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HE TRANSGRESSED THE LAW. Thrashed His Wife a Year Ago and is Now in Jail. A former colored resident of Georgetown, named Enoch Smith, about two years ago married and lived with his wife one year. One day he came home about a year ago and did not find Mary home or his supper ready. After considerable knocking he found Mary in the kitchen of James Saunders, gave both a severe trouncing and departed for Philadelphia. He returned to this city Sunday and found Mary and Saunders living together. When he tried to find out the reason why, the police were "sicked" onto him and yesterday Judge Miller sent him to jail for sixty days for the assault he committed over a year ago.

SHYLOCKS' RICHEST DISH They Fairly Grew Fat Off Government Employees. NOT QUITE SO MANY NOW

But a Brisk Business Done Yet by Some—Ten Per Cent. a Month the Charge—There is One Man Who Makes a Specialty of Fleecing the Policemen. No class of people in Washington has done more to feather the Shylocks' nests than the government clerks. The abuse of numerous interest charged these people was once upon a time scandalous, but even at this late day there are victims unnumbered of the good-natured fellows who will give you \$90 cash and wait a whole month to collect your \$100, take out \$10, and do the same thing for the next month, as you will be just \$10 behind in your accounts. If you get \$200 they will let you have \$180, and so on in proportion to your salary.

In the good old days of this kind of highway robbery it was an easy job, and Shylocks were Shylocks. It was the privilege then that a clerk could give an order on the disbursing officer for his salary, made payable to Richard Roe, John Doe or Jay Gould. HAIL TO THE HANDSOME. And this was necessary the month after the country clerk came to learn to live like city folks. The first thing he usually did was to get a city girl or two, according to the divisibility of a boletic heart, and then came the Shylock into the game. The young fellow found from another young fellow of last year's crop that he could get all the money he wanted by the very simple process of "an order on the cashier," as you would mighty big to a man who used to get \$25 a month and his washing in a country store. All the money he wanted, of course, meant less 10 per cent, and if he was an absolute stranger \$5 for a friendly endorser, who was usually another Shylock.

They are still here. The departmental Shylock boom collapsed under a Republican administration, when a fiat went forth that orders on the disbursing officer were no longer receivable. Banks that had been in this kind of business went out of existence, and the Shylock went to studying a still practical scheme. Although the money changers were driven out of the various great temples, ostensibly some of them are there yet, and it is said to be a most remarkable thing that the fellows who have money to lend can hold their places through every administration. A talk was had with several clerks in the departments yesterday and while they all agreed that the bottom had dropped out of Shylockdom, there were a few still in the business. Said one: "Oh, you don't expect me to squeal, do you? I would much rather continue to be squeezed. As between squealing and squeezing I remain a squeezed. I don't suppose you'd believe it, but the man who did one of the biggest businesses of that kind here was a colored man, who occupied one of the most menial positions in the gift of the government. ALWAYS KEPT HIS PLACE. "He held his place just as long as he wanted it. He was a Democrat and a Republican in turn, and I believe he could, if the occasion demanded it, prove that he was a Caucasian."

"Are there any loans made now at big interest?" "Yes, but everybody can't get them. If you put three months in advance from one of these fellows for a money consideration, say \$30 for three months' pay at \$100 a month, you can't get it."

"And you can't do that now?" "Oh, yes, what I mean is that I can't. It is not everybody who gets indulged by the Shylocks. Some men are so deep that they can't get out and it is a safe thing to indulge them as long as they hold office, and it is pretty well known who will be the elect. Of course, you know the lender runs some risk. RISK A BIG RISK. "If he has advanced three months' pay and the clerk is discharged during the first month of indebtedness, all of the advance is lost, unless the Shylock chooses to travel to Louisiana or Texas to prosecute the claim. They are usually swifter, abandoned and charged to profit and loss. "Are there any money lenders in this department now?" "Only two, as I tell you, they know whom to deal with, and that there will be no kicking. None of their friends will do the baby act. They are perfectly safe from official supervision. Their orders are recognized by the officers, and there the matter ends. For instance, if I were to say to an officer, 'This man charged me \$10 per month on \$100,' the officer would probably say, 'Then, why don't you get it in some place else at 6 per cent,' or 'What are you borrowing money for anyhow?'"

The same story is told in all the departments. The Shylocks are in the cellar or on the ground floor and only those who pay an initiation fee of \$10, payable every month, know anything about them. POLICEMEN'S SHYLOCKS. Even the policemen have a Shylock. There is at least one man who lends the men money when they are strapped, and he straps them tighter by a charge of 7 per cent a month and 2 per cent discount. It is reported that his business is perfectly safe, and that while headquarters know something about it, there is no specific law to prevent it. On collecting days people have noticed him about the detective bureau. Here is a case in point. An officer's son died. The father wanted \$15. He got it from this money lender, but it cost him \$38 before he got out of the clutches of the Shylock. There will be something more about this case and these methods when the proper time comes.

