Judge Wickham, in support of the minority paper. When these gentlemen shall have concluded their speeches, in which they will, of course, outline their respective reports and give their reasons for them, the floodgates will be opened, and some bitter and sarcastic oratory is expected.

Senator Noel (Republican), of Lee county, who made the protest which brought on the investigation, will speak at length against confirmation, and other Republicans will follow him. It is known that some of the strongest Democratic leaders on the floor of the two Houses will defend Judge Rhea, and that they will speak at length, with no mincing of words.

The meeting will probably last several hours before a final vote is reached, and if all the members of the two branches are in attendance the final decision will probably be something like 110 to 20 in favor of the majority report.

The evidence, taken stenographically at the investigation, has been printed, and was yesterday laid upon the desks of the members. It contains 263 pages, and will be read at length by few, if any, members prior to the meeting to-night.

The hour fixed for the joint Assembly is 8 o'clock, in the hall of the House of Delegates.

SMALLPOX IN KING GEORGE

County Has No Health Board and No Quarantine Established.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

FREDERICKSBURG, VA., February 24.—The situation as to smallpox in King George county remains unchanged as far as can be learned here to-day. In a talk over the 'phone with Mr. E. L. Hunter, clerk of the Circuit Court of the county, to-day he stated that there are probably fifty cases in the county, and that none of them are very serious. He says the county has no health board, and no quarantine has been established. He says that he does not know officially of any freedom among the doctors, nor of any proposed shotgun policy.

He suggested that Dr. M. W. Miner of Comorn, might be able to give further information. An effort was made to reach Dr. Miner over the 'phone, but he was out on his professional rounds and could not be located.

Physicians to Meet.

The regular meeting of the Richmond Academy of Medicine and Surgery will be held in the Tuberculosis Protective Association building on 8:30 o'clock to-night. The subjects will be "The Therapeutics of the Saline of Salicylic Acid," by Dr. P. M. Brooke; discussed by Dr. William S. Gordon; "The Sequelae of La Grippe," by Dr. T. A. Parker; discussed by Dr. M. D. Hoge, Jr.

Spontaneous Case Continued.

Annie Summers, a colored woman, charged with running a speakeasy on Franklin Street near Twenty-first, was held over in the Police Court yesterday on motion of her counsel, Mr. Gilbert K. Pollock, who asked for a continuance on the ground that the woman is a paralytic. The case will be heard on Monday morning. The woman was arrested by Bicycle Policemen Bryant and Nelson and Policeman Crump. The officers stated that they are looking for another negro.

Funeral of Mrs. Burden.

NEW YORK, February 24.—The funeral of Mrs. Natica Rives Burden, the young society woman who died from gas poisoning last Friday, was held from the Burden home in Fifth Avenue to-day. The body was taken to Troy for burial. The funeral service was read by Rev. Dr. W. R. Huntington, of Grace Episcopal Church, who officiated at the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Burden less than a year ago.

Seventh Victim Dead.

NEW YORK, February 24.—Henry Deiterlein, of Spring Valley, N. Y., died to-day at the North Hudson Hospital in Weehawkin, N. J., of injuries suffered in the collision between a wagon and an Ontario and Western express train at West Nyack Railroad station Sunday. He was the seventh victim of the disaster. Another victim of the accident, Warren Palmer, is in a grave condition.

Got Ahead of Night Riders.

MAYFIELD, KY., February 24.—News was received to-night that fifty night riders went to the farm of Brandon Hurt, near Kirk's Eye, and burned his barn. He had received a warning notice a few weeks ago and had hauled his last load of tobacco from the barn last week.

Mr. Edison Doing Well.

NEW YORK, February 24.—Thomas A. Edison, the famous inventor, who submitted to an operation for the removal of an abscess in the ear last night, was reported to-day as resting easily. Steady improvement in his condition is expected.

Removes License Tax.

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 24.—A bill was introduced in the House to-day by Mr. Saunders (Virginia), removing all license taxes from the business of dealing in unstamped tobacco in the leaf or twisted by hand, or pressed.

Cocaine Seller Guilty.

John Taylor (colored) appeared in the Police Court yesterday morning on the charge of selling cocaine in Mayo Street. He pleaded guilty and received the maximum penalty—$100 fine, thirty days in jail and $200 security for six months. He was arrested by Policemen Johnson and Shoemaker.

Five Italians Fined.

