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## MR. FISHER RE-ELECTED WILL TAKE TESTIMONY LITTLE BOY IS KILLED

Present Incumbent of Mayor's Office Receives 59 Majority Over James M. Duncan

After a day's contest at the polls, the like of which Alexandria has not seen for many years, Mayor Thomas A. Fisher, was renominated yesterday for mayor by the narrow margin of 59 votes. The campaign which had been simmering for the three months since the candidates announced themselves grew in enthusiasm within a few hours preceding the election and the greatest activity on the part of the candidates and their friends marked the waning moments of the campaign. Not until the votes were counted was there any indication of how the town had gone, a large vest pocket vote having been cast.

Mayor Fisher carried two wards, the second and the fourth, the first ward was a tie and the third went for Duncan, by majority of 8. The vote in the wards was as follows: First, Fisher 164, Duncan 164; Second, Fisher 203, Duncan 156; Third, Fisher 199, Duncan 207; Fourth Fisher 203, Duncan 183. Total, Fisher 769, Duncan 710.

Owing to being defective a number of votes were thrown out and the total vote was in excess of 1,500 which is a very heavy vote for a Democratic primary, the total registration of the city being less than 1,800.

The greatest excitement prevailed throughout the city as the vote was being canvassed. The polls closed at 6:25 and it was nearly 8 o'clock when the first returns were received from the fourth ward, giving Fisher a majority of 20 votes. A half hour later the third ward reported that Duncan's majority was 8 cutting Fisher's lead down to 12. The interest grew when the judges of the first ward announced that the vote was a tie, each candidate receiving 164 votes. This still left Fisher a lead of 12 which was increased to 59 when the second ward was heard from.

The primary is equivalent to an election and Mayor Fisher will have no opposition in the general election which will be held on June 13th. His new term, which begins September 1st, is for four years.

In the second ward in a race for councilmanic honors in which Henry K. Field, R. D. Brumback, and Jerome Kaufman, were the contestants the first two were winners, the vote being as follows: Field, 212; Brumback, 189; Kaufman, 157. Mr. Brumback now represents the second ward in council and Mr. Field, who is president of the board of aldermen has recently moved into the second ward.

Members of council chosen in the three wards without opposition were as follows: Board of aldermen, First ward, F. F. Marbury; Second, W. W. Ballenger; Third, J. T. Harrison; Fourth, J. B. Fitzgerald; Common council, First, H. W. Smith, and Taylor Burke; Third, A. J. Pohl and H. R. Burke; Fourth, Albert Bryan and Clinton S. Ballenger.

The commissioners of election will meet tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock at the office of the clerk of the corporation court and canvass the ballots.

### DEATH NOTICE.

DIED—Suddenly Tuesday, April 5th, 1916, FRANCIS TRUX, the eight year old son of Mrs. Bessie M. Trux. Funeral at 4 o'clock tomorrow (Thursday) from 115 south St. Asaph Street.

### HEARING TOMORROW

Three justices of Fairfax county, Magistrates, John H. Broders, Frank Troth and Arthur Kirby, are to conduct a hearing at the Rammel Hotel tomorrow in the cases of Miss Siddons and Herbert H. Connor, both of Franconia, who have charged each other with assault.

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### Special Investigator of Corporation Commission to Hear Water Consumers of Alexandria

Charles M. Broun, a special investigator of the State Corporation Commission, will arrive here tomorrow and commence the taking of testimony in the hearing of the water consumers of Alexandria city and county against the Alexandria Water Co. for the purpose of securing lower rates and a larger and better water supply. The hearings will be held in the Corporation court room commencing at ten o'clock tomorrow morning. The attorneys for the Water Company will be Col. Francis L. Smith and Gardner L. Boothe and Howard W. Smith and Walter U. Varney for the consumers.

### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria—Happenings in Society.

Rev. L. M. Ferguson, has been reappointed by the Baltimore Conference of the M. E. Church to Trinity Church in Alexandria.

