



Over a Cup of Tea.

Come and forget this Spanish war, Over a cup of tea; You've talked of cannon and powder galore, Of musket range and rifle bore, Come, now, and forget the Spanish war, Over a cup of tea.

SOCIETY'S DULL SEASON IS ON.

But Charity's Gentle Ministry is a Welcome Successor.

DANCING AT LAKESIDE PARK.

A Few Private Entertainments and a Number of Meetings of Charitable and Patriotic Organizations Make Up the Week's Doings.

Conspicuous upon the social programme of the week is the recital to be given by the charming singer, Miss Betty Burwell Booker, at the Jefferson Hotel on the evening of Thursday, June the ninth.

From all standpoints, including the highly important pecuniary one, the dramatic entertainment given under Miss Emily Glasgow's direction, at West Main street, for the relief of a needy family, was most successful.

Among those who called were: Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harvie, Mr. and Mrs. Seldon, Mr. Tabb, Miss Seldon, Miss Gordon, Mr. Irving, Miss Aloop, Mr. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. T. Wm. Pemberton, Mr. and Mrs. Wood, Miss Cameron, George McCree, Miss Mary Todd, Miss Robinson of Washington; Miss Gihlan, Mrs. Muncie, Mr. and Mrs. Augustine Royall, Mrs. Vaden, Mrs. Jacob Michaux, Misses Virginia and Kate Michaux, Miss Norwood, Mr. Woods, Mr. Skilton, Mr. Cannon, Miss Sarah Harvie, Miss Mary Michaux, Dr. and Mrs. Dunn, Mrs. W. M. Wade, Miss Archer, Mrs. Coleman, Miss Boykin, Mrs. George Ben. Johnston, Miss Johnston, Miss Woodward, Mr. Wellford, Mrs. Hoyt, Mr. Lazelle, the Misses Williams, Dr. Merrill, Miss Bernard Harvie, Miss Wellford, Miss Burwell, Miss McRae, Miss Carrington, Mrs. McCree, Mr. Brockenbrough, Mr. Woodward, Mr. Coulling, and others.

The engagement of Miss Ellen London of Richmond, and Mr. Joseph Burwell Fisklin of Fredericksburg is announced, the wedding to take place on June the twentieth. Miss London is a daughter of Dr. Daniel London, 48 east Franklin street, and is charmingly personable. Her fiance is prominent in Fredericksburg society circles, and also enjoys the high regard of its business world.

Miss Maria Mosely is visiting friends in Petersburg.

A number of prominent Richmond people have received invitations to the wedding, on Monday evening, June the twentieth, St. John's church, Rhacra, N. Y., of Miss Jessica Tyler and Mr. Willard Austin. The bride is a daughter of Mr. Moses Cott Tyler, the brilliant lecturer and eminent historian, whose visit to Richmond was so greatly enjoyed.

Tuesday afternoon at the Woman's Club was so delightful that on all sides are heard expressions of regret at the conclusion of the "Classes" season. It had been announced that Mrs. Caskie Cabell would give a series of readings from Henrik Ibsen's "Peer Gynt," and that Professor Jacob Reinhardt would render effective music. It is not an exaggeration to say that the affair partook of the nature of whatever is most delightful in a "literary" evening, a musicale and a purely social evening, for the parlors were thronged with the most appreciative and thoughtful as well as cultured people in local society. At 5 o'clock, when the company had all assembled, all in bright and elegant afternoon dress, the parlors presented a scene which it is singularly pleasant to recall. Mrs. Cabell's selections were admirably chosen, and her comment, in passing, was of interest. At no point in the readings did Mrs. Cabell so deeply impress her audience as in the scene where the old mother dies and the exquisite closing scene, "Sunrise." Each of these was followed by the Greek music, Professor Reinhardt's skillful touch never being more effective than in the readings, both Mrs. Cabell and Professor Reinhardt were surrounded by friends eager to express the pleasure both had given them.

Mr. and Mrs. Poindexter Page Carter and three children are visiting the Misses Jones, Franklin and Seventh streets.

Miss Marianne Meade left last week for the White Sulphur Springs, where she will be the guest of Mrs. Hunter McGuire for the month of June.

Miss Rachel Cooke has returned from Whittenton, Long Island, where she has had a delightful three weeks' visit to Mrs. Charles Seaf.

Mrs. Fitzhugh Lee and the Misses Lee will spend the summer months at the White Sulphur.

