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CONCERNS OF THE DISTRICT

Chief Parris Praises the Bravery of His Men at the Knox Fire.

LIST OF THE WOUNDED MEN

Attorney Thomas States That There Is No Penalty for the Disregard by Private Parties of Plumbing Regulations—Commissioners Asked to Act as Cow Catchers.

Chief Parris, of the fire department, reports to the Commissioners that during the month of July that there were twenty-four alarms for fire, involving a loss of $357,195, with an insurance of $179,905. There were also thirty-two still alarms, the losses amounting to $590, with an insurance of $35.

In his report he states that at the Knox fire Fireman Lee Beall, of No. 1 company, was severely burned and bruised; Foreman James Keliher, of No. 2 company, was badly hurt in the back; Assistant Foreman Wilson, of No. 2, had his leg broken; Fireman Carrington, No. 2, was burned and one of his ankles sprained; Foreman J. D. Kurtz, of No. 5 Company, had his foot badly burned; Private Hooper, of Truck Company A, was badly burned and bruised, and Fireman T. F. Killigan was badly burned. He compliments the men of his department for their bravery and the masterly manner in which they handled the fire.

At the fire No. 2 fire engine's grate was burnt out and lost a washer; two sections of No. 7 company's hose burst, and one of No. 4 company's. Truck A company had one ladder and one wagon shaft broken.

During the month the sum of $20 was collected as fines from members and turned over to the pension fund. Twenty-two members of the department were on the sick list.

NO PROPER PLUMBING REGULATIONS.

J. T. Cull failed, after due notice from the Commissioners, to reconstruct the plumbing in his house, No. 114 Second street southeast. The matter was referred to the attorney for the District, who says in reply:

"In view of the fact that the courts have recently held that the only penalty for violation of the plumbing regulations which can be enforced is the one specified in the act of Congress authorizing such regulations, which applies to plumbers who fail, after notice, to do their work over again, so as to comply with the regulations, I do not believe a prosecution could be successfully had against Mr. Cull. For these reasons I would suggest that the matter be dropped for the present. If pending legislation, which proposes to confer upon the Commissioners power to annex suitable penalties to their plumbing regulations, becomes law, Mr. Cull can again be notified to do what is necessary to bring the plumbing in his house to the standard of the regulations, and on failure to do so may be prosecuted in police court."

PROTEST AGAINST DRYING CLOTHES.

Clarence A. Brandenburg, of No. 412 Fifth street, has protested to the Commissioners against the granting of a permit to Belle May and Albert Trensheim, of Nos. 1603 and 1605 New Jersey avenue northwest, for drying clothes on the public property in front of their houses. He says that "these people not only have been doing this in violation of law but for the purpose of annoying and harrassing Mr. Schneider, who lives at No. 1607 New Jersey avenue, and they have persisted in hanging their wash upon the partition fence between Mr. Schneider's front yard and that of his neighbors."

The Commissioners yesterday issued the following orders:

That the well on Water street, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets northwest, be abandoned.

That cement sidewalks be laid in front of No. 1724 H street northwest, and Nos. 1740, 1742, 1744 and 1746 S street northwest.

That permission be granted the Eckington and Soldiers' Home Railway Company to connect their premises in square 1030 with the D street sewer, using a 12-inch terra cotta pipe sewer instead of a cast iron pipe.

Rev. John M. Barry and others have notified the Commissioners of the organization of a volunteer fire company at Tennallytown and they have asked for the loan of 500 feet of hose, a carriage, bell, and other equipment which they state will be cared for at the stable of Mrs. A. C. Hunt at the junction of Wisconsin avenue and the River road.

President Lloyd L. Jackson has written a reply to Commissioner Ross' letter, accepting the appointment as a member of the advisory committee of the Baltimore Centennial Association. President Jackson expresses the hope that the District will have exhibits at the exposition and a suitable building at the grounds.

Bishop Williams, at the head of a colored delegation, called on the Commissioners yesterday and indorsed School Trustee L. A. Cornish for reappointment. They also promised their support to Sergt. Daley in making violators of the law in the Fourth precinct comply with the city ordinances.

PROMOTIONS AT THE ASYLUM.

The Commissioners yesterday made the following promotions at the Washington Asylum: Daniel Tindall, to be clerk, at $720 per annum; George Martin, overseer, to be clerk, at $600; John H. Thornton, watchman, promoted to overseer, at $600.

The attorney for the District has suggested to the Commissioners that the order of June 18 last, compelling a number of people to make sewer connections with their premises be rescinded, for the reason that as the laws stand such order cannot be enforced.

