

FELL IN A PAN OF HOT WATER.

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OTHER NEWS FROM OUR SISTER CITY.

The Funeral of Mr. Thomas Pond—Electric Cars Running—Judge Ingram's Return—Personal Points of Interest.

MANCHESTER BUREAU (RICHMOND TIMES.)

There was a good deal of talk on the streets yesterday about the pleasures of the Odd-Fellows picnic at Forest Hill Park Tuesday, an account of which appeared in these columns.

The Chief Executive of this city was this evening enjoying the pleasure of a fragrant Havana while lazily lounging against a mammoth forest oak, under the cool shades of which quite a little party had congregated, when his attention was attracted to a game of marbles.

The participating parties in this little game were the Manchester Cowboy Club and a small boy of some ten summers. The Chief Executive caught the Cowboy Chief cheating, and actually cheating the small boy. When charged with the offense the marbles were returned and the game broken up, much to the chagrin of the Cowboy Chief, who arrests were made as it was out of the jurisdiction of the Chief Executive, but it is certain the Cowboy Club will play no more marbles shortly, certainly not in the presence of any one who attended the picnic as the bold affront upon childhood justice was not to be forgotten.

Mr. Geo. Paul, chief clerk to Mr. William Simpkin, general manager of the Richmond Ice Machine Company, met with a painful wound yesterday morning at the Manchester Ice Company's plant. Mr. Paul was walking down the platform under which is the steam-water tank, for releasing the ice from the pens, when one of the coverings broke through precipitating him into the warm water. Besides receiving a hot scald on his head and bruised one of his legs quite badly, making a very painful though not dangerous wound.

The funeral of Mr. Pond, whose sudden and sad death occurred Tuesday, an account of which appeared in these columns yesterday, took place yesterday afternoon from the Christian church, of which the deceased was a devoted and faithful member. The Rev. Manly served out in a body and escorted the remains to Maury cemetery, where the interment took place. A large number of friends attended the funeral, thus showing the last tribute of respect to a well-known citizen.

Mr. Andrew Franke, who has been dangerously ill, is convalescing. Connellman C. C. Thon has returned from Ocean View and is at home.

Miss Virginia Brock passed through the city yesterday en route to the mountains. Miss Bertie West, of east Clay street, is in King William county visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob S. Allen left the city yesterday for an extended trip North. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Taylor and children, of Buffalo, N. Y., are visiting at 1804 west Broad.

Miss Edythe Beveridge, of Richmond, is among the visitors at the Salt Sulphur Springs, Va. Misses Bessie and Lena Green, of 109 south Third street, are visiting friends in Halifax county.

Mr. W. H. Barnes, of Gayton, Va., has returned to his home after spending a short time in this city.

Mrs. Emma Graham, of Camden, N. J., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Nunnally, 416 north Seventh street.

Messrs. C. H. and Ed. L. Greeset have left on a visit to Niagara Falls and Canada via Norfolk and New York.

The following marriage license was issued yesterday: Arthur McCauley and Odella Johnson, of Richmond.

Mrs. John G. Andrews and children left last evening for relatives in Petersburg, Prince George and Norfolk.

Mr. Thomas Fleming will leave for Washington Sunday night. Mr. Thomas Cowan will accompany him on this trip.

Mr. J. T. Vaughan, of this city, who represents Cosack & Co., of Buffalo, N. Y., left yesterday for New York on business.

A large load of hay being hauled down Main street was overturned at about 6 o'clock. The hay, which was piled about 100 feet high, fell down the street, and the driver, Mr. Kerr and wife and Mrs. M. T. Smith, child and nurse are at Saratoga. Dr. Hogs will be in Saratoga later in the month.

Freston Cooke Esq., of the firm of Meredith & Cooke, attorneys, has gone to Nimrod Hall Bath county, for a vacation of several weeks.

Mr. Theo. Farmer, of Weldon, N. C., who is a brother of Mr. F. M. Parker, Jr., cashier of the Times Company, is in the city on a brief visit.

