Richmond Dispatch.

SATURDAY.....MAY 28, 1870.

The Great Evil.

We have often deplored the division of the voters of Virginia upon a line of color. It is fatal to that mutual trust and reliance without which there is no peace, no well-ordered industry.

The presence in the bosom of the community of so large a body of recently-enfranchised persons voting as one man is full of social irritation, and detrimental to the State. This body is not educated—not discriminating and capable in selections of men—and prone to side with the designing and demagogical who flatter their vanity and profess the most and do the least for their advancement and happiness. In this way they are used by unworthy white people to get the possession of the government which they administer alike for the injury of white and black.

Take this city with its 6,800 white (to use round numbers) and 6,200 black registered voters. Three hundred white men going over to the blacks will tie the white vote, and any larger number of white desertions will put the government in the hands of the 6,200 blacks and the handful of whites, depriving the real talent and worth of the country of all participation in public affairs, to the injury of the public interests.

There are always a number of incapable and unworthy men who had far rather submit their claims, or rather demerits, to the black man, than that they should pass the ordeal of an intelligent public judgment. And as long as the blacks are banding and voting as a race, the danger is that there will be enough of this unworthy class of whites to take possession of the offices through black votes, just as we have it here in this city now. The transferring of about 500 white votes to the colored party has given that party a majority of 280 or thereabouts.

A community liable by this process to be submitted to the rule of men who cannot be the proper sort of men to administer public affairs is ever exposed to injury. So that this evil in the body politic is a very grave one. The public well-being cannot be more effectually served than by the disruption of this banded organization of a race and the freedom of its members to mix up with society and vote as other people.

The use made of the blacks by the demagogues is an outrage upon them, as it is upon society. It is monstrous that a few whites should climb into public places on the backs of 6,000 colored voters, hectoring over their own race, and fomenting the hate of the blacks towards the whites.

There will be a remedy for this in time, as all monstrous phases of society have their remedies. It is alike important to white and black that this remedy should come, and that soon. If not, there will be a steady increase of hostility between the races. One unfriendly demonstration invites another, and unless a change takes place in the relations of blacks and whites we may well suppose that a condition of affairs may come about that will be very injurious to both classes, but ne cessarily most so to the weakest.

This subject deserves earnest consideration just now.

Work to be Done.

It has been a feature of the public character of this city that misfortune has strengthened the energies of her people and made their fortitude and constancy to shine the brighter. They lifted themselves, as it were, out of the ashes of their city, and amid the trials and oppressions since the war, rebuilt their houses in a style of architecture and capacity greatly superior to those which had been burned. So, in every trial and every calamity, they have borne themselves with calmness and resolution, struggling against adversity.

It is a great solace in time of trouble to turn to the cares of business and the prosecution of great undertakings. The people of Richmond will find this diversion from unpleasant things as efficacious as ever.

We have great works to do, and we must begin now to consider them. James river must be deepened to accommodate the larger vessels to our wharves. This must be done to meet the demands of the business of the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad, and to fix the plans of that great company in reference to Richmond as its terminus. It is controlled by the most practical men in the country, who know what an advantage it is to have the shortest line of railroad transportation between the source of production and the place of shipment in sea-going vessels. Now if we give them the necessary facilities in the matter of shipment here they need look nowhere else. They will fix here their shops and depôts, and will have no idea of dividing their transportation, and taking the broken freights to obscure fishing villages lower down on the tide where there is no trade and no accommodations, but a plenty of fever and agua, and a multiplicity of annoyances that obstruct business and take away the energies of men and give no compensation for the trials they bring.

Give here the facilities of trade suited to the times in which we live, and here will be established permanently the depôts and real terminus of the great Covington and Ohio railroad.

This is a matter of vital concern to us all, and must be promptly attended to.

Then we must get out of our hemmed-in situation with reference to our railroad connections westwardly. Our city is in a bag. The western lines of communication have their straight roads running elsewhere—none to Richmond. We must have our straight roads too westwardly from our borders. No passenger from the West, not obliged to come to Richmond, can now be brought here. Without travel we can have no trade. That we should get this travel by short and straight lines of railroad having the greatest expedition, is a proposition none can deny. It is indispensable to our participation in the western trade.

