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SUMMER RESORTS.

HOT SPRINGS.

BATH COUNTY, VIRGINIA.

THESE RENOWNED SPRINGS AND GREAT NATURAL CURIOSITIES

Are situated in the romantic "Warm Springs Valley." The season of 1871 will

COMMENCE JUNE 1ST.

These thermal waters are celebrated for their CURATIVE virtues in Chronic Rheumatism, Gout, Torpor of Liver, Chronic Enlargement of Liver or Spleen, Chronic Diarrhoea or Dysentery, non-Organic Paralysis, Old Injuries, Diseases of the Skin, especially of Syphilis origin, Chronic Pleurisy, Dropsy of the Uterus, Affections of the Womb, and other Diseases of a delicate character incident to Females.

The water varies in temperature from 85° to 110° Fahrenheit.

The accommodations are first class, and offer unsurpassed attractions to the invalid and pleasure seeker.

Telegraph Office in Hotel.

Prof. J. L. CARROLL, M. D., of University of Virginia, Resident Physician, and J. P. HARRIS, M. D., Descriptive Pamphlets with full particulars furnished on application to

S. C. TARDY & CO., THOS. R. PRICE & CO., or JAMES A. GIBBS, Hot Springs, Bath County, Va.

AMELIA SULPHUR SPRINGS WILL BE OPENED FOR THE RECEPTION OF VISITORS JUNE 20TH.

These springs, so long and favorably known to the public, have passed into the hands of the undersigned, who pledges himself to devote his entire time to the comfort and pleasure of his guests.

The waters have been held in high repute by reason of their medicinal qualities, especially in diseases of SKIN, LIVER, and KIDNEYS.

A chalybeate spring of great strength has been recently discovered near the springs.

Chamberlain's medicine is sold by all druggists.

Round Trip Ticket, \$3.50. For further particulars, address the undersigned, or apply to S. C. TARDY, Richmond.

Dr. M. F. T. EVANS, Resident Physician.

U. S. COLLECTOR'S NOTICE.

UNITED STATES INTERNAL REVENUE COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, 4th DIST., VA., MAN CHESTER, MAY 20, 1871.

Having received the list of ANNUAL TAXES for the District from the Assessor, I hereby notify you that the taxes due thereon must be paid at my office in Manchester, on or before the 30th DAY OF JUNE, 1871.

Tax-payers residing in Amelia, Powhatan, Cumberland, Henric and Notaway counties, may pay their taxes to Col. Jas. A. Graves, District Collector, at Amelia, O. H.

Tax-payers residing in Prince Edward, Appomattox, Amherst, Nelson and Botetourt counties, may pay their taxes to Dr. Joseph Jorgenson, Deputy Collector, at Farmville.

The full penalty of the law will be imposed on all owing taxes: who fail to pay by the time fixed herein. my 19-1203 A. F. LATHROP, Collector.

FOR JAMES AND CHICKAHOMY RIVERS.

The fast and elegant side-wheel steamer PALLAS, Captain C. S. Nelson, will leave her wharf at Rocketts on King's Hill Wharf on James river, on TUESDAY and SATURDAY at 9 o'clock A. M., connecting with the 12 o'clock train at City Point.

On WEDNESDAYS and MONDAYS, at 6 A. M., touching at all the regular landings each way.

Will leave her wharf at Rocketts on King's Hill on CHICKAHOMY, THURSDAYS at 6 o'clock A. M., connecting at City Point with the 7 o'clock train from Petersburg, touching at all the regular landings on James river down to Dillard's Wharf, and all regular landings on Chickahomny. Returning, will leave her wharf at Rocketts on King's Hill on TUESDAYS, at 6 o'clock A. M., and on WEDNESDAYS, and on 12 o'clock Mondays to 9 A. M. Saturdays.

Freight received from 12 o'clock Mondays to 9 o'clock A. M. Tuesdays, and from 12 o'clock to 9 P. M. Wednesdays, and from 12 o'clock Mondays to 9 A. M. Saturdays.

Freight for Chickahomny will only be received from 12 o'clock Mondays to 9 o'clock A. M. Tuesdays.

All freight for way landings must be prepaid.

For further particulars, apply to Captain on board, or to GEORGE W. CURRIE, Agent, at Currie & Co.'s, corner 18th and Cary streets. my 9-1m

WINES AND LIQUORS.

LAGER BEER AND WINE SALOON.

