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WANTS.

WANTED, a SITUATION, by an English girl, in a first-class family; would prefer a place to nurse and clean up, but will do general housework; is not afraid of work, and will make herself generally useful. Apply at once to J. P. JUSTIS, Labor Agent, No. 9 Fifteenth street. se 4-1t

BAKERY.—WANTED, TO BUY THE stock, fixtures, and lease of a BREAD AND CAKE BAKERY, doing a good over-the-counter trade. A note addressed to JAMES MURRAY, 337 Madison avenue, Albany, N. Y., will be attended to. se 4-2t

WANTED, experienced CARPENTER to go to Danville. No other need apply. HOUGHENS, 9 and 12 A. M., 1326 Main street. se 4-1t*

WANTED, a situation as CLERK or PORTER by a man who thoroughly understands the wholesale and retail grocery and hardware business. Is a competent shipping clerk, or would attend to any kind of office business. Can give the best of references. Address "T. W. P.," *Dispatch* office. se 4-1t*

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WANTED, CANVASSERS.—We offer the most liberal inducements to energetic men to canvass in the city. Apply before 10 A. M. to W. D. GOODRICH, 523 Main street. se 1-3t*

WANTED, BY A LADY EXPERIENCED IN TEACHING ENGLISH, a SITUATION. Terms low. Satisfactory testimonials furnished from former patrons. Address M. A. B., 429 Broad street, Richmond, Va. au 31-6t*

WANTED.—A young lady wants a SITUATION in a private family; teaches the usual English branches, French, and the rudiments of Latin and music. Address box 907, Richmond, Va. au 29 6t*

A LADY EXPERIENCED IN TEACHING, a graduate of the Buckingham Institute, desirous of obtaining a SITUATION as TEACHER in a female college or semi-Lady. Best references can be given. Address TEACHER, Tolersville, Va. au 18-Tu&F2w*

WANTED, FIFTY COLORED WOMEN to cook, wash and iron for private families in New York, New Jersey, and other northern towns. Females generally small. 100 COLORED COAL-MINERS—one for coal, some for Indiana, and some for Illinois. J. P. JUSTIS, Labor Agent, No. 9 Fifteenth street. au 26

BUSINESS WANTS.

WANTED.—"Man wants but little here below, nor wants that little long." I want 50 new customers or prompt monthly customers; and I respectfully refer to the 50 000 people, more or less, who have tried the general quality of my PROVISIONS, GROCERIES, &c., and the manner of my dealing, for the past nine years. R. F. JAMES, 1534 Main, four doors above the Market. se 4-2t*

WANTED, BOARDERS in a large, pleasant room on the first floor, and front and back rooms on the second floor. Apply at No. 405 Franklin street. se 4-F&M4t*

WANTED, EVERYBODY TO KNOW that there is a regular TRUNK FACTORY in Richmond, at the corner of Main and Eleventh streets, where trunks are made and sold at the very lowest prices. Repairing done cheaply. JAMES KNOTTS. se 4-3t*

WANTED, everybody to know that, notwithstanding the hard times, I am still retailing best KEROSENE OIL at 7c. per quart and 50c. per gallon. W. E. RICHARDSON, Apothecary, 508 Seventeenth street. se 2-3t W,F,S*

WANTED, BOARDERS.—Pleasantly furnished rooms and board can be had by applying to MRS. E. M. DUVAL, se 24-eod1m corner Eighth and Clay streets.

WANTED, the farmers and planters generally to USE THE VIRGINIA FERTILIZER No. 1 on their wheat, oats, and crops generally this fall, satisfaction guaranteed at the present price of $25 per ton. Country produce of any and every description taken in exchange, and quick sales and prompt returns guaranteed. J. R. ROCKADAY, au 14-1m 1528 Main street.

WANTED, AT S. A. WINSTOCK'S LOAN OFFICE, No. 17 Fourteenth street, customers for the fine DIAMONDS, WATCHES, CHAINS, JEWELRY, &c., left from the sale of forfeited pledges. I offer greater bargains than ever. Money loaned on diamonds, good and silver watches, chains, good jewelry, and silverware. au 7-3m

WANTED, EVERYBODY TO KNOW that the celebrated French scourer, No. 6 Ninth street, will SCOUR PANTS for 50c. per pair, and whole suit for $2 in the very best manner. T. FRENCH, No. 6 Ninth street. Established in Richmond, 1853. jy 13-3m

SUMAC WANTED.—Cash paid for good SUMAC, in large or small quantities. WILLIAM T. KING, jy 18-3m 1422 Main street.

LOST, STRAYED, &c.

