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CITY BULLETIN.

Lost His Valise.
G. Shonfield, a commercial traveler, started to leave for Hagerstown last night. He deposited his grip in the car and went out on the platform for a short time. When he returned his valise was gone. It contained a number of mileage books on different railroads and several other things of value. Mr. Shonfield reported the matter to the police and remained until to-day to see if he could recover his property.

Auction Sale of Good Furniture.
We will sell at 314 Fourth avenue (Church street) s. w. for parties leaving the city, on Friday, July 1, at 10 o'clock, a nice line of household and kitchen furniture; also one Jersey cow for sale privately. W. W. WORKMAN & Co., auctioneers.

A House Party on Walnut Terrace.
Mr. J. D. Lazell gave a pleasant house party to his friends and neighbors of the Gas and Water tract at his home, on Walnut Terrace, last evening. It was one of the earliest social gatherings of that beautiful suburb.

Of Course
You wish to deal with a house who handles first-class plans and organs. Hobbie Music Co. has had that reputation for years. Warehouses 157 Salem avenue.

Baseball Meeting Postponed
The meeting of the officers of the Roanoke Baseball Club, which was to have been held last night, has been postponed until to-night at 8 o'clock, when it will be held in the rooms of Jas. A. McConnell, at Marshall's Gate. Messrs. A. S. Ashery, Louis Scholz and Geo. McCahan have been appointed on the board of control.

All Welcome
At Hobbie Music Co.'s warehouses, 157 Salem ave. We can show you the largest stock of wall paper in the State, and guarantee entire satisfaction in handling same. The E. H. Stewart Furniture Company.

Will Return This Morning.
The local committee appointed to attend the meeting at Old Point Comfort, the object of which is to form a State board of trade, will return this morning.

The celebrated Sutton carpet-sweepers, that do not wear the carpets, for sale by the E. H. Stewart Furniture Company.

Having secured the services of several experienced and competent paper hangers and decorators we are prepared to do all work in this line in a neat and in the most artistic manner. The E. H. Stewart Furniture Company.

Organizing a New Military Company.
The members of the Y. M. C. A. who are interested in the formation of a military company are requested to meet at the Y. M. C. A. rooms, Friday night at 8 o'clock sharp.

The largest assortment of house furnishings in the South can be found at the E. H. Stewart Furniture Company.

A North American Product.
Ask for "North American" tobacco. It is made of fine Henry County leaf and has no superior. Try H. Huff, Andrews & Thomas, wholesale agents.

Returned to Her Home.
Mrs. Geo. S. Ewing, with her daughter Ruth, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. M. C. McCallister, of Bibb street n. e., for the past seven weeks, has returned to her home in Pittsburg, Pa., accompanied by her sister, Miss Millie Myers.

Save labor and the wear of your carpets by using the celebrated Victoria carpet sweepers. For sale by the E. H. Stewart Furniture Company only.

Humors Denied.
There is no truth whatever in the report that the Roanoke Light Infantry is going to Abingdon on July 4. The report that the company is going to withdraw from the Second Virginia Regiment is also false. The company has no inclination to withdraw from the regiment and would not do so if it could.

Old papers, 15 cents per hundred, for sale at this office.

He Was Playing "Sham Battle."
While the little son of J. C. Shabolt, was badly burned on the face and hands yesterday evening while playing "sham battle" in his back yard.

Protect your wools from moths by buying a chest of the E. H. Stewart Furniture Company.

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ITS LABORS ALMOST COMPLETED

Council Will Meet But Once More.

A Session Was Held Last Night With Mr. Engleby in the Chair—The Bond of Minafee & Ware For Building the Fourth Ward School House Accepted. The Sam Jones Tabernacle Will Probably Be Used as a Temporary Market. Council Refuses to Increase Judge Dupuy's Salary.

A called session of Council was held last night, Mr. Engleby presiding. The first business that came before the body was the report of the board of public works.

Section first recommended that the bond of Minafee & Ware for building the Fourth ward schoolhouse be accepted; motion adopted. Section second relating to the contract bond of J. A. Gillespie was, on motion, laid over until the decision of the court of appeals can be learned which will determine the legality of similar work.

A telegram was read from W. T. Patterson stating that he could not be here Thursday with his bond, but would materialize before the expiration of the ten days allowed him at the last Council meeting in which to prepare his bond. Action was postponed until the meeting Thursday.

