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Swiss Muslin Curtains, fluffed ruffles, per pair 75c

Ladies' 50c. Corsets, well made and boned, are 29c

$5.75 Taffeta Waists, all colors, for $3.48

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Lot of Boys' $3.50 Suits, sizes left 11 to 15—special price is $1.48

All-Wool 7c. Brush Skirt Binding, in Black and 17 new shades, per yard 5c

Children's Light and Dark Percale and Gingham Dresses, lace trimmed, for 29c

5-inch 50c. grade New Spring Ribbons, in desirable plaid designs, the yard 29c

Eastman's Baby Powder, the 25c. package, is 9c

$1.25 Long Fleeced Camel's-Hair Zibeline, per yard 75c

$1 Real Seal Chatelaine Bags, are special priced 39c

Double-Fold, Pure Silk Mousseline de Soie, the 50c. grade is 19c

Best $1.25 French Broadcloths, all colors, per yard 98c

All-Wool, 38-inch Venetian Cloths, newest spring colorings, a yard 47c

300 dozen Misses' and Boys' Best 12 to 15c. Black Ribbed Hose, sizes to 9 1-2, a pair 8c

Ladies' 39c. Guaranteed Black Hose, a pair 25c

Black Cashmere and Fleece-Lined Hose for ladies, a pair 19c

Men's Real Maco Socks, with white feet, the 15c. ones, to-day 9c

Men's Colored Stiff-Bosom Shirts, sold elsewhere at 39 and 50c., here for 24c

PRETTY STAUNTON WEDDING.

Miss Cora Shuey the Bride of Mr. C. P. Bowman.

STAUNTON, VA., February 12.—(Special.)—To-night at historic Old Stone church, Miss Cora Shuey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Shuey, was married to Mr. C. P. Bowman.

The maid of honor was Miss Bessie Richey, and the best man was Mr. L. L. Bowman, the groom's brother.

The bride and Miss Richey wore exquisite gowns of pink mousseline de soie, and the eight ushers were in full evening dress.

The ushers were Mr. W. G. Moffett, of Cumberland, Md.; Mr. Stacy Palmer, of Baltimore; Mr. Harry Hogshead, Walter Mehurin, Willie Crawford, Charles Tutwiler, Joseph P. Denny, and John Goodloe, of Staunton.

Last night Mr. Bowman entertained his bachelor friends at a handsome dinner, and after the wedding to-night Mr. and Mrs. Shuey's home was the scene of a brilliant supper.

QUAINTANCE-PULLIAM.

A Very Pretty Church Wedding in Culpeper.

CULPEPER, VA., February 12.—(Special.)—Mr. Raymond G. Quaintance, son of Mr. James Quaintance, of this county, wed Miss Lou C. Pulliam, daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Pulliam, and granddaughter of Mr. Silas B. Lillard, of this county, at Salem Baptist church to-day. Evangelist Stockton W. Cole performed the ceremonies, he being a friend of the families. This historic little church was overcrowded with the fashion and the elite of the county, while many persons came from a distance to witness the wedding. The church was elaborately decorated with a profusion of potted plants, ferns, and palms, and the fragrance of cut flowers filled the air. Charming Miss Gertrude Durant presided at the organ. The best man was Mr. Carroll Burgess, of Reva, Va., and the maid of honor was Miss E. Roberts Browning, of Culpeper. The ushers were W. E. Terrell, Lillard Pulliam, O. B. Yates, and Sandy O'Bannon. The bride was attired in a handsome going-away gown. The couple took the evening train for an extended wedding tour.

POSTMASTER SURPRISED THEM.

Marriage of Mr. E. G. Darden and Miss Sallie Nettles.

HAMPTON, VA., February 12.—(Special.)—Quite a surprise was sprung here this afternoon by the announcement of the marriage of Postmaster E. G. Darden and Miss Sallie Nettles, the event having taken place at the residence of the bride's sister in Newport News last night.

The couple guarded their secret so well that it was not known until this evening, when the happy groom announced the fact to his friends.

