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## I WILL ACCEPT, SAYS WILLARD

Popular Lieutenant-Governor to Be Member of Corporation Commission.

SUCCEEDS HENRY FAIRFAX

Will Probably Be Sworn in Next Week—Popular Appointment.

"I have definitely determined that I will accept the position as member of the State Corporation Commission that Governor Montague has offered me."

This was the statement made by Lieutenant-Governor Joseph E. Willard last night.

When asked if he would accept at once, Captain Willard replied that he had nothing further to say at this time.

Under the Constitution it will be impossible for him to be sworn in as a member of the Corporation Commission until he has disposed of all railroad securities that he now holds.

When asked if he had disposed of such securities, he replied that he would strictly follow the requirements of the Constitution in every particular.

It was learned from a trustworthy source that Captain Willard has already disposed of a great extent of his holdings in railroads, and has made arrangements to dispose of the remainder at once.

When he will be sworn in is a matter largely of conjecture, but the well known fact that Mr. Henry Fairfax is extremely anxious to be relieved points to an early day, possibly next week.

## Man of Highest Stamp

Ever since the exclusive announcement in the Times-Dispatch that the Governor had appointed Captain Willard, on every side there has been but one expression of opinion that the State would be most fortunate in securing the services of a man not only eminently fitted for the position, but secure in the esteem and confidence of the people of Virginia.

Captain Willard was for eight years a member of the House of Delegates, and for the last four years has been Lieutenant-Governor of the State.

As presiding officer of the Senate, during that time, his record has been most enviable, for so wise and able were his rulings, he won the respect and good will of every member of that body, irrespective of party.

It will now be necessary for Captain Willard to accept the position, and by this time as Lieutenant-Governor, and by this time as Governor, his record will be a credit to the State.

There seems to be no doubt but that Governor Montague will appoint Captain Willard as member of the Corporation Commission to succeed himself on February 1, 1906.

## Barbecue in Greene.

Congressman Claude A. Swanson returned from Hanover Courthouse yesterday afternoon and spent last night at Murphy's. He will leave this morning for Greene county to speak to-morrow at a barbecue at Standardsville. Chairman Ellyson last night announced an appointment for Hon. Chas. Trotter Lassiter, of Petersburg, to speak at Prince George Court to-day.

## AT THE "CITY HOME."

Committee on Poor Hears Interesting Report on Conditions.

The council committee for the relief of the poor held a meeting last night. A chairman being promptly on hand, the question called the meeting to order at 8 o'clock.

The usual reports of the superintendent of the almshouse and the physician of the almshouse were submitted, read and admitted to the committee.

The superintendent's report shows that the total number of inmates of the almshouse August 1 was 237, and during August 65 whites and 33 colored persons were admitted.

In August 31 whites and 31 colored persons were discharged and five whites and 12 colored persons died.

There are now in the almshouse 223 persons, 21 less than there were a year ago.

Dr. Trevillian, the surgeon of the hospital, was questioned closely by the committee concerning typhoid fever and other contagious diseases in the almshouse hospital. He declared there had been fewer cases of typhoid this season than usual and there is now only one case in the hospital and that is a mild one. No other cases of contagious diseases are there for treatment. The bill for the addition to the new station was read and ordered paid.

The committee discussed the question of better fire protection at the almshouse, but the whole subject was referred to a sub-committee for investigation and report.

REAL ESTATE BARGAINS.

Agents Are Ready to Talk Business—Public Auction Sales.

The real estate men are busy enough, but they are not expecting any big thing of a public character this week. They have many bargains to offer on private terms and some of them have orders to fill for desirable property of one kind and another, and have made their wants known in the advertising columns of the

Healthy Mind, Healthy Body, Both Bright about you.

POSTUM FOOD COFFEE

Try 10 days to prove.

## NEWS GATHERED FROM SOUTHSIDE

Mrs. Smith is Sentenced to Five Years in State Penitentiary.

## SHEPARD K. SMITH FREED

Mrs. Smith's Case to Go Before the Supreme Court.

Manchester Bureau, Times-Dispatch, No. 1102 Hull Street.

The motion for a new trial for Mrs. Shepard K. Smith was overruled yesterday morning in the Corporation Court of Manchester by Judge Clifton, and a nolle prosequi was entered in the case of the husband, who was charged with complicity in the crime of which Mrs. Smith stands convicted. Mrs. Smith came in the court room supported by her husband. She was neatly dressed in black and wore a heavy veil. Mr. Smith was attired in a black suit and wore a closely cropped mustache. Both prisoners were seated near their counsel.

