# LATEST NEWS OF THE RAILROADS

## Presidents of Western Roads Reach Agreement.

## SEABOARD'S NORTHERN OUTLET.

**Negotiations Pending for Sale of Birmingham Belt Line, so as to Give the Seaboard Entrance and Terminal Facilities.**

At the conference of the presidents of the Western roads held in New York, while there was some divergence of opinion on some subjects, perfect harmony prevailed, and unanimous action was taken on the following subjects:

First—The discontinuance of commissions, stipends and other considerations for the sale of tickets, and the continuation of the committee in charge of this matter with enlarged powers and duties.

Second—Pledges to the Interstate Commission of strict observance of lawful methods in the conduct of interstate traffic.

Third—The adoption of resolutions directing executive officers to confer and adjust existing differences that in the main are considered of minor importance.

There has been some question as to whether the Western Immigration Bureau in New York could in future be conducted on the same basis as it has, in view of the abolition of commissions. It was agreed that the arrangements with steamship companies was not in contravention of the agreement, and the decision was therefore reached that there was no occasion to make any change.

President Jeffrey, who presided over the conference, said that the increased confidence in one another on the part of officers and directors of competing lines, and their willingness to conciliate and concede for the general good of the public and of their companies, were quite apparent—even more so than at the previous conference in January.

The next conference is to be held on the first Wednesday in June.

SEABOARD'S NEW LINE.

There have been numerous rumors to the effect that the proposed Richmond and Washington Air Line would experience difficulty in getting across the Potomac. President Williams, however, a short time ago, stated in an interview that the Seaboard would find outlet to the east and west over the Pennsylvania and Baltimore and Ohio systems. The plan, he stated at that time, was to connect with the Pennsylvania at or near Quantico. Just where connection would be made with the Baltimore and Ohio he could not, at that time, say definitely, as two plans were under consideration.

The Baltimore and Ohio has in its possession a charter permitting the bridging of the Potomac, and a perfect understanding, it is stated, exists between the Baltimore and Ohio and Seaboard.

It is said that a sale of the Belt Line at Birmingham, Ala., in which William Halls, Jr., of New York, is interested, is pending, and that the Seaboard Air Line wants it to get into Birmingham and have adequate terminal facilities.

RAILROAD NOTES.

Messrs. G. W. Barnhart, of St. Louis, assistant general freight agent of the Cotton Belt, and S. C. Yeaman, commercial agent of the Cotton Belt at Atlanta, were Richmond visitors lately.

The Board of Directors of the Southern Railway, which met yesterday in New York, declared a dividend of one and a half per cent. for the past six months, payable on April 1st. This is one-half per cent. increase.

The American Car and Foundry Co. will utilize the old Michigan Car Works at Detroit in establishing a big plant for the manufacture of steel freight cars, in which $500,000 will be invested.

It is understood that President Huntington, of the Southern Pacific, is to have the co-operation of the Goulds and the Santa Fe in adopting measures to secure foreign immigration for Texas.

No successor to General Traffic Manager George B. Reeve, of the Grand Trunk, has been selected. Mr. Reeve retires the last of April. General Passenger Agent Davis will be promoted to Passenger Traffic Manager, and General Freight Agent J. W. Loud to Freight Traffic Manager.

Report says that a new deal has been decided upon for the passenger department of the Pere Marquette, by which H. F. Moehler will become its executive, and George De Haven, who has been at the head of the Chicago and West Michigan, will be sent to Chicago or Milwaukee as general agent of the department or assistant general passenger department.

Surveys are under way for the proposed new railroad from Cedar Rapids, Neb., to Pierre, S. D.

The Mobile and Ohio has withdrawn from the Southeastern and Mississippi Valley Association.

# POLITICAL TALK.

**City Democratic Committee to Meet Next Tuesday.**

The Republican Advisory Board of Jackson Ward, of which Ben. Scott is chairman, will hold a meeting to-night at 8 o'clock presumably for the purpose of considering the matter of putting up a ticket in the spring election.

Not much was heard yesterday concerning the Democratic differences in the ward. A prominent leader out there stated that all would be harmonious within a few days.