Five Italians, all charged with being disorderly on Sunday night on Clay Street car No. 206, were in the Police Court yesterday morning and were fined $10 each. Through their counsel, Mr. Gilbert K. Pollock, they pleaded for judicial clemency. This was not forthcoming, and the fines stood. The men are Tony Aretta, A. D. Anca, James Albie, J. Armetta and Charles Rose.

"Berry's for Clothes"

You can put at least one-third of your clothing money in bank by patronizing these Berry sales!

Sale of Suits--
Sale of O'coats--
Sale of Trousers--
Sale of Shoes--
Sale of Hats--
Sale of Shirts--
Sale of Cravats--
At a third to a half off the regular prices.
For man or boy.

O. H. Berry & Co.

Elect Class Officers.

Officers were elected by the senior class of Richmond College yesterday morning as follows: President, J. Braxton Miller; Vice-President, Eugene H. Lucke; Secretary and Treasurer, Archie G. Ryland; Orator, T. Harper Binford; Historian, George T. Walts.

EVEN-HANDED JUSTICE

Magistrate Preston Says He Will Deal Impartially Throughout Henrico.

"Squire George Preston, one of the newly-elected disposers of the law in Henrico, held his first trial yesterday, and the doors of the historic basement were opened for the occasion with due solemnity. The case was that of Waverly West against "Sainty" Healey. These two several days ago got into a disastrous mix-up, in which West lost a diaper, which he declares was ravenously swallowed by his assailant. The matter had already been sifted out by Justice Crutchfield without satisfaction to West, who wants his finger back. 'Squire Preston, however, saw no reason for reversing the decision of the higher court, and West is still minus one of his "feelers" and has not been able to get legal reparation.

Before opening court 'Squire Preston defined his position to all who might be in hearing of his voice. He said "This is not a white man's court nor yet a 'nigger's court, but a court of justice, in which the same will be meted out irrespective, etc." In dismissing the belligerents the new 'squire remarked upon the barbarity with which they "went at it," and rebuked Healey for his cannibalism.

EXAMINE DUKE AT HOME

Too Sick to Appear, Commissioners and Counsel Will Visit Him.

NEW YORK, February 24.—Being unable to appear to-day to testify in the Federal inquiry into the American Tobacco Company because of illness, James B. Duke, president of the company, who had been subpoenaed as a witness by the defense, requested United States Commissioner Shields and counsel in the case to visit his home to-morrow to take his evidence. This was agreed to.

Mr. Duke was subpoenaed as the first witness for the defense, but was taken ill. His physician ordered him to remain home, but he said that the company had no desire to delay the inquiry, and, rather than have it delayed until he could recover to testify in court, the inquisitors might come to his home.

The prosecution in the tobacco inquiry closed its case some time ago.

CHARLES GATES REPORTED ON A WRECKED TRAIN

LAREDO, TEX., February 24.—A special train en route to the border and having aboard a party from Toledo, O., and Chicago, headed by Charles Gates, is reported to have been derailed at Encinal, a station forty-five miles from this city. Every car left the track. Callers have just started out from the railroad station with instructions to get all available physicians.

NUNZIO NASI CONVICTED

Found by Senate at Rome Guilty of Robbing Public Treasury.

ROME, February 24.—The Senate, sitting as a high court, after ten hours' deliberation, to-day convicted Nunzio Nasi, former Minister of Public Instruction, of embezzlement from the State treasury. It sentenced him to eleven months' and twenty days' imprisonment, and debarred him from holding public office for four years and two months. The punishment of Nasi is not so severe as might appear, for the court found extenuating circumstances, and permitted the imprisonment that the accused had already undergone to be subtracted from the sentence. This leaves only a few days for him to serve in prison. Nasi's secretary, Lombardo, who also was on trial before the Senate, was acquitted for lack of evidence.

The former minister was greatly distressed at the verdict, and exclaimed: "Even after condemnation I feel like an honest man."

On the announcement of the verdict on the streets there was a boisterous demonstration, several hundred persons crying: "Long live Nasi!"

The severest measures have been adopted to preserve order in Sicily, Signor Nasi being a Sicilian and very popular with all his people. A large number of men who are considered dangerous by the police in the emergency have been arrested.

PLEASED WITH OUR SHIPS

Crowds Flock to Callao to Get Glimpse of Fleet—Music and Rowing.

