



GAY WEEKS OF LENT

TWO MORE DAYS, AND SEASON'S GAYETY ENDS.

THE PAST WEEK WAS A MERRY ONE.

Resume of the Events of Absorbing Interest—Birthday Party at the Mansion Monday, and Series of Entertainments During Rest of Week.

Only two more days, and the season's gayety will be quenched by the gray weeks of Lent. Society will go to bed earlier and arise, at least more devout members of it, in the chilly dawn to attend early services. But the season is going out gayly, and the remaining days will be filled with entertaining.

The past week was a very merry one. It began brilliantly with the Washington Memorial Association entertainment on Monday evening, and the rest of the week was gay with afternoon teas, lunches, theatre-parties, and card-parties.

The birthday party of the George Washington Memorial Association on Monday evening at the Governor's Mansion proved a brilliant success in every particular. The hall of the mansion was artistically decorated with United States flags and palms, and magnificent pictures of George and Mary Washington were prominent. In the drawing-room the mantels were draped with fern, from which rose vases in cut-glass bowls gave an added touch of color. At one end of the table Mrs. J. Alston Cabell poured tea, and at the other Mrs. Virgilus Hall poured coffee. Mrs. J. Taylor Ellison and Mrs. Alfred Gray served punch.

The Reception Committee stood beneath a Virginia flag in the drawing-room. It consisted of Mrs. Washington Coleman, chairman for Virginia, in black lace and sole en train; ornaments, old miniature set with diamonds; Mrs. J. Hoge Tyler, in black lace over biscuit-colored satin, diamond ornaments; Mrs. Decatur Axtell, chairman Richmond committee, in cream white robe de chambre, with deep flounce and bodice of Renaissance lace, ornaments; Mrs. Herbert A. Claiborne, president Colonial Dames, in Martha Washington costume of black velvet, with rare old lace and turquoise, and diamond ornaments; Mrs. Joseph E. Willard, chairman for Virginia, red, white, and emerald, and embroidered in Egyptian colors. She carried orchids. Mrs. James Dooley, president Daughters of the Crown, wore white satin and lace, diamond ornaments.

The rest of the committee consisted of Mrs. John Dunlop, first assistant chairman; Mrs. W. D. Thomas, second assistant chairman; Mrs. Virginia Morgan Robinson, secretary, and Miss Josephine Knox, treasurer; Mesdames Thomas Boring, Albert Bruce, J. Alston Cabell, Virginia Randolph Ellett, Mrs. Alfred Gray, Mrs. Virgilus Hall, Mrs. Mary Louise Harrison, Mrs. Thomas N. Jeffers, Mrs. J. Taylor Ellison, Mrs. George A. Lyon, Mrs. E. C. Minor, Mrs. T. J. Moore, Mrs. M. E. Pace, Mrs. Norman Randolph, Mrs. Mary C. White, Mrs. W. D. Thomas, Mrs. F. Dallam Barksdale, Mrs. Mann S. Valentine, Mrs. Annie S. Green, Mrs. G. H. Harrison, and Mrs. Richard F. Thomas, of Smithfield, spared no effort to make the party enjoyable. Mesdames J. Spotswood Wellford, J. S. Ellett, T. G. Hobson, Morgan Robinson, T. S. Wellford, and Mr. Reed, in full colonial costume, assisted these ladies in making the evening most agreeable.

The young girls who served refreshments were exceedingly pretty in rouge powder and patches. They were Misses Maude Randolph, Estelle de Saussure, Annie Williams, Jane Fisher, Elizabeth Johnson, Allene Stokes, Henningham Johnson, Louise Mayo, Eli and Amy Reid, Josephine Putney, Elizabeth Whitlock, Ethel Pace, Sally Reid Anderson, Katherine Michaux, Lily Sue, and Miss Tyler, the Misses Davenport, the Misses Harris, Edna Forbes, Lily Urquhart, Marie Lightfoot, Evelyn Gordon, Nellie Tompkins, Sadie Sutton, Maude Morgan, Meade Burwell, Miss Mary W. Woods, Kathleen Anderson, Mary Ball, the Misses Young, Miss Janney Anne Tennant, and Bessie Smith.

