RICHMOND'S NEW AMUSEMENT PARK

It Will Extend Over Eleven Acres—Will Cost Thirty Thousand Dollars.

WHERE WILL HORSE SHOW GO

Rumor Says That New Park Will Include the Large Auditorium.

Richmond is to have a summer amusement resort that will be in keeping with such places of entertainment in cities of its size.

The new company, headed by Jake Wells, has taken active control of the proposition, and recent deals have been made to remodel Reservoir Park, or that part of it known as West End Park, equipping the place with modern devices for the entertainment of the people.

Mr. Wells is in close touch with the big park promoters, and is well known to the operators of the most modern popular devices. The fact that he controls some half a dozen big resorts has given him an experience that will be of great value in establishing the new resort, for that is really what the new park will be—all new.

Something like thirty thousand dollars will be expended in making the improvements, and it is possible that many thousands of dollars will be spent by concessionaires who will be granted privileges of operation.

Fountain Head of Parks.

As a matter of fact Reservoir Park will be the fountain head of all the Wells parks, and will be used as a feeder for Norfolk, Atlanta, Birmingham, Montgomery and the other resorts of the South. All of the popular ideas of other resorts will be introduced, and many original schemes will be inaugurated that will tend to amuse and interest.

D. S. Clark, a park engineer of vast experience, has been engaged to rebuild the resort, and has visited the ground, making measurements, and is now at work on plans to be submitted to Mr. Wells immediately. Mr. Clark was active at St. Louis, Cincinnati and Omaha in constructing amusement devices, and has been identified with construction in New Orleans and other Southern cities. He has been engaged in similar work at Ocean View for some time past, and will come to Richmond to take hold of this work immediately.

Mr. Wells has confered with Mr. Clark, who is now at work on the ideas suggested by Mr. Wells, and the plans will be ready for the inspection of Mr. Wells when he returns from a trip South.

The work will be pushed to have the resort ready for the people by regular opening season, when there will be many pleasant surprises.

Officers and Directors.

The company organized to build the new Reservoir Park is composed of the following gentlemen:

President, Jake Wells.

Vice-President, Andrew Pizzini, Jr.

Secretary and Treasurer, A. J. Pizzini.

Directors—Charles E. Albright, manager of the Willow Grove Park, of Philadelphia; H. B. Auchy, manager of the Chestnut Hill Park, of Philadelphia; Otto Wells, manager of the Ocean View Park; Chas. I. McKee, manager of the Academy and Bijou Theatres, and the officers mentioned above.

It is understood that some New York men are financially interested in the scheme.

When one of the directors was asked last night if the Theatrical Trust would control the new park, he answered "No" in the most vigorous manner.

About eleven acres will be utilized in building the park and arranging for the amusements. Practically all of the old "stuff" will be either torn down or removed. The switchback will be taken to Roanoke.

Mr. D. S. Clark, the park builder, will begin operations at once, his contract with the company having been signed on yesterday.

A most interesting rumor is that the new company will take over the auditorium after next October, when the lease of the Horse Show Association expires.

Where will the Richmond Horse Show Association go? is the question that is being asked. There is no other building in or about the city that is lareg enough for the accommodation of the horse show, and it looks, therefore, as if the horse show authorities would be obliged to build.

If Satan Were Santa Claus.

There will be a special service Sunday night at eight o'clock at the Salvation Army Hall, 627 East Broad Street, conducted by Ensign Roper. The subject of the speaker will be, "If Satan was Santa Claus, What Would he Put in the Sinner's Stocking?"

Following the regular hour of service, there will be a watch night prayer-service conducted by Ensign Roper and Captain Perdue. All are invited.

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CORNELL'S HEAD OUT FOR FOOTBALL

Criticism of Game is One-Sided and Unfair, Declares Jacob Gould Schurman.

MODIFY, DON'T ABOLISH IT

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

SYRACUSE, N. Y., December 29.—Jacob Gould Schurman, president of Cornell University, placed himself on record last night, in an address before the union meeting of the Associated Academic Principals of the State of New York, as a stanch friend of the game of football, declaring that the recent criticism which has been visited upon the game, "if not hysterical and frenzied, is at least one-sided and unfair." President Schurman urged that the game should not be abolished. Modify it, he suggested, so as to remove the extra hazards, but to abolish it, he asserted, would be to do away with the most popular sport of the youth of the country and of the American people themselves.

President Schurman's theme was "National Greatness," and after he had spoken of the teachers' share in the development of the country, and had urged that better pay and pensions be provided for the teaching corps of the public schools, he turned upon the physical basis of manhood.

