FOR BETTER ROADS.

DELEGATES APPOINTED TO THE DANVILLE CONVENTION.

TWELVE COUNTIES REPRESENTED.

The Governor Desires That as Many Others Interested in the Subject of Good Roads Will Attend as Can Do So—Many Well-Known Men Among the Delegates.

Governor Montague has appointed a large number of delegates to attend the good roads convention to be held at Danville on the 20th and 21st instant. The delegates designated are taken from the counties in the section of country contiguous to Danville, and include twelve counties. In a statement accompanying the appointments the Governor says:

I hereby designate the following gentlemen, as well as such others as may find it convenient, to attend the Good Roads' Convention, to be held at Danville on the 20th and 21st instant, and beg to urge the great importance of their participation in its deliberations. I therefore urge the attendance of those named, as well as others who are interested in the great work of road improvement. I am advised that reduced rates can be obtained from the railroads by those wishing to attend this convention within a radius of 100 miles of Danville.

The delegates named are as follows:

BRUNSWICK COUNTY.

Dr. T. James Taylor, Cochran; C. S. Barrow, Barrow's Store; E. B. Lewis, Meredithville; P. W. Ross, Edgerton; R. B. Turnbull, Lawrenceville; Jess Jones, Charlie Hope; John F. Lucy, Sturgeonville; R. A. Raney, Smoky Ordinary; James A. Browder, Edgerton; W. H. Valentine, Valentine; J. W. Palmer, Fitzhugh; Ira W. Mitchell, Powellton; J. R. Temple, Crichton; Dr. R. S. Powell, Woodview; R. R. Seymour, Brodnax.

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CARROLL COUNTY.

James M. Jennings, chairman Board of Supervisors, Star; Joseph W. Melton, Cap; Junius Speece, Cham; W. T. Lyon, Hillsville; J. M. Early, Hillsville; Jonas Boyd, Hillsville; Malcolm Sinclair, Hillsville; W. K. Early, Woodawn; Dr. S. M. Robinson, Woodlawn; J. F. Vass, Cap; Creed Mathews, Cap; Oscar Banks, Snake Creek; I. D. Phillips, Snake Creek; Franklin Branscome, Snake Creek; Currell Dalton, Dug Spor.

CHARLOTTE COUNTY.

aCptain John R. Bailey (chairman), Kelsville; George B. Russell, Drake's Branch; G. W. Berkley, Rough Creek; A. S. Barksdale, Randolph; S. W. Clay, Wren; S. C. Daniel, Hilecroft; Carrington Grigsby, Charlotte Courthouse Captain J. E. Robertson, Charlotte Courthouse; Colonel W. Miles Cary, Randolph; C. M. Hailey, Ontario; J. Flood Morton, Hillandale; G. W. Watson, Taro; J. W. Gilchrist, Abell; E. R. Monroe, Aspinwall; C. M. Brooks, Drake's Branch; H. C. Rice, Cole's Ferry.

FRANKLIN COUNTY.

O. H. Price, Rocky Mount; W. H. Hale, Rocky Mount; R. S. Brown, Rivermont; D. H. Burger, Union Hall; W. L. Garrett, Rocky Mount; J. S. Dudley, Union Hall; Charles D. Lee, Pin Hook; H. W. Poindexter, Scruggs; J. A. Norman, Haleford; D. C. Dickinson, Union Hall; J. S. Jones, Pig River; O. Chitwood, Kennetts; J. N. Carper, Rocky Mount; Wiley A. Via, Pig River; Daniel Kinsey, Helms.

HALIFAX COUNTY.

Major H. A. Edmondson, Houston; A. E. Wilkins, Mount Carmel; C. C. Mason, Black Walnut; Dr. R. P. Thornton, Republican Grove; Howell C. Lacy, Scottsburg; D. W. Owen, Black Walnut; Henry Easley, South Boston; R. R. Noblin, South Boston; William J. Jordon, South Boston; John R. Edmunds, Houston; R. Holt Easley, Houston; Joseph Johnson, Houston; Rev. B. Barksdale, Brooklyn; John C. Baldwin, Cross Roads; T. C. Watkins, Watkins; T. B. Clark, Clarkton; R. H. Beasley, South Boston; R. M. C. Glenn, South Boston.

HENRY COUNTY.

J. H. Spicer, R. White Blair, P. P. Watson, N. H. Hairston, Rev. Hugh Smith, Martinsville; J. R. Armstrong, Irisburg; H. C. Gravely, Leatherwood; P. W. Spencer, Spencer; Thomas Startling, Byrdville; J. M. Barker, Lone Oak; Rev. O. C. Turner, Figsboro'; Dr. N. P. Dillard, Oak Level; J. R. Bondurant, Martinsville; W. H. Gravely, Martinsville; J. S. Scales, Byrdville.

