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ALDERMEN AND ADVISORS IN SESSION.

An Old Bill For Extras in Paving Comes Up-Report Against Extending Paving on College Street-Other City Business.

Alderman H. Lamar Gudger was in his seat in the council chamber yesterday for the first time in ave or six weeks, looking somewhat paler and slightly thinner for his illness. When the Joint Board was called to order by Acting Mayor Westall there were present besides Mr. Gudger Aldermen Cosby and J. M. Gudger; Advisors Nichols, Millard and Gwyn. Alderman Jones came in as the minutes were being read. At the meeting the following matters of city business were dis-

posed of: The finance committee sent in a report adverse to the extension of the rubble paving on College street, because of the condition of the street improvement fund. A once absorbing matter was brought up by a report on a bill that has been in the city's hands a long time, rendered by Webb, Oates, Eskridge & Co., for extra paving work while that firm was carrying on its contract to pave South Main and Patton avenue. The entire bill was for \$1,304.66, of which some \$1,100 was To Be Put Up at Auction to Close for the paying of the 18 inches on either side of the car track on South Main Another item was for the tearing up of

of Patton avenue, made so by reason of the fact that no paving was done between the rails of the track on the avenue between the postoffice and the square. Mr. Gudger went before the jury and promised that if the indictment were held up, the case would be remedied before the next term. On this promise the request was granted. Some time after ward the track was torn up—"at night," Mr. Gudger said, "because there was an injunction already written out to restrain us from tearing up the fine." On motion City Engineer Lee was instructed to make an estimate of the cost of the extra make an estimate of the cost of the extra work done by the pavers and report to next meeting. The Mayor was then mstructed to appoint two practical paving men to assist Mr. Lee in making the

A proposition was sent in by Capt.
Thos. D. Johnston to the effect that he would pay the first assessment for paying done in front of the property of the ohnston estate on Patton avenue (not due till Ianuary). These provisions were imposed: That the city proceed to put down a sidewalk the entire length of Grove street on the west side; and that he does not waive any right to contest the assessment levied against the prop-

erty. An additional proviso was sent in -that the city should make the Grove street sidewalk of brick and not of some inferior material. The Board looked with oney thus paid could be expended elsewhere. But Alderman Jones remarked that the money paid in on paving must go into the sinking fund, and nothing

pay the cost of its sidewalk, but the request was declined, it being said that the work had been done on the assurance that it would be paid for when complete. City Engineer Lee sent in a report regarding the manner of charging for side walks where the property was a corner lot. Advisor Gwyn said the report was vague. On motion of Alderman Jones the report was returned to Mr. Lee.

Reports of assessments for sidewalk paving various streets were sent in by the cit engineer and adopted.

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The following bills, having received the proper O. K., were ordered paid: Geo. F. Scott & Co., \$23 16; street pay r ll, \$101 85; H. M. Smith, \$255 60; Kelly & Strachan, 865 28.

With The Aldermen. The Aldermen went through the fo lowing business

The finance committee's report on the question of retunding \$25 each to Insurance Agents Postell and Mouroe which had been paid in as special tax, was adopted, and the agents will get their money back,

The street committee was instructed to ear down an alleged abstruction in the hape of a platform in front of the old Keller building on Depot street. The election of a school committeeman

(or woman) was deferred.

City Attorney Son fley was asked to
call on Messrs, Cobb & Merrimon and E. G. Carrier for a copy of the bond and contract for lighting the city, and report to next meeting as to whether the com-pany is complying with its contract. It was ordered that the West Asheville Improvement company be tendered pay-ment for 70 lights for the months of July

and August. An ordinance prohibiting the sale o fish and oysters outside the market house was talked about. Mr. Jones wanted "suckers, mullets, red hosses and yellow cats out of the French Broad" excepted. The ordinance will be introduced

Building permit: B. E. McDowell, 5-The shooting of bats in the city will be ooked after by the chief of police, with a looked after by the chief of police, with a view to stopping the practice.

Bills ordered paid: Gamewell Fire Alarm Co., \$46 55; Penniman Bros., 20 cents; Asheville Ice & Coal Co., \$67.50; water department, \$26.62; Asheville Sign and Advertising Co., \$1.75; pumping station. \$16.80; I N. Rogers, \$40.60; J. J. Noland, \$39.58; E. L. Cunningham, \$22.25; Stradley Bros., \$2.20; I. C. \$22.25; Stradley Bros., \$2.20; L. C. Brown, \$4.38; Mrs. Samuel Inman, \$57;

Bros., \$3.20. A Wonderful Mine.

street department, \$11.13; Penniman

DEADWOOD, S. D., Sept. 16-In the per pound. Galena district there has been found one of the best free-milling gold mines in the piled on various dumps, some showing nouncing the action of the District con-

FACTS FROM FAIRVIEW.

Damage to Crops and Roads In That Section.

