

MEMORIAL ARCH
ON BROAD STREET

Jefferson Davis Monument Association
Petitions Committee.

TRACTION COMPANY'S EXTENSION

Subcommittee on Streets Turns Down Re-
gulations.—Cross-Town Line in Its Original
Shape—To Be Fought Over Again.

Work of Other Committees.

The first business transacted by the
Street Committee last night was its ac-
ceptance of a petition from the Jefferson
Davis Monument Association, through its
secretary, Mrs. N. V. Randolph, asking
the right to erect a memorial arch at the
intersection of Broad and Twelfth Streets.

In making the request Mrs. Randolph
stated that it was done after due consid-
eration. The association had given mat-
ure thought to the subject, and were
convinced that Monroe Park, where it
was at first proposed to erect the mem-
orial, was not a suitable place.

The petition was referred to the City
Attorney and the City Engineer to pre-
pare a suitable ordinance to go to the
Council.

Mrs. Randolph stated to the committee
that the association was anxious to pro-
ceed at once with the work.

Granolithic sidewalk was ordered to be
laid on Broad Street between Eighth and
Ninth Streets, and allegations were as-
ked for the same style of pavement on
Main between Second and Third Streets.

CONSOLIDATION ORDINANCE.

An ordinance giving the Passenger and
Tramway Company power to consolidate or
merge into any company of similar char-
acter was laid on the table for consid-
eration at the next meeting.

A communication was received from the
Hill Cemetery Company calling attention
to the irregularity of the numbering of
houses on South Third Street, Shafer,
West Main, Boyd, Blair and Harrison
Streets. A subcommittee was appointed
to look into the matter. The members
of the committee are Messrs. Mills, Mosby,
Glenn, Burton, Gibson and Baben.

The petition of the Traction Company
to extend its line over certain streets on
Church Hill, which was reported ad-
versely by the subcommittee, will be
heard in a special meeting of the com-
mittee on Monday evening, December 23d,
at 8 o'clock.

A petition from the merchants on Main
Street between Thirteenth and Fourth
Streets was presented by Mr. Mills and
referred to the Ward Committee.

The petitioners complained that the
taking of the Fourteenth Street car
line to Manchester had injured their busi-
ness, and asked for the removal of the
line to its original route.

The contract for laying certain gutters
on Church Hill was awarded Contractor
Weinbrunn.

Cross Town Route.

The subcommittee on Streets, having
in charge the route of the proposed
Cross-Town Electric Railway, met at 8
o'clock last night and made the follow-
ing report as to the amended route: Be-
ginning 50 feet east of Seventh Street
on Canal, double track Canal to Fourth;
along Fourth from Arch to Cary; single
track up Cary from Second to Second
Street between Cary and Main; right of
way for Passenger and Power Company
tracks on Main from Second to Third;
single track on Third from Main to
Bates; from Third to Second, on Second
from Bates to Hospital, along Hospital
from Second to Fourth; double track on
Fourth from Fourth to Fifth; on
Fourth from Hospital to Cary, where it
shall unite with the double track on
Fourth Street.

Mr. Glenn said he could not vote for
the franchise under its proposed con-
struction, nor would he vote for any
measure that carried the route on
Fourth to the city. King opposed the
proposition on the grounds that no bond
has ever been required in similar in-
stances, and Mr. Peters presented a res-
olution referring back the petition to the
general committee recommending that a
bond of \$5,000 be required. This was
lost on a tie vote.

Mr. King moved that the original
petition be referred back to the general
committee, with the bond recommenda-
tion omitted. This was carried and
sends back the original proposition,
which includes in the proposed route the
south end of Third Street.

Clear Water Provision.

The proposition of the Swift Creek
Park Water Company to serve the city
with clear water was taken up at the
meeting of the Water Committee
last night at the suggestion of Mr. Mann,
who thought the matter should be dis-
posed of, and suggested that it be re-
ferred back to Council meeting without
recommendation.

"We have our own water works," he
said, "and we have a scheme before us
for supplying the city with clear water.
If the Finance Committee will recom-
mend the appropriation, and our super-
intendents in the ability of our superin-
tendent, I do not want any one to ob-
ject to the city."

