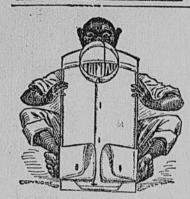
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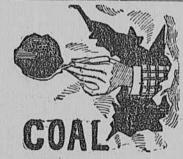


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NEW 'PHONES, 5-114 and 234.

COURT DECISIONS.

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Notes of Cases Recently Decided, Which are of Interest to Our People.

M. L. I. CO. V. RUTHERFORD. Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia. March 15, 1900.

THE PRELIMINARY PROOFS OF LOSS PRESENTED TO AN INSUR-ANCE COMPANY ARE BINDING ON THE BENEFICIARY.

WHEN ANSWERS IN AN APPLICA TION OF INSURANCE ARE MADE WARRANTIES BY THE CONTRACT ITS VALIDITY DEPENDS UPON THEIR LITERAL TRUTH WHETHER MATERIAL OR NOT.

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The Court says:
Upon the trial the plaintiff offered in evidence the two policles of insurance sued on, the applications therefor, phoofs of the death of the insured, and certain oral evidence. The defendant, without any testimony, demurred to the plaintiff's evidence.

By the terms of the policles of insurance, which are substantially alike, the answers and statements contained in the printed and written application for them were all made warrantles and parts of the contracts of insurance. One of the conditions (the 4th) of each pelley, which is expressly made a part of the contract, provides, among other things, that if any of the statements or warrantles referred to in the policy or upon which it was granted was not true, that the policy should be void.

In the case under consideration, the proofs of loss show that the death of the father of the insured was caused by a disease other than that stated in the application for insurance, thus showing prima facie the falsity of one of the answers of the insured which he had warranted to be true. No effort was made to show that this statement in the proof of loss was the result of a mistake or was not true, although the plaintiff herself, the party who made the statement, testified in the case. In this condition of the record, the falsity of the answer of the insured as to the cause of the father's death must be treated as established. It may be, as the beneficiary insists, that this answer was not really material to the risk assumed by the company, but that does not effect the question.

Where the answers to questions propounded in an application for insurance are made warranties by the terms of the contract of insurance, its validity depends upon the literal truth of such answers, and it is a matter of no consequence whether they are material to the risk or not. Being warranties, they are in the nature of conditions precedent, and like them, must be strictly complied with Lynchburg Fire Ins. Co. v. West, 78 Va., 5

REDGATE V. ROUSH. Supreme Court of Kansas. February 10, 1900.

WHERE THE OFFICERS OF A CHURCH UPON ENQUIRY FIND THEIR PASTOR UNFIT FOR HIS
OFFICE, AND IN GOOD FAITH,
AND ON A REASONABLE OCCASION, PUBLISH THE RESULT OF THEIR ENQUIRY IN THE CHURCH PAPERS, SUCH COM-MUNICATION IS PRIVILEGED.

IN SUCH CASE, IF THE PASTOR SEEKS DAMAGES FOR LIBEL, HE MUST PROVE ACTUAL MALICE.

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This was an action for alleged libel upon plaintiff, a preacher, by the defendants who were officers of his congregation. The alleged libel was a publication in the church papers that fellowship was withdrawn from the plaintiff as a member and as a preacher. The lower court sustained a demurrer to the evidence and gave judgement for the defendants and plaintiff appealed.

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SHIPPING NOTES.

LOSS OF A SCHOONER-TWO COL-LISIONS-HARBOR.

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The three-masted schooner William
H. Kenzel, Captain James Soper, New
York to Baitlmore, cement loaded,
struck on the Isaacs early yesterday
morning in the heavy sea and wind at
that time, knocked a hole in her bottom, ran into Cape Charles channel
with distress flag flying and sank in
six fathoms of water, vessel and cargo
becoming a total loss; The insurance
being represented as light, if any. The
signal office at Cape Henry reported
via seacoast telegraph the vessel's position as soon as discovered, and the
Merritts sent the steamer Rescue to her
assistance. In the meantime the pliot
boat Relief had stood alongside and
taken off Captain Soper and the crew
with their effects and later landed them
at Old Point, whence the Rescue
brought them to Norfolk, where Captain Soper noted protest and made arrangements for paying off the crew.
Later he returned to the schooner and
will probably have her stripped insofar
as possible.

The Wm. H. Kenzel was built at

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The Wm. H. Kenzel was built at Staten Island, in 1865, and was of 460 registered tonnage.

During the heavy blow of Wednesday afternoon the two-masted schooner Greenfield, Captain Layfield, from Baltimore to Norfolk, light, came in collision with the Merchants' and Miners' Transportation steamship Essex off Boush's Bluff, and lost her bowsprit and jibboom, cut off clean at the knight-heads; sails and head rigging also suffered somewhat. The Greenfield will repair here.

Yesterday afternoon, as the schooner Mary S. Ewing, Captain Brown, was running in from James river, she fouled the revenue cutter Onondaga, tearing her own main sail badly and injuring her otherwise. She will repair here.

Owing to the pressure of work and to the extended personal supervision of anchorages recently devolved on the harbor-masters, they have secured and put in shape the tug C. W. Ridley, in which to attend to their duties. As result of this personal attention given to all vessels in the harbor, the channel at Lambert's Point and below is now kept clear and in easily navigable condition, and no word of dissatisfaction from the crowded condition incident to the large coal fleet has been heard for several weeks, though there are still in the neighborhood of 50 barges and schooners lying in wait for coal between Pinner's Point and Craney Island. This is a high compliment to the harbor masters' faithfulness.

