NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

BARTON HEIGHTS

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Yarbrough and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Frischkorn, Jr., and Miss Monica Frischkorn and nurse, have left for Mount Elliott Springs to spend the month of August.

Miss Helen Harlan, of Barton Avenue, is spending a delightful time at Atlantic City.

Mrs. Madison Flanagan and daughter, Miss Reata, are visiting relatives in Cumberland county, Va.

Mrs. T. K. Sands has left for Maine to visit friends and relatives.

Miss Louise Mooers, of Luck Avenue, has left for Charles City, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Mooers, who have been visiting their son, Mr. O. M. Mooers, of Luck Avenue, have returned to their home in Charles City, Va.

Mrs. W. H. Bixby and sons, of Poe Street, have left for Christmas Cove, Maine, where they will be the guest of her brother, Dr. F. H. Chamberlayne, of New York, at his summer home.

Miss Mary Carter, of North Avenue, has left for Hanover, to visit relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. S. Lancaster has returned home from a very pleasant visit to friends in Washington.

Mrs. Gillie Bowie, of Lamb Avenue, is visiting friends in Charlottesville.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Winston, of Lamb Avenue, has left to spend the month at Millboro Springs, in Bath county.

Miss Annie Laurie Pitt, is visiting friends in Christiansburg.

Mr. D. J. Gregory, of Lamb Avenue, has left for Charlotte, N. C.

Mrs. Carter White has left for New York, where she will spend several months.

Miss Helen Harlan, of Barton Avenue, is having a delightful outing at Atlantic City, N. J.

Mr. Henry Mooers, of Alabama, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Mooers, of Luck Avenue.

Miss Mary Cole, of Newport News, who has been visiting Mrs. W. G. Cosby, of Virginia Avenue, has returned home.

Miss Margaret Read, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. A. Marshall, of Virginia Avenue, has left for Buckner's and Frederick Hall, to spend a few days with friends, before returning to her home at Eastern Shore, Va.

Mr. F. M. Connor, has left for an extended visit to relatives in Mansfield.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Smith, of Nashville, Tenn., are the guests of Mrs. A. W. Payne, of Virginia Avenue.

Miss Maude King, of Norfolk, is the guest of Miss Minnie Morris, of Miller Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson and children, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. John L. Drumeller, of North Avenue, have returned to their home in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Walter Kidwell and child, of Barton Avenue, have left for Baltimore, where Mr. Kidwell will accept a position.

Miss Mary and Virginia Sincocke, of Wilmington, Del., are the guests of Mrs. R. B. Ingham.

Mrs. J. R. Bowles, of Virginia Avenue, has left for Gordonsville, Va., to visit relatives.

Mr. Percy Yarbrough, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Yarbrough, of Barton Avenue, has left for his home in Toano, Va.

A delightful surprise party, gotten up by small children of the Heights, was recently tendered to Miss Florence Sweeney, who is visiting at the home of Mrs. G. B. Peasley, Lamb Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dumont, of Cincinnati, are the guests of Mr. A. W. Martinstein, of Miller Avenue.

Miss Mabel Glinn, of North Avenue, has left for Albemarle, where she will visit for several weeks.

Miss Dorothy Robinson, of Petersburg, has returned to her home after a delightful visit at the home of Mrs. W. K. Bache, of Lamb Avenue.

Mr. G. Allen Rady, who has been visiting his cousin, Mrs. W. B. Briggs, of Scottsville, has returned home.

Miss Mattie Rose, who has been visiting friends in Lynchburg, has returned to her home on Barton Avenue.

Mr. George Motley has returned to his home on North Avenue from North Carolina, where he has been for several months.

Mrs. Colon Gregory, after a pleasant visit to her aunt, Mrs. E. D. Redd, has left for her home in Chesterfield.

Virginius Croxton, of Monteiro Avenue, is spending some time with his brother, Mr. W. E. Croxton, of West Point, Va.

Mrs. George A. Minor and daughter, Miss Otey, have returned home from a pleasant stay at Ocean View.

Miss Annie Laurie Pitt, of Lamb Avenue, will leave this week for Christiansburg to visit friends.

Mrs. C. R. Cullen, of Lamb Avenue, is the guest of relatives in Hampton.

Mr. Frank Thompson, of Raleigh, N. C., is the guest of Mr. William Martin, of Monteiro Avenue.

Miss Clara Long, of North Avenue, has left for Omaha, Neb., Chicago, Denver and other Western cities of interest. She will be gone some time.

Misses Bessie and Katherine Hardin, of Kentucky, are having a most delightful visit at their aunt's, Mrs. W. K. Bache, of Lamb Avenue.