The matter was, however, referred to
a subcommittee, consisting of Messrs.
Whalen, Winston and Garber, with in-
structions to report at the next meet-
ing.

The contract for supplying the depart-
ment with 300 tons of coal was awarded
to W. S. Daniel & Co.

Other Committee Meetings.

The Committee on Poor will meet
hereafter at the City Hall, except on
contract nights. This was determined
upon at the meeting last night.

The only bids presented to the Commit-
tee on Accounts and Printing last night
for advertising were those of the two
German newspapers, and they were, upon
motion of Mr. West, laid on the table.

The contract for book printing was award-
ed to the Planters Printing Company. A
subcommittee, consisting of the clerk and
Mr. West, was appointed to examine the
bids for job printing and award to the
lowest bidder. A subcommittee, embracing
the chairman, Mr. Adams, and the clerk,
was also appointed to examine the
bids for stationery and binding.

The petition of the Traction Company
was considered by the subcommittee on
streets which had taken a trip over the
proposed extension on Church Hill, and
after some debate was referred back to
the general committee with the recom-
mendation that it be rejected, Messrs.

THE PRIDE OF HEROES

Many soldiers in the last war wrote to
say that for scratches, bruises, cuts,
wounds, corns, sore feet and stiff
joints, Bucklen's Arnica Salve was the
best in the world. It is now for Burns,
Boils, Ulcers, Skin Eruptions and Piles.
It cures or no pay. Only 25c. at Owens
& Minor Drug Company.

WE WANT YOUR ORDELS.

for coal and wood the ensuing season.
Our long experience in the business en-
ables us to guarantee you entire satisfac-
tion. Office and yard, Seventeenth Street,
between Cary and Dock.

J. H. WARDEN & CO.



"You Are So Slow."

If the woman at work should make
answer to the other woman, she might,
perhaps, say: "You never had to scrub
and clean when your back ached so that
it seemed that every movement would
break it in two." It's had enough for a
woman to suffer. But when she must
suffer and slave at the same time she
reaches the limit of her endurance.

Weak women who have been made
strong by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite
Prescription, recommend it to others
as a godsend. It establishes regularity,
breaks up biliousness, cleans the system,
and cures inflammation and ulcers of the
female weakness.

"I have been ailing some time now, being
troubled with female weakness," writes
Mrs. Wm. E. Johnson of Annapolis, Md. "I
tried many different medicines and nothing
gave me relief until I began to use Dr. Pierce's
Favorite Prescription. I feel like a new
woman now. I was not able to do very much
before, but now I do the work for my family
and feel better today than I have for years."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pills "lets cure bil-
iousness and sick headache. They do
not create the pill habit."

King and Mills voting in the affirmative
and Mr. Curtis in the negative.

NEW POLICEMAN CHOSEN.

Acting Sergeant James R. Sowell Elected to
Succeed Serg. Art Cosby.

Acting-Sergeant James R. Sowell was
chosen by the Police Commissioners yester-
day afternoon to fill the vacancy cre-
ated by the death of Sergeant Cosby, of
the Second Police District, and Officer
William H. Wyatt was elected to fill the
position of acting-sergeant, vacated by
Mr. Sowell.

A new policeman was chosen to fill
the vacancy on the force. Mr. R. L.
Bryant being the fortunate candidate.

In presenting Sergeant Sowell's name
for the vacancy, Commissioner Bosher
spoke feelingly of the sorrow he felt
in being compelled to nominate any
one to succeed the late Sergeant Cosby,
a member of the City Central Commit-
tee from Jefferson Ward, in nominating
him, Mr. Manning paid a high tribute to
his character and sterling qualities.

He has been employed for a long time
at the Southern Hotel. He will qualify
before City Clerks August 10-day.

When the election of an officer to fill
the vacancy, came up Mr. Manning
nominated Mr. R. L. Bryant and Mr. Wein-
brunn named Mr. James Cox. Other
nominations were: By Mr. Jacobs, John
Shepherd; by Mr. Bosher, Messrs. Goul-
and and Thurman; by Mr. Welsh, Messrs.
Jerry Jennings and Robinson.

Mr. Bosher then nominated Officer
Wyatt, and referred to him as one of the
most active and energetic of officers on
the force. He was elected by the vote of
4 to 2.

