Board of Aldermen Wants An Election.

KEEP THE CITY CLEAN

Garbage to Be Removed By Con tract-Proceedings of the

In the Mayor's office last night sa an interested crowd of spectators The question to be decided was a vital to the Aldermen and to the people. The Aldermen met the issue equarely, and the responsibility of desiding whether or not this city shall have decent streets will now rests on the people. On their heads and not the Aldermen, rests the responsibility. Will the people meet the question as squarely as the Aldermen? It is to be hoped so.

The question of having a bond election did not come up 'till near the end of the meeting, but never did the throng in the room lose interest. The jangling of the telephone showed that people in the city were likewise inter-

ested in the proceedings. There were several things brought out last night that should meet the hearty approval of the people: one is hat the ordinance requiring sidewalks on certain streets to be paved is Leing cheerfully complied with by property holders; snother is that the garbage of the city is to be systematically removed by contract.

Mayor Russ called the board to order at 8:40 o'clock. The roll was called and Mesers. Ivey and White were found to be the only absentees. The meeting of the last regular

meeting were read and also of the called meeting, to do honor to the memory of the late R. Stanhope Pulen, and the called meeting to hear the report of the finance committee. The minutes were approved.

Alderman Boushall, chairman of the Suance committee, then made the report for the month of August, including all-receipts and expenditures. The total expenses of the month were \$4,096.80. The finance committee recommended that the various departments submit to the finance committee a schedule of necessary expenses. A recommendation was also in- submitted to them. troduced that the sentiment of the board on the matter of calling an election for the issue of bonds for street and sidewalk improvements, general bonds for street improvements and and bonds running ten years for sidewalk improvements be tested. Action on the report was deferred.

Alderman Drewry, chairman of the street committee, read an interesting and encouraging report, showing the steps that had been taken for 'the improvement of sidewalks, etc., and the macadamization of streets. He made several recommendations, action on which was deferred.

Alderman Ferrall read an agree ment between the trustees of Rex Hos pital and the city, whereby the city pays to the Hospital \$116.77 per month in consideration of which patients cent by the Mayor or the Chief of Police to the hospital be received. provided that no person suffering from contageous or incurable disease be sent there. Adopted.

Alderman Boushall, of the light es, said that no complaints had been received and that therefore he took it for granted that the city

Under the head of new business the

resignation of Policeman Yates was reselved and accepted.

Alderman Strongeh asked that another hydrant be placed in the northeastern yart of the city. Referred to the fire committee with power

A recommendation was read from the board of health providing that no hog imposed for each offence. pen be allowed in the city between the lowing boundries: Morgan, on the north; Bloomt, on the east; South, on the south, and Salisbury, on the west. This occasioned much discussion by Aldermen Robinson, Boushall and Strongeh, Mr. Boushall offered an adment that no pens should be lowed in the city. Here Alderman son jumped up and said, "What you going to vid de swill when dere's o hogs to eat it?" Aldermen Ferrall opposed the amendment. In the Alderman Robinson referred to at 'slean hog." The "l's" and

A communication was read from the Raleigh Academy of Medicine asking that the board of health be composed of a majority of physicians. This was referred to the board of health.

A petition from W. W. Parish, asking permission to repair his paint shop in the fire district caused quite a lively war of words between Aldermen Johnson and Strongeh. The matter was referred to the fire committee, whereupon Mr. Johnson remarked that the fire committee was sure to stick by the ordinance, which prohibits repairs to frame buildings in the fire district.

Upon this Alderman Stronach jumped to his feet. He talked excitedly and with feeling: "This very same fire committee that now says it will stick by the ordinance, permitted s man to put up a veritable fire trap next to a eight thousand dollar building of mine! I spoke to Mr. Johnson about this matter and he said that the fire committee had no power not to refuse to allow the repairs!"

