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## RECORD OF THE COURTS.

EQUITY COURT, No. 1. Chief Justice Bingham—Brooks vs. Brooks; testimony before J. Cruikshanks, examiner, ordered taken. Straus vs. Thompson; Dr. Mackell and A. A. Birney appointed receivers. Connolly vs. Raub; restraining order discharged. Hunt vs. Hunt; time to file amendment to bill granted. Pennsylvania R. R. Co. vs. Brown; pro confesso or defendants; Brown made absolute. Glover vs. Bancroft; auditor's supplemental report finally confirmed. Heurich Brewing Co. vs. Mayse; George S. Parker allowed to intervene. Liston vs. Liston; testimony before Thomas H. Fitnem, examiner, ordered taken.

CIRCUIT COURT, No. 1. Chief Justice Bingham—Mechanical Gold Extractor Company vs. W. F. Hewett; J. H. Magruder & Co. vs. T. Foster; judgment by default in both cases. James Robbins vs. T. W. Tyrer; judgment by condemnation. A. C. Gibson vs. S. K. Spaulding et al.; The Ph. Hoke Manufacturing Company vs. F. B. Clarkson; judgment by default in each case.

CIRCUIT COURT, No. 2. Justice Bingham—Bagg vs. Farrell; leave granted to take proof.

ORPHANS' COURT. Justice Hagner—In re estate of Jose M. Macias; will filed for probate.

### Yesterday's Police Grind.

Henry Brown, of No. 1316 Maryland avenue, some time ago converted a fuel shed in the rear of his home into a stable. This was in violation of the building regulations, and as a consequence he was arrested. The case was called up, but Mr. Brown demanded a jury trial and it was continued over until July 12.

John Batters, who runs a grocery store at No. 1840 Thirteenth street, was before Judge Kimball on two charges. The first was for running an unlicensed bar, and the second for selling liquor to minors. Mr. Batters demanded a jury trial, and the case was continued indefinitely. He was released on $1,200 bond.

Two unlicensed produce dealers were in the police court yesterday. Thofui Hitpoyuopedos, a thrifty son of Greece, thinking that Uncle Sam was already rich enough, decided to sell bananas without a license. Policeman Orani, however, thought it very wrong for a man to beat the government while the gold reserve is so low, and arrested Thofui. The latter was fined $5 in the police court yesterday morning, but the money will be returned to him provided he obtains a license. Sentence was suspended on Adem Tregerson, who was given until Saturday to obtain a license.

Henry Chattel, the colored man who attempted to do up the police force Monday night and was successful in getting himself locked up, was sentenced to pay a fine of $5 and serve 30 days in jail.

Peter Worthington was fined $5 for violating the police regulations. Peter is a huckster, and his violation consisted in crying the wares which he had for sale in too loud a voice.

Isaac Brown, colored, was given 30 days in jail for malicious mischief by Judge Miller. Brown when arrested was defacing a car belonging to the B. and O. railroad.

Richard Sommers was arrested yesterday morning by Policeman Stahl for indecent exposure. The arrest was made directly opposite the Police Court building on Louisiana avenue. Stahl, instead of taking his prisoner to the station house, brought him direct to court, where he was fined $250 by Judge Kimball. In default of payment Sommers will serve six months in jail.