LUNENBURG COUNTY.

W. C. Winn (chairman), Pleasant Grove; T. A. Overby, Blackstone; D. R. Love, Reedy; Nat Matthews, Macfarlands; Theo. Orgain, Tinkling; H. R. Bagley, Epes; John W. Wall, Whittles' Mill; J. B. Bell, Watsboro'; Walter Williams, Kunath; T. J. Arvin, Meherrin; Welington Featherton, Lochleven; W. J. Wilkerson; Lochleven; R. W. Manson, Jorkensen; J. T. Waddill, New Plymouth; Sam Bently, Rehobeth.

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MECKLENBURG COUNTY.

Hon. J. N. Hutcheson, Baskerville; T. N. Williams, Clarksville; Colonel J. Thomas Goode, Skipwith; Captain W. W. Davies, Chase City; Walter V. Gregory, Chase City; C. T. Baskerville, Boydton; Oscar Rainey, Buffalo Lithia Springs; J. E. Pennington, Brodnax; A. C. Orburn, North View; William A. Bryson, Boydton; Captain T. D. Jeffress, Chase City; T. E. Roberts, Chase City; J. W. Hendrick, Palmer Springs; Judge Henry Wood, Clarksville; W. A. Jamieson, Boydton.

NOTTOWAY COUNTY.

R. W. Tuggle, Blackstone; W. H. Jeffress, Burkeville; A. C. Beville, Wellville; T. K. Bishop, Spainville; Joseph M. Hurt, Blackstone; W. A. Land, Blackstone; Thornton Jeffress, Fergusonville; John S. Epes, Blackstone; D. R. Mebane, Blackstone; Captain E. F. Lockett, Crewe; T. O. Sandy, Burkeville; W. J. Burton, The Falls; I. L. Powell, Forkland; Solon Harding, Burkeville; Edward S. Deane, Nottoway Courthouse; R. H. Ingram, Winnie.

PATRICK COUNTY.

Hon. C. P. Nolen, Charity; Hon. S. R. Akers, Woolwine; P. C. Reynolds, Meadows-of-Dan; George D. Hubbard, Ballard; C. L. Harbour, Buffalo Ridge; John W. Fulton, Nettle Ridge; P. L. Penn, Stella; Major M. Oaks, Critz; J. H. Rangeley, Stuart; H. L. Hylton, Nettle Ridge; S. H. Dunkley, Peter's Creek; H. C. Clark, Lone Cedar; E. P. Barnard, Mayberry; T. L. Clark, Stuart; Thomas Smith, Mayberry.

PITTSYLVANIA COUNTY.

Captain W. C. Tate, Chalk Level; Hon. H. C. Allen, Dry Fork; A. S. Shields, Spring Garden; I. W. Fitzgerald, Ingram; Walter Coles, Jr., Sonan's; S. L. Mersain, Chalk Level; T. H. Terry, Pickaway; P. C. Keesee, Keeling's; Edmund Fitzgerald, Ray; William Cousins Calland's; James R. Bailey; Keelin's; Isaac T. Coles, Iola; I. B. Stone, Castor; I. W. Fuller, Whitmel; George W. Ramcey, Loshes; R. J. Anderson, Elba; R. A. Terry, Spring Garden; G. A. Creasy, Mount Airy; Joseph D. Reynolds, Fall Creek; R. Logan Coleman, J. Hunt Hargrove, Chatham; Judge James L. Tredway, Chatham; P. L. Comer, Mount Cross; J. H. Flippin, Atlas; Hon. John L. Hurt, Hurt's.

ROANOKE COUNTY.

Colonel C. C. Taliaferro, Roanoke city; J. Allen Watts, Roanoke city; John Woodrum, William H. Barnett, Stephen F. Thrasher, James C. Langhorne, Charles W. Chapman, Josiah Brewbaker, Charles Bush, Isaac Vineyard, Nathan Gorst, Coles Terry, William H. Richardson, Thomas M. Bell, William W. Brand, Nelson Barnett, Joseph R. Woods.

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25 cts PER VIAL
WILL ERADICATE WORMS FROM THE HUMAN BODY.
WRIGHT'S INDIAN VEGETABLE PILLS CO., New York
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Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey Cures Bronchitis, Grip, and All Diseases of the Throat and Lungs.

If your throat is weak, or if you are troubled in any way with grip or bronchitis; if you have consumption, Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey will cure you. It aids digestion, stimulates and enriches the blood, invigorates the brain, builds nerve tissue, tones up the heart, fortifies the system against disease germs, and prolongs life.

SURE CURE FOR BRONCHITIS.