"I would like for you to show the proff of that,' said Mr. Johnson. "I rely on the records," retorted Stronach; "if it was not you it was

some member of the fire committee." Mr. Johnson replied sharply and the discussion became so warm that Mayor Russ rapped smartly for order. The resignation of Alderman Ivey,

who has removed to Portsmouth, was read. Under the law, action on this was postponed for a week. Alderman Stronach said that the

committee appointed to see about a memorial to the late Stanhope Pullen to be placed in the park had as yet taken no action, but that a gate way was contemplated.

Mr. Boushail, chairman of the fin age committee, then introduced the following resolution in regard to the insurance of bonds:

"Resolved. That it is the sense of this board that the question of an' issue of \$50,000 of bonds for street and other improvements, under an act of the legislature of 1893 be submitted to the qualified voters of the city; that the City Attorney draw up a report as to the time of holding an election and other minutes to be submitted to the board at a called meet-

ing." Mr. Stronach said that he was in favor of the bonds; that he had been in favor of issuing them before, but that it was a matter for the people. The bonds were defeated before before because the question was not

Alderman Robinson said that he wanted to explain his vote and Alderman Boushall arose: "If any man wants to be convinced, I am ready to lay myself out. My friend Johnson here is opposed to the issue, but has assured me that he is not going to make any fight. I want to set it down as a business proposition and an economic measure. Mr. Johnson said he stood where he did before : "Street improvements can be made by ceasing to spend money on temporary im-

provements and applying the funds thus saved to doing permanent work." The vote stood, "ayee" 7, "noes" -Johnson, Hoover and Robinson. The following recommendations and ordinances from the street committee

were adopted : That auction houses be allowed to

to display their wares on the pavements, but not on the sidewalks." "That flagmen be placed on the

Jones and West streets; none on Harrington and Hargett." "That the salary of Commissioner

Blake be increased 16 2-3 dollars per

month as a salary as City Surveyor. That garbage be removed by contract from the four politically divided wards by contract to the lowest bidder for said work. (Mr. Drewry said that a gentleman had offered to take the contract at 25 per cent cheaper than the expense now incurred by the city.) The man taking the contract is to give

a justified bond of \$2,000," "That excrements and feetid matter shall not be buried within the city limits and that a fine of \$10 be

Alderman Robinson asked that two lights be placed on Cannon street and that the bridge there be repaired. These motions were referred to the

Alderman Boushal nominated to succeed policeman Cates ex-policeman Alderson. Mr. Alderson was elected

by acclamation. The board then adjourned; the first step had been taken.

The Colonels as Usual.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 7 .- Philadelphia defeated Louisville nine to two this morning.

The First of the Races For the Cup.

EXCURSION FLEETS.

The Like Never Seen Before-De fender Seemed a Mile Ahead at 4:30.

NAVESINK, Sept. 7.-The day opened fairly bright this morning and began to cloud at 7 o'clock. By ten it was anything but fair for a yachting day. The wind was twelve miles an hour but it early died down to four. Both Yachts were towed out to starting point before 10 o'clock, Valkyrie looking much the largest. With the arrival came the excursion fleet which was the largest that ever followed a race. At 10:30 the committee hoisted the letter V meaning that the starting point should be shifted in from the light ship.

Scotland Light ship-At 11:59 a m. the preparatory signal was hoisted with the course east by south. The first attempt to get off was a false one and both yachts were called back.

SANDY HOOK, Sept. 7.- The tweny footer, sloop yacht Mayflower, is ashore. She is in a precarious position. Occupants were taken off by life savers.

Highlands -The Valkyrie crossed the line at 12:20; the Def inder crossed five seconds later.

12:25-Both boats are standing north to east on starboard tack. Valkyrie is increasing her lead. Both are carrying mainsail club top-

12:35 -The Defender is holding her

own. 1:10 - The Defender seems nearly haif mile ahead, but the Valkyrie s to the windward. An immense fleet which crowded at the start is now dropping behind. Both are on the starboard tack. The Defender is fully a quarter of a mile in the lead at 1:30.

Valkyrie went about on port tack at 1:49. The Defender did the same a minute later. The Defender is

still leading. 2:15-The Valkyrie is on port, and Defender on starboard tack. The Defender is about half mile the best from shore. It is evident that De fender is windward. Work thus far has outpointed, and outsailed the alkyrie

Scotland Light Ship-The boats are six miles from the start. The wind is freshening to eight miles. Can't tell which is leading.

