REV. DR. HIDEN WILL ACCEPT.

He Will Be Pastor of the Monroe Baptist Church.

DR. HAWTHORNE PREACHES.

Has Large Congregations Morning and Night—Ministerial Union Holds Its Monthly Meeting—Services at Grace-Street Presbyterian.

Rev. Dr. J. C. Hiden occupied the pulpit of the Monroe Baptist church, at Monroe Hall, on west Main street, Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

There was a large congregation, and Dr. Hiden preached an appropriate sermon, referring to the call which had been made him to become pastor of the church in feeling terms, which affected many members of the congregation.

Before concluding the sermon Dr. Hiden announced that he would accept the call to supply the pulpit every Sunday morning during the spring and summer months, and take up the regular pastoral duties in September.

After the benediction was pronounced there was a conference held, and it was agreed that Dr. Hiden's proposition as referred to above be accepted.

There was a large gathering at the Sunday-school, the number being 112. Dr. Hiden taught his Bible class at 10 o'clock in the morning. He left yesterday morning for Orange county, where he is visiting his sister.

At an early date there will be a meeting of the congregation at which time a committee of Baptist ministers from the Baptist Ministers' Conference of Richmond and Manchester will be asked to hold a formal recognition service.

A number of additional members have joined the new church which feels greatly encouraged over the prospects.

DR. HAWTHORNE PREACHES.

Rev. Dr. J. B. Hawthorne occupied the pulpit of the Grove-Avenue Baptist church at both morning and night services Sunday. There were large audiences and Dr. Hawthorne was given close attention throughout. His discourses were marked by that finished and eloquent character for which the speaker is so well known.

His morning subject was "The Supreme Virtue," and at night his subject was, "The Possibilities of the Church."

The singing at the morning service was unusually good. Mr. Charles Crump sang in fine style a solo entitled "Jerusalem," and Professor Johnnie Reinhardt played a solo on the violin. "God Has Appointed a Day," anthem by Tours, was sung, and the hymns and other music by the choir were well rendered.

MINISTERIAL UNION.

The Ministerial Union of Richmond and Manchester held its monthly meeting at the Y. M. C. A. at noon yesterday.

They accepted the report of the committee appointed to arrange for a Christian Unity Assembly in this city. The assembly will take place at the Academy of Music at 4 o'clock in the afternoon of the first Sunday in May and will be addressed by representative ministers from each of the denominations, the selection of speakers to be by the union of each denomination.

Rev. Dr. S. E. Laws read a paper before the union on the conformation of the Bible by Modern Scientific Discovery which was listened to with great interest.

A motion was made to investigate alleged irregularities in the recent primary election. It was charged that the old soldiers at the Confederate Home were the prey of political bribers with both money and liquor.

The motion provided that a committee be appointed to investigate the bribery, but it was laid on the table and no further action was taken.

DR. WITHERSPOON'S SERMONS.

Large congregations attended the Grace-Street Presbyterian church, morning and night, and the services were of unusual interest on Sunday.

Dr. Witherspoon, pastor of the church, took for his morning text "Arise, let us go hence," and preached a sermon appropriate to the communion service, as it was the regular quarterly communion season of the church.

The Doctor's exposition of the origin and deep meaning of the Lord's Supper was impressive and instructive, and his allusion to Christ's vicarious death was very touching and pathetic.

At the close of the morning service the session, standing around the communion table formally received nine new members into the church. Those that were received on profession of faith were presented, by the pastor, on behalf of the session, a copy of the "Confession of Faith" adopted by the Presbyterian church.

At the night service Dr. Witherspoon never preached better. After conducting the preliminary service he took for his subject "Our Rescue Work," and based it upon the text: "Brethren, if any of you do err from the truth, and one convert him, let him know that he which converteth the sinner from the error of his way shall save a soul from death, and shall hide a multitude of sins."

His exposition of this portion of Scripture, as the rescue worker, or soul winner, was strong and rendered with a great deal of force.

It is safe to say that the Doctor has not preached a more practical or far-reaching sermon in all of its bearings since he has been with the Grace-Street people.

RANDOLPH-STREET CHURCH.

