

PERSONAL AND BRIEF MENTION

MANY LITTLE ITEMS GATHERED HERE AND THERE THAT ARE INTERESTING.

Mr. Spiller Hicks, of this city, is quite ill at his home.

Mr. Lay Douthat is confined to his residence from illness.

Mr. Pierce Bratton, of Hemphill, is in the city transacting business.

Mrs. Harman White, who has been ill for quite a while, is improving gradually.

We regret to learn that the child of Mr. C. G. Hampton, on Bluefield avenue, is quite ill.

Mrs. G. W. Taylor, who has been visiting in Pocahontas, returned to her home in this city last evening.

Mrs. C. P. Martin, on Highland avenue, is quite ill at this time, but hopes are entertained for her speedy recovery.

Miss Annie Stewart, of South Bluefield, is confined to her residence from an extended illness, and is not very much improved.

Mrs. P. J. Hain, an old resident in this city, had an operation performed for tumor at Bluefield Sanitarium on yesterday and is doing well today. She would be glad to see any of her friends.

BEAUTIFUL AND COSTLY BUILDING.

C. C. Pattison, editor and publisher of "The Odd Fellows Friend," has just received the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd floor plans, also the front design of the Odd Fellows Home, to be located at Elkins, W. Va. This beautiful and magnificent building when completed will cost one hundred thousand dollars, and will be a monument to Odd Fellowship. All members of the order desiring to see these plans will call at "The Odd Fellows Friend" office, on Bluefield ave.

KEEPS RIGHT ON.

Col. C. O'Leary is not making much noise about it but is keeping right on selling those Eureka lots on the North Side of the railroad, right in the city of Bluefield. There is no use for him to go into connipions floundering around in the public prints trying to sell these lots. One can see at a glance their desirability and purchasers come of their own accord. Col. O'Leary has the most desirable real estate all over the city for sale, to be had, and whenever you become interested in Bluefield property of any kind you have only to call on him to become informed on all things pertaining thereto. He is always ready to discuss the future, past and present of Bluefield with all comers, especially the desirability of Eureka lots.

RONEY'S BOYS HERE MARCH 11.

The Presbyterian Church is to have a most interesting entertainment on March 11th, 1907, at 8 o'clock, p. m. The Roney's Boys will be the feature, and they are the best in the country. They are wonders and you should be on hand to see this great musical entertainment.

A NEW WILLIAMSON WEEKLY

The Leader is advised that a new weekly is to be launched on the Tug—the "Williamson Enterprise." The editor and proprietor will be W. E. Morrison, who is principal of the Presbyterian Academy at Williamson. The paper will be democratic in politics, and under Mr. Morrison's management, we hope will keep alive at least a historical remembrance of democratic principles in Mingo. We glory in his spirit and we hope the good democrats of Mingo will stick to the "Enterprise" and make it a brilliant representative of their principles for all time to come.

THE EDITOR'S LEMON

Baltimore is famed throughout the land for her beautiful women, but plainly it sometimes happens even in Baltimore that Roney has the unfortunate experience of the man in the popular song who "plucked a lemon in the garden of love," where he had been led to believe nothing but peaches ever grew. The Baltimore Sun, in response to the statement of Maj. Seelye of the British army that married men are braver than bachelors, asserts that this is due solely to the fact that married men have no little to live for that they rush toward the cannon's mouth with enthusiasm that is misunderstood.

"When a married man finds a cannon the notion of possessing his life naturally presents itself to him with little force. Before him he

sees the prospect of painless death. Behind him stretches a vista of petty annoyances, domestic jars, disheartening cruelties, broken windows, undecorated chops, howling babies. He rushes on and is slain—and is hailed by an unthinking world as a hero. The bachelor thinks of joyful independent days. He sees himself a bold Leonidas, hunted with futile enthusiasm by a horde of fair women. His life seems to him worth living. He hesitates to die, and the childish world mistaking his good sense for cowardice brands him a catfish.

The sympathy of the stoniest-hearted reader will go out to the ill-mated and unhappy wretch who penned the melancholy screed from which the paragraph above is clipped, but it is hardly fair to married men in general, to the Benedicts in the "thin red line of heroes" discussed by Maj. Seelye or to Baltimore women for the gentleman who plucked the lemon to air his grievances in the editorial column of a newspaper. And on the lemon—that is to say the lady—in the case it is most unfair because she cannot strike back with a similar weapon.

