

CAPTURED A BURGLAR

Who is Believed to be Responsible for Seventeen Bold Burglaries in Richmond.

ANOTHER MURDER MYSTERY IN HENRICO

Cleveland Contemned in Meeting Declared Off-Gen. John B. Gordon as Commander of the Army in Case of War—A Man With a Guilty Conscience—Capital Notes.

Richmond, Va., Dec. 30.—(Special).—The Legislature will be in session again one week from to-day. An unusually long recess was taken largely on account of the fact that there was no important legislation demanding immediate attention.

The proposed gathering to condemn Mr. Cleveland's message has been declared off. As stated a few days ago the alleged reason is that a rival gathering might result in much bitterness of feeling.

A white man who gave his name as George F. Coe walked up to Policeman Hannon yesterday and surrendered himself as a fugitive from justice.

The Manchester police made an important capture yesterday in the arrest of a man named Frank Wilson, who broke into and robbed the residence of Mr. Maurice...

"In the event of a declaration of war the people of the North would, I am confident, rather see Gen. John B. Gordon put in command of the army than any other man in the country," said Capt. J. Q. Levin...

Mrs. Jane Riddick, one of the oldest residents of Church Hill, and the widow of the late James A. Riddick, died yesterday morning at 5 o'clock...

Henrico county authorities have another murder mystery to solve. Yesterday the 3-year-old daughter of Lizzie Henderson, colored, who resides just outside the city, died under suspicious circumstances.

Rev. Dr. W. G. Church, of Broad-Street Methodist Church, last night, in his sermon, condemned the practice of kissing among young people.

A charter was granted by Judge E. C. Minor to the Piedmont Gold Belt Chartered Company to-day for mining purposes in Virginia and other States and Territories of the United States.

Upon the application of S. A. Cornick, Judge B. R. Welford sitting for Judge E. C. Minor, entered an order appointing Mr. Rand Willford receiver of F. D. Hill & Co., of Richmond.

Dyspepsia Relieved. "I have been taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills for dyspepsia and have been entirely relieved."

SMITHFIELD, VA.

Smithfield, Va., Dec. 30.—(Special).—A good deal of talk is heard here just now about the proposed electric railway from this town to Suffolk.

A most successful bazaar and entertainment, under the management of Mrs. H. P. Chapman, has for the benefit of the M. E. Church, been brought to a close at the Opera House.

Mr. Ringold Guy and Mr. "Billie" Robertson, and Mr. Albert Hume, of Norfolk, spent Friday and Saturday here, and "barraged" of fun they had.

Mr. George Booker, of Hampton, is here on a visit. A notorious fact—the average village postmaster has a great many enemies, and are constantly marked for criticism.

ELIZABETH CITY.

Elizabeth City, N. C., Dec. 30.—(Special).—Miss Neppie Burgess left to-day for Greensboro N. C., to attend the female college at that place.

Mr. Fred Shipp, who has been visiting his family, on Pearl street, returned to his home, in Norfolk, to-day.

Mr. R. T. Bell left yesterday to take charge of a school in Camden county.

Mr. Jacob Salamonsky, of Norfolk, is here on a short visit to Mr. Louis Selig, on Road street.

Mr. C. L. Pettit and sister, of Norfolk, came out Saturday to spend Sunday with their many friends at this place.

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HERTFORD, N. C.

Hertford, N. C., Dec. 30, 1895.—(Special).—They were quite a number of visitors in town last week.

Mrs. Thad. Banks, and children, of Indian Creek, are visiting Mrs. Tim Morgan, on Grubb street.

Miss Blanche White, of Littleton, N. C., is the guest of Mrs. M. H. White.

Mr. and Mrs. Etheridge and daughters are in town.

Miss Mary Perry and Mr. Jim Modlin were united in the holy bonds of matrimony last Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock.

EDENTON, N. C.

Edenton, N. C., Dec. 30.—(Special).—Miss Julia Smyth, who has been engaged as saleslady with A. C. & R. S. Mitchell for several months, left Saturday for Baltimore for home.

The large congregation that attended the morning and evening services at the Baptist Church Sunday were treated to some pretty singing by its excellent choir.

Mr. Wm. C. Jones, one of our oldest citizens, died Sunday afternoon at his home, on East Queen street, after a long illness.

Low Holiday Rates B. & O. R. R. On December 23d, 24th, 25th and 31st and January 1st tickets will be sold from Norfolk to Wilmington, Del., and return at \$6.75.

Messrs. Horace S. Peed and James M. Jordan have formed a partnership under the firm name of F. M. Peed & Son.