Building permits were issued yesterday as follows: Arthur S. Brown, to erect Nos. 1344 to 1348 Princeton street northwest, $18,000. M. E. Norton, to erect house corner of First and V streets southwest, $250. George A. Ahmey, to improve No. 933 Westminster street northwest, $500.

H. G. Balkam, who was recently appointed by the Fire Underwriters' Association to represent the organization at fires, was yesterday, on the recommendation of Chief Parris, made a special fireman by the Commissioners. This was done so as to allow him access to fires, but he is in no way to interfere with the firemen while in the discharge of their duties.

The building inspector has recommended to the Commissioners that a permit be granted Mrs. J. E. Morgan to rebuild the two houses, Nos. 227 and 229 Knox's alley, which were crushed in at the time of the Knox building fire by the falling of the walls of the big storage building.

T. Alexander Semply, of No. 1423 Chapin street, wants the Commissioners to capture a cow that apparently does not belong to any one, but which persists in coming to his house, and he is tired of driving it away.

Building Inspector Entwisle has been notified by the Commissioners to make an estimate for the cost for erecting a suitable building at the Baltimore Exposition for the District of Columbia.

W. H. Stoutenburg, intendant of the Washington Asylum, has submitted his report for July to the Commissioners. During that month there were 533 persons under the care of the institution as follows: Workhouse, 244; almshouse, 173; hospital, 72, and employes, 44.

During July eleven inmates of the insane asylumn were discharged.

Hon. C. B. Breckinridge has recommended to the Commissioners the appointment of Dr. Jerome Riley, colored, for a position as health inspector.

The Commissioners have returned to the President with favorable report House bill 313 to pay for alley condemned in square 493, and House bill 7071 to exempt Y. M. C. A. property from taxation.

Harry B. Kauffman has tendered his resignation to the Commissioners as resident medical student at the Washington Asylum Hospital, to take effect on the 15th inst.

Henry Billings, of No. 212 G street, has complained to the Commissioners that the lamps in his square are not lighted on time in the evening as they should be.

B. AND O. SIDINGS AND SWITCHES.

Superintendent Moss, of the District Engineer Department, recently inquired of the Commissioners what were the rights of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company relative to laying sidings and switches along its lines within the District. The question was referred to the attorney for the District for an opinion on the matter. That official yesterday decided the matter. He holds that the company has the right to lay sidings or switches into its own property, but not in private property unless Congressional sanction is given for that purpose. He says that the running of sidings or switches into property in Eckington by the railroad company cannot be done for the reason that in the dedication of land in that place to the District by the original owner it was stipulated in the deeds from the owner of the land to the District Commissioners that no part of the land should be used for railroad purposes. The railroad company, however, he says, can, on the request of owners of property in Eckington whose property abuts on the railroad, construct switches or sidings to connect the property of individuals on that sub-division with the railroad.

B. L. Lynch, corner of Fourteenth street and Rhode Island avenue, has been recommended by W. S. Thompson for appointment as a commissioner of pharmacy for the District. Commissioner Ross has approved the recommendation.

The Washington Brewery Company has asked permission of the Commissioners to display a network banner with an advertisement on it on Pennsylvania avenue from the 25th instant to September 1.

TREASURES OF A LIFETIME.

People Bewailing the Loss of Articles in the Knox Fire That Can Never Be Replaced.

Among the many losers of valuables by the recent Knox warehouse fire, who stood near the ruins yesterday and watched the workmen as they removed the debris, there was none more disconsolate than Rev. Dr. Corey, formerly pastor of Metropolitan Methodist Episcopal Church. "I feel," said he to a TIMES representative, "as though I had suffered a heavy personal bereavement by this fire. All my books are gone. Not a trace of them is left. I do not expect to get anything of value from the ruins, still I am hoping to get a few articles of bric-a-brac that I may send as souvenirs to my sick wife at Clifton Springs, N. Y. For twenty-five years I lived with my books—they were rare treasures, many of which could not be replaced if I had $20,000 with which to get others, and I had become as familiar with them as I had with the faces of my children. There were sets of works which cost as much as $500 cash, and the set of Carlyle's works alone was worth $200. The working side of my library was very often consulted by scholars and I had more works relating to the Rennissance and German Reformation periods than there were on those two subjects in the Astor library in New York.

"My loss outside of my library will be nearly $3,000, which was invested in fine dishes, bric-a-brac, and similar articles, for out of all we possessed only a few articles of silver with some knives and a small number of dishes have been found."