The report of the board of public works recommending J. A. Gillespie be allowed to substitute the paving provided for in his contract with another quality equally good, was laid over for action until the meeting on Thursday night.

A motion was then offered that the Sam Jones tabernacle be permitted to stand for sixty days longer and secured as a temporary market while repairs are being made on the market floor. An amendment was offered and accepted that before this be done the board of public works ascertain at what figure it can be rented at for this purpose and report to the Council Thursday night. Motion adopted as amended.

A letter was read from H. H. MacKay, who offered to supply the Hastings Court room with two fans and warrant them for two years. Moved and carried that the letter be referred back and Mr. MacKay requested to specify the size of the fans, the motor power and also the additional cost of providing the adjoining room with similar ones.

A resolution was then read recommending that certain sections of Campbell street and Salem avenue be paved and the cost thereof assessed against the abutting owners; laid over until the next meeting.

A proposition from the Roanoke street railway was next submitted, offering to pave certain unimproved streets over which it ran its cars, conforming to the requirements of the city engineer as to grade, provided within ninety days after said paving should be completed the city would pay them the actual cost thereof. Referred back to the company to specify the proposed streets.

A report recommending that, as the committee had inquired into the salaries of the officers employed to make an official survey and had found that they were not exorbitant or unjust, and that they be allowed, was adopted.

A report recommending that the account of T. C. Whalen for a wagon and harness retained for the use of the city was carried. The finance committee reported a recommendation that the salary of the judge of the circuit court be increased from \$1,000 to \$2,000 was voted down.

A report recommending that the bill of the Roanoke Transfer Company for \$93 be compromised for \$70 was adopted. The bill of Gallagher & Hill against the city for \$115 was rejected on the grounds that the paving was done without authority of the Council.

The committee on sinking fund reported a recommendation that \$4,000 jail bonds be bought at par; carried unanimously.

The finance committee offered a recommendation to sell \$5,000 jail bonds at a premium of \$2.50 in order to raise funds for the completion of the new jail. Recommendation adopted.

The report of the mayor was received and all the recommendations therein allowed or referred to the proper committees.

It was unanimously adopted that the mayor's report be published in three of the city papers.

Council will meet again Thursday night.

MRS. WORD'S WILL.
She Remembers All Her Children in the Distribution of Her Property.

The will of Mrs. Q. M. Word was admitted to probate in the office of the clerk of the Hastings Court yesterday and disposes of an estate worth several thousand dollars. Under the terms of her will she leaves to her daughter-in-law, Mary S. Word, several houses and lots; to Nellie Word, her daughter, four houses and several lots; to her daughter, Sallie W. Reynolds, three houses and several lots; to her daughter, Mrs. B. B. Stuart, several houses, and appoints Samuel Griffin as trustee for the two latter, and J. W. Shields, trustee for Mary S., the wife of Harry Word.

Y. M. C. A.

List of the Committees Appointed for the Ensuing Year.

John H. Wright, the newly elected president of the Young Men's Christian Association, after carefully considering the names of the members, has appointed the following committees to act for the present year:

Committees of the board—Finance, St. S. McClanahan, W. S. Gooch, H. V. Lineback and T. E. Davis, Jr.; executive, John W. Woods, C. M. Stonestifer and W. S. Gooch; educational, J. B. Fishburne, Wm. G. Evans and John H. Wright; auditing, J. G. Bringham, W. E. Deaton and J. L. Daddow; rooms and library, J. B. Fishburne, John H. Wright and W. E. Deaton; vacancies, C. M. Stonestifer, W. S. McClanahan and W. S. Gooch.

Committees of the association—Christian work, W. R. Terrill, R. H. Hall, J. R. Collingwood, R. P. Good, J. P. Trent and C. M. Stonestifer; membership, O. S. Hawkins, A. J. Odell, S. B. Wrightson, J. F. Boon and E. L. Filippo; reception, H. V. Lineback, W. M. Carr, John S. Fennell, Geo. W. Fetzer, T. L. Dougherty, Sam Templeton, W. R. Terrill, Francis B. Payne, F. H. Fitch, T. R. Peyton, J. L. Bladon, S. B. Wrightson, W. H. Mackabee, S. A. White, J. F. Fielding, R. Foster, C. C. Hall, J. L. Johns, A. H. Boyd, A. J. Odell, G. W. Thompson, F. E. Davis, Jr., J. R. Garrett and John A. Pitcher; invitation, G. W. Thompson, Geo. W. Fetzer, C. M. Tredway, J. S. Fennell, C. E. Hester, J. R. Garrett, J. L. Johns, R. M. Kent, Jr., W. Mackabee, Jesse A. Hicks, A. L. Powell and C. J. Spencer, Jr.; visitations of sick, R. H. Hall, C. C. Hall, W. H. Mackabee, W. S. Newcomer, J. R. Garrett, John D. Bowers and R. A. Hoal.

