

VIRGINIA NEWS

Surgeons at a Roanoke hospital announce that an operation on a woman revealed that a particle of plate from false teeth, lodged at the base of her lungs, had caused the patient to suffer from what doctors for 7 years had believed was tuberculosis. The surgeons declared that the woman showed an improvement immediately following the operation.

The State Senate yesterday by a vote of 20 to 6 passed what is known as the qualification measure, this being a bill qualifying women to vote in Virginia after the Susan B. Anthony amendment has been ratified by a sufficient number of States. A companion measure in the lower branch of the legislature was, upon vote of members, passed by.

The United States shipping board steamship Poughkeepsie, with 34 members of the crew in irons, charged with mutiny and guarded by blue jackets from three destroyers, arrived in Hampton Roads yesterday. Department of Justice agents promptly boarded the vessel and brought the alleged mutineers to Norfolk last night for arraignment before the United States commissioner on charges of mutiny.

The jury in the case of Leslie Aldridge on trial in the hustings court of Petersburg, charged with assaulting Dr. J. Nixon, a young physician of Petersburg, January last, which failed to agree, Wednesday night, came into court yesterday with a verdict finding the accused guilty of assault and battery and imposing a fine of \$100. Eleven of the jurors, it is said, voted for acquittal, while one favored imposing a fine of \$500. The assault grew out of an alleged insult by Dr. Nixon to Mrs. Eleanora Aldridge, wife of the accused.

That a vein of coal amounting to billions of tons can be mined on the outskirts of Richmond was the report made by experts who have completed an investigation. Estimates place the amount of coal in the Richmond basin, lying principally beneath Chesterfield county, at 1,125,000,000,000 tons, in five workable seams. The field is approximately 30 miles long and 6 to 7 miles wide, and a 5 foot seam of coal over this entire area would give an output of 5,000,000 tons a year for 25 or 30 years if properly mined. From three million to five million is necessary to institute development on an adequate scale.

One hundred and forty employees of the Southern Railway shops at Richmond are to lose their positions Monday because there is not sufficient work for them.

A. B. Thornhill, president of the Farmers' Union, is in receipt of a letter from Col. F. Nash Bilisoly of Portsmouth, informing him that the total fund collected from dog licenses in Virginia in 1919 amounted to \$256,770.

W. N. T. Tiffany, aged 71, of The Plains, Fauquier county, member of the Virginia legislature, died early yesterday afternoon in St. Luke's Hospital, Richmond, as the result of a stroke of paralysis several weeks ago. He was a member of the house of delegates since 1912, from Fauquier county. He was chairman of the committee on roads and internal navigation and member of several other committees.

Delegate Thomas Lomax Hunter, of King George county, is being urged to run for lieutenant governor. A definite decision is expected from him shortly. Candidates already in the field are State Senator Julius E. West, of Suffolk, and former State Senator C. Harding Walker, of Northumberland.

John Edgar Crank, express messenger who runs between Washington and Norfolk, was charged in police court of Richmond yesterday with theft of a \$20 pair of shoes from a box consigned from a Rochester factory to a local retail firm. It was testified he presented the shoes to his wife as a gift, and that when they found to fit her an effort was made to exchange them. A merchant said that the shoes cost him \$12.75 a pair wholesale and that he was retailing them for \$20. Justice Crutchfield reserved his decision until March 13 when another charge against Crank of stealing a revolver will be heard.

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Bleached bang cloth, 1 1/2 yards wide, regular price \$1.00, special 69c

Sale of Clever Blouses
Crepe de chine waists, odd garments of our regular stock that sells regularly \$6.95, \$8.50, \$9.98 and up to \$12.98 at—
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- "Vanto" No pin bands for infants, silk and wool and mercerized, specially priced.
- Velvet hand bags, brown or blue, worth up to \$3.98 at \$1.98
- Children's \$1.98 bags special \$1.00
- Women's fine colored border handkerchiefs, regular 25c, special 15c
- Fine pearl beads, regular \$1.25, special \$1.00
- Bag top for making fancy silk and velvet hand bags, regular \$1.00, special 75c
- Jet beads, regular \$1.75, special \$1.00
- Dragon Spool Cotton, 8 spools \$1.00
- Children's hose supporters \$1.00
- Black or bronze hair pin cabinets \$1.00
- Finery Snappers, special \$1.00
- Paper pins, special \$1.00

Home Specials

- Women's silk hose in black and white, regular \$3.50, special \$2.50
- Women's silk hose in black and white, regular \$2.50, special \$1.75
- Women's silk hose, black and white, regular \$2.98, special \$2.00
- Women's silk hose in black and white, regular \$2.50, special \$1.75
- Women's silk hose in navy, black, white, regular \$1.75, special \$1.00
- Women's silk hose, black only, regular \$1.00, special 83c
- Ladies' silk hose with seam, black and navy, special \$1.00, 59c
- Children's fine rib hose, black and white, special \$1.00, 39c and 49c