

NEW HALL IN FAIRMOUNT

The Council Holds Meeting and Transacts Business of Interest.

DR. JAMES HAS RETURNED

Fairfield School Board Hears Complaints and Sustains Teacher.

The Town Council of Fairmount met Friday night at the home of Mayor Bernard Callender...

The Committee on Streets reported that Twenty-second Street had been raised and sidewalks had been repaired...

The Grounds and Buildings Committee are pushing with all possible haste the preparations for building the much needed Town Hall...

The census of the town has been ordered to be taken at once.

Dr. Lottimer James, the late coroner, has returned to the city and has been informed of the appointment of Dr. W. A. Deas in his stead...

The school board of Fairfield District met yesterday, paid off the teachers and transacted routine business.

Harrison Christian, one of the trustees, tendered his resignation and it was accepted.

The board held a secret session in reference to a case of which no details will be given out for publication.

BROKERS CLOSE TICKET SHOPS.

Railway Ticket Protective Bureau Wins Victory in Atlanta.

Severance & Weinfeld, and Iseman & Moore, two ticket brokerage firms, which have for many years done business in Atlanta, closed their offices yesterday...

The closing of these offices is the result of skillful work done by the Railway Ticket Protective Bureau, which was organized by the railroads at the suggestion of William A. Pinkerton...

Let our home missionaries pray that this school may prove such a blessing to the mountaineers as the Stone Mountain Memorial at London, Ky.

It is a high grade school with good primary and academic departments. Our Park Place Auxiliary is steadily moving on, hoping for grander achievements this year than ever before.

At the close of this fiscal year we find we have not grown so much numerically, but our workers have been going forth with this new, advancing spirit...

A collection is on foot for a deaconess scholarship in the name of the late Mrs. J. B. Clark. For each dollar raised, the ladies of Clay Street joined in sending a barrel to the Indian mission in Oklahoma.

The young people's society has not been idle. For local work they have raised more than a hundred dollars. They deserve special mention for their untiring efforts in mission work.

It was while the railroads were looking about for ways and means that Mr. Pinkerton suggested the organization of the Railway Protective Bureau.

The deprecations of the ticket brokers upon the revenues of the railroads in the United States and the extent to which the influence of certain scoundrels had permeated the offices of the railroads...

At the 15th one of Pinkerton's expert operatives arrived in Atlanta. This operative and his assistants traced some of these tickets into and other tickets out of Severance & Weinfeld's office.

It is now understood that Weinfeld and Stephens will plead guilty when their case is called in the Superior Court.

Investigated, and that it sustained the teacher. The residence of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Huxler, near Fort Lee, was totally destroyed by fire early yesterday morning.

HOME MISSION SOCIETY.

Work of This Important Branch of the Methodist Church.

Alexander the Great gave mankind the idea of a great State composed of men of many races living together in peace and mutual respect...

So with this idea the Home Mission Society has gone forth upon a wide field of usefulness, extending from ocean to ocean, working among all races and classes.

With a grand scope of work—the heathen among us, the mountain people, the lost women, the lost of the cities, parsonage building, etc.

For fifteen years the Home Mission Society has been in operation, and through its instrumentality, hundreds of needy preachers have been provided with comfortable homes.

But with all the past achievements there are grander results ahead. This twentieth century means unspendable opportunities to ever earnest Christian woman.

Our Cuban schools are developing in broadening unfitness under the efficient supervision of Miss Mary Bruce.

The three schools at Tampa, Ybor City and Key West are all under her supervision, and number about four hundred and eighty. She conducts "Home Missions" visits from house to house, and carries forward a night school for Italians.

What wonders can be performed by a life given to His service!

On the Pacific coast we have a Japanese church, with a native minister of our pastor. He is a native minister of our church in Japan.

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To Issue Bonds. The Manufacturers' Record has the following to say of the Southern Machine Manufacturing Company...

Colonel Lee Honored. Colonel Robert E. Lee, Jr., has accepted an invitation from Stone Hill Camp, C. V., of Portsmouth, Va., to deliver the memorial address before that body on May 13th.

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We Are Displaying Spring Styles Throughout the Store.

Nowhere Is the Coming Season More Manifest Than in Silk and Woolen Dress Goods. Women have been thronging into these departments during the past two weeks, even during the stormy weather...

- Novelty Mohairs, 75c. Novelty Suitings, 81c. Prunella Cloths, \$1. Waterproof Serges, \$1. Broadcloths, \$1. Mohair Brilliantines, \$1. Silk Wool Crepe, \$1. Acclains, \$1. Grenadine Voiles, \$1. Melange Twines, \$1.

- Chiffon Foulards, 75c. Shaliko Silk, \$1. Pongees, 60c. to \$1.50. Foulards, 50c. Black Taffetas, 50c. to \$1.50. 19 inches wide. Black Japanese Silks, 50c. to \$1. Black Peau de Soie, 50c. to \$2. Honan Pongees, 50c. Corded Wash Silks, 30c.

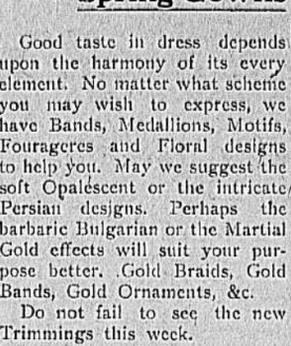
Is Your New Wash Dress or Waist to be of White Material? Glance over this list. The first price represents what they'd be worth if we were doing our wholesale buying this week.

- 25c Fine French Batiste, 17c. Full 40 inches wide, extra fine and sheer. 33c Fine Persian Lawn, 25c. Full 40 inches wide, very sheer and fine finish. 17c India Lawn, 12 1/2-2c. Full 40 inches, one of the best values of the season. 20c Fancy Pique, 12 1/2-2c. In a good line of figures and dots. 16c Sea Island Batiste, 12 1/2-2c. An excellent wearing cloth.

Specialty Low Prices on White Bass Wood For Pyrographic Work. 1904 will be a great season for burnt wood work and fortune has favored us this spring in the purchase of materials.

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This Picture Shows a Redfern Corset Model N. \$7.



Richmond people appreciate the value of a first-class Corset as is shown by our sales during the past week of Redferns.

Our Window Shade Dept. is prepared to do your work promptly and do it well. There's nothing in Richmond to equal our way of making a tint Cambric or Holland shade with heringbone attached side hem.

Half Dozen or So Bargains in the Basement. New Berlin Drip Coffee Pots (by the way, have you ever used a Drip Coffee Pot?)

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