LOST, ON WEDNESDAY EVENING, at the Jewish synagogue, on Eleventh street between Marshall and Clay, a PLAIN GOLD ENAMELLED BREAST-PIN. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at this office. se 4-1t*

LOST, AT THE FAIR-GROUNDS, during the celebration by the Caledonian Club, on the 2d instant, a GOLD BADGE of the Seventh New York regiment, N. G., with the following inscription thereon: "Wm. H. Gibson to Wm. Gibson." The finder will be liberally compensated on returning the same to the office of GEORGE & WILLIAM GIBSON, builders, &c., corner of Sixth and Cary streets. se 4-3t*

STRAYED FROM MERCHANT'S HOTEL, 1320 Main street, on Monday evening last, a large red COW. Had very crooked horns and a few white hairs in end of tail. A liberal reward will be paid for her return or any information that will lead to her recovery. se 4-1t* D. J. MOUNTCASTLE.

PERSONAL.

RICHMOND, VA., September 3, 1874.

IN THE REPORT OF THE PROCEEDINGS before the Almshouse Committee, as published in the *Evening Journal* on the 1st day of September, I am represented as having made a charge derogatory to the character of Dr. Kives Tatum. Since that time explanations have been made to me which are entirely satisfactory, and I take pleasure in withdrawing the charge. Respectfully, se 4-1t* C. P. BIGGER.

NOTICE.—Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of my late husband Benjamin Rose, all persons in debt to the estate will make payment to him, and those to whom the estate is indebted will present their claims to me properly authenticated. CAROLINE ROSE, se 4-3t* Administratrix.

CENSUS OF 1860.—The claims for taking the eighth census, as assistant United States marshal, in all of the southern states that were engaged in the late rebellion, were rejected for want of proof of loyalty. Since then, by a subsequent act of Congress, the proof of loyalty is not required, and all of those rejected claims are directed to be paid. For further information as to the manner in which the money is to be paid, write to W. R. DRINKARD, Claim Agent, No. 1418 F street, au 28-1m Washington, D. C.

BOOKS, STATIONERY, &c.

ALMANACS FOR 1875.

The SIXTIETH ANNUAL ISSUE of the old standard WARDOCK-RICHARDSON VIRGINIA AND NORTH CAROLINA ALMANAC is now in press, and will shortly be issued. Orders from the trade solicited. JAMES E. GOODE, Sole Publisher, se 4-eod3t&w1t 524 Main street, Richmond, Va.

GRATTAN'S REPORTS, volume 23, Ready for sale. Price, $6; by mail, $6.30. WALLACE'S UNITED STATES REPORTS, Volume 18. We shall have ready the last of September, ROBINSON'S GENERAL PRACTICE, Volume 7, $6. We have also all of Mr. Robinson's other valuable works. RANDOLPH & ENGLISH, se 3-d&w 1318 Main street.

WOODHOUSE & PARHAM will offer for sale this day, GRATTAN'S REPORTS, Volume 23. PRICE, $6. In press, ROBINSON'S PRACTICE. Volume 7. To be ready about 1st October. They can furnish at present a complete set of Robinson's Practice, 6 volumes. se 1

10 CHESTS OF THOSE CHOICE GREEN and BLACK TEAS just arrived and for sale at au 24 W. G. DANDRIDGE & CO.'S, 827 Broad street.

FOR RENT.

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BRICK DWELLING, seven rooms, and kitchen of two rooms, No. 309 north Nineteenth street, in good order. Possession at once.

BRICK DWELLING, twelve rooms including kitchen; new and nice; No. 815 south Third street, between Byrd and Arch. Possession 1st of October, or sooner.

BRICK DWELLING, ten rooms, and kitchen of four rooms, No. 203 east Main street, between Second and Third, in good order. Possession 1st of October, or earlier if required.

BRICK DWELLING, ten rooms, and kitchen of four rooms, in good order, No. 201, corner of Second and Main streets. Possession 1st of November, or earlier.

BRICK DWELLING, nine rooms, kitchen of three rooms, No. 7 south Second street, between Main and Cary streets. Possession 1st of October.

BRICK DWELLING, nine rooms, northeast corner of First and Main streets, formerly Judge Halyburton's. Possession at once.

Apply to W. B. ROBINS, Agent, se 4-4t 1005 Bank street, near custom-house.

FOR RENT, two story BRICK TENEMENT No. 623 Fourth street.

Two story BRICK TENEMENT on Third street between Duval and Baker streets.

Two story BRICK TENEMENT on O street between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth streets.

New two story BRICK TENEMENT on Marshall street near Elba Park.

A desirable two story FRAME DWELLING, in thorough repair, containing seven rooms, kitchen, and garden attached, delightfully located on Twenty-sixth street north of Leigh street, Church Hill.

Apply to RICHARDSON & CO., se 4-4t 1118 Main street.