NEWPORT NEWS NUGGETS.

Meeting of the Business Men's Association—Minor News Notes.

Newport News, Va., Dec. 30.—(Special).—About thirty Masons went to Hampton yesterday to celebrate St. John's day with the order of that city.

Mr. C. E. Doyle's private car will bring down quite a party to attend the german Wednesday night. The use of it has been tendered Mr. Charles Walker, assistant superintendent of the Chesapeake and Ohio.

The steamship Chickahominy entered to-day with a large cargo for this and Western ports.

Miss Shields, of the Sherwood, Old Point, is the guest of Mrs. H. B. Bailey, of Norfolk, on Friday and Saturday here, and "barraged" of fun they had.

The Young Men's Christian Association will give an entertainment to the members and their friends to-morrow night.

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The young folks who were disappointed on Friday night last in the non-arrival of music from Norfolk, for their german, which, of course, had to be postponed.

BEAUFORT, N. C.

Beaufort, Va., Dec. 30.—(Special).—Mr. Charles Abernethy and wife arrived Friday night from the Atlanta Exposition.

The Episcopal Sunday School had a Christmas tree Friday night. The church was handsomely decorated with evergreens and potted plants.

Some one attempted to break in the dwelling of Capt. John Beverage, on Friday night. His sister gave the alarm and two gallant youths just returning home from their best girl's society went to her rescue and the would-be burglar fled.

A wild cat of tremendous size was killed four miles from town Thursday. This is something remarkable as it is the second one ever killed around here.

A colored boy, of Morehead City, on last Wednesday shot and fatally injured a boy with a powder gun, tearing part of his shoulder away.

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Rev. Julian Humley, who has been spending Christmas with his family at this place, left this week for his station, Hertford, N. C.

Publications Received.

"Review of Reviews." The January number of this publication is to hand from the publishers, in New York city. It contains some very interesting articles, among them are, "Wars and How to Avoid Them," "The Constitution," "Abdul Harniel," "Sultan of Turkey," "A Character Sketch," "Israel among Nations," "The Jews of New York," and "A Classical Record of the Months," American and Foreign news.

"I" sallow, ghastly complexion, covered with unsightly pimples and eruptions, becomes clear again by the use of

Dr. Deane's Dyspepsia Pills.

Indigestion and constipation are the chief causes of an ashy face and ugly blotches. These pills will cure them. Send for a free sample.

DR. J. A. DEANE CO., Kingston, New York.

For sale at all Druggists, or cents.

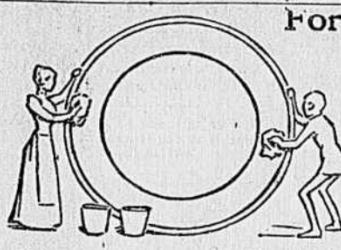
Dainty Jewelry.

A stock of UP-TO-DATE JEWELRY, embracing all the good things that have ever been produced for this season's sales, in

Brooches of Enamel and Diamond Wreaths, Wings and Novel Combinations.

Miniature Pins are the latest fad, and I have all the best Miniatures in the most attractive settings.

Diamond Sleeve Links, New Scarf Pins, Opal, Ruby, Sapphire, Emerald and Diamond Cluster Ear Screens.



For washing Dishes, there's nothing like Pearline.

Why don't you begin the use of it in that way, if you're one of the timid sisters who still think that Pearline "eats the clothes?"

Then you can sock things in it for a year or two, and test it in every way, until you become convinced that Pearline can't do any harm.

Send Peddlers and some unscrupulous grocers will tell you "this is as good as soap" or "the same as Pearline." IT'S FALSE—Pearline is never peddled, and if your grocer sends you something in place of Pearline, be honest—send it back.

Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Bronchial Affections, Etc.

Are promptly relieved by the use of COMPOUND SYRUP WHITE PINE AND TAR. A remedy which combines in the highest degree efficiency and palatability.

For Saturday's Marketing, and Every Day in the Week, Get the Best. Smithfield Ham, Fine Beef or Fine Groceries!

HEADS OF FAMILIES

Should remember that they can get at all times the BEST BEEF, MUTTON, SMOKED and FRESH MEATS AT

J. S. BELL & CO.'S.

QUEEN STREET MARKET, CORNER CHURCH AND QUEEN STREETS.

POSNER'S Great Reduction Sale HOLIDAY GOODS!

SALE WILL BEGIN MONDAY, DECEMBER 23D, AT 9 A. M.

