UNIVERSITY GETS LEASE OF FIELD

Annual Game With University of North Carolina to Be Resumed Here.

OPTION CLOSED YESTERDAY

At Last Moment Athletic Authorities Got Busy and Secured the Lease.

It was authoritatively announced last night that it had just been settled that the anual games in Richmond between the Universities of Virginia and North Carolina will be resumed on Thanksgiving Day next year, subject only to the condition that the University of North Carolina will accept the place and date. On that point, however, no difficulty is anticipated, for it is known that North Carolina favors a resumption of the Thanksgiving Day game in Richmond.

The announcement comes somewhat as a surprise after the story in Sunday's Times-Dispatch as to the failure of the University of Virginia to close negotiations for the lease of the park.

That story was absolutely true then, but since its publication the University athletic interests got busy, and as a result of quick negotiations an option on the park for Thanksgiving Day for a term of years was secured by the university. The details of signing the lease are yet to be arranged, but the agreement has been reached, and the rest is a mere matter of legal form. It is probable that the action of Virginia might never have been taken but for the publication in Sunday's Times-Dispatch, which roused Richmond alumni to vigorous action.

It will be gratifying to all friends of the University of Virginia that their holiday game, last played here in 1895, is to be resumed in 1908.

In 1906 the teams played in Norfolk on the holiday, and in 1907 they met in Richmond, but on October 26th, a full month earlier than usual and before either team was mature.

The Virginia Polytechnic Institute, which desired to renew its lease on the park, will have to provide for its Thanksgiving Day game elsewhere, and will probably go to Norfolk or to Lynchburg instead of to Richmond. It is hoped, however, that a resumption of athletic relations and a game between the University and the V. P. I. may be had in Richmond next year. Neither institution has yet made up its schedule, however.

ELECT GLOTH CAPTAIN

Big All-Southern Centre to Lead University of Virginia Eleven.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., December 9.—At a meeting of the members of the Virginia football team, William Conrad Gloth, of Erie, Pa., was elected captain of the eleven for next session. Gloth came to Virginia from the University of Pennsylvania, where he was one of the most promising substitutes on the Quaker varsity team, ranking next to the great Torey. During the two years that he has played at centre on the Virginia team he has made quite a name for himself and has been twice selected for a place on the All-Southern team.

Gloth is a wide-awake, aggressive player. In addition to being a tower of strength on the defensive, he seldom fails to open up big holes in the line, and is generally always on hand to help the man who is carrying the ball. He is quick to get through the line and break up plays before they are well started. In fact, there are few centre men in Eastern football who get down the field faster than he. Frequently he tackles the runner ahead of the ends. One of his specialties is blocking kicks. He also displays the true football instinct, that of being Johnny-on-the-spot in almost every play. Whenever a fumble occurs, he is generally the player to be found on top of the ball.

Gloth is twenty-one years of age and tips the scales at 175 pounds. He is a student in the law school and will get his degree in June, 1909.

Under the guidance of such a clever, all-round player as Gloth, Virginia is fairly sure of turning out a strong team next fall. Personally he is very popular in college, possessing a very genial nature.

ARTHUR EVANS TO WED

Popular Baseball Catcher Was Himself Caught by Lynchburg Girl.

LYNCHBURG, VA., December 9.—It was announced to-day that Mr. Arthur A. Evans, the well-known baseball catcher, who was a member of last season's Lynchburg team, and Miss Mabel E. Goodman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Goodman, will be married at the home of the bride's parents, on Park Avenue, on Wednesday morning at 7:30 o'clock.

The wedding is to be a quiet one, and only the family of the bride and immediate friends will be present to witness the ceremony.

After the ceremony the couple will go to Baltimore for a stay of several months at Mr. Evans's old home, remaining there until he has to report to the Chicago National League team for the spring practice of that club.

The marriage will be of much interest in this city on account of the popularity of the prospective groom, and because of the large connection of Miss Goodman, who is well known and has a large number of friends in the city.

