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P. N. CORSETS, $1.50

Very pretty Summer Girdles, made of fancy mercerized tape—gives the corset a silky appearance.

French Clasps, 10 1-2 inches long, with tabs for attaching hose supporters.

There's a finish about these Corsets that will appeal to every woman who desires a first-class article.

The cork-protected clasp being one feature that will insure ease and comfort—**$1.50.**

Hand-Made Irish Point Curtains.

Samples that we purchased in New York.

When an importer selects the Curtains he wishes to order for the coming season he's glad to get rid of his other samples at almost any price. $4.50 to $10.00 a pair for Curtains that at least forty per cent. must be added to get their actual value.

3 1-2 and 4 yards long.

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Social and Personal

Lieutenant-General C. Irvine Walker, of South Carolina, commanding the Army of the Northern Virginia Department of United Confederate Veterans, has appointed as sponsor of his department in the approaching reunion at New Orleans, Miss Elie Maury Werth, of Richmond, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Werth, and the granddaughter of the late illustrious Commodore Matthew Fontaine Maury.

Miss Marguerite Jenkins Garland, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Spotswood Garland, of Wilmington, Del., will be Miss Werth's maid of honor. Miss Garland's father, who entered the Confederate army when he was only fifteen years of age, is a native of Lynchburg, Va., but has been a resident of Wilmington for about ten years. Through her mother, Miss Garland is connected with the Jenkins family of Baltimore. She has visited Miss Werth several times, and is most pleasantly recalled by Richmond friends. As is well known here, Miss Werth's father served through the entire war as a gallant member of the Powhatan Troop, entering that organization at the age of seventeen.

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The regular meeting of the Oakwood Glee Club will be held Friday night, March 27th, in the home of Miss Emma Diacont, No. 520 North Twenty-third Street. All members are requested to be present, as business of importance in relation to the Easter picnic will be transacted.

Officers Junior O. M. A.

At the regular meeting of the Junior Oakwood Memorial Association last Monday afternoon, Mrs. Alice Fitz was elected president; Mrs. D. P. Edwards vice-president; Miss Holloran, treasurer, and Miss Schermerhorn, secretary.

Invitations have been received in Richmond from Mr. and Mrs. William Thomas Joyner for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Mary Alice Joyner, to Mr. Edward Gordon Garlick.

The ceremony took place Wednesday evening, April 8th, at 9 o'clock, in the home of the bride, at Garysburg, N. C.

Friends of Mr. Garlick in the city will be much interested at this announcement.

Rummage Sale.

During the week beginning March 30th the Tennessee table is to hold a "rummage sale" at No. 1901 East Main Street. The store secured for the purpose is in a district where these sales are immensely popular and of great benefit to the people who patronize them. The ladies in charge of the enterprise have the satisfaction of knowing that their work is not only profitable to their own ends, but is a very real charity to overworked mothers and poverty-burdened fathers of families, who by its means are enabled to buy ready-made clothes, shoes, stockings, hats and many other articles of necessity, as well as of pleasure, at merely nominal prices. Many needy people, who for all their poverty are unwilling to beg, are in this way helped to supply their wants without loss of independence.

If those interested in the work and willing to contribute articles of various kinds to add to the interest and profit of the sale will give their names to any member of the Tennessee Committee or will send a postal to Mrs. John Teefey, of No. 1136 North Seventeenth Street, their packages will be called for.

Lenten Readings.

The season of Lent always brings a lull to social life and gives a zest to the religious thought of a community in which it is observed. There is, therefore, the beauty of harmony between the season and the series of parlor readings which Miss Aunspaugh is giving on the faith and spirituality of the great poets.

Miss Aunspaugh studies her poet sympathetically, and so centers the attention of her audience upon the vital truth which permeates the poem, believing that all true art is "to ennoble life and fill it with beautiful thoughts."

This week's reading will be given at Mrs. James T. Parkinson's, No. 906 West Franklin Street, Friday, March 27th, at 5 P. M. The subject will be Browning's "Soul."

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The last of the series of lecture readings taking place at the Jefferson Club under the auspices of Mrs. Edward N. Calisch will be given this afternoon. The subject of the afternoon will be Browning's dramatic monologue, "Fra Lippo Lippe," which Miss Aunspaugh will treat from a very high standpoint.

