PATTERSON---M'CUE.

INVESTIGATION OF THE LETTER CONTROVERSY.

Meeting of the Tobacco Association—Dr. Patterson Denies that He Endorsed Mr. McCue for any Political Office—The Action Taken.

A general meeting of the Tobacco Trade was held yesterday to consider the Patterson-McCue controversy. Dr. R. A. Patterson is president of the Trade. Mr. B. Taylor McCue is a member of the Trade, and also a prominent Republican. Some time recently the Doctor gave Mr. McCue a letter endorsing him highly, and signed the letter as president of the Tobacco Trade. The report became current that the letter was desired for use in obtaining a Federal consulship at Glasgow, Scotland. As many members of the trade did not approve of Mr. McCue, they objected to Dr. Patterson's action, claiming that the endorsation bound them. An investigation was begun, and the meeting yesterday was held to pursue it.

E. D. Christian, vice-president, took the chair, called the meeting to order, and said: "Gentlemen,—In explanation of this extraordinary session, I would state that at a meeting of your Board of Managers, held on Saturday last, in obedience to the expressed sentiment of members of the trade, that the Board should consider complaints against your president for having written what was in the opinion of the said members, a grandiloquent letter in behalf of Mr. B. T. McCue, and attaching thereto his official signature. At that meeting after hearing our president in his own defence, the conclusion was reached that he did not do it with the intent or purpose of doing any injury whatever to this Trade, or to any of its members individually, but they do think, however, that he exceeded his authority in using his official position for such purpose; they moreover requested the recall of the letter, and adjourned to this or such earlier day and hour as Dr. R. A. Patterson, our president, might find convenient to appear with the letter in question. Day before yesterday the board met again, at your president's request, at which meeting Dr. Patterson informed the board that he had the objectionable letter in his possession, having obtained it from Mr. McCue, but in the meanwhile the newspapers had made publications in regard to the matter, which gave it such publicity and caused so much discussion and dissatisfaction among members of the Trade as to the matter, caused it, in the judgment of your board, to assume proportions which put it beyond their right to deal with the question, and they so decided, and have referred the matter now to the Trade, that it may take such action as to it may deem proper, and the matter is now before this meeting."

"THE PRESIDENT

Dr. Patterson, who was present, here rose and said: "Mr. President, I rise sir, to a question of personal privilege. I have written a fair, honest and truthful statement of this transaction, and in regard to my relations to this letter. It is said that this letter was given to McCue for political purposes. It is said I signed that letter, binding every member of this Trade. If it binds any member of this Trade, it was not so intended. I am prepared to show that that letter has never been out of McCue's possession, has never been out of his house, and no use made of it as a business letter, or for any other purpose. I will state the facts in connection with this affair.

"Mr. McCue called on me and stated he had sold, or was about to sell, his property here; that his future home would be in the city of Washington; that he expected to engage in the real estate business there with a relative of his wife's, who had been a successful real estate man in that city, and he asked me if I would give him a letter. I said certainly, and wrote off hastily just such a letter as is usually given. I signed it 'R. A. Patterson, president of the Tobacco Association, because I thought it would be of no use to him signed R. A. Patterson, simply because I was not known. I did not think it would bind the association, and I thought it was only R. A. Patterson whose word had gone forth. There are remarks that I should have said that I don't give letters. I had never heard of any charge being preferred against McCue, and consequently had no reasons to refuse him on that score. On the contrary, McCue has in his possession a letter given him by his pastor, recommending him to the favorable consideration of all other churches.

WHEN IT WAS GIVEN.

"I gave this letter to McCue on Wednesday or Thursday of last week. I attended the called meeting of the Board of Managers, told them I was sorry I had given the letter, and as it seemed to have given offense, I would get it back. I went to McCue's, saw his father-in-law, who told me McCue had gone to Afton and would be back on Tuesday evening. On Wednesday morning I came by pretty early, and I said to him, 'since you have been gone reports have been current here that you were in Washington, and that your purpose in getting possession of that letter was to aid you in obtaining a consulship?' He said: 'I have evidence enough to prove that I have not been near Washington.' Mrs. McCue said: 'I have a letter which I received from Mr. McCue, showing that on Sunday he was in Albemarle county,' and McCue said: 'If you will write to your friend Fishburne, at Waynesboro, he will tell you all about it.' Mrs. McCue also said that soon after McCue's arrival home he commenced feeling in his pockets for that letter, and not finding it became very anxious about it, and I suggested it might be in some old clothes he had left at home, and she commenced a search and found the letter in one of the side pockets of his overcoat, which he had left behind. So that if I was wrong in giving him the letter, it had done no harm. And now I see in the Richmond papers, and where they got their authority from I don't know, a statement to the effect that I was a party to an attempt on the part of McCue to secure a Government position, and this impression has gone abroad. I had no such thought, in any connection with any foreign office or political office when I gave that letter. I felt deeply agrieved, and well I might feel agrieved.

QUESTION OF AUTHORITY.

"The question is, whether I had authority. As I have said before, there are numerous precedents, and, as I was not known in Washington, I gave the letter over my official signature. If an outsider had asked a letter, I would, of course, have declined; but as Mr. McCue was a member of our Trade, and I could not discriminate against him, for I know nothing of Mr. McCue outside of the Tobacco Exchange, and never had a transaction with him in my life. I may have heard rumors, but could not take cognizance of mere rumors, and he was a member of the Trade.

LOOSE MANAGEMENT.

"Just here let me say we have been too loose in the management of our affairs and the control of our members. Our membership should be purged, and those found unworthy should be excluded. We are presumed to be an association of gentlemen, and if we are, do you mean to tell me that your president shall for a moment hesitate to give any member who asks for it a letter of commendation? I don't think I did wrong in giving him the letter, but if I have given offense, I regret it. I ask that this letter containing my statement of this matter be read."

The letter which contained the embodiment of the above statement was read.

WANTED THE LETTER.

Major Boykin asked: "Where is the letter which was given McCue?"

Dr. Patterson: "What does the member wish with it? In my opinion, it should be sufficient for me to say that Mr. McCue has not the scratch of a pen from me, and any member who wishes to see it can do so."

This was not satisfactory, and the Trade demanded the production of the letter, which was read to the meeting. Here it is:

"To Whom It May Concern:

"I have known Mr. B. T. McCue for the past twenty years intimately as a member of the Tobacco Association of Richmond, and take great pleasure in bearing testimony of him as a gentleman of high integrity, uprightness of character, and gentlemanly bearing, and hereby solicit for him such courtesy as is always due a gentleman of his standing at home. Respectfully,

"R. A. PATTERSON,

"President Tobacco Exchange, Richmond, Va."

On motion, the Chair appointed Major T. M. Boykin, William D. Gibson, Frank Williams, P. L. Wormley and Thomas Atkinson a committee to report suitable resolutions to be adopted by the trade, disclaiming any political motives in demanding the retraction of this McCue letter, which committee reported as follows:

Whereas it appears that Dr. R. A. Patterson, president of the Tobacco Trade, has given, over his official signature, a general recommendation of the strongest character to B. Taylor McCue, a member of this Trade, in which this Trade, without its knowledge or consent, has thus been made to concur; and whereas there is no sanction in the laws of this trade for the giving of such papers to any person, no matter what may be his standing, and every reason in this case, were the laws otherwise, for not giving the particular paper issued; and whereas in public prints here and elsewhere, in anticipation of any action of this Trade on the subject, it has been stated that the Trade objects to the action of our president in this connection, such statements have at least left it to be inferred that such objection lies upon the ground of political differences between said McCue and a majority of the members of this Trade; therefore

Resolved, That while exonerating our president, for whom we entertain the most kindly feelings, from any intentional violation of authority in this instance, we feel bound, in justice to the public as well as to ourselves, to express our disapproval of his action in this case, first, because he has no legal or moral right without our knowledge and consent to take such action, and, secondly, because in this instance the Trade could in no wise sanction such commendation.