The City Democratic Committee will be called to meet next Tuesday night, to fix the date and adopt a plan for the conduct of the primary election, for the nomination of municipal officers.

It is probable the primary will be held in the first week in April.

There is talk of electing delegates to the State Democratic Convention, to be held at Norfolk, May 3d, at this primary. Richmond is entitled to thirty-nine delegates. There is some opposition to electing delegates at this primary. On account of the fact that the Norfolk convention will be called upon to approve or disapprove of the proposed constitutional convention, there are many who wish the selection of delegates to be separate from the nomination of city officers.

Nearly every city official will be nominated without opposition. Mr. Charles W. Goddin is opposing Mr. Charles O. Saville for Clerk of the Chancery Court. There may be one or two other contests. Interest will be centered in the nomination of aldermen and councilmen.


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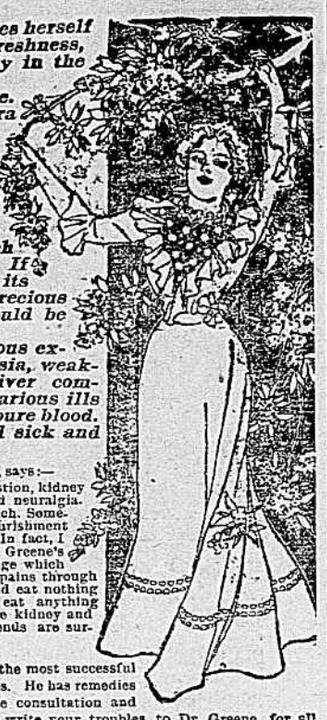

*Mother Earth cleanses and purifies herself and garbs herself anew in dainty freshness, and in rich, new life and beauty in the spring.*

*Thus should man and woman be.*

*Thus will Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy make them. It invigorates the nerves and purifies the blood—throws back the shoulders, gives new life and energies, and vitalizes and revivifies the health. It gives to woman vigorous and queenly bearing and to man that power and strength which emanate only from sturdy health. If humanity in general would keep its health intact by the use of this precious discovery, the life of the race would be indefinitely prolonged.*

*Dr. Greene's Nervura cures nervous exhaustion, spring debility, dyspepsia, weakness, despondency, kidney and liver complaints, insomnia, and all of the various ills arising from weak nerves and impure blood. It makes weak people strong, and sick and run-down people well.*

MRS. G. S. CONB, 334 Smith St., Providence, R. I., says:—"For five years I had been troubled with indigestion, kidney and liver trouble, severe nervous headaches and neuralgia. There was a terrible pain and pressure in my stomach. Sometimes for three weeks at a time I could take no nourishment but lime water and milk. I lost forty pounds. In fact, I was completely prostrated. I commenced using Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, and the change which took place was wonderful. The terrible, racking pains through my head and shoulders left me. Where I could eat nothing but the lightest kinds of food, I can now eat anything without the slightest distress of any kind. The kidney and liver trouble has left me, and, in fact, my friends are surprised at my wonderful cure."

Dr. Greene, 35 West 14th St., New York City, is the most successful specialist in curing nervous and chronic diseases. He has remedies for all forms of disease, and offers to give free consultation and advice, personally or by letter. You can tell or write your troubles to Dr. Greene, for all communications are confidential, and letters are answered in plain, sealed envelopes.


**City Hall Courts.**

Judge Lamb presided in the Hustings Court yesterday.

The case of Louisa Burton, alias Bruce Burton, alias Louis Burton, a dark Afro-American, was called, but continued over until the 14th. His companion, Aldonia Cox, was also before the Judge, and Cox was sent down to come up again on the 15th.

The Chancery Court will adjourn for the term on Saturday, March 17th. No contested papers will be received after to-day, March 10th. The next term of the court begins on Monday, April 23d.

The case of the Planters' National Bank of Richmond against Mrs. Nellie L. Hoffman was completed in the City Circuit Court yesterday, when a verdict and judgment was rendered in favor of the plaintiff for the sum of $35.50.

In the case of the Cycle Age Co. against the Enterprise Machine Works in the Law and Equity Court, a verdict and judgment was rendered in favor of the plaintiff yesterday morning for the sum of $60.

