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THE SENATE A TORTOISE

Dragging Along With the City and Town Measure.

MANY MEMBERS ARE AWAY

Not Enough on Hand to Attend to the Business for Which They Were Sent Here—Provisions of the Bill.

The Senate is not making very rapid progress with the bill embracing statutes relating to the government of cities and towns. The delay is owing chiefly to inability to keep the bill before the Senate.

At yesterday's session all the uncompleted amendments were agreed upon and the bill was laid aside for adjournment.

The bill was prepared by a subcommittee of the Senate Committee on County, City and Town Organization, composed of Messrs. Halsey, Chapman and Bruce, and deals with the important subject of city and town government.

The bill makes no changes in the existing law except such as are necessitated by the Constitution, and when the language of the Constitution has been used.

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ASK FOR GREEN TICKET. This Ticket is Given with Every Pair at \$1.00 and Over. CASH VALUE OF TICKET 7 1/2 CENTS IN TRADE. SEE THE NEW PREMIUM LIST.

Hofheimer's Economy Store, 311 E. Broad, 1549 E. Main.

Litcheinstein and Gustave Zander, trading as D. Litcheinstein & Co., 66 feet on south side Grace Street, 802 feet from Allen Avenue, \$2,912.

A. M. and E. C. Meyer and wives to Jane M. Harvey's ex'ors, 44 feet on south side Main Street, Nos. 1653 and 1655 East, \$14,000.

H. H. George, Jr., and wife to same, 25 feet on east side Brook Avenue, 108 feet south of Leigh, \$2,500.

John Munro to D. Litcheinstein, 50 feet on north side Ivy Street, 25 feet west of Sycamore, \$1,825.

Samuel James T. Sloan, 25 feet on Ivy Street, northwest corner Sycamore, \$712.50.

Patterson, Anderson and Holladay, special commissioners, to Mary L. Jasper, 20 1/2 feet on south side Gray Street, 95 feet west of Randolph, \$815.

Dr. R. Fuller Gaskins charges Mr. Isaac Diggs with striking him.

Annual sermon of the Oakwood Association.

Sister Robertine dead.

Had Taught Many Years at St. Joseph's Academy Here.

Richmonders in New York.

Auction sales—future days.

Auction sale of the desirable detached brick dwelling.

For major Randolph.

For sale at a sacrifice.

A nice corner brick dwelling.

Will buy two-story modern brick residence.

AUCTION SALES—FUTURE DAYS.

Auction sale of 146 lots in the plan of West Highland, adjoining Highland Park.

At the request of the "Old Dominion Building and Loan Association," which company is now in voluntary liquidation, we will offer for sale, at public auction, upon the premises, the following:

At 5 o'clock, P. M., on Tuesday, May 5, 1903, commencing promptly at 5 o'clock, the above-mentioned property.

These lots front on wide avenues, running from what is known as the old road, known as the Chestnut Hill and Highland Park Company's properties.

The land lies beautifully, being high and dry, and are as pretty building lots as could be desired near the city.

The company is selling to wind up its affairs and is anxious to sell, so you can buy at a bargain.

By J. B. Elam & Co., Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers, 18 North Ninth Street.

Court sale by auction of brick store No. 42 West Duval Street and dwelling above.

In execution of a decree of the Richmond Chancery Court, entered November 18, 1901, in the suit of Charles Thornton vs. Rose Anderson, et al.

By Wm. B. Pizzini Company, Real Estate Auctioneers, Tenth and Bank Streets.

Auction sale of a desirable detached frame dwelling on Green Road.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust dated April 23, 1902, and recorded in clerk's office of Henrico County Court in D. B. 163 A, page 118.

Auction sale of a neat and attractive two-story detached frame dwelling.

By J. B. Elam & Co., Real Estate Auctioneers.

Auction sale of a detached brick dwelling.

By J. B. Elam & Co., Real Estate Auctioneers.

Auction sale of a valuable lot in the city of Manchester.

By J. B. Elam & Co., Real Estate Auctioneers.

AUCTION SALES—FUTURE DAYS.

Attractive Building Lots in Beautiful Fairmount, A Deservedly Popular Suburb, BY AUCTION.

For the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Fairmount Land Company, I will, under instructions of the Board of Directors, sell by public auction, on the premises, on

TUESDAY, MAY 5, 1903, beginning at 4:30 o'clock P. M., on fifty to seventy-five very attractive Building Lots in the plan of Fairmount.

These lots are among the best and most attractive suburbs which is exceedingly popular because of its proximity to the C. & O. Shops and the motive power of the electric cars.

