VERY HEAVY HEARTS

The Richmond Rooters Bring Home with Them.

HILL-CLIMBERS WIN AGAIN.

The Joys of That Cup Vanished While the Bluebirds Sipped—A Very Interesting Game, However—Fine Pitching.

LYNCHBURG, VA., September 17.—(Special.)—Lynchburg was again victorious to-day, and the 200 Richmond rooters who came up to see the Pennant Winners down the Tobacconists returned home to-night with heavy hearts. It was a magnificent game they witnessed, however, and was intensely exciting from start to finish. For six innings not a man on either side had crossed the plate. In the seventh Pitcher Mason, who had been doing great work in the box, came to the rescue of the home team with a slashing three-base drive to the right-field fence. Bradley made a great run and gave the flying sphere a smack with one hand, but when the ball was gathered up and returned to the diamond Mason was resting calmly on third bag, from which perch he soon landed home on Berryhill's hot liner to left-field fence.

IN RICHMOND'S HALF.

In Richmond's half of the seventh, however, all the sunshine was taken out of the local rooters' hearts. Bradley waited for four balls, Wells singled, and when McGowan went to first on balls the bases were full. Then Flynn, Richmond's crack pitcher, in emulation of Mason, shoved a single to left, and in the twinkling of an eye Bradley and Wells flew across the plate, and the time had come for the visiting rooters to assert themselves. Their joy, however, was transitory. The home boys put the Bluebirds to flight in the next two innings, and by several timely hits, and errors by Wells, Kain, and Berte, won out by the score of 6 to 2. While Flynn pitched great ball, Mason was simply invincible. Following is the score in detail:

LYNCHBURG.

	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Berryhill, 3 b.	0	1	2	3	0
Leahy, s.s.	0	1	0	5	1
McIntyre, 2 b.	1	2	3	1	0
Plock, 1 b.	1	0	14	0	0
Thompson, l. f.	1	1	2	0	0
Ferguson, r. f.	0	0	1	1	0
Smith, c. f.	1	0	1	0	0
Schabel, c.	1	1	4	1	0
Mason, p.	1	2	0	4	0
Totals	6	8	27	15	1

RICHMOND.

	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Kain, 3 b.	0	0	3	0	1
Smith, l. f.	0	0	2	0	0
Groves, c. f.	0	0	1	0	0
Bradley, r. f.	1	0	3	0	0
Wells, 1 b.	1	1	10	0	1
Foster, c.	0	0	3	1	0
Berte, s.s.	0	0	4	5	1
McGowan, 2 b.	0	0	1	6	0
Flynn, p.	0	1	0	6	1
Totals	2	2	27	18	4

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Lynchburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	2	—6
Richmond	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	—2

Summary: Earned runs—Lynchburg, 1; Richmond, 2. Two-base hits—Wells and Mason. Three-base hit—Mason. Double play—Ferguson and Plock. Struck out—By Mason, 4; by Flynn, 5. Bases on balls—Off Mason, 5; off Flynn, 5. Umpire—Betts.

Batteries: Mason and Schabel; Flynn and Foster.

An Uninteresting Game.

NORFOLK, VA., September 17.—Portsmouth to-day won the second game for the cup, in an uninteresting contest. Norfolk presented a badly-patched team. Tate has left the city, Corcoran has gone to join the Pittsburg National League team, and other players have been disqualified since the season closed by reason of too much jubilation. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Norfolk	0 0 0 3 4 0 0 0 0—	7	10	5
Portsmouth	5 0 3 0 0 2 0 0 *—	10	9	5

Batteries: Weeks, Herr, and Cote; Monyhan, Brandt, and Vetter.

National League Ball.

At Washington:		R.	H.	E.
Washington	1 1 0 0 1 1 0 1—	5	9	4
Brooklyn	4 5 0 1 0 2 0 *—	12	12	0

Batteries: Gilroy and Anderson and McGuire; Stein, Grim, and Dailey.

Called on account of darkness.

At New York:		R.	H.	E.
New York	0 2 2 0 2 2 0 0 *—	8	12	2
Philadelphia	1 0 0 0 0 2 1 2 1—	7	12	1

Batteries: Rusie and Wilson; Taylor and Clements.

At Boston—First game:		R.	H.	E.
Boston	0 3 0 2 0 0 0 0 0—	5	9	6
Baltimore	3 0 1 1 0 1 0 0 0—	6	8	3

Batteries: Sullivan and Tenny; Clarkson and Clark.