"However strange it may sound to the critics," said he, "it is nevertheless true that athletics have made it possible to govern (because athletics have developed an esprit du corps) hundreds, yes, thousands of students in a single university year after year without the help of jury, court or policeman. If the critics abolished baseball or football, we should implore them, in the interest of academic discipline, to devise suitable substitutes or restore these games themselves.

"Am I, then, an advocate of football? What I have said I have said and desire not to alter. Baseball and football are the best outdoor sports we have for the American youth, and football is the most popular not only among the youth, but among the American people themselves.

"It is a rough game, but taking account of the large number of people who play it—comparing them, for example, with the more luxurious motorists—the number of serious accidents and of fatalities is small.

"The game is so stirring; it challenges so potently the play impulse of young Americans; it appeals so strongly to the popular love of vigorous competition; it has so many elements of military discipline and moral training; it affords such a voluminous vent for huge masses of superfluous feeling and energy in players and spectators alike, which otherwise would seek and find an outlet in more dubious channels—there is, I say, so much to be adduced in favor of the game that the criticism which has of late been hailed upon it will on impartial consideration be found to be, if not hysterical and frenzied, at least one-sided and unfair.

"The game is rough, but roughness is no bad ordeal; even the Scriptures enjoin us to 'endure hardness.' The game is attended with accidents; so is every game, so is every form of human activity and every form of idleness. Is the game unduly rough or unduly dangerous? Then let us remove the extra hazards by a modification of the rules. In my own judgment the two greatest objections to foot-ball as now played are 'slugging' and other intentional evasions of the rules for the purpose of weakening opponents and the commercialism which grows out of gate receipts and the handling by young men of enormous sums of money for athletic purposes.

"The first of these evils can be remedied by the enforcement of severe penalties for foul playing, not only disqualifying the offender but penalizing his side.

"The gate receipts will not be abolished till some less objectionable way is devised of supporting athletics.

"But what an improvement it would make if all other reforms were effected at once! And I see no reason why they should not be. And I should like to add that when the reforms I have been describing have been effected in foot-ball, the friends of the game will owe a debt of gratitude to the general public, who have shown themselves far more sensitive than the experts to the objectionable features of this branch of athletics."

NEW ORLEANS RACES.

Results at the Fair Grounds and City Park Tracks.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW ORLEANS, December 29.—Fair Ground summaries:

First race—six and a half furlongs—Holloway (8 to 5), first; Chauncey Olcott (5 to 2), second; Santa Susanna (8 to 1), third. Time, 1:28.

Second race—six furlongs—Viperine (5 to 1), first; Go To Win (16 to 1), second; Burning Glass (21 to 5), third. Time, 1:21.

Third race—five and one-half furlongs—Formaster (10 to 2), first; Paul Clifford (12 to 5), second; Whorler (15 to 1), third. Time, 1:12 2-5.

Fourth race—six furlongs—Stoner Hill (9 to 2), first; Marvel P (7 to 5), second; Ruth W (9 to 2), third. Time, 1:19 4-5.

Fifth race—six furlongs—Lorycate (20 to 1), first; Dromio (25 to 1), second; Lady Free Knight (6 to 1), third. Time, 1:21.

Sixth race—mile and seventy yards—Charlie Thompson (6 to 2), first; Captain Bob (9 to 5), second; Sincerity Belle (12 to 1), third. Time, 1:51 4-5.

City Park Results.

NEW ORLEANS, December 29.—City Park summaries:

First race—five furlongs—Knickerbocker (8 to 1), first; Steve Lane (15 to 1), second; Welsh (6 to 1), third. Time, 1:00 3-5.

Second race—six and one-half furlongs—Gus Heldorn (3 to 2), first; Belle Strome (8 to 1), second; Kleinwood (8 to 1), third. Time, 1:27 1-5.

Third race—Short course, steeplechase, handicap—New Amsterdam (5 to 1), first; Golden Link (10 to 1), second; Lord Radnor (8 to 1), third. Time, 3:31.

Fourth race—five and one-half furlongs—Mint Boy (3 to 1), first; Modred (4 to 5), second; Grenada (10 to 1), third. Time, 1:12.

Fifth race—mile and a sixteenth—Ivanhoe (8 to 5), first; Belden (2 to 1), second; Harry Stephens (8 to 1), third. Time, 1:55 3-5.

Sixth race—mile and seventy yards—Bisque (10 to 1), first; The Don (3 to 1) second; Ben Heywood (3 to 2), third. Time, 1:56 2-5.

