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Wash Fabric Ends. 75 Silver-Plated Tablespoons, worth \$2.50 a dozen, for 25c each.

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Hosiery Odds and Ends. 220 pairs of Ladies' Plain Lisle, Fancy, Tans and many other styles, 50c quality, for 38c pair.

Odd Pieces for Boys. 19 Boys' Straw Hats, with blue bands, 2 1/2 doz. 6 1/2-8 and 7 only, original price 25c, now 15c.

Odd Ribbed Wear. 67 Ladies' Fine Bleached, Taped Neck, Swiss Ribbed Vests, 3 1/2-7-8.

Women's Wear Odds. 2 Cerise Taffeta Silk Undershirts, with corded ruffles, for \$3.98.

Summer Black Goods. A few pieces of Mercerized Crepon, a beautiful pattern, for 60c yard.

Embroideries. White Cambric Inserting, open designs, (widths wide, worth 90c, special 25c).

Muslin Underwear. 25 1 1/2 Corset Covers, handsomely trimmed, price 75c.

For Floors. 1 roll full yard-wide Cottage Carpet, worth 30c, 15c.

Odd Drapery and Trunks. 5 2 1/2-inch Olive Suit Cases, brass lock and trimmings, regular price \$1.88.

Men's Wear Odds. Men's 10c Silk and Satin Band Bows for 5c.

Odd Handkerchiefs. 50 Ladies' Fine Cambric Handkerchiefs, slightly soiled from show.

Furniture Odds. \$10 Hall Settee for \$5. \$8 Hall or Porch Chair, \$2.

The Meyer Store.

VIRGINIA LAWYERS.

CLOSING SESSION OF THE STATE BAR ASSOCIATION. ANNUAL ADDRESS DELIVERED.

By Professor Charles N. Gregory, of Wisconsin—The Torrens System—An Animated Debate—The Standing Committee—A Banquet.

OLD POINT, VA., July 19.—(Special).—With a grand banquet, held in the spacious dining hall of the Chamberlin Hotel...

THE TORRENS SYSTEM. When Professor Gregory concluded the Massé report on the "Torrens System"...

Various motions and amendments were offered, and finally, on motion of Judge George L. Christian, the whole matter was referred to the committee...

THE STANDING COMMITTEES. Admissions—W. H. T. Loyall, of Norfolk; Barrett Ross, Jr., of Petersburg; Thomas S. Williams, of Parksville; N. C. Mansson, Jr., of Lynchburg; Louis T. Hinkel, of Charlottesville; H. C. Riely, of Richmond; W. J. Nelms, of Newport News; J. W. Fleet, of Biscoe; F. W. Lewis, of Louisa; G. L. Doothe, of Alexandria; A. R. Stone, of Lynchburg; Marshall Hanger, of Staunton; W. M. Pierce, of Christiansburg; R. R. Henry, of Falmouth; J. J. Stuart, of Abingdon; O. M. Waters, of Wise; J. Lawrence Campbell, of Bedford City.

NEW MEMBERS. Colonel James C. Baker, of Newport News, and W. H. Bond, of Wise, were elected to membership in the association.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRES.

THOUSANDS OF FEET OF LUMBER BURNED IN DINWIDDIE COUNTY. THE LOSS IS VERY HEAVY.

WOODS ABLAZE IN CHESTERFIELD. PETERSBURG POINTS OF INTEREST—Reported Property Sale—Badly Hurt—Personal.

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On Tuesday the lumber stacked near the siding on the Seaboard Air-Line railway, belonging to B. L. Cobb & Co., a short distance from Blackville, caught fire, as is supposed, from sparks from a passing engine, and though its progress was vigorously fought it soon got beyond control, and it is estimated that some 600,000 or 700,000 feet was destroyed.

The fire spread through the adjacent timber lands, doing great damage to the standing timber—large and small. On yesterday the fire was communicated to the lumber in the other yard, belonging to Messrs. Meade & Cobb. Here great destruction also followed, fully 600,000 feet being burned, or so greatly damaged as to render it useless.

Mr. Hugh P. Garden, a lawyer of New York, to-day instituted an attachment suit in chancery against William P. Chapman for \$2,500, for legal services rendered by the latter of August and September, 1897.

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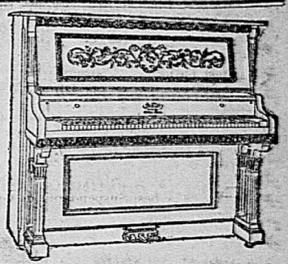
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Excursions, Picnics, &c. MOONLIGHT EXCURSION TO DUTCH GAP. TUESDAY, JULY 24th. FOR BEVERLY HILLS, FIFTH-STREET METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF MANCHESTER.