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SOCIETY

Society has all but concluded its affairs in town for the summer, and bled away for the next two months to many places of interest out of the city. With a small spring season and little or nothing of social interest to chronicle during the month of July, Richmond, so far as entertaining is concerned, is converted into long, dusty stretches of deserted streets for the months of July and August. Town houses are closed and the various clubs, both in and out of town, form the meeting place in the afternoon and evening for the stay-at-homes. There are informal dances each week at the clubs and little dinners and congenial parties are all that go to make the social calendar a fact, instead of the real myth that it is.

mond until the latter part of August. Summer in New England. Those booked for the New England coast last week were quite a large contingent from Richmond, among whom were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Harris and Miss Harris. Mrs. Pickett Lathrop, Mrs. George Winch, Eleanor Parrish, Miss Miller, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Williams, Dr. and Mrs. Morris Hawes and others. Quite a number of young people are camping in New England for the summer. Charles Skinner Valentine, Hiram T. Gates, and Talbot Young left Richmond last week for Camp Kaho-goon-wah, East Sebago, Me. Another crowd of Richmond boys are at "Camp Greenbrier," W. Va., among whom are James Moncur, John Gray, Sol. Cutchins, Clay Crenshaw, Turner Arrington, Jr., Godwin Jones, Deane Parrish, Dabney Crenshaw, I. Diggs and others. At Bon Air. A number of Richmond people are spending the heated term at the Bon Air Inn, Bon Air. All sorts of informal affairs are given each week for the guests, and some of those who have recently registered there are: Mr. and Mrs. John Tyler, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ambler Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bowe, Mrs. Charles Hall, Mrs. William Shepherd, Cary S. Shepherd, Mrs. Frederickson, Miss Chipley, Miss Hobson, Mrs. Wasserman, Miss Wasserman, Mr. and Mrs. Fitzwilson, the Misses Fitzwilson, Mrs. C. Cowan, Dr. and Mrs. Greer Baughman, Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Enright, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Marshall, Vernon Wells, Dr. and Mrs. Street, Miss Margaret Calmes and S. Monroe Grayson. A phantom ball was given at the pavilion on Friday evening. The couples dancing were draped in sheets and masked, and at 10 o'clock a big cake walk was featured. A great many guests were in attendance. The club now has over seventy members with a great many outsiders who meet every Friday evening at the pavilion. In the North. Miss Martha Lee Stevenson left Saturday for Baltimore, Washington and New York, where she will spend the remainder of the season visiting relatives and friends. Several beach parties and house parties have been arranged in honor of Miss Stevenson during her stay in the North. After spending some time in Atlantic City, Miss Adele Turman has returned to New York. Miss Turman will shortly visit her father, Dr. A. E. Turman, in this city, and at the home of Dr. Barrett, in Goodland County. Return to Norfolk. Mrs. W. J. Hudgins and her small son have returned to their home in Norfolk, after a visit to Mrs. Hudgins's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Reinhardt, in this city. Miss Anna E. Nugent accompanied Mrs. Hudgins and her son. Charity Festival. The Girls' Social Service Club, of Ginter Park, will give an ice cream festival on Tuesday, from 5 to 8 o'clock at the home of Miss Nell Sutton, 745 Seminary Avenue. These affairs are weekly events during the summer months, and have very attractive charity functions. The lawn will be decorated in many colored lanterns, and refreshments will be served at small tables. The public is invited. Miss Jones's Marriage. A pretty home wedding took place Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock in the home of the bride's parents, 1415 Porter Street, South Richmond, when Miss Louise Ella Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Jones, was married to Everett E. Greenstreet, of Newport News, by Rev. E. W. Long, of Cornwall Avenue Christian Church, officiating. The house was decorated throughout in palms, ferns and quantities of roses, and the improvised altar was arranged with lighted candles, vines and white flowers. Wagner's bridal march was played as the bride entered, and during the ceremony "I Promise Me" was softly rendered. The bride descended the stairway with her father, who gave her away in a trimmed gown of soft ivory satin trimmed in imported lace and pearls, and she carried a shower bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Sallie Jones was her sister's maid of honor, and she wore a gown of pink crepe de chine and tulle, and carried an armful of pale pink carnations. There were four bridesmaids. Two of them—Misses Olive Eggleston and Eula Ellis—were dressed in white crepe de chine frocks, and carried white carnations, and the other two—Misses Edna Jones and Rosebud Flynn—had on similar dresses of pale blue crepe de chine and carried bouquets of pink was the flower girl, and the ring was carried by Miss Thelma Carsons. An aisle was formed for the bridal party by ribbons held by Misses Helen Sims and Edith Roach. Rudolph Greenstreet acted as best man to the groom, and the groomsmen included Fred Dunkel, Oscar Hobson, Raymond Ellis and Melvin Martin. Following the ceremony an informal reception took place, and later Mr. and Mrs. Greenstreet left for a honeymoon in the North. On their return they will be at home in Newport News. At Ocean View. Among those registered at the Diggs Cottage, Ocean View, the past week were F. W. Park, Southampton, Conn.; Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Fechter, Jack Fechter, Philadelphia; Mrs. C. E. Liphart, Columbia; Mrs. K. W. Rodwell, Swift Rodwell; Miss Mabel Swift, Miss Little G. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Burns, L. H. Bower, J. H. Bower, W. McLane, Miss Margaret Ewig, Miss Louise Ewig, A. R. Lane, Miss M. L. Fritchard, Miss E. E. Whitehorse, C. F. Gundlach, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hopkins, Mrs. George Duke, R. J. Frank, H. E. Lohmann, C. A. Newell, L. A. Willie, D. N. Jones, J. M. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Liphart, all of Richmond. Attractive House Party. One of the most charming house parties entertained over the Fourth of July was that given during the past week by Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Leigh, Jr., at their summer home, "Piedmont," in Orange County, for a party of Richmond friends. Among their guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Leary, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Steele, Mrs. E. O. McCabe and Libbun T. Myers. Mr. and Mrs. Leigh will give a number of attractive house parties during their stay in the Virginia mountains. Leaving Town. Miss Irwin and Mrs. Irwin Murphy left Thursday for a tour of the West. They will stop in Buffalo for two weeks as guests of friends, who will accompany them on their journey to the California exhibitions. Among the Richmonders who have recently gone to Atlantic City to spend some time are: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ripley and little Raleigh Ripley. Later in the summer they will leave for an extended stay on the New England

