THE CROOKED MAN OF MANCHESTER

Police Think Frank Easton the Individual They Require

THE STORY THAT HE TELLS.

He Thinks Manchester Lawyers a Good Article to Touch—Not Much Interest In Politics—Personals and Briefs.

Manchester Bureau, Richmond Times, 1112 Hull Street (Beattie Block).

In the person of Frank Easton, who was arrested Friday night in Richmond for drunkenness, the Manchester police think has been caught the individual who got the better of a lawyer of this city, as told exclusively in yesterday's Times.

Easton was identified by Mr. Charles Page, and was turned over at once by Detective Tomlinson to the authorities of this city. When Easton, which he says is his real name, was seen at police headquarters, he said:

"I have a brother in Lynchburg and a brother and sister in Roanoke. I have been working on the Western Division of the Norfolk and Western for three years as brakeman. Oh, I am a railroad man all right. Two weeks ago I got 'fired' and came here to get a job on the Chesapeake and Ohio, but the job was slow and I got to stopping with the boys. The seven I got soon went, and I thought since the Manchester lawyers were a good article I would touch them again. If the police had wanted me they could have gotten me any old time. I have been the biggest man on Broad street for several weeks."

Easton looks to be forty years old, and has a smooth tongue.

NOT MUCH INTEREST.

The small vote cast in the Manchester District, which embraces Swansboro, was no indication of the popularity of the candidates, for the men on the ticket were two of the most popular men in the county. It indicated that little interest was being taken in the contest.

At the Manchester primary the vote was also small, but not to the proportion of that displayed in the county primary.

The registered vote of Manchester is about 900, the vote at the primary was 225; the registration of the Swansboro district is about 700, while the vote was only 80.

It was not a question of popularity of the candidates, but an indication of lack of interest in the election.

Mr. Toney received a much larger proportion in his city than did Messrs. Cogbill and Baker in their county, so far as the Manchester district is concerned.

AT THE CHURCHES.

Cowardin-Avenue Christian church: Elder J. A. Spencer will preach at 11 A. M. and at 8 P. M. The pastor asks all members to be present, as matters of importance will be presented to them.

Sunday-school at 9:15 A. M. Endeavor meeting at 7:15 P. M.

Rev. Robert E. Williams will conduct both services to-day at Clopton-Street Baptist church.

Rev. J. C. Reed, pastor, will conduct morning services at Central Methodist church Sunday. Rev. J. S. Wallace, pastor of Fifth-Street church, the evening.

Services at West-End church today: Sunday-school at 9:30 A. M. Services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. by the pastor, Rev. Charles D. Crawley. Epworth League meetings at 3 and 7 P. M.

The Ladies' Aid Society of West-End church will meet at Mrs. Amelia Mann's, on Clopton street, tomorrow evening at 3:30 o'clock.

Services to-day, morning and evening will be conducted at Bainbridge-Street Baptist church by Rev. E. V. Baldy, of Dennis.

Services at Meade-Memorial church at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday-school 9:30 A. M. Preaching by Rector, Rev. Benj. Dennis. Public are cordially invited to these services.

SCHOOL CROWDED.

The Grade Committee of the Manchester School Board met Friday night. The question before the committee was that of making arrangements to accommodate the increase in pupils. It was decided something must be done at once. The School Board is to meet to-morrow night. At this meeting something more definite will be decided upon. The primary rooms are crowded beyond endurance. Some talk is of purchasing the Central Methodist church and using it this session.

MR. TONEY'S DELEGATES.

The delegates elected who are for Mr. D. L. Toney are as follows:

First Ward, J. B. Rudd; Second Ward, C. L. Pettit and E. H. Wells; Third Ward, R. E. Owen and W. B. Pleasants; Fourth Ward, A. C. Attkisson, F. A. Lamb and W. B. Bradley.

BRIEF MENTION.

Mr. W. E. Smith has returned from Goldsboro, N. C. He has been away from home six months.

