

# HAMPTON, PHOEBUS AND OLD POINT.

## SIX DIVORCES ARE ALLOWED

Judge Blackstone Separates Unhappily Mated Persons in Rapid Time.

### MANY MORE ON THE DOCKET

Decrees Are Granted to Both Men and Women—Payne Case is Expected to Come Up Soon, Yet Date Has Not Been Decided Upon—Pair Were Married in Milwaukee.

Six decrees of absolute divorce were granted in the Circuit Court by Judge John W. G. Blackstone yesterday, making a total of eight couples that the court has given "liberty" to since convening last Tuesday.

Those who secured the divorces yesterday were:

- Andrew Todd from Mrs. Mary Virginia Todd.
- Mrs. Minnie Walker from William D. Walker.
- Mary A. Banks from Alexander D. Banks.
- Henry Ballard from Lizzie K. Ballard.
- William Banks from Eliza Banks.
- Annie Jordan from Aaron Jordan.

### BUSINESS OF CIRCUIT COURT.

John Boyd Fined for Failure to Secure Barber Shop License.

John Boyd, colored, who conducts a barber shop in Phoebus, was fined \$10 and costs yesterday in the Circuit Court for failure to secure a license for the conduct of his business. The cost with the fine will reach about \$27.50, while the license would have been only \$5. Boyd was not in court when the decision was rendered and a capias was issued for his apprehension.

In the case of John White, who was indicted for failure to take out a highway and transfer license, Judge Blackstone entered an order of \$30, but when White promised to pay the costs of the case and take out the license the court remitted the fine.

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## CHARLES HOPKINS CAUGHT IN NORFOLK

### Arrested on the Charge of Deserting His Young Wife of a Few Days.

### PRISONER IN HAMPTON JAIL.

He Married Miss Alice Wood and is Accused of Abandoning Her Immediately After the Marriage Ceremony—He Can Get Twelve Months in Prison if Convicted.

Charles Hopkins, the young white man who was indicted at the March term of the Circuit Court for failure to support his wife, was arrested in Norfolk yesterday afternoon upon a capias issued by Judge Blackstone.

Deputy Charles C. Curtis went to Norfolk, and with the assistance of a detective there, apprehended young Hopkins. The prisoner was brought to Hampton and committed to jail to await trial before Judge Blackstone today.

Hopkins married Miss Alice Wood and it is claimed that he deserted her immediately after the marriage. Mrs. Wood was the witness before the grand jury and it is expected that she will testify against her recent husband when the case is taken up.

Under an act passed at the last session of the Virginia legislature a man can be sentenced to twelve months in the county jail for failing to support his wife and children.

### PERSONALS AND BRIEFS.

The Coming and Going of the People You Know.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Harold and Mrs. George Schermerhorn returned yesterday from a visit of several weeks to friends in Pennsylvania and New York City.

Mr. Selator Blackstone will start Monday for Georgetown, S. C., where he has accepted the position of vice-principal at the schools of that city.

Captain J. J. Darden, the pilot, who has been ill in the Newport News general hospital, is improved in health.

Miss Sallie Lee, the daughter of former Councilman and Mrs. R. C. Lee, has started for Blackstone, where she will attend the Blackstone Female college this season.

### WEST FINNEGAN IS DEAD.

He Had Been in the Home Hospital for the Past Twenty-Five Years.

West Finnegan, who has been an inmate of the hospital at the National Soldiers' Home since 1879, died in that institution Wednesday night. He was seventy-three years old and during the Civil war served with Company B, Second Maryland Cavalry. Mr. Finnegan was a hopeless patient from the time he entered the hospital and his long existence there was due to the excellent treatment he received. He was an invalid.

Thomas Todd, eighty years old, who served with the Eighth Maryland Infantry, died in the Home hospital yesterday.

Death of Miss Ironmonger. News has been received in Hampton of the death of Miss Maggie Ironmonger, the daughter of Mr. L. M. Ironmonger, which occurred in her home in Grafton, York county, on Tuesday afternoon. Miss Ironmonger was just fifteen years old, and her death was due to "walking" typhoid fever, according to the reports received here.

### DR. PORTER'S ADDRESS.

Large Audience Heard the Newport News Minister Last Night.

A large audience gathered in the West End Memorial Baptist church last night and listened to an interesting address by Rev. J. W. Porter, D. D., pastor of the Newport News Baptist church. Dr. Porter charmed his audience with an account of his recent trip to Europe and the Holyland. Dr. Porter has the distinction of being one of the few American ministers that have preached in the Holyland. His narrative of his visit was both interesting and instructive.

Dr. Porter spoke under the auspices of the Men's Bible class.

Gasoline Stove Exploded. The explosion of a gasoline stove created considerable excitement in the home of Mr. Leroy A. Shields, in Armistead avenue, yesterday morning. The blaze was soon extinguished and the damage was trifling.

Dr. Shield Back. Dr. Frank W. Shield returned last evening from Richmond, where he had been called to attend the funeral services of his sister, Miss Etta Shield.

Janitor Assaulted. George Jefferson, janitor of the Hampton college, was assaulted by a man who was found in the college building. The man escaped.

### WANTED.

WANTED—AT ONCE, A COAT MAKER. Apply to JACOB WILLIAMS, the tailor, West Queen street, Hampton. 9-22-05

## YE "OLDE FOLKES" CONCERT.

To be sung at ye towne hall, called ye armory, ye 26 day of ye month, called September, 1905, of ye towne called Hampton, in ye State of Virginia. Ye Firste Parte Marche while ye "Olde Folkes" find theyre sittings.