FOR RENT, that desirable DWELLING No. 313 Cary street, between Third and Fourth streets, now in the occupancy of Mr. R. C. White. It contains eleven rooms with all the modern conveniences. Possession given the 10th instant. Apply to se 2-1w GRUBBS & WILLIAMS.

DESIRABLE RESIDENCE FOR RENT.—The house on Main street, four doors above Fourth, now in the occupancy of Mr. Charles T. Palmer, is for rent. Possession given on the 17th instant. Bath-room, water, &c., on the premises. This house has a large lot front and rear. For terms, &c., apply to PURCELL, LADD & CO., se 1-6t 1216 Main street corner of Thirteenth.

FOR RENT, those three new BRICK TENEMENTS on the corner of Twenty-fourth and Marshall streets, Church Hill, containing six rooms each, with kitchen attached, containing two rooms, and all modern improvements, such as gas, city water, bath-room, &c.

To parties desiring to rent this offers great inducements to obtain new first-class and well-arranged residences; handsome porticos in front. Apply at once to LYNE & BROTHER, se 1-4t Real Estate Agents.

FOR RENT, the large WAREHOUSE No. 1215 Cary street, recently occupied by Messrs. Thomas Branch & Co. Also, the BASEMENT in rear of my office; entrance on Eleventh street. Apply to J. L. APPERSON, au 31-6t Real Estate Agent.

FOR RENT, OFFICE and DWELLING No. 210 Ninth street, containing eight rooms, water-closets, &c., and kitchen attached. Would suit a lawyer or doctor. Apply to J. L. APPERSON, au 31-6t Real Estate Agent.

FOR RENT, the STORE, with OFFICE and BASEMENT, on the south side of Cary near Eleventh street, recently occupied by George W. Royster, Esq. Apply to J. L. APPERSON, au 31-6t Real Estate Agent.

STORE (No. 431) corner Fifth and Broad street for rent; it is now, and has been for the past eight years, occupied as a shoe store; it is located in about the best part of Broad street; it is suitable for almost any kind of business. Possession at once. Apply at MARCUS HARRIS & BROTHER'S, au 29-1m 1321 Main street.

FOR EXCHANGE.

FOR EXCHANGE, a HOUSE and LOT on Oregon Hill—price, $600—for a small farm in a reasonable distance of Richmond. Apply to PERKINS & BATES, se 2-2tW&F* Real Estate Agents, No. 917 Bank street.

DRY GOODS.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Having formed a co-partnership under the name and style of SYCLE BROTHERS, we would respectfully call the attention of our friends and the public generally to the great inducements we will offer for only one week.

Please call and examine OUR BARGAINS before purchasing elsewhere.

We will offer the following bargains for this week: Those CASSIMERES which we have marked down 50 and 75c. per yard must be sold now, as we have too large a quantity on hand.

Some of those beautiful CLOAKINGS and SACKINGS which we have now marked down to half price must be sold to make room for new goods.

In the black DOESKINS and black CLOTHS we offer special bargains this week.

DRESS GOODS! DRESS GOODS! DRESS GOODS!

We have marked them down 15 and 20c. per yard; all goods suitable for coming season.

In fact, we have now on hand one of the largest stocks in the city, and to make room for more new goods we offer the following goods for this week at special bargains—such as

Red and white TWILLED FLANNEL;
Blue and gray TWILLED FLANNEL;
Bleached and brown TABLE DAMASK;
FRUIT CLOTHS;
TOWELS and NAPKINS;
A large stock of BOULEVARD SKIRTS;
Black and colored SILKS;
IRISH and JAPANESE POPLINS;
BLACK ALPACAS from 20c. to $1;
CREPE CLOTHS and BOMBAZINES;
ALL-WOOL MUSLINS;
BLANKETS, QUILTS, and COMFORTS;
CASSIMERES from 40c. up;
SHAWLS in all sizes and qualities;
HOSIERY and GLOVES;
KID GLOVES (good quality) at 75c.;
BUCKSKIN GAUNTLETS at 75c.;
Sash and Neck RIBBONS;
Plain and striped NAINSOOKS;
IRISH LINENS,

and a good many other goods too numerous to mention. Call and convince yourself. SYCLE BROTHERS, 429 Broad between Fourth and Fifth streets.

We offer our sincere thanks to our friends and the public for their kind patronage for the last twenty years, and would respectfully ask a continuance of the same. Respectfully, JULIUS SYCLE, au 29-1w ISAAC SYCLE.

CHARLOTTESVILLE WOOLLEN MILLS.

SAMPLE CARDS OF FALL STYLES now ready, and will be PROMPTLY MAILED TO MERCHANTS on application. Please address CHARLOTTESVILLE WOOLLEN MILLS, au 27-2m Charlottesville, Va.