Little Harry Harding, child of Mr. and Mrs. Harding of east Fifth street, was reported somewhat better last night.

The Central Methodist church has appointed a committee of thirty of its members to work among the congregation and friends of the church in the interest of the new church fund.

The Street Committee meets to-morow night in the Council Chamber.

C. D. Mays was fined $1 yesterday morning by the Mayor for allowing his horse to run at large.

A NARROW ESCAPE.

Thankful words, written by Mrs. Ada E. Hart, of Groton, S. D.: "Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs; cough set in and finally terminated in Consumption. Four Doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Saviour, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God, I am saved and now a well and healthy woman." Trial bottles free at Owens & Minor Drug Company. Regular size, 50c. and $1.00. Guaranteed.

SOME CHEAP PRICES.

You can save some money in the purchase of a piano by calling and looking over a small lot of upright pianos that have been out on rent during the summer. Walter D. Moses & Co., 1005 Main street.

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Rena Aubrey, a dainty Bijou soubrette.

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AUCTION SALE.—Monday.

J. B. Elam & Co.,
Real Estate Auctioneers.

TRUSTEE'S SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION OF THOSE WELL-LOCATED AND SUBSTANTIALLY BUILT

Two-Story Frame Dwellings,

Nos. 117 and 119 North First Street.

In execution of a certain deed of trust, dated February 19, 1896, and recorded in D. B. 156 "B," page 468, Richmond Chancery Court, the undersigned, trustee, will sell, by public auction, on the premises, on

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1899,

at 5 o'clock P. M., the REAL ESTATE described in said deed as fronting 39½x130 feet on the east side of First street, between Federal and Coutts streets, and having thereon two two-story, five-room frame dwellings, with city water. This is well-located property, and can be made a good-paying investment. They will be sold either separately or as a whole, as may appear best at time of sale.

TERMS: Cash as to expenses of sale, taxes to day of sale, and the sum of $1,545, with interest thereon from August 19, 1899, and the residue, if any, by a negotiable note at twelve months, with interest added, and secured by a deed of trust, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser.

WILLIAM HOLST, Trustee.

J. B. Elam & Co., Auctioneers. se29

AUCTION SALES—Future Days.

BY J. B. Elam & Co.,
Real Estate Auctioneers.

The Well-Located, Modern and Very Attractive Two-Story Brick Dwelling and Lot,

No. 535 North Second Street,

To be Sold by Public Auction on Wednesday, Sept 27, 1899, at 5 o'clock P. M!

We shall sell by public auction on the premises, that attractive and very desirable Two-Story Brick Dwelling, No. 535 North Second street, on east side Second, between Clay and Leigh streets, the lot fronting about 17 8-12x90 feet to alley in rear, and the dwelling being neat, substantial, well appointed and in good order, containing about eight rooms of fine size, large pantry, bath-room, cooking range, hot and cold water bath, gas and the usual modern conveniences, and being one of the most desirable residences in that convenient and pleasant location.

Sale Positive and Terms Liberal. One-fourth cash, balance at 6, 12 and 18 months or all cash, at option of purchaser.

J. B. ELAM & CO., Auctioneers.

By T. M. Wortham & Co.,
Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers,
1013 east Main street.

AUCTION SALE OF A

Nice Farm of 94 Acres,

MORE OR LESS OF GOOD LAND, ALL CLEARED AND UNDER CULTIVATION, ON WILLIAMSBURG ROAD, NOW THE RESIDENCE OF J. J. TALLMAN, THREE MILES FROM THE CITY, ADJOINING THE LANDS OF THE LATE JUDGE BURNHAM, ED. SHIPMAN, AND OTHERS. IMPROVEMENTS CONSIST OF COMFORTABLE NEW FRAME DWELLING, WITH EIGHT ROOMS AND ALL MODERN CONVENIENCE, LARGE TWO-STORY BARN CONTAINING 15 STALLS, &C., LARGE BRICK WINE CELLAR UNDERNEATH, SHEDS FOR FARMING IMPLEMENTS, &C. ABUNDANT WATER SUPPLY FROM WIND-MILL ON THE PLACE.—At the request of the owner we will sell at public auction on the premises on