Miss Marie Lee, who has been visiting friends in Washington, has returned to her home on Miller Avenue.

Mr. Abner Pope has returned from an outing at Old Point.

Miss Florence Beveridge, of North Avenue, is visiting in Roanoke.

Mr. Arthur Faulkner, of Lamb Avenue, has returned from North Carolina.

Miss Emily Graves, who has been visiting Mrs. W. K. Bache, has left for her home in Kentucky.

Mr. T. K. Sands has returned from an outing at Old Point.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Stringer have returned from a week's outing at Ocean View.

Miss Etta Weidenfell, who has been quite sick at her home on Virginia Avenue, is improving.

Mrs. E. Goodall and daughter, Mrs. G. D. Hardin, have left for their home in Louisville after a visit to Mrs. W. K. Bache, of Lamb Avenue.

Miss Maud Palmer has left for her home in Roanoke after a visit to Miss Florence Smith.

Mrs. W. T. Christian, son and daughter have returned to their home in New York, where they were the guests of Mrs. Charles Christian.

Mrs. Helen Bulsche has returned to her home in Baltimore after a delightful visit to Mrs. W. L. Sumner, her sister, on Miller Avenue.

Miss Mae Haupt, of Virginia Avenue, is having a pleasant visit with her friend, Mrs. Adam Lydie, of Buchanan, Mich.

Miss Evelyn Carpenter, who has been quite sick at her home on Lamb Avenue, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. H. Kidwell, of Barton Avenue, have returned to their home after a very pleasant visit to their children in Washington.

Miss Katie Baird, of Brunswick, Va., is the guest of Miss Claudie McDonald.

Mrs. Overby, of North Avenue, has left for a short stay with relatives in Cumberland.

Misses Lizzie and Louise Starke, after a delightful visit to friends in Chattanooga and Asheville, have returned to their home on Luck Avenue.

Mrs. C. E. Taylor, of Tyrone, Pa., who has been visiting her sisters, the Misses Bigger, of Barton Avenue, has returned home.

Mrs. E. R. Holloran and grandson, James Collins, of Virginia Avenue, have left for a visit to relatives in Fayetteville, N. C.

Mr. Junius Burton, of Norfolk, is the guest of Mrs. John H. White, of Lamb Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Woolford, of Baltimore, are the guests of the Rev. and Mrs. W. F. Hayes, of the Methodist parsonage.

Mr. C. L. Babcock and daughter, of Charles City, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Mooers, of Luck Avenue.

Miss Harrieta Leavell, who has been visiting Miss Ethel Scott, of Virginia Avenue, has returned to her home in South Carolina.

Mr. H. E. Mooers, of Alabama, is visiting his brother, Mr. O. M. Mooers, of Luck Avenue.

FULTON NEWS

Mr. Charles Childress and wife left yesterday for Roanoke, where they will be the guests of relatives for ten days.

Mr. Corprew is in Norfolk on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cavedo and Misses Nellie and Frankie Gateford are visiting relatives and friends in Rockcastle, Va.

D. Shrecengost is out after his recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Claiborne have returned home from a visit to relatives and friends in Chesterfield county.

Mrs. Johanna Tyree has returned home from a very pleasant visit to her daughter in Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Phillips have returned from an extended trip to Birmingham, Ala., and other places of interest in the South.

Mrs. Wirt Luck has returned home from an extended visit to relatives in Baltimore.

Mr. C. B. Wood, formerly of this city, and now of Newport News, has secured full ownership of the launch Virginia, and will remove her to Newport News in a few days. This little craft has plied this harbor for the last four years and will be missed by her many friends.

C. C. Rice has returned from a trip to Blackstone.

Mrs. Franklin B. Bowls and her little daughter, who have been visiting relatives and friends in Suffolk, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Denoon have returned from Goshen, Va., where they have been visiting relatives.

Mrs. E. J. Messenger and son, Walter, of Paterson, N. J., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Smith on State Street.

Mr. Antony Manoley has returned from a visit to his daughter at Pinner's Point.

Irvin Rice is sojourning at Ocean View.

Whitfield Black is visiting relatives in Berkeley, Va.

Misses May Mann and Lammie Belle Sinford are visiting relatives and friends in Henrico county.

Mr. and Mrs. McCreary, of Indianapolis, Ind., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Metzger.

Mrs. Charles Barker and her little son, Charles, Jr., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. McColley on Williamsburg Avenue.

Miss Eppie Jenkins, of Marion Hill, is spending the month of August with relatives in Madison county.

Miss Mabel Hazlewood, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Fulton, has returned to her home in James City county.

Arleigh Davis has returned home from a very pleasant trip to Baltimore, Philadelphia and Norfolk.

