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Respectfully

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Merry Xmas to all.

The Fees Altogether Amounted to \$1,500-Ramoth's Plea for More Paving on Merrimon Avenue Refused-Other Business.

A batch of lawyers bills confronted the joint Board vesterday afternoon and caused some of the members to be glad that the end had come. The street railway trouble was at the bottom of it all. Chas. A. Moore had made out a bill for \$200 which read, "in full for professional services," meaning the late street railway case. Advisor Bearden asked what that meant.

"I thought we'd already paid that bill," he declared in surprise.

"Oh no," somebody told him, "we paid a retainer of \$300." "Oh," was Mr. Bearden's only re-

After the conversation had subsided somewhat Mr. Blanton read bills from W. W. Jones and Cobb & Merrimon, which were exact duplicates of Judge

"Let's see about that" slowly observed

apiece."
"A sight more than the city ever got," somebody remarked drily, sotto voce.
Aldermen Leonard and Waddell and Advisors Green and Hunt voted in favor of paving the bills, and Aldermen Starnes and McDowell and Advisors Miller and Bearden voted no. Alderman Gudger insisted on being excused from voting and left the matter a tie. The mayor broke this by going with the ayes and the bills will be paid.

Attorney T. R. Ransom asked the Board that a special committee be appointed to examine into the claims that W. G. Corpening makes against the city on his grading account. The estimates made by City Engineer Lee of the work are several hundred dollars less than the amount Mr. Corpening thinks he is an amount Mr. Corpening thinks he is en-titled to. Mr. Ransom told the board that unless something was done the case would be taken to court. The matter was referred to a special committee con-sisting of Aldermen Gudger and McDow-

ell and Advisor Miller. Chas, McNamee called the Board's attention to the fact that in the contract for the Vanderbilt brick for paving purposes it had been expressly agreed that the brick were to be inspected and accepted by the city at the brickyard. Des-pite this fact, he said, the city had hauled 93,000 brick to town and then rejected and refused to pay for 4 000 of them. He objected to this violation of the con-tract and told the Board it could either pay for the brick or return them to the yard. The Board decided to do the lat-

Ramoth Wants More Paving. A petition from a number of people wning property on Merrimon avenue asked for a continuation of the brick the avenue to the city E. D. Carter acted as spokesman for the petitioners, among whom were C. T. Rawls, R. R. Rawls, Geo. W. Pack, Chas. W. Woolsey, Alderman Waddell, H. B. King, W. B. Gwyn, W. W. West, and J. M. Ray. Mr. Carter presented an unofficial letter from Mayor Woolsey, of Ra-moth urging that the paving be done declaring a belief that such a step would incite Ramoth to do something at an early date towards improving its own part of the avenue. Mr. Carter presented figures to show that the 4,840 feet paved on South Main street had cost the city \$8.20 a foot, or \$39,692,60 for the whole job, while the 2,000 feet already paved on Merrimon avenue had cost but \$9,900. Taking this latter as a basis he calculated that the 1,600 feet that the petition asked for would cost \$7,920, making the entire 3,600 feet amount to only \$17,820, less than half what the South Main street job cost. Col. Green moved that the paving be done. The vote went against the motion 5 to 4, as follows; Ayes; Green, Bear-don, Waddell and Hunt; noes; gudger, Starnes, Leonard, Miller and McDowell. R. R. Rawls asked the poard was going to be done about making was increased 6,000; has led its memoris sidewalks on South Main street. He to conclude that they have a reasonable excuse for continued existence. urged that either cement or brick should be used from the Swannanoa hotel to Mrs. Hilliard's property and, on the other side of the street, from the Reynolds' block to the car sheds, taking the ground that an inferior sidewalk would be injurious to the property above. The requested to communicate with Tre matter was referred to the joint street urer J. D. Aldrichson, 78 Wall street. committee as was also the question of what material should be used for the sidewalk on Patton avenue between Buttrick and Buxton streets,

let to W. D. Patton. E. A. Poe handed in his bond for \$250

for building the pumping house at the water works, with H. D. Baker and T. Perkinson as sureties. The bond was

approved.
An award of \$500 was ordered paid to J. P. Sawyer. W. H. Penland and G. B. McCrary for damages caused to the Straith property on Patton avenue by the raising of the grade.
A complaint was made by Attorney J. D. Murphy that the property of G. L. White ou Bailey street had been damaged by lowering the grade. The complaint

went to the street committee.
On Alderman Waddell's suggestion the

joint Street committee was instructed to see what could be done about securing a small corner of Capt. Fagg's lot at the junction of North Main street and Merrimon avenue and a portion of the Starnes lot in the angle made by North Main and Water streets. It is desired to make the junction of the three streets more easily accessible.

City Engineer Lee handed in an esti-

mate of \$1,221.69 as the amount due Belote Bros. for cement sidewalks. Nobody seemed to notice the fact that a charge of \$100.23 for a sidewalk around charge of \$100.23 for a sidewalk around the Legal building on court square was included in the estimate, although the city had nothing to do with this work and the bill had long ago been paid by the owners of the property. This error was not discovered till an outsider called attention to it. Then a thousand dollars of the bill had already been ordered paid, the remainder being kept till some repairs to the new pavement should be done.

