

PSALMS. (REVISER.)

Hear this, all ye people, and give ear, all ye inhabitants of the world. Hop Bitters will make you well and to rejoice.

2. It shall cure all the people and put sickness and suffering under foot.

3. Be thou not afraid when your family is sick, or you have Bright's Disease or Liver Complaint, for Hop Bitters will cure you.

4. Both low and high, rich and poor, know the value of Hop Bitters for bilious, nervous, and Rheumatic complaints.

5. Cleanse me with Hop Bitters and I shall have robust and blooming health.

6. Add disease upon disease and let the worst come, I am safe as I use Hop Bitters.

7. For all my life have I been plagued with sickness and sore, and not until a year ago was I cured by Hop Bitters.

8. He that keeps his bones from aching from Rheumatism and Neuralgia, with Hop Bitters, doeth wisely.

9. Though thou hast sores, pimples, freckles, salt rheum, erysipelas, blood-poisoning, yet Hop Bitters will remove them all.

10. What woman is there, feeble and sick from female complaints, who desireth not health and such Hop Bitters and is made well?

11. Let not neglect to use Hop Bitters bring on serious Kidney and Liver complaints.

12. Keep thy tongue from being furred, thy blood pure, and thy stomach from indigestion by using Hop Bitters.

13. All my pains and aches and disease go like chaff before the wind when I use Hop Bitters.

14. Mar the man who was nearly dead and given up by the doctors after using Hop Bitters and becometh well.

15. Cease from worrying about nervousness, general debility, and urinary trouble, for Hop Bitters will restore you.

Richmond Dispatch.

TUESDAY.....JULY 10, 1883.

THE CIRCULATION OF THE DISPATCH IS LARGER THAN THE COMBINED CIRCULATION OF ALL THE OTHER DAILY NEWS-PAPERS OF THE CITY.

(Entered at the Post-office at Richmond, Va., as second-class matter.)

Late Weather Report.

(Special telegram to the Dispatch.) WASHINGTON, D. C., July 10—1 A. M.—For the Middle Atlantic States, slightly warmer, fair weather, winds shifting to west and south, slight rise followed by falling barometer.

For the South Atlantic States, slightly cooler, partly cloudy weather, and local rains, north to west winds, and higher barometer.

The Weather Yesterday was cloudy, rainy, and cool.

Thermometer Yesterday: 6 A. M., 72; 9 A. M., 73; noon, 74; 3 P. M., 74; 6 P. M., 72; midnight, 70.

MEAN TEMPERATURE, 72.

BOTH BRANCHES IN SESSION.

Common Council Call for a Joint Session and Adjourn—Joint Session Elects Mr. Walter R. Bowie School Trustee in the Third District—More Machinery for the Gas-Works—Telephone and Telegraph Talk.

The Common Council met in the Council chamber at 6 o'clock.

The following members answered to their names at roll-call—President J. T. Elyson in the chair; Messrs. Adams, Allen, Archer, Balen, Bowen, Brauer, Campbell, Clarke, Elliott, Gunn, Hargrave, Hayes, Higgins, Hooper, Hughes, Phillips, Randolph, Rose, Stratus, and Turpin.

The President stated that the Council had been called to consider the question of holding a joint session this evening for the purpose of electing a school trustee for the Third district in place of Mr. Henry G. Cannon, recently elected, who declined to serve.

Mr. Higgins then offered the following resolution: Resolved by the Council of the City of Richmond (that the Board of Aldermen concurring), that a joint meeting of the two branches of the City Council be held this day at 7:15 o'clock P. M. to fill a vacancy in the Third school district, Mr. Henry G. Cannon, recently elected to that position, having declined to serve.

The vote being taken, the resolution was declared adopted, and on motion the Common Council adjourned.

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Aldermen was held yesterday evening at 7 o'clock—President L. L. Bass in the chair, and the following members present: Messrs. Cabell, Chaffin, Cole, Crump, Duffield, Gilliam, Glasgow, Pleasants, Powers, Rankin, Taylor, and Williams.