**Enjoyable Reception.**

Mr. and Mrs. Hartzell gave a reception at their home, No. 2026 East Main Street, to their friends Wednesday evening. Dancing was indulged in and some very fine vocal selections were rendered. At midnight a fine collation was served, the dinging room being beautifully decorated with palms and American Beauty roses. Among the guests were:

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Guvernator, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Guvernator, Mr. and Mrs. Christian Baab, Mr. Thomas Riley and Miss Sadie Webster, Mr. Louis Guvernator and Miss Lyons, Mr. James Luck and Miss Mary Grace, Mr. and Mrs. John Raffo, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eubank, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Miller, Mr. Henry Spericro and Miss Christopher, Mr. Mauge and Mrs. Eddie Comer, Master Charles Chrisie Baab, Frank, Grace and Howard Hartzell, Jr.

The music was rendered by J. Ragland and J. Lafratto. The guests did not return to their homes until a late hour.

**So Many Officers.**

Editor of The Times:

Sir,—Thanks for your editorial of the 6th on the commissioner of assessments. But after all this law is about on a level with the "examiner of records" law, which gave a party favorite in each judicial district a fat job. They simply write to the various commissioners of revenue for lists of trust funds (guardians, &c.) and then certify them back to the commissioners of revenue and collect their per cent. It is getting so now that every third man you meet is an officer of some sort—nearly so.

The travelling auditors law would do good, but so many officers are not ready for inspection. The Post-Office Department manages well in that respect.

P. M. JONES.

Sheppards, Va., March 8, 1900.

**To Carry Off the Mud.**

It is expected that in about twenty days all the mud that is lodged in on one side of the reservoir will have been removed and the water turned on again. The work on the other side will consume about the same time, thus taking up the sixty days allowed for the work.

A temporary track has been laid and the cars will be started moving the mud this morning. As fast as taken out this will be dumped down a slide and conveyed thence in carts.

**Rapid Progress.**

Building and improvements are rapidly going on in the town of Fairmount. At present there are seven houses under construction, which will be occupied as soon as completed, and many more will shortly be under way.

The board recently elected are busily at work, and will, in a few days, take up the question of furnishing electric lights for the streets and the grading of such thoroughfares as have not been put into proper shape.

**Entertained the Vets.**

A good programme, consisting of music and recitations, was rendered by the Frances Ensign "Y," Y. W. C. T. U., Thursday night at the Soldiers' Home, where they entertained the old veterans for an hour or two. Mr. Williams, of Richmond College, made the address of the evening.

**Suited Her.**

Willie Maryland, who was sent to jail for wife beating, was liberated Thursday by Judge Wickham as his wife said she was satisfied.

**Bad Boys at Work.**

In the neighborhood of Randolph and Leigh Schools the boys have been very seriously depredating upon the school property and causing much trouble to the principal and teachers. The matter was reported to Captain E. P. Hulce, of the Third Police District and that officer is giving the affair his best attention and hopes to put a stop to this practice.

**Funeral Services.**

The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Casey, who died Thursday night at her home, No. 222 South Fifth Street, will take place this morning at 10 o'clock from St. Peter's Cathedral. The interment will be in Mount Calvary Cemetery.

The remains of Mrs. Emma S. Garnett, of Caroline county, who died at the Virginia Hospital yesterday morning, were sent to Fredericksburg yesterday evening for burial.

The funeral of Mr. James Duffy, who died early yesterday morning, will be from the Cathedral to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. The burial will be in Mount Calvary.

**Lenten Services.**

A regular Friday night Lenten service was held at Monumental Church at 8:30 o'clock last night. Rev. Dr. Barr preached a sermon on "The Elements of Christian Manhood."

Mr. E. W. Bundy, the President of the Epworth League Union of Richmond and Manchester, conducted the devotional services of the Clay-Street League last evening at 8 o'clock.

The exercises were interesting and helpful.

**Mr. Sheppard's Successor.**

The City Council to be chosen at the spring elections will, among other things elect a successor to Mr. James R. Sheppard, member of the Board of Fire Commissioners from Jackson Ward.

Mr. Sheppard's term of six years will have expired on July 1st and he will not stand for re-election, as he contemplates moving out of the ward.