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THE LAWYERS' FEES PAID Govan Pressley, engineer of roller, lone month's salary, \$50; Penniman Brothers, \$27.77; J. Powers, work on curbing, \$3.36; A. M. Smith, brick, \$87.87. The bill of the Buncombe Brick and Tile com-pany for brick, amounting to \$720, was referred to a committee composed of Al-dermen Starnes and Waddell and Advisor

THE ALDERMEN

ablic Money Spent and the Dog Ordinance Adopted. When the Aldermen met, E. D. Carter

asked that A. H. and C. E. Lyman be allowed \$35 to pay them for a cart that in some way had gotten into the city's possession and, after having been lent to somebody had gone to pieces. Nobody seemed to know just by whose authority the city was responsible, but the fact was apparent and the money was or dered paid.

Aldermen Starnes' anti-bulldog ordinance passed its second reading and on a suspension of the rules was adopted. An amendment making the ordinance include all kinds of "vicious dogs" was in

E. T. Clemmons asked authority to have \$100 worth of work done on the Smith's mountain road between the rock crusher and the city limits, with the understanding that the city would bear half the ex pense. Referred to Street committee.

Chief of Police McDowell was given permission to hold a public sale of the old knives, pistols, flasks, brass knucks, watches, clocks, etc., and the like that "Let's see about that" slowly observed a mathematically inclined member at last. "These three amount to \$600. Taking the \$900 retainers that we've already paid out the lawyers get about \$1,500 out of this case. That's \$500.

The hot winnie man in Tentyille ap-

The hot winnie man in Tentville ap pealed from the decision of the Board at last week's session ordering his part of the city of tents to be removed within ten days. The aldermen relented and gave him a week longer.

J. M. Steele was relieved from city pol-tax because of sickness. The tollowing bills were ordered paid: Asheville Ice and Coal Co., \$36:30; Sanitary department, pay roll, \$31.73; water department, pay roll, \$22.25; Penniman Bros., \$71.76; F. Stikeleather and T. C. Brown & Co., horses for mounted policemen in Democratic parade, \$4.50; Jones & Whisnant, lumber, \$47.20, to e credited on their taxes.

The Board will not meet next week. BABY RUTH'S CHRISTMAS

SHE DOES NOT LACK FOR PRESENTS

Dolls and Jumping Jacks in the Lead So Far-The Clevelands Will Go to Lakewood About

Jan. 10 to Stay Till March 4. NEW YORK, Dec. 24.-President-elect Cleveland's residence in West Fifty-First street is being decorated with Christmas greens. Wreaths have been placed at each window and the drawing room is trimmed with mistletoe. Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland will observe Sunday as Christ mas day. They will partake of a splendid turkey sent by an admiring Long Island

farmer. Already enough gifts to stock a store limits. have poured in for Baby Ruth. There are enough dolls alone for a dozen chiliren, while of jumping-jacks, jacks-in-thebox, and other play things there are

almost too many to count. Unless their plans are changed Mrs. Cleveland will leave for her visit to her mother in Buffalo Wednesday or Thursday next. Her daughter is to accompany her. During her absence, the President-elect will make preparations for removing to Lakewood, N. J., for the winter. He will probably go there about anuary 10, and Mrs. Cleveland will join him about that date. The Clevelands will remain there till they go to Washington in March.

SOUTHERN DEMOCRATS.

These Are Away From Home, But They Work For The Right.

NEW YORK, Dec. 25 .- The association of Southern Democrats of New York has decided to become a permanent organization. The success of the association in the recent campaign when, by its efforts, R. R. Rawls asked the board what the Southern Democratic vote in the city was increased 6,000, has led its members

In order to effect this purpose an annual membership tee of \$1.00 has been judgment amounts to \$2,805.67. crats in the city who are auxious to aid the cause of the association have been requested to communicate with Treas-

Suffocated by Gas.

MASCOUTAH, Ills., Dec. 24.-J. M. Kidd It was ordered that a retaining wall be built at the approach to the iron bridge at the French Broad river at a cost of \$2.95 a yard. The contract was Alma, this county, vesterday to inspect nine boss and Elmer Rosenberry and Alma, this county, yesterday to inspect it for proposed improvements. All three were suffocated by foul gas. Although rescued from the mine in a very short time two workmen were dead and it is doubtful if the mine boss will recover.

Blaine Still Better.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24 .- The improvement in Mr. Blaine's condition continues. What was practically the "death watch" established upon him ten days ago, has been relaxed, and an air by lowering the grade. The complaint Blaine mansion.