The reading of the minutes was on motion of Mr. Pleasants dispensed with.

SPECIAL COMMUNICATION.

A special resolution from the Common Council asking for a joint session of the Council for the purpose of electing a school trustee in place of Mr. Cannon was read.

On motion of Mr. Glasgow the Board adjourned until 7:20 o'clock, in order to hold joint session at 9:15 o'clock P. M.

JOINT SESSION.

At the time appointed the Clerk read the minutes of the previous joint meeting, the body having been called to order—Mr. President Bass in the chair, and a quorum answering the call, an election of a successor to Mr. Cannon was entered into.

Mr. Glasgow nominated Dr. William H. Scott.

Mr. Elyson seconded the nomination, saying he had no objection to Dr. Scott, and knew he would make a most efficient officer.

Mr. Taylor nominated Mr. Charles L. Todd.

Dr. Cabell nominated Mr. Walter R. Bowie, and in doing so said he was astonished to notice the callous indifference with which the Council viewed the action of the Executive of the State in removing the old trustees. He took occasion to refer to the faithful performance of duty by Mr. Bowie, great events, turned frequently upon the smallest minutiae. The war of the Revolution, the fate of Charles the First, and other historical events, were alluded to prove this. He said Mr. Bowie was not removed for lack of performance of duty, he having been guilty of an oversight. He said the action of the Governor was an attack upon the inalienable right of the Council. He highly eulogized Mr. Bowie, and asked why Mr. Bowie "should be rebuked."

Mr. Turpin said if Mr. Bowie was rebuked he thought he should be elected. He had nothing to say against the court; he had high regard for the highest court of the State. He stood up for Mr. Bowie, and said he was competent and ought to be elected.

Mr. Williams seconded the nomination of Mr. Todd, at the same time paying Mr. Bowie a high compliment. In his heart he believed Mr. Bowie was the man, but Mr. Todd's business qualifications were equal to any man's in the city, and his action in the Council stamped him as the man for the post. Mr. Bowie gracefully declined to accept the nomination, stating he would much prefer to see either of the other gentlemen elected.

Mr. Higgins stated that at the request of Mr. Todd he would ask that his name be withdrawn; and this was done.

Mr. Chaffin asked Mr. Bowie if he would serve if elected.

Mr. Bowie said he preferred to see Mr. Scott elected, but would do his duty if elected.

Councilman Randolph (colored) nominated J. V. Reddy, white member of the mixed new school Board.

Mr. Duffield asked that Reddy's name be withdrawn; but this was refused.

Mr. Higgins, in a sensible speech, sustained Mr. Bowie's nomination.

Dr. Williams nominated Dr. S. P. Moore, citing the fact that at least one physician should be on the Board.

Dr. Moore's name was withdrawn.

The vote resulted in the election of Mr. Bowie, who received 21 votes; Reddy, 4; and Scott, 6.

On motion of Mr. Elliott, the joint session adjourned.

RESEMBLING OF THE BOARD.

Immediately after the adjournment the Board of Aldermen reassembled, and the Clerk read the minutes of the regular meeting of the Board, which were approved.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Clerk called the standing committees, but not present in effect, and were in each case, where any report was made, adopted.

The Committee on Light asked for \$5,000 to put in duplicate machinery in the gas-works, the amount to be taken out of the \$25,000 for remodeling the gas-works.

Mr. Todd said this was a new thing entirely, a subject not thought of when the appropriation for remodeling the works was made. He thought the incentive for asking for the money was that it was considered the appropriation.

Mr. Dickenson disagreed as to this, and thought the new machinery a necessity.

The Chair put the question, and by sound declared it carried.

Mr. Todd excepted to the decision of the Chair, but afterwards withdrew his appeal from the decision of the Chair.

BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY.

The Committee on Streets recommended the allowing the Bell Telephone Company the right to use the police fire-alarm and telegraph-poles for the erection of wires, &c., for the Bell Telephone Company.

