

REARRESTED ON SERIOUS CHARGE

Boy of Twelve Years Held for Death of Another of Same Age.

PROMINENT CITIZEN CONVICTED.

H. F. Jones Found Guilty of Perjury by a Republican Jury Before Which He Had Elected to Be Tried in Preference to Democrats.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., August 12.—Fred Craver, aged 35 years, died to-day from a wound inflicted in his head with a piece of iron. The blow was struck two months ago by William Batty, another boy of the same age. A coroner's jury composed of physicians decided this morning that Batty was responsible for Craver's death. Batty was tried a few weeks ago and released. Craver at that time being considered out of danger. He was rearrested this afternoon and committed to jail.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) H. F. Jones, a prominent citizen and ex-member of the Legislature from Alleghany county, was to-day convicted of perjury (swearing falsely to payment of account) by a Republican jury. Jones is a Republican, and had his case moved on the plea that he could not get a fair trial from a Democratic jury in Alleghany. He was convicted by a Republican jury.

AN INCENDIARY FIRE.

H. Hauser, a Swiss Watchmaker, Charged With an Ugly Crime.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) WILMINGTON, N. C., Aug. 12.—H. Hauser, a Swiss watchmaker, was arrested to-day, charged with firing his jewelry shop early last night, and is now in custody awaiting investigation by Fire Commissioner J. R. Young, who wired Chief Schibben, of the fire department, that he would be here Tuesday and hold preliminary trial.

It is no doubt that an attempt at incendiary, but it is not clear who the guilty party is. The fire originated on the first floor and was discovered and extinguished before it gained much headway. The entire contents of the jewelry shop were saturated with oil or gasoline. The flames did not get to it. Hauser, one of the firemen, was badly hurt by falling through a skylight hole in the second floor. His injuries will not prove fatal. Hauser was on Wrightsville Sound when the fire occurred, and denies any knowledge of it. He carried fifteen hundred dollars insurance on his stock and the damage will reach about three hundred dollars.

MUNICIPAL NOTES.

Meeting of the Board To-Night—Matter Before the Committees.

The Board of Aldermen will meet in regular monthly session to-night for the consideration of a large volume of business which was passed along to it by the Common Council at its meeting on Monday night last. While of importance to the life and work of the various departments of the city, the items are of a character to attract public attention or interest.

The Street Committee will meet in regular session Thursday afternoon. It will probably consider and act upon the petition of the Richmond and Petersburg Electric Railway to come into Richmond by the following route: Up Ninth to Cary, west on Cary to Second, north on Second to Broad, east on Broad to Fourth, south on Fourth to Cary and back to the Free Bridge.

The petition of the Jenkins Rapid Transit Company for a franchise to construct and operate an electric street-railway from Fulton to the western part of the city, which was referred to the Board of Public Safety, will be taken up by the Board of Public Safety at its meeting on Thursday next.

Dog owners and breeders continue to give evidence of the liveliest interest in the dog ordinance now awaiting the action of the Finance Committee. All recognize that some speedy action in this matter is needed, many, while approving the ordinance, have pointed to the need of the dog pound which it will establish, do not believe that the ordinance goes far enough. They argue that licensed dogs wearing the city's medals are often the most serious.

The officials of the Fire Department are becoming a little nervous lest the measure appropriating some six or seven thousand dollars for one hundred and fifty new fire hydrants may slumber on indefinitely. The Finance Committee of the Council, the Fire Commissioners and Chief Fuller earnestly asked for these increased facilities for fire-fighting. Superintendent Bolling and the Water Committee have expressed their opinion on the scheme. The Council referred the matter to the Finance Committee.

Superintendent Knowles and Inspector Shelton, of the Gas-Works, report that there is no change in the conditions which have for some time pointed to the necessity of putting in a twenty-four-inch main to connect the upper and lower gas-works. The matter is now before the Finance Committee of the Council, which meets on August 20th. The appropriation asked is \$14,500. As the work will take some six weeks or two months, and as it would seem to be imperative that this connection be completed by the 1st of November, when the heavy winter drain upon the resources of the Gas-Works will be seen, it will be well to have a decision for speedy action on the part of the Council and its committee.

