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When this disease gets hold of you with all its accompanying tortures, you require a remedy about which there is no uncertainty—something that will quickly drive out the cold, restore the blood to a normal condition, leave you free from aches and pains, and prevent any distressing after effects. That's

PAIN-KILLER

No other remedy so effective, none so certain of results. Teaspoonful doses in hot milk or water, every 2 hours, will break it up in a single day if taken when first attacked.

PERRY DAVIS & SON, Providence, R. I.

PORTSMOUTH ADVERTISEMENTS

ANYONE DESIRING THEIR HOUSES cleaned can call at 325 King street, and get a first-class job. Price, \$2. Mr. 16-34

POTATOES.

Michigan Early Rose for seed, and Burbank's for eating. Will unload THIS SATURDAY MORNING. To be sold cheap by THE E. C. BROOKS CO., March 17th. 311 and 113 High street.

Rents Collected—Monthly Returns Made.

The old agency in the city. We have fifty-five satisfied landlords, and can save you money. JNO. L. WATSON, Portsmouth, Va.

Special For Monday.

Five Evaporated Apples 10c. or 3 pounds for 25c.

Fourbank 4 pound packages of Gold Dust and 1 bar of Gold Laminar Soap for 25c. 1 pound of Good Tea and 2 pounds of Granulated Sugar for 35c.

Boston Baked Beans, 12c per can. C. W. HUDGINS & CO., 302 Crawford street.

NOTICE.

We desire to call the attention of our friends and the public generally to our new line of Silk and Woollen Spring Dress Suits, at \$2 and 40 cents per yard. These fabrics are of the latest styles, and are of a most excellent quality. In black and blue, at 50 cents per yard. 36 and 38 inch Serges, Henriettes, Storm Serges, etc. 25 and 31 cents per yard.

A beautiful line of Fan y Woodsteads, 35 inches wide, 16 cents per yard.

Lovely India Silks for dresses and ladies' waists, 60 cents per yard.

A full line of H. B. Wilkins' Black Dress Suits in plain and figure, etc.

Another case of those large Marseilles Quilts, \$1.12 1/2 cents each, worth twice the cost.

We are the cheapest well made Ladies' Muslin Underwear in the city.

Agents for Butterick's Patterns.

W. C. NASH, 220 High street.

OXFORD HALL. OXFORD HALL.

Tuesday Night, March 19th.

POLK MILLER'S DIALECT RECITAL.

An Evening of Story and Song on "Old Times Down South."

Delighting the Old Plantation Negro.

BENEFIT OF GRIMES BATTERY. Mr. 14-44

Hotel Portsmouth, PORTSMOUTH, VA.

R. R. CARDNER, - - Manager.

Eighty-five commodious and well furnished rooms. Parlor, Private Ladies' Entrance, and every convenience.

Efficient catering and chef recently engaged. Table unexcelled.

RATES—\$2 and \$2.50 per day; \$30 and upwards per month. Excellent hotel for families.

SAY, GIRLS!

Tell your brothers that they can save just \$15 by buying a



Waverly Bicycle!

Call at our store and let us show you the materials that make this wheel so good.

\$75 & \$85 IS OUR PRICE.

COLUMBIA, EAGLE and RAMBLER, sold on easy payments.

W.N. WHITE'S SPORTING HOUSE, 224 HIGH STREET, - PORTSMOUTH, VA.

PORTSMOUTH NEWS

PORTSMOUTH BY PIECEMEAL

Odds and Ends of City News Collected Into Attractive Mosaic.

SWORE SHE CUT HERSELF.

Portsmouth Editor of the News and Courier. Condition Master Tom Robinson. Carried off All the Chickens. Season for Baseball Practice.

St. Patrick's Day.

Nothing has been heard from Gardner as yet.

The street car line now runs via Court street to the navy yard.

Mr. Charles White and wife will to-morrow night for the North.

The sale of seats for Polk Miller's entertainment will be on Monday.

Dr. E. A. Owen left last night for Roanoke, where he will preach to day.