FAIRVIEW, N. C., Sept. 15 .- Our community has sustained considerable damage from the recent heavy rainfall. Bottom corn has suffered materially, many crops being one-third and some one-half damaged by the overflow. The greatest damage done, as known up to this writing, is to the public roads, it being the unanimous opinion that the four days allowed by the road law will not be sufficient to repair them or even put them in anything like as good condition

them in anything like as good condition as they were before the rains.

The school under the management of Prof. A. B. Justice, assisted by Miss Sledge, formerly of Judson college, has started out under very flattering prospects. Students enrolled so far, 105. With the new arrivals expected this and next month we will have one of the largest schools in the country outthe largest schools in the country outside of Asheville.

Dr. E. W. Roach, a guest of G. W.
Lynch, who has been ill, is convalescing.

Mr. W. R. Tucker, of Raleigh, who is stopping at the Hickory Nut Gap house (Mrs. Sherrill's) for his health, is much

A TOWN FOR SALE.

Out the Owner's Estate.

READING, Pa., Sept. 16 .- A whole town for sale. Lands, houses, hotels, post- Kessler train robbers have been cap Another item was for the tearing up of the track on Patton avenue. In explaining the matter to the members Alderman J. M. Gudger made the statement, not heretofore heard, that the graud jury of the track on Patton avenue. In explaining the matter to the members Alderman bosed of. The auction block is the remarkable distinction now enjoyed by Lobachville, a town of 200 inhabitants as the robbers evidently had laid their that nestles among the hills of Berks plans well, were supplied with hargest heretofore heard, that the grand jury of the Criminal court was determined to send a bill of indictment against the city on account of the dangerous condition of Patton avenue, made so by reason of the last member of the Lobach family, which has owned the place for 150 years, them are lingering near the scene of their has died, and, to settle the estate, the wide domains will be sold.

In 1745 Peter Loback purchased 49

acres of land where the thrifty town that bears his name stands. This tract was bought from Wm. Pitt, and woolen mills were built by the creek that flows down were built by the creek that flows down the valley. This pioneer was succeeded by his sons, William and Samuel. The family built the entire town, bought hun-dreds of acres of lands, erected many in-dustries and stores, and has owned the

place ever since.

Mrs. Sarah Willey and Anna Lobach. the last members of the family, died last spring. There are some distant relatives, and, to settle the big estate, all the land, buildings and property of all kinds are advertised for sale.

for the Miami and Eric canal was dug, and well remembers when this entire valley was a wilderness of timber and brush. He is childless, and proposes to leave his vast estate to a trustee in trust for the suppression of scene respective.

PUT INK IN HOLY WATER. Young Man at Paris Makes an Amusing Defense.

Paris, Sept. 16.—Before a police magstrate appeared a young man, named Andre Anatole, who was prosecuted on a peculiar charge by a number of pretty society women and staid old gentlemen. It appears that the young miscreant This makes three cases at present in the emptied a large bottle of blue copying ink into the holy water font of the which will possibly be declared vellow. tion, because the Church of St. Joseph just before the com-mencement of a fashionable mass Sun-

The result was that the devotees of mass crossed their foreheads and bosoms with water, four-fiths of which was ink. further was said on the proposition.

F. Stikeleather requested that the officers of Central M. E. church, South, be allowed the usual time in which to should be make to pay for the spoiled garments.

Andre said it was all done by a mistake. He intended to throw the ink into the baptismal font—out of which a baby of one of his neighbors' was to have been baptised. He intended the baby should come out blue. He was held for mali-

cious mischief. SUED FOR \$10,000,000.

The Title of the Grand Central Passenger Station, Chicago.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16 .- The history of one of the gigantic schemes, involving millions, such as so-called railroad magnates indulge in, was told in a bundle of legal papers filed in the county clerk's office in a suit brought in the equity part of the Supreme Court to compel Henry Villard, Charles L. Colby, Colgate Hoyt and Edwin H. Abbott to surrender some

and Edwin H. Abbott to surrender some \$10,000,000 worth of bonds.
Plaintiff is John Swope, of Philadelphia, who is said to represent \$25,000 worth of stock and \$1,500,000 of bonds of the Northern Pacific. It is claimed that Villard and associates first speculated in the title to the Grand Central Passenger station, Chicago, invented fectitious rentals and leased the station and terminals to three unimportant and terminals to three unimportant roads, and then issued bonds covering the property.

Bamboozed The Cashier.

GRINNELL, Ia., Sept. 13 .- The Grinnell Savings bank was robbed of \$300 today Two strangers drove to the door in a livery wagon at noon when the cashier was alone. One stepped into the bank and told the eashier the man outside given employment. While the wished to speak with him. While the The wreck of the cashier was gone he gathered up all the loose cash, \$300, and went out of the side door. There is no clew.

Ate Grape seed And Died, PARKSBURG, W. Va., Sept. 16.-Miss Lulu Smith, the fourteen-year-old daughter of ex-Congressman C. B. Smith, of this city, died suddenly from peritonists, resulting from eating grapes, the seeds of which lodged in such a way as to produce inflammation. She was taken ill Sunday and suffered great agony until her death.

