

CITY OF PETERSBURG

HIDDEN DEATH OF MR. WILLIAM CAMERON IN WYTHEVILLE.

SAD LOSS TO COCKADE CITY.

Deceased Was a Brother of Alex. Cameron, of Richmond, and a Widely-Known Tobaccoist—St. Joseph's School Dedicated.

PETERSBURG, VA., October 27.—(Special.)—Mr. Wm. Cameron, a brother of Mr. Alex. Cameron, of this city, and Mr. Alex. Cameron, of Richmond, died last night in Wytheville, where, with his wife, he had been spending several months. His death was rather sudden, as up to eight or three days he had been in excellent health, and pleasantly greeted the delegates from A. P. Hill Camp to the grand camp of Virginia, which met last week in Wytheville.

Mr. Cameron was about 74 or 75 years of age and was the eldest of the three brothers who came to Petersburg from Scotland when very young, and who by their energy and capacity wrought their business success.

He was the firm of William Cameron & Co., of which Mr. William Cameron was for many years the head, that supplied the great tobacco interests in America, and brought forth the thanks of the British minister, Sir Edward Thornton, therefor.

MARRIED FIFTY YEARS AGO. On October 27th, fifty years ago, Mr. Cameron married Miss M. Russell, of this city, who survives him as a devoted widow. It had been arranged that the golden anniversary of their marriage should be celebrated at the Cameron Lodge, at Gordonsville, and that the value of their long and happy union should be reflected in the celebration.

Mr. Cameron many years ago built the beautiful Mount Emu residence in this city, a counterpart of Castle Balmoral, the architects of which were brought to Richmond. He was also the owner of the great factory building now occupied by W. L. Venable & Co.

Mr. Cameron was one of the most active and progressive business-men who ever lived in Petersburg, and at one time he was one of its wealthiest citizens. He retired from business some ten years ago, but retained the confidence of the community in an extraordinary degree, and his many business trusts, of which he was the head, were all extremely profitable. He was a devoted Christian, a true and a man, indeed, in whom there was no guile. He was an open-hearted man, and his ways as it was possible for a man to be, and his character was above the shadow of reproach.

He remains will be brought to Petersburg tomorrow for burial. ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL DEDICATED. The handsome new St. Joseph's Catholic school on Market street, of which Mr. W. W. Robinson was the contractor and architect, was formally dedicated on Sunday by Bishop Van de Vyver, assisted by Rev. Father O'Reilly, of Richmond, and Rev. Father O'Farrell, pastor of St. Joseph's church. Rev. Father Hannigan, of Richmond, was also present, and took part in the ceremonies.

Before the dedication the Bishop preached an able sermon at the church on the subject of "The Necessity of Christian Education and the Duty of Parents in This Respect Towards Their Children." The Bishop said it was a mistake to suppose that Catholics were opposed to public schools. The Catholic Church is for the education of the heart as well as the head.

After the late mass at church, the congregation assembled at the school to witness the dedication. While the Bishop read the prayers of the ritual, the children sang hymns to St. Joseph and the Blessed Virgin, and concluded with the "Ave Maria."

The new school, costing about \$7,000, is the gift of Mrs. Thomas F. Ryan, of New York, for which the good Catholics of Petersburg are only grateful. The building is a substantial one, with abundant classroom, and well and conveniently arranged.

THEATRICAL COMPANY STRANDED. The Grand Theatrical Company, which has been playing to losing houses in this city at the Academy of Music during the past week, practically disbanded yesterday. Some of the players fortunately had money enough to get home; others had enough to get out of town.

On Friday evening the proprietors, Messrs. Grand & Henderson, were served with an attachment, sworn out by H. C. La Mott, one of the actors, for the recovery of \$2,000 salary, and under this paper the sergeant seized at the depot five trunks, a camera, and a secretary, and a suspension. Mr. La Mott offered to release his claim for a ticket to New York, but this was not accepted. The attached property is claimed by the wives of the managers, but their claim they will be required to prove.

