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SPECIAL NOTICE—A Dividend of two per cent has been declared on the capital stock of the McLachlen Real Estate and Loan Co., payable to all stockholders of record July 12, 1899. This dividend, in addition to one per cent dividend paid in February, making the total dividends for the six months ending July 1, three per cent. The McLachlen Real Estate and Loan Co.'s banking department has increased over fifty per cent in deposits during the past year. A safe, conservative, general banking business conducted. Accounts are solicited. Hours, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
JAMES F. HOOD, President.
ARCHIBALD M. McLACHLEN, Secretary and Treasurer. jy13-3t

THE CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART WILL BE closed to the public from July 15 to September 17, 1899.
By order F. S. BARBARIN,
jy13-3t Curator.

METROPOLITAN RAILROAD.
On and after Sunday, July 16, 1899, the Metropolitan Railroad Company will give and receive free transfers at the following junction points on its lines:
Brightwood railway, 7th and U sts. n.w.
Georgetown and Tennallytown railway, 32d and O and P sts. n.w.
Washington and Great Falls railway, 36th and Prospect sts.
Six tickets for twenty-five (25) cents will be sold as before, good for one fare in the District of Columbia only. Five (5) cent cash fares will be collected on all lines outside of the District.
It is the intention to give the continuous ride from any point to any other point in the District in one direction, but the company reserves the right to withheld transfers on transfers, which could result in a continuous riding on a single fare.
F. L. HART,
jy13-3t General Superintendent.

ELECTION NOTICE.
By order of the board of commissioners of the town of Arundel-on-the-Bay, Md., notice is hereby given, as required by section 4 of the act incorporating said town, that an election will be held in said town on Saturday, July 29, 1899, between the hours of 3 o'clock and 8 o'clock p.m., for seven commissioners of the said town of Arundel-on-the-Bay.
(Signed) JAS. C. COURTS,
Secy. Commissioners, Arundel-on-the-Bay.
jy8,15,22-3t

THE CHESAPEAKE AND POTOMAC TELEPHONE COMPANY will publish its next Directory on or about August 5. This Directory will contain the names of all the subscribers of the company in Washington and Baltimore, as well as other points in Maryland and in West Virginia. To secure the advantage of listing in this Directory, all contracts must be signed prior to July 20.
Call contract department, telephone No. 1893.
jy13,15,18-3t

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: The firm of C. A. Snow & Co., which was for a period of fourteen years composed of Chester A. Snow and Edward G. Siggers, has been dissolved. Mr. Siggers is located in handsome offices in the National Union Insurance building, 918 F st. n.w., where he will be pleased to greet any local clients. jy11-6t

The Many Imitations of "Berkeley" show what a remarkably excellent whisky it is. The original pure Berkeley Rye is only sold by us, and is worth $1.00 for a full quart bottle.
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SPECIAL NOTICE—THE HALLS OF THE ANCIENS, 1312-18 New York ave., will be open during the months of JULY and AUGUST between the hours of 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. daily (Sundays excepted). ADMISSION DURING JULY AND AUGUST, 25c. Excellent opportunity for study of history.
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SPECIAL NOTICES.

SCOTTISH RITE CATHEDRAL, 1007 G ST. N.W.—A meeting of Albert Pike Consistory, No. 1, M. R. S., will be held on the 17th JULY, 1899, at 7:30 o'clock p.m. Business, general.
By order of WM. OSCAR ROOME, 33°, V. M. K.
HALVOR NELSON, 32°, Registrar, K. C. C. H.
jy15-2t

THE MEMBER OF THE L. A. W. TO WHOM was loaned, on the 14th of May last, at Dickey's, a printed paper or list to obtain subscribers to complete the Great Falls Cycle Path must return the list and amount subscribed (if any) to the secretary, Mr. C. E. Wood, of the G. F. C. P. committee, on Monday evening, the 17th inst., in the Red Parlor of the Ebbitt House, or to the undersigned. JAMES A. DEGGES,
11* 105 F st. n.e.