"Resolved, That we indignantly denounce the idea that this Trade, which is a business association, whose sole purpose is to conduct the tobacco business, and who especially eschew the discussion of political questions, is or could be governed in its action by considerations of objection to the Republican party. The best disproof of such a charge lies in the fact that the present president of the association, when he was elected vice-president of the association, nearly three years ago, and was thus put by the custom of the Trade into the line of certain succession to its presidency, he was not in full sympathy with the political views of the majority of his associates in this Trade, but was elected on account of his high character."

The Chair asked what the pleasure of the Trade was as to the resolutions. It was moved that they be adopted, and Mr. Bosher offered the following as a substitute, which was rejected:

1. Resolved, That this association disclaims any connection with politics.

2. Resolved, That the statement of our president, the withdrawal of the letter in question and the evidence that it had not been used for political or (any other purposes) is satisfactory to this association.

The question recurring on the resolutions from the committe, they were adopted by the Trade.

PERSONAL MENTION.

People Going Away and Returning—Doing This and That.

The Atlanta papers report a beautiful wedding in that city Wednesday, when Miss Gertrude Snider and Lieutenant Leverette H. Walker, U. S. A., were married. Dr. Walter McCaw, surgeon of the post, a son of Dr. J. B. McCaw, of this city, was best man on the occasion.

The Masons of Richmond and Manchester will have a good old-time St. John's Day celebration this year. They will parade with several bands of music, then go to the Masons' Home and have a grand barbacue.

Mr. M. H. Bush, of Gettysburg Post, Boston, Mass., is in the city. He is pleasantly remembered as one of the leading spirits in the entertainment given R. E. Lee Camp in June, 1887, on their visit to Boston.

Colonel Thomas R. Marshall, of this city, will make a speech to Captain A. R. Hobbs, of Prince George Calvary, in delivering the flag presented to the Captain by the ladies of Prince George county.

Messrs. V. L. Turrentine and W. G. Freeman left yesterday morning for Charlotte, N. C., to attend a reception to be tendered Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Neisler (Miss Maggie Evans), of Manchester.

Rev. Dr. Hoge and Rev. Dr. Kerr will make addresses at the Old Market Hall to-morrow night on the occasion of the installation of Rev. Mr. Turnbull as permanent pastor.

Hon. A. H. H. Stuart and Dr. Hunter McGuire were at the Capitol yesterday. Mr. Stuart was Secretary of the Interior in Mr. Filmore's administration.

Governor McKinney has received an invitation to be present "Merchants' Week" in Savannah, Ga., but he declined to accept it.

Charles Bailey, colored, of Isle of Wight, was sent over to the penitentiary yesterday for two years, for grand larceny.

Miss Sallie Hamner, principal of the Institute, who has been ill for eight weeks, left for Old Point yesterday.

Senator J. W. G. Blackstone was present at the session of the Board of Chesapeake and its Tributaries yesterday.

Colonel William R. Aylett is mentioned for the judgeship made vacant by the recent death of Judge Jeffries.

Mrs. Charles E. Roper returned to Norfolk yesterday, after a pleasant visit to friends in Richmond.

Miss Lily Cayce will sail September 20th, with Rev. Dr. Kerr, for Europe, Egypt and the Holy Land.

Mrs. Dr. Jordan and little son, Hunter, are very ill at Mr. D. W. Bowles', 1019 west Floyd avenue.

Miss Grace Baker, of Church Hill, has returned from a visit to friends in Mathews county.

Governor McKinney will go up to Farmville to-day with Judge Irving, of that place.

Mr. James C. Lamb returned from New Kent county yesterday.

L. D. Yarrell, of Greenesville county, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Florence Nolting is visiting in Roanoke.

In the Courts.

Chancery Court.—The following decrees were ordered to be entered: Lizzie Johnson against Stephen Johnson, divorce; Yerby, trustee, against Yerby and others; A. D. Williams' executors against Grubbs' administrator and others; Ould & Carrington, trustees, against McFarland's administrators and others; Pulliam, guardian, against Norton and others; Bacon's trustee against Bacon's children and others; Bain, trustee, against H. M. Smith & Co.; Crisgan, Watkins & Co. against Minnegerode, McMurdo & Co.; Union Bank of Richmond against Harvey; P. L. Gunn against James Gunn and others, and Bolton and wife against J. L. Schoolcraft and others.

Hustings Court.—Christopher Rock (colored), grand larceny; found guilty of petit larceny and sent to jail for thirty days.

Preston Johnson (colored), housebreaking. Acquitted. The court meets at 11 o'clock to-day.

Supreme Court of Appeals.—Jones, Poindexter & Co. against Christian. Argued by Isaac Diggs and H. R. Pollard, Esqs., for appellant, and J. N. Stubbs and R. L. Montague, Esqs., for appellees.

Police Court.—Moses Bowler, charged with being drunk. Fined $2.

Edward McIntosh, abusing and threatening to shoot Robert W. Traylor. Dismissed.

Mrs. Phillip Davis, charged with assaulting and striking Ellen Brown and defrauding her of a pair of shoes. Dismissed.

Sarah Johnson (colored), charged with assaulting and abusing Anna Harrison. Continued until the 15th.

H. J. Clavers (colored), charged with being drunk. Fined $2.

Robert Banks (colored), charged with assaulting and beating Bettie Banks, his wife. Dismissed on payment of costs.

Edward Harris (colored), charged with assaulting and beating William Gatewood. Dismissed on payment of cost.

D. J. Wilson, charged with being drunk. Fined $2.

Kate Jasper, William Carter, and R. Logan (all colored), charged with keeping unlicensed dogs on their premises. Dismissed.

Cæsar Coleman, charged with depositing ashes in the street. Dismissed.

Walter Heedley, charged with allowing a vicious dog to run at large, and bite the child of C. H. Shaw. Ordered to be killed if found in the city after twenty-four hours.

Sarah Johnson (colored), charged with keeping a disorderly house. Continued until 15th.

Richard Eights (colored), charged with larceny. The warrant was issued in 1884, and being out of date, the case was dismissed.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS.

Chancery Court: W. H. Beveridge to Lewis Stewart and Mrs. E. J. Peyton, 30-278 feet on Moore, Oak and Harrison, $50; Isham T. Matthews to Samuel H. Pulliam, 30 feet on south side Moore street, between Harrison and Kinney, $300; Cornelius M. Stone to Kate A. Dodson, 27 3½-12 feet on east side Reservoir street, between Cary and Taylor, $3,700.

Henrico County: L. C. Twyman to Thomas F. Boyle, 28 feet on south side Marshall street, near Thirty-sixth, $300; River View Improvement Company to M. F. Hudnall, 50 feet on Meadow street, at northwest corner New York avenue, $250.