Now, these things we must do, and it will be well for our people to go to work at once to plan and construct them.

Casualties, political contrarities, and temporary annoyances, should not be permitted to stay the energies and enterprises of this people. They should never fail to be equal to the grand situation for great achievements with which Providence has blessed them.

The Election.

We have lost our general Conservative ticket by a little less than 300 votes; but we have the Councilmen from three of the five wards, giving us the control of the legislative branch of the city government. This is an important advantage. We thus have a conservative check upon excesses and a means of enforcing accountability. The ticket elected by the Radicals is a very indifferent one, and the value of the check we have upon the city administration cannot be over-estimated.

Still we hope that the divided power fortunately secured in the city government will result in such understanding and just compromises as will secure harmony and prudence in the conduct of public affairs. A war of cross purposes and counteraction will only produce trouble and injury to the city. Yet we must urge the Conservatives to make no concessions inconsistent with the public interests and the public dignity.

As to how this defeat came about, much might be said; but we deem that much as best not said. There should be no crimination or recrimination on the Conservative side. Let us forget differences and reform our columns at once and take position in defence of the policies and principles which we hold dear. There is no unanimity of opinion as to the errors that have been committed, and nothing but injury can result from the warm discussion of them. Let us all concede to one another a patriotic purpose in all we have done to maintain the safety and welfare of Virginia.

The Results Elsewhere.

The information with regard to elections in the cities of the State is generally favorable to the Conservatives in a decided manner. There is a feature in them that is very gratifying, and that is that there are more colored voters casting their votes with the Conservatives than formerly. In this city nothing but the rigid discipline of the secret organizations holds the colored men in one solid party. If left free and without fear, naturally the colored voter would exercise his own discretion and follow the instincts of his own judgment.

The indications from the country and the towns are encouraging. The next trial at elections will prove that very extensive changes have taken place in the party features of the constituent body.

The Two Reports.

When the country edition of the *Dispatch* went to press on Thursday night such was the nature of the few returns received that we were satisfied the Conservative ticket was elected, and so announced in a brief paragraph. But by the time the form was returned from the press to prepare the city edition, news from the ragged edges of the city, and from some infected districts, came to hand, which so dashed our calculations that defeat took the place of triumph. This explains the disagreeing paragraphs of the two editions. If our readers were sorely tried by the contradictory reports, we were more so.

The *Journal*, which has for more than a week pronounced Mr. ELLYSON the weakest man the Conservatives could have nominated, declared yesterday evening that he is "the most popular man in the Conservative party." How consistant the *Journal* is!

AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

On all public or private sales of Real Estate made between the 1st of January and the 1st of July the purchasers pay the taxes for the present year, but on all sales between the first day of July and the last day of December the seller pays them.

GRUBBS & WILLIAMS will sell at 5 P. M. a number of lots on the north side of N street near Thirty-second.

JAMES M. TAYLOR will sell at 5½ P. M. two framed dwellings on Fifteenth street south of Marshall.

LOCAL MATTERS.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES TO-MORROW.—We note the following special appointments:

St. Paul's Episcopal Church.—Services at 11 A. M.

St. John's Church.—The rector (Rev. Dr. Wall) having returned from Wheeling, will hold service at this church morning and evening as usual.

Nicholson-Street Methodist.—Rev. Robert A. Armistead at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

Oregon Hill Methodist.—Rev. P. Archer at 11 A. M., and Rev. F. A. Strother at 8 P. M.

Sidney Methodist.—Rev. F. A. Strother at 11 A. M., and Rev. P. Archer at 8 P. M.

St. Marks Episcopal.—Morning service at 11 oclock.

United Presbyterian.—Rev. A. D. Pollock at 11 A. M. and 5 P. M.

St. Marks English Lutheran.—The Rev. Dr. Bittle, President of Roanoke College, will preach in this church to-morrow at 11 A. M., and at 8 P. M.