Second game:		R.	H.	E.
Boston	0 2 3 0 *—	5	5	2
Baltimore	1 1 0 0 0—	2	8	1

Batteries: Nichols and Ganzel; McMahon and Robinson.

Called on account of darkness.

At Pittsburg—First game:		R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	1 1 0 0 1 0 2 0 2—	7	12	7
Chicago	0 0 1 0 0 1 2 5 1—	10	7	4

Batteries: Foreman, Gardner, Hawley, Moran, and Merritt; Griffith and Kittridge.

Second game:		R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—	1	4	1
Chicago	1 0 0 1 5 0 0 0 0—	7	10	0

Batteries: Hawley, Moran, and Merritt; Terry and Donahue.

At Cleveland:		R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	0 0 0 1 2 0 1 3 *—	7	9	0
Cincinnati	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—	0	3	4

Batteries: Young and Zimmer; Foreman and Vaughan.

At Louisville:		R.	H.	E.
Louisville	0 2 0 0 1 0 2 0 0—	5	9	0
St. Louis	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—	0	4	2

Batteries: McCreary and Warner; McDowell and Otten.

BRILLIANT RACE OPENING.

Henry of Navarre the Hero at Gravesend Track.

GRAVESEND, September 17.—The fall meeting of the Brooklyn Jockey Club began under most favorable circumstances to-day. The air was soft and balmy, and it was a typical September day. The track was in perfect shape for the battle of the giants of the turf. A large crowd took advantage of the weather to see the brilliant programme run off. There were at least 7,000 persons present.

The attraction was the first special and allowance event for all-age horses, at a mile and a quarter. It drew together ten of the best horses, including the mighty Henry of Navarre, the flying black colt Domino, and the great Rey el Santa Anita. In addition, Clifford and Sir Walter were thrown in at weights that gave them more than a fighting chance.

When three events had been disposed of the candidates for the first special appeared. After several false breaks, for which Clifford was to blame, they finally got away in good order. Sir Walter at once took up the role of task-master.

Taral pursued different tactics with Domino to-day. He endeavored to make a waiting race of it, and kept him in the rear of Clifford.

They passed the [illegible] and the first time with Sir Walt[illegible]gth and a half back of Rey el S[illegible]ita, who was lapped to the with[illegible] Henry of Navarre, who was cl[illegible] of Clifford and Domino. This order was maintained to the far turn. A general closing up began as they negotiated the turn, and all but Clifford moved up to Sir Walter. They swung into the home-stretch with Sir Walter a neck to the good of Rey el Santa Anita and Henry of Navarre. Domino, as usual, did not relish waiting tactics. He was beaten before the home-stretch was reached, and he gave up the struggle as soon as they were headed for home. Griffin took matters very calmly with Henry of Navarre. He gradually wore down Sir Walter's lead, and finally won with comparative ease by a length.

Clifford, who came with a superb rush in the final furlong, wrested the place from Sir Walter by a neck. Sir Walter tired badly. Rey el Santa Anita was a bad fourth, and Domino was eased up in the last half furlong. The time, 2:09, was not sensational.

HOLLY HANDICAP.

The other big event on the programme to-day was the race for the Holly Handicap, of the value of $2,000, and it did not result in a triumph for the talent. It was won easily by Ben Brush, who was third in demand in the ring. Margrave, the favorite, finished second, and Crescendo third. The western contingent were heavy gainers by Ben Brush's winning.

First race—handicap, six furlongs—Jack of Spades (108, Ballard, 10 to 1) won, Rubicon second, Lustre third. Time, 1:15 1-2.

Second race—selling, mile and a furlong—Patrician (116, Simms, 2 to 5) won, Song and Dance second, Bombastic third. Time, 1:56 1-4.

Third race—Holly Handicap of $2,000, five furlongs—Ben Brush (121, R. Williams, 7 to 2) won, Margrave second, Crescendo third. Time, 1:01 1-2.

Fourth race—first special of $2,500, one and one-quarter miles—Henry of Navarre (122, Griffin, 9 to 5) won, Clifford second, Sir Walter third. Time, 2:09.

Fifth race—five furlongs—Woodbine (102, Griffin, 4 to 5) won, Frontier second, Sweet Favordale third. Time, 1:02 1-4.

Sixth race—one mile—Lucania (111, Reiff, even) won, Brandywine second, Kennet third. Time, 1:43 3-4.

AGAIN THE YACHTING MATTER.

Correspondence on the Subject of Resailing the Races.

