

FIREMEN GET MORE MONEY

Board Voted to Increase Their Salary

CHIEF RECOMMENDS IT

Meet Next Monday About Five Points

TO PAVE RAMSEUR STREET

Academy of Music Not Yet Leased—Ordered Negro Cemetery Fence—Much Other Business Transacted.

The present board of aldermen met in the first of their two last regular sessions last night, and transacted business till near the midnight hour, settling a number of important questions, one of the most important of which was the increase which was made in the salaries of the firemen.

The report of the chief of the fire department for the past year was read, the report that had been previously submitted to the police and fire commissioners, and has been published in this paper, in which the chief recommended an increase in the salaries of the boys. The following scale of increases was recommended by the fire commissioners and adopted: Regular firemen, increased from \$57 to \$60; assistant chief and captain of companies No. 1 and 2, increased to \$75; captain No. 3 from \$68 to \$72.50; drivers fir No. 1, 2 and 4 increased from \$58 to \$65; automobile truck driver, \$58 to \$75 and the engine men from \$55 to \$62.50. No increase was recommended for the captain of the new hook and ladder company, as he has held the position only three months. It was recommended by the board last night that he be given the same raise after a year's service. The new salary begins the first of May.

RENTING ACADEMY.
Mr. J. W. Burroughs appeared before the board and asked that he be allowed to renew his lease on the Academy of Music for five years, and the request brought forth much discussion on the part of the board, as to the advisability of going back into another contract of this nature. Mr. W. F. Freeland appeared before the board and asked that he be given an opportunity of bidding on the house. The question of renting or renewing the contract with Mr. Burroughs, under which the city gets a percentage of the money from every performance was finally left to a committee composed of Messrs. McCrackin, Markham and Morehead. They will investigate and report at the next meeting of the board.

FIVE POINTS MATTER.
The special committee appointed to widen Five Points reported that the commissioners appointed in the condemnation proceedings had appraised the land desired by the city at \$2,750. The city attorney reported that Judge J. S. Manning, attorney for Mrs. Lelia Green Davis, in this matter, was of the opinion that the value of the property was too low and had filed exceptions with the clerk of court, and would ask for date at which these hearings might be heard. The aldermen were of the opinion that the value was too high, but have not decided to take an appeal to the superior court. The adjourned last night to meet again in adjourned session next Monday night for the purpose of considering this question.

RAMSEUR STREET.
The Ramseur street matter came up for final consideration last night, and the question of grading and macadamizing this street, which has been the subject of work for a special committee for the past year, was finally disposed of. The committee recommended that instead of making the lower end of this street the regulation width, which would necessitate the condemnation of a good deal of land, and the damaging of the property of Mrs. Cooper, that the street be graded and paved at about its present width. The line of Mrs. Cooper on the south will be taken as the line of the street and the measurements will be taken from this line. A sidewalk will be provided only on the north side of the street, unless the people on the other side are willing to give the necessary amount for the sidewalk. This street will not be the regulation width, but the aldermen could hardly justify the spending of enough money to make it regulation, and the narrow street at the lower end of Ramseur street will answer the purpose. Work is to begin at once by the city street forces, and will be done under the supervision of the city engineer.

DOWD STREET.
No action was taken on the request of property owners on the lower end of Dowd street that that thoroughfare be reopened. According to the information that was in the hands of the aldermen the school board has been deeded the property which was a part of the old Dowd street. They have blocked this out and a part of the old street is now in the yard of the new negro school. A land company which has bought land in this section of the city, offers to open up a new street through by ex-

tending the present lines of Dowd street in an easterly direction. This would leave the home of Miss Faucett off the street. A committee was appointed to look into the validity of the deed given the school authorities.

OTHER MATTERS.
The Alston avenue committee reported that they hoped to have a conference with the railroad authorities some time soon about the underground pass at this place. A fence was ordered placed around the negro cemetery. It will be of plank along the Ferrell road, and the other part will be of heavy wire. Requests for lights were left in the hands of the light committee.

The city engineer reported on the Fayetteville street sewer, and recommended the payment of the contractor, both for the main sewer and the house connections, the latter to be paid by the property owners. Mr. Blackwell also reported that Elizabeth street would be laid off tomorrow morning.

The contracts for lighting the market was left off till the next meeting. The gas people have offered a discount that will enable them to compete with the Traction company under the new contract and both are after the business.

Principal C. A. Jenkins, of the high school, asked the board to refund the city's part for the rent of the Academy for the production of the Merchant of Venice, and the request was granted.