LIMA, PERU, February 24.—After four days the battleships of the American navy still are as strong an attraction to the Peruvians as they were the day of their arrival. Yesterday there were 30,000 visitors in Callao. The majority of them went out to the anchorage, but many of them remained aboard the boats that circled around the warships.

During the visit of President Pardo to the fleet the bands of the third division came ashore and played on the Figuerdo embankment. The regatta went off splendidly. In the contest for six-oared boats the winning boat was from the Peruvian transport Iquitos. The second boat was that of the captain of the port. The third represented the transport Chalaco; the fourth the battleship Kentucky. The last crew to cross the line was that of the Union Club. The distance was two miles, and the time of the winning boat was 15 minutes 46 2-5 seconds. In the race for twelve-oared boats there were four entries. The crew from the Louisiana finished first, and that from the Georgia took second honors. The prizes were handed to the winners by President Pardo.

At the conclusion of the races President Pardo and the members of the Union Club invited the American officers to the club to partake of refreshments. There the band played "The Star Spangled Banner," "Hail Columbia" and other American airs.

The body of P. R. Lewis, a sailor of the battleship Illinois, who died Saturday, was brought ashore yesterday and interred. Fifty men from the Illinois attended the funeral. Services were conducted by the chaplain of the battleship.

Admiral Evans has inaugurated in Lima a system of naval patrols. This police service has been excellent, and as a result there has been no unpleasantness whatever. The shore force is in command of two officers, who patrol the city on horseback. A bull fight took place this afternoon, and a big crowd came here from Callao, several thousand sailors being among the number. To-night there was a gala performance at the Politeana Theatre.

Attentions to Flotilla Officers.

TALIHUCO, CHILI, February 24.—The officers of the American torpedo boat flotilla, which has been here since February 15th, have been treated with marked attention by the Peruvian authorities. Entertainments in their honor have been given by the commanding officers of the Chilian warships here. The stay in this port has been eminently pleasant and satisfactory. The torpedo boats will leave here to-morrow for Callao, where they probably will arrive March 1st.

FOR KILLING DECK HAND

Action of Three Governments May be Necessary to Fix Responsibility.

NEW ORLEANS, February 24.—Action by three governments, the United States, Great Britain, and Norway, may be necessary to fix the responsibility for a killing which took place on the steamer Ellis in the Gulf of Mexico last Tuesday.

E. B. Taylor, who claims to be an American citizen and who was a passenger on the Ellis, was arrested upon the steamer's arrival here from Port Limon, Costa Rica, charged with killing Thomas Summers, a negro deck hand of the British colony of Jamaica. The Ellis bears the Norwegian flag, thereby bringing the Norway government into the case.

After investigation the United States officials here announced that Taylor, while apparently under the influence of liquor, was tossing up and catching a revolver, which as it dropped into his hands was discharged, instantly killing the deck hand. The United States District Attorney's office announced to-night that Taylor will be held for action by a Federal grand jury, and that his trial will take place here. Taylor gave his home as Rock Bridge, Illinois. He was formerly a Texas and Pacific Railroad conductor.

SCORES THE PRESIDENT

Republican Member of Maryland Legislature Dissents From Caucus Action.

ANNAPOLIS, MD., February 24.—Delegate Dick, of Allegheny county, to-night, on a question of personal privilege, took occasion in a speech on the floor of the Legislature, to dissent vigorously from what he declared the "erroneous action of the caucus of the Republican members of the Legislature in indorsing the President and his policies and favoring the candidacy of Taft" for the presidency. He attacked Collector Stone, Attorney-General Bonaparte, and the whole Republican administration, and declared that the President's whole advocacy of Taft is "a humbugging attempt to blind the public" to the intention of the President to bolt the Republican National Convention in favor of himself for a third term. The speaker added that although a Republican, he would surely vote for Bryan should the Democrats nominate him, rather than Roosevelt. He defied his fellow-Republicans to answer him, but received no response.

THE WEATHER

Forecast: Virginia—Increasing cloudiness and warmer Tuesday; rain at night and Wednesday; slightly colder Wednesday, increasing southeast to south winds.

North Carolina—Increasing cloudiness and warmer Tuesday; Wednesday rain; somewhat colder, increasing winds.

CONDITIONS YESTERDAY.

Richmond's weather was clear and cold. Range of the thermometer:

9 A. M.	31	6 P. M.	32
12 M.	34	9 P. M.	32
3 P. M.	38	12 midnight	33

Average.....33 1-3

Highest temperature yesterday	38
Lowest temperature yesterday	28
Mean temperature yesterday	33
Normal temperature yesterday	41
Departure from normal temperature	8

CONDITIONS IN IMPORTANT CITIES.

