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GENERAL DIRECTORY.

County Officials.

Judges of the Circuit Court—James A. Pearce, Chief Judge; Edwin H Brown and William R Martin, Associates Terms—jury, 1st Monday in April and October; non-jury, 2d Monday in January, 4th Monday in June.

Clerk of the Circuit Court—Charles W. Hobbs.

County Commissioners—James B. Wright, President; Wesley Jarrell and Daniel J. Zacharias.

Treasurer and Clerk to the Commissioners Charles H. Whitby.

Judges of the Orphans' Court—John A. Sigler, Chief Judge; Thomas L. Day and Jesse T. Dennis Associates.

Register of Wills, Robert J. Jump.

School Commissioners—Thomas W. Jones, President; Henry C. Fisher and Albert W. Sisk.

School Examiner and Secretary—W. S. Crouse.

State's Attorney—Albert G. Towers.

Sheriff—Isaac L. Dukes.

Professional and Business Cards.

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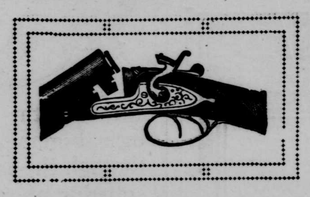

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H. S. GOLDEY, President,
Goldey College, Wilmington, Del.

A Cruel Wretch.

It isn't fair to give a Detroit girl away, possibly, but truth will out, even in a newspaper. Detroit has one among its countless pretty girls who was in the country, and one day she happened out toward the cow-lot about milking time and was asking the man several questions.

"Why don't you milk that cow?" she asked, pointing to one in an adjoining lot.

"Because she's dry, Miss."

"Dry?"

"Yes, Miss. She's been dry for two weeks."

"You cruel wretch," she exclaimed, "why don't you give her some water?" and the man turned his face to the cow-house and shook with emotions he could not suppress —Detroit Free Press.

Had Won Her.

The chronic bachelor finally turned to the quiet man who had taken no part in the discussion.

"Would you, sir," he said, "marry the best woman in the world?"

"I did," was the reply.—Judge.

Shouting Christians

Some Christians, who formerly shouted, no longer do so. Some never shouted. Some do not approve of it; others are never well, never in buoyant, hopeful spirits, so don't feel like it. Rev. Jno. S. Rush, Yellow Creek, Pa., says: "Victor Liver Syrup is still healing the sick. It seems as if God's blessing is upon it. Listen, women that have been sick for years are now at work and singing God's praises, and men are living a new and happier life. Good reports from the Victor Remedies everywhere." All live Druggists and Merchants keep them.

And He Was Back.

Mamma—I don't see why you can't be at the head of your class. Your teacher tells me you're pretty far back in school.

Tommy—Gee whizz, Mom, there's no pleasin' you. Didn't you tell me last Summer you'd be delighted to have me "back in school."—Philadelphia Press.

Don't forget the old man with the fish on his back.

For nearly thirty years he has been traveling around the world, and is still traveling, bringing health and comfort wherever he goes.

To the consumptive he brings the strength and flesh he so much needs.

To all weak and sickly children he gives rich and strengthening food.

To thin and pale persons he gives new firm flesh and rich red blood.

Children who first saw the old man with the fish are now grown up and have children of their own.

He stands for Scott's Emulsion of pure cod liver oil—a delightful food and a natural tonic for children, for old folks and for all who need flesh and strength.

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A FREE game inside each package of
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60 different games.

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Best seasoned pine, sawed in stove lengths, and delivered promptly anywhere in town. Terms cash.
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PROVERBS.

Caution.

Caution is the parent of safety.

An ounce of discretion is worth a pound of craft.

All things belong to the prudent.

Zeal without prudence is like running in the night.

An old warrior is never in haste to strike the blow.—Metastasio.

Too great a leap falls into the ditch.

He that hews above his hight may have chips in his eyes.

Attempt not to hatch more eggs than can be covered.

Catch no more fish than you can salt down.

The man who tries to get home on a three-base hit is generally thrown out at the plate.

Fore-cast is better than work hard.

In life, as in chess, forethought wins.—Buxton.

He that will not look before must look behind.—Galic.

Destroy the lion while he is a whelp.

If thy hand be in a lion's mouth, wait not to see what he'll do.

It does not thunder until the lightening has struck.—Persian.

Better twice measured than once wrong.—Danish.

A wise man takes a step at time; he establishes one foot before he takes up the other.—Sanscrit.

Don't prophisy unless you know. —Lowell.

When in doubt what to do—don't do it.—L.

Trust not a great weight to a slender thread.

Don't descend into the well with a rotten rope.—Turkish.

Before you cross the river look out for the crocodile.—African.

It is well to swim with one foot on the ground.—Chinese.

Let one oar strike the water, the other scrape the sand.—Propertius.

In advoiding cinders, step not on burning coals.—Latin.

Beware of one who has nothing to lose.—Italion.

A Friend Indeed.