J. B. Stanley was offered \$125 for a corner of his lot that will be necessary for rounding off the corner of Morris and Morgan streets.

Requests for sidewalks on the following streets were granted: South side of Jackson, West Annette and east side of Oakwood avenue.

TURNED IN THE ALARM.

Negro Boy Turned in Fire Alarm at that High School

A little negro boy sprang a surprise on the city high school yesterday, when he turned on the fire alarm. The boy went to the school to deliver a package of ice cream for someone, and finding in the basement of the building he did not find anyone. The youngster began looking around for the person to whom the cream belonged, and finding no one, discovered the push button that turns on the fire alarm. Thinking it a call bell the kid pushed the button, and was scared half out of his wits by the outburst of children a minute later.

This is the first time that the fire alarm has been turned on when neither principal, teachers, superintendent or janitors knew something about it. Usually the warning is given the teachers that the alarm is to be turned on for the practices. The false alarm yesterday caused a good deal of excitement for the time being, but it demonstrated very nicely the efficiency of the fire drills that have been carried out, for the building was emptied of over five hundred children in a very short time.

When all of the pupils had been landed safely on the school ground, the teachers and janitors began to look for the fire, and they finally found the innocent cause of the excitement in the frightened negro boy who wanted to deliver his package.

Inauguration of Governor Craig.
The Grand has for today the feature that the Durham public has been looking forward to for a long time. It is the inauguration of Governor Craig in motion pictures. The Durham Light Infantry is also shown in this picture. This is only one of the several reels the picture house has on for today.

ANOTHER IMPROVEMENT.

For the Great White Way Planned for Durham.

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Political Announcements

ANNOUNCEMENT.
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for alderman, from the fourth ward subject to the democratic primary of April 26th.
Respectfully,
H. C. RAWLS.

NOTICE!
I hereby announce that I will be a candidate for alderman from the first ward, subject to the action of the democratic primary on April 26.
Very respectfully,
E. C. BROOKS.

ANNOUNCEMENT.
I hereby announce my candidacy for alderman from the fourth ward subject to the action of the democratic primary to be held April 26th.
B. S. SKINNER.

ANNOUNCEMENT.
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the position of alderman from the second ward subject to the action of the democratic primary.
R. E. HURST.

ANNOUNCEMENT.
I am a candidate for alderman from the first ward subject to the action of the democratic primary to be held April 26th.
J. S. HALL.

NOTICE:
I hereby announce myself a candidate for alderman from the second ward subject to the democratic primary.
J. D. HAMLIN.

ANNOUNCEMENT.
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for alderman from the third ward subject to the primary to be held April 26.
Yours very truly,
W. H. PROCTOR.

ANNOUNCEMENT.
Complying with the requests of my friends I hereby announce myself a candidate for alderman from fourth ward subject to the democratic primary of April 26.
HILL C. LINTHICUM.

ANNOUNCEMENT.
I hereby announce my candidacy for alderman from the third ward subject to the action of the democratic primary to be held April 26.
Very Respectfully,
W. T. COLE,
Alston Avenue.

ANNOUNCEMENT.
I hereby announce my candidacy for alderman from the second ward subject to the action of the democratic primary to be held April 26th.
LAWRENCE D. KIRKLAND.

ANNOUNCEMENT.
I hereby announce that I will be a candidate for the office of police and fire commissioner of the city of Durham subject to the action of the democratic primary to be held on Saturday, April 26, 1913.
GEORGE L. LYON.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE CITY OF DURHAM:
I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the office of mayor of the city of Durham, subject to the action of the primary to be held on Saturday, April 26th, 1913.
W. J. BROGDEN.

ANNOUNCEMENT.
I hereby announce myself for alderman from the second ward, subject to the democratic primary to be held April 26.
C. B. ALSTON.

ANNOUNCEMENT.
I hereby announce myself for the position of alderman from the fourth ward subject to the action of the democratic primary to be held April 26th.
W. GASTON BRADSHAW.

ANNOUNCEMENT.
I hereby announce myself for the position of alderman from third ward, subject to democratic primary April 26th.
D. F. ANDREWS.

ANNOUNCEMENT.
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for alderman from the third ward subject to the democratic primary of April 26th.
Respectfully,
M. E. NEWSOM.

To the Voters of the City of Durham

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Fire and Police Commissioner of the city of Durham subject to the action of the democratic primary to be held

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