There are two candidates for the position—Messrs. Charles Keppler and W. J. Gentry.

**Dr. Hawthorne's Sermons.**

Rev. J. B. Hawthorne, D. D., will discuss very popular subjects at Grove-Avenue Baptist Church to-morrow. In the morning his theme will be "The Crime of Neglecting the Offending Childhood," and at night he will answer the question that has been pertinent for ages past, "Why Christ Built the Church on Peter."

Dr. Hawthorne extends a cordial invitation to all Romanists to come and hear him on this subject.

**Ankle Crushed.**

The Seymour (Tex.) News prints the following in regard to Mr. D. H. Lynch, formerly of this city:

D. H. Lynch returned Wednesday from Texarkana, where he had been on business. While there a wagon loaded with hay broke down and fell on him, crushing his left ankle-joint. He is now able to be upon crutches, and says he is very thankful that he was not killed in the smash-up, which occurred on one of the main streets of that city.

**Supreme Court Proceedings.**

The preceedings in the Supreme Court of Appeals yesterday were as follows:

Miller vs. Miller, continued.

Dingee, Weinman & Co., vs. Unrue's admx. Argued by Harrison and Long for the appellants and Lee and Howard for the appellee and submitted.

The next case to be called are Koss vs. Kastelburg; Riverview Land Co. vs. Dance & Co., and Thomas vs. Jones, Nos. 57, 58 and 59.

**Contracts Were Awaaded.**

The Committee on Water met at No. 1013 East Main Street yesterday evening and awarded the following contracts:

Valves, from 4, 6, 12, to 20 inches, and wiping solder, to the Southern Railway Supply Company.

Brass work, meters, and lead, to G. & A. Bargamin.

Large stock cock, to H. B. Frischkorn.

Excavating pipes for trenches, to A. Q. Billings.

**Rally at Asbury Church.**

A rally will be held at Asbury Methodist Church on Sunday afternoon, March 18th, by the Rosebud Missionary Society. An interesting programme has been arranged and a large attendance is expected.

Mrs. P. L. Palmore, the president of the Asbury Society, will preside, and the occasion promises to be an interesting one.

**Census Supervisors to Meet.**

A conference of the ten census supervisors will be held at the Jefferson today, when Assistant Director of the Census Frederick H. Wines, will instruct them in the work.

Dr. G. W. Scarburgh, of Accomac Courthouse, supervisor of the census for the First District of Virginia, is in this city.

**Clay Ward Actives.**

There will be an interesting meeting of the Clay-Ward Actives at Belvidere Hall to-night.

Many candidates for the city offices will speak and a large crowd will be present. The public is cordially invited.

# DOUBLE EAGLES TAKE A FLIGHT

## T. F. Locker Robbed by "Devil" Zimmer and Johnnie Morgan.

## GREAT DISPENSER KEPT BUSY.

**A Chinese Laundryman Assaulted in His Own House by Three Negroes. A Candidate for the Colored Reformatory—Minor Cases.**

An unusually large criminal docket for Friday greeted the prince of law-givers yesterday, and with the large civil docket to be tried at 12 o'clock and a long string of personal friends who wanted to get a copy of his guide to success in politics, he had little time to give to the Current Events Club that gather every day in the boudoir after the seance in the Big White Chamber.

AS A LECTURER.

The Great Dispenser was very instructive in his lectures from the bench, and while in some cases he forced his opinions on unwilling ears, there were those present who enjoyed them as much as a man who watches a baseball game without cost from his window overlooking the park.

The Great Law Giver was exact in following the very letter of the law and quoted Code and ordinance by the square yard to officers, lawyers and witnesses.

Watson Johnson, Irus Shelton and Willie Willis, all colored, were charged with disturbance on the premises of Wah Lee and assaulting the Chinaman with rocks in his own house.

Officer Amos saw the negroes come out of Wah Lee's laundry and on information from the Chinaman arrested them. Wah Lee tried to tell the Great Dispenser all about it, and the Great Dispenser being a little rusty on his Chinese, could not catch his meaning and tried to make up for what he could not understand by hollering questions at the Celestial so loud that he made him forget even the Chinese that he knew.