HUDGINS, GORDON & CO., No. 1013 MAIN STREET, have a good assortment of IRON GRENADINES, all cheap;
SPRING and SUMMER DRESS GOODS at cost for cash;
MOURNING GOODS and ALPACCAS, cheap;
Beautiful PERCALES, cheap;
WHITE GOODS—Hosiery and Embroideries—all new, clean, and cheap;
REAL PAT. and CLUNY; in variety;
A large stock of "CASH," SWISS, and other trimmings for underwear;
SASH-RIBBONS, SCARFS, and NECK-TIES;
More of the cheap RIBBONS at 25c.;
FALL and WINTER CASSIMERES;
JEANS and HEAVY GOODS—a good assortment;
BLEACHED and BROWN SHEETINGS, SHIRTINGS;
BED-TICKS, &c. au 15

AUGUST 3, 1874.

T. R. PRICE & CO., have just opened
NEW SIDE BAND PRINTS,
IRISH LINENS and BLACK SILKS;
NECK RUFFLINGS in variety;
BLACK and COLORED KID GLOVES;
LADIES' BLACK SILK GLOVES—best;
WASH NETTS and BLACK SILK NETT;
HAMBURG EDGES and INSERTINGS;
WHITE ORGANDIES, VICTORIA LAWNS,
STRIPED LAWNS FOR POLANAISES;
BUCK and LISLE GAUNTLETS;
LINENS for suiting and travelling.

In order to make room for new stock, all the SUMMER DRESS GOODS will be sold off without regard to cost. Great jobs offered in them to those in want. au 3

NEW MOURNING GOODS.

BLACK GRENADINES, BOMBAZINES,
TAMESE, MOHAIRS, ALPACAS,
BOMBAZINE CLOTHS, VILOUR DE NICE,
AUSTRALIAN CREPES,
ENGLISH CREPES, CRAPE VEILS,
BLACK CASHMERES, CREPE DE ALMY,
BLACK DE LAINES, &c., &c.,

on hand and expected by au 3 T. R. PRICE & CO.

Richmond Dispatch.

THE CIRCULATION OF THE DISPATCH IS LARGER THAN THE COMBINED CIRCULATION OF ALL THE OTHER DAILY NEWSPAPERS OF THE CITY.

FRIDAY.....SEPTEMBER 4, 1874

THE WEATHER TO-DAY.—*From our reports this morning the probabilities are that the weather to-day will be partly cloudy.*

LOCAL MATTERS.

THE BROAD STREET CASE—SUPERSEDEAS AWARDED.—The papers and record in the case of the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad Company *vs.* The City of Richmond, involving the validity of the ordinance imposing a fine of $500 on the company for every time a steam engine is run on Broad street, were presented to Judge Christian, of the Court of Appeals on Wednesday for a writ of error and supersedeas to the judgment of the Circuit Court of the city of Richmond, affirming the decision of the Police Justice, to the effect that the ordinance was valid, and imposing said fine.

After having carefully considered the matter the judge yesterday awarded the writ of error and supersedeas asked for. So the judgment of the lower court will not be enforced until the matter can be considered by the Court of Appeals.

LARGE TRADE WITH BALTIMORE.—The Powhatan Company's "iron line" are now doing a very heavy business between Richmond and Baltimore, and for the last month their steamers have scarcely been able to accommodate the increasing business. The freights from Richmond consist of tobacco, flour, iron, and other manufactures, and the unusually heavy shipments to Baltimore are induced by the very liberal policy of this company in offering our shippers lower rates than they have ever enjoyed before.

This line of iron steamers (each steamer costing $90,000) is a creditable institution, and will doubtless continue to receive the support it deserves. The steamers on this line are the Shirley and Westover (named after two historic homesteads on James river), and are remarkably swift, usually making the trip from Baltimore to Richmond in twenty-four hours.

PERSONAL.—J. D. Cameron, Esq., editor of the Hillsboro' (N. C.) *Recorder*, is in the city.

Mr. David N. Walker, a member of the City Council, has gone to Europe.

Mr. W. E. Granger, representative of the Great Council, State of Virginia, I. O. R. M., in the national body of that organization, will leave the city this morning for Indianapolis to attend the session of the latter, which takes place next week.

General J. D. Imboden is preparing to make an active canvass of the Southwest in favor of the proposed narrow-gauge railroad.

