PRISON IS YAWNING FOR CHARLES MORSE

Only Supreme Court or President Can Save Him Now.

HEARS DECISION CALMLY

Court of Appeals Dashes His Hopes When It Denies New Trial.

NEW YORK, October 11.—Unless the Supreme Court reverses the decision or the President of the United States interferes, Charles W. Morse, one time "ice king," coastwise steamship line organizer, banker and capitalist, will serve fifteen years at hard labor in the Federal prison at Atlanta, Ga. After having been at liberty under $125,000 bail since June 17 last, he is back in the Tombs prison to-night, where he contemplates the decision of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals, rendered to-day, sustaining the judgment of the lower Federal court, which found him guilty in November last of violating the national banking laws.

There was solace in the decision of the Court of Appeals to-day, however, in that only ten of the fifty-three indictments on which he was convicted were sustained, and on the strength of this his counsel, Martin W. Littleton, will immediately carry the case before the United States Supreme Court on a writ of certiorari. To this end the United States Court of Appeals has granted a forty-days' stay of execution, and pending decision by the Supreme Court application will be made to have the prisoner again admitted to bail.

Morse took to-day's decision calmly, though he was plainly grief-stricken, and perhaps surprised. Mrs. Morse was with her husband in the marshal's office during the entire morning. When word came that the decision was against him she said: "All along we had the utmost confidence that a new trial would be granted. The decision to-day came as a surprise to us. But my husband is brave, and he will continue to struggle for his liberty."

One of Morse's keenest regrets at being forced to return to prison is the interruption of his beaver-like struggle to rebuild his fortune.

Since his liberation under bail he had been re-elected president of the Metropolitan Steamship Company, a New England corporation, and of the Hudson Navigation Company, operating a line of boats on the Hudson. He is credited with having discharged the bulk of his debts. From the two big transportation lines that had within the week elected Morse as their president there was no official statement forthcoming after to-day's decision. It was understood that for the time being, at least, the elections would stand.

KEY WEST REDUCED TO MASS OF RUINS

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scheduled to arrive here this morning.

Fury of Storm Is On.

MAIMI, FLA., October 11.—The storm which has prevailed here since yesterday afternoon increased in intensity this afternoon, the rain coming down in sheets, driven by strong winds from the south. People are fortifying their houses and vessels in the harbor against the hurricane which is expected to arrive to-night.

The sky is overcast with a sulphurous yellow; houses are being unroofed and limbs blown from trees. The fury of the storm is on.

At 6 P. M. the storm is growing more furious here, and the wind is driving from the south at a great rate.

All efforts of the officials of the Florida East Coast Railroad here to get into communication with the men at work on the road's extension on the keys of the extreme southern peninsula have been in vain. Between 2,500 and 3,000 workmen are employed on the construction work on the lower keys, where there is slight opportunity for protection from the fury of the storm.

Grave fears are entertained for the safety of these men, the apprehension being intensified by recollections of the hurricane of 1906, when 140 men lost their lives and incalculable damage to property was done in that section.

It is said that the construction camps are better fortified now, and it is known that the engineers on the work have been preparing for a big blow for a number of days past. In spite of this, however, the exposed location of the railroad, which skirts the very brink of the ocean, stretches of the massive concrete columns even being out of sight of land, leads to grave concern for the safety of the workmen.

Reports Incomplete.

WASHINGTON, D. C., October 11.—Owing to wire conditions, reports of the progress of the storm prevailing along the southeast coast have not been complete to the Weather Bureau officials, and they could not determine the progress of the storm nor its centre, further than the fact that it is traveling northeastward. In order to be on the safe side, the officials have ordered storm warnings displayed up as far as Norfolk, and the shipping

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has been warned to be as cautious as possible until the danger is over.

The principal report missing to-night was that from Jupiter, Fla. The report from Key West says that a number of houses were blown down, but shipping is secure. From 9 o'clock until 12 this morning the wind at Key West blew seventy-two miles an hour. The storm was centred at that place at 11:45 A. M.

The storm, according to the bureau, only covered a small area, and touched only a small portion of Florida.

No Indication of Storm.

WILMINGTON, N. C., October 11.—While the barometer reading here is somewhat low and vessels have taken the precautions prompted by the Weather Bureau warning, there is no indication of a hurricane along this immediate coast to-night. The Clyde liner Navahoe reached here at 6 o'clock this evening, having been delayed by head winds, but otherwise there were no indications of a hurricane north of here.