Visiting Friends. Miss Blanche Fore, of 1213 West Franklin Street, left last week to spend some time at Wrightsville Beach and Wilmington, N. C. Mrs. T. A. Fore will leave Monday for a short visit to Mrs. C. M. Phillips, of Boynton.

July Wedding. A pretty July wedding was solemnized Wednesday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William I. Wilkinson, of Altavista, when their daughter, Lucy Meadows, became the bride of Chester Nelson Cumcock, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Cumcock, of Altavista. The ceremony was performed at high noon by Rev. A. M. Padgett, pastor of the First Baptist Church. The wedding party consisted of the bride's sister, Miss Mattie Wilkinson, accompanied on the violin by Rev. Edward LaVergne, who also rendered a program while the guests were arriving. The upper floor of the home was artistically decorated. In the drawing room, where the marriage occurred, a color scheme of pink, white and green was carried out. The mantel was arranged with baskets of white roses, sweetpeas and ferns. The ceremony took place before an improvised altar of palms and Cathedral candles. The hall was decorated with palms and ferns, and the stairway was entwined with garlands of Southern smilax. In the drawing room the mantel was bantered with red roses and ferns, and the centerpiece for the table was a basket of red roses and ferns. The bride, who entered the room with her father, wore a stylish traveling suit of blue gabardine serge, and a hat of black velvet with white trimmings. She carried a bouquet of sweetpeas and roses. The ringbearer, little Miss Arabella Fauntleroy Magill, of Lynchburg, who wore a frock of white French batiste, hand-embroidered, and pink ribbons, was attended by Raymond Wilkinson, of Richmond. John L. Cumcock, brother of the groom, was best man.