The services at Randolph-Street Baptist church Sunday were of a very interesting character. In the morning the pastor, Rev. Geo. M. Daniels, spoke on "Aggressive Christianity," basing his remarks on a part of the fifteenth verse of the fourteenth chapter of Exodus: "Speak unto the children of Israel that they go forward."

At night the pastor's subject was "Stumbling Blocks," his text being the first verse of the seventeenth chapter of Luke: "It is impossible but that offences will come, but woe unto him through whom they come." The audience on each occasion was quite large. Last Sunday the pastor gave the hand of fellowship to thirty-two new members.

There was an interesting service in which Rev. Dr. I. M. Mercer, Rev. H. A. Bagby, Rev. Dr. George Cooper and others took part.

A tablet to the memory of Rev. W. T. Jolly, the beloved pastor of Randolph-Street Baptist church, was unveiled at the church in the afternoon at 4 o'clock. At the same time an oil-painted portrait of the deceased was hung upon the walls. The tablet and portrait were both secured through the efforts of the ladies of the church.

REVIVAL AT ASBURY.

The interest in the meetings at Asbury Methodist church is increasing. On Sunday night the service was one of unusual power, and the unconverted are becoming much concerned on the subject of salvation. One man in middle life resolved to devote himself to the service of God.

There will be preaching every night at 8 o'clock.

REV. MR. HENING'S SERMON.

He Preached Two Sermons on Power of Christ's Healing.

Rev. Mr. Hening filled his pulpit at the Fulton Baptist church at both services Tuesday, preaching two sermons on the account of healing the demoniac of Gadara, found in Mark v., 1-20.

Sunday night his discourse dealt with the man that was possessed. Some contend that Christ took advantage of a popular superstition that sick and deranged persons had devils, but this makes Christ uphold an error. There were real demons. To say that men do not have them now is to state what we do not know, and I believe some people are possessed now. It may be that such a manifestation of Satan was allowed to a greater extent when Christ was on earth, nor until the devils are cast out we must look at this man and the devils as one. It is hard to distinguish a man from his spirit or to separate him from his conduct.

I. Notice the state of this man prior to his meeting Christ. He was under the power of these evil spirits. They possessed him in the fullest sense. Not only right over him, but power to control him.

The name Legion may signify that they had the like power over him as a Roman Legion over Rome's captive peoples. So completely was this man mastered that his own name had given way to theirs.

His consideration made him dangerous to others. No man could safely pass that way. Strange that men are more afraid of the conduct of men than of the sin that makes them act in evil ways. We should be even more afraid of drink than of the drunkard.

His condition was pitiable to himself. He stripped and maltreated himself. The devils had brought him down to their own level. This was lower than the animal nature in the swine; for they had rather rush into the sea and die than be the homes of these spirits.

II. Notice some estimates this man makes when he sees Jesus.

He asked, "What have I to do with Thee?" i. e., expressing the idea that there was nothing in common between his character and that of Jesus. He placed a proper estimate upon his own degredation. Detectives makes men feel guilty. Men think themselves very good until some circumstance reveals their sins to others. A man often thinks himself brave until some danger reveals his cowardice. Under the eye of Christ, he saw his debased state.

His estimate of the power of sin over him is instructive. Men usually feel that they can break with it when they want to. It is in this low state that they realize otherwise. We find such men in the very lowest depths of moral degredations. Why not realize it before so helpless and turn to Christians?

His estimate of Christ is valuable. He recognized His divinity, His power, and feared; so did the citizens when they saw what was done. They did not go farther and believe that He was as good as powerful, that His love was as great as his might.

III. Notice his change of condition when the devils were cast out.

Only Christ could do it. Chains and things could not. Our police cannot suppress sin with a strong hand. But men are not healed of the malady by suppression, but by expulsion.

There was the outward change to correspond with the inward. He dressed himself. Acted in a sound mind, in a sane way.

There was obedience. He told over the country, as Christ had said to him, what Christ had done for him. Our theory of religion is not worth much alone. Our experience alone is worth less in convincing men, but our experience stamped with a changed outward life is powerful to the pulling down of strongholds.

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MR. MARKS INSTALLED.

An Impressive Ceremony at the English Lutheran Church Sunday.

