

Advertisement for TRYABITA FOOD, featuring an illustration of a man and a woman, and text describing the food's benefits for health and vitality.

HEART DISEASE CAUSE OF DEATH

Mr. R. L. King Drops from a Wagon Dead. HE LIVED IN CITY OF RICHMOND

A Man is Shot in Chesterfield by a Manchester Huntsman—Coincidence in Accident—Mr. Crooks in Danville—Southeast News.

RICHMOND IS PARTICIPATING IN COUNTRY'S ERA OF PROSPERITY

To what extent Richmond is participating in the era of prosperity which our country is now enjoying, will be seen from the statement of assets and liabilities of its financial institutions, as of September 15th, 1902, compared with December 15th, 1896, on the opposite page.

It will be noted that the total deposits during this period have increased nearly \$12,000,000, or 118 per cent., and this large increase in deposits has enabled the banks and trust companies to augment their accommodations to customers in the way of loans and discounts more than 8,000,000, or 73 per cent., and their investments in bonds, stocks, etc., amount to \$2,991,637, exceeding those of 1896 by \$2,000,000, or 181 per cent.

CONDITION OF RICHMOND, VA., BANK AND TRUST COS.

Table showing financial data for Richmond, VA., Bank and Trust Companies, including assets, liabilities, and deposits for Dec. 15, 1896 and Sept. 15, 1902.

ENGINEER KILLED IN A WRECK

Florida and West India Limited Side-Swiped Northbound Freight at Elm City.

The Florida and West India Limited, southbound passenger train on the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad, leaving Richmond yesterday evening at 7:50 o'clock, was wrecked last night at Elm City, N. C.

Engineer Corrie, of Florence, was killed, and his fireman, James Scott, badly injured. No passengers were reported as having been hurt.

The tracks will be blocked for eight hours, and the northbound passenger train due here at 4:32 this morning will not arrive before noon.

CRUSHED TO DEATH Wood M. Stephens Fatally Hurt in Lynchburg.

LYNCHBURG, Va., Nov. 1.—Mr. Wood M. Stephens, a highly esteemed employe of the Glanville Pipe and Foundry Company, was caught in the shafting of the machinery this evening and so badly crushed that he died in a short while afterwards.

BLACKWELL—MIDDENDORF Elegant Wedding of J. William Middendorf's Daughter.

BLACKWELL, Md., Nov. 1.—Miss Katharine Middendorf, daughter of Mr. J. William Middendorf, and Mr. Henry C. Blackwell, of Trenton, N. J., were married this afternoon at St. Thomas Protestant Episcopal Church, Garrison Forest. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Robert Smith, assisted by Rev. D. M. Alton.

DAWELL'S Big Tobacco Sales. (Special Dispatch to The Times.)

DANVILLE, Va., Nov. 1.—The tobacco sales on this market for the month of October were a record, which is an increase over the sales of October, 1901, by 1,874,223 pounds. This is the highest October sale in the history of the city.

Large advertisement for RYAN, SMITH & TALMAN, featuring 'ONE HUNDRED WOOD STOVES A WEEK' and 'SOLD, PUT UP AND GUARANTEED BY RYAN, SMITH & TALMAN'.

THE SON-KN-ABOUT IT

The Venerable Carpet Cleaner Returns With His Young and Happy Bride. (Special Dispatch to The Times.)

NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 1.—J. M. Luton, the runaway carpet cleaner, returned home with his school-girl bride this morning, and set all the gossips of High Street wild with excitement.

While out hunting birds yesterday afternoon in Chesterfield county, a young man from Richmond was shot in the arm and side, and the shot struck him so painfully that the distance being too great to do any damage. The name of the person shot could not be learned, though it is known that he was an Italian.

SOUTHERN GAR DEAL Company Acquired by Syndicate Connected With Standard Company.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 1.—It is officially announced that the entire properties of the Southern Car and Foundry Company have been acquired by a syndicate composed of J. M. Hansen, J. B. Brady, A. R. Frazer and others, some of whom are connected with the Standard Steel Car Company.

PARIS GREEN IN A SPRING A Negro Man Charged With Trying to Poison a Family.

DANVILLE, Va., Nov. 1.—James Walton (colored) was placed in jail here today, charged with having put Paris green in a spring near Design, with the intention of poisoning the family of James Holland. He was refused bail.