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The ladies of the Board of the Belle Bryan Day Nursery and Kindergarten are sorry to announce the failure of donation day.

This has not been an established custom, but owing to the pressing needs of the institution the ladies who bear the burden of this work hoped to reach the hearts of the generous public in this way.

Gifts of any kind will be gratefully received throughout the coming week, and we plead with the people of our city to remember the needs of an institution so necessary to the great mass of working women, who toil for their daily bread.

Delightful Musicale.

A delightful musicale for the benefit of the Louisiana table at the Confederate Bazaar will be given at No. 10 North Laurel Street, April 2d, at 8:30 P. M., under the direction of Miss Zelie Minor. The following well known musicians will give the programme: Miss Mamie Harrison, Miss Martha Snead, Mrs. Maud Porter Gunn, Miss Adair Minor (violin), Mrs. Mabel McBain, Mr. Arthur Scrivenor, Miss Belle Johnson, and the Virginia Glee Club, consisting of Messrs. Watkins, Morton, McBain and White.

Women's Meetings.

On account of the inclement weather the regular bimonthly meeting of the Woman's Christian Association was not held.

The next meeting, the second Monday in April, is very important, as that is the time to bring in the yearly contributions. All members are urged to attend.

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The chairman of the House Committee for the Church Hill branch of the Woman's Christian Association will have a called meeting Friday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at No. 2608 East Franklin Street. The entire committee is requested to be present.

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A meeting of the Arkansas Committee, at which every member is expected to be present, will be held in Lee Camp Hall at 11 A. M. Thursday.

Todd—Wood.

The marriage of Miss Norma Wood, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Wood, of Fork Union, Fluvanna county, and Mr. Walter L. Todd, Jr., the son of Mr. W. L. Todd, of this city, took place at 9 o'clock last night, the Rev. George H. Snead performing the ceremony.

The maid of honor was Miss Mattie Oppenhimer and the bridesmaids Misses Helen Thomas, Agnes Sadler, Violet Anderson and Bessie Snead.

The ushers were Messrs. Worley, Clarence Snead, Lee Coleman and Cutchins, with Mr. Thomas Todd as best man. The future home of Mr. and Mrs. Todd will be in Fork Union.

The wedding was very quiet, only the families and intimate friends being present, including Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Todd, Miss Edith Hatcher and Miss Lucy Snead, and Mrs. C. W. Astrop, Mrs. J. B. Green and Laurie and George Green, of Surry Courthouse. Mrs. Green and her children and Mrs. Astrop spent Tuesday night here in No. 302 East Grace Street on their way to the wedding.

Meeting of C. M. L. S.

The Confederate Memorial Literary Society met yesterday at noon, Mrs. Joseph Bryan presiding.

The quarterly reports of the vice-regents proved very interesting, those of Mrs. Herbert A. Claiborne, of South Carolina; Mrs. J. Taylor Ellyson, of Virginia, and Miss Baughman, of the Solid South, proving especially so. The regent for Arkansas was appointed—Mrs. Rufus J. Polk, of Little Rock.

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The new members were enrolled, one life member, Mrs. Decatur Axtell. Miss Baughman has very nearly completed her collection of the files of the Southern Historical papers. The few remaining numbers needed to render the files complete will soon be added.

The secretary of the society was instructed to write to Mr. Christian, of the House, who has recently introduced a resolution for the copying of Confederate rosters, and put at his disposal the valuable lists of the different States which are in the Museum.

Personal Mention.

Mrs. J. Hartwell Cabell and son, Francis, of Cincinnati, are the guests of Mrs. W. C. Bentley, at No. 205 East Franklin Street. Mrs. Cabell who will only be in Richmond for a few days had many friends as Miss Meta Logan, who will be glad to see her again.

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Mrs. A. L. Holladay and Miss Holladay left Tuesday for Ashland, where they will spend a week at the Henry Clay Inn.

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Mrs. Sally Garland Riggan, of Louisville, Ky., is in the city with Mrs. Warfield, at No. 201 East Franklin Street. Mrs. Riggan was the wife of Dr. George W. Riggan, who was a professor in the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Kentucky. She will be in Richmond for several weeks.

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The committee for the Alabama table will meet at 4:30 o'clock Friday afternoon, at No. 307 West Franklin Street.