THE SOUTHERN CROSS BROTHERHOOD PIC-NIC.—The pic-nic to be given at the State Fair Grounds on Monday by the Southern Cross Brotherhood and the Richmond Light Infantry Blues for the benefit of the widows' and orphans' fund of the former organization promises to be a grand affair. The most extensive arrangements have been made. Two races have been provided for—one of a mile and the other of a half mile—open to all horses; a prize of $20 to the first horse in the mile race and $10 in the half mile race. A foot race of four hundred yards between the captains of the Stonewall Guard and the Blues; at 4:30 P. M., a target match to all needle rifles, the best shot to receive a $5 gold piece; second, third, and fourth best shots to receive a $2.50 gold piece; and a sack race, mule race, wheelbarrow race, and a greased pig to the man or boy who can catch him, are some of the attractions of the occasion. Colonel W. C. Carrington, of the Southern Cross Brotherhood, and Captain F. M. Imboden, of the Richmond Light Infantry Blues, requested Mr. James H. Tyler, secretary of the Athletic Base Ball Club of this city, to get up a match game at the grounds on Monday between "a picked nine" of his club and "a picked nine" of another club. Mr. Tyler has done so, and the match game will be played between the Athletics of Richmond and the Old Dominion club of Manchester.

REPUBLICAN MEETING AT SEVEN PINES.—A meeting of the Republicans of Henrico was held yesterday, and presided over by Mr. Spencer Robinson—William Singleton acting as secretary.

Major Walker addressed the meeting in his own behalf; and Lewis Lindsey spoke in behalf of Mr. John Ambler Smith.

Mr. George Arnold and Landon Boyd and Mr. John Wallace spoke in favor of Mr. Burgess for the congressional nomination. Mr. Jefferson, of Washington, D. C., and Rush Burgess also addressed the meeting.

It was then unanimously "resolved that Mr. Rush Burgess is the choice of this meeting as the representative in Congress from this the Third District of Virginia."

MUSICAL.—During the approaching amusement season our people are promised some rich musical entertainments. It is said that we are positively to have Clara Louise Kellogg and her opera company of eighty-five performers—including the Richmond favorites, Castle, Campbell, and the Seguins—in six grand English operas; also, the queen of opera bouffe, M'lle. Aimée, and her troupe of sixty performers; and during Fair week the charming little Mrs. Oates and her excellent troupe in two new opera bouffes. The Holman Opera Troupe are promised in January.

VACANT HOUSES IN RICHMOND.—Mayor Kelley has recently caused a census to be taken of the number of houses erected in Richmond since the 1st of January last; the number now in process of erection, and the number for rent. The following is the result: Number of houses erected since January 1st, 1874, 229; number now in process of erection, 111; number of houses for rent at this time, 209.

RESIGNATION OF A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES.—Governor Kemper yesterday received the resignation of Hon. H. E. Blair, a member of the House of Delegates from Roanoke county, he having been elected county judge at the last session of the General Assembly. The vacancy in the Legislature will be filled at the November election.

RESIGNATION OF COLONEL CONNALLY.—Col. J. K. Connally, a member of the State Senate from this city, has tendered his resignation to Governor Kemper. The Governor has issued his writ for an election to be held on the 3d of November to fill the vacancy.

A CURIOSITY IN CORN.—We were shown last night an ear of corn around which were eight smaller ears. The grain was well filled on each, and the whole corncern was a curious freak of nature. Mr. William S. Goode, living about four miles below the city, was the producer, and if the remainder of his field yields as well he will be pretty well corned for the winter.

LUNACY COMMISSIONS.—Johanna O'Donald, William Bell, and Queen Victoria were examined as lunatics at the city jail on Wednesday. Johanna was adjudged a lunatic, and will be sent to an asylum. The other two were thought to be sane.

REVIVAL.—A revival of religion is in progress at Union Station church. The meetings are held nightly, are well attended, and so far some six or eight persons have professed conversion.

JUDGE APPOINTED.—Governor Kemper yesterday appointed Mr. Samuel Downing judge for the counties of Lancaster and Northumberland, *vice* Judge Straughan, deceased.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS APPOINTED.—At a meeting of the State Board of Education held yesterday General R. L. Paige was elected superintendent of schools for the city of Norfolk.

POLICE COURT, THURSDAY—*Police Justice J. J. White presiding.*—The following cases were disposed of:

J. Boswell, charged on warrant with unlawfully and feloniously forging a certain order of J. T. Dandridge on the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad Company for $30.20, and did utter and attempt to employ the same as true and genuine. Sent on to the grand jury of the Hustings Court. Accused committed.

Fannie Carter and Virginia Dickinson, charged with assaulting and throwing a brick at Harriet Jones. Fined $5 each and committed to jail in default of payment (thirty days unless sooner paid).

Harriet Jones, charged with assaulting Fannie Carter and creating a disturbance in the streets. Fined $5.

Dick Carter, charged with assaulting and striking Israel Warden with a rock. Fined $5.

Sarah Fox, charged with stealing iron of the value of fifty cents from the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad Company, was found guilty and sent to jail for ten days.

Samuel P. Earnest, charged with being a vagrant, having no visible means of support. Discharged on promise to leave the city.

