

WITH RAILROAD MEN.

PASSENGER OFFICIALS MEET HERE TO DISCUSS SUMMER RATES.

SEPARATE-CAR LAW CAUSES TROUBLE

The L. & N. Sued by a Negro Because Whites Entered Her Car—Florida Special Discontinued Yesterday—Work on the R. P. & C.

The passenger men of the Virginia roads in the Associated Railways held a conference in the office of the association here yesterday. The meeting was for the purpose of considering summer excursion rates and other matters of a kindred nature.

The officials present were Mr. W. R. Deville, general passenger agent of the Norfolk and Western road, Colonel W. A. Turk of Washington, general passenger agent of the Southern railway, Mr. H. M. Emerson, general passenger agent of the Atlantic-Coast Line, and Mr. Ernest Williams, division passenger agent of the Atlantic-Coast Line north of Wilmington, N. C., and Mr. J. D. Potts, assistant general passenger agent of the Chesapeake and Ohio.

The separate-car law, which goes into effect in Virginia July 1st, seems to have gotten the Louisville and Nashville into trouble. A dispatch from Louisville announces that suit has been instituted in that city by Winnie Smith (colored) against the Louisville and Nashville for alleged violation of the colored coach law. The plaintiff says that April 30 last she boarded one of the defendant's trains at Bardonia, being a first-class passenger. She says she took a seat in the colored coach, and that five or ten white men entered the coach with her, and she says that they smoked, drank whiskey, and cursed, and that her protests were ignored by the conductor and other employees.

Mr. F. W. Scarborough, engineer of bridges and signals of the Chesapeake and Ohio, has returned from Philadelphia, where he had been to open the bids of builders for construction of the Chesapeake and Ohio Seaboard Air-Line Union Station in this city. An award will be made when the bids shall have been examined by President Stevens, of the Chesapeake and Ohio, and Assistant Williams, of the Seaboard Air-Line.

The railroads are getting out some handsome illustrated matter for the benefit of teachers who desire to attend the National Educational Association in Charleston in July. The railroads of the country have made a rate of one fare plus a fixed sum. Passenger men are counting on 20,000 people having to be hauled.

The Florida Special of the Atlantic-Coast Line was discontinued yesterday. It passed through at 7:30. The Florida travel has been enormous this season. It was stated at the offices of the Atlantic-Coast Line in this city, that it was not yet possible to give even approximate figures of the work done, but that it had been very heavy.

Mr. George S. Sipp, car-service agent of the Chesapeake and Ohio, is now located in his new quarters, on the fourth floor of the Pace building. The offices are very handsomely fitted up. They occupy the entire western side of the fourth floor.

The Chesapeake and Ohio has re-established observation car service on the F. P. V. trains between Hinton and Cincinnati.

The members of the Central Passenger Association met in Chicago yesterday to arrange for summer excursions business to seaside and mountain resorts. Mr. C. R. Ryan, assistant general passenger agent of the Chesapeake and Ohio, represented that road.

The American Car-Works, of Huntington, W. Va., will turn out fifty new north and south rolling stock box-cars in the next two weeks. The Chesapeake and Ohio will load them with coke for Chicago.

The Richmond, Petersburg and Carolina railroad has completed its tracks to the terminus, and is now at work about 300 yards from Mineola, the residence of Dr. S. D. Dewey.

Colonel Henry Boykin, general agent of the Seaboard Air-Line, has gone to Salem. He is expected back to-day.

The mother of Mr. Garrett B. Wall, real estate agent of the Chesapeake and Ohio, has died at her home, in Myrtleville, Ky. Mr. Wall, who is a prominent figure among railroad men, is the recipient of the most general sympathy.

Property Transfers.

Richmond: G. I. Dickinson and wife to W. D. Brock, 1 foot on north side of Broad street, 236 feet of Thirty-first street, \$5. J. H. Harwood, 23 feet on east side of Fifth street, between Preston and Crouch streets, \$60. Bertha and J. Julius Schmidt, Clara Brainer, Mary and J. J. Neville, Clara Weaver, E. W. Lema, and Albert F. Newmann to Caroline Newmann, 85 feet on north side of Venable street, 40 feet from northwest corner of Twenty-eighth street, and 36 feet on west side of Twenty-eighth street, between Q. or Venable street, and R. street, \$5.