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 1899,

at 5 o'clock P. M. this valuable property. The land is all cleared and under cultivation, a large portion of the place being sown in grass. Six acres of young orchard, two acres of grapes, asparagus beds, strawberry patches, in fact this is a model farm and if purchased by the right man can be made to pay handsomely and from its convenience to the city will make it a most delightful home. Convenient to school, church and etc.

TERMS: Liberal and announced at the sale. se24

By A. L. Adamson,
Real Estate Auctioneer, Manchester, Va.

TRUSTEES' AUCTION SALE OF A HIGHLY IMPROVED TRUCK FARM, CONTAINING EIGHTEEN ACRES, FRONTING ON THE WARWICK ROAD ABOUT THREE MILES FROM MANCHESTER IN CHESTERFIELD COUNTY, VA.

By virtue of a deed of trust from Alden L. Campbell and others, dated May 13, 1897, and recorded in the clerk's office of Chesterfield County Court in D. B., 94, page 251, default having been made in the payment of the note secured thereby, and being directed so to do by the holder thereof, I will sell at public auction on the premises on

TUESDAY, THE 26TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1899, AT 5 O'CLOCK P. M.,

the above farm, containing 18 acres, fronting on the Warwick road near the Broad Rock Road, and adjoining the lands of Mrs. Celia Campbell, George Campbell, and others. Land is rich, lies well, and in a very attractive neighborhood.

TERMS: Cash sufficient to pay costs of executing this trust, taxes, and to pay the said note of $232, together with interest thereon from May 13, 1899. The balance upon such terms as will be announced at the sale.

A. L. ADAMSON, Trustee.

By Sutton & Co.,
Real Estate Auctioneers,
Corner Tenth and Bank streets.

AUCTION SALE OF THREE COMPARATIVELY NEW BRICK DWELLINGS ON WEST MAIN STREET, No. 907, No. 1328, AND No. 1508 WEST MAIN STREET.

At the request of the legatees (the most of whom are non-residents), who are anxious to sell, in order to settle up an estate, we shall offer for sale, at public auction, upon the premises, on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1899,

and in the following order:

First. At 4:30 o'clock P. M., the TWO-STORY BRICK TENEMENT No. 1508 west Main street, containing eight or nine rooms, with all the modern improvements, with lot fronting about 16 feet on the north side of Main street, running back between parallel lines 178 feet 8 inches to an alley 20 feet wide.

Second. At 5 o'clock P. M., the NEW DETACHED BRICK DWELLING at the northeast corner of Main and Harvie streets (known as No. 1328 west Main street), containing nine rooms, with the modern improvements, and in nice order. The lot fronts 20 feet on Main street, running back between parallel lines 120 feet to an alley.

Third. At 5:30 o'clock P. M., the DETACHED BRICK DWELLING No. 907 west Main street, containing about nine rooms, modern improvements, and in good order, the lot fronting 31 feet on the south side of Main street, and running back 134 feet to an alley 15 feet wide.

This property is situated in good neighborhoods, and is just the property that will rent well.

Those wishing to secure nice homes or good investments should attend this sale, as all of the parties interested are anxious to sell, and bargains may be expected.

TERMS: Will be made liberal and announced at the hour of sale.

se24 SUTTON & CO., Auctioneers.

LOST AND FOUND.

