THE PLANET

SATURDAY, - APRIL 4, 1896.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

They Listen to an Anniversary Sermon.

The Knights of Pythias of this city turned out in large numbers Sunday, March 29th to attend the Third St. A. M. E Church where an excellent sermon was delivered at 3 p. m. by Rev. A. S. Thomas, pastor of the Sharon Baptist Church. Prayer was offered by Rev. W. R. Gullins, after which Rev Thomas gave an interesting history of the Order and dwelt upon the reign of Dionysius, the tyrant. He told of Pythias' love for Damon and held the large audience spell-bound by his likening the same to that of Christ. Prayer by President Gregory W. Hayes.

A collection of $18 34 was lifted. Rev. Gullins sang several of his soul-stirring revival hymns.

The Sir Knights filed out, the lines were formed under the direction of Col W. H. Johnson. Eureka Division, No. 1 and Planet Division, No. 8 were under the command of Sir Knight Captain R. G. Richardson and Sir Knight Captain Thomas M. Crump of the latter division marched with the Brigadier Generals Staff.

The 1st Battalion Band, Captian Moses Johnson, leader, headed the procession. Grand Chancellor John Mitchell, Jr. viewed the proceedings with evident satisfaction. It was a grand affair.

The Leap Year Masquerade.

We unintentionally failed to publish the account of the recent Leap Year Masquerade given at New Odd Fellows' Hall and which was one of the grandest ever presented here.

We present the list of characters:

Madames W. S. Diggs, country maiden; Sallie Bullock, bride; Lillie Morton, flower girl; Mildred Cross, Autumn; Carrie Hawkins, red poppy; Richard Chiles, spanish maiden; Sallie Jenkins, bo-peep; Fannie Walker, French maid; Henrietta Jones, U. S. flag; E. B. Long, Japanese; M. Sydney Mayo, sailor girl; Pearlie Mayo, Gypsy; Martha Royal, Turkey maid; H. Clay, ghost; W. D Payne, folly.

Misses Laura Forrester, mother goose; Nellie Forrester, nun; Mary Terry, Indian princess; Mamie Swann, angel; Clara Farley, gypsey; Vera Holmes, night; Susie Scott, red riding hood; Emma Evans, cards; Tillie Drew, Kate Greenaway; Maggie McClain, goddess of liberty; Minnie Mundin, nurse; Maude Mundin, old woman; Carrie Randolph queen of hearts Esterine Williams, little girl; Susie Crump, Japanese.

Messrs. Eddie Stephens, Gen. Knickerbocker; A. L. Morton, Chinaman; Dr. S H. Dismond, cow-boy; Messrs Eddie Lewis, ball-player; Humphrey Stevens, king of clubs; James Scott, nankipoo; Wallace Christian, turk; Henry Walton, queen of night; Harrison Holmes, importunate woman;——Leftwich, old veteran; Hamilton Carter, Dr. Johannesburg; James Lewis, Japanese; W. O. Turner, Japanese; Richard Kemp, Japanese prince; Z. T. Sandridge, hayseed; T. Burton, pooh bah; W. Ferguson, clown; Joseph Forrester, Topsy; J. Burrell, old man; Lonnie Haywood, up-to-date dude; Henry Clay, old man; M. Augustine, Magi; W. D Payne, ball-player.

Among those unmasked, we noticed Messrs A. Walker and wife; ——Tyler and wife; O Ruffin and wife; W. Cunningham and wife, R. B. Taylor and wife; B. Graves and wife.

Mesdames L. Johnson, Kersey, Walton, Mundin, Dammels, Gray, White, Harris, Hayes, Connelly, Turner. Lou Harris, Misses Burrell, Scotts, Christian.

Messrs. Callie Perkins, Powell, Jas. Jackson, Bragg. Brown, Dabney, Richardson. Duluth, Minn, Taylor, Sampson, Williams, Cephas, Curtis, Weeden Burrell, Berry, Coleman.

It's said "better late than never" and we give our friends the benefit of the axiom.

NEWS FROM CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, ILL., March 30, 1896.

Memorial Services were held in memory of the late James Edwin Campbell at the Quinn's Chapel on Sunday evening. Addresses were delivered by Hale G Parker, Rev. G. M. Townsend and others.

