

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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SPREADING OF THE HEAT

LET'S SEE WHAT OTHERS ARE SAYING ABOUT IT. The Universal Topic of Discussion and Advice From All Points of View.

Hot. From the Baltimore Herald. Baltimore seems to be a favorite resort with summer.

Would Travel North. From the Boston Herald. Where's the recruiting office, please, for that north pole expedition?

High Degrees. From the Minneapolis Times. The colleges having done their share of the work, the weather department is now conferring a few high degrees.

Emasly Said. From the Evening Wisconsin. This is a non-killing weather chiefly in the fact that it does not over-exert themselves.

The Torrid Spell. From the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. The torrid spell has covered many states. Nobody in this region has spoken disrespectfully of the equator, but some have wished themselves there for a change.

Wise North Pole Hunters. From the Philadelphia Inquirer. About this time the fellows who insist on trying to find that north pole begin to loom up as people who have more sense than some of the rest of us supposed. It makes a difference when the hot waves wave.

Don't Get Hot-Headed. From the Albany Times-Union. A real lifeline in these days is not to pay any attention to hot weather advice. Above all, don't get hot-headed.

The Summer Sun Must Shine. From the New York World. When the weather in January is mild, persons of sanguine temperament are re-joiced by the croakers who are usually right in this—that "winter never rots in the sky." Those who argued relief from hot waves when May and early June proved cool are now learning that the summer size and stew is bound to come some time.

Be Good to Horses. From the Toledo Blade. Be merciful to the horses this hot weather. Give them the best of care and do not overwork them.

Helps the Shirt Waist. From the Kansas City Star. The reluctant cause of the man's shirt waist is being somewhat promoted by the prevailing temperature.

Recipe for Rabies. From the New York Tribune. Recipe for "rabies." One hot day, one small, nervous dog, a crowd of cruel boys, some of the croakers who are usually right in this—that "winter never rots in the sky." Those who argued relief from hot waves when May and early June proved cool are now learning that the summer size and stew is bound to come some time.

Benches Should Be Clean. From the New York Tribune. Summer is now ablaze, and all the Atlantic coast benches should be clean for bathing. The rascals who scatter refuse on the waters in violation of law should be pursued, arrested and punished.

WARM TONIGHT AND WEDNESDAY. Light Westerly Winds, Becoming Forecast till 8 p.m. Wednesday.—For the District of Columbia, eastern New York, eastern Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware, fair, continued warm weather to night and Wednesday; light westerly winds, becoming variable.

For Maryland, fair, continued warm to night and Wednesday, except in the mountain districts, where occasional thunder storms are probable, with lower temperatures, variable winds.

For Virginia, fair, continued warm to night and Wednesday; variable winds. Weather conditions and general forecast.—The hot weather continues generally east of the Rocky mountains, with the unprecedented temperature of 92 degrees at 8 a.m. at Philadelphia and Baltimore. Practically all previous records for the middle Atlantic states were equalled or exceeded during Monday in the middle Atlantic states.

On the upper Ohio valley, the upper lake region and the upper Ohio valley, there has been some relief afforded by local thunder storms, which have moderated the temperature somewhat over those districts. Local thunder storms continued in the southern states and there were other scattered ones in portions of extreme west.

On the middle Atlantic and gulf coasts the winds will be light and variable. Steamers which depart today for European ports will have fresh variable winds, though mostly southerly to westerly, to the Grand Banks.

The following heavy precipitation (in inches) has been reported during the past twenty-four hours: Jacksonville, 1.26; Chicago, 1.56.

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 8 a.m. yesterday:

Thermometer: July 1-4 p.m., 100; 8 p.m., 90; 12 midnight, 84; July 2-4 a.m., 80; 8 a.m., 86; 12 noon, 96; 2 p.m., 102; Maximum—102; Minimum—80; 4 a.m., July 2.

Barometer: July 1-4 p.m., 30.04; 8 p.m., 30.04; 12 midnight, 30.06; July 2-4 a.m., 30.04; 8 a.m., 30.19; noon, 30.17; 2 p.m., 30.05.