HOLLYWOOD MEMORIAL DAY—PREPARATIONS FOR THE CELEBRATION.—The Board of Managers of the Hollywood Memorial Association will meet to-day at St. Paul's lecture-room at 12 M. A full attendance is desired that arrangements may be completed for memorial day (Tuesday the 31st).

The Committee on Decorations will meet at Grace-Street (Baptist) church lecture-room on Monday, May 30th, at 10 A. M. Mrs. Howe, Mrs. W. B. Isaacs, Mrs. Charles Gennet, Mrs. James Lyons, Mrs. Charles M. Wallace, Mrs. John Rogers, Mrs. Dr. Jeter, Mrs. Dr. Davis, Mrs. Charles Skinker, Mrs. Carter, Mrs. John H. Williams, Miss L. Nicholas.

The following young ladies have been invited to assist at the lecture-room of Grace-Street Baptist church May 30th to prepare decorations for Hollywood memorial day: Misses Dimmock, Miss Blanche Morris, Miss Farrar, Miss Dabney, Miss Mary Gill, Miss Bettie Crenshaw, Miss Ella Harris, Miss McCaw, Miss Ellen Tompkins, Miss Bettie Brander, Miss Lizzie Cabell, Miss Alice Breeden, Miss Sue Randolph, Miss Lizzie Moore, Miss Sallie Rutherford, Misses Fairfax, Miss Hatcher, Miss Street, Miss Bettie Meredith, Miss Mary Triplett, Miss Ellen Anderson, Miss Katie Wynne, Miss Rosalie Haxall, Miss Adriance, Miss Belle Jackson, Miss M. Smith, Miss Laura Thomas, Miss Bettie Thomas, Miss Ida Watkins, Misses Magill, Misses Fox, Miss Lizzie Rison, Miss Bessie Paine, Miss Lizzie Miller, Miss Leilah Sloat, Miss Maggie Dunlop, Miss Williams, Miss Sutton, Misses Gay, Miss Mary Johnson, Miss Julia Wallace, Miss Belle Stewart, Miss Alice Gennet, Miss Fannie Haxall.

The following committee of gentlemen have been requested to act as marshals on Hollywood memorial day, May 31st: Messrs. John Goddin, Thomas Booker, William H. Macfarland, Jr., S. M. Etting, J. C. Paine, Thomas Brander, William B. Isaacs, Jr., Joseph Blair, C. H. Dimmock, Philip Haxall, Travis Daniel Jr., John Freeland, Jr., James Dunlop, James Tyler, James McCaw, William Ragland, Richard Wharton, Stribling Ballard, Peyton Wise, James Worth, Charles Watkins, —— Denny.

ASSAULT UPON A JUDGE OF ELECTION—A BALLOT-BOX BROKEN OPEN AND ITS CONTENTS LOST.—Yesterday morning as Mr. William F. Paul, one of the judges of election for the third precinct of Jefferson Ward, was on his way to the City Hall, having in his possession the sealed ballot-box belonging to his precinct, he was assailed by several men, who forcibly took the box from him, and breaking it open the ballots were scattered to the four winds. Mr. Paul states that one of the parties drew a pistol upon him and threatened to shoot him if he did not yield. The fact was reported to police headquarters, but at a late hour last night no clue to the guilty parties had been found.

MYSTERIOUS SHOOTING AFFAIR.—Last evening at about half-past 8 o'clock a number of pistol shots were heard at the corner of Fourteenth and Main streets. A crowd was immediately attracted towards the spot, and it was discovered that ex-policeman Kennedy had been shot in the rear of his right hip. He was standing on the corner of the street, apparently unconcerned. When asked if he knew anything about the shooting he replied coolly "I'm shot." He was taken to Dove's drug store, where his wounds were attended to. He was considerably under the influence of liquor when shot, and could not tell anything about the shooting. We are unable to learn any of the particulars of the affair. Three shots were fired, and no one seemed to know who fired them. Kennedy's wound is not considered mortal.

PERSONAL.—The Rev. Dr. D. F. Bittle, President of Roanoke College, and one of the most eminent Lutheran divines South, arrived in our city yesterday, and is stopping with his friend, J. W. Shield. We understand he is on business concerning the college with which he is connected.

