VERY SERIOUSLY HURT.

A LITTLE SON OF MR. TURPIN HAS RIS COLLAR-BONE FRACTURED.

Death of Mr. A. J. Simmons - Back From a Fishing Trip - Mr. Gary's Appointment-Personals.

MANCHESTER BUREAU RICHMOND TIMES, CO. 1121 HULL STREET, BEATTIE BLOCK.

A very painful accident occurred yesterday afternoon in this city, by which little Royall Turpin, the son of one of Manchester's best-known citizens, was very seriously injured. Several little boys were playing together in Mr. Turpin's yard, when young Turpin and one of his play-mates, named Betty, began wrestling. play-mates, named Betty, began wrestmar.

Turpin was thrown, and in the fail his
collar-bone was fractured. He was at
once taken to the office of Dr. Lawrence
lingram, where his injuries, which her
lingram pronounced quite serious, were
attended to. Late last night he was rest-

gay set of Manchester will begin their festivities as seen as Lent is over.
On the leth of next month a german
will be given by the Manchester German
Club, at Leader Hall, and on the lith
instant the Cotalon Club will give a hop

instant the Cotillon Club will give a hop at the same place.

Mr. Alfred J. Simmons, one of the best-known citizens of Manchester, died about s o'clock yesterday morning after a week's sickness, at his residence on Bainbuldge street, aged sixty-two years. Mr. Simmons was for fifteen years engaged in taking tolls on Mayo's Island. He was a member of Manchester Lodge, No. 14. A. F. and A. M., Royal Arch chapter, No. 48, Dole Lodge, Knights of Honor, It. E. Lee and Joseph E. Johnston camps, Confederate Veterans. He leaves a wife and five children. They are Mrs. Andrew Hague, Mrs. Charles Burkert, and Messrs. Harvey, Urish, and Frank P. Simmons.

The funeral will take place at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon from the Presbyterian church, of which Mr. Simmons was a member, and his remains will be interred in Maury Cemetery.

church, of which Mr. Smittered in Maury Cemetery.

MR. GARY'S APPOINTMENT.

The appointment of Mr. George E. Gary, of this city, as a member of the Board of Directors of the Eastern Hospital, gives universal satisfaction here, and it is predicted that he will make a most useful and efficient member of the board. Mr. Gary is a son of the late Patrick Gary, who was one of the most honored citizens of Manchester. He is forty years of age, a prominent business man, and a gentleman of sterling integrity.

Mr. Gary is a member of the real estate and insurance firm of Augustine Royall & Co., and is exceedinly popular. The Governor should be highly commended in the selection of this gentleman, as no one could have given greater satisfaction to Manchester people.

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IMITATING GLOVER

Messrs. John H. Ingram, William I.
Clopton, George E. Gary, and H. E. Duvai
have just returned from a fishing trip on
the Chicahominy. Judge Ingram, who
looks somewhat sunburned, but hale and
hearty after his excursion, sintes that
his party had a very pleasant time, but
owing to unfavorable conditions of the
weather, not a great many fish were
caught.

caught.
Syracuse Division, Uniform Rank,
Knights of Pythias, of Richmond, paid a
fraternal visit last night to Friendship
Lodge at Toney's Hall. A pleasant eve-

ning was spent.
PERSONALS AND BRIEFS.
Mr. W. P. Drewry, of New York, is on
a visit to his mother, Mrs. Blanche Drewry, of Manchester. Dr. G. W. Friend visited Chester Thurs-

day night to attend a meeting of Chester Mrs. T. M. Miller and children, of Powhatan Courthouse, are confined to the

house by sickness.

Mr. John Friend, who has been detained at his home on Porter street for some time by a severe spell of the measles, is Augustus Atwell is confined to her

ed by sickness.
Miss M. R. Patteson, of Porter street, eft yesterday to visit her sister, Mrs. T. M. Miller, at Powhatsh Courthouse.

Mr. H. R. Irie, of Raleigh, N. C., was in the city yesterday on business.

TRACK AND TRAINING CAMP.

A Move to Bring the Fast Wheelmen of

meeting of the Board of Governors of the Richmond League of Wheelmen was held yesterday morning at the office of President Jackson Guy, to consider a proposition advanced by Mr. Dixie Hines, of the editorial staff of the well-known bicycle journal, the American Wheelman, to establish here a fast track and win-

men.

Mr. Hines, intelligently and very interestingly, explained the advantages that would accrue to Richmond in establishing such an enterprise here.

Two propositions were discussed. One

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Such an enterprise here.

Two propositions were discussed. One was to establish a training camp and race-track at the Exposition Grounds, and the other was to get Major Girter interested in the matter with a view to having the quarters and track on some of his suburhan property.

