

Miss MARIE KOCH

From Denmark, Europe, in charge of our

Art Department

Gives Lessons in all kinds of

ART NEEDLE WORK

and lovers of needle work will find her services in making selections of materials, silks, designs, etc., of great assistance in the department. New things are constantly arriving.

Comfort, Durability, Style and Economy are combined in our special offerings for to-morrow.

We carry a complete assortment of Pink Battenburg Patterns, many choice and neat designs, in Turn-Over and Stock Collars, tie ends and handkerchief patterns, at 5, 7, 8 and 10c.

Special lot and assortment of Jabot designs, pretty yokes, cape collars, and the new Italian dress trimming design; also a complete assortment of Centre Pieces, prices 15, 20 and 25c.

Visit our Art Department this week. Our assortment of Battenburg Patterns is the most complete in all Richmond. Ask to see the Opera Cape design and the new Boleros just arrived. They are beauties. Prices 30 and 35c.

Braids of all descriptions for each and all kinds of designs and styles, in Cream, White, Ecra and Black, with a full assortment of threads and all sizes of rings to match. Also the latest Gold Braids, with rings and thread.

Colossal Wonder-Creating Values. MILLER & RHOADS.

An Enormous One-Week Sale

Eloquent Evidence of Our Supremacy.

Every department in our entire store fairly a-blossom with all that is new and desirable, and if values count there is not a shadow of doubt of great results.

This week, beginning Monday, we will exceed all records by offering you hosts of bargains--so good you cannot resist them. Price attractions that appeal vividly to all. Every dollar spent here is money saved.

Miss A. E. LYONS,

Late with Messrs. B. Altman & Co., of New York City.

is now in charge of our

New Corset Dept.

Miss Lyons is a special Corset fitter of exceptional ability, and we feel sure her expert knowledge will be appreciated by Richmond women. It is of the utmost hygienic importance that your corset should fit you properly, as well as for your appearance, figure, &c. We have special fitting rooms, entirely private and we make no extra charge for fitting and lacing.

W. B. Corsets, made in Couffie, straight front, whale-bone filled... \$2.50

W. B. Corsets, made of Batiste, Couffie and Netting, ar proper for summer... \$1.00

C. B. and R. & G. Corsets, in all the newest models, 75c upwards.

The Dress Goods Sale of the Season.

Unparalleled values direct from the big markets at the most advantageous prices. A great Silk Hit! New Black Goods now ready!

Black Dress Goods.

- Black Cheviot, 59c
Black Storm Serge, 59c
Black Batiste, 50c
Black Venetian, 50c
Black Albatross, 50c
Black Cheviot, 50c
Camel's Hair Etamine and Wool Grenadine, 39c
Black Diagonal, 25c
Black Cashmere, 25c
Black Tricot, 25c
Black Nuns Veiling, 12 1/2c

Silks.

- New Wash Silks, 45c
New Foulards, 50c
Colored Taffetas, 48c
Louisines, 75c
Wash Taffetas, 75c
Corded Taffetas, 75c

Colored Dress Goods.

- All-Wool Tricots, 25c
Wool Batiste, 25c
Lace Etamines, 39c
All-Wool Batiste, 50c
All-Wool Venetians, 50c
All-Wool Crepe Cloths, 75c

April Wash Goods Sale.

Price Concessions for To-Morrow.

Qualities that we control exclusively. Price conditions were never better for a big April business. Values that will be found in no other store. To-morrow prices will surprise the most careful buyer.