A War of Words.

The competitive debate between the Randolph Literary Society of the Young Men's Christian Association, and the Mu Sigma Rho, of Richmond College, was held in the college chapel last night. A large audience was present. The rostrum was beautifully decorated with lilies and ferns. Mr. J. E. Noftsinger, president of the Mu Sigma Rho Society, made the address of welcome, and after a duet by Miss Lillian Arnold and Mrs. Loockerman, the debate began.

The question, "Resolved, That the United States west of the Mississippi will eventually become the dominant portion of the country," was opened on the affirmative by Mr. J. W. Gorden, of the Randolph Society.

Mr. E. W. Greaner, spoke for the Mu Sigma Rho. Mr. C. M. Wallace, Jr., of the Randolph Society, closed the affirmative. Mr. W. O. Carver, of the Mu Sigma Rho, closed the debate for the negative.

The judges were T. C. Garrett, Dr. Julian T. Wright and Andrew Broadus, and after an earnest consultation decided in favor of the affirmative. Mr. C. W. Morris, president of the Randolph Society, closed the exercises with a few well-chosen and appropriate remarks.

Academy of Music.

The second production of "Faust" by the Lewis Morrison Company took place at the Academy of Music last night, and was witnessed by a large audience. The matinee this afternoon and performance to-night will conclude the engagement.

WE ARE THE VICTORS

PATTERSONS WERE DEFEATED IN THEIR FIRST GAME.

The Score at the Fifth Inning Stood Two to One for the Visitors—Excellent Ball Playing Done by Both Teams.

The first game yesterday afternoon between the Patterson Ball Club and the Richmonds resulted, like those the first of the week, in a grand victory for the home team. The light is gently breaking upon the public that the Richmonds can play ball, and with this fact also before them, the management will hereafter get better teams to play against their men. Yesterday's game brought out against the good plays of the home men, and though the playing was devoid at any time of brilliancy, it showed conclusively that as each day goes by the home boys learn more and more of the science of ball playing. There were several splendid double plays made, and all the men moved with more accuracy and quickness than distinguished them the first part of the season.

DUFF'S DEBUT.

Duff, the Richmonds' new pitcher, made his debut yesterday, and pitched a beautiful game. His balls, as yet, have not that quickness about them that distinguishes Quarles, but with more practice it will be to decide who is the best pitcher of the three—Quarles, Kelly or Duff. McCaffrey caught Duff and made his usual good record. He also did excellently well with the stick, going to the bat four times, making three hits, and scoring three runs.

Yengling, as pitcher for the visitors, threw his arm out in the fifth inning, and Jay occupied the box the remainder of the game. Yengling was rather wild in his delivery, and did much to lose the game for his club. Say did better, but the game was lost when he began throwing the sphere. Kurtz, who caught both men, is one of the best players of the visitors. He was hard worked throughout, and showed up wonderfully.

RIGHT FIELD.

Kain, who was with the Richmonds the earlier part of the season, played right field for the visitors. When they changed their pitcher he went to the second base, and both at that place and with the stick he played his usual good ball. He has not signed with this club, only playing, as one of their men did not come. The changes in the fifth inning were: Say went to pitcher's box; Yengling played shortstop; Kain went to second base; Boyle went to right field.

Take it as a whole it was an interesting game, even though it was uneven, and from the playing of the Pattersons, it is expected they will give a closer game to-day.

The score tells the story:

RICHMONDS.	A.B.	R.	1.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Foster, l. f.	5	1	1	1	1	0
Stanhope, c. f.	5	2	0	0	0	0
O'Rourke, s. s.	5	0	2	0	2	0
Harris, 2d b.	5	0	1	5	2	0
Householder, 1st b.	5	1	2	11	1	0
Smith, 3d b.	5	1	0	0	5	3
Kelly, r. f.	4	2	1	4	0	0
McCaffrey, c.	4	3	3	1	0	0
Duff, p.	4	0	1	2	4	0
Total	42	10	11	24	15	3

PATTERSONS.	A.B.	R.	1.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Kurtz, c.	4	1	0	1	3	3
Say, s. s. and p.	4	1	0	0	4	0
Smith, 1st b.	4	0	2	12	1	0
Thompson, c. f.	4	0	0	0	0	1
Steckman, 3d b.	4	0	0	1	3	0
Brooks, l. f.	4	0	1	2	1	0
Boyle, 2d b. and r. f.	5	0	0	4	3	3
Kain, r. f. and 2d b.	5	0	4	3	0	0
Yengling, p. and s. s.	3	0	0	1	2	0
Total	37	2	7	*24	17	7

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Clubs.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total.
Richmonds	0	0	1	0	3	5	1	0	0	10
Pattersons	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2

*Stanhope declared out to being hit by batted ball.

Home-runs—Householder. Two-base hits—Stanhope. Left on base—Richmonds, 4; Pattersons, 8. First base on balls—Off Duff, 1; off Yengling, 3; off Say 1. Hit by pitched ball—Smith, Kurtz, Say. Struck out—By Yengling, 3; by Duff, 3. Wild pitches—Yengling, 2. Passed balls—Kurtz, 1. Time of game, two hours and a half. Umpire, Ford.

NEW DOCTORS.

Twenty-six Passed the Board—New President Elected.

After a three days' session the Medical Examining Board of Virginia concluded its labors yesterday, and adjourned. Of the forty-four candidates who presented themselves for examination, twenty-six as follows stood the necessary seventy-five per cent., and are now privileged to practice medicine in the State: Charles Venable Carrington and H. T. Shelf, resident physicians of St. Luke's Home, Richmond; Miss C. L. Haynes, second assistant physician in the female department of the Western Lunatic Asylum at Staunton; Ernest C. Levy, Richmond; John W. Harrison, Alexander Dunne, James G. Brown, Claudius J. Riddick, James Liggon Kent, Andrew Davidson Estill, Sidney J. Baker, Richmond; Harry L. Myers, Preston E. Wolfe, Paul B. Barringer, University of Virginia; Allan B. Moats, Cuthbert Gilliam, Richmond; F. G. Anderson, R. Gordon Simmons, Roanoke; J. H. Lawrence, W. P. Mathews, Manchester; John F. Woodward, J. R. Speight, Lewis B. Fry, O. McLeod Smith, C. B. Hargrove and Walter B. Lafferty, Richmond.

Miss Haynes, the only woman before the board, is a smart and handsome blonde, about twenty-eight years of age. She is a graduate of the Woman's Hospital in Philadelphia. Dr. Barringer is professor of surgery and physiology at the University of Virginia, where he succeeded Dr. James L. Cabell. He has recently removed to this State from North Carolina.

Before the session closed, the president, Dr. Hugh T. Nelson, of Charlottesville, tendered his resignation, and stated that he had accepted a professorship at the University of Virginia. Dr. Hugh M. Taylor, of Richmond, was elected president, and Dr. Paulus A. Irving, of Farmville, secretary and treasurer, to succeed Dr. Taylor, promoted.

The Board will meet about the 1st of next September, at the Rockbridge Alum Springs, at the same time the Medical Society of Virginia convenes.

CAPTAIN FOSTER WINS.

Election of the Commander of the Chesapeake.