### New York Stock Exchange.

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| | Op. | High | Low | Closing |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| American Tobacco | 87¼ | 87¼ | 87 | 87 |
| Atchison, Topeka & S. F. | 5 | 5¼ | 5 | 5¼ |
| C. B. & Quincy | 74⅝ | 74¾ | 73⅞ | 74 |
| Chicago Gas | 74⅝ | 74⅝ | 72⅞ | 73⅞ |
| Delaware & Hudson | 126¾ | 126¾ | 126¾ | 126¾ |
| Distillers & Cattle F'drs. | 23¾ | 24 | 23¾ | 24 |
| Denver & Rio Grande | 26 | 26 | 25½ | 25½ |
| Erie | 13⅛ | 13⅛ | 13¼ | 13⅛ |
| General Electric Co. | 36½ | 36⅝ | 36½ | 36½ |
| Louisville & Nashville | 44¼ | 44¼ | 43¾ | 43⅞ |
| Lake Shore | 127⅝ | 128½ | 127⅝ | 128¼ |
| Michigan Central | 94½ | 94½ | 94½ | 94½ |
| Missouri Pacific | 26 | 26¼ | 25¾ | 25¾ |
| Northwestern | 104 | 104 | 103¾ | 103¾ |
| Northern Pacific preferred | 13⅞ | 14 | 13⅞ | 14 |
| National Lead | 37½ | 37¾ | 37½ | 37½ |
| New York Central | 96 | 96 | 96 | 96 |
| Omaha | 34⅞ | 35½ | 34⅞ | 35½ |
| Pacific Mail | 14½ | 14½ | 14½ | 14½ |
| Pullman P. C. Co. | 159 | 159 | 159 | 159 |
| Reading | 16⅛ | 16⅛ | 16⅛ | 16⅛ |
| Rock Island | 66⅛ | 66⅛ | 65¼ | 65¾ |
| Southern Pacific | 17¾ | 17¾ | 17¾ | 17¾ |
| St. Paul | 59⅝ | 59⅝ | 58¾ | 58⅞ |
| Sugar Trust | 97 | 97 | 95½ | 96 |
| Tennessee Coal & Iron | 18½ | 18½ | 18¼ | 81⅛ |
| Texas Pacific | 8½ | 8⅝ | 8½ | 8⅝ |
| U. S. Cordage | 21 | 21 | 20½ | 20½ |
| Western Union | 83¼ | 83¼ | 82¾ | 83 |
| Wabash preferred | 13⅝ | 13⅝ | 13⅝ | 13⅝ |
| Wheel. & L. E. | 10⅛ | 10⅛ | 9⅞ | 10⅛ |
| W. & L. E. preferred | 41 | 41 | 41 | 41 |

### The Wandering Jaw.

[From the Freeport Bulletin.]

Allowing only thirty chews per minute ten hours a day, a Kentucky statistician calculates that the average gum chewer moves his or her jaws 103 miles a year. This is nearly equal to the achievement of a prize ring star.

# MUNICIPAL CONTROL OF GAS

## Washington Merchants of All Classes Express Their Opinions.

## MUCH ROOM FOR IMPROVEMENT

**All Agree That Gas Should Be Better and Cheaper, But Opinions Differ as to Government Ownership—Price Thould Be Controlled and Monopoly Prevented.**

Pursuing the quest among its readers for an expression of sentiment upon the question as to whether the government—which in Washington takes the place of other forms of municipal authority—should own and control the gas supply, THE TIMES has secured and presents the following interviews with business men from the northwest section of the city.

THE TIMES has adopted this method of "voting" as in a measure affording to the people the right of suffrage, and in each interview is recorded the individual's exact sentiments, regardless of the bearing they may have upon the subject.

A. M. MOORE, proprietor of Moore's Shoe Palace, No. 810 Seventh street northwest: "I do not see why it shouldn't be put under government control as in other cities. There is one thing about it, the gas we have been getting is not good, and if properly conducted the gas ought to be made much better and cheaper, and it doubtless would be if managed by the government."

A. F. HENDERSHOTT, druggist, corner of Thirteenth and F streets northwest: "I am in favor of the government controlling the enterprise if that will insure us cheaper gas. I am not in favor of monopoly in any form."

J. C. BUCHANAN, of Buchanan Bros., opticians, No. 1115 F street northwest: "My answer is yes, decidedly, yes; emphatically, yes. If I could make it any stronger I would. I believe that every city and every town that can afford gas should have a plant of its own. I do not think that would interfere with the rights of capital, either."

PEOPLE SHOULD BE IN CONTROL.

R. A. WALKER, grocer, No. 1600 Seventh street northwest: "I have always been of the opinion that the people should have charge of all local enterprises, the gas supply and every other interest to which the people contribute the support. These are the necessaries—as necessary as government itself. They are a part of the government, and should be under its management and control. The people are the government, and should have the direction of all things local that are for the public convenience."

W. P. HARDING, of Craig & Harding, dealers in furniture and draperies, corner of Thirteenth and F streets northwest: "I believe that water, gas, electric lighting, and all similar service for public comfort and convenience, should be under the control of the municipality."