STRAYED, FROM MY PREMISES, ON the Petersburg turnpike, Friday, September 23d, a GOOD-SIZED BAY HORSE, without shoes on. Any information leading to his recovery will be well rewarded. J. H. SIMPKINS, 215 north Sixth street, Richmond, Va. se24

LOST, ON SEPTEMBER 22D, UPPER part of SILVER BUCKLE, with initials R. J. Please return to 12 south Third street and receive reward. se24

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We will have 65 Mules of extra good quality weighing from 1,000 to 1,200. Our Horses consist of Drivers, Smooth Blocks and Heavy Workers. Among the consignments are several teams with good style and action. We will also have a good many family-broke Horses.

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FOLDING BED, BOOKS, CARPETS, FURNITURE, &c., AT AUCTION.

By direction of the owner, who has declined housekeeping, I will sell, at No. 11 south Second street at 10:30 A. M.,

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1899.

One Very Nice Ash Folding Bed, with beveled mirror front, in excellent order; Oak Sideboard, Mantel Clock, Pictures, Miscellaneous Books, Hanging Hall and Book Racks, Umbrella Stand, Marble-Top Tables, Lounges, Curtain Poles, Portieres, Domestic Sewing Machine, &c.

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JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing amendments to sections 1 and 2 of article 7 of the Constitution of Virginia, and providing for publishing said amendment and certifying the same to the next General Assembly.

[Approved March 3, 1898.]

1. RESOLVED by the senate and House of Delegates (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing thereto), That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia be, and is hereby, proposed and is hereby referred to the General Assembly to be chosen at the next general election of senators and members of the House of Delegates for its concurrence, in conformity with the provisions of section one of article twelve of said Constitution, viz:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia sections one and two of article seven, which are in the following words:

§ 1. There shall be elected by the qualified voters of the county one sheriff, one attorney for the commonwealth (who shall also be the commonwealth's attorney for the circuit court), one county clerk (who shall also be the clerk of the circuit court, except that in counties containing fifteen thousand inhabitants there may be a separate clerk for the circuit court), one county treasurer, and as many commissioners of the revenue as may be provided by law; and there shall be appointed in the like manner, to be provided by law, one superintendent of the poor and one county surveyor; and there shall also be appointed in the manner provided for in article eight, one superintendent of schools. All regular elections for county officers shall be held on the fourth Thursday in May; and all officers elected or appointed under this provision shall enter upon the duties of their offices on the first day of July next succeeding their election, and shall hold their respective offices for the term of four years, except that county and circuit court clerks shall hold office for six years.

§ 2. Each county of the State shall be divided into as many compactly located magisterial districts as may be deemed necessary, not less than three: provided, that after there have been formed no additional districts shall be made containing less than thirty square miles. Each magisterial district shall be known as——— magisterial district of——— county.

In each district there shall be elected one supervisor, three justices of the peace, one constable, and one overseer of the poor, who shall hold their respective offices for the term of two years. All regular elections for magisterial district officers shall take place on the fourth Thursday in May, and all officers so elected shall enter upon the duties of their respective offices on the first day of July next succeeding their election.

The supervisors of the districts shall constitute the board of supervisors for that county, whose duty it shall be to audit the accounts of the county, examine the books of the commissioners of the revenue, regulate and equalize the valuation of property, fix the county levies for the ensuing year, and perform any other duties required of them by law.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

§ 1. There shall be elected by the qualified voters of the county one sheriff, one attorney for the commonwealth (who shall also be commonwealth's attorney for the circuit court), one county clerk (who shall also be the clerk of the circuit court, except that in counties containing fifteen thousand inhabitants there may be a separate clerk for the circuit court), one county treasurer, and as many commissioners of the revenue as may be provided by law; and there shall be appointed in a like manner, to be provided by law, one superintendent of the poor and one county surveyor; and there shall also be appointed in the manner provided for in article eight, one superintendent of schools.

All regular elections for county officers shall be held on the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday in November, and all officers elected or appointed under this provision shall enter upon the duties of their offices on the first day of January next succeeding their election, and shall hold their respective offices for the term of four years, except that county and circuit court clerks shall hold office for six years.

