

BATTLE EXPECTED ON DITCH MATTER

Remonstrance to Fight Petition of Nettle Creek Land Owners.

SET FOR THIS TERM

An extended legal battle is expected to ensue beginning with the hearing of the remonstrance against the granting of the Nettle Creek ditch petition which will be set for some time in the January term of court.

Attorneys for the petitioners contend that only persons named in the original petition are legally qualified to sign a remonstrance to the granting of the ditch, while those who have charge of the interests of the remonstrators declare there are a number of interested parties who are not named in the petition itself. This will be the first point to be threshed out.

Before the remonstrance was circulated a number of farmers living near the middle of the ditch, which is over five miles long, offered to permit the granting of a ditch without filing a remonstrance providing they were excused from all assessment. They declared they would receive no benefit from the ditch. The ditch, at the point where it becomes an open waterway and near its mouth, flows through a marshy territory. Farmers in these sections need it badly while the others do not. These petitioners, however, refused to excuse the others from standing an assessment and the remonstrance resulted.

The remonstrators say that giving the petitioners the benefit of every doubtful signature they still have eight more than the two-thirds necessary to prevent the granting of the ditch. The petitioners hope to secure enough withdrawals from the remonstrance.

In the original petition, a sewer for the town of Los Angeles, in Randolph county, was called for but finding that under this plan it would be easily defeated by remonstrance, this part of the petition was killed by the petitioners.

NEEDS NO ASSISTANT

"The board of works feels that there is no need for an assistant street commissioner, and will not appoint one," said Mayor-elect Robbins today.

Mr. Robbins said members of the board had conferred with George J. Knollenberg, who will succeed Street Commissioner Genn, and believed with Mr. Knollenberg that he would be able to manage the department without an assistant.

If he should find later that an assistant is indispensable, Mr. Robbins said, one would be named. A member of the new board will assist Mr. Knollenberg.

Mr. Robbins said the board had decided on this course, although an ordinance had been introduced in council to create the office of assistant street commissioner.

ASKS TO SWEAR IN NEW CITY OFFICERS

Mayor Zimmerman has told Mayor-elect Robbins and officers who will take charge of the city government January 5, at noon, that he will swear them in, if they desire him to. Having taken the oath of office, they received his certificate of election several weeks ago. Robbins was forced to refuse the mayor's offer.

HUERTA EXTENDS HOLIDAY GREETING

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 2.—President Huerta has sent the following New Year's greeting to President Wilson:

"To Hon. Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States, Washington, D. C.: The Mexican Republic, through me, has the honor of wishing a happy New Year to the glorious people of the United States, whose excellencies are signed, V. HUERTA."

The message was sent late last night at the conclusion of the New Year's festivities at the national palace, but was not made public until today. No reply will be made by President Wilson.

SALTS IF BACKACHE AND KIDNEYS HURT

Drink lots of water and stop eating meat for a while if your bladder troubles you.

When you wake up with backache and dull misery in the kidney region it generally means you have been eating too much meat, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which overworks the kidneys in their effort to filter it from the blood and they become sort of paralyzed and lanky. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog you must relieve them, like often relieve your bowels, removing all the body's urinous waste, else you have backache, sick headache, dizzy spells, your stomach sour, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, often gets sore, water acidic and you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night.

Either consult a good, reliable physician at once or get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to cleanse and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness. Jad Salts is a life saver for regular meat eaters. It is inexpensive, cannot injure and makes a delightful, effervescent lithia-water drink.

More Than 100 Men Serve as Ushers at Tabernacle

The appended list contains the names of the ushers at the Honeywell tabernacle where services are held each night:

FIRST M. E.
J. H. Saylor, John Dietz, Ray Longnecker, Will Russell, E. K. Shera, Parry Thompson, John Genn, F. R. McFall, Caleb Williams, C. D. Slifer, Dr. Stevenson, W. A. Sample.

SECOND ENGLISH LUTHERAN
George W. Worley, Harry Harvey, William Keller, Charles Reynolds, August Hanning.

GRACE M. E.
Turner Hadley, Clarence Kramer, P. Riggs, R. C. Lockwood, Orville Price.