- Fine Lawns, small figures, 37c
Calicoes, black and white, 37c
Woven Madras, red stripes, 37c
Dress Gingham, light and dark styles, worth 5 1/2c, for 5c
Crinkle Crepons, 29 inches wide, worth 12 1-2c, for 10c
Crepons, black grounds, with colored stripes, worth 10c, for 8 1/3c
Nun's Veiling, part wool, pink and tan, worth 12 1-2c, for 10c
Dotted Swiss, navy grounds, with white dot, worth 10c, for 8 1/3c
Percales, 36 inches wide, worth 10c, for 6 3/4c
English Lappets, black grounds, worth 12 1-2c, for 7c
Sheer Dimity, light and dark grounds, worth 12 1-2c, for 7c
Organdies, light grounds, large figures, worth 17c, for 12c
Percales, 36 inches wide, good style, worth 12 1-2c, for 8 1/3c
Fine Batiste, good printing, worth 12 1-2c, for 8 1/3c
Sheer Dimities, good coloring, stripes, worth 12 1-2c, for 8 1/3c
Colored Madras, stripes and checks, great value at 10c
Scotch Oxfords, 32 inches wide, a bargain at 12 1/2c
Bates' Sersuckers, all colors, special value at 12 1/2c
Imperial Dotted Swiss, light grounds, special at 12 1/2c
Corded Madras, all colors, a great number at 12 1/2c
Zephyr Crepons, the best coloring, worth 15c, for 10c
Mercedized Foulards, light and dark grounds, worth 15c, for 10c
Fine Zephyrs, 32 in. wide, special at 15c
French Madras, 32 inches wide, great value at 16 3/4c

Special Spring Sale of Bed Spreads.

Special bed spread bargain, Marseilles patterns, double-bed size; they are a sample lot, some slightly soiled, worth up to \$1.00; they go in at bargain price, each... 59c
Another lot of bed spreads, Marseilles patterns, large size, woven finish edge, ready for use, choice for... 75c
The best you can find anywhere for \$1.50, excellent patterns, extra large double-bed size, they are beauties, ask to see them for to-morrow's selling, each... \$1.00

Big Sale of Lace Curtains

Fancy White Striped Ruffle Curtains, full length and width, good quality, regular \$1.50 value, choice... \$1.00
Special line of Nottingham Curtains, they are the best \$1.00 value ever offered, at bargain price per pair... 75c
The largest assortment ever shown, over 50 different styles to select from, made of fine knitting, all-over designs, also with plain centre, worth up to \$3.50. Your choice... \$2.50
Plain Muslin Curtains With Lawn Ruffle on Side and Bottom, full length and width, regular \$1.25 value for 75c

NOTICE.

The following salespeople, formerly employed at The Meyer Store, are now with us and will welcome their friends to the store:

- J. W. Carter,
Mr. C. T. Corling,
Mr. Eugene Leigh,
Miss Ruby Burton,
Miss Pauline Shepperson.

Big Notion Sale.

6-yard pieces White Beading, 10c kind, 5c piece.
"Capseal" Safety Pins, nickel plated, all sizes, 5c card.
Lindsey Safety Pins, all sizes, 2 cards for 5c.
7-in. 10-yd. pieces Cotton Twilled Tape, value 15c, sale 10c.
4, 5 and 6 Hook Corset Clips, satin covered, 5c pair.
6 and 7-in. Kid Curlers, all shades, 15c kind, 10c dozen.
Extra Super Lisle Web, all widths, 5c yard.
Kleiner's Light Weight Dress Shields, No. 3, 10c pair.
Light Weight Rubber Sheetting, 40c yard.
5-4 Tubular Shoe Laces, spiral ends, 3c pair.
5-4 Tubular Shoe Laces, good quality, 5c dozen.
6-in. Steel Scissors, 39c kind, 25c pair.
The "Eigo" Self Threading Needles, 5c paper.
Kirby Beard's 5-in. Steel Hat Pins, 10c dozen.
Turney's Dull Jet Mourning Pins, 5c box.
Good quality Japanned Hair Pins, 2 papers for 1c.
"Haw River" Knitting Cotton, all numbers, 17c pound.
Clark's O. N. T. Black Darning Cotton, 3 for 5c.
Rick Rack Braid, all widths, 10c piece.

A Big Suit and Skirt Sale.

Every Suit and Skirt must be sold. We are making astonishing reductions.

Tailor-Made Suits.