Mr. Nathan Levy presented all his customers yesterday with a leaf of shamrock.

The March term of the County Court will begin to-morrow. It will be only a civil term.

The meeting for men at Central M. E. Church this afternoon promises to be very interesting.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cathriel, of Brighton, lost by death yesterday their 9-month-old daughter Mary.

Chicken thieves visited the home of Mr. Thomas, on Bart street, Friday night and carried off all his chickens.

Bishop Randolph will confirm a class at Trinity P. E. Church this morning at 11 o'clock. Communion will follow.

After Mr. Mulvey vacates the Central Hotel there will be but one hotel in the city, the St. Elmo being closed.

The primary election in this city will not be held before the 2nd day of April. But little interest is being manifested.

Mr. George E. Orley and Miss Martha Etheredge will be married this afternoon at the residence of the bride's parents.

A runaway horse created quite an excitement on Glasgow street yesterday morning. He smashed up things generally.

It is said that a number of Northern gentlemen who have an idea of investing in this locality will arrive here this morning.

The baseball season for practice will commence this week, but the regular League games will not commence until next month.

Work on the sewers will be commenced on Monday if the weather is favorable. They will commence on First street.

Mr. Johnson Tabb, who was paralyzed a few days ago, is said to be in a critical condition. The whole of his right side is affected.

It is said that the costs of running an electric car is \$4 a day, and with two attached it is \$8. This is only for the power, motorman and conductor.

The entertainment given by the Sunbeam Society of the Court Street Presbyterian Church will be repeated to-morrow night at the same place.

Politics are getting warm in the county. Now it is said that when the district meetings are held a lively fight will be made in favor of coalition.

By request, Miss Kate Beaton, alto, and Mr. L. B. Walton, tenor, will sing "Abide With Me," air from Lambeth, at Trinity Church, at the night service.

The trustees of Bain & Bro. will pay another dividend of 10 per cent. to those who have certificate of deposits. They will commence paying on the 20th inst.

The Hibernians and St. Joseph Societies will have their annual supper to-morrow night at Elks' Hall in honor of St. Patrick. A pleasant evening will be spent.

Mr. A. B. Griffin, city editor of the Portsmouth Progress, has accepted a position as Portsmouth city editor of the News and Courier. He will assume charge on Monday.

The City Council will hold a special meeting on Tuesday night to hear the specification in reference to lighting the city for five years and adopt the same and instruct the committee to advertise for bids, etc.

The case of Melvin White, who is charged with the robbery of Preston White's store on March 8th, was called up in the Mayor's Court yesterday and continued for want of testimony. The other two men were discharged.

There will be another meeting of the Police Commissioners to-morrow night to investigate a charge of an officer leaving his beat and going in a pool room in the county. The officer says he will be able to prove his innocence.

Yesterday afternoon a colored boy, while playing with a girl, had a tin broken off in his arm, which embedded itself deep under the skin. He went to the office of Dr. V. G. Culpepper, who cut it out after considerable trouble.

Young Tom Roberson, who was so badly hurt at the polo game in Norfolk on Wednesday night, is still unable to either eat or drink. His physician will not allow him to have any company and still considers his case a critical one.

The negro woman Mary Jane Randall, who had her head so badly cut on Friday night, appeared in the Mayor's Court yesterday and made oath that she fell and cut herself, consequently the party for whom a warrant was issued was not arrested.

The regular meeting of the society will be held to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. The following programme will be carried out: Recitation, by Miss Thurston, of Berkeley; recitation, by Miss Zameo; solo, by little Bessie

Ernest; recitation, by Miss McCann; address, by Rev. Sam W. Small, of Norfolk, Va.

Hon. John W. H. Porter will read a historical sketch before the members of Stonewall Camp to-morrow night. The public will be welcome.

The Circuit Court of Norfolk county yesterday granted an absolute divorce to Mrs. Annie M. Ransome from Thomas Ransome. She will now resume here maiden name, which was Annie M. White.

