JUSTICE JOHN'S COURT.

THE UNHAPPY RESULTS TRAT MAY ATTEND A FISHING PARTY.

A Recital of the Troubles That Overtook Many Women in the Last Few Days. An Uninvited Guest at the Ball,

It is true that the American people govern themselves, but it has reached a stage now where it takes nearly all of their time to do it, and between municipal, State, Congressional, and national pai, State, country remains in a more elections the country remains in a more or less state of political agitation all the

have made political encyclopesias arai devoted to the recurring elections it would seem that the millennium of ballet reform should be close at hand, and purity in

to side and as the sun moves around they seek the shade, and the candidates know full well that their only safety lies in flight, and they keep as scarce as pos-

Sermeant Alex. Tomlinson stated yester. day that he had received orders from Judge Witt to keep be city hall, its rooms, and corridors free from the daily crowds that throng them, to the great annoyance of the men employed therein, and to the disgust of men who are harassed by

Betty Ann White and John Thomas were charged with assaulting each other, and Betty had the skin kicked from her

covered his head.

There is something aweet, serene, and caim about fishing. It requires of course patience and skill and good company and plenty of bait of various and assorted kinds. But generally it is a peaceful.

the folks who fish.

There is, too, a soft sentiment underlying all fishing endeavors, and from the gentler musing of Izaak Walton to the more vehement ejaculations of Colonel Bill Sterrett, or Colonel Dick Bright, or some of the members of the Cohoke club,

It so happens, however, that Betty sometimes likes some other company, we poor mortals being so prone to long sometimes for other company, and on Monday when she imagined John Thomas hard at work, she extended an invitation, a somewhat fervid invitation, to another fallow and he accepted and they went and he accepted, and they



Come, love, with me, sit close beside, While in the ever restless tide
On which we look,
I'd drop a line, and you shall see
The ests and fishes caught by me,
And buit my hook.

Come, where the rush and willow grows Come where the singing river flows, Watch me angling; While on the mossy-covered rock, Close to each other we can flock,

Our feet dangling. No sound shall reach our happy dream, Save luiling murmurs of the stream,
We shall be blest;
Come, there's nothing to alarm us!
(She had overlooked John Thomas),
He did the rest.

Some folks always come at the wrong

time, and so did John Thomas, for, after he had discovered that this was a real live ushing party, he proceeded to break it up, and he did.

Fishing lost its sentimental side for Betty Ann White in about three minutes, and her unclaimed rod and line remain now down by the river bank, and her pretty-painted-bork lies bleaching and fading in the summer sun.

Herty received two very heavy kicks from John Thumas, and in return she

har in the summer sun.

Betty received two very heavy kicks from John Thomas, and in return she picked up a stone and smashed him in the mouth and again on the head.

Neither of them were very badly hurt, but Betty Ann White has lost all further interest to fishing and also in John

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TROUBLES OF WOMEN.

Just as the genial and slender postmaster of Richmont walked into the
court yesterday Sergeant Thomas should
Goldle Cleveland, and the gang gave way

Mr. Collingworth took a chair and Miss Goldie Cleveland stepped up before Jus-tice John. Miss Goldie was charged with carsing and abusing her friend, Miss Myr-

Miss Goldle does not look a particle like President Cleveland, except that she has short hair. She was arrayed in a plain-looking, purple dress, that appeared bot and too tight for her, and the fine then was not even suggested in her general make-up. Her friend, Miss Myrtle, was fixed out in a jaunty hat, a striped thirt walst, and an air of indifference as to whether she had been "cussed" by Miss cloidle or not.

Models or not.

Missee Goldie and Myrtle had lived in the same house together. They had hobnobbed at evening in the front parlor, and eaten thir late breakfasts in their exclusive company, but "one day a quarrel got," and now their pathways diverge

as far as their personal intercourse goes. as far as their personal intercourse goes.

Miss Goldie admitted that she had said
some hard things to Miss Myrtle, and
just as a little proof of her ability she ran
gilbly over a few pages of her assortment of profunctions, and Justice John
let her off with \$2.50, on account of her
profuders.