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2. RESOLVED, That the clerk of the Senate or the clerk of the House of Delegates, or, if a vacancy happen in both of the said offices, the presiding officer of either house of the General Assembly, be authorized and required to cause this proposed amendment and these resolutions to be published in one newspaper published in each of the cities of the Commonwealth having more than ten thousand inhabitants, once a week for three consecutive months previous to the time of choosing the members of the General Assembly at the next general election of senators and members of the House of Delegates.

3. RESOLVED, That the clerk of the Senate and the clerk of the House of Delegates be required to transmit to the General Assembly, to be chosen at the next general election of senators and members of the House of Delegates, a certified copy of said proposed amendments and these resolutions, together with the certificates of publication by the publishers of newspapers in which the said amendment shall have been published.

OFFICE OF CLERK OF HOUSE OF DELEGATES,
RICHMOND, VA., July 25, 1899.

The foregoing is a copy of a joint resolution proposing amendments to sections one and two of article seven of the Constitution of Virginia, and providing for publishing said amendments and certifying the same to the next General Assembly, which was agreed to during the session of 1897-'98, by a majority of the members elected to each of the two houses and so recorded, and which joint resolution was approved by the Governor March 3, 1898, and is published in accordance with a provision contained therein.

T. H. BIGGER,
Clerk of House of Delegates and Keeper of the Rolls of Virginia.

JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to strike from the Constitution the second clause of article ten and providing for publishing and certifying the same to the next General Assembly of Virginia.

[Approved February 23, 1898.]

1. RESOLVED by the House of Delegates and Senate (a majority of the members elected to each of the two houses agreeing thereto), That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia be, and is hereby, proposed and referred to the General Assembly to be chosen at the next general election of senators and members of the House of Delegates for its concurrence in conformity with the provisions of section one of article twelve of said Constitution, namely: Strike from the Constitution of Virginia section two of article ten, which is in the following words:

Article 10, section 2.—No tax shall be imposed on any of the citizens of this State for the privilege of taking or catching oysters from their natural beds with tongs in the waters thereof; but the amount of sales of oysters so taken by any citizen, in any one year, may be taxed at a rate not exceeding the rate of taxation imposed upon any other species of property.

2. RESOLVED, That the clerk of the House of Delegates or the clerk of the Senate, or, if a vacancy happen in both of said offices, the presiding officer of either house of the General Assembly, be authorized and required to cause this proposed amendment and these resolutions to be published in one newspaper published in each of the cities of the Commonwealth having more than ten thousand inhabitants, once a week for three consecutive months previous to the time of choosing the members of the General Assembly at the next general election of senators and members of the House of Delegates.

3. RESOLVED, That the clerk of the House of Delegates and the clerk of the senate be required to transmit to the General Assembly to be chosen at the next general election of members of the House of Delegates and Senate, a certified copy of said proposed amendment and of these resolutions, together with certificates of publication by the publishers of the newspapers in which said proposed amendment shall have been published.

OFFICE OF CLERK OF HOUSE OF DELEGATES,
RICHMOND, VA., July 25, 1899.

The foregoing is a copy of a joint resolution proposing to strike from the Constitution the second clause of article ten and providing for publishing and certifying the same to the next General Assembly of Virginia, which was agreed to during the session of 1897-'98, by a majority of the members elected to each of the two houses and so recorded, and which joint resolution was approved by the Governor on February 23, 1898, and is published in accordance with a provision contained therein.

T. H. BIGGER,
Clerk of House of Delegates and Keeper of the Rolls of Virginia.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA—IN THE OFFICE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE COUNTY OF HENRICO, IN THE VACATION OF THE COURT, 1899, SEPTEMBER 1st:

Andrew Pizzini, Jr., receiver....Plaintiff, against

Margaret E. Johnson, George B. Bonnell, trustee, and C. A. Crawford, trustee, ...Defendants.

IN CHANCERY.