The local committee of the George Washington Memorial Association are much interested in the semi-annual meeting to be held in the theatre of the Hotel Rider, Cambridge Springs, Pa., June 1, 8th, 9th and 10th, and will be remembered that Mrs. Herbert A. Claiborne is one of the vice-presidents of the Association, that Mrs. Joseph Willard is chairman of the executive committee for Virginia and that the local committee includes many of the leading women of this city. The programme for the meeting in Pennsylvania includes much that is highly interesting. Excluding the formal business meetings there will be an informal reception from 8 to 10 on the evening of the 4th, an entertainment in the theatre of the hotel on the afternoon of the 8th, and addresses on the evening of the 9th on "The George Washington Memorial Movement as the Natural Step in the Evolution of Education" and "Our Trust," in view of the future reads, from the present conditions.

On the afternoon of the 9th the "History of Patriotic Music in America" will be illustrated by recitation and songs, accompaniment of music, and on the evening of that day address on "The Value of the Industrial Art Training in a National University" and "The University of the United States as an Influence on the Character of the American Citizen." On the morning of the 10th there will be held an executive session of the Board of Trustees. Quite a large party from Richmond will attend the meeting.

Miss Lutie Pleasants, who has been quite ill at St. Luke's Hospital, is now improving steadily.

On June 7th the Training School for Nurses of the Medical College of Virginia will hold its graduating exercises, a particularly interesting programme having been arranged. Dr. J. B. McCaw will deliver the address to the graduate nurses. Rev. Wm. A. Barr will make the prayer. Dr. Christopher Tompkins will present the diplomas, and Mrs. Grace Shields, president of the Board of Managers, will deliver the address.

Arrangements for the alumnae banquet of the Richmond Female Institute and Woman's College are now completed, and to-morrow, at 2 o'clock, is the day and hour decided upon. The Jefferson will be the place. Those who wish to attend will please hand the luncheon fee to Mrs. Irene Foster, east Marshall street, or, if more convenient, to Mrs. B. T. Crump, 65 west Grace.

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A RESULT OF THE WAR And How it Affects the Prices of Pants for Richmond Men.

Many large manufacturers make a practice of only making up goods after orders have been placed for them, thus making only as much as is sold. A manufacturing tailor had orders placed for more than 5,000 pairs of Spring Pants by firms in the South, and he immediately started the cutting up of enough goods to fill these orders. When, however, war was declared these clothing people were unable to get their pants made, and they were forced to cancel their orders. Now comes a hard pull for the manufacturer. He has 5,000 pairs of pants nearly completed, but no orders to fill them. He makes strenuous efforts to sell them. Every body turns him down, saying that the Men's clothing trade will suffer by so many young men going to war.

Time flies quickly, and the early summer finds the pants still not sold and bills for material coming due every day. In his dire distress he turns to the Big Department Stores for quick relief. He wants to turn them all over at once and get cash quickly, and to the department store in his own city, but they have helped out some other manufacturer and are overloaded. He looks about and hears of the Big Department Store that was opened in Richmond. It's his last hope, and he has to make the best of a bad bargain. After much parleying, he accepts the offer made by the buyer of the Clothing Department of the Meyer Store, and Friday night the railroad company delivered four cases of Pants pants to Meyer's. These Pants cover every kind of quality of Dress Pants that sell for \$1 to \$5 a pair, and to sell so many pairs of Pants it will be necessary to sell at half of usual prices at the sale.

"I have been through such sales before," said the Manager Saturday, and we know this sale will create a profound sensation before a week rolls around. Men who do not usually buy with their hands will be worried by the women folks, who will tell them of the Great Pants Sale at Meyer's. Here's an idea of how these Pants will be sold: for Black Ribbed Chevots and Gray Mixtures Cloth Pants, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, 1.00 for Pants in various materials; 50c for Hair, Fine Casimeres, Striped and Solid Worsteds, Plaid and Check Worsteds Pants, these being a thousand or more pairs, at \$1.18, \$1.25, \$1.35 and \$1.45 hundred of pairs worth a half more; at \$1.50 a very fine Herring Bone Stripe, Navy Blue and Black Clay Worsteds and some twenty other different styles of Pure Wool Pants, at \$1.58, \$1.75, \$1.85, \$1.95, \$2.00, \$2.10, \$2.20, \$2.30, \$2.40, \$2.50, \$2.60, \$2.70, \$2.80, \$2.90, \$3.00, \$3.10, \$3.20, \$3.30, \$3.40, \$3.50, \$3.60, \$3.70, \$3.80, \$3.90, \$4.00, \$4.10, \$4.20, \$4.30, \$4.40, \$4.50, \$4.60, \$4.70, \$4.80, \$4.90, \$5.00. These Pants will be sold in the Clothing Department of the Meyer Store, corner Foushee and Broad.

