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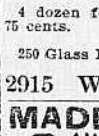

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1898.

DEATH OF R. M. BOOKER

Passed Away at 2:15 Yesterday Afternoon.

SKETCH OF HIS CAREER

Animated Scenes in Judge Lee's Court While Trying to Secure Jurors in the Ashby Case. Other Items of Interest.

Captain Richard M. Booker, of this city, than whom no man in Elizabeth City county was better known, died at his home on Queen street at 15 minutes past 2 o'clock, yesterday afternoon, after an illness of eight days. The dying man was surrounded by the members of his family, his brothers and sister and a number of friends. He passed away conscious of all that was taking place around him, and that for him the sunlight of life was slowly but surely fading. He seemed to feel no fear. The end came calmly and peacefully. With gentle words he spoke to his weeping wife and kindred, bidding them dry their tears, for he had passed the limit of earthly aid. When speech failed he indicated his desire for pencil and paper, and when they were handed to him he wrote these words:

"Hampton, Va., Feb. 11, 1898.

"I am dying on this day, and it seems to me like an ordinary piece of business."

Yesterday a week ago Captain Booker returned from Richmond, where he had been looking after important business interests. He was ill when he reached his home. A severe chill followed and he was compelled to take his bed. Still it was not thought that he was seriously sick, and his family believed that a few days of careful nursing would bring a return of health. On the streets his illness was not known until Thursday evening, by which time his condition became alarming. The night that followed was one of painful anxiety to the family. A consultation of physicians was called and yesterday morning the last hope of the doctors fled. Typhoid pneumonia had fastened its deadly grip upon him and human skill was unable to break it. Knowing that he could not survive the day, Mr. Booker sent for Colonel Thos. Tabb and quietly adjusted his business affairs.

He had not been well for a year and seemed to realize that he was not only approaching the evening of life, but that its night was not far distant. His view of existence appeared to be characterized by stoical resignation. He did not long for the end, but yet he did not fear it. And so it was with him yesterday, when the messenger bearing the final summons stood before him. There was no dread of death, but he passed away as "one who wraps the drapery of his couch about him and lies down to pleasant dreams."

Richard M. Booker was born on February 3, 1837, and hence was 61 years of age. He first saw the light in the famous mansion on Back river, not far from the waters of Chesapeake Bay, named by his father, George Booker, the Sherwood. On this farm the finest in Eastern Virginia, he remained until the civil war broke out. Then, being an ardent advocate of the principles upon which the Southern states based their right to withdraw from the Union, he left Virginia and went to Macon, Ga., where he became a member of the provisional army, joining the Oglethorpe Rifles as a private. Thus sixty days before the convention at Richmond passed the Ordinance of Secession, Mr. Booker found himself a soldier ready to take the field. After spending some time at Macon he was ordered with his command to Pensacola, Fla. But his patriotic spirit fought against soldiering in a country in which there was no war, and he asked for permission to join the army of General Lee, which was granted, and he came north with all speed. Subsequently he became provost marshal of Richmond, filling the office in a manner which quickly won for him the praise of his superiors. In this position he continued, serving with the rank of a lieutenant, until 1863, when he asked to be assigned to active duty, and was sent to Fort Caswell, N. C., at the mouth of the Cape Fear river. Here he remained until Fort Fisher fell before General Butler's army, when he again came north. At Fort Caswell Mr. Booker suffered severely from rheumatism, and it was with difficulty that he was able to get away. After this he followed the Southern army for several weeks, but falling ill he was forced to seek the care of friends in Amelia county, where, on account of physical disability, he was compelled to remain until the close of the war.

Mr. Booker was the intimate friend of many distinguished Southern statesmen, who frequently sought his advice. He was captured and imprisoned several times and had many thrilling experiences. He was one of the inmates of the old capitol prison in Washington, in company with Major A. E. Sempple of this city, at the time of Mrs. Surratt's confinement there.

He is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Emily Wray, whose father was a prominent citizen of this county and at one time sheriff; his brothers, George, John, Marshall, Henry W., and H. R. Booker, and one sister, Mrs. Nannie Jones, assistant in the postoffice at Old Point. His sons are George Wray, Richard M., and Philip W. He leaves one daughter, Miss Willie Booker.