Mr. Darden has been postmaster of Hampton for nearly five years, and is one of the leading business-men here.

His bride is a woman of charming personality and has a wide circle of friends in Hampton. She is just 21 years the junior of her husband, who is now 63 years of age.

Postmaster and Mrs. Darden will reside in Hampton.

TWO NANSEMOND MARRIAGES.

Mr. Urquhart and Miss Cora Holland. Butley-Eley.

SUFFOLK, VA., February 12.—(Special.) Western Branch Baptist church, in this county, was the scene of two pretty marriages this afternoon within thirty minutes of each other.

The first was that of Mr. George Peebles Urquhart, of Suffolk, and Miss Cora Day Holland, a daughter of D. B. Holland, of Carrsville.

Mr. H. M. Urquhart, of Norfolk, brother of the groom, was best man, and Miss Elma Holland, the bride's sister, maid of honor.

These were the ushers: Dr. J. M. Raby, of Nansemond county, and C. G. Peebles, of Jackson, N. C.

Rev. L. R. Christie officiated, and the Episcopal ceremony was used.

The second marriage was that of Mr. Fletcher Lloyd Butley and Miss Virtley Eley, daughter of Richard Eley, of Nansemond county. Rev. L. R. Christie officiated.

Bishop A. M. Randolph, of Norfolk, confirmed a class at St. Paul's Episcopal church here to-night.

Wedded in Warrenton.

WARRENTON, VA., February 12.—(Special.)—Miss Mary Ella Risdon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Risdon, and Mr. E. B. Shaver were married to-day at 10:30 o'clock, Rev. F. R. Boston, of the Baptist church, officiating.

The marriage took place at the home of the bride in the presence of relatives and the immediate friends of the family.

The bridal party left on the northbound train at 11:35 for Washington, where the groom holds a responsible business position.

A Luray Bride.

LURAY, VA., February 12.—(Special.)—Mr. Charles H. Stevens, of Luray, and Miss Clara Belle Daily, a daughter of Elder John R. Daily, pastor of the Old School Baptist church, in this place, were married at the home of the bride, in Luray, this evening at 6 o'clock, Elder Daily officiating.

The bride is justly regarded as one of the prettiest and most attractive young ladies of this town, and the bridegroom, who during the past year removed to Luray from Huntington, W. Va., has won the favor of our people by his strict attention to business and conduct generally.

Married at Charleston, W. Va.

WINCHESTER, VA., February 12.—(Special.)—Miss Mary S. Swartz and Mr. Walter F. McCauley, a popular young couple, went to Charlestown, W. Va., early this morning, and were married by Rev. Dr. S. K. Cox.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. Newton Swartz.

DEATH OF J. J. WILSON.

His End Came Suddenly—Was Found in His Boat.

SMITHFIELD, VA., February 12.—(Special.)—The death of Mr. J. J. Wilson comes as a shock to his friends.

Mr. Wilson left here about a week ago, well and strong, for his station at the mouth of the creek, where he attended to oyster-beds for his brother, Mr. J. G. Wilson.

Mr. Wilson watched the oyster-beds from a boat anchored at the mouth of the creek.

Some one stopped by to see him Monday and found him dead, lying on the cabin floor. It is thought he died Friday night.

The deceased leaves a wife and three sons—Mr. John A. Wilson, Mr. Willie Wilson, of Smithfield, and Mr. Blair P. Wilson, of Newport News.

He also leaves two brothers and one sister—Mr. J. G. Wilson and Mrs. R. E. Boykin, of Smithfield, and Mr. W. P. Wilson, of Ferguson's Wharf.

His funeral took place to-day at 11 o'clock at the Episcopal church. The interment was at Mantura, the old homestead.

MELVIN J. IRVIN'S DEATH.

Suit by His Administrator Against the N. & W. R. R.

WYTHEVILLE, VA., February 12.—(Special.)—Judge Samuel W. Williams, of Wytheville, has brought suit in the Pulaski Circuit Court, in the name of W. F. Irvin, administrator of Melvin T. Irvin, for $10,000 damages, against the Norfolk and Western Railway Company.

