# The Daily Times.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, D. C., September 9.—Indications for Virginia: Fair weather, stationary temperature, except in southern portion, warmer, northerly winds.

STATE OF THERMOMETER.

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| 8 A. M. | 70 | 10 P. M. | 74 |
| 12 M. | 76 | Midnight | 74 |
| 4 P. M. | 80 | | |
| 8 P. M. | 76 | Average | 74½ |

MARINE NEWS.

Port of Richmond, September 9, 1889.

SAILED.

Schooner Lewis Ellsman, Collins, for Cecils, Jetties, S. W. Travers & Co.
Schooner W. H. Allison, Kinston, Kennedy, on, Home Ice Company.
Schooner Mary L. Allen, Wiley, Kennedy, Richmond Ice Company.

PORT OF NEWPORT NEWS, SEPT. 9.

ARRIVED.

Steamship Roanoke, New York, and sailed for New York, mail steamship Berkshire, Providence, and sailed for West Point, Aeronautic, schooner Vinking, Boston, to load coal.

SAILED.

Steamship Atlanta, Blue Fields, coasting.

AMUSEMENTS.

RICHMOND THEATRE.
Popular Full and Winter Opening.
MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, September 9, 10 and 11.
Appearance of the Distinguished and Incomparable Actress,
AGNES BERNSTEIN
Author Company, Scenery, Properties, in the Great Comedy Drama, in Six Acts, of Mr. Bronson Howard's Heartsease, Wednesday Eve. Sept. 11, the Great Drama, "Hazel Kirke." Prices as usual. Box office open for reserved seats 9 A. M. to 10 P. M. Telephone Connection. Prices 25, 50, 75 and $1.


ONLY BIG SHOW
TO BE HERE THIS YEAR.
JOHN ROBINSON'S
TEN BIG SHOWS UNITED.
Richmond, Wednesday September 11th.

1000 Men and Horses Employed. 1000
1-2-3-4 EQUESTRIAN FEATS.
More Acrobats, More Gymnasts, More Aerialists, More Wire Walkers, More Clowns, 20 to Pick Pockets, More Flying Rings, More High Rackers, More Brother Acts, More Laughs, More Actors, Novelties—Old Facts, Thousands Business Contracted.
4 BIG CIRCUSES 1 GREAT MENAGERIE
LILIPUTIAN
ROMAN HIPPODROME.
Chariot Races, Elephant Races, Standing Races, Camel Races, Pole Races, Dog and Pig Races, Jumping Races, Obstacle Races, Hurdle Races, Wheelbarrow Races, Sack Races, Twilight Races.
60 CHILDREN - 60 PONIES.
3 MENAGERIES 3
White Nile Hippopotamus, Rhinoceros Elands, Black cockatoos and kangaroos, Black Bears, White Bears, Troops of Giraffes, Zebras, Elands, Leopards, Lions, Sea Lions.
AT 10 A. M. EACH DAY.
$3,000,000 FREE PARADE.
2 Brass Bands, 21 Chariots, 60 Cages and Dens, 8 Separate Bands, 2 Steam Organs, Steam Calliope, 12 Children's Chariots, Children Tally-ho Coach, 300 Horses, 100 Ponies, 60 Children, Herd of Camels, Herd of Elks, Herd of Buffaloes.
Cheap Excursion Rates on all Railroads.



LEE & CO.,
Book Makers.
SHEEPSHEAD BAY, CONEY ISLAND
JOCKEY CLUB RACES NOW ON.
Tracks odds received before each race. A direct wire to the race track and vivid description of each race given while being run.
TURF EXCHANGE,
sep9-tf No. 2 south Twelfth street.


NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE, THAT I HAVE this day appointed G. D. BOANTON my agent to conduct the BAR BUSINESS at 116 west Broad street, in Richmond, Va., to buy and sell for cash only.
P. McDONOUGH.
August 29, 1889. au31-2w


FOR EVERYONE TO READ CAREFULLY.
I have withdrawn the agency of my IRON ROOF PAINT from A. L. PUQUA. No one is authorized to use my Paint, "SO BE ON THE LOOK OUT."
Any one having a leaky roof, or roof to paint, and wanted it painted with PANNILL'S IRON ROOF PAINT will please write to 27 Bank street, PETERSBURG, VA. Or give best of testimonials from best men in city or state.
HENRY PANNILL,
27 Bank street, Petersburg, Va.
This paint can be bought in any quantity and will ship to any part of the United States. Color, iron with gloss. se 5-6t

ATTENTION! LARGE BUYERS AND CONSUMERS OF OIL COLLEGE GENERALLY. See my stock before you place your orders, as I can save you money. Fresh and seasonable goods in the fancy and staple line also received daily. Country produce and my brands of chewing tobacco and cigars (my own manufacture) are giving entire satisfaction. A visit or correspondence respectfully invited.
J. T. GATEWOOD,
Family Grocer and Tobacco Dealer,
se6-1m 116 east Broad.


