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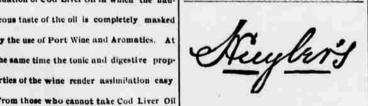


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THE COST OF PAVING

Opinion On The Subject By City Attorney Sondley-Street Chairman Westall's Report-Jumping On The Market Again.

The familiar faces of two Advisors,

Messrs. Sawyer and Nichols, were to be seen at the meeting of the Joint Board yesterday afternoon. It had been sev-tral months since a meeting of the 12 must be repealed by ordinance and not yesterday afternoon. It had been sevthe Advisory committee could be musmeeting of both Boards being to consider an application of M. H. Kelly, the shade complete for less than a dollar. Why contractor for the new pipe line between the pumping station and the standpipe. He asked that he be allowed to take from the bank \$2,000 of the \$3,000 guarantee the bank \$2,000 of the \$3,000 guarantee week, and a lively time may be expected reserved for two years by the city from next Friday. the amount to be paid him, he to give intend making rurchases for your home, that the city a bond to save it harmless in any event. Alderman Starnes made a motion granting the request, and after it had been discussed and drawn up into proper shape, so as to protect the city absolutely, it was adopted. The Joint Board then adjourned until next Friday.

when it will meet to pass upon the \$4,000 bond to be turnished by Mr. Kelly. Cut Out The Damages. The first thing to engage the attention

of the Board of Aldermen was the report

of City Attorney Sondley on the question whether the damages paid to property owners for land taken along a street to be paved could be properly pro rated against the owners on that street and included in their assessments. Mr. Sondley takes a view quite dissimilar to that beld by the former administration, or a bare majority of it at least. His opinion is that the damages cannot be properly included in the assessments, and he backs up his opinion by a weighty 12 considered by the lawmakers. "It was certainly of sufficient importance and magnitude to have been specially mentioned if intended to be included. Grading is mentioned. Paving is mentioned.
Macadamizing is mentioned. Drains are

mentioned. Crossings are mentioned When these, some of them less important natters, are particularly mentioned, is it possible that so important a matter as widening was left unmentioned and intended to be covered by the general and somewhat vague term 'improve'?" "To include," the city attrorney says again, "the damages in question in the ssessments provided for in the act of

1891, would be to assess them on some property which the jury had not re ported as benefited; to leave them off from some property which the jury had reported as benefited; to assess on some lauds reported by the jury as benefited a greater benefit than the jury had reported and on other lands reported by the jury as benefited a less benefit than the jury had reported; to make the land on which the widening was had pay part of what the jury had said was only irjury to it; and, finally, to make the ands reported by the jury as benefited pay the benefits assessed against them by the jury and then pay, in addition benefits for the same thing and benefits which, according to the jury's verdict,

"I do not think," concludes Mr. Sond-ley, "that widening a street can be brought under the head of 'improving' it according to the act of 1891; and I do ot think that any damages for land taken in widening a street can, under the provisions of that act, be assessed against the abutting real estate on the street so improved or repaired."
In accord with this opinion Mr. Jones

had never received.

moved to amend the assessments so as to strike out that portion which related to damages. It was carried and the chief of police was instructed to demand only he amount represented by the paying exclusive of the damage item.

Street Chairman's Report. Mr. Westall, the street committee hairman, read his report on the street work. He says: "We have assessed the Black Mountain, Rev. T. K. Brown abutting property and a portion of some of these assessments is due. Since the expended on various streets several housand dollars, taken from the general revenues of the city. This sum, I tear, can come back to the city only by our selling more of these bonds and applying part of the proceeds to this purpose as provided in section 7 of the act. If we do not do this, I fear we cannot assess abutting property for a part of the cost of this work. I thought we could surely do this when I voted to improve College and Water streets, whether we sold more bonds or not. As soon as l found we could not I voted against the work on Monttord avenue. Now, if we pursue a course which will te ieve property owners on these streets from paying two-thirds of the cost of the work, we will throw the entire cost of it on the city, thereby making those who are assessed on the streets formerly paved pay as much toward the improvement of these latter streets as those who liv thereon. This is clearly unjust. For ex ample: An owner of a lot on Depot street, a street that the entire city must