- 15c. Moon Shape Mirrors, sale price 10c. 35c. white metal Inkstands, one or two glass bottles, sale price 25c. 15c. wood Inkstand, with pen holder and glass bottle, sale price 10c.

POSNER'S, 204 Main Street, Norfolk, Va.

SIDEBOARDS : MAIL ORDERS PROMPTLY FILLED! : BOOK CASES

THE KERN FURNITURE COMPANY, 24 Old Market Square.

Notwithstanding the enormous business done by us during the holidays, we have on hand an excellent and varied assortment of

Household Goods of Rare Beauty!

Consisting in part of Fine Parlor and Bedroom Suits, Lounges, Reed and Rattan Rockers, Desks, Sideboards, and, in fact, everything calculated to

Add to the Comfort and Beauty of Your Home!

Early callers will find values that shrewd, economic buyers will not allow to remain long. Special bargains in Wagons, Tricycles and Velocipedes for boys.

THE KERN FURNITURE COMPANY, 24 OLD MARKET SQUARE.

ROCKERS : GOODS DELIVERED FREE. : LAMPS

AUCTION SALES—FUTURE DAY.

A BISHOP'S SALE OF STOCK OF MERCHANT TAILORING, CLOTHING AND MEN'S FURNISHING GOODS, ETC.

By virtue of a deed of assignment executed by R. D. Nichols and W. A. Wallace, doing business under the firm name and style of Nichols & Wallace, dated the third day of December, 1895, and duly recorded, I have taken into my possession, as such trustee, all those two certain stocks of Merchant Tailoring, Clothing and Men's Furnishing Goods and all other property, including Tailors' Outfit, Furniture, Fixtures and appurtenances contained in storehouses No. 169 Main street, Norfolk, and No. 257 Washington avenue, Newport News, Virginia, respectively.

A competent agent has been placed in charge of said stock, who will for the present, under my direction, sell said stock and conduct the tailoring business at both stores as above mentioned.

All persons making purchases in the above lines will find it to their interest to call at said stores.

TERMS—CASH. det-tt WILLIAM N. PORTLOCK, Trustee.

THE ABOVE STOCK OF GOODS will be sold in lots or parcels to suit at public auction, commencing on THURSDAY, January 9, 1896, and continuing from day to day at the hours of 10 a. m. and 3 p. m.

THIS WEEK!

\$1.25 Letter Files

ONLY \$1 NET CASH.

OLD DOMINION PAPER CO.,

COMMERCIAL STATIONERS AND PRINTERS.

AUCTION SALES—THIS DAY.

TAYLOR & CO., Auctioneers, 202 MAIN STREET.

Will sell TO-DAY (Tuesday), 11 o'clock, at their auction rooms, as follows: Twenty Beautiful rooms, as follows: eight Carpets, ready-made, new and grain Carpets; two Pianos, 100 yards in Safes, three Bedroom Suits, two Iron Parlor Suits (cost \$250); three Heating Stoves; and other goods. Ladies invited to attend this sale. Every article will be sold without reserve.

AUCTION SALES—FUTURE DAY.

By virtue of a DEED OF TRUST made to Richard Walker, trustee, by the Old Dominion Brick, Tile and Manure Company, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Virginia, bearing date on the 11th day of April, in the year 1893, and recorded in office of Charles C. Hill, clerk of the court of Charles City county, Va., and at the request of the creditor therein, premises, I shall sell at public auction on the 1st day of January, in the year 1896, at 2 p. m., the following described premises:

ALL THAT PIECE OR PARCEL OF LAND, with the buildings and improvements thereon, situated in Charles City county, in the State of Virginia, north bank of the James river, being part of the farm known as "Sturgeon Point," and bounded and described as follows: to-wit: Beginning at ordinary low water mark at a cypress tree which

will be sold in lots or parcels to suit at public auction, commencing on THURSDAY, January 9, 1896, and continuing from day to day at the hours of 10 a. m. and 3 p. m.

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All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, commencing at a point on the West side of Armstrong street, 56 feet South of the southeast corner of "C" street 10 feet and parallel with "C" street 10 feet; thence South and parallel with Armstrong street 25 feet; thence East and parallel with "B" street 10 feet to Armstrong street; and thence North along the West side of Armstrong street 25 feet to the point of beginning.

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, commencing at a point on the West side of Armstrong street, 112 feet south of the southeast corner of "C" street 10 feet and parallel with "C" street 10 feet; thence South and parallel with Armstrong street 25 feet; thence East and parallel with "B" street 10 feet to Armstrong street; and thence North along the West side of Armstrong street 25 feet to the point of beginning.

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