

CAMDEN'S NEW LIQUOR MEN

Two Excise Boards in Full Operation Over the River.

POLITICS GOVERNING LICENSES

The City Board Resolve to Arrest Those Selling Under Permission Granted by the County Board. Trouble Ahead for the Dealers.

The long-talked-of meeting of the Camden City Excise Board was held last night, and \$63,000 worth of licenses, represented by 135 applicants, were granted. This is at the \$500 figure.

It was shortly before 9 o'clock when City Clerk Varney called the commission to order in the Council chamber, in the presence of the largest crowd ever gathered in that room.

Mr. Cherry named Commissioner Frey, editor of the *Camden Courier*, for president of the board, and Mr. Cleary nominated his Democratic colleague, Mr. Scheimer. The three Republican members, Cherry, Frey and McDowell, voted for Frey, and Cleary and Scheimer, Democrats, for the latter. Commissioner Frey was declared elected.

In a neat speech President Frey said: "All eyes of this community are at present on the Excise Board. What we do, let it be done to the interest of the greatest number of people."

Then Clerk Varney read a set of resolutions, in which reference was made to the "knocked out" dealers of this city immigrating to Camden and securing licenses.

The resolutions say that the present license fee of \$500 was not oppressive and that the present rate should be retained. They also declared the act creating the County Board to be unconstitutional and asked that the City Board should not recognize the other board. The resolutions concluded by instructing the Mayor to arrest any saloon-keeper who sold liquor without first securing a license from the City Board.

"Where does that communication come from?" asked Mr. Scheimer. "Mr. Cherry," responded Clerk Varney. They were then passed by a vote of 3 to 2.

A communication from the County Board, notifying the City Board that they had reduced the fee to \$300, was received and ordered filed.

A motion was then passed that in case the Supreme Court indorsed the County Board the fee, as made by that body, be respected and \$200 returned to the applicant.

Many applicants paid \$500 and took out their license, while others rushed to the court house expecting to find the County Board in session, but they had adjourned to meet at noon to-day.

The Republican members of the City Board declare that they will follow out their resolution and cause the arrest of any man or woman who sells liquor in the city without a license from their body.

LICENSED TO SELL LIQUOR.

Following is a list of those granted:

FIRST WARD.—James F. Shannon, 5 and 7 Market street; William H. Jones, 18 Market; John McCormick, 210 Market; Peter C. Verga, 11 Market; William F. Saunders, 112 Market; William Merrick, northeast corner Second and Market; John Egner, Front and Arch; Thomas McKenna, 53 North Front; John J. Wright, 46 Delaware avenue; Thomas F. Bell, northeast corner Second and Arch; John F. Hoelke, southwest corner Front and Vine; John Beck, northeast corner Second and Vine; William O. Lusk, northeast corner Delaware and Wood; Mrs. Benjamin Morris, 601 North Front; John Dugan, Front and Pearl; John Smith, 34 Erie; Albert L. Kayser, 901 Point; Albert Ebner, 943 Point; J. R. Lippincott, Delaware and State; Edward S. Johnson, southeast corner Front and Vine; John Werner, 107 Pearl; John Wise, Front and Pearl; Augustus Hettmannsperger, 224 Market.

SECOND WARD.—August C. Riceman, northeast corner Fourth and Market; John Helleman, 531 Market; Bernard J. Lyons, 225 North Ninth; John U. Meiler, 131 North Eleventh; Fred Schoellkopf, 930 Market; Anton Kluge, 914 Market; Herman Keeley, 1002 Carpenter; Joseph C. Zanner, 505 Main; Max Garschutz, northeast corner Sixth and Pearl; J. J. Bennett, Eighth and Fern; John Carter, 227 North Ninth; John Pfeiffer, 521 Arch.

THIRD WARD.—Mileo Geist, southwest corner Second and Arch; John Beck, 306 Federal; Joseph S. Long, Front and Federal; Thomas Madden, 11 South Third; Thomas Coyle, 333 Arch; John K. Green, 7 South Third; Frank Mester, southwest corner Fourth and Arch; Charles F. Hoell, southeast corner Second and Federal; John K. Brooker, southwest corner Second and Federal; John W. Sutton, southwest corner Third and Berkeley; W. H. Getty, 215 Federal; John E. Parry, Second and Steven; Hertz & Traiser, 21 Federal.

FOURTH WARD.—Theodore G. Maier, 404 Federal street; James Sullivan, northwest corner Fifth and Federal streets; John A. Oetzel, southwest corner Fifth and Arch streets; Theodore Brown, 529 Federal street; August C. Miller, northeast corner Fifth street and Bridge avenue; Celia Dunn, 516 Taylor avenue; Ludwig Schuck, northeast corner Fifth and Mickle streets; Thomas Devine, 13 South Fourth street.