P. F. Gorman City Tax Collector, who has been seriously ill for the past two months is able to be out.

Mrs. Robert H. Bartlett who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hoy, on Prince street will leave for her home in Maryland Friday.

### LATE CAPTAIN KNOX

Funeral Services Held in St Paul's Church This Morning.

Funeral services for Captain Robert F. Knox, Confederate soldier and old resident of Alexandria, were held this morning from St. Paul's Episcopal Church. The Rev. P. P. Phillips, D. D., rector of the church, and the Rev. S. A. Wallis, D. D., of the Theological Seminary, conducted the services which were attended by a large congregation. Members of R. E. Lee Camp of Confederate Veterans and of Alexandria Washington Lodge, No. 22, A. F. and A. M. attended. The pall-bearers were as follows:

Honorary—J. R. Zimmerman, Col. Francis L. Smith, Laurence Stabler, George Gray, of Washington, Dr. G. C. Klipstein, Edward L. Daingerfield, W. B. Smoot, G. W. Ramsay, W. A. Beck, of Washington, Urban S. Lambert and Arthur Herbert.

Active—Douglas Stuart, J. K. M. Norton, B. B. Smith, George Washington Lewis, George E. Warfield, E. J. Dunn, Dr. W. M. Smith and Gardner L. Boothe. Services at the grave were conducted under the auspices of Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons.

### RESOLUTIONS

WHEREAS it has pleased All Mighty God, in his infinite wisdom, to take from us, within the brief space of only a few days, two of our most dependable and faithful members, Julian T. Burke and Capt. Robert F. Knox, who had been continuously on the Vestry for many years, the latter for a half century and at the time of his death Junior Warden; and

WHEREAS, both of our beloved brethren were always deeply and affectionately attached to St. Paul's Church, and gladly responded to all of the Church's calls upon them; and

WHEREAS, the Vestry feel a more than usual sadness at their great loss:

Be it, therefore, Resolved:

1. That there be spread upon our minutes the above preamble and these resolutions, though most feebly expressing our grief and pain at the departure of our two dear friends.

2. That St. Paul's Church, its Vestry, and congregation have lost two of their most loyal and faithful members and friends.

3. That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the families of our deceased brothers, and published in the Alexandria Gazette and Southern Churchman:

G. Washington Lewis, Registrar.

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### LITTLE BOY IS KILLED

Francis Trux, Eight Years Old, Falls In Front of Approaching Automobile

A coroners jury met this afternoon at 2 o'clock at Demaine's undertaking establishment for the purpose of inquiring into the death of Francis Trux, who was killed by an automobile yesterday afternoon at five o'clock on King street between Alfred and Columbus streets. The jury is composed of G. N. Cradlin, A. S. Doniphan, J. Fred Birrell, Philip Heishley, Lorenzo Wolford and C. A. Strauss. City Coroner T. M. Jones is conducting the inquiry. The jury viewed the body last night and adjourned over until today.

The little Trux boy, who is 8 years old and a son of Mrs. Bessie M. Trux and lived with his mother at 115 S. St. Asaph street, was run over by the automobile of H. P. Wilson, of Hollin Hall, Fairfax county, which was driven by Harry Shirley. The boy was placed in the machine and a record run made for the Alexandria Hospital, but the child was dead when that institution was reached. His skull had been crushed.

Shirley went to headquarters and gave himself up and is being held pending the result of the coroner's inquest. According to his story the machine was being operated at a moderate speed when the boy ran in front of the car and slipped.

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### TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE MASSACHUSETTS BREWERIES COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the By-Laws of the Company the Annual Meeting of the stockholders of the Massachusetts Breweries Company will be held at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, on Monday, the 24th day of April, 1916, at the principal office of the Company, No. 111 south Fairfax street, in Alexandria, Virginia.

1st. To elect a board of nine directors of the company.

2nd. To transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

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