> The Wyoming Election Cases. CHEYENNE, Wyo., Dec. 24.-Action on the election cases, in which two seats in the Legislature are concerned, has been put over by the Supreme court till

Afflicted Hamburg. HAMBURG, Dec. 23 .- There were two

new cases of cholera today and two of yesterday's cases have died. The uneasiness is growing and another exodus Dry Goods House Burned. BROOKLYN, Dec. 24.- The big dry goods

was burned this morning. Loss, \$150,-A Wandering Sheep

New York, Dec. 24 .- Dr. McGlynn has returned to the communion of the

For Christmas bny prunes in jars of

FRANCE IS NOT YET OUT OF SYRUP OF TAR THE WOODS.

A Conspiracy To Overthrow The Present Govrenment of France Now Known To Exist-Leaders Will Soon be Arrested.

Paris, Dec. 24.-The statement that present attack on the government is part of an organized plan for the over throw of the Republic, and that each step taken is carefully discussed in advance by the plotters against the constitution, is fully confirmed and the evidence has so far been secured that the government is prepared to arrest certain of the conspirators who are known to be the eaders.

M. Andrie is regarded as a manager o the plot against the Republic, and the first blow is to be struck at him. When warned that he would be arrested today Andrie replied: "I have nothing to fear. If I am arrested it will be to save Floqut from disgrace and buishment. The government is seeking for clues to prove the existence of a Bou langist and Royalists plot and desire to make out that I am implicated in it. seems to me that the real plot is alto gether of another character. I have taken precautions, so that if I go to the government dungeon the public will know the real motives for my arrest."

The precautions that Andrie has take are, it is said, to deposit with trust worthy parties duplicates of all docu mentary, evidence which he has collected against prominent Republicans. This act, however, will not affect the action of the government in the slightest degree. Ribot's ministry is prepared, on the one hand, to carry on to its legitimate result a thorough prosecution of all connected criminally with the Panama scandal and not shielded by the lays of time since the offences were committed, and, on the other hand, to bring to punishment all who may be shown to be engaged in

the conspiracy against the Republic. The government has been greatly en couraged by the vote of confidence in the Chamber of Deputies and will therefore take action more promptly than was known to be intended on Friday after-

The Siecle states today that the government holds proof of a Boulangist conspiracy to affect a revolution involv ing the same plotters as conspired for the destruction of the Republic in 1888 From other sources it is learned that even more vigorous measures be taken now than in 1888, and that President Carnot and his ministers will show the same energy in putting down the treason of Imperialists and Roy alists plotters as was shown in putting down the anarchist outrages in the early part of the year. The victory of the govspread gloom and consternation among much less aggressive in their utterance oday than on yesterday. The threat of prosecution, too, is baving its effect and expressions of avowed and open dis loyalty to the Republic are very infrequent. Whether the alleged plotters at any rate give less public evidence of

DECISIONS HANDED DOWN.

The Supreme Court Acts on Cases From Buncombe

The Supreme court has decided that there is an error in the case of I. A Gwaltney vs. the Scottish Carolina Land and Timber company and a new trial will be had, Gwaltney sued the company in the Buncombe Superior court for damages caused to his fish miles below Asheville by the logs which the company floated down the river. He lost his case on the first trial and the Supreme court now gives him another

A decision has also been handed down in the Supreme court in the case of Mrs Sarah Cawfield vs. the Asheville Street railroad. Mrs. Cawfield got judgment appeal was taken. The Supreme court of men's hats and men's

rision of the lower court.

The judgment of A. Govan against Cushing & Chapman was affirmed. HE IS IN JAIL.

The Man Who Scared a Train's Passengers Arrested.

The man who created so much conster nation on East bound train No. 12 Thursday afternoon has been arrested by Chief W. H. Deaver of the Pinion De tective agency. He gives his name as esse Adams, hailing originally from Wilkes county, N. C., and more recently from Montana. Adams admits the shoot ing but says the trouble arose from the fact that be thought he had bought a ticket to Statesville. He is suffering from a wound in one of his hands made by one of his own pistol balls when the shoot ing occurred. Justice Malone gave Adams a hearing and bound him over to the Criminal court in \$300 bond. He also fined the man \$30 for carrying a pistol Adams is in jail.

A Notable Wedding.

Gifford Pinchot, chief of the Forestry Department at the Vanderbilt estate attended the marriage of his sister, Miss Antonette Pinchot and Hon. Alan Johnston, Secretary of the British Legation at Washington, which occurred in New York Wednesday. The wedding was on of the social events of New York's season CALL AND SEE FOR YOURSELF! George W. Vanderbilt is included list of those who were present.

Thought a Fight Was On

Son Hammond and Jack Pratt, colored, had a little sparring match in the colored bar on Eagle street yesterday afternoon. Blood flowed in the third afternoon. Blood flowed in the third round and Proprietor J. H. Ittleman thought a fight was on. Policeman S RAY'S CIGAR STAND AND TICKET OFFICE, round and Proprietor J. H. Ittleman bouse at Broadway and Myrtle avenue Creaseman was called in and he ar-rested the two men. They were discharged this morning by Recorder Mil-

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FOR MEN.

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