We never forget a benefactor or a Doctor who brings us from the pit of of the grave. Why should we? Gratitude is one of the noblest of the graces. Do you think Mrs. Whitely, Montpelier, Ind., will ever forget Victor Liver Syrup? She says "After spending One Hundred and Fifty Dollars with Doctors and patent medicines I was cured of a bad case of Liver Complaint and Female Trouble by using only 2 bottles of Victor Liver Syrup." So little, yet so valuable for health. Sold everywhere.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

Special Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 22, 1903.

The President with his private secretary, Mr. Loeb, spends a part of each day working upon his annual message to Congress. It is probably that no recommendations will be made on either the trust or tariff questions; the former was made a principle feature of last year's message and Congress followed the President's suggestions with what is considered satisfactory trust legislation, at least until the laws are fully tested and "tried on."

One important subject which the President will doubtless discuss is that of an isthmian canal. It is believed that the message will contain a full discussion the canal situation, probably without recommendations. Last year's message discussed the currency question and a reconstruction of our financial system is likely to be a topic of the coming message, as likewise the Alaskan question, the latter backed by facts and figures secured from the Senate sub-committee that visited the territory last summer.

The question of the abuse of the land laws, in connection with the operation of the irrigation law was made an important part of last year's message and will, it is learned, be again discussed this year. Last year's message was a practical denunciation of all land laws but the orignal Homestead law and a statement that the remaining public lands of the United States should be held for the actual homemakers and against all speculation.

The upbuilding of an American navy will be an important part of this year's message and a passage which will be looked for with interest will be the President's treatment of the postal and western land frauds.

"We need the offices" appears to be the principal idea which goes along with the Tammany plea for support in New York and Brooklyn. There is absolutely no issue put forward in this municiple election. But New York is a sort of a cynic and it looks after all, notwithstanding Tammy's brand as a common plunderer of the people, as though it might again receive charge of the city's affairs. There is no question that the Tammany ticket will receive consiterable support from certain business interests which are determined to give President Roosevelt a slap because of his activity along the lines of trust control.

Mr. Bryant is attending to his own argument in the litigation over the $50,000 bequest to him from Philo Bennett. It looks as though this modest fortune might get away from the Nebraskan. He should secure an attorney who knows law as well as oratory.

The Philadelphia Ledger calls attention to something more fatal than war, pestilence of famine, i. e. the deadly pathogenic germ found in the Pullman blanket. Here is an excellent issue for the Demoracy—advocacy of asbestos Pullman blankets for the plain people which can be burned daily.

The public land frauds which are being unearthed in the west, through the investigations set on foot by Secretary Hitchcock show a deplorable state of affairs. A prominent western man now in Washington in speaking of this matter to your correspondent said:

"The whole question of land frauds in the west is the more serious, viewed from a conservative eastern standpoint, because what might very properly be called "land stealing" has come to be considered a more or less legitimate undertaking. Reputable men have in many cases engaged in acquiring land under the various land laws, and particularly on the coast in recent years under the Timber act, through methods which would not be tolerated in the east for a moment. The land laws of the country were enacted supposedly in the interests of home seekers, but with the exception of the Homestead law they have been shamelessly abused and instead of the goverment giving each citizen a farm, it has in many cases given him a feudal estate of thonsands of acres."

Most of the recent public land frauds discovered by Secretary Hitchcock's agents are in Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana and Nevada.

The house servant question is not confined to the east. A Denver woman, according to the Kansas City Star, advertises that her husband has left her taking their two children and the hired girl.

Only the grafters who are caught are the ones who come in for public execration. The others in every walk of life are often the pillars of society and looked upon as shrewd and successful citizens. In Washington, a city of moderate size, it is estimated by business men that the merchants of the city lose annually in the neighborhood of $8,000,000 through bad debts—bills incurred in the majority of cases with the distinct intention of dead beating. And this applies to a greater or less extent to every community throughout the country. These people are grafters. They are not only grafters upon the merchants with whom they deal but likewise upon the general public. Their pratices make it necessary for merchants to charge honest people from ten to twenty per cent additional to cover their respective losses. Only a decided change in public sentiment will kill grafting.

Ayer's
Bald? Scalp shiny and thin? Then it's probably too late. You neglected dandruff. If you had only taken our advice, you would have cured
Hair Vigor
the dandruff, saved your hair, and added much to it. If not entirely bald, now is your opportunity. Improve it.
"I have used Ayer's Hair Vigor for over 40 years. I am now 91 years old and have a heavy growth of rich brown hair, due, I think, entirely to Ayer's Hair Vigor."
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There is no doubt what will happen if Tammany wins. There ought to be enough decent people in New York to lay out the tiger.

It cannot be said that the Hon. Mark Hanna, of Ohio, has not fully and pointedly warned one Tom Johnson as to what would happen to him on election day.

District Attorney Folk has announced his candidacy for Governor. He has been brought into great prominee by his prosecution of the of the St. Louis boodlers. The politicians of the Democratic party in Missouri have had no liking for this class of boodle prosecution, and if they yield to Mr. Folk's nomination it will be with extreme reluctance.

