

ARRIVAL OF THE REINA MERCEDES.

The Captured Warship at Anchor Off Old Point.

HUNDREDS VISITED HER SUNDAY

The Vessel Shows the Effect of Her Ocean Bath and Bears Marks of the Missiles from the Guns of the Texas.

Chesapeake Bay and Hampton Roads had a lively appearance Sunday afternoon.

GREETED HER FIRST.

The first vessel to greet the Spanish ship after it had entered Chesapeake Bay was a party of gentlemen who were cruising at the time on board of the William A. Graves.

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JUSTICE JOHN HAS VISITORS.

They Watch With Interest the Disposal of a Monday Docket.

A PIEBALD CROWD ON TRIAL.

Brief Dialogues with Sinners Before the Bar - A Deaf Mute Takes a View - Five Dollars the Price of a Sip - Julius Flannagan.

There was a clerical look to the holders of reserved seats in the White Chamber yesterday morning.

A Faistaffian crew hobbled and shuffled past the Police Court bar.

The Great Dispenser looked with pitying eye and dealt with them not according to their just deserts.

A first offense was forgiven, with an admonition to go and sin no more.

Either Fowler, black, with tangled hair, short stout, and pointing, came towards the throne.

Justice John - Drunk? Esther - Yes, Sir.

Justice John - Twenty days. And without reply Esther returned to the path she knew so well.

A deaf mute found drunk on the street, looked heavenward, made the sign of a cross on his forehead.

The Joneses are again in disgrace, and their mother was a witness to their bad living.

Frank Bartlett, a colored boy, was charged with stealing a box of groceries from S. Uman's Sons.

John Harris, colored, disorderly on the street, \$25.

Jacob Randolph, colored, charged with striking Margaret Randolph on the street.

Peter Welton, colored, drunk in the street, \$10.

Joe Powers walked up to D. J. Jones on Broad street and slapped his jaws.

Julius Flannagan, colored, filled up Saturday night with mean whisky.

PLANNAGAN'S FUN.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

Interesting Facts About Richmond's Citizens and Other Matters.

Dr. W. C. Nunn, of West Point, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Martha Black is quite sick at her residence, on Denny street.

The regular meeting of the Confederate and Memorial Literary society will be held at the Museum to-morrow at 12 o'clock.

Miss Elora Charlton, who has been extremely ill at the Virginia Hospital, has grown better in the last three days.

Mr. George Lee Ellett, a prominent farmer of King William county, died May 15th.

Dr. James Nelson, president of the Woman's College, who has been confined to his home for some weeks with earaches, is much improved in health.

Miss Emma V. Shepherd, of Richmond, and Miss Marie T. Steed, of Petersburg, left yesterday for the Blue Ridge.

The Granite Cutters National Union of Richmond has been called to meet at New Market Hall.

Mr. Pompey Gathright, the well-known carpenter, who took refuge on rats on a Monday night, died on Saturday evening at 6 o'clock.

Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Givens Brown Stricker have issued cards to the marriages of their daughter, Peace Juliette, to Mr. George Hutchison Denny.

Richmonders in New York.

NEW YORK, May 22 - Special - M. L. Hoffmann, E. Whitlow, and wife, J. J. Leake, Hoffman, E. E. Dow and wife, Grand Union, J. P. Merritt and wife, Eyrault, W. P. Nichols, St. Cloud, E. Raab and wife, Holland, L. E. Thayer, Barthold.

Many People Turned Away from a Very Good Show.

As a whole, the bill given at the Bijou last night was equal to any seen there this season.

The house was crowded to the doors, and not even standing room was obtainable shortly after the curtain arose.

The programme opened with a delight-ful act, Misses Katie Irwin and Maudie Remington being the "sisters."

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The Old Reliable Firm of R. H. BOSHER'S SONS, 15 S. 9th St., Richmond, Va.

An Honest Wheel - The Olive Wheel. Fitted with the best coaster and break, \$40, \$50, \$60 Other Wheels from \$25 to \$50.

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Old Point Comfort College. The dedication of the new college building of the Old Point Comfort College, which is under the charge of the Xaverian Brothers, will take place at Fortress Monroe May 30th.

Was Not Killed. Mr. J. P. McKee, of Buena Vista, has written a letter to The Times to say that Mr. La Verne E. Lawton, who was supposed to have been killed early in this month while on a moonshine raid with revenue officers in North Carolina, is alive.

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The Efforts of Superintendent Bolling Secured It for Richmond.

Mr. Charles E. Bolling, superintendent of the Water Works, has returned from Columbus, Ohio, where he was in attendance upon the meeting of the American Water Works Association.

It was through the efforts of Mr. Bolling and those of his Southern friends that the association decided to meet in this city next year.

Mr. Bolling will meet here in the early part of next May. There will be from 300 to 500 delegates, accompanied, in many cases, by their wives and daughters.

TRAVELLERS BACK.

Virginia Delegates to the Meeting at Louisville Returned Yesterday.

The Virginia delegates to the Travellers' Protective Association returned from Louisville yesterday morning after a most pleasant trip.

Mr. Joseph Wallerstein made an address at the opening of the convention, which was well received, and Mr. Hill Montague made a strong appeal for Richmond as the next place of meeting.

Colonel John S. Harwood was re-elected chairman of the National Legislative Committee on making his report for 1898-99.

New Orleans was chosen as the next place of meeting, with Richmond a close second on the vote.

Boatback Found Dead.

Officer Polkes, of the First district, found the body of a young negro boatback, named Manuel Shaw, in the wood-house of the vacant house No. 217 North Seventeenth street, yesterday afternoon shortly after 2 o'clock.

Dr. W. H. Taylor, the city coroner, was notified and made an examination of the remains, but from the meagre information obtainable was unable to decide what was the cause of death.

From the City Courts.

In the City Circuit Court judgment was rendered yesterday for the plaintiff in the suit of Hines and Covington against S. M. Moon, doing business under the firm name of Moon & Co., for \$24.85.

The attachment issued in the suit of C. B. Wood against Percy R. Hyman has been dismissed.

The suit of William B. Wilson, Jr., trustee, against Richard L. Maury, which has been pending in this court, has been dismissed.

Dr. Brown Returns.

Dr. A. G. Brown, Jr., date of the ambulance staff has returned to Richmond from Clifton Springs, N. Y.

Two Scholarships.

The Alumni Association of the University of Virginia will meet in the assembly room of the Chamber of Commerce this evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Lauer's Funeral.

The funeral of Mr. John Lauer, whose death occurred on Saturday night, will take place this morning at 10 o'clock from his late residence, No. 500 West Main street.

Captain Angle Aways.

Capt. Angle, of the Second Police District, on a leave of absence, and is visiting Washington and Baltimore.

Bankrupt Case.

Chas. Franklin Ray, a blacksmith of this city, filed in bankruptcy in the clerk's office of the U. S. District Court yesterday.

Go over Tyler's Trip.

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