Resolutions were passed commending the suggestion, and expressing it as the gense of the board that the establishment of a bleyde-track and training quarters.

of a bleyele-track and training quarters in Richmond would prove of great benefit to the city and the advancement of 'cy-cling interests, and should receive the support of the league.

A committee was appointed to lay the matter before Major Ginter, and report to an adjourned meeting at 16 o'clock this morning. dr. Hines has for some time advocated

the establishment of training quarters in the South, where the crack racers can train in the winter time, and he has visited a number of southern cities, look-ing the field over, but he thinks the mat-ter has now narrowed down between Jacksenville and Richmond, and the for-mer city is making active efforts to se-

cure the enterprise.

Mr. Hines thinks Richmond preferable in many respects, and would like to see preparations made to induce the racers to come here.

ome here. Said he: "I favor Richmond as the training place, because of her admirable situation. I stopped here on my way further South. Savannah, Jacksonville, and St. Augustine have aiready made a bid for the training quarters. Even Wilmington, N. C., wants them, but she is not to be considered. All these cities will give anything we want. Savannah has a bi-cycle track already, but I think the track here can be made suitable for bicycle riding at very little expense.

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"I have talked to Zimmermann, Harry Wheeler, Eudie Ball, Con. Baker, and Walter Sanger, and they are all willing to come here. So are Johnson and Eck. when they return from Europe. The quarters will bring a desirable class of them, here, who, will now their own or men here who will pay their own ex-

penses.
"My idea would be to have men train here almost all the winter. Just before the season opens annually they could give a big meet which would draw people from all over the country. Not only American all over the country. Not only American racers would train here but foreign men,

"IMPORTANTINTERROGATIONS," Rev. Jacob Sallade Will Speak to Men in

Association Hall Sunday Afternoon. The past week has been one of unusual attendance at the Young Men's Christian Asrociation.

The splendid meeting of last Sunday afternoon still lingers in the minds of the men who were present, while the

most successful reception of Thursday evening is still the topic of conversation among the young people.

This evening at 5 o'clock Rev. E. L.

cordially invited to be present.
Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, in the Association parlor, Secretary McKee will conduct a song service for boys only. This is the first time this year that this meeting has been turned into a service of song. There should be a full attendance of the "Blues" and "Whites." This meeting will be of unusual interest to the boys. Every boy under sixteen years of age is invited to attend.

Rev. Jacob Sallade, pastor of Broaddus Memorial church, a young and popular divine, will address a meeting for men only in the Association Hall Sunday afternoon at 4 P. M.

Rev. Sallade will take for his theme "Important Interrogations."
The soloist for the evening will be Mrs. J. L. Rowe, the well-known contraito. Saturday evening is a good time to visit the building of the association and become acquainted with the members, and get an idea of the many attractions that are provided for young men by this inget an idea of the many attractions that are provided for young men by this in-stitution.

With the 1st of March the subscriptions to the magazines expired, and with the kindness of our lady friends many subscriptions have been renewed, and the officers hope, through the continued kind-ness of our friends, to maintain the maga-zine standard of last year, as a number of lady friends have been asked to cooperate in this good work.

The satusement room is proving a great attraction, and the new game, "Carroms," is certainly a great drawing card. roms," is certainly a great drawing card. Young men are cordially invited to visit the building, and will be shown around

THE FIRST GAME DO-DAY.

Ames and Boland Will be the First Battery Presented.
The Champions will play their first game

this afternoon, with Richmond College. The game will be called at 4:15 c'clock, and one of the players will umpire. Well will be at first, Sweeney at second, Berte at short, Pender at third. Wood in left, Groves in centre, and Kain in right. Boland and Meyers will divide the work of catching the game. In the box, Ames will start the ball rolling. He will be succeed-ed by Gilpatrick, while Jefferson will pitch the last three innings. The bat-ting order of the team has not been de-YESTERDAY'S PRACTICE.

The men got in two hours of hard work yesterday afternoon, with the most satisfactory results. A large crowd saw them practice, and they frequently applauded the many pretty plays that were made. The infield work, for this time of the year, opinions for themselves, as regards the flag this season for Richmond.

FLYNN'S GOOD WORK.

The following account of Flynn's good work was published in yesterday's New York World, and will be read by his many friends in this city with great

The New York regulars and colts broke even in to-day's contests. In the morn-ing the youngsters took their older com-rades into camp, and administered a good, sound thrashing. In the second game the

sound thrashing. In the second game the regulars evened up matters.