Rev. C. A. Marks, the new pastor of the First English Lutheran church, was installed yesterday with appropriate ceremonies. The services were conducted by Rev. J. B. Greiner, of Rural Retreat, president of the Southwest Virginia Synods, and Rev. L. K. Smith, of Strasburg, president of the Board of Missions.

The address to the pastor was delivered by Rev. Mr. Greiner and to the people by Rev. Mr. Smith. Both were forcible and instructive. The office of installation according to the Lutheran church was then recited, after which Mr. Marks pronounced the benediction.

A congregational meeting was held after the service to elect members of the church council. The following were chosen:

Elders—Messrs. John Romer, William Myers, Sr., D. A. Albright and C. K. Powers.

Deacons—Messrs. W. D. Rock, W. F. Dunkel, O. W. Meister and Dr. A. B. Greiner.

Last night there was a well-attended meeting of the church. Addresses were delivered by Rev. Messrs. Greiner and Smith. There was then an adjournment to the Sunday school room, where refreshments were served. There was also a fine musical programme rendered.

TO IMPROVE THE CHURCH.

A Big Easter Offering by Monumental Church Congregation.

Rev. W. A. Barr Sunday congratulated the congregation of Monumental church upon the splendid Easter offering. The sum raised was about $2,500. This money will be used toward making improvements to the building.

METHODIST SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

Monthly Meeting of the Society—Held Sunday Afternoon.

The monthly meeting of the Methodist Sunday School Society of Richmond was held Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at Broad Street church; Addison Maupin president, F. W. Stiff secretary.

The exercises were opened with singing by the school and prayer by Rev. J. C. Rosser.

The visitors were very gracefully welcomed in an address by Ethel Yeaman, after which the following programme was rendered:

1. Singing by the schools.
2. Recitations by five little girls, "The Breaking of the Shells."
3. "Easter Song," by the Infant Class.
4. "Easter Symbols," by six little children.

Rev. R. Finley Gayle, pastor of Laurel Street church was then introduced and made a very bright and interesting address on "The Duty of Parents to Their Children in Connection with the Sunday-School and Methods of Teaching," which was closely listened to and much enjoyed.

The president read a very touching letter from one of the missionaries in Japan, supported by the society, telling of the great faith of one of the converts under excessive trial and persecution.

The schools reported as follows for March:

	Roll	Per Ct.	Col'tion
Centenary	344	50	$13 69
Broad Street	325	52	14 82
Clay Street	386	61	22 70
Park Place	313	50	17 36
Laurel Street	326	63	20 24
Denny Street	421	70	15 11
St. James	279	65	14 12
Fairmont	298	64	16 59
Highland Park	120	61	5 60
Hasker Memor'l	154	51	5 26
Epworth	158	59	9 54
Union St. Mission	88	45	

The next meeting of the society will be held at Denny Street on the second Sunday in May, and the Board of Directors meet on the fourth Sunday in this month at Broad Street church.

BAPTIST SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

The Bad Weather in March Reduced the Attendance

The regular monthly meeting of the Baptist Sunday-school Association was held at Stockton-Street church, Manchester, Sunday afternoon, President Arthur B. Clarke presiding, and Clerk W. D. Duke recording. The little church was filled to its utmost capacity, and the exercises were varied and interesting.

After the reading of the Scriptures and prayer by Rev. L. R. Thornhill, D. D., the reports for the month of March and the quarterly reports were read. The attendance in all the schools showed the effect of the unfavorable weather in March.

The president announced that the subject chosen for the meeting was the "Preparation of the Lesson," and the first speaker was Prof. E. M. Long, who gave much good advice gathered from his experience as a teacher. He was followed by Mr. A. R. Binford, Rev. J. A. Sullivan, Rev. L. R. Thornhill, D. D., and Rev. W. E. Hatcher, D. D. Mr. George R. Pace gave an account of his experience with the home department of the Grace-Street school.

Mr. Isaac Diggs, on behalf of the Sunday school which meets at Monroe Hall, stated the intention of that school to apply for admission into the Association.

The next meeting will be held at Leigh-Street church. The benediction was pronounced by Rev. Mr. Hicks.

