

The D. D. and B. Institution.

STAUNTON, Va., April 16.—The Board of Visitors of the Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institution met here yesterday.

R. E. R. Nelson was re-elected clerk for one year from April 15, 1896.

General Hundley offered the following: "Application having been made by a reporter for admission to this board, any reporter of any newspaper who desires to be present at this meeting of the board has leave to do so." Amended by Mr. Mushbach: "Provided that such reporter or correspondent agrees to make a verbatim report of all that may be said or done at this meeting." The amendment was lost, Stubbs, Maupin, Turk, Hundley, Massey, and Edmondson voting no, Mushbach "aye." Upon General Hundley's motion, Turk, Hundley, Massey and Edmondson voted aye, Stubbs, Maupin and Mushbach no.

Messrs. Mushbach and Maupin entered dissent to the Hundley resolution, for the reason that "it is proper to have the chairman give out the proceedings after adjournment."

The salaries of the various positions were fixed and the positions to be filled are as follows: Superintendent (Doyle's place), \$1,200; high class teacher and first and second classes \$750 each; teacher sixth and seventh classes, \$750; blind department—first class, \$1,000; second, \$600 and board; third, \$500 and board; fourth, \$300 and board; monitor, \$200 and board; governess, \$400 and board; musical director, \$1,000; matron, \$400 and board; physician, \$300; clerk, \$500. All applications for any of the above positions to be filled on or before the 1st day of June, 1896, with R. E. R. Nelson, the secretary of the Board of Visitors of the Institution for the Deaf, Dumb and Blind at Staunton, election to be held June 5, 1896.

At the meeting of the board of directors of the Virginia Association of the Deaf in Richmond on Saturday James H. Lindsay, of Charlottesville, was recommended for superintendent of the institution at Staunton, and resolutions were passed thanking Hon. B. I. Winston, of Hanover, for his efforts to secure a separate school for the blind, and deploring the publicity into which the institution was brought by the Randolph charges. President W. E. Ritter, of Staunton, presided at the meeting. In answer to questions he said: "If the board of visitors of the institution dares to re-elect Captain Doyle in the face of this strong public opinion, we, at our next State convention, which always meets the summer before the Legislature convenes, will take charge of the matter and demand another investigation. I am sure the board entertains no idea of re-electing Captain Doyle."