W. P. WHITE, of White & Mitchell, dealers in coal and wood, No. 1706 Seventh street northwest: "On general principles I am not in favor of the government running any interest that can be properly conducted by private capital; but I think it might be better if the government were to control the gas supply as it does the water privilege."

C. SCHNEIDER, hardware and electrical supplies, No. 1207 F street northwest: "I am in favor of the government taking control of the gas and all other large interests for the service of the public. I believe it would be much better for the people, and we would doubtless get better and cheaper gas to have the supply furnished by the government. I am certainly opposed to all monopolies."

S. R. WATERS, dealer in fine groceries, corner of O and Seventh streets, northwest: "I do not believe it would be improved by giving the government absolute control, but at the same time I think Congress should establish a reasonable rate for gas. In general, I do not think an interest of that description can be as well conducted by municipal authorities as by a private corporation under proper restrictions."

G. WARFIELD SIMPSON, merchant tailor, corner of Twelfth and F streets, northwest: "There is one thing I can say, and that is that I am not satisfied with the present gas system, and any change must be for the better, and anything that would better it I should be in favor of."

H. I. STRASBERGER, proprietor of the Star Shoe House, No. 1203 F street northwest: "I feel that it would be for the interest of the citizens of Washington for the government to own and control the gas works. Until the people are in a position to do this they should have some say as to the price at which gas should be supplied. This they are entitled to from the fact that the company is given the privilege of using the streets for the laying of pipes and mains. As in other cities, the citizens, who constitute the government, should have a voice in proper measures in the control of its municipal affairs."

C. COLMAN, dealer in hardware, stoves, and tinware, No. 1311 Seventh street northwest: "I think it would be better for the people if the government would run the gas works. It would give good wages to the people employed and at the same time make gas cheaper. I do not believe in franchises to incorporated companies making millions of profit off the people. It isn't right to give them so much power."

## VERDICT MOST SURPRISING.

**Evidence for Conviction Clear and Uncontradicted, Yet Prisoner Was Acquitted.**

"Not guilty" was the surprising verdict returned yesterday by the jury in the case of the alleged policy runner, Edward Connover, who was arrested on June 27 in the bar of the St. James hotel. Yesterday was the second time the case had been in court. On the first occasion the jury disagreed. Yesterday's verdict created great astonishment, as the government had additional evidence and Connover offered no defense whatever.

Policemen Kilmartin and Helan testified that just previous to the time they had taken the defendant into custody they had seen several persons cross over to where he was standing and give him slips of paper. They arrested him immediately afterward and found on him what appeared to be policy slips. These slips were produced in court and shown to the jury.

Another important witness was John Kenny, who was also arrested as a policy runner, but who turned state's evidence. Kenny testified that he had seen Connover in Alexandria at Donnelly's policy shop making up books on several occasions.

The evidence was entirely unimpeached by the defendant. Several colored porters from the Baltimore and Potomac depot were also on the stand and testified that they had been employed by Connover to write policy slips. Connover did not take the stand nor did he call any witnesses.

Judge Kimball in his statement to the jury spoke of the necessity of a law that would absolutely suppress policy playing, which he considered the worst form of gambling.

The jury retired and in a short time returned with the strange verdict.

## CONCERNS OF THE DISTRICT.

**Not Sufficent Force Employed to Clean Pennsylvania Avenue.**

Contractor James O'Day has been warned by the Commissioners that the work of cleaning Pennsylvania avenue by hand must be done better or otherwise they will place a sufficient force at work to do the job at his expense. The action of the officials is due to a complaint from Superintendent Davis, who reported that the cleaning of this thoroughfare was not being done properly and that the contractor did not have a large enough number of men employed to do the work as it should be done.

Relative to the legality of an alley in square 93, Attorney for the District Thomas says: "The alley is a public one, provided the public have accepted it. The question of acceptance by the public must be determined by whether the public have ever used it or appropriated money for its maintenance."

Mrs. Scrivener, of No. 415 Seventh street northeast, has complained to the Commissioners that her husband, Theodore Scrivener, was badly hurt at the workhouse last Friday by a policeman, without cause or provocation.

The Citizens' Association of Georgetown, in a letter to the commissioners, favor House bill 7452 to repair the piers of the Aqueduct bridge.

John W. Belt, one of the directors of the Southern Maryland Fair Association, has been granted a permit by the Commissioners to hang a banner across Eleventh street southeast, between M and N streets, provided that the lower end of the banner shall not be less than 25 feet above the surface of the pavement.