The Board of the Chesapeake and its Tributaries, consisting of the Governor, Auditor and Treasurer met in the Governor's office yesterday morning, and with closed doors discussed the captaincy of the Chesapeake. Outside people have been met with rumors of all sorts about Captain Foster, but he was fortunate enough to have friends who were permitted to be present to refute them, and still more fortunate in having among these friends two members of the board who stood by him. He was endorsed by the Judge of Essex and Matthews counties, the Judge of Middlesex, and several of the Commonwealth's attorneys of counties lying along the Eastern shore. Mr. W. E. Hudgins, of Norfolk; Alexander James, of Matthews; and Thomas J. Woodland, of Gloucester, were also candidates for the captaincy, and had friends present, who pressed their claims. After a full discussion, a vote was reached and Captain Seth Foster, the incumbent, was elected by the vote of First-Auditor Morton Marye, and Treasurer A. W. Harman, Governor McKinney voted for Mr. Hudgins, of Norfolk.

Captain Foster has been elected four terms, and is a well known figure in the waters of the Eastern shore.

CONSOLIDATION PLANS.

Combination of the Street Railways Soon to Be Made.

Messrs. George E. Fisher and T. B. Toucey were busily engaged yesterday perfecting the arrangements for the consolidation of the street-car lines in this city. The business yet to be completed, it seems, is the legal proceedings. Mr. Fisher, who represents the principal interest in the company, and Mr. Toucey, the lawyer who is connected with it, were in continued consultation with Messrs. Meredith and Christian, the attorneys for the road in this city. The law problem seems to be a knotty one, and a great deal of trouble has arisen, and it is not yet manifest how the interests are to be satisfactorily consolidated. It has been the impression that Mrs. Flynn's interest was the principal one, but it seems that others are equally shared.

Mr. Fisher, accompanied by Mr. Toucey, spent some time yesterday afternoon in consultation with Captain Pizzini in the general office on Bank street. When seen by a reporter for THE TIMES, he said that he and his associates had been busily engaged during this trip to Richmond, making arrangements looking to the consolidation of the roads, and when completed an excellent service would be rendered. "The necessary plans," said he, "will be finished in about a week; after which the final meeting organizing the consolidated company will be held. The companies that will be embraced in the consolidation will be the City Railway, the Richmond Union Passenger Railway and the Electric Light companies. The Marshall Street will not be in to my knowledge, nor the Manchester Street Car line either."

Mr. Gibson Putzel, who represents Mrs. Flynn, was in the city Thursday, but returned to New York that night. A rumor has been current for the past few days that the ownership of the roads is to pass into new hands. This was denied by the authorities yesterday. It is expected that if the consummation of the sale of the Marshall-street line to the city railway is ever effected, this line will become a part of the new company. If this is done an extension line will be built across Mayo's bridge to Manchester.

It is the expectation among the interested ones that Mr. Fisher will be elected president of the new company and Captain Pizzini secretary. Both of these have taken a deep interest in the roads, and the latter especially has exerted every every effort to furnish good street car service.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Union Passenger Company has been advertised for to-day at noon. If this meeting is held the only business that will be done will be to authorize the transfer of the stock to the new company.

UNION MEETING AND TEA.

Reception by the Brotherhood of St. Andrew.

The four chapters of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, of this city, representing St. Paul's, Monumental, Grace and St. James' Churches, had a union meeting and reception last night, on the invitation of the St. James Chapter, in its church, Fifth and Marshall street. The front part of the church was reserved for the members of the Brotherhood, while the rest of the pews were occupied by the congregation.

The Rev. Mr. Preston Nash, assistant rector of St. James, conducted the services, and the choir led the singing. In the chancel were the rector, Dr. Joshuah Peterkin; Rev. Dr. H. M. Jackson, of Grace Church; Major Robert Stiles, president of the chapter of St. Paul's Church, and Mr. Nash.

The services opened with the hymn, "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name;" and after the reading of psalms, Dr. H. M. Jackson delivered a short address. He explained the chief object of the Brotherhood—the spread of the Kingdom of Christ among young men. He pointed out that the loyalty to Christ should inspire his followers to do better service, and cautioned them that their lament might not be that their service had been only to themselves and not to God.

The hymn "Onward Christian Soldiers," was then sung and Major Robert Stiles followed as speaker of the evening. He read a few verses from 1st chapter of St. John and expounded the two rules of the Brotherhood—that of prayer and that of service, to bring young men into the Kingdom of Christ. He added as a third rule the study of God's word as laid down in the Bible. He dwelt on the spirituality of the organization and its exclusive work amoung young men. The address was an earnest appeal to the members of the Brotherhood to do their full duty.

At the conclusion of the services the members of the several chapters retired into the lecture room where tea was served by the ladies of the Peterkin Guild.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

Local Happenings That Require Little Space to Relate.

A series of revival meetings will commence at Broad-street Methodist Church, corner Broad and Tenth streets, to-morrow, and continue every evening during the week. Rev. Dr. Lambeth, the pastor, will be assisted in the meetings by Rev. L. L. Nash, of Raleigh, N. C. Mr. Nash has had great experience and success in conducting services as an evangelist.

The Young Men's Christian Association meeting for men will be held to-morrow afternoon in their temporary rooms over Brigg's bakery No. 707 Main street. The Association will occupy these rooms during the continuance of the Bazaar, and until their building is again ready to receive them.

There will be a match game of ball between the employes of Baughman Bros. and J. L. Hill Printing Company, at the head of Franklin street this evening at 4 o'clock. These nines are in good trim.

Mr. J. A. Phillips, editor of the Halifax Record, visited the TIMES office yesterday. He has great hopes for the future of South Boston and vicinity.

The United States Circuit Court grand jury was in session a short while yesterday, and adjourned over until the 21st of this month.

A small fire occurred near the corner of Fifth and Hull streets last night. Very little damage was done.

There was a slight sprinkle of snow yesterday morning about 3:30 o'clock.

THE LEE STATUE.

General Jubal A. Early to Preside at the Unveiling Ceremonies.

Secretary Harman, of the Lee Monument Board, said yesterday that no late news had been received concerning the Lee Statue, but he supposed that in a few days intelligence would arrive of its shipment. The statue has been insured from the foundry to the vessel that is to bring it from France to the United States. As soon as it reaches the ship, it is covered with insurance from that time until it gets to Richmond. The French people have a knack of taking their time, and they seem to be moving cautiously in the matter of the statue-transportation. The executive committee of the Lee Monument Association have elected General Jubal A. Early to preside at the unveiling ceremonies, and introduce the speakers.

The Battle of Five Forks.

At the invitation of George E. Pickett Camp, Confederate Veterans, their comrade, Col. Joseph Mayo, Jr., of the famous Third Virginia Infantry, Pickett's Division, will give his lecture "The Battle of Five Forks" on Thursday night next. Governor McKinney has kindly tendered the Camp the use of the House of Delegates. The battle of Five Forks was one of the closing events of last war. It took place on the 1st of April, 1865. The brilliant valor displayed by Pickett's men on that occasion has never been properly recorded in history, and it is Col. Mayo's desire to give a correct picture of the sanguinary struggle. The proceeds are to be used in entertaining the Confederate veterans, guests of the Camp at the unveiling of the Lee statue.

Henrico Farmers' Alliance.