Preparations are being made for the curbing of the south side of Albemarle street from Pine to Bevisiders. A nice sidewalk will soon follow.

Richmond and Manchester are both well represented in the National Convention of the Gallivan Fishermen, now in session at Hampton.

Mr. H. W. Thon and Joseph Cottrell have returned home after a pleasant visit to friends and relations in Baltimore and Tolchester Beach, Md.

Mrs. C. C. Thon, Tina Rudolph and Johnnie Thon will leave in a few days for Perry Hall, Md., where they will spend the month of August.

Mayor Ellyson left the city yesterday to attend the Middle District Baptist Association now in session at Red Lane church in Powhatan county.

Mrs. J. F. Ganner, of No. 249 east Marshall street, will spend some days with her friend, Mrs. Homer K. Veas, of Middleburg, Chesterfield county.

The excessive warm weather of the past few days has caused the outgoing trains to be delayed with parties seeking mountain and seashore.

A lawn party will be given by the Union Station M. E. church on the grounds between Twenty-sixth and Venable streets. The party will continue all the week.

This week's Religious Herald has appeared in a large eight-page form and is exceedingly well gotten up. It is the special education edition and shows much enterprise.

A class of eighteen candidates were examined Tuesday by the local civil service board at the Hotel Raleigh. This is the last examination until the first week in October.

Mr. N. Bowditch Clapp leaves in a few days to spend his vacation in Boston. During his absence Mr. Aubrey Young will act as organist at the First Presbyterian church.

Mr. Charles Q. Burbank, of steamer No. 3, Richmond Fire Department, and Mr. Stubbs, of the Fire Alarm Telegraph, left the city yesterday for a brief visit to Norfolk.

The Richmond Base-Ball Club will play the Warrentons of North Carolina, this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at Island Park. The Warrentons are one of the crack Carolina clubs.

The following are among the Richmonders at the White Messrs. Conway Sands, Hill Montague, A. W. Patterson, James Lewis Anderson, Beverly B. Munford and F. H. McGuire.

A house on Canal, between Fourth and Fifth streets, caught fire yesterday morning about 8 o'clock. It was put out by trappers from the Third-street engine-house without an alarm.

The Chesterfield and Henrico counties do not take vacation this month. The August term of each begins Monday, August 10th. There is no hustings court in Manchester this month.

At a meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners held on Tuesday evening the contract for furnishing the department with coal during the ensuing year was awarded to Mr. Charles H. Page.

Mrs. Mary S. Harrison, of Washington city, widow of the late Lieutenant L. M. Harrison, Fifth Artillery, United States Army, and sister of Mr. Henry W. Stimpson, of this city, sailed a few days since for Europe.

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THE OLDEST MEMBER. Mr. Exall was the oldest male member of the Second Baptist church, and was ever active in its religious duties. He was a devoted Christian—one who showed by his acts his righteous living, and in his death the Baptist Church of Richmond lost a most invaluable member. Courteous with the bearing of an old Virginia gentleman, kindly with those whom he employed, cultured and refined, with an erudition that went out far beyond the limits of his professional knowledge, an entertaining conversationalist, he was loved by his friends, and respected by all with whom he came in contact.

Mr. Exall had in Richmond many monuments to his skill for that he can be truthfully said that for a long time he was the foremost architect of Richmond. He planned innumerable private residences, many of which are yet regarded as splendid pieces of business establishments which he planned and built. The deceased, for an instance, built the American Hotel, the row of houses on Marshall street, one of which was the residence of the late George W. L. Exall, and several other excellent pieces of architectural work which denote his skill and versatility.

MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL. It was stated last evening that Mr. Exall was at one time a member of the City Council, but this fact could not be substantiated, although several old residents believed that such was the case.

The time of the funeral has not as yet been decided upon.

The deceased leaves four children, Mr. A. Duval Exall, who is a city engineer at Glasgow, Va.; Mr. H. Exall, a civil engineer at Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company at Baltimore, and Mrs. K. S. Winn and Miss Sara B. Exall, of this city.