Nothing, Miss M. G. Valentine, Misses Pearl and Ruby Bodeker, Josephine and George Newell, Mrs. Cersley, Mr. W. M. Wade, Mrs. Cullingworth, Miss Iselene Moses, Mrs. James Caskie, Mrs. Maria Robinson, Mrs. Truman A. Parker, Mrs. Edw. V. Daniel, the Misses Jones, the Misses Pulliam, Mrs. Clements, Misses Anna and Precious Moore, Mrs. Bland Smith, the Misses Morrison, Mrs. Sinton, Mrs. Edw. Spotts, Mrs. G. Collins, Mrs. G. Wallace, Mrs. G. W. Wallace, Mrs. Randolph Wellford, Mrs. Frank McGuire, Mrs. Hogan, Mrs. Ellen Sinton, Mrs. Westwood, Mr. Hardgrove, Mr. E. B. Taylor, the Eva Spotts Memorial Band, Mrs. George Lane Marshall, Mrs. John Hartson, Mrs. Samuel Wallace, Mrs. Edwin P. Cox, Mr. E. H. Acree and Mr. Jurgens.

On Thursday Rev. Donald Guthrie will deliver his popular lecture on "Ideals" in the lecture room of Dr. Hoge's church for the benefit of the nursery. The proceeds will be devoted to the memorial fund to the late Mrs. William Bott, whose faithful service to the nursery and other good works entitle her to some tangible memorial.

On Wednesday the removal into the nursery's new building, at Nineteenth and Grace streets, was made, and the house has been prepared for the reception of friends in connection with the formal opening of the nursery to-morrow, when ministers representing every denomination in Richmond will take part.

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NEW COMPANY IN RICHMOND.

Capt. J. R. Tennant Has Organized a Command.

READY TO ENTER THE SERVICE.

More Than One Hundred Men Ready to Follow a Gallant Confederate Into the War Waged Against Spain—Sketch of Officers.

The first company to be organized and offered for service under the President's second call for troops is the one raised in Richmond by Capt. Julian R. Tennant. It required only a few days for the captain to get together enough men to make a command. He was chosen captain; A. A. Morrissey, first lieutenant, and C. F. Markey, second lieutenant.

Capt. Tennant's company may not be ordered yet. No one can tell what will be done. Governor Tyler has promised to use this command if there is any possible way of doing so. Capt. Tennant and his men are anxious for the opportunity to render active service.

CAPT. TENNANT'S RECORD. Capt. Tennant was born in Caroline county, January 6, 1844. He entered the Confederate army May 13, 1861, in the



CAPT. J. R. TENNANT.

Thomas Artillery at Richmond. Capt. Philip Stanard was his commanding officer. He was wounded at Sharpsburg, Md., in 1862, was promoted to corporal in 1863 at Gettysburg. In 1864 he was promoted to sergeant. He was wounded at Bermuda Hundred in 1864, and also at Fort Steadman in front of Petersburg. He was with the army at Appomattox. Capt. Tennant enlisted in Company B, June 7, 1860. He was promoted to sergeant on June 13, 1862, and commissioned second lieutenant on November 16, 1863. He was made first lieutenant August 1, 1888, and was appointed captain and quartermaster of the regiment April 23, 1890.

First Lieutenant Morrissey enlisted in Company C August 26, 1862. He was promoted to corporal June 18, 1864, and made sergeant on March 11, 1866, and first sergeant March 1, 1868.

Second Lieutenant Markey enlisted in Company F, February 2, 1864, was made corporal March 1, 1865, and sergeant January 21, 1886.

PERSONNEL OF THE COMPANY. Following is the personnel of the company: Julian R. Tennant, captain; A. A. Morrissey, first lieutenant; C. F. Markey, second lieutenant; A. B. Doherty, W. D. Johnson, H. C. Ashby, R. E. Eddens, H. T. Taylor, William Mitchell, S. E. Alken, W. H. Washington, E. M. Allen, Edward Hingle, A. Ashby, John W. Terry, for, Aubrey Anderson, C. L. Bates, Sam.

Another meeting of the Daughters of the Confederacy is called for Wednesday next at 11 o'clock, when a large attendance is urged. Important business is to be transacted, and Mrs. Randolph indulges the hope that the entire membership will respond. Last week's meeting was a success, and the transaction of any business, less than a quorum being present.