The decedent was a son of W. F. Irvin, a well-known citizen of this county. He was employed with the bridge force of the Norfolk and Western Railway Company, and was working putting in some masonry at a point on the road a few miles this side of New river bridge, when the derrick used on the construction fell, striking young Irvin and killing him instantly. The accident occurred on the 11th day of December last.

Captain Robert Crockett, a leading member of the Wytheville Bar, continues desperately ill at his home, in Wytheville.

NARROW ESCAPE FROM LYNCHING.

Louisianian Who Killed Man and Aged Lady Taken to New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, February 12.—Willis Cooper, who shot and killed William Perry and Mrs. Barbara Russell at Amite City, La., was brought here hurriedly and lodged in the parish prison to escape being lynched by an infuriated mob. While a carnival procession was in progress at Amite City, Cooper and Perry renewed a previous difficulty. Cooper drew his pistol and killed Perry. One bullet struck Mrs. Barbara Russell, an aged lady, who, surrounded by her children and grandchildren, was witnessing the parade. The killing of Mrs. Russell created intense indignation, and a mob speedily formed to lynch Cooper.

Cuban Sugar Profitable.

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 12.—Chairman Payne to-day presented to the Ways and Means Committee a brief submitted by the American beet sugar interests, and endorsed by the cane sugar interests, declaring that the recent hearings had shown that sugar was now being made in Cuba at a profit, and asking that a special committee proceed to Cuba to investigate the question of cost of production, profit, etc. The committee took no action.

Notes of Society

The regular monthly meeting of the Richmond Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy was held yesterday afternoon at Lee Camp Hall. Owing to the absence of Mrs. N. V. Randolph, caused by sickness in her family, the first vice-president, Mrs. E. V. Valentine, presided. A note was read from Mrs. Randolph regretting her inability to be present at the meeting, and requesting that the chapter express thanks to the various committees for the success of the annual tea. An invitation was extended through Mrs. R. T. Meade, of Petersburg, president of the Grand Division of Virginia of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, to the members of the Richmond Chapter to be present on the U. D. C. Day at the Charleston Exposition, which will be the 12th of April.

The following ladies were elected honorary members: Mrs. William W. Michaux, Mrs. Maxwell T. Clarke, of Richmond, and Mrs. Louise Berrien Seabrook, of Atlanta, Ga. Eight new active members were also elected at yesterday's meeting.

Mrs. W. R. Vawter, chairman of the Calendar Committee, reported very favorably, stating that calendars had been sent to nearly all the States, and two had been sent Porto Rico. Mrs. J. H. Timberlake also gave a gratifying report of the ready sale the Jefferson Davis buttons have met with.

Among those present were Mesdames E. V. Valentine, Fitzhugh, Kate Winn, B. A. Blenner, Austin Brockenbrough, W. H. Graham, Charles Todd, J. W. Craig, John E. Laughton, Jr., Frank T. Crump, W. H. Shelton, A. D. Carr, Stephen Beveridge, Maurice Robinson, W. R. Vawter, J. H. Timberlake; Misses Kate Mason Rowland, Anna Boykin, Sallie Deane, Irene Bossieux, Minnie Baughman, Annie Bentley, and Lelia Gray.

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Mrs. G. W. Koiner gave a very delightful card party at her home, on Floyd avenue, last evening. The hall and parlors were tastefully decorated with pink carnations and maiden-hair fern. Progressive whist was played, and the evening most pleasantly passed. The first prizes were a handsome sterling silver pin and a pretty Wedgewood jardiniere.

Among the invited guests were Misses Sara and Maria Magruder, of Charlottesville; Mamie Yates, of Greensboro', N. C.; Mamie Harrison, Amelia Coalter, Fannie Farrow, Mrs. Howard Gordon, Mrs. Robert Laird, Miss Hattie Koiner, Mrs. James H. Capers, Jr., Miss Mamie Koiner, Mrs. Thomas Koiner; Messrs. John Tyler, Ewen Davidson, Dr. E. W. Magruder, Messrs. H. L. King, Samuel Maupin, Latimer Gordon, Hiram Smith, Howard Gordon, Robert Laird, Thomas West, Jean Jones, Dr. Cannady.