Manager Irwin made a couple more changes this morning. Connaughton was put in left field with the colts, and Ffeffer played at short for the regular team. The

played at short for the regular team. The idea is to see what the new man can do in the outfield. In the first two games he did nobly, his work in the second game being gilt-edged.

Four pretty double plays, two by each team, and a sensational one-hand running catch by Tiernan, were the features of the second game. The regulars put up a fast, snappy game in the field, and in six of the nine innings the colts did not even have a man on first. It was young Flynn's day to cover himself with glory. He pitched the first six innings for the regulars, and held his opponents down to three hits.

J. A. W.

ANNUAL PUBLIC DEBATE.

Interesting Entertainment Furnished by the Philologian Society.

The Philologian Society, of Richmond College, held their annual public debate last evening in the College Hall, before a large audience. Prayer was offered by Dr. Dickinson.

The address of welcome was made by the president, Noel J. Allen.

Mr. John J. Hurt, of Powbatan county, read an apt selection entitled: "Farmer and Wheel or the New Lochinyar."

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"The Curse of Regulus" was the subject of a declamation by Mr. Arthur J. Hall, of Culpeper county.

The annual debate followed. The question was: "Resolved, That the European powers should not allow the Turkish Government to exist longer." First on the affirmative was Mr. R. W. Neatherly, of Halifax county. He briefly referred to the atroctities of the massacres of Armenians by Turks, and then gave some proof, showing that the Porte should exist no longer.

The first speaker on the negative side was Mr. R. S. Mends, of North Carolina. He stated that the Turks had committed wrongs, but that the nation has not. Two wrongs can never make one right. Civilization was the one thing needed. The powers of Europe have no right to interfere by force of arms. Relining influence is also needed.

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The second on the affirmative was Mr. E. T. Higgason, and being physically indisposed, Mr. E. W. Provence, of Florida, read his debate. He adduced some figures showing the number of Armenians murdered. Turks are incapable of self-government. To let the Government stand is a blot upon the nineteenth century. The conditions are not due to general causes, but have been brooding for years and years.

ing for years and years.

The second on the negative, and last speaker, was Mr. J. W. T. McNiel, of Franklin county. The social life of the Turk, he said, is unexcelled. They are Turk, he said, is unexcelled. They are true to their people, to their government, and to their religion. The Government is hard to maintain, because it is composed of about twenty petty nationalities. The sword does not and cannot civilize nor Christianize.

The music was furnished by Professor Moses Stein and orchestra, led by Professor John Reinhardt, and afforded delightful diversions from the studied debates of the young orators.

MR, POTTS PROMOTED.

Now Assistant General Passenger Agent of the C. and O.

Mr. John D. Potts, the genial and cour teous division passenger agent of the Chesapeake and Ohio rallway, was appointed assistant general passenger agent of that system last Wednesday, with office

of that system last Wednesday, with office at Richmond, as heretofore.

The appointment becomes effective April 1st.

There are few railroad men in the country more efficient and who have more friends than Mr. Potts. He is very popular all along the line over which he has travelled, and his friends will be glad to hear of his well-merited promotion.

The Board of Directors of the British Association of Virginia held a meeting at the president's (Mr. Alexander Cameat the president's (Mr. Alexander Cameron's) residence Thursday night, to further the arrangements of the dinner which is proposed to be given on the Queen's birthday. A large increase of membership, together with inquiries received from outside the city, tend to show that there will be a large gathering, such as used to be years ago, both in this city and Petersburg.

Accepted the Command,

Ance at these meetings is still on the lingreage and all Biblical students are most

A WHOLE BLOCK DEVOURED BE-FORE THE DESTRUCTION ENDED.

The Loss the Heaviest Ever Sustained. Fighting the Flames_The Insurance.

WEST POINT, VA., March 27 .- Special. About 2 o'clock this morning a very disastrous fire of unknown origin broke out in one of the unoccupied tenement houses on Railroad street, in this town, which soon became unmanageable, and swept one entire block of houses in spite of the united resistance of the citizens and the Southern Railway Fire Department.

It was quite evident from the start that the flames would prove destructive, as the wind had about shifted to the northwest, and was blowing quite a gale.

At one time it looked as if several blocks of houses would soon be in ruins.

THE PROPERTY DESTROYED. Among those who sustained loss were and goods, valued at about \$10,000, insured for \$3,009, and saved about \$1,000 in goods; Treat, Bland & Co., storehouse and entire stock, valued at \$20,000, no insurance; Ålvin Downey, storehouse and entire stock, valued at \$3,509, insurance \$1,609; "Squire Lacy, storehouse and part of his stock, valued at \$1,000, insurance \$509; H. P. Ellers, tenement, origin of the fire, valued at \$3,000, no insurance; large brick store of Major John Hale, valued at about \$5,000, which, together with the destruc-tion of other property, amounted to some-thing like \$50,000.

