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ATLANTIC CITY.

Mr. Charles H. Robinson and family have moved to the ward from Wilmington, Del. They have taken up their residence on Poole street.

Mr. George Ingels, with his family, moved yesterday from Front street to Forte street, near Campe avenue.

Mrs. S. T. Mathews returned yesterday from a short visit to her son, who is prosecuting ministerial studies at the Windsor College.

The churches in the ward were well attended Sunday.

Mr. Wright continues ill at his home, corner of North and Poole streets.

A Narrow Escape.

Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada E. Hart, of Groton, S. D. "Was taken sick with a bad cold which settled on my lungs; cough set in and finally terminated in consumption. Four doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Savior, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God I am saved and now a well and healthy woman." Trial bottles free at Burrow, Martin & Co.'s drug store. Regular size 50c. and $1.00. Guaranteed or price refunded.

IN THE CITY COURTS

Many Matters of Interest Around About City Hall Square.

JUSTICE TOMLIN REWARDS EVIL DOERS

Attempted to Shoot His Wife and Fined $50—Stole a Tumbler—A Pair of Trousers—Ocean View Cottage Company Chartered—Admitted to Probate.

In the Police Court yesterday Justice Tomlin had before him a lengthy docket, the most important of which were the following cases:

A. M. Melver, a young married man who has been employed in a down town store, was made to face the serious charge of attempting to shoot his wife on Sunday night, at their home, in Brambleton. The evidence was such that he was found guilty and fined in the sum of $50 and costs, in default of which he was committed to jail. Jealousy is said to have been the cause of the trouble.

Margaret Briggs, colored, was fined $3 for stealing a 5-cent water tumbler from Lichtenstein's store, on Church street.

On Saturday night Officer Salsburg noticed Jerry Wilson, colored, on Church street, having under his arm a pair of pants, and acting in a suspicious manner. Wilson could give no satisfactory explanation regarding the wearing apparel, and was arrested upon the charge of stealing the articles. Yesterday he was found guilty and sent to jail for three months. The trousers proved to be the property of Mr. Cohn, a Church street clothier.

Willie Johnson was found guilty of stealing $2.80 worth of tobacco from a dealer in Portsmouth and was given thirty days in jail.

George Brook, colored, for beating a woman, was made to pay $10.50.

William Jason, colored, was charged with maintaining a gambling house in James street court, but as the evidence was not conclusive, the case was dismissed.

The charge of malicious prosecution against C. G. Palmer, was dismissed.

Mack Jones, colored, for using abusive language, was fined $2.50.

COURT OF LAW AND CHANCERY.

In the Court of Law and Chancery Judge W. R. Martin presiding, the following docket was disposed of.

Williamson & Sykes vs. Lowenberg et. als., judgment rendered in favor of defendant.

P. J. Morris, trustee, vs. Edward R. Baird, Jr., judgment for plaintiff for $50.

Consumers' Brewing Company vs. L. Hummer; capias quashed.

This court practically, but not officially, adjourned yesterday.

CORPORATION COURT.

In the Corporation Court, Judge Hanckel granted a charter to the Ocean View Cottage company, a stock company formed for the purpose of purchasing, selling, renting, leasing and improving real estate in the vicinity of Ocean View. The main office will be in Norfolk and its officers are as follows: President, J. W. Spagat; Vice President, John T. White, secretary and treasurer, J. L. Bunting. These, with C. M. Cruser and J. D. Levy, compose the board of directors.

The will of Mrs. Helena M. Masi, dated January 25th, 1894, has been admitted to probate, and leave has been granted Edward W. Anderson and Walter C. Masi, the executors named in the will, to qualify as such at any future time.

Letha Dixon qualified as guardian of Mardel Lassiter, under a bond of $250.

The following natives of Italy have been granted naturalization papers: Rocco Rosario Dominoco Bocadinas, John Mona Libert, Rocco Marzli, Joseph Domico, Joseph Caprio and Luigi Corbino.

NOTES OF THE CLERK'S OFFICE.

The following real estate transfers were recorded:

Alex. Bonnoi to C. E. Townsend, a strip of land on the north side of Alexander street, near Grove street; $15.

The Ghent company, to Sarah E. Crallé, property on the eastern line of Oriental avenue, Ghent; $2,500.

A marriage license was granted to Jacob M. Hamm, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Mary Susan Flocher White, of Norfolk.

CITY IN PARAGRAPHS.