James Madison and John Fry, charged with fighting in the market-house during market hours. Fined $2 each.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.—At a regular meeting of Rescue Camp, No. 1, Jr. O. S. C. B., the following were elected as officers for the ensuing six months: O. F. Wise, Basileus; O. to Thilow, Polemarch; Alonzo Simcoe, First Epheta; E. G. Parsons, Second Epheta; Adam Diakont, Maron; W. C. Carrington, J. Hammett Allen, and Adam Diakont, Trustees.

VIRGINIA OPERA-HOUSE.—The concert of Miss A. O. Brandt last evening proved a most agreeable affair to her many friends who were present at the entertainment. Her scholars generally acquitted themselves handsomely, and elicited much applause and frequent marks of approval in the way of bouquets from their friends.

The feature of the evening was the effort of little Mima Gunst in "I'll Think of Thee at Eventide," and her vocal powers are indeed prodigious. The performance reflects great credit upon Miss Brandt, both for her taste displayed in the programme and the proficiency attained by her scholars.

PIC-NIC OF THE ANCIENT ORDER OF HIBERNIANS.—The first annual pic-nic of the Ancient Order of Hibernians will take place on Tuesday, September 15th, at Hattori's Garden.

RANGE OF THERMOMETER in the *Dispatch* counting-room Thursday, September 3d:

8 A. M.	3 P. M.	6 P. M.
75	90	84

STATE TREASURY.—The balance in the State Treasury yesterday was $254,070.03.

Chimborazo Park.

Editors of Dispatch,—There are so many reasons in favor of Chimborazo for a park that we must, in order to avoid a lengthy paper, confine ourselves to a few of them only:

First. Its suitableness is generally admitted. It is very prominent, overlooking the river for miles, and bounded on the west by the valley of Bloody Run, with its excellent springs. Standing at many points on this hill you have at one glance a view of great extent and surprisingly beautiful—to the west, the city itself, and the river, falls, and island, and five bridges; southwest, the town of Manchester; to the south, the green fields of the famous and fertile "Falls Plantation," while back of it lie the dense green forests of Chesterfield.

Further round to the southeast lies the "Powhatan" farm, with its more beautiful and extensive plantation; and in the same line are the ample wharves of the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad, and its track leading from the mouth of the "great tunnel," which is also in view. Yet nearer, we survey the shipping of Richmond, and its growing, promising commerce. Again, to the east rises Fulton Hill with its grove of oaks, and a range of elevated hills beyond. Still, towards the east is the vast plains and fields of the elevation beyond Gillies's creek, with the attractive slope from it to the creek; and, finally, we have the wild and enchanting scenery of the valley in its long plain from Oakwood and the woodlands above, traversed by the York River railroad track. The interesting prospects, with three railroads almost in one view, make Chimborazo a most eligible place for a park.

We should not forget the improving towns of Fulton and Rocketts, which lie as it were, under Chimborazo. Would it not be wise to secure this beautiful location for a park for the whole city?

Secondly. The present habitations on Chimborazo are a blight upon the city, and threatens it with pestilence. The poor blacks are gathered there in dark, decayed, and miserable shanties—secluded from civilizing influences, and passing their time in idleness and vice. Their happiness and comfort would be promoted by their being distributed over a larger surface of land in some other locality.

Thirdly. Besides the very general interest which the citizens at large may feel in the establishment of the said park, those of Church Hill have claims on the city of no slight dignity. But a short time ago the inhabitants and property-owners of this section of the city, or nearly the whole of it, were residents of the county and nearly out of debt. They were taken into the city, and greatly against their wills saddled with a share of the large debt of Richmond. This they must share to the bitter end, without having shared largely in the benefits of the improvements made by it. Without meaning to complain, it is fair to refer to these facts. We hope, too, for a fair share of the general improvement of the city.

"CHIMBORAZO."

DON'T FAIL to have your photographs taken by E. S. LUMPKIN & Co., 1011 Main street. Prices moderate.

AN UNEQUALLED fuel for kindling and cooking is J. B. WATKINS'S (corner Ninth and Cary streets) rich yellow pine and solid, dry oak wood, prepared by steam process. It is cheap, convenient, and economical.

OLD PICTURES COPIED and enlarged to any size at LUMPKIN & Co.'s. All work guaranteed to give satisfaction.

PASSING DOWN MAIN STREET yesterday we observed that Messrs. STARKE & RYLAND, booksellers, had moved into the spacious and elegant store No. 913 Main street, next door to their old stand. Now for business! Give them a call at their new stand.

CHROMO PRINTING is very extensively carried on in Cincinnati by STROBRIDGE & Co. Their work is largely used by publishers all over the country, and is of superior execution.

THE FEET.—Nothing contributes more to health and comfort than the feet kept in good order. Dr. SCHULTZ, whose painless operations in cases of corns, bunions, nails, &c., has for the last twenty years in this city and State been the admiration. He may be found till September 10th at his present office 7 Nineteenth street between Main and Franklin. Will be glad to see those who called during his absence.