FIGHTING THE FLAMES. The fire department, though they fought the flames bravely with several bold streams of water, could not subdue it till it had reached Seventh street, completely destroying everything in its course. Fortunately, however, no lives were lost. This is one of the largest fires the town has ever suffered from, and whereas it could discourse yet. as it is quite discourrging, yet the largest losers are prosperous and energetic

THE NATIONAL PARK.

and will not be baffled by

even the fiames.

Committee on the Proposed Monument to President Monroe.

FREDERICKSBURG, VA., March 27 .-Special.-The National Park Committee to-day invited General James A. Walker, Senator John W. Daniel, and Hon, Beriah Wilkins, editor of the Washington Post, to speak at the National Battle-field Park meeting, in this city, on April

The City Council appointed the follow ing committee to co-operate with Hon. W. A. Jones and Senator John W. Daniel in their efforts to secure from Congress an appropriation of \$50,000 to erect a monument here to James Monroe: Mayor P. Rowe, Councilmen John T. Knight, E. Bradley, John M. Griffin, and dge A. W. Wallace, Hon. H. F. Cris-ond, Captain James S. Knox, and Judge

a meeting of the Board of Trustees At a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Assembly's Home and School Mr. William A. Dinwiddle, M. A., of the University of Virginia, was elected professor of mathematics. Mr. H. Jerome Stockard, A. M., was elected to the chair of English. These professors will not enter upon their duties until next session.

Rev. Dr. Moses D. Hoge, of Richmond, will deliver the heavest leaves to different to the chair of the chair

The Society for the Preservation of Vir-

ginia Antiquities of this city will give an excursion to Mount Vernon early in May.

The Republicans of Westmoreland county have elected delegates to the district and State conventions.

Resolutions strongly endorsing McKin-ley for President were adopted.

MEETING IN CUMBERLAND.

A Bald Eagle Grabs a Rooster-The Welcome Notes of Feathered Songsters.
OAK FOREST, VA., March S.-Special.

The second quarterly meeting for Cumberland circuit was held at Trinity Methodist church last Saturday and Sunday. The new presiding elder, Rev. J. H. Riddick, was present, and preached at Trinity Sunday morning and at Grove at night. These were powerful sermons, and made profound impressions on the congregations.

Near Antioch church Tuesday Mr. John

Carder were married at the home of the bride by Rev. John O. Moss. Tuesday, while Mr. Charile Saunderson, near Ashby, was returning from court, his horse fell and caught Mr. Saunderson's

his horse fell and caught air. Sandar-son's leg under him, and disabled him so that he can hardly walk.

A few days ago a genuine bald engle picked up a grown Brahma rooster here and lifted him ten feet in the air, when the shouts of some boys near by frightened the great bird away and made him drop his rame.

his game.

This morning would have set the soul of Maurice Thompson frantic. The first singing robin of the season began before light good, and saug with the greatfore light good, and sang with the great-est glee for nearly an hour. In the mean-time a mellow-throat lark began to cir-cle around the great onk, but was fright-ened away just as it began its liquid notes, while not more than a hundred yards away the hedge was resonant with an orchestra of red-wing blackbirds.

A SENSATION IN ORANGE, Edgar Stratton Cleared of the Charge of

ORAINGE, VA., March 27.—Our people are not disposed to raise any more

colts, as the cost of pufting the average three-year-old on the market is about double its market value.

Orange has been treated to a sensation recently. A very good-looking young woman got off the south-bound train, and went to C. B. Walker's boarding-house, carrying with her a baby about two months old. She gave the name of Cook, and the morning following her arrival, requested Mrs. Walker to mind the baby while she went wasker to mind the bany while she went down street to make some purchases. She evidently knew the rallroad schedule, as she went straight to the depot, and took, the train for hCarlottesville, whose the police have been unable to locate her. The local chapter of King's Daughters have taken the little one under their

The local chapter of King's Daughters have taken the little one under their charge, and will find a home for her.

The Republicans held a meeting here for the purpose of sending delegates to Staunton; the delegation will be headed by T. W. Carter, ex-postmaster.

The trial of Edgar Stratton, charged with feloniously shooting Thomas Noble, resulted in a verdict of "not guilty," which seems to meet with general approval.