Mr. Bartholomew, formerly of Buffalo, N. Y., who has been living in Varina for three or four years, has gone back to his old home. Mr. Bartholomew's health has been very bad since he has been in Virginia, and his physicians advised him to go back to his old home.

Mr. Claude James has been confined to his home for the past week by sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wood and son and daughter are enjoying the sea breezes at Ocean View.

James Donahue has returned from a delightful trip to Atlantic City.

Macon Bailey has returned home from a pleasant stay of a week with his uncle at Stony Creek, Va.

Louis Washer, Jr., son of Alderman Washer, is with a surveying corp in Dinwiddie county.

Mrs. Josie Fantone and her two nieces, Helen and Mary Donly, are the guests of relatives in New Kent county.

Miss Fleele Fantone, of Norfolk, who has been visiting relatives in Fulton, has returned home.

Mr. Clarence Rudd, of Chatauqua, N. Y., is visiting his aunt, Mrs. William Montgomery, on Denny Street.

Miss Tyler, of Augusta county, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Denoon, on Fulton Hill.

Miss Marie Grubbs is visiting her aunt in King and Queen. She will return about the middle of September.

Misses Bertha Austin and Carrie Eacho are visiting friends and relatives in West Norfolk.

Gilbert, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. John Dowden, continues very sick.

Wilbur, Nat and Theodore, sons of Nathaniel Whitlow, have returned from a visit to relatives in New Kent county.

James Garber has returned from a week's stay at Ocean View.

Mr. Ernest Brittan will leave to-night for a two-months' business trip through Virginia and the Carolinas for T. M. Perkins & Co., a position he has recently accepted. He was formerly local salesman for the National Packing Company.

Mrs. Mary Rice and Lottie Garber and Mrs. B. S. Rice have returned from a delightful stay of a week at the Mecklenburg Hotel at Chase City.

FAR WEST END.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bailey, of Clifton Forge, Va., have returned to their home, after spending several weeks in this section as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Butler, of Beverley Street.

Mr. and Mrs. James Childs have returned home after a pleasant visit to relatives in Fredericksburg, Va.

Mrs. William Timberlake, of Mine Run, Orange county, Va., has returned home after several weeks' visit to friends and relatives in this section.

Mr. Henry Hamm is spending his vacation at Newcastle, in Botetourt county, Va.

Corporal John Slough, of Fort Monroe, Va., is the guest of friends in this section.

Mrs. Lafayette Edmonds and daughter, Mabel, have returned home after a month's visit to relatives in Fairmount, W. Va.

Mr. Zack Shell, of "The Ridge," has returned home after a short visit to his sister, Mrs. Amanda Brown, of West Cary Street.

Miss Lottie Heinlein is expected home during the coming week, after spending some time in Hampton, Va., as the guest of her friend, Miss Georgie Wood, of that city.

Mrs. Alley Franklin, of West Cary Street, recently the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mr. R. W. Browning, of "Wayside," has returned home.

Mrs. Ida Gordon, of the Three Chop Road, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Elenora Ford, of No. 1610 West Cary Street, has returned home.

Mrs. Lula Baughan, recently the guest of friends in this section, has returned to her home at Rio Vista.

Mr. E. Lee Smith, of No. 1707 West Cary Street, is expected home Tuesday, after some time spent in Baltimore, Atlantic City and Washington.

Mr. J. A. Page, of No. 1911 West Main Street, has returned home, after a brief business trip through New Jersey.

Mr. Ike Oppenheimer, of Lynchburg, Va., recently the guest of friends in this city and in Norfolk, Va., has returned, much pleased with his visit.

Mr. Alonzo Gordon, of "The Ridge," spent Friday in this section with friends.

Mrs. William Timberlake and daughter, Miss Maud Vashon, of West Cary Street, are in Woodstock, Va., where they will be the guests of friends for several weeks.

Miss Ruth Hottes is stopping with her aunt, Mrs. Charles Heinlein, of No. 1915 Taylor Street.

Miss Jessie Hamm has returned, after spending several weeks in Mecklenburg county, Va., as the guest of friends.

Miss Hazel Dillard is the guest of her cousins, Misses Nettie, Earl and Eleanor Dillard, of Newcastle, Va.

Mr. Emil Schoot, of No. 1920 Taylor Street, expects to remove his family to North Carolina, where he is in business.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brannan has recovered after its recent illness.

Mrs. J. A. Chappell and her daughter, Miss Helen Chappell, have returned home after a trip to Cumberland county, accompanied by Miss Elizabeth Chappell.

Miss Ethel Merritt, of No. 18 South Lombardy Street, is visiting friends at Newport News, Buckroe and Virginia Beach.