After the game a choice menu was served.

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The Rev. H. A. Bagby, of Calvary Baptist church, officiated at a pretty wedding last evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. William M. Terry, 1307 west Clay street, when Miss Bessie Terry and Mr. Charles Vass plighted their troth. Pink-shaded lamps, with pink carnations and ferns, were used with pleasing effect in the decoration of the parlor. Messrs. Carroll Wingfield and Robert Jennings acted as ushers.

The bride was becomingly attired in a tailored suit of mode cloth, and carried a large bouquet of Bride's roses. After the ceremony an informal reception was held, and later Mr. and Mrs. Vass left for Philadelphia and Baltimore.

On their return home they will be at home to their friends at 919 east Clay street.

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The valentine party, which will be given to-morrow afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock by the ladies of the First Baptist church, promises to be a very pleasant affair. A temporary post-office will be arranged, and each caller upon the presentation of a coupon will receive a valentine. Among the unique features will be a large red heart, surrounded by the colors blue, green, and yellow. A black bow and arrow will be provided, and children will in this manner discover their fate, as a verse will be given according to where the arrow strikes. In the centre of the heart will be a black target, and the one who is successful enough to hit it will receive a prize. Miss Edna Shriver and Master Spreull Blenner will give recitations. Others who will take part will be Misses Florence and Genevieve Leach, Elizabeth Winn, Louise Clark, and Lucke.

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Among those who were present at the very charming card party given by Misses May and Helen Morrison on Tuesday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hoge, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bentley, Major and Mrs. Alfred R. Courtney, Mrs. Bland Spottswood Smith, Mr. and Mrs. William McKim Marriott, Miss Madge Freedley, Miss Mattie Harris, and Mr. Meanly.

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Miss Eunice Palmore, of east Grace street, and Miss Eva Palmore, of east Franklin street, left yesterday morning to visit a cousin, Mrs. Rowzie, in Lynchburg. The Misses Palmore expect to remain a week or ten days. They will be joined at Lynchburg by Miss Ellie Palmore, of Cartersville, Va..

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Among the Richmonders who will be in London coronation week will be Mrs. Robert G. Cabell, who is now at the Arlington Hotel, Hot Springs, Ark. Mrs. Cabell, with a party of friends, will sail from New York for Paris early in the spring.

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Professor Thomas R. Price, of Columbia College, New York, has been granted a month's holiday from his professional duties, and has been the guest of his brother, Mr. Edward Price, of west Franklin street, on his way to the South, where he goes for rest and recuperation.

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Miss Sophie White, after a very pleasant stay in Baltimore, is visiting her uncle, Mr. Ned White, in New York. Miss Edith White is also absent from the city, being in Washington with a friend.

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Miss Helen Jackson and Miss Mamie Hunt, of Richmond, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. James McHenry, of Louisville, Ky., have returned home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thalhimer will celebrate their twenty-fifth marriage anniversary on Thursday, the 20th instant, and will be pleased to see their friends at No. 404 east Clay street.

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The Stay-at-Home Whist Club did not meet this week, but it will continue to meet during Lent.

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Founders' Day will be observed at the Sheltering Arms Hospital to-day. The Rev. William E. Evans will conduct the exercises and a public reception will be held.

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Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hamilton Seward, who were married in St. Peter's church, Port Royal, Va., on Tuesday, spent a portion of their honeymoon in this city, en route for Charleston. Mrs. Seward was Miss Elizabeth Grammar Powers, of Caroline county.

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Miss Lucy G. Hathaway, of Chester, Pa., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. L. Huntt. Mrs. Huntt will entertain at cards to-morrow evening in her honor.

