Evening State Journal.

TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 2, 1872

DAN'S WIFE.

Up in early morning light,
Sweeping, dusting, "setting right,"
Oiling all the household springs,
Sewing buttons, tying strings,
Telling Bridget what to do,
Mending rips in Johnny's shoe,
Running up and down the stair,
Tying baby in his chair,
Cutting meat and spreading bread,
Dishing out so much per head,
Eating as she can, by chance,
Giving husband kindly glance,
Toiling, working, busy life,
"Smart woman,
Dan's wife,"

Dan comes home, at fall of night,
Home so cheerful, neat and bright,
Children meet him at the door,
Pull him in and look him o'er,
Wife asks "how the work has gone?"
"Busy times, with us at home!"
Supper done—Dan reads at ease,
Happy Dan, but one to please;
Children must be put to bed—
All the little prayers are said;
Little shoes are placed in rows,
Bed-clothes tucked o'er little toes,
Busy, noisy, wearing life,
Tired woman,
Dan's wife.

Dan reads on, and falls asleep,
See—the woman, softly creep;
Baby rests at last, poor dear,
Not a word, her heart to cheer:
Mending basket, full to top,
Stockings, shirt, and little frock,
Tired eyes, and weary brain,
Side with darting, ugly pain;
"Never mind, 'twill pass away,"
She must work but never play;
Closed piano, unused books,
Done, the walks to cosy nooks,
Brightness faded out of life,
Saddened woman,
Dan's wife.

Up stairs, tossing to-and-fro,
Fever holds the woman low;
Children wander, free to play,
When and where they will, to-day;
Bridget loiters—dinner's cold,
Dan looks anxious, cross and old;
Household screws are out of place,
Lacking one dear patient face,
Steady hands, so weak but true,
Hands that knew just what to do,
Never knowing rest or play,
Folded now—and laid away;
Work of six, in one short life,
Shattered woman,
Dan's wife —KATE TRUE.

POLITICAL NOTES.

—The Louisville *Commercial* says:—"When the Democratic party meets in national convention and announces its intention to disband as a political organization, it will be time enough for Republicans to quarrel."

—Asks an Indiana journal: "How would it sound for a Democrat to shout 'Hurrah for Davis?'" To which a Republican editor responds: "Prefix 'Jeff' to it, and it would be the most natural sound in the world."

—Senator Pratt has shown, in a speech on the Beaver Lake land bill, how the Democrats of Indiana, during the administration of Gov. Willard, swindled the school children of that state of a million dollars' worth of swamp lands. Democratic endorsement of revenue reform is a good thing.

—The Albany *Evening Journal* mournfully asks, Where are Doolittle, Dixon and Cowan, the three Senators who proposed to build a new party for themselves and Andy Johnson on the ruins of Republicanism? Echo answers "Where?" from Wisconsin, Connecticut and Pennsylvania. The ambitious trio will soon be joined by three more Senators this year, journeying with them toward the land of political oblivion.

—The copperhead New York *World* calls the Democrats who voted to repeal the duties on tea and coffee "blockheads." It is a new problem with the advocates of "tariff for revenue" how to repeal the duties on "the poor man's beverage" without the necessity of increasing the much-decried tax on other articles. Sufficient revenue, free tea and coffee, and a low tariff are somewhat difficult to reconcile.

—Talking of "Presidential Side Show," the Chicago *Republican* remarks that the venerable Chief Justice Chase "comes upon the scene at the eleventh hour, with his old properties of four years ago, and sets up his side show to draw off the few cautious gentlemen who are skulking about the big tent seeking free admission, with the hope of being engaged as actors when the company gets under way."

—The Houston, Texas, *Union*, Governor Davis' newspaper, contains this unique appeal: "In Texas let us quit our local quarrels and bitterness and unite on General Grant. It would make the fortune of Texas if all parties would do this. He will be elected anyhow, and opposition and hostility to the administration will only damage the State. True patriotism is the only sound politics, and both require all men to support the national principles and sentiments. The American nation is for Grant; let us support the nation."