The reading of the Rev. William E. Evans and the singing of Miss Rayland and Mr. William Richards were charming features of the evening.

A very pretty valentine party, given on Valentine Day, was that of Miss Lora

Crump, who then entertained delightfully her class at Miss Ellett's School. Progressive games were played during the first part of the evening, and handsome and appropriate prizes were awarded to the winners.

After the games the young people were invited into the dining-room, where an elegant collation was spread. A long table, in the shape of a T, stretched from one end of the room to the other. On this lay handsome pieces of Battenburg lace over red satin, and in the center stood two hearts of red carnations, pierced by an arrow. Baskets of red and white spun candy stood at intervals on the table, and at each place lay a heart-shaped box filled with candy. Each guest was presented with a dainty valentine.

Miss Crump's class, the guests of honor, were as follows: Rosa Archer, Mary Aylett, Ethel Blair, Ella Buck, Mary Butler, Wardell Crenshaw, and Hansen, Bessie Jackson, Julia Jones, Martha Landstreet, Juliet Keith, Eileen McKenney, Carrie Minor, Julia Moore, Grace Neal, Marie Potts, Julia Randolph, Carrie Reynolds, Page Royall, Grace Smith, Kate Seddon, Gertrude Taylor, Lucy Taylor, Berte Trigg, Evelyn Styles, Rachael Urquhart, Elizabeth Wheat, and Lily West.

Others present were Mary and Nannie West, Lizzie Hotchkiss, Edith McCarthy, Wardell Skelton, Katherine Mayo, Douglas Galloway, Sadie Habbist, Lizzie Williams, Margaret Wadley, Katherine Gunn, Jessie Evans, Nannie Waddill, Mary Stuart Cooke, of Roanoke; Kitty Lancaster, Carrie Neal, Dora Taylor, Cora Younger, Louise Crump, Floyd Taylor, Helen Tanner, Minnie Bolton, Helene Borchers, Louise Howles, Rosa Smith, Cora Catlin, Sallie and Julia Cottrell, Alice English, and Elsie Hodgson.

The Colonial Dames held their regular monthly meeting on Thursday afternoon, at the residence of Mrs. Gideon A. Davenport, on west Franklin street. Mrs. H. A. Claiborne, the president, presided. The ladies pledged themselves to give hearty sympathy to the ter-centenary movement, and decided on the form of tablet to put on William and Mary College. A circular letter from Tennessee was read, and several new members were elected. Mrs. Ben T. Gray, of St. Louis, gave an interesting account of the work of the dames in Missouri.

After the business meeting elegant refreshments were served in the dining-room. The table was beautiful with Renaissance lace over blue satin, which rested silver vases filled with yellow nasturtiums. Chocolate was poured by Miss Elizabeth Davenport, and Miss Elise Davenport served punch. The young ladies in the dining-room were Misses Mann and Nellie Davenport and Mamie Williams.

The guests of the evening were Mrs. Keith, Mrs. Marshall, of Warrenton; Mrs. C. D. Langhorne, Mrs. Anne Rutherford, and Mrs. Ben T. Gray, of St. Louis.

Mrs. George W. Stevens entertained elegantly at cards on Tuesday evening in honor of Mrs. Rufus Gillette, of Danville, Ill. The decorations were formed of American Beauty roses. Those invited were Mesdames Gillette, C. E. Borden, T. M. Perkins, C. D. Langhorne, W. L. Royall, L. W. White, Leah White, Edmund Waddill, J. Allison Hodges, B. A. Hoen, Harrie Webster, E. D. Hotchkiss, J. A. White, J. D. Potts, J. Skelton Williams, Levin Jones, Wynndham R. Meredith, E. T. Myers, J. W. B. Palmer, Thomas Carter, J. A. Welch, Alan Potts, Robert Rantlett, of Massachusetts; C. C. McPhail, Thomas Bolling, C. W. P. Brock, A. B. Camm, G. A. Davenport, A. B. Donnan, C. E. Bolling, W. S. Forbes, Barton H. Grundy, John W. Varison, James Keith, C. P. Lathrop, W. F. La Bonta, A. J. Montague, W. S. Morris, Benjamin H. Nash, Virgilus Newton; Miss Claire Guillaume and Miss May Jones.

