

RIVES IN MANCHESTER

His Candidacy Has Received an Impetus.

THE COMMITTEES MEET

Reorganization of the Street Committee Last Night—Another Candidate Possible for the Mayoralty—Escaped Convict Sent Back.

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The first committee to meet for reorganization after the reorganization of Council was the Street Committee, one of the most important of the entire body. The committee elected the same chairman, Mr. Patman, and went into routine work. To-night the Finance Committee will meet for the same purpose, and it is probable that that committee will stand as before.

LEGISLATIVE CANVASS.

The campaign of Mr. Robert Rives for the Legislature, has received an impetus that is liable to land the candidate in the desired niche.

Some of the leading citizens of Manchester are out for him, and the pride that goes with a citizen, has taken possession of them, and they are now working hard for his success.

MAYORALTY CANDIDATES.

In addition to the candidates already mentioned, it is likely that Mr. D. L. Pullman, may be the next candidate for the mayoralty next spring. Mr. Pullman is well qualified for the position, and would undoubtedly prove an excellent official, but it is not certain that he will allow his name to be used.

The young man in the crowd, who was arrested as an escaped convict from North Carolina, was taken back to the place yesterday afternoon. Guard K. B. being taken after him.

Meaney was serving a three-year term for stealing a cow, and had served half his time when he escaped.

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FAILED IN ATTEMPT TO HOLD UP HIS TRAIN

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Just east of the city the engineer saw figures by the side of the track in the darkness. Some one shouted something, but the engineer paid no attention. There was a shot and the ball passed within a foot of his head and smashed a glass in the cab. Detectives were hurried to the scene, but no one was four there.

PANIC FOLLOWED BOILER EXPLOSION

(By Associated Press.)

NEWARK, N. J., Sept. 3.—A boiler explosion which caused a panic for a time in the business section of the town, occurred to-day in the engine room of the Haddon Van Winkle Company, manufacturers and dealers in dry goods and clothing. The explosion was a result of the explosion and damage to the extent of \$10,000 was done.

The boiler weighing 100 pounds and 50 pounds respectively, crashed through the roof of the Evening News building, where many men were working. The hundred-pound piece kept on going through the editorial department and although no one was injured, something of a panic followed the crash.

BANK OF ENGLAND RAISES DISCOUNT RATE

(By Associated Press.)

LONDON, Sept. 3.—The rate of discount of the Bank of England was increased to-day from 4 to 5 per cent. The increase in the discount rate was attributed mainly to the withdrawal of gold for the redemption of the Treasury notes, to the demands for gold from Berlin.

ONE WOMAN SHOT BY ANOTHER

(By Associated Press.)

DENVILLE, COL., Sept. 3.—Mrs. Theodore Kroso, a bookbinder, was shot to-day at her home by Mrs. Kate Meiner. The latter was arrested. The cause of the shooting is supposed to be jealousy.

Mrs. Meiner was attending her eight-month-old baby when Mrs. Kroso fired from the wire. From letters written by Mrs. Meiner it appears that she was infatuated with the husband of Mrs. Kroso, and that she had been pursuing her advances. Those who know Mrs. Kroso are a crazy beyond a doubt.

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CONTEST IN CAROLINE

Committee Orders Complete Investigation of Reports.

USE OF WHISKEY ALLEGED

Information Received That Whiskey, Money and Other Agencies Were Adopted to Influence Votes—No Result for Two Weeks.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

There is a contest over the result of the primary in Caroline county for the nomination of a candidate for the House of Delegates last Saturday. As a result the County Committee has adopted, by a vote of twenty-four to two, a resolution recommending that the Canvassing Board declare no result until an investigation can be had of charges of alleged fraudulent voting, use of whiskey, money and other inducements, etc.

The candidates in the primary were Hon. D. B. Powers, Jr., present member of the House, and Judge J. C. Moncure. On the face of the returns Judge Moncure appears to be nominated by a majority of fifty-two votes. Even this majority the friends of Mr. Powers attribute to the over-confidence of his supporters. They charge the use of whiskey and money on a large scale. Judge Moncure's friends do not fear an investigation, and rather court it, believing that he will be shown to be wholly innocent of participation in any improper practices, if any have been indulged in.

THE RESOLUTION.