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The Petersburg Index-Appeal of yesterday says:

"Mrs. Joseph Bryan and Mrs. E. C. Minor met quite a representative gathering of the Daughters of the Confederacy yesterday afternoon in the A. P. Hill Camp Hall in the interest of the Confederate Bazaar. Mrs. Bryan won all hearts by her magnetic charm and simple exposition of the aims of the bazaar. Mrs. Minor must have taken lessons of her able husband in presenting her subject in so clear and lucid a manner.

Mrs. Robert T. Meade, president of the grand division of Virginia, assisted by a number of the ladies of Petersburg has the Arkansas table in charge and no doubt they will do what they can to assist the ladies in making the bazaar a great success.

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The spring art exhibit, which will open about the middle of May and continue for two weeks, will probably be held in the Crenshaw house at Main and Adams Streets.

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Miss Rebecca Walker, of Richmond, expects to spend Easter in Charlottesville as the guest of Mrs. Micajah Woods.

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Mr. William Kinckle Allen, a prominent young attorney of Amherst Courthouse, is in Richmond.

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Mr. J. C. Staples, of Harrisonburg, Va., has been called to the bedside of Mr. Dudley Staples, who is seriously ill in this city.

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THAT we sell but one quality—THE BEST—and that our prices for that quality are THE LOWEST—is an incontrovertible fact.

Upon satisfactory references we will be pleased to send goods on approval.

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MR. LOUTHAN WEDS

Popular Minister Takes a Bride in King and Queen County.

Mr. W. Kinkle Allen, of Amherst, is in the city on his way home from King and Queen county, where on yesterday he attended the marriage of his friend, Rev. H. T. Louthan, a prominent young Baptist minister, who took unto himself a fair bride in the person of Miss Elizabeth Rowland Hurt, of that county.

Mr. Louthan is well known in Virginia, having held several prominent pastorates since he entered the ministry.

Miss Hurt is one of the most attractive young women of King and Queen, and is a daughter of the late James Thomas Hurt, of that county. Dr. A. D. Louthan, of this city, a brother of the groom, acted as best man, and Messrs. W. Kinkle Allen and H. A. Willis were the ushers.

The happy young couple left for a Northern tour, and will make their future home in King William county.

MADAME MORELLI

Her Act Is the Feature at the Bostock Show this Week.

The popularity of the Bostock Show is immense. The principal feature this week is the daring Madame Morelli, with her treacherous group of leopards, panthers and jaguars. The various tricks, stunts and performances given by these animals under this lady's direction are simply indescribable and too numerous to mention.

Among the specialties of her act are her two beautiful jaguars, "Rapier" and "Cartouche," who roll globes, walk tightropes and leap through an immensity of space at the command of their mistress. It is an act that is much admired and will be popular with our Richmond people.

TRADE TO MEET

Virginia Tobacco to Be Represented at the Exposition.

A special meeting of the Richmond Tobacco Trade will be held next week, at which time the Hon. George E. Murrell, superintendent of the Virginia Commission to the St. Louis Exposition, will make an address on the scope and plans for the tobacco exhibit at the great fair.

It is hoped and believed by all that the local trade will take a sufficient interest in the matter to see the State, so far as its tobacco product is concerned, well represented at the exhibition.

Snap Shots Taken In Hotel Lobbies

Former Police Justice Samuel G. Williams, of the city of Roanoke, was a distinguished visitor in the city yesterday, and was among his friends at Murphy's last night.

Judge Williams is well known here, and was warmly received by his friends.

Mr. J. L. Mercer, secretary of the Eastern State Hospital and a prominent candidate for the new position of State Hospital Commissioner, is in the city, and was at Murphy's last night. Mr. Mercer is very hopeful that Governor Montague will see his way clear to name him for the place.

Captain Read, the delegate from Mecklenburg county, when seen at New Ford's last night, expressed regret that he could not reach his home in time to attend the funeral of his life-long friend and neighbor, Hon. George P. Tarry. Said Mr. Read: "I regard his death not only as a great personal loss, but as one irreparable to the county and especially so to our home district and to the church of which he was an honored member.

"I wish to express publicly the great satisfaction it has given me, as his friend, to know of the high esteem in which he was held by men in public life about the Capitol, as evidenced by expressions of sympathy I have received from great numbers."