The telephone company agreed to keep the fire-alarm and police-telegraph lines in order subject to the approval of the Committee on Streets and the Committee on Fire-Alarm and Police Telegraph.

Mr. Cole offered a counter-proposition from the Southern Telephone Company. This company offered to keep the wires of the city in order, and pay \$150 for the privilege of using the city poles on the fire-alarm and police-telegraph line.

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Mr. Williams opposed recommendation and outside hampering. He said the Southern Telephone Company had nothing to do with telephone privileges.

Mr. Cole advocated the Southern Telephone Company's proposition.

Mr. Williams applied by saying that unless the Bell Telephone Company were given the privilege they would be driven out of the city.

Mr. Cole said the Bell Telephone Company was the Western Union Telegraph Company and Jay Gould, and it was the first time he had heard of a monopoly being driven anywhere. The Southern Telephone Company proposed to do just what the Western Union wanted to do, and pay the city \$150 for the privilege which the committee wanted to give to the Western Union Company, for nothing.

The Board adopted the recommendation of the Street Committee, which was in favor of allowing the Bell Telephone Company the use of the city telegraph line.

JUDGES' SALARY, &c.

The Board, on motion of Mr. Duffield, concurred in the action of the Common Council, which applied for a salary of \$3,000 for the judge of the Chancery Court and the judge of the Hustings Court; also, the action of the Council granting the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac railroad the privilege of running steam-cars on Broad street during two days of the Fair next fall.

BRUSH ELECTRIC LIGHT.

The petition of the Brush Electric Light Company for the privilege of being allowed to come into the city with apparatus, &c., approved by the Common Council, was, on motion of Mr. Dickerson, referred to the Committee on Finance and Light.

RESOLUTIONS, PETITIONS, &c.

By Mr. Pleasants: Resolution to inquire into the expediency of carrying city water into the grounds of the Male Orphan Asylum in Harvietsville.

By Mr. Williams: Resolution providing for the accommodation of all courts in the proposed new City Hall. Resolution decided to be out of order, and no action entertained.

The Board adjourned at a few minutes to 11 o'clock.

Meeting of the School Board—Election of Janitors, &c.

"Mr. Chairman," said Mr. Garnett, at 5 o'clock yesterday evening, addressing the president of the School Board, "I believe everybody is here except Mr. Fisher, who is out of town, and I reckon we had as well go to business."

"What'll you take up first?" said Mr. Huddall.

"Better take up the election of janitor first," replied Mr. Reddy.

"Mr. Chairman," said Mr. Forrester, "I would like to ask if any member, or anybody else, took away an umbrella at the last regular meeting?"

No response was made to the umbrella announcement, the weather yesterday being moist.

The Chair called the meeting to order, and Mr. Hill to the chair, when, on motion of Mr. Reddy, the election of janitors was taken up.

Mr. Smith, the new clerk, read the report of the Committee on Grounds and Buildings, recommending the following janitors: Aaron Forrester, Napoleon Price, Peter Hope, Henry C. Gilliam, Henry C. Bowling, James Robinson, Paul Jefferson, John Allen, John W. White, George Washington, and Emily Bennett—all colored.

On motion of Mr. Reddy, the report was received.

For the High school Aaron Paterson (colored) was elected.

For the Madison school James Levels (colored), the old janitor, was supported by Mr. Reddy.

Mr. Forrester (colored) opposed Levels on the ground of undoing what had been done at the last meeting. Price had been recommended, and the colored people had been talking about the election of this janitor.

Mr. Paul (colored) hoped no change would be made on the recommendation of the committee. The committee had done their best, and he hoped Mr. Reddy would insist. He had reasons which, if Mr. Reddy knew, he thought he should be elected.

Mr. Reddy said he was astonished to find Paul as what he was. Paul had done a great deal that the Superintendent had recommended previously.

"We know more about Levels than you do," said Paul.

Mr. Reddy asked that an efficient and good man be retained, and that the vote be taken on the election of Mr. Levels by a vote of 1, Forrester voting for Price and Paul declining to vote.