Condition of the Water. Temperature and condition of water at 8 a.m.: Great Falls, temperature, 85; condition, receiving reservoir, temperature, 87; condition at north connection, 85; condition at south connection, 8; distributing reservoir, temperature, 85; condition at influent gate house, 8; effluent gate house, 6.

Tip-River Water. Both rivers at Harper's Ferry reported muddy today.

Tide Table. Today—Low tide, 2:25 a.m. and 3:00 p.m.; high tide, 8:28 a.m. and 9:54 p.m. Tomorrow—Low tide, 3:00 a.m. and 3:40 p.m.; high tide, 9:10 a.m. and 10:22 p.m.

The Sun and Moon. Today—Sun rises, 4:35 a.m.; sun sets, 7:32 p.m. Moon rises, 7:55 p.m. Tomorrow—Sun rises, 4:36 a.m.

City Lights. The city lights and gas lamps all lighted by thirty minutes after sunset; extinguishing begun one hour before sunrise. All arc and incandescent lamps lighted fifteen minutes after sunset and extinguished forty-five minutes before sunrise.

To Detroit and Return \$14.25. Account meeting National Educational Association, tickets on sale July 6, 7 and 8, and limited to July 15. Extension privilege to September 1. Membership fee, \$2.00.—Advt.

Testimonial From Friends. Lieut. Michael Byrnes, who has been assigned to the command of the second precinct, was last evening presented by his old colleagues of the sixth precinct, with a handsome gold watch and chain, made especially for him.

For Rent Rooms and Board. Persons wishing to advertise rooms or board may avail themselves of the new rate which went into effect May 1. Hereafter only one cent a word will be charged for advertisements in The Star under the following classifications: For Rent Rooms, Rooms and Board, Boarding, Wanted Help and Cooks, 10 cents per line; Miscellaneous, 15 cents for each advertisement.

Real Estate Transfers. Addition to Kenilworth—Allen W. Mallory et al. trustees, to Frances H. Linckebach, Jr., lot 23 block 4; \$200.

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SENATOR JAMES H. KYLE DEAD.

Dead Came Suddenly at His Home in South Dakota. A dispatch from Aberdeen, S. D., last night says: United States Senator Kyle died at 6:05 o'clock this afternoon. He had been ill for some time. At noon today he suffered a relapse and his condition rapidly grew worse.

Senator Kyle, who was a Congregational clergyman, was first elected senator from South Dakota in 1880. He was born near Xenia, Ohio, February 24, 1854. He had a varied career. He first studied at the University of Illinois to be a civil engineer, but abandoning the idea of following that profession he entered Oberlin College in 1876 taking a classical course and preaching in 1878 for admission to the bar. Again he changed his plan and went to the Western Theological Seminary at Allegheny, Pa., to study divinity.

Mr. Kyle's parents were Scotch Presbyterians of the most pronounced type, the Steers, Jr., to Harry Fisher, lot 84, block 20, \$10 (stamps, \$5.50).

Edmunds—Ray E. Muddaugh et al. to Judson T. Cull, lot 60, block 9; \$10 (stamps, \$5.50). Judson T. Cull conveys same property to Wm. E. and Lillian A. Shannon; \$10 (stamps, \$5.50). J street northwest between 18th and 19th streets—Job Barnard et al., trustees, to Malinda Downing, original lot 23, square 106; \$7,000.

Fourth and L streets southeast—Dwight Anderson to Wm. E. H. Merritt, part of lot 22, square 316; \$10 (stamps, \$5.50). Twelfth and New York avenue northwest—Job Barnard et al., trustees, to Malinda Downing, part 40; 1, square 318; \$7,000.

O street northwest between 9th and 10th streets—Same to same, lot 4, square 366; \$7,000.

K street northwest between 8th and 9th streets—Same to same, west half lot 4, square 416; \$7,000.

Ninth street northwest between N and O streets—Same to same, lots 55, 56, 57, square 367; \$7,000.

Mount Airy—John M. Barry to John F. Moore, lots 6 and 7, block 2; \$10. John F. Moore conveys same property to Chas. C. Pearce; \$10.

