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LOCAL BRIEFS.

A delightful rain visited this city and section early yesterday morning.

Next Monday, the 26th, will be county court day.

H. L. Lang has a change in his advertisement this week.

The Sunday school of the First Presbyterian church is off on a picnic today at Cave Spring.

Samuel A. Kidd and Miss Fannie E. Fix were married last week at the home of the bride's father near Mt. Tabor.

The schedule of the Chesapeake & Ohio railway has been changed. Consult the new time table in the SPECTATOR.

Rev. A. H. Hamilton, of Steele's Tavern, has been elected a member of the Board of Trustees of Washington and Lee University.

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Governor Tyler has commuted the sentence of one year in the penitentiary given Steve Woods for robbery, to one year in jail.

LOST—Fifty feet of hose taken from the house corner Johnson and Stafford streets. A liberal reward will be paid for return of same to Robert Gains, 418 N. Market street.

The Funsten house on East Main street has been sold to Mrs. Lyman Chalkley for $3,000, and Mrs. Dougherty has sold No. 29 South New street to R. N. Page for the same amount.

Rev. Eustace Ballou, of Danville, Va., a young minister just out of the seminary, has accepted a call to the Presbyterian church at Millboro, Bath county.

J. Baldwin Ranson was appointed a master commissioner by Judge S. H. Letcher at the recent term of the circuit court, to succeed Congressman Quarles, who resigned.

At the Henshaw Memorial church in Baltimore, yesterday, Mrs. Emma G. Beale was united in marriage to Harry Mills, formerly of this city. They will be at home, Bethel Military Academy, after September 13th.

Mr. O. V. Carson, of Augusta county, who taught the Riverside public school so successful last winter, was here several days recently looking after sheep—more especially the lambs.—Bath County Enterprise.

At the residence of Rev. J. M. Wells on Tuesday evening Miss Minnie Bright, who has been with the Mary Baldwin Seminary for some time, was united in marriage to Richard F. Venable, of Bath county. Mr. and Mrs. Venable left yesterday morning for Bath, their future home.

At the closing exercises of the Virginia Female Institute held last week, the teachers and pupils presented to the retiring principal, Mrs. J. E. B. Stuart, a handsome silver tete a tete tea set in token of their regard. Rev. R. C. Jett made the presentation address.

The Epworth League of the Methodist church will give a Sunday school rally June 30th, at 8 p. m. The entertainment will consist principally of music and stereopticon views. All Sunday schools are invited to attend.

Mr. Joseph S. Denny, one of the oldest and best known citizens of Winchester, died on Sunday evening after a protracted illness. He was born in Stephens City, Frederick county. Mr. Denny was an uncle of the Messrs. Denny, of this city; Congressman Denny, of Maryland, and Rev. Collins Denny.

Rev. C. A. Marks, pastor of the First English Evangelical Lutheran church, who has been indisposed for several days, was called to the bedside of his brother, who is seriously ill in Alexandria, Va., last Wednesday.—Richmond Dispatch of last Friday.

Mrs. Darnaby, with her sister, Mrs. McComb and her three interesting children, left Hampton last Tuesday morning on the steamer Pocahontas for Richmond, from which place Mrs. McComb and family proceeded to their home in Augusta county. Mrs. Darnaby will return to Hampton in a few days.—Hampton Monitor.

Miss Becca Brock, who is now residing with her aunt, Mrs. Rebecca Chapman, in Staunton, spent Saturday here with Mrs. Lizzie C. Henkel, and will spend a day or two with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Lowenback, Harrisonburg, before returning to Staunton—Dr. H. H. Henkel and daughter, Miss Hallie, of Staunton, arrived here by private conveyance Friday to visit the doctor's mother, Mrs. Susan Henkel. He and his brother, Dr. C. C. Henkel drove from here Tuesday morning to near Middletown, Va., to visit their sister, Mrs. Charles Heater. The former will return to this place in a few days and go thence to Staunton.—New Market Valley.

PERSONAL.

A. C. Braxton has returned home from a business trip to New York.

James T. Lightner and wife, of Rich Patch, spent last Saturday in this city.

Mrs. Ella Newman is at home again after a pleasant visit to Clifton Forge.

Miss May Miller is visiting relatives in Lynchburg.