NEW YORK, September 17.—James D. Smith, chairman, and J. Fred. Tams, secretary of the America's Cup Committee, met to-day, and with the authority of the other members made public the letters which passed between Lord Dunraven and Mr. Iselin in regard to the resailing of the America's Cup races between the Defender and Valkyrie III. After the meeting Commodore Smith said:

"The letter first submitted from Mr. Iselin explains itself. I do not know where to apply to Lord Dunraven to get a copy of Mr. Iselin's letter offering to resail the protested race of September 10th, but the following correspondence shows the facts; as his (Mr. Iselin's) letter of September 16th also contains the fact of his desire to resail the last two races, or failing in this to sail the whole match over, which was surely most magnanimous and liberal on Mr Iselin's part. Here follows the first letter:

"Dear Mr. Smith,—I enclose copies of Dunraven's two letters to me. Unfortunately I did not keep a copy of the short note I sent him about resailing Tuesday's race, but as he has my permission to publish it, you can, of course, obtain a copy from him.

"I consider it most unfortunate that we could not have devised some way whereby the last two races could have been resailed. I still hold that if Dunraven and myself had both consented to have those races resailed, the committee could have so ordered without in any way affecting their position.

"Now, of course, it is too late to do anything, and all that I ask is that my offers be fully set forth in the report of your committee—namely, my hailing at the time of the start and the finish of the last race; my asking for a meeting of the committee the next day; my offer to resail both races, and my willingness to begin the whole matter over, under any conditions, and at any place and time agreeable to Dunraven.

"Very truly yours,

"C. OLIVER ISELIN.

"439 Fifth Avenue, September 16th."

"Dear Mr. Iselin,—I have received your note in which you express a wish that yesterday's race be resailed. That is a proposition, of course, to which I cannot agree. You protested on the ground that the Valkyrie had caused a foul by committing a breach of the rules. If she did, she must take the consequences. The Regatta Committee has decided, for reasons according to their best judgment, but which, I confess, are beyond my comprehension, that she did break the rules. I made no protest, and because I thought the foul was probably accidental, but I consider that the Defender caused it. You consider that the Valkyrie was the boat to be blamed. The committee have decided that you are right and I am wrong, and there the matter ends.

"Yours very truly,

"DUNRAVEN."

"THURSDAY, BAY RIDGE.

"Dear Mr. Iselin,—I certainly could not entertain your suggestion. Had the committee ordered the race to be resailed, that would have been a different matter, but how could I possibly agree to resail a race decided and given against me by the decision of the committee?

"I wrote you last night to this effect, and am sorry you did not receive my letter. I had no opportunity of communicating with you this morning, but Mr. Duryea will, I dare say, have informed you as to my views.

"Thanking you for your suggestion, I remain,

"Yours very truly, DUNRAVEN."

CUBANS IN THE HOLD.

No Arms or Ammunition on Board—Is It Filibustering?

JACKSONVILLE, FLA., September 17.—A cablegram to the Times-Union from Key West says that yesterday the authorities there, believing that a party of Cuban filibusterers had effected a landing on one of the near keys, the cutter Winona was dispatched to Pine Key, where she arrived this morning, and found the schooner Lark, of nine tons, off Key West. When first sighted there were but two persons seen on her deck, but Captain Abbey, of the Winona, believing that he had struck the right vessel, sent on board Lieutenant Sill, who, upon opening the schooner's hatches, found thirty-five Cubans secreted in the hold.

The captain, whose name appears on the license of the Lark, was not aboard. One Cuban, named Reyas, was acting as master.

Reyas, not being able to give a satisfactory explanation of the unusually large number of persons on his vessel, the vessel was taken in tow by the Winona and brought to this port and turned over to the customs authorities. There were no arms or ammunition on board, and this fact will, no doubt, make it difficult for the government to make a case against the parties.

By those who are up in international law, it is claimed that nothing can be done with the captives, as sections 5281 and 5291 of the Revised Statutes will not apply to this case.

The thirty-five Cubans arrested were landed this afternoon at 4:30, and carried before Commissioner Otto, who released them under $50 bonds each to appear before him Thursday morning. Carlos Recio and M. M. Cordero going surety on each bond.

Cubans here claim that the party was on a picnic.

Omaha Fire and Police Board Case.

LINCOLN, NEB., September 17.—The Supreme Court met for the usual September term this morning. Among the first decisions handed down was that of the Omaha Fire-and-Police-Board muddle. The decision was rendered by Justice Power, and was unanimous. It decided the case in favor of the new board, consisting of Paul Vandervort, W. J. Broatch, and A. C. Foster, affirming every point made by their attorneys.