Seventh race—mile and seventy yards—Chamblee (6 to 1), first; Del Carina (15 to 1), second; Juba (10 to 1), third. Time, 1:53 4-5.

FOOT-BALL RULES.

Two Committees Meet, But Nothing Yet Accomplished.

(By Associated Press.)

PHILADELPHIA, PA., December 29.—The committee of seven appointed yesterday by the New York University conference on football to confer with the Intercollegiate Football Rules Committee, now in session in this city, met to-night and organized by selecting Dr. H. L. William, of Minnesota University, chairman, and Dr. G. A. Babbit, D. D., Haverford College, secretary. Later in the evening the committe of seven was invited to confer with the original football rules committee at the Bellevue-Stratford Hotel.

After a long conference the intercollegiate committee decided that its members had no power without first consulting their respective universities to amalgamate with the committee appointed by the New York conference.

Princeton Defeats Quaker City.

(By Associated Press.)

NORFOLK, VA., December 29.—Princeton turned the tables on the Quaker City hockey team to-night in the second half and won the game, 4 to 3. At the end of the first half the score was 3 to 0 in favor of the Pennsylvanians. The deciding game will be played to-morrow night.

Sporting Small Talk.

Columbia, Harvard and Cornell have resigned from the Intercollegiate Fencing League because admission to the organization had been refused to Boston Institute of Technology.

The State Department at Washington has been formally notified that the Olympic games will be held at Athens, Greece, from April 22d to May 2d. The contests embrace almost all forms of athletics and only amateurs qualified by known amateur unions will be eligible for entry. American entries must be made before March 12th next.

The Agricultural Commission of the French Chamber of Deputies has decided to ask the government to accept the proposal made by the former Minister of Agriculture, Sarrien, acting in conjunction with Messrs. Decker-David and Georges Leygues, to organize a horse show to be held in the first fortnight in October of each year, and has authorized a subsidy of $6,000 each year to "finance" the enterprise.

Roger Mahee, known in the West as the "boy plunger," died a few days ago at New Orleans. It is related of him that one day he "ran up" a dollar bill to $5,000.

"Tom" Mannix, who now owns Sonoma Belle, had a commission in this city of $400 on that mare yesterday at 3 1-2 to 1. Sonoma Belle won.

William Easton is now en route to Europe again after a severe illness following his arduous efforts in conducting the recent Rancho del Paso sale.

It was announced yesterday by the California Jockey Club that the scene of the racing would be shifted to Oakland next Monday and the rest of the racing season held here. This means no more racing at Ingleside this season. No reason is given for the change, but it is understood that it is due to the light attendance and to the poor condition of the track.

All amateur boxing matches, sparring contests and pugilistic tournaments are to be prohibited in Chicago. This will apply to the Chicago Athletic Association, where weekly boxing entertainments have been given; the New Illinois Athletic Club, where monthly amateur tournaments have been held, and all other organizations in the city. The conditions surrounding amateur tornaments of the Illinois Club for the last two nights caused the new order of the chief of police.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS.

Power of Council to Be Enlarged to Meet Emergencies.

The Committee on Ordinances, Charter and Reform held a lengthy meeting last night and took up the entire time, more than two hours, considering proposed amendments to the charter of the city of Richmond.

City Attorney H. R. Pollard, who was present, explained the amendments proposed to be submitted to the Legislature, many of which were of minor importance, but made necessary by changed conditions and modern developments. Some of these involve only the changing of a word here and there in the charter as it now stands.

The main change proposed, and which the committee unanimously recommended to the Council, provides for the speedy filling of any vacancies that may occur in the city offices that are elective by the people, notably that of treasurer, auditor, commissioner of the revenue, city collector and mayor. The proposed amendments, as recommended by the committee, will, if adopted by the Council, and then by the Legislature, give the Council power to fill such vacancies for the period between the occurrence of such vacancy and the next ensuing general election.

Other proposed amendments will give the city authority to build bridges over streams and streets and subways under streets, etc., or lease out such work as it may deem proper.

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C. T. YERKES DIES; WIFE AT HIS SIDE

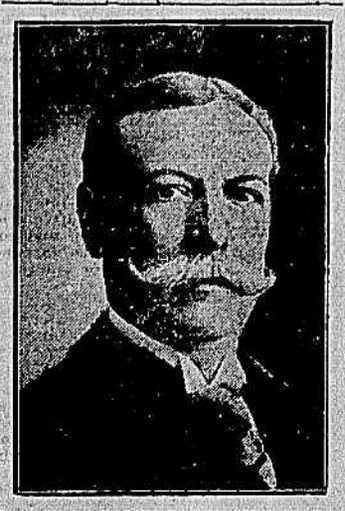
Being Advised That Her Husband is Dying, Mrs. Yerkes Relents and Goes to Him.