Mayor George B. Swift of Chicago is making the best mayor that this city has ever had.

Mr. William G. Anderson, a bright, young colored man was admitted to the bar to practice law last week.

Dr. N. J. Croker is one of the leading colored doctors in Chicago, and has the finest and best office. The most of his practice is among the best class of white people.

Mrs. H. E. Freeman of 3771 Dearborn St., and Mr. Samuel Kelley of 3531 Armour Ave., are on the sick list.

The Colored State Convention that was held at Galesburgh, Ill., on last Thursday was largely attended. Delegates from all parts of the state. The colored people seems to be all against Henry L. Hertiz who has a wish and a desire to be State Treasurer.

E. H. Wright, Dr. G. H. Magee and Samuel Turner went to Galesburg on last Wednesday.

John Johnson who was shot by Charles Hines on last week is improving.

A. C. Fields who brutally murdered Mrs. Ellen Randolph a few weeks ago in this city has been sentenced to hang. Fields tried to commit suicide in jail last Thursday, but the guard prevented him. He will hang May 15th.

There is some talk among the Republicans that at the St. Louis Republican Convention, that the man that will be nominated will be the Hon. Robert T. Lincoln of Illinois.

RAMBLER.

THE IMPERIAL CLUB.

The Imperial Club dispiayed its majesty and grandeur in its third grand soiree, Friday night, March 27th at the Odd Fellows' Hall with the following members:

Thomas James, John Walker, Frank Jackson, Percy Thompson, John Nelson, Frank Nelson, George Peirce, John R. Epps, Percy Wilson, Joseph Johnson, Matthew A. Fraser, Thos James, president; John Walker, vice-president; Frank Jackson, secretary; Frank Nelson, assistant secretary; Matthew A. Fraser, treasurer; Percy Thompson, chairman.

They were highly honored with the following guest of ladies and gentlemen richly attired in the latest styles of the season:

Misses Mary E. Robinson, Charlotte L. Mason, Sarah Braxton, Annie A. Cabell, Nannie E Cabell, Virginia Bailey, Susie Gordon, Louisa E. Robinson, Maggie B. Claire, Elnora Jackson, Matilda Clapkins, Albena Fox, Rebecca Nelson, Fanny A. Williams, Louisa A. Vaughan.

Messrs. James Mitchell, Robert Alexander, Willis James, Willie Mason, Junius White, Thomas Monroe, John J. Spottwood, David Coles, Henry L. Payne, Frank Williams, P. Tinsley, John Wells, John H. Mabrey, M. P. Tyler.

After spending many hours keeping time with the strains of the music, the grand march, led by Mr. James Mitchell, assisted by Miss Rebecca Nelson to a table loaded with all of the delicacies of the season. A short, but spicy address by J. H. Mabrey, responded to by the president, Thomas James. The table was graced by M. P. Tyler. They all ate and returned home with three cheers for the Imperial. Mr. Feniel Jackson, caterer.

CHAIRMAN LAMB ENDORSED IN CAMPBELL COUNTY.

Delegates Elected

LYNCHBURG, VA., March 31, 96.

The Republican County Convention met at Rustburg, Va. and after being called to order by Mr. Allen Evans, County Chairman, Mr. Evans was then elected temporary chairman with P. H Johnson (proxy) as temporary secretary.

The temporary organization was made permanent. The county was fully represented. The following delegates and alternates were elected to the Roanoke Convention:—Delegates, Messrs. A. Humbles, Henry Wright, William Anderson, Allen Evans, L. C. Blankenship, H. H. Perrow, S. W. Patterson and R. A. Hamlet; Alternates, Winston Withers, Samuel Wood, R. P. Armstead, Ph. B. and Anslem Hunter.

Resolution were passed endorsing the Ohio Republucan platform, and Col. Lamb as state Chairman; also endorsing James M. McLaughlin and A. Humbles for delegates to the St. Louis Convention, and the Richmond PLANET and Lynchburg "Southern Forge." The meeting was orderly and harmonious throughout.

ALLEN EVANS, Chairman.
P. H. JOHNSON, (proxy) Sec't.

FROM STAUNTON.

Inclement Weather—Anniversary Sermon—Mr. Carter Speaks—The Peabody Institute—The Governor's Message Analyzed.