Fear for Steamers.

TAMPA, FLA., October 11.—Much apprehension is felt here for the safety of the Mallory steamer Lampassas and P. and O. steamer Olivet. The Olivet was spoken this morning at 9 o'clock by wireless, but nothing has been heard from her since. She is not at Punta Gorda. Wireless stations have been trying to get both all day, but without success. The Lampassas was due to reach here at noon to-day.

Central at Key West.

JACKSONVILLE, FLA., October 11.—The storm was central at Key West at noon to-day, the wind reaching a velocity of seventy miles an hour, and doing considerable damage to small shipping in the harbor. At 2 o'clock this afternoon the centre had shifted to midway between Key West and Jupiter, and was moving northeast with increasing violence. The weather observer here calculates that there is danger of the storm striking Jacksonville some time between midnight and dawn.

At this hour—7:15 P. M.—heavy clouds are coming up from the south. On board the Clyde steamer Mohawk the barometer reads 29.68, while at 5 o'clock this afternoon the barometer in the office of the Clyde line registered 29.51.

People Are Warned.

ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA., October 11.—In response to urgent appeals from Jacksonville, a fast launch left here at 3 o'clock this afternoon to warn residents along the coast lowlands for a distance of twenty miles south of the approach of a storm and of danger to life and property.

At 3 o'clock advices from Marathon, a station on the Florida East Coast Railroad, stated that a sixty-mile gale was blowing there. Warning has been given the people along the shore below Marathon.

Station Blown Down.

TAMPA, FLA., October 11.—Storm warnings were ordered down on the west coast of Florida at 10 P. M. The wireless station at Key West has been blown down.

The barometer is going up here, reading 29.66. Local Weather Bureau advises that the storm is probably over the eastern centre of the State, sweeping towards the coast, probably taking in Jacksonville and Savannah.

Warning Vessels at Sea.

SAVANNAH, GA., October 11.—At this hour (6:45 P. M.) the entire sky here is obscured by threatening clouds; the barometer is at 29.58. The wireless station here for hours has been warning vessels at sea.

Grave Anxiety Felt.

NEW ORLEANS, LA., October 11.—According to its schedule, the steamer Antilles, of the Morgan Line, bound from New Orleans to New York, was probably in the teeth of the gale off Florida. It is one of the sturdiest vessels of the Morgan Line, however, and officials of the company entertain no doubt that it will pass through the hurricane without mishap. On the other hand, the friends and relatives of many passengers on board from this port were thrown into the greatest state of anxiety by the report of the West Indian hurricane sweeping northward. Among the passengers is Governor Sanders, of Louisiana.

The steamer Momus, of the Morgan Line, out of New York for New Orleans, is to-night also in the hurricane's path off the Florida coast, according to its schedule.

Officials Think Vessel Safe.

NEW ORLEANS, LA., October 11.—While anxiety is felt by relatives and friends here of those on board the steamship Chalmette, reported overdue at Havana from New Orleans, officials of the Morgan Line here express the utmost confidence in the steamer's ability to have successfully ridden the gale. That some delay in the time of its arrival should have occurred, the officials say, is not unexpected in view of the storm it headed against.

LEAGUE ANSWERS CANDIDATE KENT

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the voters of Virginia to select men for public office who are in favor of the abolition of the saloon. The league was organized for this purpose, and this has been its program from the beginning. No candidate can reasonably object to a statement concerning his past record and present position, especially when he is requested to make that statement in his own words.

Mr. Kent Quoted.

"The closing paragraphs of Mr. Kent's letter are as follows:

"'In considering your interrogatories you must remember that I am not unmindful of the fact that practically the entire executive committee of your organization is committed to the candidacy and support of my opponent. Such being the case, I naturally regard with suspicion the series of questions propounded to me, which are so openly at variance with the principles adopted by your organization in convention assembled.

"'I desire to make the formal request that you publish for the information of the rank and file of your organization throughout the Commonwealth a list of the members of your executive committee as shown on your printed letter-head, who voted for my opponent in the recent Democratic primary, so that the people of Virginia may know whether or not you and those engaged with you in submitting these interrogatories are already irrevocably committed to the support of the candidacy of my opponent. And if this should be true I would like to inquire why you submit these interrogatories when, no matter what my answer may be, it could not affect your action or vote in the coming election?'