Highland County Affairs,

MONTEREY, VA., March 25.—Special.
March court-day opened cold and dreary,
but notwithstanding this there was quite
a crowd. The most important case, that
of the Commonwealth against Charles
Lewis, has been continued until the May
term, at which time the case will certainly be tried.
S. S. Waybright qualified as administrator of D. L. Coursey, an account of

S. S. Waybright qualified as administrator of D. L. Coursey, an account of whose death you published last week.
Rev. W. H. Woolf is in attendance upon the conference at Roanoke this week. It is hoped that he will be returned to this circuit, as he is a favorite here. Several of our schools have closed.

Mr. George Beverldge, of this place, has purchased a phonograph, and will start on an extended trip this week, having the same on exhibition.
Cattle have wintered well so far, and feed is pientiful. Horses command a very low price.

I think McKinley is the choice of the Republicans of this county.

UMPIRES, PLAYERS, AND BLEACH-ERS MIX UP IN A SCRAP.

A New Haven Player With Norfolk Balls in His Clothes-The Home Team Wins.

NORFOLK, VA., March 27 .- Special --The sun went down on a rocky game today, and the rooters left the grounds with

It was the last of a peries of three games between Norfolk and New Haven, and the show started with Weeks in the box, for the home team. In the first inning Norfolk scored a goose egg, and New Haven retired with five to their dredit, getting three bases off Weeks, and making the score off two hits (singles).

In the second inning, Norfolk at the bat, Turner got first on error, Langsford, Wentz, and Meredith followed with singles, bringing Turner home, Ramp made a two-bagger, clearing the bases, but third

by a throw from catcher, spiked in the head by Boyle, who sprained his ankle and was refired tate in the game.

Weeks took his base on balls. Stephenson fiew out to right. Macfarlan went out from pitcher to first. Hodge, first batter for visitors, got base on balls. Kelster and O'Hagan went home. Sherer scored Hodge with base hit. O'Connor drew base on balls and Thornton struck out.

A COMBINATION. In the third, Noriolk scored seven men by a combination of four hits and two er-rors, with two buses on balls thrown in for good measure. New Hayen made three runs, Gilman flew to left Boyle singled, and was thrown out at second on Garvin's hit. Hodge drew base on balls, and Keister and O'Hagan reached first on errors, Garvin Hodge and Keister scor-

In the fourth, Wentz scored for Norcolk, New Haven hit.

In the fifth, no score, two fly-outs and one at first by Norfolk. Good infielding

shut out the visitors.

In the sixth, New Haven went to pleces, Norfolk scoring twelve, four two-baggers and three singles, helping the thing

and three singles, helping the thing along. New Haven scored three on a base on balls, two singles and a three-bagger by

THE SCORE.

Score by innings was as follows;

Batteries: Norfolk-Weeks, Flammiler, and Armstrong, New Haven-Garvin, Mackey, Hodge, and O'Hagan, Summary: Two-bose hits-Stephenson, two: Langsford, Wentz, Ramp. Three-base-hits-Reister. Bases on balls-Off base-hits-Reister. Bases on balls-Off Weeks, 8; off Pfanmiller, 1; off Garvin, 3; off Mackey, 6. Hit by pitched balls-Hodge and Wentz. Struck out—By Weeks, 5; by Pfanmiler, 2; by Garvin, 1. Left on bases— Norfolk, 5; New Haven, 9. Time, 2-1-2 hours. Umpires, Schmidt and Red-

2 1-2 hours. Umpires, Schmidt and Redding, of Norfolk's team.

A GENERAL SCRAP.

At the end of the fourth inning, New Haven's catcher, Hodge and Umpire Schmidt, had a hot round in front of the grand-stand, and the former's face is swelled like a cabbage in consequence. A general free fight was participated in something like sections places and something like orghteen players and a hundred bleachers being mixed up in one big scrap. O'Connor threw himself into the breach and received a punch in the face in consequence. The police and a place. Another row was almost precipi-tated when McFarlan shook two of Nor-folk's balls out of Boyle's clothing in the sixth. Two more still missing.

'VARSITIES AND BOSTON, The Bean-Eaters Had the Home Batte .

at T. eir Mercy.
UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA, March
27.—Special.—Boston defeated the University this evening 15 to 2. The Varsity had
an off day in the field, while the Bosson
piteners had the home batters at their

Lowe, who has been sick for several days, resumed his place at second. The

'VARS	ITY.				
A.I	B. R	. H.	A.	P.O.	E
Hoxton, s. s 4	1	1	4	3	2
McKim, 2b 4	1	0	12	4	1
Kincheloe, c. f 4	0	1	- 0	3	0
Garnett, 3b 3	0.	0	- 22	- 3	1
Bonney, 1 f 4	4.9	- 1	- ():	1	1
Lockett, p 3	0	.0.	1	0	0
Hurt, 1b 3	0.	(3)	- 0	- 8	2
Kern, r. f 3	0	.0	1	0	1
Cockran, c 3	(6)	1	4	3	1
77-1-1	2	7	14	24	9
Total31	35	138	4.8		27