The case will probably come before Judge Mullen for settlement. UNCONSCIOUSLY DEAD. Mr. James H. Gibson, an ex-conferred soldier, died yesterday morning, and today was buried by A. P. Hill Camp, of which he was a member. The deceased was for some time an inmate of the Soldiers' Home, at Richmond. He is the eighteenth member of A. P. Hill Camp who has died this year.

GENERAL NEWS. The orphan of the Masonic Home at Richmond will be taken to Petersburg on Thursday evening next, as the guests of the Penn Royal Arch Chapter of Masons of the city, and they will be handsomely entertained. The orphans will be accompanied by the mother of the home, Mrs. Baskin, and by Messrs. A. R. Court, J. C. A. Nesbitt, Julius Strauss, and other members of the Board of Governors.

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DAVID DUNLOP DEAD. PETERSBURG'S WEALTHIEST CITIZEN PASSED AWAY SUNDAY. HIS IMMENSE EXPORT TRADE. The Brands of His Famous Tobacco Factory Are Widely Known in Foreign Countries—Family Life of the Deceased—Estate Worth Several Millions. PETERSBURG, VA., October 27.—(Special.)—Mr. David Dunlop, Jr., died Sunday morning shortly after 5 o'clock. It had become apparent from Friday afternoon, when a sudden change for the worse occurred in his condition, that death was only a matter of hours. He remained conscious through Saturday, gradually growing weaker, until the peaceful end came.

While Mr. Dunlop's health had been delicate for some years, it was not such as to prevent his active attention to business. It was while at Seabright, a summer resort on the coast of New Jersey, where he had gone with his family in July to spend the season, that he was taken ill, and for a time his life was almost despaired of. Dr. R. D. McIlwaine, his family physician here, was summoned to attend him.

Early in September he was brought home in a special car, that he might be under better care and treatment, but he was never afterwards able to leave his house. Complications of the liver and kidneys developed, which baffled the best medical skill.

BIOGRAPHICAL. Mr. Dunlop was about 62 years of age, was a native of Petersburg, and had resided here all his life. He was a man of thorough business training, and wonderfully systematic in all his affairs. He built up the greatest tobacco manufacturing business in the State. His plant here is of immense proportions, absolutely complete in all its arrangements, and one of the largest in the South. He was the greatest exporter of manufactured tobacco in the United States, and his business brought him a large fortune. The entire output of his plant was shipped in bond to foreign ports, and in every foreign land his brands were known and sought after. The supply was scarcely equal to the demand. It is said that his annual exports aggregated from five to six million pounds, all going through the customs department.

Mr. Dunlop was probably the wealthiest of Petersburg's citizens, his estate possibly reaching several millions in value. He was a liberal-hearted, progressive-spirited citizen. He did much to promote the commercial welfare of the community, and to build up its material interests. No good cause, appealing for assistance, ever failed to receive his aid, and his private charities, of which the public knew little, were both generous and many.

HIS HOME LIFE. As previously stated, in this correspondence, Mr. Dunlop was twice married. By his first wife, who was Miss Kate Compton, of Lexington, Va., he leaves one son, Mr. David Dunlop, Jr., who has long been associated with his father in business, and who will succeed to the business. By his second wife, who was Miss Mollie Johnston, of this city, who survives him, he leaves four daughters, all very young.

As a husband and father, Mr. Dunlop was most tender and loving, and a friend, a man he was upright and conscientious, and all his relations with his fellowmen were characterized by integrity and fairness; and as a citizen, he was useful and valued. His death is a distinct loss to the community.

Mr. Dunlop was a student at Washington and Lee University at the breaking out of the war. He subsequently completed his education in the same institution. The funeral will take place to-morrow at 1 o'clock P. M., from the residence, on Friend street.

At a meeting of the Tobacco Association this afternoon resolutions of respect to the memory of Mr. Dunlop were adopted.

EDWARD REVIEWS GUARDSMEN. The King Said It Was a Proud Day for Him. LONDON, October 27.—King Edward reviewed to-day nearly 4,000 guardsmen, who have recently returned from South Africa. The King afterwards addressed the troops. The King afterwards addressed the troops, and the King afterwards addressed the troops.