Ezeta Moves on Salvador.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., September 17.—Ex-President Ezeta, of San Salvador, has arranged to sail to-morrow from here to his native country, via Acapulco, Mex., for the purpose of leading a movement of his supporters to overthrow the government of President Gutierrez.

Minister Ransom as Arbitrator.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., September 17.—A special to the Charlotte Observer from Mexico City to-day says Minister Ransom has been appointed arbitrator in the Mexican-Guatemalan contention. President Diaz announced the appointment yesterday.

THE OLD DOMINION.

FURTHER PARTICULARS OF THE ACCIDENT AT LAWYERS.

Struck with Terrific Force—A Lodge of Elks Instituted in the Hill City—The Lynchburg Guards Inspected—Other State News.

LYNCHBURG, VA., September 17.—(Special.)—The remains of the five victims of the railroad accident near Lawyers Station, on the Southern railway, yesterday, were brought to this city this morning. The bodies were all taken to Rustburg on the afternoon Norfolk and Western train for interment. There was a sad sight at the depot when the five coffins were taken out of the baggage-car and placed on trucks.

HOW IT OCCURRED.

Near Lawyers there is a crossing the approach to which is down a steep grade. Yesterday afternoon, Joseph Callahan, who lived near Rustburg, and his wife, his two children, one a babe in its mother's arms, and his sister-in-law, Miss McBrayer, went down that road in a wagon, a happy family party. Down the hill and out on the track the wagon went, when the fast train struck it, crushing the life out of the occupants, smashing the wagon into fragments, and killing the horse.

Persons who were near the station ran to the scene, and the train halted a minute or so, but all the unfortunates were found to be beyond the need of any earthly assistance.

TRIED TO STOP HIM.

Later particulars, which reached the city this afternoon, state that a man named Boyleston waved to Callahan to stop, as he was driving toward the train, and that his wife reached over his shoulder and attempted to get the lines, so as to stop the horse. The pilot-beam of the engine struck the forelegs of the horse with such force that the wagon and occupants were thrown around against the side of the tender. With the exception that the head of each victim was crushed there were no marks on the bodies.

LODGE OF ELKS.

Lynchburg has a full-fledged lodge of Elks to-day. The finishing touches—the institution of the lodge, the initiation of members, and the installation of officers—were given last evening. The ceremony was presided over and directed by Dr. Fry, of Roanoke, who is District Deputy of the State. Roanoke, Danville, Petersburg, and Bristol sent delegates, making the exercises most interesting and enjoyable. A banquet at the Carroll followed the lodge ceremonies. Mr. John L. Lee made an address of welcome, which was responded to by Mr. M. J. Hersberg, of Danville.

There were no new developments in the Pannill trial to-day.

Colonel Joe Lane Stern arrived to-day, and to-night inspected the Lynchburg Home Guard.

IN AND AROUND PETERSBURG.

Meeting of the Democratic Committee of Dinwiddie.

PETERSBURG, VA., September 17.—(Special.)—The Democratic Executive Committee of Dinwiddie county met at the court-house yesterday and issued a call for precinct meetings to be held on the 5th of October for the election of delegates to the county convention to be held on the 7th to nominate a candidate for the House of Delegates. It is understood at present that there will probably be two names before the convention for the nomination—Messrs. Thomas B. Clarke and Albert Orgain—both well-known and honored citizens of the county. Mr. Clarke was elected last fall to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Dr. Knox Thompson, but as there was no extra session of the Legislature, has never taken his seat.

The Republicans and Fusionists also held a conference yesterday and decided to have their convention for the nomination of a candidate for the House on the 30th of September. It is not known whom they will nominate, but it is understood that the nominee will have to pledge himself to "honest elections."

In the County Court of Dinwiddie yesterday Austin Shands, the negro who at the last term of the court was convicted of larceny and sentenced to six months' imprisonment in jail and a fine of $100, was granted a new trial on a writ of error, and was bailed for his appearance at the October term of the court.

DEATH OF A WELL-KNOWN CITIZEN.

Mr. W. H. Littlejohn, a well-known citizen and for many years a merchant, died this morning at his residence, on Hinton street, of jaundice, after a few days' illness.

Up down Dinwiddie, Surry, and Prince George counties as safely Democratic in the election this fall. The "non-partisan-honest-elections" dodge does not take with the honest Democrats of these counties and it is not believed it will have much effect in any of the counties of the Southside, the experiences of whose people under Republican rule in the past are too vivid ever to be forgotten. And the "honest-elections" scheme, as promulgated by the late Petersburg conference, is generally believed to be but a scheme to secure control by the Republican party in this State.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Mr. William Marks, an old and respected citizen, died this morning, at his residence, on Commerce street, of paralysis.