THE FRUIT AND FLOWER EXHIBITION.—The second annual fruit and flower exhibition at St. Alban's Hall last night was, despite the rain, an entire success. A large number of persons were in attendance, and the display of fruit and flowers was very creditable. The rainy weather of the last few days had excited fears among the growers of berries that a fair sample could not be shown, but we never saw finer berries than were there, or tasted fruit of better flavor. Where there was so much to attract it was hard for an amateur to decide which were best, but we must be allowed to notice particularly the specimen sent by Mr. L. Chamberlayne and Allan & Johnson, who received award for the largest berry, the "Empress Eugenie; as well as those exhibited by Mr. W. H. Turner—than which none, we think, can be finer or better.

The display of flowers, mostly exhibited by Messrs. Allan & Johnson and Mr. John Morton, attracted a great deal of attention. Several baskets of flowers by the latter were of the finest quality and fragrance.

After careful examination the committee reported the following list of premiums:

Joseph R. Rennie, five dollars for the best quart of any variety of berries (Russell).

Thomas Bruton, three dollars for the second best (Wilson).

Franklin Davis & Co., two dollars for the third best (Stewart). Medium size and of very superior flavor.

Franklin Davis & Co., ten dollars for the largest and best collection of berries. Thirty-three varieties, some of which were very fine.

Allan & Johnson, diploma for the second best. Eleven varieties.

L. Chamberlayne, diploma for third best, who exhibited very fine specimens of "Golden Queen," "McAvoy," and "Wilson."

The committee also report the following on the list of qualities of berries:

Best Shipping Berries.—"Wilson's Albany."

Best Berries for Home Market.—"Wilson's Albany," "Russell," and "McAvoy."

Best Flavored Berries.—"Stewart" and "Russel."

Owing to the excessive rains the fine flavor of many of the berries were much impaired.

Best Berries for Family Use.—"Wilson's Albany," "Russell Prolific," and "McAvoy."

Largest Berries.—"Empress Eugenie."

Best Berries Combining All or the Largest Number of these Qualities.—"Wilson's Albany."

Remarkably fine berries of the "Wilson's Albany" were exhibited by Mr. A. F. Jhanke and Dr. Thomas Pollard; of the "Burr's Mammoth," by Mr. J. A. Robinson; and of the "Jucunda," by Mr. W. W. Turner.

The scene presented during the exhibition was most attractive, enlivened as it was by sprightly music and the presence of many gay promenaders. The young people seemed particularly to enjoy this comparatively new species of amusement, and we have no doubt will join with the great body of those present in the wish for a repetition of such delightful entertainments during the summer as our fruits successively ripen.

MAYOR'S COURT, FRIDAY—*Mayor Ellyson presiding.*—The following cases were disposed of:

John Murray (colored), charged with illegal registration in Madison Ward. Continued until Saturday and allowed bail in $300.

Bob Braxton (colored), charged with illegal registration and false swearing. Case continued until 28th instant and bailed in $300.

Lewis Johnson (colored), charged with knowingly and falsely swearing and registering his name twice. Case continued until Saturday morning and bailed in the sum of $300.

Charles Ward (colored), charged with illegal registration in Madison Ward, precinct No. 3. Case continued.

Robert Harris (colored), charged with illegal registration in Madison Ward. Case continued.

Denis Callahan, charged with assaulting and striking William Cornell with a stick. Case dismissed, no evidence appearing against him.

Ellen Harris (colored), deaf mute, charged with stealing an infant child from Janetta Benedict. Let off with promise from her mother to keep her at home.

Albert Obey (colored), charged with having in his possession a coil of rope stolen from some unknown person. Sent on to the grand jury for indictment and allowed bail in $200.

Lizzie Taylor (colored), charged with robbing the person of Thomas Johnson of $1.20. Sent on to the grand jury.

William Connell, charged with assaulting and drawing a pistol and threatening to shoot Dennis Callahan. Case dismissed.

John A. Johnson, charged with feloniously shooting Fanny Blackman with intent to kill. Case dismissed.

Lizzie Johnson (colored), charged with stealing one hat, five dollars, and other property, belonging to Richard Blain. Sent on to the grand jury.