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Adams Chewing Gum, regular 5c pkg., now	4c
French Candy per pound	6c
Best Quality Dates, per pound	6c
Seeded Raisins, in 1-lb. pkg	12½c
Cleaned Currants, 1-lb. pkg	10c
3 pounds Loose Figs	25c
Best Chocolate Drops, per pound	12½c
Chalmer's Gelatine, 3 pkgs	25c
Boneless Cod Fish, 1-lb. bricks	7c
White "A" Sugar, per pound	4½c
4 Cans Tomatoes for	25c
7 large bars Swift's Pride Soap for	25c
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1874—At New York.—A. P. Rudolphe defeated Albert Garnier in contest for three-ball billiard championship.
1888—At Brisbane, Australia.—Henry E. Searles won the final heat in the international scullers' race, $2,000.
1890—At Clinton, Mass.—C. G. Jefferson lifted 1,571¼ pounds dead weight with hands alone.
1891—Monument unveiled near Sydney, Australia, to the memory of Henry E. Searles, world's champion sculler.
1893—New York Cricket Association organized.
1904—At New York.—Six-day bicycle race won by Root and Dorlan.

SCHAEFER-SUTTON BILLIARD MATCH

Two of the Greatest Exponents of the Game to Play on Thursday.

The great billiard masters, Jacob Schaefer and George Sutton, who are playing a series of matches at the 18.2 game in Eastern cities, will play an exhibition match in the auditorium of the Jefferson Hotel on Thursday night, beginning at 8 o'clock. The match will be of 300 points. The two men are so well matched that the condition of the two men at the hour of play will really determine the victory.

Schaefer defeated Sutton on Saturday night at Trenton, N. J., in the greatest game ever seen there by 300 to 295, the wizard going out on a brilliant unfinished run of 79. Up to that time Sutton seemed to have the match won, but this great run, replete with brilliant shots, turned the tide. Sutton made high runs of 51, 52 and 68, almost equalling the best of the wizard.

It was erroneously stated yesterday morning that Sutton and Slosson would play here on Thursday. Of course, it should have been Schaefer instead of Slosson. The match in this city will doubtless attract many interested in the game to see this exposition of it by the masters.

RIDERS ARE FAR BEHIND RECORD

Bobby Walthour Quits Game on Plea of a Lame Shoulder.

NEW YORK, December 9.—Bobby Walthour, of Atlanta, who was paired with Matt E. Downey, of Boston, withdrew from the international six-day bicycle race at 9:30 A. M. to-day, when he had completed 187 miles and one lap. He declared that he had a lame arm and shoulder and that he should be in a hospital instead of racing. Dr. Kramer, the physician at the track, said that Walthour was in as good condition as any of the riders.

At 10 o'clock to-night the fourteen teams were riding in exactly the same order as at 1 o'clock to-day. There had been neither gains nor losses. The leaders had pedaled at that hour, 421 miles, 5 laps.

The record for twenty-one hours is 449 miles, 2 laps, and was made in 1900 by Elkes and McFarland. The seven leading teams are Folger-Moran, Rutt-Steel, Bedell-Bedell, Darragon-Breston, Georget-Dupre, Logan-Bardgett and Krebs-Vanerstuyft. Each had covered 253 miles and 8 laps at 1 P. M. The Downing-Butler and Samuelson-Mitten teams lost one lap, and, together with the Lawson-MacDonald, Jacquelin-Vanoni, Wilcox-Williams and Galvin-Wiley teams had covered 253 miles and 7 laps. Sherwood and Limberg were two laps behind.

BURNS WILL FIGHT ROCHE.

Tommy Will Tackle Irishman Across the Water in January.

LONDON, December 9.—Tommy Burns, the American pugilist, who defeated Gunner Moir on Monday night, has accepted a challenge from Jem Roche, of Wexford. Jack Palmer, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, has deposited with the Sporting Life £500 in respect to each, only stipulating that the purse shall be at least £1,500. The men will be ready to fight in January.