Engineer J. T. Graeves, employed at the U street pumping station, has been recommended by Capt. Derby for dismissal for inefficiency.

On the recommendation of Capt. G. J. Fieberger Third street between P and R streets has been placed on the schedule for improvement for 1896.

The Attorney for the District has rendered an opinion that the Commissioners cannot make a police regulation to prevent the use of soft coal by large establishments in the city. He states that the only redress that any one has who may suffer from the smoke and soot from the burning of this coal is through the courts for a mandatory injunction to abate the same.

S. P. Bayley, jr., of the Garbage Company, recently asked the Commissioners to inform him where another wharf could be had in order to facilitate the transportation of garbage. In reply the officials say that they are unable to learn where any wharf can be obtained, but that the harbormaster advises them that the garbage company's wharf at the foot of South Capitol street can be repaired for about two hundred dollars and used for the purposes mentioned.

Building permits were granted yesterday as follows: Jacob Lyons, to build a frame house on lot 4, section 3, Barry Farm, $250; Tyler & Rutherford, to improve No. 709 Ninth street northwest, $550; T. Riordan, to repair No. 311 Monroe street, Anacostia, $125; L. Z. Leiter, to repair No. 1500 New Hampshire avenue, $400; E. Flynn, to repair No. 1023 First street southwest; James Edmonds, to repair building in rear of No. 1220 Twelfth street northwest; Mrs. Ella M. Ware, to repair No. 1527 Rhode Island avenue northwest, $100; George Brooks, to repair house on street A, Barry Farm.

Residents and property owners on F street, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth streets, have asked the Commissioners to place a hydrant on that block.

James H. Gill in a letter to the Commissioners asks for the paving of Harewood avenue from Maple avenue to the north side of Spruce street.

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## LITTLE COMMITTEE WORK.

**Usual Midsummer Indication of the End of a Congressional Session.**

The committees of the House have nearly completed their work for the session. Several of the most important House committees have entirely ceased to meet, while others have been holding but occasional sessions. Foremost among the remaining matters is the Pacific railway problem, upon which the the committee is exclusively engaged.

Next in importance comes the banking bill, which has been given into the charge of a subcommittee and may not materialize this session. The report on the investigation of the Homestead armor-plate fraud by the Committee on Naval Affairs is yet to be made, and the Labor Committee is working on the proposed arbitration laws. The Immigration Committee is expected to recommend some minor changes in those laws; and this week the members of the Committee on Merchant Marine will vote on the Maguire bills to ameliorate the condition of seamen in the merchant service.

### Real Estate Transfers.

Real estate transfers were recorded yesterday as follows: A. M. Green to John M. Dempsey, lot 36, square 4, "Chichester," $300 Warren Choate to William H. Wahly, lot 31, square 754, $10. Alexander K. Phillips to Charles P. Stone and Charles W. Fairfax, lots 16 and 17, square 1,066, $3,500. William O. Dennison to Mary A. Cushing, part of block 35, Brookland, $7,798. Bertha Wolff to Rosa De Carre, lot 27, block 18, Brightwood Park, $2,500. John A. Pierre to John H. Dale, lot 7, section 8, Barry Barry farm, $10.

### Marriage Licenses Granted.

Marriage licenses granted yesterday: Edward Wallace and Frances Matthews; Henry C. Chamberlain and Mary J. Copperthite; Frank T. Davis, of Washington, D. C., and Lucy C. Messer, of Oberlin, Ohio; John W. Johnson, of Prince George's county, Md., and Mary S. Jackson, of this city; William H. Dorsey, of this city, and Mary Emma Bush, of St. Mary's county, Md.; Owen V. Pumphrey and Nellie V. Grissam.

## DEATH STRIKES AGAIN.

**Librarian Hatch of the Masonic Supreme Council Unexpectedly Expires.**

The Scottish rite has again suffered a loss in the sudden death of Librarian Thomas E. Hatch at 1 o'clock on Monday afternoon. Gen. Phillip Crosby Tucker, grand commander, was taken away, and 15 hours afterwards the librarian expired. The death of these two distinguished members of the Scottish rite leaves two of the highest offices in the order vacant.