Ex-Attorney-General Frank S. Blair passed through the city this morning. When asked at the depot by a reporter what he thought of the "fair-elections" movement, he said: "I don't know anything about it. I am engaged exclusively in the practice of law, and am 'out of politics.'"

Mr. Blair added that no one can tell anything about that movement as yet; as it is now in its infancy.

A meeting of the directors of the Petersburg Base-Ball Association was held to-day to wind up the financial affairs for the season. Most of the players in the late team will leave for their respective homes this week.

Rev. Dr. J. W. Rosebro' went up to Blackstone to-day to deliver the opening address before the students of the Hoge Academy.

ROANOKE'S BUDGET.

Two Marriages—In Self-Defence—Contractors' Troubles.

ROANOKE, VA., September 17.—(Special.)—Julius Liebert, of Petersburg, and Miss Norflete Williams, of this city, were married at noon to-day, at the residence here of Mrs. T. C. Vest, aunt of the bride.

Mr. T. M. Burroughs, of New York city, and Miss Keturah Bowles, daughter of Mr. W. H. Bowles, were married this evening at 5:30 o'clock, at the home of the bride.

Fred. L. Small, a travelling salesman, who has been critically ill at the Hotel Roanoke for some weeks, has so far recovered as to be able to leave for his home in New York.

IN SELF-DEFENCE.

Arthur Williams, the negro who cut several members of the Roanoke base-ball team in a row Saturday night, was discharged to-day, on the ground of self-defence.

James E. Porter, Department Commander of the Grand Army of the Republic for Virginia and North Carolina, left this afternoon for Pittsburg, Pa., where he has accepted a position with an iron manufacturing concern.

CONTRACTORS' TROUBLES.

Work on the Roanoke public building has been suspended, and the contractors are in trouble. Several parties have sued out attachments against E. A. Wilson and D. H. Shank, trading as E. A. Wilson & Co., the contractors, and have levied on the dressed and undressed stone, rough and pressed brick, derricks, engines, tools, and building material now located on the new post-office lot, to satisfy claims. Wilson left the city several days ago to endeavor to raise money to carry on the work. He telegraphed from Atlanta to-day that if the brick work thus far completed was accepted by the inspector, who arrived to-day, he would be able to make things all right.

CHARLOTTESVILLE.

A Very Promising Colt—A Singular Accident.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., September 17.—(Special.)—Captain R. J. Hancock has sold to Mr. Louis Stuart, of Ocean Port, N. J., the racing qualities of the brown colt, Ein, 1 year old, by Eolus, dam Nita, by Imp. Billet, out of Juanita, by Wanderer, until he is 7 years old. This colt is now engaged in $100,000-stakes, and is regarded as one of the most promising youngsters that ever left Ellerslie. He was shipped to-day to Long Branch, N. J.

Colonel Branch has sent here a photograph of a prize medal to be contended for by the regiment to which Troop K is attached.

At the first practice of the university foot-ball team, which took place on its grounds at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, there were twenty applicants for membership.

About 11 o'clock this morning, as trolley-car No. 6 neared the crossing opposite the old bank building, two small colored girls, who were riding horseback, double, attempted to cross the track in front of the car. The car struck the horse, throwing it upon the fender, where it quietly remained until the girls jumped off, uninjured. The animal escaped unhurt, with the exception of a small scratch on its left hind leg.

The Democratic committees have fixed upon September 23d for the joint convention to nominate candidates for the House of Delegates. The ward meetings for the city are to be held Friday night.

The State Woman's Christian Temperance Union held a social in the Baptist church to-night.

Supreme Court of Appeals.

STAUNTON, VA., September 17.—(Special.)—The regular business in the Supreme Court of Appeals to-day was as follows:

County School Board of Albemarle vs. Fariss, Administrator, et als. Yesterday's order of continuance set aside, and submitted on briefs.

Martha D. Penn vs. Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company. Argued by Benjamin Haden, of Fincastle, for appellant, and R. L. Parrish, of Covington, for appellee, and submitted.

The Central Land Company, of Buchanan, vs. O. E. Obenchain and William Joliffe. Argued by William Glasgow, of Roanoke, and continued.

These cases will be heard in the order following: Chahoon (treasurer) vs. McCullough; Noyes, etc., vs. Carter, etc.; Harris's Administrator vs. Chesapeake and Ohio railway.