No. 700 CORNER SEVENTH AND BROAD STS., RICHMOND, VA.

Mr. LOUIS BUKER takes pleasure in notifying his many friends and the public generally that he has recently fitted up and opened the above place. He keeps constantly on hand the finest LAGER BEER and ALES—both of the highest quality, and for family use, together with a choice selection of WINE and LIQUORS—both foreign and domestic. Thanks for past patronage be solicits for the future. my 17-1m

SHIPPING.

FOR NEW YORK.

THE VIRGINIA STEAMSHIP AND PACKET COMPANY'S elegant steamship, will leave her wharf at Rocketts on TUESDAY, May 23d, at 6 P. M. Freight received up to the hour of sailing. All communications and through bills of lading given to all connections and through bills of lading given to all connections and through bills of lading given to all connections.

This elegant steamship has fine cabin accommodations. Fare—.....\$10 00 Steerage, good until used, only..... 5 00 For freight or passage, apply to DAVID J. BURR, President, No. 1214 Main Street.

FOR NEW YORK.

THE OLD DOMINION STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S elegant side-wheel steamship SARATOGA, Captain Cooper, will leave her wharf at Rocketts on SUNDAY, May 21st, at 3 o'clock P. M. Freight received until Saturday night. Through bills of lading signed, and goods forwarded with dispatch to all points—north, south, east and west. Close connections made with General Line for foreign ports.

Passenger accommodations unsurpassed. \$12 00 Steerage, good until used, only..... 20 00 For freight or passage, apply to JOHN W. WYATT, Agent, my 20-11 No. 3 Government street.

PROPOSALS.

OFFICE A. O. R., 106 MAIN STREET, RICHMOND, VA. SEALED PROPOSALS, in duplicate, will be received at this office until 11 A. M. JUNE 20th, 1871, for furnishing the new City Jail, to be located on the Substantive Department U. S. A., Block 4th street, during six months, commencing July 1st, 1871. Particulars to be had on application to the undersigned, or by mail, and can be obtained by application to JAMES CURRY, 1st Lt. 5th Art'y, A. C. R. my 16-6t

FOR RENT AND SALE.

TO RENT—FURNISHED HOUSE (first-class) upper Franklin street. Can be rented by a small family for four months, or one or two years. my 16-31* H. H. Postollos Box 139.

WANTS.

WANTED—A young gentleman, 25 years of age, with a pleasant location, within ten minutes walk of the Postoffice. Address G. P. P. my 16-31*

WANTED—Two small neat HOUSES, wanted, and owners of such can find profitable tenants by applying to THIS OFFICE. my 16-31*

WANTED—FIFTY WOMEN and GIRLS for private families on SUNDAY, May 21st, at 3 o'clock P. M. Wages \$12 to 20 per month. Also, 1st LUMBER-MAKERS, for tobacco factory in Albemarle, at high wages. Apply to J. P. JUSTIS, Labor Agent, my 15-1w No. 9 Fifteenth street.

Evening State Journal.

THE MUNICIPAL ELECTION.

As the time approaches for making city nominations, we desire to remind our Republican friends of the importance of bringing out their best men. Personally we would be very glad to see the municipal election conducted without regard to party lines. What is needed in Richmond is a return to the solid earth from the waywardness, hostility and Quixotic madness of its political life. Its leading politicians are wasting their energies on sentimental politics. If all good citizens could be induced to unite, and selecting men from all parties of the highest intelligence, business ability, patriotism and integrity, the affairs of the city would be so administered as to restore confidence at home and abroad. Chicago, with a Republican majority of 5,000, and Milwaukee with a Democratic majority of 500, did so a few weeks ago, in both cases with the best results.

We hardly dare expect anything so sensible in the hot and unhealthy atmosphere of Southern politics. The business men and the workmen of our city are the true conservative class. With them must originate any movement of reform which hopes to be successful. They and their families have everything at stake. Such an administration of affairs as shall revive the drooping industries of the city and State, give life and activity to trade, and increase the value of property, can be secured only by putting forward good men, whose intelligence is undoubted, and whose business integrity is unimpeached,—men who have such an interest in the good name and prosperity of the city as to give security for the faithful discharge of their public duties.