STICK TO THE LAW.

Officer Amos tried to tell what the Chinaman told him before he got excited, but the Great Dispenser said that wasn't law.

He said he proposed to keep an open door in China, and was going to send for Sam Yick.

Sam talks English not so pigeon-toed as the balance of Richmond's Celestial throng, and promises to vote for the Great Dispenser for Madarin if he will move to China. When Sam Yick comes then he'll put Wah Lee's grunts and squecks into pigeon English and the Great Dispenser will sustain all treaty rights between the two nations.

The case was continued one day to give Sam Yick time to get into his court costume.

A PRECIOUS PAIR.

A case that created great interest was the charge against Lonnie (Devil) Zimmer and John Morgan for robbing T. F. Locker of $50.

Mr. Locker was on a visit to the city and met up with Zimmer and Morgan in a bar-room at the corner of 19th and Main Streets, and the Richmond young men made themselves sociable and drank at Locker's expense. They stayed with Locker all the afternoon and at 11:30 at night piloted him to George Gray's cheap lodging-house, No. 1819 Main Street, and all went to bed in the same room. At 2:30 A. M. Locker awoke and found his trousers, which he put under his pillow, gone, and also his fellow-lodgers. The garment was on the floor and his empty pocket-book thrown under the bed.

One incident of the day related by John Reily, who keeps the bar at Nineteenth and Main, was that, when Locker ordered a glass of ginger ale, Zimmer spiked the ale with a gill and a half of whisky, while Locker had his back turned.

HAD A GOOD NOSE.

Locker smelled the whisky, and refused to drink the mixture. Another piece of evidence that caused the Great Dispenser to put his elbows on the desk and listen with double interest was that, after the hour the trio had gone to bed together, Zimmer and Morgan and George Gray, the lodging-house keeper, returned to Reily's saloon and drank together.

Morgan and Zimmer visited other barrooms, and exhibited two $20 gold pieces, a denomination that agreed with the money stolen from Locker, and when they were arrested in a low resort one of them tried to drop a $2 note through his trousers-leg to the ground.

One of the gold double-eagles was recovered where Zimmer had placed it, with an Italian bar-keeper, for safe-keeping.

The Great Dispenser, with his want of confidence in the wisdom of Richmond juries, decided to do a little business on his own account, and placed Zimmer and Morgan under $500 bond, with a penalty in default, of twelve months in jail, and then, as a matter of formality of the law, sent them on to the grand jury.

The young men accused are well known in Richmond, John Morgan having made considerable reputation as a ball-player on the Richmond team, and Zimmer is a member of a well-known and respectable family.

REVENUE CASES.

Cornelius Robinson (colored) was charged with creating a disturbance, assaulting, cursing, abusing and throwing rocks at S. M. Page, and was fined $2.50.

Lucinda Davis (colored), for creating a disturbance and fighting in the street, was fined $2.50.

Eugene Warner, a small negro boy, who starts life without parents, and handicapped with small, crumpled ears, set close to his head, that denote a desire for other men's goods, was under arrest as a vagrant. He spent his time in the pen, laughing and cutting monkey shines, and seemed as happy as a bird.

He was held to await a full understanding of the law authorizing the colored reformatory, and will become an inmate of that institution.


"Blood tells." But we rarely recognize the fact except in times of stress and strain. A horse which looks like a "scrub" may beat another horse which seems the ideal of a racer, just by that one quality of good blood. Similarly men, who seem in the pink of condition drop down under the racing strain of business. Why? Blood tells. Men reckoned perfectly healthy start out for business, they make a run for the train, and collapse. "Heart failure" they call it. Blood failure would be often the better name.

Take care of the blood and the body will take care of itself. It is the blood which builds the body. The blood indeed *is* the body. A sound body must be based on sound blood.

It is one of the peculiar properties of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery that it eliminates from the blood the effete and poisonous matter which is antagonistic to health. It also gives to the blood those elements which are necessary to its strength and vitality. Thus by the use of "Golden Medical Discovery" purity of blood and power of body have been attained by thousands of sickly and scrofulous men and women.

No other medicine purifies the blood and builds the body as does the "Discovery." Accept no substitute.

