

WILL SWEEP BY NIGHT

City Health Board Passes on Street Cleaning Matter.

BUY VACUUM CLEANERS

Board Will Recommend to Trustees That "Dustless Sweepers" be Used in City Schools—Many Matters of Importance Discussed.

After hearing a statement of Dr. Aaron Jeffery, the new city health officer, the city board of health last night decided to recommend to Mayor Jones that in the future the paved streets in the city be swept by night instead of by day.

Mayor Jones announced last week that he would ask the new health officer for his opinion as to the best time to sweep the streets and that as soon as that opinion was given he would direct the city engineer to have the streets kept clean.

Vacuum Cleaners for Schools. Many matters of importance were brought to the attention of the board of health last night by Dr. Jeffery and the session was a busy one.

Another matter brought up by Dr. Jeffery was the matter of getting the housewives to keep covers on the garbage cans in their yards.

Fill Stagnant Pools. The question of keeping the paved streets drained of water at all times and the filling of stagnant pools in various parts of the city was discussed by the board and will be taken up with the city engineer.

The board will hold its next regular meeting on Thursday, September 1.

MAY NOT SEE MOTHER.

Joe Gans Taken to Home of His First Wife. (By Associated Press.) CHICAGO, ILLS., Aug. 4.—Joe Gans, former lightweight champion pugilist, one of the most popular fighters in the country, may not live to see his mother and father in Baltimore, whether he is hastening from Arizona.

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SOCIAL-PERSONAL.

Messrs. W. M. Parker, and W. B. Vest have gone to Niagara Falls.

Mrs. O. E. Godwin and daughter, Miss May Godwin left yesterday for Sunbury, Pa., where they will visit friends.

Miss Helen Turner is visiting friends in Warrenton, Va.

Mrs. Bertha Blanton left yesterday for a visit to friends at Chester, Va.

Mrs. William Ward Hill, of Lynchburg, is visiting her mother, Mrs. R. B. Sanford.

Mrs. Nolle Guthrie is visiting relatives in Boston.

Prof. E. S. Ligon, of Fork Union Academy, was in the city this week.

Miss Myra Atwood, who has been visiting Mrs. Lash, in East End, has returned to her home in Princess Anne county.

Miss Ruby Buxton has returned from a visit to friends in Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Manville and daughter, Miss Anna, have gone to Thousand Islands, on the St. Lawrence river, where they will spend several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Shawen are visiting Mr. Shawen's parents in Leesburg, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Stralman, of Petersburg, are visiting friends and relatives in this city.

Mr. E. W. Minkstead, who has been ill at his home on Thirty-fourth street for several weeks, is recovering rapidly.

Mr. Winston Davis, who recently was operated upon at the St. Francis hospital, is able to be out again.

Miss Sadie Marable, who has been visiting relatives in Mecklenburg county, has returned home.

Miss Margaret Fletcher left yesterday for her old home in Michigan, where she will spend two months.

Mrs. M. W. Crew, of Prince Edward county, who has been visiting Mrs. A. L. Langslow, left yesterday for Richmond.

Miss Margaret Williams will leave this week for Charlottesville, where she will visit relatives.

Miss Mary Geiger has returned from Marion, Va., where she visited relatives.

Miss Minta Young, who has been visiting in Roanoke, has returned home. Miss Alice Young, of Roanoke, accompanied her and will be her guest here.

Miss Margaret Graham has returned from Raleigh, N. C., where she visited relatives. Her grandmother, Mrs. S. C. Davidson, accompanied her and will spend some time in this city.

Miss Grace Albert, on Twenty-sixth street, has as her guest, Miss Louise Albert, of Roanoke.

Miss Charlotte Selden is visiting relatives in New York.

Miss Irma Palmer has returned from Pittsylvania county, where she was the guest of relatives.

Miss Margaret Harper, who has been visiting in Smithfield, has returned home.

Mrs. T. E. Hopkins, on Oak avenue, has as her guest, Miss Anna E. Boley, of Philadelphia.

Miss Helen M. Hopkins is visiting relatives in New Kent county.

Miss Margaret Thompson has returned from Scottsville, where she visited relatives.

Miss Inez Clayton, who has been visiting in Cincinnati, has returned home. Miss Marie Clayton accompanied her.

Another Venire Ordered. (By Associated Press.) CHICAGO, ILLS., Aug. 4.—Although the examination of 299 veniresmen for a jury in the trial of Lee O'Neil Browne, minority leader of the Illinois legislature, charging him with purchasing votes for William Lorimer for United States senator, was only begun today, another venire of 100 men was ordered drawn today.

