

WEST VIRGINIA BRIEFS

CHARLESTON: Alleging that the company is unable to operate its mines at a profit and meet outstanding obligations, W. Bernard Duke has filed a bill in equity in the federal court here against the Davy Poca-bontas Coal Company. He asks that a receiver be appointed. The company operates principally in McDowell county.

CHARLESTON: William T. White is dead at the age of 98 years. He was born in Nicholas county and was never ill until infirmities due to age caused his final collapse. He was the oldest man in the Kanawha valley.

WHEELING: Charles Hill, 55, for years a section foreman on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, was ground to death by a passenger train near Point Mills.

ELKINS: Mrs. Howard Sutherland was elected president, Mrs. B. M. Hoover vice president, Mrs. Frederick H. Barron recording secretary, Mrs. Herman G. Johnston corresponding secretary and Mrs. William G. Wilson treasurer of the Elkins Civic League.

CHESTER: William Noakes, 35, who was supposed to have perished when his residence was burned to the ground here has been found alive and well at Minerva, O. He had left his home early in the morning and

the building burned down a few hours later.

MORGANTOWN: H. M. Grimm, a Baltimore and Ohio railroad brakeman, 19 years old, was killed by his own train while shifting cars at Cheat Haven, Pa., twelve miles north of here. He was running ahead of the moving train when he stumbled and fell.

CHARLESTON: In order to supply an ever increasing demand for information regarding road conditions in West Virginia, officials of the American Automobile Association are making trail blazing trips into those sections of the state concerning which road information is meager. The data gathered will be compiled for the benefit of motorists desiring to tour the state.

MARTINSBURG: One of the most peculiar accidents on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad in years happened near Weaverton. By the breaking of an axle of a freight car in the middle of a train, two cars buckled and were thrown down on an embankment into the Chesapeake and Ohio canal. When the cars left the track together both sections of the train came together without doing any further damage and were automatically coupled. Disarrangement of the air braking system later caused trainmen to stop the train.

CHARLESTON: Theodore Riley and Joseph Barrett, members of a motoring party, are in a hospital with bullet wounds in their legs as the result of being attacked by a gang of rowdies in Charleston street late at night.

CHARLES TOWN: The two principal streets of the business section are to be roped off for the annual fall festival to be held here October 28 and 29 and the exhibits will be displayed in the streets. Prizes aggregating \$500 will be awarded.

COMMITTEE

Is Named to Confer with Ohio State Board of Trade on Trade Relations.

PARKERSBURG, Oct. 26.—State Secretary Archer, of the board of commerce, has received a communication from the president of the state board saying that a resolution had been passed at Fairmont by the state board to appoint a committee to confer with the Ohio board concerning matters of co-operation to secure trade relations.

While the West Virginia commercial agents are conferring with the Ohio representatives, the executives of the railroads hauling West Virginia coal will be asked to keep the rates as they stand at present to competitive points.

The committee consists of the Hon. Z. T. Vinson, Huntington; the Hon. George Watson, Fairmont; and the Hon. T. E. Houston, Elkhorn.

Austria has assumed control of the Galician oil industry.

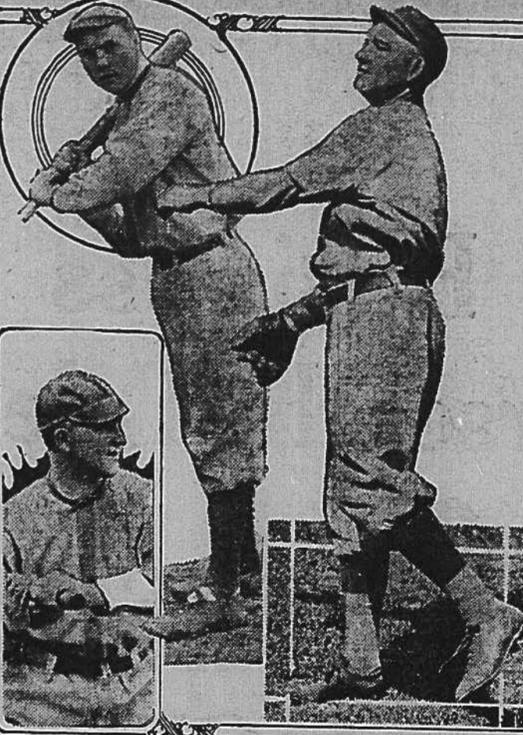
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VETS OF SENATORS MAY BE CAST ADRIFT



Left to right: Morgan, Ainsmith and Boehling.