(At 8 P. M., Eastern Time.)

Place.	Ther.	H.T.	Weather.
Asheville	42	52	Clear
Augusta	48	58	Cloudy
Atlanta	50	54	P. cloudy
Buffalo	20	28	Rain
Chicago	36	38	Cloudy
Cincinnati	40	44	Cloudy
Davenport	40	46	Cloudy
Detroit	26	36	Cloudy
Hatteras	36	42	Clear
Jacksonville	50	56	Clear
Kansas City	44	50	Rain
New Orleans	58	56	Clear
Oklahoma City	48	50	Rain
Pittsburg	32	40	Clear
Raleigh	38	42	Clear
Savannah	46	54	Clear
Norfolk	34	36	Clear
Tampa	62	70	Clear
Washington	32	36	Clear
Wilmington	40	48	Clear
Yellowstone	36	40	Cloudy

MINATURE ALMANAC.

February 25, 1908.

		HIGH TIDE.	
Sun rises	6:49	Morning	10:53
Sun sets	5:58	Evening	11:23
Moon rises	1:31		

Some foods have the same effect on the bowels as Cascarets.

But one must select the foods and that's difficult. It's easier to take Cascarets.

Here is one way to keep cheerful:

Live out-doors and exercise in plenty. Eat coarse food, much fruit, many green vegetables.

Here is the other way:

Take a Cascaret when you need it. That will supply, in a gentle and natural way, the same laxative effect on the bowels.

Nobody questions that the first way is best.

So would it be best, for much the same reason, to do all of our reading by sunlight.

But most of us are compelled to choose a second best way.

And that way is Cascarets.

No other laxative acts so nearly as proper living would act on the bowels.

The days of castor oil and salts, of pills and cathartics, are over.

What they did artificially, is now done by Cascarets gently.

The right way is to take a Cascaret when you need it. Carry a box in your pocket. Ward off those dull feelings, those headaches, before they fairly get started.

Cascarets are candy tablets. They are sold by all druggists, but never in bulk. Be sure to get the genuine, with CCC on every tablet. The price is 50 cents, 25 cents and

Ten Cents per Box. 790

Bad Symptoms.

The woman who has periodical headaches, backache, sees imaginary dark spots or specks floating or dancing before her eyes, has gnawing distress or heavy full feeling in stomach, faint spells, dragging-down feeling in lower abdominal or pelvic region, easily startled or excited, irregular or painful periods, with or without pelvic catarrh, is suffering from weaknesses and derangements that should have early attention. Not all of above symptoms are likely to be present in any case at one time.

Neglected or badly treated and such cases often run into maladies which demand the surgeon's knife if they do not result fatally.

No medicine extant has such a long and numerous record of cures in such cases as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. No medicine has such a strong professional endorsement of each of its several ingredients—worth more than any number of ordinary non-professional testimonials. The very best ingredients known to medical science for the cure of woman's peculiar ailments enter into its composition. No alcohol, harmful, or habit-forming drug is to be found in the list of its ingredients printed on each bottle-wrapper and attested under oath.

In any condition of the female system, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription can do only good—never harm. Its whole effect is to strengthen, invigorate and regulate the whole female system and especially the pelvic organs. When these are deranged in function or affected by disease, the stomach and other organs of digestion become sympathetically deranged, the nerves are weakened, and a long list of bad, unpleasant symptoms follow. Too much must not be expected of this "Favorite Prescription." It will not perform miracles; will not cure tumors—no medicine will. It *will* often *prevent* them, if taken in time, and thus the operating table and the surgeon's knife may be avoided.

Women suffering from diseases of long standing, are invited to consult Doctor Pierce by letter, *free*. All correspondence is held as strictly private and sacredly confidential. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Dr. Pierce's Medical Adviser (1000 pages) is sent *free* on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps for paper-covered, or 31 stamps for cloth-bound copy. Address as above.

DISMASTED AND ABANDONED.

The William H. Skinner Sighted 200 Miles Off Cape Hatteras.