Gentlemen: Early last spring I was taken with Chronic Malaria. I began to lose flesh. Bronchitis set in and catarrh of the air passages followed. I tried most everything, but found no relief, till I took Duffy's Malt Whiskey. I commenced gaining strength, and after taking fifteen bottles I had gained 40 pounds which I had lost before I began taking your whiskey. I would advise all who have similar trouble to take Duffy's Malt Whiskey. It has cured me from troubles when nothing else would give me relief. B. C. HENNING,
October 17, 1901. Coraopolis, Pa.

Be careful and see that "Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey" is on the label, and that it is our own patent bottle, with the name blown in the bottle. This is the only way Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey is sold. If offered in bulk or in flasks it is a fraud.

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Two game counters for whist, euchre, etc., sent free; send 4 cents in stamps to cover postage on counters. Also, a valuable medical booklet. Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey is sold by all druggists, grocers, or direct, at $1 a bottle. It is the only whiskey recognized by the government as a medicine. DUFFY MALT WHISKEY COMPANY, Rochester, N. Y.

LARGE CROWD SAW THE DRILL.

Full Dress Parade by Seventieth Regiment Was Successful Last Night.

The crowd in attendance upon the full dress parade of the Richmond companies of the Seventieth Regiment at the Seventh-Street Armory last night was by far the largest at the Armory during the year past. The five companies—A, Captain Saville; B, Captain Miller; C, Lieutenant Skipwith; F, Captain Thompson, and H, Captain Baptiste—were full, and in the splendid gray uniform presented a striking appearance. Jardella's Band and the newly organized Drum Corps, the latter under Sergeant Eddins, were present, and with their music added everything to make a full dress parade a complete success. Colonel George Wayne Anderson was in command, but Major A. S. Lanier and Adjutant C. G. Bossieux assisted in the evolutions.

The drill lasted considerably more than an hour, and when "dismiss" was given by the respective commanders the men were unusually enthusiastic over the evening's work.

Adjutant-General Nalle, the line commissioned officers of the line of the Blues' Battalion, and Chief-of-Police Howard were interested spectators at the parade.

The school of officers of the Seventieth Regiment will be resumed during the first week in March. The exact day has not yet been determined upon. The school is designed for instruction for the commissioned officers of the Richmond companies of the regiment. Last winter it met once a week, and was dispensed with upon the advent of warm weather.

HOUSE BURNED YESTERDAY.

Residence of Mrs. J. T. Rogers Destroyed—Furniture Saved.

At 1:50 o'clock yesterday afternoon an alarm was sent in from Box No. 135, at Grove avenue and Beach street. The fire, which had gained considerable headway before the alarm was sounded, was located in the upper part of No. 1115 Grove avenue. Mrs. J. T. Rogers occupied the house. Most of the furniture was saved, as there were many willing hands to remove it to the street. The second floor was gutted, and the roof practically destroyed.

Engines Nos. 5 and 6 and Truck No. 3 responded promptly, and did all possible to stay the progress of the flames. Engine Company No. 6 was greatly hampered by having a frozen plug to deal with.

Notes of the Railroads.

The railway conductors of the Norfolk and Western have demanded more pay. A committee representing the Order of Railway Conductors recently called on General-Manager Johnson and made the request for more wages. The request has not been acted on.

Mr. Frank Saunders, the recently appointed claim agent of the Chesapeake and Ohio, has removed his family to Clifton Forge from Huntington. Mr. W. H. R. Terry, who was recently made the superintendent of bridges and buildings, has done the same thing.

Mr. Darwin Bashaw, a popular engineer of the Chesapeake and Ohio, has recovered from a recent illness in the hospital at Clifton Forge, and is about as ready for work as ever.

At the Governor's Mansion.

Chief Adkins, of the Chickahominy tribe of Indians in King William county, called on Governor Montague yesterday to pay his respects and also to urge that separate schools be provided for the children of the tribe. He is tired having them taught with negroes. The State Board of Education will have the decision in the matter.

Colonel J. L. Saunders, of King and Queen county, a kinsman of the Governor's and a member of his staff, was in the city yesterday.

LYNCHBURG.

Death of an Old Citizen—A Marriage.

LYNCHBURG, VA., February 13.—(Special.)—The funeral of Mr. Rhodam L. Bigbie, who died at the Home and Retreat Tuesday night, took place this afternoon at 3 o'clock from the residence of Mr. William B. Bigbie, nephew of the deceased. The interment was in the Presbyterian Cemetery, with Masonic honors.