Visiting His Son.

Hon. Carter M. Louthan, of Madison, is spending a short time with his son, Rev. H. T. Louthan, pastor of Howard's Baptist church. Mr. Louthan is United States Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue in the Charlottesville District. He was temporary chairman of the recent State Republican Convention in Norfolk. He is one of the best stump speakers in Virginia, and his hair is now growing in color like the Confederates. He wears a blue and white uniform he wore at First Manassas and Gettysburg.

CANCER Cannot be Cut Out or Removed with Plasters

Surgical operations and flesh destroying plasters are useless, painful, and besides, never cure Cancer. No matter how often a cancerous sore is removed, another comes at or near the same point, and always in a worse form. Does not this prove conclusively that Cancer is a blood disease, and that it is folly to attempt to cure this deep-seated, dangerous blood trouble by cutting or burning out the sore, which, after all, is only an outward sign of the disease—a place of exit for the poison? Cancer runs in families through many generations, and those whose ancestors have been afflicted with it are liable at any time to be stricken with the deadly malady.

Only Blood Diseases can be Transmitted from One Generation to Another

Further proof that Cancer is a disease of the blood. To cure a blood disease like this you must cure the entire blood system—remove every trace of the poison. Nothing cures Cancer effectually and permanently but S. S. S. S. S. enters the circulation, searches out and removes all taint, and stops the formation of cancerous cells. No mere tonic or ordinary blood medicine can do this. S. S. S. goes down to the very roots of the disease, and forces out the deadly poison, allowing the blood to heal naturally and permanently. S. S. S. at the same time purifies the blood and builds up the general health. A little pimple, a harmless looking wart or mole, a lump in the breast, a cut or bruise that refuses to heal under ordinary treatment, should all be looked upon with suspicion, as this is often the beginning of a bad form of cancer.

Mr. Sarah M. Keesling, 901 Windsor Ave., Bristol, Tenn., writes: "I am 41 years old and for three years I have been afflicted with Cancer on my jaw. The doctors in this city said it was incurable, and that I could not live more than six months. I accepted their statement as a fact, and was ever being well again. I had a complete cure. Knowing my condition, I recommended S. S. S. After taking a few bottles the sore began to heal, much to the surprise of the physicians, and in a short time made a complete cure. I have gained my appetite and am feeling splendid. In fact, am enjoying perfect health."

Our medical department is in charge of physicians of long experience, who are especially skilled in treating Cancer and other blood diseases. Write for any advice or information wanted, we make no charge whatever for this service. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC COMPANY, ATLANTA, GA.

"MY OWN SELF AGAIN."

Mrs. Gaitz Writes to Mrs. Pinkham, Follows Her Advice and is Made Well.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—For nearly two and one-half years I have been in feeble health. After my little child came it seemed I could not get my strength again. I have chills and the severest pains in my limbs and top of head and am almost insensible at times. I also have a pain just to the right of breast bone. It is so severe at times that I cannot lie on my right side. Please write me what you think of my case."

MRS. CLARA GATES, Johns P. O., Miss., April 25, 1898.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as advised and now send you a letter for publication. For several years I was in such wretched health that life was almost a burden. I could hardly walk across the floor, was so feeble. Several of our best physicians attended me, but failed to help. I concluded to write to you for advice. In a few days I received such a kind, motherly letter. I followed your instructions and am my 'old self' again. Was greatly benefited before I had used one bottle. May God bless you for what you are doing for suffering women."—MRS. CLARA GATES, Johns P. O., Miss., Oct. 6, 1899.

FOUR-POOLS DEWEY BOOM.

Chairman Jones Thinks It Will Be Short Lived.