STAUNTON, VA, March 31, '96.

Sunday was a bad day for traveling. The churches were well attended.

On the fourth Sunday in April, the Love and Charity order will have their anniversary sermon preached at Mt. Zion Church, 3 p. m., at which time the order will be out in full dressed regalia.

On the 17th, a mock court was held by a number of young men at Ebenezer Baptist Church. The affair could not have been more intelligently rendered if it had been real.

Rev M. W. Clair preached his farewell sermon at the Augusta Street A. M. E. Church Sunday night, March 22d and departed for Washington last week. Rev. Riggs has charge of the Augusta Street A. M. E Church.

On Monday, the 23rd, Willis M. Carter, amidst the orators of the courthouse made a grand and noble speech that speaks well for him as a monument for the race.

The Peabody Normal of colored teachers will meet in Staunton this summer. The Superintendents of the city and county schools have been so notified by Hon. John E. Massey. The colored school teachers of the city and county met in the public school building in Staunton and elected a committee to make arrangements for the Normal as follows: O. J. Derritte, E. R. Harvey, W. B. Davenport, J. H. E. Carter, James T. Anderson, Willis M. Carter and J. L. Peters. It has not yet been stated when the Normal will begin.

That portion of Gov. O'Ferrall's Message to the last legislature in which he claimed that public school education did not improve the morals of the colored people was taken up and discussed. A series of resolutions were then adopted, setting forth that the Governor's conclusions were drawn from figures taken from the prison records which didn't represent the true ratio of crime on the par of the colored people as compared with that of the whites, as colored people never get a fair and impartial trial in the courts, and that the document was calculated to a division of the public school fund between the races on the basis of the taxes collected from each, and to stop educational aid from the north to the detriment of the education of the colored people of the state.

A. E. BOLDEN.

EASTER SERVICES.

At the Fifth St. Baptist Church.

The Church will be beautifully decorated. The choir will render choice music selected for the occasion.

At 11:30 a. m. Pastor will preach. Subject:—"Was the Resurrection of Christ a Fact or a Myth?"

At 8 p. m the Pastor will preach a sermon to Stone Ezel Lodge, No. 1, and Queen Court, No. 1, of the Ancient Order of Knights of Jerusalem.

Rev. B. S. Richardson will read a paper to the B. Y P. U. of the 5th St. Baptist Church on Tuesday night. All young people are invited to attend.

W. F GRAHAM, Pastor.

HARTFORD GLEANINGS.

Personal Items—Rev Stith's Labors.

HARTFORD, CONN., March 31, '96

Mr. L S. Johnson, formerly of Danville, Va., but now residing in Hartford made a flying trip to Springfield, Mass., to see his cousin, Mrs. Alexander, and he also visited the Rt. Rev. Brown.

Mr. R. M. Shield is out again. He has been under the treatment of three doctors.

Miss Sarah Stokes is confined to her room at No. 6 Squire St.

Mr. Robert L. Robb has left the city for a month or two.

Lookout Miss B. R., you have lost out, but you can see him at Worcester, Mass., if you like.

Rev. G. L Stith, pastor of the Union Baptist Church, baptized four Sunday, the 28th of March, making a total of 33 members connected with the Union Baptist Church in March.

We are glad to note that Mrs. Stith is on the mend.

I wish to state right here that the PLANET is not the U. S M. A. hint to the wise sufficient.

The PLANET will be delivered to any one, by making it known the first of the week. All publications for the PLANET must be handed in Sunday evening. G. Grant Williams agent, 209 Pearl St., Hartford, Conn.; Andrew E. Walker, correspondent and general agent of the Richmond PLANET, 330 Pearl St., Hartford, Conn.

Those who owe the PLANET, please pay and oblige the general agent, A. E. Walker.

WATCHMAN.

NOTICE.

To the Public:—

I have removed my law office from sixth street to No. 812 E. Broad St, between 8th and 9th Sts., under the Planet Office; where I shall be glad to meet my many friends and thousands of clients, who have heretofore favored me with their patronage. Hoping to continue in their confidence as heretofore,

Respectfully,
GILES B. JACKSON.

☞Correspondence strictly confidential.
'Phone, 842. 2m-4-4-96.

FROM PHILADELPHIA.

Odd Fellows Meet.—Creating Another Office.