Miss Lizzie Jones is spending her vacation at Ocean View, Va.

FAIRMOUNT NEWS

Miss Lillie Smith has returned from a delightful stay at Virginia Beach.

Mr. Frank James, of Scottsville, Va., visited the family of Mr. Akers, of this vicinity, during the past week.

Miss Ella Mayo has returned home, after a delightful visit to friends in Columbia.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sims, who has been quite ill, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Edloe Mahanes, of Twenty-second Street, who have been visiting relatives and friends in Goochland county, have returned home.

Miss Lossie Carr has left for Spotsylvania county to visit her sister, Mrs. M. E. Whitlock, for several weeks.

Miss Annie Vail, of Hanover county, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Talley, of Twenty-third Street.

Mr. George Adams has returned, after a stay of several weeks with relatives in Hanover county.

The Jr. O. U. A. M. initiated a class of twenty-seven at their last meeting in their hall in Howard's Grove. A large crowd was in attendance, and refreshments were served after all business was over.

Mrs. M. E. Nicks, of North Carolina, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Collins, of Twenty-second Street.

Mrs. J. Aubrey Enos and her little daughter, Adelle, have returned from a delightful stay at the Roberts House, in West Point.

Mrs. Mollie Gill left a few days ago for Portsmouth to visit her brother, Mr. Andrew McDowell, of Park View.

Mrs. R. Walter Beadles has returned from a delightful stay with friends at the Connor's Cottage, near Ocean View.

Miss Myrtle Boyle, of Petersburg, is visiting her friend, Miss Grace Crowder, this week.

Miss Celia Moore is spending some time with her grandmother, Mrs. C. B. Gilman.

Mr. and Mrs. Isham Barden and Master Leslie Barden, have returned from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Berry Thompson, of Henrico.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Germelman and their daughter, Miss Alvina Germelman, accompanied by Miss Willie Russell, have left for West Point.

Misses Goldie and Elizabeth Martin, of Cedar Hill, have returned home after a visit to relatives in Fairmount.

Miss Ruth Weed left a fe wdays ago for Charleston and Huntington, W. Va., where she will spend some time with Mrs. Charles M. Dunnavant and Miss Edith Mallory. Miss Weed will return home about September 15th.

Mrs. J. R. Bottoms and her little son, Raymond, will leave this week for Hanover county to spend some time visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Georgie Burnett, two of whose fingers were badly cut lost week, is now improving.

Miss Mary Beasley is visiting relatives and friends in Spotsylvania county.

Miss Blanche Grubbs, of Hanover county, was the guest of her cousin, Mrs. John R. Bottoms, during the past week.

Mr. Harold Campus, of South Boston, visited friends in this vicinity recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Peyton are visiting relatives in Caroline county.

Miss Mabel Shackelford, who has been visiting friends in Harrisonburg, has returned home.

Mrs. Charles Brown and little son, of Twenty-third Street, are visiting relatives in Hanover county.

Dr. Alexander Smith, of Twenty-third Street, is spending his vacation in Louisa county.

Mrs. Arnall, who is ill in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Durvin, is steadily growing weaker.

Mr. Emmett Brown, of Portsmouth, visited his parents in Richmond and relatives and friends in Fairmount during the past week.

Mr. Wood and his family has gone to Green Springs, Louisa county, where they will spend a month.

Miss Maude Scott has been spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Coghill, of Bowling Green.

Mr. Eli Harris has returned to his home in Hanover county after a visit to his brother, who is still quite ill in his home on Twenty-second Street.

Mrs. Gertrude Kirk and little son have returned home after being the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Germelman for several days.

Mrs. Smith Leath, who has been quite ill, is now improving.

Mr. and Mrs. James Watkins, of Caroline county, are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Thomas Beazley.

Miss Lottie Elliott, of the West, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Martin Selvia, of Venable Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie McDowell and Miss Thelma McDowell have returned from Buckroe Beach, where they have been camping out, with Dixie Camp, in charge of Mr. Thompson. Mrs. McDowell and Miss McDowell have been there several weeks and were joined by Mr. McDowell, who accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Morris and Miss Gracie Morris have returned home from Louisa county, where they visited relatives.

Mrs. Surrasior, who has been ill in the home of her son, Mr. Willie Surrasior, is now improving slowly.

Miss Margaret Gilchrist has left for a two-weeks' stay at Piney Point, Md., after which she will visit in Pittsburg, Pa., before returning home.

Messrs. Frank and Willie Richardson, of Huntington, W. Va., who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wilson, have gone to Beaver Dam, Hanover county, to visit friends.