GEO. W. JETT MARRIED.
He Was United to Miss Dora Payne Last Night.

One of the prettiest church marriages of the season was solemnized yesterday evening at 8:30 o'clock at the First Baptist Church, the contracting parties being Geo. W. Jett, chief telegraph operator in the Norfolk and Western offices, and Miss Dora Payne, daughter of Mrs. Ellen Payne, on Eighth avenue s. w. The ushers were Messrs. Bennett, Cook, Cannaday and Lineback.

The church was beautifully decorated with flowers and promptly at 8:30 the bride and groom entered, the wedding march being played by Prof. Gorner. The bride was attired in a neat traveling dress and carried a beautiful bouquet of white roses in her hand. The wedding party marched slowly down the aisle to where Rev. O. F. Filippo was standing, who in few well selected words made them man and wife.

After the ceremony the newly wedded couple were driven to the depot, where they received the congratulations of their friends. They took the 9:45 train on the Shenandoah Valley for Washington. They will also visit Atlantic City, Philadelphia and New York, and go from there to Norfolk on the Old Dominion Steamship Line and thence to Roanoke, where they will reside in the future. The presents received were both costly and numerous.

MARRIED YESTERDAY MORNING.
Jas. P. Henebry and Miss Fannie A. Carr Made Man and Wife.

St. Andrew's Catholic Church was the scene of a very pretty wedding yesterday morning, the contracting parties being Jos. P. Henebry, a popular young moulder of the Roanoke Machine Works, and Miss Fannie A. Carr, daughter of Geo. P. Carr, of Third avenue n. w. The church presented a beautiful appearance with the altars covered with flowers and burning candles.

Promptly at six o'clock the party arrived and marched up the main aisle to the sweet strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, played by Mrs. S. M. Brophy. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Lynch with a nuptial mass. The attendants were Will A. Carr with Miss Emma E. Voigt and Jno. A. Carr with Miss Mary B. Carr, sister of the bride. The bride and groom left on the 7:15 train for Richmond and other cities, and many friends awaited their arrival at the depot to congratulate them and wish them a safe and pleasant trip.

EMPEROR WILLIAM AT A LAUNCH.
He Makes a Speech Setting Forth Some of His Ideas.

STETTIN, June 28.—Emperor William yesterday launched, at the shipbuilding works here, a new dispatch boat. He said the light and slender build of the vessel showed that she was dedicated to works of peace. She would give joy to the children of the imperial house and to the exalted mother of her country.

Continuing, his majesty said: "This vessel shall bear the name of the citadel in Swabia, which gave its name to the royal race with which I am connected. My ideas are to work with my people, devote my life to labor for my people and to march in battle at the head of my people. I christen thee Hohenzollern."

THE BALL PIERCED HER HEART.
A Phillipsburg Woman Accidentally Kills Her Little Daughter.

PHILLIPSBURG, June 28.—Mrs. John L. Killman, while handling a Flobert rifle at her home, 313 Washington street, yesterday afternoon, accidentally discharged it. The ball passed through the heart of Leona Lehr, aged 10 years, a daughter by a former husband, killing her instantly. The mother was crazed with grief by her unlucky act.

ANOTHER WAR SHIP LAUNCHED.

The Norfolk Navy Yard a Scene of Triumph.

The "Texas" Now Rides Upon the Wave. A Brilliant Scene in Spite of the Rain—About 15,000 Spectators Present—Miss Madge Williams Christens the Leviathan—Many Distinguished People Present—Dimensions of the New Destroyer.

PORTSMOUTH, Va., June 28.—[Special]—The Norfolk navy yard and the constructor, Francis T. Bowles, secured a signal triumph in the successful launching of the great battleship "Texas" here to-day. The scene, in spite of a fine rain which fell during the entire forenoon, was most animated. About 15,000 spectators were in the yard and as many more were on steamers, tugs, yachts and the opposite shore of the river.