Assisted in the Lynching.

BEDFORD CITY., VA., September 17.—(Special.)—It is authentically reported that Price Watson, who died near Lowry's last week, a few days before his death confessed that he was present and assisted in the lynching of Hairston Terry, which occurred in the year 1885 at this place.

Buckingham.

BUCKINGHAM COUNTY, September 17.—(Special.)—Judge Thomas Miller, of Powhatan, is here, to preside in the contested-election case of Williams vs. Word. United States Senator Thomas S. Martin is also here, to appear for the plaintiff, with Messrs. Flood & Flood and Hons. E. W. Hubard and Camm Patteson.

Admitted He Stole It.

The young tramp who was arrested at Manassas on suspicion of having stolen the bicycle he was riding, admitted that he had taken it from a Washington messenger-boy. He was turned over to the Washington authorities.

THE G. A. R. PEOPLE LEAVE.

After a Pleasant Stay Here They Are Off for Washington.

The Grand Army of the Republic Club, of Massachusetts, which has been spending a couple of days in Richmond in the course of a pleasure tour through the South, left on a special train for Washington at 1:30 P. M. yesterday. In the morning they visited St. John's church and several other Richmond landmarks, being escorted by members of Phil Kearny Post, Grand Army of the Republic, and of Pickett Camp, Confederate Veterans. They expressed themselves as much pleased with the reception they had met with. In spite of the fact that their arrival was unannounced and quite unexpected by their comrades of this city, various forms of entertainment were improvised, and a generally pleasant time was spent.

There were ninety men in the party, some of whom are members of the Honorable Artillery Company, which is shortly to hold its annual encampment here. Several Federal veterans from Rhode Island accompanied the club, among the number being Colonel George Edward Allen, correspondent of the New York Tribune and the Providence Journal. Colonel Allen is the assistant inspector-general, Department of Rhode Island. Others of the party were Chief-of-Police B. H. Clines, of Providence; his Honor C. A. Meres, Mayor of Centralia Falls; General Nelson Hall, warden of the State Prison, Rhode Island; Hon. David S. Ray and Hon. E. J. Kenyon, both members of the Rhode Island Legislature; E. F. Prentiss, past assistant adjutant-general, Department of Rhode Island; Hon. R. B. Little, member of the Board of Aldermen, Providence; Colonel James S. Hudson, aide-de-camp on Commander-in-Chief Lauler's staff; Dr. C. O. Ballen, a member of Commander-in-Chief Lauler's staff; R. J. Stenes, Superintendent State Institutions of Rhode Island; Hon. S. S. Getchers, ex-member of the Legislature of Rhode Island, and Hon. Thomas H. Ray.

The party will spend two days in the capital city before returning home.

Passenger Agents to Meet in Richmond.

A telegram received yesterday from Captain C. A. Taylor, traffic manager of the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac railroad, who is in Boston, attending the semi-annual session of the American Association of General Passenger Agents, announced that it had been unanimously decided to hold the annual meeting of the association, which will be held in March next, at The Jefferson, in this city.

The association is composed of the "G. P. A.'s" of every railroad in the United States and Canada, and is a representative body of prominent men. About two hundred and fifty of them are expected here. Mr. Taylor, who is an ex-president of the association, said before he left Richmond that he was going to make a fight to get the body to meet here next time.

THE ILLINOIS DEMOCRACY.

State Committee Address Repudiating Free-Silver Action.

CHICAGO, September 17.—The Democratic State Executive Committee has issued an address to the Illinois Democracy. It repudiates the June State Democratic Currency or Free-Silver Convention, at Springfield, and denies that that convention voiced the sentiment of the Illinois Democracy. The address declares emphatically against the free and unlimited coinage of silver. It states that it is ready to furnish voters of the Democratic party in Illinois with documents on the subject, and will proceed to do so.

Window-Glass Goes Up.

CHICAGO, September 17.—Arrangements for a combine of all the window-glass manufacturers in the district were perfected at the Auditorium yesterday, and the price of window-glass was increased 8 1-2 or 9 per cent.

IN HIS OLD HAUNTS.

DR. J. L. POWELL, OF THE U. S. ARMY, VISITS FRIENDS HERE.

The Only National Officer to Serve the Confederate Cause Throughout. He Joined the Richmond Howitzers—Wounded in Three Battles.