Brief City Items.

Clerk M. E. Broadus, of the Circuit Court, is confined to his home by sickness. Squire James T. Lewis has returned from the White Sulphur Springs, much benefited by his trip.

The Henrico County Democratic Committee will meet at the court-house on Wednesday. A number of the county officials will leave to-day to attend the Norfolk Convention.

Dr. W. E. Broadus, of Newport News, spent Sunday with his father, Clerk John A. Broadus, at the Henrico Circuit Court, at his home at Glen Allen. He was accompanied home by his sister, Miss Bess Broadus, and niece, Miss Abell King, who will spend several weeks.

Commonwealth's Attorney Alexander Sands returned to the city Saturday night. Mr. Sands has been in attendance on the Bar Association at White Sulphur Springs.

County Court in Session. The County Court of Henrico convened yesterday morning for the August term. Judge Wickham occupied the bench. The criminal cases were postponed until the September term. Several important matters were transacted.

John Burke, sentenced to sixty days in the county jail and put under bond for twelve months, has been released through the efforts of his counsel, James R. Russ. A factional split in the bar has been discharged his client.

John Milles, disorderly character, was released from custody yesterday by Squire George Thomas.

The Henrico County Board of Health,

W.L. DOUGLAS \$3.50 SHOE UNION MADE FOR MORE THAN A QUARTER OF A CENTURY. The reputation of W. L. Douglas \$3.50 shoes is so well known that they have exceeded all other makes sold for \$3.50. This excellent reputation has been won by merit alone. W. L. Douglas shoes have been made to better satisfaction than other \$3.50 shoes because his reputation for the best \$3.50 shoes must be made to show. The standard has always been placed so high that the wearer receives more value for his money in the W. L. Douglas \$3.50 shoes than he gets elsewhere.



W. L. Douglas's \$3.50 shoes are made of the best quality leather, used in \$5.00 and \$6.00 shoes, and are just as good in every way. Sold by 63 Douglas stores in American cities, selling direct from factory to wearer at retail price, and shoe dealers everywhere. Insist upon having W. L. Douglas shoes. Write name and address stamped on bottom. How to Order by Mail.—If W. L. Douglas shoes are not sold in your city, send your order to Factory, 270 Broadway, New York City. This department will mail you any pair that will suit you. Custom made shoes in any style, and made to order. Write name and address stamped on bottom. How to Order by Mail.—If W. L. Douglas shoes are not sold in your city, send your order to Factory, 270 Broadway, New York City. This department will mail you any pair that will suit you. Custom made shoes in any style, and made to order. Write name and address stamped on bottom.

consisting of Drs. James Archer and Charles and Superior Hecker, made a thorough inspection of the hog-pens and alleys of Tuckahoe District yesterday. Many were found to be in a terrible sanitary condition. This board has not the power to remedy this evil, but will bring the matter to the attention of the Board of Supervisors to-day at 11 o'clock and ask for radical treatment of these cases.

Patrick Henry Lodge. To-night at Smith's Hall, Ninth and Broad Streets, the first anniversary of this lodge will occur. It started out with twenty-one members, but its present strength is 122, having had nineteen accessions during the first year. Although it had to contend with some financial difficulties at first, it has overcome them all and recently added a large paragon hall for its degree room at a cost of nearly \$300, the degree room being under the leadership and instruction of Past Grand Master William H. Bailey. The benevolent work of the lodge has been very great, the amount of \$18 having been paid out for sick benefits during the quarter ending June 30th last. The lodge has a mortality fund of nearly \$300 at interest, so that whenever a member dies the funeral benefit is promptly paid, without any assessment on its membership, which is a great improvement on the assessment principle. The membership expect to have a good turnout and the evening will be undoubtedly one of enjoyment to all who attend.