John Hughlett (colored), charged with attempting to commit fraud in registration by advising Alfred Major to register unlawfully in Clay Ward. Case continued until to-morrow.

William Carter (colored), charged with illegal registration in the city. Case dismissed.

Joe Stoball (colored), charged with assaulting and beating Mary Smith. Let off with an admonition.

John C. Kahler *alias* John Call (colored), charged with illegally and knowingly registering falsely in Monroe Ward. Sent on to the grand jury and bailed in $300.

Simon Peter (colored), charged with attempting to vote in Monroe Ward, he living in Manchester. Case dismissed.

George Holmes (colored), charged with attempting to vote illegally. Case dismissed.

Reuben Jones (colored), charged with illegally voting in Monroe Ward, he having been in the penitentiary. Continued until Saturday, and allowed bail in $300.

A. Blenner, charged with assaulting and beating William Collins. Case dismissed.

WE RETURN OUR THANKS to Mr. James Vick, seedsman, Rochester, New York, for packages of assorted flower and garden seeds; also for his illustrated catalogue and floral guide, beautifully illustrated and handsomely gotten up. It should be in the hands of all lovers of flowers.

LIST OF UNMAILABLE LETTERS REMAINING IN THE RICHMOND POST-OFFICE MAY 28.—William B. Bruce, Talcott P. O., Va.; Mrs. Judge, Alexander Rives, Charlottesville, Va.; Phillip P. Garthright, Southampton Mills, Va.; Mr. Marshall Brown, Louisona; Messrs. Miriam & Hall, Leominster, Mass.; Mr. Edward S. Gay, Mobile, Ala.; Mr. Harrison, Chafflin, Roanoke street; R. M. Manly, Richmond, Va.

ROOMS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE,
RICHMOND, May 27, 1870.

Messrs. Editors,—Since my report of the 25th instant I have received for the relief fund the following sums—viz.,

Tobacco dealers in Chicago, through Messrs. Hibben & Co.	$245 00
Collections made by John B. Davis, Esq.:	
J. K. Childrey, Richmond	25 00
A. M. Lyon, Richmond	10 00
1341 Franklin street	25 00
Buckner, McCamoran & Co., Philadelphia	50 00
Captain A. L. Coburn, Baltimore	25 00
Henry Clarke, Baltimore	20 00
	155 00
William McKean, Esq., Secretary Relief Association, Philadelphia	364 50
From a friend, through the Rev. Dr. J. B. Jeter	50 00
William Richardson, Esq., Brooklyn, N. Y., through the Rev. Dr. Jeter	50 00
C. H. Manson, L. D. Childs, and A. C. Haskill, committee of the citizens of Columbia, S. C., through Dr. Manson, of Richmond	267 50

ISAAC DAVENPORT, JR.,
Treasurer of the Relief Fund.

I WISH TO INFORM ALL WHOLESALE DEALERS OF VIRGINIA that I have opened the ROPE FACTORY known as Simons's factory, situated on Twenty-eighth street between N and O. I will be able to furnish all qualities and sizes of ROPE, TWINE, PACKING, SASH-CORD, BED-CORD, PLOW and TOW-LINES, CHALK and MASON LINES.
my 28—S&W3m E. J. BROWN.

SALAD OILS, assorted sizes, just received and for sale at JACKSON'S, corner of Main and Third streets. my 28—eod3t

HAVING DISCONTINUED THE sale of fresh meats until the fall of the year, I would most respectfully call the attention of my customers and the public generally to my stock of SUGAR-CURED HAMS and BREASTS, which I will sell to them as cheap as they can be bought in the city. I use none but the best brands. They can be accommodated at all times with NICE SLICED HAM; also, PRIME LEAF LARD.
M. B. HECHLER,
my 14—eod1w* No. 32 Second Market.

The Virginia Municipal Elections.

The Radicals Elect their General Ticket.

A CONSERVATIVE CITY COUNCIL.