—The Cleveland *Leader* says: "It seems very difficult to satisfy the Democrats with anything Republicans could do in regard to the finances. They don't like bonds, and they object to keeping the gold; they don't like contraction, though some of them insist on specie payments; they inveigh against National banks, and yet declare greenbacks unconstitutional. In one portion or other of their motley party they include every shade of financial heresy, and the only thing they are entirely agreed on is that their party should have the handling of the money."

VIRGINIA NEWS.

—The ladies of the Fredericksburg Baptist church are holding a fair.

—A colored man, named Isaiah Hopper, was run over by a railway train at Norfolk, on Saturday evening, and instantly killed, his body being literally cut in two.

—The Bristol *News* says that so far as its observation extends, there is not left in that vicinity the germ of a single peach, every bud having been killed by the extremely cold weather in December.

—The grand jury of the United States District court, in Lynchburg, on Friday, found true bills against J. H. Trotter, of Pittsylvania; C. A. Pritchett, of Pittsylvania; G. W. Pass, of Roanoke, and Thorpe H. Nance, of Bedford, for violations of the revenue law. The case of Blackwell vs. Armistead, in chancery, involving the ownership of the "Durham" trade-mark, was argued.

The remarkable fatality in the family of the late Mr. C. E. Lloyd, in Leesburg, Va., is creating intense excitement in that neighborhood, suspicion being strongly directed to the widow of Mr. Lloyd, the sole surviving member of the family. The first death was that of an aunt of Mrs. Lloyd, an old lady named Jacobs, that of the husband followed; it was succeeded by that of two boys, who died very suddenly one day last summer, it was said, from eating berries. One little girl died suddenly last month, and the only remaining child, another little girl, died without previous sickness last Saturday week. A coroner's inquest was held upon the last corpse, a *post mortem* examination made, and as it was stated that Mrs. Lloyd had on several occasions bought arsenic from the drug stores in the town the stomach of the child and its contents were taken to Baltimore by Recorder R. M. Bentley, for analysis—the jury awaiting his return before rendering the verdict. Mrs. Lloyd has been informed of the terrible suspicions regarding her, and is lying at her home dangerously ill.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Quotations of Bonds and Stocks by Lancaster & Co., Bankers and Brokers, 1113 Main Street, Richmond, Va.

GOLD—110@110¼.

Virginia Consolidated	58⅝
One-third Certificates	16¾
Virginia Registered Bonds, old, last sales	45
Richmond City Bonds, last sales	81½
Petersburg City Bonds last sales	75
Lynchburg City Bonds, last sales	72¾
First National Bank Stock, last sales	115
National Bank of Virginia Stock, last sales	102½
Planters' National Bank Stock, last sales	100
State Bank of Virginia Stock, last sales	103
R., F. & P. R. R. Stock—common, last sales	61
Do. do. do. guaranteed 6 per cent., last sales	80
Do. do. do. do. 7 do. do.	90
R F & P & R & P C'n R R Stock, last sales	76¾
Richmond & Danville R. R. Stock, last sales	23
Chesapeake and Ohio R R Stock, last sales	32½
Rich'd & Petersburg R. R. Stock, last sales	27½
Clover Hill R. R. Stock, last sales	80
Virginia and Tenn, R. R. Stock, last sales	21
Petersburg & Weldon R. R. Stock, last sales	55
Orange & Alexandria R. R. Stock, last sales	15¾
Virginia State Ins. Co. Stock, last sales	24½
Va Fire and Marine Ins Co. Stock, last sales	26½
Rich'd Banking & Ins. Co. Stock, last sales	24½
R. & D. R. R. mortgaged Bonds, last sales	83
Piedmont R. R. 8 per cent Bonds, last sales	95
V C R R Third mor'd 6 per ct Bds, last sale	87¾
Do. Fourth do. 8 do. do. do	96
Do. non-mortgaged 8 do. do. do	95
R. F. & P. R. R. Bonds, 7 per cent. last sales	90
Do. do. do. 6 do. do	80
R. & P. R. R. Bonds, 7 per cent., last sales	90
Do. 8 do. do. do	95
Clover Hill R R 8 per ct Bonds, last sales	87½
S R R First Preferre'd 8 per ct Bds, last sales	95
Do do Second do guar'd 6 p ct Bds, last sales	75
Do. do. Third do. 6 do. do	70
Nor'lk & Peters'b'g R R Bds, 8p ct last sales	95
Or & Alex R R First mortg'd Bds, last sales	90
Do do do do do Second do do do	82
Do do do do Third do 8 p ct Bds, last sales	96
Do do do do Fourth do 8 do do	85
V & T R R First mor'd 6 p ct Bds, last sales	90
Do do do do Second do 6 do do	80
Do do do do Third do 8 do do	90
Petersb'g & Wel. R R 8 per ct Bds, last sales	96¾
Jas R & K C Co mortgaged Bonds, last sales	66¾