NEWS OF THE RAILROADS.

Excursion Trains Haul Large Crowds—Dividend on Southern Preferred.

The Sunday excursions continue popular, and the usual large crowds were hauled out of Richmond on Sunday last, giving relief from the burdensome heat of the city. Between five and six hundred persons went over the Southern Railway to the pleasant resort, West Point, on the York River. Crowds continue to frequent this place, as aside from the numerous amusements, the run is a short one. Nine cars made up the Tully train on Sunday, which carried a large crowd to Norfolk, Ocean View and Virginia Beach. The Beach holds its own in popularity, and the crowds who summer there increase yearly.

An excursion of ten cars loaded with negroes was run out of Richmond to Washington Sunday night over the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad.

There was a large excursion to this city from Newport News Sunday over the Chesapeake and Ohio.

At a meeting of the directors of the Southern Railway Company, held in New York, a dividend of 2 per cent was declared out of income for the year ending June 30, 1901, on the preferred stock, payable October 15, 1901, to stockholders of record September 25th. Transfer books close September 25th and reopen October 9th.

The income account for year ending June 30th, compared with last year, is as follows: Gross earnings \$34,699,482 \$31,209,859 \$34,659,513 Operating expenses and taxes 24,343,625 21,831,446 2,512,175 Net income 10,355,857 9,378,413 1,947,338

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A Marriage in Henrico. A marriage license was issued in Henrico county yesterday to Mr. Grayson T. Jones and Miss Mattie Lyne. The ceremony will take place on the 14th instant.

Miss Lyne is the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Lyne, and niece of Deputy Sheriff Joseph Lyne, of Henrico county. Mr. Jones is a well-known pressman at this city.

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COUNTY COURT IN SESSION.

Mr. Rives Makes an Address at the Court-house—Boys Rob a Cash-Drawer and Are Caught—News, Personal and Brief Items of Manchester.

Manchester Bureau, Richmond Times, 1 No. 1102 Hill Street. The Manchester delegates, headed by Dr. W. P. Mathews, will leave this afternoon over the Chesapeake and Ohio for the Norfolk Convention. The entire delegation will attend, being composed of twelve men, entitled to half a vote each, which will be cast as a unit for Montague and Willard for the first places on the ticket, while they will support the strongest Montague candidate for the Attorney-Generalship.

The delegation goes with the intention of pushing Mr. Bradley for a place on the State Committee, and believe his chances are bright for success. Mr. Bradley has long been a loyal Democrat and sound on the platform of the party.

MR. RIVES SPEAKS. Mr. Robert S. Rives, of this city, addressed a large crowd at Chesterfield Court-house yesterday in the interest of his candidacy for the fourth legislative district. He was well received and his speech won favorable comment. He spoke on the question of improving the conditions of the county roads, and in that connection suggested that convict labor might be used. He also spoke on the need of a temporary relief from the crowded condition of the penitentiary. Concluding he touched upon the duties of a legislator and the qualities he should possess, as a student of the platform of the party.

Judge CLOPTON opened court for the transaction of civil business and adjourned until Thursday. Among the lawyers in attendance were Senator McAlwaine, Willis D. Smith, Judge Hinton, George B. Edwards, D. J. Williams, Lawrence Pool, Judge Gregory and Robert S. Rives, of this city.

ROBBED CASH DRAWER. The cash drawer at the office of George Paul & Brothers' ice plant, on Fourth and Bainbridge Streets, was robbed Sunday afternoon about 5 o'clock of cash amounting to more than \$40. The theft is supposed to have been committed by three boys—Jim Foster, Joe Kitchen and Eddie Wilkerson. The boys were arrested after the cash was recovered. Wilkerson made for Richmond with his rifle, and was arrested, but got rid of more than half of it.