Mrs. Adolphus Blair gave a delightful card party Wednesday evening in honor of Mrs. Clay Dreyer and Mrs. R. Turner Arlington. The decorations were pretty and effective, carried out in asparagus fern and pink carnations. After the game an elegant supper was served. The score was kept by Miss Nannie Cooke and Miss Mary Macgill Dreyer, of Clay Dreyer. R. Turner Arlington, Edwin Hewitt, Carter Scott, Thomas Adkins, Ben. Palmer, Robert Reynolds, John Cullen, John Blair, Horace Hawes, A. C. Small, A. C. Young, Hunt Copley, William Davenport, Belmont Frank Powers, Robert Blankenship, Austin Brockenbrough, George Davis, Charles Stacy, Richard Wilson, and Thomas Moulton.

Mrs. David B. Tennant entertained at a charming luncheon at the Jefferson on Tuesday in honor of Mrs. Edward J. Willis and Mrs. W. Brydon Tennant. The decorations, which were elaborate and beautiful, consisted of a profusion of Mesdames Brydon Tennant, Edward J. Willis, Robert Reynolds, Decatur Axtell, Frank Williams, George Ben. Johnston, Ben. Palmer, Isaac Davenport, John Skelton, John Adkinson, Allan Potts; Robert Rantlett, of Massachusetts; Charles Davenport, John Lyons, E. Randolph Williams, Lawrence G. Davenport, Graham Hobson, Charles Bolling, Warner Moore, Edward Echols, Joseph Willard, James A. Welch, William Royall, Waller Morton, Allan Donnan, T. Moncreur Perkins, Virginia Taylor, Lily Tyler, Elizabeth A. Smith, Wingo, Louise Allan Mayo, Urquhart, Mary and Margaret Watkins, Courtney Bowdoin Bridges.

The Misses Young gave a charmingly informal "at home" on Tuesday afternoon, from 5 to 7 o'clock, at their home, east Franklin street. They were assisted in receiving by Misses Anna Carr, Susie Harrison, Elizabeth Robins, and Elizabeth Crutchfield. Punch was served by Miss Sue Spilman.

Among those who called were Mesdames Jefferson Wallace, E. M. Abbott, Austin Brockenbrough, Adolphus Blair, Clay Dreyer, Jr., Alfred L. L. Davis, John Archer Cullen, George S. Cary, Nannie Worth, Elsie Pegram, Charles Edward James Mason, Misses Carr, Sue Hampton Tyler, Lily Tyler, Elizabeth A. Smith, Wingo, Louise Allan Mayo, Urquhart, Mary and Margaret Watkins, Courtney Bowdoin Bridges.

from 5 to 7 o'clock, given in honor of her guest, Miss Parke, of Scranton, Pa. The note of color in the decorations, which were exceedingly pretty, long scar of Battenburg lace over pink satin stretched from one end of the table to the other, and in the center stood a silver pitcher, filled with pink carnations.

Mrs. Edward W. Stevens and Mrs. Marshall Field, of St. Louis, served punch, and the young ladies in the dining-room were Misses Josephine Putney, Sue Spilman, Elizabeth Byrd, May Jones, Nellie Tree, Elizabeth Whitlock, Evelyn Rogers, Kate Blankenship, Emily Carter, and Hannum, of Chester, Pa.