M street northwest between 32d and 33d streets—Joseph H. Bradley et al., trustees, to John T. Harris, part lot 14, square 1207; \$3,000.

Langdon Park—Marion Duckett et al., trustees, to John T. Ballenger, lot 9, block 27; \$2,000. Langdon Park—Marion Duckett et al., trustees, to Thomas Brooke; \$10. Thomas Brooke conveys same property to Ira J. Baker; \$10.

Building Permits Issued. The following building permits were issued today: Gladstone Apartment House Company, five-story brick apartment at 1419 R street northwest; cost, \$75,000.

The Carolina Apartment House Company, remove back building, make thorough repairs to main building, and construct seven-story fire-proof back building; cost, \$60,000.

Lansburgh Bros., three-story brick store, 423 and 425 8th street northwest; cost, \$25,000.

Martin Castle, one-story frame dwelling, 4th street, Bloomsburg; cost, \$2,500.

Dr. Richard Hill, rear brick addition to 172 1/2 Rhode Island avenue northwest; cost, \$2,500.

D. J. Murphy, one-story brick store, 1735 L street northwest; cost, \$2,000.

John Patrick Russett, brick dwelling, 702 Whitney avenue; cost, \$1,250.

Dr. J. E. Walsh, three-story brick dwelling, 202 East Capitol street; cost, \$6,000.

A. J. Redfern, repairs to 1738 Pennsylvania avenue; cost, \$400.

Deaths in Twenty-Four Hours. The following deaths were reported to the health office during the twenty-four hours ending at noon today: Caroline Ann Fairfax, ninety-two years; Mary Lloyd Herford, eighty-five years; John Wallace, seventy-seven years; John Waschner, seventy-five years; Susan C. Butler, sixty-five years; Sarah Garner, fifty years; Martha Taylor, forty-five years; James H. Matthews, forty-one years; John Patrick Russett, twenty-six years; May Stewart, twenty-one years; Ralph Stewart, seven years; John Jackson, ten months; Mendall Yokelson, six months; Clarence Brace, five months; Sarah J. Williams, five months; Joseph Holland, five months; Mabel Tibbs, five months; Nellie P. Anderson, four months; Joseph Turner, four months; Fanning William Barnard, four months; Leon Devielle, three months; Richard R. Beach, one month; infant of Gertrude S. Coleman, three days.

Marriage Licenses. Marriage licenses have been issued as follows: White—William C. Drury and Clara Barnard; B. M. Cline and Mary S. Lockhart; Alexander Atkinson of Boston, Mass., and Margaret L. Lindsay of this city.

Colored—John C. Nickins and Jeannette A. Taylor; Walter Mason and Ellen Hill; Robert Johnson and Lottie C. Robert; William Williams and Victoria Cooper; W. Robinson and Ada Thompson; Edward Clagett of Prince George's county, Md., and Priscilla Hildreth of Garfield, Md.; Robert C. Miller and Viola Turley.

Hotel Arrivals. Riggs—P. C. Harris, Buffalo, N. Y.; John Romey, New York; W. J. Harris, Georgia.

Raleigh—L. S. Fowler, Philadelphia; Mrs. W. Irwin, Lacrosse, Wis.; Mrs. John Sheridan, Misses Sheridan, Maryland; Simon Hill, New York city; J. C. Shafer, Richmond, Va.; Thos. K. Scott, Augusta, Ga.; C. M. Chase, Florida; Mrs. W. S. Prindle, Connecticut; R. S. Porter, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Wallace, England; A. S. Fleming, U. S. A.

Ebbitt—J. C. Mayo, Paintsville, Ky.; Jas. R. Goodale, Cayuga, N. Y.; D. E. Newman, New York; V. D. Kennen, Plainfield, N. J.; J. D. Frazee, E. A. Rich, New York; Edw. Russel, U. S. A.; E. C. National—M. S. Drucker, E. Mullin, New York; Jas. A. Henderson, North Carolina; M. J. Goodman, Richmond, Va.; J. V. viewing of wife, died July 1, at Del. Plumb, Terryville, Conn.; M. B. Thrasher, Boston, Mass.; H. E. Graham and wife, Middleburg, Pa.; S. E. Herrick, Springfield, Mass.; Wm. H. H. New York; J. R. McFarland, Harrisburg, Pa.