Such men will not stoop to make the municipal government a mere adjunct of machinery, or disgrace themselves and burden the property holders by a wasteful and corrupt expenditure. They can be found, if proper search is made, without the aid of the lantern of Diogenes. How welcome to all of us, would be an election in which all parties united to present such candidates. It would inaugurate an era of fraternity and good will which would soon obliterate every root of bitterness, and open to our depressed and impoverished people, a property and happiness of which they never dreamed before.

TRUE.

Our faith was visited last evening by a gentleman, whose manner and dress told us plainly he belonged to the laboring class of this city, and who did not hesitate to avow that his political sentiments were in antagonism to those of our paper. In fact, we are satisfied that he is at this time a staunch, firm believer in the doctrines of the Democratic party, and so wedded to them, that it will require time for him to see his errors.

He stated that he came to us with a matter of news, which he wished us to notice, preferring we should do so, because, our paper had exhibited an interest in the working men, not felt or shown by any of our contemporaries.

Without reflecting upon them for pursuing any course which suits them best, we do not hesitate to say that we do feel the liveliest interest in all matters connected with the welfare of this class. One of them ourselves, born with no silver spoon in our mouth, with them, because they have been our friends and associates; we feel like defending them from the oppressions of those who regard labor a disgrace. Our party sentiments and their interests accord, they are as twin sisters, robed alike, going hand in hand; the arm of the one encircling the waist of the other, they sleep and eat together, awake together; and inseparable. An union, indivisible.

The political prejudices of our visitor, and all like him, will and must undergo a change; the future demands it and will take no denial, and while we have every disposition to proselyte all such men to our political faith, at once, we have calmly surveyed the field and have calculated, to a certainty, that they will, in a short time, behold the injustice they are doing themselves and unite their fortunes with the party which is enlisted in their behalf.

ANOTHER PHIZZLE!

Yesterday we referred, in our local columns to the fact that Judge Bond had declined an invitation to be present at a banquet tendered him by the Richmond bar, if the late President of the Confederate States Jefferson Davis, was to be present. We also informed our readers that his refusal to dine with Mr. Davis, had induced a number of gentlemen of his profession to withdraw from it, and gave it as our opinion that it was a deliberate attempt to "capture" Judge Bond, in their political net, which would have succeeded but for the superior judgment of the Judge.

Such conduct was to have been expected from a gentleman situated as Judge Bond was, but we are called upon to record another incident of a similar nature, of a very significant character, and which has rendered Mr. Davis' last visit to Richmond rather unpleasant unless he was a party, to what may have been a party trick.

We are informed that Governor John T. Hoffman, of New York, who has been in the city for several days, was, during his stay, invited to take a carriage drive around the city, accompanied by Mr.

Davis, and he too, most respectfully declined.

We don't pretend to say what Hoffman's motive for refusing was, but it is liable to two constructions. He was either afraid it would injure his chances for the next Presidency, with the people of the North, who are not particular admirers of Davis; or it was done to deceive us here as to the real object of his visit. In either event, we are disposed to believe Mr. Davis must feel badly and begins to know how it is himself, in regard to the choosing of associates.

Some of our contemporaries have been diligently searching to find some ground upon which they might contradict our "phizzle," without success, and we predict that labor in the same direction, to deny "another phizzle," will be attended with like results.

To win is to be great; to lose is to be small.

VERY IMPORTANT.

It is very important that parties interested should know that in order to vote at the coming election it is not necessary for their names to appear upon the books of registration, but that it is necessary, without being registered, for them to prove that they offered to register, armed with all legal qualifications, and were refused. The recent decisions of Judge Guigon, by which several hundred of the legal voters of the city were rejected by the registrars, are not acknowledged by us to be correct, and preparations are now being made by which parties can demand their rights, and if refused, may carry their cases before the United States courts, where the opinion of Judge Guigon will be properly considered.

The necessary blank forms have been prepared and all instructions necessary to their procurement and completion, may be obtained at the rooms of the Republican City Central Committee, in the old Law Building, corner of Franklin street and Capital Square. Persons who are situated as we have described are urged to go at once and prepare themselves for election duty. We presume there are no Democrats, who are not properly registered, therefore our remarks do not apply to them, but should there be any such, we extend them the benefit of our advice, as we want to see neither party swindled, but prefer to see "fair play and a free fight."

"Lay on McDuff, &c."

Letter from Petersburg.

PETERSBURG, May 20, 1871.

To the Editor of the State Journal:

KU-KLUX.—We learn that some ten days ago Mr. Koderick Vaughan, a very inefficient and harmless man, residing about three miles from this city, in Dinwiddie county, was taken from his house by a party of colored men, in the neighborhood, and carried to the woods where he was very severely whipped, from the effects of which he was taken sick and died a few days ago.