The attendance of scholars during the month of March follow:

Pine Street, 517; Leigh Street, 359; Grace Street, 309; Fulton, 234; Second, 234; First, 214; Venable Street, 214; Bainbridge Street, 190; Calvary, 180; Randolph Street, 175; East End, 174; Grove Avenue, 145; West View, 137; Clopton Street, 125; Broadus Memorial, 104; Howard's Grove, 89; Seventeenth-Street Mission, 86; Immanuel, 77; Stockton Street, 73; Oak Grove, 65; Barton Heights, 51; College-View Mission, 42.

BODY TO BE BROUGHT HOME

Lieutenant Dunn's Remains Will be Removed to His Native Country

Capt. J. Morton Dunn, who is connected with the Richmond Transfer Company here, has received a letter from the War Department relative to the death of his brother in Cuba, in which he says the remains will be properly brought to this country.

The following letter was enclosed, which explains itself:

Office of Chief Signal Officer,
Department of Santiago,
Santiago de Cuba, March 22, 1899.

Chief Signal Officer, U. S. Army, Washington, D. C.

Sir,—I have the honor to state that Second Lieutenant Frank Watson Dunn met his death by a pole pulling out of the ground while the wire was being stretched and striking him upon the head on March 14th, '98.

This sad accident occurred about fifty-four or fifty-five miles west of Guantanamo, at which place Lieutenant Dunn was in charge of a construction party building a telegraph line toward Baracoa.

The injured officer never regained consciousness and died at 11:45 A. M. on March the 16th, 1899.

The burial was made near the point of the accident, and at my request, in accordance with your directions, a casket and case has been sent. The body will be disinterred and as soon as possible be sent to the States.

I feel constrained to say that Lieutenant Dunn was one of the most accomplished and useful officers of your corps. He had great technical skill, was very familiar with aerial and sub-marine lines, was an accomplished Spanish scholar, and had lived in Cuba previous to the war, for a number of years. He had a devotion to duty and a charm of manner which with his skill and accomplishments made him an officer exceedingly successful in overcoming the many difficulties which confronted him here.

Very respectfully,
(Signed) F. T. LEIGH,
Captain U. S. V. Signal Corps.

THINK WILSON IS DEAD.

His Friends Fear He Has Been Foully Murdered—Other Capitol Notes

No additional information has been received at the Governor's office concerning the mysterious disappearance of Farmer John T. Wilson, of Chesterfield county. Friends of the man believe he has been murdered and his body thrown into a sewer or otherwise disposed of. They have no faith in the story that he was seen near the Exposition Grounds.

These people are of opinion that the two men who were seen with Wilson near the Washington monument in the Capitol Square killed and robbed him.

The Governor has heard nothing in reply to the letter he wrote Governor Lowndes, of Maryland, Friday. There is no doubt that the two officials will come to a satisfactory agreement with reference to the captured oystermen.

Governor Tyler is not ready to promulgate the orders providing for the military reorganization. Attorney-General Montague is still investigating the question of property rights and will not report for several days. The orders have been written, but it may be that the Attorney-General's recommendations will necessitate a change in them.

Capt. Nichols, of the Petersburg Grays, called on the Governor yesterday. His command was in the Third Regiment during the late war. The Grays have been in existence ever since 1858. Captain Nichols has been ten years in the service and will retire, much to the regret of his men.

State Senator R. W. L. Blanton, of Cumberland, called upon the Governor yesterday.

Still Alarm.

A still alarm at 2:38 yesterday afternoon called the department to No. 508 Byrd street, where the roof to the residence occupied by Mosby Hicks had caught fire from sparks. The damage was about $5.

Seeking Virginia Lands.

Two gentlemen from Michigan visited Mr. G. W. Koiner, Commissioner of Agriculture, Saturday. They are in Virginia looking at farm lands with a view of making a settlement. They say about fifteen families in their vicinity are anxious to locate in this State.

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TWO-THIRDS VOTE NOT OBTAINED.

The Council Laid Over Many Important Measures.

HOLIDAY FOR CITY EMPLOYES.

All Departments to Close at 2 o'Clock Saturday from May 18th to October 1st—Other Matters.

Owing to their inability last night to obtain a two-thirds vote at the proper time, the Council was unable to take up a number of important matters—such as the improvement of the Gas Works, the approval of the chapter in the book of statutes governing the Street Department, and the two ordinances imposing penalties upon the electric railway companies for failure to keep their tracks in repair and give good schedules. There were, however, a number of resolutions of more or less interest introduced and passed.