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THREE CANDIDATES IN FOURTH DISTRICT

Southall, Democrat; Vaughan, Independent; Jones, Colored. 5,000 VOTES STAMPED

The Elks Having Fine Success With Proposed Bazaar—A Hung Jury in Case of Schmeiz Brothers vs. Parker and Moore.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) PETERSBURG, Va., November 1.—There are three candidates for Congress from the Fourth District: R. G. Southall, Democrat of Amelia county; R. T. Vaughan, Independent of Amelia county, and Thomas H. Jones, colored, independent of Brunswick county.

The electoral bar in Petersburg today stamped five thousand tickets to be used at Tuesday's election. It was not known until today that there were more than two candidates. The vote for R. G. Southall is expected to be so overwhelming that the vote of the other two candidates will not be any consideration.

THE CHURCHES The Ladies Aid Society of West End Church will meet at the residence of Mr. C. A. Raines next Tuesday evening at 3 o'clock.

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WANT TO MERGE WITH THE AMERICAN GUILD

Civil Action for \$40,000, Charging Fraud, Brought in Rochester, N. Y. (By Associated Press.)

ROCHESTER, N. Y., November 1.—A civil action has been begun by Robert Hausmann, a member of the Safety Fund Insurance Society, of New York, against the society and its Board of Directors and officers, whom Hausmann charges with having fraudulently and illegally secured the sum of \$40,000, secured their seats as directors, and later with attempting at a meeting on October 26th to turn over the entire business and assets of the society to the American Guild, a fraternal organization of Richmond, Va.

The plaintiff has already secured a court order restraining the defendants from disposing of the assets of the society, amounting to more than \$70,000.

Three officers named in the complaint are Charles L. Yates, Supreme Commander; Frederick W. Smith, Supreme Treasurer; Marsden B. Fox, Ins. P. Allen and Ossian K. Hamilton.

Other officers named in the complaint are Ferdinand H. Duckwitz, Supreme Manager; and others.

THE CAMPAIGN COMPLETE One Million Pounds of Tobacco Sold During the Week. (Special Dispatch to The Times.)

WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., Nov. 1.—The political campaign in this county is particularly over, but the Republican and Democratic candidates are devoting their time to buswhacking. The Democrats are confident of carrying the county by a majority ranging from 50 to 60 per cent. while the Union Republican organ of the party looks upon the prospects as being very bright.

The body of Miss Mollie Jackson, who died in Farmville, arrived in Petersburg this afternoon and was buried in Blandford Cemetery.

WEDDING CARDS Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Tucker have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Pearl Leonard Tucker, to Mr. Charles Hall Leath. The wedding will take place Wednesday morning, November 13th, at half-past nine o'clock, at the residence of the bride's parents, on Halifax Street.

There were 57 deeds admitted to record in the clerk's office in this city during October.

Sixteen marriage licenses were granted during the month, ten to white and six to colored couples.

The jury failed to agree in the case of Schmeiz Brothers, bankers, of Newport News against F. W. W. M. P. Parker and Fred Moore, trading as partners, trading as The Parkville Fruit & Canning Company, of Newport News, and were discharged last night.

Official returns of the registration of the voters of Prince George county, just during the month, show a total of 6,317 white and 1,000 colored.

Rally Day will be held at the Second Baptist Church to-morrow and a collection will be taken to pay off the indebtedness of the church, which amounts to \$250. Rev. F. W. Moore, formerly of Norfolk, is now the pastor. The membership of the church is 300.

NO AFTERNOON SERVICE The regular afternoon service at the Monumental Church will be suspended this afternoon on account of the funeral services of Mr. Norman Yarbrough, which will be held at 3:30 o'clock at the Monumental.

HOLD VOTING BONDS (By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—Among the State bonds now held by the United States Treasurer for security for public deposits are \$41,000 of Virginia State bonds.

Why be out of employment when you can secure a situation or position by cutting out the Free Coupon in The Daily Sunday or Weekly Times Want Columns. It is good for 25 words. All in need of male or female help read The Times Want ads.

FINE ORGANS THIS IS THE MONTH FOR PIANO PURCHASING.