Captain Booker filled the office of deputy sheriff during Sheriff Jerome Tilton's term of service, from 1876 to 1880. Subsequently he engaged in the real estate and auction business in Hampton and later began the manufacture of brick near Lee Hall, in Warwick county, where he leaves an extensive plant.

The funeral will take place at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon from St. John's church. The following gentlemen have been selected as pall bearers: Judge Baker P. Lee, Colonel Thomas Tabb, Mr. A. S. Sagar, Captain W. T. Daugherty, Mr. George Wray and Mr. W. S. Jones.

Lee Camp, Confederate Veterans, of which Captain Booker was a past commander, and all Confederate veterans in the city will assemble at the courthouse, with hats and badges, and attend the funeral in a body.

SELECTING A JURY.

Now Thought that One Has Been Secured in the Ashby Case.

After a wrangle that lasted all day yesterday sixteen men were selected as competent persons to sit as jurors in the Ashby case, and this morning, unless the legal sparring is renewed, twelve of their number will be picked out to determine whether or not Mr. Ashby is guilty of the charge preferred against him. The greater part of the day was spent in discussing the qualifications of Mr. Harry Parker. The young man was placed on the stand and subjected to a painfully heroic probing by both the attorneys for the commonwealth and the defense. Mr. Parker informed the lawyers that he preferred not to serve as a juror, but when pressed to say whether he could render a fair verdict, based upon the evidence in the case, his conscience compelled him to return an affirmative answer. So there he was, and the attorneys made the most of his embarrassing position.

Colonel Tabb and Mr. Causey contended that Mr. Parker was a competent juror, but Mr. Collier and Mr. Garrett "denied the allegation and defied the alligators." The discussions that followed were animated, sparkling, sometimes sizzling. They included in their scope a multitude of questions as remote from the real issue as the burning sands of Sahara are from the frigid vales of the Klondike. They embraced the proceedings of Masonic committees and church courts, and at one amused and astonished the crowd of eager spectators. Men stood with open mouths as if in that way they might aid their ears in catching the flow of wit and wisdom and wind that rolled on and on from the legal drama within the bar. But it was all right, despite the fact that everyone knew it to be all wrong, and no judge on earth could have stopped it.

Mr. Parker belongs to the Masonic fraternity and he was a member of the order when certain charges were preferred against Mr. W. H. Bridgeforth, at whose instance the present warrant charging Mr. Ashby with perjury was sworn out. The evidence was taken by a committee, written down and afterwards read to the lodge, without recommendation other than that the matter should be decided by a vote of the members. Mr. Parker was at first unable to remember whether he was present or not. But after being probed and punched by one side and afterward punched and probed by the other, the dim outlines of the retrospect began to brighten and with the change came the hope of escape.

The defense contended that the Masonic proceedings had nothing to do with the case. The charge of perjury, they said, was entirely separate from any other matter in which Ashby and Bridgeforth were concerned, and hence Mr. Parker could not be disqualified from sitting as a juror because of his connection with the Masonic trial. To this the prosecution replied that if there was made upon Mr. Parker's mind at the time the impression that Mr. Bridgeforth was guilty of improper conduct with Miss Birch, it necessarily followed that he believed the statement of Mr. Ashby, who swore that he saw Bridgeforth enter the store at night.

Finally the gladiators lost their wind and Mr. Parker, after a few more punches and probes, was turned over to Judge Lee, who very properly informed him that he had better retire.

BRIEF ITEMS.

Rev. M. S. Strother, of Fauquier county, a popular colored minister, will preach at the Queen street church tomorrow. It is said that the Third Baptist church, which is now without a pastor, may call Rev. Strother.

The usual services will take place at the several churches in this city tomorrow.

The Peninsula Guards, in uniform, attended the fair last night, as did several hundred other people. The scene on the floor was an animated one from the time the doors were opened until they closed. Tonight will be the most interesting of the week, as scores of valuable articles, upon which a large number of people have set their hearts and to secure which they are unbuckling their pocket-books, will be disposed of.

WEEKLY BANK STATEMENT.
(By Telegraph.)

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—The weekly bank statement shows the following changes: Surplus reserve, decrease, $2,344,575; loans, increase, $5,976,600; specie, increase, $879,500; legal tenders, decrease, $2,010,000; deposits, increase, $4,856,300; circulation, decrease, $477,700.