It was long past the appointed hour when President James Caskie called the Common Council to order last night, there being present Messrs. Curtis, Ebel, Harrelson, McCarthy, Mills, Miner, Peters, Pollock, Shea, Teefey, Wallerstein, Woody, Hecke, West, Hobson, Grimes, Gunst, Williams, Cottrell, Gibson and Bloomberg.

FOR THE CONFEDERATE MUSEUM.

The Cotamittee on Light presented an ordinance appropriating $40 to pay the bills for gas used at the Confederate Museum. This was amended on motion of Mr. Miner to read 50,000 cubic feet per annum. It was then adopted without dissent.

There being only eighteen members present, and all the busines on hand requiring a two-thirds votes, it was found necessary to go at once to the roll call, with which the sessions of the body usually ends.

Mr. Wallerstein offered a resolution, which was adopted, instructing the Committee on Streets to report to the Council what franchises for street railways expire during 1900, the names of the companies and the date of expiration, and to recommend what steps are necessary to vacate said franchises, and to report such plan as they may deem wise for the purpose of extending said franchises to such parties as may give the best car service, pay the highest price for such privilege, and to make such other recommendations as they may deem best.

Mr. Wallerstein also offered a resolution, which was adopted, providing for the appointment of a commission consisting of three members of the Council, two of the Board, and two citizens from the vocations of lawyers, doctors, dentists and retail liquor dealers for the purpose of recommending a more practicable plan of assessing specific licenses than is at present in vogue.

Mr. Mills offered the following, which went to the Committee on Light:

CHEAPER GAS.

Resolved, by the Council of the city of Richmond, That the price of gas for use as fuel or power shall be seventy-five cents per 1,000 cubic feet, provided the system of piping for the purpose in all houses shall be independent from that of illuminating.

Mr. Mills then offered the following, which was adopted without dissent.

Be it ordained by the Council of the city of Richmond, That it shall be unlawful for any person to expectorate upon or throw fruit skins or peelings on floors of street cars, public elevators or public halls.

It shall be the duty of the Chief-of-Police to have copies of this ordinance posted in conspicuous places in all street cars, public elevators and public halls.

Any violation of this ordinance shall subject the offender to a fine of not less than $2 nor more than $5.

An ordinance was offered by Mr. McCarthy, providing that the employes of all city departments, including the Health and Street Forces, suspend work at 2 o'clock every Saturday afternoon between the months of May and October.

This resolution occasioned a considerable discussion. Mr. Hobson offered a substitute making the time of Saturday half-holiday from May 13th to October 1st, to which Mr. Mills offered an amendment allowing half holiday within the specified time to the employes of all departments, so far as not inconsistent with the interests of the city. The substitute ordinance as amended was adopted.

Mr. Grimes presented a petition from William Mahone, who was an employe of the Health Department. He stated that he was taken sick in January, 1899, and was sick some time. When he was able to return to work he found that he had been discharged. The matter was sent to the Committee on Health.

STREET RAILWAYS.

Mr. Bloemberg offered the following, which was adopted.

Whereas all provisions requiring street railway companies to pay their present rate of taxes to the city expire on January 1, 1900, and as there is no requirement for any payment thereafter until a new rate of taxation is established; therefore, be it—

Resolved, By the Council of the City of Richmond (the Board of Aldermen concurring), that the Committee on Finance be, and they are hereby, instructed to investigate the subject and arrange for the rate of taxation to be charged all railway companies after January 1, 1900, so that when that time arrives the city will be in condition to enforce payment thereof.

IMPORTANT RESOLUTION.