## SOUNDING THE SLOGAN.

### THE DEMOCRACY WIDE AWAKE AND ON THE AGGRESSIVE.

Enthusiastic Meetings Held Yesterday—Major R. Taylor Scott Makes a Stirring Speech at Wytheville—Colonel Beirne and Hon. Paul Edmunds at Campbell C. H.

[Special to the Times.]

WYTHEVILLE, VA., September 9.—The Democrats here are jubilant over to-day's work. Mr. R. C. Kent, a practical man, a farmer and a man of ability, was put in nomination by acclamation to represent us in the next Legislature. Later in the day Major R. Taylor Scott, our candidate for Attorney-General made a logical and convincing speech to a crowded hall of voters. In his speech he said it was often asked why it is that good times don't come with Republican rule? The answer is because of this grinding down of agricultural products of the country by the present system of tariff, which the Democrats tried to break, to some extent at least, by the Mills bill. Our farmers have to compete in raising and marketing their wheat with coolie labor at five cents per day, while they have to pay a tariff tax on the hoe that they dig with, the plow with which they turn the furrow, even the glass through which they look upon their fields of grain. Don't let yourselves be fooled by the cry that "I am a free trader." I am for protecting our people. I know that tariff is only another name for tax, and that the funds used for running our government must be raised by tax; but I believe in taking that tariff off of the necessaries of life and ridding the poor man of this burdensome levy. That is my doctrine; that is Grover Cleveland's doctrine, and that is the salvation of Virginia.

This is the only issue save the question of States rights. I am loyal to the Union as any one, even William Mahone, but I believe in a State regulating its own affairs and not getting its orders from the Government at Washington.

He drew a comparison between our State Government as administered during the governorship of Fitzhugh Lee and his predecessor, William E. Cameron. In the time of the latter the question was between the Democrats and the Readjusters, but when they had struck hands on the Riddleberger settlement what had become of the leader of that movement? Six years ago when he was in this section, just from the legislature then in session, they called themselves the Coalitionist, and if any one wanted to make them mad all he had to do was to hint Republican. They were as good Democrats then as Ben. Hill. He criticised their retrenchment which cost the government an expenditure of $90,000 over the preceding year; the reform which would turn out all of the circuit judges; place the railroads under the control of Mahone; cause all of the land sold by court to pass through the hands of commissioners appointed by the Governor; turn out all the Democratic notaries public, officers of asylums, public schools and other State institutions, and if there was no excuse to do so change the law that they might effect the ends. All of this was, fortunately, nipped in the bud by the the Big Four, all glory to their names. He showed how by this Mahone hoped to have Virginia under his control, as the number of office-holders thus made would amount to no less than 40,000, which, together with the followers who had gone over with him and the colored allies, would control every election in Virginia.

He brought as witnesses, that he had broken faith with his own party, John S. Wise and James D. Brady, and H. H. Riddleberger, and John F. Lewis, and many others. If they condemn him, said he, have not I reason to hold him cleared in execration.

He spoke of the fears of some that Mahone would

BUY VIRGINIA

with honest (?) Quay's and pious (?) Wanamaker's money. He said he knew and regretted that some could be bought, but when he looked into the open faces, the bright eyes, and grasped the warm hands of the citizens of all parts of this State, he had no fears on that score.

He exhorted his Democratic honors to stand shoulder to shoulder in the coming contest, to be well organized and ready for the ballot; to go in a body to the polls to put their ballots in and see that they were counted, and he had no fear of the result. This and much more he said, but it is sufficient to know that he made a favorable impression, as an honest, fearless, trustworthy man, who will honor Virginia while she honors him.

Wythe county is aroused, and if nothing unforseen happens, she will be one of the counties redeemed to Democracy in the coming election.

GRAND OUTPOURING AT CAMPBELL.

LYNCHBURG, VA., October 9.—To-day there was a grand outpouring of the Democracy of Campbell and Lynchburg, at Rustburg, to hear the opening of the campaign by Colonel Richard F. Beirne and Hon. Paul C. Edmunds. A larger crowd never assembled at the courthouse, nor one so full of enthusiasm.

Edmunds led off in a characteristic speech of three-quarters of an hour, and kept the crowd in uproarous laughter.

Colonel Beirne was introduced, and great applause.

COL. BEIRNE'S SPEECH.

Col. Beirne spoke with force and fluency. He touched upon National questions, charging the Republican party for its robbery of the people through the instrumentality of an absolutely system of high taxes and private trusts, and through a system of bestowing pensions, that dishonors the nation, and threatens it with perils of the most alarming descriptions. He dwelt with great satisfaction upon the clear administration of affairs by the only Democratic Executive who has occupied the White House since the war, and referred especially and with emphatic commendation to the broad nationality and patriotism of Mr. Cleveland in his recognition of the South as a component part of the Union.