Highlands, 2:30-The wind has hauled to southward, and the Defender has the big end.

The Commercial Cable steamer reports Valkyrie turned stake boat two fifty-five and immediately squared away on a run. Official time starts: Valkyrie, 12:20 - 46; Defender, 12:20 -50. At 3:18 both were completely out of sight behind the highlands. The wind was six miles south east

Defender turned stake about 3:40 and Valkyrie about 3:43.

at 4:12 p. m.

The Yachts have just come in sight. The Defender seemed to be about a mile ahead at 4:36 p. m.

4:50-Heavy fog coming in with boats from southward. Defender still in the lead.

5 p. m.-New York Herald bulletin says Yachts are four miles from the finish. The Defender leads by about three quarters of a mile.

5:30-The Defender wins. Finished 5:21 1-2

Watch out for the new advertise nent of Cross and Linehan next week. Services at Central Methodist church comorrow at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m. No services at night.

Mrs. J. M. Monie and her son John returned yesterday from Western North Carolina.

Attention is called to the statement pany in this issue.

Mr. W. A. Upehurch has always on hand at his livery stable a full service of the handsomest turn outs and earriages of all kinds. Prof. Holmes informs us that three

car loads of the North Carolina exhibit for the Atlanta Exposition left this afternoon for Atlanta and there a good figure for what he sells, but he will be two more car leads next week. Mr. H. S. McReath, of the Falls of Neuse Paper Mills, was in the city to- never falls to draw a crowd. It is day and reports a little drought, but gift which Mr. Stronach has, says corn is in good condition and says that sotton climbing up to 8 cents | who has been visiting her brothe a pound is making the farmers feel Mr. H. R. Litchford, returned home mighty good.

SEASON OPENED LAST NIGHT. Farmers Daughter |

Last night at the Academy of Music "Only a Farmers Daughter" was pre-sented before a small but thoroughly

Miss North a Clever Actress.

appreciative audience. The cast of characters was exceptionally good and they kept the interest of the sudience at a high pitch from the rise to the fall of the curtain. The drama is a beautiful one, containing a prologue and four acts. The plot is simple, yet interwoven with dramatic incidents which enliven the greatest interest.

The role of the Farmer's Daughter was very acceptably and creditably filled by Miss Helen North, Miss North is a young woman of decided gifts and has promise of taking a high stand in the theatrical world. She is a graceful young woman, with a decidedly pretty face and charming personality. But her beauty is not her only gift for Miss North has many other qualifications which have won her admirers. Her interpretation of be improved upon. She ranks easily with the best emotional actresses we have seen.

The support was very good and in all it is a well balanced company. Too much praise cannot be accorded Little Ethel May-a tiny tot just in dresses. She has a rarely intelligent face and is a bright little girl. She easily surpasses any child that has ever appeared here.

The Dramatic Mirror contains handsome cut of Miss North in the last issue and also gives a sketch of her life which is very interesting. Miss North was raised on the Nebraska prairies and is a daughter of Ex-Senator James B. North, who is at present Internal Revenue Collector for Nebraska and North and South Dakota.

THE CALL IS ISSUED.

eptember 25th Date for the Silver Convention

The following call was given out last night:

"Whereas, A great many promi nent Democrats from different por tions of North Carolina have signed and sent to us a recommendation for the holding of a State Convention at some early date of all persons opposed to the single gold standard, now, therefore, in obedience to this request, we hereby invite all persons who believe that the unit of value which existed prior to 1873 should be promptly restored, and who believe the immediate free and unlimited coinage of silver and gold at the ratio of 16 to 1, irrespective of this policy or action of other nations, to meet in convention at Raleigh September 25th inst., for the purpose of consultation. This invitation is intended to embrace members of all political parties regardless of their convictions on other subjects."

The following are the signers: Ed. Chambers Smith, N. B Broughton, B, F. Montague, W. C. Stronach, B. R. Lacy, S. A. Ashe, S. G. Ryan, Armistead Jones, John C. Scarborough, B. C. Beckwith, Jas. C. MacRae, C. M. Cooke and W. N. Jones.