PHILADELPAIA, PA., April 1, 96

Quaker City Lodge, No. 3550 had a large attendance at its last meeting, and many prominent visitors were present. among them were J L. Brown, Supervisor of the Second Subdistrict J. W. Ford, Isaac Merijo, Hodges and others.

The Lodge did not elect her quarterly officers as some of the members did all they could to retard business.

This lodge has quite a large number of intelligent young men, and it is to be regretted that they differ upon technical points. It seems to be a race for supremacy between two factions, and one man has had a powerful combination to overcome; but he seems to fear no evil, and will eventually win.

The B. M. C. or the Odd Fellows' Congress will meet this fall in the west and some members are aspiring to be delegates They have expressed their dissatisfaction with the present S. C. of M. and say that they will go for the purpose of using their influence and voting against the present officers. The Lodges should be careful not to elect any delegates that have expressed their distaste for the present officers. The writer has had the honor of meeting and corresponding with many of the present officers and has read many of their able decisions, and look upon them as men of the highest character and ability Some of our members think that a new office should be created upon the board, viz a Counsellor and the plans have been neatly mapped out; but such plans are already doomed, for our Order has too many lawyers in it now.

P. G. M. James L. Punell has been quite ill with the measles.

R. R. Thomas has been confined with a severe sore-throat. He is improving.

The joint Masonic excursion committee met last week to commence arrangements for their annual excursion in September next.

Mrs. Alice Simmons, of Merrion, Ore. was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ford of Bateman St. on the 28th ult. She has thoroughly studied the Bible and has been the only person to thoroughly get the best of the writer upon Biblical questions.

Rev J. A Woolton of Lodge, 3550 has been receiving great praise for his masterly augument on the 24th He held the members spell bound and brought things to a test that had never been done before.

Household of Ruth 941, had a nice meeting on the 25th ult. Brother H. T Sedgwick acted W R; Brother E. Ford, M N G; Sister Braxton, R N G Sister Tisdale, P M N G. Much business was transacted.

J. L. WALLACE

CHARLOTTESVILLE LETTER

A Slim Attendance—A Brilliant Wedding Personal Items.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va., Mar. 30, '96.

Sunday was changeable and the churches were very slimly attended. Usual services were held by the pastors of the various churches

Last Wednesday evening, March 25, 1896, the First Baptist Church was brilliantly lighted up, the occasion being the marriage of Miss J. Madeline Jackson, of this city and Mr. J. T. Brown, of Pittsburg, Pa. At nine P. M. Mrs. G. P. Inge struck the wedding march on the large pipe organ and the wedding party entered the church in the following order:

Miss Bettie B. Ferguson and E A. Howard, Miss Annie E. Brackett and Mr. Lucien Hill. Miss Lena Whipps and Mr. John T. Brown, the groom up the right aisle; Miss Lizzie C. Coles and Mr. W. M. Curtis, Miss Mary Buckner and Mr. A. C. Mabrey, Miss J. Madeline Jackson, the bride on the arm of Mr. Chas H. Brown, the best man up the left aisle, the groom meeting the bride at the altar, where they were united in marriage in an impressive manner by the pastor, Rev. R. C. Quarles. The ushers were Messrs. Robt. Coles, Chas. Bullock, T. B. Jones and Troy Kennie. The bride was becomingly attired in white silk, with pearl and fish scale trimming, the veil being caught up with brilliants. She carried a bunch of lilies.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. Noah Jackson, one of our most worthy citizens and is a vocalist of wide reputation and has travelled extensively, including a trip through the British Isles, South Africa and elsewhere.

The groom is one of Pittsburgs business men.

After the ceremony at the church a reception was held at the residence of the bride's parents, No. 404 E Water St., which was largely attended.

We are sorry to state that Mrs. Rebecca Shelton and Mrs. Sally Bradley are still confined to their beds with La Grippe.

We are very sorry to state that Mrs. Lizzie Williams of Gospel Hill had to have her arm amputated.

Mr. W. L Brown is confined to his bed by sickness, we are sorry to say.

Mr. George Thomas returned from Florida a few days ago and has been confined to his bed with a slow fever every since.

Mr. D. Wards many friends are glad to see him home again.

