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## BASE BALL MEETING AT CITY HALL MONDAY NIGHT.

**Number of Citizens Get Together And Discuss Way and Means of Backing the Club.**

A number of the citizens interested in the continuance of a good base ball team gathered at the City Hall Monday night to see what could be done.

W. G. Nash, the present manager of the ball team, stated the object of the meeting and suggested the election of a temporary chairman and secretary, which was carried out, and Elmer Oliver and W. M. Hankins were elected to these offices.

S. H. Gove addressed the meeting, saying that Mr. Nash ought to have sufficient backing by the citizens to do whatever was necessary to furnish good games for the entertainment of citizens and visitors and that the city certainly needed something of the kind during the summer. He thought some means should be used to get up more enthusiasm on the base ball question, but this might be a difficult task with regard to anything, unless it be a free bridge. Mr. Gove thought well of the move to push the sale of the season tickets already issued, and was willing to be one of several to guarantee Manager Nash funds enough to close engagements with Sanford, Ocala and Orlando teams now in correspondence. In this he was joined by S. E. Bullard, Elmer Oliver and W. M. Hankins, all three of whom put up good, earnest pleas for the support of the local team, asserting that the citizens in general did not realize as they should the excellent work done by the Daytona team and the fact that it furnished one of the best forms of much needed entertainment.

Manager Nash, who has worked faithfully and hard to keep up a good team and give the people entertaining games, said he believed there were enough people in Daytona interested in the matter to make it a success if they could be properly reached, but he was averse to shouldering the entire responsibility in the future, as he had in the past.

Mr. Bullard suggested that an organization be effected by the election of officers and accordingly Jerome D. Maley was elected president; Elmer Oliver, vice president; W. M. Hankins, secretary and W. G. Nash, team manager for a term of one year. A committee, consisting of Postmaster W. C. Smith and M. B. Aultman, was appointed by the chair to handle the season tickets, a good distribution of which would in itself insure the summer's base ball.

Manager Nash stated that the Daytona team had not lost one of the five games played this season and had the last three games of the previous season also to their credit, which should appeal to the people.

Chairman Oliver said it should not be essential to win all games, as long as the club played good ball, which every one knew was true of the Daytona team.

Manager Nash said it was often difficult for the members of the team, who were nearly all at work in the various stores in the city, to get off to play the regular games, to say nothing of getting off for practice, which they should do for a few hours at least once every week, and he wished the business men were more liberal in this respect.

The question of securing a regular pitcher was discussed, but nothing definite was decided upon. It was stated that Roy Barnes had secured a position with S. H. Gove and would be able to be with the team for the summer.

Walter Rogers and Billie Baggett, members of the team, briefly addressed the meeting, as did also E. J. Mills. Mr. Mills thought the key note of the situation was for the team to own its own park. It was also stated that the present ball park could be leased for five years at a reasonable term per year.

Before adjournment and at the suggestion of W. C. Smith the officers elect were instructed to formulate a constitution and by-

laws for the new organization.

The gist of the matter seems to be that while the club usually closes the season in pretty fair financial condition, there are times, as at present, when they run behind, through a light attendance at the games, and also they should have funds on hand to defray the expenses of visits to other places for match games, and this should not be left on the shoulders of the manager of the club alone, in a cause which is so essentially a public benefit as a means of entertainment. No one could have shown more interest or worked harder in the interest of good ball here than Manager Nash and his present stand in the matter is perfectly sound and justifiable.

## ANOTHER OLD SETTLER PASSES TO GREAT BEYOND.

**W. W. Van Dorn Dies at His Beach Street Home at the Age of 81 Years.**

Walter Wilson Van Dorn, another of Daytona's early settlers, passed away at his Beach street home Friday night of last week at the ripe age of 81 years. Mr. Van Dorn had been in failing health for several years and more noticeably of late, but was around as usual almost up to the time of his death. He went quietly to sleep Friday afternoon and drifted into the final sleep that knows no waking at about ten o'clock that night.

Mr. Van Dorn was born at Lexington, Ohio, in 1828 and lived there for a number of years, as he did also in Iowa and Kansas, engaged in farming. In June, 1851, he married Miss Lucretia Hoyt at West Union, Iowa, who with three children, Henry and Charles Van Dorn, of this city, and Mrs. Wilson Drake, nee Ellen Van Dorn, of North Middleburg, Mass., still survive him.