Mary Lightfoot (colored) was charged with stealing 331 from Miss Hallie J. Anderson, who lives on Beech street. Mary was employed to do some spring cleaning about the Anderson household, and it was alleged that she took a pock ing the money from Miss Ander-

guilt, as another servant was in the room at the same time, but Justice John re-quired security of her for sixty days. Ella Gibbons and Sarah Thompson (colored) were charged with fighting. They were fined \$2.50 each,
Ida Haskins and J. H. Gibbs (colored)

were charged with fighting. Ida, just like a woman, took all the blame and tried hard to keep Gibbs from being fined—so he could then pay hers—but she falled, and when \$2.50 each was required, of d when \$2.50 each was required, of urse the only \$2.50 had to go for Gibbs

BROKE UP THE BALL. The Peytons gave a bah in honor of their daughter, who is over eighteen, and as a debutante is now a ripe candidate for invitations to street-car rides, merrygo-rounds, picnics, and the fete cham-

John Martin (colored) went to this ball. John, however, wanted to run the whole affair, and this is too much for any social leader. It killed our lamented friend, ward McAllister, and came very near putting a finishing touch on Martin, but he was arrested, and in the loving arms of petice protection he rested and was saved. He paid \$5 for breaking up the Peyton's ball.

Thomas Reardon (white) fell asleep be-cause he had taken to make the delay.

cause he had taken too much to drink, and J. Rug Minor went through his peck-ets while he slept and then knocked him senseless when he awoke. The case went

to the grand jury.
William Wilson, a white boy, was fined for disorderly conduct. Nelson Banks, a suspicious negro char-

acter, was sent down for six months.

Washington Cary (colored) was sent
down for thirty days as being a suspicious

character, Charles White, a white man, halling Charles white, a waitq man, harman from Frankfort, Ky., was charged with being drunk. He had lost both arms and was a stranger in the city, and Jus-tice John declined to fine him, as he said he had only money enough to get on his

fined \$2.50 for being drunk on the street.

Representative of the Imperial Potentate

to be Here. The coming three fortnights will be momentous ones for the nobles of Acca Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S.

On the 28th of April Mr. James Mc-Ghee, Imperial Representative of Imperial Potentate Charles L. Field, and himself a noble without blemish of Mecca Temple, of New York, will visit Acca Temple, of New York, will visit Acca Temple and bear what communication his imperial potentateship may desire to send to the nobles in the South. The coming of this illustrious noble will be the occasion of great rejoicing among Richmond Shriners, and Potentate F. W. Cunningham has, with the aid of his brethren, prepared to make the session of the 28th instant one not soon to be forgotten. Unique notices on red, white, and blue cards have been sent out, and each noble is invited to bring with him a novice to tramp across the burning sands.

o tread the burning sands, and a ban-nuct befitting the occasion. It will be a dorious session, as is in evidence when the names of the committee are given as follows: Messrs. Louis P. Ecker, Preston Belvin, Frederick Pleasants, George L. Street, F. J. Craigie, and E. E. Guy. These gentlemen are receiving valuable ald from Potentiate F. W. Conningham. Chief Rabban George W. Rady, and Assistant Rabban B. D. Hotchkiss.
On the 25th the Arab patrol will give an excursion down the river. It will be a very delightful event, and many Wash-

Judge Farrar Out Again.

ington nobles will participate.

Judge F. R. Farrar was in the city Monday and yesterday and attended the an-niversary of R. E. Lee Camp last Monday niversary of R. E. Lee Camp last Monday night. Judge Farrar was compelled to cancel a long list of Texas enlagements on account of his recent severe liness, but says that he is now prepared to fill engagements in this State during the rest of the spring and summer. Judge Far-rar's Texas engagements have been post-poned until next fall.

City Circuit Court.

Judge Wellford yesterday granted in the City Circuit Court amendments to the charter of the Union Brokerage, Commission and Warehouse Company. The name of the company is changed to the Union Brokerage Company. The capital stock of the company shall not be less than \$10,000 or more than \$200,000, and its than \$10,000 or more than \$200,000, and its present stock may be reduced to the

Chancery Court.

In the Chancery Court Mrs. Sarah J. Potts and Mary C. Donnan qualified yesterday as executrixes of the estate of the late Captain George W. Allen.