Mrs. Rosa Walker left the city Tuesday night for Washington, D. C, and will go from there in a few days to the Warm Springs for the season

That young man doesn't seem to be stuck on Gordonsville any more, do you know what is the trouble?

When things don't concern you, for God's sake let it be and keep it out of the churches.

Look out, Sunny Side will be in Richmond next week.

Oh, boys you just ought to have seen that groom cutting across the field the next morning, wonder what was the matter? We don't know.

Well, old boy we see that you see her anyhow, regardless what the old folks say. Go it and you will get there bye and bye.

We called on Miss M— she is looking well and speaks of taking a trip soon.

The bells are ringing, when will they stop? Who knows which will be the next one East or West.

Mr. W. H. Brown, brother of the groom, of Washington, D. C. was in the city last week Mr. and Mrs. Webster Gilmore of Washington, D. C., was in the city also.

It is said that one of our young men is fishing in Richmond, we hope he may get a bite. Yes, and the girls are gone to fishing too, it is said that one is trying to hook one in Boston. She says she almost have him.

Well, old boy, you do not know which is your best girl, the one that has the ring or the one that has the bracelet. Please tell us

The funeral of Willie Coleman, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Coleman took place from the Mt Zion Baptist Church, Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Rev. R. B. Hardy, pastor officiating; Mabrey and Perkins Funeral Directors.

Miss Georgia B. Michie, daughter of Rev. W O Michie, departed this life Monday, March 30, 1896, after a long and painful illness. Her funeral took place from the First Baptist Church Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. R. C. Quarles, pastor officiated. Barcus and Kelser, Undertakers.

SUNNY SIDE.

FROM OVERTON.

Chairman Lamb Endorsed in King and Queen Co.,—Lawyer Walker for St. Louis.

OVERTON, VA., March 27, 1896.

To the Richmond PLANET:

In persuance of the call by the Republican State authorities of Virginia, a mass-meeting was held at King and Queen Court House, 23rd inst, for the purpose of electing delegates to the District Convention to be held at Tappahannock, Va., 14th of April, also to the State Convention at Staunton, Va. The following were elected: J. R. Ruffin, M J. Ellis, H. Anderson. Delegates to the District Convention, H. H Johnson, delegate at large; with J. Holmes and C. Montague alternates. I. S. P Robinson, J. G. Canoon (white) and J. R. Ruffin to the State Convention, with D. R. Page and J. H. Roane, alternates Hon. T. C. Walker is one of our choice to the National Convention from the First District. At the close of the meeting, the following resolution was adopted:

Whereas, the Republican State Committee has chosen from among their many leaders Col Lamb as the State Chairman of the Republican party, therefore be it,

Resolved, that we do endorse the aforessaid leader, also that the endorsement appear in the Richmond PLANET.

No pains are being spared in trying to organize our forces for a Republican victory in this section.

DEATHS.

TAYLOR—Mrs Fanny Taylor departed this life Saturday morning, March 21, at the residence of her niece, Alice Parker, 2915 N Street, in full triumph of faith.

Her funeral took place from the 4th Baptist Church, March 23, at 3 o'clock, Rev. Evans Payne officiated.

Dearest Auntie thou hast left us,
We our loss most deeply feel;
But it is God who hast bereft,
He can all our sorrows heal

Farewell, dear auntie, sweet thy rest
Weary with years, and worn with pain;
Farewell, 'til in some happy place,
We shall behold thy face again.

'Tis ours to miss thee all our years,
And tender memories of thee to keep;
Shine in the Lord to rest for so.
He giveth his beloved sleep

Her devoted niece,
ALICE PARKER.

Passed Away.

BALHAM, VA., GOOCHLAND CO.

Mr. H. W. Thomas a well to do farmer died March 29th, 1896. He was kind-hearted, true to all and one of the colored people's best friends. He will be greatly missed by all who have had any transaction with him. He leaves a wife, two children and many friends to mourn their loss.

P. E WILLIAMS.

SCOTT—Died March 29th, 1896, at the residence of her parents, 1016 N. St. John St., Rosana Senobia Scott the infant daughter of John W. and Rosana H. Scott, age one year, four months and twenty-six days.

This lovely bud, so young, so fair,
Called hence to early doom,
Just came to show how sweet a flower
In Paradise would bloom.