Miss Emmie Wherry, who has been visiting friends in Memphis, Tenn., and Greenville, Miss., is now in New Orleans, where she will be the guest of Miss Eugenia Dyer during the Mardi Gras. Miss Wherry has many friends here who will be glad to know of the social attention she has received in the South. The following is taken from the New Orleans Times-Democrat, sent by the special correspondent in Greenville:

Among the many pleasant events of the week none proved more charming than the reception given by Mrs. Kate Kretschmar, in honor of Miss Wherry, of Richmond, Va. The house was elaborately decorated, the parlors in which the receiving party stood being particularly attractive with festoons of ivy and garlands of draperies. In the dining-room tropical luxuriance was effected by green-house plants of every variety, and looked like a veritable harbor of living green. The table was covered with a airy tracery of green, and at each end silver canes, delabara, with pink wax candles, gave a luminous glow of delicate beauty. The dainty refreshments were served by Miss Carrie Bell, Nannie McCutchen, Mary Watson, Susie Iveys, Mary Pelham, Pinlay, Ella Jayne, Mabel Smith, Miss Kretschmar and Miss Wherry, assisted by Miss Kate Iveys and Mesdames Nuegas, Wainwright, and Dunn, received the guests in the front parlor.

Mrs. Edmund Waddill and the Misses Waddill were at home informally on Wednesday between the hours of 5 and 7 o'clock at their home on Park avenue. The decorations were exceedingly pretty, and were formed of Renaissance lace over pink satin, and a profusion of Madame Testout roses.

Those receiving with the hostess were Misses Mary and Juliet Waddill; Mrs. Watson, of Rome, Ga.; Mrs. Emmett Shepherd, Mrs. T. William Pemberton, Mrs. Warner Moore, Mrs. Chiles Ferrall, Mrs. Louise Mayo, Waller Jeffers, Lily Stearns, Bessie Ellyson, Lapham, of Danville, and Freeman, of Norfolk.

Mrs. Pleasanton L. Conquest gave a delightful "at home" on Wednesday, from 5 to 7 o'clock, at her home, 229 Broad street. The decorations were white and green, and were exceedingly effective and dainty.

Mrs. Conquest was assisted in receiving by Mrs. Lindsay and Mrs. S. W. Travers. Mrs. Charles Borer, Miss Langley, of Norfolk; William Clark, and Mrs. Gillis waited in the dining-room, Mrs. O. H. Funsten poured chocolate, and Mrs. Beverly Crump poured coffee.

A large number called during the evening.

Mrs. W. Ben Palmer gave an elegant valentine euchre party Thursday evening in the foyer of the ball-room of the Norfolk Hotel. The decorations were long room was broken by groups of palms, massed gracefully against the walls and grouped in the center. Twenty-five tables of euchre were played.

After the game an elegant collation was served upstairs in the dining-room. Ten tables were handsomely appointed and decorated with smilax, shaded lamps, and pink anemones.

A large number of ladies enjoyed Mrs. Palmer's hospitality and spent a charming evening.

Mrs. Florence Kelley, secretary of the National Consumers' League, gave an interesting address on Tuesday evening before the Woman's Club. She gave a most interesting account of the good and bad usage of working girls, and urged her audience to look after this useful portion of our community. Already ten States were in the league, she said, and forty-one firms in New York on the white list as persons who treated their employees well.

Miss Bessie Granberry Scott entertained the Bachelor Girls Card Club very delightfully on Tuesday afternoon at her home, 209 east Franklin street. Progressive euchre was played, and later refreshments were served on small tables.

Those enjoying Miss Scott's hospitality were Misses Marie Curtis, Sallie Cunningham, Frances French, Anna Welsh, Bessie Cardwell, of Lynchburg; Charlotte McCluer, Lula Scott, Frances McKevett, and Mrs. I. Newton Lewis.

The Misses Hark gave a charming luncheon on Thursday afternoon at their home, on west Franklin street. The round table held a centerpiece of Battenburg lace over pink satin, on which rested a cut-glass vase of Madame Testout roses.