The motion for a new trial was submitted without argument, and Judge Clifton then rendered his decision. He stated that in his opinion there was no reason why a new trial should be granted. He had carefully read all the evidence in the case, and after giving the matter due consideration, arrived at this decision. He then overruled the motion. The prisoner was then asked to rise, and Judge Clifton passed sentence upon her, giving her a term of five years in the State penitentiary.

## Prisoner Breaks Down.

At this point the fortitude, with which Mrs. Smith had so strongly borne the heart-rending scenes of her trial, gave way, and it was only with the support of her husband that she was able to stand while sentence was passed. She was asked if she had anything to say and replied negatively. She then broke down and wept bitterly.

Her counsel asked for a stay of thirty days in which to prepare his papers for the Supreme Court. This was granted, and Mrs. Smith was remained back to jail, where she will remain until the highest tribunal in the State has passed upon her case.

## Sent to the Grand Jury.

The case of the six white boys charged with breaking into the shop of a Mr. Lambert and taking two shotguns, came before the Mayor yesterday morning. After hearing the evidence in the case the Mayor sent three to the grand jury. These are Fred Jenkins, Herbert Cox and Manley Furgusson.

## Schools Now Opened.

The Manchester public schools were opened yesterday morning under the highest auspices for a succeeding year. There was a large attendance of the old pupils. The new pupils will be enrolled to-day, and tomorrow the real work of teaching and learning will begin.

## Finds True Bills.

The Manchester grand jury yesterday found true bills against the following persons: George Morris, charged with criminal assault.

## Personals and Briefs.

The home of Henry Harris, colored, caught fire yesterday morning, but was saved by the prompt arrival of the fire department.

## Property Transfers.

Richmond—George W. Bradley's heirs to 24-1/2 acres on east side of county road which parallels the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad, between Hungary and Hermitage roads, to Harry C. Beattie, \$100.

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No cooking, heating or fussing. One package makes two quarts of fine Ice Cream.

Four kinds: Vanilla, Chocolate, Strawberry and Unflavored.

Two packages, 25 cents at all grocers.

If your grocer hasn't it, send his name and address to J. C. Wadley, 1102 Hull Street, Richmond, Va. He will mail you a recipe book with the Jell-O.

The Gessco Pure Food Co., Le Roy, N. Y.

## ENTIRELY FALSE, SAYS MR. WADDEY

Spokesman of Master Printers Denies Report Regarding Employment of Negroes.

## NO CO-OPERATIVE SHOPS

Mr. Jefferson Berry, of Printers' Press Committee, Says Such Thing Never Considered.

Regarding the rather startling report published in an afternoon paper yesterday that the employing printers were having their work done by colored printers, some of whom had come from other places, Mr. Dyeret Waddey, spokesman for the master printers, said last night: "I am authorized by every employing printer who is working in conjunction with the Richmond Typothetae to pronounce that statement as absolutely false.

"No member of the Typothetae, and no employing printer working in co-operation with the Typothetae, has at any time since the strike, had any negro printer in his employ, either day or night, nor have they had at any time any work of any character or description done by any negro printer, either in this city or any other place."

One of the prominent members of the Typothetae said on yesterday that he was having no trouble in getting out his work and that he had been able to lend a man to a friend who was behind his contracts.

## In Fight to Finish.

The printers say that they are in the fight to a finish and that they have enormous financial support behind their organization.

Neither side has shown any disposition to give way and the fight is just as it was nine days ago when the printers "walked out."

That the striking printers are or have been seriously considering the feasibility of establishing in Richmond a job printing plant in opposition to the members of the Typothetae, who are denying the requests of the union men, was positively denied yesterday by Mr. Jefferson Berry, a member of the Press Committee of the Typographical Union who has been authorized by the striking men to give out information.

"The account published in The Times-Dispatch several days ago that there would be no co-operative plant established by the union was correct," says Mr. Berry.

He furthermore said that the report originated, as told in the issue of the morning paper dealing with the question, by some member of the union who declared incidentally that if all the job printing establishments closed, the strikers would then certainly try to accommodate those who had to have printing done.

"We have no idea of establishing such a plant, for we are confident of winning this strike. The men are holding together, and there are no signs of weakening in the ranks," said Mr. Berry.