It is the wish of the Henrico County Alliance, that all the alliance men of this and other States who can do so, shall take part in the procession in connection with the unveiling of the Lee Statue. In order that this may be done, the committee on arrangements desire to obtain from each sub-alliance information as to the number of its members who will agree to take part in the procession. The committee will furnish at cost, a large banner for each county wanting it. Information in regard to this will be given to any one communicating with the committee. The sub-alliances are urged to send this information to the chairman of the committee, H. Adolph Muller, Thistle, Va., as early as possible.

A Merciful Shot.

Late yesterday afternoon, while a colored man from Powhatan county, Augustus Taylor, was driving a four-horse team up Tenth street toward Main, one of the fore horses shied. This caused the leading pair to become detached and frightened, and they dashed at full speed up into Main street. In front of the postoffice one fell and broke his leg. The other continued his run several squares and was caught. A large crowd gathered around the wounded animal, and Policeman Marion, of the Third station, fired two pistol bullets in its head and killed it.

Visiting Legislators.

A committee from the Legislature of Massachusetts was in the city yesterday to inquire into the practical working of Richmond's gas system. Hearing of their presence Mayor Ellyson waited upon them, and showed them every courtesy. He took them to various points of interest in the city, and in the Capitol the visitors met some of the State officials, enjoyed the sight of the many curiosities of the past that are gathered there, and wound up by taking a view from the top of the Capitol.

Sunday-School Teachers.

Active preparations are being made at the Young Men's Christian Association for the Bazarr which commences next Tuesday. On this account the usual Saturday afternoon meeting of Sunday-school teachers will be held this afternoon in the lecture room of the Second Baptist Church, just across from the Association building.

Relief for the Poor.

The committee for the Relief for the Poor met in the Council Chamber yesterday evening at 6 o'clock and decided to return to the Council the ordinance providing for the election of Superintendent for the Poor by the Council, instead of by the committee as at present, with the recommendation that the same be rejected.

A Special Service.

To-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock the Seventh-street Christian church will hold a special Sunday-school service. Solos, recitation and duets are embraced in the programme, and the occasion will be both interesting and entertaining.

MANCHESTER NEWS.

THE COUNCIL OF THAT CITY HOLD A MEETING.

Gas-Works Ordinance Laid on the Table—Fresh Meat Matter Shares a Similar Fate—The Body to Meet Next Friday Night.

A regular meeting of the Manchester City Council was held last night. Present: Messrs. Perdue (president,) O'Brien, Hart, Beattie, C. A. Jones, A. C. Jones, Weisiger, Bradley, Rolin, Browder, Faulkner and Harris.

The Finance Committee submitted a report recommending the payment of a number of bills aggregating $387.35. Adopted.

Mr. O'Brien, from the Committee on Light, gave a detailed report of the expenditures for a year. The total amount was $641.59. The committee also reported an ordinance embracing the proposition Mr. John C. Robertson made some months ago. The ordinance provides that mains shall be laid on the same streets now occupied by the water company and any other streets the Council may grant; that the company shall have a franchise for twenty-five years; that the price for consumers will be $1.25; to the city, $1.

Mr. Bradley moved that fifteen years be inserted for twenty-five years. He thought twenty-five years too long to give a company complete control.

Mr. Faulkner said that the city should own its gas-works, and that as he represented the people, he could not vote for the ordinance.

Mr. Bradley offered an amendment that the ordinance, if passed, be published in a newspaper in the city of Manchester. Adopted.

Mr. Perdue (Mr. Bradley in the chair) spoke in opposition to the twenty-five year clause. He also raised the point that if this ordinance was passed the city would be shut out for twenty-five years from any control of the gas-works. He moved that the ordinance be laid on the table until the next meeting.

Mr. Faulkner moved that the ordinance be discussed and acted upon at once.

Mr. O'Brien was of Mr. Perdue's opinion. He thought the ordinance would not be adopted until it went to the Committee on Ordinances.

Mr. Perdue said he thought if the Council took action on the ordinance at the present time, it would do the company an injustice, should the Council reject it. The Council had not had proper time to consider the matter, and would not be acting right if they took action on it. The motion to lay on the table prevailed.

Mr. Perdue made a motion that when the Council adjourned, it adjourn to meet next Friday night. Carried.

MORE PROTECTION.

The Committee on Water recommended that Shotwell & Co.'s establishment be given more protection from fire by the placing of water-plugs, &c.; that some plan be devised for the protection of the water-plugs in some portions of the city from persons driving on and off the side-walk; that the controversy now existing between the water company and the city was in the hands of the City Attorney, and that he would make a report to the Council; that the plug at Semmes and Cowardin avenue be removed, as the building and excavating in that section had placed the plug below the street line. Referred back to the Committee on water, to get information about the cost of main, and whether the city will have to pay for removing of same. That portion of the report referring to persons driving by water plugs was referred to the Mayor.

EXTENSION ASKED.

A petition was presented from Mr. G. E. Fisher, asking that the time for putting cars on the tracks of the Manchester Railway and Improvement Company be extended until June 1, 1891. Also an ordinance granting the extension, and providing for transfer tickets from Fourteenth and Main streets of their line to the Richmond Union Passenger Railway and Richmond City Railway.

Mr. Perdue submitted an ordinance in regard to the numbering of houses. Referred to the Committee on Streets.

Mr. Bradley presented an ordinance in reference to the licenses of single and double horse wagons, carts, &c. Referred to the Finance Committee; also one in reference to the planting of trees on Hull street. Referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

The Street Committee reported that their interpretation of the ordinance in reference to obstructions on Hull, only referred to heavy signs and wooden awnings. Mr. Harding was granted the privilege of the floor, and stated that his sign was allowed to hang by the Street Committee, and that if the council required it, he would take his sign down at once. Mr. Bradley moved that the report be adopted. Carried.

PAVING AND TAXES.

The Street Committee made a report in reference to the paving and paying of taxes to become due on Perry, Porter, Bainbridge and Decatur streets. Mr. Bradley stated that he wished the report referred back to the Committee on Streets, and that they would, at the next meeting, present proper ordinances covering the report. The Seventeenth-street matter was laid on the table. The other portion of the report was referred back as requested.

A petition was presented by Mr. Bradley, asking that the ordinance which was laid on the table some time ago be called up, and passed. The ordinance provides that any fresh meat, fish or vegetables be not sold at any place but the Market House corner of Ninth and Hull streets, after May 1, 1890, the persons selling same be charged $250 for license. Mr. Bradley offered an amendment that the ordinance be changed so as read $5 for license instead of $2.50. Adopted.

Mr. Hart moved that the portion of the ordinance referring to vegetables be stricken out. Carried. The motion to lay the matter on the table prevailed.

Mr. J. F. Bradley presented his resignation. Laid on the table.

OTHER MATTERS.

Shortly after 3 o'clock yesterday morning Mr. Michael Moore, groceryman, on Hull street, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth, who occupies apartments over the store, was awakened by stifling smoke in his bedroom. He gathered up a portion of his clothing, and rushed to the floor below, and rushing out, gave the alarm. The fire started near the chimney on the lower floor, and when the Alerts had arrived on the scene the flames had made considerable headway. In a few minutes the fire was gotten under control, although it communicated to and slightly damaged the adjoining building, owned by Mr. J. T. Mittendorf. The stock of goods in Mr. Moore's store was completely destroyed. The store was owned by Mr. A. W. Jones, and was insured for $800, and on the goods was a policy for $2,000.