State Auditor Morton Marye, of Richmond, was in the city this week.

J. R. Hidy, of Craigsville, was in Staunton a day or two the past week.

E. Leslie Snapp spent last Sunday with friends in Newport News.

Judge A. M. Campbell, of Lewisburg, was in the city this week.

Miss Worley, of Lynchburg, is the guest of Mrs. Robert Gregory.

H. D. Murray, the photographer, spent a day or two of the past week at Blacksburg.

Mrs. Chas. R. McGuffin and children have returned from a pleasant trip to West Virginia.

Prof. J. H. Bader is spending his vacation wiah his family at McGaheysville.

Rev. Job Turner is in the city again, after an extended trip to Texas and points west and north.

R. W. Sandy, of Moscow, this county, has gone to Beaver Dam, Ohio, where he will reside in the future.

Major and Mrs. Jas. H. Dooley have returned to Richmond, after a pleasant visit to Staunton.

Mrs. H. L. Lang and children are at Bridgewater, where they will spend the summer.

Mrs. J. A. Fauver has returned home from Charlottesville, where she and her son have been visiting.

Capt. T. J. Crowder left here Sunday morning for St. Louis to attend the big Elks meeting in that city.

Rev. C. A. Freed and wife, of Middlebrook, were visiting friends in Waynesboro this week.

Misses Carrie and Daisy Todd, of Richmond, are guests of their uncle, John W. Todd, near Staunton.

Profs. Hamer, Ide and Wooddell, of this city, and Hilderbrand of Dayton, left here Tuesday night to attend the music festival in Cincinnati.

Col. R. T. Hubard, the Republican candidate for Congress in this disirict last year, has been appointed supervisor of the census for the district.

Miss Laura Pultz, of Lexington, who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. D. F. Shott, on Sears' Hill, has returned home.

Frank E. Ogilvie, a former resident of this city, and Miss Sayde Hawkins, were married at Corbin, Ky., on the 14th inst.

At Hampden Sidney College, M. F. Pilson, of this city, and R. G. See, of Fort Defiance, took the degree of Bachelor of Arts.

Mrs. M. E. Mish, of Middlebrook, was in the city this week, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. Frank Tannehill, Jr.

Miss Mabel C. Webster, of Philadelphia, who has been visiting the family of City Attorney A. C. Gordon, has returned home.

Lieutenant Governor Edward Echols was in Fredericksburg this week where he represented the Commonwealth at the meeting of the Battle Fields Park Association, which met in that city.

R. L. (Bob) Russell, for many years with the Western Union Telegraph Co., in this city, but now of Baltimore, is in the city mingling with his friends.

Mrs. Wm. M. Zirkle and son Clyde, of Atlanta, Ga, arrived here Saturday and will spend several weeks with her husband's parents, C. K. Zirkle and family.

Miss Etta Patterson, of Waynesboro, was elected secretary and treasurer of the Staunton District convention of the Christian Endeavor that was held at Woodstock last week.

Floyd E. Brown, of Valley Mills, left here this week for Kansas City, Mo., to engage in business. He recently graduated from Dunsmore's Business College.

Emmett H. Jordan, of Churchville, expects to go to Johns Hopkins Hospital at an early date for treatment of a complaint that has caused him much worry and suffering for some time.

Miss Mary L. Percy of Lynchburg, one of the teachers at the Virginia School for the Deaf and the Blind, will sail from New York on Saturday for Europe, where she will spend the summer.

Mr. J. E. Sheets, of Roman, was in Staunton on Monday and while here made a pleasant call at the SPECTATOR office. He said his section was in need of rain and that the wheat crop was considerably below the average.

H. X. Morton, of Morganfield, Ky., who graduated at the Dunsmore Business College a few weeks ago with high honors, is still in the city, having decided to take the course of shorthand and typewriting.

Rev. M. L. Wood, pastor of the Staunton Baptist church, has received an invitation from Boston to preach two Sundays this summer. He expects to take the trip and accept the cordial invitation extended him.

Miss Campbell, of Staunton, Va., is the guest of Miss Eliza McDermott—Miss Virginia Patrick has returned from a visit to Washington, Baltimore and Staunton.—Charleston (W. Va.) Gazette.