Immediately after the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Cumcock left for an extended Northern tour, and after August 1 will be at home, at Altavista. Among the guests from a distance attending the wedding were Mrs. J. G. Miller, of Chesapeake; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilkin-son and their son, Raymond, of Richmond; Miss Sara Loving and Miss Arabella Magill, of Lynchburg; M. A. Wilkinson, of Winston-Salem, N. C., and Miss Queen Perrow, of Leesville.

Mr. and Mrs. George Edward Cassel, of East Radford, announce the engagement of their daughter, Lucile Campbell, to James Quee Taylor, son of Charles A. Taylor, of Ginter Park, Richmond.

The wedding will be a very quiet affair, and will take place in the early fall at "Casselton," the home of the bride's parents on the New River.

Miss Cassel is a sister of Mrs. Vincent Adamson, of this city, and has frequently visited in Richmond, where she has been much entertained.

On Western Trip. Mr. Isaac Diggs is leaving this week to accompany their son, Isaac Diggs, Jr., on the Kappa Sigma special train to the Panama-Pacific Exposition. Mr. Diggs is representing the local chapter of his fraternity, and his college at the celebration of Kappa Sigma day at the exposition July 21, where elaborate preparations are being made for the reception of the delegates from the various colleges. A number of other local prominent Kappa Sigmas will make this trip in company with this party, and returning they will spend some time touring Canada.

The Kappa Sigma Fraternity has the largest number of chapters of any college fraternity in the United States, being represented in almost every university of note in America.

Going West. W. P. Rudd, Miss Nannie Vaden and Miss Katherine Taylor, of Chesterfield, expect to leave Richmond on July 22 for a trip to the Panama-Pacific Exposition. Mr. Rudd and his party will visit places of interest en route for California, and will not return to Rich-

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Shown in smart English mixtures, linen, gabardine and silk; full and three-quarter lengths; an exceptionally large and attractive variety of this season's best models to select from.

White Chinchilla Coats

In sport models, with silk braid trimming; an unusually attractive value at \$12.50.

A New Shipment of Voile and Organdie Blouses

Effectively trimmed in cream shadow lace and dainty embroidery; \$2.48 and \$2.98 values for \$1.98.

Georgette Blouse, in flesh, white and ecru trimming, new models, at \$2.98.

Palm Beach and Cream Serge Suits a Third Under Regular Selling Price

\$7.50 and \$8.50 Palm Beach Suits, now \$5.00.

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\$15.00 and \$17.50 Novelty Palm Beach and Linen Suits, in plain and colors; now \$10.

\$25.00 Cream Serge Suits, in sport styles, now \$17.50.

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Several smart models in navy and black taffetas; values up to \$18.50, for \$15.00.

White Crepe de Chine Dresses, with three section plaited flounce, \$20.00 value, for \$17.50.

New Georgette Dresses, in white, with taffeta combination at \$25.00.

Excellent Street Taffeta Dresses, in navy and black, at \$20.00 and \$25.00.

White Georgette Crepe Dresses, with deep tucks, in skirt tailored styles, at \$30.00.

Announcement The 1st of January We Inaugurated Our "Buy Your Towels by the Dozen" Policy

The Results Were Lower Prices to the Customer and Increased Sales for the Department.