Mr. Rhodam Bigbie was a native of Bedford county, and was in his 73d year. As a young man, he engaged in the tobacco business in this city, but in 1859, fired by the spirit of adventure, he went to California. This was before the transcontinental railroads had made this journey a luxury, and he had to walk most of the way from St. Louis to the Golden Gate. Mr. Bigbie remained in California for many years, and prospered, becoming the owner of a valuable fruit-farm. About twelve years ago he returned to Lynchburg, residing here until his death. He was a Mason, ardently devoted to the interests of the order. He was never married. Mr. W. N. Bigbie, of this city; Mr. John A. Bigbie, of Bedford, and Mr. George Bigbie, of Richmond, are his half-brothers.

Mr. W. Eustace Shelser, of Quincy, Fla., and Miss Nora Jones, of this city, were married yesterday afternoon at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. M. E. Jones. They left for a southern tour, after which they will proceed to their future home at Quincy.

TO DON THE STRIPES.

BUNCH OF FOURTEEN WHITE MEN BROUGHT TO PENITENTIARY.

THIRTEEN FROM RUSSELL COUNTY.

Aggregate Terms of Imprisonment 179 Years—Chained Together in Blocks of Four or Five—The Men Are Rough, Hardy-Looking Fellows, Typical Mountaineers—Their Names and Sentences.

Penitentiary Guards J. W. White, John R. Moss, and Deputy-Sheriff Hunt, of Russell county, yesterday brought to the penitentiary fourteen convicts, thirteen of them from Russell, the aggregate of whose terms of imprisonment is 179 years. The thirteen Russell-county men are sent up for terms aggregating 161 years, and the other one is sent from Wythe county for a term of eighteen years. The crimes in both cases are murder, the thirteen Russell-county men being convicted of the same murder, that of John Osborne, slain in that county on Christmas-Day. The Wythe-county man, Henry L. Ratliffe, was convicted of the murder of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Louisa C. Huddle, in December.

CHAINED IN BUNCHES.

The men arrived in this city yesterday, being chained together in bunches or blocks of four or five, to insure their safe transportation and delivery.

The following are the names of the prisoners, with their terms of imprisonment:

King Ray, Wilson Ray, Jonah Ray, Thomas Ray, Charless Ball, and Bauzy Ball, eighteen years each.

Thomas Ball, Green Ball, James Ball, and James Pickett, five years each.

Walter Hess and Joseph Hess, sixteen years each.

John Henry Hess, who is only 17 years old, one year.

Henry L. Ratliffe, Wythe county, eighteen years.

BREAKS THE RECORD.

This is the largest number of white convicts ever sent from one county at one term of court to serve penitentiary terms. The men are all rough, hardy-looking fellows, typical mountaineers, of hardly average intelligence. They are all young, the average age of the sixteen being but 22 years, and the youngest 17. The Russell-county men, it is understood, attribute their crime to drink. They are apparently quiet, inoffensive mountaineers, and are expected to be good prisoners. The men were neatly but plainly dressed, and showed considerable feeling as they realized the fate in store for them. The men were given their convict garb yesterday, and will be examined and assigned to cells and to work in a day or two.

Ratliffe's crime was particularly revolting. He blew the top of his mother-in-law's skull away with a shotgun, because she had transferred her property in such a way that he could not obtain possession of it. His wife and children escaped his drunken frenzy and fled to a neighbor's.

ONE LEFT BEHIND.

Besides this bunch of fourteen, one was left behind, being too ill to travel. He is in the Russell county jail. This one is sentenced to six years.

There were 1,188 prisoners in the penitentiary yesterday, before the arrival of the fourteen. There are now 1,202. Before the establishment of the State Convict Farm there have been at times over 1,700 prisoners in the penitentiary. Now the total, including those at the farm, is very much less than that number. If the institution is crowded now, it was very much worse dongested before the farm was established.

THE TURNER FIGHT IN KENTUCKY.

Nine Men Known to Be Dead—Survivors of the Battle Still Defiant.

MIDDLESBORO', KY., February 13.—Although the scene of the fight yesterday between the Sheriff's posse and Lee Turner's men is less than four miles from this city, it is still impossible to ascertain the exact casualties on the Turner side. It is known that nine men, all told, are dead, but it is not yet known definitely how many men were in the log cabin when the officers made the attack and burned it, and it may be that several were killed or wounded and were consumed in the flames. These who escaped retired to the Cumberland mountains and are still defiant.

The dead are Deputy-Sheriff Charles Cecil, Posseman John Doyle, and the following mountaineers: Charles Dye (negro), Marsh Wilson, Perry Watson, Frank Johnson (bartender), Mike Welsh, Jim Prado, and Joe Hopper.

There are reports of wounded Turner men being carried into the mountains.

MANY MURDERS NEAR THE HUT.

Numerous murders have for years been reported as having been committed in and about the noted log hut, which was surrounded by a barricade, thirty feet high, and there are general expressions of satisfaction over its destruction.