It is said that a large attendance i

ssured.

A Day With the Professor and His Friends. We make our acknowledgements

to Capt. S. A. Ashe for one of the first copies of his book just issued from the press. A glance at its illustrated pages show that it is full of interest and we will review it at an early date. We predict that it will attract more interest and attention than any book which has apppeared in the State in years.

Death of Miss Hettie Wright.

This popular young lady died Thursday, the 5th instant, at Health Seat, Vance county, the home of her parents, Mr. G. W. Wright and Mrs. Fannie R. Wright. The deceased had just graduated from the Oxford Female College, and was of the Maryland Life Insurance Com- cut off in the bud of her promise. She had many friends in this city, who will regret to hear of her death

> Mr. Frank Strongeh sold the first bale of cotton at auction. He has been the leading auctioneer of the state so long that it is said that he can get more on a sale than anybody else. He not only knows how to get has a way of conducting an auction which always makes it interesting and

Mrs. F. A. Macon, of Henderson this morning.

Listened to the International Immigration Society.

TOO ILL TO TRAVEL.

Over a Hundred Died From Fever-No Visible Way For Them to Return.

London, Sept. 9 - A. E. Burnett and H. Jumper, American negroes who sailed with two hundred and eleven negroe colonists organized by the International Emigration society of Birmingham and which organized a colony and undertook to furnish its members with three months rations and land them in Liberia have arrived. The party sailed from Savannah March 19, Two secured work in Minerva and Monrovia the Farmers Daughter could hardly Half the entire number died from fever, aggregated by privation. The remainder, excepting a few, were too ill to travel and started for the coast with hope of finding a means to return to America.

THE CALUMET SMOKED.

Dedication by the Red Man's Home Association in Pennsylvania.

By telegraph to the Press-Visitor. CHELTENHAM, Pa., Sept. 7.-The Improved Order of Red Men's Home of Peansylvania for indigent old members of the order in tals State was formally dedicated to-day. The oration was delivered by Charles C Conley, Past Great Incohonee and Great Chief of Records. A feature of the dedica ion was the representation of the life among settlers with an attack by a band of Indians edding in a treaty of peace and friendship, the burial of the tomahawk and the smoking of the Calumet.

A Would-be Bridge Jumper at it Again

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor

NEW YORK, Sept. 7 .- A woman, supposedly Mrs. Clara MeArthur, who was prevented by police from jumping from the Brooklyn bridge to gain notoriety two weeks ago, was picked up in East river early this morning unconscious. A life preserver was around her and her stockings filled with sand

Masonic Temple Afire.

Bosron, Sept. 7.-Three alarms of fire brought most of the department to Masonic Temple on Tremont and Boyleston streets, where a fire was threatening to consume the immense structure. By noon the department had it under control. Fire originat ed in an ante room. Loss of regalia, etc., is a hundred thousand dollars.

Parading With a Henrse.

Correspondence of The Press-Visitor.

LOWELL, Mass, Sept. 7.-The Armenians of the city are parading to day to call attention to the massacrein Armenia. A feature of the parade is a hearse containing an open caske with the figure of a young girl dressed in white with a dagger in her heart.

Army and Navy Veterans.

By Telegraph to the PRESS-VISITOR POTTSVILLE, Pa , Sept. 7 .- A nations convention of the regular Army and Navy Veterans is being held here today in G. A. R. Hall. Several hundred representatives of the order throughout the United States are

Shoes Advance in Price.

By Telegraph to the Parss-Visiron. NEW YORK, Sept. 7 .- As a result of the advance of the price of leather by the trust shoes will be raised Monday to twenty-five and fifty cents a pair. Arkansas Silver Democrats Meet.

by Telegraph to the Press-Visitor LITTLE Rock, Ark., Sept. 7.-A State convention of Free Silver Dem-

ocrate is in session here today. Trial of the Texas.