A few feet from where Dr. Corey stood as he talked to THE TIMES man was Mr. M. B. Hatch. He was rejoicing in the fact that a silver and gold mounted sword belonging to his father, Gen. John P. Hatch, U. S. A., had been found. "I would rather have recovered that sword," said he, "than to have been presented with $500. My father was placed on the retired list in 1885, when he removed to New York, where he now resides. Before leaving the city he deposited the sword in the Knox building for safe keeping. It was presented to him by the members of the Fifth New York and First Vermont Cavalry in 1863. When taken from the debris the end of the blade had been damaged by the fire and it and the handle were somewhat disfigured, but the engraving on the hilt was plainly distinguishable, and a piece of crape that had been tied on the handle nearly ten years ago was uninjured. Mr. Hatch also recovered an album of photographs of Union generals during the war—a present from the various generals, and one of which bore the following in the handwriting of the late Gen. George B. McClellan: "To Mrs. Hatch, from George B. McClellan." The album was ruined, but the pictures, beyond having been a little dampened by water, were in excellent condition. Mr. Hatch also recovered a number of letters written to him by his mother over twenty years ago and which he prized very highly.

Capt. J. T. H. Hall, a one-armed veteran of the late war, was made happy by recovering the service sword which he used while a member of the First Long Island Regiment. The sword can be restored to its original condition without much difficulty. He also recovered a small safe and one book—his quartermaster's issue book of 1864—out of his entire collection. The safe had not up to last night been opened, so that it is not yet known what is the condition of the contents.

A large quantity of china and queensware which had been packed in blankets was taken out of the ruins yesterday in a good state of preservation, but somewhat smoked. A box containing a pile of baby's blocks, wax doll, a little prayer-book, and several little tin soldiers was also found.

Many persons are greatly dissatified because their books and similar articles which have been taken from the debris from time to time since the clearing away began are piled up on an open lot where they are exposed to all sorts of weather.

MUSIC FOR THE PYTHIANS

Works of Two Washington Composers Provoke Discussion.

OFFICIAL ENCAMPMENT MARCH

Trouble About Railroad Rates—Cost of the Stands—No Civil Escort Feasible—Change of Headquarters—Pythian Sisters Withdraw Their Request.

Music has been the subject of much discussion and controversy at the Pythians' committee meetings. Several weeks ago the engagement of the Fourth United States Artillery Band was decided upon, and Prof. Buglioni, leader of the band, composed a march and dedicated it to the Knights of Pythias. This was adopted as the official encampment march.

Several days ago Prof. Donald B. McLeod, a Washington musician, composed a march, and, at the suggestion of a friend, this was dedicated to the supreme lodge and placed on sale, which, according to some knights, was in opposition to the official march. The question was brought up at a meeting of the citizens' committee yesterday afternoon for settlement. Mr. Emmons said there had evidently been some misunderstanding, and read a newspaper clipping, stating that Mr. McLeod's march had been authorized by the music committee. This statement was false in every particular. The facts were that at a meeting of the committee on reception to the supreme lodge, Mr. Goodhart, chairman, the latter march was exhibited and no authorization hinted.

After Mr. Emmons' statement, Mr. Helbig proceeded to make an explanation. Prof. Buglioni's march was authorized and he thought it very wrong for any other gentlemen to interfere with the work of his committee. There should be no interference on the part of Mr. Goodhart or any member of his committee.

MR. GOODHART EXPLAINED.

These remarks of Mr. Helbig brought Mr. Goodhart to his feet. The latter gentleman stated there had been no interference on the part of his committee and none was intended to be made. No official action has been taken in respect to Mr. McLeod's march, as he had stated it to be his intention to have the Marine Band to play the selection on the evening of the reception to the supreme lodge. Mr. McLeod stated the above mentioned facts to the executive committee and said he had no intention to antagonize Prof. Buglioni.

Mr. Emmons moved that Mr. Helbig's committee's previous action be indorsed, and this settled the question of music.

Those present at the citizens' committee meeting yesterday afternoon were: Messrs. Brown, Emmons, Carmody, Goodhart, Johnson, Walker, Helbig, Heisley, Medford, Yost, Cronin, Greenleaf, McLeod, and Mitchell. Reading of communications was the first business. Mr. Emmons read a letter from Gen. Carnahan, saying that much trouble was being experienced in securing the desired railroad rates from the Western Traffic Association, and asking help from the local committee in the way of influence upon the officials in this city. This letter was referred to Mr. Heisley, chairman of the committee on transportation, for investigation and report.