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husiness of minor importance was transacted.

Mr. Mountcastle callel attention to the resolution offered by him last month, to the effect that the the physician to the fall make a report as to the sanitary condition of that institution with a view to securing a new jail.

Colonel Cutshaw stated a jail with modern arrangements and a capacity of two hundred prisoners would cost the city from \$15,000 to \$100,000.

Mr. Gunst stated that an estimate had been submitted to him from a reliable concern, under which a brick building, with three burghar-proof cells, could be built for about \$40,000. It would be large enough to accommodate two hundred prisoners.

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Mr. Caskie, who was present, stated that, as a member of the Finance Committee, he would be willing to vote for the selling of the Clark Spring property and the Scabrook warehouse, the proceeds to be used for the erection of a new Jall. He added that he was opposed to the issuing of bonds for such a purpose.

Mr. Caskie appeared before the committee on behalf of the property-owners around Gamble's Hill, complaining of the bad effect of the smoke at the foot of Gamble's Hill, where the Chesapeake and Ohio Rallway Company has established a round-house. Another nuisance in that locality had been the establishing of a cattle-yard by the railroad company. In view of the fact that the company was asking for the right of way through the city gas-works, it might be advisable to ask them to deed the property in question to the city, or at least abandon its use as a round-house and cattle-yard

On notion of Mr. Blake the matter was referred to the ward committee and the City Engineer.

Mr. Lawder asked the ward committee

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Mr. Lawder asked the ward committee to use their best efforts to see that the round-house be transferred to Fulton, where the railroad company owns a considerable amount of property. This was

THE DEMOCRATIC LEAGUE. A Statement in Behalf of the Ticket Named by the Organization.

The following explains 'tself: To the Members of the Democratic League for Good Government, and to

Other Citizens of Richmond who Favor the Object of the League:
To avoid misapprehension amongst the nembers of the Democratic League for lood Government, and to entilat the coperation of such critizens as may wish o secure economy in the affairs of the bity, the league deems it prudent to make

secure economy in the affairs of the ty the league deems it prudent to make e following statement: The Council ticket endorsed by the ague in each ward of the city was se-cted by committees of the league in each ard, with due consideration to each cition thereof, and subsequently ratified the members of each ward in open

If these tickets do not contain men of your individual preference, they are yet pledged to economy of administration, which is a chief object in the organization rague, ct, efficient organization demands

hrown by the consolidated vote of its opponents.
The obligation imposed upon each memper of the league is "to use every reasontable endeayor to further its objects and
to secure a Council pledged to the economcal administration of the city affairs."
Its objects are twofold-measures as well
as mea. Nother can be secured without
the solid vote of the league, cast for the
licket it has selected in each ward, and
hits course is plainly demanded by prulence, as well as the obligations assumed
a membership.

The May Music Festival.

The Wednesday Club held its regular weekly rehearsal last night at the Young Men's Christian Association Hall, preparatory to the great May festival, which will be given at the Mozart Academy of Music on Thursday and Friday, May 14th and 15th. About ninety names have night. The members of the club were supplied with cards, upon which are to be gotten the names of those who desire to subscribe for any special number of sbats for one or both concerts. The Academy box-office will be open on Tuesday, May 12th, for the exclusive benefit of subscribing members, and the regular public sale will not begin until Wednesday, the 13th. By this arrangement, those who subscribe for seats in advance who subscribe for seats in advance will have the privilege of securing choice locations before the office is opened to the general puble. There is every indication that the coming May festival will eclipse any prior event of its kind ever given in

The Baby Reception.