Those present were Mrs. Alfred T. Harris, Mrs. William Todd, Miss Berta Wellford, Miss Mary Woods, of Charlottesville, and Misses Kate and Marian Harris.

ful luncheon on Monday in honor of her sister, Miss Adams, of Baltimore. Her other guests were Misses Sallie Reid Anderson, Anna Deane Carr, Martha Byrd, Allene Stokes, Mayo, of Norfolk, and Atkinson.

Mrs. John T. Watson, gave a very pretty valentine party on Thursday from 5 to 7 o'clock in honor of her little daughter, Miss Nannie Watson.

The house was beautifully decorated with palms and pink carnations, and a most pleasant evening was spent by all who were present.

An elegant card party was given on Friday evening by Mrs. J. Alston Cabell in honor of Mrs. Benjamin Gray, of St. Louis, and Mrs. Edward J. Scott. Mrs. Cabell was assisted in receiving by Mrs. Herbert A. Claiborne and Mrs. Thomas X. May.

Fifteen tables of progressive euchre were played with spirit, and handsome prizes were awarded. The first prize was a pair of gold-mounted opera-glasses of mother of pearl, and the consolation a cut-glass jar with a jewelled top. After the game a delicious supper was served on small tables.

Mrs. C. B. Doyle gave a charming whist party last evening in honor of her guest, Mrs. Rufus Gillette, of Danville, Ill. The decorations, which were artistic and beautiful, were composed of American Beauty roses and narcissus. Eight tables of progressive whist was played, and after the game an elegant supper was served on small tables.

Mrs. George L. L. Davis gave a delightful "at home" yesterday afternoon from 5 to 7 o'clock in honor of Mrs. William Irvin Schaffer and Miss Hannum, of Chester, Pa. Tea was poured by Mrs. John G. Farland and Mrs. Murray Mason McGuire. They were assisted by Mrs. Parke, of Scranton, Pa.; Miss Lily Urquhart, and Miss Nannie Cooke. A large number of callers were present during the hours.

Miss Mary Dulany Ball was "at home" informally yesterday afternoon, from 5 to 7 o'clock, at her home, on Park avenue. The rooms were artistically decorated with palms and ferns. A large number of callers called during the afternoon. Miss Ball was assisted in receiving by the Misses Goldsborough, of Maryland, and Misses Elsie Snowden, of Alexandria; Elizabeth Martin, of Norfolk; Louise Taylor, of Richmond county; Rebecca Gordon, and Lucy Gibson. Miss Lucy Powell served punch.

Miss Elizabeth Andrews was hostess at a charming valentine card party on Wednesday afternoon at her home, No. 229 Broad street. The parlors were prettily decorated with palms and growing plants. The score-keepers read red hearts and the markers dainty little bells. Miss Jessie Bailey won the first prize, a beautiful growing palm, and Miss Nellie Yeager the second, a hand-painted satin bonnet, filled with candy hearts. Dainty refreshments were served on small tables covered with Renaissance lace over pink satin. Those enjoying Miss Andrews' hospitality were Mesdames Ernest Moore, James Moore, Clarence Franklin, Harry Hartman, Walford Hardwick, J. A. Warren, Dudley Edwards, of Port Norfolk, and Misses Maud Tyree, of Lynchburg; Jessie Blair, Julia and Mollie Yeager, Hunter Ferguson, Emmie and Jessie McLaughlin, Florine Hubbard, Rose Mayer, Fannie Talliferro, Mamie Southern, Florence Grette, Aurelia Powers, Janie Prelow, and Fannie Murray.

The Golden Rule Y. Woman's Christian Temperance Union, gave a delightful entertainment Friday evening at 61 north Severn street. A play, entitled "A Paralyzing Situation," was splendidly rendered by the following local talent: Mr. Middleton, Otwa Lee, Danville; Tom Middleton, Edwin Courtney; Dr. Reynolds, Charles Pearson, of Winchester; Fritz Spencer Burger, Farnville; Uncle Ep, Henry D. Riddick; Alexander Wilson, Samuel Sutherland; Mrs. Middleton, Miss Helen Cardozo; Mrs. Noyes, Miss J. Tracy; Mrs. Lucy E. Hays, Miss Alma Delarue; Maude, Miss Lora K. Burgess; Mary, Miss Louise Henninghausen; Jessie Middleton, Miss Josie Henninghausen; Sue Middleton, Miss Hazel Delarue.