Briefest Possible Mention Made of Many Matters of Interest.

Thursday is St. Patrick's Day.

Mr. W. D. Hemingway is in Baltimore.

Mr. D. J. Martin, Jr., has accepted the position of advertising agent of the Star Theatre.

Prof. Charles Bain and Mrs. Bain, who have been visiting relatives here, left yesterday morning on their return to Tennessee.

Detective Arrington yesterday arrested R. F. Mullen upon the charge of getting $60 from Annie Powell under false pretenses.

Mr. Henry L. Brooke, formerly of Norfolk and a brother of Judge D. Tucker Brooke, was married in San Francisco last week.

The store No. 158 Wolfe street, corner Charlotte, has been fitted up in a very attractive and convenient manner for Mr. E. T. Duncan.

Dr. O. G. Ramsay, who has been visiting his mother, in Ghent, returned to Baltimore last night. He is connected with the Johns Hopkins Hospital.

Rev. Dr. Crafts, of Washington, D. C., who spoke at the Y. M. C. A. anniversary exercises Sunday afternoon, left this city yesterday morning for New York.

Suicide Said to be Epidemic.

Dr. La Rue, the famous French authority on abnormal phenomena and a professor in Laval University, has, after exhaustive comparison of facts in France, Belgium, England and the United States, come to the conclusion the inclination to suicide is a mania, and is epidemic. There seems to be strong corroboration of this in our own country where one suicide—particularly among young females—follows another. No learned authority has as yet discovered with exactitude whether malaria is epidemic or endemic, but it has been matter of notoriety for nearly half a century that it is most reliable preventive and curative of the various forms of malaria is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Repeated periods have not only set the seal of their approbation upon it in malarial cases, but commend it for rheumatism, kidney and liver trouble, nervousness, dyspepsia and constipation. It improves both appetite and sleep, and is a capital mitigant of infirmity in advancing years.

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AMUSEMENTS.

LOUIS JAMES.—This season Louis James is appearing in a new romantic play, entitled "A Cavalier of France," which he will present at the Academy of Music on Thursday night. The new play shows Mr. James in an entirely new line of work. His assumption of romantic roles has been voted by the press and public everywhere as a success. He still retains the legitimate repertoire, however, and will vary his program somewhat during his engagement here. His new play, "A Cavalier of France," was written by Mr. Espy Williams, of New Orleans. A special matinee of Julius Caesar, with Mr. James as Brutus, will be given on Thursday afternoon.

THE REAL WIDOW BROWN.—Mr. A. Q. Scammon has been a purveyor of some of the best comedies and farce-comedies for years past, each in his latest achievement, "The Real Widow Brown," which comes to the Academy of Music Friday night and Saturday matinee, he possesses one of the best drawing attractions on the road. This hilarious play has had a marvelous run in Berlin and London, simply on the strength of its clever situations and amusing complications, but for the American public Mr. Scammon has wisely and generously introduced a clever medley of up-to-date songs and dances, enhancing the intrinsic merits of the play inasmuch a famous New York critic pronounced the comedy to be a veritable "dramatic cocktail." It certainly possesses all its exhilerating effects without its fatal consequences.

If you feel blue or worried with care, go and see "The Real Widow Brown;" if you don't come out a happier man then your blood is out of order and you should consult an M. D.

BRAMBLETON.

A large congregation heard Dr. Crafts preach at Park Avenue Baptist church Sunday night.

A slight fire at the residence of Mr. Charles T. Ingram, No. 326 East Lovitt avenue, between 7 and 7:30 o'clock Saturday night, was extinguished without turning in an alarm. A fire of unknown origin occurred at Mr. Ingram's residence last Wednesday morning, and, singular to say, the Saturday night fire occurred in the same place, of the same room, as did that of Wednesday. When the flames were discovered Wednesday the smell of oil is said to have been very perceptible. A suspicious looking man, who said he was guarding the premises, was seen at Mr. Ingram's house last Thursday morning and evening.

The regular monthly meeting of the Norfolk and Berkley Methodist Sunday School Association was held at Trinity M. E. church Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The address, made by Mr. S. S. Lambeth, Jr., who spoke chiefly to Sunday school teachers, was a model one. Subject, "The Work and Preparation of the Teacher." The music furnished by the association choir and orchestra was very fine. The banners were awarded as follows: Attendance, Trinity; punctuality, Huntersville; contributions, Epworth. The association adjourned to meet at Cumberland Street church on the second Sunday in April.