The new officer is a machinist and is
thirty-one years old. He has been a
member of the City Central Commit-
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RUSH OF XMAS SHOPPERS.

Every Store in the City Has Its Patronage
from Santa Claus.

Every store in Richmond is busy these
days. Christmas is only eight days off
and the city is in a great shopping
mood. Broad Street was thronged yester-
day, despite the biting cold. The dry
goods stores, the big department stores,
the jewelry stores, the book stores, the
hardware stores, the china stores and the
grocery stores are all receiving their full share
of the patronage, while the toy shop is
a beehive of liveliness. Altogether, mer-
chants think this means a greater Christ-
mas trade this year than ever before and
their preparations have been made, ac-
cordingly.

In the furniture stores there is every-
thing usable displayed to the public
eye. From the reserved, unadorned
bed, to the mahogany with not a shadow
of a blemish, these articles of furniture
are worth looking at. They all have a
charm for the housewife and crowds are
bringing the children where they are
displayed.

In the jewelry shops ladies are
looking out for Christmas presents for
family and friends. Jewels of all kinds
are being sold in the privacy of the home. It
is a happy occasion for the jeweler and
the customer.

As this year, as in the past, are par-
ticularly attractive to the Christmas
lover. In the various shops of the city
there is a great variety of goods. From
the "Merry History" and "Alice in
Wonderland," and "Sartor Resartus" to
"Luckyberry Film." In fancy bindings
and in plain, they are all going rapidly,
showing the general taste for the high-
class of the Christmas gift. Furs are
also popular, and this kind of weather
will serve to make them more popular.
Saskin ermine and Persian lamb hold
their own as in the past, and "sore-
feet" is the name of the new arrival with
"so" has been invented, are likely to hold
their own to the finish.

China is also going rapidly. Fancy
china is being sold in a great variety
than ever before and to keep this cor-
rect, the markets are laying in supplies
of quantities which will tempt the palate
of the most fastidious. All kinds of green
"chinas" are on sale, but the most pop-
ular are the "chinas" which are green
and more than holding their own against the
other green stuffs.

Flies for the Needs.

The following appeal has been issued by
Mr. Henry Lee Valentine, and explains
itself.

Due to the many demands of the
deserving poor, cold and sick, the Cit-
izens' Relief Association begs leave to
call the attention and kind consideration
of our good people to respond.

Not having needed the public for assist-
ance for eight months past, we are now
obliged to do so. Many old people and
little children are suffering, and we hope
to relieve them at once.

Yours truly,
HENRY LEE VALENTINE,
P. O. Box 247.

**DR. TOLMAN AND
CAPITAL AND LABOR**

Speaks to Employers, Labor Leaders
and Traveling Men.

ADDRESS AT Y. M. C. A. TO-NIGHT

All Who Are Concerned About the Problems
Confronting the Striking World Will
Be Entertained—Many Striking Views
Shown—Object of the League.

The lecture of Dr. W. H. Tolman, sec-
retary of the League for Social Service,
at the T. P. A. headquarters last evening,
was intensely interesting.

Dr. Tolman spoke to a number of the
members of Post A of the Travelers' In-
dustrious Association. It was under the
auspices of the T. P. A. that Dr. Tolman
came to Richmond.

He lectured to the employers and the
president and secretaries of the city yester-
day afternoon.

His chief lecture will be delivered in the
Y. M. C. A. Hall this evening at 8:15
o'clock. A small fee will be charged to
this lecture, but Dr. Tolman will not get
a cent of the money. All that he takes
in at the door will be used to pay the hall
rent and other expenses of the lecture.

The address at the T. P. A. headquarters
will be repeated this evening with some
variations. All who attend will be fully
repared for their time and the small sum
of money spent.

OBJECT OF THE LEAGUE.

The object of the League for Social Service
is the betterment of the laboring people
of the United States, no matter where
found. This league was founded by some
of the wisest and best men in the coun-
try, who are themselves employers and
have for years studied the problem of
caring for the men who worked for them.

Dr. Tolman's lecture is splendidly illus-
trated by a fine stereoscopic. He has a
great abundance of views that are taken
from shops, factories, and workmen's
villages in England, France and Ger-
many. These show what has been done
for the workmen by their employers in
these countries as to the time, results, and
the effect upon the men. It is a lecture
which cannot fail to be of great interest
to every workman in Richmond and
every man who employs men, and, in fact,
to every thinking man and woman who
has any concern about the problems which
confront the business world today.



