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**Women's Handkerchiefs**

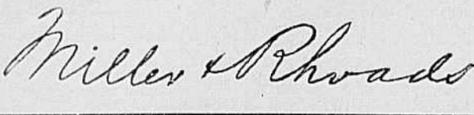
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Linen and Swiss Handkerchiefs of various styles. Many different lots gathered together—the original values and prices running from 8c to 25c. Some are soiled, others perfectly fresh. Divided into four lots for to-day's selling.

**Women's Gauze Cotton Hose**

We've never seen the equal of these Stockings at the price. Full fashioned double sole, spliced heel and toes; fast black. Finest Gauze Cotton Hose ever sold at 25c—really worth 37 1/2c.

Women's fine Gauze Lisle Hose, imported direct by this house from Chemnitz, Germany. Double sole, spliced heel and toes. Nothing in Richmond to equal these Stockings in value at 35c pair.



**LOCAL POLICE COMPLIMENTED**

Sergeants Bailey and Wren Have Exhausting Experience in Traveling.

**MANY MORE TRUNKS FOUND**

Commonwealth's Attorney Folkes and Mr. Harry Smith Will Go to New York.

Sergeants Bailey and Wren, of the Richmond detective force, experienced a trip that demanded almost the limit of human endurance and perseverance in their recent journey to New York, to secure the prisoners being held in that city for alleged complicity in the robbery of baggage from several large railroads of the country. The two detectives did not return with their prisoners, as the counsel for the latter secured an issuance of a writ of habeas corpus, after the detectives had got requisition papers for the prisoners, and the Richmonders were recognized to appear before the New York Supreme Court on January 31st.

The two officers left Richmond Saturday night, on the Chesapeake and Potomac Railroad. The trains were greatly delayed outside Washington, and it was not until 11 o'clock that they reached New York. Their first arrival was at the 7th Street station, where they were met by the Governor's officers, where railroad counsel had prepared the way for them to get the necessary requisition papers. During the party which intervened the Governor's secretary advised them to hasten back to New York, as a snowstorm was brewing, and the trains might be snowbound, putting them in New York too late to effect a good return. The Richmonders, however, were determined to make the trip, and they were able to get away on the Chesapeake and Potomac Railroad, and they were able to get away on the Chesapeake and Potomac Railroad, and they were able to get away on the Chesapeake and Potomac Railroad.

**WILL HAVE TROUBLE GETTING TOGETHER**

Conferees on Disagreeing Vote on Reunion Matter Appear to Be Hopelessly Divided.

President William M. Turpin, of the Board of Aldermen, yesterday named the three conferees on the part of the Board to meet the conferees named by President Peters, of the Common Council, on the subject of that body to consider the disagreeing votes of the two branches on the appropriation for the entertainment of visitors to the Confederate reunion. It is interesting to note that, whether by accident or design, those named by President Turpin are all Aldermen who voted for his amendment to make the appropriation \$15,000, instead of \$20,000, while those named by President Peters all voted for the \$20,000 figure. The conferees are:

From the Board—Aldermen John Mann, Jr., Robert Le Masurier and John L. Satterfield.

From the Common Council—Messrs. Morgan R. Mills, William L. White, A. L. Phillips.

It looks as if the committee will be as hopelessly divided as were the two bodies, and the outcome of the conference is, therefore, impossible, to foresee.

**BLOODLESS TRAGEDY.**

**Fritz and Bob Had Merry Time With Revolvers.**

Fritz Mosby and Bob Shaffer, negroes, started in to have a good time with knucks and revolvers Thursday night. Each wanted to annihilate the other. Bob fell in the attempt. Bob broke away from Fritz, who had a gun, and started after a similar weapon. Fritz remained in the same spot, and after the lapse of a few minutes the other, Bob, fell in the attempt. Fritz got up, and after a few minutes the other, Bob, fell in the attempt. Fritz got up, and after a few minutes the other, Bob, fell in the attempt.

**CHARTERS GRANTED BY COMMISSION**

Thirteen Concerns, With Aggregate Maximum Capital of Over \$600,000, Secure Articles of Incorporation in One Day.

Thirteen charters for concerns with an aggregate maximum capital of over \$600,000 were granted Thursday by the State Corporation Commission as follows:

Midvale Mining Company (Incorporated), Richmond. James Mullen, vice-president and treasurer; V. C. Austin, M. Johnston—all of Richmond. Capital, \$250,000. Objects: Mineral and timber lands in the State of Virginia and elsewhere.