It is learned here on good authority that Richard Croker has joined with a number of wealthy sporting Irishmen, who will offer a substantial purse to bring off the fight between Tommy Burns and Jem Roche, the Irish champion.

After his defeat of Gunner Moir, Burns signified his readiness to meet Roche, provided the Irishman could find backers to the amount of £500.

BURNS-JOHNSON BOUT.

Coffroth, of San Francisco, Willing to Put Up Big Purse.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., December 9.—With the Thomas-Ketchel bout still pending for Tuesday night, an effort is being made to get another big go for this neighborhood. Jimmy Coffroth has stated that he will meet any Goldfield offer of a purse for a bout between Tommy Burns and Jack Johnson, and says that he will hold the match inside or outside the city limits.

Sam Fitzpatrick, who is looking after the interests of Jack Johnson in the East, says that Burns assured him he would meet the big colored boxer immediately upon his return to this country.

PINKOLA WINNER OF FEATURE RACE

Racing Auspiciously Inaugurated on Crescent City Fair Grounds Course.

NEW ORLEANS, December 9.—The Fair Grounds race course opened its season to-day with improvements costing $250,000.

The feature to-day was the Inaugural handicap, the oldest fixture of the Crescent City Jockey Club. It was won by Pinkola, the favorite. Weather cloudy; track heavy. Summaries:

First race—five furlongs—La Seur (6 to 4) first, Donaldo (6 to 1) second, Edina (50 to 1) third. Time, 1:06 3-5.

Second race—one mile and seventy yards—Dainty Belle (8 to 1) first, Communipaw (13 to 1) second, Tinker (7 to 1) third. Time, 1:53 4-5.

Third race—six furlongs—Al Mueller (4 to 5) first, Georgia Girl (7 to 1) second, Miss Delaney (9 to 2) third. Time, 1:18 4-5.

Fourth race—six furlongs—the Inaugural handicap—Pinkola (5 to 2) first, Keator (8 to 5) second, Lens (7 to 1) third. Time, 1:19.

Fifth race—one mile and seventy yards; handicap—Mortiboy (12 to 1) first, Tileing (4 to 5) second, Orphan Lad (20 to 1) third. Time, 1:52 4-5.

Sixth race—mile and three-sixteenths—Dr. McCluer (7 to 1) first, Fonsulaca (7 to 1) second, Belleview (8 to 1) third. Time, 2:11.

LOUDOUN HUNT'S RUN.

Fine Chase Along the Potomac Results in a Kill.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

LEESBURG, VA., December 9.—The American hounds of the Loudoun Hunt Club were in the field to-day. The cast was made at Luckett's, near Leesburg, many spectators being present. The hounds were put and soon found. Giving tongue, the scent was followed for a short time, but lost. Called off, the pack was recast, and a long and exciting run took place, the field following the course along the Potomac River for many miles, until the fox was put in. At the finish were Westmoreland Davis and Mrs. Davis, Clarence Moore and Mrs. Moore, Mr. Higginson, Mr. Reed, Mr. Dunn, Mr. Chamberlain, Mr. Harmon, Mr. A. M. Chichester, Jr., Mrs. Gibson, Mrs. Henderson, Miss Miskell and others.

TO LEND MONEY ON COTTON

Senator McLaurin Proposes Government Depositories for Staple.

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 9.—Senator McLaurin, of Mississippi, introduced a bill to-day designed to relieve the present money stringency and to prevent its recurrence. It permits persons owning any bonds of the United States to deposit them in the Treasury and receive notes to an amount equaling their par value. It is provided that until February, 1909, persons owning one or more bales of cotton may deposit it in a depository designated by the Secretary of the Treasury and receive Treasury notes to the extent of 70 per cent. of the value of the cotton. If not redeemed the cotton shall be sold by the government. The bill also imposes a penalty on dealing in "cotton futures" of $100,000 fine or five years' imprisonment.

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AMUSEMENTS

Academy—Francis Macmillen.
Bijou—"Under Suspicion."
Idlewood—Skating Rink and Wild Animal Show.