SPIRITUALISM — MRS. ZOLLER, SPIRITUAL MEDIUM, 802 H ST. N.W. SEANCES SUNDAY, TUESDAY, FRIDAY EVENINGS. INTERVIEWS DAILY. jy15-6t*

THE ROCHDALE SOCIETY. The regular quarterly meeting of the Rochdale Co-operative Society of the District of Columbia will be held at G. A. R. Hall, No. 1412 Pa. ave. n.w., on TUESDAY EVENING, July 18, 1899, at 8 o'clock. An amendment to the constitution is to be considered. Members are requested to attend. Present your Trade Card at the door.
By order of the Executive Committee.
jy15-3t L. S. EMERY, Secretary of the Society.

CHURCH NOTICES.

METHODIST.

WAUGH M. E. CHURCH, 3D AND A STS. N.E. Rev. Geo. E. Maydwell, pastor.—S. S., 9:15 a.m.; preaching by pastor, 11 a.m. and 8 p.m.; subjects, a.m., "The Great Race;" p.m., "Weighed—Wanted;" E. L., 7 p.m. 1t

ST. PAUL'S M. E. CHURCH, 15TH AND R STS. n.w., Rev. Stowell L. Bryant. — 9:30, Sunday school; 11 and 8, public worship. 1t

DUMBARTON AVENUE M. E. CHURCH, BET. 31st and 32d sts. n.w., Rev. Frank H. Havenner, pastor.—9:30 a.m., Sunday school; 11 a.m. and 8 p.m., preaching by the pastor; prayer meeting, Thursday at 8 p.m. 1t

McKENDREE CHURCH, DR. NAYLOR, PASTOR.—11 a.m., preaching by pastor; 7 till 8 p.m., union service, brief sermon, "What is True Philanthropy?" Prayer meeting Thursday. 1t

HAMLINE M. E. CHURCH, 9TH AND P STS. n.w., Rev. W. R. Stricklen, D.D., pastor.—11 a.m., "What Change is Wrought in Conversion?" S. p.m., "Inspiration;" Sunday school, 9:15 a.m.; Epworth League, 6:45 p.m.; Tuesday, consecration; Thursday, prayer meeting. 1t

DOUGLAS M. E. CHURCH.—9:30 A.M., S. S.; 11 a.m., pastor, S. M. Hartsock, D.D.; 6:45, E. L.; 8 p.m., "Joseph in Prison." 1t

MT. VERNON PLACE M. E. CHURCH SOUTH. Rev. J. W. Duffey, pastor.—Preaching by the pastor at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m.; Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; C. E., 7 p.m. 1t

FOUNDRY M. E. CHURCH, 14TH AND G STS., Rev. Lucien Clark, D. D., pastor.—Preaching by pastor, 11 and 7:30 p.m. Morning subject: "The Goodness of God." Evening: "The Face of an Angel." Music by quartet. The League and Church, 7:30 p.m. Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. 1t

WESLEY CHAPEL, 5TH AND F. REV. J. F. Helsse, pastor.—9:30, Sunday school; preaching, 11 a.m., by Rev. Thomas E. Copes; 8 p.m., Rev. J. D. Bloodgood; Thursday evening, prayer meeting. 1t

METROPOLITAN M. E. CHURCH, 4½ AND C sts. n.w., Rev. Frank M. Bristol, pastor.—11 a.m., preaching by Rev. George V. Leech, D. D.; 9:30, Sunday school; 3 p.m., Chinese Sunday school; 7 p.m., Epworth League. 1t

UNION M. E. CHURCH, 20TH ST. NEAR PA. ave. n.w., Rev. Alex. Bielaski, pastor.—9:30, Sunday school; 11 a.m., Rev. J. R. Bloodgood; 7:30, Mr. Geo. W. Wheeler. 1t

TWELFTH STREET M. E. CHURCH.—11 A.M., pastor, Rev. C. T. House; 6:30 p.m., combined preaching and Epworth League service; 9:30 a.m., Sunday school. 1t*

GRACE M. E. CHURCH.—PREACHING BY PASTOR, Rev. E. L. Watson, 11 a.m. and 8 p.m.; 3:30 p.m., Brightwood Park. Seats free. All are welcome. 1t*

THE WILSON MEMORIAL INDEPENDENT Methodist Church, 11th st. s.e. bet. G and I. William Livingston Bruen, pastor.—Sunday school and Bible class, 9:30 a.m.; services, 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. 1t*