The concert given at McKendree last night by Miss Margaret Crendall, under the auspices of the Enterprise Society of the church, was considered one of the best ever witnessed there. Even standing room was crowded by the delighted audience. The programme as published in this paper Sunday, with some additions, was most excellently rendered. The ladies wish, through The Virginian, to thank all that took part in the exercises.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with the president, Mrs. W. D. Southall, 202 North Park avenue, this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Mrs. H. M. Mansfield, corner of Windsor and Highland avenues, has gone to Northwest, Va., to visit her daughter, Mrs. R. C. Etheridge.

The Busy Bees of Spurgeon will meet to-morrow night with Miss Daisy Cotton, of Arlington Place.

Mr. T. M. Plummer, who resides in East Brambleton, on Broad Creek turnpike, had game chickens valued at $80 taken from his premises Friday night.

The revival services at Memorial Christian Temple are increasing in interest and attendance. There were several conversions last night. The Rev. Mr. Klapp, of North Carolina, is assisting the pastor, the Rev. J. P. Barnes, D. D. Services 3:30 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. All are invited to attend.

FITZHUGH LEE CLUB.

A New Democratic Organization in the Third Ward.

The Fitzhugh Lee Democratic Club was organized last night at a hall on the corner of Cumberland and Queen streets, with fifty-three members, and the following officers:

J. E. Galvin, president; E. E. Pugh, vice president; T. O. Wise, secretary; J. A. Pullen, treasurer; H. L. Massick, sergeant at arms; C. S. Hosler, T. O. Wise and Alex. Anderson, Executive Committee.

The club was addressed by Messrs. J. E. Moore, H. R. Constable, Jr., Abe Moses and others. It will meet at the same place every Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

HUNTERSVILLE.

Mr. G. W. Jennings, of 707 North Central avenue, has the pleasure of the company of his parents from Elizabeth City, N. C.

Mrs. E. C. Dozier and child, of Lawrenceville, Va., are on a visit to the former's mother, Mrs. M. V. Mercer, Central avenue.

THE OLD WILLOW TREE

In St. Paul's Churchyard Succumbs to a Heavy Wind Yesterday.

PLANTED IN 1846 BY ADMIRAL GLEASON

Sprang from a Twig Cut from the Historic Willow Which Stands Over the Grave of Napoleon at St. Helena—Sheltered Many Wounded Soldiers During the Late War.

The old ivy-covered weeping willow, which for so many years stood near and proudly over-looked the east wall of St. Paul's church yard, commanding the admiration of all who saw it, was early yesterday morning felled to the ground by the high winds which prevailed, and all that now remains of it is the huge stump measuring about six feet high and about nine feet in circumference.

In 1846 Admiral Gleason, U. S. N., while at historic St. Helena visited the grave of Napoleon, above which a huge weeping willow stood, and as though conscious of its importance in the history of the great General, stretched out its drooping branches as sleeping to the bowed with deep grief.

Its beauty and history prompted Admiral Gleason to get permission to cut from it a little twig or branch. This was carefully preserved and upon his return to this country, having landed here, Admiral Gleason planted the small offspring in the churchyard at St. Paul's. Through the tender care and attention given it, the sapling thrived, and in a year's time had grown considerable and during the late war sheltered many a fatigued and wounded soldier from the glaring summer sun.

Just after the close of the late war, the late Rev. Mr. Okeson, then rector of St. Paul's, went to Europe and upon his return brought with him a bit of creeping ivy, which was planted at the foot of the willow. This grew and nearly completely covered the tree as well as the walls and the sacred old edifice within, presenting a scene which must be seen to be appreciated.

The old tree, which finally succumbed yesterday, had reached the age of fifty-two years, making it one of the oldest specimens of its kind in this country.

Workmen were engaged yesterday in cutting up the fallen portion, as it had fallen to the sidewalk and obstructed travel.

AUXILIARY CRUISERS.

The New Board Inspects the St. Louis and the New York.

New York, March 14.—The Board of Auxiliary Cruisers of the United States navy, which was appointed to acquire ships of the merchant marine for use in the event of the breaking out of war, met for organization to-day. The new board supercedes the office of United States Inspector of Merchant vessels, which has been held by Lieutenant Commander J. D. J. Kelly. In this city since May of last year. Commander Kelly is a member of the new board.