The bank now holds $34,437,050 in excess of the requirements of the 26 per cent. rule.

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BEES LIKED HIS ODOR.

How a Farmer Unwillingly Bought a New Pair of Shoes For a Tramp.

As I sat on the veranda with the farmer after supper I asked him if he was not greatly bothered with tramps, and his reply was:

"Waal, a good many of 'em come along and want a bite to eat, and some of 'em are pretty sassy, but only one man of 'em ever served me a real mean trick."

"Poison your dog?" I queried.

"It was meaner than that. We was eatin dinner one day in the spring when a hive of bees started to swarm. I'd bin expectin it and watchin 'em and had a new hive ready. When bees swarm, they will light on most anything handy—a limb, a bush or even the pump. Jest as the bees began to pour out of the hive and circle around along comes a tramp up the path to ask for somethin to eat. The queen bee settled down on his old hat, and the hull swarm followed her. In two minits that tramp's head and shoulders was covered with bees, and I yells to him for heaven's sake not to try to fight 'em off or he'd be stung to death."

"He must have been terror stricken," I said.

"Not a bit of it, sir. He was as cool as a cowcumber, and when I told him he'd hev to stand in a smudge till the bees was killed off he jest laughed. When they'd all settled down on him and I was goin to start a smudge, he sez:

"'Old man, what d'ye consider this swarm of bees wuth in cold cash?'

"'About $5,' sez I.

"'Are ye willin to give $3?' sez he.

"'What fur?' sez I.

"'Bekase ye'll either pay me $3 or I'll walk off with the bizness and sell out to somebody else!'"

"And you had to buy him off?" I asked.

"That's where the meanness comes in," replied the farmer. "Them bees was my property, and I wasn't buyin what was my own. He offered to take $2, but I couldn't see how he could git away with 'em and refused to come down. Then he starts off. I reckoned the bees would git angry and sting him to death, but nuthin happened. He jest walked out into the road and down the hill, and he carried them bees seven miles and sold 'em for a new pair of shoes."

"And he wasn't stung?"

"Not once, sir. The bees seemed to like the smell of him, and he paddled along the road as grand as you please."—Washington Times.

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Market Quotations From the Leading Business Centers.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—Money on call closed easy at 1@1 1-2 per cent.; last loan, 1 1-4 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 3@4 per cent; sterling exchange easier, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.81 3-8 for demand and at 4.83@4.83 1-4 for sixty days; posted rates, 4.84@4.86 1-2; commercial bills, 4.82; silver certificates, 56 1-2@56 3-8; bar silver, 56 3-8; Mexican dollars, 46 1-4; government bonds weak; State bonds dull; railroad bonds irregular.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—There was profit taking on quite a heavy scale in stocks today, said to be for the account of one of the principal bull operators. The interval of two days before trading will be resumed on the exchange was the motive for closing up some of the accounts, as is always the case on the eve of a double holiday. The sharp advance in some of the stocks at the opening afforded the morefav orable opportunity for realizing profits. The opening rise was largely influenced by the higher quotations for Americans sent from London and was also helped by the marked strength of one or two specialties. London bought here on a considerable scale and helped to sustain prices to some extent. But the offerings were not well absorbed and support was largely withdrawn. The weakness of stocks encouraged the putting out of short lines. The covering of some of these before the close brought them to a level materially above the low point, but still left net losses as a general rule.

Some of the noteworthy advances were due to the rumored pendency of plans for the distribution of the surplus resources to the credit of some of the gilt-edged properties. The prevailing abundance of money is said to make the care of these surplus funds increasingly burdensome.

The total sales of stocks today were 386,000 shares.