Mr. W. G. Burgess was called some weeks ago to the bedside of his sister, Miss Cora Burgess, in Morgantown, N. C. She began to improve, and after remaining there several days, Mr. Burgess returned to Manchester. Last Thursday afternoon Miss Burgess died, in the twenty-eighth year of her age. Her death was caused by consumption, brought on by pneumonia.

The congregation of the Arrowfield Methodist Church in Chesterfield county have commenced the erection of a new church. Rev. Mr. Smith is pastor of the church.

The suit known as the "piano suit," instituted by Ryland & Lee against sixty-two citizens of Manchester, was yesterday removed from the Magistrate's Court to the Hustings Court.

A New Railroad.

At a meeting of the directors of the River View Railroad Company, held yesterday evening, Messrs. R. B. Chaffin, E. A. Saunders, E. D. Starke, M. R. Savage, and Samuel Hirsh were appointed a committee to apply to the City Council and County Judge of Henrico for permission to construct and operate a street railway from Tenth street up Cary to the New Reservoir with extension running into the addition of River View.

A Good Investment.

The United Banking and Building Company, of 821 east Main street, are offering for sale a limited number of shares of its capital stock, fully paid and non-assessible at fifty dollars, the par value of which is $100 per share. A cash dividend of six per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, will be paid on the price of the stock. This stock also participates in the general profits of the company, and the amount paid for same can be withdrawn at any time after two years from date of certificate. The officers and directors of the company are among our best known business men, and we commend this stock to the public as a safe and judicious investment.

IF YOU want to see a variety of styles of Victorias, Surreys, Phaetons and Family Carriages, call and see DAVID AINSLIE, Nos. 8, 10 and 12, Tenth street.

A DEEP-SEATED COUGH, cruelly tries the lungs and wastes the general strength. A prudent resort for the afflicted is to Dr. D. Jayne's expectorant, a remedy for all troubled with Asthma, Bronchitis, or any Pulmonary Affection.

CABLEGRAMS.

All Sorts of Interesting Items From Across the Sea.

LONDON, April 11.—A syndicate of English capitalists has been formed to establish an immense shop for the manufacture of locomotives at Sydney, N. S. W. A number of engineers and skilled machinists have already been sent to Sydney to begin operations.

The Empress and her five children will accompany Emperor William, of Germany, on his visit to Christiana in June.

During the celebration of mass in the Catholic church at Bronischewitz, Hungary, to-day, the edifice caught fire and was burned to the ground. The congregation became panic-stricken, and choked the exits so that a large number of persons must have lost their lives but for the presence of mind of the villagers, who rushed to their assistance, and set the stream in motion. Two persons were killed, and several injured.

DERBY ON THE PURCHASE BILL.

The Earl of Derby in a letter on the government Irish land purchase bill, argues that the opposition of the Parnellites to the measure is a strong argument in its favor, based upon the knowledge that wherever tenants have become owners, agitation has ceased.

THE DELAGOA FRONTIER.

LONDON, April 11.—The Portuguese government has sent a commission, headed by Colonel Machado, to meet the Transvaal delegates and definitely fix the frontier of the Delagoa region. Although the Delagoa Railway was seized by Portugal as a pretext to have the frontier fixed, it is known that France will blockade a portion of the Slave Coast in order to prevent the transportation of arms into Dahomey.

STANLEY IN ROME.

ROME, April 11.—Henry M. Stanley, the African explorer, arrived here to-day, and was welcomed by an enthusiastic crowd of people, who saluted him with vivas and cheers. A formal reception was tendered him by the Geographic Society, whose signer, Vitteleschi, presented Mr. Stanley with a gold medal.

STANLEY'S AMBITIOUS SCHEMES.

BERLIN, April 11.—Dr. Richards, M. A., lectured here to-night, declared that Stanley, before setting out on his journey in quest at Dr. Livingston, learned the whereabouts of that explorer from Arabs at Zanzibar, and concealed his information in order to enhance the importance of his feat. The lecturer read a letter from Count Stellaer, whose son is the agent at Zanzibar of the German East Africa Company, in which the writer asserts that his son informed him that Stanley proposed to Emin that the latter collect the forces found at the stations in Kevirondo, while he (Stanley) would bring the steamers from Mombassa and join him. This junction formed, Stanley proposed to conquer Uganda and Unyoro, and create an equatorial dominion, of which Emin, in recognition of this service, would be appointed ruler in the service of the British East African Company at a princely salary.

THE ATTEMPT ON FERDINAND'S LIFE.

BUCHAREST, April 11.—The Telegraful asserts that several of the conspirators associated with Major Panitza in his attempt to assassinate Prince Ferdinand, of Bulgaria, have confessed that M. Stoianoff, the president of the Bulgarian court of Cassation, was poisoned in Paris by Russian agents.

CABLE NOTES.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., April 11.—The steamer Laube, from Samoa, has arrived here, and reports everything quiet in the Samoan group of islands.

BERLIN, April 11.—The Non-Socialist Trade Union of this city, numbering 63,000 men, have refused to observe May 1st as a labor holiday.

VALENCIA, April 11.—The city has resumed its normal quiet. The Marquis of Cerralbo and his family took their departure to-day. They were escorted to the railway station by troops.

BOSS CARPENTERS.

Fighting Against a Strike Among Their Journeymen.

CHICAGO, April 11.—Forty-five boss carpenters and builders, who are not members of the Carpenters and Builders Association, formed an organization to-day to be known as the Boss Carpenters and Builders Association, and adopted a set of resolutions of sympathy for the journeymen carpenters, and inviting a conference on the subject of wages and hours. The sentiment of the meeting was in favor of conceding what the strikers asked, namely, a recognition of the union, eight hours to constitute a working day, and the wages to be forty cents an hour. The boss carpenters of the new association are mainly small ones. The members of the old organization of bosses say that work will probably start up next Monday, and affirm a perfect confidence that there will be plenty of men willing to work to carry on all the business demanded.

INTERNATIONAL HORSE RACE.

To Which the Press of America is Respectfully Invited.

NEW YORK, April 11.—[Special.]—The president of the Associazione Della Stampa Periodica, in Italy, writes from Rome to the United Press, New York, requesting that the attention of the Press of America be called to an interesting event in Rome during the coming month of May. A series of fetes is being arranged in connection with the exposition of local industries and the opening of the Grand national racing meeting, at which the grand prix De Rome of 100,000 francs will be competed for by horses from all countries. The Italian Press Association will be pleased to take part together with the European press generally in a reunion with representatives of the principal American journals on that occasion. Every facility will be afforded to the visiting journalists to observe and study all that may be of interest to them in Rome, and every possible courtesy will be extended them. The address of the association is No. 1, Avia Della Missonne, Rome.

RAILROAD CASES.

A Question of Rates Decided By the Railroad Commission.

WASHINGTON D. C., April 11.—The Inter-State Commerce Commission, by Bragg, commissioner, to-day decided two cases of the New Orleans Cotton Exchange against the Illinois Central Railroad Company, and 17 others; and the Illinois, Cincinnati, New Orleans and Texas Pacific Railway Company and ten others, involving relative reasonableness of rates on cotton from interior points in the cotton-growing country to New Orleans and to Northern and Eastern mills; relative rates on compressed and uncompressed cotton; relative methods of transportation and competition of different lines in opposite directions.