A member of the board said to-day that it had power to pre-empt any vessel that had been constructed under the subsidy of Congress and was engaged in carrying the mails.

The board organized with the selection of Captain Frederick Rodgers, of the Naval Board of Inspection and Survey as president; Lieut. Sergeant, recorder of the Board of Inspection, as secretary and Lieut. Commander Kelly as adviser.

The board inspected the St. Louis and New York of the American. Captain Rodgers has very positive instructions to make thorough inspections and immedite report. He has been directed to examine all steamships available for auxiliary cruisers and supplies transports, fast tugs for use as rams, and steam yachts that could be quickly transferred into serviceable torpedo boats. He has been instructed also to telegraph his recommendations to the Secretary of the Navy so that action may be taken without unnecessary delay. It was said by a member of the board this morning that the department's orders were "hurry up orders," and that the work of the board would be completed as expeditiously as possible.

Another member of the board said: "Just as soon as our mission here had been announced we began to receive offers from the steamship companies. The owners of all the available American steamships in the harbor, I believe, in safe saying, have placed their vessels at our disposal. Merchant vessels, tugs and yachts are included in this. We have had a particularly large number of yachts offered to us and we will, no doubt, enter into negotiations for a number of these."

The St. Louis is advertised to sail on Wednesday, but it was admitted by an official of the company this morning that he did not know whether or not she would do so.

RELIEF CAN COME ONLY THROUGH PEACE.

Jackson, Miss., March 14.—Secretary of State Powerton has received a letter from United States Consul Barker, at Sagua La Grande, Cuba, enumerating the needs of the starving Cubans in his district. In concluding his letter, Consul Barker says: "In my humble judgment substantial relief can come to this people only through peace alone. Stop the war and stop it instanter, if not the Cuban race will soon be extinct."

SPANISH SQUADRON SAILS.

London, March 14.—A special dispatch from Cadiz, Spain, announces that the Spanish squadron has sailed from that port. It is understood the Spanish warships are going to Porto Rico, where they will await orders of Captain General Blanco. Enthusiastic crowds of people gathered to bid farewell to the war vessels.

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PICTURES FROM LIFE

Many Women Have Passed Through the Same Experience and With Equally Happy Results.

She had once been a beautiful and attractive woman. Her friends adored her; even strangers admired her. She was still young—but why had her friends deserted her? It is the usual story. She had lost her health; her complexion had faded; as a result her disposition was soured. How could she attract or hold friends? Impossible.

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A year later.

She is the same woman, but how changed! Hosts of friends surround her; her eyes are sparkling, her cheeks glow; her complexion is superb—she is happy.

Do you wonder what made the change? Read, then, the experience of Mrs. Della Hoffa, of McEwensville, Pa.:

"Some six years ago," she said, "I was troubled severely with disease of the kidneys and I will never be able to tell how much I suffered. I tried all kinds of remedies, but could find no permanent relief. Finally I allowed myself to be persuaded by Mrs. Simon Cameron to try Warner's Safe Cure with the assurance that it would relieve me. She had suffered in the same way for many years, and had found great help by its use. I am happy to say that Safe Cure benefited me from the time I began using it. I was entirely free from all my pains, and I have been in perfect health ever since. I cannot say too much for Warner's Safe Cure, as I believe it gave me the perfect health I now enjoy."

SALISBURY GREATLY FATIGUED.

Advised by His Physician to Seek Rest in the South of France.

London, March 15.—It is officially announced that the Marquis of Salisbury, the Premier, and Minister of Foreign Affairs, was greatly fatigued by Friday's Cabinet council, and a return of the weakness, from which he has suffered, following the attack of influenza, supervened, with the result that Sir William Broadbent, his physician, advised the Premier to take a complete rest in the South of France.

Mr. A. J. Balfour, the First Lord of the Treasury, and Government leader in the House of Commons, so far as necessary, is now dealing with the Foreign Office business.

The press association says it is authorized to declare that the rumor that the Marquis of Salisbury contemplated resigning either of his offices is groundless.

The Marquis starts for Beaulieu in about a week's time and will stay there about a fortnight.

FORTIFYING PENSACOLA.

Pensacola, Fla., March 14.—The schooner Josephine Mestier has arrived with a large quantity of shot and shell for the forts and batteries here. A large lot of powder for the Government arrived over the Louisville and Nashville railroad this morning and two car loads of torpedoes arrived to-night. The movement of troops from Fort Barrancas to the heavy batteries on Santa Rosa Island began to-day. This is preparatory to practice with the big disappearing guns which are expected to begin this week.