Maud Ricks made complaint at the station-house yesterday that her daughter was incorrigible and beyond her control. The girl was given to understand what she might expect if she was brought into court.

Officer Wininger arrested Reuben Wilson yesterday afternoon and charged him with being the man who bit the Court street colored woman in the head with a hammer. He was locked up for examination on Monday.

A. M. C. A. Notes.

We wish to remind the public that we have a good circulating library, which any one may have the use of upon the payment of 25 cents per month, or \$2 for the entire year. The \$2 will also include membership for one year in the association.

It is expected that the members entertained for this month will be given on Thursday evening, March 28.

The Committee of Visitation of the sick are anxious to render all the aid possible to any young men, and will gladly call on any whose name and address are left at the rooms. People keeping boarding-houses are asked to keep this in mind.

The young men who attend our meetings are invited to go to-day to Central Church and assist in that service.

Our practical talks are creating a good deal of interest abroad as well as at home.

Several of the gentlemen who have assisted us have been asked to deliver their talks elsewhere.

The regular meeting this afternoon will be suspended, as at 3 o'clock a meeting for men only will be held at Central Church.

Religious.

Court Street Baptist Church.—At this church Dr. M. B. Walton will preach both morning and night. Dr. A. E. Owen has been asked to go to Roanoke to fill the pulpit of Dr. Broughton, who is preaching at the Freemason Street Baptist Church, Norfolk.

Monumental M. E. Church, South.—Preach at 11 a.m. and at 8 p.m. by the pastor, Rev. T. McN. Simpson.

Central M. E. Church.—Preaching by Rev. L. V. Bransford, of Danville, at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Rev. L. V. Bransford will preach a special sermon to men only this evening at 8 o'clock. All men are invited.

GRAND EASTER SALE

Of Fashionable Dress Goods To-morrow Morning at 10 O'clock, at Ham-mill's.

Hundreds of yards of fashionable Easter "dress fabrics," arrived yesterday direct from New York City. These goods will be placed upon our counters to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock, and if you want to participate in this feast of bargains try and get here as early as possible, for we have no hesitancy in stating that in all our business career we have never come before such an array of strong attractions as will be found in this "Easter sale of dress fabrics." Indeed, detailed description of this magnificent exhibit is simply impossible, but the following are worthy of notice:

One lot 40-inch wide changeable jacquards, in novel effects, worth 40c, a yard, at 25c.

One lot 32-inch wide melange suitings, in seven colorings, worth 20c, a yard, at 10c.

One lot novelty chevron (something entirely new), worth 60c, a yard, at 40c.

One lot 38-inch wide diagonal novelty (just out), worth 65c, a yard, at 45c.

One lot 46-inch wide galatea cloth, in Lavender, Pink and Blue stripes, worth 75c, a yard, at 49c.

One lot 32-inch wide vicuna plaids, in beautiful spring effects, worth 16c, a yard, at 12c.

42-inch wide black all wool serge, worth 85c, a yard, at 62c, while the 65c quality will be sold at 49c, per yard.

Tulle silk, in changeable effects (exquisite patterns), worth \$1, at 85c.

We shall also include in this sale one lot table linens, worth 75c, a yard, at 59c.

Another lot, 60 inch wide nublached linens, worth 60c, a yard, at 45c.

We shall place a case of those \$1.50 white counterpanes in this sale, at 98c, each. Sale begins promptly at 10 o'clock to-morrow (Monday) morning, March 18th. These prices are for cash only. Ham-mill's, 320 High street.

Duffy's Malt Whiskey and pure blackberry juice for medicinal purposes at C. E. Jones', corner of County and Middle streets.

Lamps, silk shades, wire frames, doll carriages, toilet sets, pictures, tables, rockers and everything else at Crawford's Furniture and Carpet House.

Important Information.

We are gradually completing our stock of fine and well made clothing for the coming spring. We have the reputation for selling the newest, noblest and best fitting clothing in the two cities, at the lowest possible prices. Breslau & Anthony, 114 High street.

Spring Opening.