Mrs. Robert Kelley is out again after her recent spell of illness.

Mr. T. J. England and family have returned from a delightful visit to West Point.

Miss Maggie Perdue, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Fairmount and Richmond, has returned to her home, in Philadelphia.

Little Miss Adelle Enos is spending some time with her cousin, Miss Lois Enos.

Mr. Z. T. Potter has returned from a short trip to Gordonsville, where he visited his family, who are summering there.

Mr. and Mrs. William Childress have returned from a delightful visit to relatives in Charlottesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Higgans, of North Carolina, are here, visiting relatives in Twenty-first Street.

Miss Mabel Higgans, of Twenty-first Street, is in Norfolk visiting relatives.

Mrs. Mary Robelin has returned from a delightful trip to Atlantic City, Niagara Falls and Toronto, Canada.

Miss Virginia Gary, of Baltimore, is the guest of Miss Rosa Gill.

Mrs. W. A. Snyder, Miss Florence Kane, Miss Kratz and Mr. Newsome have returned from a pleasant trip to Ocean View.

Mr. Lewis W. Richardson is spending some time with friends in Norfolk, Portsmouth and Newport News.

Mr. Samuel Taylor has returned to his home in Norfolk after visiting his sister, Mrs. Bessie Cottrell.

Mrs. B. H. Thompson and Master Edgar Thompson are spending some time in the mountains of Virginia.

Miss Nannie Johnson, of Carrington Street, whose face was badly scalded with steam a few days ago, is improving.

Mrs. J. J. Farmer, of Columbia, is spending some time with her daughter in this vicinity.

Mr. H. B. Francis, of Twenty-sixth Street, will leave in a few days for Cincinnati on a pleasure trip.

Mr. W. A. Rhodes has returned from a short trip to Gordonsville, where he visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Tyler, who have been visiting the former's mother, have returned to their home at Sparrow's Point, Md.

Mrs. Eddie Oxenham, who was ill in her home here for several weeks and was taken to the Memorial Hospital, where she underwent an operation last week, is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Eddie Smith has returned home from a pleasant visit to her sister, Mrs. George Smith, near Atlee, Hanover county.

Little Miss Florence Kern, who has been visiting the family of Mr. Alston, of Twenty-second Street, has returned home.

Misses Blanche and Helen Beadles have returned home from Hanover county, where they spent some time with friends.

Mrs. Hamilton Melton has been confined to her home several days by sickness.

The lawn party given by the ladies of the Fairmount Christian Church last week had to be postponed several nights on account of the inclement weather.

Mrs. Vest, of Baltimore, has returned home after a visit of several weeks with relatives and friends here. She also visited in Richmond and Lynchburg.

Mrs. Stuart Nease and her little daughter, Jessie, have returned to their home at Sparrow's Point, Md., after spending a month with her mother, Mrs. M. Thon.

Miss Susie Arnall, of Twenty-third Street, has returned from a delightful visit to friends in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Lewis Hall has returned to her home in Hanover county after visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. Florence Harden and her children, who have been visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Bass, will return to her home in North Carolina this week.

Mrs. G. N. Kirby and daughters, Misses Lillian and Estelle, were the guests of Mrs. Thomas Gordon during the past week.

Miss Florence Kuhn, of Cincinnati, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd and Miss Kate Ellis have returned from a visit to friends at Lorraine.

Misses Rosa Gill and Mabel Bradley have returned from a delightful visit to Baltimore.

Miss Mary Sharpe has left for Louisa county, where she will visit relatives and friends for some time.

LEE DISTRICT

Thursday, August the 9th, at half-past 1 o'clock in the afternoon, Mr. Thomas N. Kendler, Jr., and Miss Alice Whitfield were quietly married in the home of the bride, No. 421 North Elm Street, by the Rev. C. H. McGhee. The bride and groom left on an extended tour, but will be at home to their friends the first of September.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Bauer have returned to their home, No. 310 North Lombardy Street, from Atlantic City, where they spent two weeks. Since returning Mrs. Bauer has been ill, but is much improved now.

Mr. Charles P. Yarborough and family have moved from North Sycamore Street to Barton Heights.

Mrs. Edward L. Frost and children and nurse have returned from Buckroe Beach, where they spent about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick C. Wilson, who were married in Richmond at Ford's Hotel, recently, are residing at No. 2207 Park Avenue.

After a visit to her daughters, Mrs. J. H. Thompson and Mrs. Dawson E. Watkins, Mrs. William Neal has returned to her home at Newport News.

Mrs. O. T. Hall, of No. 2238 West Grace Street, is spending a month with relatives in Atlanta, Ga.