FORTUNE OUT OF RAILWAYS

Was One of Most Noted Traction Magnates and Had Amassed Big Fortune.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, December 29.—Charles T. Yerkes, the noted railway financier of Chicago and London, died to-day in his apartments at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, where he had been ill for more than six weeks. Mr. Yerkes suffered from a complication of diseases, growing



CHARLES T. YERKES.

out of a severe cold which he contracted in London early in the fall.

Despite statements said to have come earlier in the day from Mrs. Charles T. Yerkes, wife of the capitalist, that she would not go to the Waldorf-Astoria, the following official statement was made by Dr. Loomis who had attended Mr. Yerkes throughout his illness.

"At the deathbed were Mrs. Charls T. Yerkes, his wife; Charles Edward Yerkes, a son, and his wife; Mrs. Charles Ronadamiller, a daughter and myself. At 11 o'clock Mrs. Yerkes was telephoned to that her husband was dying and she relented and went to the hotel, and was present when he died. This was the first time Mrs. Yerkes had been at the hotel during her husband's illness. The death was peaceful, but unexpected at the time."

The Philadelphia Press of Thursday, anticipating the early death of Mr. Yerkes, printed this review of his remarkable career:

Charles T. Yerkes, the man who closed the Chicago Stock Exchange for three months, who cajoled a Legislature by his own peculiar methods, who absolutely controlled successive Chicago boards of aldermen so that he secured the practical ownership of the streets of that city, who pumped his street railway stocks so full of water that in two-thirds of Chicago a good service was well-nigh impossible, and who unloaded on his backers at a handsome figure properties that promptly went into a receivership, and then went to London to conquer new worlds, is the most picturesque figure in that group of millionaires who have made great fortunes out of the public utilities of this country.

In Chicago, where Yerkes made his great fortune and became famous or infamous, according to the viewpoint of the commentator, there are two capital charges against what is styled "the Yerkes regime," and both may be summed up in what Chicago calls "Philadelphia methods." One of these was the noted railroad man's habit of pyramiding bond issues, the other his habit of undermining State and local Legislatures. As a result of both, the Philadelphia broker who came to Chicago in 1883 with a capital of $40,000, went to London in 1900 with a fortune that is now estimated at something like $30,000,000.

It was his iron nerve that enabled him to carry through his audacious deals, and this quality was never displayed more characteristically than on that memorable August night in 1896, after the Moore Brothers' failure, when a group of bankers met at the house of the late P. D. Armour, in Chicago, to discuss a financial situation rendered additionally precarious by the amount of Yerkes paper the leading houses were carrying. It is a valued Chicago story that Mr. Yerkes, himself wearing a stiff little straw hat, with a gaudy ribbon attached, saluted the solemn-faced group of financiers with the breezy remark: "This is the largest collection of straw hats I ever saw at a funeral."

He urged that the Stock Exchange be closed outright, and when its governors hesitated at the boldness of the suggestion he declared: "Very well, open for business to-morrow, and you will close many of the banks of Chicago before tomorrow night." That word settled it.

Yerkes was born in this city in 1837. His father was a Quaker. After leaving school he worked for a year in a commission house as an apprentice clerk. His energy won for him a present of $50. In 1858 he opened an office as a stock broker and later became a banker. He made money. Then he was involved in a scheme to sell the city bonds of Philadelphia on wind. The scheme collapsed and Yerkes went to prison. A board of pardons released him. After his pardon Mr. Yerkes insisted that other charges against him should be tried, and in October, 1872, he went into court and his general acquittal promptly followed. In September, 1873, city councils passed an ordinance releasing Mr. Yerkes from all claims of indebtedness.

After his pardon Yerkes went West. Divorced from his first wife, he soon married a beautiful woman well known in this city. He dealt in Chicago Gas, Chicago street railroads and Dakota towns. His Philadelphia friends backed him financially. Deals in town sites and law-makers were as profitable as his railroad holdings. He owned Chicago's streets and built street car lines, which he capitalized at enormous sums and then disposed of them at big profits.

In 1891 he sold out his Chicago interests and went to New York to live. London's need of rapid transit attracted his attention. He formed alliances with certain influential members of Parliament, had bills put through giving his companies franchises to build a series of underground tubes, got control of the existing London District Railway and Metropolitan lines and arranged to connect them with his new lines, forming an underground system, reaching all parts of London; defeated J. P. Morgan's attempt to get a share of the underground railway building plum, and when he arrived in this country a few weeks ago he left his London schemes on the right road to a successful completion.