Full line of new spring suitings just received. Look at our window display, suits made to order, \$12.50, \$14, \$15, \$16, \$18, \$20 and \$22.50. M. Rosenbaum, 116 and 118 High street, Portsmouth, Va.

A BURGLAR SHOT IN THE HIP

The Plan to Rob Mr. Walter Codd's Store Frustrated by the Owner.

TIMELY WARNING BY A BOY.

The Back Window Made Ready for the Midnight Raid. Messrs. Matthews and Codd Stand Guard. The Burglars, Brown and Harrell, Former Shot.

On Thursday night an attempt was made to enter Mr. Walter Codd's store on Green street, which proved fruitless. On Friday morning a colored boy named Charles Britt told Mr. Codd that he knew of a plot that had been made by Moses Brown and George Harrell to rob his store that night, and that if he would take a walk in the rear of his store he would find that a pin, which held an iron bar across an unused window, had been removed so that they could enter that night.

Mr. Codd thanked the boy and kept his secret to himself. In the afternoon he sent for his friend ex-Police Officer Chas. H. Matthews, and told him of what he had heard and asked him if he would stay at the store with him that night. Mr. Matthews said he would, and the two men remained there until 12 m., the time for closing. In the mean time Brown and Harrell came in the store, got a drink and walked to the back of the store and then came back and went out.

Mr. Codd watched them and, of course, knew what their object was, which was to see if the window was all right. He let it remain like it was and when he thought came he closed the store as usual and left, but Mr. Matthews remained secreted in the store.

After being absent for a little while Mr. Codd returned and was let in the back way by Matthews; then he and Mr. Matthews secreted themselves behind some canvass. They did not have long to wait before up went the window and in came Brown, while Harrell waited at the window. Brown advanced to the centre of the store, then Matthews and Codd jumped up and called on him to surrender.

Harrell saw that Brown was caught, dropped the window and ran. Brown made for the window, but finding it down and guarded, started for the front part of the store with the intention of trying to get out. As he did so Matthews fired at him. He then made for them. Matthews fired the second shot, which hit Brown in the thigh. By this time Codd had grappled with Brown, who showed fight and seized Codd, who broke loose and hit him over the head with a chair, knocking him down. He was then secured and carried to the station house by Matthews, who reported the facts to Lieut. Only.

By this time Brown had become weak from loss of blood. Dr. Chas. Culpepper was sent for and extracted the ball. Brown admitted that he was in the store and showed fight. He then implicated the other two, Geo. Harrell and Chas. Britt. Both of them were soon arrested. Harrell was locked up but Britt was released for his appearance on yesterday. The Lieutenant thinking that if Britt had been connected with the robbery he would not have informed Mr. Codd. Mr. Matthews was allowed to go and was recognized to appear against Brown when needed. Yesterday Brown was so badly off that he could not move and complained of being very sore. He was committed to such a time as he will be able to appear.

When the Chill Mists of the Morning

Hang like a pall over the surface of the earth, it will be well for you before venturing into that fog of vaporous air, charged, perhaps, with the seeds of malaria or provocative of rheumatic twinges, to take a whiff of the sweetest of all scents—the fragrance of Chamberlain's Stomach Bitters—and thus shield yourself from atmospheric influences threatening to health. If you happen to get sore-throated or run down by the same preventive and avoid the rheumatism or a dangerous cold. The agreeable warmth infused into the air by the medicinal stomachic, is invigorating and refreshing. It is perfectly commensurate with the fact that this prevention is better than cure. Use the Bitters for dyspepsia, biliousness, nervousness and kidney trouble, sick headache and debility.

Setting Out to Make a Change in the Firm.