street, a street that the entire city must use, pays his share of the general taxes and besides is assessed for paying in front of his place, and an owner on Water street would not have to pay any Water street would not have to pay any Dr. Brookes ranks amongst the most assessment when Water street's improvement is almost exclusively for the benefit of property on that street. If we do retire the other \$200,000 bonds we must not abandon the policy of assessing thatting property after once adopting it and enforcing it. . . . Our duty is plain. We should at once stop all street improvements and do nothing except such repairs as are absolutely accessary until the law is so fixed that we can

treat all our citizens aiike."

Mr. Westall gives an estimate of re ceipts and expenses up to the end of the fiscal year in May, 1894, and gave his reasons for an argument favoring the stoppage of street work at this time.

The report was accepted and filed as inormation. Mean Death to the Market. Messrs. Starnes and H. L. Gudger, in

full war paint and with tomahawk unbelted, descended upon the market house ment.

The first Tucs lay in March will be

STRIKE OUT THE DAMAGES two years from the first of March, 1894, the presentation being made so vigorously that J. M. Gudger sat upright with a start and the exclamation:

"Good Lord! good bye, 'Liza Jane." Mr. Starnes seconded the resolution, and went on to say of the market that as a benefit it was a failure. It created the benefit it was a failure. It created the greatest monopoly there was in the city. The place could be rented for two years, with the privilege of five, for \$1,200 a year. D. M. Luther, esq., speaking for people in Leicester, the two Hominies and Reems Creek, also told how the butchermen had the farmer down and were "rubbing it in."

The Masor ruled that are ordinates.

had been held, and only two members of by resolution. Mr. Gudger, appealed from the ruling and on a division the the Advisory committee could be mus-tered. The Mayor and all of the Alder, men were present, the purpose of the meeting of both Boards being to con-meeting of both Boards being to conordinance, struck out the words "for two years," and submitted it. The vote to pass it on first reading stood four to Gudger going over to it in order to get it before the house. It then went over a

> been pumped into Asheville in January 21,640,718 gallons of water. The cost had been \$400, exclusive of the wear of machinery. He then went on to figure that the city derives no revenue from two-thirds of the water pumped here, because of waste, etc. A short dis cussion on meters followed the report.

Smaller Matters. The street committee was instructed to put in a crossing on Bailey street south of Carter's warehouse.

Permit was granted T. S. Morrison to store guano in his building on the French Broad below the bridge. Redmon & Bro. asked a reduction of their stall rent in Central market. No

Tax exemptions were granted as fol lows: C. B. Richards & Co., error; F. E. James, W. B. Calloway, not living in city; A. B. Ware, error; F. Zimmerman, A plank sidewalk was ordered for

Grady street. To the city attorney was referred the question as to who should collect the paying assessments—the chief of police or the tax collector.

A petition signed by I. M. Gudger, W. O Muller, T. W. Branch, W. T. Penniman, T.S. Morrison, R. R. Porter and W. B. Brown asked that Patrick Mc-Intyre be granted license to sell beer at wholesale in the Reynolds block, South Main. License granted,

Chief of Police Harkins reported that e found several property owners on short street who would not pay the amount of benefits assessed against them by reason of the extension of that street, and he was instructed to return what noney he has collected and postpone the xtension of the street for the time. Peddler's license transferred: T. S. Gash to R. S. Brooks,

Bills to Pay Financially speaking, here is the way t went: Street department payroll, \$148 45; water department payroll, \$22.30; sanitary department pay-\$22.30; sanitary department pay-roll, \$58.55; E. H. Britt, \$205.49; W. H. Westall, \$85.69; H. E. Hall, \$2.50; West Asheville Improvement Co., \$2.80; Mrs. S. Inman, \$19.12; M. H. Kelly, \$8.85; E. B. Atkinson, \$9.50; Randolph Kerr Urinci g Co., \$3; THE CITIZEN, \$17.55; Brown, Northup& Co., \$11.55; Brown & Austin, 55.c.; Woody & Kumberly, \$41.60; H. S. Harkins, \$4; B. M. Lee, \$32 30; D. M. Gudger, \$2 75; R. C. Clavton, \$4; G. M. White, \$3 30; J. F. Wells, \$4.10; G. W.