Thriller at the Bijou.

"Under Suspicion," by Ramsey Morris, the author of "The Ninety and Nine," which is the bill at the Bijou this week, is a thriller, and there is something doing every minute. In this tale of the efforts of a falsely convicted man to start a new life is included the deep-dyed villain, the reformed convict, the love affair and every accompaniment of a genuine melodrama, topped off with a prairie fire as a climax. The prairie fire was disappointing from a spectacular viewpoint, and there have certainly been seen better melodramas than "Under Suspicion," which compares unfavorably with "The Ninety and Nine." However, last night's performance was cordially received by the galleries.

Macmillen To-Night.

That Macdowell, America's greatest composer, should lose his mind in the very prime of his life, was indeed a misfortune not only for him and his immediate family, but for the musical world at large, for he is still comparatively young and gave promise of even greater things than he has yet produced. That he should leave his family in dire straits is even more pitiful. Fortunately, American musicians have come to the front and subscriptions have been raised in almost every community. The result, however, has not been as gratifying as might have been expected, and the wants of Macdowell's family are still far from being taken care of.

Among Macdowell's close friends is Arthur Hartmann, the talented violinist, who was in this country last year, and who is now in Europe. He was struck by the condition of Macdowell and his family, and he determined to do something to help them in their distress. The result was the now famous Hartmann transcription of Macdowell's ever popular "To a Wild Rose." Hartmann has made of this little gem a solo piece for the violin which can hardly be excelled; and as he arranged with the publisher to have the entire proceeds accrue to the benefit of Mrs. Macdowell, she received, as a result, quite a big sum of money.

Francis Macmillen, who is to play at the Academy to-night, has placed the Macdowell-Hartmann composition on his program, and will play it in 150 concerts. That this will greatly enhance its popularity and add enormously to its sale, cannot be doubted.

Cup for Winners.

The management of the skating rink at Idlewood has purchased a beautiful silver cup, which will be presented to any indoor baseball team defeating the Richmond professionals three out of five games. Though retaining all the interest and excitement of the outdoor game, indoor baseball is much easier to play, and the professionals will have a hard time holding their own against some of the local teams. The Christ Church aggregation recently defeated the professionals, and the Seventieth Regiment team held them to a score of 6 to 5.

Even Thursday will be indoor baseball night at the rink. On Friday nights the usual races will be pulled off.

The pictures this week are new and interesting.

At the Jungle.

Many appropriate names have been suggested in the contest for the naming of Sultana's cubs at the Ferari Jungle and Arena at Idlewood Park.

The ladies are taking great interest in the contest, and one of them will doubtless get the handsome mounted tiger's claw, which will make an excellent Christmas present for sweetheart or husband. The claw will make a beautiful watch fob.

The bill which has thrilled thousands of visitors to the Jungle will be presented every afternoon and evening at 2:30 and 8:30 o'clock. The feeding of the animals is a feature of the Jungle.

One of the most interesting sights for the little folk is the den of fifteen-months-old cubs—five of them—whose antics, especially at feed time, are really amusing.

Musical Comedy.

The musical comedy success, "Coming Thro' the Rye," will be presented at the Academy to-morrow, matinee and night. Wherever this production has been seen it has made a hit of an unmistakable kind that denotes merit of high order. "Coming Thro' the Rye" is a musical comedy written by George V. Hobart, with score by A. Baldwin Sloane. Mr. Hobart is said to have written a decidedly original and exceedingly mirthful "book," and Mr. Sloane's music is described as particularly melodious, jingling and "catchy." The presenting company is a large one, made up of comedians, singers and dancers and a chorus of sixty.

HIS WOUND PROVES FATAL.

Alexander Ribelin Accidentally Shot by Friend While Hunting.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

SPENCER, N. C., December 9.—Alexander Ribelin, aged twenty-three years, died at a hospital in Salisbury yesterday afternoon from a gunshot wound in the shoulder, received while out hunting in Rowan county last week with a friend, J. M. Morgan. The latter fell down, accidentally discharging his gun. The entire load lodged in the body of Mr. Ribelin, who fell, mortally wounded. He was prominent and leaves many relatives.

