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Richmond's supreme show and sale. The entire sample line of a manufacturer's peerless makes. Absolutely the highest class Kid Gloves ever offered on special sale. It means famous French Gloves at 50c., 75c. and \$1, which all Glove buyers know to be less than half. Investigate.

Spring Suits and Skirts.

If these Suits and Skirts had been produced in the ordinary way they'd have cost us—and you—from 25 to 35 per cent. more. But never mind the story. The offering on the whole is positively peerless.

PHENOMENAL SUIT SELLING.—Some 250 stylish Spring Suits. \$12.50 Some at almost half the regular prices. Made under ordinary conditions such values would be out of the question. These suits are of Venetian and Cheviot, with open-front Etons, inlaid vests of solid cloth to correspond, finished with stitched bands of taffeta and gilt fastenings.

Women's Neckwear.

All the New, Attractive Spring Styles. Some very elaborate pieces from the fashion centres cost as much as entire gowns. Others are within reach of the slimmest purses. The stock is strongest though, in the popular-priced things. These, for instance: Real Arabian Lace Sailor Collars, in large, handsome designs, for 80c. Real Renaissance Tera Lace Collars for 75c.

The Spring Millinery.

The Millinery Department on the second floor shows the most elegant creations that can be made here or brought from Paris. To-day will be important in the Millinery business. Special bargains on the main floor front to-day.

The Easter Ribbons.

No wonder we're busier than ever. No wonder that women are pleasantly surprised. Careful people are buying enough to last all summer. The late spring Ribbon trade pushed the dealer, and we took 10,000 bolts his hands. Ready this morning. Values like these:

Unlined Albatross Waists.

In the new spring shades, beautifully made, tucked in apron ties, back and front, new sleeves and collar, \$2.48. Open Albatross Waists, in pretty hemmed tucked effects, for \$2.75. Albatross Waists, unlined, prettily trimmed, \$3.00. All-Silk Peau de Soie, tailor stitched, \$4.48.

LOWER RAPPAHANNOCK.

Has Announced His Candidacy.—Other Notes. (Correspondence of the Dispatch.) IRVINGTON, VA., March 28.—Mr. Warner Ball, of Lancaster county, was the first man in this county who has come out and openly announced his candidacy for the constitutional convention. Mr. Ball has made one speech in his own behalf, and has a number of friends in the county who would be glad to see him succeed in being nominated for the convention. Mr. Ball is a native of Lancaster county, and is a member of the Virginia Agricultural Society. He is a man of high standing in the community, and is well known to all. He is a man of high standing in the community, and is well known to all. He is a man of high standing in the community, and is well known to all.

Which Would Be Funny, But for the Pain It Caused.

CULPEPER, VA., March 29.—(Special.)—Councilman C. Ed. Smith was the victim of a peculiar and painful accident at noon to-day, and as a result sustained a fracture of the left leg. Mr. Smith was standing in front of his store conversing with some friends, when two little negrourchins "came romping down the street, one intent upon catching the other, and both oblivious to everybody and everything else. As the foremost boy ran upon the hard, smooth surface of the granite pavement in front of the store, he lost his equilibrium, fell sliding feet foremost. He struck Mr. Smith fairly at the heels, tripping him and throwing him violently to the pavement.

Jefferson Memorial Church.

After the month of May, Rev. M. K. Schermerhorn proposes to visit all the counties in the North and South, to solicit subscriptions for the projected memorial church. Until the money can be secured for this purpose, the Episcopal Church of Richmond will worship in the Marshall-Memorial church, of Highland Springs, which is now being erected. At 11:30 A. M. the general union services will be held.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.

Seaboard Air-Line Railway, the "Capital City Line"—Additional Through Sleeping-Car Service Between Pinehurst, N. C., and Washington, D. C., on "Florida and Metropolitan Limited." Effective March 25, 1901, the Seaboard Air-Line railway, in connection with the Pennsylvania railroad, will operate through Pullman drawing-room sleepers on the "Florida and Metropolitan Limited," Trains Nos. 31 and 44, between Pinehurst, N. C., and Washington, D. C., via Aberdeen and A. and A. railway.