Mrs. Clarke, mother of John and Miss Sallie Clarke, of Greenville, who was paralyzed some time ago is slowly recovering. She is about 74 years old and this makes her entire recovery doubtful.

Ernest S. Morton, a student at Davidson College, N. C., after a visit here to his uncle, Capt. T. C. Morton, left Monday on a wheeling trip to Washington, going by way of the Valley Pike.

General Jas. A. Walker, ex-Congressman from the Ninth district, visited his brother, the Hon. S. H. Walker, at Mt. Meridian, this week. He was cordially greeted by a number of his friends of former days.

Circuit court adjourned last Saturday after quite a busy session. The next term will be held in the fall.

Andrew Bowling has received a shipment of new wheat from the county and will immediately convert it into flour, thereby breaking the record, the wheat having come in ten days earlier than was ever known.

United States Marshal S. Brown Allen, accompanied by his wife and daughter, Miss Mamie, left Monday for Richmond, where on yesterday they witnessed the marriage of their son, Fred, an account of which appears elsewhere.

Rev. C. S. M. See, of the county, has had the degree of doctor of divinity conferred upon him by the Washington and Lee University. Dr. J. A. Quarles and Prof. Harry Tucker, of Lexington, were instrumental in having the degree thus worthily bestowed.

Invitations have been received here announcing the approaching wedding of Miss Ella Selman, of Powder Springs, Ga., to John A. Alexander, of this city, and a prominent member of the Staunton and Augusta county bar.

During the 30 days ending yesterday the SPECTATOR-VINDICATOR has added one hundred and fifteen new subscribers to its list. This represents a steady and phenominal increase that has been going on for the past twelve months and is exceedingly gratifying to the management of this paper.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Duane Willard, of Washington, have issued invitations to the wedding reception of their daughter, Blanche, and Mr. Thomas Atkinson Blackford to take place on Wednesday evening, the 28th of June, 1899, from eight until ten o'clock, at 230 A. Street, South East. Mr. Blackford is a son of Dr. Blackford, of this city.

Cards have been issued for the marriage of Miss Bettie E. Wilson to Mr. John B. Shaw, of Newport News. The wedding will occur at Lebanon Presbyterian church, Rockbridge county, Va., on Wednesday morning, June 28, at 8:30 o'clock. Mr. Shaw is the assistant manager of the Citizens Telephone system at Newport News and enjoys an extensive acquaintance in this county and city.

Messrs. Harry M. Smith, Jr., and Charles L. Cooke, of Richmond, joined Messrs. Frank Webb, Richard P. Bell, Fitzhugh Elder, J. L. Bumgardner and George Beall, here last Friday and the party left on a fishing excursion to the wilderness depths of Mountain Repose, sixty miles overland, from this city. They are fully equipped for their outing and will be absent two weeks.

Dr. C. C. Wholey arrived in the city last Saturday evening from Charlottesville, where the degree of M. D. was conferred upon him by the University of Virginia. Dr. Wholey will probably return to the University for the session of 1899-1900 as Assistant Demonstrator in Comparative Anatomy, Histology and Pathology; this position having been offered him by the University.

The brickyard on the National pike belonging to the Ben Bagby estate, with about six acres of land was sold at public auction to A. B. Blackburn for $385 last week. The Betsey Bell, belonging to the same estate embracing 40 acres of land was sold to Capt. P. E. Wilson for $185. The storerooms at the corner of Augusta and Frederick street were put up but taken down the bid of $6,600 being considered too low.

Prof. W. C. Morton, who has been teaching school in Suffolk the past session, arrived home Tuesday evening. The Suffolk Herald makes the following mention of Prof. Morton and his school: Suffolk High School No. 1—Prof. W. C. Morton, principal—closed the session of 1898-99 on Wednesday. Professor Morton has proven a splendid educator and a fine disciplinarian, and the Board has shown its wisdom in its choosing. He will very likely return next fall to fill again the same position.

A 3-year-old child of Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Rodgers', of McDowell, Highland county, swallowed a large carpet tack while the mother was house cleaning in May. No inconvenience followed immediately, and the incident was lost sight of for a time. About two weeks ago, however, the little one began to decline, and is now reduced to a mere skeleton. It suffers no pain, and several physicians have examined the case, and failed to locate the trouble or to administer relief.