The municipal election of Friday resulted in a Radical victory on the general ticket. We append a list of the successful candidates as far as can be ascertained from unofficial returns:

Mayor.—George Chahoon.
Sergeant.—Charles S. Mills.
Commonwealth's Attorney.—L. H. Chandler.
City Treasurer.—John S. Devlin.
Sheriff.—Michael Murphy.
Auditor.—William H. Alderdice.
Collector.—H. L. Pelouze.
Commissioner of Revenue.—Julius C. Fischer.
City Engineer.—Thomas S. Atkins.
Clerk of Chancery Court.—A. L. Masurier.
Clerk of Hustings Court.—W. A. E. Wagner.
Clerk of Circuit Court.—J. H. Painter.
High Constable.—Thomas P. Wilkinson.

COUNCIL.

Marshall Ward.—James E. Riddick, Thomas Faherty, George S. Prince, J. J. English, Henry Bodcker.

Jefferson Ward.—John Kelly, James Murphy, P. Von Groning, John Viles, A. Millspaugh.

Madison Ward.—Louis Wagner, John A. Sloan, John H. Montague, Albert Ordway, Thomas H. Wynne.

Monroe Ward.—H. L. Kent, M. H. Merriman, F. Laube, E. Lohman, Patrick Fogarty.

Clay Ward.—F. P. Brannon, William Jenkins, W. H. Scott, E. J. Euker, Charles L. Todd.

JUSTICES OF THE PEACE.

Marshall Ward.—W. Hall Crew, H. A. Atkinson, Sr., J. B. Royster.

Jefferson Ward.—Robert H. Allen, Phil. Berghiemer, John Rankin.

Madison Ward.—Maxwell T. Clarke, George K. Crutchfield, W. K. Watts.

Monroe Ward.—William D. Bagnall, George L. Bloomer, J. S. Robertson.

Clay Ward.—Humphrey Calder, J. F. Meredith, P. D. Glinn.

The Commissioners of Election are Messrs. D. C. Richardson, William F. White, W. W. Stover, J. J. Underhill, and Benjamin Bragg. These gentlemen will meet at the City Hall this morning at 10 o'clock for the purpose of canvassing the vote and making an official certificate of the result of the election.

It will be seen that the Couservatives have carried their ticket for councilmen in three wards—Marshall, Clay, and Madison—while the Radicals carried Jefferson and Monroe. This gives the Conservatives a majority of five in the City Council, and almost entire control of the city government. They have also elected their candidates for magistrates in Marshall, Madison, and Clay Wards.

THE MAYORALTY.

The following shows the vote of the mayoralty. It is not official, but received from a reliable source:

Marshall Ward.—Ellyson, 665; Chahoon, 650. Majority for Ellyson, 15.

Jefferson Ward.—Ellyson, 1,802; Chahoon, 1,916. Majority for Chahoon, 114.

Madison Ward.—Ellyson, 1,498; Chahoon, 1,446. Majority for Ellyson, 42.

Monroe Ward.—Ellyson, 1,547; Chahoon, 1,828. Majority for Chahoon, 281.

Clay Ward.—Ellyson, 717; Chahoon, 672. Majority for Ellyson, 45.

Chahoon's majority in the city, 283.

MANCHESTER.

The following is the vote of Manchester:

Supervisor.—Bun (Radical), 808; Craig (Conservative), 525.

Clerk.—Burnett (Radical), 803; Robertson (Conservative), 533.

Assessor.—Snellings (Radical), 803; Allen (Conservative), 523.

Collector.—Foote (Radical), 803; Blunt, (Conservative), 509.

Overseer of the Poor.—Hewlett (Radical), 803; Cox (Conservative), 550.

Commissioner of Roads.—Jackson (Radical), 803; B. Moss (Conservative), 535.

Justices of the Peace.—Hancock (Radical), 1,070; Baird (Conservative), 530; Martin (Radical), 803; Gentry (Conservative), 525; Edwards (Radical), 803; Blent (Conservative), 509.

Constables.—Canall (Conservative), 525; Worsham (Radical), 803; Holt (Radical), 803; G. R. Moss (Radical), 1,085.

Messrs. G. R. Moss and Hancock were on both tickets, but ran about 250 behind the Conservative ticket. One precinct yet to hear from, but this will not alter the result.

