

SOCIETY

Richmond society is mightily interested in the fact that the city is to have an elegant, strictly modern and strictly first-class apartment house, with so high sounding a title as "The Chesterfield," that the building is to be situated at the corner of Franklin and Shafer Streets and to front eighty feet on a most fashionable thoroughfare, so that occupants, seated at their windows, can overlook the daily and weekly promenade below them and see the smart world at its perambulations, if it so pleases them, without going out of doors.

The Richmond bachelor maid rejoices over the advent of "The Chesterfield," because its two-room and three-room suites will afford her a much longed for opportunity to see up her apartment with the most advantageous surroundings and in the most altogether independent manner. White maple floors will offer an altogether lovely background for her modest rug; softly tinted walls will display favorite prints framed by her own fair hands to excellent advantage; such aids as white paint, mahogany doors, and cut-glass knobs, antique brass electric gas fixtures, will go a long way towards helping her in the arrangement of bedroom and parlor, and in lending to her little domain the air of daintiness and coziness which is so essential to the tired eyes and nerves of the professional woman worker.

The fact that light, heat and servants' attention is included in the rent which the bachelor maid will pay for, her apartment, that she will also be furnished with sparkling water from an artesian well, and that a cafe in "The Chesterfield" will meet housekeeping needs, must seem the most agreeable of all realizations to her, for it will leave her free from harassing demands and enable her to devote her whole time to her chosen pursuits and avocations, and to her friends in for cards or music whenever she so desires, with the absolute assurance of privacy and the knowledge that she can always be free to receive them.

All this can be said for the bachelor maid. As there are to be twelve housekeeping suites in "The Chesterfield," equally as much can be predicted for the dozen fortunate families that are to occupy them.

Among these will be Dr. and Mrs. Jere Witherspoon; Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Smallman; Mr. and Mrs. John E. Etchison, Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Harwood; Mr. C. W. Culp; Mr. W. M. Holliston; Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Gillis; Admiral and Mrs. Harrie Webster; Mr. Charles T. Williams; Mrs. R. C. Morton; Mr. Arthur Travers; Mr. and Mrs. Leland Rankin; Mr. Henry W. Anderson; Captain and Mrs. J. J. Zinzin; family; Mr. J. M. Waller; Mr. J. T. Carneal; the Rev. W. Howell Taylor; Mr. Cunningham Hall; Mr. John S. Goldsmith; Mr. J. D. Neill; Mrs. Grace Shields; Mr. and Mrs. William Todd; Mrs. Mary Jarvis; Mrs. Margaret Stokes; Mrs. Henry G. Cannon; Mr. R. L. Campbell; Mr. Ware B. Gay and Mr. William Northrup.

All matters appertaining to "The Chesterfield"—that it will be fireproof, that telephones and elevators will bring it into communication with every point in and out of the city; that its cafe will be finished in crimson and white, with marble mantels and open fireplace, that it is to have billiard and pool rooms and a rathskeller—are being eagerly discussed by society folk of both sexes, with whom a matter of such new and unusual points of interest seems the one thing just now to talk, think and plan about.

The cafe will be under the immediate charge of Miss Mary Jarvis, of Baltimore, and arrangements have been made to secure the comforts of a delightful home table. "The Chesterfield" will be opened October 1st. Messrs. Nolan and Baskerville, of this city, have been associated architects in its erection and may well feel proud of the outcome of their work. The furniture for the cafe, the lobby, the ladies' reception room and the rathskeller, together with all the draperies, have been made to order and will add much to the elegant interior appearance of the house.

"The Chesterfield" will be the first building of the kind in Richmond. At different times "flats" have gone up, and have been lived in, but they are very different from such a structure as this, which minimizes the problematical trouble of living and service, and puts this community on a level with others where such apartment houses have long been recognized not only as a great comfort and convenience, but as a necessity.

Natural Bridge Excursion.

On Tuesday, the 28th instant, the Board of Lady Managers of the Retreat for the Sick, will give the most enjoyable excursion of the season to the Natural Bridge. The James River line, Chesapeake and Ohio train, will leave the Main Street depot at 10:20 A. M. and reach Natural Bridge at 5:32 P. M. Leaves Natural Bridge at 11:30 A. M. July 29th, and arrives in Richmond at 6:35 P. M.

The price of the ticket is \$5.50, which includes the round trip railroad fare, round trip stage transfer, admission to the grounds, supper, lodging and breakfast.