A month ago, some mules owned by Turner were levied upon because of a debt due Giles Colson. A week ago, Turner, with a bodyguard, went to Virginia, where the mules had been taken, and regained them. While escaping, Boore McCreary, one of Turner's aides, was mortally wounded. Yesterday afternoon, Deputy-Sheriff Thompson, of Bell county, swore in a posse of fifty citizens of Middlesboro', to arrest Turner and the men implicated in the Virginia raid. Turner heard of this, and gathered the mountaineers into his fortress for his defence.

THE BATTLE OF WEDNESDAY.

When the posse arrived a demand for surrender was refused, and firing began at once. Deputy-Sheriff Cecil was killed in front of Turner's gate. John Doyle, a member of the posse, endeavored to secure the body, and was shot dead. Enraged by this, the posse set fire to the wooden fortress. The flames spread rapidly and a steady stream of bullets was poured into the barricade, resulting in the known death of seven other men. Finally, a number of Turner men fled to the mountains. Trouble is expected, however, before any arrests are made on the charge of murdering Cecil or Doyle. Lee Turner and his brother, with a large force, are at the ruins of "the Quarter-House" to-day, and will allow no one from Middlesboro' to pass to the Mingo mines or elsewhere.

Meanwhile, the officers are reticent as to their next move.

TURNER GATHERING RECRUITS.

It was reported here to-night that Lee Turner, proprietor of the burned "Quarter House," who escaped from the palisade with his brother, "General," during the fight yesterday afternoon, has been all day scouring the mountains, to gather around him enough men to come against the Middlesboro' officers who burned his fort and killed his staunchest supporters.

The Middlesboro' men are greatly alarmed, and have mustered into service all who are available. The band that went after Turner yesterday has remained together all day. Ten coal-miners from Excelsior went to Mingo mines, where Turner is staying, last night, and offered him their services.

TURNER MAY RAISE AN ARMY.

Mrs. Turner, Lee's wife, who lives here, said to-night that she had not heard from her husband since the battle occurred, excepting once, when Lee telephoned her that he was safe, but she is of opinion that Turner will remain in the mountains and rebuild his place. She also said Turner is a man who does not know what defeat is, and if it shall be necessary he will put up a standing army of 500 mountaineers in his fort.

REDUCED ESTIMATE OF DEAD.

KNOXVILLE, TENN., February 13.—A special from Middlesboro', Ky., says: "The precise number of dead as a result of the battle at the 'Quarter-House' yesterday, at sunset, is now believed to be five. They are Charley Cecil, the Middlesboro' Deputy Sheriff, who was killed at the opening of the fight; Mike Welsh, Frank Johnson, Perry Watson, and Jeff Prader. The last four men were buried this evening, in the same grave, at the old Turner burying-ground.

"Lee Turner, the proprietor of the fortress and saloon which was burned, bought each a handsome casket. The men were his staunchest allies. John Doyle, the town man who is believed to have been mortally wounded, will likely recover. Tom Hooper, an old man who was with Turner's band, was shot three times, but succeeded in reaching his home alive.

TURNER AT MINGO MINES.

"Lee Turner is now at the Mingo mines. He intends to rebuild his saloon and fort, and says he will remain there, if he has to keep a standing army of 500 mountaineers within his palisade. All is quiet to-night, and it is believed that for the present the trouble is over.

"Bones were found in the ruins of the saloon, but it is not believed that they are human. Many, however, are of the opinion that ten would hardly cover the number of dead."

WM. JOHNSON GOES FREE.

Mayor of Williamsburg Discharged Him.

WILLIAMSBURG, VA., February 13.—(Special.)—William Johnson, the colored boy alleged to have attempted a criminal assault on little Martha Clark, aged 13 years, yesterday morning, was given a hearing and discharged by Mayor John L. Mercer to-day in the Police Court. Johnson proved not to be the property of the accused.

The whole matter has been given undue prominence, and it is generally believed that there was no attempt at assault.

The familiar way in which the negro addressed the child frightened her, and she ran away. That is about all there is to it. She says the man, whoever he was, did not attempt to lay his hands on her.

The jury in the case of Louise Barney, vs. L. W. Bebee, unlawful detainer, today rendered a verdict in favor of the plaintiff. The defendant, however, was given thirty days in which to make an appeal to the Circuit Court.

Mr. James Banks Philbates, the only son of Mrs. Andie Philbates, of Toano, who died Tuesday, was buried to-day at Olive Branch church, Rev. H. T. Louthan officiating.

James was an only son and his death is a peculiarly sad one.

ROBBED MISS HELEN GOULD.

Lady's Second Butler Pleads Guilty in Police Court.