Richmond Prices Current.

JOBBING PRICES. APRIL 2, 1872.

BEESWAX—30 cents per pound.

BEANS—White $2 00a$2 50; colored mixed $1a1.50.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—4a4½c. per pound.

BUTTER—Prime Virginia 32a35c; fair to good 22a25c; common 10@12c.

BRANDY—Apple $2 50a3 00.

CANDLES—Tallow, 13½a14 cents per pound; Adamantine 12 oz., 15½a16 cents; 16 oz., 21 cents.

CORN—White, 69a70c.

COFFEE—Java 31a33c; Rio 23a23½; Lagnayra 24a26c.

CORN MEAL—White, bolted, from mill, 75c; country 68a71.

CHEESE—Northern and Western prime cutting 21c; common 12a13c.

COTTON YARNS—Country yarns Nos. 8 to 12 $1 65.

DRUGS AND DYE-STUFFS—Alum 5c; Copperas, 3c; Madder 16c; Indigo $1.40a1.50; Cochineal $1.25; Extract Logwood 15c; Sal. Soda 3½ca3¾; Bluestone 12½c; super car. soda (American) 6¾c; English 7c.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, fancy sliced, 8a9c; do. quarters 6a7c. Peaches, peeled fancy, 14a16c; do. bright, 12a14c; unpeeled halves, 7¾a7¾c; do. quarters, 6c. Cherries, pitted, 22a25c dry; wet, 12½a15c. Blackberries, 9a10c. Plums, 11a16c. Whortleberries, 8a10c. Pears, 3a4c.

DRESSED HOGS—6a7c.

EGGS—17a18c per dozen, in barrels and boxes; in patent carriers 18c.

FLOUR—Family, 9¾a$10; Superfine, 8a$8¼; Extra, $8¾a9.

FLAXSEED—$1 65@1 75.

FEATHERS—Live geese 60a65c; mixed 40a50c.

FRUITS—Apples, green, 4.00a$6.00 per barrel. Scarce.

FISH—Mackerel, No. 1 bay, in barrels, $12a13½; No. 1 shore, $18a18½; No. 2, mackerel, $11; No. 3, $8¼a8½; No. 1, in kits, $3½; No. 2, $2¼.

Herrings—Split, $5¾; gross, $4½a5 per barrel; North Carolina roe, $3¾ per half-barrel; N. C. clipped, $6½; gross, $5a5¼ per barrel.

FURS—*Muskrat*—Blk. prime spring, 20c; winter, 15c; fall, 13c; kittens, 50c.

Mink—Prime dark, $2.25; No. 2, $1; No. 3, 40c No. 4, 10c.

Raccoon—No. 1 large, 35c; No. 1 medium and small, —; No. 2 large, 20c; No. 2 small, No. 3 good, 10c; No. 4, 5c; very poor, worthless.

Fox (red)—No. 1, 63c; No. 2, 40c; No. 3, 20c; No. 4, 10c.

Fox (grey)—No. 1, 35c; No. 2, 20c; No. 3, 10c.;

Fox (kitt)—50c.

Fox (cross)—$2.50.

Otter—Large cased No. 1, $5; large open No. 1, $4; No. 2, $3; No. 3, $2; No. 4. $1.

Bear—Black large No. 1, $4; black medium No. 1,—; black yearlings,—; black cubs No. 1, —; good No. 2, $2; good No. 3, 63c.

Wild cat—Large cased No. 1, 30c; open No. 1, 25c.

House cat—No. 1, 20c; No. 2, 10c.