The Natural Bridge of Virginia, one of the wonders of the world, approaches Niagara in grandeur, and exceeds it in height, and awful mystery. It is a single block of limestone, with many shades of color, wide enough to span Broadway, and high enough to throw in shadow the spire of Trinity Church. Since 1773 distinguished scientists and travelers have journeyed hither and marveled at the superb proportions of this exquisite example of nature's architecture. Not the pen of the writer; the canvass of the painter; or the plate of the photographer can reproduce its majestic grace. The place is classic, too, for they tell how Washington carved his name in the rock 200 feet high, and threw stones over the Bridge itself. Marshall wrote of it as "God's greatest miracle in stone," and Henry Clay as "The Bridge not made with hands, that spans a river, carries a highway, and makes two mountains one."

As there are already more people at the Applegate and Pavilion Hotels than at any other mountain resort, the number of Retreat excursionists is limited to sixty, who will be comfortably accommodated, and honored by a brilliant illumination of the Bridge the night they spend there.

Weddings of the Week.

The many friends of Miss Marie Johnston and Mr. George N. Lawson, will be surprised to hear of their marriage, which took place quietly at the home of the bride, Thursday, July 16th, at 2 P. M. In the absence of their pastor, the Rev. Charles A. Marks, of the First English Lutheran Church, the Rev. John Haman, of the Union Station Methodist Church, officiated.

The wedding occurred rather sooner than was expected, in consequence of a visit from Mrs. J. C. Pinkinton, of Rockford, Ill., the sister of the bride, who desired to witness the nuptial celebration before her return home. The bride has been for some years one of the salesladies in the art department of Miller and Rhoads. She is well known and exceedingly popular.



MISS SADIE BRITTON, OF WASHINGTON, D. C., A Brilliant Belle at the Old Sweet Springs, Virginia.

The groom, a former employee of the W. R. Trigg Company, is at present with the American Locomotive Works, and is held in high esteem by his associates. Mr. and Mrs. Larson left immediately after the ceremony for Williamsburg and York River, Va., where they will spend their honeymoon with friends.

A pretty morning wedding was celebrated at 8 o'clock last Wednesday in St. John's Episcopal Church, when Miss Ida Hensley Knight and Mr. Albert C. Goode were married by the rector, the Rev. Robert A. Goodwin.

Attendees were the maid of honor and best man—Miss Mamie Southern and Mr. William Jarvis—and the groomsmen, Messrs. E. V. Farinholt, W. D. Leake, Robert J. Williams and W. H. Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Goode, who were most pleasantly and generally remembered in the way of wedding gifts, are now taking a Northern wedding tour, which will probably extend to Canada. They will reside at No. 260 East Marshall Street on their return. The bride, who was married from the home of her aunt, Mrs. Susan V. Pollard, is a great-granddaughter of the Rev. Philip Courtney, a man who in his day was exceedingly well known and beloved in Richmond. The groom is a successful young lawyer, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Goode.

The Rev. Dr. Harry E. C. Keith Murray, an ex-student at Pantops Academy, near Charlottesville, who visited the academy last year, and is most pleasantly recalled by his many friends here and in Virginia, was recently married at Durban, Natal, South Africa, to Miss Dorothy Amy, the daughter of Charles Barclay, of Kensington, London. Dr. Keith belongs to the Gordon Memorial Mission at Umshinga, Natal.

Miss Geraldine Banks Shell, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. N. Shell, was

quietly married Wednesday last at 8 A. M. to Mr. William H. Schutte. The ceremony was performed in the home of the bride's parents, No. 1925 West Cary Street, by the Rev. Father William, of St. Mary's German Church. Miss Bessie Cullen Shell attended the bride. The groom's best man was Mr. John H. Lyneam. The bridal couple went North for a visit to a number of interesting points, and will return to Richmond about August 1st.

Cards are out for the marriage on August 5th, of Miss Susie Virginia Ward, the daughter of the late Judge Robert H. Ward, of Campbell county, and Mr. William C. Rleson, of Danville.

The wedding celebration will be held at "Avalon," Va., the home of Mr. Thomas Fauntleroy.

The eighth annual Horse Show to be held at Manassas next Wednesday and Thursday is exciting a great deal of interest in that section, and all over the State.