Baked calves' head, turkey salad, and celery, I throw, Pancakes, with wine sauce, the finest ever cooked; And now for this dinner we're sure you'll be hoodwinked by good food. Just think, for this feast of vlands so rare, Fifty cents is the price, could aught be more fair? Don't foot to call in at 1205 east Main, Shrove Tuesday, the 19th, if good fare you'd obtain. On February 19th, Shrove Tuesday, you know. All-Salt has a dinner, to which all be hoodwinked. The feast of Epicurus beside this would pale. For the ladies of All-Saints on dinner ne'er did fail. Their hungry ones hunger even to read. If you patronize them on dainties you'll feed. They've oysters fried, stewed, and raw on the shell. Saddle mutton, and turkey, as well. Old ham cooked as only Virgilians know how.

The Misses Atlee entertained the Bachelor girls at cards Thursday afternoon at the home of their sister, Mrs. Edward Maynard, No. 311 east Broad street. Miss Ellen Atlee made the highest score. Those playing were: Misses Bessie Lucille French, Anna Welsh, Mary Curtis, Bessie Cardwell, Sallie Cunningham, Agnes Welsh, Bessie Scott, Marie Curtis, Frances McKevett; Lorena, Lillie, Ellen, and Ida Atlee; Mrs. J. Newton Lewis, Mrs. William Richardson, and Mrs. Edward Maynard.

A rummage sale will be given for the benefit of the Belle Bryan Day Nursery and Kindergarten at east Main street, beginning Saturday, February 23d. Contributions of second-hand clothing, such as household utensils, furniture, &c., are solicited, as everything can be utilized. Please send donations to the Belle Bryan Day Nursery, corner of Nineteenth and Grace streets, before Saturday, the 23d of February. If any merchant will contribute from his stock of injured goods the gift will be of great assistance. Any firm willing to assist in collecting articles by the use of delivery-wagons will please notify Miss E. O. Robinson, No. 610 Floyd avenue.

Mr. John Walker gave a delightful box party Wednesday evening at the home of his guests enjoyed seeing Anna Held in "Papa's Wife." Those present were Mr. and Mrs. E. Randolph Williams, Misses Annie Tennant, Elsie Posher, Berta Richmond, of Washington, Frank Davenport, Joseph Anderson, and Williams. After the performance the party was entertained by the "Married Ladies' Card Club," which met at the residence of Mrs. William Royall.

The highest scores made on Wednesday at the meeting of the Milton Work Whist Club were as follows: North and south, Mrs. Benjamin Nash, of Washington; east and west, Mrs. William Daniel and Miss Harris.

Dr. J. Allison Hodges will lecture before the Woman's Club on Monday afternoon at half-past 4 on "The Development and Decline of a Race."

Miss Evelyn Byrd Trigg, of abingdon, Va., who has been spending the winter in Philadelphia and Washington, will arrive here Tuesday, where she will be the guest of Mrs. George Ben. Johnston for some time.

The Virginia Club will tender its lady friends a reception Monday night, which promises to be a very lovely affair. The Woman's Christian Association of Church Hill will furnish the supper for the occasion.

Miss Taylor, who has been the guest

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We will show to-morrow and during the week many new things in Colored Wool Dress Goods and Fancy Silks, which have just arrived. We are also showing exceptional values in

New Black Dress Goods.

All the approved English and French weaves that will be in special vogue for the spring season in guaranteed changeless black dyes at very low prices for reliable qualities.

New Venetians,

36 inches wide, all pure wool, in a wide range of colorings, yard..... 50c

The New Silks.