Senator James K. Jones, of Arkansas, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, came to the city from Washington last night for a brief visit. While he is here on a business mission, primarily, he will, in all likelihood, meet and talk with any prominent Democrats who may desire to see him, but no conferences have as yet been arranged. Shortly after Mr. Jones's arrival at the Fifth Avenue Hotel, James S. Oliver, sergeant-at-arms of the Democratic National Committee, reached the hotel and reported to him that he had short talk. Mr. Oliver announced that he and Mr. Jones would go to Washington to-day, and that active arrangements for the convention would begin at once.

Senator Jones said that the expressed purpose of Admiral Dewey is to run for President had not unduly excited him or any other Democrats. In fact, he thought the Dewey boom would be short-lived, and that under no circumstances could it interfere with Mr. Jones's duties. When asked what he thought of the anti-Bryan sentiment which was growing up, especially among the Democrats of the East, Chairman Jones said:

"I heard something of anti-Bryan sentiment with Mr. Jones's address. I have not taken into the confidence of the opponents of Mr. Bryan, which, of course, is not surprising. It is my belief that Mr. Bryan will not receive the first ballot, and that there will be no opposition of any weight to him in the convention."

"Is it true that Tom L. Johnson is to succeed you as chairman of the committee?" Senator Jones was asked. "I have seen such a statement in the newspapers," was the reply. "The convention meets on July 4th, and selects a committee, which, in turn, will select a chairman. It would take a prophet to foretell what will happen at a convention."

"Who have you heard most talked of for Vice-President?" "I think that many men whose names have been suggested," Mr. Jones said. "Judge Caldwell, of Arkansas, who has received some prominence as a possible candidate, has been saying that he cannot permit to be used, but there is plenty of good material left."

Mr. Jones expressed himself as being extremely well satisfied with the prospects for Democratic success. So long as he remains chairman of the National Committee, he said, headquarters would be maintained in Chicago, but he said that the convention might make a change in the programme by substituting Washington for the western city. He did not believe, he said, that headquarters would be opened in this city, though such a thing was possible.

When asked when the convention would do as regards the platform, Chairman Jones said that the Kansas City convention would not receive any position heretofore assumed, though it was a matter of conjecture as to what additions or changes might be made.

"Will the passage of the new currency law interfere materially with the free coinage feature of the Chicago platform?" the reporter asked. "Conventions don't make issues," said Mr. Jones. "They are made in the minds of men, and the platform, if a popular one, is the expression of the mind of the people."

"What do you think the Populists will do at their conventions in Sioux Falls and Cincinnati?" Senator Jones was asked. "The Sioux Falls convention may put up another than Mr. Bryan," was the reply. "But a doubt it. I don't know much about it, but it is my impression that it won't. The Cincinnati people are opposed to forming any coalition with the Democratic party, but I don't know what action they will take."

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DOWN BY THE SEA.

AFTERMATH OF THE REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

ENFORCING THE CALL LAW.

An Assistant Postmaster in Norfolk Jail Charged With Embezzlement—His Arrest Kept Quiet—Colored Methodist Conference Meets.

NORFOLK, VA., April 11.—(Special.)—Congressman Hull, of Iowa, who was denounced in unmeasured terms by the Republican State Convention here last night for his "slandering attack upon the Virginia Republican organization," is strongly upheld by the adherents of Congressman Richard A. Wise, who were unseated by the convention. After leaving the hall, they assembled and passed resolutions, declaring that "the entire action of the convention in unseating these two efforts resulted in the election of the only Republican congressman from Virginia who sustained the Virginia Republican organization desire that the party be only large enough to fill the Federal offices."

Congressman Wise, rather than appear in the face of this defeat, did not attend the convention last night, but departed for Washington. The delegates to the convention all returned home to-day. The oyster gunboat Chesapeake arrived here last night, but left again early this morning. She is engaged in enforcing the oyster cull law on the James river, so as to prevent the sending of seed oysters from the State.