The bady reception gotten up by Mrs. George A. Lyon for the benefit of the bay Nursery and Free Kindergarten will ake place to-merrow at the Woman's Bristian Association pariors from 4 to 6 '. M. and from 8 to 10 P. M. Following re the ladges: Christian Association pariors from 4 to 0 P. M. and from 8 to 10 P. M. Fellowing are the judges:
Mother Judges:
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Mother Judges-Mrs. Joseph Bryan, Mrs. Taylor Edyson, Mrs. Jacob Michaux, Mrs. Robert Green, Mrs. Mary A. Morris, Jars. Truman A. Parker.
Grandmother Judges-Mrs. Andrew H. Christian, Mrs. Loward Gray, Mrs. W. B. Williams, Mrs. Colonel John B. Cary, Mrs. S. B. Wilson, Mrs. Ackander Duvai, Mrs. John L. Williams, Mrs. S. Benty.
Doctors as Judges-Dr. Ned McGutre, Dr. John N. Upshur, Dr. Charles M. Shelds, Dr. Augustus Lee, Dr. William Henson, Dr. O. A. Crenshaw, Dr. Greef Baughman, Dr. Frank Hancock, Dr. Frank W. Upshur, The MacGutre, Dr. Greef Baughman, Dr. Frank Hancock, Dr. Frank W. Upshur, Br. Shelids, Mrs. Parker Dasheids.
Following are the patronesses: Mrs. C. P. Walford, Mrs. J. P. Harrison, Mrs. Frank McGulre, Mrs. Regnald Gillam, Mrs. V. P. De Saussure, Mrs. Biand Smith, Mrs. James Benson, Mrs. Herbert Claiborne, Mies Lizze Grattan, Miss Maria Blaft, Misses Notting, Miss Bandiark, Miss Anne Moore, Mrs. Stevenson, Mrs. Abert Bruce, Mrs. Handel Moore, Mrs. Randolph Wellford, Miss Rohinson, Miss Stevenson, Mrs. Abert Bruce, Mrs. James H. Capers, Mrs. M. C. Smith, Mrs. Roy Mason, Mrs. Dr. W. M. Wede, Mrs. Ownya Allen, Mrs. Dr. Binford, Miss Logan, Mrs. Boswell, Mrs. J. F. Bowman.

The Last Entertainment.

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Next Friday night at 8 o'clock the last
Siar Cofirse entertainment of Sie season will be given at the Young Men's
Christian Association It'all. The attraction for the evening will be the Grecian
Art Tableaux Company, of Boston, Mass.
This excellent company was designed and
arranged by Mrs. Edizabeth Flower Willis,
who as a reader and impersonator, canwho, as a reader and impersonator, can-not be excelled. She will be assisted by Misses Lois Shepard, contraito; Blanche B. Sears, violinist; Alberta Turner, ac-companist, and Mr. Maurice Willis, man-This is not a theatrical company, but

one which is instructive and artistic of the highest order, and one which ap-peals to the non-theatre going. Only two hundred scats will be sold, as the other are already reserved for ticket-holders. Tickets go on sale this morning at 8 o'clock för ticket-holders, and to the general public to-morrow (Thursday) morning ut 9 o'clock.

MeGill Catholic Union, It was ladies' night with the McGill Catholic Union, and Cathedral Hall was Catholic Union, and Cathedral Hall was thronged with a large and appreciative audience, which thoroughly enjoyed the delightful programme that had been prepared for their delectation Monday night. The event was under the direction of Miss Kate O'Neil. Miss Nena Randolph was the accompanist and Mr. J. Louis Sullivan worked indefatigably for the success of the entertainment.

The following was the programme: Piano recital, "La Hote Aragonaise,"

The Railroad Company to be Asked to Deed Its Property to the City.

The Committee on Grounds and Buildings held its regular semi-monthly meeting in room No. 5 of the City Hall last evening at 7 o'clock. The following members were present: Messrs. Epps (chairman), Blake, Briggs, Gunst, Lawder, Mountcastle, and Snead.

Le usual number of bills were ordered to be paid, and a good deal of routine husiness of minor importance was transacted.

Mr. Mountcastle callel attention to the Chime-Kiln Club, Mr. John Eggleston. A cantata, "Contention Among the Flow-Lime-Kiln Club, Mr. John Eggleston. A cantata, "Contention Among the Flowers," by the following young ladies, concluded the entertainment: Misses L. Bendal, N. Murphy, K. Simpson, B. Meredith, Marie Hinchman, A. Clay, L. O'Nell, F. Forstmann, Lulu Collins, D. Blackburn, N. O'Hara, A. Connolly, and Nora-Hinchman.