IN DISCUSSING STATE AFFAIRS

the speaker fairly canonized Mahone, uncovering his meanness and treachery, and mesmerized, to an attentive and applauding audience. He warned the people of the dangers they would incur by permitting Mahone's return to power, and impressed and enforced his warnings by reciting the many evil deeds he had done when opportunity offered, and the many worse deeds he had contemplated, but which were frustrated by the famous "Big Four."

Colonel Beirne then paid a high tribute to Captain McKinney and his associates on the ticket, and while predicting a decided triumph for the Democracy, nevertheless urged every voter to turn out and help swell the majority. Both speakers were attentively listened to and frequently applauded.

THE WHEEL-HORSES AT ROANOKE.

ROANOKE, VA., September 9.—Captain P. W. McKinney, John R. Johnson, John W. Woods and R. T. Beirne, of the Richmond Bar, made stirring speeches here to-night at a large Democratic meeting.

Captain McKinney held that

MAHONE, AND NOT POLITICS,

is the issue of the campaign.

COLONEL O'FERRALL IN CAROLINE.

BOWLING GREEN, VA., September 9. The largest crowd gathered in Bowling Green to-day (court-day) that your correspondent has seen here for many a day.

No business of importance was transacted in court, the docket being very small.

It had been announced through the Democratic papers that the orator and statesman, Colonel C. T. O'Ferrall, would open his canvass in Caroline. Colonel O'Ferrall arrived about 11 o'clock, and until the hour for speaking spent his time chatting with his many friends in Caroline. At the appointed hour he was escorted to the court-house, and was introduced by our county chairman, Captain J. M. Hudgin, amid the greatest applause.

For over an hour and a half did this true son of Virginia and life-long Democrat hold his audience as if by magic while he tore off the mask that hides the corruption of the Mahone party and exposed it to view. Many were the shells and hot was the grape and canister that he poured into the enemy's camp. He told of the unholy alliance of Mahone with the stalwart wing of the Republican party; he showed how with his satellites fed at his political table and by bribes and promises chained to his chariot wheels, he has retained his power; he showed with an open hand the maladministration of Mahone's office-holders, who ought to be the servants of the people in neglecting their business to use the offices as means for the advancement of their party and the gratification of their hoses.

He dwelt largely on the tariff question, and so forcible and yet so simple were his arguments that the most ignorant could hardly fail to comprehend fully the evils of this tax. He showed how absurd it was for the Republicans to attempt to make out that tariff reformers were free traders. He paid glowing tributes to McKinney, Tyler, and Scott, and to Virginia and her heroes in the late war, and concluded by urging upon every voter to do his duty. He was frequently interrupted by deafening applause. He was followed by

MR. T. H. B. WRIGHT,

of Essex county, who, in his usual willy and happy style, kept the audience in the best spirits. If enthusiasm and harmony are any criterion, I predict that old Caroline will be found in the front ranks of the Democratic column on the 5th of November in its efforts to down Mahone and Republicanism.

The county Democratic committee met to-day and decided to hold primary meetings next Friday to appoint delegates to the county convention, meeting here on the following Monday, to nominate a candidate for the Legislature.

A BONSEMENT AT FINCASTLE.

[Special to the Times.]

FINCASTLE, VA., September 9.—Hon. C. H. Jones and Captain Phil. McKinney spoke here to-day to a large and full house. Mr. Jones, Democratic candidate for the Senate, spoke first, and showed that his opponent, Mr. L. J. McCulloch, who was a Democrat until two weeks ago, was an apostate for the price of his apostacy. Mr. Jones spoke for half an hour, and in closing introduced Captain McKinney, who was received with loud applause.

CAPTAIN M'KINNEY

was very explicit in his exposure of Mahone and his henchmen, and discussed the social question at length. He said that the Democrats could not afford to allow the return of Mahone to power in the State, and his defeat was more important than the tariff. Republicans say here that they will not support the ticket.

Captain McKinney was received with warm enthusiasm. The Democrats will carry this county by a large majority.

## ADDITIONAL APPOINTMENTS

Made Yesterday by the State Democratic Committee.

[Special to the Times.]

ALEXANDRIA, VA., September 9.—The State Democratic Executive Committee are authorized to make the following additional appointments:

HON. JAMES L. GORDON.

Lancaster—Monday, September 16th.

MICAIAH WOODS, ESQ.

Nelson—Monday, September 23d.

CAPTAIN JAMES BUMGARDNER.

Bath—Wednesday, September 24th.
Amherst—Monday, October 21st.
Nelson—Monday, October 28th.

COLONEL RICHARD F. BEIRNE.

Roanoke—Monday, September 16th.
Bedford—Monday, September 23d.
Alleghany, Tuesday, October 8th.
Nansemond—Monday, October 14th.
Pittsylvania—Monday, October 21st.
Brunswick—Monday, October 28th.
Prince William—Monday, November 4th

HON. JOHN W. DANIEL.