Murphy's: W. T. Aunspaugh, Norfolk; J. J. Cotton, Rock Castle; W. Kinkle Allen, Amherst; J. B. Richardson, Providence Forge; H. A. Williams, Norfolk; W. W. Ruffin, Danville; Claggett B. Jones, King and Queen.

New Ford's: C. E. Norvell, Charlotte Courthouse.

WARMED BY HEAT OF GREAT IDEALS

Castro Withdraws Resignation from Fear of a Hot Box—Highflown Message.

(By Associated Press.)

CARACAS, Tuesday, March 24.—After reading his special message to Congress to-day, General Castro withdrew his resignation of the presidency of Venezuela.

President Castro's special message was delivered to Congress this afternoon. He says:

"When I abdicated it was not from any small-minded or interested calculation; still less was it the result of any sorry or ridiculous farce, which has no place in a heart warmed by the heat of great ideals."

After passing in review the difficulties in the way of the government, he says he saw how his intentions were misrepresented and he was disheartened, and at that moment resigned.

"Notwithstanding those reasons, which were weighty to my mind," he continues, "Congress does not accept my resignation and considers me still useful in the government. I bow before their desire and resign myself before the obligations imposed by my country, but only until the work of pacifying the nation shall be complete and order re-established in the public administration. Remember it well, Senators and Deputies, I believe my separation necessary. You think otherwise; I hope the future will prove you right. Accept an expression of my supreme thanks for the generous demonstration of which you have made me the object."

When it was known that he had not resigned a popular demonstration took place

WARNING TO WOMEN.

Beware of That Weakness Which is the Result of a Constitution Undermined by Worry or Overwork.

IN OZOMULSION IS SAFETY.

A Large Free Bottle Will Be Sent by Mail to Every One Who Will Write for It and Mention Reading This in the Richmond Times-Dispatch.

The trouble with you is not so much your blood as your body.

You are tired.

Does that mean that your blood is tired?

You are weak and ambitionless.

Will drugs or medicine add one iota to your stock of strength?

You suffer from backache, shortness of breath, pimples, falling hair, dimness of vision, and all the long train of symptoms which so often go with woman's failing strength.

Well, think you, will pills and potions take the place of nature?

If you think so, you are trusting to a reed.

You are like a drowning man clutching blindly at a straw when a strong branch is within his reach.

Dear lady, what you need is not drugs, but food.

This you can get in OZOMULSION.

It stands to reason that the food you are now in the habit of taking at your daily meals is not doing you the good it should.

If it were, you would be gaining strength, instead of losing it.

Your system is craving for something more; your tissues are crying out for something that will nourish them back to health and strength.

When they ask for bread, would you give them a stone?

Would you drug them into the fancied strength afforded by unnatural stimulation?

Would you refuse them their real and natural help out of the waters of weakness, i. e., food?

No; a thousand times no!

Give yourself the food you need, the simple, natural building food.

Take OZOMULSION.

It need cost you nothing to test for yourself the good that OZOMULSION will do to you.

Every woman may obtain a bottle free.

We know the good that OZOMULSION will do.

We know what thousands of burning letters from grateful women all over the world say to us every day in the year about the wonderful strength that OZOMULSION will give.

We might convince you if we printed these letters, if we printed those we get from ministers, from physicians, from teachers, from business men in every mail.

But we prefer to get down to the very root of the matter and ask you to

TEST FOR YOURSELF FREE.

what OZOMULSION will do for you.

This, we think, you will agree is the simplest and best way of all.

FREE BOTTLE BY MAIL.

The building, refreshing, beautifying, strengthening properties of this great scientific, vitalized emulsion of Cod Liver Oil will soon show themselves in renewed strength, fresh color and complexion, improved spirits, and in a general feeling of health and happiness.

Write to

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NEW YORK,

giving your name and complete address—street and number—and a large Trial Bottle of OZOMULSION will at once be sent you free by mail, prepaid.

EDITORIAL NOTE:

We sincerely hope that every reader of The Times-Dispatch will take advantage of this generous offer.

OZOMULSION is used, recommended and sold by druggists all over the civilized world, in large one-pound bottles, for One Dollar.

Residents of Richmond can obtain a Trial Bottle by calling at the offices of The Times-Dispatch or News Leader.