BOOKSELLERS' ASSOCIATION. A Very Interesting Meeting Was Held Yesterday in Richmond.

The Virginia Booksellers' Association held a business meeting at the bookstore of H. M. Starke & Co., 999 east Main street, in this city, at 5 P. M. yesterday. Several booksellers from other cities in the State were present and business of importance was transacted.

A committee sent to New York two weeks ago to confer with the book publishers of that city who have contracts with the State school board to arrange for paper and more liberal terms reported through the executive committee of the Association. They were cordially received by every publisher visited, and concessions were granted in every case.

The Association adopted also a retail price list of school books other than those contracted for by the State Board that will give these books to consumers at slightly reduced rates from former prices. The report of the committee will be sent to the members of the board throughout the State.

The Virginia Booksellers' Association was organized last August, but did not accomplish much until the annual meeting held in Norfolk in July, at which nearly all the booksellers in the State were represented. The organization was then greatly strengthened, and the booksellers of Virginia now feel that they are no longer so isolated as they were formerly at the mercy of Northern publishers before the organization they are now in a position to dictate, and the good already accomplished gives them cause for satisfaction.

Dr. J. B. Newton. Rev. Dr. J. B. Newton, the rector of Monumental church, on Monday last returned from Westmoreland county, where he had been spending the past week. On Sunday Dr. Newton preached in one of the oldest Colonial churches, where George Washington and some of the old members of the Lee family are said to have worshipped.

Dr. Newton and family will leave this morning for Allegheny Springs, where they will stay until the end of the month. During Dr. Newton's absence Monumental church will be looked after by Dr. Hartley Carmichael, rector of St. Paul's church.

Presented With a Medal. Mr. E. Eugene Davis, after having been financial secretary of the Central Beneficial and Social Circle for over ten years, has been obliged for various reasons to resign his office. At the last meeting of the organization Mr. Davis was presented by his fellow members with a handsome gold badge worth \$25. Mr. D. S. Bedford, the recording secretary, made the presentation speech.

DEATHS. JARRELL, Died, August 5, 1891, at her father's residence, No. 190 west Cary street, INNES, infant daughter of George T. and Eva Jarrell, aged nine months and five days. Burial at Hollywood THIS EVENING at 4 o'clock.

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WEATHER FORECAST. WASHINGTON, D. C., August 5.—For North Carolina and Virginia generally fair, except local showers in the mountain districts of Virginia; no decided change in temperature; variable winds.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE. MINIATURE ALMANAC, AUGUST 6, 1891. Sun rises.....5:20 Moon sets.....8:38 P. M. Sun sets.....7:12 Day length.....13h. 5m.

LAMBERT'S POINT, AUGUST 5, 1891. ARRIVED. Barges McClellan and Marion. LOADED. Barges Norfolk and Western No. 1, New Haven; Storm King, Holokon; Nereid; Providence; Swedish Nathan Lawrence, Fall River.

COILED. Swedish steamship Hispania, New Orleans; Havre; Spanish steamship Gaditano, Pensacola, Liverpool.

PORT OF WEST POINT, AUGUST 5, 1891. ARRIVED. Steamship Danville, Baltimore, merchandise and passengers. DEPARTURES. Steamship Danville, Baltimore, merchandise and passengers.

PORT OF RICHMOND, AUGUST 5, 1891. ARRIVED. Schooner J. J. Moore, Arnold, Kennebec, ice, Richmond Ice Company. DEPARTURES. Schooner Annie M. Allen, Brown, Bermuda Hundred, to load railroad for New York; vessel Curtis & Parker; schooner Carrie A. Norton, Pellam; Bermuda Hundred, to load lumber for New York; vessel Curtis & Parker; schooner J. B. Van Dusen, Lear, Bermuda Hundred, to finish loading railroad ties for Philadelphia, vessel Curtis & Parker.

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