Ere sin could harm or sorrow fade,
Death came with friendly care;
The opening bud to Heaven conveyed
And bade it blossom there.

Philadelphia and Petersburg papers please copy.

Gone Before.

Died at his home in Goochland Co., Va. March 21, 1896, Mr. Ned Johnson in his 71st year of age, after nearly three months illness He was cheerful during sickness. He was a faithful member of Jerusalem Baptist Church, ever ready when duty called. He was a loving husband, kind father, a good neighbor and beloved by all who knew him as an evidence from the concourse of friends, white and colored, that assembled at his homestead on Monday, 23rd inst to witness the last of one so dear.

Saturday about 3 o'clock he said to his deacon brethren, "I am going to die to-night and I thank God for it." At 8 o'clock he fell asleep His funeral was preached by Rev. W E. Banks assisted by Elders P. E. Williams and J. T. Edwards. Text:—Matt 25:21. He leaves a wife, three children, one brother and a host of friends to mourn their loss.

Servant of God well done,
Rest from thy loved employ;
The battle fought, the victory won
Enter thy Master's joy.

P. E. WILLIAMS

TAZEWELL—Died in New York Sunday, March 22, '96 at 1 a. m., Walter G. Tazewell, after a lingering illness. His remains were brought to this city accompanied by his wife, mother and brother. The funeral took place from the Fifth Street Baptist Church, Friday, March 27th at 3:30 p. m. There were present at the last sad ceremony many friends of his boyhood days and of the family. Rev. Graham the pastor preached from the text, "Man dieth and wasteth away" He described the life of the deceased vividly and exhorted his hearers to remember their Creator in the days of their youth. The floral designs were numerous. We expect the sun to go down in the evening, we expect the flower to fade in the fall. we expect the streams to be frozen in winter. But when the sun goes down at midday, and the flower wither in the summer and the stream of life is frozen before the chill of old age comes upon it. —It is sad.

The following were pall-bearers, honorary, W. Samuel Price; active: Pleasant Jones, Jr, Benjamin Bowler, Benjamin P. Vanderyall, Grant Roane, Whit Mosby and William A. Price.

LAWSON—Mrs Aldeline Cary Lawson, who has been sick for sometime, passed from this world of sin and care to the eternal land of bliss last Saturday, March 29th, at 4:30 o'clock a m., in the 46th year of her age. Mrs. Lawson was one of the prominent citizens, one ever ready to champion the cause of right and we feel that in her death we have endured a severe loss.

The funeral services took place from the Second Baptist Church of which she was a member for 30 years. Rev. Z. D. Lewis, the pastor, preached the sermon and many a wet-eye could be seen in the audience from the effect of his powerful sermon.

She was also a member of the Samaritans and the St. Luke for 25 years. A. D. Price, our popular undertaker, had charge of the funeral-findings which were in keeping with his well deserved reputation.

Mrs. Lawson leaves a devoted daughter, Mrs. Mary E. Harvey, and two grand-children to mourn their loss. The societies of which she was a member were out to pay the last tribute to their departed sister.

We miss thy kind and willing hand,
Thy fond and earnest care;
Our home is dark without thee,
We miss thee everywhere.

HER DAUGHTER.

KENNY—Mrs. Ann Kenny departed this life Friday, March 27, 1896 at 4:20 p m. at the residence of Mrs. Charity Dabney, 1121 Saint John St. She died in full triumph of faith She leaves eight children, two daughters, 6 sons, two sisters, one brother and a host of friends to mourn their loss. Her funeral took place from the Fifth Street Baptist Church Sunday last at 3 p m. W. I. Johnson funeral director officiated.

A precious one from us is gone,
A voice we loved is still,
A place is vacant in our home,
Which never can be filled.

HER CHILDREN.

DANGERFIELD—Mrs Darcus Dangerfield fell asleep in Jesus' arms at her home, Clarksburg, W. Va, at 7 o'clock Monday morning March 16th, 1896 in the 84th year of her age. She leaves to mourn their loss, 9 children and a number of grand-children.

Asleep in Jesus blessed sleep,
From which none ever wake to weep,
A calm and disturbed repose,
Unbroken by the last of foes.

"Gone, but never forgotten."

By her grand-daughter,
ALBERTA WHITE.