The boys had been noticed loafing around the plant the greater part of the day, and as Mr. Browning, the watchman, disappeared from the office, he looked after the engine they entered, and, after breaking the drawer open with an old file, took the cash and left. He has confessed their guilt and are now awaiting trial in the Police Court, but upon motion of Mr. Cox, the boys' attorney, the case was continued.

Charles Dabney (colored) was arrested yesterday morning for striking his wife. CLARENCE WILLIAMS. Mr. Clarence Williams, one of the best known young men in the city, died Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock, at the home of his father, Mr. James H. Williams, about ten miles from the city, on the Richmond and Petersburg Railroad. He was twenty-five years old and was employed in Richmond until a few days ago, when he was removed to his home. He was a native of this city and was a member of the Methodist Church and also an Odd Fellow. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at the residence of his father, Mr. James H. Williams, and the burial was made at Providence Church.

The funeral of Mrs. Lucy E. Burnett took place Sunday at the Christian Church and was largely attended. The services were conducted by Rev. J. A. Reed and Rev. Mr. Moore, after which the remains were followed by quite a number of relatives and friends to Providence Church, where the interment was made.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Jane Holliday took place Sunday at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mickles, No. 221 East Fifth Street, at 4 o'clock, conducted by Rev. J. A. Sullivan. The service was impressive, yet simple. "O God, be true to Thee" was sung by Mr. W. J. Morrisett, after which the burial was made in Manly Cemetery.

CHILD'S DEATH. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Turner have the sympathy of the community and their many friends in the loss, by death, of their infant son, a boy, who died at the age of nineteen months. Death occurred yesterday morning at 4:30 o'clock. The funeral took place from the home, No. 311 West Fifteenth Street, at 10 o'clock. The burial was in Manly Cemetery.

PERSONAL AND BRIEF. Taylor Bailey, the two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bailey, on Ninth and Porter Streets, is very sick. Miss Lottie Manuel has returned after spending a month in Chesterfield county. Misses Mabel, Anna and Vernon Bradshaw left for Norfolk Sunday morning to spend the rest of the summer. Mrs. W. R. Smith has returned home, after spending several weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Bradshaw, No. 714 McDonough Street.

Miss Agnes Ely has returned from a stay in Leona, Pa. The Baptist Sunday-School Association of Richmond and Manchester met Sunday evening at Bainbridge Street Baptist Church. (The names of the speakers and several splendid addresses were made.) Rev. E. V. Baldy left last week for New York city, where he will spend a portion of his vacation. Rev. J. A. Hicks, of Chicago, former pastor of Stockton-Street Baptist Church, is spending his vacation in Manchester. Charles Dobbins was arrested last night for being drunk and disorderly. Miss Carrie Watkins is quite ill at her home, "Navasink" Chesterfield county. Dog medals are now to be had at the Auditor's office, and within the next few days the police will make their annual canvass of the city for unlicensed dogs.

Barton Heights News Notes. Miss Maude Plummer, of Hanover county, is the guest of Miss Jennie Bullen, of Lamb Avenue. Mrs. S. B. Brady has returned to her home, on Barton Avenue, after a very pleasant visit to friends and relatives in West Virginia.

Miss Lillian Kilby is visiting Mrs. F. O. Purvis, of North Avenue and Home Street. Dr. R. H. Pitt, of Lamb Avenue leaves to-day for Accomac county, Va., to attend the Association.

Mr. William D. Long returned yesterday to Newport News, after a short visit to his mother, Mrs. S. E. Long, of North Avenue. Mrs. Helen C. Tritton and daughters, Misses Lottie and Constance, for Barton Avenue, are visiting friends at Belona, Powhatan county, Va. Mrs. M. H. Moore, of Chicago, Ill., is the guest of Mrs. S. E. Long, of North Avenue. Miss Myrtle Dover and brother, Dover,

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WATERSPOUT AT LYNCHBURG. The Cotton Mill and Railroad Suffer Heavy Damage. (So-called Dispatch to The Times.)