The assistant postmaster of Exmore, Accomac county, Will am Bell, aged 22 years, has been in the custody of the United States authorities for several days, but his arrest was kept such a close secret that it was only this evening that it became known he was confined in the Norfolk city jail, he having failed, after repeated efforts, to secure a bondsman. Young Bell is alleged to have embezzled \$1,900 in government funds, which are in Representative colored ministers are in the city from all parts of the State, attending the thirty-fourth annual session of the Virginia Conference of the African Methodist Episcopal church, which is held this morning at St. John's African Methodist Episcopal church, Butte street, and which will continue in session until Monday night. The ministers will be assigned to their work for the next twelve months by Bishop James A. Handy, D. D.

EAST HANOVER PRESBYTERY.

Second Day's Session—Westminster Church.

ASHLAND, VA., April 11.—(Special.)—East Hanover Presbytery began its second day's session this morning with devotional exercises, conducted by the moderator, Rev. D. K. Walthall. The following members have been enrolled: Ministers—R. P. Kerr, of Smyth; C. C. Harsman, of A. H. Kippian, J. C. Stewart, J. E. Cook, W. S. Campbell, C. N. Van Houten, C. E. Stebbins, C. M. Chumbley, T. T. Jones, S. K. Winn, R. H. Howison, T. P. Jones, D. K. Walthall, E. Ramsay; Ruling Elders—Dr. E. Irving, of George L. Christian, John Hubbard, Gervas Storrs, C. E. McCluer, E. D. Moore, R. D. Kemp, Dr. S. P. Christian, R. G. Howison, Nat Lancaster, John Hubbard, G. M. Hawkins, of Stuart, E. C. Osborne, W. W. Hobson, S. D. Allen.

The reports from the churches were presented and referred to the standing committees on the various subjects included in the agenda. A communication was received from Westminster church, Richmond, asking permission to employ Rev. T. R. English, of Union Theological Seminary, as stated supply, and also asking whether a professor in the seminary, may, also, at the same time, be a pastor of a church. Presbytery granted the request, allowing Dr. English to be employed as supply by the church, and to the second day of the communication replied that there is no legal difficulty in the way of a minister being professor and pastor at the same time. It is understood that this church contemplates calling Dr. English as pastor, but were a little uncertain whether it was allowable to do so, as he is now and expects to remain a professor in the seminary. The presbytery decides that there is no difficulty in the way.

At the evening session was devoted to the interests of foreign missions. The report on this subject was presented by Dr. R. R. Howison. The report was followed by a most earnest and eloquent address by Dr. Kerr, which made a very fine impression upon all who heard it.

NO APPOINTMENT YET.

Mr. Cardwell Probably Continue Referee in Bankruptcy Some Time. It is probable that Judge Waddell will continue Mr. C. P. Cardwell as referee in bankruptcy for several months, at least. He is not ready to make an appointment to the place, which was left vacant by the death of Colonel W. F. Waddell. A large number of applications for the appointment have been made. Nearly two dozen persons, it is understood, have indicated a desire to secure the appointment.

AGAINST SALE OF ISLANDS.

CITIZENS OF DANISH WEST INDIES LOYAL TO DENMARK. ST. THOMAS, D. W. I., April 10.—The King's birthday, Sunday, was unusually celebrated at St. Thomas and St. Croix. There was an outburst of loyalty to Denmark, and demonstrations against the sale of the islands. Among other features there were day and night processions, the people being returned in the national colors and cheering the King.

WILL PROBABLY BE RELEASED.

WINCHESTER, VA., April 10.—(Special.)—Frank Schaub, of Winchester, who was arrested here some months ago, charged with complicity in the robbery and murder of Absalom Kessler near Paw Paw, Va., last September, and who has been in the custody of the State Prison since the thirty-days' sentence imposed last week for breaking out of the jail. When he was arrested here it was claimed that he was the partner of the late John Doman, when his alleged partner, John Doman, should have been arrested, but as Doman has thus far eluded capture the conviction of Schaub is impossible, and he will likely be liberated. The murder of these two old people will probably remain a mystery forever, although large rewards have been offered for the capture of Doman, and a dozen suspects have been arrested in various parts of the country.



