

PETERSBURG'S BOOM.

THE ADVANTAGES UPON WHICH ITS PROSPERITY IS BASED.

A New Methodist Church--Conference Collections--A Fine Flag--Other Industries--Personal and Social.

Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch, Petersburg, Va., October 13, 1890.

The advantages of Petersburg as a manufacturing centre and as the point for profitable investment are to be advertised extensively--a thing that should have been done long ago.

It comes home to our people, as metal roofing is much used in this section. At the close of his speech the chairman, Dr. L. S. Foster, presented a letter received from the local agent of roofing company.

THE DEMOCRATS OF THIS COUNTY PROMISE JONES A GLORIOUS MAJORITY.

SUICIDE BY HANGING.

Dr. Francis B. Mickle Ends His Life at St. Vincent's Hospital.

Notable, October 13.--This morning Dr. E. V. Newton, city coroner, held an inquest on the body of Dr. Francis B. Mickle, of Baltimore, who committed suicide by hanging himself in the hospital.

AN UNSATISFACTORY VERDICT.

The Court Awards \$1,300 in the Brooks Damage Suit.

Special telegram to the Dispatch, Fredericksburg, Va., October 13.--The railroad suit of Brooks, administrator, against the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac railroad for \$10,000 damages which began in the Circuit Court of Stafford county on Monday was concluded today.

WHICH, AND WHAT IS IT?

The Way the Line is to Go--General Ewing's Plan for Danville and Bristol.

DANVILLE, Va., October 13.--It is said that a Norfolk company negotiating with the Norfolk and Western for a charter for a railroad from Danville to the Atlantic coast, or that the Norfolk parties propose to build the eastern end of the line from Virginia Beach to some point in Princess Anne county.

THE MATTER POSTPONED.

Mr. John Dunn, of Louisville, who was so feverishly engaged in that city on Sunday, and for many days, in the residence of his brothers and sisters here.

A FINE FLAG.

A. P. Hill Camp of Confederate Veterans is raising a subscription for a very handsome flag, and an amount nearly sufficient for the purpose has been contributed.

THE WEST-END LAND AND IMPROVEMENT COMPANY HAVE TENDERED TO THE A. P. HILL CAMP, CONFEDERATE VETERANS, A SITE FOR THE PROPOSED MONUMENT.

LETTERS HAD BEEN RECEIVED BY MERCHANTS IN THIS CITY ANNOUNCING ADVANCE IN THE PRICE OF MANY ARTICLES IMPORTED FROM IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE REVISED TARIFF PASSED BY THE REPUBLICAN CONGRESS AT THE LATE SESSION.

A WHITE BEZZARD.

A white bezzard, clinging above the city in company with a large number of ordinary buzzards, was seen in a great deal of interest and attention yesterday.

A TENDERNESS HEAVY.

The people who assembled at the depot yesterday afternoon to see the Court deposed had their attention about equally divided between the distinguished visitor and a very ponderous passenger who occupied a portion of the floor of the baggage car.

LEWIS BUNGDARDNER DEAD.

Colonel William L. Bungardner Reported Being at St. Joseph, Mo.

STANFORD, Va., October 13.--Mr. Lewis Bungardner, father of our esteemed townsman, Captain James Bungardner, Jr., died at the residence of the latter Saturday night and was buried in the old family plot at Bethel church, near the city, today.

A telegram was received this afternoon from St. Joseph, Mo., announcing the sad intelligence that Colonel William L. Bungardner was dying.

RASCALS AND SONS-OF-GUNS.

The Way Independent Stubbs Characterizes Republican Office-Holders.

Special telegram to the Dispatch, Martinsburg, C. T., Va., October 13.--Mr. J. M. Stubbs and Mr. W. A. Jones spoke here today. The court-house was crowded. Mr. Stubbs went over the ground which he has so often covered. He assailed the local Republican politicians; he declared Brown the nominee of the office-holders; he was particularly severe on Judge Christian; he declared his opposition to the force bill.

Use HOBSON'S ACID PHOSPHATE.

Dr. J. R. SANFORD, Shenfield, Mass., says: "Most excellent in all cases of nervous system, such as headache and depression."

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