic could go over to Staten Island.

The business that will go to the Reading through the alliance is estimated at a large amount. When the Baltimore and Ohio ran its trains over the Pennsylvania, before the Philadelphia extension was built, the gross traffic between Philadelphia and New York amounted to about $1,500,000 per annum. Within the last year or two, owing to the lack of connections, it has been very small, indeed. As the company will throw all the business it can over the line in order to make the Philadelphia branch show a profit and to support the extensive terminals on Staten Island, the belief is, that in the next few years the business will increase several times over the old amount.

NEWS FROM CAMP PERRY.

The Refugees Badly Provided for and Dr Hamilton Remonstrated With.

The World's correspondent at Jacksonville, Florida, says that ninety per cent. of the tents at Camp Perry are leaky, rendering them miserably uncomfortable during this rainy weather, and that while the food is fair, the cooking is wretched and accomodations generally insufficient. There were 1 68 people there yesterday, ninety of whom are colored. The correspondent adds:

"Surgeon-General Hamilton has been seen and conferred with, and has gone away, but the people of Jacksonville are just where they were before, except that they have secured some promises. No trains out, except to the health camp, will be run. He did promise, however, that if the deputation would telegraph the Governor and the President of the Board of Health of North Carolina, find out what places were open to refugees and communicate with him, he would then consider whether, in his opinion, the places named were safe. When the camp question, on which the deputation had full information from me, was broached, Surgeon-General Hamilton warmed up and said he had not come there to be bulldozed. He promised, however, to provide better tents, and that a barrack should be built for the white women, better kitchen arrangements and car accommodations, and acknowledged that the camp was very bad."

There were thirty-three new cases yesterday.

Dissolution of Partnership Ordered.

Judge Cox has ordered a dissolution of partnership and appointed Chapin Brown and S. C. Mills receivers in the case of John Kraft and Jeremiah Connor, who have been doing business as blacksmiths. The dissolution was by mutual agreement.

History Repeated

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Gustave Kammerling of this city, assistant engineer U. S. Navy, and Miss Effie Barnhurst of Erie, Pa. were married at the latter place on Monday.

Messrs. O. C. Green and David Fergusson and family left the city to-day on a six weeks' trip to Vancouver, Washington Territory.

Registered in New York last evening: Nicholas M. Bell, Superintendent of Foreign Mails, at the Albemarle, and Col. G. N. Lieber, U. S. A. at the Grand.

Miss Ida Mentonge, daughter of Naval Constructor Mentonge, U. S. N., now stationed at the Portsmouth Navy-Yard, N. H., but formerly at the Washington yard, will be married to Lieutenant Peacock, U. S. N., to-day.

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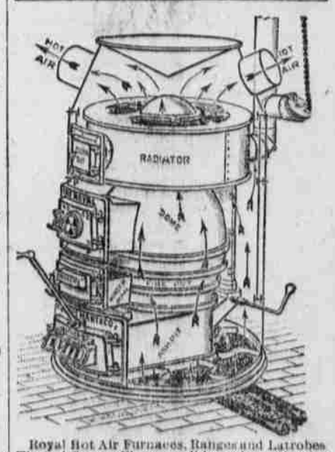

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