## NEW TREASURES.

## List of Books Recently Received in the State Library.

- A list of the books received at the Virginia State Library from September 2d to 10th is appended:
- James A. H. What I Did With My Fifty Millions, 1874.
- Report of American Historical Association, 1905.
- House Doc. Vol. 110.
- Sir Henry Bessemer, F. R. S., An Autobiography, 1905.
- Edmund Robertson, The Philippine Islands, Vols. XXVIII and XIX.
- M. A. Burgess, History of the Battlefields of the Confederate Congress, published by United States Congress, Senate Doc. Vol. 28, 1905.
- James Coleman, Physiology for Beginners, 1905.
- Rev. W. A. Crocker, Studies in the Book of Revelation, 1905.
- B. W. Davis, Poems, 1905.
- Sixth Report Daughters of the American Revolution, published by United States Congress, Senate Documents, Vol. 33, 1904.
- (James Quayle) Denley and (Lester Frank) Ward, A Text-Book of Sociology, 1905.
- Thomas Dixon, Jr., The Life Worth Living, A Personal Experience, 1905.
- Dodd, Alford and Company, Auctioneer, Public Auction, Vol. 110, 1905.
- Hugh B. Grubb, The Virginia Convention of 1829-30, A Disposition, 1854.
- Edmund Robertson, The Baking Powder Controversy, Vol. 1. (Presented by the author).
- F. D. and A. J. Herberich, Descriptive Geography of Asia, 1905.
- Descriptive Geography of Europe, Descriptive Geography of North America.
- Hora Jucunda, A Monthly Magazine for Blind, Vols. September, October, November, December, 1904; January, February, 1905. (Presented by Miss M. L. Quirk).
- W. H. Hopkins, F. S. S., The Canadian Annual Review of Public Affairs, 1904.
- Richard Irvy, Historical Sketch of the Notaway Grays, and other papers. Historical Collections, Virginia Historical Society, Dinwiddie Papers, Vols. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.
- James Power Smith, General Lee at Gettysburg, 1905.
- Burnett's Extract of Vanilla is the best, perfectly pure, highly concentrated.

## KING EDWARD IS TO MAKE GET

Will Give Bruton Parish Church a Bible for Lectern Use.

## HOLY BOOK TO BE INSCRIBED

Rev. Mr. Goodwin, Rector, Receives Letter from Archbishop of Canterbury.

Bruton Parish, the historical church of Williamsburg, Va., and the second oldest and the longest in continuous use in the United States, has just been the recipient of an offer, unparalleled in the history of the Episcopal Church in America, of a Bible to be donated by His Majesty, King Edward VII. of England.

Rev. W. A. R. Goodwin, rector of Bruton Parish, was recently in receipt of a letter from the Archbishop of Canterbury, in which he states that the King has consented to donate a Bible for lectern use in Bruton Parish. His Grace states that the King has authorized him to select the Bible, which shall be presented to His Majesty's approval.

The Holy Book will be especially and appropriately bound and inscribed. This royal mark of esteem is to be given by the King in commemoration of the three hundredth anniversary of the establishment of the Church of England, which is to be made particularly to Bruton Parish Church, in view of the fact that Bruton is the official successor of the church at Jamestown, where first broke the dawn of Eastern enlightenment and religion, and because of its intimate association with the early history of the Old Dominion. Jamestown Island, which may be termed the cradle of the Western Empire, though to-day ravaged by the mighty waters of the James and partly in a state of desolation, is still the Mecca of the seeker for colonial history, and is still regarded as the birthplace of the inspiration of an empire reaching people. Its annals and records have been preserved in history, and the Society for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities has taken the island in hand with the worthy endeavor to protect it from the further ravages of water and time, and the most historical landmark in all America. A tardy recognition of its importance will be the Jamestown Exposition, which is to be held in 1907, on the occasion of the three hundredth anniversary of the founding of the republic.

## Was the Court Church.

Bruton was the Court Church of Colonial Virginia from 1699 to the Revolution. Here, in silk canopied pew, worshipped the Colonial Governors, two of whom were buried in the aisle of the church. Here, in the part of the church built and paid for by the Virginia House of Burgesses, worshipped Washington, Jefferson, Monroe, Tyler, Blount, Lee and many other men, who were among the builders of the nation. This church, where the old colonial heroes ministered as the servants of both their country and their God, forms the monumental link between the past and the present. With its historical associations and its hallowed memories it is an inheritance of the past and a trust of the greater future. From its ivied walls springs the odor of that generation, which by their blood, their devotion and their faith in the high ideal has bequeathed to posterity the foremost nation of the world.