Barrow-Sanford Drug Company (Incorporated), Blackstone. W. H. Barrow, president; L. C. Barrow, secretary and treasurer; E. W. Sanford, vice-president—all of Blackstone. Capital, \$100,000. Objects: Drug business.

The Interstate Hotel Company (Incorporated), Bristol. George E. Wiley, president; H. B. Edmondson, H. G. Peck—all of Bristol. Capital, \$100,000. Objects: Hotel business.

The Water Contracting Company (Incorporated), Norfolk. James H. Daniels, vice-president and treasurer; J. A. Lord, secretary and treasurer; E. M. Lord—all of Norfolk. Capital, \$25,000. Objects: Contracting business.

The Hotel Burgess Corporation, Norfolk. J. E. Burgess, president; D. Carleton, vice-president and treasurer; J. A. Lord, secretary—all of Norfolk. Capital, \$50,000. Objects: Hotel business.

Harrisonburg and Franklin Turnpike Company, Mount Clinton. A. H. Long, vice-president and treasurer; J. C. Helzer, E. A. Bear, J. W. Sheets—all of Harrisonburg. Capital, \$100,000. Objects: Turnpike from Harrisonburg to Mount Clinton.

The Majestic Company (Incorporated), Newport News. T. P. Boyce, president; W. D. Mott, secretary and treasurer; E. A. Odenthal, vice-president—all of Newport News. Capital, \$50,000. Objects: Hotels and restaurants.

The Bryant Timber Company (Incorporated), Franklin. R. J. Dunning,

**MAHLER A FINE JUDGE OF GOODS**

Variety of Assortment Shows That Only Best Quality Appealed to Him.

**MANY FIRMS VICTIMIZED**

Man Has Not Been Allowed by Police to Touch His Opium.

Further details of the alleged shoplifting exploits of Mahler, now in custody here, together with his wife, indicate that the man who stole the great array of merchandise was a fine judge of quality in cloth, in leather goods, clothing, shoes, confectioneries, bric-a-brac, cutlery and every other variety. The office of the Chief of Police is stacked up with the goods which of which has been identified by the owners, but a considerable portion of which is yet awaiting identification. Major Werner estimated the total value of the articles in possession of the department at fully \$1,500. Besides the exhibit in the chief's office, there is also a quantity of stuff locked in a safe awaiting a claimant. Mayor McCarthy, who casts a keen eye upon the affairs of the city, is also a good judge of the value of certain lines of goods, and expressed surprise that any one could get away with the splendid suit cases and other things said to have been stolen.

**NEW TAX RATE.**

Ordinance Affecting Annexed Territory Signed by Mayor.

Mayor McCarthy yesterday signed and returned to City Clerk Augustus C. Taylor a resolution which provides for the annexed territory and its residents the city tax rate of \$1.10 per \$100 for February 1st. The approval of the ordinance by the Mayor is a foregone conclusion, he having brought to the attention of the Council the necessity for or wisdom of such action. The Mayor stated yesterday that the statute and the order of the Council made it immediately necessary to receive about \$50,000 in revenue, instead of about \$25,000 for the new area and its property owners.

**OPPIATES.**

Man Has Not Been Allowed by Police to Touch His Opium.

Chief Werner has been in communication with detectives in other cities with an idea of landing the prisoner here. He believes he has a number of experts who have operated in many places, and who are dangerous to our community. Last night it was asserted by the police that positive information had been received that Mahler and his wife had been shoplifting in Richmond for more than a month, and it is also alleged that quantities of goods have been shipped from the city to supposed confederates in other parts of the country. Captain Whitlock, at the First Station, was kept busy last night, while numerous merchants called and identified goods as having been stolen from their places of business. About twenty warrants will be issued against the man and woman. There will be no felony warrants, for no article alleged to have been stolen amounts in value to as much as \$10, the amount which raises the offense above a misdemeanor, but a foregone conclusion, but the actual cost is said to be below this figure, and only the misdemeanor charge will be preferred.

**SMASH.**

Badly Damaged in Collision With Street Car.

A large automobile, being driven by a chauffeur named McArthur down Main Street to the Chesapeake and Ohio Depot, was badly damaged Thursday afternoon in a collision with a street car. McArthur was following in his machine a street car, and attempting to get by it, almost ran into a wagon loaded with lumber, and the car tracks, and the street car ran into it. The steering knuckle and top were broken; the mud guard was knocked off, and the nuts of the axle were broken. The chauffeur was fortunately uninjured. The automobile is the property of Mr. Von Wolf, of Utica, N. Y., and was about to be shipped to Florida, where Mr. Von Wolf expects soon to follow.

