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THE FIGHT WILL BE FOR DELAY

Appropriations Bill to Come Up To-Day.

NORFOLK PEOPLE HERE IN FORCE

They Want the Exposition and Many Other Things—Move to Discharge the Suffrage Committee—Legislative and Con-vention Gossip.

The appropriations bill will come up in the Senate as the special order at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon.

The discussion over section 2 of the Judiciary report, relating to the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court, will probably be concluded to-day, Judge Robertson, who was expected to lead the opposition to the report, has not yet appeared.

The House Committee on Privileges and Elections met yesterday and had the contest of Bibb and Lambeth against Woodard and Woodard up for consideration.

The census shows that both Newport News and Norfolk county are entitled to more representation, and the House membership—49 Senators and 40 Delegates—has already been reached, there will have to be other districts cut off if these are allowed. So, in fact, the apportionment will have to extend to other counties.

The Constitution provides that there shall be an apportionment in 1891 and every tenth year thereafter. The question was raised as to whether the bill had to be passed in 1901, or whether it began now, it could be finished during this session.

The committee appointed Messrs. S. Gordon Cumming, Cabell and Hunley to get the opinion of Attorney-General Montague and report to-day at 11 o'clock.

The committee reported favorably the bill introduced by Hon. Moses Green to punish those who intimidate judges of elections. This is intended to meet recent cases in Norfolk county.

Speaker Ryan, in reference to the statement made by Mr. Boaz in Sunday's Times to the effect that the Legislature would not extend the session after the 31st of March without pay, says that Mr. Boaz is mistaken as to the facts. He says that the Legislature adjourns on the 31st of March, but that the Convention would have finished its work by that time. "If, however, the convention is still in session when we return," says the Speaker, "there will be plenty of work for the Legislature to do," and he will guarantee that every member of the House will vote to extend the session without pay.

The apportionment bill will have to be re-appropriated, both for members of the Legislature and for members of Congress. Electoral Boards for the State will have to be named; there are many local bills on the calendar which also have to be passed, and since very important to the localities asking for such legislation.

The final report of the Committee on Education as to the composition of the State Board of Education will be bitterly fought in the committee.

The composition of the board, as reported by the committee, on reconsideration, is as follows: Governor, Attorney-General, and Superintendent of Public Instruction, elected by the people; chairman of the faculties of the University of Virginia and Virginia Polytechnic Institute, holding by virtue of these positions, and one county and one city superintendent, chosen by the other members of the board. The last two hold for two years and are to take no part in the selection of members.

Hon. Charles M. Wallace, Jr., yesterday offered in the House a bill incorporating the Old Dominion Company, and it was referred to the Committee on General Laws. The capital stock of the company is \$1,000,000.

Yves and Nove. E. W. V. — C. G. Archer, of Brewer, Maine, says: "I have had Catarrh for several years. Water would run from my eyes and nose for days at a time. About four months ago I was induced to try Dr. Agnew's Catarrh Powder, and since using the wonderful remedy I have not had an attack. It relieves in ten minutes." 50 cents.—S. Sold by the Tragle Medicine Company.

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MAINLY ABOUT PEOPLE

Mr. James B. Blanks, of Petersburg, was in the city yesterday. The Choral Union rehearsals at Beth Ababa have been discontinued until after the first of the year.

The stated communication of Amity Lodge, No. 76, A. F. and A. M., will be held at the Masonic Temple this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Early yesterday afternoon a horse belonging to Mr. Skelton, became frightened and ran up Ninth Street. Mr. Skelton fell when he was getting in the buggy and hurt his knee. When the horse reached Ninth and Franklin Dr. A. Carey Oppenheimer succeeded in stopping it.

It is always a treat to go to the Bijou when the musical comedy company comes to town. As a matter of course the house was packed to the doors last night, and when the curtain fell for the last time everybody went away happy and contented. In the opinion of many "A Contented Woman" was one of the best of the Hoyt plays seen here.

David Andradá was the colored servant, and he was in very good voice. Eva Purball, petite and captivating, made much of a small bit. Of course, Agnes Howard, the "contented woman" was the star of the evening, and she fully deserved the honor. Her work shows style, finish and a personal magnetism that will win any audience. Mary Marble and Lillian Chip contributed very specialties.

Marie Hodgson, a new comer, did some very clever toe-dancing. She has good looks also—something rare in this class of dancers. A serenade by the sextette was the best musical feature of the evening, although the popular award would go to "My Lady Bumble Bee," sung by Otis Harlan. In this Max Hoffman has written another of those dainty, catchy little songs that everybody hums and whistles before the work is over. The chorus work was good, and the scenic effects better than usual. There will be a matinee to-day.

It is not generally known that Madame Emma Nevada, who appears with her company at the Academy of Music to-night, has sung in more theatres than any other living singer, with one exception, Adelina Patti. Nevada has sung before all the crowned heads of Europe, and was the last singer to appear before the late Queen Victoria. During the last illness of the British queen, Nevada received a royal command to appear at Osborne. She was cordially received there, and when leaving was presented by Queen Victoria with a handsome brooch, studded with diamonds and bearing the initials V. R. I. in turquoise, diamonds, pearls and rubies. She also bears the distinction of being the only singer who was ever received by the Pope. For many years, and until the Spanish-American War began, Nevada was the intimate friend of the Queen Regent of Spain, who made a formal apology to her for the treatment the singer received in Seville from a fanatical audience.

The State Board of Medical Examiners will meet at 11 o'clock this morning for the purpose of beginning the work of examining persons who desire to practice medicine in Virginia. There are a great many employable physicians here to go before the board. The sessions will probably last for several days.

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A Panther in Rockbridge—Captain Carpenter Goes South. (Special Dispatch to the Times.) LEXINGTON, Va., Dec. 16.—Captain J. C. Carpenter, of Carpenter's Battery fame during the Civil War, and lately a resident of Buena Vista, has gone to Georgia, where he will engage in work on a railroad.

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What is believed to be a panther has been heard, but not seen, in the neighborhood of lower Kerr's Creek Valley. The wild cries, which were heard by the family of Captain J. D. Morrison and afterwards described to him, were the exact cries or cries of a panther, which he had frequently heard.

These were the words of a saloon-keeper yesterday. He did not mean that the people are patronizing the saloons less, though by many it is regarded as true, but that people who drink call for some other beverage than "old rice."

It is said by a number of the saloon-keepers of the city that beer is taking the place of whiskey as a favorite drink, and that the sale of it all the year has been enormous. Three years ago, when a number of men went into a saloon to treat, they almost invariably called for whiskey in some form. But now beer is asked for, and in most cases some particular make of beer. These men will treat around and go out. Not a drink of whiskey will be taken, and no one will be offering what he has had. Some days there are exceptions, but then they are exceptional days. For instance, all the saloon-keepers sold whiskey. "It was so cold," every one said.

The turn things have taken is to the liking of most people. Good beer is regarded by the temperance people as much less objectionable than whiskey. The beer is made right here in Richmond, while the whiskey is not, and the saloon-keepers make just as large profits out of the beer. Then they do not have to contend with the drunkenness that they used to. This is really a great relief to them.

The breweries of the city are employing large forces of hands, and their output is to the full capacities of their plants.

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