NEW YORK, February 24.—The American schooner William H. Skinner was sighted, waterlogged and abandoned, 200 miles northeast of Cape Hatteras on Saturday by the steamer Byron, which arrived to-day from Rio Janeiro. Except for her foremast, the schooner had been dismasted and a white flag was flying at the foremast head. There was nothing to indicate the fate of her crew. It was evident that the Skinner had been blown off her course in a gale, as she was bound to New Haven, Conn., from Georgetown, S. C., having sailed from the latter port on February 14th.

The Skinner was commanded by Captain Griffith. She was 165 feet long, and her tonnage was 489. She was built at Camden, Me., in 1891, and was owned in New York.

MAKING GOOD PROGRESS, CONSIDERING FOWLER BILL.

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 24.—Consideration of the Fowler currency bill was continued in executive session to-day by the House Committee on Banking and Currency. At the close of the all-day session Chairman Fowler said:

"The committee is working in entire harmony and is making excellent progress with the bill. Thus far eight of the thirty-nine sections have been canvassed, tentative amendments being agreed to as we progressed. The clause providing for Federal guaranty of national bank deposits was discussed to-day. The clause providing for a subcurrency has been considered and passed without material amendment."

TRUCE IS PROPOSED IN SENATORIAL FIGHT

FRANKFORT, KY., February 24.—A proposal of truce in the senatorial race until the county local option bill is again taken up, was received by W. O. Bradley to-night in a letter addressed to him by former Governor Beckham. The latter accuses Bradley of working on the floor of the House to delay the bill in the interest of his senatorial contest and endeavoring to unseat two Democratic members.

Conference of School Officers.

WASHINGTON D. C., February 24.—A conference of the chief school officers of the States and Territories with the United States Bureau of Education was held here to-day. James B. Aswell, superintendent of public instruction of Louisiana, acted as temporary chairman of the meeting. A preliminary statement was made by Ellsworth Brown, United States Commissioner of Education, followed by remarks by James Y. Joyner, State superintendent of public instruction of North Carolina.

To Continue the Curtailment.

BOSTON, February 24.—At the conclusion of a meeting of the cotton manufacturers of this city to-day it was officially announced that a continuance of curtailed production in the cotton mills of New England was unanimously voted to be absolutely necessary.

Superintendents in Washington.

[From Our Regular Correspondent.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 24.—A number of school superintendents from Virginia are attending the convention of the National Educational Association. They are especially interested in the sessions of the branch of county and city school superintendents.

Bryan in Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, February 24.—William J. Bryan arrived here to-day from Lawrence, Kan., accompanied by W. R. Stubbs, candidate for the Republican gubernatorial nomination in Kansas. Mr. Bryan was here only an hour before he departed for Lincoln, Neb.

Only Perfunctory Ballot.

FRANKFORT, KY., February 24.—By agreement a perfunctory ballot was taken in the senatorial contest today. The vote resulted: Beckham, 1; Bradley, 1; James, 1.

The Late King Carlos.

He was the most versatile king in the world.

He was a glutton and ate more than any man in his kingdom.

He weighed 350 pounds.

He was a champion swimmer.

He had great personal courage.

He once risked his life to save a drowning man, and to rescue a peasant from a highwayman.

He was a skilled and bold banderillero in the bull ring.

He was a good story-teller, a fine whip, a yachtsman, a painter of note and a sculptor, tennis player and musician.

He had translated Shakespeare into Portuguese.

He was the best pistol shot in Europe.

He spoke seven languages.

He pawned his crown, worth $6,000,000.—Exchange.

WILL NOT BE DRIVEN OUT

Labor Organizations, Mr. Gompers Says, Will Live, Despite Decision.

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 24.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, before the House Committee on the Judiciary to-day asserted that organizations of labor are not going to be "driven out of existence," notwithstanding adverse decisions by the courts. He also said that he has every confidence that the President of the United States sincerely sympathizes "with all our people and particularly has sympathy for those who are sufferers by conditions and environments which exist, and that his desire is to see justice to everybody and that his recommendations are intended to accord justice to everyone.

"I have reason to believe," continued Mr. Gompers, "that the President is not thoroughly informed as to the real remedy for the cause of complaint."

These statements were made in the course of an argument before the committee on the bill introduced by Representative Pearre, of Maryland, to regulate the issuance of restraining orders and injunctions and to limit the meaning of "conspiracy" to certain cases.

The Pearre bill, Mr. Gompers said, is intended to bring the injunction process where it was before it was abused in its application to labor disputes.

Personal Mention.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cummins, of No. 521 North Seventh Street, are at Phoebus, where they went to attend the funeral of Mr. Cummins's mother, who died on Sunday.