In the spring of 1875 Mr. Van Dorn came to Florida with the intention of locating at Enterprise, but not liking that place he footed it to New Smyrna (transportation in those early days being difficult to secure) and still being dissatisfied he came on to Daytona where he at once decided to remain. His family joined him here in the fall of 1875.

Mr. Van Dorn engaged in the mercantile business with Wm. Jackson, who was at that time conducting a general store, and was a silent partner of Mr. Jackson's for a number of years after his withdrawal from active participation in the business.

Mr. Van Dorn had built on the present location of The Stillman, on Beach street, and Mrs. Van Dorn began taking boarders, doing a successful business for many years, the place being known as the Van Dorn House and the building being enlarged at various times until it reached its present dimensions. The house was leased several seasons ago to Dwight R. Stillman, for a term of years.

Mrs. Van Dorn and the youngest son, Charles, were here with him at the time of his death and the elder son, Henry, was summoned from the F. E. C. Ry. extension, reaching here with his family Monday morning, to attend the funeral, which occurred Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the residence, Rev. Dr. B. F. Marsh officiating. The interment was at Pinewood Cemetery.

The assemblage at the services at the house was notable for the number of old settlers of the city come to pay the last respects to another of their number who had joined what is rapidly becoming a large majority of Daytona's early settlers on the other shore.

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## FRANK CLARK FLAYS THE ENEMIES TO DEMOCRACY.

**Florida Congressman Denounces Representatives Alexander, Light and Miller.**

Congressman Frank Clark, of the Second Florida District, on Monday of last week, in the House of Representatives, made a speech on the "Responsibilities of a Representative," in explanation of his remarks in discussing the tariff and W. J. Bryan on April 15th, and his appearance before the Florida Legislature. The entire speech before the Legislature is printed in the Congressional Record, and from it is extracted the following thrusts at certain members of the Legislature:

"The Legislature of my State convened in regular biennial session on April 6, 1909, the day following the delivery of my speech here. That Legislature, while supposed to be entirely Democratic, contains in the membership of the House of Representatives a few Populists, Independents, and others who have always in the past trained with the enemies of Democracy, but who are now masquerading as the only real, genuine Democrats left on earth. They wear collars upon which are branded in large letters, 'None genuine without our trademark. Yours, forever, W. J. B.'"

"Considering my declination to bow down and worship Mr. Bryan, of Nebraska, as treasonable in the extreme, one Alexander, who happens to be a representative from Volusia county, and who all the people of Florida know has been in open hostility to the Democratic party in that State for the past twenty-five years, and who has never supported a nominee unless it suited his purpose to do so, introduced in the House a resolution censuring me and indorsing the 'peerless one.'"

"Think of this, Mr. Speaker, a branch of a State Legislature being made to entertain a resolution having for its object the censure of a Representative in Congress of the United States for words spoken in a debate in Congress! Think of a law-making body being asked to abandon its legitimate duties and resolve itself into a political caucus or mass meeting, at the heavy expense of taxpayers, in order to condemn the Democracy of one man, and to give another man a certificate as a Democrat!"

"Alexander, who introduced this foolish resolution in a grave legislative body, pressed for its immediate passage, and seven others besides himself voted for its immediate passage. Of these seven so voting was one—Light, of Marion county—who posed as one of the leaders of the Populist party in Florida when that organization was seeking to overthrow the Democracy of that State; and there was one Miller, from Lake county, who, I am informed, was only a few years ago a candidate for Governor of another State on a ticket in opposition to the regularly nominated ticket of the Democratic party."

"These were leaders in the movement to censure me, and to read me a lesson in Democratic faith and party loyalty. I admit that it was pre-eminently proper for them, as individual politicians, to laud the Democracy of their illustrious exemplar from Nebraska, but I emphatically deny either their right or their competency to sit in judgment on my Democracy."

"When these three beautiful variegated politicians, together with their five misguided followers, failed in their manly effort to have the House censure me without a hearing and without notice to me, the further consideration of this most weighty resolution was postponed to a future day, and the House tendered me an invitation to appear and make answer to the serious charges laid at my door."

Arthur Yelvington, who has been with the Southern Express Company at Titusville for several months, is again in charge of the delivery wagon of the company at this place. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Yelvington, arrived Monday from Titusville and proceeded to their home at Holly Hill.

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