DANVILLE.

The Coming Visit of Samuel Gompers. DANVILLE, VA., March 29.—(Special.) The workmen are all interested in the coming of Samuel Gompers to Danville, which occurs to-morrow. He is expected here at 4:35 A. M. He will be met by a deputation from the Trades and Labor Council with a band, and representatives from the six trade unions. The textile workers, garment workers, carpenters, cigar makers, tailor, and street-car employees, and escorted to Hotel Burton. A reception to city officials and business men will be held at 7 P. M., after which he will hold a conference with the Riverside mills directors. After dinner he will be given a drive about the city. A band concert in front of the Church at 7 P. M., and a band concert at Ridge-Street Tabernacle, followed by an address by Mr. Gompers, and a conference with the Trades and Labor Council will end the day.

ROANOKE CITY DEMOCRATS.

Date for the Primary Fixed—Received His Pardon. ROANOKE, VA., March 29.—(Special.)—The City Democratic Committee met last night and decided to hold a primary election on April 20th, from 8 A. M. to 8 P. M. In this election two candidates for the

MISSING CHINESE.

FOUR SAILORS SHIP ASHORE AT NEWPORT NEWS.

THE EXCLUSION ACT VIOLATED.

And the Captain May Have Trouble—Officers Led in a Wild Goose Chase by a Celestial—One Recaptured.

NEWPORT NEWS, VA., March 29.—(Special.)—Four Chinese seamen of the German steamship Verona, Captain Hanssen, are missing, and unless their capture is effected, the master will be subject to a fine of from \$500 to \$1,000 for each Celestial, and in the Court's discretion to imprisonment from one to five years for violation of the Chinese exclusion act of 1883. The customs inspectors discovered the shortage in the ship's crew. Five Chinese were then missing. Immediately the police, the ship's officers, and the customs officials instituted a vigorous search for the unlawful trespassers, and Captain Hanssen has offered a reward of \$50 for the arrest of each.

WILD GOOSE CHASE.

One of the Celestials returned to the ship, and promised to lead the officers to where his countrymen were in hiding, but after a long tour of the laundries, the officers became satisfied that the Chinaman was leading them on a wild goose chase, with some unknown object in view, and sent him to the ship. It is believed that the missing Celestials are being held by whites, with a view of having the reward increased. Runners for sailors' boarding-houses have manifested a peculiar interest in the Celestials.

LATER.

The police to-night located the four Chinese of the Verona's crew in a laundry on the west side of the city. One was captured, and the other three escaped to a second story window and escaped to the woods. A large posse is in pursuit. The reward has been increased to \$125 for each Celestial.

TWENTIETH CENTURY FUND.

Of the Synod of Virginia—Committee's Report. LYNCHBURG, VA., March 29.—(Special.)—The Committee on the Twentieth Century Fund in the Presbyterian Synod of Virginia met here to-day. The object of the meeting was to consider the question of raising a twentieth century fund, which shall be used to free from debt all the educational institutions that may be thus encumbered, and to endow more fully those which need endowment, and to establish new ones where practical. The amount decided on was \$32,000.

CHOICE 12½c.

A quartet of very popular books, bound in cloth: Black Rock, An Englishwoman's Love Letters, Elizabeth and Her German Garden, and Concerning Isabella Carnaby. SEVENTEEN CENTS.

5,000 Boxes of Writing-Paper.

A millwright's complete stock. The Paper was made to sell for 75c. a box. Here-to-day 15c.

Colored and Black Mercerized Moire Under-skirts, for 79c.

Made with deep accordion-pleated ruffle, edged with narrow ruffle. In beautiful colorings, fashioned after the handsome silk skirts.

LOWER ALBEMARLE.