Appomattox, Thursday, September 12.
Roanoke, Monday, September 16.
Giles, Tuesday, September 17.

MR. GORDON'S HEALTH.

Intelligence received at the committee rooms to-day is very encouraging as to Mr. Gordon's health, and the belief is entertained there that he will be at headquarters in a reasonably short time.

WAYNESBORO'.—Gen. Lee's birthday passed off quietly here to-day. The shelving is being filled up, and a political air is noticeable about the place generally. It is expected that Mr. Gordon will take up his quarters with Colonel L. W. Read, next door.

## BALTIMORE BOOMING.

Seventy-Fifth Anniversary of the War of 1812.

BALTIMORE, MD., September 9.—The commemoration of the stirring events at Baltimore in connection with the war of 1812 which have their seventy-fifth anniversary during this week, began to-day with the opening of the Maryland Exposition at Pimlico under the Maryland Association, and will continue until Saturday night. Never before has Baltimore presented so beautiful a picture of personal animation. Everybody is dressed in her Sunday best from crown to toe, and people in tens of thousands filled her streets.

THE PRINCIPAL FEATURE

to-day was the grand street pageant, which was at once patriotic, historical, industrial, agricultural, mechanical, military and civic. Fifty thousand men marched in the procession.

PRESIDENT HARRISON,

accompanied by Secretaries Windom and Tracy, and Postmaster-General Wanamaker, Admiral-General Kilton and others, who came from Washington, President Mayer, of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, and other prominent men occupied seats on the grand stand. President Harrison occupied the seat of honor on the reviewing stand, and as the procession passed, frequently arose and bowed in recognition of the cheers from passing organizations.

Fire in Fincastle.

[Special to the Times.]

FINCASTLE, VA., September 9.—The store house here belonging to Mr. French Bolton was destroyed by fire last night, together with all its contents.

## NORTH CAROLINA NEWS.

A Number of Items from the North State.

[Special to the Times.]

RALEIGH, N. C., September 9.—Governor Fowle returned to the city to-day from Asheville, where he has been spending some time. It was expected that he would to-day announce the new board of directors of the Atlantic and North Carolina road, but they will not be made known till to-morrow. The election of president is to take place Wednesday, and there is being a bitter fight waged. The road, which is the property of the State runs from Goldsboro to Morehead city. Washington Bryan, the present president, who came into office under the administration of Governor Scales, has made many enemies along the line of the road by refusing to issue free passes, and strenuous efforts have been made to prevent his re-election, his opponents resorting to every means in their power to defeat him. The announcement of the new board of directors will be watched with great interest, as it will then be known who the next president will be.

News reached here to-day of a sad occurrence Saturday evening near the town of Auburn, about six miles from this city. Andrew Snelling, the fifteen year old son of Mr. Allexander Snelling, who lives near Auburn, went over to the house of Marcellus Whittaker, who lives near by, and he and Marvin Whittaker, son of M. Whittaker, were amusing themselves shooting at a target with a small rifle. While Marvin Whittaker was leading the rifle it was accidently discharged, the bullet entering the left breast of Snellings, resulting in death in a few minutes. Assistance was summoned at once, but was of no avail. On examination it was found that a large artery had been cut by the ball.

Governor Fowle to-day appointed Mr. Poindexter W. Capehart, son of B. A. Capehart, of Kittrell, to be his executive clerk, *vice* the late Bryan Satherthwaite, whose death took place several weeks ago.

Governor Fowle to-day honored a requisition of Governor Lee's, of Virginia, for William B. Smith, charged with horse stealing.

The directors of the insane asylum meet here Wednesday to elect a new superintendent.


SMOKE Kinney Bros. cigarettes, made from the brightest and highest priced leaf grown.—adv.


## FROM WASHINGTON.

### LATEST BY WIRE FROM THE FEDERAL CAPITAL.

The Norfolk Dry-Dock to be Opened on the 19th Instant—Appointments Made Yesterday—General News by Wire—Samuel Cox Lying in a Critical Condition.

WASHINGTON, D. C., September 9.—The new government dry dock built at the Norfolk navy yard by the Simpson Company, of New York, will be formally opened for use on the 19th inst., in the presence of a large party of naval officers, newspaper men and other invited guests from this city. The side wheel steamer Virginia, of Baltimore, has been chartered for the purpose of conveying the party from Baltimore, where they will go by rail to Norfolk. They will leave here on the evening of the 18th and return on the morning of the 20th. The hydraulic machinery of the dock will be tested by the official board on the 19th.

DEATH OF A NAVAL OFFICER.

Lieutenant W. O. Sharrer, United States Navy, died yesterday at Aurora, West Virginia.

The United States steamer Pensacola arrived at Baltimore yesterday to take part in the anniversary celebration of the battle of North Point.