HELD FOR TRIAL. Charles Meinel Gave Bail to Answer Charge of Manslaughter. COLD SPRINGS HARBOR, L. I., October 27.—Charles Meinel, who on Saturday night accidentally shot and killed John Holdman during a performance in "Theatrical Hall," was to-day held for the grand jury in \$500 bail on a charge of manslaughter in the first degree.

FAKE WIRE "TAPPING" GAME. A Saloon Keeper Says He Was Reviled of \$12,000. NEW YORK, October 27.—John Vincent, saloon keeper, was arrested to-day, charged with swindling by means of the fake wire "tapping" game. The complainant is Thomas Jordan, a saloon keeper, who says Vincent procured \$12,000 from him. The police are looking for Vincent's alleged accomplice.

WU TING FANG RECALLED. He is Destined for High Honors at Home, It Seems. WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 27.—Wu Ting Fang, the Chinese minister, has been recalled to his country by a special edict which was received by him to-day. He is ordered to return by the most direct route to Shanghai, and will leave as soon as he can pack his effects, probably within two weeks.

He will also be a member of the joint commission to negotiate commercial treaties. PRINCE OF WALES' VISIT. Nothing Official Known About It—Surprise at the Discussion. LONDON, October 27.—The report cable from the United States, that the Prince of Wales, who probably would visit the St. Louis exposition in 1904, created much interest here. The news occupied a prominent place in all the afternoon papers.

Surprise was expressed in official circles at the question being publicly discussed at all. At York House, the residence of the Prince and Princess of Wales, a representative of the Associated Press was informed that nothing was officially known on the subject. From inquiries in other quarters, however, the Associated Press learned that while no official invitation had been extended, the matter had been unofficially presented to the King, who returned a polite, non-committal reply.

It is pointed out that the question of acceptance or declination must, of course, await the transmittal of an official invitation from the United States government.

VISIT OF ENGLISH OFFICERS. Gen. S. M. B. Young Says the Publication Report is Misleading. CATHSKILL, N. Y., October 27.—Major-General S. M. B. Young is a guest of George W. McLanahan, of Washington, D. C., at Mr. McLanahan's country home here. General Young said to-day that a published report relating to the coming of the English army was misleading. It is America, he said, that is misleading. It is possible, he said, that the Englishmen, who are trained athletes, may come over and give exhibitions at the military tournament at Madison Square Gardens next spring, and such exhibitions, he added, might prove interesting to Americans as showing the results of physical training in England. The English training, according to General Young, is not superior to the system at West Point, but is much better than can be found at American military posts.

General Young will leave for Washington this evening. LASKER'S NARROW ESCAPE. The World's Champion Chess Player Came Near to Defeat. NEW YORK, October 27.—Lasker, the world's champion chess player, narrowly escaped being beaten by the local expert, Lipschuetz, in a match game at the Manhattan Chess Club last night. Lipschuetz started the game with a Vienna opening and had a chance of administering a mate in five moves, beginning with his twenty-sixth move. He however, allowed Lasker to escape, as he did not see the mate. The game was finally adjourned at an

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"The Maid Was in the Garden" hanging out the clothes, according to Mother Goose. The maid of to-day has it comparatively easy to the old style of "putting elbow grease" on the front of a shirt or collar. People who want their shirts, collars, cuffs, shirt-waists, etc., to look like new after being laundered, take them to the Eclipse Laundry, who return them in as good shape as when sent from the store. Eclipse Laundry, M. P. GORDON & CO., Proprietors, 1519 West Main Street. Old 'Phone, 418; New 'Phone, 590.