The Rains and the Crops—Personal Notes. SCOTTSVILLE, VA., March 29.—(Special.)—The warm rains we had the early part of this week caused the grass to grow, the buds to swell, and they are now putting forth leaves. Peach-trees are blooming and the general aspect of things indicates an early spring. The rains brought out the wheat and clover wonderfully, and the "green hills" on every hand speak most favorably for wheat, oats, and the grasses.

UNIQUE INSTALLATION.

Officers of Winchester Commandery K. T. "Publicly" Inducted Into Office. WINCHESTER, VA., March 29.—(Special.)—The first public installation of officers of Knights Templar ever held in Virginia took place to-night in the auditorium of the Rouse Taylor Hotel, when the recently-elected officers of Winchester Commandery, No. 1, were inducted into office. Admission was by card only, and over eight hundred people witnessed the impressive ritual. Many prominent guests were present.

Mrs. E. V. Deussen's Affliction.

Mrs. E. V. Deussen, of Kilbourn, Wis., tells of her affliction in the following words: "I was very ill with the grip, which left me in a very bad condition. I was all run down, had no appetite, and my head ached continually. I had pains in my side, and often came near fainting from dizziness. Nothing I tried seemed to do me a particle of good. Some months ago I was recommended by a friend to try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. She praised the remedy so highly that I decided to give it a trial, though I hardly believed anything could help me. I told my husband about it. He went to the drugstore and got a 25-cent box of the medicine. I read the directions, and began taking them. The next morning I felt better, and in three or four days my headache and the pain in my side had entirely disappeared. My appetite began to improve, and by the time the medicine was empty I felt as well as any time in my life. I cannot say enough in praise of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and would advise any one troubled as I was to give them a trial."

RESIDENCE BURNED.

The Inmates Have a Narrow Escape—Loss and Insurance. WOODSTOCK, VA., March 29.—(Special.)—The handsome dwelling of Mr. Charles W. Jones, of Tom's Brook, was totally destroyed by fire, with its contents, on the morning of the 27th. The fire started from the furnace, and when discovered was burning so fiercely that the members of the family had to be removed from a window in the second story. Loss, \$4,500; insurance, \$3,000.

W. L. DOUGLAS

\$3.50 SHOE UNION MADE. My \$3.50 shoes, placed side by side with high priced shoes, are found to be just as good, and it is impossible to see any difference. I make and sell more men's fine shoes, Goodyear Welt (Hand-Sewed Process) than any other manufacturer in the world. I will pay \$1,000 to any one who can prove that my statement is not true. (Signed) W. L. DOUGLAS.



W. L. Douglas \$3.50 shoes are the lowest priced, quality considered, in the U.S. He will send you a pair by mail for \$3.75. Factory at Brockton, Mass.

My large business permits me to buy the same high grade leathers used in high priced shoes, at a lower price than smaller manufacturers; and also to reduce the cost of manufacturing. This combined with my system of abolishing the middleman's profits by selling through my retail stores direct from factory to wearer at one profit, has enabled me to place my \$3.50 shoes on the feet of thousands of men all over the land who had been paying higher prices for their shoes, believing it was not possible to get a first class shoe for \$3.50. I have convinced them that the style, fit and wear of my \$3.50 shoes is equal to those that cost them much higher prices. 1,000,000 wearers.

W. L. DOUGLAS: I have worn your \$3.50 shoes for years, and it has been clearly demonstrated to me that for ease, style and durability they cannot be excelled by any higher priced shoes. GEO. F. VANN, 221 West 31st St., N. Y. City.

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Montgomery \$1,500 Norfolk 1,750 Roanoke 1,750 West Hanover 12,500 Winchester 25,000 Total \$52,500

When presented at the Dispatch counter, accompanied by the cash, "Employment Wants," "Rooms for Rent," "Wanted Rooms," "Boarders Wanted," "Board Wanted," "Lost Strayed, or Stolen," will be inserted properly classified, 25 words or less, for 25c. each insertion; additional words, 1c. each.