"It gives me much pleasure to testify to the merits of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery," writes Miss Annie Wells, of Fergusson's Wharf, Isle of Wight Co., Va. "I can say honestly and candidly that it is the grandest medicine ever compounded for purifying the blood. I suffered terribly with rheumatism, and pimples on the skin and swelling in my knees and feet so that I could not walk. I spent about twenty dollars paying doctors' bills but received no benefit. A year or two ago I was reading one of your Memorandum Books and I decided to try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and 'Favorite Prescription,' and am entirely cured."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are graduated to the requirements of woman's delicate system. They regulate the stomach, liver and bowels.



# WOMAN'S MISTAKE.

It is a well-known fact that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has cured more women than any other remedy. It therefore must be the best possible medicine for female ills.

But some women make the mistake of thinking that they will try something else simply because it is new. That mistake is often a fatal one—fatal to the health and happiness of the experimenter.

***Is it not foolish to risk the possible results of such experiments? Is it not better to depend upon a medicine which has been tried successfully for thirty years, and which has never been found wanting?***

Do not therefore let any one persuade you to try something which they say is just as good. It cannot be just as good. Mrs. Pinkham's Compound is the best, and there can be only one best. This is not a mere assertion, but is a positive fact, admitted by hundreds of regular physicians.

Rely on your own common sense, and Mrs. Pinkham's life-long experience, and you will make no mistake. Don't experiment with your health, but take a medicine that you *know* is good, and is backed by such letters as these to Mrs. Pinkham:

***Suppressed and Painful Periods Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.***

"I was thin, sallow and nervous. I had not had my menses for over a year and a half. Doctored with several physicians in town and one specialist, but did not get any better. I finally decided to try your medicine, and wrote to you. After I had taken three bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and three of Blood Purifier, my menses returned, and I feel as well and strong as I ever did, and am gaining flesh."—**Miss Lena Gaines, Visalia, Tulare Co., Cal.**

"After following the directions given in your kind letter for the treatment of leucorrhœa, I can say that I have been entirely cured by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's remedies, and will gladly recommend them to my friends."—**Miss A. B. Davids, Binghamton, N.Y.**

***A Grateful Woman Recommends Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to Every Wife and Mother.***

"I have taken eight bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound with most gratifying results. I had been married four years and had two children. I was all run down, had falling of womb with all its distressing symptoms. I had doctored with a good physician, but I derived very little good from his treatment. After taking a few bottles of your medicine, I was able to do my work and nurse my seven-months'-old babe. I recommended your medicine to every wife and mother. Had I time, I could write much more in its praise. I bid you God's speed in your good work."—**Mrs. L. A. Morris, Welaka, Putnam Co., Fla.**

***Nervous Prostration and Inflammation of the Bladder Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.***

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—I have used your Vegetable Compound for female weakness and it has done wonders for me. I also had nervous prostration—was not able to look after my housework. After taking one bottle I began to improve, and am now better in every way and feel like a different person."—**Mrs. Della Keiser, Marienville, Pa.**

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—I cannot praise your Vegetable Compound enough for the good it has done me. I suffered from inflammation of the bladder. I tried doctors, but obtained no relief. At last I decided to write to you, and now, thanks to your remedies, I am entirely cured."—**Mrs. K. S. Grady, 131 Union St., High Bridge, New York City.**

***The Medicine that holds the record for the largest number of Cures is***
## *Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.*


# STOCK MARKET WAS VERY DULL

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| Sept. | 36⅛ | 36¼ | 36 | 36¼ |
| OATS—No. 2 | | | | |
| May | 23⅜ | 23⅜ | 23⅜ | 23⅜ |
| July | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22⅜ |
| MESS PORK—bbl. | | | | |
| May | 10.75 | 10.85 | 10.72½ | 10.80 |
| July | 10.80 | 10.87½ | 10.77½ | 10.85 |
| LARD—100 lbs. | | | | |
| May | 5.92½ | 5.95 | 5.90 | 5.95 |
| July | 6.00 | 6.02½ | 6.00 | 6.02½ |
| SHORT RIBS—100 lbs. | | | | |
| May | 5.87½ | 5.92½ | 5.87½ | 5.90 |
| July | 5.90 | 5.95 | 5.90 | 5.92½ |