A.B. R. H. A. P.O.	E.
	- 60
Hamilton, I. f 3 2 0 0 2	
Long, s. s 5 4 1 3 2	0
Lowe, 2b 3 1 . 0 3 2	0
Duffy, c. f 5 2 1 0 1	10:
Tucker, 1b 5 2 1 0 11	0
Bannon, r. f 8 1 1 1 0	0
Collins, 3b 5 1 3 2 2	1
Ganzell, c 3 0 1 1 2	0
Tenney, c 2 1 0 0 4	0
Stivetts p 1 0 0 2 1	1
Mains, p 2 0 1 2 0	0
Yerrick, p 1 0 0 2 0	0
Sullivan, p 1 1 1 0	-63

Summary: Home runs-Long. Three-base hit-Bannon. Struck out-By Lock-ett. 1: Stivetts, 1: Mains 1: Yerrick, 1. Hase on balls-Lockett, 5. Hit by pitched ball-Hamilton. Umpire, Byan (Boston).

ROANOKE US. RANDOLPH-MACON. A One-Sided Game in Favor of the Magic

ROANOKE, VA., March 27 .- The Magic City team had it all their own way in the game of base-ball at the park here this afternoon with the Randolph-Macon College nine, the visitors not being able to make a run in the six innings played. The following is the score which speaks

Score by innings:

GOOD ROADS FOR NOTTOWAY; A Superintendent Elected Under the Pro-

NOTTOWAY COURTHOUSE, VA., March 27 .- Special .- At a meeting of the Board of Supervisors, held here to-day,

floard of Supervisors, held here to-day, for the purpose of electing a superintendent of public roads, Mr. R. Walton Sydnor, of Blackstone, was elected to that position.

The duties of this officer are defined by an act passed at the last session of the Legislature, providing for the working of roads and building bridges in the counties of Nottoway, Brunswick, and Amelia, Under this law each county is to have a superintendent of roads, who shall have charge of all the roads and bridges have charge of all the roads and bridges in the county, and shall look after the maintenance, repairs, and construction. The superintendent will act for the coun-ty in all cases where heretofore it has been necessary to appoint commissioners for the purpose of awarding contracts, opening roads, and receiving bridges, thus saving a good deal of expense.

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This act also authorizes the superintendent, with the consent of the board, to employ on the roads all vagrants and persons confined in jail under conviction.

The office pays a salary of \$500 per annum, and it is thought that this system will be cheaper and at the same time give better roads than working them in the manner provided by the Code. The appointment of Mr. Sydnor is looked upon as a wise one. Prof. Mutter will have an Eastern re-hearsal Sunday night at 8 o'clock at the German Catholic schurch, Fourth and Marshell streets.

WEST POINT FIRESWEPT. ROCKY GAME AT NORFOLK THE RECORDS OF THE WAR

LEE CAMP WISHES THE PUBLICA-TION OF THEM TO CONTINUE.

Resolutions to That Effect Adopted Last Night-Compilation of Rosters of Confederate Camps.

The regular meeting of R. E. Lee Camp, No. 1, Confederate Veterans, was held last night, Colonel James T. Gray, commander

The following members of the camp were appointed as an advisory committee to confer with the Sons of Veterans in reference to the compilation of the rosters of the Confederate camps: Colonel Thos. P. Pollard, J. H. Worsham, John Boiling, Wm. P. Smith, and Thomas W. Sydnor. The committee was requested to meet

Sons of Veterans in the camp hall the Sons of Veterans in the camp man Monday night.

The death of Comrade A. J. Simmons, of Company 1, Sixth Virginia Infantry, a resident of Manchester, was announced by the commander, and the following detail was directed to attend his funeral. Thy will meet at the camp hall Sunday woming at y colors.

same; damages, \$10.75.

In the case of T. H. Samuel and others, against Burford & Brothers and others, the evidence was partly heard and adjournment taken until this morning. evening at 2 o'clock: Comrades James T. Gray, John E. Laughton, Jr., George Winfree, Charles P. Winston, D. Smith Redford, J. Henry In the Law and Equity Court yesterday a judgment for \$23.22 was rendered for the plaintiff in the case of O. F. Bresce & Sons against D. Rosendorf.