The present church was built in 1715, during the rectorship of Rev. Commissary Blair, the official representative in Virginia of the Lord Bishop of London, and the founder and the first president of the College of William and Mary. The work of restoration, which is now proceeding, will leave unchanged the exterior, where change would mean innovation. But the interior, which was changed and distorted in view of conditions no longer extant, will be restored to its ancient form and architecture, and the whole will be transmitted to following generations as it was planned and built and used by the founders of the colony.

The King had been informed through the Archbishop of Canterbury, of the effort being made to preserve and restore the building to its original structure as a witness to the continuity of the church and the faith and devotion of the early settlers of Virginia, and remembering the ties, which in years gone had bound his throne to the loyalists of the Old Dominion, and recognizing Virginia as his mother State and the seat of the Church of England, was prompted to make the gift. Also, perhaps, the King has not forgotten the time when he, as the princely representative of the mother land, was entertained with that hospitality for which Virginia has always been famous.

## When Work is Completed.

The time when this royal gift is presented will depend upon the date when the work, now in progress, of restoring the old church is completed.

For the preservation of the historic building, over \$12,000 has already been contributed. For the restoration of the interior, \$8,500 is needed. As soon as this is secured, the work will be started, and the royal gift appropriately received.

This gift from the King of England to old Bruton gives an international significance to the work being done to preserve and restore this ancient church, for around which are gathered so many historic associations, and the improved altar, and still uses the original font and communion silver of the Jamestown Church, and a set of communion silver presented to the parish by King George III., and another set of silver known as the Queen Anne service. The pre-Revolutionary Bible and Prayer Book have been preserved, and also the old parish register No. 162, upon which the name of George Washington occurs eleven times.

The letter which has just been received by Mr. Goodwin from the Archbishop of Canterbury is merely personal at this time, but an official notification of the made later, when the details of the ceremony of making the gift will be arranged.

## "A STILL ALARM."

## New Quarters of Companies 3 and 10 to Be Happy Scene.

The following very attractive invitation being sent out to a limited number of friends of Richmond's fire jacks:

Richmond, Va., Sept. 15, 1905.

You are invited to attend the "Still Alarm" from box 42, at the new quarters of Truck and Engine Companies Nos. 3 and 10, Broad Street, near Lombard, on Monday night, September 25. Come and help us enjoy.

Truly yours,  
GUS HANSON,  
CEO. DAVIS,  
Committee.

J. H. Raffo, captain Engine No. 10.  
A. J. Huddle, captain Truck No. 3.

## School Opening.

School Books! School Tools!

The yearly event has arrived in which parents and children are much interested, and it means much to them. There are so many little things that the child must have for school, and we have laid in full supplies suitable for all; and everything at full value for the price.

## BOOKS.

All the Text Books Used in the Public and Private Schools. We Can Supply Any Book Published, if in Print. Second-Hand Books Cheap.

- Supplies.**
- Composition Books, 5c, 10c to 25c.
  - Pen and Pencil Tablets; good paper.
  - Students' Note Books, 1c, 3c, 5c.
  - Pens and Holders.
  - Compasses, 5c, 10c and 25c.
  - Colored Crayons, 6 colors in box, 5c and 10c.
  - Slates and Pencils.
  - Inks, Paste, Mucilage.
  - School Bags, 25c to \$1.50.
  - Book Straps, 5c, 10c to 50c.
  - Sponges and Rubbers.
  - Globes from 25c to \$5; \$10 and upwards.
- No Cheap Goods, But Good Goods Cheap.**

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## COST SWANSON NINE THOUSAND

Senator Martin Eleven Thousand, Attorney-General Anderson Eight Hundred.

## THOUSANDS FOR POSTAGE

Other Candidates Have Until Thursday to File Their Accounts.

Senator Thomas S. Martin filed on yesterday in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth his expense account of the late primary.

An interesting fact in connection with the occasion was that Mr. D. A. Riene, Governor Montague's private secretary was the notary before whom the account was acknowledged.

While the sum total, \$11,542.02, was not as large as had been predicted, it was more than two years' salary for representing the State in the United States Senate, and so the high honor cost Senator Martin just two years' and four months' pay.