Mayor James P. Woods, of Roanoke, the Magic City of the Southwest, spent a day or two in Staunton last week, having come here to attend a sale of some property he had advertised in the SPECTATOR. While here he visited many points of interest and was well pleased with what he saw. He is a true and tried Democrat and being of the people and for the people it need not surprise his friends to find him, in a few years, filling the position of congressman from the Sixth district. It is conceded by all the people of Roanoke that he makes a most excellent chief executive.

Miss Hattie Bear, a daughter of Prof. H. A. Bear, who has been a Normal at Gallaudet College, Washington, but who has completed her education under the instruction of Prof. Gallaudet, has been offered a position as teacher at the Hartford, Conn., School for the Deaf, the oldest school for the deaf in America, and she has accepted it. Miss Bear is an attractive young lady, of great intelligence, lovable disposition, and thoroughly familiar with the sign language as she is, she is a most graceful sign maker. The trustees and officers of the Hartford school have fortunately and wisely secured the services of this superior lady. Appreciating her merit and personal qualities, the are heartily to be congratulated.

Captain Sterrett Dead.

Captain Francis F. Sterrett died last Sunday at 7 o'clock p. m., at his home, Irvinwood, near this city. He was born at Churchville on December 30, 1821, and at his death was 78 years old. He served in the Confederate army with distinction and proved himself a good soldier.

At the close of the war he married Miss Mary A. Rounds, of New York, who with three children survive him. The children are: Mrs. James E. Irvine, of Charlottesville, Arthur L. Sterrett, of Jacksonville, Fla., and Miss Frances Sterrett. Captain Sterrett was an old Virginia gentleman and a number one citizen. The funeral took place Tuesday morning at his residence and the interment was in Thornrose cemetery. The services were conducted by Rev. J. E. Booker, pastor of Hebron Presbyterian church of which the deceased was a valuable and consistent member.

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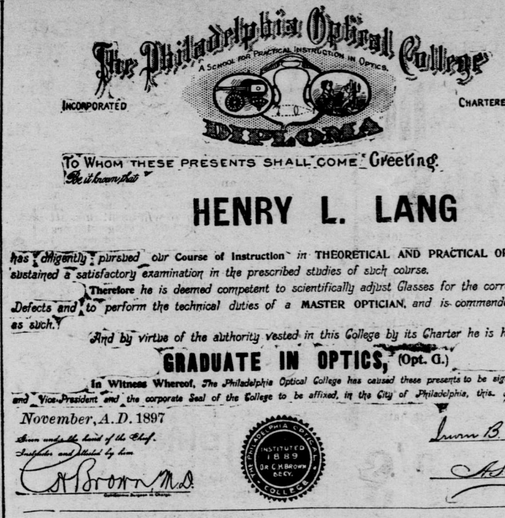
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Governor Tyler's Visit to Staunton.

Governor J. Hoge Tyler spent several days in Staunton last week attending the closing exercises of the Virginia School for the Deaf and the Blind. He also visited the Western State Hospital and on his return to Richmond he told the following to a Dispatch reporter:

The Governor is delighted with his trip to Staunton. "I went there," he said, "to attend the commencement exercises at the School for the Deaf and Blind and to inform myself regarding the working of that school and of the Western State Hospital there.

"I was delighted with what I saw at both institutions," said the Governor. "It was very gratifying to see the admirable management by those in charge of the unfortunates of our State, and it is indeed cause for gratulations to see how patient skill has softened the infirmities suffered by these unfortunates. Children who were born blind, deaf and dumb, and who under ordinary circumstances would be shrouded in mental as well as physical darkness, are having their minds and souls filled with knowledge and joy, and they are enabled not only to receive, but give great pleasure. Many of them are most accomplished musicians. I felt my eyes grow moist as I listened to the touching notes of the blind and witnessed some songs of praise expressed in the sign language by the deaf and dumb. The managers and teachers are admirably suited to their delicate and responsible duties.

"I enjoyed the hospitality of Lieutenant-Governor Echols and Mrs. Echols in their elegant home. Many of the people called, and last night the Stonewall Band gave us a delightful serenade. The visitors and members of the band were entertained by Governor and Mrs. Echols."