Lace Striped Taffetas,

Old Rose, Cadet, Violet, Cardinal, Royal, and Black, all with White stripes so woven as to give the effect of being trimmed with lace, yard..... 89c

The New Foulards,

22 inches wide, all pure silk, in pretty designs and colorings, yard..... 58c

To-Morrow, Monday,

We will show a very handsome Advance Line of

LADIES' SPRING SUITS, \$20, \$22.50, and \$25.

This is a very important showing, and we urge the women of Richmond to see the display now while the line of sizes is complete. The leading colors this season will be Brown and Navy—Black is also in special vogue.

The styles are blouse, also blouse and Eton vest effect, and both these designs admit of some four or five different effects, according to the taste of the wearer; neat gilt garniture is the vogue in Paris and New York.

The tight-fitting jackets are also very "chic" and are especially becoming to certain figures.

NEW SPRING SKIRTS.

We will show this week an entire new line of nicely Tailored Skirts for the present and spring season. These will interest all women because the price for a skirt is only about the price of the making.

Striking effects in Cloth and Cheviots, a dash of gilt, fancy stitched trimmings, price..... \$3.98
Cloth Skirts, with graduated flared flounce, satin band trimmings; price..... \$4.25
Excellent values in Fine Grade Cheviots, latest effect in trimmings; price..... \$3.98
No lady wardrobe complete without one of our Parisian Novelty Skirts; price..... \$7.50
French style in Cloth Skirts, with graduated flounce effects in satin strappings; price..... \$9.00
Novelty Skirts, in bright colors, with flounce, with a touch of gilt and satin trimmings..... \$3.50

Basement Bargains.

A NICKEL-PLATED GAS KEY and a box of Wax Tapers for

15 Cents.

DECORATED TOILET SETS

(gold stippled—10 pieces),

\$2.98, value \$4.

CORDOVA WAX CANDLES,

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(Pink, Red, Blue.)

White Lawn Waists.

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and our line is far ahead of anything you've seen here in past seasons. 98c. up.

Remnant Wash Goods 3c. Yard To-Morrow.

In order to again close out a big lot Wash Goods and White Goods, the accumulation of recent sales, we will offer these three lots to-morrow:

At 3 Cents a Yard.

Dimities, Percales, Piques, India Linens, Calicoes, and Ginghams.

At 5 Cents a Yard.

Scotch Madras, 22 inches wide; Fine Dimities, Percales, Piques, India Linens, and 40-inch Lawns.

At 8½ Cents a Yard.

Sheer Organdies, Fine Dimities, Navy-Blue and White Ducks, Madras, Canton Flannels, and Cottons.

At 11 Cents a Yard.

Bleached Sheetting, double-bed width; worth 15c.

At 16½ Cents a Yard.

Bleached and Unbleached Sheetting, single- and double-bed widths; worth from 20 to 25c.

of her sister, Mrs. Borden, of west Franklin street, left yesterday for her home, in North Carolina.

Mrs. Kamper McCannahan, who is visiting her mother, Mrs. Franklin Stearns, will leave on Tuesday for her home, in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. McCaw, of Norfolk, are the guests of the Misses Moore, on west Franklin street.

The Board of Managers of the Sheltering Arms Free Hospital desire to return thanks to all of their friends who so

kindly and liberally remembered the needs of the hospital on founders' day.

Miss Emma of Alexandria, is the guest of Mrs. Warner Moore.

Miss Julia Pennington, of Tazewell, is the guest of Mrs. W. T. Shepherd.

Mr. S. W. McVey left Friday for New Orleans to attend the Mardi Gras.

Miss Mary C. Whittle, of Chatham, is here to be with her uncle, Bishop Whittle, who is in Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Jones, of Winchester, who have been at

the Bishop's bedside, have returned home.

Mrs. J. Taylor Ellison and Mrs. Frank T. Crump will give an "at home" on Tuesday, from 5 to 8 o'clock, at their home, on Franklin street.

Mrs. Kate F. Crane and Dr. Alfred Crane, mother and brother of Mrs. R. P. Coward, have returned to their home, in Brownville, Neb., after a delightful visit of five weeks.

Mrs. B. W. Robinson is at 104 west Grace street for the winter.