TRINITY M. E. CHURCH, 5TH AND PA. AVE. s.e., Rev. E. D. Huntley, LL.D., pastor.—Sunday, 9:15 a.m., Sunday school; 11 a.m., preaching; 6:30 p.m., twilight service. All welcome. 1

EPISCOPAL.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, 23D ST. N.W. NEAR Washington circle, Rev. Alfred Harding, rector.—All seats free. Services: 7:30 and 11 a.m. and 8 p.m.; Sunday school, 10 a.m. 1t

SAINT JOHN'S CHURCH, GEORGETOWN, O ST. bet. 32d and 33d, Rev. Frank H. Barton, rector.—Services tomorrow: Holy communion, 7:30 a.m.; morning prayer and sermon, 11; evening prayer at 6. Vested choir. Strangers cordially invited. 1t

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION, MASS. AVE. and 12th st. n.w.—8 a.m., holy communion; 11 a.m., morning prayer and sermon by the Rev. H. Allen Griffith; 5:30 p.m., evening prayer. 1t

GRACE CHURCH, 9TH AND D STS. S.W., REV. Chas. F. Sontag, rector.—Holy communion at 7:30 a.m.; morning prayer and sermon at 11; offering for the Eye and Ear Hospital; service and sermon at 8 p.m. Seats free. Strangers welcome. 1t*

ST. MARGARET'S CHURCH, CONN. AVE. AND Bancroft place, Rev. Herbert Scott Smith, rector.—Services, 11 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.; Sunday school, 9:45 a.m. All are cordially invited. 1t

PRO-CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF ST. MARK, cor. 3d and A sts. s.e.—7 a.m., holy communion; 11 o'clock, morning service and sermon; 8 o'clock, evening prayer and sermon. Strangers welcome. 1t

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, 16TH AND H STS., REV. Alexander Mackay-Smith, rector.—Services: 8 a.m., holy communion; 11 o'clock, morning prayer and sermon by Rev. Ernest M. Paddock, assistant rector; evensong at 5 o'clock; daily, 4:15. 1t

ST. MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS' CHURCH, 224 st. near F, Wm. R. Turner, rector.—Services: 7:30, 9:30 and 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. The rector will preach morning and evening. All seats free.

FRIENDS.

FRIENDS' MEETING (ORTHODOX), COR. 1ST and C sts. n.e.—Bible school, 9:45 a.m.; meeting for worship, 11 a.m.; C. E., 7:45 p.m.; mid-week, Thursday, meeting, 7:30 p.m. Welcome. 1t

EPIDEMIC OF LOCKJAW.

New York Physicians Alarmed Over Prevalence of the Disease.

The New York World of today says: Six deaths from lockjaw were reported yesterday, making twenty-eight deaths in all in the past four days. Three new cases were admitted to hospitals. There is no longer a doubt that in New York and the cities in its immediate vicinity tetanus is epidemic.

Every case reported is due to a pistol shot wound received on the Fourth of July. Strangely, each of these cases shows that the wound was received in the left hand, with a single exception.

Dr. Cyrus Edson said last evening:

"The prevalence of tetanus is giving the medical profession much concern. The germ of the disease has spread and there is danger in every cut and abrasion which a person happens to get.

"The first thing to do, even in the case of an ordinary cut, say with a penknife or any other instrument, even before a physician is sent for, is to obtain an antiseptic such as iodoform and treat with it the wound.

"Injuries which under ordinary circumstances would go unnoticed should be carefully attended to during the prevalence of the tetanus term. The peculiarity of this disease is that the germ develops through the action of hydrogen. The action of oxygen in the air destroys it.

"Cleanliness is an absolute necessity. The body during the period of the tetanus epidemic should be kept thoroughly clean, so that in case of a cut or an abrasion of the skin the danger of taking the disease will be minimized.

"It was not known until a few years ago that tetanus was a germ disease. Since this discovery the medical fraternity have been examining the symptoms and searching for an absolute cure.

"It is impossible at this time to say that the serum used for tetanus is the best thing to use, but I will say that if I had the disease tonight I would have the serum administered to me.

"The tetanus germs spread the same as do the diphtheretic germs, in periods. The profession did not register the last visitation of the tetanus germ, because it was not known as a germ disease at the time.

"I cannot too strongly recommend the use of great precaution at this time to prevent the disease from spreading."