1. America will be sung by all ye warblers.
2. Bonnie, Sweet Bessie, by Arabel-la Meeking.
3. Quaker Courtship, by Ruth and Simon.
4. Cousin Jedekiah, sung by all ye cousins and aunts.
5. Grandma's Advice, by Glori and Snugglesby.
6. Ye Old Oaken Bucket, by part of ye menne singers.
7. Blue Alsatian Mountains, sung by Prudence Goodwill.
8. Way Down Upon the Swance River, by Bugler, Jacob Weatherspoon.
9. Flow Gently, Sweet Afton, by all ye Olde Folkes.

At thys tyme we will give ye menne and womenne singers tyme to regayne theyre breath.

### Ye Seconde Parte.

1. Sailing, all ye menne singers.
2. Darby and Joan. (Joan).
3. Silver Threads Among the Gold, Patience Peppermint and all ye warblers.
4. Last Rose of Summer, by Jerusha Primmis.
5. Aunt Dnah's Quilting Party, Zechariah Weatherby and all ye menne and womenne singers.
6. Warrior Bold, Adam Fairfax.
7. Gypsy Countess.
8. Ben Bolt, by Boboliak.
9. Auld Lang Syne, by all ye "Olde Folkes."

### Ye Menne Singers.

- Simon.....Eddie Bush
- Cousin Jedekiah.....W. J. Boone
- Tomist.....Mr. Crocker
- Ezekiel Browning.....Jesse Cunningham
- Kara Stimpkins.....Warren Cunningham
- Jacob Weatherspoon.....C. E. Choyne
- Uncle Sam.....F. Diggs
- Nehemiah Jones.....G. Ellyson
- Azabiah Rountree.....J. M. Hall
- John Pettinall.....C. H. Henkel
- Ebenezer Serrochem.....S. C. Jenkins
- Jeremiah Highsinger.....C. A. Junken
- Ezekiah Hopkins.....J. P. Richardson
- Abraham Smith.....R. R. Richardson
- Adam Fairfax.....G. M. Richter, Jr.
- Zechariah Weatherby.....A. R. Thompson
- Darby.....Dr. Paramore
- George Washington.....Prof. Smithy
- Boboliak.....W. J. Lindsay

### Ye Womenne Singers.

- Prudence Good Will.....Mrs. Capt. W. Scott
- .....Mrs. H. L. Schmelz
- Arabella Meeking.....Mrs. F. C. Reese
- Patience Peppermint.....Mrs. W. F. Burke
- Molly Good Singer.....Mrs. W. F. Owens
- Jerusha Primmis.....Miss Collis Lackey
- Gloriana Snugglesby.....
- .....Miss Grace Cunningham
- Martha Washington.....Miss Maria Peck
- Melissa Ann Trumpet.....
- .....Miss Laura Cunningham
- Faithful Ann Cooper.....
- .....Miss Mamie Wilson
- Samantha Allen.....Miss Mamie Rowe
- Charity Shimmis.....Miss Laura Peck
- Sister Ruth.....Miss Bessie White
- Mira Bella Hopkins.....Miss Nela White
- Jane Wentworth.....Miss Irma Taylor
- Calome Hathaway.....Miss Edna Row
- Priscilla Bobbins.....
- .....Miss Laura Brittingham
- Mercy Brooks.....Elizabeth Wood
- Huldah Downs.....Miss Mable Crone
- Betsy Bobbit.....
- .....Mrs. Clifford Massenburg
- Malvina Perkins.....Mrs. Joe Brinkley
- Polly Prim.....Mrs. W. F. Evans
- Joan.....Mrs. J. H. Haines
- Angelina Trulove.....
- .....Mrs. J. B. Brittingham

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## PREDICTED OWN DEATH IN SEPTEMBER

Mrs. Carolina Moore, Aged Lady of Poquoson, Passed Away at Early Hour Yesterday Morning.

Miss Carolina Moore, eighty-seven years old, widow of Mr. L. P. Moore, former sheriff, treasurer and oyster inspector of York county, died in her home in Poquoson at 2 o'clock yesterday morning. Mrs. Moore was one of most widely known and generally beloved old women in her section.

Her husband held the position of sheriff, treasurer and oyster inspector at one time at the close of the war and was the first white man elected to the triple positions after the reconstruction days. He died many years ago.

A peculiarity in connection with the death of Mrs. Moore is the fact that she predicted that she would pass away in September, which, according to her statement, is the month of deaths in her immediate family. She has been in declining health for some time, but three days ago she was stricken with paralysis.

Mrs. Moore is survived by five children—Mrs. Lena Riggins, Mrs. Carrie Lawson, Miss M. S. Moore, Mrs. Columbia Moore White and Mr. A. J. Moore.

Funeral services will be held from Tabernacle church this morning at 11 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Traynham will conduct the services.

When L. P. Moore was treasurer of York county he was forced to deliver the State's money to the treasurer in Richmond by making the trip on horseback.

Given a Charter. The Virginia Oyster Company has been granted a charter of incorporation by the State Corporation Commission. The officers are Mr. John B. Foster, president and Mr. H. H. Kimberly, secretary and treasurer. The company's office will be in Hampton and the company will engage in the fish and oyster business.

W. C. T. U. to Meet. There will be a meeting of the W. C. T. U. this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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