DR. W. H. TOLMAN.

Dr. Tolman is a clear and interesting
speaker, and he has the aid of a good
machine and an excellent operator, whom
he carries with him. The expenses of
Dr. Tolman are paid by philanthropic men
of New York, who are themselves large
employers of men and who want their
condition bettered, and at the same time
Richmond all the more so.

THE AFTERNOON MEETING.

The afternoon meeting was called to
order by Mr. Johnson. To this meeting
had been invited the employers of Rich-
mond and the presidents and secretaries
of the labor organizations of the city.

Mr. Johnson said, by way of introduc-
tion, that the object of the gathering was
to meet and discuss together the problems
that confront the laboring men and cap-
ital, and that the speaker, Dr. Tolman,
who was chosen president of the
Richmond T. P. A., the question was taken
up: "What can be done for the increased
welfare of Richmond?" One of the sug-
gestions that came was to have a better
understanding between labor and capital,
as represented in this city.

Mr. Johnson welcomed the representa-
tives of capital and labor present. He
called attention to the presence of Mr.
James B. Doherty, Labor Commissioner
of Virginia, who, he said, knew probably
more about the conditions of labor in
Virginia than any other person.

He invited Mr. Doherty to speak. This
gentleman responded happily. He said
that the labor organizations were organ-
ized for peace. He spoke strongly in
favor of the use of arbitration and re-
ferred to the recent message of President
Gompers, of the Federation of Labor,
using arbitration wherever it was possi-
ble.

Mr. Johnson then invited others to
speak. Mr. Arthur B. Clarke responded.
Mr. Clarke said that every right-minded
employer wished happiness and prosper-
ity for the men under him. He declared
that he believed many of the strikes were
due to a misunderstanding of the condi-
tions confronting employer and employe.

THE GET-TOGETHER CLUB.

Mr. Johnson then presented Dr. Tolman.
Dr. Tolman told a story to illustrate
the purpose of the League for Social
Service. He said there were once two
preachers, one young and the other old.
The young always had trouble in his
church. He asked the older preacher how
it was he never had any trouble in his
church. The old man said: "You tell
your people 'you'll be damned if you
don't,' while I tell mine 'you'll be blessed
if you do.'" The application is obvious.
Dr. Tolman then outlined the trip which
he is making. He said that wherever he
had been heard the expression "get
together" has been the "get-together
talk," and he told the "get-together
club" which he had organized in New
York city. This club met at regular in-
tervals. Its members were entirely em-
ployers and employes. The meetings are
held at 6 o'clock. A dinner is given,
representatives of labor and employe
and labor attend. They discuss matters

of interest to both, and really enjoy the
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Meeting—Religious News.

The Second Baptist Church was closed
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ers. They simply couldn't get in, and though they
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JEWELRY
For Xmas
Presents.

If you have not made your
Xmas purchases come to us; we
will save you money. If you
have, do not come, for you will
be dissatisfied. We do not hesi-
tate to say that you will find our
stock of

Watches, Diamonds
...and...
Jewelry

one of the most complete and
prices the lowest in the city. Not
the cheap dry goods store trash,
but every article of the highest
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prices astonishingly low.

See our line of Misses' Solid-Gold Rings
for \$1.50 each; rings you pay \$2.00 to \$2.50
elsewhere.

Our stock of Opal Rings was never more
complete.

Set with solid gold, 14 karat, \$20 and
up, with either Elgin or Waltham movement.
Fully guaranteed.

There are a good many different makes
of Gold Filled Cases. We sell the best
filled Watches, \$15 to \$18.

Brooches—We are showing the largest
line we have ever had. Prices from \$2.00
to \$12.00.

Gold Buttons, solid gold, \$2.50 to \$5.00.
Set with Diamonds, \$3.00 to \$5.00.
Locketts, solid gold, \$4.00 to \$15.00.
Gentlemen's Signet Rings, \$4.00 to \$10.
Gentlemen's Colored Stone Rings, \$5.00
to \$10.00.