Damage to the amount of about $50 resulted from fire about 11:15 o'clock this morning in the house of Susan Wooden, 920 Cullinane's alley southwest, caused by the explosion of a gasoline stove. The property was insured.

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CHURCH NOTICES.

PRESBYTERIAN.

METROPOLITAN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 4TH and B streets southeast, Rev. Geo. N. Luccock, D.D., pastor.—Preaching service by the pastor tomorrow at 11 a.m.; subject, "Greatness by Gentleness;" Sabbath school, 9:30 a.m.; Y. P. S. C. E., 7 p.m. All cordially invited to be present.*

NEW YORK AVENUE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Dr. Wallace Radcliffe, pastor.—Services at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m.; evening subject, "At Eventide." Music led by quartet choir, directed by Mr. J. Porter Lawrence, organist. 9:45 a.m., Bible school; 6:45 p.m., Christian Endeavor Society. 1t

FOURTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 13TH AND Yale sts. n.w., Rev. Joseph T. Kelly, pastor.—Sabbath school, 9:30 a.m.; preaching by pastor, 11 a.m.; C. E. Society, 7 p.m. 1t

WESTERN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, H ST. near 19th.—Preaching at 11 a.m. by Rev. James E. Irvine, Ph.D., of Altoona, Pa. No evening service. C. E. meeting at 7 p.m. 1t

CHURCH OF THE COVENANT (PRESBYTERIAN), Conn. ave., N and 18th sts. n.w., Rev. Teunis S. Hamlin, D. D., pastor.—Service at 11 a.m., with preaching by Rev. Henry H. Stebbins, D. D., pastor of the Central Presbyterian Church of Rochester, N. Y. Christian Endeavor meeting at 7 p.m. 1t

ASSEMBLY'S CHURCH.—PREACHING AT 11 a.m. by the pastor, Rev. Geo. P. Wilson, D. D. No evening service. Endeavor meeting, 6:45 p.m. Mid-week service, Thursday evening, 7:45 o'clock. 1t*

THE EASTERN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, MD. ave. and 6th st. n.e., Rev. Thomas Chalmers Easton, D. D., pastor.—Preaching at 11 a.m., subject, "THE MIGHTIEST INTELLECT THE WORLD HAS EVER KNOWN." No preaching in the evening. Strangers cordially invited. Take G st. electric cars. 1t

BAPTIST.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, 8TH AND H n.w., Rev. S. H. Greene, D. D., pastor.—9:30 a.m., Sunday school, Miles M. Shand, supt. Dr. Greene will preach at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. All are cordially invited. 1t

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, 16TH ST. ABOVE Scott Circle, Dr. Charles A. Stakely, pastor.—Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Preaching by Dr. Stakely, 11 o'clock. No service at night. Christian Endeavor meeting, 7 o'clock. 1t

PASTOR E. HEZ SWEM EXPLAINS: "HOW She Got a Lot of Lovers." Sonday night, 8 o'c. Preaching at 11 a.m. by the pastor. Cool Auditorium; short services; free pews; all invited. Second Baptist Church Auditorium, 4th st. and Va. ave. s.e. 1t

E STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.—DR. J. J. MUIR, pastor, preaches 11 a.m., 8 p.m.; subjects, "The Still Small Voice." "The Law of Affinity;" S. S., 9:30 a.m.; C. E., 7 p.m. 1t

ELDER J. T. ROWE, OLD SCHOOL BAPTIST, will preach at Typographical Temple, on G st. bet. 4th and 5th n.w., Sunday, July 16, at 3:30 p.m. 1t*

METROPOLITAN BAPTIST CHURCH, 6TH AND A n.e.—S. S. at 9:30; preaching by the pastor, Dr. G. S. Williams, 11 and 8; B. Y. P. U. at 7 p.m. Public invited. 1t*

CONGREGATIONAL.

MT. PLEASANT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Columbia road near 14th st. n.w.—The pastor, Rev. M. Ross Fishburn, will preach at 11 a.m.; Christian Endeavor at 7 p.m. 1t

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, CORNER 10th and G sts. n.w., Rev. S. M. Newman, D.D., pastor; Rev. B. Alfred Dumm, pastor's assistant.—11 a.m., public worship, with sermon by pastor's assistant; Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; Christian Endeavor, 6:45 p.m. 1t

UNIVERSALIST.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, 13TH AND L N.W.—Services, 11 a.m., under the auspices of the Young People's Christian Union; Sunday school, 9:45 a.m. All welcome. 1t

CHRISTIAN.