**BURKEVILLE WILL HAVE NEW STATION**

Norfolk and Western and Southern Agree to Erect One Costing \$15,000.

The town of Burkeville is to have a new joint railway station at the junction of the Norfolk and Western and the Southern, to cost not less than \$15,000. This was agreed upon yesterday at a conference between the representatives of the roads, the Corporation Commission and representatives of the town. The committee appointed by the Board of Trade of Burkeville to appear before the commission to show cause why a new depot is an absolute necessity consisted of Messrs. J. H. Farmer, president of the Board of Trade; C. W. Hatcher, secretary; and Messrs. J. D. Exall, secretary of the Board of Trade; Mr. J. L. Bradshaw and Attorney G. S. Wing were added to the committee, and Mr. Wing soon convinced the commission of the fact that a new depot is an absolute necessity.

**WINDBLEW SAWLOGS THROUGH BRICK HOUSES IN KENTUCKY**

The Mayor of Augusta Appeals To Richmond For Assistance—The Flood Damage Greatest Ever Known In That Section.

The town of Augusta, Ky., appears to have been seriously devastated by wind and flood a few days ago, judging from a telegram sent to the Mayor of this city by Mayor Bradford of Augusta. The telegram states that sawlogs were blown through brick houses. Here is the telegram in full:

Augusta, Ky., Jan. 23, 1907.

Mayor, Richmond, Va.:

Sixteen houses totally destroyed. Twenty-three brick houses damaged by wind blowing sawlogs through them. Hundreds homeless. No trains, mail or steamboats since last Saturday. Conditions beyond control. Assistance urgent. Photos mailed. Great flood damage ever known.

T. S. BRADFORD, Mayor.

At the meeting of the Board of Aldermen Thursday night the Mayor's message was referred to the Finance Committee.

**MONEY RAISED FOR VETERANS' REUNION**

The Confederate veterans now soliciting funds for the coming reunion did not meet quite so much success yesterday, but they were able, at least, to keep the end of the year ahead, as the following contributions were received:

W. F. Gordon..... \$ 5  
Nolan and Baskerville..... 100  
Previously received..... \$ 709  
\$6,825

It is still hoped that \$7,000 of the \$25,000 needed will be in hand by to-night.

**NEWS GATHERED FROM SOUTHSIDE**

Residents of Swansboro Make Complaint of Having Gates Stolen.

G. H. C. Club Held Meeting

Musical Program at Bainbridge Street Baptist Church To-Morrow.

Manchester Bureau, Times-Dispatch, No. 1107 Hill Street.

Many of the residents of Swansboro have been uttering loud complaints, owing to the fact that the gates in their front yards have been taken out and carried away. The theft was committed some time during this week, and nothing as to who did it can be ascertained. A laundry sign was taken from one of the stores in Swansboro and carried into Mrs. Atkinson's porch. Among those from whom the gates were taken are Mrs. T. A. Park, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Atkinson and others.

**COAST LINE CASE DELAYED.**

The case of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad, charged with blocking the traffic on upper Hill Street at the crossing at Nineteenth Street, which was to be heard in Police Court, was postponed until Tuesday morning.

Herbert Cox, of the young white boy convicted on Tuesday of having entered two stores, and sentenced to the reformatory, was yesterday morning turned over to the authorities of the institution.

**SUNDAY IN THE CHURCHES.**

In Central M. E. Church to-morrow the pastor, Rev. J. K. Joffe, will preach at 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. on the following topics: Morning, "The Relation of the Church to the World"; evening, "The Way of God—The Value of Triumph and Faith."

Rev. C. O. Woodward, pastor of Cordwain Avenue Christian Church, will preach to-morrow evening at 7:45 on the following theme: "The Capture of Jericho." The morning service will be held at 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. by Rev. W. W. Criffin, pastor of Stockton Street Baptist Church, will preach to-morrow on the following subjects: II A.

**EXAMINE MEDICS.**

Examinations at the Medical College of Virginia will begin Tuesday and continue to February 6th. In the meantime all lectures will be suspended, so that the students may have time to review their work. The men working hard, and retire to their rooms to "grind" as soon as every lecture is over. A few of the classes have already had their practical examinations on anatomy and histology, and the written examinations will follow.

**COMMISSION TO CONSIDER AUDITORIUM MATTER AGAIN.**

President Robert Lee Peters, of the Common Council, has called a special meeting of that body for next Monday night at 8 o'clock to consider the request of the Board of Aldermen for a

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