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DEATH WAS DUE TO WHISKEY.

Montgomery, Ala., March 14.—J. L. Price, a tobacco drummer from Reidsville, N. C., was found dead in his bed at Roanoke, Alabama, this morning. Coroner's jury found he came to his death from strangulation caused by over-use of whiskey. The remains will be sent home tomorrow.

THE YELLOW FEVER EPIDEMIC.

A Mississippi Family Brought the Disease from Guatemala.

(New Orleas Dispatch, January 2.)

The committee of the Mississippi Legislature appointed to investigate the yellow fever of last summer, has reported. The committee visited Ocean Springs, Biloxi and other coast towns where the fever prevailed, and made a thorough investigation. Although it could not solve some of the mysteries of the fever, it was able to get a great deal of valuable information. It finds that the yellow fever originated at Ocean Springs, Miss., beyond all question, but not from the United States marine hospital quarantine station at Ship Island, as was supposed, and it declares that the quarantine station is not a menace or a danger to the health of the Gulf coast or the South.

Those who did not think that the fever originated at Ship Island and was communicated by the quarantine officials to the mainland, held that it was introduced by Cuban refugees, who met at Ocean Springs in June to arrange for a filibustering expedition to Cuba, and one of whose members died of a mysterious disease and was buried at Ocean Springs.

The theory which was very generally accepted is disproved by the Mississippi legislative committee, which finds that the yellow fever got into this country much earlier than supposed, as early, indeed, as the latter part of April, and came not from Cuba, but from Guatemala. The existence of yellow fever was not discovered at Ocean Springs until September 6, and the utmost researches hitherto have not traced it back beyond the end of July.

The committee finds that yellow fever prevailed for four months at Ocean Springs, taking that long time to propagate and spread itself. It was introduced into this country by a family residents of Mississippi, who had been temporarily staying in Guatemala, and who came to the United States on the Central American steamer Breakwater. Their baggage was not fumigated, nor disinfected. They went direct to Ocean Springs, where one of them was taken sick with fever. Within a few days fever started in the immediate neighborhood, and from that time fever of some character prevailed in Ocean Springs all the summer, although it was not diagnosed as yellow fever until September.

The committee attributes the introduction of the yellow fever to the fact that the quarantines of the Gulf States against the West Indies and Central America go into effect on May 1st, whereas the Breakwater brought the disease into the country in April or before the quarantine service was put in operation. This will necessitate an early quarantine in order to assure protection.

The epidemic of 1878 was brought into this country long before the quarantine was put in force, the steamer bringing it here, the Emily B. Souder, arriving in March. The committee was also authorized to investigate the amount of damage done by the yellow fever scare, and found it to be greater than estimated. The loss to business in the State during the prevalence of the scare was from 25 to 30 per cent. in value because of the fever. The expense of the various quarantines in vogue was found to run up as high as $5,000 for many of the counties.

The committee recommends the removal of the Ship Island quarantine as injurious to property on the Gulf coast, and the adoption of a uniform system of quarantine for all of the Gulf States.

Dr. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION FOR WEAK WOMEN.

RELIEF FOR SUFFERERS

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from the Fern distributed to-morrow, but many hitches occur and the distribution may be delayed until Wednesday. The authorities have been ordered not to discharge from the warehouses the stores that came on the Bergen until the customhouse authorities permit.

There is no objection to the Fern's cargo being quickly delivered; and Consul General Lee, who has been telegraphed to on the subject, thinks he can arrange the Bergen matter. The committee of doctors and local firemen are ready to issue orders on United States Consul Brice and say they have complete lists made up of all the needy but have feared there might be some mistake. But whatever happens now the hungry will soon be fed and want will be relieved.

Insurgent Colonel Vincente Nunez, acting with his brother, General Nunez, has devastated great districts in the province of Santa Clara, La Esperanza, San Diego, Jicotea and Santo Domingo.

General Weyler asserts that it is "foolishness for any one to believe that he placed mines in the harbor of Havana." But people who know Weyler believe him not only foolish enough, but vicious enough for anything.—Washington Post.

Gladys Beautigirl—When Jack Huggins kissed me last night I screamed for help. Dolly Swift—Couldn't you hold him without help?—Puck.

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