VERMONT AVE. CHURCH, F. D. POWER.—11, "Story of Detroit C. E. Convention;" 8, "Character;" school, 9:30; C. E., 7. Whitney Ave. Memorial, Rev. Ira Kimmel.—11 and 8 and Tuesday 8; Sunday school, 3:30. 1t

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, SCOTTISH Rite Hall, 1007 G st. n.w.—Sunday service, 11 a.m.; subject, "Truth;" Wednesday evening meeting, 8 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Linscott, C. S. D.'s readers. Public cordially invited. Seats free. 1t*

REFORMED.

GRACE REFORMED CHURCH, 15TH ST. N.W. bet. R. L. ave. and P st.—Morning service, 11 a.m., by Rev. A. C. Whitmer; Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. 1

NON-SECTARIAN.

THE PEOPLE'S CHURCH, 423 G ST. N.W.—Rev. Alex. Kent, minister, will speak at 11:15 on "Present and Possible Benefits of Labor-saving Machinery." Seats free. All welcome. 1t

LUTHERAN.

LUTHER PLACE MEMORIAL CHURCH, THOMAS circle.—Pastor, J. G. Butler at 11; at 8, he will tell of "Detroit C. E. '95." KELLER MEMORIAL.—Pastor C. H. Butler at 11 and 8. 1*

CENTRAL UNION MISSION.

CENTRAL UNION MISSION, 622 LA. AVE.—Gospel services daily, 12 m. and 7:45 p.m.; Sundays, 3 and 7:45 p.m. For notice of Gospel Wagon and Branch Mission meetings, see Bulletin. 1t

SPIRITUALISM.

MRS. McDONALD, TEST CIRCLE, WONN'S HALL, 721 6th st. n.w.: Sunday night, flower readings and questions answered; wonderful proof of spirit returns. 1t*

SPIRITUALISM.—MEETING BY TEST MEDIUMS Mr. and Mrs. Nobbe on Sunday night at 1009 7th st. n.w. No admittance after 8:15 p.m. Mrs. Nobbe gives sittings daily. 1t*

SPIRITUALISM.—MRS. ZOLLER HOLDS MEETings at parlors, 802 H st. n.w., Sunday evenings; also Tuesday and Friday evenings. 1t*

MRS. NICKLESS WILL HOLD A CIRCLE IN HER parlors, 730 9th st. n.w., Sunday eve., 8 o'clock; Wed., 2:30; Friday, 8 o'clock. 1t*

OTHER SERVICES.

BAPTIST BRETHREN (DUNKERS), NAVAL Lodge bldg., 4th st. and Pa. ave. s.e.—Preaching at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. S. S., 10 a.m. Young people's meeting, 7 p.m. Albert Hollinger, pastor. 1t

AFFAIRS IN ANACOSTIA.

Serious Runaway Accident — Brakeman's Left Hand Crushed.

Information has been received in Anacostia of a serious runaway accident near Oxon Hill, Prince George's county, Md., a couple of days since, in which a young girl named Mary Ward and her sister, Mrs. William Winslow, were injured, the latter seriously. The breaking of a part of the harness frightened the horse they were driving, and as the animal dashed down a steep hill they jumped from the buggy, with the result that both were rendered unconscious by the fall on the road. Mrs. Winslow is still very ill at the home of her father, Elridge Ward, below Oxon Hill, and is under the care of Dr. Simpson of Oxon Hill. In the runaway the buggy was completely demolished.

Mr. Gustave Bender, a resident of Congress Heights, and clerk in the chief engineer's office of the War Department, has declined an offer from the department to go to Havana and organize a bureau of records and archives in the office of the treasurer of the Island of Cuba. The salary offered Mr. Bender was liberal. Secretary Alger decided to create the position, and Mr. Bender was the man given first choice of going.

H. E. Galloway, a brakeman on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, residing in Baltimore, had his left hand badly crushed while coupling cars at Potomac station last evening. When the train arrived at Anacostia Galloway was compelled to go to Dr. R. A. Pyles' office for treatment. The wound was quite serious, as an artery had been several and the man bled freely. It is thought the hand will be saved.