FIFTH WARD.—Thomas Gordon, southwest corner Second and Pine; John J. Cleary, southeast corner Second and Pine; Harry Pearce, 334 Pine; Fredericka W. Schettlinger, 344 Spruce; W. J. Gallagher, 106 Kaighn avenue; Robert Mitchell, 307 Kaighn avenue; Mary Davis, Second and Kaighn avenue; Hugh Lavery, Locust and Kaighn avenue; John F. Reiger, 400 Kaighn avenue; Charles A. Steeger, northwest corner Front and Kaighn avenue; Irving W. Herman, 127 and 129 Kaighn avenue; John H. Carroll, 622 South Third; Christian Eppinger, 900 Locust; Francis T. Steinbach, 1114 Locust street; George Brehm, 909 South Fourth; Thomas McCormick, 1149 South Third; Thomas E. Clayton, 301 Mechanic; John J. Longstreth, northwest corner Second and Mechanic; John W. Wagner, 25 Line; L. McCormick, Fourth and Kaighn avenue; Mary Davis, Second and Kaighn avenue; Charles Stager, N. W. corner Front and Kaighn avenue.

SIXTH WARD.—William Horneff, 1001 Broadway; John Chambers, 818 Broadway; Augusta V. Hostick, 837 Broadway; Philip Barr, 1025 Broadway; Jacob Cook, 1009 Broadway; Frank F. Souder, 1112 Broadway; Jacob Vissel, Newton avenue and Broadway; Albert Schraden, 830 South Fourth street; Rosa Hall, Newton avenue and Pine street; James R. Kelley, Newton avenue and Spruce; Josiah S. Jones, Sixth and Chestnut; Caspar Walter, Newton avenue and Chestnut; Harry A. Rudderow, 429 Cherry; John J. Brown, Fourth and Chestnut; Rudolph Ehrenfeld, 505 Division; George Metler, 575 Division; Alfred Kemble, 600 Walnut; John Murschell, Sixth and Spruce; William A. McGisley, 601 Kaighn avenue; William J. Houck, 400 Atlantic avenue; William Chew, 1016 South Fourth street.

SEVENTH WARD.—Geo. H. Jones, 575 Trenton avenue; Alfred Blake, northeast corner Eighth and Chestnut; Gustav Schwoert, 707 Chestnut; John Sand, Haddon and Chestnut; John Hughes, 301 Kaighn avenue; Frank Quinn, Kaighn and Mount Ephraim avenues; Paul Sand, Haddon and Kaighn avenues; George Horneff, 900 Walnut; John A. Gorman, Ninth and Chestnut; Charles J. Steven, 1008 Walnut; James Hall, 1127 Mount Ephraim avenue; John Blake, Eighth and Chestnut; James Deegan, Seventh and Kaighn.

EIGHTH WARD.—Daniel Kelly, northwest corner Ferry and Van Buren; John Brown Goostrey, 1930 Fillmore; John Schaus, 510 Jackson; Samuel H. Mowery, Central avenue and Van Buren; Carl Kupper, northwest corner Haddon and Atlantic; James Stanley, northeast corner Broadway and Ferry avenue; John Derry, 574 Vanhook; Henry Schorpp, 1703 Ferry avenue; Gottlieb Jung, Ferry avenue and Jackson; Martin J. Ewe, Broadway and Emerald; F. Joseph Roub, 751 Ferry avenue; Hugh Morgan, 900 Central avenue.

NINTH WARD.—George A. McHenry, 707 Federal street; Charles Krattsmacher, 944 Federal street; Charles L. Pockerto, northeast corner Haddon avenue and Pennsylvania Railroad; Katherine Zimmerman, Sixth and Bridge avenue; Joseph Felden, Haddon avenue and Carman; Thomas Sullivan, Sixth and Clinton; Robert Smith, South Sixth and Royden.

ODDS AND ENDS OF NEWS.

William Sturer, a lad living at Front and Wharton streets, this city, was picked up by Policeman Cable in Camden yesterday, while pretending to have a fit. The lad said he was to have appeared before the grand jury, of this city, and that he was advised by friends to go to Camden and feign sickness.

Frank S. Fithian, the newly elected Water Clerk, assumed office yesterday. Hamilton Brady, of the Sixth ward, and Lee H. Mills, both went on duty as assistant firemen at the water works.

While stealing a ride on one of the Atlantic City Railroad freight cars, on Tuesday night, Cornelius Brown, aged 23 years, of Virginia, fell beneath the wheels. One of his arms was picked up thirty feet from where he was found in an unconscious condition. He was removed to the Cooper Hospital.

John Jennings, the saloonkeeper, formerly of Third and Spruce streets, who was given his choice by the court to pay \$200 fine or go to Trenton for two years, has paid the money and been released.

Charles Matthews, sentenced to two years for forgery, and Charles McMonigile, who received a similar sentence for wife beating, were taken to Trenton yesterday.

William Wright, Mayor Pratt's dog-catcher, was held in \$300 bail by Squire Colding, yesterday, for threatening to shoot Virginia Housell, of 271 Division street.

At a meeting of the Taxpayers' and Citizens' League, held in the First Presbyterian Church, of Camden, yesterday, it was decided to test the constitutionality of the law by which the County Excise Board was created. Ex-Judge David G. Pancoast was employed and the case will be taken to the Supreme Court immediately.

Policeman James L. Augenbaugh, of Gloucester City, was before Magistrate Cassidy, of Camden, yesterday for cruelly beating his wife. This is his second arrest for the same offense in two weeks.