Dunn Estate Difficulties. Another turn in the troubled administration of the estate of the late Patrick Dunn came to notice yesterday in a petition filed by Cecilia N. Dunn, one of the children, now of age. She says that Thomas M. Fields, attorney who was put in charge of the minor children's interests, on February 20 received from C. A. Brandenburg and A. A. Birney \$11,683 in securities, including the \$7,860, loaned from this money \$4,957 on the Dunn homestead at No. 508 Sixth street southwest, \$3,000 on No. 1901 Vermont avenue and paid \$722 to A. A. Ashburn. Yet there remains unaccounted for \$2,904. Mr. Fields, it is alleged, refuses to account for this remaining sum. She asks that Mr. Fields be called upon to state what money he has received from the Dunn estate and what he has done with it.

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GIVING UP THEIR SPOILS

Shylocks Preparing to Escape Executions.

Barrett Found Suddenly That He Had Business in Town and Yemawine May Turn Up Shortly.

The execution against the Capital Guarantee Loan company was to have been issued yesterday when Mr. G. J. Barrett returned to the city. It is not known whether the publication of the intended execution had anything to do with his reappearance in the city. He will remain over here to-day. It is inferred, as the execution did not issue yesterday, that a settlement of the judgment of Mrs. Messer against the company is in order and will be made to-day. The diligence of The Times' attorneys has placed fourteen other cases against this concern in shape to be pushed. The aggregate amount of judgments, if obtained, will be very heavy and there does not appear to be much doubt about the success of the suits, even if no further testimony is elicited than that given by Mrs. Messer. Whether the remaining suits against the Barrett Company will be tried depends on whether the company will stand trial. It is not thought that even if the company settles all the cases, it will be any loss to the principal of the notes. For instance, the judgment of Mrs. Messer is only for \$28.25, including costs. The unpaid balance on her note is \$15, so that it paid her to assert her rights. She has a course of lost all the interest she paid other than within a year from the commencement of the suit. The difficulty heretofore has been that the people who owed these bills have been terrified and terrorized by bailiffs and constables, and of this there can be no doubt. More than the mental condition of those who go to the bureau of legal advice to make complaints. They usually express themselves as being in a state of panic and together in the power of the bailiffs and money lenders. Only recently a lady came to The Times office in a terrible condition of trepidation. She acknowledged her debt and said that she had given the money lenders ample proof that she would soon be in condition to pay part of it. They were inexorable and threatened to put her out at a certain time next day. At this time some amusing preparations for a siege were being made, as the threat was only another twist of the thumb of the bailiff. The officer of the law did not put in appearance with his wagon to take her to the armory, but the lady and some lady friends camped upstairs all day, hung crepe on the door, and otherwise passed a very disagreeable evening. He had advertised for boarders. The bell rang twice in the evening, but the besieged did not dare to go down, although the defendant is evading arrest. At the second story. They believe now that the gentlemen who rang the bell were looking for rooms. This case is somewhat different from the ordinary usury cases. The Washington Mortgage Company cases are still in the air on account of the absence of the defendant, but there is some reason to believe that they will return to the city before the attachments are issued. Three new cases have been prepared against one of the Shylocks who has left town. It is proposed to issue attachments in these cases, which the law permits, when there is foundation for the belief that the defendant is evading arrest. It is necessary for this proceeding is two affidavits setting forth that belief. As the matters now stand nothing will save the usurers from writs of attachment, executions, etc., except a disbursement, which is a term not found in Bouvier's Law Dictionary, but a good word in this connection.

SOLDIER BOYS ARE BATTERS

W. L. I. Nine Played All Around the City Postoffice Team.

Their Field Work Fine and Pitcher Wise "Up to Tricks"—Gray Coats in Very Bad Form.