THE EFFECT IN LONDON.

Experienced American Manager Will Take Up the Work.

(Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch and New York Herald.)

LONDON, December 29.—Charles T. Yerkes's death is not considered likely to have an injurious effect on the underground railway undertakings he has instituted here, as they have now reached the point of construction when the work can be carried through by other hands without much difficulty. In fact, Mr. Yerkes's failing health has prevented him from devoting his personal attention to this work of late and the mismanagement that has prevailed on the district underground railway since its electrification is attributed to that cause. The chief object of Mr. Yerkes's visit to New York was to secure the services of an up-to-date railway manager, who could take the whole undertaking in hand. That will now be done as it is understood that he had practically engaged a prominent American railroad manager.

There is no doubt that the London District Railway mismanagement contributed materially to worrying him to his grave, as he was constantly inveighing privately against the stupidity and stolidity of the average English Railroad servant.

MR. C. B. STACY DIES.

Was a Gallant Soldier and Well-Known Citizen in Richmond.

Mr. Charles Brecknock Stacy died yesterday morning at 3 o'clock, in the home of his sister, Mrs. L. C. Garrett, 403 East Main Street. He leaves his wife and two sons, Messrs. George Palmer Stacy, of New York, and Herbert Hunt Stacy, with the American Tobacco Company, of this city, one sister, Mrs. L. C. Garrett, and two brothers, Mr. E. C. Stacy, of Richmond, and Mr. C. M. Stacy, of Amelia county.

Mr. Stacy was born in Lincolnshire, England, April 15, 1843. While he was yet quite young his family came to this country, first settling in New York. Then, in 1849, Mr. Stacy came to Richmond, where he spent the remainder of his life.

When but seventeen years of age he entered the Confederate army, and served with much gallantry throughout the struggle. He was captured and for sixteen months was a prisoner in Fort Delaware.

In 1866 he married Miss Caroline Virginia Rahm, daughter of the late Philip Rahm, of this city. He began his career with a local furniture house and spent his life in that branch of mercantile pursuit. For two years he had been in failing health, but he bore always the ravages of disease with that equanimity and courage which distinguished him on the battlefield.

The funeral will take place this afternoon at three o'clock from Grace Episcopal Church, Rev. L. R. Mason conducting the services. Interment will be in Hollywood.

The pall-bearers will his nephews. They are: Messrs. Frank H. Rahm, Jr., Marion B. Rahm, Ellis Crenshaw, George Stacy Crenshaw, Frank Eugene Stacy, W. Scott Garrett, George Stacy Garrett and Robert G. Carlton.

OBITUARY.

Death of Mrs. Julia Small.

Mrs. Julia Small, of 219 North Twentieth street, died yesterday morning at 7 o'clock, in the seventy-sixth year of her age. She leaves five brothers, four sisters and two sons.

Mrs. Small was a sister of Mr. John A. and William Curtis, of this city, and Richard Curtis, of Norfolk. She was born in Hampton, Va., but since the Confederate war had lived in this city. Mrs. Small was an active member of Trinity church, and also a member of the Daughters of the Confederacy and the Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

Hersons are Messrs. Julina Small, of Norfolk, and Clarence Small, of this city.

The funeral will take place from Trinity Methodist church to-morrow. Interment will be in Hollywood Cemetery.

Funeral of Miss Neisz.

The funeral of Miss Alice G. Veisz, who died Thursday morning in the home of her father, 510 South Pine Street, took place at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon from the Pine Street Baptist Church.

Mrs. P. A. Harrison.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

LEXINGTON, VA., December 29.—Mrs. Peachy Ann Harrison, wife of Mr. Howard M. Harrison, died Tuesday morning at her home in Lexington, after a lingering illness. She was a daughter of the late William L. Wash, and was born in 1840. The funeral services were held from her late home by Rev. Dr. D. A. Penick; interment in the Lexington cemetery.

A. Lockwood.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

GORDONSVILLE, VA., December 29.—The body of Mr. A. Lockwood was interred here in "Maplewood Cemetery" today at 11 o'clock. Mr. Lockwood was the oldest citizen in this community—87 years. He came from the West four years ago, and purchased "The Meadows," the country home of the late Col. John M. Patton, one of the most attractive old homesteads in Virginia.

Mr. Lockwood leaves a widow, one daughter, Mrs. Shannan, and two grandsons, Messrs. Arthur and Lester Shannan.