NEW YORK, February 13.—Daniel Donovan, known to Miss Helen Gould as John O'Neill, her second butler, was arraigned in a police court to-day, and pleaded guilty of having robbed Miss Gould's residence. He was formally charged with stealing a combination opera and marine glass, valued at $50, but Captain Titus, of the Detective Bureau, thinks he may have stolen as much as $10,000 worth of articles.

The robbery took place while Miss Gould was away on her recent tour of the West. The police have thus far recovered the following articles: One Russian sable coach robe, valued at $7,000, and pawned for $200; a pair of opera glasses, valued at $150, and a pair of marine glasses, valued at $200.

FORGERIES OF RICE'S NAME.

Further Testimony on This Score in Patrick Trial.

NEW YORK, February 13.—The trial of Albert T. Patrick, accused of the murder of William Marsh Rice, the Texas millionaire, was continued to-day before Recorder Goff. When court was adjourned Tuesday evening, Albert T. Osborne, a handwriting expert from Rochester, was on the witness-stand. Mr. Osborne today began an illustration on the blackboard of the characteristics he found in the genuine signatures of Mr. Rice's, and what he stated to be discrepancies he had discovered by analysis of the forgeries. Handwriting-Expert Osborne continued on the stand throughout the afternoon session. He made a series of demonstrations in support of his testimony that Rice's name was forged to the several checks, the assignment to Patrick, and the 1900 will.

Dividend on Colorado Southern.

NEW YORK, February 13.—The directors of the Colorado Southern railroad today declared a semi-annual dividend of 1½ per cent. on the preferred stock of the company.

DEATHS.

CARTER.—Died, at his home in Hanover county, Va., February 9, 1902, ALBERT G. CARTER, in the 78th year of his age.

He was the oldest son of the late Thomas F. Carter and Frances Green Carter, and is survived by two brothers, James M. Carter, of Hanover, and R. C. Carter, of this city.

Funeral took place WEDNESDAY, 12th instant. Interment was made in the family burial place.

LICENSES.

City Auditor's Office,
Richmond, Va., January 25, 1902.

OWNERS OF WAGONS, HACKS, BUGGIES, OMNIBUSES, and other vehicles, for which an annual license tax is required, are notified that licenses for the same will be issued from the office of the City Treasurer on and after the 1st DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1902, to expire the 1st day of February, 1903.

EDW. J. WARREN,
ja 25-tFe 15 Auditor.

City Auditor's Office,
Richmond, Va., January 25, 1902.

OWNERS OF DOGS, BITCHES, AND GOATS, residing within the city, are hereby notified to call at the office of the City Treasurer on and after the 1st DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1902, and obtain licenses for same.

EDW. J. WARREN,
ja 25-tFe 15 Auditor.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES.

WANTED,

RESIDENT REPRESENTATIVES wanted in all principal cities to handle a line of Building Specialties. Applications from responsible parties desired. Give references, State experience and full particulars. VAN KANNEL REVOLVING-DOOR COMPANY, New York. fa 14-3t

FEDERAL ASSEMBLY.

THE HOUSE FOR ELECTION OF SENATORS BY DIRECT VOTE.

CONFEDERATE CLAIM BILL PASSED.

Speech in Opposition to Permitting a Private Corporation to Lay a Pacific Cable—Senate May Vote on Philippine Tariff Bill Next Week—Mr. Teller Would Apply a Protectorate to Philippine Islands.

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 13.—The House to-day unanimously adopted a resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States providing for the election of senators by direct popular vote. There was no demand for time to debate the resolution. This is the fourth time the House has adopted a similar resolution.

Two bills of general importance were passed by the House to-day, the remainder of the time being devoted to minor business. One was a Senate bill to provide for the payment of claims of Confederate officers and soldiers, whose horses, side-arms, and baggage were taken from them by Union soldiers, contrary to the terms of the surrender of Generals Lee and Johnston. The amount to be paid under the bill was limited to $50,000.

The other bill was to confer upon the Spanish Claims Commission authority to send for persons and papers, and to punish for contempt.

Bills were also passed to transfer Carroll county, Ga., from the northwestern division of the Northern District of Georgia to the Northern District, and to construct a life-saving station at Bogue inlet, N. C.

PACIFIC CABLE.

Mr. Corliss, of Michigan, who is the author of a bill for the government cable from San Francisco to Manila, delivered a speech in opposition to the laying of such a cable by a private corporation. He spoke earnestly in opposition to Congress's yielding concessions to private cable monopolies, notably the Commercial Cable Company, controlled by the MacKay-Bennett forces, and dwelt emphatically on the importance of the United States' operating its own cable lines.

"The right to construct cable lines," he said, "is an inherent right of the nation's. No one has a right to lay a cable without permission of Congress. There is no law in existence under which cable lines may be laid."