Miss Olive Hall is spending two or three weeks at Buckroe Beach.

Mr. J. Watson Phillips has rented and moved into the residence, No. 2206 Ivy Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Reinicker, of Baltimore, Md., who have been visiting Mrs. James McGraw, Jr., No. 2112 Ivy Avenue, have returned to their home.

Misses Florence and Laura Woodward are visiting their sister, Mrs. Crouch, who lives below Richmond.

Mrs. A. von Rosenegk, who spent the past winter with her daughter, Mrs. William Grimmell, No. 1808 West Grace Street, is, with her three daughters, Misses Anna, Christy and Elfrieda von Rosenegk, summering in the mountains of Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Sycle and son, Julius Sycle, of Ivy Avenue, are at the Hot Springs, Va.

Misses Norma and Frieda Deitz have returned to their home, No. 2100 Ivy Avenue, after spending several days with Miss Hilda Wills, at Midlothian, Va.

Mrs. Jasper L. Rowe, of No. 2008 West Grace Street, is much improved after a spell of sickness.

Last Wednesday evening a pleasant lawn party was given at No. 2106 Ivy Avenue by Misses Amorette Barker, Frieda and Norma Dietz, Annie and Mary Dowell, Marguerita Guigon, Lillie Blair, Rilla Phillips, and Masters James Guigon, Wilson and Stuart Gordon, August Dietz, Irving and Curtis Thompson and Frederick Guggenheimer.

FORT LEE

Mr. George Britton, superintendent of Fort Lee Sunday school, took the scholars on their annual picnic Tuesday, to Idlewood, where they spent a most delightful day, despite the heavy rainfall during the afternoon.

Mrs. Caroline Allard, Miss Alice Allard, Mr. A. J. Allard, Claire Allard and Walter Clarke were delightfully entertained at the home of their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Duke, where they spent an evening during the past week.

Mr. Ernest Hobson, of Richmond, was a recent guest at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Hill Carter.

Mrs. Mary Clayton, who has been ill at her home, near here, is convalescing under the skilful treatment of Dr. G. T. Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tyree have returned to their home in Richmond, after a short stay at "Sunnyside," the home of Mrs. Tyree's parents.

Mr. George Clarke, of Richmond, was a recent guest at "Pleasant Shade," the home of his mother.

The friends of Mr. Bernard Duke will be glad to know that he has sufficiently recovered from his recent illness to be able to be out again.

Miss Alice M. Allard spent a day during the past week with friends in Richmond.

Japan's Alluring Shopkeepers.

Then there is the shop-keeper. What foreigner has not fallen an easy victim to his alluring smile and his well-simulated indifference to personal benefit? I believe he has penetrated the inner inness of Occidental character and discovered that if anything will make the average Anglo-Saxon buy, it is the exasperating thought that the owner of a thing doesn't care a pin whether he sells it or not. Japanese shop-keepers are all alike. In the big cities most of them speak a little English, and many of them speak it quite well. They dress in neat black kimonos and they wear foreign underclothing that shows at the neck. The shop-keeper imitates the man higher up, and as the man higher up evolves so does he. I suppose in a few years there will be no more beautiful, soft kimonos, and all the knitted undershirts will be covered up with stiff, white bosoms and fashionable high collars. When that time comes the Japanese shop will have lost its chief charm and the shop-keeper will no longer be able to beguile one with false smiles and Oriental politeness. He could never be convincing in the Japanese imitation of foreign trousers and frock coat. But his wife will remain the same for a long time, and, after all, she is as much a part of the shop as he. She dresses rather carelessly in blue stuff kimonos with a big black-satin obi, and she sits all day on the matted floor, smoking cigarettes or her little bamboo-stemmed kiseru. And she smiles as beguilingly as does her husband, and sells as many things, at twice their value, by pretending she doesn't want to sell them at all. The Japanese shop-keeper does not continue popular with the foreigner, and he is responsible for most of the sarcastic criticism that falls so heavily upon "the wonderful little people" as a people.—Eleanor Franklin, in Leslie's Weekly.

At the Bars.

By ROBERT BURKHOLDER.

The thrush is singing,
The wheat is waving,
The brook is laving
The meadow with song.
The sweet young stars
Are dimly appearing,
A maiden cheering—
Lingering at the bars.

The bees are homing
The pines are sighing,
The day is dying
Like a saint;
And golden Mars
Pours tranquil gleam
On the summer's e'en
For Elsie at the bars.

The cows are trooping
While Elsie is calling—
At the sweet day's falling—
Sweetly yodling them home.
Sing, thrush! glow, stars!
On eve of pearl and gold—
Imbue the story to be told
To Elsie at the bars.