THE ATLANTA AT NEWPORT NEWS.

The United States Steamer Atlanta sailed to-day from New York for Newport News, Va., where she will be put through a turning trial.

FOURTH-CLASS POSTMASTERS APPOINTED.

The following named fourth-class postmasters, among others, were appointed to-day:

Virginia—Charles M. Keyser, at Weaver; Mrs. Pattie E. Farrow, at Compton; E. B. Bateman, at Fife's; Warner P. Custer, at Fisherville; David H. Landis, at Graysville; George W. Wright, at Mount Clinton; W. C. Jamison, at Old Church.

North Carolina—William Moss, at Reliance.

THE GOVERNMENT TAKES A GLIMPSE AT THE CAPITAL.

The Presidential party returned to this city late this evening, and the President will go to Deer Park to-morrow morning. Private Secretary Halford, who is still unwell, hopes to be able to accompany the President. He did not go to Baltimore to-day.

COUNTERFEITER ARRESTED.

Chief Bell, of the secret service, is in receipt of a telegram from Agent Harris, at San Jose, Cal., to the effect that he arrested Charles and Lizzie Atkins, in San Francisco yesterday, for manufacturing and passing counterfeit five-cent nickels, and that he captured a complete outfit.

H. C. Busbee, district attorney for the Eastern district of North Carolina, has resigned.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE PRESIDENT.

The President late this afternoon made the following appointments: George W. Lyons, surveyor of customs for the port of New York; Theodore B. Willis, naval officer of customs in the district of New York; Ernst Nathan, collector of internal revenue for First distric. of New York.

## A FAMOUS OLD COLONIAL RELIC

The Old Powder Magazine in Williamsburg Threatened with Destruction by Fire.

[Correspondence of the Times.]

WILLIAMSBURG, September 9.—The Sunday morning slumbers of the citizens of Williamsburg were rudely broken by the cry of fire. An alarming cry at all times, but doubly so where there is no fire brigade, and people recognize the fact that their homes are probably at the mercy of advancing flames.

Williamsburg has suffered terribly from fire since her foundation, two centuries ago, as the Colonial Capital. First fell the State House, built to face William and Mary College, at the lower end of Duke of Gloucester street. The second building, which arose on the same site in the form of the letter H, was made famous by Lord Dunmore's ejectment of the eighty-nine Burgesses, who immediately thereafter marched in a body to the Raleigh Tavern, and there passed, in the Apollo Hall, the memorable resolutions against the use of tea and all East India commodities. It was from this State House that Patrick Henry's patriotic outburst, "Cæsar had his Brutus, Charles I. his Cromwell, and George III. may profit by his example," has echoed down the corridors of time. Though every precaution was taken to preserve it from destruction, even to the exclusion of fire and lights within its walls, this edifice was also destroyed by fire.

The College of William and Mary has three times been the victim of devouring flames. The Raleigh Tavern, with its leaden effigy of Sir Walter Raleigh, fell thirty years ago, covering with its ashes all the events of historic interest with which it was associated, with the traditions of 23d February balls, where flying hours were chased by lightly tripping feet.

Innumerable private residences have fallen before the fiery foe, and this morning, when the alarm was given that the Colonial powder magazine was in danger from a burning building near by, many a heart sank in consternation.

A volunteer fire brigade was soon at work with a small engine, or pump, from the Eastern Lunatic Asylum, and under the efficient direction of the mayor of the city, and the active and intelligent work of Messrs. Deane and Beale with many others, the burning roof was saved and the progress of the fire arrested, but not without the loss of the oddly shaped cupola on its top and the lightning rod.

This building is probably one of the most interesting in the State from its connection with stormy courts in colonial and revolutionary history. It has been recently purchased by the Colonial Capital Branch of the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities with the view of converting it into a museum. No progress has, however, been made in that direction owing to the difficulty of obtaining the services of a skilled mechanic to put it in proper repair.

The executive board of the Colonial Capital Branch would be glad to hear from any mechanic prepared and willing to undertake this work.

[Special to the Times.]

WILLIAMSBURG, VA., September 9.—About 6 o'clock yesterday morning Mr. M. R. Harrel's stables were discovered to be on fire, and in a short time were entirely consumed. The horses and most of the harness were saved. The old powder magazine near by, was saved with the greatest difficulty after a portion of its already dilapidated roof had been destroyed. Owing to the prevalence of an easterly gale, which blew the flames in an opposite direction, that old building, the hotel property and the old court-house owe their safety.

## TRAGEDY AT A CAKE WALK.

Democratic Nomination—Danville Dots.

[Special to the Times.]