Dee Jordan.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

RODFORD, VA., December 28.—Mr. Dee Jordan, a well-to-do farmer of Pulaski county, died suddenly Wednesday of heart trouble, while riding over his farm at Back Creek.

He was about fifty years of age, and had been in good health up to the hour of his death. He was never married, and passed most of his life at the old Jordan estate. He leaves two sisters and four brothers, Mrs. Eliza Painter, of Rural Retreat; Mrs. John W. Smith, of Chattanooga; Dr. Jordan, of Newbern; Rev. A. T. Jordan, of Roanoke; Mr. W. R. Jordan, of Radford, and Mr. A. L. Jordan, of Pulaski county.

Mrs. Pamela Newstead.

NORFOLK, VA., December 29.—Mrs. Pamela Catherine Newstead, wife of William Newstead, died last night at her home in Colonial Avenue, in the eightieth year of her age. She was the daughter of Captain Geo. W. Parrott and Elizabeth Smith Robertson, and was born in Tappahannock, January 27, 1826. She moved to Norfolk in 1840. She was married January 1, 1852, to Mr. Newstead. She is survived by her husband and three children, Mrs. George Hogan, Mr. William M. Newstead and Mrs. Stephen Hogan.

Falls Twenty Feet.

A piece of timber of considerable weight fell from the new gas tank at Moore street and struck August Arndt on the head and shoulders, inflicting several serious wounds.

Arndt was painting on the tank when the piece of timber fell twenty feet and struck him. He was badly bruised on the left shoulder, and had inflicted on him a bad scalp wound. He was attended by Dr. Pitt, of the ambulance corps, who took six stitches in the wounds, dressed him and had him sent to his home, 1128 Brook avenue.

Richmonders in New York.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NEW YORK, December 29.—Fifth Avenue, Mrs. I. N. Vaughan, I. N. Vaughan, Jr.; Marie Antoinette, J. R. Jenkins and wife; Herald Square, B. A. Gaines; Astor, J. M. King; Hoffman, S. T. Morgan.

DEATHS.

GARY.—Died, at the residence of her husband, 2210 M Street, at 2:45 A. M., Mrs. FLORENCE E. GARY. She leaves a husband and eight children—Mr. C. F. Gary, Molly Gary, Lillian Gary, Susie Gary, Willie Gary, James Gary, Frank Gary and Russell Gary.

Will be buried in Oakwood Cemetery. Funeral notice later.

PARKER.—Died, at his residence, No. 1309 Perry street, Manchester, Va., Captain J. H. PARKER, in the eighty-fourth year of his age.

Funeral announcement later. Washington, Lynchburg and Roanoke papers, please copy.

SMALL.—MRS. JULIA A. SMALL DIED this morning at 7 o'clock. Funeral from Trinity Methodist church, Sunday, at 3 o'clock. She is a sister of John A. and William H. Curtis. Her nephews will be the pallbearers. Interment in Hollywood.

Henrico County.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR SIX MONTHS,

Ending June 30, 1905.

ROAD FUND.

1905, February 7th.—O. N. Nuckols, road expense, $327.91; W. C. Saunders, road expense, $243.95; W. H. Casey, road expense, $158; W. H. Madison & Co., road supplies, $4.50; C. and A. Edgar, hardware, $23.24; J. L. Taliaferro, lumber, $1.02; Henry Beckstaffer, lumber, $10.64; J. W. Gentry, blacksmithing, $7.60; J. H. Turner, road expense, $235.53; Philip Dodson, hay, $12; H. M. Nelson, gravel, $11.46; E. Brundage, $9.51; Dr. T. M. Sweeney, veterinary service, $17.

1905, March 7th.—O. N. Nuckols, road expense, $232.34; W. W. McGruder, gravel, $6.30; W. C. Saunders, road expense, $315.42; R. L. Chenery, feed, $5.68; F. L. Vimont, hay, $63.48; Jos. H. Turner, road expense, $172.28; H. A. Burke, feed, $154.58; W. H. Casey, road expense, $198.35; W. G. Griffin, team supplies, $1; A. J. Oakley, hay, $199.44; Bolton & Taliaferro, engineers, $120.

1905, April 4th.—O. N. Nuckols, road expense, $396.31; W. C. Saunders, road expense, $274.91; R. L. Chenery, straw, $6.21; W. H. Casey, road expense, $229.86; Edmund Garnett, use of land for road, $5; Jas. A. Calish, corn, $23; I. Ham, gravel, $1.41; Virginia Bridge & Iron Co., $871; Albin Netherwood, granite, $16.75; S. P. Clay, on account mules, $140; Richmond Harness Co., supplies, $16.80; J. H. Turner, road expense, $203.30.