A youth is hast'ning
While Elsie's calling—
At the day's soft falling—
Unto the pensive kine.
Soft, thrush! pale, ye stars!
For the blushing greeting—
The long kiss at meeting—
Of two at the bars.

The two are ling'ring,
The cows are lowing,
The twilight glowing
O'er youth and maid;
And a host of stars
Are twinkling bright
For the whisper'd plight
To elsie at the bars.

Oklahoma.

Area, in square miles	70,430
Area, in acres	46,000,000
Farms, number	107,995
Farms, value	$277,000,000
Population	790,39
Manufacturing establishments	1,159
Capital invested	$5,976,320
Wage earners	3,768
Yearly wages	$1,361,723
Yearly product of manufactures	$10,976,119
National banks	222
Capital of national banks	$6,810,000
National bank capital and surplus	$9,860,241
National bank resources	$36,130,833

Oklahoma has large investments in private banks, territorial banks, savings banks, trust companies, life insurance companies, mining companies, railways, steam and electric; power and lighting plants, water-works, buildings of all kinds in cities, and in many other channels of investment. In 1904-05 the residents of the Territory of Oklahoma increased their bank deposits by 21.4 per cent., and those of Indian Territory by 15.7 per cent. In ten years Oklahoma's bank deposit increase was 172.6 per cent.

Oklahoma State will have 150,000 school pupils, about 3,000 school teachers, a State University at Norman, agricultural and mechanical schools at Stillwater, normal schools at Edmond and Alva, Langston University for negroes, Chilocco School for Indians, common schools in great number, and common, high and manual training schools for the Indians. She will have churches, Y. M. C. and Y. W. C. Associations, clubs for men and women, literary associations, public libraries, improvement societies.

Oklahoma means "Beautiful Land." It produces corn, cattle and cotton. It has fertile, rolling, well-watered prairies, considerable timber stretches, rich bottom lands and a prolific fruit belt, with apple, cherry and peach orchards. The cotton yield per acre is in excess of that of any State of the Union. Oklahoma has rich coal mines, from which 2,000,000 tons are mined every year.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Nearer Right.

"I understand he died of a complication of diseases."

"I don't know; all I know is there was a consultation of physicians at his bedside, and he passed away while they were disputing."

"Then it would be nearer right to say that he died of a complication of physicians."—Houston Post.

If love will grow,
As poets say,
We want to know
Alas! which way.

Sale of the 20th Century

To Raise Cash Quickly

Forcing the Issue

We realize our loss and have prepared to meet the situation with a firm stand.

MONDAY MORNING, at 8:30, to continue for ten days, to close out all the summer stock of the

BON MARCHE,

317 East Broad Street.

All 12½c Fine Swiss reduced to 6c and 6 1-4c.

All White Goods from 12½c to 25c reduced to 10c.

40-inch fine 25c White Lawns reduced to 12½c.

Fine White India Linens reduced to 6c, 7c and 8c.

25c White P. K. reduced to 11 3-4c.

All 8 1-3c Ginghams reduced to 5c.

Ladies' Gauze Vests reduced to 3 3-4c.

10c Gauze Vests reduced to 5c.

10c large size Towels reduced to 5c.

50c Men's Checked Muslin Drawers reduced to 24c.

All 39c Balbriggan Underwear for men and boys reduced to 19c.

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Men's Top Shirts all reduced to prices you can't resist, 23c, 25c, 29c, 33c, 39c, 44c and 48c.

Ladies' White Muslin Underskirts, 44c.

Ladies' Gowns, nicely trimmed, 48c.

Duck Skirts, all styles, colors and prices, from 50c up.

Girdle Corsets, 35c kind, 21c.

All 50c, 69c and 75c Corsets, 44c.

One lot Cotton Towels reduced to 2c.

Men's Suspenders, 9c.

Boys' Suspenders, 5c.

W. P. ROSE, 317 E. Broad St.

Near Corner 4th and Broad Sts.

Views of the Virginia Editors

A Growing Sentiment.

We have never seen sentiment grow on any issue in Amherst in favor of any proposition as rapidly as it is on the bond issue. All our people favor good roads and favor paying for them, too, knowing this is the only way of getting them, but each objection is rapidly falling away and the bond issue is taking in Amherst. Whenever the people understand any proposition they generally decide right, and they are going to decide in favor of the bond issue on the 18th, which is right. Come out in debate at the speakings and give the reason that is in you. Turn on the light—then the bond issue will go. It is growing, as the people understand it. It will be carried in Amherst.—Amherst New Era.

Scottsville's Progress.

