

A LITTLE MORE LIGHT.

Houseman Defends the Defendants in the Maryland Central Pool.

THEY WON'T BE MADE SCAPEGOATS.

Mr. Dravo Reconsiders and Consents to Answer Some Questions.

HE BOUGHT 1,350 TERMINAL SHARES

The taking of testimony in the case of Amy and Herbert Du Puy versus the Baltimore Terminal and Transportation Company and others, was continued yesterday in the law office of commissioner W. F. Robb on Fourth avenue.

The proceedings were enlivened by the presence of Moses Hampton Houseman, a former Pittsburg, who appeared as one of the counsel for the defendants. At times the colloquy between Mr. Schoyer and Mr. Houseman was very entertaining. The latter objected to most of the questions as "irrelevant," calculated to "badger" the plaintiffs' witnesses, intended as a "drag net" to gather evidence on which to base collateral suits, and not confined to the allegations in the case. At the close of the hearing Mr. Schoyer remarked with respect to the case: "Well, Houseman, I hope at the next hearing you will have a new stock of objectives."

"That is all right," he replied good-naturedly; "we will try to keep even with you, Sol."

Failure Blamed on Pittsburgers.

Mr. Houseman was the attorney for Miller and Gilmore. He claims the Pittsburgers who invested money in the scheme are trying to make scapegoats out of the Baltimore people. He says not more than \$200,000 worth of Baltimore Terminal stock was sold in this city, and that the securities were used to fill up a hole that resulted from speculation in the stocks of local companies that declined during the recent panic. He added that it would now cost the Baltimore crowd \$300,000 to recover their money, and that they would not recover them. "We continued," without saying a word in defense, preferring that all the facts should come out in the courts. The scheme is a good one, and would have succeeded had not the Pittsburgers carried out their contracts."

Winfield J. Taylor told with considerable glee how he went to Florida to serve the papers in John H. Miller's suit on D. Herbert Hostetter. He arrived at the famous Ponce de Leon Hotel and ordered a room. Later he asked the elevator boy if Mr. Hostetter was in the hotel. The boy replied that the Pittsburger had a room just above his own. This was good and he decided not to bother Mr. Hostetter until the next morning.

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DIED.

BAKER—On Monday, May 3, 1892, at 1:15 P. M., SALLIE FRANCES BAKER, nee Bulger, beloved wife of William C. Baker, aged 33 years, 4 months and 14 days.

BROWN—On Monday, May 3, 1892, at 7:30 A. M., ROBERT J. BROWN, son of Robert and Mary Brown, aged 3 months.

BROOKE—At his home, Cheswick station, West Penn Railroad, on Monday, May 3, at 8:30 A. M., HENRY BROOKE, aged 70 years.

Funeral services at First Presbyterian Church, Springdale, near Cheswick, on arrival of 2:30 P. M. train on Wednesday, May 4. Friends of the family respectfully invited to attend.

CLARK—On Monday, May 3, at 5:30 A. M., Mrs. CATHERINE CLARK, mother of John H. and Thomas E. Clark, aged 70 years.

Funeral services on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from her late residence, 34 Craig street, Allegheny City. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

GOODWORTH—On Tuesday, May 3, 1892, at 12:05 A. M., LOIS A., infant daughter of Ella and Charles A. Goodworth, aged 3 months and 11 days.

Funeral from parents' residence, 30 Perry street, this (Wednesday) afternoon at 3 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

GORDON—On Tuesday, May 3, 1892, at her residence, Elliott borough, at 1:05 A. M., MARY A. GORDON, aged 65 years.

Funeral services at St. James Church, West End, on Tuesday, May 3, at 10 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

HART—At the residence of her brother, Captain R. M. Boies, No. 19 South avenue, at 8:30 A. M., MARY HART, aged 81 years.

Funeral services at 7:30 P. M., Wednesday, May 4. The remains will be taken to Beaver Falls, Pa., for burial THURSDAY MORNING, May 5, at 9:15.

HAVILAND—On Tuesday morning, May 3, 1892, at 10:50 o'clock, JESSIE L. HAVILAND, wife of Edward B. Haviland, aged 23 years and 4 months.

The funeral services will be held at the residence of her mother, Mrs. J. W. McGimpsey, No. 6 Center avenue, city, on Wednesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

HUEY—Departed this life on Tuesday, May 3, 1892, SARAH JANE, wife of William Huey, in the 78th year of her age.

Funeral services at her late residence, Belle Bridge, Pa., THURSDAY MORNING, at 11 o'clock. Burial at the Allegheny Cemetery from Pittsburg and Lake Erie depot, 2:30 P. M., city time, Interment private.

MILLS—Entered into rest, at his residence, No. 6106 Ravenna street, East End, Pittsburg, Pa., at 9:30 A. M., May 3, 1892, JOHN MILLS, Sr., in the 57th year of his age.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

MONTGOMERY—At her residence, 127 McCandless avenue, on Tuesday, May 3, 1892, at 8:30 P. M., JESSIE, wife of James S. Montgomery.

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MCCAFFREY—On Tuesday, at 6:30 A. M., MARY MCCAFFREY, wife of John and Mary McCaffrey, aged 1 month.

Funeral services at 2:30 P. M., Wednesday, at the residence of her parents, 2556 Smallman street.

NOBIS—On Tuesday, May 3, 1892, SOPHIA ECKER, wife of Joseph H. Nobis.

Funeral from the family residence, 339 Fish street, on Thursday afternoon, May 5, at 3 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

POWELL—May 3, 1892, WILLIAM POWELL, in his 84th year.

The funeral will take place from his late residence, 507 Forbes street, WEDNESDAY, May 4, at 2 P. M. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

[Uniontown papers please copy.] SCHACKE—On Tuesday, May 3, 1892, KATIE SCHACKE, in her 17th year.

Funeral will take place from M. S. Ward & Co.'s undertaking rooms at 2 P. M., Wednesday. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

STREIB—At her residence, No. 105 Forty-third street, on Monday, May 3, 1892, at 10 o'clock A. M., ELIZABETH STREIB, widow of the late Martin Streib, aged 75 years.

TENNIE—On Tuesday, May 3, 1892, at 2 A. M., MARTHA MANSOURY, daughter of Gottfried Tennie, aged 22 years.

Funeral from father's residence, 35 Darrah street, Allegheny, on Wednesday, May 5, 1892, at 10 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

WELSH—At Witherington, on Tuesday, May 3, 1892, HOWARD, only son of H. I. and Ada Welsh, aged 1 year, 1 month and 5 days.

Funeral on THURSDAY AFTERNOON, train arriving at Union station at 2:30 P. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

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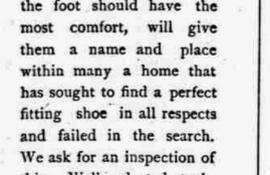
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