GERMAN FOODSTUFF CHANGES.

Canning Trade Depressed and Liquor Drinking Declines.

Consul-General Richard Guenther, of Frankfort, quotes the following from the annual report of the Chamber of Commerce of Darmstadt on the present sentiment of the German people in regard to preserved foods and drinks:

The canning industries of Germany are in hard straits on account of the enhanced rates on imported fruits and raw products imposed by the new German customs law. A decline in the consumption of preserved meats, especially of hams and canned beef tongues, made itself perceptible. The decline in canned vegetables and other canned delicacies is due in a considerable degree to the poisoning cases which occurred last year in Darmstadt and Mainz. In the interest of the canning trade it is desirable that the result of the official investigation of such cases be promptly published. In the Mainz case a director of the German Bank, his wife and two daughters died from eating canned salmon at the house of a lady friend. The hostess was also very sick, but recovered. At a cookery school in Darmstadt the girl pupils were poisoned by eating canned string beans; seven of them died.

The wine and liquor trade in Germany is not in a prosperous condition, owing to various adverse causes. Last year's vintage was poor. The frequent court trials and convictions of parties engaged in wine adulteration have, according to statements of wine producers, produced prejudice and distrust in the minds of the public, thereby lessening the consumption of wine.

The steady agitation of religious societies against the consumption of alcoholic drinks has also had an adverse effect. But the most serious handicap is the change in the theory of the medical fraternity in Germany in regard to the use of spirituous liquor. Formerly the doctors would in many cases prescribe wine or brandy as a tonic or vital restorative to their patients, but of late these medical men have adopted a new fashion by crying out against the use of alcoholic beverages by healthy people, as well as invalid. Thus, in many German families, where Rhine or red wines were the habitual liquid at meals, there is now only the water decanter or bottles of mineral water to be seen on the tables. To guard their health, some Germans will forego drinking wine or brandy. Even the breweries and beer saloons complain of this new fad as injuring their trade.

FEDERAL ARMY OFFICERS AND A SOUTHERN CITY

Will Co-operate in Marking Site of the Last Battle of the Civil War.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

COLUMBUS, GA., February 24.—Gen. J. H. Wilson, the officer commanding the Federal forces in the battle of Columbus, the last engagement of the Civil War east of the Mississippi river, and the members of his staff, have signified their willingness to co-operate with the people of this city in marking with an appropriate memorial the site of the battle.

The site suggested for this particular memorial is at the Columbus end of one of the Chattahoochee river bridges leading to Girard, Ala., and directly between two of the great cotton mills which have made Columbus so famous as a city of spindles. The battle began in Alabama on the night of Sunday, April 16, 1865, and ended on the Georgia side of the Chattahoochee river.

In addition to the memorial above referred to, it is suggested that the place where the last cannon fired during the Civil War was stationed—one of the Alabama hills opposite the city—be also marked in some appropriate way.

General Wilson has written to Col. Theodore F. Allen, of Cincinnati, O., who was a member of his staff, suggesting that he and other members of the staff, as it was constituted in 1865, come to Columbus, take up with the people of this city the matter of an enduring memorial, agree upon suitable inscriptions, and push the project through to the desired consummation. The General offers to make a donation to the memorial fund that would be raised to carry out this idea.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Catherine Cummins.

Mrs. Catherine Cummins died at her home in Phoebus on Sunday. She leaves one son, Mr. John Cummins, and three granddaughters—Misses Bessie, Marie and Sara Eagan—and one grandson, Mr. Patrick John Eagan.

Mrs. Charles W. Eaton.

Mrs. Margaret Elizabeth Eaton, wife of Mr. Charles W. Eaton, of No. 2436 Venable Street, died at her residence yesterday at 3:30 o'clock. She was in the forty-fourth year of her age. She leaves one son, Mr. Trevillan D. Eaton.

The funeral will take place this afternoon at 3 o'clock from Leigh Street Baptist Church. The interment will be made in Hollywood Cemetery.

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No matter how long it has been gray or faded. Promotes a luxuriant growth of healthy hair. Stops its falling out, and positively removes Dandruff. Keeps hair soft and glossy. Refuse all substitutes. 2½ times as much in $1.00 as 50c size.

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Mrs. N. J. Pace.

Mrs. Mary M. Pace, wife of Mr. N. J. Pace, died yesterday afternoon at her residence, No. 820 North Twenty-sixth Street, in the forty-sixth year of her age.