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor WASHINGTON, Sept. 7 .- Official trial of the battleship Texas is set for the twelfth consisting of a four hours run

Y. M. C. A. kev. Joseph Potts will speak to men in the parlor of the Y. M. C. A., Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock. All men cordially invited to come and

SPEEDING AT THE GROUNDS. Horse Lovers Had Some Sport This

Morning-A String of Runners. Horse lovers had another treat at there were several trials of speed between trotters and runners. Quite a crowd was present.

Miss Meadows, owned by Mr. Ed. Denton, was sent a mile to a road cart A in less than 1.40. Bronco, owned by Mr. Black, went in 1.43. Alfa went a quarter in '45. All these trials were The List Includes Representative made to road carts, and were not especially for speed.

Irequois and Bias were sent to go a half mile in a minute flat and the result was very satisfactory.

Mr. Black has a fine string of six runners at the track. Mr. Denton says that one of these, two year old Senator, will make a record for him- in this issue.

Meeting of the Board of Public Charities.

The Board of Public Charities consisting of Messrs. Chas. Duffy, M. D., (Chairman), of Newbern, L. J. Haughton, of Pittsboro, W. N. Jones, of Raleigh, S. W. Reid, of Steel Creek, Mecklenburg county, and C. B. Denson, Secretary, met here vesterday afternoon.

The report of the Secretary, Capt. C. B. Denson, was a very comprebensive and original one, revealing a careful study of the conditions of the different charitable and penal nstitutions in the State. The report of the Secretary was very lengthy, covering the entire ground. A vote of thanks was awarded Capt. Denson, Dr. Duffy and Mr. W. N. Jones, for their labors on behalf of the society for the services they had rendered the work.

This morning the Board visited the penal and chariatable institutions, including the asylum, the penitentiary, the jail and workhouse. Other routine business was transacted.

Greensboro's New Daily.

The Daily Times is the name of new afternoon paper which will make its initial appearance in Greensboro on the afternoon of the 21st inst. The paper will be edited and published by Messrs, Andrew J. Williams and W. J. Underwood. Mr. Williams is well and favorably known in this city having been one of the proprietors of the late Daily Press. He is now foreman of the Christian Advocate. Mr. Williams is a man of much newspaper experience having been connected with different papers in varied capacities.

Success to the Times.

Catholic Church Services. Tomorrow at 11 a. m., Mass and

Tomorrow night at 8 o'clock, Prayers sermon and Repediction of the Blessed Sa. rement.

The sermon at night will consist of an explanation of the theory of prayer and a solution of the principal. Objections made by agnostics and others Services and sermon by Father

A Storm Party.

A party of little misses residing in he neighborhood of South Fayetteville street gave a storm party last night. They "stormed" Miss Sadie blias and spent a joyous evening with those innocent amusements and pastimes which make childhood hours

flit so happily away. TO-DAY'S MARKETS.

Cotton in Both New York and Liver pool Closes at an Advance. By Triegraph to the Press-Visitor,

NEW YORK, Sept. 7.-Liverpool closed quiet and steady at an advance of 2 3 64 penny Spot sales 5000 bales. Middling 49-32.

New York closed 7 points higher than last night, steady. Sales 96 700 Options closed as follows: September, 7.93 to 7.94; October, 98; December, 8.10 to 8.11; Janu ary, 8 17 to 8 18; March, 8 27 to 8.28

Receipts at the ports, 6,468 bales GRAIN MARKETS. CHICAGO, Sept. 7 .- Grain quota tions closed to day as follows:

Wheat-September, 58; October 58; December, 59 3-8. Corn-September, 327-8; October 32 1-8; December, 28 1-2. Oates-October, 18 1-4; Decem

bar, 18 3-4. Arrival of Troops in Spain.

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor. HAVANNA, Cuba, Sept 7 .- Fourteen hundred troops arrived at Santiago today from Spain. Members of the press arranged to give a banquet last bear him. Good music for twenty night to the batallion that arrived

COMMITTEES

the Fair grounds this morning, when Appointed by the Chamber of Commerce.

MEETING TUESDAY.

Business Men of Raleigh-Turn Out Tuesday.

