

WOMEN'S ORGANIZATIONS PLAN AID AND LOAN DRIVE

Seventy-Five Representatives Attend Meeting and Enthusiastically Promise Help.

TO CONDUCT TWELVE BOOTHS

Will Sell Subscription Books for Bonds—Mrs. Robert G. Cabell, Chairman, Announces Location of Sales Points.

More than seventy-five representatives of the leading women's organizations of Richmond displayed great enthusiasm yesterday in the part they are to play in making the Victory Loan drive a complete success here.

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Hotels—Jefferson, Richmond, Murphree and department stores—Miller & Rhoads, Thalhimer's, Cohen's, Fourgreen & Temple and J. B. Mosby & Co.

Open air—Seventh and Broad Streets, Second and Broad Streets, postoffice and Fifth and Hull Streets.

Feature Committee Meets. Before the departure of the air circus yesterday morning the executive committee of the Victory Loan drive met at the headquarters of the committee.

COMMITTEE WILL FINISH CITY BUDGET THIS WEEK

Chairman Grady Says Entire Proposition Has Been Simplified, Another Session Tonight.

Chairman Grady of the Committee on Finance of the City Council met last night that he felt sure that the committee would complete its work on the budget this week.

Walker is Acquitted

Newport News Man Cleared of Charge of Defrauding Government.

Harmon Walker, prominent Newport News business man, was acquitted yesterday in the United States District Court of making false claims against the United States government.

SKIP-STOP DOOMED

Aldermen Pass Repeal Measure, and Ordinance Now Awaits Mayor's Signature.

The skip-stop system on the street railway lines of Richmond will soon be simply a part of the local history.

URGES TOP SPEED

Chairman of War Loan Organization Warns Against Over-Confidence.

A warning to guard against over-confidence and to keep working at top speed until the Liberty Loan has gone to the top was sounded by Edward W. Robertson, chairman of the war loan organization of the Fifth Federal Reserve district, at a meeting of the club yesterday noon.

Charge Theft of Clothing.

Robert Williams, colored, who gave a check for \$250 for a suit of clothing charged with the theft of a suit of clothing from Albert Cross.

Richmond Events in Paragraph Form

Current Local News Told Briefly for Benefit of Busy Readers.

Evangelistic services are in progress at the First Baptist Church, where the pastor, Rev. H. D. C. Macchian, D. D., is preaching his night at 8:15.

Richmond Tent No. 4, Knights of Marcus, held a meeting at the home of Mrs. J. J. Wicker, D. D., pastor of Leigh Street Baptist Church, last evening.

Judge William F. Rhea, chairman of the Virginia Commission on the Administration of the Courts, has issued a call to members of the commission to meet in Washington tomorrow morning.

Dr. E. C. Caldwell, of Union Theological Seminary, who has been ill for several weeks, has almost entirely recovered, and will leave for a trip to Spray, N. C., Dr. Caldwell has spent the last several weeks in the mountains.

Richardson Lodge, No. 45, Benevolent Protective Order of Elks, will install its newly elected officers, headed by Exalted Ruler Frank Epper, tonight.

George Oliver, a business man, brings to Richmond the season's first fish boat. On Tuesday he will bring to Richmond one hundred and thirty-three and three-quarter bushels of fish.

Next Monday will be visitors' day at the Afro-American Old Folks' Home. Officers of the institution listed yesterday that the home was much in need of funds to carry on its work.

TALKS ON SOCIAL HYGIENE

Dr. Anna von Sholly, Attired in Service Uniform, Makes Address to Local Suffragists.

Introduced by Mrs. Charles G. Boshart as the living reality of one of her dreams for the achievements of women, Dr. Anna von Sholly, attired in service uniform, made an address to the local suffragists yesterday afternoon.

CRUTCHFIELD FACES SLIM DOCKET IN POLICE COURT

Dismisses Five of Thirteen Cases and Continues Four Others—Bottó Not Held.

Justice Crutchfield faced a slim docket yesterday in Police Court. He dismissed five of thirteen cases and continued four others.

UNVEIL MEMORIAL TABLET

Church Hill Medical Society Honors Memory of Dr. T. Naah Broadus.

A memorial tablet to Dr. T. Naah Broadus, who died during the influenza epidemic here last fall, centered by the Church Hill Medical Society, of which he was a member, was unveiled at the Sheltering Arms Hospital yesterday.

ARREST NORTON AT AKRON

Held for Passing Worthless Check in Payment for Automobile Here. Smith Goes for Him.

Charged with passing a check here for \$1,500, which was found to be worthless, R. T. Norton was arrested yesterday in Akron, Ohio.

Pinetown Carnival Men.

Sam Egan, Robb Davis and H. Berkheimer members of a carnival company starting in front of the F. M. C. A. when last seen by the owner.

TELLS NURSES OF CARE OF CRIPPLED CHILDREN

Dr. W. T. Graham Talks to I. N. A. on Development of Clinic.

TAG DAY GIVES NEEDED AID

Association's Report Shows 535 Patients Cared for and 3,315 Visits Made During the Past Month.

The regular monthly meeting of the board of the Instructive Visiting Nurse Association yesterday at the nurses' home, 223 South Cherry Street, was featured by a talk by Dr. W. T. Graham on the development of the crippled children's clinic.

The crippled children's clinic had its inception in the Instructive Visiting Nurse Association, which started the clinic with a few patients in the basement of Dr. Graham's house on East Franklin Street.