Cattle Men Pleased. Local cattle men are pleased with the appointment of Dr. George C. Faville as cattle inspector for this district. He is a capable veterinary surgeon and inspector. A weil-known cattle man said yesterday that he had had dealings with the Doctor that he had had dealings with the Boots and always found him a very pleasant gentleman to deal with. Dr. Faville will have the entire State in his charge.

Hegarding Dr. Curtice, the retiring inspector, it may be said that he gave excellent satisfaction to the cattle men, and they regretted his removal.

As yet no trace has been found of Tom Robinson, the ex-convict who shot and almost instantly killed James Waddey on Sunday morning.
County Policeman Rogers Monday night
arrested a negro who was thought to be
Robinson. He was taken to the county

jail, where it was found that he was not the murderer. He was found, however, to be a fugitive from justice who is wantd for a theft. Waddey was buried on Monday.

Arcested By the Police.

Oliver Grimes (colored) was arrested and locked up at the Second station yesterday for obtaining a lot of clothing valued at \$20 from Robert Wheeler.

Jesse Hilton (colored), who is believed to be the burglar who attempted to kill Lazarus Bernstein, a tailor, who caught the negre in the act of robbing his house some time ago, was arrested in the Second district yesterday. Jim Wade, charged with the larceny of a lot of clothing, was also locked up at the Second station.

Visited the Norfolk Elks.

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District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler
Juan Pizzini, of the Grand Lodge of Elks
of Virginia, paid he annual visit to the
Norfolk Lodge of Elks on Sunday last.
Despite the fact that the day was oppressively hot, and that the lodge as a
whole had no expectation of his visit,
between eighty and ninety members were
present at the meeting. Mr. Pizzini spoke
in very high terms of the Norfolk Lodge
and of the corfola reception which was
accorded to him on his brief visit.

Lost Her Pocket-Book

Mrs. J. E. Hart, while shopping Monday in the Cohen Company's store, lost her pocket-book, containing a considerable amount of money. The purse contained five \$20 gold pieces, one \$5 gold piece, one \$2.00 gold pieces, one \$7 note and two \$1 notes, besides some small change. There was also some tea and coffee checks in the and a trunk key. it, and a trunk key. It has not yet been found.

The Plans Completed.

Architect Charles H. Read, Jr., has completed the drawing of the plans for the Union Theological Semmary, and they will be passed upon at a meeting of the General Committee, which will be held in a few days. As soon as they are approved, bids for the erection of the buildings will be advertised for, and as soon as possible their erection will be commenced.

Enworth Leaguers.

The Epworth League of the Broad-Street Methodist church held a well-at-tended meeting last night at the church, and Rev. Dr. Starr delivered the fourth lecture of the series of lectures to the Epworth League of the church. The lec-ture was thoroughly enjoyed by all who heard it.

Important Change in Southern Railway Pullman-Car Service Between Richmond and the South.

Commencing April 15th, the Southern Railway Company will run a Through Sleeping-Car between Richmond, Danville, Greensboro, Sallsbury, Charlotte, and Augusta. This car will be operated on Augusta. In Schiller and Carlon and Land and Lan C. W. CECIL, T. P. A., 520 cast Main street. returning

Negligee Shiks

of every possible material at O. H. Berry & Co.'s.

The great sacrifice sale of the stock of fine Family Bibles, Prayer-Books, Leather Cases, Gold Pens, &c. These articles are being closed out regardless of cost. Call and see them at once.

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CHARLES A. ROSE, Receiver.

Southern Baptist Convention, Chattanoo Southern Baptist Convention, Chattanooga, Tenn., May 8th to 14th.

For the above Convention the Scaboard Air Line has made a rate of one fare for the round-trip, and desires to run a solid Baptist train from this territory to Chattanaoga and return for the exclusive comfort of delegates and visitors.

For further information apply to H. M. BOYKIN, Fassenger Agent, \$36 east Main street.

Forty-First Session. SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION, CHATTANOOGA, TENN., MAY 7th-14th, Por the above occasion, the Southern

For the above occasion, the Southern railway will sell tickets at one fare for the round-trip. Tickets on sale May 5th-8th, good for fifteen days from date of sale. This trip will be made in daylight through the beautiful scenery of Western North Carolina. For further information, apply to C. W. Cecil, T. P. A., 929 east Main street.