Leigh St. M. E. Church, April 5, 1896.

9:30 a. m, Sunday-school; 11:00 a. m., preaching; 3 p m, preaching and communion; 7:45 p. m. preaching and Love Feast. All are invited.

J. H. BRICE, Pastor.

ANCIENT O. C. K. OF JERUSALEM.

Parade Sunday. April 5th, 1896—Addresses by Rev W. F. Graham, W. P. and Rev. A. Ferguson

Queen Esther's Court of Sisters will be in attendance, also at the Festival on Monday night, April 6th after the parade. Editor, Yes, yes, our glorious Mitchell, will deliver an Oration.

LINE OF MARCH:—From Hall to 20th and Broad Sts, up the Avenue to 25th to Main, up to 5th, to Grace, to 2nd, to Broad, to Brook Ave, to Leigh to 2nd, to Broad, to 12th, to Franklin, to Odd Fellows' Hall

A Ferguson, W. P; William Hartwell, W. C.; Wm Croxton, 2nd C.; A. Randolph, 3rd C; W. K. Brown, R. S.

ADMISSION: { Lady and Gent - 25¢ / Single Person - 15¢

GOOD STRING MUSIC.

Third Street A. M. E. Church Sunday Services. April 5, 1896.

Easter sermon at 11 o'clock a. m.

Monthly love-feast and communion at 3 o'clock p. m.

The pastor's "farewell address" for the year at 8 p. m, as the Virginia Annual Conference meets here in the 3rd Street Church next Wednesday the 8th. Strangers invited and friends always welcome.

Rev. W. R. GULLINS, Pastor.

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J. H. HOLMES, Pastor.

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Calif ham	7½c
Best sugar-cured shoulder	8c
Navy beans	5c
Black-eyed peas	5c
Sardines, can	3c
Aubuckles coffee, pound	20c
Best codfish, pound	5c
Salt, peck	10c
12 lbs Buckwheat	25c
Can corn	5c
Tomatoes, large size	6c
4 dozen fish	25c
New dates, pound	4c
Jelly, pound	3c
Dried apples, pound	3c
Macaroni, "	6c
Starch	4c
Molasses,	from 20c to 40c gal
Vinegar, gallon	20c
Ginger snapes, pound	5c
Cheese	from 8c to 12c lb
All kinds of Butter a specialty	
Prunes, pound	5c
10 large bars of soap	25c
3 cans of peaches	25c
Granulated sugar	5c
Tea	from 25c to 75c lb
3 pounds of washing soda	5c
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Salt Pork,	lb 6-7-8c	Oil Sardines, 5c 6 for 25c		Oat flake,	4c
California Hams,	8c	Mustard Sardines, large boxes, 10c 3 for 25c		Hominy	2 lb 25c
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Sliced Shoulder,	10c	Potted Ham,	5c	Raisins,	5c
Breakfast Bacon,	9c	Potted Tongue,	5c	Good rice,	5c
Compound Lard,	6c	Devilled Ham,	8c	All kind preserves,	lb 6c
Good Lard,	7c	Devilled Tongue,	8c	Apple butter,	5c
Pure Lard,	8c	Corn Beef,	10c	Currant Jelly,	5c
Richmond Butchers' Lard,	10c	Bottled Pickle, Mrs Johnson,	10c	Wash-board, 10, 18, 25, 30	
Good Brooms,	8c	Large box mustard,	5c	Washing soda,	2c 3 lb 5c
8 String Brooms,	10c	Beer mug mustard,	8c	Ginger snaps,	lb 5c
4 String Brooms,	15c	Glass mustard,	8c	LIQUORS.	
Pearline,	5c, 6 for 25c	Home made catsup,	5c	Star rye whiskey, 3yrs. old,	pt 25c
Sozodine,	5c, 6 for 25c	Rustic milk,	10c	Good rye whiskey, 5 yrs old.	pt 30c
Nine O'clock Washing Tea,	5c 6 for 25c	Dime milk,	10c	Jefferson rye whitkey,	pt 50c
Babbitts 1776 Washing Powder,	5c 6 for 25c	Eagle milk,	18c	Corn whiskey,	pt 25c
Diamond Dust,	5c 6 for 25c	Arbuckle Coffee,	23c	Apple brandy,	pt 40c
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