

# HAMPTON, PHOEBUS AND OLD POINT.

## HAMPTON ANSWERS APPEAL FOR HELP

It is Expected That More Than \$1,000 Will be Sent to San Francisco Sufferers.

## COUNCIL GIVES \$200 FOR AID

Citizen's Meeting in Courthouse Attracted Good Crowd and \$302.25 Was Raised—This Sum More Than Doubled and Will Be Increased To-day.

As the result of the mass-meeting of the citizens called for Sunday afternoon by Mayor Thornton F. Jones it is expected that more than \$1,000 will be forwarded to the suffering people of San Francisco as the gift of the people of Hampton.

The ever readiness of the people here to respond to a call for assistance was thoroughly demonstrated in the hearty response to the mayor's call.

### Mayor Appointed Chairman.

At 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon about 100 men gathered in the courthouse and after listening to a short talk from Mayor Jones an organization was formed. Mayor Jones was made the chairman, with Mr. J. C. Outten as secretary and Mr. Henry Lane Schmeitz as the treasurer.

A committee to solicit funds, composed of Messrs. Frank W. Darling, W. C. L. Tallaferrro, Robert Marcus, David Frankel, Henry L. Schmeitz, J. W. Rowe, H. R. Booker, R. L. Masola, H. W. D. Saunders, W. E. Lawson, W. H. Boynton, T. H. Wilson, M. C. Ransom, R. C. Lee, C. H. Hewins, James Selater, Jr., Albert Howe, J. S. Wyatt, Charles T. Taylor and the various ministers of the town, was named. Committee Raised \$301.

Following the selection of the committee a collection was taken up among those present and Treasurer Schmeitz announced that the sum of \$302.50 had been subscribed, which additional of \$200 given by the town council, increased the sum to \$502.50.

**Resolutions of Sympathy.**  
At the suggestion of the Hon. Samuel Gordon Cummings strong resolutions of sympathy were adopted for the people of the grief-stricken city. About \$500 More Raised.

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work early yesterday morning and it was stated last night that the relief fund had been increased to nearly the \$1,000 mark. The committeemen expect to finish the work today.

### Churches Contribute.

In many of the churches on Sunday collections for the benefit of the people of San Francisco were taken up. St. John's church sent in \$75; Memorial Baptist, \$50; Central Methodist \$15; First Methodist \$20. Other collections were taken up at the Hampton Normal school and at Hotel Chandlerlin, Old Point.

### Town Council's Action.

The council of the town of Hampton held a special session Sunday morning, when a resolution offering the people of San Francisco sympathy and carrying with a sum of \$200 was unanimously adopted. All the committeemen that were in town and knew of the meeting attended the session.

Below is the set of resolutions passed by council.

Whereas the members of the council of the town of Hampton have heard of the great sorrow and awful calamity that has befallen the city of San Francisco,

And where as the council wishes to show its sorrow and sympathy for the inhabitants of that grief-stricken city, and to extend some material assistance to the sufferers.

Now therefore, be it resolved by the council of the town of Hampton, in special meeting, held this Sunday, the 22nd day of April 1916, that we do hereby express our deepest sorrow and sincerest sympathy for the inhabitants of the city of San Francisco in this great calamity that has befallen them.

That the sum of \$200 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the sufferers in San Francisco and that the said sum be sent at once to the committee designated by Governor Swanson to be forwarded to the proper authorities in San Francisco.

### DOWIE WANTS PAPER BARRED.

Attorneys Move to Have "Leaves of Healing" Excluded from Mails. (By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, April 21.—The Postoffice Department received today a complaint of John Alexander Dowie's attorneys against the Zion City publication known as "Leaves of Healing" and the matter is under consideration by the Postmaster General. Officials in the department assert that there is nothing in the postal laws or regulations which would justify the denial of second class or other mail privileges to a newspaper or other publication simply because it contained libelous matter. To come within the provisions of the statutes and the rule in such cases, the matter complained of must be obscene or scurrilous, in this case it is claimed by Dowie's attorneys that the matter is scandalous, which would place the case within the pale of the courts should redress still be demanded.

As a result from this feature of the case however, the general charge is made that the "Leaves of Healing" is not entitled to second class privileges. An early decision may be expected.

### FOUL PLAY SUSPECTED.

Young Man's Body Found Floating in River. (Special to the Daily Press.)

PETERSBURG, VA., April 23.—The body of Robert N. Cheely, of Brunswick county, who has been missing from his home for a week, was found in Appomattox River this morning by a colored boy. Foul play is suspected.

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## HAMPTON VOLUNTEER SOLDIERS WILL RECEIVE BACK PAY

List of the Young Men Who Shouldered a Musket to Fight for Cuba Libre.

The members of the Fourth Virginia Regiment, who served in the Spanish war, are to receive back pay. Major Sol. Cutchins, who collected the claims, and who will make the disbursements, requests all members of the regiment to forward to him a postal card with the name of the company, regiment, place of organization and present address of the former soldier. Following is a list of the members of company D, Fourth Virginia

Home Station, Hampton—Captain Geo. W. Hope, Frank H. Couch, Vernon I. Dougherty, Harry O. Jordan, George W. Booker, Amos J. Wood, Lewis M. Scull, Robert F. Hunt, William D. Kahn, Harry A. Powell, Griff Wallace, James A. Dean, William H. Topping, John N. Mayonke, Terrell E. Beckner, John N. Branch, Sigmond Clark, Arthur S. Dobbins, Rawley Doone, William J. Hamilton, Thomas W. Hollyday, Peter H. Johnson, Hunter E. Jones, Frank S. Kimpion, Fritz W. Kipper, Edgar Lench, William C. Linham, Howarth Marchant, John R. Melvin, William J. Nelson, John W. Oldfield, Charles O'Rourke, Joseph S. Richardson, Charles L. Robbins, Charles D. Smith, Sidney Smith, William A. Stringfield, John T. Wheeler, Frederick White, William H. Whiting, Wallace E. Council, Luther Brothers, Frank C. Rees, Robert E. Gatewood, George S. Booker, Fay S. Curtis, Joseph P. Kahn, Livingstons F. Whiting, Charles C. Carver, Henry S. Seamer, merburn, George B. Jones, Harry B. Holt, William H. Peck, Martin H. League, Horace A. Davis, Hugh H. Henry, Henry D. Hull, James W. Staenglen, Charles Minniek, Sinclair Curtis.

### GENERAL McMAHON DEAD.

President of oBoard of Managers of Soldiers' Home Dies.

All the flags at the National Soldiers' Home were at half mast yesterday on account of the death of General Martin T. McMahon, the president of the Board of Managers. General McMahon died suddenly in New York Saturday from a severe attack of pneumonia. The members of the board of managers were expected at the Home here today, but they will likely come on Thursday or Friday.

It is understood that General Henderson will be elected as president of the board to succeed General McMahon.

Mr. W. B. Goodwin left here last evening for a week in Baltimore and Philadelphia.

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