## Itemized Statement.

The expense account is as follows:

Assessment fee.....	\$1,500 00
Amount paid Murphy's Hotel for rooms for use as campaign headquarters and for board, etc.....	1,768 55
Amount paid clerks, stenographers and typewriters for work at headquarters.....	2,155 05
Postage stamps for letters and printed matter mailed.....	2,718 01
Paid for printing.....	917 90
Paid for stationery.....	412 23
Newspapers, publications and for subscriptions.....	1,103 52
Telephone and telegraphing.....	96 28
Expressage.....	25 05
Rent typewriting machines.....	88 50
Rent halls for speaking.....	149 00
Railroad tickets, traveling expenses and incidentals, as near as can be estimated.....	600 00
	\$11,542 02

## Swanson and Anderson.

Attorney General Anderson also filed his expense account, which amounted to \$288.61, of which \$500 were the assessment imposed by the State committee.

Messrs. Montague, Mann, Swanson and Willard have until September 21 to file their accounts. It is expected that two candidates will have yet made his report.

It was learned late last night that Governor-elect Claude A. Swanson had filed his account of primary expenditures.

The office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth was closed and Mr. Swanson indisposed, so that it was impossible to secure a copy of the report. The total amount expended by Mr. Swanson exceeded \$5,000.

## A PRETTY WEDDING.

## Miss Saunders Becomes the Bride of Mr. Charles P. Hartz.

The marriage of Miss Nannie B. Saunders to Mr. Charles P. Hartz was celebrated last night at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. V. Saunders, on West Cary Street. The parlors were beautifully decorated with palms, ferns and carnations, and was met at the altar, supported by white columns, was wrapped in smiles.

The bridesmaids, Miss Nannie Lithgow and Miss Nellie Lawton, were gowned in white and carried carnations.

The bride entered with her brother, Mr. J. G. Saunders, and was met at the altar by the groom, attended by his best man, Mr. James L. Hartz.

The bride was attended in a traveling suit of brown and carried a shower bouquet of roses. They will be at home to their friends October 1st. They left after the ceremony for an extended Northern trip.

The bride is a most popular young lady, and the groom is here in a danger of not being filled. The Monroe, the splendid new steamer, built at Newport News, and one-third larger than other boats in the fleet, is of course the favorite, and runs with every berth full each trip.

It is probably the most popular sea trip in America and is said to be "the longest short trip in the world."

## HEAVY TRAVEL.

## Old Dominion Steamers Run Full Every Trip.

The travel on the Old Dominion steamers between Norfolk and New York is extremely heavy, and orders for berths less than a week in advance are in danger of not being filled. The Monroe, the splendid new steamer, built at Newport News, and one-third larger than other boats in the fleet, is of course the favorite, and runs with every berth full each trip.

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**Brings His Bride.**

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Coleman Brown have returned from England. Mr. Brown brings his bride home. They are now at 111-1/2 Grove Avenue. Mr. T. H. Blunt, uncle of Mr. Brown, also returned. Following their marriage, August 23d, Mr. and Mrs. Brown visited many places of interest in the West Indies.

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## CLAYBORNE EPPS MAY RUN AS INDEPENDENT

Says Great Pressure Is Being Brought to Bear Upon Him.

"Great pressure is being brought to have me run as an independent candidate for City Sergeant at the November election, but I have not yet decided what I shall do. If I decide to run, the people of Richmond will be given a full explanation of my position."

This is what Mr. H. Clayborne Epps had to say regarding the much discussed question as to whether or not he will contest Mr. J. C. Smith's run for City Sergeant.

On account of the resolution passed at the Royal meeting on Saturday night, which stated that no voter was "bound" by the late city primary by reason of the fraudulent methods that were employed, considerable talk was heard about the streets.

Mr. Royal positively states that he is in no way associated with Mr. Epps, and that he is not nor has not been his counsel.

## YOUNG BABY DESERTED.

## Stranger Found Just Inside Gates of City Home.

Last night Superintendent George B. Davis, of the "City Home," found a baby boy just inside the gates of the Home. The wife was only about twenty-four hours old and was well dressed. It was evidently left by someone who was aware of the movements of Mr. Davis, for he had just gone out to the car to meet some members of his family who had been down town, and discovered the baby on his return. He took the little stranger into the Home, where it was cared for, unless it is claimed or someone wishes to adopt it.

## \$400 Pianos FOR \$219

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