EMPORIA. EMPORIA, VA., March 29.—(Special.)—On next Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock a general court-martial will be held at the armory of the Greensville Guards for the purpose of trying Private Samuel E. Lee, for charges preferred against him for disobedience and using profane language in regard to the Secretary of the following officers of the 2nd Virginia Regiment of Infantry, Virginia Volunteers: Major Thomas J. Nottingham, Captains Bernard W. Salamons and R. E. L. Curdick, First-Lieutenants Frederick L. Curdick, and Charles R. Withers, John W. Leigh, and Lawrence Waring.

A FULL-REGISTERED DRUGGIST TO apply for office. State salary desired, and give reference. Address 444 College Avenue, Norfolk, Va. No. 110 east Broad Street.

A REGISTERED OR REGISTERED ASSISTANT PHARMACIST. L. B. SMOOTZ, mh 20-25. Harrisonburg, Va.

A NIGHT ENGINEER FOR A SMALL Ice Plant. Address reference, experience, etc., Box 5, Williamsburg, Va. mh 28-Th.Sa&Su

FOR UNITED STATES ARMY, ABLE-BODIED, Unmarried Men, between ages of 21 and 35, citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who speak, read and write English. Recruits specially desired for service in Philippines. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, No. 110 east Broad Street. mh 28-Th.Sa&Su Tu & 30

SUMAC WANTED. WE WILL BE GLAD TO HEAR FROM any of our friends that have Sumac on hand. Give full particulars as to amount, quality and what points shipment will be made from. Address WHITE-HALL COMPANY, 141 Myrtle, Buckingham county, Va. mh 30-31

A LARGE, UNFURNISHED ROOM FOR gentleman and wife, without board. Centrally located. Bath-room, light, heat, and attendance. Address, 110 east Broad Street, Care of Dispatch. mh 30-31

A FLAT OF FIVE OR SIX ROOMS, Corn at 3c. Desirable location. Rent \$10.00. Family for three. References exchanged. Address D. S. H., care of Dispatch. mh 30-31

WANTED. 30,000 BUSHELS CHOICE VIRGINIA D. O'SULLIVAN, mh 20-W.F&Sat Down-Town Store.

WANTED. IMMEDIATELY, PURCHASERS FOR 16 car-loads of Rice Timothy Hay, 5c per hundred. D. O'SULLIVAN, mh 20-W.F&Sat Down-Town Store.

MURPHY'S Stag Hotel and Cafe, 1114 and 1116 EAST MAIN STREET, RICHMOND, VA., The heading tells the tale. Setting the pace for others to follow. No idle boast. The handsomest place of its kind in the South, with service and attention to merit the public patronage. MOTTO: Progress and Improvement. P. T. MURPHY, mh 17-18

AUCTION SALES—Future Days.

WHEN REAL ESTATE IS SOLD THE TAXES FOR THE CURRENT CALENDAR YEAR ARE TO BE PAID PRO RATA BY THE VENDOR AND THE VENDEE.

WELL LOCATED AND VALUABLE LOT.

WITH TWO BRICK TENEMENT DWELLINGS THEREON. SOUTH SIDE VENEABLE STREET, NEAR EIGHTH STREET. Nos. 197 AND 199 VENEABLE STREET. TO BE SOLD AT AUCTION.

ON TUESDAY, APRIL 2, 1901, we will sell, by public auction, on the premises, the above LOT and TENEMENTS above referred to, fronting irregularly on VENEABLE STREET, with a common 12 feet wide iron track and a very convenient and desirable location for business or rental purposes, and for Traction Railway Line.

TERMS: One third cash; balance by notes at 8% and twelve months, interest added, and secured by deed of trust, for all cash, at purchase price. J. B. ELLAM & CO., Auctioneers, 15 E. Main Street, Richmond, Va.

TRUSTEE'S AUCTION SALE

ONE HEARSE (TYPE NO. 19) RUBBER-TIRE WHEELS, ONE WHITE HEARSE, AND ONE HACK.