The vote on the question of removal of court-house resulted as follows:

For Manchester, 1,296; for present location, 7; for Chester, 18.

The election passed off quietly. The negroes, under carpet-bag and scalawag influence, voted as a unit. Numbers said they would have voted the Conservative ticket but were restrained through fear of personal violence.

The white men of Manchester, with about half a dozen exceptions, braved the storm, and in the face of defeat polled their votes for the Conservative ticket. Though defeated, the Manchester Conservatives are not discouraged. At every election they will fight the good fight until victory crown their efforts.

RESULT OF TOWNSHIP OFFICERS IN HENRICO COUNTY—CONSERVATIVES VICTORIOUS IN EVERY TOWNSHIP.

The election for township officers of Henrico county resulted in the Conservatives carrying every township except Fairfield, in which the Radicals carried about one-half of their ticket. We give below the names of the successful candidates:

Varina Township.—Supervisor, C. Archer; collector, J. M. Gunn; clerk, R. McKenzie; assessor, T. L. Lyne; commissioner of roads, D. B. Jordan; overseer of poor, George F. Drinker; magistrates, Jacob S. Atlee, M. Fussell, and —— Guy; constables, G. K. Roper, Henry Lyne, and Claiborne Carter. Average Conservative majority, 29.

Brookland Township.—Supervisor, Dr. A. J. Terrill; assessor, P. T. Atkinson; clerk, William B. Rose; collector, Carver King; commissioner of roads, C. G. Paleske; overseer of the poor, John W. Gordon; magistrates, Erasmus Hopkins, W. Y. Mordecai, and Joseph R. Rennie; constables, Thomas R. Sheppard, T. M. Ladd, and S. D. Letellier; overseer of roads, David F. Waldrop. Conservative majority, 37.

Fairfield Township.—Supervisor, Isaac O. Austin; clerk, *G. W. Barker;* assessor, *Henry Meyer;* collector, *L. C. Miller;* commissioner of roads, Henry Thome; overseer of the poor, Henry Voegler; magistrates, J. W. Lewellen, T. W. Hoeninger, and L. S. Courtney; constables, J. D. Vaughan, E. T. Bradley, and W. T. Chadick.

Tuckahoe Township.—Supervisor, Jeremiah T. Jones; clerk, Marcus Reeve; assessor, B. W. Green, Jr.; collector, A. B. Cottrell; overseer of poor, W. R. Polk; commissioner of roads, James Patterson; magistrates, George Chamberlaine, Robert H. Brock, and John E. Jones; constables, Joseph Mann, T. H. Crafton, and Gatewood Talley; overseer of roads, Joseph Kleckner. Average Conservative majority, 20.

LOUISA COURTHOUSE TOWNSHIP ELECTION.

Supervisor.—J. C. Cammack (Con.), 12 majority.

Clerk.—C. J. Daniel (Rad.), 12 majority.

Assessor.—Henry Chiles (Con.), 21 majority.

Collector.—B. McCracken (Rad.), 3 majority.

Commissioner of Roads.—Tie between Blubaugh (Con.) and Waddy (Rad).

Overseer of Poor.—R. Shelton, 19 majority.

Justices.—Baker (Con.), Tribble (Rad), and Harlon (Rad.)

Constables.—Vaughan (Con.), Hitre (Con.), and Ogg (Rad.)

We have done well, considering we have a negro majority here of over one hundred.

Special telegrams to the Dispatch.

Election in Fredericksburg—Triumph of Conservatives.

FREDERICKSBURG, May 27, 1870.

The election in this place yesterday was quiet and orderly. There was no fighting, and very little drinking, the bars being closed. The colored people behaved remarkably well—many of them voted the Conservative ticket. The nominees of the Conservatives were elected. W. R. Mason has 26 majority for mayor; C. W. Wallace, Commonwealth's attorney, 58 majority; and R. S. Chew, clerk of the corporation court, 21 majority.

There has been a little fighting to-day, but nothing serious. Q.

Petersburg Election.

PETERSBURG, May 27, 1870.

Franklin Wood (Radical) elected mayor by 525 majority. The entire Radical municipal ticket was elected by about the same majority. The Conservatives elect sixteen out of twenty-four councilmen.