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Miss Mamie Yates, of Greensboro', N. C., is visiting Miss Mary Koiner, on Floyd avenue.

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Mrs. Gregory, of King William county, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. William Florence.

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Miss Lina Livingston Mayo has returned home, after a charming visit to Miss Caskin, in New York, and Miss Tunstall, in Washington.

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Miss Helen P. Christian attended the Assembly Ball, with which the social season of Washington was closed, on Monday evening.

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The friends of Mrs. George Armstrong Lyon will regret to learn that she is very much indisposed at her home on Grace street.

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Mrs. R. T. Hunter will entertain the Colonial Dames to-morrow afternoon. After the transaction of business there will be a social feature.

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The valentine fair which was held at the home of Mrs. James R. Gordon, at the Bellevue Flats, on Tuesday afternoon, was a very successful affair. Quite a number of unique and pretty valentines, besides candy and cakes, were disposed of.

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Mrs. White, of New York, who has been for the past two weeks at 215 east Franklin street, left Tuesday for Old Point.

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NOTES OF THE RAILWAYS.

Removal of S. A. L. Offices—Earnings of Roads—Brief Mention.

The freight and passenger offices of the Seaboard Air-Line railway were removed yesterday from their old location, 836 east Main street, to their new and handsome offices at 1006 east Main street, next door to the post-office.

The offices have been refitted, and are furnished in oak throughout, and are said to be the handsomest offices of the kind in the city.

The office force will consist of Colonel H. M. Boykin, division freight agent; Mr. R. B. Jones, soliciting freight agent; Colonel Z. P. Smith, division passenger agent; Mr. W. J. May, city ticket agent, and Mr. E. W. Word, chief clerk.

Below is given a statement of the estimated earnings of the Southern railway system for the first week of February:

Southern Railway Company, exclusive of St. Louis-Louisville Lines—

This Year.	Last Year.	Decrease.
$661,611	$671,972	$10,361

Southern Railway, St. Louis-Louisville Lines—

This Year.	Last Year.	Decrease.
$53,479	$57,343	$3,864

Following is a comparative statement of the gross earnings of the Chesapeake and Ohio for the first week of February: 1902, $278,855.08; 1901, $281,547.86; decrease, $2,692.78.

Statement of estimated gross earnings of the Norfolk and Western Railroad Company: For first week of February, $297,637; same week previous year, $293,305; increase, $4,332. July 1, 1901, to latest date, $10,429,471; same period previous year, $9,837,443; increase, $592,028.

The Norfolk and Western will shortly award the Roanoke Machine-Works a contract for 500 flat-cars, which are to be used in hauling timber from Southwest Virginia, West Virginia, and Ohio. The cars which are now being built by various plants for the road will amount to $4,000,000.

The travel over the Seaboard Air-Line to Florida has been unusually heavy during the past few days. Extra coaches have been attached to almost every train to accommodate the large number of passengers going South.

A report that the Seaboard Air-Line had purchased the Virginia and Southwestern and other roads in the Virginia coal-fields is denied by officials of the company.

NEW S. A. L. FEEDERS.

Over Two Hundred Miles of Track Now Nearing Completion.

Over 200 miles of new road comprising important feeders to the Seaboard Air-Line, which has been under construction for the past two months, is now completed or nearing completion. Within a few days there will be opened fifty miles of road from Dublin to Vidallia, Ga., connecting the Macon, Dublin, and Savannah railroad and the Seaboard system. Besides taking the Seaboard into Macon, this road will form a part of a new route between Atlanta and Savannah.

Forty miles of track will also be opened by interests friendly to the Seaboard, from Turkey creek, on the Tampa division, to the Manatee river, at Palmetto.

A new line on the Western Division of the Florida Central and Peninsula branch of the Seaboard will soon be in operation. This is a continuation of the Suwannee and San Pedro railroad from Live Oak to Perry in Taylor county.

Another extension from Starke to Wanee, on the Suwannee river is the Atlanta, Suwannee and Gulf railroad, which was bought several years ago by the Florida Central and Peninsula.