Real Estate Transfers.

O street northwest between 4th and 5th streets—Eugene R. Russell et ux. to Wm. H. Marshall, part original lot 15, square 512; $10 (stamps, $2.50).

Addition to Brookland—Allen W. Mallery et al., trustees, to Frederick E. Kissinger, lots 2 and 3, block 1; $700.

Fifth street northwest between G and H streets—Hannah Bernheim et al. to Bertha and Isabelle Behrend, undivided five-sevenths interest in lot 25, square 486; $5,000.

Bloomingdale—David P. Heap to Geo. N. Beale, lots 9 and 10, block 5; $2,250.

F street southwest between 6th and 7th streets—Richard H. Yates et ux. to the City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, lot 20 and part lot 19, square 467; $10 (stamps, $5).

No. 138 Massachusetts avenue northeast—Edwin G. Niles et ux. to John W. Douglass, lot 16, square 722; $10 (stamps, $2). John W. Douglass conveys same property to Mary M. Niles; $10 (stamps, $2).

B street northeast between 13th and 14th streets—Geo. P. Newton et ux. to Watson J. Newton, lots 112, 113, 114, 115, square 1034; $2,000.

No. 238 Maryland avenue northeast—John C. Heald et al. to the Jacob Tome Institute, lot 25, square 757; $8,600.

Alley between L and M, 2d and 3d streets northeast—John T. Birch to Aleatha V. Gibson and Pauline G. Collison, lots 49 and 50, square 748; $200.

No. 519 21st street northwest—Mahlon Ashford et al., trustees, to Joseph R. Johnson, lot 99, square 104; $2,225.

Twenty-five years ago France was able to put as many soldiers in the field as Germany. Today it falls short by about 1,000,000 men.

RETURNED HOME PENNILESS

Peter Mickens and Abraham Lee Released From Custody.

Major Sylvester Inaugurates an Investigation Into Circumstances Attending Their Arrest.

Peter Mickens and Abraham Lee, the colored men who were arrested Thursday night by Detectives Herndon and Lacy on suspicion of being fugitive murderers, as published in yesterday's Star, were released from custody this morning. After being released Peter and Abraham called at police headquarters to receipt for the few articles that were taken from them. Mickens had given a colored attorney, W. Calvin Chase, all the money he had when he was locked up yesterday, and this morning he complained that he was penniless. Lee declared that he believed the officers were medical students, and even last night while in his cell thinking the matter over he did not feel secure. Not until this morning did he fully realize that he was in safe hands. Mickens also repeated his story of how badly he was frightened when his room was invaded. When they had receipted for the few things they had left at headquarters Detective Herndon went with them and saw Attorney Chase, who had received Mickens' money as a fee.

Declined to Give Small Sum.

Attorney Chase refused to return the money, however, and he also declined a request for a small contribution. The pistol that belonged to Mickens was sold for 25 cents, and then the men went their way.

It had been the intention of Mickens to go to Cliffwood, N. J., where he had been promised a position in a brick yard. With his limited amount of money he could not buy a railroad ticket, and both men started in the direction of the river. They said they were going over in Virginia, where they would make an effort to get work on a farm and earn money enough to buy railroad tickets to New Jersey.

An Investigation in Progress.

Maj. Sylvester is not exactly satisfied with the circumstances attending the arrest of the two men. He is particularly anxious to know about the drawing of the revolver by Detective Lacy. This morning he called upon Inspector Boardman for a detailed report of the affair. It is likely that the detectives will be called upon for written statements of the case. The investigation of the affair will probably not be concluded until next week, when the result will be made known. Maj. Sylvester has always discouraged the use of revolvers by officers, except in cases of actual self-defense. In the present case it is stated that Mickens drew his revolver and snapped it before the officer took his weapon from his pocket.

INCREASING CLOUDINESS TONIGHT.

Threatening Sunday, With Possible Showers at Night.

Forecast till 8 p.m. Sunday—For the District of Columbia, eastern Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland and Virginia, increasing cloudiness tonight; threatening Sunday, with possible showers at night; light southerly winds.

Weather conditions and general forecast—Relatively low pressures and unsettled weather conditions, with showers, prevail in the central valleys and the lake regions. Showers have also occurred in the middle plateau and middle Rocky mountain regions.