New that the winter months are here you take a look at the old piano and find that it is the same old instrument which has been in the house for the past generation, and you ask yourself seriously if it is not about time that you ought to get a new instrument. Then you decide that, should you purchase, your new piano must be up-to-date in every respect and full value for the money. A little further thought brings to mind the fact that there is but one establishment in Richmond where six great makes of pianos may be seen side by side and where all instruments are sold at a small fixed percentage above cost.

DO YOU REALIZE THE ENTERTAINMENT AND PLEASURE THE PIANOLA AFFORDS DURING STORMY WEATHER? Do you not think the present a good time to look into the matter? We shall be pleased to show you the Pianola, what it can do for you and what you can do with it, even if you have no intention of purchasing. Why not accept the invitation to call to-morrow?

WALTER D. MOSES & CO., 103 E. BROAD. LARGEST AND OLDEST MUSIC HOUSE IN THE SOUTH. REGINA MUSIC BOXES.

MAY BE BLIND FROM A PRACTICAL JOKE

A Drug Clerk Puts Ammonia in a Companion's Eyes—Poisoned by Eating Sardines. (Special Dispatch to The Times.)

CHARLOTTE, N. C., November 1.—Samuel Younts, the fifteen-year-old son of Mr. W. E. Younts, of this city, was the victim of a very serious joke to-day. While sitting in front of a store in Pine-needle street he saw Ed. Culp, a young drug clerk, come out with a bottle of ammonia and asked Younts to take a smell. Just as the young man raised his head the fluid spilled from the bottle and a large quantity of it fell in both eyes.

His physicians fear that he will lose the sight of both eyes. Young Culp regrets the accident very much, as he is a boon companion of Younts.

At Statesville to-day Miss Mabel Turner and Mr. William A. Colbert were married by the Rev. H. K. Boyer. The bride is the eldest daughter of Lieutenant-Governor W. D. Turner, and is one of the State's prettiest daughters. Immediately after the ceremony the bride and groom left for New York.

Three of the children of Mr. William Church, who lives in Salem, were poisoned this morning by eating sardines from a box. The children are aged respectively four, six and eight years. All three are still seriously ill.

Miss J. M. Moody, Congresswoman from the Tenth North Carolina District, has been forced by ill health to quit the Congress. He is now in a hospital at Baltimore, where he is suffering from acute indigestion. His condition is serious.

The sixteen-year-old son of Azell Walker, who lives on the edge of Randolph county, shot himself in the thigh yesterday afternoon with a rifle. The boy had been hunting but had returned so far as the stable on his father's premises. When found he was lying in a pool of blood. His only words were to his father, asking him not to scold him. He had in his pocket a note which stated that he had killed several boys at his feet.

PROFESSORS DENY VOTE IN FAVOR OF HAZING (Special Dispatch to The Times.)

SALEM, Pa., Nov. 1.—Four corresponding faculty members of the Pennsylvania College in regard to the statement made by Charles F. Jackson in which he stated that the faculty voted in favor of hazing. Each member stated that the charge was absolutely false and expressed surprise that Mr. Jackson could have so greatly misinterpreted their action.

The faculty has always seriously discontenanced hazing in any form and it has never been permitted when the faculty was aware of it.

WINSTON'S TOBACCO SALES October a Record-breaking Month on the Market. (Special Dispatch to The Times.)

WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., Nov. 1.—Winston sold 300,000 pounds of leaf tobacco in October for \$2,070,000, an average of 10¢ per pound.

The quantity is a record breaker for the market, the sales being nearly half of the amount sold last year. It is believed that Winston will sell over twenty million pounds this year.

Electric Plant Sold. (By Associated Press.)

ROANOKE, Va., Nov. 1.—S. D. Ferguson, of this city, and E. M. Finkhouser, of Staunton, Va., today completed the purchase of the Staunton Street Railway, Electric Light and Gas Plant from Messrs. Sullivan and Cromwell, attorneys for the Seventh National Bank of New York, the consideration being \$250,000.

Unusual Vertigo War. The P. T. Conrail-Bentley Company has just put on the streets one of the most unique delivery wagons ever seen in Richmond. It is designed to advertise the brands of tobacco manufactured by this concern.

The wagon, which was made by McDowell, represents a typical Virginia log cabin and the idea is well carried out in every respect.