Hall, \$12; J. J. Tredway, \$1 81. PROPERTION MEETING. Friends of The Temperance

Cause In Consultation. The meeting of representatives of the Prohibition party of Buncombe county in the court house today was called to order by Maj. T. C. Westall, chairman of the executive committee. Addresses a very successful one. were made by Maj. Westall, J. J. Hill and

Robert Clayton.
The following executive committee was selected for the work of the camvaign lonsh Walker, Champ, Burnett: Ashe ville, T. C. Westall, Rev. J. R. Cangon of these assessments is due. Since the W. R. West, jr., W. T. Instice; Beaver proceeds have all been applied, we have dam, J. A. Robinson; Haw Creek, W. W. West, sr; Biltmore, Rev. Jas. Plemmons, West Asheville, E. W. Haddon; Swan ranoa, R. L. Patton, Jno. Reed, Cornelius Clark; Lower Hominy, A H. Felmet T. J. Candler, Joshua Jones; Upper Hominy, J. A. Smathers, Solomon Lather, J. L. Young; Limestone, L. L. Hicks, Robert Clayton, A. Gibson; Reems Creck, Dr. J. A. Reagan, Frank Penland, R. B. Brank; Avery's Creck, S. B. Bishop, Z. T. Ledbetter, W. T. B. Bishop, Z. T. Ledbetter, W. T. Springs; Fairview, Rev. A. I. Justice, S Ashworth, O. D. Buckner.

Mai T. C. Westall was elected perman ent chairman, and was directed to ap point a ways and means committee. The committee will be announced here

REV. JAS H. BROOKES HERE Arrival in Asheville of a Cele brated Divine.

Rev. James H. Brookes, D. D., of St. Louis, Mo., accompanied by his wife and daughter, arrived in the city this after-

Dr. Brookes ranks amongst the most prominent Presbyterian ministers of this country, and is the author of numerous works that have a wide circulation throughout the world. The distinguished visitor will receive a warm welcome from many of Asheville's citizens who know him personally or by reputation. He has just recovered from a severe illness and comes to Asheville to recuperate.

BOTH VERY UNUSUAL.

Supreme Court Change Pro posed-Morse Resolution.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3-The House ommittee on Judiciary has ordered a favorable report on the resolution of Representative Oates of Alabama, to change the tenure of the office of justices

out the institution in rear of the city hall. Mr. Gudger offered a "be it resolution of Representative Morse, solved," that all ordinances pertaining tion of the Deity and of Jesus Christ in to the market house be suspended for the Constitution.

EVERY WEEK IT'S BETTER

BUSINESS CONTINUES TO IM

Aud Bill There Is Room For STOP THAT COUGH! More Improvement - Mercan tile Paper Begins To Appear Some Notable Contracts

NEW YORK, Feb. 3 -R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says: A fresh impulse has been given to business this week by the success of the Treasury in obtaining gold for its reserve, thus strengthening confidence in its ability to maintain gold payments.

Industrial recovery continues, though t is but gradual, in response to the demand of a people, whose consumption at its lowest is greater than any other country and more mills are now at work.