Mr. Bloemberg also offered the following resolution, and the same was adopted:

Whereas the City Attorney, in his opinion of October 1, 1897, to the Committee on Streets, stated that the following routes of the City Railway Company expire on the 3d day of December, 1899: Main street from Rocketts to Reservoir, Eighth and Ninth streets from Main to Broad; single track on Broad street from Ninth to Laurel and on Laurel from Broad to Main; and that the following expire on January 1, 1900: From Rocketts and Main, down Rocketts to Fulton, on Main from Reservoir to corporate limits, and Hollywood extension from Laurel to Main; and whereas it is manifestly to the interest of the city to have the whole Main street franchise to expire at the same time in order to make the best disposal of same; therefore, be it—

Resolved, By the Council of the city of Richmond (the Board of Aldermen concurring), that the Committee on Streets be, and they are hereby, instructed to arrange with the Railway Company to operate their lines which expire on January 1, 1900, to December 31, 1900, under the terms of their present charter, and upon their failure to make such arrangements to take the necessary initial steps to require said lines to be vacated on January 1, 1900, so that there shall be no complications on December 31, 1900, to grant a franchise for the whole line.

DIVIDE THIRD MARKET.

Mr. Peters offered a resolution proving for the division of the Third Market—one-half to be used for market purposes and the other to be rented out for public or private purposes. The matter went to the Third Market Committee.

He also offered a resolution, which was adopted, providing for an investigation of the question of clothing persons arrested under the vagrant law.

At this point several members having been excused, it was found that only nineteen were present, not a sufficient number to pass the electric ordinances and other important matters. The Council, therefore, adjourned.

ALLEGED SLANDER.

W. R. Robins Asks $10,000 from Thomas F. Pollard.

The case of W. R. Robins against Thomas F. Pollard for $10,000 is on trial in the Law and Equity Court. There are fifty or more witnesses.

The charge made by Mr. Robins is that Mr. Pollard slandered him. The present suit is the outcome of one in the Circuit Court some time ago, when the defendant is alleged to have accused the plaintiff of perjury. Both parties are natives of Hanover county. The case will consume several days.

Two suits for divorce were instituted in this court. Robert H. Taylor asks to be separated from Nannie Taylor. He alleges that she cursed and threatened to shoot him and then deserted him.

Ellai Grymes brings suit for divorce against Sandy Grymes, alleging desertion.

In the Circuit Court motion for judgment for $4,902 was docketed in the case of the Citizens' Bank of Richmond against the Richmond China Company and J. B. Woodward. The case is contested as regards Woodward.

In the petition for mandamus of Miles K. Crenshaw against Walter Christian, clerk, and Joseph E. Glenn, the demurrer was sustained and the petition dismissed. Judgment was suspended for thirty days in order to allow a chance to appeal.

In the Hustings Court Carl Baker was given one year in the penitentiary for malicious assault upon Frank Watkins.

A marriage license was issued by the clerk of the Hustings Court to Lawrence Sycle and Minnia Sternheimer. The ceremony takes place to-morrow.

BANKRUPT BEFORE JURY.

Trial of the Case of W. C. Hughes & Co. in the U. S. Court.

The first jury trial of a bankruptcy case commenced this morning in the U. S. District Court before Judge Edmund Waddill.

The creditors of W. C. Hughes & Co., filed in the clerk's office of the U. S. District Court the ... day of ..., 1899, a petition alleging that W. C. Hughes & Co. had committed certain acts of bankruptcy and asking the court to adjudge the said company as involuntary bankrupts.

The alleged bankrupts deny the commission of any act of bankruptcy and ask for a jury to pass upon the question arising thereupon.

To-day the jury is summoned and sworn to try the issue whether the bill of sale, conveyance, or transfer mentioned in the pleading, from Wm. C. Hughes & Co., to J. P. Walsh, dated January 25, 1899, was made with intent to hinder, delay or defraud the creditors of said W. C. Hughes & Co.

The morning was taken up in the examination of witnesses.

Messrs. W. O. Skelton and R. T. Lacy argued the case for the principal creditors who are wall-paper manufacturers in New York and York, Pa., and Mr. Samuel W. Davies for the defendants.

The argument was completed, and the instructions given to the jury when court was adjourned until 10 o'clock this morning.

"NATHAN HALE."

Nat Goodwin and Maxine Elliott Here Next Week.

Nat Goodwin, Maxine Elliott and their admirable supporting company, will present the new romantic comedy, "Nathan Hale," at the Academy of Music on Tuesday evening, April 18th. This play has received the approval of the Metropolitan press, and it comes to Richmond with all the original cast, scenery and costumes. Seats will go on sale Thursday morning.