Opossum—Large case prime, 13c; good open prime, 10c.

Rabbits—Prime Southern, 2c; poor and pieces, 3 for 1c.

GINSENG—70a75c per pound.

GRINDSTONES—2c per ft; $35 per ton.

GUANO—$75a77 for peruvian, according to quantity.

Preparations—Old Dominion Fertilizer, $60; Gilham's Tobacco Fertilizer, $70; Gilham's Truck do. $70; do. Cotton Fertilizer, $60; Powhatan Raw Bone Super Phosphate, $50; Whann's Super Phosphate, $50; Soluble Pacific, $50; Sea Fowl, $54; English Tobacco Fertilizer, $70; Norfolk Fish, $50; Eureka, $57½; Flour of Bone, $60; Gilham's Peanut Fertilizer, $60.

HAY—Prime Virginia Timothy $1.65a$1 75; good $1.10a$1 25; Northern, $1 75; Clover, $1 30a$1 40.

HIDES—*Wet Salted*—Steers 10a11c; calf skin, $1 75a1 85.

Dry—Country flint 16a19c; salted 14a16½c. The buying rates for green are 6a7c.

IRON—Bar and band, 4¾a5c for common sizes; 5a6c for bands; Norway and Swedes, 6¾a7c.

LIME AND CEMENT—Rockville, Virginia, $1.20a1.40; Rockland, $1.50 by the quantity from wharf; $1.75 by retail from store; Rosendale, $2.30a2.50; Calcined Plaster, $2 50a2.75; James River Cement, $2a2.25.

LEATHER—*Sole*—Hemlock, over weight, 27a28c; middle, 28a31c; light, 26a29c; good damaged, 22a26c. Oak, middle weights, 38a40c.

Calf and Kip Skins—Best French, $1.50a2 25 per pound; French kip, $1.25a1.60 per pound; American calf, $1.25a1.50.

Saddlers'—Best harness, 40a42c; second quality, 38a40c; country, 30a35c.

Finished—Upper (country) 35a50c per pound.

Rough Stock—Skirting, 25a33c per pound; calf skins, 75a90c per pound—scarce and wanted; kip skins, 40a50c; sheep skins, $3a7 per doz.

LUMBER—*Pine*—Virginia and North Carolina joists from $15 to $20 per M; scantling, $14 to $16 per M. Boards—extra lots of clear boards from $16 to $20 per M; merchantable, $13 to $15 per M; Susquehanna, $25 to $45 per M; Albany (white) $65 to $85 per M; flooring (dressed) $25 to $45 per M.

Poplar—Virginia and North Carolina, $15 to $25 per M. Albany (coach) $60 to $70 per M.

Oak—White, $25 to $30 per M. Red, $12 to $20 per M.

Hickory—Virginia, $25 to $45 per M. Albany do., $75 to $80 per M.

Ash—Virginia, $30 to $45 per M; Albany do, $75 to $80 per M.

Walnut—Virginia (common), ⅝ to 1 inch $20 to $35 per M; Northern do., $100 to $125 per M.

MOLASSES AND SYRUPS—White syrup, 60a65c; N. O. molasses, 60a65c; dark standard molasses syrups, 26a28c.

OATS—Baled $1 30a1 50; per bushel, 70c.

ONIONS—75c@$1 per bushel.

POWDER—Sporting $6 50 per keg, $6 by the lot; blasting $4 50 by keg, $4 by the lot; Eagle powder, in flasks $19 50a20 per case of 25 pounds; Treble F. in canisters $14 per case of 25 pounds.

PLOW-CASTINGS—$5 25.

PITCH—5½a$6 per barrel.

PAPER STOCK—Mixed cotton rag 4a4¼c; white 5a5½c; wollen 2a4c; imperfections 2¼a3.

POULTRY—Dressed poultry; turkey 20a22c per pound; chickens, 16a18c per pound; ducks, 20a22c.

POTATOES—Irish, Va., 75a80c. per bushel.

PROVISIONS—Western Shoulders, 6¾a7c; Bone Sides, 7¼a8c; Clear Rib, 8¼a8¾c; Breasts, 9a9½c; Plain Hams, 13½; Sugar-cured, 14a14½c; Canvased, 15½a16; Virginia hog round, 9a9¾. Lard, Country, 9a10c; Baltimore Leaf, in tierces and barrels, 10¾; in half-barrels, 11¼a11¾; in kegs, 12. These are the jobbing prices.