From Union Springs, Ala., a new line, seven and a half miles long, will connect with the Seaboard at Fort Davis, Ala.

Reception at Y. M. C. A. Hall.

The third big reception given by the Young People's Society of the different churches of Richmond and Manchester, under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association, will take place in their hall Saturday night, February 15th, at 8 o'clock.

The following very interesting programme has been arranged by the Young People's Society, Christian Endeavor. After the programme has been rendered, there will be a basket-ball game in the gymnasium between the two Young Men's Christian Association teams: Singing by the congregation; address of welcome, W. A. Crenshaw; singing by the congregation; Bible reading, Otis H. Goode; prayer, E. W. Wright; solo, Joseph W. Hundley; paper, "How the Junior Society Helps the Boys and Girls," Miss Estelle Shackleford; singing, "Loyalty," by the congregation; "The Benefits of an International Society," V. T. Grizzard; "The Home Circle," Hugh Sublett; "The Quiet Hour," Mrs. H. P. Atkins; solo, Mrs. Carey E. Morgan; address, Rev. C. E. Eberman, field secretary of the United States; singing by the congregation.

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"FAUST" TO-MORROW NIGHT.

Lewis Morrison Matinee and Evening—Theatrical Notes.

Lewis Morrison, famous all over the country for one of the subtlest and finest expositions of satan the modern stage can show, will appear at the Academy on Friday, matinee and night, as Mephisto in "Faust," with a cast and scenery which surpass those of all previous productions of this play, under the direction of Jules Murry. No expense was spared, and the brilliant display in the garden scene is surpassed only by the startling pyrotechnical display on the Brocken, which, in lurid blaze and flame effects, is strongly in contrast to the exquisite beauty of the final apotheosis of the hapless Marguerite.

Mr. N. C. Goodwin and Miss Maxine Elliott, who are now in the midst of their annual transcontinental tour, will linger but one day in this city, during which time they will present two of their greatest successes. At the night performance Henry Esmond's charming love-idyll will be given. The matinee will be devoted to Madeline Lucette Ryley's delicious comedy, "An American Citizen." As the story of these two plays is familiar, little need be said concerning them; suffice that both touch the well-spring of emotion—the heart—but through different sources, and in each the two co-stars have an opportunity that enables them to give the best efforts of their art to the interpretation of the several roles they essay. The staging of these plays will be very handsome, and the costuming, particularly that of the ladies, will be magnificent.

There never were so many female stars in the theatrical firmament as to-day. It is unnecessary to publish the list, for the theatre-going public knows its favorites, and their names have become household words. Conspicuous in this bright galaxy of stellar favorites is Kathryn Kidder, who will present her new play, "Molly Pitcher," in this city at the Academy on February 19th and 20th. Although still a young woman, Miss Kidder has been a prominent star for several years. Her first great success was gained as "Madame Sans Gene." In "Molly Pitcher" she has a role similar, as far as virility and comedy are concerned, to the French madame. "Molly Pitcher" appears destined to achieve even greater success than "Madame Sans Gene."

MAY DOUBLE CAPACITY.

Southern Glass-Works Doing an Exceptionally Large Business.

The Southern Glass-Works, a new industry recently placed here, along the line of the Chesapeake and Ohio railway, mainly through Richmond capitalists, is doing an exceptionally large business, and it is thought within the near future will increase the capacity of its plant to double what it is.

As an example of the extent of its business, the E. B. Taylor Company, of this city, has contracted with them to take their entire output for fruit-jars, and their first delivery will be fifty cars. The fruit-jar made at this factory is of an exceptionally high-grade goods, being made of clear, white crystal flint glass, entirely at variance from the common green jar that is usually found on our market.

Barton Heights Notes.

Mrs. A. D. Saunders, who has been the guest of friends and relatives here, has returned to her home in Radford, Va.

Messrs. Guy and Harold Sullivan, of Richmond, Va., are the guests of friends on Barton avenue.