With "Billy" was in the box, Gilroy behind the bat and Al Bean in the field, the Washington Light Infantry nine had everything their own way with the City Postoffice boys in the game at National Park yesterday afternoon. Although the Letter Carrier's rooters were out in full force they failed to put up as good a game as they did Saturday for they played at a great disadvantage. The men seemed to be placed badly. The management put in Rebeck to pitch and left Hamacher on the bench; Ogil was out of place at short and Ambrose put up a very stiff game. Had either Ogil or Hamacher occupied the box and Rebeck been allowed to play his old position the defeat would undoubtedly have been less pronounced. The infantry nine played winning ball from the very beginning, allowing no opportunity for a star play to escape them. They handled the ball with great skill and used the stick with telling results. "Billy" Wise pitched a very creditable game, although his puzzling curves at times were bit very hard. Gilroy caught excellently behind the bat, Winkelman played second base like a veteran, and Lee at short proved an immense success. Pat Wisner, as usual, covered third base in good style, and Manager-House with his little Shrine uniform was noticed at times in the coaching box. The Post-office, with the exception of a very few, had an "off day." Rebeck, who had a "reel" even, had the blues, and that old familiar voice of his was not once heard during the game. Fogarty fell all over himself at third base, and Hennessy on one occasion came very near making a successful attempt at throwing the ball from center field over the grand stands. Wash. Light Inf. R. H. P. O. A. Wisner, 3b., 2 2 1 2 0 Kleinschmidt, 1b., 1 1 0 0 0 Chamberlin, 2b., 3 3 8 0 1 Ogil, ss., and 1 1 3 0 1 Rebeck, p., 0 0 0 1 1 Hennessy, cf., and 2b., 0 0 1 0 1 Ambrose, rf., and 8b., 0 0 0 0 1 Stewart, lf., 0 0 0 0 1 Holmes, 2b., and cf., 0 1 5 1 1 Hamacher, ss., and rf., 0 0 3 0 0 Totals, 13 28 11 5 10 City Post-office, R. H. P. O. A. Wood, lf., 2 1 0 0 0 Chamberlin, 1b., 1 3 3 1 1 Ogil, ss., and 1 1 3 0 1 Rebeck, p., 0 0 0 1 1 Hennessy, cf., and 2b., 0 0 1 0 1 Ambrose, rf., and 8b., 0 0 0 0 1 Stewart, lf., 0 0 0 0 1 Holmes, 2b., and cf., 0 1 5 1 1 Hamacher, ss., and rf., 0 0 3 0 0 Totals, 5 10 24 5 10 Fogarty out for running out of line. Wash. Light Inf., 3 2 3 1 0 10 13 City Post-office, 2 0 0 0 3 0 15 Two-base hits—Wise, Three-base hits—Winkelman, Gilroy, and Wood. Stolen bases—Gilroy, Wise, Hennessy, Wisner 2, Bishop, Chamberlin. Hit by pitched ball—Rebeck, Ambrose. Double play—Lee to Winkelman. Passed balls—Bishop, 3; Gilroy. Bases on balls—Wise, 2; by Rebeck, 1. Struck out—By Rebeck, 6; by Wisner, 4. Left on bases—Washington Light Infantry, 7; City Post-office, 7. Time—Two hours. Umpire—Mr. O'Neill.

Alexandria Happenings. The grand jury in the United States court yesterday found indictments against Robert Duncan, Walter Turner, and F. N. Ashford for larceny on the United States reservation, and against Henry Hall and Needham Miller for selling liquor in King George county without the proper license. The case of Mrs. Douglas was charged with stealing registered letters from the mails in Orange county, was heard by the court yesterday. She made no attempt to dispute the charges and was found guilty. Mrs. Douglas was in court with a baby only a few months old, and Judge Hughes, before whom the case was tried, stated that as he thought Mrs. Douglas was not responsible for her acts when the crime was committed he would suspend sentence and take her personal bond to appear at the January term of the court. Supt. Chase of the Hydraulic Press Brick Company, at Waterloo, Alexandria county, met with a very painful accident yesterday evening. He had started from the works in a light cart, to drive to his home in this city, when the horse became restive, and in turning, suddenly threw Mr. railway tracks, cutting his head badly. Chase was taken to a hospital, and the breaking of one of his arms and otherwise hurting him. Rev. James J. Kenefick, who for two years has been assistant pastor of St. Mary's Catholic Church in this city, has been appointed by Bishop Van de Vyver pastor of the Catholic church in Frederickburg, Md. Major John G. Beckham and Dr. William M. Smith will, it is understood, sail from Southampton on the 13th inst., reaching this city about July 20. The city committee on light have appointed Mr. William H. Hautman superintendent of the city's gas works and Mr. W. B. Doble has been continued in office as superintendent of police until the next meeting of the city council.

America Temple's Election. America Temple, No. 3, Ladies of the Golden Eagle, have elected the following officers for the ensuing term: P. T. Mrs. L. Thompson; N. T. Mrs. Ella Scott; V. T. Miss Alice Ward; prothonotary, Mrs. Mary Tavender; priestess, Mrs. Katie Foley; M. of C. Mrs. Fanny Donaldson; G. of R. Miss Florence Womley; G. of E. Mrs. Ida Kerper; G. of O. Mrs. Katie Ober; G. of M. Mrs. Katie Frey; G. of I. P. Miss Mattie McKinnon; G. of O. P. Mrs. Katie Kall; trustees, Mr. John Thompson, Frank Kerper, and George Zimmerman. The installation of officers will take place on Friday next.

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New York Cotton. Table with columns: Month, Op'n, High, Low, Close.

Baltimore Markets. Table with columns: Wheat, Flour, etc.

Washington Grain Market. (Reported by the Grain Exchange.) Spring patent flour, per barrel, 4.50-4.75. Spring straight flour, per barrel, 4.00-4.50. Winter patent flour, per barrel, 4.25-4.50. Winter straight flour, per barrel, 3.75-4.25. Winter extra flour, per barrel, 3.50-3.75. Clipped white oats, per bushel, 77-35. No. 2 white oats, per bushel, 35-36. No. 2 mixed oats, per bushel, 31-32. No. 2 yellow corn, per bushel, 65-67. No. 2 white corn, per bushel, 65-67. No. 1 timothy hay, per ton, 16.50-17.00. No. 2 timothy hay, per ton, 14.00-15.00. No. 1 mixed hay, per ton, 14.00-15.00. No. 2 mixed hay, per ton, 11.00-13.00. No. 1 cut hay, per ton, 16.50-17.00. Bulk bran, per ton, 13.00-14.00. Bulk mid-