Mr. Corliss attacked the proposals of the Commercial Cable Company, as intended to establish a foreign cable monopoly.

SENATE PROCEEDINGS.

While no definite agreement has been reached, a vote upon the Philippine tariff bill in the Senate seems to be in sight. It appears likely, judging from a discussion of the subject late in to-day's session, that a vote may be had next week, although the matter is yet involved in some uncertainty.

Mr. Teller, of Colorado, concluded his speech to-day. He urged strongly that the Filipinos be given the fullest possible measure of self-government, the United States simply maintaining a protectorate over the islands. He said he would prefer that this government should withdraw absolutely and without condition, than that the present war should be continued. Mr. Teller said that as a solution of the Philippine trouble he would send to the islands a commission of prominent, able, and liberal men, to say to the Filipinos that they should have the kind of government they wanted, except that they could not become citizens of the United States. He urged that the commission say to them that they need not maintain an army or a navy, and that the United States would protect them from foreign invasion.

"It would be a protectorate I should apply to the Philippines," said Mr. Teller, "and I believe it would be satisfactory to the Filipinos."

JUSTICE TO PACIFIC COAST.

Mr. Mitchell, of Oregon, delivered a carefully-prepared speech in support of his amendment to reduce the tariff duties upon Philippine products coming into this country to 50 per cent. of the Dingley rate, maintaining that Congress owed this concession to the Pacific Coast States, as well as to the Philippines themselves.

Mr. Mitchell said: "If the policy was enforced in the last Congress, of permitting the products of Porto Rico to come into the United States at 85 per cent. reduction of the rates of duty imposed by the Dingley act, and later on entirely free, and this all largely in the interest of the trade and commerce of the people of the Atlantic States, as well as of the people of Porto Rico, then, upon what principle of right or justice or equity must the people of the Pacific Coast States pay the same rates on Philippine products coming into this oountry, that are imposed by the Dingley act? Why impose one rule on our insular possessions in the Atlantic ocean, and another on our possessions in the Pacific ocean? What occult force, if any, is operating on the Congress of the United States, and this, too, without Congress's seemingly being conscious of the fact, which seems to compel the nation's parliament to arrive at such absolutely contractory conclusions?"

SUGAR-BEET INDUSTRY.

Mr. Mitchell warned Congress against striking down the sugar-beet industry, and declared for the development of the American merchant marine.

The Philippine bill will not be considered to-morrow, or on Monday, the Senate having made special orders for both of those days.

THE BRIDE OF ROCKY HILL.

Marriage of Mr. Joseph Morissette and Miss Lena Overton.

FARMVILLE, VA., February 13.—(Special.)—An exceedingly pretty and imposing marriage was solemnized at Rocky Hill last evening at 6 o'clock, the contracting parties being Miss Lena Rivers Overton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Overton, and Mr. Joseph J. Morrissette, a prosperous young farmer from near Rice's Station.

The house was tastefully and elaborately decorated with potted plants and evergreens. Numerous lighted tapers on the altar and about the beautiful arches added greatly to the scenic effect of the room.

The bride was handsomely gowned in a gray travelling suit, and carried lilies of the valley.

The maid of honor, Miss Louise Overton, was dressed in pink organdie, and carried white roses.

The other attendants were Miss Willie Walthall and Kit Overton, Miss Susie Overton and Ben. Walton, Miss Bernice Bradshaw and Sam. Overton, Miss Lillie Walton and Tucker Morrissette, Miss Eltie Overton and Herman Bradshaw, Miss Bernice Bondurant and Rossie Hillman, Miss Maud Wiley and Goodrich Overton, Miss Bettie Sears and Willie Budd.

The young ladies wore pink ribbons, and carried carnations.

Immediately preceding the bridal party to the altar the little flower girls strewed crushed roses along the path.

The ushers were Claude Bondurant, Burnell Overton, Herbert Bondurant, and Semple Weaver. The groom's best man was Willie Morrissette.

While the wedding selection was being rendered the bridal party entered the room, and the ceremony was impressively performed by Rev. S. O. Southall, of the Farmville Episcopal church.

After the marriage came the time for refreshments, and the many guests were served to the queen's taste.

The bride's table was handsomely decorated with American Beauty roses and maiden-hair ferns.

Miss Lena McNutt was in charge of the dining-room, while Miss Susie Watkins was manager of the programme in general, and certainly did her part to perfection.

Many beautiful and useful presents attest the love and admiration of the bride's numerous friends.

Woman's Nightmare

No woman's happiness can be complete without children; it is her nature to love and want them as much as it is to love the beautiful and pure. The critical ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass, however, is so fraught with dread, pain, suffering and danger, that the very thought of it fills her with apprehension and horror. There is no necessity for the reproduction of life to be either painful or dangerous. The use of Mother's Friend so prepares the system for the coming event that it is safely passed without any danger. This great and wonderful remedy is always applied externally, and has carried thousands of women through the trying crisis without suffering.