The above is from the local column of the Courier of this morning. I am astonished to find such a glaring falsehood in that paper. The Courier has been imposed upon, and should take his Munchausen informant to task for his gross misrepresentation.

Mr. Vaughan was a poor white man, "inoffensive and harmless," and without a general favorite with the colored people. He was the last man they would harm, and they are the last people to commit an outrage on anybody. Mr. Vaughan was taken sick a few days since in his own house, and died calmly and quietly, surrounded by his friends.

So you see it is not Republicans, who "manufacture outrages for political effect." The Index is getting desperate. He is afraid of the "independents" and is trying to drive them into the "Radical" party. And then he says:

Ignorance, incompetency and knavery are the three dimensions of the Radical party of the South. The city of Petersburg, are its citizens ready to band over to the carpet-baggers and adventurers who lead the league, the control of their finances, their property, their future.

I do not think the citizens of Petersburg, who are any way familiar with the management of the "finances" and the "property," etc. of this city, by the several city councils since the war, will be very much frightened at the idea of putting the control of the city into the hands of these "carpet-baggers and adventures who lead the league."

The Republican party had the city government for two years. During that time they put the streets in better condition than they have been at any time since the war; repaired the public property and put it in good order; built two handsome and durable iron bridges across the Appomattox river; provided for the poor; kept an efficient police; lighted the streets better and at much less cost; built a handsome fire engine house; purchased one good school house and built another; and last, and by no means least, provided a grand system of public schools, by means of which over two thousand children could be thoroughly educated. The Republican Council accomplished all this, and much more that I have not the time to enumerate, and yet they managed the "finances" of the city so as not to increase the burden of the tax-payers one cent.

Here is what the Republican city government have to show as an account of their stewardship. The voters are now asking what the Democratic council have to show as the result of the increased burden they have laid upon the people.

I was a little too fast in my letter of the 18th when I stated that the Republicans had made nominations in all the wards. I had forgotten the Third ward. Nominations were made in that ward last night, as follows: Councilmen—C. Baker Raine, Col. Wm. Lewis, J. M. Booth, James H. Bailey. Justices—C. W. Rosenfeld, M. B. Tapley. OCCASIONALLY.

CANDIDATES FOR OFFICE.

TO THE VOTERS OF TUCKAHOE TOWNSHIP, COUNTY OF HENRICO.—Gentlemen—I have the honor to announce myself as an independent candidate for the office of SUPERVISOR, and pledge myself, if elected, to devote my time and talents to the interests of every one, regardless of party or any previous issue. Very respectfully, your obedient servant, my 18-5001* JOHN E. JONES.

VIRGINIA NEWS.

Fredericksburg heard thunder and saw lightning this week.

Major George Wilson, of Pittsylvania, a soldier of the war of 1812, is dead. Still they leave us!

Bishops Johns and Whittle will attend the annual council of the Episcopal Church in Petersburg, to be held next week.

New potatoes have made their appearance in the Fredericksburg market and are selling at 50 cents a gallon. A good price for the old town.

Henry county boasts of thirty-five schools in active operation. Nothing gratifies us more than to see them flourishing in all sections of the State.

Col. McDearmond, a prominent old citizen of Appomattox county, died at his residence last Tuesday. One by one the old men leave us. Peace to their ashes.

Stanton boasts of having in it a man who averages nine drinks a day. Pahaw! You can't hold a light to us; we can find you a hundred that will beat you and give you three in the game.

The Virginia Herald, doesn't understand the game of turning from a Republican to a Democrat and fighting niggers. We are glad of it, and hope it will continue to be ignorant of it.

Judge Wingfield, of the Bedford district, has decided to fine Gov. Wells \$50 for a contempt of his court. We imagine Gov. Wells is lawyer enough to care of himself, and will be likely to do so when occasion demands it.

The crops of Bedford, Botetourt and Rockbridge need to be looking badly. We hear but little complaint from Roanoke, and it is well we do, for if she don't produce wheat you need go no farther to look for it.

Our friend Sener of the Ledger, acknowledges himself under obligations to some friend, for a nice treat of strawberries. We are as glad something has stirred him up, as it is the first time we have heard from him for 1000 these many days.