SEVENTY MILLIONS

Pennsylvania to Spend This Sum in Betterments.

AN ISSUE OF NEW STOCK

Present Holders Privileged to Buy 33 1-3 of Their Present Holdings at Sixty Dollars a Share—Will Bring in $96,000,000.

(By Associated Press.)

PHILADELPHIA, PA., March 25.—At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Pennsylvania Railway Company to-day the privilege was given stockholders of subscribing at $60 a share between June 15th and June 26th, inclusive, for 33 1-3 of their respective holdings as they stand registered on the books of the company at noon on May 9th. Payments are to be made in three installments—fifty per cent. or $30, a share at the time of making the subscription; second installment 25 per cent. or $15 a share between October 15th and October 26th; third installment 25 per cent. or $15 a share between June 15th and June 25th, 1904.

This issue of new stock is expected to bring into the company about $96,000,000.

The board has also authorized the prosecution of all improvements embodied in the annual report, which will necessitate an expenditure of about $70,000,000. These improvements will be made principally about New York, Pittsburg, Philadelphia and Washington. The board re-elected A. J. Cassatt and all of the old officers.

WILL NOT VISIT GERMANY

North Atlantic Squadron Will Touch at No European Port.

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 25.—The Navy Department to-day made public a statement to the effect that the North Atlantic Squadron would not visit Germany this summer.

When the summer manoeuvres were projected, a fleet cruise was a feature. When the report got abroad that the great squadron was going to Europe, Baron Sternberg, the German minister, called at the White House and extended to the President a personal invitation from Emperor William to have the fleet visit Germany. Now owing to the change of plan the President has been obliged to decline the Emperor's cordial invitation in behalf of the fleet, also conveying the information for the benefit of other European nations which might be interested in the fleet's movements that the North Atlantic Squadron will not touch at any point on the mainland of Europe.

NOT IN SIGHT

Commander of G. A. R. Says Prejudice is Dying Out.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW ORLEANS, LA., March 25.—General Thomas Stewart, commander of the Grand Army of the Republic, arrived here to-day. A delegation from the local post met him. Later he was escorted to the Baptist Church on Tulane Avenue, where he addressed members of this department of the army.

General Stewart said prejudice was rapidly dying out, both in the North and the South, but he did not think that a reunion of the Blue and the Gray was yet in sight. General Stewart left for Washington to-night, from which place he will go to Philadelphia.

CASE WILL BE FOUGHT IN THE HIGHEST COURTS

(By Associated Press.)

BIRMINGHAM, ALA., March 25.—B. E. Williams, local manager of the Western Union Telegraph Company, was convicted of the violation of a certain section of the State pool selling law, and was fined $50 in the First Division of the Criminal Court.

The defendant was adjudged guilty of the violation of section two, of an act "to prohibit book-making or pool selling on horse races and other forms of gambling" by allowing alleged bets to be transmitted by telegraph.

Prominent counsel probably will be secured and it is said the case will be tought in the United States courts.

REFUSES TO LIVE WITH HER MOTHER-IN-LAW

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NEW YORK, March 25.—If a wife refuses to live in the same house with her mother-in-law, her husband is not obliged to support her, according to Magistrate Connorton, the Solomon of Long Island City.

Oscar Geisinger was in court to-day, on complaint of his wife, Bertha, who charged him with abandonment. Geisinger said that he was willing to provide a home for her.

"But, Judge," interposed Mrs. Geisinger, "his mother lives with him and I refuse to live in the same house with her."

"It is his house," replied the magistrate. "He has a right to have his mother there if he wants her. If you refuse to live with him, there is no law compelling him to support you."

BECKHAM'S NAME WILL GO ON THE BALLOT

(By Associated Press.)

FRANKFORT, KY., March 25.—The Kentucky Court of Appeals to-day affirmed judgments of the Franklin and Woodford Circuit Courts, respectively, holding that the Democratic State Executive Committee had ample authority for calling the State primary election, fixed for May 9th next, and granting Governor Beckham a writ of mandamus compelling the committee to place his name on the ballot as a candidate for the gubernatorial nomination.

FINE PLANTATION IS ENTIRELY UNDER WATER

(By Associated Press.)