COLLEGE GIRLS IN BASKETBALL GAME

Close and Exciting Contest by Two Teams of Southern Seminary.

WINS IN THRILLING FINISH

Ohio Girl Throws Winning Basket and Turns Tide of Battle.

One of the greatest games in the history of basketball at the Southern Seminary was played Saturday afternoon by the two rival teams of the institution—the Hurry-Ups and the Whirlwinds. As was forecast in the columns of The Times-Dispatch, it was a toss-up for the winner. Not until the last moment of the game and the very last throw was made was the game won or lost. It was in that critical moment, just as the watch hand stood upon the fatal dot, terminating the last half, that Miss Hudson, of the Hurry-Ups, tossed the last ball of the great annual game, which, luckily for her team, fell in a clean-cut way through the basket and turned the score, up to that moment a tie, into 11 to 9 in favor of the Hurry-Ups. And such a scene that followed!

Miss Potts, of Ashland, the captain of the successful team, rushed into the arms of Miss Hudson, of Ohio, the goal pitcher, and in the most approved feminine and schoolgirl style embraced and caressed each other. This was the signal for the rest of the team, and they all immediately followed suit, and in the place of the masculine demonstrations at the end of match games, there were those peculiar to the female sex, but certainly no less hearty or emphatic.

The score and the statement that the decisive toss of the ball was not made till the very last moment of the game tell the story of the worthy opposition of the Whirlwinds, under the dashing captaincy of Miss Garth, of Charlottesville, and the brilliant goal-pitching of Miss Plank, of Missouri. The whole game was one of the prettiest contests ever witnessed on any field. It would have done the heart of a veteran of sports and athletic games good to see the dash with which both teams played, and the brilliance of individual plays by members of both teams. Then the college spirit was keyed up to the very highest pitch. It was indeed a beautiful sight to see the young ladies of the seminary come marching out to the grounds, waving their pennants and banners, bearing the appropriate colors of their respective teams. First came in double-quick time the Hurry-Ups, in their red and white, and the Whirlwinds in their white and blue. In addition to the general crowd, there was a large delegation of Washington and Lee students at the game, who were wearing the colors of the teams, some of one and some of the other.

It was a distinctly additional feature to watch the great interest and enthusiasm of the young men and their hearty encouragement of the side they espoused by college and seminary songs and yells. Such expressions, "Hold your nerve!" might have been heard as some off play was made, which marked the masculine "rooter."

There never has been a greater day in the old seminary for college spirit and sport and for general interest and enthusiasm, and the contest of 1907 between the Hurry-Ups and the Whirlwinds will go down in the athletic annals of the institution as one of the prettiest and cleanest and closest ever played by the fair damsels and daughters of the Southern Seminary, this Maid of the Mountains.

The line-up was as follows:

Hurry-Ups—Annie Macon Potts (captain), assistant goal pitcher; Grace Hudson, goal pitcher; Dorothy Parr, centre; Sauretta Wood, left-field; Estelle Collins, right-field; Edith Bradley, defender; Miss Hunter, assistant defender.

Whirlwinds—Mary Garth (captain), assistant goal pitcher; Bethine Plank, goal pitcher; Willie Garth, centre; Shelly Coates, left-field; Ruth Bulla, right-field; Elsie Crupper, defender; Rosa Breeden, assistant defender.

DULA TELLS SECRETS OF TOBACCO TRUST

Organized Queen City Company American Not Referred To in Be Independent.

NEW YORK, December 9.—The Queen City Tobacco Company, of Cincinnati, Ohio, was organized with the funds of the American Tobacco Company and by Caleb C. Dula, one of the vice-presidents of the tobacco combine, but the consolidation of the two companies was kept a secret, according to Mr. Dula's evidence given in the government's action to dissolve the combine. Mr. Dula testified that he arranged the organization of the Queen City Company with a man supposed to be independent of the American Tobacco Company in control. J. C. MacReynolds, the government's counsel, produced a letter written by W. Galbraith, Jr., manager of the Queen City Company, to Mr. Dula, in which the writer advised that correspondence be conducted under assumed names to avoid discovery.