The News from Our Exchanges.

Mr. Andrew Hartnagle left today for Harriston, Augusta county, where he will spend some weeks.—Charlottesville Progress.

J. D. Rodgers, Deputy United States Marshal, delivered to Jailor Switzer Wednesday a prisoner of the United States, J. W. Platt alias J. W. Pearson, charged with robbing the postoffice at Radford, Va., in September, 1896. Platt, or Pearson, has eluded arrest for more than two years, and is reputed to be a desperate character and robber. He will be tried before the United States Court at this place.—Harrisonburg Daily News.

Rev. Henry S. Coe and wife, of Waynesboro, are visiting Mrs. Sallie Pitzer Miss Mish and Miss Hogshead, of Augusta county, are the guests of Miss Nettie Waddell. Misses Callie H. Berry and Nannie Crist, of Augusta county, are the guests of Mrs. J. W. McClung. Messrs. A. Loeb and Frank Berry, of Staunton, attended the commencement exercises here. Miss Faulkner, of Martinsburg, W. Va., Miss Jones, of Staunton, and Miss Roberts, of Louisville, Ky., are the guests of Miss Rosa Tucker.—Lexington Gazette.

A Thousand Tongues

Could not express the rapture of Annie E. Springer, of 1125 Howard St., Philadelphia Pa. when she found that Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption had completely cured her of a hacking cough that for many years had made life a burden. All other remedies and doctors could give her no help, but she says of this Royal Cure—"it soon removed the pain in my chest and I can now sleep soundly, something I can scarcely remember doing before. I feel like sounding its praises throughout the Universe." So will every one who tries Dr. King's New Discovery for any trouble of the throat, chest or lungs. Price 50c and $1. Trial bottles free at B. F. Hughes drug store; every bottle guaranteed.

Holler-Young Nuptials.

The Olivet Presbyterian church, on the Waynesboro road, was the scene last Thursday evening of a very pretty marriage, at which time Miss Letitia B. Young was led to the alter by Percy C. Holler and were made husband and wife by the pastor, Rev. R. C. Gilmore. The church was tastefully decorated and was much admired by the congregation of friends present. Miss Lelia Burdette presided at the organ, and Messrs. Carl Shewey and Wm. Young officiated as ushers. Miss Ida Young was maid of honor, and Mr. Daniel Young best man. After the ceremony a reception was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Holler at the home of the father of the bride, Mr. John F. Young. Mr. Holler is a valuable employe of the Bodley Wagon Works.

The Lotts Benefit a Success.

The benefit given in behalf of W. D. Lotts, who is a great sufferer with rheumatism, at Highland Park last Thursday night, together with other contributions, was in every way satisfactory, and resulted as follows:

From R. D. Apperson, m'gr,	$75 00
From King's Daughters,	8 61
From employes Bodley Wagon Works,	13 00
From private citizens, through J. W. Spitler,	4 50
Total,	$101 11

The receipts of the King's Daughters was $26.72. Their expenses were $9.50, leaving net $17.22, half of which was given to Mr. Lotts.

Mrs. Stout Succeeds Prof. Bear.

The Board of Directors of the Virginia School for the Deaf and the Blind, at a meeting held last week, elected the following teachers: Mrs. Kate Stout, heretofore an assistant, to succeed Prof. H. A. Bear, a full teacher.

Miss Eva De Jarnette, of Spottsylvania, was also elected full teacher of the deaf.

Miss Jane Walkup, of Clifton Forge, was elected assistant in the sewing room.

The board will elect a man at an early day to teach articulation and assist Prof Euritt. Supt. Bowles and Mr. Mushbach were appointed a committee to make the selection.

Miss Dowd, who has given great satisfaction in an experimental way for a few months, was elected teacher of cooking.

Prof. Bear, who failed of re election, has been connected with this institution for more than a quarter of a century and has many friends here, who regret to see him leave. He is said to be a proficient teacher and his friends among the deaf mutes regard him as the best teacher ever at the institution.

News Items from Greenville.