By the time the 1916 season has begun, it is believed that Clarke Griffith will have divorced himself from three of his veterans—Catcher Eddie Ainsmith, Pitcher Joe Boehling and Second Baseman Ray Morgan. Each of the three is said to have failed to keep in condition, and Griffith, like most other managers, will not stand for a player who will not give his team the best he has.

BOGGESS BUSY ARRANGING CONVENTION

Diligent Efforts Are Put Forth to Have Larger Delegations from the Counties.

The Rev. Wheeler Boggress, local secretary, in charge of the arrangements for the Layman's Missionary Movement convention to be held in this city November 17 to 19, is very busy in his offices in the Union National Bank building sending out information and receiving registrations for the convention. The registrations so far received are very gratifying, but the proportion allotted to the several churches of the various denominations in the territory to be represented at the Clarksburg convention has not been exhausted by any means, and because of the nearness to the dates on which the convention will be held it is urged that registrations be forwarded to the secretary promptly that there may be no unnecessary delay or unintentional discrimination in representation.

Never before have the people of central West Virginia been offered the privilege of hearing such an array of superior talent as will be provided for this convention. The several speakers are experts in their line of work and will not fail to awaken the laymen of this section to a higher sense of duty in dedicating their lives and wealth to the extension of Christian work throughout the world.

Many substantial reasons might be assigned as to the manner in which the coming convention will be beneficial to the laymen who will attend it. In brief it will enlarge your conception of what it is to be a Christian. It will deepen your personal hold in the realities of Christian faith. It will increase your confidence in ultimate victory for Christ and the church. It will give you a more accurate view of present world conditions. It will make you a more efficient worker in your church and community, and it will help you to co-operate more adequately with men of other communities in forwarding the work of one undivided church.

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SPECIAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS
By order of the Board of Directors a special meeting of the stockholders of Monongahela Valley Fraction Company is hereby called to be held at the office of the Company, Room No. 305 Watson Building, in the City of Fairmont, West Virginia, on the 24th day of November, 1915, at 11 o'clock A. M. to consider and act upon a resolution to be then and there offered to increase the authorized Capital Stock of this Company by increasing the number of shares of stock thereof from 75,000 shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars each to 125,000 shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars each, there by increasing the number of shares of Preferred Capital Stock from 25,000 shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars each to 30,000 shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars each, and increasing the number of shares of Common Capital Stock from 50,000 shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars each to 95,000 shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars each; so that such authorized Capital Stock shall thereafter be \$12,500,000 instead of \$7,500,000 as heretofore; and so that the authorized Preferred Capital Stock shall thereafter be 3,000,000 instead of \$2,500,000 as heretofore; and so that the authorized Common Capital Stock shall thereafter be \$9,500,000 instead of \$5,000,000 as heretofore.
WALTON MILLER, Secretary.

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ville Oil & Gas Company, a corporation created and organized under the laws of the State of West Virginia, does hereby discontinue business as a corporation and surrenders to said State its charter and corporate franchises. The board of directors will proceed to convert the property, choses in action and all assets of this corporation into cash, and pay off and discharge all its debts, liabilities and obligations; and after fully discharging all such debts and liabilities and obligations, divide the remainder among the stockholders pro rata with their several holdings of stock, but no such payment shall be made to any stockholder until after the publication of the notice hereinafter provided.

RESOLVED, SECOND, That the president of this corporation cause notice of the adoption of the foregoing resolution to be published in some newspaper of general circulation, published near the principal office of this corporation, once a week for four successive weeks; and that he certify these resolutions to the secretary of the State of West Virginia, and deliver to him a certificate showing the publication of said notice as provided by law.