In the case of Overton Harwood, receiver, against George W. Parsons, the evidence was partly heard and an adjournment was then taken until this marring. Kracke, W. F. Snider, Thomas P. Pol-The funeral services will be held at

the Presbyterian church in Manchester at 3 o'clock Sunday evening. THE WAR RECORDS. The following resolution was offered by Comrade Virginius Newton, and unan-

by Comrade Virginius Newton, and unanimously adopted by the camp:

Whereas the expediency of discontinuing, under the plea of economy, the publication of the United States official records of the fate civil war is now being mooted; and whereas the compilation of the remaining series is completed, and several of the volumes are stereotyped, indexed, and ready for publication; and indexed, and ready for publication; and whereas the collection and selection of the whereas the collection and selection of the matter for the unpublished volumes has already put the United States Govern-ment to an expense which demands pre-servation in permanent and accessible form; and whereas the discontinuance of this publication will deprive the citizens of this county of the only complete, re-liable, and official records of the valor and services of their countrymen and entail injustice upon the people of one section of a common county where there

section of a common county, where deeds are alike entitled to just commemoration; therefore, be it

Resolved, That R. E. Lee Camp No. 1, Confederate Veterans, do hereby make and onter their earnest protest against the discontinuance of the publication of the said United States official records of

the said United States official records of the late civil war.

Resolved further, That a copy of these resolution be printed and sent to each member of the Virginia delegation, representing the State of Virginia, in the House of Representatives and the Senate of the United States, and that they be urged to present in behalf of this cause such collectation and arguments as will secure the full and complete publication of the official Acords aforesaid.

Offered by Virginius Newton and unanimously adopted by R. E. Lee Camp No. 1, Confederate Veterans.

HAD NOTHING TO SAY.

James Kane Will Not Talk, by Advice of James Kane, who is an inmate of the

ity fall for assaulting his wife, who has since died, occupies the first cell on the right side of the ground floor in the northern tier. He has kept very quiet since he has been informed of the death of his wife. When I called at the city prison last evening he decined to make any statement whatever, by advice of his counsel.

The remains of Mrs. Belle Kane, wife of James Kane, who is now in the city jail, charged with the murder of his wife, were laid to rest in Shockoe Cemetery yes.

terday about the noon hour.

The tuneral took place at 11 o'clock, from the Sacred Heart church, Rev. Father O'Rellly officiating, and was attended

by quite a large crowd.

Mrs. Germelman, sister of Mrs. Kane;
Mr. Charles Searles, of Clifton Forge, a
brother-in-law; Mrs. Napler, her aunt,
and Miss Collins, her cousin, were the
chief mourners, who followed the body
to the grave.

The pall-bearers were Messrs. Thomas Lavender, William Berry, W. S. Schnei-der, Patrick Woods, and Albert Olive, all residents of the neighborhood in which the Kanes lived and friends of the un-

The obsequies over the body were conducted according to the rites of the Catholic Shurch, and were of a solemn and impressive character.

James Kane, the accused murderer who appeared to be very deeply grieved over the death of his wife after he sobered up and found himself in jall, begged that he be permitted to take a last look at his wife's free before the burdle and his see

he be permitted to take a last look at his wife's face before the burial, and his regreat was granted.

Deputy Raiston accompanied him to the house, on Church street, Oregon Hill. Several relatives of the deceased were in the room in which the body lay when the husband arrived.

Kane's grief at the sight of the dead form was most tanking. form was most touching.

After caressing his young children and

shaking hands with a number of friends of the family, Kane returned to the jail with the deputy. GYMNASIUM EXHIBITION.

Interesting Exercises at the Young Men's Christian Association Last Night

A gymnasium exhibition and musicale was given last night at the big hall of the Young Men's Christian Association, and the programme that was executed under the direction and supervision of Professor Anton Schatzel was a very creditable one. Mr. Eugene E. Davis, the well-known banjo virtuoso, opened the well-known banjo virtuoso, opened the entertainment with one of his harmony plays and a song. He was followed by the boys' class with a bar-bell drill that was splendidly rendered. After a recitation by Mr. E. M. Handy, an excellent exhibit in parallel bar work was made by Mr. Paul Wilson and the parallel bar work was made by Mr. Paul Weinert, and Mr. J. M. Ryall, the well-known Irish comedian, followed with a comic song, and Measrs. Weinert and Schatzel gave a joint exhibition in horizontal-bar work.

Mr. Eugene E. Davis next gave a hu-morous talk with banjo accompaniment, and Messrs. Carter, Cogbill, and Schatzel and Messis. Carrer, Cogoli, and Schatzei introduced themselves as skillful tumblers. Mr. J. M. Ryall rendered another comic song, and after some attractive Indian-club swinging by Mr. W. A. Haskell, the performance was brought to an end with pyramid building by the boy class. Mr. Aubrey Kelley played the piano accompaniment.