Walk Pins, solid gold, \$1.00 to \$7.50.
Set with Diamonds, \$3.50 to \$15.00.
Umbrellas—You can match them at
other jewelry stores, but not in price.

Gold-Headed Canees, for presentation
purposes, \$25 to \$35.
Our Comb and Brush Sets, sterling
silver, very heavy, \$5 to \$8.
Comb, Brush and Mirror, in a handsome
case, \$14 to \$20.

Manicure Sets, sterling silver, \$5 to \$9.
Cut-Steel Chatelaine Bags; a new de-
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horse power, 8,000; contract speed, 28
knots.

The official trial of the torpedo boat
destroyer "Decatur," which was held in
Chesapeake Bay, demonstrated that
this vessel is one of the fastest of her
size ever built. For two hours the "De-
catur" maintained a speed of 28 1/8 knots,
without forcing the engines. The recom-
ment of the Government was only 28
knots.

VIRGINIA HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

The Annual Meeting to Be Held on the 28th
of December—Execu-ive Comm. te.

The December meeting of the Execu-
tive Committee of the Virginia Histori-
cal Society was held Saturday night at
Lauraburn, the residence of Mr. Joseph
Bryan, the president of the society.

There were present Messrs. Bryan (in
the chair), Brooke, Richardson, John
Patterson, McCabe, Chandler, and Stand-
ard.

The usual routine business was trans-
acted and the following new members
elected: Dr. E. W. H. Kemper, Indiana;
Messrs. S. S. Brooke, Virginia; E. L.
Lomax, Nebraska; J. Fairfax McLaugh-
lin, New York; Captain William C.
Wise, U. S. N.; General W. P. Craighill,
West Virginia; Mr. John Herndon
French, New York; Mrs. Emma J. Un-
derwood, Alabama; Messrs. Carr, Waller,
Pritchett, Missouri, and L. P. Summers,
Virginia; Prof. St. George Tucker Brooke,
West Virginia; Rev. James Nesson, D.
C.; Virginia; Messrs. Thomas B. Scott
and H. A. Gillis, Virginia; Joseph Hab-
ersham, Chapter D. A. F., Georgia, and
University of Chicago Library.

The annual report of the president,
which is to be read at the general meet-
ing of the society, was discussed and
approved. The date of the annual gen-
eral meeting of the society then came
up. A time was fixed, but on con-
sultation yesterday between the presi-
dent and members of the committee it
was deemed advisable to change the
date and fix the time of the general
meeting for Saturday, the 28th inst., at
8:30 P. M. It will be held at the His-
torical Society building, and will be a
meeting of all of the members for the
election of officers, etc.

Preparations were made for the recep-
tion of Professor J. Franklin Jameson
of the University of Chicago, who is to
deliver the annual address on December
21st. It was directed that a request be
made for the use of the hall of the
House of Delegates on that night.

DR. DICKINSON ENCOURAGED.

He Appreciates Effort of Times in Behalf of
Richmond College.

Rev. Dr. A. E. Dickinson, editor of the
Religious Herald, said to a reporter of
The Times yesterday: "The Richmond
College people are greatly cheered to-
day by what appeared in the issue of
The Times of Sunday. They were little
discouraged, but they thank God and
take courage now. Never in all my long
life have I seen more timely editorial
than that The Times has given the
college in its great paper, for every sen-
tence of which we thank it."

"Yes, sir, it is just as The Times says,
the securing of this hundred thousand
will help other schools in Virginia and
throughout the South. Randolph-Macon
and Hampden-Sydney, and our great
State University will profit by it. I can
tell you the name of a man at the North
who began with giving one hundred dol-
lars to a college in the South and con-
tinued to give, from time to time, until
his gifts amounted to \$100,000. He
then at his death bequeathed generous
amounts to the same Southern school.
I believe that if we secure Mr. Rocke-
feller's \$25,000 it will, in many ways,
help in the work of education among all
the people throughout the South."

"The only way to solve the problem of
losing it."

"Because so many people who have not
the good fortune to live in Richmond be-
lieve that Richmond is not giving its
proportion of the \$5,000. One of them,
and one of the grandest men in our
State, said to me a few days ago, 'I will
not give a cent to this \$5,000' (he
had already given \$5,000 to it), and he
gave as his reason that Richmond ought
to give