

Alexandria Gazette

WEDNESDAY EVENING, JULY 11.

LOCAL MATTERS

Persons leaving the city can have the GAZETTE mailed to any address, postage prepaid, for any length of time, at the rate of fifty cents per month.

For this district slightly warmer, fair weather, preceded on the coast by local rains, westerly winds.

THE PRABODY NORMAL INSTITUTE.—The Institute met at 9 o'clock this morning with quite an increased attendance, many teachers from abroad, kept back by high water yesterday.

THE ALEXANDRIA AND CHARLESTON RAILROAD.—As stated in the GAZETTE, a meeting of the directors of the Alexandria and Charleston Railroad Co. was held in Washington yesterday.

DEATHS.—Mrs. Adeline Clarke, wife of Mr. John Clarke, who for a number of years was the mail agent on the Midland railroad, died at her home in Washington yesterday.

POLICE REPORT.—Last night was mild and clear with three prisoners and one lodger at the station house.

MEDICAL SOCIETY.—A meeting of the Alexandria Medical Society was held last night at the office of Dr. Gibson.

PRESENCE.—The Rev. Thomas J. Packard, of Coombe, Prince George's county, has accepted the call to Christ Church, West River, Anne Arundel county, Md.

ANOTHER CHARTER.—Judge Stuart, of the Corporation Court, today granted a charter of incorporation to the Gray Automatic Steam Governor Company.

CORPORATION COURT.—Judge Charles E. Stuart presiding—Millie Jackson vs. Kitty Smith et al; final decree.

SUDDEN DEATH.—Mr. Joel Garnett, a prominent citizen of Madison county, died suddenly on Saturday last at Crooked Run Church, in Culpeper county.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

A called meeting of the Columbia S. F. E. company will be held to-night.

Mr. John Powell is extremely ill at his home on upper Cameron street.

An attempt was made last night to rob the hen house of Charles Zimmerman, on Royal street near Prince.

The condition of Mr. Jefferson Phillips, who was shot on Saturday evening last, was considered more favorable to-day.

The remains of Mrs. Willoughby Newton, whose sudden death occurred yesterday, were taken to Markham this evening for interment.

A letter was received here to-day stating that Mr. Wm. Vernon, formerly of this city, accidentally shot himself at Carthage, Mo., a few days ago and died from the wound.

The funeral of Mr. Wm. Cogan took place yesterday evening from his late home on Royal street, and was attended by many old citizens and a large number of other friends of the deceased.

It is intimated that the Richmond and Danville and Coast Line combination will run a line of steamers from Norfolk to Baltimore in opposition to the present Bay Line, and to New York in opposition to the Old Dominion Line.

The republican league club met for the second time last night, and hearing the reports of committees, adopted a resolution recommending the organization of clubs in the various wards to co-operate with the club in the work of the campaign.

An Elegant Substitute For oils, salts, pills, and all kinds of bitter, nauseous medicines, is the very agreeable liquid fruit remedy, Syrup of Figs.

LAWN PARTY.—A Lawn Party and Tableau will be given on Saturday next at "Spring Bank," the residence of Mr. Mr. J. J. Downey, in Fairfax county, below this city, for the benefit of Groveton Mission.

Perhaps no local disease has puzzled and baffled the medical profession more than nasal catarrh. While not immediately fatal it is among the most distressing, nauseous and disgusting of the flesh is heir to, and the records show very few or no cases of radical cure of chronic catarrh by any of the multitude of modes of treatment until the introduction of Ely's Cream Balm a few years ago.

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EXCURSIONS.

THIRD MOONLIGHT EXCURSION OF THE Alexandria Musical Association TO RIVER VIEW.

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River View for 1888 ALEXANDRIANS' MOST POPULAR RESORT.

LOST AND FOUND. CAME TO MY FARM, June 29th, a BULL, which the owner can have by proving property and paying charges.

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PRIME CHEESE received to-day by J. C. MILBURN.

OFFICIAL.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen held July 10, 1888, there were present: Wm. H. Marbury, esq., President, and Messrs. Agnew, Burke, Lambdin, Bryant, Leadbeater and McKenzie.

The Committee on Light called from the table their report on the proposition of W. Channing Nevins to place the apparatus of the American Gas Light and Heat Company in the City Gas Works, and the report was adopted.

The Committee on Streets reported back without recommendation the application of the Mount Vernon Railroad Company for permission to lay a track on Henry street from its intersection with the north side of Duke street to the northern boundary line of the city, and the application was referred to a select committee of two from each board, and Messrs. Burke and Leadbeater appointed on same.

The Committee on Streets reported adversely on the petition of C. L. Arnell for payment for dumping dirt on Wilkes street, also favorably on the petition of C. M. Griffin for permission to erect a frame house, also favorably on the petition of Fields Cook for permission to erect a frame kitchen, which reports were adopted.