We are gratified to know that the ancient borough of Scottsville has entered upon a career of advancement and growth and prosperity. It has started a weekly newspaper. The paper is called the Enterprise, and its pages are filled with up-to-date items and advertisements testify that the name is an appropriate one. An editorial in this week's edition states that "the past year has been a most prosperous one with our merchants. While our town," says the Enterprise, "is pushing right ahead in the way of improvements, our merchants are keeping apace with their progressive period by keeping their stocks full and up-to-date and by selling their goods at prices as cheap as can be had anywhere."—Charlottesville Chronicle.

We have recently noticed a number of editorials in the papers of the State similar to the above, and they go to show that the progress of our town is being noticed far and near. This is just what we want, as it will cause people to locate in our town and community, increase the value of property, and we trust will cause the establishment of some factories in our town or the springing up of other enterprises in our midst. Progressive people like a progressive town.—Scottsville Enterprise.

The Fredericksburg Fair.

The 1906 catalogue of the Rappahannock Valley Agricultural and Mechanical Society has been issued, and while in the main the programme, prizes, etc., are practically the same as heretofore, there are some new features provided for, which should make the fair to be held on the 25th, 26th and 27th of September next particularly interesting to the farmers of this section. The most notable innovations in this respect are the special prizes offered for seed corn. The question of good seed corn is a very interesting and important one, and one which has been more or less neglected in this section of Virginia. The promoters of the fair intend, by offering these special prizes for corn, to stimulate the interest of farmers in this important subject and make it at the same time worth while to make some special effort in this direction.

The society offers $5 as the first prize for the best exhibit of corn consisting of ten ears, as uniform in size and quality as possible and grown by the exhibitor; $4 for the second best, and $3 for third best. The corn will be judged by an expert, who will give reasons for his decision. This feature should prove interesting and valuable.

There are some changes in the race programme for the better. Larger purses are offered, and with one exception, heat races, which are more or less objectionable to horse owners, have been eliminated.

The ladies' department presents some new features, and is as usual attractive, and there are many special prizes, covering all the departments, offered by our merchants.

The Fredericksburg Fair is always a success, and we see no reason why the coming one should not eclipse them all.—Fredericksburg Star.

National Fox-Hunt.

They are preparing for a national fox hunt down in old Powhatan. The campaign will open on the 5th of September, and it is expected that President Roosevelt and Governors Glenn and Swanson will be of the party. The dogs are in excellent training, and the local hunters are "spiling" for the fun. The Mecklenburg variety won't "be in it." Southside is "God's country," and Moses Hunter and Jim Driskill, with their packs, always get the brush.—Appomattox Times.

The Farmer's Day.

From every viewpoint, the farming class of this country is in better shape now than at any time period since the Civil War. More people own their own homes and farms; more are free from the yoke of bondage inflicted by burdensome debts; more are becoming independent each year by making comfortable living for their families; more are waking up to the necessity of giving their children better educational advantages, and withal, prosperity and contentment seem to prevail throughout the country. Let progress still be our watchword.—Salem Times-Register.

GLENDALE BRIEFS

Miss Bettie Bethel, whose father died last week, continues very ill at the home of her uncle, Tom Fuqua.

Temple Gatewood is very sick at the home of his brother, Eugene Gatewood, who is slowly improving.

Richie Hare, who has been serving on the hospital corps at Fort Gibbon, Alaska, is now in Washington. He expects to make a short visit to his mother, Mrs. Minerva Hare, in the near future.

Misses Laura and Anne Garthright, of Beechwood Park, and Miss Rosa Knight, of Richmond, are guests of Mrs. J. A. Potter.

Mrs. Dodd is visiting her brother, J. L. Whitlock.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gatewood spent Tuesday in Richmond.

It looks as if the people would have to believe what President Roosevelt says about not accepting a renomination, especially as he has been corroborated by Secretary Loeb.—Kansas City Star.

LYNCHBURG, $2 Round Trip

ROANOKE, $3 Round Trip

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Norfolk & Western Ry.

August 24th.

Round trip tickets at above low rates will be sold for special train leaving Richmond 12:10 noon, Friday, August 24th, and leaving Roanoke, returning, at 12:30 noon, Monday, August 27, 1906. Train stops at Bedford, Montvale and Blue Ridge.

C. H. BOSLEY,
District Passenger Agent.

SEALED PROPOSALS.

NOTICE! NOTICE!

The Virginia State Fair Association (Inc.) will receive sealed proposals for the following privileges on the grounds during the Fair to be held October 9th to 13th, inclusive:

Saloon (limited to one stand).
Dining Halls and Restaurant (limited to four).
Lunch Booths (limited to six booths, and, exclusive of hot sausage).
Ice Cream and Ice