The market for cotton goods has a better tone and more staples have been taken, particularly print cloths, with a Waterworks Superintendent Murray slight advance in prices, but all qualities made a report that showed there had are extremely low, and scarcely any increase in the working force is seen.
Sales of wool are still small, for this week, 4.505,700 pounds against 8,173,

000 last year. Larger demand for structural iron and steel, for railway material except rails, for barbed wire and especially for wire for barbed wire and especially for wire nails and wire rods, gives a better look to the iron industry both east and west. Chicago notes distinct improvement; at Pittsburg business is larger, though prices do not gain, and even at Philadel phia trade is better, both for pig and fin ished products, while encouragement is found in the fact that prices do not further decline.

Two events of some note are a sale of Bessemer pig at Cleveland for \$10, and the capture of an order for 60 miles of wrought irou pipe for a Canada company by the American Tube works.

BUNCOMBE TEACHERS.

Meeting of The County Associa

tion Today. Considering the inclement weather the meeting of the Buncombe County Teach ers' association today was a fair one. Many teachers showed their zeal in the work by coming many miles over bad roads. There was also a good attend ance of city teachers. Superintendent Way opened the meeting. It was a dis appointment to those attending to find that neither of those who were to read papers on or discuss the subject of music

were on hand.
Prof. Stradley gave an interesting tall venings till 11 o'c'ock on securing "Co-operation of Parents' in public school work. He was followed by Prof Buckner with a discussion on the same subject, during which Mr Buckner brought out many interesting points illustrative of the difficulties of be average country school teacher and

how they are to be overcome. Superintendent Eggleston of the Ashe ville city schools next took the floor on the subject. "What Motives and Incentives to Study Ought to be Appealed to in the Child?" The subject was han-dled with remarkable skill. He ap-pealed to the teachers to use natural methods of instruction, and not to des troy the individuality of the child by stuffing him with dead text book matter. The child should be educated by means natural. The school is a community a miniature republic, and should be taught to govern itself to a large exten Prot. Eggleston showed the great more responsibility resting on the teacher

Every sentence of his talk contained gem of pedagoicgal truth.
The next meeting was fixed for the cond week in April and the time of meeting changed from 10:30 to 11 a. m in order that the country teachers may gleston offered the use of the Orange street building for the next meeting, which was accepted. Several new members joined the association. It is earnestly hoped the next meeting will be

MISSIONARY ADDRESSES

Three Appointments Tomorrow For Rev. John McCar hy.

A number of most interesting mission ary addresses will be delivered tomor row by Rev. John M : Carthy of the China Inland mission. Rev. Mr. McCarthy has been engaged in the work of this mis sion, the assistant of Hudson l'aylor, fo 27 years. During this winter he has held meetings in the towns and cities of Vir ginia and this State in churches of every denomination. The object of his meetings is simply to increase the interes in foreign missions in all churches. He spoke to the schools in Victoria last way, and has been invited to speak again to them this evening at 7:15 clock. Tomorrow he will speak in the Presbyterian church at 11 a. m.; in the Y. M. C. A. rooms at 4:30 p. m., and in Central M. E. church, South, at 7:30

No contributions will be solicited in ny meeting.

A REVERENED RASCAL. Contennes to Forgery-Perjury In

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.-The pension office has received a communication from Special Examiner Fitzpatrick at Chattanooga, Tenn., announcing the arrest of C. V. Lewis, William Johnson and John Cry for frauds in connection with pension claims. Upon a hearing before United States Commissioner Ewing each of the accused pleaded guilty to the charge and they were all sent to jail in default of \$1,000 bond.

Rev. C. V. Lewis confessed to illegally using the seal of a notary public and forging his name to peusion papers in several claims The other two confessed o filling fraudulent claims.

The pension office has received a tele-gram from Supervising Examiner Albert at Norfolk, Va., stating that Rosa James and Jane James were convicted in the United States court yesterday on two indictments charging them with perjury in connection with pension cases,

A NOBLE MAN DEAD W Childs, The Great Philau

thropist. PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 3.-George W.

Childs, proprietor of the Public Ledger, SIPHONS died at his home at 3:01 o'clock this morning. Mrs. Childs was with him.

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