There are in all about four hundred entries. Handsome cups will be awarded in the ladies' hunter class, by Messrs. A. O. and P. V. Portner. Lieutenant-Governor Joseph Whiffard will be the donor of the "Fairfax cup," for which the Hunt Club team class will contest.

Among the guests who are booked for the show are Governor and Mrs. A. J. Montague, Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Joseph Whiffard, Senator John W. Daniel, Senator and Mrs. Thomas S. Martin,



MRS. J. A. C. CHANDLER, Who has chaperoned one of the most charming of house parties at the Jefferson Park Hotel this season, and who acquitted herself with her usual grace and distinction in the presentation of the play "Alabama," given by the Richmond College Dramatic Club the evening of July 14th, in the Jefferson Auditorium at the University of Virginia.

Hon. and Mrs. Henry Fairfax, General Eppa Hunton, General Payne, Hon. Carter Glass, Hon. A. C. Braxton, Hon. Rufus A. Ayers, Hon. G. Taylor Garret, Hon. John P. Ryan, John F. Rixey, R. Walton Moore, B. R. Donohoe, Marshall McCormick and others.

The Virginia Summer School of Methods held this year at the University of Virginia, has closed after a most successful session.

The University course of the school, which is distinct from the methods department, will be continued until July 31st. The enrollment for this year includes representatives from sixteen different States in the Union, and was the largest known in the history of the school, which was presided over by Mr. E. C. Glass, of Lynchburg. A large number of Richmond teachers were in attendance.

Personal Mention.

The International Mercantile Marine Company's Red Star liner Finland, which sailed from New York for Antwerp yesterday, had among its list of cabin passengers Miss Ellen Glasgow, Miss Rebe Glasgow and Mrs. Cary Glasgow McCormick.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas of South Dakota, who have been visiting Mr. Thomas' uncle, Mr. Robert Thomas, at No. 305 East Franklin Street, have gone with their children to visit Mr. Thomas' relatives in Louisiana county. There they will be joined by Mr. and Mrs. Julian Thomas, who have been during July at Charlottesville, Boston and at the summer schools, on Martha's Vineyard.

Mr. George Thomas, formerly lived in Richmond, but is now connected with the South Dakota University. His old friends here were pleased to meet him and Mrs. Thomas again.

Mr. G. Palmer Stacy, of New York, is visiting his parents, on South Fifth Street, en route to Virginia Beach.

Miss Bertha Bowles, with her friends, Misses Estelle Goodman and Sadie Floyd, left the city yesterday for a week's outing at the Jefferson Park Hotel.

Miss Emma Green, formerly of Roanoke, Va., but now of Parkersburg, W. Va., who has been spending a fortnight at Virginia Beach, is now with her aunt, Mrs. Charles B. Stacy, of No. 123 South Fifth Street, for a few days.

Miss Myrtle Page has left for a two weeks' visit to friends in Lynchburg. She is accompanied by Miss Anna Hamilton, from Philadelphia, Pa.

Miss Maude Sheppard, of Columbia, is the guest of Miss Daisy Fleming, of the West End.

Miss Louise Yancey and Miss Gay Wilson are spending some time at Wilmington, N. C., and Wrightsville Sound.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Diacont are chaperoning a camping party on the Albemarle Beach, James River. The party includes Miss Lillie Parker, Miss Virginia Diacont, Miss Lizette Higgins, Miss Eva Mathews, the Rev. and Mrs. T. B. McSparran, Dr. and Mrs. Alvin Higgins and Mr. Elber Higgins.

Mr. F. J. Jacobs left yesterday morning to join his wife and daughters, who are at present in Baltimore. The whole party, accompanied by Miss Fannie Jacobs, of Norfolk, and Miss Julia Jacobs, of Wheeling, W. Va., will go to spend four weeks at Atlantic City.

Mrs. James M. Granger, of No. 714 North Twenty-third Street, with her little granddaughter, Miss Ruby Peary, left Friday to spend several weeks with Mrs. Emma Taylor, of Norfolk, and Mrs. Annie Buckley, of Portsmouth, the niece and sister-in-law of Mrs. Granger.

Miss Maude M. Atkins, of Luray, Va., is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. A. Stroie, at No. 669 Randolph Street.

The lawn party to be given by the Highland Park Methodist Church, at the residence of Mr. T. Elwood Tragle, has been postponed until August.