The report of routine work showed that 535 patients were cared for on the clinic last month, to which 3,315 visits were paid, an average of more than six visits per patient.

The social service nurse at the dispensary reports that 109 cases were referred to her during the month, of whom nine were referred to the Instructive Visiting Nurse Association.

WILSON ARBITER OF DISPUTE

Believed to Favor Jugoslav Claim to Fiume, but at Same Time Protecting Italy.

PARIS, April 15.—President Wilson is now practically the arbitrator of the Fiume dispute.

COLORED CITIZENS PLAN WELCOME FOR SOLDIERS

Committee Is Named to Make Arrangements and Raise Needed Funds.

Colored people of Richmond will stage an elaborate welcome to the negro boys who fought in the war with Germany when they return to the port of peace.

SCOTT IS ACQUITTED

Charged Making Assault With Intent to Kill Three Are Fined for Liquor Law Violations.

Charles Scott, charged with making an assault with intent to kill T. J. Maxey and J. W. Cole, was acquitted in the Hustings Court yesterday.

GOVERNOR SPEAKS AT SUSSEX

Davis and Highway Commissioner Coleman Deliver Addresses on Good Roads.

GOVERNOR WESTMORELAND DAVIS AND STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSIONER GEORGE P. COLEMAN addressed yesterday meeting at Sussex Courthouse, held under the auspices of the Sussex County Good Roads Association.

THE VALENTINE MUSEUM

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Tithing Chief Idea of Centenary Drive

Delegates Hear Two Interesting Addresses at Get-Together Meeting.

More than 200 laymen from the forty Methodist churches of Richmond and immediate vicinity, which comprise the centenary district in the "get-together" meeting, were present by invitation last night at the Broad Street Methodist Church in a get-together meeting.

The meeting was featured by inspirational addresses by Dr. R. L. Bennett, secretary of the correspondence school in Emory University, Atlanta, and Bishop W. P. McHenry, in charge of the Methodist activities in Japan, Korea and China.

The centenary drive will start May 15, and will continue until several days. In that short period of time the district, which includes among the 200 churches 325,000.

HEALTH OFFICERS MEET; MAY FORM STATE SOCIETY

Discuss Question of City Allowances For Traveling Expenses, Norfolk Parkes Automobiles.

Twenty Virginia members of the American Public Health Association, pursuant to a call issued by Director of Public Welfare Levy, met at Ruckel's Hotel yesterday afternoon to discuss plans for forming a State health society and for increasing the Virginia membership of the national association.

CHILDREN AT SERVICE

Several Hundred From Various Kindergartens Attend St. Paul's Church.

Several hundred kindergarten children from the various public school kindergartens of Richmond and a number of the private ones as well, with their instructors, attended the annual service at St. Paul's yesterday morning in a body.

GRANT ASHLAND CHARTER

Papers of Incorporation of New Trolley Company Issued Yesterday by Commission.

The State Corporation Commission granted yesterday a charter to the Richmond-Ashland Trolley Company, an electric line connecting this city with the town of Ashland, in Hanover County.

UNITARIAN QUESTION BOX

The Right Aim.

It should be our aim in religion not so much to "save" souls as to make souls worth the saving; not so much to look for a future heaven, as to help establish heaven here.

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M'GUIRE CALLS SESSION OF RICHMOND FIGHTERS

First Meeting of City's Veterans Eligible to American Legion Held Tonight.

LARGE ATTENDANCE IS ASKED

Delegates Will Be Named to Attend Caucus the Organization Will Hold at St. Louis in May to Perfect Plans.

Lieutenant-Colonel Stuart McGuire issued a call yesterday for all men eligible to membership in the American Legion to assemble tonight at 8:30 o'clock in the auditorium of the John Marshall High School for the purpose of electing delegates to the caucus of the organization, to be held in St. Louis on May 8, 9 and 10.

Membership in the legion is open to all officers and men of the United States Army, Navy and Marine Corps who performed honorable service during the period that America was engaged in the world war.

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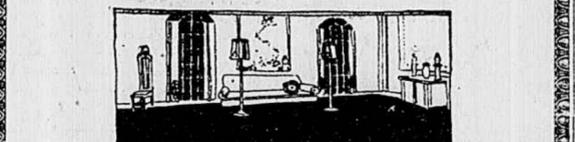
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Easter Violets Leave your order for Easter Violets—fresh, double violets—at the Toilet Goods Counter.

Doubtless You Have Heard of—Klearflax LINEN RUGS



—but we want you to come in and let us show them. They are the only linen rugs; they have all of linen's charm and all of linen's durability that makes them outwear any other kind of rug.

The price of Klearflax Linen Rugs brings them within reach of all, yet their appearance, their sturdy qualities, the fact that they are moth-proof, sanitary, reversible, easily cleaned and distinctive, is placing them in the homes of those Richmond home-keepers who consider these things even before asking the price.

See the Klearflax Window Exhibit on Sixth Street—interesting as well as educational.

Visit the Rug Department also and meet Mr. J. H. Bennett, factory representative who will tell you more about the superior qualities of Klearflax Rugs.

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ACADEMY SATURDAY Matinee and Night. RETURN OF THE SEASON'S HIT FLO FLO And Her Perfect "30" Chorus PRICES—Matinee, 25c to \$1.50; Night, 50c to \$2.00.

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