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TEACHERS WILL ORGANIZE.

Henrico to Have Co-Operative League—Mr. Pulliam to Speak.

The Henrico county teachers will form a co-operative league at the county courthouse at noon to-morrow. The move is in line with a large number of the counties of the State, and it will be a part of the State Co-Operative League of Teachers. There are seventy-eight white teachers in the county, and Superintendent Fussell thinks most of them will bscome members of the league.

Superintendent Fussell yesterday sent an invitation to Superintendent D. L. Pulliam, of Manchester, to address the teachers after the organization had been perfected. Mr. Pulliam is thoroughly interested in the public schools, and it is thought that he will accept the invitation.

There was considerable concern at the court-house yesterday concerning the condition of Constable "Cyclone" T. H. Samuels, the well-known officer, who is ill at his home in Varina District. It was reported that Mr. Samuels was desperately ill and that his chances of recovery were slight. That report, however, could not be confirmed, but his friends admit that he is a very ill man. Mr. Samuels is suffering with a severe case of the grip.

In the County Court yesterday James F. Grimes, who was charged with peddling without a license, was dismissed, it being evident that there was not enough evidence to convict the accused.

The case against W. H. Spindle on the same charge was continued until March 10th.

The liquor license issued to W. P. Terry has been revoked for selling ardent spirits on Sunday. The case has been in the Henrico County Court for some months.

Mr. Raymond H. Hobson has been appointed a special police officer for Henrico county, without pay from the county. He will get his compensation from fees from the State.

ALL CITY COURTS BUSY.

Ran on Full Time Yesterday—Judge Minor in Chambers, However.

In the Hustings Court yesterday William Liggon (colored) was given eighteen months in the penitentiary on the charge of felonious assault.

The case against J. L. Freeman, which went to the Hustings Court on an appeal from the Police Court, has been postponed until March 10th.

The two common law suits of B. D. Chalkley & Co. against the American Hide and Leather Company again occupied the full day in the City Circuit Court. The jury is hearing both cases at the same time. The evidence was all gotten in yesterday, and the arguments will be commenced this morning. The two cases involve $5,000, which the plaintiff alleges is due them for breach of contract concerning the sale of two lots of leather.

Argument in the case of Bellwood against Short was going on before Judge Minor yesterday afternoon. Mr. James Parker spoke yesterday, and Mr. Royall will close. The case will then be considered by the Judge.

Edward Jeffries (colored) was acquitted in the Hustings Court yesterday afternoon on the charge of receiving stolen property—to-wit: One bag of horse feed. This was an appeal case from the Police Court. Jeffries was represented by Messrs. H. M. Smith and H. C. Glenn.

The suit of Robert L. Lindsay against the Trigg Ship-Building Company for $10,000 will be heard in the Law and Equity Court to-day. Mr. Lindsay claims damages because of injuries sustained to his right hand by the bursting of an emery-wheel on May 17, 1901.

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SOUTHERN POEMS AND SONGS.

The Literature of the Land Before the War.

(Augusta Chronicle.)

Mr. Pleasant A. Stovall, in response to the toast, "Songs and Poems of the South," at the Robert E. Lee banquet of the Sons of Confederates, at Savannah Monday night (January 25th), made one of the most graceful addresses of the evening.

"They tell us," he said, "that the old South has no literature. Modern magazines are demonstrating to their own satisfaction that letters did not flourish where slavery existed. Some of our own writers who try to catch the northern eye are led away by the fallacy that under the old regime our people did not make books or poetry, and that the southern pen needed the emancipation which freedom furnished.

"This is a very beautiful theory for those who claim that the muse was unshackled at Appomattox; the only trouble is, it is not true. It was a fact, perhaps, that our best writers drifted into polemics. Statesmen and orators never lived with higher ideas or nobler style. The law held some of the best talent of the day, but beyond all this there was no school of writers with purer English or more engaging fancy. Some of the best novels in the language were the products of southern authors in antebellum days, while the lyric creations of the old South soared above the commonplace standards of the present and reached the highest mark of American poetry.

"Our people possessed the broad culture which grew from lives of easy circumstances, of leisure, of close reading, and of extensive travel. Every farmer had his library, and his sons were trained in the best colleges at home and abroad. The southern heart was deeply stirred by the events leading up to the war. Popular feeling was never more aroused; public imagination never more inflamed; courage and manliness never more assertive; heroism and endurance never more conspicuous, and disaster never more overwhelming. Given these conditions and this temperament, and you have the high Olympus of the epic era. Upon the notes of the bugle call rode