The members of the Barton Heights Fire Department will hold a meeting to-night at the engine-house, on Lamb avenue, beginning at 8:30 o'clock.

There will be a german given at the Northside Hall on Chestnut Hill, to-morrow night, by Mr. Shafer.

Mr. J. W. Williams, of Barton avenue and Dove street, is now on a business trip in Bluefield, W. Va.

Miss Lula Cosby, of Washington, D. C., is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. E. C. Davis, of Brookland Park.

Miss Beula Bowles, of Charleston, S. C., who has been the guest of relatives in Brookland Park, is now the guest of relatives in Newport News.

Mr. C. E. Wilson, of Miller avenue, is very much improved after a long spell of sickness.

Mr. H. W. Davis, of Monteiro avenue, is now on a business trip in North Carolina.

NORFOLK'S BURNED BLOCK.

Immense Hotel and Office Building in Prospect.

It was stated here yesterday that Mr. C. M. Randolph, of Norfolk, had ordered rough drawings of a seven-story office building and a twelve-story hotel building to take the place of the burned Atlantic Hotel and adjoining property.

"Ben Hur" To-Morrow Night.

Great interest is being stirred up for hundreds of miles around Washington over the presentation of "Ben Hur" at the National Theatre, this great play being set with scenery, the like of which has seldom been presented in America. All who desire cannot witness this play. Montaville Flowers, who will give "Ben Hur," made his first appearance in Richmond last season, and impersonated in a most faultless manner "Les Miserables."

The Police Court Docket.

In the Police Court yesterday morning Louis Bonnie, charged with beating Walter Gentry, was discharged.

Hannah Quarles (colored) paid $5 for being disorderly in the First Police Station.

William Hart went to jail for thirty days for vagrancy.

B. W. Gathright was fined $1 for being drunk on the street.

Albert Trent (colored), charged with stealing 50 cents worth of coal from the Seaboard Air-Line, was sent to jail for thirty days.

Lula Ellis (colored), charged with stealing a small amount of coal from the Chesapeake and Ohio, was sent to jail for fifteen days.

Elks' Business Session.

No positive action was taken at the Elks' business meeting last night respecting the proposed trip to Salt Lake City in August, although the committee reported that especially good railroad rates, etc., had been offered, and it is likely a large delegation will go from Richmond.

Work is progressing rapidly on the annex to the home, and it is probable, weather permitting, the brickwork will be all up by the 15th of April.

Want No New Synagogue.

It is contended by some members of the Sir Moses Montefiore congregation that a majority disapprove the plan to dispose of the old synagogue and erect a new house of worship.

A Building Exchange.

The building contractors of Richmond will soon organize a building exchange, composed of contractors in the following trades: Carpenters, bricklayers, painters, plasterers, plumbers, granite-workers, dealers in wall-paper, and cellar-diggers. It is the intention to have the various trades organize, and send a committee or representative to form the Richmond Builders' Exchange.

The dealers in wall-paper met Tuesday night and appointed the following committee to draft a constitution: R. B. Bruner, C. C. Brown, J. C. Booth, C. E. Smith, W. R. Allen, and P. A. Arthur.

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Their First Annual Ball.

Invitations have been sent out for the first grand annual ball, to be held under the auspices of the Richmond Theatrical Stage Employees' Local Union, No. 87, at Monticello Hall, Thursday night, March 6th. Grand march at 9 o'clock. The Committee of Arrangements includes A. L. Fisher (chairman), W. B. Briel, S. Cahehn, J. M. Hannan, G. W. Smith, and N. Bernstein.

Returns to Clifton Forge.

Mr. Beverly Carter, an employee of the Chesapeake and Ohio railway, who has been visiting his brother, Mr. W. A. Carter, of 715 north Twenty-third street, since he left the hospital at Clifton Forge, has returned to Clifton Forge in improved health to see his physicians.

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. IF CHARGED ON OUR BOOKS, 50 CENTS FOR ONE-HALF INCH SPACE.

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By the Valentine Auction Company, Auctioneers.

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