A meeting of the Hollywood Memorial Association, Jr., will be held at 11 o'clock on Monday in the lecture room of Dr. Kerr's church.

Many friends will regret to learn of the illness of Mrs. M. L. Branch, west Franklin street, as the result of injuries sustained by a fall on Wednesday.

Mrs. William Archer and children have left for Ashland, where they will spend the summer.

To Convo Troopships. The battleship Indiana has been assigned to the duty of convoying troopships from Tampa to Santiago. She is probably now accompanying the transports. Other vessels of less formidable size are also engaged in convoy duty. The Indiana is the only battleship of the navy not at Santiago with Sampson and Schley. The monitors Terror, Puritan, Amphitrite, and Miantonomoh are supposed to be blockading Havana and other ports on the north coast of Cuba.

R. Hirschberg, H. E. Baker, S. C. Lockett, L. T. Burnett, A. Lanzarone, H. Earlow, Robert Barlow, W. F. Renee, W. T. Taylor, H. W. Blankenship, J. W. Davis, T. Burnes, W. A. Markey, W. B. Brown, C. H. White, H. C. Bruce, James Lanckhorne, J. C. Chister, John Worth, J. S. Collins, M. A. Woodell, L. S. Coleman, C. H. Sowell, W. A. Cook, J. M. Brooker, William Crump, R. L. Campbell, W. G. Lutter, W. B. Cook, W. T. McDowell, M. Gleason, E. B. McDowell, F. H. Conaghan, Paul Maude, Albert Clarke, Thomas Mitchell, Thomas Drummond, William More, D. L. Edwards, R. E. Moody, W. E. Evans, Jno. McGruider, J. W. Ford, Gratton Mountcastle, George Frey, Stanley Mountcastle, Garrison, J. F. McMullen, H. L. Grubbs, John Mitchell, A. S. Gates, J. R. New A. J. Ginter, E. J. Nowlan, W. L. Hamlin, H. Preston, Charles Humphreys, J. S. Rockington, T. E. Hill, W. G. Perkins, George Hanley, Thomas Philbin, G. E. Jenkins, B. C. Remy, C. W. King, T. E. Redford, G. W. Keller, H. C. Rueger, H. C. Rupert, T. S. Roach, Charles Smith, E. F. Sutton, W. B. Schapp, H. Snyder, H. M. Stuart, W. G. Smith, J. C. Trauman, S. Vaden, J. P. Voss, E. C. White, W. E. Wilcox, Fred. Wilson, H. G. Wood.

A NEGRO BADLY HURT.

Knocked Down at Camp Lee and Rendered Unconscious.

The ambulance was called to Camp Lee at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon to attend a negro man who was badly hurt. He was in charge of the soldiers' grave team, and he was taken to the ambulance, and was soon revived. He had his name as Henry Schless, and that he came from Roanoke. His story was that he went to the camp with another Roanoke soldier, and the soldiers gave them beans to eat, and his companion wanted his share. They got into a quarrel, and his companion, whose name he does not know, struck him with a stick. This was all he could remember of the occurrence.

Gen. Hill Slightly Injured.

Gen. J. C. Hill, railroad commissioner of Virginia, attended a conference of railroad officials in the office of the General Manager of the Southern Railway Company in Washington Friday, for the purpose of arranging a schedule giving close connection between the Roanoke and Ohio's Valley branch and the short gap forming a part of that line, but owned and now operated by the Southern. A satisfactory agreement was reached, and a new schedule will go into effect Sunday, June 13.

As Gen. Hill was returning to the Metropolitan Hotel, where he was stopping, he met with a painful accident. He jumped from a car while it was in motion and in doing so was thrown violently and received a severe wound upon his right temple, but was able to take the 3:35 train and arrived in Richmond Friday evening.

General Hill went to his office for a short while yesterday morning, and left later in the day for his home in Scottsville. He was only slightly injured.

The Immunes.

WASHINGTON, June 4.—Special.—The headquarters of the Fourth Regiment of "Immunes," to be recruited from Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia and the District of Columbia, will be at Frederick, Md. Colonel James M. McCallister is in command, and Captain William P. Goodwin will be mustering officer.

The Tenth Regiment will be recruited in Virginia and North Carolina, will be in command. First Lieutenant William G. Elliott will be mustering officer. Mustering officers will also act as quartermaster and commissary for the purposes of subsisting the volunteers from the time of enlisting to the time of departure, and for