ANNUAL MOUNTAIN EXCURSION VIA CHESAPEAKE & OHIO RAILWAY, THURSDAY, AUGUST 12. 5-DAYS IN THE MOUNTAINS—5. Leave Old Point 9:30 a. m. and Newport News 10:05 a. m. Tickets good returning on all regular trains until TUESDAY, AUGUST 23, inclusive. Rates to stations, Charlottesville to Afton, \$3.00; Basle to Staunton, \$3.50; Mt. Elliott to Fordwick, \$4.00; Goshen to Clifton Forge, \$4.50; Covington to Hot Springs and White Sulphur, \$5.00; Natural Bridge, \$4.50. Fast train—Excellent service—Most attractive resorts.

POLICE HAD BUSY MONTH

Two Hundred and Ninety-Eight Arrests in July.

MANY PAY CITY FINES

Total of 5429 Received into City's Cofera Through Police Court—Crusade Against "Undesirables", Still Being Pushed With Vigor.

July was an unusually busy month with the police, 298 arrests—40 more than the monthly average—being made during that time. As is usually the case, the negroes predominated, the ratio being 159 blacks to 139 whites.

Chief Mitchell's report shows that the crusade against the "undesirable" citizens is being pushed with vigor, 36 persons being arrested during the month on charges of being not of good fame. Nearly all of these were put under heavy bonds and practically all of those convicted went to jail.

Many Disorderlies Jailed. Nearly one-fourth of the persons arrested were jailed on charges of disorderly conduct. Fifty-two "drunks" were carried to jail and 23 persons were arrested on the charge of assault. The officers picked up thirteen fugitives from justice and the same number was jailed for larceny. Only four arrests were made on felony charges, one for felonious cutting, one for housebreaking, one for grand larceny and one for robbery from the person.

Sixteen persons were haled to court for violating city ordinances, five being summoned for violating the automobile ordinance; two for violating the public safety ordinance; five for violating the dog ordinance, and four for violating the curfew ordinance. Three persons were arrested for failing to move their seats on the street car when directed to do so by the conductor.

Ninety-four Pay Fines. Two hundred and ten of the persons arrested were convicted, 86 being dismissed and two failing to appear. Of those convicted, 77 paid city fines, aggregating \$429, and seventeen paid state fines. Twelve prisoners were turned over to other authorities, 87 went to jail, five were held for the grand jury, two cases were continued indefinitely, and one case was appealed.

As the result of the activity of the police in enforcing the dog muzzling ordinance, the arrests this month probably will be larger than of any month this year. The amount of the fines paid also probably will be far in excess of the monthly average.

Negro Preacher Arrested. Rev. G. H. Ethridge, a Negro who lives in Hampton, was arrested here at noon yesterday by Detective Sergeant Reynolds for the Elizabeth City county authorities. The arrest was made on a warrant charging the preacher with immoral living.

Wharton's Grove and Return 50 cents SUNDAY, AUGUST 7, 1910. Sunday is the last day of the Camp Meeting and the magnificent steamer Pennsylvania will leave Norfolk at 8:00 a. m. Will leave Newport News, Pier A, 8:45 a. m. Will leave Old Point, 9:00 a. m. Remember the Pennsylvania will leave Newport News, Returning steamer will reach Newport News about 9:30 p. m.

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NEW RAILROAD BILL EFFECTS COAL AGENTS

After August 18 Shippers Can't Ask Road Officials About Each Other's Business.

Local coal agents will be effected by the new railroad law, passed by the last congress, and which becomes effective on August 18. Under the provisions of this law the railway officials cannot give one shipper any information about another shipper's business under penalty of a heavy fine or a jail sentence. The same fine or jail sentence applies to any shipper who asks a railway official about another shipper's business.

By mutual agreement, the local agents have allowed the railway officials to give out the business done by one shipper to another shipper, but this must be stopped after August 18. However, after that date the agents can exchange figures with each other and that probably will be done.

Negro Girls Set Free. Mabel Nelson and Carrie Stevenson, the little negro girls, who were arrested at midnight Wednesday night by Patrolman Pearson after a strenuous chase, and locked up at the station house on charges of being not of good fame, were set free by Justice Brown yesterday morning, the charges against them being dismissed.

More Dog Owners in Court. Four more dog owners faced Justice Brown in the police court yesterday morning. Two of these secured muzzles and tags for their dogs and the charges against them were dismissed. The other two delivered up their dogs to the police to be killed and the charges against them also were dismissed.

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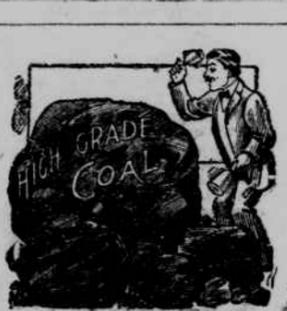
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