DANVILLE, VA., Septembgr 9.—Saturday night near Burnt Chimney, in Henry county, there was a frolic among the colored people, known as a "cake walk." There seemed to have been more whisky than cake on hand, and during the festivities Harden Mann, colored, late of Texas, who was the honorary guest, drew a navy revolver, and shot and instantly killed, Mary Hairston, colored. Mann has been arrested. He claims that he shot at a white man named Green who had insulted the woman, and struck the woman accidentally.

At the county convention of Henry county Democrats, held at Martinsville to-day, H. C. Pace was nominated for the Legislature. This is regarded as an exceptionally strong nomination.

The white public school is overcrowded and more than a hundred applicants for admission have been turned off for lack of room.

The trustees have appealed in vain to city council for an appropriation of $5,000 to enlarge the buildings.

## RAILROAD ACCIDENT

On the Norfolk and Western Near Lynchburg—Ovation to Captain McKinney.

[Special to the Times.]

LYNCHBURG, VA., September 9.—Another very serious railroad wreck occurred early this morning on the Norfolk and Western at High Bridge, six miles below this city, which occasioned the death of the fireman and two of the brakemen injured. The wrecked train was the fourth section, No. 58, going east, and became stalled on a heavy grade approaching the bridge. The trains following were flagged. While at a stop seven cars from the fourth section broke loose and ran back into the fifth section. The engine was thrown from the track and caught underneath it fireman McDowley, of Petersburg, who was so seriously injured that death ensued in a few hours. Fireman McDowley's remains were taken to Petersburg this afternoon, and the engineer left for home.

A special report states that McKinney had a splendid Democratic ovation at Fincastle to-day by the people, and that his speech was received with the greatest enthusiasm. He speaks at Buchanan to-night.

## JAMES CITY DEMOCRATS

Up and Hard at Work.

[Special to the Times.]

WILLIAMSBURG, VA., September 9.—The Democrats of James City county reorganized to-day and placed John Barnes, without an exception, the best Democratic worker on the peninsular, at the head of the County Convention. They unanimously voted to have a big barbecue at Kelton station, and appointed a committee to make arrangement for the dinner and secure speakers. At a meeting of the peninsula county chairmen held here to-day, they decided to have a convention at Hampton on the 25th of this month to name a candidate for the lower House.

## THE DYING SUNSET.

General S. S. Cox in Extremis.

NEW YORK, September 9.—Congressman S. S. Cox is dying of malarial fever at his residence, 18 east Twelfth street. Six physicians, including Dr. Fordyce, Barker and Dr. Stanton of Washington, were in consultation over his case. At noon, all hope of his recovery was given up. His wife was prostrated with grief. Mr. Cox returned several weeks ago from a lecturing tour in Dakota and Washington Territory in his usual good health. Two weeks ago he went to Washington in the interest of one of his constituents and caught cold, which was followed by malarial fever. His physicians now think he can hardly live through the night. It was not until yesterday that his illness assumed the danger necessitating the calling of so many physicians.

SOME HOPE OF RECOVERY.

Mr. Cox's condition this evening is not materially changed. He seems to rally at times and the doctors think that the turning point for better or worse will be reached within twelve hours. The chief symptoms are those of pneumonia. Mrs. Cox sent the following reply this evening to an inquiry from a friend in Washington: "Mr. Cox is slowly rallying and hopes of recovery are increasing."

At 11 o'clock this evening Mrs. Cox said that Mr. Cox was resting better, though still in a precarious condition. He has spells of choking, owing to inability to expel phlegm from the throat. At minight the doctors held a consultation, and decided that no crises would be reached for some hours yet.

## A MISSING TREASURER

Supposed to be Off to Buenos Ayres.

BOSTON, MASS., September 9.—Mr. Wholly, owner of the yacht Margurite, tells a story which may have some bearing upon the disappearance of Treasurer Dane, of the Douglass Axe Company, and his son. According to his statement, the yacht, while returning from a pleasure trip down the harbor, was hailed from one of the East Boston wharves by two men, who answer the general description of the missing parties. They desired to be taken aboard a ship lying out in the stream. They boarded the Margurite and the elder one inquired of the watch on the vessel they desired to be taken to, "Where are you bound for?" On receiving the answer, "Buenos Ayres," they seemed satisfied and was assisted aboard.

## BASE-BALL.

Games Played Yesterday.

At Boston—Bostons, 0; Chicago 0. Called at 7th inning; darkness.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphias, 10; Pittsburgs, 4.
At Baltimore—Baltimores, 8; Cincinnatis, 12.
At Philadelphia—Athletics, 7; Louisvilles, 10.
At New York—New Yorks, 11; Clevelands, 5.
At Washington—Washingtons, 9; Indianapolis, 6.
At Columbus—Columbus, 9; Kansas Citys, 6.
Off day for St. Louis and Brooklyn.

Fatal Fire in Albany.