On Wednesday, April 224, Chesapeake and Ohio railway train No. 29, leaving Richmond at 5:29 P. M., will be handled special west of Doswell, raining through to Staunton, reaching Staunton at 10:15 P. M., for the accommodation of delegates attending the State Republican Convention. Passengers can take this train at all stations between Richmond and Charlottesville. Scheiule west of Doswell will be about thirty minutes in advance of regular No. 29. regular No. 29.

Interesting to Farmers,

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If you will use Polk Miler's "Victory
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condition, and make them lay twice as
well. It is also a sure preventive of cholera and gapes. Twenty-five cents in all
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"Phone 505.

Second Market. with me. 'Phone 505. Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

DEED OF TRUST FOR \$15,000. Harry Hirshberg, a Dry Goods and Notion

Dealer, Goes to the Wall. A deed of trust was filed in the clerk's office of the Chancery Court yesterday by Harry Hirshberg, naming Mr. Sol. L. Harry Hirshberg, naming Mr. Sol, L. Bloomberg as trustee. The liabilities are estimated at \$15,900, while the value of the assets is not given. The property transferred consists of the stock of merchandise, such as dry-goods, nations, ladies' and gents' furnishing goods, etc., in the store at No. ISH east Main street. Out of the proceeds of the sale of the property conveyed the following claims are to be paid:

First, All costs and expenses caused

to be paid:

First. All costs and expenses caused by the execution of the deed, together with the commission of 5 per cent. to the trustee, all State and city taxes due, also rent due to J. Thompson Brown & Co., on the building, and whatever amount is due to Mr. Edmund Waddill, Jr., for legal services, wages due to employes, etc.

Second. The following claims in the order named: The State Bank of Virginta,

der named: The State Bank of Virginia, \$500, and \$500 due on two notes; Savinga Bank of Richmond, \$450; Sam Jacobs, \$1,-\$600; Fred. Brauer, \$200; Planters National Bank, \$400; Fanny Marcue, \$1,000; Martha Bank, 160; Fanny Marcus, \$1,00; Martha Firman, \$90; E. Marcus Sons, \$216.25; W. Pearlstein, secretary, \$80; Rosen and Sack, \$115.29; Gans Bros., \$63.90; Baltimore Sus-pender Company, \$214.33; Rubinsky & pender Company, \$214.33; Rubinsky & Arinof, \$125.37; Tregelles, Hertel & Co., \$264.64; Daniel Miller & Co., \$148.60.

Third. After the payment of the above-named claims the residue of the trust fund is to be distributed pro rata among

the following creditors: Armstrong, Ca-tor Co., \$258.59; Cashriel & Co., \$148.42; Georga A. Clark & Bro., \$188.15; Chesa-peake Rubber Company, \$101; J. H. Cohn & Co., \$159.64; G. W. Eillis & Co., \$85.40; & Co., \$159.64; G. W. Ellis & Co., \$85.40; Eureka Silk Company, \$88.10; Frank Kahn and Frank, \$414.96; Charles Falkenberg, \$133.12; M. Goldberg, \$107.28; Gans Bros., \$221.05; A. S. Harris Bro., \$168.49; Hilde-shimer & Lebieringer, \$118.61; Hentzson shimer & Lebleringer, \$118.01; Hentzson Hros., \$197.75; Imperial Suspender Com-pany, \$146.13; Jonas Bros., \$224.79; Win-kunstier & Bro., \$252.13; Katz Bros., \$153.63; S. Strauss & Co., \$39.25; Stenhardt & Weisman, \$227.25; Steinfelder & Rosen-blatt, \$312.41; Stiff & Bodenheimer, \$143.25; D. Strauss, \$32.07; Sheiling Corset Com-pany, \$221.63; Charles Simon Sons, \$333.55; Turk & Einstein, \$339.75; United Shirt and Collar Company, \$89.25; Weingarten Bros., \$139.25; World Shirt Company, \$125.59; S. Zabinski, \$48.20; Charles E. Zana & Co., \$45.65; P. Klezmer, \$4.30; J. Kerster & \$45.68; P. Klezmer, \$54.30; J. Kerster & Son, \$251.96; F. H. Lapsley & Bro., \$162.78; David Loevi, \$481.67; Livingston & Lieberman, 151.48; J. O. Logan, 237.42; Louis Meyers, 195.35; Manhattan Novelty Company, 259.28; Mineth Shade Company, 189; Neugess Bros., \$116.23; Naimant Blos-sein, 381.45; L. Philips & Co., \$51.25; M. sein, \$31.45; L. Philips & Co., \$51.25; M. Philips & Son, \$467; Paul Mayer & Harel \$271.85; Roth & Goddsmith, \$119.65; B. Robbins & Co., \$31.22; Rich. Schranm, \$298.10.