Miss Lillie May Holloway has just returned from a delightful trip of six weeks to Wilmington, N. C., where she has been visiting her uncle, Mr. T. S. Toler.

Miss Louise Whitfield, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Whitfield and Mr. Henry G. Goodman, associated in business with the firm of Strauss Brothers & Friday, to spend several weeks with Mrs. Emma Taylor, of Norfolk, and Mrs. Annie Buckley, of Portsmouth, the niece and sister-in-law of Mrs. Granger.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Elwood Tragle, of Highland Park, will leave next week to enjoy the remainder of the summer at Atlantic City.

Friends of Miss Fannie Ford, of No. 912 Twenty-seventh Street, will be glad to know that she is having a delightful time in the Virginia mountains and that she hopes to return to Richmond in September well and strong.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rae, who are spending a week in Richmond with the bride's relatives and Mr. Rae's old

Final Sale of Trimmed Hats

Values count but little with us in this final disposal sale of Trimmed Hats. In some cases the Hats that were originally \$6 are now marked \$1.88, and the patterns that were \$15 to \$20 are now \$4.88. Every Colored Hat in the house is included in the sale and amongst the two hundred offered can be found some dainty designs, in all white, white and black and all black.

Lot A at \$1.88. All the Hats we previously sold at \$5.00.	Lot C at \$3.88. All the Hats we originally sold at \$8.00.
Lot B at \$2.88. All the Hats we originally sold at \$6.50.	Lot D at \$4.88. The Pattern Hats we originally sold at \$15, at \$18, at \$22.50.

Which includes some popular straw shapes, trimmed in satin ribbon and flowers. Also, a few all made Silk Hats, daintily trimmed with double bows of Liberty satin ribbon.

Which includes all made fancy Straw Hats, Tucked Chiffon Hats, Tulle Hats and Hats made of tiny loops of ribbon, and trimmed with the best material we have in stock.

Which includes some of the models from which the popular hats of the season have been copied. Among them are All-Flower Hats, Chrysanthemum Braids, Tucked Tulle Hats and French Chlp Hats.

Neckwear Special.

Stocks at 10c, regularly priced from 25c to 75c. An assortment of Silk, Natural Linen and Fancy Stocks, some slightly soiled from handling, but a solid bargain to those who are wanting fancy stocks.

Hosiery Special.

Misses' 23c Stockings for 10c. Plain Black Hose, shaped, double heel and toe, Hermsdorf dye, special for the week, 10c per pair.

Ladies' 33c Hose for 19c Pair. Real Lisle Lace, extra spliced heel and toe, warranted stainless—several new designs—special for this week, 19c pair.

Infants' Caps From Our Wholesale Department.

Prices Rule at About 1-3 the Actual Value.

Many of the best styles are represented, too many by far to mention separately, so we have divided them into three lots and priced them to fit all pocketbooks.

Lot 1 at 25c. Infants' Caps of embroidery, hem-stitched tucks or corded, flat or full ruche effects, regular value 62c and 76c, for 25c.	Lot 2 at 38c. Several styles—flat, French effects, double or single ruche with pompon, or trimmed in ribbon, of corded mull or allover embroidery, regular value \$1.00, for 38c.	Lot 3 at 88c. Caps and Bonnets of allover embroidery, corded mull trimmed with Val, or of Point de Spiritie, trimmed in ribbon and silk lined; regular value \$2.38, for 88c.
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\$2.50 White Waists for 95c

All our Fine Button Back Lawn Waists that have been selling all season at \$2.50 will be sold at 95c. They are made up in the noblest styles, some trimmed in fine Swiss insertions, others in lace. Each an exceptional value.

All Our \$3.50 and \$5.00 Lawn Waists, \$1.50.

Fancy Embroidered and Lace Trimmed.

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friends, will leave in a few days for the Pacific coast and be at home after September 1st, at El Paso, Tex.

Miss Laura Carrington is visiting Mrs. Nellie Carrington, of South Boston, Va. Miss Margaret Cabell Carrington will be the guest of honor at a house party, given the latter part of July, by the Misses Clark, of "Clarkton," Va.

Mr. John W. Rieley, Jr., is the guest of friends in Houston.

Mrs. J. Benton Hill is being entertained by Mrs. Robert I. Hudgins, of Hampton, Va., at her country home, "Chesterfield."

Misses Margaret and Katharine Watkins, of Richmond, are summering at their country home, near Houston, Va.