DESERTED HER CHILD. Mrs. Fiynn Arrested Here and Carried Back to Boston.

Fred. A. Burte, a detective officer in the service of the State Hospital Beard of Massachusetts, yesterday arrested a woman named Mrs. F. Flynn, and carried her back to Boston to stand the charge of deserting her infant child. Mrs. charge of deserting her infant child. Mrs. Flynn is a prepossessing woman in apFrom what could be learned yesterday, pearance, and dresses in the best of taste. Burte left Boston two weeks ago to find the woman. He traced her to Norfolk, where she was in company with a New York man, whose name could not be learned. From Norfolk the woman came to this city, and engaged board at a boarding-house on east Main street. She had been here about a week when Burte arrived.

arrived.

Through the assistance of police officers here, he found the woman yesterday,
and took her into custody. She protested, but the detective left last night at

7 o'cleck for Boston, carrying the woman If--But. vith him. In Massachusetts the law imposes se-

Ancient Order of Hibernians.

City Circuit Court.

Law and Equity Court.

Riding and Driving Association.

The members of the Richmond Riding and Driving Association held their week-ity meeting last night at the secretary's office, 914 east Main street. Business of

considerable importance was transacted. The outlook for the spring meeting

Was Not Sma'l-Pox.

Drs. Oppenhimer and Jordan went yesterday morning to the house No. 210 north Twenty-eighth street, where the case of small-pox was supposed to be. They investigated the case thoroughly, but found it simply a case of skin diseae. Dr. Oppenhimer said yesterday that the report that the case was one of small-pox was

that the case was one of small-pox was without any foundation whatever.

In the Hustings Court yesterday the ury was discharged for the term by judge Witt. The balance of the day was

taken up with the trial of civil cases.

Captain W. H. Fillinger, of Bristol, Va., and Dr. J. W. Lankford, of Chilhowic, were visitors at the Capitol yesterlay.

are coming in from many sources.

morning.

In the City Circuit Court yesterday the

vere punishment upon a woman deserting her infant child.

If you catch a cold or a chill you

may be in great danger, but there is a way to avoid serious results. Ancient Order of Hibernians.

Division No. 2 of the Ancient Order of Hibernians held an interesting meeting Friday night. Two new members were elected, and important business was transacted. It was decided to have a social reunion of the two divisions of the order in this city on the 23d of April. The annual State convention will be held in Portsmouth Sunday, April 22th, The delegation representing Division No. 2 is composed of the following gentiemen; Messrs. Chas. F. Taylor, James T. Disney, William S. Ahern, M. P. Marrin, and Thomas M. Brennan.

State Chairman W. F. Reddy recently organized a new division of the order at Newport News. If you are threatened with a cough, the grip or pneumonia, ordinary treatment may fail to benefit

you, but there is one thing which will afford you speedy relief. If your system is run down and you're bilious, constipated, nervous, irritable and low-spirited, you may imagine there is no help for you, but there is something that will

overcome this unhealthy condition. If you wish to get tone, strength, energy, ambition and new life, lose

no time but provide yourself with Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey

following suits were instituted;
Parliament & Expert against Austin P.
Spotts; action for damages, \$225.
Beeman Chemical Company against the which is unequaled for building up the health.

If you do not already know, remember that this is not an ordinary whiskey, but a pure medicinal stimulant, having a wonderful effect on the system. It stirs up the sluggish blood, creates a healthy appetite, promotes digestion and makes weak, weary people feel strong and well.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

Interesting Facts About Richmond's Citt-

Dr. Mark W. Peysor, who has been confined to his bed for the past seven weeks by a severe attack of rheumatism, left the city yesterday for a week's visit to the home of his parents, in Petersburg, to recover his strength.

News was received from Brooklyn, N. Y., Thursday of the death of Margaret Virginia, infant daughter of Willie A. and Addle M. Grimes, and granddaughter of John R. Grimes, of this city.

The Salvation Army will conduct a spe-cial meeting in the Clay-Street Methodist church Menday night next. Staff Captain Cox, a prominent and popular officer, will be present and deliver an address, "How to Gospelize the Unchurched Masses."

DEATHS.

MILLER. Died, at St. Luke's Hospital, Friday, the 27th Instant, at 3:30 o'dock P. M., MARY REBECCA MILLER, wife of A. Perkins Miller, in the forty-second year of her age.

Interment in Amelia county.

Entered Into Rest.

CABELL, Died, at his home, 204 west Grace street, Richmond, Va., Dr. JOHN GAMBLE GRATTAN CASELL, in the seventy-hinth year of his age, at half-past 3 o'clock Thursday, March 26, 1896.



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