The object of this suit is to subject that piece or parcel of land, with the improvements thereon, lying and being in Henrico county, about ten miles below the city of Richmond, on the main road leading from Charles City Courthouse, and containing about 419 acres, known by the name of "Camp Hill," and standing on the commissioner's books of Henrico county in the name of George B. Bonnell, trustee, for M. E. Johnson, to the payment of the balance due on the notes made by the said M. E. Johnson, and secured in the deed of trust from her to C. A. Crawford, trustee, dated September 24, 1895, and recorded in D. B. 149 B, page 401.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, George B. Bonnell, trustee, is not a resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that he do appear here within fifteen days after the due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interest herein.

Teste: JOHN E. BROADDUS, Clerk.

A copy—Teste:
JOHN E. BROADDUS, Clerk.

Marye, Attorney. se3

VIRGINIA—IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRICO COUNTY IN VACATION, SEPTEMBER 14, 1899.

Andrew Pizzini, Jr..................Receiver against

O. P. Dicken, C. A. Dicken, John R. Trenon, C. A. Crawford, trustee; S. H. Handcock, A. S. Crawford, trustee, and M. M. Gilliam, trustee........Defendants

The object of this suit is to enforce the lien on six and a half acres of land in Henrico county, about three miles west of the city of Richmond, created by a deed of trust from O. P. Dicken and wife to C. A. Crawford, trustee, dated March 15, 1894, and recorded in the Clerk's Office of Henrico County Court in D. B. 147, A. P. 292, and affidavit having been made and filed that S. H. Handcock and John R. Trenon are non-residents of this State. It is ordered that they appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

Teste: J. E. BROADUS, Clerk.

L. T. W. MAYRE, p. q. se17

WANTS.

WANTED.—TO SELL ONE OF THE most comfortable residences on west Grace street; house thoroughly modern, large arched hall, stairs in recess (solid walnut), nine large rooms, hot and cold water on every floor; granite-trimmed and curbed; large lot 30 feet front, very deep, with two-story stable in rear; large back-yard, brick walks, grass, flowers, &c., will be sold at a sacrifice. One-third cash, balance on long time at low interest if desired. Address the owner, J. O. BIRD, care Times or Leader.

GUNS AND BICYCLES. SPRTING GOODS of all kinds. There has been nothing heretofore offered or now offered that can present equal value with our line. We are authorized to close the season on Bicycles. The Featherstone, at $19.50 cash. This is our cut. Every one warranted. HARRIS HARDWARE CO., 409 east Broad street, Richmond, Va.

WANTED, TO LEASE, WITH PRIVIlege of buying, FRAME BUILDING or FACTORY, size about 20x40 feet, two floors. Suburbs of Richmond or within ten miles. Must have water; also near railroad depot and express office. Address JAMES ROGERS, Jr., Highview, Sullivan county, N. Y. se24

WANTED—FOR RENT OR SALE, FARM on the Williamsburg road, two miles from city, with large house and forty acres of land. A farm on Newmarket road, six miles from city, small dwelling, 144 acres. Apply to E. A. T., Station B, city.

WANTED, TO RENT OUT NEARLY the whole of a large and handsomely furnished house, most desirably located on Franklin street. Will rent as a whole or separately. Apply at 201 east Franklin street. se24

WANTED, BY A MARRIED COUPLE, without children, a SUITE OF ROOMS, with bath preferred, and with or without board. Call on J. B. Elam & Co. se24

WANTED, TENANTS FOR FIRST OR second-story flats. Also, one room in third story. Central location; desirable, bright roms. 315 east Franklin street. se24

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HELP WANTED—Male.