REID MEMORIAL
R. Sedgewick, S. E. Moss, Robert Campbell, George F. Gault.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
Wardlaw Keesee, Howard Hunt, Raymond Nicholson, Roy E. Parks, Dr. Kirkpatrick, Howard Williams.

UNITED BRETHREN
H. R. McGueen, O. H. Waddell, Walter Lacey, Charles Montgomery, Willis Hollingsworth, James Craft, A. S. Reid.

SOUTH EIGHTH STREET FRIENDS
Walter Dalbey, Levy Hoover, C. M. Jenkins, Walter Garver, W. J. Smith, Kent Morse, William H. Hunt, William Wickett, Ben Johnson, Jr., Josiah Marvel, Eugene Quigg.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS
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Am. Can.	26 1/4	25 1/2
Am. Smelters	53 1/2	53 1/2
U. S. Steel	59 1/2	58 1/2
Atchafalaya	93 1/2	93 1/2
St. Paul	99 1/2	99 1/2
Gl. N. Ind.	126 1/2	126 1/2
Lehigh Valley	149 1/2	149 1/2
New York Central	92 1/2	90 1/2
Northern Pacific	109 1/2	109 1/2
Pennsylvania	109 1/2	109 1/2
Reading	168 1/2	168 1/2
Southern Pacific	88 1/2	88 1/2
Union Pacific	155 1/2	155 1/2

CHICAGO GRAIN

WHEAT.	Open	Close
May	91 1/4	91 1/4
July	87 1/2	87 1/2
CORN.		
May	68 1/2	68 1/2
July	67 1/2	67 1/2
OATS.		
May	41	40 1/2
July	39 1/2	39 1/2

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—Cattle, receipts 28,000, market 5 and 10c higher, top price \$8.15, bulk of sales \$7.95 to \$8.05. Cattle, receipts 4,000, market steady, heaves \$6.50 to \$6.75, calves \$8.50 to \$11.00. Sheep, receipts 15,000, natives and westerns \$3.00 to \$5.90, lambs \$5.75 to \$8.40.

PITTSBURGH LIVESTOCK

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 2.—Cattle, supply 100, market steady, choice heaves \$12. Sheep and lambs, supply 1,500, market strong, prime sheep \$5.50, lambs \$8.40. Hogs, receipts 5,000, market active, prime heavies \$8.30 to \$8.35, pigs \$6.75 to \$7.35.

CINCINNATI LIVESTOCK

CINCINNATI, Jan. 2.—Cattle, receipts 1,000, market steady, choice heaves unchanged, calves \$5.50 to \$11.25. Hogs, receipts 6,000, market steady, top prices \$8.16 to \$8.25. Sheep, receipts 700, prime \$5.00, lambs steady.

INDIANAPOLIS LIVESTOCK

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 2.—Hogs, receipts 9,000, market 5 and 10c higher, top \$8.20 to \$8.25, bulk \$8.00 to \$8.15. Cattle, receipts 1,300, choice steers \$15.80 to \$16.00, grades \$8.00 to \$9.85. Sheep and lambs, receipts \$4.00, market steady, prime sheep \$5.00, lambs \$5.00 to \$8.00.

INDIANAPOLIS GRAIN

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 2.—Wheat, cash No. 2 red, 98c; Corn, cash No. 3 white 64c; Oats, cash No. 2 white 41c.

TOLEDO GRAIN

TOLEDO, Jan. 2.—Cash grain: Wheat 90c; Corn 87c; Oats 40c; Cloverseed, cash \$9.57.

RICHMOND MARKET

LIVE STOCK

(Corrected daily by Anton Stoll, phone 1316).

HOGS.
Primes (average 200 lbs.) \$7.50
Heavy Mixed, per 100 lbs. \$7.25
Rough, per 100 lbs. \$6 to \$6.75

CATTLE.
Choice steers, per lb. 7c to 7 1/2c
Butcher steers, per lb. 6 1/2c to 7c
Cows, per lb. 5c to 5 1/2c
Bulls, per lb. 4 1/2c to 5c
Choice veal calves, per lb. 8 1/2c to 9c

GRAIN MARKET

(Corrected daily by Richmond Roller Mills, phone 2019).