In his report submitted yesterday Mr. Heisley stated that there was no encouragement for a less rate than one fare for the round trip. They had tried to secure the same rate as that granted to the G. A. R. this year, but as yet have not been successful. With this report the matter now stands until some action is taken by the Traffic Association.

APPROPRIATION FOR STANDS.

Mr. Conn, from the committee on stands, asked for an appropriation of $200 for stands, which was referred to the auditing committee for report. Mr. Emmons said during the past week he had received a communication from the committee on the reception to the supreme lodge regarding the bands engaged for that evening. It was stated that the Fifth Illinois Regiment had asked for a band, and the committee proposed to let them have the Fourth Artillery Band and use the Marine Band for the reception. But nothing definite had been heard from the Illinois regiment, and until they answer nothing can be done. The committee on information asked for an appropriation of $50 instead of $150, which request was referred to the auditing committee.

Gen. Ordway, chairman of the committee on escort, reported that an escort of civil organizations is not feasible. He will not order out the militia, but as many as choose may volunteer. He asked also for a band to accompany the escort, which request was referred to the auditing committee, with power to act. Mr. J. H. Johnson, chairman of the public order committee, said they had deferred action until some desired information was received concerning the line of march and location of the reviewing stands. Mr. Emmons handed to the chairman of each committee the names of members of such committees, with the request that any errors be corrected, so that the names may be published as soon as possible. Mr. Goodhart desired to know something concerning the ordering of badges, but this matter was postponed until the next meeting.

ONLY 1,500 TENTS ORDERED.

Chairman Brown said he had received a communication from McCauley Peters Tent and Awning Company, in which they stated they would not be able to furnish 1,500 tents, which have been ordered, at the same rate as 3,000, which was the number originally agreed upon. Mr. Brown said the citizens' committee would keep to the 1,500 order unless it was absolutely necessary to have more, which by the original agreement could be had at the same rate. He further stated that the matter ought to be settled soon, and upon motion it was agreed that he should close a contract with the McCauley Company or some other firm.

Mr. Brown further stated that it was desirable to change the headquarters of the committee on account of the noise from the street during the meetings and the difficulty in reaching the present quarters. Mr. Emmons had offered the large vacant storeroom, No. 1216 F street, at a reasonable rent, and upon motion of Gen. Walker it was agreed that Mr. Brown should secure new rooms, and the chairman stated that the next meeting will probably be held at 1216 F street.

Mr. Carmody, treasurer of the citizens' committee, reported receipts and expenditures as follows: Receipts from Pythian executive committee, $971.68; from chairman of finance committee, $2,786.50; total, $3,758.18. Disbursements, $177.65. Leaving a balance on hand of $3,580.53. Since Friday $500 additional subscriptions have been solicited and $300 paid on previous subscriptions.

The executive committee met at 8 o'clock and transacted some business relating to the encampment. Mr. Kline stated that Rathbone Temple, No. 1, Pythian Sisters, have withdrawn their request for a headquarters' tent on the camp grounds. This disposes of the much-discussed question of allowing the ladies quarters in camp. Several members suggested that the uniform rank of Washington provide headquarters for the sisters in the building, part of which will be used by the citizens' committee as their headquarters. This was thought to be a good idea, but no definite action was taken.

On motion of Mr. Medford it was agreed that the headquarters of the executive committee should hereafter be at No. 1216 F street northwest, in acceptance of an invitation extended by the citizens' committee.

The Second Ohio Regiment, Col. Minshull, which, it had been announced, would not attend the encampment, has concluded at a subsequent conference to attend, and will be here in full strength. News has also been received that the Wilkesbarre division, fifty-eighth strong, will be here as part representative of the Keystone State.

BACK FROM THE FRONTIER.

Provisional Regiment Returns After a Week of Active Service.

The provisional regiment of the District National Guard, which has been in camp for a week down the river, returned home yesterday afternoon.

The boys were astir at an early hour in the morning, engaged in making preparations for breaking camp. At 11 o'clock the bugle sounded, tents were lowered, and, together with other baggage, taken on board the upbound steamer.

The start for home was made at 1 o'clock, a stop being made at Fort Washington to allow Capt. Myers with a detail of men and the camp and commissary equipments to land. Washington was reached shortly after 3 o'clock, and upon landing the men formed in companies and marched up Pennsylvania avenue to the armory, in front of which a fine dress parade and well executed drill were given.

One of the pleasant incidents in camp Sunday was the presentation of a handsome silver cup to Color Sergt. Simpson by the Columbia Zouaves. Major Story made the presentation speech, to which Sergt. Simpson made a suitable response.