Atchison	13¾
Baltimore & Ohio	17¼
Canada Pacific	87½
Canada Southern	55½
Chesapeake & Ohio	23¾
Chicago & Alton	164
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	102¼
C. C. C. & St. L.	36¼
do do pref'd	80
Delaware & Hudson	112¼
Delaware, Lack. & W	156¼
Erie (new)	15⅝
Fort Wayne	170
Great Northern pref'd	154
Illinois Central	105½
Lake Shore	191¼
Louisville & Nashville	59⅝
Manhattan L	116⅞
Michigan Central	113
Missouri Pacific	33¼
Mobile & Ohio	31½
New Jersey Central	95¼
New York Central	118
Norfolk & Western	16¼
Northern Pacific	27
do pref'd	66½
Pittsburg	164¼
Reading	21⅛
Rock Island	92
St. Paul	95¼
do pref'd	147
Southern Pacific	20
Southern Railway	9⅞
do pref'd	32¾
Texas & Pacific	12¼
Union Pacific tr. rcts., s. a. p.	34
Adams Express	187
American Express	123
United States Express	42
Wells Fargo Express	116
American Tobacco	91¾
do pref'd	117
People's Gas	97⅞
Consolidated Gas	190¼
General Electric	38
Pacific Mail	31⅞
Pullman Palace	187
Silver Certificates	56¼
Sugar	139
do pref'd	112¼
Tennessee Coal & Iron	25⅞
Western Union	92
Chicago Northwestern	129⅝
do pref'd	173
Chicago Great Western	13⅝

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Feb. 11.—Everything on the floor was strong today, wheat being the leader both in strength and activity. Reports of additional shipping engagements for Leith wheat and an exceptionally large export business were the principal factors in a buying movement in wheat which had advanced that market about a cent at the close.

Corn closed a half cent higher and oats 3-8@3-4c higher.

Provisions hesitated for a time, but finally joined the procession and closed 2 1-2@7 1-2c higher.

	Open	High	Low	Closed
WHEAT—				
Feb	98	98	98	109
May	97¼	98⅝	97¼	97⅞
July	85½	86¼	85⅝	85¾
CORN—				
Feb	28¼	28⅜	28¼	28¼
May	29⅞	30⅛	29⅞	30⅛
July	31	31⅛	31	31⅛
OATS—				
May	25⅝	26	25⅝	25⅞
July	23⅝	23¾	23½	23¾
PORK—				
May	10.62½	10.75	10.60	10.70
July	10.65	10.75	10.65	10.72½
LARD—				
May	5.10	5.12½	4.05	5.10
July	5.17½	5.20	5.15	5.20
RIBS—				
May				5.20
July	5.22½	5.25	5.20	5.25

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour firm; No. 2 yellow corn, 28¾; No. 2 spring wheat, 92@93; No. 3 spring wheat, 91@93; No. 2 red, 98¼; No. 2 corn, 28¼; No. 2 oats, 25¼; No. 2 white,——; No. 3 white, 26¾@27¼; No. 2 Rye, 48¼; No. 2 barley, 32@39; No. 3, —: No. 4, —; ——; No. 1 flax seed, 123¼@128¼; prime timothy seed, 282¼; mess pork per barrel 10.60@10.65; lard per 100 pounds 502½; short ribes sides (loose) 5.00@5.30; dry salted shoulders boxed 4¾@5; short clear sides, boxed, 5 30@5.40; whiskey, distillers' finished goods, per gallon, 118½.

BALTIMORE MARKETS.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 11.—Flour dull and unchanged.

Wheat—Firmer; spot and month, 100 1-4@100 3-8; March, 100 12@100 3-4; May, 98 3-4@99; steamer No. 2 red, 96 1-4@96 3-8; Southern wheat by sample, 95@101; do. on grade, 96 3-4@100 3-4.

Corn—dull and firmer; spot, 33 7-8@34; March, 33 5-8@33 3-4; steamer mixed, 33@33 1-2; Southern white corn, 33@36; do yellow, 33@35.

Oats—Firm; No. 2 white, 30@31; do mixed, 28 1-2@29.

Rye—Firmer; No. 2 nearby, 54 3-4; No. 2 western, 55 3-4.

Hay—Good to choice timothy, 12.50@13.00.

Grain freights—More active; steam to Liverpool, per bushel, 3 3-8d March. Cork, for orders, per quarter, 3s 3d February; 2s 10 1-2@3s 3d March.

Sugar—Strong and unchanged.

Butter and eggs—Quiet and unchanged.

Cheese—Steady and unchanged.

Lettuce—1.25@1.50 per basket.

Whiskey—Unchanged.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—Cotton futures closer steady; sales, 249,900 bales. February, 6.01; March, 6.04; April, 6.07; May, 6.11; June, 6.14; July, 6.17; August, 6.20; September, 6.21; October, 6.21; November, 6.22; December, 6.24.

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