The entire stock of the Famous Shoe Store, 220 High street, is offered for sale at cost, and in some cases far below cost. The name of this well-known firm has been a household word to the shoe-buying people of this section for the past five years and the merits of their stock are easily answered when you consider their phenomenal success during their career. There will be a change in the firm on or about March 15th, and until then we have to dispose of our entire stock regardless of cost prices. All parties having claims against said firm present them at once, and all parties indebted must be requested to settle same without delay at the Famous Shoe Store, 220 High street. If

Our spring stock of hats includes the latest styles in stiff, Fedora, tourist and cloth; in fact we have any styles that you may wish. In children's hats we have an immense variety of the latest fads and novelties, for both girls and boys. Chas. H. Walton & Co., 332 and 334 High street.

Read! Read!

We must have room. Three thousand yards beautiful spring gingham, reduced from 12c to 6c per yard; 3,000 yards Turkey red table damask, reduced from 25c to 15c per yard; 3,000 yards extra fine all linen crash, reduced from 10c to 6c per yard. A. J. Phillips, under Oxford Hall.

Charles H. Sturtevant, funeral director and embalmer, 308 Third street, corner Harrison.

MUNYON

FURNISHES THE PROOF

Unimpeachable Evidence That His Remedies Do Cure Disease.

Gen. A. R. Catlin, formerly Deputy Surveyor of the port of New York, is a veteran of the army and a well-known Republican politician. He says: "For years I suffered from asthma. I consulted many well known specialists, but failed to obtain any relief until I used Munyon's Catarrh Cure. They completely restored me to health."

Dr. George F. Brooks, 15 Tremont street, Cambridgeport, Mass., says: "I use Munyon's Remedies extensively in my practice. I have never seen an medicine that cures so quickly and thoroughly."

Dr. E. R. Brown, 1208 West avenue, Buffalo, N.Y., says: "A patient of mine was a great sufferer from dyspepsia. My remedy afforded him but little relief, but since taking Munyon's by P. S. Cure he has entirely recovered."

It is a well known fact that hundreds of testimonials could be printed of those who have been cured of Rheumatism, Dyspepsia, Catarrh, Kidney and Liver Complaints, Asthma, Bronchitis, Coughs and Colds, and all forms of nervous disorders.

Munyon's Remedies act almost instantly, speedily curing the most obstinate cases. Rheumatism cured in from one to three days. Dyspepsia and all stomach troubles quickly relieved. Catarrh positively cured. Headache cured in five minutes. Nervous diseases promptly cured. Coughs and Colds effectually cured, and Kidney Troubles, Piles, Neuritis, Asthma and all Female complaints quickly cured. These remedies are sold by all druggists, mostly for 25c per bottle. Munyon's Vitalizer imparts new life and vigor to weak and debilitated men. Price, \$1.

Those who are in doubt as to the nature of their diseases should address Prof. Munyon, 1606 Arch street, Philadelphia, giving full symptoms of their disease. Prof. Munyon will carefully diagnose the case and give you the remedy of his advice absolutely free of all charge. The Remedies will be sent to any address on receipt of retail price.

The Well Intentioned Mistake.

The well intentioned man overheard two women talking together in the cable car, and he immediately let down the portable of his car, for the well intentioned man always seems to insert himself into the affairs of other people.

"I tell you he is a perfect tyrant," said woman No. 1.

"I haven't a doubt of it," says woman No. 2.

"I will listen to this poor woman's tale," thought the well intentioned man, "and perhaps I may be able to assist the poor soul."

"Yes, he is a regular tyrant and despot. He has no mercy on me whatever. He rules the whole house like a regular czar."

"Of course he does," said woman No. 2.

"I shall have to offer my services to this poor downtrodden woman," thought the well intentioned man.

"Yes, he rides over the whole of us rough shod, and sometimes when he gets on the rampage he breaks everything he can lay his hands on."

"Madam," said the well intentioned man, who could stand it no longer, "madam, my services are at your disposal. Let me go to your home and intercede with your tyrannical husband."

"He isn't my husband at all, you simpleton," snapped woman No. 1. "He's my 9-month-old baby—bless his precious little soul!"—New York World.

How to Make Stout Drawing Paper Transparent.