We shall refuse to believe that if in an army composed of Baltimore and the married men should fight hard it would be for any other reason than their heartstones were worth fighting for and that if the bachelors should desert it would be for any other reason than that they saw a brilliant opportunity to go home and marry Baltimore widows. —Courier Journal.

THE SOUTH IN 1906

Built 3,955 miles of railroads produced \$2,000,000,000 on its arms.

Dug 81,000,000 tons of coal from its mines.

Cut at least 13,000,000,000 feet of lumber.

Gave \$700,000,000 worth of merchandise to American export trade.

Manufactured \$2,000,000,000 worth of goods in iron, steel, wood, leather, cotton, wool, and other material.

Added \$2,650,000,000 to the value of its real wealth.

There was a decrease last month of about \$12,000,000 in the volume of money in circulation—growing solely out of a shrinkage in the amounts of gold coin and gold certificates outstanding. As there have been no gold exports and no known decline in gold production, the decrease must be attributed largely to the absorptions of the government treasury through excess revenues and withdrawals of public money on deposits with the banks. It is thus only a temporary matter and in no wise indicative of a reversal of tendencies which have been so pronounced a fact of the economic world in the past decade.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LICENSES.

This is to certify that the following is a complete list of Applications for Licenses to sell at retail spirituous liquors, wines, ale, beer and drinks of like nature, and to sell at wholesale beer, ale and drinks

Read the Daily Leader.

THE GILLIAM CLOTHING STORE

There is much wisdom in what the old philosopher said, "Deceit is the shortest lived thing in the world." Old fashioned honesty is the only good morals.—It is good in business.

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of like nature, as filed in my office, which said list contains the names of said applicants, their respective residences, and the place for which the application is made.

J. Baker, residing at Bluefield, W. Va., application for license to sell at retail spirituous liquors, wines, porter, ale, beer and drinks of like nature at No. 11 Bluefield Ave., Bluefield, Mercer County, W. Va.

J. L. Cohen, residing at Bluefield, W. Va., application for license to sell at retail spirituous liquors, wines, porter, ale, beer and drinks of like nature in Building No. 449 on Princeton Ave., Bluefield, W. Va. H. R. Hunter, residing in Bluefield, W. Va., application for license to sell at retail spirituous liquors, wines, porter, ale, beer and drinks of like nature at No. 25 Princeton Ave., in the City of Bluefield, W. Va.

P. J. Kelley and L. H. Moyers, partners trading as Kelley & Moyers, both residing at Bluefield, W. Va., application for license to sell at retail spirituous liquors, wines, porter, ale, beer and drinks of like nature at No. 55 & 41 Bland Street, Bluefield, W. Va.

B. M. Cohen, residing at Bluefield, W. Va., application for license to sell at retail spirituous liquors, wines, porter, ale, beer and drinks of like nature at Albemarle Bar in the City of Bluefield, W. Va.

J. H. George, residing at North Fork, W. Va., application for license to sell at retail spirituous liquors, wines, porter, ale, beer and drinks of like nature in the H. R. Raudenbush house on Raleigh street, in the City of Bluefield, W. Va.

J. Lazarus, E. Goodman and B. A. Heller, partners trading as L. Lazarus & Co., and their respective residences are L. Lazarus and E. Goodman, Lynchburg, Va., and B. A. Heller, Bluefield, West Virginia, application for license to sell at retail spirituous liquors, wines, porter, ale, beer and drinks of like nature in the Lazarus Building at Corner of Stewart and Princeton Avenues Bluefield, W. Va.

M. H. Kelley, residing at Glatto, W. Va., application for license to sell at retail spirituous liquors, wines, porter, ale, beer and drinks of like nature in the Ashworth & Bailey Hotel Building, Glatto, Mercer County, W. Va.

Hooper Columbus Associated Breweries Co., a corporation of the State of Ohio, residing at Columbus, Ohio, application for license to sell at retail spirituous liquors, wines, porter, ale, beer and drinks of like nature in the Hutson and Garrett Building on Bluefield Ave., Bluefield, W. Va.

D. A. Fudge, residing at Bluefield, W. Va., application for license to sell at retail spirituous liquors, wines, porter, ale, beer and drinks of like nature at No. 150 Franklin St., in the City of Bluefield, W. Va.

C. I. Stinson, residing at Bluefield, W. Va., application for license to sell at retail spirituous liquors, wines, porter, ale, beer and drinks of like nature in the J. A. Hoke Building, in the town of Glatto, Mercer County, W. Va.

W. F. Stinson, residing in the City of Bluefield, W. Va., application for license to sell at retail spirituous liquors, wines, porter, ale, beer and drinks of like nature at No. 34 & 38 Bluefield Ave., in the City of Bluefield, Mercer County, W. Va.