Questions Asked for Public.

"In answer to these paragraphs, we would say that the executive committee of the league, as a committee, is committed to the candidacy of neither the Democratic nor the Republican nominee, and we regret sincerely that Mr. Kent has regarded our inquiry with suspicion. Moreover, Mr. Kent must know that these questions are not asked to obtain information simply for the small number of voters upon the executive committee, but for the information of all the voters of the State—Republican, Democrats and Third Party Prohibitionists, all of whom have the rght to know the position of Mr. Kent on these questions.

"As to the formal request that a list of the members of the executive committee be published, together with the information as to whether or not they entered the recent Democratic primary, we would say that party politics have never been discussed in our executive committee meetings, as the league has always had within its ranks Republicans, Democrats and Third Party Prohibitionists. At the present time Hon. William H. Mann, Democratic candidate for Governor, and Hon. A. T. Lincoln, Republican candidate for Lieutenant-Governor, are both vice-presidents of the league. For us to poll the executive committee as suggested by Mr. Kent would, therefore, be contrary to one of the fundamental principles of the league.

"The league has now performed its duty to the voters of Virginia in reference to the candidates for the governorship. It has propounded the same questions to all the candidates, and has presented their replies to the public. It now leaves the matter with the voters for settlement in the general election."

PARTISAN ASSAULT IS MADE IN DEBATE

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ministration of Federal affairs by the Republican party.

Mr. Shelton made a brief rejoinder, but evidently he was embarrassed by the reply of the Congressman.

The addresses made by Congressman Jones and Mr. Page have aroused the voters of Caroline county to action, and it is now predicted that the result will be a heavy Democratic majority for the entire ticket.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast: Virginia and North Carolina—Fair in west, rain in east portions Tuesday; colder Tuesday; Wednesday fair and colder; brisk to high shifting winds on the coast.

CONDITIONS YESTERDAY.

8 A. M. temperature	61
Humidity	99
Wind, direction	S.E.
Wind, velocity	6
Weather	Cloudy
Rainfall	0
12 noon temperature	68
3 P. M. temperature	82
Maximum temperature up to 5 P. M.	73
Minimum temperature up to 5 P. M.	52
Mean temperature	62
Normal temperature	62
Excess in temperature yesterday	0
Deficiency in temperature since March 1	348
Accum. deficiency in temperature since January 1	2
Deficiency in rainfall since March 1	4.38
Accum. deficiency in rainfall since January 1	4.47

CONDITIONS IN IMPORTANT CITIES.
(At 8 P. M., Eastern Standard Time.)

Place.	Ther.	H. T.	Weather.
Asheville	52	64	Rain
Atlanta	64	74	Clear
Buffalo	50	62	Rain
Detroit	44	54	Rain
Cincinnati	50	54	Rain
Hatteras	72	78	Rain
Norfolk	68	78	Rain
Jacksonville	74	82	Rain
Tampa	76	82	Rain
Charlotte	54	82	Rain
Washington	66	74	Rain
Yellowstone	40	46	Clear
Memphis	60	64	Clear
Key West	78	82	Rain

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

October 12, 1909.

Sun rises	6:15	HIGH TIDE.	
Sun sets	5:38	Morning	3:33
Moon rises	3:26	Evening	3:53

SLIGHT CHANCE FOR RECOVERY

Young Holton, Accidently Shot by His Brother, Will Probably Die.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., October 11.—John Holton, eleven-year-old son of District Attorney A. E. Holton, who was accidentally shot in both legs by his brother, Frank, on Saturday, has been unconscious all day, and little hope is entertained for his recovery. To-night the left limb was removed as a last resort for saving the boy's life.

District-Attorney Holton is at home, and it is quite probable that his absence will necessitate a delay or continuance of the trial of Lee H. Battle, ex-cashier of the defunct City National Bank, of Greensboro, arranged to begin in the Federal court at Greensboro to-morrow. Mr. Holton is the government's leading counsel for the prosecution. Battle is charged with wrecking the bank through loans to himself.

A DISTRESSING CASE.