OXFORD ITEMS. Personal and Business Notes—A Fatal Accident. OXFORD, N. C., October 27.—(Special.) Mr. W. B. Moore is in Wilson. Mrs. Iverson Skinner, of Rocky Mount, is in the city. Mr. Carter, of Danville, was on the Oxford market the past week. Mr. William Smith, of Wilson, N. C., is on a visit to his father, Mr. R. T. Smith. Mr. Thomas W. Winston is to open a grocery store in the store now occupied by Parham Brothers Company. Mr. Wayne Gooch, of Clarksville, was in Oxford the past week. Mr. Powell, a carpenter, fell off General E. S. Royce's new residence and was killed yesterday.

William Beasley, died yesterday of consumption at her home, on West street. "THE PETERSBURG EXPRESS." Postmaster Smith Bolling has received a letter from a Union veteran in Connecticut, under a description of the gun, named "The Petersburg Express," which during the siege of our city used to drop big shells into the eastern part of the town. He probably refers to the big mortar gun, which, it is said, the Federals placed on a car on the City Point road, and which they would run up as near as possible and fire. These shells were dropped at frequent intervals into Blanford, causing much consternation among the people of that section of the city.

COLORED CHURCH HARVEST.

White Folks Have Had to Do Their Own Work—Personal Notes. ELMONT, VA., October 27.—(Special.)—Sunday afternoon, to the strains of "Wash Me and I shall be Whiter Than Snow," there emerged fifteen or twenty colored folks from a pond not far from here. This was the result of a protracted meeting which has been in progress for about ten days, during which time both the white man and his wife have been compelled to do their own work, as the darkey had church to attend and his religion to keep. There is a prospect of a revival at the Epworth League Sunday night, at Fenwood church. The meeting was led by Mr. W. S. Friday. Those who rendered solos were Miss Patterson and Mrs. Barker. Several appropriate essays, bearing on the topic of the evening were read and greatly enjoyed, and many new names were added to the roll of the league.

Mr. Elvin Harrie died at his home near Saturday night, after a lingering illness of many months, of consumption. He was a prosperous young farmer, and his 25th year. He was a member of the North Run Baptist church. He is survived by a wife and one child.

The funeral services were conducted by the family pastor, and the body was laid to rest in the old family burying ground this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

FARMERS ARE NEIGHBORLY. It can be truthfully said our farmers are a kind and neighborly set, for when one man has had, and the corn is to be shucked, all one has to do it to announce that there will be a corn shucking at his house, and every neighbor for miles around is on hand at the time designated. Old and young, women and children, and all while the entire crop is shucked and stored away. This is the way our farmers do. Not only does it make work pleasanter, but it is money saved.

The "possum stands a safe chance around" the "possum" nowadays. Recently can be seen many hunters, with large packs of hounds after this little animal. The sportsmen are generally successful, seldom failing to capture "a few."

Miss Blanche Cross, of Ashland, has been the guest of Mrs. Hazelgrove, for several days.

Miss Froehline Gwalline, who has been visiting friends and relatives in New York, returned a few days ago.

A most enjoyable dance was given at the home of Mr. Pendleton, near here, a few nights ago. Music was furnished by a string band from Richmond.

Mr. Oliver Walsh continues to improve. The condition of Mr. William Francis, who has been ill, is somewhat improved.

Mr. George Shepherd, of Henrico, spent Sunday with his sister here.

Miss Belle Holman, who has been visiting her brother here for the last week, returned to her home in Henrico to-day.

Mrs. James Holman is visiting relatives in Henrico.

Captain Blakey, the popular and efficient commander on the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac railway, in company with his wife and two children, is visiting relatives in Memphis, Tenn.

Mr. E. Q. Hunter, night telegraph operator at Glen Allen, will leave for his home, Beaver Dam, next week.

"LUMBER BUSINESS BOOMING." The owners of saw mills throughout this section report a flourishing business. They are rushed with orders, and for several months the demand has been far greater than the supply.

Most of the farmers have finished sowing wheat and are now busy gathering in their corn.

BEAUTIFUL BRIDAL IN RADFORD. Miss Goldberg and Mr. Masinter Wed. RADFORD, VA., October 27.—(Special.) The largest and most beautiful marriage ever witnessed in Radford occurred at the Opera-House to-night, when Miss Jennie Goldberg became the bride of Mr. Sol Masinter, of Roanoke.