Metropolitan—M. O. Markham, Atlanta, Ga.; R. Smith D. Pickett, Florida; C. H. Stephens, Louisville, Ky.; C. L. A. Philadelphia; J. F. Gilmore and wife, North Carolina; H. H. Kooser and Miss Kooser, New York; H. B. Nalle, Virginia; C. W. Wagner, New York; S. E. Richmond, Virginia; G. E. Frazer, Rochester, N. Y.; I. Salfrey, New York; C. H. Behne, Georgia.

Funeral of Mrs. Annie Hill Geddes. Requiem mass was celebrated yesterday morning at St. Joseph's Church, on Capitol Hill, Rev. Father Schmidt officiating, over the remains of Mrs. Annie Hill Geddes, wife of Mr. C. W. Geddes of the War Department. Mrs. Geddes' death occurred at Providence Hospital at 11 o'clock Saturday morning. After a short service at the church late yesterday interment was made in the family lot in Mount Olivet cemetery at 10 o'clock.

The deceased was a daughter of the late Mr. William W. Hill of Glenway Manor, Prince George's county, Md., and was connected with many of the most prominent families of Maryland. The ancestors of Mrs. Geddes were the descendants of Lord Baltimore, and the old family estate has been in the possession of the family since that time. She was a cousin of Mr. James M. Hill, the late New York banker, in whose bank her brother, Mr. William Hill, is now employed. The deceased came from a family of devout Catholics, and spent her early years in the convent of the Visitation, in Frederick, Md., from which she was graduated, marrying Mr. Geddes thirty-one years ago. Immediately after leaving the convent, Mrs. Geddes was specially proficient in music and French. She survives nine children, and two sisters, Mrs. Clement and Mrs. Anderson Hill of Hyattsville, William Hill of New York and Edward Hill of Glenway Manor, Md. Her husband was a member of the U. S. House of Representatives and was a member of the U. S. Senate.

Brooms for Hackmen. A. R. Lamb, the inspector of hacks, has suggested to the District Commissioners that the superintendent of street cleaning be requested to supply brooms for the purpose of keeping hackmen clean, the same to be used by the drivers of hacks occupying the stands. The suggestion was forwarded through Major Sylvester, the superintendent of police, who requests that the brooms be furnished if such has been referred to Superintendent Stutler for consideration and report.

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HE FORMERLY LIVED IN THIS CITY AND OPERATED HERE. Now Under Arrest at Michigan City, Indiana, for Violation of Pension Laws.

The officials of the pension bureau have just succeeded in running down one of the most clever and active of swindlers who has operated within the jurisdiction of the bureau in years. He is William H. Swallow, alias William Law, alias Ford, who claims to be a confederate veteran, and who at one time lived in Washington. He is a man of fine physique, affable and slim, with white chin whiskers, and a manner and a man evidently conversant with the mode of operation of some of the smoothest swindlers of the country.

Swallow is now in jail at Michigan City, Ind., awaiting trial for swindling the Rev. Father John Bleckmann, pastor of St. Mary's Catholic Church of that city. He was prosecuted by the United States authorities in that city for a confession of assistance which will be lent them by the pension office operators.

Swallow formerly served a year and a day in the Albany penitentiary for forgery committed in this city. After his release from Albany he returned to Washington and shortly afterward claimed to his friends that he had secured a position as a messenger in one of the departments here. Last spring he victimized the pastor of a well-known church in West Washington, D. C., and the pastor's confession of assistance which will be lent them by the pension office operators.

Swallow in addition to swindling the Georgetown priest, Swallow plied his efforts over the east, and succeeded in victimizing priests and preachers in many cities. Swallow's plan of action was to go to the pastor of a church and represent himself as a "referee" from the pension bureau, appointed by will and testament by some departed pastor, and to whom he had just come into possession of a large sum of pension money, to pay that money over to the pastor of the church. In most instances he would draw up some amount indicated, usually sums in the neighborhood of \$1,000, and hand them over to the pastor, who would make a request for a small loan with which to defray expenses incurred in executing the matter.