Wheat, per bu. 93c
Oats, per bu. 40c
New Corn, per bu. 62c
Timothy hay, per ton \$17.00
Clover hay \$14.00
Rye straw \$5.00
Oats or wheat straw \$5.00

WAGON MARKET

(Corrected daily by Omer Whelan, phone 1679).

Oats, per bu. 40c
New Corn, per bu. 62c
Timothy hay, per ton \$17.00
Clover hay \$14.00
Rye straw \$5.00
Oats or wheat straw \$5.00

PRODUCE

(Corrected daily by Ed. Cooper, phone 2577).

Old hens (live weight) per lb. 10c
Turkeys (live) 15c

BOARD TURNS DOWN CONTRACTORS CLAIM

City Refuses to Pay for Dirt Dumped on North Tenth Street.

ALLEY TO BE VACATED

The city, through the board of public works today, refused to pay for dirt dumped in the hole at the North Tenth street bridge by Sisk, Sprinkle and Level, contractors. Mr. Sisk, representing the contractors, said they felt the city council should pay a reasonable price for the dirt which was hauled from Eighth street, and for keeping a man at the dumping place to level the dirt and help dump the wagons. He presented a claim for \$85.20.

According to the agreement under which President Kennepohl, of the board of works, and Street Commissioner Genn have with the contractors, they said the city was to receive the dirt free for providing a dumping place. Genn said he kept from five to seven men on hand all the time to help the drivers unload. These men, he said, were not busy all the time because contractors failed to haul dirt regularly. On this ground the board refused to allow the claim.

Want Pay for Water.
Counter claims for water used on Eighth street were presented against the contractors by the board. Six residents of South Eighth street have filed claims with the city that the contractors have not settled for water used in the construction of Eighth street.

According to plans previously before the board, the alley south of North A street was vacated to allow the Robinson company to enlarge its foundry. After reaching an agreement with President Swayne, of the company, Fred Maag withdrew his protest. The Robinson company was assessed \$25 benefits. Mr. Maag was allowed \$50 damages.

MUST APPROPRIATE \$13,000 FOR PLANT

Because the city light plant did not spend the \$13,000 appropriated to meet additional expenses in connection with the addition, which is almost completed, before the end of 1913, council will have to re-appropriate the sum. Superintendent Johnson learned this today when he presented some contractors bills to be approved by the board of public works.

The special ordinance which was passed by council at a recent session provided for an appropriation of \$13,000, the appropriation to expire Dec. 31. Part of the money was checked out at once, but the remainder can not now be used until it has been appropriated for 1914 by the new council.

ROBBINS TO HAVE A PRIVATE OFFICE

Besides the change in faces at the city hall January fifth, a change in location of offices will be made. Mayor-elect Robbins announced today that he expected to make his office in the room now occupied by Street Commissioner Genn. George J. Knollenberg, who will take charge of the street department with the change of administration, will be given a desk in the board of works office, since he works with and under the supervision of the board.

TAKE TREE DOWN

After standing on North A street for a week during Christmas and New Years, the municipal Christmas tree was taken down today by Street Commissioner Genn and Fire Chief Miller. Financial affairs in connection with the tree and other business will be settled at a meeting of the committee tonight.

Ninety thousand persons are employed in Scotland's fishing industry.

Read This! It's Some Mix-up! Mrs. Haynes and Mr. Ryan Elope; Mr. Haynes and Mrs. Ryan Marry

As the climax of the elopement last spring of Mrs. Esther Haynes and Albert Ryan, comes the marriage yesterday of Walter G. Haynes, divorced husband of Mrs. Haynes, and Mrs. Sarah L. Ryan, divorced wife of Albert Ryan. The couple was united yesterday afternoon by Justice Luther C. Abbott.

Mrs. Haynes and Mr. Ryan left Richmond together May 3, going to Dayton. Two weeks later, Mrs. Haynes returned and remained here for a short time when she again disappeared.

Since then both Mrs. Ryan and

Walter Haynes secured divorces from their respective husband and wife and the courtship was commenced when they left the divorce mill.