Librarian Hatch has been a resident of Washington for several years, and his death occurred at his home, 1316 S street northwest. Dr. Hatch was born in Vermont, near Gen. Tucker; he removed early in life to Keene, N. H., and practiced medicine. He was closely identified with Masonry in his state, having attained every office in the gift of the order. He became a thirty-third degree Mason some years ago, and was promoted to the office of librarian of the supreme council.

His remains will be under a guard of honor until this afternoon.

The body will be taken to Keene by a late train. Dr. J. Mills Brown and F. J. Woodman will accompany it to its destination.

Dr. Hatch leaves a wife, a daughter, and a married son, who is in California.

The funeral obsequies will occur in Keene.

### Mr. Hepburn Renominated.

Representative Hepburn, of Iowa, received dispatches yesterday announcing his unanimous renomination for Congress.


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# Till Death Us Do Part

Written for THE TIMES by

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"The insolent beast!" cried Philip Crowest, flinging upon the breakfast table a letter he had opened eagerly and read at a single and furious glance. His wife, whose face was like plaintive music exquisitely sweet and sad, looked up with the scared expression of a child that shrinks from an upraised hand. A few short months of marriage to this man had aged her by as many years, and seemed to have blotted out from her face and from her life forever the light not of joy only, or only of peace, but even of hope.

She read on the inside of the portal of marriage what is written on the outside of the gate of hell: "Lasciate ogni speranza voi ch' entrate"—"All hope abandon ye, who enter here." Nor was unmitigated misery made less poignant by the reflection and the remorse that it was wholly her own work. She had rejected for this selfish, sordid savage a man whom she now knew to be as noble as her husband was base, and because this man—Hugh Arnold—ever haunted her thoughts by day and her dreams by night, she dared not permit herself even to see him. When her abject husband for his own purposes would have forced her into a renewal of her intimacy with Hugh Arnold she recoiled and refused, and clung to her decision with the desperate grasp of the drowning.

"If I begged you not too see him, you'd elope fast enough," her husband sneered savagely, "that is if he'd elope with you. You think he wants to, do you? And you're such a saint that you'll keep yourself and him out of the temptation. But I can tell you you need not be in the least alarmed, for he knows what an escape he has had. I only wish to God I had had it!"

I must here explain at once the brute's request to his wife to renew her intimacy with Hugh Arnold and his reason for his fury at the obstinacy of her refusal. Being an inveterate and unfortunate gambler he was slowly getting, so to say, strangled by pecuniary embarrassments for years past. Since his marriage he had applied for help to Hugh Arnold, who had more than once, and more than liberally, responded to these appeals for Mrs. Crowest's sake. As, however, Crowest in each case had lost the greater part of the "loan" in an attempt to retrieve former gambling losses, either at the card table, on the racecourse, or on the stock exchange, Hugh was convinced of the hopelessness of helping so infatuated a gambler. Hence the curt and cutting letter of refusal which made Crowest exclaim this morning: "The insolent beast!"

After a moment's moody reflection he sprang up, leaving his breakfast unfinished, and strode to and fro for some time in great agitation. Suddenly he stopped behind his wife's chair, put his hand roughly on her shoulder and cried:

"Look here! If I can't lay my hands on £1,500 before to-morrow I shall be in jail to-morrow night! Do you hear? In jail! in jail! in jail!" he reiterated, shaking her by the shoulder at each repetition of the word.

She looked up at him in a state of semi-stupefaction—like that of a mouse between a cat's paws—which his fits of fury (ever since he had struck her in one of them) always brought on now.

"And it's your doing, confound you! If you'd kept up your friendship with him, he'd have helped me now," he shouted, giving her a final and most violent shake, when he strode to the door, wrenched it open, and banged it behind him

How long she sat there—cold, white and lifeless as a marble statue—she could not tell before he returned with a letter he had just written in his hand.

"Look here, Bertha, I've been a brute to you; but you have no idea how I have been worried almost to madness of late. Will you forgive me as you'd forgive a dying man; for you'll never see me again."

"You're—you won't—

"No, no! I'm only going away forever; I must go. You forgive me? Say you forgive me!"

"Yes," she said, speaking as she felt as though she were in a dream.

He stooped and kissed her chilled lips, and then handed her the letter he had just written,