Then Mr. Dula further testified that the Manufacturers' Tobacco Companies, of Louisville, was secretly acquired by the American Tobacco Company, after which the plant was dismantled.

Correspondence between Mr. Dula and Augustus Craft, of New Orleans, on the formation of the Craft Tobacco Company was read into the record and showed that the relationship was kept secret. Craft wrote in 1903 that he expected to make the company a success, and would get the business of the People's Tobacco Company, of New Orleans. The purchaser had control of the Pinkerton Tobacco Company, of Ohio, and, according to Mr. Dula, was negotiated with secrecy. The American Tobacco Company paid a subsidy of 2 cents per pound on the output of the Pinkerton Company. Vice-President Dula was asked if there were any companies other than those named in the government's complaint which the American Tobacco Company controlled or had an interest in. The witness said that he knew of no others.

An adjournment was taken until to-morrow.

TWO MILLION A YEAR

Manufacturers' Record Impressed With Building Figures in Richmond.

In discussing the figures compiled by Building Inspector Beck, of Richmond, for permits issued since August 1st, the Manufacturers' Record, of Baltimore, says that the average amount of building indicates that at least $2,000,000 will be expended in Richmond in the course of one year, provided the same average is maintained. Under the ordinance, all persons who desire to erect a new building or repair an old one must secure a permit, a record being kept of the cost of such construction or alteration. Heretofore there was no record of building operations.

What the expenditure of $2,000,000 a year for building alone means to the city is understood and appreciated by business men and real estate dealers in particular. Practically all this money is turned loose in the city for the purchase of material and the employment of labor. At this time there is great activity in building circles. Though not a part of the city estimate, many thousands of dollars are being expended for construction just beyond the corporate limits. This would swell the figures to more than the two million mark if included in Inspector Beck's reports.

Several newspapers out of Virginia have commented on conditions here, the Washington Times being especially impressed with the showing.

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PYTHIAN CELEBRATION

Syracuse Lodge Has Grand Rally on Thirty-ninth Birthday.

Syracuse Lodge, Knights of Pythias, had a grand rally in celebration of its thirty-ninth birthday at Smithdeal Hall last night, and the affair was greatly enjoyed by the members and their wives and daughters.

The meeting was in the main hall, fronting on Broad Street, and a large attendance was present. A most interesting program was rendered, including songs, recitations and speeches, after which light refreshments were served by the ladies. The musical part of the program was under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Clowes, who sang a number of duets.

Judge D. C. Richardson delivered an address on Pythianism, which was warmly received. The Rev. J. H. Dickinson delivered a brief but interesting address, and there was a solo by Mr. Bailey, of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway. Mr. Adam Diacont told some funny stories, and was loudly cheered.

The evening was one of genuine pleasure for all who attended.

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The Ballard House

AT AUCTION.

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE Chancery Court of the city of Richmond, entered November 29, 1907, in the consolidated causes of "Burgess's Administrator vs. Universal Life Insurance Co.;" "C. T. Binford vs. Universal Life Insurance Co.;" "City of Richmond vs. Universal Life Insurance Co.," and "S. H. Johnson, Administrator, vs. D. W. McWilliams, Trustee," we will sell by public auction, on the premises, on

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1907, at 1 o'clock P. M., the property in the city of Richmond known as the old BALLARD HOUSE, fronting about 157 feet on Franklin Street, at the corner of Fourteenth Street, with a depth on Fourteenth Street of about 80 feet, and on its east line of about 159 feet. The property also abuts Cypress Alley about 84 feet. The improvements consist of the large, substantially constructed building known as the "Ballard House," and also of some brick and some frame subsidiary buildings in the rear, some of them fronting on Cypress Alley. The shape and extent of this property is shown on a map at the office of the auctioneers.