The funeral will take place this morning at 11 o'clock from Fulton Baptist Church. The interment will be made in Oakwood Cemetery.

William A. Nicholson.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

ETNA MILLS, VA., February 24.—The funeral of William A. Nicholson, who died Thursday morning at 5 o'clock at the home of Mr. L. L. Atkinson, his brother-in-law, took place yesterday at 2 P. M. Mr. Nicholson was sixty-five years old. He was paralyzed about twelve years ago, and ever since then had been an invalid. He was never married, and of late years had lived with his sister, Mrs. Atkinson, who nursed and cared for him. Mr. Nicholson served through the Civil War and distinguished himself as a soldier, although he was only seventeen years of age at the beginning of the war. He was a member of Colonel Thomas H. Carter's King William Battery (of the famous Rodes's Division) of Virginia Artillery, and was one of the first to volunteer to organize the battery. He is survived by two sisters—Mrs. Robert Dunn, of King and Queen county, and Mrs. Ivan Atkinson, of this county, with whom he lived.

Nathaniel B. Perdue.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

BEACH, VA., February 24.—Mr. Nathaniel B. Perdue died at his home here to-day at 1 o'clock P. M. of pneumonia. Mr. Perdue was in the sixty-third year of his age. He is survived by one brother, Mr. Mike Perdue, of Ettrick, Va.; four sisters—Mrs. Spinner, Mrs. James Woodfin and Mrs. M. A. Turner—all of Chesterfield county; Mrs. C. C. Cox, of Manchester, Va.; four sons—Messrs. G. P., S. H. and N. G. Perdue—and four daughters—Mrs. F. C. Mitchell, of Newport News, Va.; Mrs. J. T. Barweger, Misses Polly and Virgie Perdue. The funeral will take place on Wednesday at 2 o'clock P. M. at Second Branch Church. The funeral will be in charge of the A. F. and A. M., of which he was a consistent member. He was also an Odd-Fellow.

Mrs. Sarah Lane Hotchkiss.

STAUNTON, VA., February 24.—Mrs. Sarah Lane Hotchkiss, wife of the late Jed Hotchkiss, the distinuished mining and topographical engineer, and member of Stonewall Jackson's staff, died last night of pneumonia, aged seventy-five years. She is survived by two daughters—Mrs. George Smith Holmes, of Charleston, S. C., and Mrs. A. M. Howison, of Staunton, Va.

Mrs. Hotchkiss was a native of Lanesboro, Pa., but had lived in Virginia since young womanhood. She celebrated her seventy-fifth birthday the 14th of this month.

Mrs. P. C. Cabell.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

AMHERST, VA., February 24.—The burial of Mrs. Louise Cabell, wife of Hon. Paul C. Cabell, of this county, who died at her home, Minton, near Galt Mills, in this county, on Saturday, took place in the cemetery here to-day. Preceding the burial services were held in the Episcopal Church here, being conducted by the pastor, Rev. A. P. Gray. The pall-bearers were Messrs. Jno. M. Payne, O. L. Evans, C. L. Scott, E. B. McGinnis, W. K. Allen and R. A. Kent.

Mrs. Cabell lived here for a long time. She was a Miss Mundy prior to her marriage to Mr. Cabell. She is survived by three children—Dr. Guy Cabell and Miss Louise Cabell, of this county, and Mr. Mayo Cabell, of Mexico. Her husband, Hon. P. C. Cabell, is also seriously ill, and is not expected to live very long.

David A. Tyree.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

DANVILLE, VA., February 24.—Captain David A. Tyree, one of the oldest native-born citizens of Danville, died here to-day after a brief illness. He was sixty-six years of age and an officer in the Confederate Army, having served throughout the Civil War. Captain Tyree was formerly a member of the City Council, and was for many years a prominent tobacconist here. He had for the past several years been engaged in the business of a commission merchant. He leaves a wife and three children—Mrs. C. A. Mahan, Miss Hazell and John Tyree, of this city.

Mrs. O. Salzman.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

DANVILLE, VA., February 24.—Mrs. Lucy Lewis Salzman, wife of O. Salzman, a prominent business man of Danville, died at her home yesterday after a brief illness. She was born in 1844 at South Boston, but had lived here for many years. She was married twice, her first husband being the late Dr. T. H. Miles. Mrs. Salzman leaves, besides her present husband, the following children: Tom Miles, of Spartanburg, S. C.; Mrs. J. W. Traner, of Clarksburg, W. Va.; Mrs. L. T. Puryear, of Danville; Misses Annie and Gena and Howard Salzman, of Danville.