They secured a license to wed yesterday and opened the new year without reference to the troubles of 1913. The couple informed Judge Abbott that they will not go on a honeymoon trip at present but will start a new home in place of the two which were broken up last May.

Neither Mrs. Haynes nor Mr. Ryan appeared to contest the divorce suits against them.

CENTERVILLE BOYS ACTIVE IN CONTEST

Many Essays Submitted for The Palladium Free Trips.

Apparently the boys in the neighborhood of Centerville are more conversant on farm subjects than those in other sections of the county. A large proportion of the letters on "The Care and Selection of Seed Corn" come from the neighborhood of Centerville and almost all are exceptionally good.

The contest will close January 8. A large number of essays have already been received and many more are expected before the contest closes.

LUNACY INQUEST IS TO BE HELD

A lunacy inquest will be held some time in the near future on C. H. Nichols, who formerly conducted a colored lodging house on South Sixth street. Nichols was placed in the county jail some time ago for safe keeping. A petition asking that a guardian be appointed for his estate was filed this week. His property is valued at \$500.

BURNS 376 YARDS OF WET GARBAGE

The report of Harry Wheeler, superintendent of the city crematory, shows 376 yards of wet garbage was burned during December, and 137 yards of dry garbage. Twenty-five animals were consumed.

POLICE GIST

Will J. Robbins, mayor elect, will act as judge of police court during his administration. The law requires that Mr. Robbins shall serve in this capacity except on special occasions or in case of sickness when he may appoint a special judge. In 1909 the office of police judge was abolished by council, and has not been recreated. To have had a police judge during the Robbins administration it would have been necessary for council to create the office ninety days before the election that the office might be filled by election.

COMMITTEE ASKS BILLS FOR ALL WORK

Persons having bills for supplies contracted for to be used in connection with the Honeywell evangelistic campaign, such as material, advertising and labor, are requested to forward them at once to the member of the committee who has contracted for the supplies. The committee is anxious to receive all bills at once in order that it may ascertain the total expense to be met.

FIRST SNOW FALLS IN RICHMOND TODAY

Weather Observer Says Half Inch of Snow Fell By Noon.

About the middle of the morning Richmond's first snow for the year 1914 began to descend in rather weak and unambitious flurries, but by noon the falling flakes increased and by 1 o'clock the ground was covered. At noon, Mr. Voster estimated that about a half an inch of snow had fallen.

The United States weather report predicted snow for Indiana today, with colder weather tonight and Saturday, and snow in the northern part of the state tomorrow. The temperature at the pumping station at noon today corresponded exactly with the maximum for yesterday, 34 degrees.

The New Year brought with it cloudy weather over the entire country, but very little rain or snow occurred except in the Central Atlantic states, and in the extreme northwest. The only severely cold weather in the New England states, where a temperature of 20 degrees below zero was reported yesterday.

The snow storm in the north was not accompanied by extremely cold weather, and is spreading over the Dakotas and slowly moving southward.

Shells with a detonating head, sufficient to wreck an aeroplane when one hundred yards of where they explode, have been invented by the German army.



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The Richmond Palladium

Circulation Statement for the Month of
December, 1913

CIRCULATION

1	8624	18	8624
2	8627	19	8624
3	8624	20	8624
4	8624	21	8624
5	8624	22	8624
6	8624	23	8624
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12	8624	29	8624
13	8624	30	8624
14	8624	31	8624
15	8624		
16	8624		
17	8624		
Total 221,210			

Daily average distribution for the month of December 8,624

Daily average cash circulation 8,156
Daily average circulation for service 106
Daily average circulation to Advertisers and Advertising Agents, etc. 362

TOTAL DAILY AVERAGE 8,624
Daily average circulation for year 1913 8,115
Daily average circulation for year 1912 7,214
Daily increase over year, 1912 931

Daily average, December, 1912 7,417
Daily average, December, 1913 8,624
Daily Average Increase 1,207

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of circulation is true and correct.
AL. A. KEMPER, Circulation Manager.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of Jan., 1914.
KARL L. ALLISON, Notary Public.
My commission expires April 26th, 1916.

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