NATCHEZ, MISS., March 25.—A break in the private levee at The Briers, one of the best plantations in the county, located about twenty-one miles below this city, has flooded that place, which is now from four to five feet under water. A messenger was dispatched to Natchez for the steamer Joseph to assist in rescuing the stock, some one hundred head having been endangered. There are also five thousand sacks of cottonseed on the ground under a shed, and it is feared all this will be lost.

Knox Hats,

The best of all good ones—Silk, Derby and Soft.

Spring Styles Now on Exhibit.

Gans-Rady Company

WILL WEED OUT QUITE A NUMBER OF EMPLOYES

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, March 25.—It was learned at the Postoffice Department to-day that while the resignation of George W. Beavers, chief of the salary and allowance division, was voluntary, it is but the forerunner of a number of other resignations which soon are to follow.

It is said that a condition of affairs has grown up in the department which has become intolerable, and that a number of chiefs of divisions and clerks will be given an opportunity to submit their resignations. As a result of this announcement, there is more or less consternation among the employes in the department, it being understood that the decision to weed out a number of officials has been definitely determined upon.

THREE UNWISE MEN WENT UP STEPS AND DOWN

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, D. C March 25.—Three man, in an automobile, attempted to ride up the steps at the ast front of the Capitol to-day. They reached the second landing, sixteen steps from the street, when the chain of the vehicle broke and it ran back, but without accident. The man who acted as chauffeur gave the name of J. D. Hurlburt, and said he was from Dteroit, Mich. His companions did not give their names, but one of them said he was a police commissioner of Hartford, Conn. The chauffeur was arrested, but later released on $10 collateral.

DWELLERS BEHIND LEVEE BEGIN TO REJOICE

(By Associated Press.)

VICKSBURG, MISS., March 25.—Another day of fair weather, combined with a diminished rate of rise in the river, has raised high hopes in the hearts of the dwellers behind the levees in this section. While danger is not yet passed, it is now believed that the rich Yazoo delta will be spared the calamity of an overflow. The river here came to a standstill yesterday evening at 51.4, and has remained stationary all day. This is a foot lower than the 1897 record.

WIDE EXTENSION OF CIVIL SERVICE RULES

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 25.—Under a revision of the civil service rules, to take effect April 15th, and announced to-day, the classified service is extended to all positions which are subject to classification under the civil service act.

The classified service hereafter will embrace all persons who are not mere laborers or workmen, or are not subject to confirmation by the Senate. Temporary appointments will be restricted both in number and duration.

Col. Cabell Returns.

Colonel George C. Cabell has returned from a visit to the country home of his friend, Mr. M. S. Valentine, in Powhatan county.

Mr. Dooner Here.

Mr. E. J. Dooner, proprietor of Dooner's Hotel, Philadelphia, is in the city and is registered at Murphy's.

RIVER FALLING AT REASONABLE RATE

Situation Along Mississippi Is Rapidly Assuming Normal Proportions.

(By Associated Press.)

MEMPHIS, TENN., March 25.—The river to-night is falling at a fair rate, the gauge showing 33.9 feet, a fall of two-tenths since 6 o'clock this morning. The situation is rapidly assuming normal proportions and all anxiety is practically over.

Some uneasiness is still felt for the St. Francis levees in Arkansas to the north of this city, but all news from that section is of a reassuring character.

No trains have yet succeeded in getting over the tracks a few miles west of Bridge Junction. It is now thought possible that Memphis may remain cut off from the west for another day. The Iron Mountain attempted to run a train west this morning, but found that the track, which had been damaged at different points, was not sufficiently repaired for passage.

Sour Stomach

"I used Cascarets and feel like a new man. I have been a sufferer from dyspepsia and sour stomach for the last two years. I have been taking medicine and other drugs, but could find no relief only for a short time. I will recommend Cascarets to my friends as the only thing for indigestion and sour stomach and to keep the bowels in good condition. They are very nice to eat."
Harry Stuckley, Mauch Chunk, Pa.

Best for The Bowels

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CANDY CATHARTIC

THEY WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP

Pleasant, Palatable, Potent, Taste Good, Do Good, Never Sicken, Weaken or Gripe. 10c, 25c, 50c. Never sold in bulk. The genuine tablet stamped CCC. Guaranteed to cure or your money back.