KEEP COOL.—You can keep cool by getting your summer clothing from E. B. SPENCE & SON. They are selling their stock at greatly reduced prices. Give them a call at 1300 Main street.

LADIES, if you wish to purchase CHEAP HAIR GOODS, or have work done, go to B. FERRANDINI the only practical hair-dresser in this city. Established in 1863. At No. 618 Broad street.

OLIVER CROMWELL AND KING JAMES both died of Fever and Ague. This dangerous and miserly-entailing disease counts its victims by thousands at this season. It may be permanently cured by Deshler's Fever and Ague Pills. No other remedy that we know of has such absolute power over it. And, best of all, it contains neither *mercury, arsenic,* or *quinine.* These pills are prescribed by the best physicians to their ague-ish patients with unfailing success.

GAUZE UNDERSHIRTS, linen and alpaca coats, and all other articles of summer wear, for sale at greatly reduced prices by E. B. SPENCE & SON.

AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

COOK & LAUGHTON, 10 A. M., furniture, saddles, harness, &c.

GRUBBS & WILLIAMS, 5 P. M., framed dwelling No. 612 north Ninth street.

COOK & LAUGHTON, 10 A. M., corner of Governor and Franklin streets, blooded stock, top-buggy and harness, &c.

RICHARDSON & CO., 6 P. M., brick dwelling and lot No. 902 west Marshall street.

AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE COMIQUE, Corner Ninth and Broad streets, the only first-class place of amusement in the city. Female minstrels. W. W. PUTNAM, se 4-1t* Manager.

GRAND CONCERT AT THE SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH.

The CHOIR OF THIS CHURCH, assisted by Mrs. JAMES E. TYLER, Mrs. A. BARTON, of Knoxville, Tenn., and many other friends, will give a GRAND CONCERT ON TUESDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 8, 1874, on which occasion will be sung a pleasing and classic selection of SOLOS, DUETS, TRIOS, QUARTETTES, and CHORUSES by the best composers, with ORGAN AND ORCHESTRAL ACCOMPANIMENT.

They trust that the character and taste of those taking part will be a sufficient guarantee that the entertainment will be in every respect of the highest order.

The sale of reserved seats will commence on Thursday morning at 8 o'clock, at Redford's hat store, where a plan of the building can be seen and programmes obtained.

Admittance, 75c.; children under fifteen years of age, 50c. Reserved seats 25c extra. se 2-td

SCHUTZEN PARK, DELIGHTFUL SUMMER RETREAT, FINE SCENERY, &c., &c. This beautiful Park having been recently fixed up and put in thorough order, is for rent to Lodges, Orders, private parties, &c., &c. Being on the bank of the river, it commands the finest view of any establishment of its kind near the city. There is on the ground a new and elegant pavilion for dancing, &c.

The Park is open daily for the reception of visitors. No pains nor expense have been spared to make it the equal of any place of amusement in the city. Good order will be strictly enforced. Apply on the grounds, or through post-office box 42. YUENGLING & CO., je 25-3m Proprietors.

EXCURSIONS.

RICHMOND, FREDERICKSBURG AND POTOMAC RAILROAD COMPANY. OFFICE OF GENERAL TICKET AGENT, RICHMOND, September 2, 1874.

EXCURSION TICKETS.

During the month of September by either of this company's fast trains

To Baltimore and return.....$10.00
To Washington and return..... 9.50

J. B. GENTRY, se 3-t01 General Ticket Agent.

PIC-NIC AT THE FAIR GROUNDS, MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 7TH, 9 A. M. to 9 P. M.

THE SOUTHERN CROSS BROTHERHOOD AND RICHMOND LIGHT INFANTRY BLUES, FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND OF THE FORMER ORGANIZATION, announce a gala-day on MONDAY NEXT, having arranged for two races—one of a mile and the other of a half-mile—to all horses; a prize of $20 to the first horse in the mile race, and $10 in the half-mile race. Entries to be made with T. L. Crouch, on Eleventh street. A Match Game of Base-Ball for the Richmond and Manchester prize bat and ball. A Foot Race of 400 yards between the Captains of the Stonewall Guard and the Blues at 4:30 P. M. A Target Match, open to all, needle rifles. Best shot, $5 gold piece; second, third, and fourth best shots, each $2.50 gold piece.

McCann's band will furnish music for dancing during the day.

Sack Race, Wheelbarrow Race, Mule Race, a Greased Pig to the boy or man who can catch him, &c. Trains leave Broad-street depot from 9 A. M. each 45 minutes. Admittance for gentlemen, 50c.; ladies and children, 25c.; no charge for carriages or horses. Fresh oysters and other refreshments at city prices. Good order will be maintained.