Miss Anne Virginia Culbertson, who spent last summer in Radford, Va., is summering in Hamilton, Canada. Her friends will be interested to know that her book on folk lore will be published by the Bowen-Merrill Co. early next year and will be handsomely illustrated.

Miss Virginia Chamberlayne and Miss Emily Gravatt are the guests of Mrs. Frank Lee, in Newport News.

Miss Janie B. Rogers, of Richmond, is spending some time very pleasantly with her friend, Miss Janie B. Rogers, of South Boston.

Mrs. William Scheler, of Palmyra, who has been visiting friends here, left for home last week, accompanied by her niece, Miss Susie Goodloe.

Miss Eva Elam, of Louisa county, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. John Walsh, on the Williamsburg road. Miss Elam's father was the late Colonel William C. Elam, editor at one time of the Richmond Whig.

Miss Rose Satterfield has returned from a visit to Gloucester county and Newport News. She is now visiting friends in Albemarle county.

Miss Naomi Q. Ford is spending some time with friends at West Point, Va.

Mr. Charles H. Hurrkamp scored one of the most important victories in his career as a racer and trainer of high jumping horses Thursday, when his horse Amet won the Champagne Stakes, purse \$125, at the Atlantic City Horse Show, being "Heatherbloom," the champion high jumper of this country, and a number of other high-class horses. Mr. Hurrkamp came near winning first and second prizes, Mrs. Hurrkamp's roan gelding, being a third, and only beaten a few points by Heatherbloom, who was second.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Stannard have returned from a ten-days' trip to Boston, where they had a most enjoyable time.

The Stay-at-Home Whist Club will meet this evening with Mrs. Emily Glasgow Houston at No. 1 West Main Street.

Miss Elsie Branch, who has spent the last year abroad with her sister, Mrs. Arthur Glasgow, will join her father, Mr. John P. Branch, at the White Sulphur Springs this summer.



MISS GRACE CARNEAL, The daughter of Mr. J. D. Carneal, a much admired young member of Richmond society, who is spending her summer in the Virginia Mountains.

the rest of the summer at Greenwood, Va.

Mrs. Decatur Axtell, who is now in Richmond, will go abroad about the last of July to remain until the early autumn.

The Rev. Charles A. Marks, who had been away from town for several days, was expected to return home last night.

Miss Nellie Gray is having a delightful visit to friends on the Eastern Shore of Virginia.

Miss Emmie Thomas expects to spend August with relatives in Louisa county, Va.

Mrs. Wm. A. Anderson and the Misses Anderson are summering in their country home, at Lexington, Va.

Misses Page and Kate Williams, who have been visiting friends in Richmond, have returned to their home in Orange.

Mrs. Helen G. Manson will spend a part of August at Saratoga Springs.

Mrs. James D. Patton will be at the White Sulphur Springs for a part of August.

Mrs. J. A. C. Chandler is one of the handsomest young matrons at the Jefferson Park Hotel and has been one of

Have You Any Broken Jewelry?

If so, we can repair it artistically and satisfactorily.

This is the proper time—July—when dullness pervades all things—to have your old gold and silver jewelry wrought over and fixed up for the gray fall season.

Repairing jewelry is an art as difficult as the creation of original jewelry. Our repair department is in charge of experts only, and we repair everything reasonably and quickly.

Another reasonable hint: If your eyes slightly worry you, our expert optician is at your service, absolutely free of charge.

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the society leaders there this season.

Misses Kate Fontaine Meade and Miss Marianne Meade will leave this week for Hotel Brandon, at Basic City.

Mrs. Cottrell and her daughter, Mrs. Gordon, of Newport News, expect to spend a part of next winter in Richmond.

The Old Sweet Springs has always been famed for the number of pretty girls who congregate there in summer. Among the most admired of this season's group is Miss Sadie Britton, of Washington, D. C.

The list of debutantes for next winter promises to be one of the fullest and most attractive for many years. It will include the name of Miss Grace Carneal, the daughter of Mr. J. D. Carneal, and a young lady of rare personal attractions.

Miss Ella and Miss Bettie Gatewood will leave Wednesday for Virginia Beach. They will stop at Virginia Beach.

Miss Virginia Clarke will visit friends at Greensboro, N. C., during the month of August.

Miss Nellie H. Davidson, of Baltimore, is spending some time in Richmond. From Richmond she will go to Norfolk and Newport News.