The Chicago & Alton has advanced the wages of all its trainmen twelve per cent. Evidently the railroads can see prosperity ahead even if others can't.

A literary critic in Kansas City pronounced Mr. Kipling's latest poem "hog Wash." In Kansas City and Omaha the live stock idea pervades even the literateurs.

GUY E. Mitchell.

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Mr. C. Haney, of Geneva, O., had the piles for 40 years. Doctors and dollars could do him no lasting good. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured him permanently. Invaluable for cuts, burns, bruises, sprains, lacerations, eczema, tetter, salt rheum and all other skin diseases. Look for the name DeWitt on the package—all others are cheap, worthless counterfeits. Sold by Hugh Duffy, Hillsboro.

"Saratoga" in Baltimore.

There are not many plays that have a permanent abiding place in the dramatic literature of America, for we are essentially a people for the new. But of the number that have acquired such a permanency, none is more strongly embeded in the praise and endorsement of the press and public than "Saratoga," the acknowledged masterpiece of that successful and prolific playwight, Bronson Howard, also the author of such successes as "Aristocracy," "the Banker's Daughter," "The Henrietta" and "Shenandoah."

In "Saratoga" which comes to the Academy of Music, Baltimore, the week of November 2nd, the author has hit off the foibles and weaknesses of society at the great American Spa during the height of the season. Fashion has set its seal of approval on Saratoga and besides being America's greatest watering place, it has, on account of its great race track, magnificent gambling palaces and amusement resort, been called "The Monte Carlo of America." Add to this scene of diversities, a diversified class of people and one can readily imagine how the skilled pen of a clever author has evolved humorous situations, laughable climaxes and witty, sparkling dialougue.

The fun that leads up to the discomfiture of an English nobleman in search of a wealthy American wife and the wild chase given two ultra swells and a beau of the period by two designing and "lark loving" young flirts with an impressionable widow thrown in the scene is delicious, quick and laugh-produing.

Manager R. E. Johnston who has successfully managed some of the greatest musical artists, has equipped "Saratoga" with new and elaborate costuming and properties, while scenic investiture leaves nothing to be desired. The cast is a specially selected one and has among its members capable artists who assist that sterling actor, Walter Hodges, who is the feature of this excellent organization.

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PENINSULA PARAGRAPHS.

—Ex-Sheriff Samuel L. Shaw, of Harrington, Del., has sold his dwelling house in that place to A. D. McCabe for $2,200.

—Rev. E. R. Sidell has been invited to return for the third year as pastor of Asbury M. E. Church, at Millington, Md.

—Harry F. Ford, the present lessee of the Bayard House, at Dover. has just purchased that hostelry from Lewis Frankel, of Philadelphia.

—Governor Smith has appointed Miss Elizabeth Walles a notary public at Salisbury in place of her brother who is attending a law school in Baltimore.

—Rev. H. G. Budd, of Centreville and Rev. F. C. MacSorley, of Kent Island, pastors on the Easton district of the Wilmington M. E. Church have been invited to return next conference year.

—Rev Robert A. Ellwood, pastor of Olivet Church, Wilmington, who is shortly to be tried by the Presbytery for his alleged lynching sermon has begun a series of Gospel meetings in the Wilmington Opera House.

—In the Court of General Sessions in Dover, last week, Harvey Bowen, of Kenton, who assaulted Frank T. Purse, nearly killing him, pleaded guilty and paid a fine of $25 and costs. Bowen's counsel was able to show mitigating circumstances.

—Rev. J. Franklin Bryan, Ph. D. of Dover, is one of the 300 Christian Endeavorers (of the United States) invited to meet with the Executive Committee of the United Society in Philadelphia, in a "Workers Conference," Dec. 1, 2 and 3.

—Lewes people are pleased over a number of improvements to be made there. The "Outten Lyceum," which is used as a town hall, is to be remodeled and put in good condition for entertainments. The Presbyterian Church has decided to purchase a new church organ at at a cost of $1,000. It is also expected that work on the new Sussex County trolley line is to be commenced shortly.

Disastrous Wrecks.

Carelessness is responsible for many a railway wreck and the same causes are making human wrecks of sufferers from Throat and Lung troubles. But since the advent of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, even the worst cases can be cured and hopeless resignation is no longer necessary. Mrs. Lois Cragg, of Dorchester, Mass, is one of many whose life was saved by Dr. King's New Discovery. This great remedy is guaranteed for all Throat and Lung diseases by R. J. Colston, druggist. Denton. Price 50c, and $1.00. Trial bottles free.

Notice to Creditors.

This is to give notice that the subscriber, of Caroline county, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Caroline county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of

RICHARD R. PERRY,

late of Caroline county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 1st day of April, 1904, or they may otherwise, by law, be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

Given under my hand this 6th day of October, 1903.

WILLIAM H. CHEEZUM,
Admintr of Richard R. Perry, dec'd,
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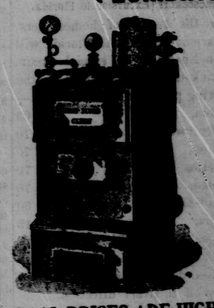

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