Standing on the launching towers erected from the launching platform were Miss Madge Houston Williams, of Texas, and her mother, Mrs. Williams, Lieut. W. S. Cowles, private secretary to Secretary Tracy and his official representative on this occasion, and Ensign Hillary P. Jones, of the navy. Red, white and blue cords, holding the battle of wine were tied to the staff mounted by a star emblematic of the Lone Star State.

At sixteen minutes after 11 o'clock signal "ready" was given. Miss Williams, uttering the words, "I christen thee Texas," broke the bottle of wine on the bow of the noble vessel and she started. It was just forty-six seconds from the time the bottle was broken that Texas was standing in the stream as firm as a land battery. Five minutes later she was moored to her wharf.

The United States ship Texas is a steel armored twin screw battle ship of 6,335 tons normal displacement. Her principal dimensions are length between perpendiculars 290 feet, extreme breadth 64 feet one inch; moulded depth 39 feet 9 inches, designed draught of water forward 22 feet, designed draft of water at 23 feet. Her mean draught will be 22 feet 6 inches when carrying about 500 tons of coal. She can steam 1,110 miles at her estimated highest speed of 17 knots or 8,500 miles at 10 knots. There were many notable persons present, and the Governor of Maryland was represented by six or seven members of his staff.

GRUBB IS A CANDIDATE.
But He is Ready to Loyal Support Any Other Republican For Governor.

BEVERLY, N. J., June 27.—The reunion of the Twenty-third Regiment, New Jersey Volunteers, was held yesterday at Edgewater Park, the residence of Gen. E. Burd Grubb. The veterans were cordially received by the general, and Mrs. Grubb was cheered as she mingled among her husband's war-torn comrades.

In speaking of the Republican national ticket, Gen Grubb said: "I have no doubt of the complete success of the Republican party in November. President Harrison's administration has been honorable and just and Whitelaw Reid will ably second him in the administration of public affairs for four years more. New Jersey will support Harrison. The Democrats of the State are not in favor of Cleveland or his free trade principles.

"I shall not exert myself to secure the Republican nomination for Governor," said General Grubb, "but if the party should choose me as their leader I feel assured that I could lead them to victory. I did so three years ago, and the ballot-box stuffers in Hudson county who cheated me out of the election then will be lodged in State Prison before the end of August. This means the election of a Republican Governor this fall."

"If I am not nominated I will turn in and give a loyal and hearty support to any Republican who receives that honor."

A LEATHER TRUST.
Incorporated in New Jersey With a Million Capital.

TRENTON, June 28.—Articles of incorporation of a leather trust were filed yesterday morning in the Secretary of the State's office. The company will be known as the "Rice & Hutchens, incorporated." The capital stock is said to be \$1,000,000.

The incorporators own three shares each, and are as follows: W. S. Dennis, J. M. Congalton, S. J. Dennis, W. H. Ellis, N. H. Keyler, Richmond Ellis and Robert Chapman, all residents of Arlington, N. J., where the principal office in this State will be located.

The business of the company will be the manufacturing of leather and the selling of boots, shoes and other leather articles. Boston will be the headquarters and the principal manufacturing will be done in New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Toledo, Cincinnati, St. Louis and Chicago.

PARLIAMENT DISSOLVED.
LONDON, June 28.—[Special]—The queen has signed the decree dissolving parliament.

OFFER DECLINED.

Drexel, Morgan & Co. Refuse to Attempt Reorganization.

NEW YORK, June 28.—[Special]—Drexel, Morgan & Co. have declined the invitation to undertake the reorganization of the Richmond Terminal. In the following letter to W. C. Strong, chairman of the Richmond Terminal stockholders' committee, they give their reasons for so doing:

DEAR SIR: Referring to our previous correspondence regarding the affairs of the Richmond Terminal System, we beg to say that we have made a careful investigation of the affairs of the Richmond and Terminal System. We have reached the conclusion that the reorganization is feasible on a basis of equity to all concerned, one that we should be prepared to undertake, and one which, in our opinion, would place your property and financial basis.

The complications and difficulties which must be met in this connection make it necessary, we need scarcely add, that we should, as your representative, and as far as possible, be protected against any single action which might, for personal or other reason, desire to thwart such reorganization. With this in mind, we deemed it essential, before any action on our part, that a major portion of the reorganization and that all litigation should be put under our control and persons of our selection substituted for receivers now in possession of the properties.