1905, May 2d.—O. N. Nuckols, road expense, $388.01; Edward Browning, gravel, $3.30; W. C. Saunders, road expense, $399; Peter Paul, mules, $450; W. H. Casey, road expense, $195.50; J. W. Gentry, blacksmithing, $15.10; Henning & Nuckols, supplies, $4.50; J. H. Turner, road expense, $211.16; Rd. Beneficial Co., gravel, $16.26; R. T. Wilson, feed, $30; W. O. Mosby, gravel, $5.92; Curls Neck Farm, hay, $57.98; H. A. Burke, feed, $27.50.

1905, June 6th.—O. N. Nuckols, road expense, $417.99; W. R. Fenson, gravel, $7.62; W. C. Saunders, road expense, $510.55; Joseph Johnson, gravel, $31.11; L. B. Quarles, gravel, 63 cents; J. C. Dickerson, harness, $3.05; W. H. Casey, road expense, $265.80; W. H. Brauer, $5.10; R. A. Rohleder, feed, $5.84; Warner Moore & Co., supplies, $1.47; J. H. Turner, road expense, $236.69; J. C. Dickerson, harness, $33.50; Thos. N. Sweeney, veterinary service, $3; Henning & Nuckols, supplies, $3.50; S. P. Clay, mules, $449.02; L. A. People, poles, $2; Alfred Morris, poles, $2.

1905, July 5th—O. N. Nuckols, road expense, $440.25; Mrs. Ben Lawrence, gravel, $15.60; W. C. Saunders, road expense, $351; J. C. Fletcher, gravel, $7.50; E. C. Robinson, gravel, $6.93; E. B. Gary, $6.60; W. H. Casey, road expense, $120; Thos. S. Winn & Co., feed, $383.97; Henry Beckstaffer, lumber, $73.46; W. E. Pollard, feed, $37.50; Jos. H. Turner, road expense, $271.94; Hugh Nelson, gravel, $14.81; Curls Neck Farm, hay, $41.89.

ROAD CONSTRUCTION FUND.

1905, February 7th.—W. E. Grant, road viewer, $1.

1905, March 7th.—Walter L. Brauer, compensation taken for Gordon's Lane, $50.

1905, April 4th.—J. M. King, road commissioner, $1; Simon Solomon, sheriff, summoned road commissioners, etc., $5.

1905, May 2d.—J. W. Warriner, bridge commissioner, $5; R. W. Atkisson, bridge commissioner, $5; Thomas Guy, bridge commissioner, $5; John W. Turner, survey of route, $5; J. Morris Carter, road viewer, $1; H. D. Smith, road viewer, $1; J. C. Fowler, road viewer, $1; E. C. Deoppe, chainman, $1.

1905, July 5th.—W. C. Saunders, for work on road from Taylor's Crossing to Glen Allen, $148.70; P. M. Houston, road viewer, etc., $1; Simon Solomon, for summoning viewers for Gordon's Lane, $2.50.

CONTINGENT FUND.

1905, February 7th.—D. L. Temple, sanitation, $16; D. L. Temple, for lunacy, $1.50; E. W. Redford, vagrancy, $1.64; Geo. R. Crowder, for lunacy and inquest, $7.50; John Becker, 10 hawk scalps, $2; Joe Harris, hawk scalps, $1; W. L. Burke, 18 hawk scalps, $3.60; Jas. T. Lewis, for lunacy, $1.50; T. H. Samuel, for inquest, $1.50; Myer Angle, vagrancy, $1; Dr. J. C. Blanton, services for lunacy, $2.50; Dr. W. A. Deas, services in vagrancy as coroner, $18.25; Simon Solomon, clothing for vagrants, $76; Simon Solomon, board for vagrants in jail, $17.10; E. J. Watkins, plumbing work at courthouse and jail, $15.10; Geo. Crowder, guard at jail, $24; Harry G. Hechler, quarantine officer, $33.33; R. V. Lewis, quarantine officer, $22.33; E. C. Gardner, C. H. awnings, $4.50; Va. Passenger & Power Co., C. H. lights, $10.83; P. A. Arthur & Co., papering judge's office, $12.30; Tanner Paint & Oil Co., electric supplies at courthouse, $1.75; Powers Bros. & Maynard, repair of jail walls, $2.50; Crescent Grocery Co., supplies furnished in cases of small-pox, $3.47; Baldwin & Brown, sundries at courthouse, $20.40; W. T. Ratcliffe, W. T. Rogers, J. L. Branch, A. C. Green, R. C. Garnett, policemen, $55 each; R. D. Haller, policeman, $45; J. B. Lyne, janitor, $70.