RICE—New, Carolina, 9¼a9¾c.

ROSIN—$3½ for strained; $5¼a6 for No. 1; pale, 6a8?.

SUGAR.—Porto Rico, 10¾a11½c; Cuba, 10a10½c; New Orleans, 10¾a11½c; cut loaf, 14½c; refined crushed and powdered, 13½c.

SEEDS—Clover, $6a6¼; Timothy, 4a4¼; Orchard grass, $2½a2¾—wholesale prices.

SHUCKS—$1 15a1.20.

STRAW—Baled, 50a60c.

TAR—$4 for large barrels; $3¼ for medium.

TURPENTINE—70a75c.

VENISON—Hams, 10a12½c. per pound.

TALLOW—7¼a8c per ℔ in large quantities.

VINEGAR—Northern, 22a28c; Virginia Cider vinegar, 25a30c, and very dull.

WOOL—Washed, free of burrs, 75a80c; unwashed, free of burrs, 45a50c.

Richmond Tobacco Market.

APRIL 2, 1872.

BLACK.

LUGS—Common to good	$6 00a 8 00
LEAF—Common to medium	7 50a 9 50
Good to fine	15 00a12 00

SUN-CURED.

LUGS—Common to medium	7 00a 8 00
LEAF—Common to medium	9 00a12 00
Good to fine—none in market.	

BRIGHT.

LUGS—Common to medium	8 00a10 00
	12 00a15 00
Extra smoking	20 00a25 00
LEAF—Common to med'm wrappers	12 00a20 00
Good to fine	25 00a50 00
Extra	55 00a75 00

OFFICIAL.

LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES PASSED AT THE SECOND SESSION OF THE FORTY-SECOND CONGRESS.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 18.]

AN ACT to authorize the construction of a bridge across the Missouri river at or near St. Joseph, Missouri.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That it shall be lawful for "The St. Joseph Bridge Building Company," a corporation organized for that purpose under the general corporation laws of the State of Missouri, to construct a bridge across the Missouri river at or near Saint Joseph, Missouri, and to lay on and over said bridge railway tracks for the more perfect connection of any and all railways that are now, or which may hereafter be, constructed to the Missouri river at or near Saint Joseph, or to the river on the opposite side of the same, near Saint Joseph; and build, erect, and lay on and over said bridge ways for wagons, vehicles of all kinds, and for the transit of animals, and to provide ways for foot-passengers, and to keep up, maintain, and operate said bridge for the purposes aforesaid; and that when said bridge is constructed, all trains of all railroads terminating at said river, and on the opposite side thereof, at or near Saint Joseph, Missouri, shall be allowed to cross said bridge for reasonable compensation, to be made to the owners of the same, under the limitations and conditions hereafter named. The owners of said bridge may also charge and receive reasonable compensation or tolls for the transit over the said bridge of all wagons, carriages, vehicles, animals, and foot-passengers.

SEC. 2. That any bridge built under the provisions of this act may, at the option of persons, or corporation building the same, be built as a drawbridge, with a pivot or other form of draw, or with unbroken or continuous spans: *Provided*, That if the same shall be made of unbroken, continuous spans, it shall not be of less elevation in any case than fifty feet above extreme high-water mark, as understood at the point of location, to the bottom chord of the bridge, nor shall the spans of said bridge be less than three hundred and fifty feet in length, and the piers of said bridge shall be parallel with the current of the river, and the main span shall be over the main channel of the river, and not less than three hundred feet in length; *And provided also*, That if a bridge shall be built under this act as a drawbridge, the same shall be constructed as a pivot drawbridge, with a draw over the main channel of the river at an accessible and navigable point, and with spans of not less than one hundred and sixty feet in length in the clear on each side of the central or pivot pier of the draw, and the next adjoining spans to the draw shall not be less than two hundred and fifty feet; and said spans shall not be less than thirty feet above low-water mark, and not less than ten feet above extreme high-water mark, measuring to the bottom chord of the bridge, and the piers of said bridge shall be parallel with the current of the river: *And provided also*, That said draw shall be opened promptly, upon reasonable signal, for the passage of boats whose construction shall not be such as to admit of their passage under the permanent spans of said bridge, except when trains are passing over the same, but in no case shall unnecessary delay occur in opening the said draw during or after the passage of trains: *And provided further*, That the corporation building said bridge may, if not unauthorized by the provisions of its charter of incorporation, enter upon the banks of said river, either above or below the point of the location of said bridge, for a distance of seven miles, and erect and maintain break-waters or use such other means as may be necessary to make a channel for said river, and confine the flow of the water to a permanent channel, and to do whatever may be necessary to accomplish said object, but shall not impede or obstruct the navigation of the said river; and all plans for such works or erections upon the banks of the river shall first be submitted to the Secretary of War for his approval.