The greatest suit sale ever known to Richmond buyers, the greatest bargain ever offered, none but the best for the money, regular \$35.00 and \$38.00 suits for... \$10.00
This store is the suit centre of all Richmond, the values are this week our \$39.00 and \$22.50 Tailor-made Costumes for... \$15.00
Many choice and exclusive costumes will be on sale to-morrow at big sacrifice, the very swellest of season; your choice for a \$25.00 suit at the low price... \$18.00
Our special prices for to-morrow will interest you, come and see for yourself; they are our \$27.50 costumes for... \$20.00

Separate Skirts.

The most opportune time for skirt bargains this week. Figured Mohair, \$1.75 value, for... \$1.00
Navy Blue Serge Skirts, cut full, good quality, percale lined, the best skirt values for \$2.25; on sale this week for... \$1.50
What we say is so, that has been our aim in the past and will be in the future about selling skirts.
Plain and Figured Mohair Skirts, cut full, regular \$2.50 value, for... \$1.57
Misses' Skirts, plain navy blue serge, cut full sweep, percale lined, \$2.25 value; special... \$1.50
All-Wool Tricot Cloth Misses' Skirts, pretty shade cadet, finished with corduroy binding, percale lined; at special low price of... \$2.75

Knit Underwear.

Misses' Jersey-Ribbed Vests, high neck and long sleeves, suitable for spring, cheap at 25c; our price... 15c
The "Nazarath" Seamless-Ribbed Underwaists, for boys and girls, stayed with tape, double row of buttons, price... 25c
Boys' Well-Made Jeans' Drawers, knee length, in all sizes, great value at... 25c
Ladies' Ribbed Vests, high neck and long sleeves, nice for spring wear, prices 25 and 50c.
Ladies' Silk-Taped Ribbed Vests, low neck and sleeveless, regular 25c quality... 18c
Ladies' Jersey-Ribbed Vests, low neck and sleeveless, extra sizes, 15 and 25c.

Men's Underwear.

Men's Natural Wool Underwear, gossamer weight, all sizes. At \$1.00
Men's Natural and White Merino Underwear, light weight. At 75c

Umbrella Sale.

The best Twill Gloria Ladies' and Men's 26 inch, with natural handles, \$1.00 quality, for... 89c
Ladies' and Men's 26 and some 28 inch--this lot of Silk Warp Gloria--some trimmed handles, with swedges, \$1.29 quality, for... 98c
The best Upon Taffeta Silk Umbrella, ladies' and men's; also full line of mourning handles, \$1.50 kind for... \$1.25
Princess Handles, with ribbon tassel, best grade union taffeta, sterling mounted, ladies' and men's, steel and paragon frame, \$1.65 kind, special for... \$1.39

Spring Gloves.

Three-Clasp "Royal" Kid Gloves, all the spring shades, special... \$1.25
Our famous "Vale" Glove, in all new shades, 2-clasp and every pair warranted, pair... \$1.00
Fownes Two-Clasp Lisle Suede finish, all shades, per pair... 50c

Big Sale Muslin Underwear

Special Chemise bargain, full size cut, cambric ruffle around neck, sleeve and front, 50c value, for 29c
Plain corded and lace trimmed around neck and arm, made of the best cotton, 6c value, special... 39c
Night Robes, greater values than ever, made of good quality cotton, V cut front, finished off with tucks and cambric ruffle, regular price 50c; choice for to-morrow... 33c
Regular 7c Empire Gowns, finished with Hamburg inserting, cambric ruffle around neck and sleeve; your choice at bargain price... 50c
The best Cambric Corset Covers in the city for the price. They are made of excellent quality cambric, low cut front and back, regular 12c value... 12c
Cotton and Cambric Corset Covers, low cut front and back, finished off with Hamburg, regular 4c value... 25c
Cambric and Cotton Skirts, with hemstitch lawn; also with lace edge, tucks above ruffle, 3c quality, special sale price... 50c
Regular \$1.00 Skirts at bargain price for this sale; made of excellent quality cambric, finished off with lace edge, hemstitch and tucks; your choice to-morrow for... 75c
Cambric and Cotton Skirts, also deep cambric ruffle and lace edge, both cambric and cotton, 4c value, for... 25c

Big Fancy Goods Values.