For the Elba school Mr. Reddy nominated James J. McCloskey (white). The committee had recommended Peter Hope (colored). Neither were ever janitors before.

Mr. Garnett said Hope was "a mighty nice man."

Mr. Childrey nominated Mr. Robert B. Clements, a one-armed Confederate soldier, severely wounded five times during the war.

Clements received 2 votes; Hope, 5; McCloskey, 1.

For Leigh school Henry C. Gilliam (colored) and Robert B. Clements (white) were nominated.

Paul supported Gilliam in a speech.

Mr. Childrey said he was an old Confederate soldier himself, and he was in favor of "storing up the old relics," and Mr. Clements was one.

Paul said, "Don't come in here and bring in a man on a bear and sweep up the floors. Make these teachers and principals. Don't make the hero of a gun a hero of the slip-tub and broom. This ain't the place to parade heroes of the war, and make them scour floors."

Messrs. Reddy and Childrey voted for Clements, and Gilliam (colored) was elected.

For Central school Henry C. Bolling was elected.

For Bethel school Mr. Gooloby was nominated by Mr. Powers.

"Who is the present incumbent?" asked a member.

"That ought to be a change there," said Mr. Hill.

"Styward is the janitor; that one-legged man," said another man.

Mr. Childrey seconded Mr. Gooloby (white), saying too much could not be said in his behalf.

When the first name of Gooloby was asked for, the reply was, "John, I think." Gooloby was elected.

Bellevue school had James Robinson (colored) elected.

For Springs school, Paul Jefferson (colored) and Maurice Holson (white) were nominated. Mr. Childrey voted for the white man; the rest of the Board for the colored man.

For Colored Normal school, John Allen (colored), present incumbent, was unanimously elected.

For Baker school, John W. White (colored), recommended by all the colored preachers, was unanimously elected.

For Navy Hill school, George Washington (colored) was elected.

For Valley school Paul nominated Wallace Holmes (colored).

Mr. Garnett thought the present incumbent (White) stayed away too much, and spoke in favor of Wallace Holmes.

Mr. Childrey nominated William C. Slatner.

"Is he a colored man," said Mr. Garnett. "Oh, yes," was the feeling response.

For East End school, Emily Bennett (colored), present incumbent, was retained.

Mr. Huddall moved that the term of service of the janitors be put on a year.

Mr. Reddy offered as a substitute that the term be five years.

Mr. Huddall withdrew his motion.

Paul moved that the time be put on good behavior; and this was agreed to.

The new janitors go to work on the 10th of July.

Afterwards an attempt was made to arrest the janitors, but the Doctor declined a change in procedure, and the old books will be used.

CONNERS' "NOT GUILTY."

Miss Stratton upon Mature Thought Unable to Identify Him; So He Is Acquitted.

Some months ago the residence of Mr. T. William Pemberton on west Grace street was entered in the night-time and robbed. A diamond ring and about \$50 in money were taken from Mr. Pemberton's clothes.

The thief, after going through the sleeping apartments on the second floor, made his way to the third floor and into the room of Miss Stratton, the housekeeper. She was awake or awakened, and as the moonlight was coming in at the windows saw the man, and finally in the great fright fled from the room.

On the steps down she was overtaken by the burglar, who thrust his elbow over her mouth and hissed into her ear that if she didn't stop screaming he would kill her.

Before Mr. Pemberton could open his door and see who was gone.

THE ARREST—IDENTITY.

The fact that Billy Connors, a professional burglar of extended reputation, was here about that time, and the description of the burglar given by Miss Stratton, led the police to seek for him and lay the crime at his door. He was arrested in Baltimore, and brought to Richmond under requisition. He never confessed anything except that he was in Richmond at that date. At the Third station-house, where Miss Stratton first confronted him, she said that she thought it was the man, but she was not certain. At the Police Court, on his examination, she identified him quite positively, and having been duly indicted, yesterday was the day set for the trial of accused. Connors came into court with his sister, who has been devoted in her attentions to him. He was dressed in a white suit, his linen was faultless, and he wore a white neck-tie. His dark-brown hair was well oiled and combed. While sitting there receiving the gaze of the spectators the prisoner was nervous, and for something better to do with his hands, he kept fidgeting restlessly. He is a short, rather thick-set fellow of thirty-five, and has the look of a dissipated man.