Therefore, upon learning of the appointment of receivers of the Richmond and Danville property by the United States court we applied to W. C. Strong, in case we undertook the reorganization suit under his control, would be transferred to us and the present receivers resign in favor of Mr. Spencer, stating to him that in our opinion, such a course was essential. He declines to give us any such assurance and our conversation with him leads us to doubt his loyalty to reorganization plan whatever, although he, as one of your committee, signed the request to us to undertake the same.

As, in our opinion, it is essential to the success of any plan that during the reorganization properties involved should be under our control as already mentioned and as the position taken by Drexel, Morgan & Co. makes it impossible, we are obliged to decline the invitation to undertake a reorganization.

Thanking you for your confidence, we remain, dear sir, yours very truly,
DREXEL, MORGAN & CO.

Similar letters have been sent to Kessler & Co., Spencer, Trask & Co., Jno. Bloodgood & Co., Chas. Head & Co., and others.

OFF TO SUCCOR PEARY.
The Miranda Sets Sail for St. John's, Newfoundland.

NEW YORK, June 28.—The steamship Miranda, of the Red Cross Line, with the Peary relief party on board, sailed for St. John's, N. F., from Robinson's stores, at the foot of Warren street, Brooklyn, yesterday evening. The party expects to bring back Engineer Robert F. Peary, of the United States Navy, and his party, if alive, in October.

The Miranda, which is captained by Captain H. C. Leseaman, carried forty passengers. The Philadelphians who compose the relief party reached the steamship about 11 o'clock this morning. They were headed by Professor Angelo Heilprin. The other members are Henry G. Bryant, second in command, who is a member of the Academy of Natural Sciences of Philadelphia; V. W. Stokes, sketch artist; Dr. Jackson M. Mills, surgeon, of this city; Albert V. Vorse, William E. Meehan, botanist; C. E. Hite, taxidermist, and Samuel J. Entriken. The Miranda, which is well provided with all manner of stores useful in Arctic travel, will arrive at Halifax on Thursday morning. From that place she will proceed, after a stay of a few hours, to St. John's, reaching there Saturday.

The party will leave the Miranda at St. John's, and go on board the sealing steamship Kite, which is under command of the experienced Arctic navigator, Captain Richard Rike. The Fourth of July will be spent at St. John's, and on the following morning the Kite will start on her voyage to the North. She will go direct to Greenland. North of Cape York, at McCormick Bay, is the camping ground of the Peary party. Should it be found that Mr. Peary and his followers and his party are not there, a large quantity of provisions will be landed.

Should the conditions prove favorable, it is the intention of the scientists to examine the Humboldt glaciers.

President Harrison Thanked.
PARIS, June 28.—[Special]—The recall by the United States Government of Captain Borup has had a good effect here. M. Ribot has written a note to M. Naquet, saying that all is settled in such a manner that it is not necessary to ask any question in the chamber of deputies. A semi-official note appears in the newspapers thanking President Harrison for the prompt action taken by the United States in the matter and praising Minister Coolidge for his part in the affair.

Unable to Elect a Senator.
BATON ROUGE, La., June 28.—[Special]—The joint Democratic caucus last night decided to postpone the election of United States Senator to the session of 1894, but will ballot daily to the close of the present session.

BASEBALL YESTERDAY.
At Chicago—The two Cleveland-Chicago games postponed on account of wet grounds.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati..... 0 0 0 0 0 1 3 0—4
Louisville..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1
Cincinnati, hits, 8; errors, 0. Louisville, hits, 5; errors, 1. Batteries: Mullane and Vaughn; Sanders and Dowse.

At Baltimore—Baltimore..... 0 0 3 0 0 2 3 0—8
Washington..... 2 0 2 0 2 4 2 x—12
Baltimore, hits, 18; errors, 5. Washington, hits, 15; errors, 2. Batteries: Bullington and Robinson; Knell and Milligan.

At New York (first game)—New York..... 1 1 0 1 0 2 0 0—5
Brooklyn..... 2 0 3 0 4 0 0 1—12
New York, hits, 1; errors, 7. Brooklyn, hits, 14; errors, 2. Batteries: Rusie and Boyle; Haddock and Dowse.

Second game—New York..... 1 2 0 1 2 2 0 0—8
Brooklyn..... 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—3
New York, hits, 8; errors, 2. Brooklyn, hits, 8; errors, 2. Batteries: Crane and Boyle; Hart, Stein and Darley.