The temperature has remained stationary in all districts.

An area of high pressure appears to be developing to the north of Montana.

Showers may be expected in the lower lake region and Ohio valley, increasing cloudiness and showers Sunday night in the middle and north Atlantic states, and generally fair in the south Atlantic and gulf states.

Variable winds will prevail on the Atlantic coast.

The following heavy precipitation (in inches) has been reported during the past twenty four hours: Green Bay, 1.40; Kansas City, 1.10; Dodge City, 1.02; La Crosse, 1.26.

Records for Twenty-Four Hours.

The following were the readings of the thermometer and barometer at the weather bureau for the twenty-four hours beginning at 2 p.m. yesterday:

Thermometer—July 14, 4 p.m., 81; 8 p.m., 77; 12 midnight, 70.

July 15, 4 a.m., 66; 8 a.m., 75; 12 noon, 85; 2 p.m., 86.

Maximum, 86, at 2 p.m., July 15; minimum, 65, at 6 a.m., July 15.

Barometer—July 14, 4 p.m., 29.93; 8 p.m., 29.93; 12 midnight, 29.93.

July 15, 4 a.m., 29.95; 8 a.m., 30.01; noon, 29.96; 2 p.m., 29.95.

Tide Table.

Today—Low tide, 7:21 a.m. and 7:28 p.m.; high tide, 12:38 a.m. and 12:44 p.m.

Tomorrow—Low tide, 8:15 a.m. and 8:16 p.m.; high tide, 1:24 a.m. and 1:31 p.m.

The Sun and Moon.

Today—Sun rises 4:44 a.m.; sun sets 7:27 p.m.

Moon sets 11:02 p.m.; reaches first quarter 6:59 p.m.

Tomorrow—Sun rises 4:45 a.m.

Moon sets tomorrow 11:36 p.m.

The City Lights.

Gas lamps all lighted by 8:02 p.m.; extinguishing begun at 3:56 a.m. The lighting is begun one hour before the time named. Arc lamps lighted at 7:47 p.m.; extinguished at 4:11 a.m.

Condition of the Water.

Temperature and condition of water at 8 a.m.: Great Falls—Temperature, 80; condition, 25. Receiving reservoir—Temperature, 81; condition at north connection, 18; condition at south connection, 36. Distributing reservoir—Temperature, 80; condition at influent gate house, 36; effluent gate house, 36.

At Harper's Ferry.

The water in both the Potomac and Shenandoah rivers at Harper's Ferry is reported clear today and fishing good.

THE COURTS.

Equity Court No. 1—Chief Justice Bingham.

Herbert agt. Herbert; petition for reduction of alimony dismissed. Van Riswick agt. Beall; sale decreed, with W. J. Lambert and Charles Bendheim trustees to sell. James agt. Luckel; auditor's report confirmed. Payne agt. Payne; testimony before R. E. Hutcheson, examiner, ordered taken. Better agt. Better; divorce a vin. mat. granted. Murray agt. Murray; do. Zoll agt. Zoll; do. Fague agt. District of Columbia; injunction dissolved.

Circuit Court No. 1—Chief Justice Bingham.

Bergman agt. Hobart et al.; bond on appeal fixed at $100. Hunter agt. Standard Elevator Company; bill of exceptions signed and filed.

Probate Court—Chief Justice Bingham.

Estate of Adolphus H. Pickrell; account passed. Estate of John H. Seiffert; alias order of publication. Estate of Marguerite Dickins; will partly proved. Estate of David Solomon; do. Estate of Amelia Sherman; petition for probate of will filed and summons issued. In re orphans of Joseph B. Forker; Ella L. Forker appointed guardian; bond, $3,000. Estate of William H. Jones; affidavit filed. Estate of Adolphus H. Pickrell; proof of publication.

Sores And Ulcers Capt. J. H. McBrayer of Lawrenceburg, Ky., says: "For years I suffered intensely from a running sore on my leg, caused by a wound received in the army. I was treated by a number of doctors, and took many blood medicines, without the slightest benefit. S. S. S. was recommended, and the first bottle produced a great improvement. The poison was forced out, and the sore healed up completely."

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Last Words of Mrs. E. D. E. N. Southworth, the Authoress.

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