An ordinance for the preservation of the health of the city was introduced by the Committee on General Laws, read the third time and passed by the following yeas, Ayes, Messrs. Agnew, Burke, Lambdin, Bryant, Leadbeater, McKenzie and Mr. President—7. Nays, none.

An ordinance to permit and authorize the Washington Steamboat Company, limited, to erect suitable buildings for the purposes of its business in its dock at the foot of King street, was referred to the Committee on Streets.

A committee appointed at a meeting of citizens held June 29, 1888, enclosing a numerously signed petition asking that the sum of \$500 be appropriated for repairs to the steamer Virginia was presented, and a resolution appropriating the sum of \$500 for said purpose was lost.

A resolution authorizing the Auditor to deliver to the Collectors of Taxes certain paving bills, &c.; also a report of the Committee on Finance on the petition of Virginia Lancaster; also a report of the same committee on the petition of A. W. Armstrong, commissioner, were received from the Common Council and their action concurred in.

An ordinance to provide for the paving and grading of Patrick street, &c., was read and laid over until next meeting.

A resolution of inquiry in regard to the fate of a resolution in regard to the issuance of \$100,000 of the city's bonds was received from the Common Council and the answer returned that the same was laid on the table by this board.

A resolution ordering the Alexandria and Fredericksburg Railway Company to so arrange their tracks on Fayette street as to conform to the grade of that street was adopted.

A resolution of adjournment to July 24th was received from the Common Council and their action concurred in.

The Board then adjourned. JNO. J. JAMIESON, Clerk.

COMMON COUNCIL.

At a regular meeting of the Common Council of the city of Alexandria held on the 10th day of July, 1888, there were present: John T. Sweeney, esq., President, and Messrs. Wm. S. Moore, Aitcheson, Snowden, C. N. Moore, Fisher, Gronan, Whiting, Hincken, Wadley, Strider, Bayne, Germond, Corbett and Kelly.

The report of the Committee on Streets upon the petition of sundry citizens to have paved the three squares on Patrick street between King and Princess streets was called up, and the action of the Board of Aldermen of June 12, 1888, concurred in.

The reports of the Committee on Finance upon the petition of A. W. Armstrong, commissioner of sale in House vs. Hood et als for an abatement of taxes on real property, recommending settlement upon the payment of \$10, and upon the petition of Virginia Lancaster for a like abatement, recommending settlement upon the payment of \$130 in thirty days, were adopted.

A resolution was adopted inquiring of the Board of Aldermen what disposition had been made of the resolution heretofore adopted by this board providing for the issue of one hundred thousand dollars for the repair of the Gas Works and improvement of streets.

It was ordered that the Auditor deliver to the Collector of Taxes as provided for in section No. 21 of the amended charter such tax bills, paving bills, ground rent bills, &c., as may be collectable, charging said collectors with such bills.

Mr. Fisher moved to reconsider the vote by which the resolution to purchase two new gas holders was declared lost. The chair ruled that Mr. Fisher could not make the motion, he not voting in the negative. Mr. Fisher appealed from this decision, which appeal the chair denied.

Mr. Corbett then moved that the paper be taken up from the table, which motion was ruled out of order. Mr. Corbett appealed from the decision of the chair, which appeal was denied. Whereupon Mr. Snowden moved to take up the resolution for the purchase of two gas holds, which motion was ruled out of order. Mr. Snowden appealed, which appeal the chair denied; after which Mr. Whiting moved a reconsideration, which was adopted, and thereupon the action of the Board of Aldermen was concurred in.

The following were received from the Board of Aldermen and their action thereon concurred in, viz: The report of the Committee on Light recommending the acceptance of the proposition of Wm. Channing Nevins for the placing in of a plant to manufacture gas by his process; resolution regarding the Alexandria and Fredericksburg Railway Company to bring their track on Fayette street down to the grade required by the laws of this city; the petition of John W. Green for an ordinance of assessments on real property; "an ordinance to permit and authorize the Washington Steamboat Company (limited), to erect suitable buildings, &c.," adverse report of the Committee on Streets upon the petition of C. L. Arnell; the favorable report of the Committee on Streets upon the petitions of Fields Cook and Charles M. Griffin, and a resolution to allow the Mount Vernon Railroad Company to occupy Henry street with its tracks, and Messrs. Bayne and Smoot appointed a special committee upon the said resolutions.

A resolution was adopted that when the City Council adjourns it be until July 24th, 1888. "An ordinance for the preservation of the health of the city" was received from the Board of Aldermen and laid on the table.

The Board then adjourned. JAMES R. CATON, Clerk.

MEDICINAL.

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LAWN MOWERS.—The best Mower in the market is the NEW EASY, but we have two kinds this year, and for a low price Mower can recommend "THE ROYAL." Both are cheaper this season, and those who are in want of one will call and see.

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