Dr. J. L. Powell, of the United States army, who is a son of the late Dr. John N. Powell, of Henrico county, is on a visit to relatives and friends in this city. Dr. Powell, who was born at the old homestead near Yellow Tavern, left Richmond in 1874, and entered the United States army. He bears the honorable distinction of being the only officer in the national army who served the Confederate cause throughout the late war, and it will be remembered by some persons that some question was raised in the United States Senate against his appointment to a commission some years ago on this account.

JOINED THE HOWITZERS.

Dr. Powell joined the Richmond Howitzers at the outbreak of the war. He rose to a staff position and served in Bragg's army for about ten months. He saw a considerable amount of service, and was slightly wounded at the battles of Chickamauga, Missionary Ridge and Strawberry Plains.

Dr. Powell is now stationed at the artillery barracks in New Orleans, and is a staff officer. He has been attached at different times to cavalry, infantry, and artillery commands as surgeon, and has seen a considerable amount of active service on the plains against the Indians.

OFF FOR NEEDED REST.

It is three years since Dr. Powell visited his home, and he has taken advantage of a brief period of much needed rest, which he has been spending with his family at Asheville, N. C., to visit the graves of his parents, the haunts of his boyhood, and to renew a host of friendships here.

He will leave to-night for Asheville, and will return to New Orleans by October 1st, when his leave of absence expires.

Dr. Powell is a brother of the Hon. J. J. Powell, the well-known Wytheville lawyer, who represented Fluvanna county in the Legislature some few years ago.

Germania's Twenty-Fifth Anniversary.

Germania Lodge, No. 15, Knights of Pythias, celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of its institution at Ellett's Hall last night, in the presence of a large concourse of members and distinguished visitors. The proceedings, which were marked by considerable enthusiasm, closed with a sumptuous banquet, which was served at Morganstern's restaurant, on Broad street, and included all the delicacies of the season.

Grand-Chancellor W. E. Garrett, of Washington, was present, and made a brief congratulatory address. Speeches appropriate to the occasion were also delivered by Supreme-Representative D. C. Richardson, Past-Grand-Chancellor Rev. T. Crump, Grand-Chancellor W. P. Garrett, Mr. William Lovenstein, and Deputy-District-Grand Julius Straus.

Death of Mr. B. T. Franck.

Mr. B. T. Franck, who for many years has conducted a picture-frame manufactory on Fifth street, died at his residence, No. 818 west Marshall street, last night.

PUT A BALL IN HIS STOMACH.

Thos. J. Kearney Mortally Wounded a Negro Who Assaulted Him.

As the result of a disagreement as to which was entitled to the whole sidewalk, David Pittman, a negro, lies at his home, No. 2815 Sixth street, in Fulton, with a bullet in his stomach, and Thomas J. Kearney, a habitue of the county court-house is locked up in a cell in the county jail, charged with doing the shooting.

The affair occurred on Graham street in Fulton, half a block beyond the corporate limits, about 10:30 o'clock last night. Kearney, who is a man of low stature, is very active in county politics. He had been at Baker's Precinct in the county to a mass-meeting, and was returning to his home, No. 1117 Graham street, when he met Pittman and two other negroes. Pittman brushed against him and cursed him, and Kearney resented the insult. In a moment the negro's fist shot out and landed with telling effect on Kearney's mouth. This blow was followed by another before Kearney could defend himself. He finally produced his pistol and fired with the result that the ball entered the negro's stomach. The other two negroes ran off when the shot was fired, but Pittman remained, and grappling with Kearney, broke two of his fingers and wrested the pistol from him. Pittman then ran off, and after going about half a block stopped and the ambulance was summoned. It responded promptly, with Dr. Luxford in charge, and the negro was removed to his home, where it was found that his wound was desperate, and would probably prove fatal.

A MAJORITY FOR MAUPIN.

Indications That He Will Be Nominated in Henrico.

Mr. Addison L. Maupin will, it seem from present indications, be the next member of the House of Delegates from Henrico county.

The nominating convention will be held to-morrow, and there seems little doubt that Mr. Maupin has a clear majority of those who will compose the body. Of course the Democratic nomination will be equivalent to an election.

Precinct meetings were held in the county last night, for the purpose of electing delegates. The attendance in most instances was large and the proceedings were full of interest. The convention will be composed of forty-two delegates, so that it will require twenty-two to nominate.

The meeting at Smithers's resulted in two sets of delegates being chosen. There was dissatisfaction with the manner of voting, and the supporters of Mr. Maupin withdrew, and each meeting elected four delegates.

The Maupin ticket, with four names, was elected at Hardin's Shop, but the friends of Binford think he will get two of these. Maupin also got the four at Barton Heights, 3 at Jones's, 6 at Shumaker's, 2 at Bruin's, and 2 at Town Hall.