WANTED, HIGH-GRADE BROAD-STREET BUSINESS PROPERTY, not west of Madison street. State location, rental and price. Address BROAD STREET, care Times office. se24

WANTED, A MAN TO DELIVER AND collect; salary, $60.00 per month; security required; must be willing to work small towns and country. CENTRAL, 2043 Market street, Philadelphia, Pa. se10

WANTED, ENERGETIC ADVERTISING solicitor in Richmond. Address immediately V., care Richmond Times. se24

WANTED, A NEAT AND STRONG BOY. Apply to Mr. Lowry, at The Meyer Store, Monday morning between 11 and 12 o'clock. se24

WANTED, FIRST-CLASS CRAYON and Pastel Artists. THE ANGLO-AMERICAN ART ASSOCIATION, 321 Jackson Building, Nashville, Tenn. se24

WANTED.—AT ONCE, PAPER HANGers, piece or week workers. Apply to CHARLES E. SMITH, 212 west Clay St.

HELP WANTED—Female.

WANTED, GOOD COOK, WITHOUT ENcumbrance, to live on premises, also, one to go to New York city. Must have good recommendations. Good wages paid to the right person. Apply at 905 Park avenue. se24

WANTED, REFINED MANICURE, preferably hair dresser also, for office in Washington, D. C. Address 1557 I street, Washington, with reference. se24

WANTED, A WHITE WOMAN TO cook and clean for small family. Address C. L. & H. L. DENOON, 821 east Main street. se22

A GOOD HOME IS OPEN TO A RELIAble woman who is willing to care for four boys and house. Address OUT OF TOWN, Times office. se24

WANTED, A WOMAN WITH A LITTLE capital to open branch office and conduct a profitable home mail business. Splendid opportunity to make money. The OLIVE BRANCH CO., South Bend, Ind. se24.

WANTED—A GOOD COOK. APPLY AT No. 502 west Grace street before 8 o'clock on Monday and Tuesday mornings.

EMPLOYMENT WANTED—Male.

WANTED, POSITION BY YOUNG MAN of twenty. Has had experience in office work, as collector and six years on Smith typewriter. Furnish best references. Apply Box 480, East Radford, Va. se24

WANTED, A POSITION, BY YOUNG man of seven years' experience, as steward and manager of a private club. Best of references. Address OUT OF TOWN, Times office. se24

SEALED PROPOSALS.

Room No. 11, Third Floor, City Hall,
Richmond, Va., Sept. 23, 1899.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE REceived at this office until 2 P. M. FRIDAY, September 29, 1899, for furnishing the city with the following number of LICENSE MEDALS AND TINS for the year 1900:

3,400 Dog Medals.
100 Goat Medals.
1,600 One-Horse Wagon Tins.
450 Two-Horse Wagon Tins.
40 Three-Horse Wagon Tins.
25 Four-Horse Wagon Tins.
100 Hack and Omnibus Tins.
30 Buggy Tins.

Medals and Tins to be numbered and wired in numerical order. Separate bids will be received for hand-painted and stencil work on license tins. Samples must accompany each bid.

The Committee on Police reserve the right to reject any or all proposals offered.

ALF. H. McDOWELL, Clerk. se24

Office Virginia Conduit Company,
509 Bank street.

PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED UNtil Monday, September 25, 1899, at 12 o'clock, for furnishing, according to patterns now on exhibition at our office castings of Yokes, Z Bars, I Rails, Hand Hole Boxes, Fish Plates, and Angle Washers for Jenkins' Underground Conduit. Bidders can bid for the castings by the pound or as a whole, and state the quickest time they can deliver, under forfeiture for delay. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. Address bids to

ANDREW PIZZINI, JR., General Manager.

WANTED, BIDS TO FURNISH SUPPLIES for SOUTHWESTERN STATE HOSPITAL for the months of October, November and December, 1899. Bids must be sealed and marked "Bids to Furnish Supplies," and addressed to the undersigned, accompanied with samples of goods offered, and must be in by 8 o'clock A. M. of OCTOBER 10, 1899. A list of such goods as are wanted will be furnished on application. All goods must be delivered f. o. b. Marion Depot, Va.

The right to accept or reject any or all bids offered is reserved.

This October 23 1899.

B. RICHMOND, Clerk. se24