Given under my hand this 25th day of October, 1915.
C. C. McCARTY,
President of said corporation.

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE

Fadwa Shahady, Admrx. vs. In Chancery.
Canaan Shahady, Thomas Shahady, Edward Shahady, Nasif Shahady, Joe Moses, Thomas Moses and George Moses, trading as Moses Brothers, Ohio Valley Candy Company, Alta Vista Bottling Works, Strochman Vienna Bakery, Ray B. Newell, New Martinsville Grocery Company, a corporation; Amicon Commission Company, a corporation; Mannington Cigar Company, Joseph Casady, Thomas E. Lee, trading as Coca-Cola Bottling Works, Aston A. Stuart, Omer E. Hall, Wallace Hardware & Furniture Co., a corporation, Omer W. Swiger, Horn-Gardner Company, a corporation, and A. J. Fox.

In pursuance of an order entered in the above styled cause in the circuit court of Harrison County, West Virginia, on the 18th day of September, 1915, the same was referred to the undersigned commissioner to take, state and report an account showing:

First, what personal estate the said Abraham Shahady owned at the time of his death and the value thereof.

Second, what disposition, if any, was made of said personal estate by the plaintiff Fadwa Shahady, administratrix of Abraham Shahady, deceased, and how much, if any, of said personal estate is now in litigation available for the payment of any debts owing from the estate of said Abraham Shahady, deceased.

Third, a settlement of the administration of the estate of the said decedent by said Fadwa Shahady, his administratrix.

Fourth, what debts said Abraham Shahady owned at the time of his death, to whom they are payable, their nature, and their respective amounts and priorities.

Fifth, that real estate was owned by the said Abraham Shahady at the time of his death, its quantity, description and location.

Sixth, such other matters as any party in interest may require, the same being pertinent, or such other as said commissioner himself may deem pertinent, whether so required or not.

The above named parties and all other interested parties are notified that the undersigned commissioner will on the 22nd day of NOVEMBER, 1915, at his offices, 320-322 Goff Building, Clarksburg, West Virginia, proceed to execute said order of reference.

Given under my hand this 11th day of October, 1915.
LAFAYETTE C. CRILE,
Commissioner.

ROY E. PARRISH, Esq.,
Solicitor.
Notice to Creditors.
To the creditors of Abraham Shahady, deceased:
In pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of the County of Harrison, in the State of West Virginia, made in a cause therein pending, to subject the estate of the said decedent to the payment of his debts, you are required to present your claims against the estate of the said decedent for adjudication to Lafayette C. Crile, Esq., Commissioner, at his office in said County, on or before the 22nd day of November, 1915.

Witness, I, Wade Coffman, Clerk of the said Court, this 11th day of October, 1915.
I. WADE COFFMAN, Clerk.

DECLARES EUROPE SHOULD ABANDON HOLDINGS IN WEST
Charles H. Sherrill, formerly U. S. ambassador to Argentina, declares that this country now has the opportunity or urging European nations to relinquish their territory in the western hemisphere, so that this continent may have complete liberty and absolute immunity from entanglements in European quarrels.



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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.
NOTICE is hereby given that, at a meeting of the stockholders of the Clarksburg Oil & Gas Company, a corporation created and organized under the laws of the State of West Virginia, held at No. 415 W. Main Street, Clarksburg, W. Va., on the 11th day of October, 1915 the following resolutions were adopted:
RESOLVED, FIRST, That the Church

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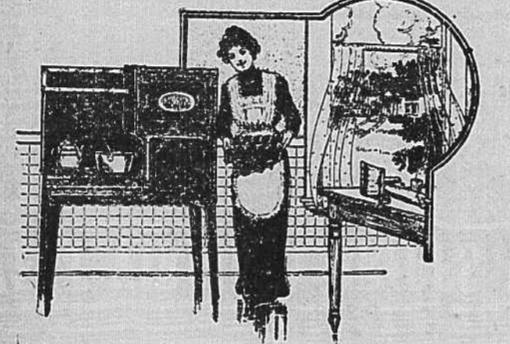
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