SEC. 3. That any bridge built under this act, and according to its limitations, shall be a lawful structure, and shall be recognized and known as a post-route, upon which, also, no higher charge shall be made for the transmission over the same of the mails, the troops, and the munitions of war of the United States than the rate per mile paid for their transportation over the railroads or public highways leading to the said bridge.

SEC. 4. That in case of any litigation arising from any obstruction, or alleged obstruction, to the free navigation of the Missouri river, at or near the crossing of said bridge, and caused or alleged to be caused thereby, the cause shall be commenced and tried in the district courts of either judicial districts of Missouri or Kansas in which the said bridge or any portion of such obstruction touches; and the right to alter or amend this act so as to prevent or remove all material obstructions to the navigation of said river by the construction of said bridge is hereby expressly reserved and all such alterations, when required by law, shall be made at the expense of said bridge company; and the plan on which such bridge is intended to be built, and shall be built, shall be first submitted to and approved by the Secretary of War.

SEC. 5. That the Saint Joseph Bridge Building Company, after the passage of this act, shall not have the right to assign the charter which said company now holds by assignment from the Saint Joseph and Denver City Railroad Company, and which was granted to said last-named company by virtue of an act of Congress, approved July fourteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy, to any other company, person or persons; nor shall said bridge building company be permitted, under the said charter so obtained as aforesaid, from the Saint Joseph and Denver City Railroad Company, to construct any other bridge than the one now being constructed at St. Joseph, Missouri.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the Eastern District of Virginia.

In the matter of S. W. Paulett, bankrupt—in bankruptcy.

At Richmond, on the 12th day of March, 1872.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Please to take notice hereby, that a petition has been, to wit: on the 12th day of March, 1872, filed in said District Court by S W. Paulett, of Prince Edward co., in said district, who has been heretofore duly declared bankrupt under the act of Congress entitled "An act to establish a more uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States," approved March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof, from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 27th day of March, 1872, at 10 o'clock A. M., before W. W. Forbes, one of the registers of said court in bankruptcy, at his office in Richmond, in said district, is the time and place assigned for the hearing of the same; when and where you may attend and show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.

You are also hereby notified, that the second and third meetings of the creditors of the said bankrupt will be held at the same time and place.

W. W. FORBES,
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C. E. KING, Deputy Superintendent of the Insurance Department of the State of Missouri, after a thorough personal investigation of the affairs of the Association (Dec. 20, 1871,) says:

"In conclusion, I desire to congratulate the officers and members of the Life Association of America upon its present highly prosperous condition, and upon the high position the company justly occupies among the life assurance organizations of this country.

(Signed) C. E. KING, Deputy Sup't."

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"I do not hesitate to recommend the Life Association of America to the confidence and patronage of the American people in any State of the Union."

The following resolution of the Board of Directors was unanimously adopted March 12, 1872:

"*Resolved*, That the Board of Directors of the Virginia Department Life Association of America cordially endorse the plan and objects of the Association, and recommend it to the confidence and patronage of the people of our State."

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To whom it May Concern:—The undersigned, A. R. Courtney, of Richmond city, Virginia, hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of the estate of R. G. Turner & Co., of Henrico county, in said district, who was, on the 7th day of February, 1872, adjudged a bankrupt on his creditors' petition by the District Court of said district.

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