CONNERS IN COURT.

Hon. George D. Wise appeared as his counsel, and after a little talk with Mr. Witt took his seat beside the prisoner, and whispered something in the prisoner's ear which made the clerk pass for his face and lightened up the features of the sister too.

It was only a word or two, but that it was good news any one could see.

Upon the reading of the indictment by Mr. Clerk Lawson the prisoner pleaded "guilty."

Mr. Wise said that he would take as the jury the twelve men then sitting in the box; but the Sergeant called up seventeen. One said, in answer to Judge Atkins's inquiries, Aaron Forrester, Napoleon Price, Peter Hope, Henry C. Gilliam, Henry C. Bowling, James Robinson, Paul Jefferson, John Allen, John W. White, George Washington, and Emily Bennett—all colored.

Mr. Witt advised the jury to bring in a verdict of "not guilty," and he followed.

Mr. Witt said that Miss Stratton desired him to state that when under examination at the Police Court she was laboring under great excitement and didn't fully appreciate what she said. After reading and thinking over it, and considering how solemn a matter it was, and the fact, too, that she saw the burglar only by moonlight, she was afraid now to say that she could swear to him. She had sent for him this (yesterday) morning and informed him [Mr. Witt] of the conclusion which she had reached.

Mr. Witt remarked that he had every confidence in Miss Stratton and could well understand her position.

The usual proclamation was made, and Sergeant Lee concluded: "Connors, you are discharged."

The prisoner made a graceful bow, said "I thank you," and along with his sister promptly left the courtroom, and at the Capitol-street door took a carriage and drove off.

Democratic Delegation of Henrico.

At a meeting of the Democratic voters of Henrico county held at the court-house yesterday for the purpose of electing delegates to the Lynchburg Convention to be held on July 25th the following delegates were elected to represent said county in said Convention:

For Tuckahoe Magisterial District: A. B. Cottrell; Alternate: W. S. Leake.

Brookland District: Conway R. Sands; Alternate: F. B. Tinsley.

For Varina District: W. B. Frayser; Alternate: J. W. Blankenship.

For Fairfield District: Thomas P. Larus; Alternate: Myer Angle.

Delegates at Large, Judge E. C. Minor and Professor Edmund Harrison; Alternates at Large, T. A. Wickham and Simon Solomon.

Judge Minor was the chairman and William C. Moncure the secretary of the meeting.

On motion of Mr. T. A. Wickham it was Resolved, If any of the delegates or alternates elected by this meeting shall fail to attend the Lynchburg Convention, that such delegates or alternates who do attend be authorized to vote to which the county is entitled on all questions brought before said Convention.

Robert Roberson (colored) was fined \$2 in the Mayor's Court of Manchester yesterday for shooting a pistol in the public streets.

SUICIDE OF A STRANGER.

An Old Gunner Talks over the Last Days of the Confederacy, and then Gives Up the Ghost.

A stranger of respectable appearance, aged about fifty years, died at the residence of Dr. J. F. Carter yesterday morning of morphia administered by himself, and left intent to commit suicide, it is believed.

Dr. Carter lives on the Scuffletown road—a road which runs a short distance from the corporate limits between the Grove road and Broad-Street road—and about sundown Sunday a stranger stopped at his gate and asked for a drink of water and a piece of bread. The man was five feet nine inches high; was about fifty years of age; wore a good black felt hat and a well-worn suit of black diagonal goods. He was blind in the left eye. His right eye was unimpaired. His hair was black and about two or three inches long, and inclined to curl. His goatee and moustache were both white, and the latter was nicely trimmed.