The attention of the members of the Raleigh Chamber of Commerce and Industry is called to the list of officers and committees for the ensuing year, which is published

There is special need for great activity and earnest work on the part of the Chamber at this time, and it is expected that every member of the organization will be in his place on Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock, in the Mayor's office, and give the new officers a cordial greating, each member prepared to do his

own share of work. A complete list of the committees appointed by the Chamber of Commerce for the ensuing year is given below. The personel of all the committees has been changed with the advent of the new administration. They represent sterling business men of Raleigh, and with the proper interest manifested, can do a power of good for the city.

President J. E. Pogue, has appointed the following committees for the ensuing year:

Manufactures-J. A. Mills, Chairman, J. S. Wynne, C. G. Latta, Ashley L. Baker, J. N. Holding, F. B. Arendell, Ed. C. Smith.

Cotton and Grocers' Exchange-

C. E. Johnson, Chairman, W. C. Stronach, D. T. Johnson, A. A. Thompson, J. J. Thomas, W. B. Mann, C. G. Latta. Tobacco Exchange - Dr. J. S.

Meadows, Chairman, Van B. Moore, Julius Lewis, Joseph G. Brown, B. S. Jerman. Immigration - S. L. Patterson, Chairman, W. E. Ashley, J. D. Boushall, Dr. D. E. Everett, R. T.

Gray, J. B. Hill. Information and Statistics-E. G. Harrell, Chairman, B. R. Lacy, S. A. Ashe, J. A. Briggs, W. N. Jones. City Improvements-W. S. Primrose, Chairman, B. F. Montague,

Frank Stronach, Dr. A. W. Knox Walter Clark, R. W. Rogers. County Roads-Dr. R. H. Lewis, Chairman, W. C. McMackin, Dr. H

B. Battle. Railroads-W. E. Ashley, Chairman, C. E. Johnson, J. A. Jones, C. 3. Allen, Dr. V. E. Turner. Real Estate-Geo. Allen, Chair-

N. W. West, J. D. Boushall, F. H. Busbee. Wholesale Trade-T. W. Dobbin, Chairman, J. R. Ferrall, Wm.

man, J. M. Broughton, R. B. Raney,

Woollcott, C. B. Barbee. Agriculture and Horticulture-Capt. B. P. Williamson, Chairman, Prof. W. F. Massey, H. Mahler, K. P. Battle, Jr.

Stock Raising-Dr. Jas. McKee, Chairman, L. R. Wyatt, W. R. Tucker, Capt. B. P. Williamson, Jos. Blake, W. Boylan, I. M. Proctor. Public Health-Dr. P. E. Hines, Dr. Hubert A. Royster, Dr. R. H. Lewis, W. S. Primrose, C. D.

Schools - Capt. C. B. Denson, Chairman, Logan D. Howell, Rev. B Smedes, Col. A. Q. Holliday, T. H. Briggs, H. W. Jackson. Taxation-R. H. Battle, Chairman, W. R. Tucker, M. Bowes,

Heartt.

John Ward.

Insurance-Joseph F. Ferrall. Chairman, C. E. Johnson, J. C. Drewry, T. T. Hay. Banking-B. S. Jerman, Chairman, C. H. Belvin, Jos. G. Brown,

F. H. Briggs, J. T. Pullen, B. R. Lacv. Newspapers-Greek O. Andrews. Chairman, Josephus Daniels, Hal.

W. Aver. Fire and Military Companies-J. Y. MacRae, Chairman, J.B. Kenney, T. W. Blake.

Hotels and Opera Houses-L T. Brown, Chairman, Wm. Grimes, Henry Page, B. G. Cowper. Printing-E. M. Uzzell, Chairman, A. R. D. Johnson, J. B. Tim-

Finance-F. P. Haywood, Jr., C. B. Hart, Chas. Root, Officers for 1895-J. E. Porne. President; R. B. Raney, Vice-President; Frank Stronach, Second Vice-President; Frank Ward, Treasure George Allen, Secretary; A. R. D. Johnson, Assistant Secretary.