Greenville, Va., June 20.—While helping to haul logs near Lofton for the sills of the new Methodist church here last week, Mr. C. W. Fitch, a veteran of the "Stonewall Brigade" had the misfortune to get the small bone of his left leg broken near the ankle. Mr. Fitch and the Rev. Mr. Whitesell were scotching the log as Mr. Roy Hanger was pulling it on the wagon with a horse when the chain by which he was pulling it broke and the log ran back catching Mr. Fitch knocking him down and running up to his waist. He was taken home and under the care of Dr. J. H. Thomas, the Masonic fraternity of which he is a member, and the assistance of kind friends he is doing finely and we hope soon to see him out again.

The Methodist congregation here are making preparations to build a handsome new church. They have nearly all the lumber on the ground and expect to lay the corner stone by the last of July.

The Sunday School children had a delightful picnic at Bethel Saturday and yesterday had children's day there, much to their delight and pleasure.

The Augusta Baptist Association will hold its next annual meeting at the Baptist church here in August next.

Mrs. Clarke, the mother of our esteemed townsman, J. H. Clarke, Esq., who was paralyzed last week is slowly improving.

Miss Kate Stuart is quite sick at the residence of Mrs. John H. Carson, near Mt. Carmel church.

Mr. Lon Fuller, of Swoope, was here last week paying for lumber bought for the Hoskis Lumber Co., Baltimore. Mr. Fuller has been buying here since January last and has given employment to quite a number of men.

Juette Vines, Esq., of this place, has been in your city some days exhibiting a new gas light manufactured at Bridgewater. Mr. Vines is largely interested in the plant.

Rev. H. Joseph Williams, son of Col. H. J. Williams, graduated last week at the Theological Seminary at Richmond, came home on Friday and remained until Monday, when he went to Charleston, W. Va., to accept a call tendered by the congregations of several churches in and about that city.

The extraordinary and unusual sight of harvesting wheat on 15th June, is being witnessed here. The crop is about 50 per cent. of what it was last year.

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident, of which Mr. John Oliver of Philadelphia, was the subject, is narrated by himas follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated pain continually in backand sides, no appetite—gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately, a friend advised trying 'ElectricBitters;' and to my great joy and surprise, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use forthree weeks, and am now a well man. I know they saved my life, and robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50c per bottle at B.F. Hughes' Drug Store.

Early Morning Wedding.

At 6:30 o'clock last Thursday morning, at the residence of her brother, G. H. Steinbock, in this city, Miss Alice G. Steinbock was united in marriage to Mr. Charles H. Cobb, of Highland county. Notwithstanding the early hour the parlor was filled with the friends of the contracting parties to witness the ceremony, which was impressively performed by Rev. Robert Campbell Gilmore, of the Third Presbyterian church. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple left for their future home in Highland.

Allen—Reynolds.

Mr. Frederick F. Allen, a son of Col. S. Brown Allen, of this city, and a well-known and popular druggist of Newport News, and Miss Mary P. Reynolds, of Richmond, were married in that city yesterday at the residence of Mr. George I. Herring on East Grace street. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Allen left for White Sulphur Springs, where they will spend their honeymoon. On their return from the White they will stop off in this city to visit the groom's former home.

Wood's Seeds.

Seed Potatoes
For Planting in June or July.

We have a large quantity of late Seed Potatoes which were put into cold storage early in the season, so as to keep them unsprouted and in first class vigorous condition for late planting in June or July. Heretofore, the principal obstacle to planting late potatoes successfully has been in procuring sound and vigorous stock late enough to plant, so as to insure the maturity of the crop in the cooler rainy season of the fall. We advise our customers to place their orders ahead, otherwise our supply may be exhausted. Shipment can be made at such time as customers are ready to plant.

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Five 6 per cent. Coupon Bonds of the City of Staunton, Va., $1,000 each. Nos. 106, 107, 108, 109 and 110, series S. F. S., No. 2

One 6 per cent. Coupon Bond of the City of Staunton, Va., $500. No. 301, series S. F. S., No. 2.

ARISTA HOGE,
Treasurer of the City of Staunton, Va.
june 8-4ts

Death of a Young Lady.