"The Governor of Kentucky.

William H. Crane will commence his engagement at the Academy to-night, presenting his new play, the "Governor of Kentucky."

Keep Bicycles Out of the Park. Editor of The Times:

Editor of The Times:

Sir.—It has always given me pleasure to
see the fair way in which your paper
deals with every one, and I now ask that
you use your kind influence in persuading
our City Council to pass a law prohibiting the entrance of those who ride bicycles into Gambbi's Hill Park after 7
P. M. from May 1st to October 1st every
year.

P. M. from May 1st to October 1st every year.

No reasonable rider will once question the right of this law, for every one must be fair and reasonable about "law on right of way." Go to Gamble's Hill Park on a hot night, and see the suffering little ones there who are totally dependent upon this place for comfort, health, and rest. There is a class of our good citizens who cannot afford to send their little children to the country, and it is but just and fair that they should have some place to take the suffering little ones to breathe the fresh air. One night there will be an accident if the law is not prudent on this subject; some little one will loose an arm, leg, or possibly a life, caused by a wheel stealing noiselessly behind the innocent, no warning of bell or lamp, it will be too late then to say, "I am sorry."

Now is the time for our City Council

sorry."
ow is the time for our City Connell make this law, and see that it is cariout, and let those who don't ride with is and lamps be prompty reported. At rate, keep riders on bleveles out of any rate, keep riders on bloydes out a this park. Give the little ones who are in need of and suffering for fresh air a opportunity, and our bloyde friends will be satisfied, I am quite sure. A RIDER. Richmond, Va., April 21, 1806.

LOUDOUS HAPPENINGS

Hamilton to Have a National Bank-Confederate Veterans Protest. HUGHESVILLE, VA., April 20.-Special.-Mr. Samuel W. Brooks has been

pointed postmaster at Boungton Thomas Kalb, resigned.

Mr. Ludwell C. Young, of Falls Church,
Fairfax county, has removed to Hamil-Mr. S. J. Simmonds, druggist, of Hamilton, has been visiting friends in Lynch-

Mr. C. C. Bell has purchased the store-

Mr. C. C. Bell has purchased the storehouse of Mr. T. E. Hough, in Hillsboro.
Mrs. Charles Tavenner, of Hamilton, has
returned from a visit of several weeks to
her parents, at Laurel.
Mrs. Mary Furr, of near Hughesville, is
quite iil of bright's disease.
The people of Hamilton are taking steps
leading to the establishing of a skating
rink, and bowling alley, and a national
bank in that town.
The estate of the late Thomas Swann
is estimated to be worth \$100,000. His

is estimated to be worth \$100,000. His brother, Col. Sherlock Swann, and the Safe Deposit and Trust Company, of Baltimore, have qualified as executors and trustees of the estate.

Mr. B. F. Sheetz, the popular editor of
the Mirror, who has been confined to his
home since New Year, has so far recov-

ered as to be able to return to his edito rial sanctum.

Mr. J. H. Priest, of Middleburg, has returned from a visit of several months to Norfolk.

Mrs. Fannie Mason is visiting her

mother in Leesburg.

Mr. H. H. Trundle and his bride are visiting his brother-in-law, Mr. Samuel Lutz, near Leesburg.