The points decided, are too numerous to summarize, but the commission corrects by adjustment the relative rates from Jackson, Mississippi, and Meridan, to New Orleans, and overrules the complaint on all other grounds.

A VERY extraordinary duel is reported to have taken place at Warsaw between two young men. They both fired and hit each other, but the ball of one hit the other in his cigarette-case, and flattened itself without doing any injury, while the ball of the other was rendered inoffensive by impinging upon the opponent's pocket-knife. The seconds declared that honor was satisfied, and the two young men shook hands and returned to a breakfast for two instead of for one.

CATONI, a giant above seven feet in height and stout in proportion, with an enormous head, has just died in Italy. Numerous attempts had been made to secure him by several showmen.

"I HAVE been afflicted with an affection of the throat from childhood, caused by diphtheria, and have used various remedies, but have never found anything equal to Brown's Bronchial Troches."—Rev. G. M. F. Hampton, Piketon, Ky. Sold only in boxes

A CHILD'S first impression, A. B. C., but it is often needed in after life for impure blood.

Building papers. Best and cheapest. Sheathing paper should be used in all frame dwellings. A. B. CLARKE & SON, 1540 Main street.

Advice to Mothers.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used when children are cutting teeth. It relieves the little sufferer at once, it produces natural, quiet sleep by relieving the child from pain, and the little cherub awakes as "bright as a button." It is very pleasant to taste. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for diarrhœa. whether arising from teething or other causes. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Tu Th Sa&W

Do you wish to buy a fine victoria? Then go to R. H. Bosher's Sons.

For ladies' phætons, carts, &c., or any vehicle to be built to order or repaired, see David A. Ainslie.

Royal Baking Powder

The United States Official Investigation

Of Baking Powders, recently made, under authority of Congress, by the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., furnishes the highest authoritative information as to which powder is the best. The Official Report

Shows the ROYAL to be a cream of tartar baking powder, superior to all others in strength and leavening power.

MEXICAN BULL-FIGHT.

Programme for a Sunday Performance—English as She is Writ.

The following is from the the Two Republics, published in the City of Mexico, Sunday, March 16th:

The funniest thing in that line that has appeared in this city for a long time is a programme printed in English of to-day's bull-fight. It is the first time for years, if ever, that an attempt has been made to get out an English programme of the great national sport. Here is verbatim et literatim this bid for American patronage:

SPLENDID BULL-FIGHT.

—AT THE—

PASEO BULL-RING.

Seven magnificent bulls from Barbabosa's farm celled

SANTIN

(the cravert and best bulls in this Republic)

TO TAKE PLACE THE

16th OF MARCH 1890

at 4 p. m. (weather permithing.

This performance will be given for the BENEFIT of the famous captain

(first espada)

JUAN RUIZ (LAGARTIJA)

who has Kindly granted to the Chariti Institutions of this City two per cent. of the profits, and who offers it to the

Englis speaking Tourists and residents in this City.

Bein aware of the interest they take not only to know our customs, but also the pecularities of my country (Spain) the most worthy of notice being the Bull-fight, of worldly renown I have the pleasure this day of offering, one of the best combined programs ever offered, not only for the great care taken in choosing the bulls, but also for having secured, to asist me, the best fighters, (toreros) that are to be found in town.

As I have received so many tearks of public affection and simpathy, I am glad of this apportunity to return to this here public as well as to the visitors my gratitude by offering a performance that will certainly please even the greatest enemies of this kind of show, and as skill does a good deal to prevent HORSE MASACRE, they may rest assurred that my self and my troop will do our outmost to prevent, as far as possibly all desagreeable sights.

Americans and English may rest assured that I will always have the greatest simpathy for them not only for the good feelings showed towards me, but also for their fraternal ideas towards Mexico, country in which though not bourn, I am proud to say I have met with so many good friends that I consider it my home.

PROGRAMME

ESPADAS. (CAPTAINS.)

The well Known in Spain in this Republic

JUAN RUIZ, (Lagartija)

(whose excellence as bull-killer and toreador has been acknowledged by everybody in the teir performances he has given in this city), who will kill the seven bulls.

RAYMUNDO RODRIGUEZ, Valladolid

Y FRANCISCO CARBAJAL, el Pollo

who will kill the bulls in the purpose of an accidental accident.

Both assisted by the following troop:

BANDERILLEROS (foot men that put the banderillas) sticks 2 feet long with arrow points.

Jose Cortes,
Francisco Carbajal (El Pollo),
Raymundo Rodriguez, (Valladolid),
Saturnino Aranzaez,
Santiago Sanches, El Cerrajero)
and Vicente Ferrer.

PICADORES. (HORSEMEN)

The best in toreri both mexican and spaniards.

N. B. It is strickly prohibited to occupy the numbered seats without hav in first bought the corresponding tickets that are for sale with the entrance tickets.

—PRICES—

Box, with 8 tickets	$ 25 00
Half a box with 4 ditto	12 50
Entrance shady side	2 00
Entrance sunny side	0 37½
Numbered seat	1 00
Children under 7	HALF-RATE

The bulls for the fight may be seen from 8 a. m. till noon the day of the performance.

NOTICE.—The gates will be opened since 1 p. m.

Tickets will only be admitted when bearing the Municipality seal stamped and bought at the proper places.—If bad wather would prevent the performance, this happening before beginning the public would be entitled to their tickets which would be good for next performance.—No return tickets will be given.—Six bulls will be kept as reserve in case of any of the seven advertised 2 don't prove game.—The police regulations will be strictly observed in every respect. In order to prevent confusion every body is requested to have the tickets for presentation at the gate.

Oh, What a Cough.

Will you heed the warning—the signal, perhaps, of the sure approach of that more terrible disease, Consumption? Ask yourselves if you can afford for the sake of saving 50 cents, to run the risk and do nothing for it. We know from experience that Shiloh's Cure will cure your Cough. It never fails. This explains why more than a Million of Bottles were sold the past year. It relieves Croup and Whooping Cough at once. Mothers, do not be without it. Sample bottles free. Sold by Bodeker Brothers and H. M. Sheilds & Co., corner of Fifth and Marshall streets.

Train 15, leaving Richmond 8:28 P. M., will be discontinued after Saturday, April 12th.

Train 66, arriving at Richmond 6:50 P. M., will be discontinued after Sunday, April 13th.

The New York and Florida special will be discontinued, Southbound, after Friday, April 11th; and Northbound after Tuesday, April 15th.

FITS.—All Fits stopped free by *Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer.* No Fit after first day's use. Marvelous cures. Treatise and $2.00 trial bottle free to Fit cases. Send to Dr. Kline, 931 Arch street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Lawn mowers. Latest and best. Noiseless and self-sharpening. Prices reduced. A. B. CLARKE & SON, 1540 Main street.

Window and door screens, frames and wire. A. B. CLARKE & SON, 1540 Main street.

Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint.

Is it not worth the small price of 75 cents to free yourself of every symptom of these distressing complaints? If you think so, call at our store and get a bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer. Every bottle has a printed guarantee on it. Use accordingly, and if it does you no good it will cost you nothing. Sold by Bodeker Brothers and H. M. Sheilds & Co., corner of Fifth and Marshall streets.

R. H. BOSHER'S SONS' vehicles are the finest in the city.

La Grippe.

For this malady take that old-fashion remedy of our mothers, Syrup of Pure Pine Tar, Horehound and Wild Cherry—Dr. David's Cough Syrup.