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ANNUAL SALE, TEN MILLION BOXES

DR. FLOWER HAS TO GO TO TOMBS

Unable to Furnish Bail, Which Was Fixed at $50,000. Grand Larceny Charged.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, March 25.—The grand jury to-day returned an indictment against Dr. R. C. Flower, charging him with grand larceny in the first degree. Flower was charged in the Police Court with having failed to make return for $500 belonging to Mrs. Belle Gray Taylor.

In asking that the bail be fixed at $50,000, Assistant District Attorney Gardner said: "This case represents a very small portion of the property which this defendant is accused of having stolen. The State claims that he has stolen $500,000. This money has been stolen from poor people. In some cases the people from whom the money was stolen have lost their reason. I consider the amount of bail should be fixed at $500,000."

Flower was unable to-day to obtain bail satisfactory to the officials and was placed in the Tombs.

WILL RESUME BUSINESS

Receiver Discharged and Mr. Yarbrough to Settle With Creditors.

An order was entered in the Chancery Court yesterday by Judge Grinnan discharging Mr. Samuel E. Woodfin as receiver for the A. R. Yarbrough Tobacco Company, which recently made an assignment.

Mr. Yarbrough has arranged for a settlement with his creditors and the assets will be turned over to him in order that this may be effected.

The business will be continued by Mr. Yarbrough.

A FINE DISCOURSE

Much Interest Being Manifested at Leigh-Street Church.

Rev. Claggett Skinner preached a clear, pointed, practical and effective sermon at Leigh-Street Baptist Church last night from the text, "What doest thou more than others?" The attendance was large and much interest was manifested.

The meetings will continue each night this week at 8 o'clock, Dr. Skinner preaching.

Captain Parks Out.

A gentleman who is just from the Valley is authority for the statement that Captain R. S. Parks, of Page, will be a candidate for a seat in the Senate this fall from the district composed of the counties of Page, Clarke and Warren. Several other strong men are mentioned for the place.

Mr. Fulton Here.

Mr. M. S. Fulton, of Front Royal, a prominent member of the bar of Warren county, and member of the firm of O'Flaherty and Fulton, is in the city. Mr. Fulton has practically decided to be a candidate for the Senate in the district composed of the counties of Page, Clarke and Warren.

Mr. Tarry's Funeral.

The remains of Hon. George P. Tarry, of Mecklenburg, who died in that county of blood poisoning the other day, were laid to rest at his old home on yesterday. The funeral was largely attended, Mr. Tarry having been one of the most prominent men in the county.

Mr. Southall Here.

Hon. R. G. Southall, member of Congress from the Fourth District, and former member of the House of Delegates from Amelia, was in the city yesterday, and was on the floor of the House during the session of that body.

Mr. Shackelford's Bill.

Editor of The Times-Dispatch:

Sir,—Referring to your editorial of March 25th, headed "Why This Bill?" in which you express a desire to hear the "whys and wherefores of its existence," I beg to say that Senate bill No. 245 was offered by me. I cannot think that it is either "remarkable" or "absurd," which terms you apply to it.

In the first place, the principle of this bill is embodied almost entirely in the present rule governing the State Board of Education under the present system, and in the second place only makes clear the principle that a trustee should not be permitted to purchase his own goods and sell them to the people he represents.

I conceive that this is the bill in a nutshell. No man, in my opinion, can be without prejudice in deciding between the product of his own mind or hand and that of another.

You state that the information you have is that the bill was adversely reported by the House Committee and taken out of the hands of the committee of the Senate and passed. As a matter of fact, owing to the illness of the chairman of the Senate Committee, no meeting of that committee had been held for some time, and, therefore, after showing the bill to the members of the committee, and with their approval, I asked the discharge of the committee from further consideration of the bill and had it put upon its passage. The Senator from Lynchburg city offered amendments to the bill, and it was discussed at some length and passed the Senate practically unanimously. The committee of the House, five members being present, reported the bill adversely by a vote of three to two. When it came to its passage in the House, after a discussion of nearly two hours, it was passed without amendment by a vote of sixty-seven, thus disposing of your claim that the bill had no consideration.

As far as I am personally concerned, I do not care whether the gentlemen you name are off or on the Board of Education, but I do contend that no man should be selected to choose text-books who is pecuniarily interested in the same, or who has that prejudice which must lean towards the work of his own mind.

Yours very truly,

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Richmond, Va., March 25th.