100 dozen Point Venice Turn-Over Collars, six assorted patterns, regular 39c kind, sale... 15c
2, 3 and 4 in. Torchon Laces, both edges and insertings, every yard worth 10c, sale per yd... 5c
4, 5 and 6 in. Cambric Edges, all new designs and fast edges, values 15c, 19c yd, sale 10c
5 gross assorted Plated Belts with gilt, silver and oxidized buckles, all made in the long waist effects, regular 50c kind, sale each... 25c

GOVERNOR TYLER LEAVES MONDAY

Is Going to Radford and to Inspect State Hospital.

THE SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS

They Cannot Be Chosen for Some Weeks Yet--Secretary Brent Engaged With Other Matters--Carnival Committee and the Capitol Square.

Governor Tyler will leave for his home in Radford to-morrow. He will, no doubt, take a run over to his farm in Pulaski for a short while, and will then go to Marion to inspect the Southwestern State Hospital. He will return to Richmond towards the last of the week. The Governor has recently made a tour of inspection of all the State institutions except those at Marion, and reports them as being in fine condition without exception. It is now fairly certain that no appointments of school superintendents will be made before some time in May, for the Governor will be absent during this week, and besides Mr. Brent said yesterday that it would take him and Mr. McGilvray several weeks yet to finish the preparation of the papers of examination to be sent out by the Department for the uniform examination of public school teachers to be held the latter part of May. They also have the School Journal

on their hands and that must be gotten out in the interest of the schools of the State.

SOME VERY HOT FIGHTS.

Delegate E. C. Madison has entered the race for Superintendent of Schools of Warwick county against the incumbent, Dr. J. H. Crawford, and a hot race it will be. They have been political enemies for years and have been the recognized leaders of the opposing factions of the party in Warwick. The great fight which came up before the last Legislature for control of the Electoral Board in Warwick county, in which Mr. Madison won out, is still fresh in the minds of the people. Voluminous documents have been filed at the Department of Public Instruction in the interest of both parties, and strong pressure is being brought to bear in favor of both candidates. Another fight which is attracting a great deal of attention is that for superintendent of Henrico, where Mr. Thomas C. Ruffin is opposing Superintendent J. K. Fussell. Mr. A. S. Jones is waging a warm fight against Superintendent Henry Marlin, of Greensville, and there is a spirited contest in Campbell between

Mr. Eugene Ould, the present incumbent, and Major Evans and several other candidates. In Amherst Mr. M. P. Gatewood wants to succeed Superintendent C. L. Scott, and there are many other warm struggles all along the lines.

THE ELECTRICAL DISPLAYS.

It seems likely that the Capitol Square and building may not be used by the Carnival Committee for electrical displays on the occasion of the big street fair here this fall. Colonel Richardson, ad Governor Tyler had a conference on the subject yesterday, and while it was not definitely determined, it seemed to be the opinion of both that it might be unwise to allow the seats to be removed from the hall of the House of Delegates for the purpose of showing electrical devices there, on the ground that the State might need the hall while the Carnival was going on. Colonel Richardson said the matter before Colonel Outshaw and he seemed rather of the opinion that if the hall could not be secured, the square would not be used to display electric lights, though he said he would lay the matter before his committee before it could be positively decided.

DULL DAY ALL AROUND.

Yesterday was a decidedly dull day at the State offices. Even applicants for schools took a rest and did not crowd in upon Secretary Brent as usual.

General James C. Hill has gone to Albemarle to vote and to spend Sunday with his family.

General William Nalle is still in Culpeper, where he has been detained during the week. Attorney-General Montague was busy in his office, receiving callers and looking after his official duties. Commissioner Kolner was in conference with Governor Tyler about some agricultural matters yesterday.

Dr. S. L. Foster in the City. Dr. S. L. Foster, superintendent of the Eastern State Hospital at Williamsburg, was in the city yesterday and was cordially welcomed by many friends, and

frequently congratulated on his reapointment to the position which he has so acceptably filled.

Dr. Foster was surprised at the rumor sent from Williamsburg previous to the board meeting that an investigation was probable. Dr. Foster says the Eastern State Hospital has no secrets, and the public is welcome to know all that happens there.