J. H. Kelly, Esq., editor of the Fredericksburg Herald, is assessed by the revenue officers, as a retail liquor dealer. He denies it. Can't go behind the record Brother Kelly. You must own up and come down like a man.

If the young bachelor, who is a brother journalist, in Alexandria, hasn't been able to see straight, since he helped the young lady over the stile, he is fooling you as to the real cause, for, for a long time before he left Richmond, it was a habit to see several ladies at once. Don't be greened by him! if the STATE JOURNAL isn't the most reliable authority thou'.

Stating to-night at Assembly Hall.

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Stating to-night at 8.

Fitness for Office.—It is presumed that men are selected to fill positions of a public character, with some regard to their fitness, but this seems not to be the case with the individual who manages and controls the public property of the city, and can be procured by permitted to grow to a height destructive of its best interest, while the weeds are as unnoted as if they were ornaments instead of what they are, nuisances. If the grass is cut they are straggled and carried to the dump, it will grow much more rapidly and abundantly.

We know that this neglect is not owing to the scarcity of labor, for our penitentiary is overflowing with it, and can be procured by the Superintendent whenever desired. Let him attend to this duty more carefully and we will have an abundant and beautiful crop of grass, soon hiding all the naked places which now disgust the eye of the beholder.

Police Court.—The following cases were disposed of by Police Justice White this morning:

William Stonington, for assaulting and striking Isaac Straus, was warned and let off.

Agnes Lewis, colored, charged with stealing three dresses and one bedstead, the property of Lewis H. Lohse, was adjudged guilty and sentenced to three months in jail.

Harrison Williams, colored, charged with breaking the lock and taking away one boat, belonging to the possession of James Jones was discharged, there being no evidence whatever against him.

Charles Stettar, drunk and unable to take care of himself, was discharged.

George Smith, drunk and throwing bricks at Eddie Woltz, was warned and let off. Eddie had better stay at home and keep his name out of the Police Court.

John Smith, alias Sweeney, drunk and lying in the street, was let off.

Religious Services To-morrow.

We note the following special appointments: Broad-Street Methodist Church.—Anniversary of the Board of Christian Missions, and annual meeting of the Methodist Sunday School Society at 3 1/2 P. M.

Leigh Street Baptist.—Rev. J. R. Garlick having returned to the city, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

Second Baptist.—Rev. W. D. Thomas, of Greenville, S. C., at 11 A. M.

LOCAL NEWS.

Local Dishes.

Low-Cabbage. Fast—Young men. Smelling-lead—Fish. Still dear—Strawberries.

East.—The girls of the period. To lose—Play at (Schure) Eaker. To keep sober—Take nary a Todd.

Have we a monarchy?—Ask Prince. Can't come it!—Recent nominations. Smeared stacks departure—Broad street.

Who was disappointed?—The "English" language will inform you. If the city owes you anything call on the City Council, which seems to have all the money.

If the Old Dominion owes you anything now is a good time to present your bill, as the Treasury has about \$700,000 to its credit.

The launching of a new steam-dredge, will take place this afternoon, on the canal, near penitentiary pond, from the building yard of Mesler & son.

Straws piled up will make a rick, Straws elected will make you sick, Straws scattered will make manure, The old man will not be a rick, Straws well plaited will bottom a chair, Straws elected will not be fair, Straws well tied will make a broom, Straws defeated will give us room.

Who will make an honest Councilman. Don't fail to go to Assembly Hall to-night and enjoy the roller skating; the season will soon be over, and then you will regret not going.

The Shooting Accident.—The morning papers furnish us with accounts of the accident which occurred last night, when a young lady, which are in substance correct. The young lady who had the misfortune to shoot the gentleman, had been presented some time before with a small single-barrelled cartridge pistol, which she kept either in her trunk or bureau. Desiring to show the gentleman some letters, she left him on the porch and returned to her room to get the letters. The pistol being quite small, she did not discover that it was between the package of letters until she had left the room. Upon handling him the letters the pistol was discharged, owing doubtless to pressure upon the trigger, she being ignorant of its nature. The ball striking the young gentleman near the corner of the eye, passing downwards into the nose.

We learn that the gentleman rested quietly last night, and while it is impossible for a wound of his character not to become sore and troublesome, we hope he may soon recover sufficiently to attend to the business in which he is engaged.

We have been requested by the friends of both parties not to mention the names of those engaged, with which request we cheerfully comply, not only as a pleasure, but as a duty, under the circumstances.

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