DANIEL A. PEACEMAKER.

He Brings About Reconciliation Between Money and Wellington.

(Washington Correspondence Baltimore American.) One of the many striking episodes that enlivened the Senate during the session that saw the declaration of war with Spain was a clash between Senator Wellington and Senator Money, of Mississippi, which resulted in the latter being expelled from the Senate. Since that time, Money and Wellington have never spoken to each other, though they served together on at least one committee.

One day last week Senator Daniel, of Virginia, intervened in the Senate Chamber to Mr. Wellington's desk, after some general exchange of civilities the Virginia Senator gradually led the conversation up to a reminiscence of the episode at which Messrs. Wellington and Money had become estranged. In a dramatic way Mr. Daniel expressed the regret that was felt in the Senate that there should be such a feeling of personal coldness between two members of the body who were so generally esteemed for their many excellent qualities.

While disavowing the role of an ambassador, Mr. Daniel assured the Maryland Senator of the high regard with which Mr. Money had learned to regard him, and the sincere pain he felt that his hasty words had made a reconciliation difficult, if not impossible. "Like all the rest of us," Senator Wellington, continued Mr. Daniel, "he has learned to admire your courage and to respect your ability, and I have shown on many trying occasions in the Senate."

Senator Wellington frankly expressed his pleasure at Mr. Daniel's words. He added that he, too, regretted the unfortunate incident that had marred his pleasant relations with a colleague. The sequel came on last Thursday, when Senator Wellington addressed the Senate in opposition to the Puerto Rican bill. Mr. Money walked over to where Mr. Wellington was seated, and in a friendly speech, Mr. Wellington arose to meet the Mississippi Senator, and the two shook hands warmly. Then they sat down and talked to each other for a few moments. Mr. Money was sincere in his desire for reconciliation, and Mr. Wellington readily met him half-way. The scene was understood by all the other senators, and appreciated. Mr. Wellington, who had risen in the regard of his colleagues on the floor of the chamber all of whom admire his boldness, though many regret his lack of expediency.

PLEASED WITH THE POSITION.

DEWEY FINDS GREAT ENJOYMENT IN BEING SENATOR.

(Washington Star.) No man in the Senate is being senator more than does Dewey, of New York. His satisfaction is proclaimed in his affability and his beaming countenance, in the manner of his sitting at his desk, in the comfortable way in which he moves about the chamber, and through the corridors, in the amiability with which he responds to calls from the reception-room, in the way he sweeps the galleries with a glance, and in his ready and unhesitating answer to the street-cars. He is both a delighted and a delightful man.

The reception he got when he made a speech the other day was the envy of all his colleagues. Platt, of New York, the great boss and famous politician, never had such an audience, nor do he have people twist their necks to look at him. Wolcott, in his palmist days, never attracted such an audience. All the reserved gallery and the galleries with ladies, back to the very walls, that there was hardly room for a man anywhere, except in the public galleries, where men alone were crowded together, and people were being conducted by me at No. 110 north Ninth street, to WILLIAM O. FARINHOLT, and I am in no manner connected with the new firm. I trust the liberal patronage which has been extended me will be given my successor, as he understands the business thoroughly, having been with me for some years past.

HAVING QUALIFIED UPON THE STATE OF DR. R. A. LEWIS, WHOSE OLD CLAIMS AGAINST HIM WILL PRESENT THEM TO ME. THOSE INDEBTED TO HIM ARE REQUESTED TO MAKE PAYMENTS AS USUAL.

RICHMOND LEWIS, ap 10-Tu-Th-Sa-Su. Administrator.