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour steady. No. 2 spring wheat, 64½c.; No. 3 spring wheat, 65¾c.; No. 2 red, 68½@69½c. No. 2 corn, 34⅝@34¾c.; No. 2 yellow corn, 34⅝@34¾c. No. 2 oats, 23¼@23⅜c.; No. 2 white, 26@27½c.; No. 3 white, 25½@26c. No. 2 rye, 56@57c. No. 2 barley, 37½@40c. No. 1 flaxseed, $1.60. Prime timothy seed, $2.50. Mess pork, per barrel, $9.85@10.80. Lard, per 100 pounds, $5.72½@5.85; short rib sides (loose), $5.70@5; dry salted shoulders (boxed), $6.25@6.50; short clear sides (boxed), $6@6.10. Whisky, distillers' finished goods, per gallon, $1.24. Butter strong; creamery, 19@24½c.; dairy, 16½@22c. Cheese firm at 12@13c. Eggs easy; fresh, 14@14½c.

BALTIMORE MARKET.

BALTIMORE, March 9.—FLOUR—Dull and unchanged.

WHEAT—Firm; spot and month, 72½@72¾c.; May, 73¼@73½c. Southern wheat, by sample, 67@73½c.

CORN—Firmer; spot and month, 39@39⅛c.; April, 39¼@39⅜c.; May, 39½@39¾c. Southern white corn, 39½c. asked.

OATS—Dull; No. 2 white, 31c. sales.

RYE—Nominal; No. 2 nearby, 54c.

SUGAR—Firm and unchanged.

CHEESE—Firm and unchanged.

BUTTER—Firm and unchanged.

EGGS—Firm and unchanged.

NAVAL STORES.

CHARLESTON, S. C., March 9.—TURPENTINE—Market firm at 52c.; sales, none.

ROSIN—Firm and unchanged; sales, none.

SAVANNAH, GA., March 9.—SPIRITS OF TURPENTINE—Firm at 53½c.; receipts, 85 casks; sales, 50 casks; exports, 22 casks.

ROSIN—Nothing doing; receipts, 546 barrels; sales, none; exports, 1,497 barrels.

WILMINGTON, N. C., March 9.—SPIRITS OF TURPENTINE—Nothing doing; receipts, 22 casks.

ROSIN—Nothing doing; receipts, 105 barrels.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm at $2@3.25; receipts, 17 barrels.

TAR—Steady at $1.20; receipts, 626 barrels.

TOBACCO MARKET.

Richmond, Va., March 9, 1900.

Private sales reported to-day were: Wrappers, 2 hogsheads; stems, 34 hogsheads; fillers, 2 hogsheads; leaf, 18 hogsheads; lugs, 13 hogsheads.

Inspections to-day were: Dark, 31 hogsheads and 2 tierces. Reviews—Dark, 4 hogsheads.

The warehouses report 66 hogsheads received and 70 hogsheads delivered.

Loose sales to-day were: Crenshaw's Warehouse, 34,330 pounds—highest price, $13.75; Shockoe Warehouse, 14,270 pounds—highest price, $8.50; Stonewall Warehouse, 5,9500 pounds—highest price, $9.

Messrs. Frazer & Tompkins have issued the following comment and price-current for the week:

Sun-Cured—Receipts and offerings moderate; market steady at unchanged quotations.

Dark—Receipts continue liberal and market steady; fine stemming tobacco in good demand.

Brights—Unchanged; quiet.

SUN-CURED TOBACCO—NEW.

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| Lugs, common | $ 1.50@$ 2.50 |
| Lugs, good to prime | 2.50@ 3.50 |
| Short leaf | 3.50@ 4.50 |
| Long leaf | 5.00@ 6.50 |
| Wrappers | 8.00@ 12.00 |

BRIGHT TOBACCOS.