After victimizing the Georgetown preacher Swallow left Washington, and was shortly after heard of in Baltimore and later at Gardenville, Md. The pension office authorities next heard of his operations in New York City, where he was in Ohio, where he swindled a Catholic priest and a Lutheran preacher. From Columbus he went to Indianapolis, where he continued operations with success, and finally turned up at Michigan City.

Priest Trapped Him. At the latter town he approached Father Bleckmann and made the usual proposition. The pension office in the meantime had been sending notices broadcast explaining Swallow's operations, and thanks to its efforts the country generally had been pretty well posted upon the scheme being practiced by Swallow. It was, therefore, that when he approached Father Bleckmann his usual proposition a trap was laid for him. One day about two weeks ago he was in the church in Michigan City, and having written in his letter the nature of his mission, Father Bleckmann was prepared for him.

Swallow claimed that he had in his possession the sum of \$1,000 in pension money, and that he had just received the priest's check for the work of bringing the check to the pension office. Swallow showed Swallow the work of bringing the check to the pension office, and then quietly summoned a policeman. He then swindled in conversation until the officer had an opportunity to advance and denounced the impostor and caused his arrest. Swallow was a much-surprised man, but he was locked up. He is now held for trial.

MARKET MASTER'S REPORT. Receipts From Rents Exceed \$5,000.—Other Matters Discussed. The District Commissioners received today the annual report of J. Eldridge Burns, market master of the Western market. Mr. Burns says:

"In my annual report for the year ended July 30, 1900, I stated that I felt reasonably sure that the receipts received from the rents of stands in the market for the year to end July 30, 1901, would reach at least \$5,000. I am most happy to state that my expectations have been more than realized as the receipts exceed the above stated amount by \$158.

"The following are the receipts per month: July, 1900, \$420; August, \$412.50; September, \$429.50; October, \$429.50; November, \$429.50; December, \$429.50; January, 1901, \$434.50; February, \$429.50; March, \$429.50; April, \$429.50; May, \$435.50; June, \$432.50; total, \$5,158, a net increase of cash received of two dollars and two fives, and the largest receipts received in the four years just closed. Nothing of an unusual character has occurred during the year.

"The market is in a better condition in general appearance than it has ever been since it was first established. There is still needed to place it in first-class order fifteen new stands, a few more to be placed in the court yard of the market is four feet lower than an alley on the south side of the market, this alley being held up by a retaining wall, which is in a dangerous condition and should be rebuilt, for I fear if we have many storms during the summer this wall may give way, and if such should occur it would be a serious inconvenience to the third police precinct, as it is the only means of access to their stable. I must again call your attention to the stock of the market, which is in the east sides of the market yard for the protection of the dealers' teams. There is also needed about 150 square yards of pavement on the south side of the market, and it is thought that the same should be placed there as a thoroughly sanitary condition. I do hope these repairs and improvements will be made from the appropriation for this year's market, as it is the only way to obtain during the coming year, and I see no reason why they should not, the receipts for rent of stands will reach at least \$5,200."

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Mrs. Charles Bradley of 1829 35th street, accompanied by her sons Maurice and Everett, left today for Buffalo, N. Y., to spend the summer.

For Divorce and Alimony. Katharine B. Radcliffe, through Attorney A. S. Colyar, this afternoon petitioned the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia to grant her a divorce from William H. Radcliffe. The parties were married July 29, 1888, and have one child. According to the petitioner the defendant is an habitual drunkard, has been twice in jail on account of his intemperance, and when the discovery was made there were some emphatic remarks uttered. The sawdust-stuffed doll is now on exhibition at the court house.

Charles King, who conducts a small store on the Brookline road, within the District line, has reported to the police that some Sunday morning some party or parties forced an entrance into his place and stole one dollar in cash and ten pounds of chewing tobacco, valued at four dollars. There is no clue to the identity of the robbers.

A horse attached