The Jung Brewing Co., a corporation with its principal office at Cincinnati, Ohio, application for license to sell porter, ale, beer and

drinks of like nature at No. 34 & 38 Bluefield Ave., Bluefield, W. Va. J. L. Corvin, residing at Bluefield, W. Va., application for license to sell at retail spirituous liquors, wines, porter, ale, beer and drinks of like nature at No. 133 Princeton Ave., in the City of Bluefield, W. Va.

Bluefield Brewing Co., a Corporation of the City of Bluefield, W. Va., application for license to sell porter, ale, beer and drinks of like nature at their building in the City of Bluefield, W. Va.

Ernest H. Myers, residing at Bluefield, W. Va., application for license to sell at retail spirituous liquors, wines, porter, ale, beer and drinks of like nature at No. 453 Princeton Ave., in the City of Bluefield, W. Va.

John Turner, residing at Bluefield, W. Va., application for license to sell at retail spirituous liquors, wines, porter, ale, beer and drinks of like nature in the Turk Building on Bland street, in the City of Bluefield, W. Va.

J. Walton Thomas, residing at Godfrey, Mercer Co., W. Va., application for license to sell at retail spirituous liquors, wines, porter, ale, beer and drinks of like nature in the D. P. Crockett Building in the Town of Godfrey, Mercer Co., W. Va.

E. G. Ashbury, residing at Glatto, Mercer County, W. Va., application for license to sell at retail spirituous liquors, wines, porter, ale, beer and drinks of like nature in the L. A. Foley Building, in the Town of Glatto, Mercer County, W. Va.

G. R. Tabor & Co., residing at Rock, Mercer County, W. Va., application for license to sell at retail spirituous liquors, wines, porter, ale, beer and drinks of like nature in the L. A. Foley Building, in the Town of Rock, Mercer County, W. Va.

Wm. Linkenbaker, residing at Bluefield, W. Va., application for license to sell at retail spirituous liquors, wines, porter, ale, beer and drinks of like nature in the G. W. Atkinson Building, in the Town of Thornhill, Mercer County, W. Va.

R. M. Corvin, residing at Bluefield, W. Va., application for license to sell at retail spirituous liquors, wines, porter, ale, beer and drinks of like nature in the Martha C. Cassidy Building, in the Town of Insleside, Mercer County, W. Va.

Floyd Lusk, residing at Clark's Gap, Mercer County, W. Va., application for license to sell at retail spirituous liquors, wines, porter, ale, beer and drinks of like nature in his building in the Town of Oakvale, Mercer County, W. Va.

Given under my hand this the 6th day of March, 1907.

Teste: ESTELL BAILEY, Clerk of the County Court of Mercer County West Virginia.

E. E. HARDING, C. P. A Auditor and Methodizer, GRAHAM, VA.

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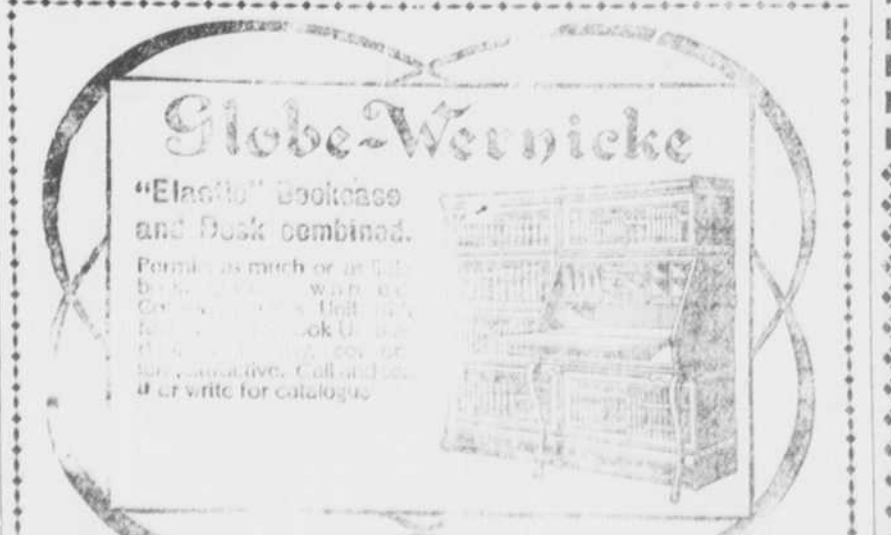
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