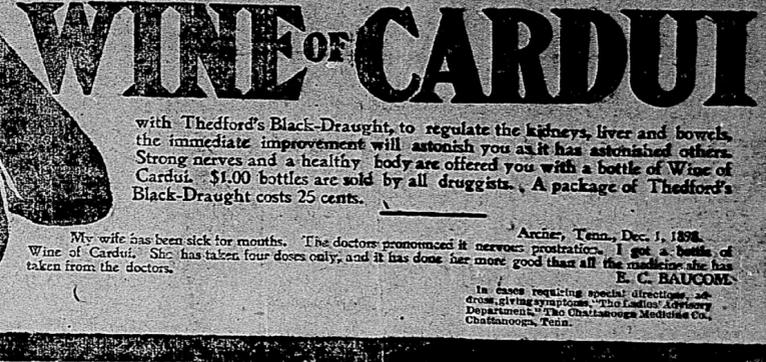
PERSONAL.

Richmond, Va., April 11, 1900. I TAKE THIS METHOD OF RETURNING MY THANKS TO MY FRIENDS for their hearty support in yesterday's primary, giving me the nomination for the position of aspirant to a SEAT ON THE BOARD OF ADEPTLY from Marshall ward. Very respectfully, your obedient servant, JOHN MANN, Jr. ap 11-Tu-Th-Sa-Su.

OLD PAPERS FOR SALE.

15c PER HUNDRED at the DISPATCH OFFICE.

Nervousness
Illness excites the nerve centers and nervousness results. Nervousness in women is usually caused by the irritation of female troubles. Can you think of anything more nerve-racking than the drams of falling of the womb, irregular menstruation, leucorrhoea, with the accompanying backache and headache? It is not to be wondered at that the great majority of women are nervous. Wine of Cardui, by making menstruation painless and regular, destroys the cause of nervousness and allows Nature to quiet the nerves. Thousands of women whose nervous sensibilities made life a burden to them have secured that kind of relief from Wine of Cardui. Their suffering made them listless and unlovely. But Wine of Cardui gave them strong nerves and perfect health. Thousands of letters bear testimony to this. If you take
with Theford's Black-Draught, to regulate the kidneys, liver and bowels, the immediate improvement will astonish you as it has astonished others. Strong nerves and a healthy body are offered you with a bottle of Wine of Cardui. \$1.00 bottles are sold by all druggists. A package of Theford's Black-Draught costs 25 cents.



My wife has been sick for months. The doctors pronounced it nervous prostration. I got a bottle of Wine of Cardui. She has taken four doses only, and it has done her more good than all the medicine she has taken from the doctors.
E. C. BAUCOM
In cases requiring special directions, send cross-giving symptoms, "The Ladies' Advisory Department," The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

INSURANCE STATEMENT.

(PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY OF THE AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS OF THE STATE OF VIRGINIA.)

PENN MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

ANNUAL STATEMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING THE 31ST DAY OF DECEMBER, 1899, OF THE ACTUAL CONDITION OF THE PENN MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, MADE TO THE AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS FOR THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, PURSUANT TO THE LAWS OF VIRGINIA.
Name of the Company in Full: THE PENN MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE CO. Location of Home Office: Principal Office of said Company—221-5 CHESTNUT STREET, PHILADELPHIA, PA.
Character of the Business: LIFE INSURANCE (PURELY MUTUAL). President—HARRY E. WEST. Secretary and Treasurer—HENRY C. BROWN. Name of General Agent in Virginia—CUNNINGHAM HALL. Commenced Business—MAY 25, 1847.

| No. | Amount. |
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| The number of policies and the amount of insurance affected thereby in force at end of previous year | 66,798 \$166,524,302 09 |
| The number of policies issued during the year and the amount of insurance affected thereby | 16,557 41,924,355 00 |
| Total | 83,355 \$208,448,657 00 |
| The number of policies and the amount of insurance which have ceased to be in force during the year | 8,988 21,919,881 00 |
| The whole number of policies in force, and the amount of liabilities or risks thereon at end of year | 74,367 \$186,528,776 00 |

RECEIPTS.

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| The amount of premiums received during the year | \$7,320,528 09 |
| The amount of annuities received during the year | 312,739 87 |
| The amount of interest received from all sources | 1,812,467 81 |
| The amount of all other receipts | 156,453 38 |
| Total | \$9,582,168 30 |

DISBURSEMENTS.