Don't

neglect that cough, but take at once Dr. David's Cough Syrup of Pure Pine Tar, Horehound and Wild Cherry.

DEATHS.

SCHOOFF.—Died, on Thursday, April 10th, at ten minutes to 8 P. M., LOUISA B. SCHOOFF, beloved wife of J. H. Schooff, in the thirty-seventh year of her age.

Funeral will take place THIS (SATURDAY) MORNING, at 8 o'clock, from St. Mary's German Catholic Church. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

WEATHER FORECAST.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 11.—For Virginia and North Carolina, fair and [illegible] southwesterly winds, [illegible] coast.

STATE OF THERMOMETER.

9 A. M.	51	9 P. M.	[illegible]
12 M.	57	Midnight	[illegible]
3 P. M.	60		
6 P. M.	62	Average	[illegible]

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

MINIATURE ALMANAC, APRIL 12, 1890.

Sun rises	5:41	Moon rises	[illegible]
Sun sets	6:42	[illegible]	[illegible]

FOR WEEK ENDING APRIL 12, 1890. PREDICTED TIME (STANDARD) OF HIGH TIDE AT

DATE.	North York River.	Norfolk.	Newport News.	City Point.	[illegible]	[illegible]
APRIL.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.
6th A. M.	9.06	9.31	9.36	2.07	5.05	5.04
" P. M.	9.20	9.46	9.50	2.28	5.16	5.20
7th A. M.	9.45	10.10	10.15	2.50	5.41	5.41
" P. M.	10.02	10.27	10.32	3.45	6.06	6.07
8th A. M.	10.28	10.53	10.58	4.02	6.22	6.21
" P. M.	10.38	11.13	11.19	4.28	6.49	6.54
9th A. M.	11.17	11.42	11.47	4.48	7.09	7.10
" P. M.	11.40			5.17	7.28	7.28
10th A. M.		0.05	0.10	5.40	8.01	8.02
" P. M.	12.13		12.18	6.13	8.34	8.35
11th A. M.	0.38	1.03	1.08	6.36	8.59	9.00
" P. M.	1.10	1.44	1.46	7.16	9.40	9.41
12th A. M.	1.45	2.10	2.15	7.45	10.06	10.07
" P. M.	2.34	2.59	3.04	8.34	10.55	10.56

PORT OF WEST POINT, APRIL 11.

ARRIVED.

Steamship William Lawrence, Snow, Baltimore, general cargo; steamship [illegible] Billups, Baltimore, general cargo; steamer City of Gloucester, Berry, New York, general cargo; steamer Elm City, Eaton, Walkerton, general cargo.

SAILED.

Steamship Charlotte, Nickle, Baltimore, general cargo; steamship William Lawrence, Snow, Norfolk, general cargo.

PORT OF NEWPORT NEWS, APRIL 11.

ARRIVED.

Steamship Dimalla, New York, to load merchandise.

SAILED.

Steamship Cyfarthfa, Bayonne, coal; steamship Shawmut, with barge, with [illegible] Boston, coal; steamship Lanarkia, New York, coal.

AMUSEMENTS.

MOZART ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

Berger, Leath & Myers Lessees and Managers.

THREE NIGHTS AND SATURDAY MATINEE, COMMENCING THURSDAY, April 10th, the Distinguished American Actor,

Lewis Morrison,

Supported by his own Efficient Company in a Magnificent Spectacular Production of

"FAUST,"

including the wonderful BROCKEN SCENE with its Shower of Living Fire. The most startling electric effects ever seen on any stage. Two carloads of magnificent scenery. Usual prices. Sale of seats Wednesday, April 9th. ap8-4t

RICHMOND THEATRE.

MRS. W. T. POWELL, Manager and Business Manager.

MONDAY, TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, APRIL 14th, 15th and 16th.

Special engagement—MR. A. M. PALMER's greatest of the Madison Square Theatre success.

CAPTAIN SWIFT

(companion play to "Jim the Penman"). Mr. Arthur Forrest, and exceptionally strong cast including those from the Madison Square, 400 nights at the Haymarket, London—produced in Richmond with all of the original appointments.

Sale of seats opens Saturday, April 12, at 9 A. M. ap 11-3t

MOZART ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

BERGER, LEATH & MYERS, LESSEES AND MANAGERS.

ENTERTAINMENT POLICE OF SECOND DISTRICT,

TUESDAY, APRIL 15, 1890.

PROGRAMME:

PART FIRST.

1. Quartette—Spring Song .... Pinsuti
Mrs. Jacob Reinhardt, Mrs. John H. Knowles, M. May and W. H. Grant, Jr.
2. Baritone Solo—Valsen Song .... Gounod
Mr. James R. Branch.
3. Lecture—Running the Blockade, Rev. Moses D. Hoge, D.D.
4. Soprano Solo—Alpine Horn .... Proch
Mrs. Jacob Reinhardt.
Cornet Obligato by John Kessnich.
5. Tenor Solo—With all Her Faults I Love Her Still .... Rosenfeld
Mr. Moses May.
6. Banjo Quartette—Selections.
Messrs. Miller, Croxton, Mentz and Valentine.

PART SECOND.

1. Piano Duet—Radieuse .... Gottschalk
Misses Helen and Natalie Florsheim.
2. Duet, Tenor and Baritone—"The Fisherman" .... Gabussi
Messrs. H. S. Watkins and W. C. Leftwich.
3. Alto Solo—"Rock-a-bye Baby" .... Canning
Mrs. John H. Knowles.
4. Recitations—Selections.
Dr. Thomas Nelson Page.
5. Tenor Solo—"Tell Me with Your Eyes." .... Smith
Captain F. W. Cunningham.
6. Solo and Chorus—"Pirates of Penzance" .... Sullivan
Mr. James R. Branch and others.

COMMITTEE.

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Admission, $1.

The box-office of the Academy will be open on the 12th, 14th and 15th of April for the exchange of tickets for reserved seats without extra charge. ap11-5t

WANTS.

WANTED—STUDENTS TO LEARN to operate the Graphophone in connection with the Type-Writer. These machines are coming rapidly into use, and those learning their operation will have best opportunity for good positions. Thorough course of training in Stenography. Terms reasonable. McGILVRA COLLEGE OF STENOGRAPHY, 110 north Ninth street oc13-6m

WANTED.—A RELIABLE BOY OR Young Man to deliver mail route. One that can help [illegible] preferred. Call at 914 Capitol street, Richmond, Va. ap12-1t*

WANTED — MY FRIENDS TO know that F. H. PYLE, the well-known painter, has removed from 26 north Ninth street to 8½ east Broad street. ap8-1w*

WANTED—FURNITURE TO REPAIR, Upholster and Varnish. Mattresses to Renovate, Children's Carriages to Repair and Paint. Estimates free. Prices low. J. F. MORRIS, 420 and 422 Brook avenue, near Clay street, Upholsterer and Cabinet-maker. ap8-4t

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—THE VALENTINE HOUSE, located on Broad, Sixth and Capitol streets, overlooking the Capitol Square. Best boarding-house in the city. GEORGE F. CRAWFORD, 1003 Bank street. mh13-1m

LOST.

LOST—A GIRL—FANNY CHEATOM came from Chesterfield county last Thursday. She will find her friends at No. 630 north Seventh. ap 12-1t*