Carter's elected two Binford men, and the Captain thinks he has carried most of the precincts. At midnight he said it looked very much like he had been defeated.

Personals and Briefs.

Mr. Eugene Massie has returned from Mountain Top.

Rev. Dr. H. M. Battle, of Petersburg, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. William Talbott has returned from Alleghany Hotel, Goshen.

Mr. Berkeley Williams will leave on Wednesday for the university.

Miss Lina Blum, after a pleasant summer's vacation, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Minor Woodward are spending several weeks at Glen Allen.

Mrs. Allen Donnan has returned from Goshen, where she has been for several weeks.

Miss Fanny Thornhill, lady principal of Woman's College, returned to the city yesterday.

Mr. Andrew Nott has returned from Variety Springs, where he has been on a short visit.

Mr. J. W. T. Gilliam, Deputy Grand Master Workman of the Grand Lodge of Maryland, Ancient Order United Workmen, is in the city on business for the order.

Mrs. James Tucker, of San Francisco, is the guest of the Misses Munford, west Franklin street.

Miss Lucy Carter will leave on Wednesday for Nelson county, where she will spend the winter.

Miss Harrison, who has been the guest of Miss Pratt, of "Camden," has returned to the city.

Mrs. B. B. Valentine has returned from the White Sulphur, where she has been spending the summer.

Miss Mary Barksdale has left for Wilmington, Del., where she will be the guest of Mrs. Salisbury.

Mrs. J. H. Barnes, of Middlesex, county, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. H. Mauck, No. 712 east Leigh street.

Mr. Crump Tucker will leave on Wednesday for the University of Virginia, where he will study law.

Mrs. Charles Wortham, Jr., will be the guest of Mrs. Harry Frazier, No. 221 east Grace street, this week.

Mr. David M. O'Brien and bride have returned from a northern tour, and will leave for Old Point in a few days.

Mrs. Jacqueline Harrison, who has been on a visit to Richmond, returned yesterday to her home, in Cumberland county.

Rescue Lodge of Good Templars had a very interesting meeting Monday night. The Grand Chief Templar and Grand Councilor were present.

Mrs. P. C. Holman and Miss Wade, of west Marshall, have returned to the city, after spending several weeks with friends in King William county.

Miss Zelie Minor has returned home from her vacation in the mountains of Virginia, and is at No. 539 west Grace street, her new residence.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Hannon, of No. 11 east Canal street, have the sympathy of their friends in the loss of their bright little daughter, Catherine Anastasia.

The Jewish New Year (5656) will begin this evening at sundown, and appropriate services will be held in the synagogues, as already announced in the Dispatch.

In the Law and Equity Court yesterday: Moses Robinson against Richmond Volunteer Company. Judgment under act of detinue, for recovery of certain property, valued at $168.

Masters Ambrose Page and Clarence Christian Page, sons of Mrs. Susanna W. Page, left yesterday to continue their studies at the Virginia Agricultural and Mechanical College, Blacksburg.

The grand jury of the Hustings Court will convene at 11 o'clock Friday morning. A large number of cases of violation of the Sunday liquor-laws and other Sabbath regulations will be considered.

The Board of Managers of the Richmond Male Orphan Society will hold an important adjourned meeting in the State Bank building this afternoon at 6 o'clock. It is earnestly desired that there shall be a full attendance.

Rev. Dr. Robert P. Kerr and wife have returned to the city, after spending several weeks in the North, and both are greatly refreshed and invigorated. Dr. Kerr has moved his residence to No. 504 west Grace street.

Percy Harris, a 16-year-old boy, was arrested by Officer Sweeny for drunkenness, but on being taken to the station he was found to be suffering with alcoholic poisoning. He was attended by the ambulance surgeons, and taken home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Percy Evans, the latter of whom was formerly Miss Annie G. Pizzini, left the city Monday evening, for New York. Mr. Evans and Miss Pizzini were married by Rev. Father M. P. O'Brien, at St. Charles Catholic church, Kellyville, Pa., August 25th. The bride is the daughter of Captain and Mrs. Andrew Pizzini, Jr., and has a large circle of friends here.

Richmonders in New York.

NEW YORK, September 17.—(Special.)—S. P. Mayo, Union Square; J. P. Powell, St. Stephen; J. M. Wallace, Cosmopolitan; B. Lewis, St. Denis; R. F. Patterson, Grand Union; G. W. Hill, Warwick; R. E. Richardson, Stewart; S. A. Strause, Murray Hill.

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