The entire front of the building was draped in white and decorated with cedar, ferns, and potted plants, the color scheme being green and white.

To the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, sweetly rendered by Mrs. Maurice Harrison, of Roanoke, the bridal party entered the hall, and the ceremony was performed under an arch of evergreen and chrysanthemums, from which was suspended a wedding bell, formed of white chrysanthemums.

girls, Bertha Goldbery and Bell Simon, in pink, and carrying baskets of flowers.

Then came the maid of honor, Miss Irene Bachrach, of Roanoke, wearing white silk and carrying pink carnations.

The bride entered by the left aisle, with her brother, Mr. Max Goldberg, who served, met by the groom, who entered from the right with his best man, Mr. Abe Schloss, of Roanoke.

The bride wore a beautiful gown of crepe de chine with full bridal veil, and carried Bride's roses.

CEREMONY MOST IMPRESSIVE. The ceremony, which was the most beautiful and impressive ever witnessed in Radford, was performed by Dr. Edward N. Cassell, of Richmond.

The latter part of the ceremony, "Hearts and Flowers" came in soft strains from the organ, mingling with the solemn tones of the rabbi and leaving an impression which will linger long in the hearts of all present.

About eight hundred persons were in the hall.

The wedding party left the hall to the strains of the wedding march from Loehengrin, and a reception followed at the Hotel Norwood, which lasted until 10 o'clock. An elegant supper was served, covers being laid for two hundred guests.

The menu cards were handsomely engraved; the souvenirs were pink carnations.

SPEECH OF DR. CALISCH. The master of ceremonies was Mr. J. F. B. Cassell. In response to a call from Mr. Cassell, an eloquent and humorous after-dinner speech was made by Dr. Calisch, congratulating the bride and groom, on behalf of the entire community.

Several appropriate essays, bearing on the topic of the evening were read and greatly enjoyed, and many new names were added to the roll of the league.

Mr. and Mrs. Masinter left at 10 o'clock for a northern bridal tour. They will be at home after November 15th, at 49 Salem avenue, Roanoke.

About one hundred guests from Roanoke attended the marriage.

BODY WASHED ASHORE. "Roland E. Hart, San Antonio, Tex." Written in Book in Pocket. KING GEORGE, VA., October 27.—(Special.)—The body of an unknown white man was to-day washed ashore at Colonial Beach. In a book found in a coat pocket is written, "Roland E. Hart, San Antonio, Tex." The man was about 25 years of age. There was also a New York address in the book, which is unknown to your correspondent, but which can be obtained from Dr. F. F. Niede, of Colonial Beach, Va.

Negro Charged With Infanticide. STAUNTON, VA., October 27.—(Special.) Henry Plater (colored) is in jail, charged with the murder of his own child in June, 1901, some children hunting for berries found the dry bones of a child in Plater's woods, near Verona. They were identified as young Plater's by the peculiar shape of the skull. The father was arrested and indicted by the grand jury, but left the State. Deputy Constable J. S. Denton soon located the man, but for some reason the case was not pushed until recently. Denton secured the requisition papers from Governor Montague, and with N. L. Welch, went to Clearfield, Pa., and got his prisoner.

Mary Blaine, who lived with Plater at Verona, is also under arrest.

Club Steward Stabbed by Negro. LYNCHBURG, VA., October 27.—(Special.)—W. H. Steuermagel, steward of the Prince of Wales Club, was stabbed in the left side of the abdomen this afternoon, by Walter Sherman, a colored boy. It is said that the trouble grew out of Sherman's resenting some directions given him by Mr. Steuermagel. It will be a day or two before the doctors can tell just how seriously the latter is hurt.

Richmonders at Gotham Hotels. NEW YORK, October 27.—(Special.)—New Amsterdams, C. S. Peers; Hoffman, T. J. Walker, E. T. Hanken.

Mrs. T. H. Carter III. CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., October 27.—(Special.)—Mrs. Colonel Thomas H. Carter is critically ill at her home at the University.

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