Miss Sophia Broaden, who spent the winter in Philadelphia, has returned to her home, "Morven Park," near Lees-Mr. Horace English, son and assistant

of Mr. Charles A. English, railroad agen

at Leesburg, has accepted a position in the office of the B. & O. R. R., in Washington. His place in the railroad office at Leesburg has been filled by the appointment of Mr. John Steadman in his stead. Mr. Steadman is succeeded by Mr. Brooks Forsythe, in charge of the Adams Express department.

At a meeting of the Clinton Hatcher Carme, C. V. on the 13th then

Camp, C. V., on the 13th inst, a resolu-tion was adopted vigorously protesting against "the discontinuance of the publi-cation of the War Records until the whole truth concerning the treatment of prisoners of war, officially published in the series already portfailly proposed. the series already partially prepared and contemplated by law."

The camp purposes attending the lay-ing of the corner-stone of the monument to President Davis in Richmond.

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Much of the clover sown last year has been destroyed by the freezing and thawing weather of the past winter and early spring, which threw the roots out of the ground so that clover roots can in some instances be gathered by handfuls.

Considerable excitement was caused in Mt. Gilead, which was caused by the appearance of a mad-dog, which is known to have bitten another dog and a hog before being killed. Others may have been bitten also, and this fact is a cause of uneasiness to many.

Tazewell's Heavey Docket.

TAZEWELL. VA.. April 20.—Special.—
The Circuit Court has been in session for
the past two weeks, Judge S. W. Williams presiding. There were a great many
new cases at this term of the court, and
the docket shows about 475 cases thereon.
There have been several jury cases, and

the court is on one now that will take to the middle of the week to dispose of. This will probably be the last jury case to be tried at this term of the court, and as the chancery matters are about all in, court will probably adjourn about Thursday.

The damages awarded Caudell vs. the Tazewell Street Railway for defective crossings were 109. This verdict has caused the company to put in new crossings and otherwise to improve the track along the street.

Dr. Raileigh Witten, who has been quite sick for the past ten days with partial paralysis, is no better, and hopes of his recovery are very slight.

The weather for the past few days has been quite warm, and the ground is fast becoming dry. The grass is beginning to get green and ferward enough for cattle to live. The indications are that there will be a large fruit crop in this section.

to live. The indications are that there will be a large fruit crop in this section. The Board of Supervisors let to contract to a St. Louis company to put vaults and steel files in the county clerk's office of this county, and as soon as this job is completed the Circuit Court office will be arranged likewise, and probably the Clinch Valley Bank will follow suit.

Interesting Revival At Norton.

NORTON, VA., April 21.—Special.—A very interesting and successful revival meeting is in progress at the Methodist meeting is in progress at the Methodist church here. Rev. Mr. Munsey, pastor of the church, is conducting the meeting, and he has an able assistant, the Rev. Mr. Adams, of St. Faul. There have been several conversions already, and the church is crowded every night. The revival will continue this week.

A mad dog made its appearance in town several days ago and bit some other of the caning success who happened to

of the canine species who happened to be too familiar on short acquaintance. As a result, the Mayor has issued an As a result, the Mayor has issued an order that all dogs found running at large on the street shall be killed. The pay-car of the Louisville and Nashville railroad made its monthly call in Norton this morning.

The usual spring fires have made their appearance in the mountains near by, but so far no damage has been reported from them.

from them.

Mrs. C. T. Hammond is visiting ber parents at Catlotisburg, Ky.

NEWPORT NEWS, VA., April 21 .- Special.—The summer girl and her tatior-made beaux were in evidence yesterday, the extreme warm weather having drawn them out in all of their latest summer ap-

The condition of George Chappet, one of the men who was badly burned by the explosion of a barrel of benzine Saturday, if serious to-day. It is not thought that

he will recover.

Mr. R. L. Henderson, who has been employed in the New York office of the American Tobacco Company for some time, returned to the city yesterday, and has accepted a clerical position at the ship-yard. mber of prominent business men A number of prominent business men were before the Police Justice Saturday afternoon, charged with violating the city ordinance prohibiting the standing of empty wagens on the streets.

Judge T. J. Barham, of the Corporation Court, has given notice that he will hear applications for liquor licenses next wed-reselay.

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