By virtue of a deed of trust to the undersigned, dated the 22d day of February, 1897, and duly recorded in the Clerk's office of Henrico County, Virginia, Deed-Book 182 C, page 121, default having been made in the payment of said mortgage therein secured, and being authorized by the beneficiary hereunder to do, I will sell at public auction, in front of the store of George W. Mayo, No. 209 East Broad Street, on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3, 1901, at 11 o'clock A. M., the PROPERTY mentioned in said deed.

TERMS: Cash as to expenses and one-third of the purchase price, with interest thereon from February 3, 1901, balance in thirty days, evidenced by a note to bear 8 per cent. interest, and to be secured by a deed of trust, in favor of CHARLES W. WILLIAMS, Trustee, George W. Mayo, Auctioneer, mh 23

TRUSTEE'S AUCTION SALE

Corner Lot, 54x133 Feet, TO AN ALLEY 15 FEET WIDE AT SOUTHWEST CORNER THIRTIETH AND MARSHALL.

In execution of a certain deed of trust, dated March 15, 1898, of record in Clerk's office of Henrico County, Virginia, Deed-Book 135 B, page 31, I will sell at auction, upon the premises, on

THURSDAY, APRIL 4, 1901, at 6:30 P. M., the LOT of land above described, in this locality is enhancing a value very rapidly, owing to the numerous stores and business buildings erected, and secured a home site.

TERMS: One third cash; balance at 8 per cent. interest, and to be secured by deed of trust, in favor of CHARLES W. WILLIAMS, Trustee, George W. Mayo, Auctioneer, mh 23

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- Salt Pork, per cwt. 1.00
Silver King Beans, per bushel 1.00
Try our Jefferson Spring Wheat Flour, per barrel 4.50
Best Cream Cheese, per pound 1.00
8 bars Oregon Soap, per box 1.00
Best Macaroni, per pound 1.00
Pie Peaches, per bushel 1.00
Washing Powder, per box 1.00
New Vaporated Apples, per bushel 1.00
Pine Apples, Ammonia, per bushel 1.00
Canned Salmon, per can 1.00
Evaporated Peas, per pound 1.00
5 pound cans of Borden's Eagle Brand Condensed Milk, per can 1.00
Quaker Raisin Mustard, per jar 1.00
Apple Butter, per quart 1.00
Wine for Jelly, per quart 1.00
Best Cheese, 20 lb. tubs, per tub 1.00
Bon Ami, per box 1.00
Floating Toilet Soap, 3 for 1.00
5 pound cans of Borden's Eagle Brand Condensed Milk, per can 1.00
Mountain-Root Butter, per pound 1.00
New Dates, per pound 1.00
2 bars Sun Soap, for cleaning, per bar 1.00
New Cream, 20 lb. tubs, per tub 1.00
Try our Snowflake Flour, per barrel 1.00
12 lb. cans of Borden's Eagle Brand Condensed Milk, per can 1.00
New Rose Herring, per dozen 1.00
Small Smithfield Hams, per ham 1.00
New Cakes Apollo, per box 1.00
New Cream, 20 lb. tubs, per tub 1.00
Hokona Sausage, per pound 1.00
6 Large New Mackerel, per box 1.00
Cracker Dust, per pound 1.00
New Cream, 20 lb. tubs, per tub 1.00
Try our Sweet Catawba Wine, per gallon 1.00
New Cream, 20 lb. tubs, per tub 1.00
Sweet Orange, per dozen 1.00

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We have a complete Machine-Shop and Repair-Works, and all goods sold under a full guarantee, being virtually sold at new. Call or write to S. ULLMAN'S SON, anything in the Machinery Line, Corn or Wheat-Mills, Millstones, Bolting Ribs, Roller-Mills, Wheat Cleaning, Elevators, Water-Wheels, and general Mill Supplies, and we will save you money. JOHN A. WATER, CO., at 19 1/2 and 19 1/4 south Eighth Street.

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