Transfers of Real Estate.

Richmond: E. A. Catlin, Thomas E. Stagg, William B. Newell and their wives to Wm. L. Morello, 19 8 7-12 feet on Marshall street, northeast corner Twenty-third, $1,800.

Fritz Sitterding and wife to Maggie T. Page, 36 feet on south side Moore street, 54 feet east of Bowe, $468.

Same to Margaret M. Cottrell, 54 feet on Moore street, southeast corner Bowe, $702.

Henrico: Mrs. Laura B. Dowden to Annie Laurie Brooker, 30 feet on south side Ashland street, 330 feet east of Carter, $10.

S. P. Waddill, to Fred. Robins, 48 feet on east side Twenty-eighth street, 75 feet north of U, in name of L. E. Quarles, for taxes, $1.

Caught a Burglar.

Mr. James E. Grady, a prominent citizen of Fulton, who resides on Denny street, had quite an exciting experience Sunday night.

Mr. Grady on going to his home about 8:30 o'clock, went in the back yard to see if everything was alright before retiring, when he discovered a man trying to force an entrance in his back window.

Mr. Grady made for the burglar, who proved to be a very large, black man, and hit him with his fist, knocking the negro down. The man got up and ran off.

Pan-Presbyterian Banquet.

Notice has been given that a limited number of citizens can be accommodated at the Pan-Presbyterian banquet at the Jefferson Hotel on Thursday evening, but they will have to purchase tickets before Wednesday night from anyone of the Presbyterian pastors. It is necessary to know beforehand how many to provide for at the banquet. No tickets will be sold at the door. The total number of guests is limited to one hundred and fifty.

Collarbone Broken.

Mr. Edgar Smith, of No. 1210 east Broad street, was riding on his bicycle in Fulton Sunday when he collided with a buggy driven by Mr. Thomas Maloney.

The young man was thrown to the ground and his collarbone broken and his leg badly bruised. He was brought up town as far as Mr. Judson Cunningham's drug store, and the city ambulance was called. He was taken to his home, at No. 1210 Broad street, and is getting along as well as possible.

Depot and Tracks.

The sub-Committee on Streets, of which Mr. F. C. Ebel is chairman, has been called to meet at 8 o'clock to-night to consider the petitions of the Richmond, Petersburg and Carolina and Chesapeake and Ohio railways for certain track and depot privileges in this city.

The Board of Aldermen meets at 8 o'clock to-night.

The Board of Public Interest meets at 5 o'clock this afternoon.

For the Poor.

At the regular meeting of the Citizens' Relief Association held yesterday afternoon, the following appropriations were made:

City Mission	$ 50 00
Special Agents	35 00
Emergency	30 00
Previously Donated	2,744 65
Total	$2,859 65

Pleasure for the Masons.

Fraternal Lodge, No. 53, A. F. and A. M., at its meeting last night appointed a committee, of which Mr. S. L. Bloomberg is chairman, to arrange an entertainment for the members and their ladies.

Entertainment Postponed.

The entertainment announced for to-night at the rooms of the Woman's Christian Association, by reason of the repairs not being completed, has been postponed until some time next month.

Virginia Hospital.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Board of Managers of the Virginia Hospital will be held Tuesday, April 11th, at 11 o'clock A. M., at the hospital. A large attendance is requested. Rev. Donald Guthrie will present three of the graduating nurses with their diplomas and the Virginia Hospital badges.

Riverdale Club.

The members of the Riverdale Club met last evening at their rooms, No. 906 Arch street, and held a delightful entertainment. The club-room has undergone thorough repairs. Delightful music was rendered by the mandolin and guitar club. Singing was also indulged in by the quartette of the club. The club was very beautifully decorated for the occasion. Light refreshments were served. The full membership was present.

Pickett Camp.

The meeting of Pickett Camp last night was brief, as the body adjourned long before the regular hour, to attend the session of the Sons of Veterans.

Visitors to the camp were Messrs. N. Landrum, of Williamsport, Pa., a member of the G. A. R., and Watson Wright. The latter addressed the camp.

A Hung Jury.

Frank Binford, charged with assault upon Mr. Henry Arndt, and also with highway robbery, was put on trial in the Hustings Court yesterday afternoon.

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