The central location of this real estate, it being in the midst of a new and popular jobbing district; the very heavy and well preserved exterior walls, conspire to render the property, with some changes, very desirable for many uses, especially as a wholesale jobbing house.

TERMS: One-fifth cash, and the residue in four equal instalments, at six, twelve, eighteen and twenty-four months, for notes, with interest added, and the title retained until all the purchase money shall have been paid.

HENRY R. POLLARD,
SAMUEL A. DERSON,
JOHN A. COKE, JR.,
IRVING P. CAMPBELL,
BEV. T. CRUMP,
Special Commissioners.

I do hereby certify that the bond required of the Special Commissioners in the above mentioned decree has been duly given.

Teste: C. O. SAVILLE, Clerk.

By H. A. McCurdy,
Real Estate Broker.

EXECUTOR'S SALE TO CLOSE ESTATE OF

Two-Story Detached Brick Residence.

AT SOUTHEAST CORNER OF NINTH AND TURPIN (OR M) STREETS.

As executor of W. B. Lyons, and acting under the provisions of his will, I will offer for sale, on the premises, on

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11TH, at 4:30 o'clock, the above mentioned desirable and conveniently located brick residence as above, which contains about twelve rooms and has the usual conveniences.

The nearness of this property to the business centre, and the fact that it can easily be altered into flats at a nominal cost, makes it especially desirable, either as a residence or for rental purposes. The lot has a frontage of 33 feet on Ninth Street and runs back along Turpin Street about 150 feet to an alley.

TERMS: One-third cash; residue payable in equal instalments at six and twelve months; the deferred payments to bear legal interest and be secured by trust deed, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser.

GEORGE W. LEWIS,
Executor Wm. B. Lyons, Deceased.

By Pollard & Bagby,
Real Estate Auctioneers.

COURT SALE BY AUCTION OF VACANT LOT ON THE WEST LINE OF OAK STREET, BEGINNING 140 FEET NORTH OF MOORE STREET, FRONTING ON OAK STREET 25 FEET BY A DEPTH OF 117 FEET TO AN ALLEY.

In execution of a decree of the Chancery Court of the city of Richmond, entered November 13, 1907, in suit of the City of Richmond vs. Virginia White and J. H. Parr, I will sell by auction, on the premises,

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1907, at 4:30 o'clock P. M., the above described property.

TERMS: Cash.

H. R. POLLARD,
Special Commissioner.

I certify that the bond required by the decree of the special commissioner has been duly given.

Given under my hand this 6th day of December, 1907.

CHAS. O. SAVILLE, Clerk.

By Pollard & Bagby,
Real Estate Auctioneers.

COURT SALE BY AUCTION OF VACANT LOT ON THE WEST LINE OF OAK STREET, BEGINNING 190 FEET NORTH OF MOORE STREET, FRONTING ON OAK STREET 25 FEET BY A DEPTH OF 117 FEET TO AN ALLEY.

In execution of a decree of the Chancery Court of the city of Richmond, entered November 14, 1907, in suit of the City of Richmond vs. P. H. Ford et al., I will sell by auction, on the premises,

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1907, at 4:30 o'clock P. M., the above described property.

TERMS: Cash.

H. R. POLLARD,
Special Commissioner.

I certify that the bond required by the decree of the special commissioner has been duly given.

Given under my hand this 6th day of December, 1907.

CHAS. O. SAVILLE, Clerk.

Wm. B. Pizzini Company,
Auctioneers.

AUCTION SALE OF FOUR SPLENDID RENTING HOUSES AS FOLLOWS: NOS. 924 AND 926 NORTH FOURTH STREET, AND NOS. 318 AND 318 1-2 E. BAKER.

At the request of the owner, we will offer for sale, at public auction, on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12TH, at 4 o'clock P. M., the above properties. These houses have all water and sewer connections, are of six rooms each, splendid renters and occupied by first-class tenants.

TERMS: Liberal and announced at sale.

WM. B. PIZZINI COMPANY,
Auctioneers.
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