The absence of bar-rooms and the fact that most of the streets are well shaded, combine to render these lots among the most attractive for the city.

The company is selling to wind up its affairs and is anxious to sell, so you can buy at a bargain.

By N. W. Bowe, Real Estate Auctioneer.

Trustee's sale of an excellent farm with very attractive improvements.

In execution of a deed of trust dated March 1, 1899, and duly recorded in Albemarle County Court, D. B. 117, page 49.

By J. D. Carnel & Son, Real Estate and Auctioneers.

Auction sale of a desirable detached frame dwelling.

By virtue of a deed of trust dated October 23, 1902, and recorded in clerk's office of Henrico County Court in D. B. 165 B, page 175.

Auction sale of a good dwelling on Reservoir Street.

By J. D. Carnel & Son, Real Estate and Auctioneers.

Trustee's auction sale of a neat and attractive two-story detached frame dwelling.

By J. D. Carnel & Son, Real Estate and Auctioneers.

Commissioner's auction sale of highly valuable corner lots.

By J. D. Carnel & Son, Real Estate and Auctioneers.

AUCTION SALES—FUTURE DAYS.

At the request of the owner, who is determined to sell, we will offer at public auction, on the premises, on

TUESDAY, MAY 5, 1903, at 6 o'clock P. M., this valuable property. Lot fronting 24 feet on Main Street and 128 feet between parallel lines 128 feet 6 inches to alley.

By J. B. Elam & Co., Real Estate Auctioneers.

Detached frame dwelling, No. 1808 West Leigh Street.

By John T. Goddin & Co., Real Estate and Auctioneers.

Commissioner's auction sale of two desirable centrally located detached frame dwellings.

By J. D. Carnel & Son, Real Estate and Auctioneers.

Auction sale of a desirable brick residence.

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WILL NOT BE HEARD

Thought Case Against Virginia Constitution Will Die.

THE NORTH CAROLINA MAIL

Why it is So Often Late Made Clear. Richmond Couple Were Pardoned for Their Thoughtlessness—Man from Here Given Limit.

Times-Dispatch Bureau, No. 1417 G Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., May 1st, 1903.

An officer of the Supreme Court, on being asked to-day when the court would fix a date for the hearing of the Virginia cases replied:

"I hardly think the Virginia cases will ever be heard of again, in view of the decision of the court in the Alabama case. It will not be reached inside of a year in the regular order of business, and Mr. Wise will hardly ask that he be moved up on the docket, in view of the other decision. The Attorney-General of the State might ask to have the case moved up to an earlier date, but I think that he, too, will be content to let the matter rest where it is. The Alabama case practically decides the Virginia case, so it is hardly probable that the Virginia controversy will ever be heard in the court."

The opinion expressed by the official just quoted to The Times-Dispatch correspondent seems to obtain here among all who have watched the case. It will probably be the end of all threats of carrying the case to the Supreme Court for relief, and also the end of all efforts to have the Constitution declared invalid. Nothing has been heard from J. M. Wise as to what he thinks of the decision.

DELAID MAILS. Perhaps the people of North Carolina have wondered why the train from the West reaches there so late, but if they would come to Washington and see some of the things The Times-Dispatch correspondent has seen, they would have it explained. The Chesapeake and Ohio train, which reaches Washington in the early morning, about 6 o'clock, carries a great deal of North Carolina mail. In fact, it brings more North Carolina mail from the West than any other train from the West probably.

West of Hinton, W. Va., they have forty-three clerks on the Chesapeake and Ohio. The Virginia mails from day to day, number the clerks and helpers of the same mail practically is turned over to the twenty-seven clerks and helpers in the third division R. P. O. between Washington and Hinton. The North Carolina mail is turned over "solid," as the mail clerks say, that is, unworried, to the twenty-seven clerks and helpers of the Washington and Hinton R. P. O. by the forty-three clerks of the Hinton and Cincinnati R. P. O. The distance is the same practically, and the work the same, yet why the twenty-seven clerks at this end are required to do the work of the forty-three at the other end is a matter that is brought on to Washington. If it had all been distributed it could go out from Washington shortly after 8 o'clock in the morning. Instead, the clerks have to work until 10 and sometimes 11 o'clock before they get their mails ready to leave the car. Then at 10:51 o'clock, some eight hours after it would have left Basic for North Carolina, it leaves Washington, one hundred and forty miles this side. It is undoubtedly a bad condition of affairs, and it seems that the officials of the Third Division of the Railway Postal Service ought to have the matter brought to their attention, so that they might correct it.