The correspondent in referring to the rumor of an investigation did not mean to imply that the superintendent was to be investigated, but referred to some irregularity in a minor position.

Dr. Foster was annoyed by the rumor, however, because he was called on for information by his friends who did not understand the report. The prompt re-appointment of Dr. Foster by the board is, of course, ample refutation of the idea that his acts are a subject for investigation and is the most complete endorsement of his administration that could be made.

CONFEDERATE VETERANS REUNION.

Memphis, Tenn., May 28-30, 1901 For the above occasion the Southern Railway will sell tickets from all points on its line to Memphis and return at one cent per mile in each direction for the round trip. Tickets to be on sale May 25th, 28th and 29th, with return limit June 4th. By depositing ticket with the joint agent at Memphis between May 28th and June 3d, an extension of limit until June 10th will be granted upon payment of 50 cents. The Southern offers the choice of routes from Virginia and Carolina to Memphis through Asheville (Land of the Sky) and Chattanooga, or through Atlanta and Birmingham. The rate from Richmond to Memphis will be \$1.65 for the round trip. Only one night will be required on the road from Richmond to Memphis via this route. Detailed information will be furnished by any agent of the Southern Railway, Richmond Transfer Company, or C. W. Westbury, D. P. A., Richmond, Va. C. W. WESTBURY, District Passenger Agent.

SOCIAL LIFE IN PETERSBURG

A Delightful Card Party and Handsomely Decorated Parlors--Complimentary German.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)

PETERSBURG, VA., April 20.--One of the prettiest, as well as one of the most delightful card parties of the season was the one given by Mrs. Preston L. Roper yesterday afternoon. The handsome drawing-rooms were decorated with palms, Easter lilies and candles. Misses Essie Collier and May Eliza Jones held the score cards. Mrs. Roper's guests were: Mesdames Chisoin, R. T. Seade, John Townes, Epes, Witherspoon, Mahone, McGill, Lemoine, Sam Wilson, Harry Stratton, Alexander Hamilton, Francis Rivers Lassiter, Walter Jarrett, John Peebles, McClevey, E. P. Goodwyn, W. H. Harrison, Alfred Friend, Jr., W. E. McKenney, J. H. Claiborne, R. C. Scott, Harris Donnan, Robert Hamilton, Sully, Mrs. Josie Jackson and Mrs. J. E. Routh, Misses Waite, Mattie Watson, Kate Percival, Bessie Venable, Eliza Bragg, Helen Leavenworth, Susie Donnan, Annie Gill, Martha Collier, Nannie Scott, Carey Meyers, Bessie Coker, Mary Friend and Fannie Spicer and Mrs. White, of Baltimore; Mrs. Kellogg, of Baltimore; Miss Edith Dickman, Cleveland, Ohio; Mrs. B. Jones, of Baltimore; Mrs. Page, of Florida; Miss Nettlet, of Brunswick; Mrs. Peebles, of Norfolk; and Mrs. Gamble, Miss Annie Wilson; Mrs. M. C. Jackson, and Miss Susie Totts Whiston. An enjoyable German was given at Library Hall Monday night in honor of Miss Blanche Heatt, who is visiting Miss Nellie Belle Green. Mrs. Samuel Lile, of Lynchburg, who has been the guest of Mrs. Wm. Mahone,

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GENERAL MISSIONARY CONFERENCE, M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH,

At New Orleans, April 24-30--Half Rates via Norfolk and Western Railway.

For the above occasion the Norfolk and Western Railway will sell on April 22d, 23d and 24th round-trip tickets to New Orleans at the one-way first-class rate with final limit May 3, 1901. Round-trip rate from Richmond, \$26.50. Apply to John E. Wagner, City Passenger Agent, 825 Main Street, or at Ticket Offices, 902 East Main Street, and Byrd Street (Union) Station. C. H. BOSLEY, District Passenger Agent.

CROWN CATARRH POWDER PRICE 25.50/75c Polk Miller Drug Co. RICHMOND. Mailed on receipt of price.