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| The amount of losses paid | \$2,007,959 50 |
| The amount of matured endowments paid | 400,951 00 |
| The amount paid annuities | 52,623 38 |
| The amount paid for surrenders | 637,844 81 |
| The amount of dividends paid to policy-holders | 368,838 71 |
| The amount paid for expenses (including taxes, \$192,818.82) | 1,709,190 56 |
| Total | \$5,674,237 61 |

ASSETS.

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| Bonds, market value | \$12,949,184 33 |
| Stocks, market value | 202,788 50 |
| Real estate, unencumbered, market value | 2,841,712 38 |
| Loans secured by first mortgage on real estate | 14,296,781 90 |
| Cash in banks, trust companies, and company's office | 218,209 48 |
| Loans on company's policies, assigned as collateral | 2,880,302 00 |
| Premium notes, etc. | 1,162,848 81 |
| Interest due and accrued (including \$102,122.00 interest due and accrued on stocks and bonds) | 405,711 41 |
| Rents due and accrued | 8,575 29 |
| Uncollected and deferred premiums | \$1,874 34 |
| All other assets | 95,020 29 |
| Carried out at market value—Total | \$39,415,638 35 |

LIABILITIES.

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| The amount of losses unpaid, unadjusted (awaiting proofs) | \$ 160,700 00 |
| The amount of losses paid, but not reported | NONE. |
| The amount of liability on policies in force | 31,764,887 81 |
| December last, on basis of 4 per cent. actuarial mortality table | 33,764,887 81 |
| The amount of other liabilities—Unpaid abatements, premiums paid in advance, etc. | 157,670 60 |
| Total | \$34,101,259 60 |

BUSINESS IN VIRGINIA DURING 1899.

| No. | Amount. |
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| Number and amount of policies in force December 31st of previous year | 1,119 \$ 2,351,100 00 |
| Number and amount of policies issued during the year | 206 618,500 00 |
| Total | 1,424 \$ 2,969,600 00 |
| Deduct number and amount which have ceased to be in force during the year, including removals from the State | 117 264,200 00 |
| Total number and amount of policies in force at end of year | 1,307 \$ 2,685,400 00 |

| No. | Amount. |
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| Amount of losses and claims on policies unpaid December 31st of previous year | \$ 120 00 |
| Amount of losses and claims on policies incurred during the year | 12 31,000 00 |
| Total | 13 \$ 31,120 00 |
| Amount of losses and claims on policies paid during the year | 13 \$ 31,120 00 |

Amount of premiums collected or secured in Virginia during the year, in cash and notes or credits, without any deduction for losses, dividends, commissions, or other expenses, \$89,268.63.

(Signed) HARRY F. WEST, President. HENRY C. BROWN, Sec'y and Treas. State of Pennsylvania, City of Philadelphia—ss.

[Seal of Notary.] Affirmed to January 25, 1900, before J. H. JEFFRIES, Notary Public.

CUNNINGHAM HALL, GENERAL AGENT FOR VIRGINIA, 1117 Main Street, Richmond, Va. (mh39, Ap1, 12, 15)

BUSINESS PERSONALS.

Richmond, Va., April 9, 1900. TO THE PUBLIC: I have this day sold ALL MY INTEREST IN THE STORE situated corner Thirty-second and B streets in Henrico county, to Mrs. JOSEPHINE DONATI. State of Va. J. DONATI, ap 10-Tu-Th-Sa-Su.

NOTICE. THE PUBLIC WILL PLEASE TAKE notice that I have this day sold my business, now being conducted by me at No. 110 north Ninth street, to WILLIAM O. FARINHOLT, and I am in no manner connected with the new firm. I trust the liberal patronage which has been extended me will be given my successor, as he understands the business thoroughly, having been with me for some years past.

Referring to the above, I desire to say that I will continue to conduct my business at the above place, having purchased the entire stock and business of Mr. LEWIS C. BROWN, President, and I am in no manner connected with my patrons with the best goods in my line, and trust to receive a continuance of your patronage. JOHN T. KAEMPF, ap 8-Tu-Th-Sa-Su.

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