The Times-Dispatch correspondent has been assured by the office of the general superintendent in another case that the service seeks to deliver mail in the promptest manner possible, and it is believed that if they were asked to investigate the conditions, steps would be taken to remedy the notoriously bad delay in the handling of the great volume of mail. BACK TO RICHMOND.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Jones, of Richmond, who have been here, and are suddenly clouded by the arrest of Mr. Jones for writing the name of his wife on the Washington Monument, have returned to Richmond. Mr. Jones and his wife were sight-seers, and while visiting the monument, seeing the names of hundreds of

others there, sought to put that of his wife there. He had doubtless read the rule posted up to the effect that it was unlawful to write on the monument, but thought it was simply a rule more honored in its breach than in its keeping, and took no cognizance of it. He was, therefore, not held responsible for the proper authorities, but were forgiven and the matter stricken from the record. The Superintendent of Public Buildings and Grounds said that he was convinced that Mr. Jones had no intention of wrong-doing.

SPONSORS FOR SONS OF VETERANS

Miss Louise Walthall, of Richmond, Named for the Division.

The Sons of Veterans will have a splendid showing at the New Orleans reunion this month. They have increased rapidly and are in excellent financial condition.

Division sponsor—Miss Louise Walthall, Richmond, Va., April 30, 1903.

General Order No. 19: Comrades—The following young ladies will represent the Sons of Confederate Veterans of Virginia at the reunion to be held in the city of New Orleans, La., on the 19th, 20th, 21st and 22d of May:

Division sponsor—Miss Louise Walthall, Richmond, Va.

Maid of honor—Miss Mary Preston Kent, Wytheville, Va.

Second Brigade, E. Leo Trinkle, commander; headquarters, Norfolk, Va.

Brigade sponsor—Mrs. Frank Anthony Walke, Norfolk, Va.

Maid of honor—Miss May Garnett, Newport News, Va.

General Order No. 20: Comrades—Our year will close with the reunion on the 19th, 20th, 21st and 22d of May, at New Orleans, La.

It is the wish of your division commander that every camp pay its per capita tax for 1903 and send at least one delegate to the reunion at New Orleans.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS. A SURE CURE FOR BILIOUSNESS, COLIC, HEADACHE, INDIGESTION AND ALL THE AFFECTIONS OF THE LIVER.

Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price.

ALLEGED ASSAULT

Dr. R. Fuller Gaskins Charges Mr. Isaac Diggs With Striking Him.

In the Police Court this morning a case will be called in which Mr. Isaac Diggs, a well-known lawyer, and Dr. R. Fuller Gaskins, equally as well known, will be the principal actors.

The case can amount to no more than a simple assault, even if that be proven.

ANNULAR SERMON OF OAKWOOD ASSOCIATION

The annual sermon before the Oakwood Memorial Association will be preached at the Third Presbyterian Church, tomorrow night by the pastor, Rev. Dr. R. B. Eggeston. There will be special music.

SISTER ROBERTINE DEAD

Sister Robertine, one of the most beloved Sisters of Charity at St. Joseph's Academy, fourth and Masshall Streets, died at 2:30 P. M.

FOR MAJOR RANDOLPH

Requiem High Mass for Him and His Daughter This Morning.

This morning at 8 o'clock at the Cathedral high requiem mass will be celebrated for Major Norman Randolph and his daughter, Miss Cleland, both recently deceased.

Rosewig's musical vesters will be rendered by the choir in St. Peter's Cathedral for the first time next Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

ARE OPPOSED TO THE ELECTROLYSIS-KILLER

The street-car people are opposed to the ordinance recommended Thursday night by the Water Committee, providing for double trolley wires overhead to prevent electrolysis.

They will doubtless oppose the ordinance, as it means a large expenditure.

LAND-GRABBERS

Delinquent Property, to Be Sold on Monday by the Collector.

On Monday the Collector of Delinquent Taxes will begin the sale of all delinquent property for 1902.

FOR SALE AT A SACRIFICE

A VERY ATTRACTIVE TRACT OF LAND, containing 42 acres, adjoining Forest Hill Park. For particulars apply to

A. L. ADAMSON, Manchester, Va.

A Nice Corner Brick Dwelling, GROVE AVENUE, Deep lot, for Only \$5,500.

It is very cheap. A. J. CHEWNING CO.

Will buy two-story modern brick residence, Main Street near Cherry Street. 7 rooms and bath. McVEIGH & GLINN.

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