White Caps Apply the Torch. NATCHEZ, Miss., Sept. 14.-The large gin house and cotton sheds belonging to resume. E D. Jones, at Carlisle, in Claiborne

county, Miss., were burned on Sunday night by a mob of White Caps, accord-ing to their threat to burn any mill where cotton should be ginned before the price of the staple went to 10 cents Barbers Condemn Aligeld. Massilion, O., Sept. 16.-The local hills. A large amount of rich quartz is Barbers' union passed resolutions de-

ON GOLD.

The Vauit Was Scaled And Has Not Been Opened for Six Years-Some Wealthy Bondsmen Are In For The Loss.

Washington, Sept. 16,-Acting Mint Director Preston confirms the statement that an examination of the vaults in the Philadelphia mint disclosed a shortage of more than 5,000 ounces of gold bullion valued at \$134,000. The vault in which the gold is short bad, when it was sealed in 1887, about \$16,000,000 in gold bullion. D. M. Fox was superindendent

bullon. D. M. Fox was superindendent of the mint at that time, and O. C. Bosbyshell succeeded him in November, 1889, receipting for gold in sealed vault without weighing it.

The shortage was discovered only Tuesday when the vault was opened for the purpose of coming the bullion. The superintendents of the mint at Philadelphia are under bonds of \$100,000, and phia are under bonds of \$100,000, and some of the wealthiest men of the city, including George W. Childs, are on it. thorough examination is being made to fix the guilt.

THE LAKE SHORE ROBBERY The Robbers Will Get Off Sco Free Probably.

CHICAGO, Sept. 16.-The police and the officials of the United States Express company and Lake Shore Railroad company agree in saying that none of the

AN ECCI-NTRIC PIONEER Will Leave His All to Be Used In

Suppressing Secret Societies MIDDLETOWN, O., Sept. 16 .- A remarkible and eccentric pioneer was here in the person of Isage Crane, from Peru, Ind. He attended the funeral of his only brother, Samuel Crane, who was buried at Red Lion. Isaac Crane lived here be-fore the Miami and Eric canal was dug,

for the suppression of secret societies. VELLOW FEVER.

It is Spreading at Brunswick Georgia. SAVANNAH, Ga., Sept. 16.-The Bruns

wick health board officially reports one new case of yellow fever, that of Miss Turner, a young lady of the family in which a case was reported yesterday. will possibly be declared yellow fever.

Biggest Gas Well in the World. FINDLAY, O., Sept. 14 .- All previous records in gas wells have been broken. Yesterday D. T. Davis completed a wel on the Ross farm, in Cass township which is good for 50,000,000 cubic feet per day, making it the largest well ever struck. The well is but 60 teet from the city's 18,000,000 gusher, struck two months ago, and the greatest excitement prevails,-N. Y. Sun,

Josephus Daniels' Luck, WASHINGTON, Sept. 16 .- It is under stood that Josephus Daniels of North Carolina, the present appointment clerk n the interior department, has been ten

dered the position of chief clerk of the lepartment.

Change of Dates. A change has been made in the dates and places of addresses to be made by Just Received. State Alliance Lecturer Cyrus Thomp son. The corrected dates are as follows Sand Hill, Sept. 25; Mt. Carmel, Sept 26; Morgan Hill (instead of Oak Grove) Sept. 27. Alliancemen and others inter Alliancemen and others inter

ested will make a note of these changes. New Kind of Snake Story.

From the Alleghany Star. Mr. H. R. Richardson was over in Wilkes last week and saw something o a curiosity at Mr. F. Holbrook's. It was a snake with two well developed heads, four eyes and two mouths. The snake was not very large, but of an en-tirely new variety.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

The first indication of a revival in the plate glass industry at Pittsburg, Pa., since the closing of the factories last spring is evinced in the partial resumption of the Charleroi Plate Glass works, by which 400 of the 800 workmen are

The wreck of the steamship City o savannah has been abandoned by the Merritt Wrecking company, sent out to inspect her in the interest of the underwriting companies. She was insured for \$150,000. There were 16 deaths from cholers Wednesday in St. Petersburg and the

pidemic was reported to be increasing

One death occurred in Hull, another in Grimsby, and there were two cases in Loadon. The coke producers at Pittsburg have voluntarily reduced the price of coke 35 cents per ton. The reduction will not affect the wages of the coke workers and will enable many mills and factories to

Ex-Lieutenant-Governor Crosby of Michigan died Wednesday at Grand Rapids, aged 54 years. He was State Senator from 1870 to 1872 and Lieutenant-Governor from 1881 to 1883.

The international invitation bicycle ace at Springfield, Mass., was won by Sanger. The half-mile open race was Edward Hanlan of Montreal, Canada

DRUGGISTS,

plied on various dumps, some showing yellow metal at a distance of several feet.

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