Y. M. C. A. BASKET BALL.

THIRD TEAM WILL NOW PLAY SECOND FOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

The final game between the Third and Fourth basket ball teams of the and Fourth basket ball teams of the Y. M. C. A. was played last night before a large and enthusiastic audience, and resulted in a victory for the Third team to the tune of 35 to 18. This victory places the Third team on the line of the final competition. The Second team, also having won three out of five against the First, will be their opponents.

The final series will commence next week, and will also be decided by the best three out of five games.

The game last night was intensely exciting, though much one-sided, the plays being exceedingly fine. The lineup was as follows:

Third Team—N. Jacobs, captain; J. H. Hanna, E. L. Croonenberg, Arthur Lankford, Grif Dodson.

Fourth Team—H. B. Russell, captain; H. H. Priest, F. H. Driesell, C. M. Rutter, Robert Montague.

New Church at the View.

Before many weeks from this date work will begin on the erection of a house of worship at Ocean View. The possibility of a church being erected at the View has been told time and again in these columns, but now the erection is a sure thing, and will no doubt be hailed with delight by the thousands who visit this popular resort on Sundays during the summer.

The contract for the new church has been awarded to Mr. John Pierce, of this city, and will cost something like \$10,000. The church will be non-demoninational, and ministers from every denomination of the city will conduct services each Sunday in rotation. work will begin on the erection of a

. The Lists Closs To-Day.

By primary law no candidate to be

AMUSEMENTS.

"ADVENTURE OF LADY URSULA."

Mr. William Morris, supported by Miss Frances Drake and a capable company of players, will appear at the Academy to-morrow afternoon and night, presenting "The Adventure of Lady Ursula." a four act comedy by the noted author and playwright, Anthony Hope. "The Adventure of Lady Ursula." a four act comedy by the noted author and playwright, Anthony Hope. "The Adventure of Lady Ursula." is the play that achieved success in London and ran an entire season at the Lyceum Theatre in New York, and is produced this season by special arrangement with Daniel Frohman, Seats can be secured for either performance at the Academy,

Visit to Phoebus and Norfolk.

Found a Great Deal of Prosperity-Everybody Busy and Everybody Making Mon-

ey-He Expect a Greats City on the Shores of Hampton Roads. The Richmond Dispatch of yesterday

Governor Tyler returned last night from a visit of several days to Pheobus, Hampton, and Norfolk. ever leaves his Southwest home he will

"I do not believe there is a more prosperous section of the United States," said the Governor last night. "I have rarely enjoyed a trip more "I have rarely enjoyed a trip more than this last one. It does me good to see such unmistakable evidences of prosperity within the bounds of the Cemmonwealth. I spent Monday at Phoebus and yesterday and to-day at Norfolk. I heard a great deal of the fine business conditions existing at Newport News. From what I saw and what I heard I feel it is no exaggeration to predict that within the next quarter of a century we will see hundreds of thousands of people living around the shores of Hampton Roads.

EVERYBODY MAKING MONEY.
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"Everybody is busy. Every business enterprise is making money. I visited several of the Norfolk factories. I was much impressed with the cutlery factory at Lambert's Point, and the silk factory, also located there. Each employs a large number of hands, and each is making money. It seems to me the people of Norfolk do not fully realize the size and importance of these industries.

"The volume of business done in Norfolk is enormous," continued the Governor. "The rallroads are constantly pouring in immense quantities of western products of every character into the city, and the harbor is full of craft loading and carrying it away.

NORFOLK'S BUSY HARBOR,

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NORFOLK'S BUSY HARBOR.

"I do not recall that I have ever seen a much busier place than Norfolk harbor is today."

Govern Tyler was much pleased with Phoebus. The dinner given by the citizens of the town Monday in honor of the incorporation of the village especially pleased him.

"It is a nice little town," said the Governor; "a strong healthy baby. We put a clean dress on it and started it. How long it will keep clean and going nobody can tell."

THE EMPORIA LYNCHING.

THE EMPORIA LYNCHING. Governor Tyler refused to discuss the action of the Emporia grand jury in failing to indict anybody for complicity in the lynching last week.

"I do not care to say anything re-

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just so long as there is a particle of vitality left in the hair roots. The fact that the head is smooth and shining is no positive proof that the roots beneath are dead Deep down beneath the skin, hair roots may yet exist, filled with latent vitality, and all that is required to develop them into a beautiful head of hair is the faithful application of the proper agents.

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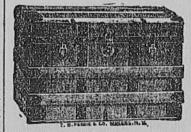
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HE LIKES TIDEWATER sarding the matter," said the Governor.
"I realize how difficult it was to fix the blame. I think the sentiment of the people of the county must be fully understood in order to understand the difficulty in finding a true bill against any one.

any one,
"You may say, however," said the
Governor, "that the report sent out
from Norfolk saying that I had said
the grand jury was 'bulldozed' was incorrect, I made no statement of that
nature."

Blds for Coal and Ice

The annual bids for furnishing the custom house with coal and ice during

custom house with coal and ice during the fiscal year, ending June 30, 1901, were opened here yesterday. The following were the bidders:

For Coal—Norfolk Coal and Ice Company, \$5.96; George W. Taylor, \$5.94; Batchelder & Collins, \$5.44; Virginia Iron, Coal and Coke Company, \$5.45.

For Ice—Norfolk Coal and Ice Company, \$50 cents per hundred pounds; Tidewater Ice Company, same.

The Norfolk Coal and Ice Company and the Tidewater Ice Company both submitted the same figures for supplying the building with Ice. The first named company was awarded the contract for furnishing coal. The Ice contract has not been awarded as yet.

Remains Sont to Petersburg.

The remains of Clara W. Holt, the interesting 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira T. Holt, who departed this life at the home of her parents in Park Place Wednesday, were forwarded via the Norfolk and Western railway yesterday morning to Petersburg for interment in Old Blandford Cemetery.

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