Mrs. Jacob Miller.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

WINCHESTER, VA., February 24.—Mrs. Jacob Miller died yesterday at her home near Lebanon Church, Shenandoah county, after an illness of paralysis, aged seventy-two years. She was Miss Margaret Hahn prior to her marriage and belonged to an old and prominent family of Frederick county.

Mrs. Agnes Morton Barksdale.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., February 24.—Mrs. Agnes Morton Barksdale, wife of the late Dr. Barksdale, of Halifax county, died last night at the home of her sister, Mrs. James B. Baker, at the University of Virginia, in the seventy-fifth year of her age. She had been an invalid for the past ten years, having been incapacitated for active life by rheumatism. Her death resulted from pneumonia, following an attack of grip. Her death makes the fifth in the family during the past six years. The funeral will take place at 3:30 o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

W. P. Redford.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

BURKEVILLE, VA., February 24.—Another Confederate veteran answers the last roll call. Mr. W. P. Redford died near Burkeville to-day at 4:15 P. M., in his eighty-first year. "Uncle Peter," as he was usually called, was a gallant soldier, served all through the war with Fitz Lee. He belonged to the Amelia troop. He was never married, and was the last one of his immediate family. He was a member of Pickett-Stuart Camp, of Nottoway.

R. E. Wilkerson.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

DURHAM, N. C., February 24.—Mr. R. E. Wilkerson, a well-known contractor and citizen of Durham, died this morning after a brief illness from pneumonia. He was formerly a resident of Greensboro, but had made Durham his home for the past ten years. He was an enterprising citizen, and his death is deeply mourned. The deceased was thirty-three years of age, and is survived by a wife and one child. The funeral will be held from Trinity Church to-morrow afternoon.

DEATHS

PACE.—Died, at 5:40 P. M. February 23, 1908, at her residence, 820 North Twenty-sixth Street, Mrs. MARY M. PACE, wife of N. J. Pace, aged forty-five years.

Funeral from Fulton Baptist Church THIS (Tuesday) MORNING at 11 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances invited. Interment in Oakwood.

GLASGOW.—Died, February 24, 1908, at 1:30 A. M., from a severe burn, JOANNA, the youngest daughter of Frank Glasgow and the granddaughter of the late Lewis Lindsey, aged eight years.

Funeral will take place from her aunt's residence, 515 Catherine Street, WEDNESDAY, February 26, 1908, at 2:30 P. M. Friends are invited.

CHRISTIAN.—Died, suddenly, February 20, 1908, Miss EMMA CHRISTIAN, in the forty-eighth year of her age, at the residence of her sister, Mrs. S. G. Tiller, in Henrico county. She leaves three sisters, three brothers and a host of friends to mourn their loss.

REARDON.—Died, at his residence, 1108 North First Street, Sunday morning at 7:45, WILLIAM F. REARDON.

Funeral THIS (Tuesday) MORNING at 10 o'clock from St. Peter's Church. Interment in Mt. Calvary Cemetery.

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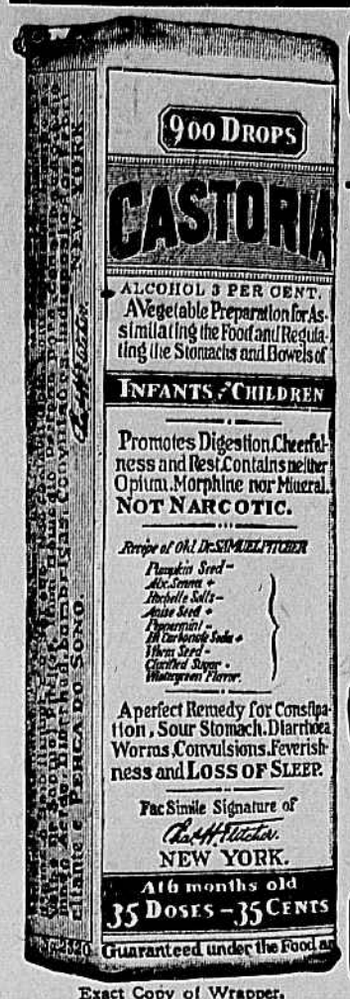

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