S. C. B., se 2-5t R. L. I. B.

HERE WE GO AGAIN!—MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 7TH, 1874—ANNAWON TRIBE, No. 30, IMPROVED ORDER RED MEN, having chartered the York River train for September 7th, will spare neither pains nor expense to make this equal, if not superior, to ANY EXCURSION HAD THIS SEASON.

No place is so well suited as this is for those who seek real ease, enjoyment, and rest for a day from the heat and dust of the city.

McCann's brass and string band has been engaged for the occasion.

A special committee will have charge of ladies and children. No liquor or disreputable parties allowed on the train, as each car will be under the control of one or more of the committee.

The following tribes of I. O. R. M. are invited to participate in our pleasures—Pocahontas, Jamestown, Chickahominy, and Pamunkey.

Dancing, boating, bathing, and fishing will be the order of the day. We also promise bountiful eating—crabs, oysters, and fish of every description—so come one, come all, and save your money for a day of real pleasure.

Remember, Monday is the 7th, and is the day for this excursion. Train leaves the depot at 7:30 A. M. and arrives in Richmond at 8 P. M.

Tickets: Gentlemen, $1; ladies, 50c.—to be purchased at the depot.

Committee of Arrangements: R. W. Carter, John R. Waldman, R. T. Adams, John T. Mann, Robert Solomon. se 1-5t

POLITICAL.

THE COMMITTEE, DULY ELECTED at a called meeting of the Congressional District Club, and by the same invested with the power to act for them in political matters of the party during this Congressional election, have unanimously resolved to recommend to the public for renomination the present incumbent of the representative seat in Congress for this the Third Congressional District of Virginia, the Hon. JOHN AMBLER SMITH. THE COMMITTEE. RICHMOND, September 3, 1874. se 4 1t*

CLOTHING.

FALL CAMPAIGN.

WHITE DRESS SHIRTS MADE TO ORDER in any style required, and fit GUARANTEED or no sale. Persons desiring their shirts MADE TO ORDER are requested to give me a call. Thirty years' practical experience in this line cannot be met by any similar house in the city or State.

ALSO, 150 DOZEN WHITE DRESS SHIRTS, FOR MEN'S AND BOYS' WEAR, now in store, for sale as low as the lowest and as good as the best.

Call at the old established house of WM. IRA SMITH, Ag't, 1109 Main street. SIGN: LONG FLAG. se 4-eod3t

BUSINESS CHANCES.

AN ACTIVE, ENERGETIC MAN, who has $5,000 to invest in a profitable business, in one of the healthiest portions of the State, and for which he will receive either a share of the profits or a guaranteed interest on the money, besides a salary for his services, can hear of such an opportunity by addressing T. H. W., *Dispatch* office. au 18-1m

ME. DEMOREST'S RELIABLE PATTERNS OF THE FASHIONS. Fall and winter styles just received. Call and examine, or send for catalogue. THE SINGER MANUFACTURING CO., 1003 Main street, Richmond, Va. C. S. BEATTY, Agent. se 4-d1m&w1t

FISH! FISH!

We offer for sale this morning a fine assortment of FISH, including fresh HALLIBUT, SALMON, and WHITE FISH, together with our usual supply of NORFOLK FISH, to which we would call the attention of our patrons and the public. HUCLESS & JONES, Stall No. 2, se 4-1t* Second Market.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE BOUGHT THE ENTIRE LITHOGRAPHIC ESTABLISHMENT of Mr. Charles L. Ludwig, and are prepared to execute ALL KINDS OF LITHOGRAPHIC WORK. We guarantee as good work as can be had in any of the northern or western cities at the same price. Our facilities for making blank books, book-binding, ruling, numbering, and perforating are unsurpassed. Give us a trial. SIMONS & KEININGHAM, Office Main and Twelfth streets. Will remove to Snyder's Power Hall, corner Cary and Eleventh streets, on or before the 1st of October next. au 18-1m

MEETINGS.

CITY CONSERVATIVE COMMITTEE. An important meeting of this Committee will be held at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce TO-NIGHT at 7½ o'clock. A. S. MCRAE, Assistant Superintendent. W. H. WADE, Secretary. se 4-1t

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.—The members of HINES LODGE, No. 17, will attend a stated meeting of the Lodge, at Pythian Hall, THIS EVENING at 8 o'clock. Members of sister Lodges and visiting brethren are invited to be present. By order of the C. C. WILLIAM J. RIDDICK, se 4 1t* K. of R. and S.

MYRTLE LODGE, No. 25, K. P.—A stated meeting will be held at their hall THIS (Friday) EVENING, at 7½ o'clock promptly. Every member is requested to be present. By order of the C. C. se 4-1t* W. W. TURNER, K. of R. and S.

MEMBERS OF TEMPLE LODGE, No. 9, will attend a stated mee