Miss Eliza Wilkins Bruce Anderson died in this city at 5 o'clock p. m., on Wednesday of last week at the Virginia Female Institute, where she was a student. She was 17 years old. Her remains were shipped to Lexington Thursday morning and the funeral took place from Grace Memorial Episcopal church that afternoon. Rev. R. J. McBryde, D. D., officiated. She was a daughter of Mr. Frank T. Anderson, of Glenwood, Va., and had made her home with her uncle, Mr. William A. Anderson, of Lexington, since quite young. She was a very popular and attractive young lady, and greatly liked by all. The pall-bearers were selected from the young men attending the Virginia Military Institute, Washington and Lee University, and Lexington, with whom she was a great favorite. Through respect to the deceased the commencement exercises at the school she was attending were held without any public demonstration.

Died at Clifton Forge.

Mrs. Mary A. Foster died at her late residence in Clifton Forge last Thursday evening, aged 65 years. On Friday her remains were brought to Staunton for interment. The funeral services took place at the Staunton Baptist church and were conducted by Rev. J B Barker, pastor of the Clifton Forge Baptist church, Rev. E. W. MacCorkle, of the Presbyterian church of that place, and Rev. M. L. Wood, of this city. From the church the funeral party proceeded to Thornrose cemetery, where the body was laid at rest. The pall-bearers were: A. F. Sydenstricker, J. M. Karnes, T. J. Hyde, W. W. Matthews, J. N. Sheets and B. G. Moseley, of Clifton Forge, Dr. N. Wayt, J. B. Hoge, A. M. Howison, W. B. Ramsey, C. A. Crafton and W. H. Price, of Staunton. Deceased was the wife of James A. Foster, and a sister of Rev. John H. Taylor, of this county. These with five children survive her. A number of Clifton Forge friends accompanied the body to Staunton.

Is Admirably Equipped.

We see that Capt. H. W. Holt is a candidate for judge of the Hustings court. We recognize that this is a matter in which the citizens of Staunton are exclusively concerned, and that it is not our "put." We may be pardoned for saying, however, that Capt. Holt is admirably equipped for the position, and if the good people of Staunton, through the legislature, elevate him to the bench, he will fill the requirements with dignity and ability.—Waynesboro Valley Herald.

That Throbbing Headache.

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West India	30@45
BACON—country cured, new	
Hams	9@10
Shoulders	6@7
Sides	6@6½
Eggs	12½

VIRGINIA—In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Augusta county, the 20th day June, 1899.

The Commonwealth of Virginia,

To the Sheriff of Augusta county greeting:

Whereas, Wm. H. Landes, General Receiver of the Circuit Court of Augusta county in the cause of Powers, &c., vs. Sheffey's adm'r, &c., did, on the 20th day of June, 1899, sue out of the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Augusta county a writ of Fieri Facias against the goods and chattels of James Bumgardner, Jr.; A. A. Sproul and Wm. F. Smith, for the sum of $7,056 60, with interest thereon, to be computed after the rate of six per centum per annum, from the 17th day of June, 1899, till paid, and $289.86 costs; and hath suggested that by reason of the lien of his writ of Fieri Facias there is a liability on persons other than the judgment debtor, and that G. R. Jordan, John R. Smith, W. B. Smith, W. W. Sproul, A. A. Sproul, Jr., Wm. C. Bosserman, John H. Bowman, J. Frank Clemmer, and D. F. Clemmer, or either or all of them, are indebted to the said A. A. Sproul and Wm. F. Smith, or either of them, or have money, bank notes, securities, evidences of debt, or other personal estate in their possession, or under their control, belonging to the said A. A. Sproul and Wm. F. Smith, or either of them.

You are therefore commanded to summon the said G. R. Jordan, John R Smith, W. B. Smith, W. W. Sproul, A. A. Sproul, Jr., Wm. C. Bosserman, John H. Bowman, J. Frank Clemmer and D. F. Clemmer, to appear before the Judge of our Circuit Court of said county, at the court house thereof on the 10th day of November 1899, to answer the said suggestion. And have then there this writ.

Witness, Jos. B. Woodward, Clerk of our said court, at the court house, this 20th day of June, 1899, and in the 123d year of the Commonwealth.

JOS. B. WOODWARD, Clerk.

It appearing by affidavit filed that W. B. Smith and A. A. Sproul, Jr., two of the parties above named, are non-residents of this State, it is ordered that they do severally appear here within fifteen days after due publication hereof and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this proceeding.

Teste—
JOS. B. WOODWARD, Clerk.
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