Smokers—

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|---|---|
| Common | 6.00@ 8.00 |
| Medium | 8.00@ 9.00 |
| Fine | 10.00@ 12.00 |
| Cutters— | |
| Common | 10.00@ 11.00 |
| Medium | 13.00@ 15.00 |
| Fine | 13.00@ 17.00 |
| Fancy | 18.00@ 20.00 |
| Fillers— | |
| Common | 4.50@ 5.50 |
| Medium | 5.50@ 7.00 |
| Good | 7.00@ 9.00 |
| Fine | 10.00@ 11.00 |
| Wrappers— | |
| Common | 10.00@ 12.00 |
| Medium | 12.00@ 15.00 |
| Good | 22.50@ 27.50 |
| Fine | 35.00@ 40.00 |
| Fancy | 40.00@ 45.00 |

DARK TOBACCO—NEW.

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| Lugs, inferior to good | 1.75@ 2.50 |
| Lugs, good to prime | 2.50@ 3.50 |
| Short leaf | 4.00@ 6.00 |
| Medium leaf | 5.00@ 7.50 |
| Long leaf | 7.00@ 10.00 |
| Selections and wrappers | 12.00@ 15.00 |

DANVILLE TOBACCO MARKET

Danville, Va., March 9, 1900.

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|---|---|
| Nondescript goods | $ 1.00@$ 3.00 |
| Granulators | 4.50@ 7.00 |
| Smokers— | |
| Common | 3.50@ 6.00 |
| Good | 6.00@ 8.00 |
| Fine | 8.00@ 9.50 |
| Cutters— | |
| Common | 8.00@ 10.00 |
| Good | 10.00@ 12.50 |
| Fine | 12.00@ 72.50 |
| Fillers— | |
| Common | 2.50@ 4.00 |
| Good | 4.00@ 8.00 |
| Fine | 8.00@ 12.50 |
| Wrappers— | |
| Common | 8.00@ 12.50 |
| Medium | 12.50@ 17.50 |
| Good | 17.50@ 35.00 |
| Fancy | 35.00@ 55.00 |

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

Saturday, March 10, 1900.

Prince of Wales married, 1862.

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| Sun rises | 6:30 A. M. |
| Sun sets | 6:11 P. M. |
| Moon south | 8:30 P. M. |
| First high water | 12:28 A. M. |
| Second high water | 12:26 P. M. |

PORT OF RICHMOND, MARCH 9, 1900.

ARRIVED.

Steamer Richmond, Catherine, New York, merchandise and passengers, Old Dominion Line.

Schooner H. M. Summers, Duncker, Chickahominy, lumber, Taliaferro & Co.

Schooner C. R. Oliver, Williams, James river, grain, E. A. Saunders' Son.

SAILED.

Steamer Pocahontas, Graves, Norfolk and James river sidings, merchandise and passengers, Virginia Navigation Co.

Steamer Richmond, Catherine, New York, merchandise and passengers, Old Dominion Line.

PORT OF NEWPORT NEWS, MARCH 9, 1900.

ARRIVED.

Schooner Clarence A. Holland, Easton.

Schooner Jack Sherman, Boston.

Schooner Percy Birdsall, Hampton Roads.

Schooner Jno. A. Curtis, Baltimore.

Steamer William Broadly, Baltimore.

Barge Charles Foster, Fall River.

SAILED.

Barge Belle of Oregon, Providence.

Barge Ringleader, Providence.

Barge Ocean Belle, New York.

Schooner Zeta, Nova Scotia.

PORT WEST POINT, MARCH 9, 1900.

ARRIVED.

Steamship Baltimore, Murphy, Baltimore, passengers and general cargo.

Steamship Elm City, Haynes, Mattapoint river landings, passengers and general cargo.

SAILED.

Steamship Baltimore, Murphy, Baltimore, passengers and general cargo.

Steamship Elm City, Haynes, Mattapoint river landings, passengers and general cargo.

PORT BERMUDA HUNDRED, MARCH 9, 1900.

ARRIVED.

Barge J. T. Pearson, Jones, to load lumber.

SAILED.

Barge William Donaldson, Donaldson, cargo lumber, for Snow Hill, Md.


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These gentlemen report that the affairs of the company are in a most satisfactory condition, and that great progress has been made in the shaping of the affairs of the organization.

It is expected that the property and rights of the Richmond Railway and Electric Company will be turned over to the Passenger and Power Company, and be operated by the latter in a very short time.


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