TRYING TO DEFEAT CHASE.

Republican Contest for the Governorship of Indiana.

Another Case of First Ballot—The Governor's Opponents Trying to Divide the Delegation—Special Trains Bringing the Crowds to Fort Wayne From all Directions—Expectations of a Large Attendance at the Convention.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., June 28.—Special trains on all the roads entering here have been bringing in delegates this forenoon, and it looks now as though the Republican State convention to-day will be one of the largest in the history of the party. The fifty-one candidates for the sixteen offices are here, and the best rooms in the Wayne and New Aveline and Randall Hotels are occupied by them. Governor Chase was the last candidate to arrive. He came in at 9 o'clock from Columbia City, where he preached yesterday.

The chief interest is in the gubernatorial contest, and it is still Chase against the field, with but little or no prospect of the field uniting. Chase's opponents have hoped that Hon. J. N. Huston might be drawn into the race, but this morning a telegram was received from that gentleman announcing his disinclination to be a candidate against Governor Chase. Mr. Huston's friends say his name will not, therefore, go before the convention so long as Chase is a candidate. If Chase should get out of the race at any stage of the contest, Mr. Huston's name could then be used. The stand of Mr. Huston has encouraged the governor's friends, and they now assert that considerable strength which might have gone to Huston on the first ballot will go to the governor.

George W. Steele, ex-governor of Oklahoma, is still looking over the field, but his friends say he will not be a candidate unless it should become evident that Chase cannot be nominated. The position of Huston and Steele leaves the anti-Chase men wandering about in a vain effort to find a candidate with whom the governor can be beaten. Ex-Congressman James P. Johnston has been looked upon with favor by some of them, but it is charged that he has been talking against the national administration.

J. B. Homan, of Danville, who has taken Gov. Chase's campaign in hand, claims that the governor will be nominated on the first ballot. W. B. Roberts, Mr. Chase's secretary, says the governor will have 600 votes on the first ballot. The blue book is figuring to some extent in the contest. Many railroad men are here to talk on both sides of the question.

The fact that half the counties in the State have candidates before the convention may cut an important figure in the contest for governor. The tradition that when a county has a candidate it must keep hands off of every other contest is being rigidly observed. Inquiries were made of various county chairmen as to how their delegations stood on the contest for governor. The reply was always substantially that they had a candidate of their own and would not mix in the fight. This condition of affairs may weaken Chase, for the reason that so many counties will regard it as good politics to divide their votes.

Some of the delegates now declare that if Chase is not nominated on the first ballot he will find it difficult to secure the 716 votes necessary to a choice on succeeding ballots. It will be the purpose of the anti-Chase men to prevent a nomination on the first ballot, and they realize the way to do this is to bring out as many candidates as possible. The Chase forces have been coming in strong all day and the governor and his followers have been very busy.

Meeting of the New York State Committee.
NEW YORK, June 28.—[Special]—The Republican State committee, in session at the Fifth Avenue Hotel to-day, elected William Brookfield chairman of the State committee and elected Charles W. Hackett, of Utica, chairman of the executive committee in place of Gen. James W. Husted.

The Election of Senators.
NEW ORLEANS, La., June 28.—[Special]—The State legislature has adopted a resolution asking the Louisiana Senators and Representatives in Congress to urge an amendment to the constitution providing for the election of United States Senators by the direct vote of the people.

People's Party of Tennessee.
NASHVILLE, Tenn., June 28.—[Special]—The convention of the Third or People's party meets here to-day. About thirty delegates will be in attendance and delegates to Omaha be chosen. There is some uncertainty as to whether the convention will nominate a candidate for governor.

Ten Years for Attempted Assault.
RICHMOND, Va., June 28.—In the Hastings court yesterday William Davis, the negro who was arrested a few weeks ago for an attempt to commit an assault on twelve-year-old Lena Gest-hart, pleaded guilty and the jury gave him ten years in the penitentiary.

A Grand Army of Confederates.
CHARLESTON, S. C., June.—A call has been issued for a convention of Confederate veterans to meet in Columbia July 10 to organize a grand army of Confederates. The promoters say they have the endorsement of leading ex-Confederates and promise of assistance from many Grand Army of the Republic men. The organization will extend over the entire State.

The Weather.
Forecast: For Virginia, generally fair during Wednesday, slightly warmer, southwest winds.