Conservative Triumph at Gordonsville.

GORDONSVILLE, May 27, 1870.

Our township election held yesterday, resulted in a decided Conservative triumph. The Radicals forced a party issue, and were badly beaten. For this happy result we are greatly indebted to the efforts of N. H. Anderson, a colored Conservative, who was elected township clerk by a large majority.

Conservative Success in Lynchburg.

LYNCHBURG, May 27, 1870.

The entire Conservative municipal ticket was elected by an average majority of 184. Returns from county township precincts are meagre, though indicating slight Radical majorities.

Conservative Success in Danville.

DANVILLE, May 27, 1870.

The election on yesterday passed off quietly, the Conservatives electing their entire ticket by a small majority, as follows: Dr. H. W. Cole, mayor; W. E. Boisseau, sheriff; Berry Green, Commonwealth's attorney; John P. Johnston, treasurer; William Watson, commissioner revenue. P.

Associated Press telegrams.

PETERSBURG.

PETERSBURG, VA., May 27.—Franklin Wood (Radical) is elected mayor here by 525 majority, and the entire Radical municipal ticket is elected by about the same majority. The Conservatives elect 16 out of 24 councilmen.

CHARLOTTESVILLE.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, May 27.—William L. Cochran, mayor, and the entire Conservative ticket has been elected here.

Three townships in the county went Conservative by large majorities; one went Radical, and the other is not heard from but is thought doubtful.

NORFOLK.

NORFOLK, May 27.—The result of the municipal election yesterday cannot be known until all the official returns are counted. The latest report gives thirty Conservative majority. Both sides polled their full strength. The business houses were closed yesterday.

PORTSMOUTH.

PORTSMOUTH, May 27.—Philip Thomas (Radical), mayor, and the entire Radical ticket was elected yesterday by a considerable majority.

FREDERICKSBURG.

FREDERICKSBURG, May 27.—W. Roy Mason, on the citizens' ticket for mayor, was elected. Robert Chew was chosen clerk of the court.

ALEXANDRIA.

ALEXANDRIA, May 27.—Hugh Latham (Conservative), mayor, and the whole Conservative city ticket was elected yesterday.

The majority is 130. The Radicals elect aldermen, councilmen, magistrates, and constables, in the third and fourth wards.

[The Council ticket in the wards mentioned were mixed, so that there will be a Conservative majority in the Council.]

One negro councilman and one negro magistrate are elected.

MARRIED.

On the 25th instant, by Rev. C. W. Petherbridge, Mr. ANDREW J. MAHONE and Miss CATHARINE E. LIVELY; both of this city.

At West Point, on Friday the 13th of May, 1870, by Elder P. P. Duval, Mr. ROBERT C. POLLARD to Miss MIRA ANN CORR, and Mr. S. G. LITTLEPAGE to Miss LAVINIA CORR; all of King William county.

DIED.

On the morning of the 27th instant, after a lingering illness which she bore with pious resignation, OPHELIA ANNIE NORRELL, wife of H. D. Norrell, of Augusta, Ga.

Her funeral will take place from Dr. Burrows' (First Baptist) church on SUNDAY AFTERNOON, the 29th instant, at 4 o'clock P. M. The friends and acquaintances of her mother, Mrs. Ann E. Crowley, and also those of Mr. R. O. Crowley and family, are respectfully invited to attend.

The funeral of Mr. R. E. BRADSHAW, killed by the falling of the Capitol, will take place at the Manchester Baptist church TO-MORROW (Sunday) MORNING at 11 o'clock.

The friends of the family are invited to attend without further notice.

At 1 o'clock A. M., EVELIN, infant daughter of F. and C. Kuper, aged six months.

Her funeral will take place THIS AFTERNOON at 1 o'clock from the residence of her father, on Fourth street.

In Trenton, Gibson county, Tenn., May 15, 1870, Mr. LEWIS S. CARTER, eldest son of the late China Carter, of this city.

On the 26th of May, JAMES F., infant son of James F. and Margaret E. Hankins, aged seven months and six days.

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