Dr. Carter took the man under a shed near his office and gave him a seat, and he ate and drank heartily. He said that he had been having chills; that a physician had prescribed morphia pills for him; but that the directions were to take three at a time and he had taken six at a time; that he had been up the road all day asleep under a tree, and had eaten nothing except a few blackberries which he had gathered, and which he complained had set his teeth on edge.

His conversation was that of a man of fair education. Seemingly to be very unwell, Dr. Carter invited him to stay to supper and to spend the night; both of which invitations he gladly accepted.

"MY NAME IS THOMAS."

In order to introduce the stranger to his wife Dr. Carter asked him his name. He said "My name is Thomas." The Doctor thereupon called him Mr. Thomas. The Doctor having inquired where he was from, he said: "From Virginia; I am a Virginian."

From his conversation it seemed that he had spent a good portion of his life near Portsmouth, and the Pink Ostrich tips at 20c, each—largains at 35c. Ask for them.

Gun No. 10 is loaded with Ladies' Undergarments and Children's Dresses and Infants' Caps, Bridal and other outfits made to order.

Gun No. 11 challenges all competitors in Hamburg, Swiss, and Nainsook Embroideries, Laces, Hosery, Gloves, Corsets, Knitting, Crochet, Lisses, Collar, Handkerchiefs.

Gun No. 12 completes the armies with Buttons, Combs, Jewelry, Fans, and a full assortment of articles belonging to Fancy Goods. Feathers Dyed, Cleaned and Curled equal to new.

KAUFMANN & CO., 412 and 414 Broad street, between Fourth and Fifth, Richmond, Va.

Important to Richmond Grocers.

The Retail Grocers are requested to assemble at the Chamber of Commerce (Commercial-Club building) Wednesday evening next, July 11th, at 6 o'clock sharp. The object of this meeting is for the formation of a "Retail Grocers' Association," whose mission will be—

1. To elevate the standard of the grocery business.

2. To suppress and prevent the sale of adulterated food products.

3. To regulate the question of short weights, false fares, &c.

4. To prevent wholesale merchants selling direct to consumers.

5. To encourage and maintain social relations among retail grocers, etc., etc.

Every retail grocer is cordially invited to attend.

Zeus! Zeus!

Zeus is the name of a delicious green tea sold at \$1 a pound only by Joseph M. Blair, grocer, 303 Main street (Face Block).

Well-Known Facts.

W. D. Blair & Co., 1109 east Main street, sell the most reliable goods in their line—viz., pure Liquors, Cigars, and fine Groceries.

WHO IS MRS. WINSLOW?

As this question is frequently asked, we will simply say that she is a lady who for upwards of thirty years has been engaged in the practice of medicine as a female physician and nurse, principally among children. She has especially studied the constitution and wants of this numerous class, and as a result of this effort, and practical knowledge, obtained in a lifetime spent as a nurse and physician, she has compounded a Soothing Syrup for children teething. It operates like magic—giving rest and health—and is, moreover, sure to regulate the bowels. In consequence of this article Mrs. Winslow is becoming widely-known as a benefactor of her race; children certainly do not cry and bleed; especially in this case in this city. Very quantities of the Soothing Syrup are daily sold and used here in this city. Mrs. Winslow has immortalized her name by this invaluable article, and she sincerely believes thousands of children have been saved from an early grave by its timely use, and that millions yet unborn will share its benefits, and unite in calling her blessed. No mother has discharged her duty to her suffering little one, in our opinion, until she has given it the benefit of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. Try it, mothers—TRY IT NOW—Ladies' Favorite. New York city, sold by all druggists, 25 cents a bottle. jy 10-6011w

AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

E. B. COOK, executor's sale, at 1718 east Main street, of household furniture at 10 A. M.

E. B. COOK, 10 A. M., groceries, Furniture, &c. E. B. COOK, 10 A. M., continued sale of china, crockery, &c.

SUTTON & CO., lots on west Leigh street, between Kenney and Bove streets, at 11 o'clock P. M.

RICHMOND, VA., July 9, 1883.