1905, March 7th.—Myer Angle, vagrancy, $4; E. W. Redford, vagrancy, 74 cents; Jas. T. Lewis, for lunacy, $1.50; G. W. Maughan, vagrancy, $2.22; Dr. W. A. Deas, for inquest and lunacy, $11.50; D. L. Temple, sanitation, $4; Payne Smith, sanitation, $2; Geo. Crowder, guard Henrico jail, $28; Va. Passenger & Power Co., electric lights at courthouse, $8.93; S. H. Hawes & Co., at courthouse, $120; John E. Rose & Co., plumbing, etc., at jail, $4.50; John H. Rose & Co., supplies at courthouse, $6.50; Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Co., $33; Dr. W. H. Winfree, services for small-pox, $54.55; S. P. Waddill, general indexing, abstract of deeds, etc., $205; Simon Solomon, board of vagrants in jail, $31; John R. Miller 4 hawk scalps, 80 cents; John Gay, 10 hawk scalps, $2; W. L. Burke, 12 hawk scalps, $2.40; W. T. Ratcliffe, W. T. Rogers, J. L. Branch, A. C. Green, R. C. Garnett, policemen, $55 each; R. D. Haller, policeman, $45; J. B. Lyne, janitor, $70.

1905, April 4th.—W. J. Toone, treasurer, water and gas, $23.85; Dr. Geo. Barksdale, services in cases of small-pox, $66; H. Z. Zearing, board of special officer in small-pox cases, $12; F. V. Gunn & Co., disinfectant for county jail, $30; Payne Smith, sanitation, $1.75; Simon Solomon vagrants' board, $27.25; Dr. G. T. Collins, board of health officer, $64; E. S. Gatewood, guard, etc., for lunacy, $1.50; Dr. W. A. Deas, coroner and physician, for vagrants, $16.50; Dr. W. A. Deas, member of board of health, $30; Va. Passenger & Power Co., electric lights, $2.70; News Leader Co., printing resolutions of board, $10.50; W. S. Gordon, lunacy, $2.50; G. R. Crowder, guard at jail and summoning commission of lunacy, $10.50; W. J. Perrin, summoning coroner's jury, etc., $1.50; G. W. Maughan, special constable in case of vagrancy, $1.34; Myer Angle, special constable, $1; L. J. Duke, repair of jail door, $6; M. Brauer, 2 hawk scalps, 40 cents; Jacob Steigleder, 6 hawk scalps, $1.20; Willie Eacho, 3 hawk scalps, 60 cents; Taylor & Taylor Printing Co., circulars for board of health, $6.50; Judge Wm. I. Clopton, for holding terms of the Circuit Court of this county, $140; W. T. Ratcliffe, W. T. Rogers, J. L. Branch, A. C. Green, R. C. Garnett, policemen, $55 each; R. D. Haller, policeman, $45; J. B. Lyne, janitor, $70.

1905, May 2d.—Simon Solomon, board of vagrants, $33; G. R. Crowder, services in cases of lunacy, inquest, etc., $6; C. O. Burch, for vagrancy, $7.22; P. M. Binford, for lunacy, $1.50; J. Fulmer Bright, lunacy and inquest, $10.50; Dr. A. L. Leftwich, medical services, in cases of lunacy, $5; Dr. J. C. Blanton, vaccination, $94; Myer Angle, services in cases of lunacy and vagrancy, $6; G. W. Maughan, lunacy and vagrancy, $1.04; Jas. T. Lewis, lunacy inquests, etc., $4; W. L. Burke, 7 hawk scalps, $1.40; T. D. Crouch, 4 hawk scalps, 80 cents; John E. Rose & Co., for plumbing, etc., at courthouse, $7; J. W. Anderson & Co., plumbing, $13.38; D. L. Temple, lunacy, $3; D. L. Temple, sanitation, $3; B. F. Shackleford, sundries at courthouse, $6.05; Va. Passenger & Power Co., for electric current at courthouse, $1.12; Diggs & Beadles, sundries at courthouse, 75 cents; H. C. Dickerson, repairs, 75 cents; Hill Directory, for directory 1905, $5; Judge Wm. I. Clopton, for holding April Circuit Court, on account of sickness of judge, $170; W. T. Ratcliffe, W. T. Rodgers, J. L. Branch, A. C. Green, R. C. Garnett, policemen, $55 each; R. D. Haller, policeman, $45; J. B. Lyne, janitor, $70.

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