ALBANY, N. Y., September 9.—Fire this afternoon destroyed the four-story brick paper stock warehouse and junk shop of P. J. McArdle, corner of Arch and Church streets. A number of persons were employed in the building assorting paper, many of them elderly women. The flames spread so rapidly that many of the employes jumped from the upper windows to the sidewalk. Two women who jumped from the fourth story, sustained fatal injuries and at least two others were burned to death in the building.

Democratic Nomination in Louisa.

[Special to the Times.]

LOUISA, VA., September 9.—Dr. Jos. W. Baker, at present commissioner of the revenue in the upper district of the county, was to-day nominated by the Democratic party for the House of Delegates. The nomination is unquestionably the best that could have been made. The Doctor is very popular and by organization and *work* he can be elected.

Railroad Collision.

GOSHEN, IND., September 9.—Through the carelessness of the telegraph operator at Millersburg two freight trains collided near that point on the Lake Shore early yesterday morning. No lives were lost. Damage $175,000. All traffic on the line has been stopped.


Buy at the Standard.


## THE LONDON STRIKE

### STILL IN THE HANDS OF ARBITRATORS.

Secret Compromise Agreed on, Which it is Thought will be Accepted—Britons Opposing the Elixir of Life—The Searle-O'Conner Rowing Race—Cable Notes.

LONDON, September 9.—Several wharfingers, in addition to those conceding the demands of the strikers on Saturday, announced this morning that they had decided to accept the terms of the men. The strike fund was augmented to-day by £1,500, received from various sources. The leaders of the strike are in conference with Cardinal Manning with reference to that prelate's further mediation.

THE SEARLE O'CONNOR ROWING RACE.

LONDON, September 9.—The sculling race between Searle, of Australia, and O'Connor, of Canada, was rowed over the championship course on the Thames to-day, and won by Searle. The wind blew in occasional squalls, and off Surrey the water was slightly lumpy, but otherwise the conditions were excellent. The weather was perfectly clear. The betting was even, starting to twenty to twenty-one on Searle, which was readily taken, and finally turning five to four on O'Connor.

THE START

was by mutual consent. At 1:23 P. M. O'Connor started off at a terrific rate of speed, but shortly afterward caught a crab, when Searle overtook him and gained the lead, rowing splendidly, but slackening his speed beyond Waldron's. After this Searle, apparently without effort and rowing at twenty-nine strokes, gained half a length, which he gradually increased, O'Connor looking anxiously over his shoulder to observe the distance between himself and the Australian. At Hammersmith bridge O'Connor looked a trifle distressed. At Thorny Croft both men appeared to be in good form, but a troublesome headwind was encountered in Chiswick reach, which bothered O'Conner considerably, though it did not affect Searle, who was three lengths ahead. From Cheswick point the race was a procession. O'Connor rowed splendidly throughout, but he seemed to be overtrained.

THE AMOUNT OF MONEY WAGERED

was enormous. Heavy purses were cabled from Canada and Australia to be staked for the friends of the respective champions. Spencer brothers, of Australia, placing £10,000 on Searle. Both men were in splendid form. Searle weighed 163 and O'Connor 162 pounds. O'Connor was not accustomed to start by mutual consent, but has been used to forging ahead at a pistol shot or by word from the referee. In the opinion of many, this enabled Searle to hold the lead to the finish. Besides this, O'Conner was unused to tide-water as Searle is.

THE STRIKE BELIEVED TO BE ENDED.

LONDON, September 9.—The negotiations looking toward a settlement of the strike have scarcely been interrupted by the slight outburst of feeling caused by the refusal of the strikers to endorse the action of their leaders in accepting the last compromise proposed. The Lord Mayor, notwithstanding his threat to wash his hands of the whole business, after the strikers had rejected his propositions, was engaged all day today in the work of harmonizing the two opposing interests. Cardinal Manning and Bishop Temple ably seconded the Lord Mayor's efforts, and all three held conferences to-day with representatives of the dock companies and the striking laborers. All the parties to these conferences were bound to secrecy, but it is learned that a compromise agreement was formulated, which met the approval of all present, and which now requires only the formal ratification of the dock managers on one side and the strikers on the other to make it binding. The agreement will be submitted for ratification to meetings of both parties in interest, called for to-night, and the result will be announced to-morrow morning, when it is confidently expected that the strike will be declared at an end.

CABLE NOTES.

ANTWERP, September 9.—Many of the oldest windows of the cathedral here were destroyed by the explosions of Saturday. The bodies of numerous victims were recovered from the ruins of the cartridge factory to-day. Many others were blown to atoms, and only portions of their apparel can be found. Among them were five English visitors.

PARIS, September 9.—The municipality of Paris gave a banquet to-night to Mr. Edison. It was very largely attended, and was a brilliant success throughout.

DUBLIN, September 9.—The emigration returns for Ireland for the past year show that 78,881 persons emigrated from Ireland to foreign countries.

DUBLIN, September 9.—A boat containing a christening party was capsized at Killarney last evening and five of the party were drowned.