RECORD OF THE COURTS.

EQUITY COURT, No. 2, Justice Bradley—Cowing vs. Cowing et al.; order for appearance of absent defendant. Schneck vs. Riddle et al.; order confirming auditor's report. Wager vs. Wager; order allowing alimony and counsel fee.

CIRCUIT COURT, No. 1, Justice Bradley—German's administrator vs. Richmond and Danville Railroad Company; time in which to file record in court of appeals extended to first Tuesday in October, 1894. Eppa Hunton, jr., vs. David Coleman; judgment for plaintiff by default for $500 with interest at 6 per cent. from October 29, 1887, till paid and costs.

ORPHANS' COURT, Justice Bradley—In re estate of Susan Fitzgerald; inventory of money ($308), returned by Andrew Jackson, administrator. In re minor children of Hugh Myer; order to expend $30 monthly for the support of the three children. In re guardianship of Rose B. McKaig; order appointing Joseph F. McKaig guardian, bond $1,000. In re minor children of Charles M. Ford; Reginald Fendall appointed guardian, bond $500. In re estate of Christian Wagner; application of Emma F. Wagner to be appointed administratrix.

Assessment Bill Passed.

The assessment bill was passed by the Senate yesterday without division, no new amendments being added. The "value" clause was left unchanged, the assessors being directed to make a true measure of value. The first assessment under the bill is to take place in 1896.

Friday and Saturday Excursions to the Seashore—$5.00.

The B. & O. R. R. Co. will sell round-trip excursion ticket every Friday to Atlantic City for Royal Blue express trains, leaving 10 a. m. and 12 noon, and to Cape May and Sea Isle City, for 12 noon express, valid for return on regular trains until following Tuesday, inclusive; rate $5. au1,3,5,7,9,10,12,15

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For weeks past the newspapers have prophesied and the general public have anticipated the adjournment of Congress, and the consequent reassurance in the industrial and commercial life of the country.

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WANTED—PROPOSALS FOR THE ERECtion of reviewing stands for the Pythian parade. Estimates must be furnished this week. For dimensions and further information, apply to Col. O. E. STAPLES, Willard's Hotel. jul1-tf

WANTED—THE PUBLIC TO KNOW THAT I have opened a branch store with a full line of birds, cages, feed, aquariums, gold fish, and pet animals at 1221 Pa. ave.; main store, 712 12th st. n. w. SCHMID. je25-3mo

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Five races will be run each day. First race at
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Trains will leave Sixth Street Depot at 12.50 and 1.40 p. m. Returning at 5.10 and 5.40 p. m.
Improper characters will not be admitted.
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Will leave FRIDAY, AUG. 10, at 9 a. m., for a special trip to CHAPEL POINT.
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jy30-3m

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His Singular Case.

"BROXTON, N. Y., May 14, 1873.—Send your best man to me immediately.
"WILLIAM HARDY."

Such was the telegram received by the chief of the bureau of which I am a member, and I was deputed to work up the case; not because I was the "best man" connected with the bureau, but by reason of the fact that I was the only available man.

Four hours subsequent to the receipt of the message I was conferring with Mr. Hardy—a man nearly sixty years of age, the proprietor of a small store connected with his residence—to whom I made myself known, and whose story was as follows:

"When, at the close of the rebellion, after four years' service in behalf of my country, I returned to my home in this town, my health was so impaired that I could not follow my former vocation—that of a carpenter. So I converted one of the rooms in my house into a store and began to sell confectionery, cigars and other small articles. With the growth of the town my business has increased until it affords me an income sufficient to support my wife and myself—I have no children—in a comfortable manner; and I have been able to pay all the debts which I, owing to my impecuniousness, was obliged to contract during the earlier part of my career as a merchant," and he smiled as the last word fell from his lips.

"Early last evening," he continued, "I was called upon by a gentleman—a stranger to me—who said that years ago he borrowed $900 of my father and had come to pay that amount and accrued interest to me—my father's sole heir. He did pay me nearly $1,600.

"As it was too late to deposit the money in the bank I placed it in my safe. I had scarcely done so when, glancing at one of the windows in the store, I saw the head and shoulders of a man who looked like a tramp and who was watching me closely.

"The lower sash of the window was slightly raised, and the idea suggested itself to me that this man might have been listening to the conversation which had been carried on in the room and learned about the money, and was watching to see what I did with it. I stepped to the window, raised the sash still higher, put my head out of the window, looked up and down the street,