In Recognition of the Six Months' Success of This Policy We Feature the Following Two Unusually Attractive COMBINATION OFFERS:

23x49 Largest and heaviest 25c Turkish Towels, 12 Combination at 25c, \$3, and 12 cakes Ivory Soap, 60c. Total \$3.60. Offer . . . \$3

Six Half Linen 20c Huck Towels, \$1.20; 6 Heavy 20c Turkish Towels, \$1.20. Total \$2.40. Offer . . . \$2

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Desirable Huck Towels, doz. . . 60c 18x30 Huck Towels, doz. . . \$1.25 21x44 Huck Towels, doz. . . \$1.39 Half Linen Towels, doz. . . \$1.44 18x36 Colored Stripe Turkish Towels, \$1.20 dozen.

19x39 Heavy Turkish Towels, \$1.33 dozen. 19x39 Colored and Fancy Turkish Towels, \$3.00 dozen. 19x39 Bull Dog Towel; regular bath sheet, \$6.00 dozen.

Sale of Extra Size Rugs \$6 Bordered Grass Rugs, \$3.98

These Grass Rugs measure full 6 feet wide and 12 feet long; attractive green border, edges well bound. This is an unusual offering. Regular price \$6.00; reduced price \$3.98.

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\$1.50 Hammock, reduced to . 98c \$2.00 Hammock, reduced to \$1.48 \$2.50 Hammock, reduced to \$1.98 \$6.00 Hammock, reduced to \$4.00 \$7.00 Hammock, reduced to \$4.50 \$8.00 Hammock, reduced to \$5.50 \$10 Hammock, reduced to \$6.50

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Comprise the latest in corsetry. The medium high bust, slight incurve at waist, straight front and flat back; materials and bonings guaranteed; workmanship of the best. Our stock is complete in models and sizes for each individual figure, slender, medium and stout, either in back lace or laced in front. Prices for back laced models, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$3.00 and \$5.00. Laced in front models, \$2.00, \$3.00 and \$5.00. Some fine Brooches included. Let our Corsetiers fit you in an R. & G. Corset and procure corset comfort.

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Clearance Sale of all Children's and Juniors' Dresses

6 to 16 Year Sizes.

Materials—French gingham, chambray, pique, linene, lace cloth, crepon, French and Ramie linen. Dresses that sold for \$1.50 to \$1.98; Clearance Sale price, 98c.

\$2.50 and \$3.50 Dresses Clearance Sale Price, \$1.50

\$4.00 and \$5.00 Dresses Clearance Sale Price, \$2.50

\$6.00 and \$7.00 Dresses Clearance Sale Price, \$3.50

\$8.00 and \$12.50 Dresses Clearance Sale Price, \$5.00

In Our Bedding Dept We Offer Six Special Values for Monday and Tuesday

81x90-inch Durable Sheets, specially priced at 59c. Full size Bolster Cases, 35c values, 21c. Mohawk Bolster, full size and long wearing, 33c. Large 11-4 Fringed Quilts, with cut corners; this is an exceptional value at \$1.50. Large 11-4 Plain White Quilts, heavy quality and an unusual value, at 85c. 72x90-inch Good, Long-Wearing Sheets, 50c value, 31c. 42x36-inch Pillow Cases, heavy quality, 12 1/2c value, 9c. Good, Durable Hemstitched and Plain Pillow Cases, 12 1/2c.

Another Fine Offering of Men's Wear

Men's \$2.50 and \$2.00 Fine Madras Pajamas, special \$1.15. \$1.00 Fine Check Muslin Roxford Union Suits, 50c. \$1.50 Soft Madras Shirts, with French cuffs, 89c. \$1.50 and \$2.00 Soft Madras Shirts, all new and wanted patterns. Special, \$1.15. \$1.00 Crepe Shirts, in plain pink, tan, lavender, gray and white. Special, 60c. Men's 25c Tubular Wash Ties, woven in one piece, no lining; sale price, 17c. Men's 75c Nainsook Night Robes, cool and durable; sale price, 50c. \$1.00 Eton Working Shirts, with attached collars; sale price, 55c. Men's Hole Proof Guaranteed Sox; 6 Warranted to wear 6 months.