This can be done by simply brushing the paper over with Canada balsam, thinned down when necessary with a little oil of turpentine. Any paper capable of the transfer of a drawing in ordinary ink, pencil or water colors can be made as transparent as the thin yellowish paper at present used for tracing purposes. The liquid used is benzine. It at once assumes transparency and permits of the tracing being made and of ink or water colors being used on its surface without running. The paper resumes its opacity as the benzine evaporates, and if the tracing is not completed the requisite portion of the paper must be again damped with it.

High street, Portsmouth Insurance Company's building, next to Crawford's, is the place to buy shoes cheap and good. Call and see. L. C. Long & Son.

H. B. Wilkins has just received a cargo of choice No. 1 stove and nut coal. Phone 918.

"Perhaps you would not think so, but a very large proportion of disease in New York comes from carelessness about catching cold," says Dr. Cyrus Edson. "It is such a simple thing and so common that few people, unless it is a case of pneumonia, pay any attention to a cold. There are a great many cases of catarrh and consumption which have their origin in this neglect of the simplest precaution of every day life. The most sensible advice is, when you have one get rid of it as soon as possible. By all means do not neglect it." Dr. Edson does not tell you how to cure a cold, but we will. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It will relieve the lungs, aid expectoration, open the secretions and soon effect a permanent cure. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by all druggists.

Such a Stock.

Its immensity is surprising. Spring novelties in suits for old and young. Suits in every shade and style, high and low prices, ranging from \$5, \$6, \$7 to \$25. Just received a case of children's combination suits, two pants and cap, at popular prices. Look out for the greatest suit of the age, our blue Middlesex waterproof suits, Levy & Jacobs, 200 High street.

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And such has been the policy of the Pioneer of the Insurance Business of Norfolk.

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205 AND 207 CHURCH STREET.

It may savor of bad taste to sing our own praise, yet we do so, without fear of contradiction, and each year, as our facilities increase, we become better able to accommodate our friends and patrons.

Such Liberal Terms Were Never Offered Before to the Good People of Norfolk.

\$100 Worth of Goods, \$2 Down and \$2 a Week.

\$75 Worth of Goods, \$1.50 Down and \$1.50 a Week.

\$50 Worth of Goods, \$1 Down and \$1 a Week.

\$25 Worth of Goods, 50c. Down and 50c. a Week.

Doctoring Tea Leaves.

According to the police reports, a firm in London was recently convicted of doctoring used tea leaves and selling them for leaves which had not yet been infused. The ingenious method adopted was to collect from large restaurants spent leaves and to subject them to a kind of withering process. This was achieved by projecting them through a red-hot iron pipe, out of which they came curled up and dried ready to be resold—we trust not to the restaurants from which they came.

The business appears to have been a flourishing one, for it came out in evidence that more than 6,000 pounds weight of this "revived" tea had been sold in less than two months. Unfortunately for the promoters of the industry, an old act of parliament has declared that the sale of spent tea leaves is illegal, and so, for the present, these leaves, except for what use the housewife makes of them, must still remain a waste product.—Chambers' Journal.

How to Make Sweetbread Salad.

To make this for six people soak three sweetbreads in clear water for an hour. Then boil and pick to pieces, removing all gristle and fat. Break up into rather small pieces. Pour over this a rich mayonnaise dressing. Lay on lettuce leaves.

KNOWLEDGE

Brings comfort and improvement and tends to personal enjoyment when rightly used. The many who live better than others and enjoy life more, with less expenditure, by more promptly adapting the world's best products to the needs of physical being, will attest the value to health of the pure liquid laxative principles embraced in the remedy, Syrup of Figs.

Its excellence is due to its presenting in the form most acceptable and pleasant to the taste, the refreshing and truly beneficial properties of a perfect laxative; effectually cleansing the system, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers and permanently curing constipation. It has given satisfaction to millions and met with the approval of the medical profession, because it acts on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels without weakening them and it is perfectly free from every objectionable substance.

Syrup of Figs is for sale by all druggists in 50c and \$1 bottles, but it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, whose name is printed on every package, also the name, Syrup of Figs, and being well informed, you will not accept any substitute if offered.

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