Here is the resolution adopted by the committee and ordering an investigation before awarding a certificate of nomination:

Whereas from information received by this committee it appears that the primary election held on Saturday, August 29th, has not been conducted according to the plan laid down by this committee, or in conformity with the State primary law, but has been characterized by fraud, abuse, intimidation, bribery, voting, together with the use of whiskey, money, etc., therefore, be it

Resolved, That we deem it wise and in the best interests of the party that no result be declared by this canvassing board until there can be had a complete and thorough investigation of the primary, and the affiliations of the participants therein.

That W. L. Cobb, Dr. R. G. Holloway, J. B. Washington, J. C. Chandler, S. C. Peetross and C. B. Conway are hereby appointed a subcommittee of the various branches of the party to investigate any and all violations that have been committed in said primary election, and report in full to this board at 11 A. M., September 14th.

That said committee be empowered to sit when and where they may deem most suitable and convenient in securing such necessary evidence needed in making said report.

That the secretary of the County Committee be authorized and directed to furnish copies of the full returns to said committee for their use in the conduct of such investigation.

And that all parties having any information which would be useful to them in making their report be requested to have same before them at such times and place as they may name.

SWALLOWED UP IN COAL

Fell Through a Pile of 750 Tons Without Injury.

Sailors on the American-Hawaiian freighter Alaskan are of the opinion that Jose Abeledo, a coal passer, leads a charmed life.

Jose has a habit of falling into the hold of the steamer. He recently fell into the main coal bunker, and was swallowed up in the pile. Ten minutes after he had disappeared from sight he shot through the bunker door into the fire-room, smiling and unscathed.

With the sliding coal he had passed down through the center of the pile, a distance of thirty feet. How the man escaped suffocation is a problem.

Jose Abeledo is a native of the West Indies, and shipped on the Alaskan at New York. His fall into the coal bunker occurred when the steamer was four days out from Coronel.

The bunker had just been filled with the pulverized coal, and in some manner the coal leading into the fire-room became clogged. Jose went to see what the trouble was, and was surprised to find himself sinking into it. Gradually he disappeared from view, and his comrades gave him up for lost.

The crew in the fire-room started to work and shoveled the coal out of the bunker. Jose was finally rewarded when the less of their comrades appeared through the opening.

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DOC BACON TO HANG TODAY

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that Doc Bacon was the sole perpetrator. In the past few days Finch has made a statement in the city jail of Petersburg to the effect that he himself was not guilty of the crime, and that he was not guilty of anything else.

Bacon had nothing whatever to do with it. And in the presence of death on the scaffold on yesterday he asserted that he knew nothing of the crime at all; that he was "just as innocent of it as God is in Heaven," and that he knew nothing of Bacon's connection with it one way or another. So it appears that each statement is contradictory of the other, and that they afford no ground for executive interference with the verdict and judgment of the court.

CIRCUMSTANCES SHOWED GUILT.

It may be stated that circumstantial evidence connected Bacon with this crime in point of time, place and of conduct incompatible with innocence. At the trial Bacon contradicted himself in various instances, and failed to establish his innocence of an alibi.

It appears that the unfortunate lady had been thrown into her eyes by the man attempting the assault; and that shortly thereafter, upon the arrest of Bacon, meal was found upon his clothes, on the knife in his pocket, and in his hair. He testified that the meal was thrown upon him in play by one Dudley, who, however, flatly contradicted the statement, and further showed that he had been absent some days from the community.

The evidence affords other proof why the jury should not interfere with the sentence of the court, reached in conformity with the requirements of law. I am, therefore, unable to grant further respite.

Ordered to Proceed.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BOYDTON, VA., September 3.—Sheriff Cogbill received this afternoon orders by wire from the Governor to proceed with the execution of Doc Bacon to-morrow, and that he would grant no further respite.

Boydton Cogbill has wired his deputy in Petersburg to bring Bacon back to-morrow, and he will be hung between 3 and 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Commonwealth's Attorney Goode left here to-day for the purpose of confer with the Governor about Bacon's case.

Anderson Finch made no statement on the gallows whatever about Doc Bacon's innocence or guilt. He had a few moments before his execution made a full statement about the case, and was taken down by the sheriff's stenographer and sent to the Governor at his (the Governor's) special request. He declared both his and Doc Bacon's innocence in this statement.

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