Ives and Stayner.

NEW YORK, September 9.—Henry S. Ives and George C. Stayner, charged with issuing fraudulent Hamilton and Dayton Railroad stock, to-day demanded separate trials. It was decided to try Ives first, and the time was fixed for to-morrow.

BEDFORD, IND., September 9.—Ira Cobb shot and killed Alexander Waggoner, Jr., a merchant in Silverville yesterday morning. It was an old quarrel renewed. Cobb was arrested and will be brought here and put in jail. This is Cobb's second man.

The Biggest Circus on Earth to be at Richmond, September 11th.

The old time Robinson show with four big rings, three menageries combined and a Roman hippodrome, will spread its tents at Richmond, next Wednesday, September 11th. From all our exchanges we hear the best of reports, not only for the gentlemanly behavior of its men, honest payment of its accounts, but that the show in every respect is better, both in its circus department, its menagerie and hippodrome than even Barnum's or Forepaugh's. adv


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The Union Pacific Railway, "The Overland Route," has equipped its trains with dining cars of the latest patent, and on and after August 18th the patrons of its fast trains between Council Bluffs and Denver, and between Council Bluffs and Portland, Ore., will be provided with delicious meals, the best the market affords, perfectly served at 75c. each. Pullman's Palace Car Company will have charge of the service on these cars.—adv.

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## POLICE COURT.

A Dispute Over Some Opera-House Scenery—Minor Cases.

Sunday night, between 11 and 12 o'clock, Mr. A. J. Ford, the owner of the Broad-street Opera-House, received information at his hotel that the scenery in the Opera-House was being removed. This was found to be the fact, and a warrant was sworn out charging James Sweeney, the livery-stable man, with carrying a lot of scenery from A. J. Ford. A search warrant was also sworn out to examine Mr. Sweeney's stables and given to Sergeant Tomlinson. He found the scenery at the stable. Mr. Sweeney refused to open the door of his stable. Sergeant Tomlinson said that he could, of course, broke in the stable, but he did not have teams to take the machinery to the station-house without using Mr. Sweeney's, and he did not want to be arrested for stealing Mr. Sweeney's horses and wagons. He placed an officer on watch, however, which was kept up all night and part of yesterday.

Yesterday Mr. George A. Henderson, the man who has been running the show, was arrested also on the same charge, or as an absconding debtor.

The parties were in court accompanied by their counsel, Mr. Louis Wendenburg. Mrs. Henderson accompanied her husband.

Mr. A. J. Ford testified that the scenery taken was his own. The Court asked him if it was stolen. Mr. Ford replied, "They took my property at 11 o'clock at night." The Court said that the taking of other people's property without their consent, was surely stealing. Mr. Ford stated also that Henderson was in debt to him for rent.

Mr. Wendenburg stated that he could prove that no scenery had been taken from the Opera-House which did not belong to Mr. Sweeney. All the scenery taken away from the Opera-House, and which was now intact at Sweeney's stable, was the property of Mrs. Henderson. She purchased it in Baltimore and had a bill of sale for it. Mrs. Henderson had given a bill of sale for the same scenery to Mr. Sweeney. Nothing belonging to Mr. Ford had been taken away. The check for $50 Mr. Sweeney gave for the property was now at his bank.

The Court said he preferred sifting the matter to the bottom, and must have Mr. Ford's witnesses.

Mr. Sweeney and Mr. Henderson were bailed in the sum of $300 each.

After court, Sergeant Tomlinson executed the search warrant, and brought all the scenery in a large double wagon to the Police Court-room.

The case will be ventilated to-morrow, and the ownership of the property and whether there has been a theft determined. Mr. Sweeney says he can prove beyond doubt that he bought it at a *bona fide* sale.

OTHER CASES.

John Lindrum was fined $5 and costs for being disorderly and resisting Policeman Butcher.

William Stephen (colored), charged with stealing one pair of shoes from H. Summers, was given thirty days in jail. Stephen was also fined $20 and costs for carrying concealed weapons—to-wit: a razor.

Carter Fountain (colored), disorderly in the street and resisting the police, was fined $5 and costs.

Charles C. Bowler was fined $5 and costs for improper conduct. While in durance vile he walked away without being noticed. An attachment was issued.

Amanda Morris (colored) was fined $5 and cost for using profane language in the street.

Frank Lee, a little ebony-skinned boy, was arrested as a vagrant. When asked where he lived, he said "Nowhere." He was sent to the Almshouse.

James H. Green (colored), charged with beating Lucy Perry on the street, was fined $10 and costs.

## ATTEMPTED BURGLARY.

What Mr. C. L. Barrett Saw Last Sunday Morning.

Sunday morning, about 3:15 o'clock, Mr. C. L. Barrett, who boards at Mrs. M. L. Spotswood's, No. 715 east Grace street, was sound asleep in his room in the third story. He heard a noise, which partially