Ill Woman, Unable to Secure Physician, Saw Son Die.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

NORFOLK, VA., October 11.—A distressing case of poverty and affliction was brought to light by the police to-day at 214 Fenchurch Street, where Mrs. Fanny Wright, a widow, lay ill, with her only child hovering between life and death in St. Vincent's Hospital, while another child died yesterday. Want of medical attention and nourishment was in part responsible.

The woman's little boy, Harvey, died yesterday and was buried to-day. It was not until Saturday that some one told the woman that the city provided a physician for the poor, and Dr. McDonald was sent for. The boy, eight years of age, was beyond human aid. The little girl, Anna, aged twelve years, was sent to the hospital by Dr. McDonald to receive attention and proper nourishment. While not so ill as to permit of her being sent to the hospital, the mother is ill from caring for her sick and, unable to work, could not provide the absolute necessities. The woman was properly cared for to-day.

BOLD ATTEMPT AT ROBBERY.

Miss Minnie Taylor Balks Burglar Found in Her Father's House.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

WINCHESTER, VA., October 11.—A bold attempt to rob the home of Sergeant J. W. Taylor, of Winchester's police department, was made early this morning by an unknown man, whose presence in the house was discovered by his daughter, Miss Minnie Taylor. She saw the man standing near her bed and gave a scream, which aroused the entire household, but the man escaped, followed by Sergeant Taylor, who fired several shots without effect.

The home of Mrs. Ella Haines, on the opposite side of the street, was robbed of money and provisions half an hour before, presumably by the same man.

Bloodhounds were placed on the trail, but they lost it near town.

TOBACCO BARNS BURNED.

Wholesale Work of Incendiary in Chatham County, N. C.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

DURHAM, N. C., October 11.—The reported destruction of nine barns of tobacco in Chatham county, twelve miles from Durham, and the application of the torch to eight others nearby, caused the Chatham Lumber Company, of this city, to offer a reward of $100 this afternoon.

The burning occurred Friday night. The incendiary first touched off nine barns and then eight, and threw buckets and chains into the well to prevent salvage. The second fire went out. The incendiary then stole a horse of the man occupying the premises. He was traced for fifteen miles.

Many reports from adjoining counties indicate the burning of tobacco storages.

WANT FAIR ELECTION.

Anti-Salooners of Roanoke to Investigate in Kimball Ward.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

ROANOKE, VA., October 11.—It is stated to-day that a meeting of the local anti-saloon committee will meet in a few days and will take up the matter of investigating the conduct of the recent election in Kimball Ward, where it is charged that there were a number of violations of the election law.

The Citizens' League, which also has a ticket in opposition to the Democratic municipal candidates, is also intent on having a fair election in November, and is backing up the Anti-Saloon League.

DR. NELMS DECLINES.

Vestry of St. Paul's Will Extend a Call to Baltimore Rector.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

LYNCHBURG, VA., October 11.—A meeting of the vestry of St. Paul's Church was held this afternoon and a telegram was read from Dr. Henning Nelms, of Washington, declining the call recently extended him. It was then decided to extend a call to Rev. Robert S. Copeland, of the Church of the Ascension, of Baltimore.

DEATH DUE TO PELLAGRA.

First Case of Kind in That Section Took Place in Bedford County.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

LYNCHBURG, VA., October 11.—The first death in this section from pellagra occurred yesterday, near Boonesboro, Bedford county, seven miles from this city, when Mrs. Bettie H. Viar, aged thirty-one, and the mother of three children, died of the malady. The case was declared pellagra by half-dozen physicians.

TO CONTEST ELECTION.

"Drys" Claim Irregularities on Voting List of Rocky Mount.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

ROCKY MOUNT, N. C., October 11.—The "drys" have entered a contest over the recent local option election, which wet by three majority. Gross negligence at the polls and irregularities on the voting list are the chief cause for contest.

Named by Republicans.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

BOWLING GREEN, VA., October 11.—The Republican committee of Caroline county has nominated James D. C. Golden for the House of Delegates, who has accepted and will make the fight against Mr. Powers, the incumbent.

NEW THROUGH TRAIN

Two Railroads Plan Service From New York to Old Point.

Superintendent of Transportation Charles C. Walker, of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company, appeared before the Council Committee on Streets last night, asking an extension of switching rights to permit the operation of a through vestibuled passenger train over the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac and the Chesapeake and Ohio Railways from New York, via Washington and Richmond, to Old Point, daily.

Some months ago the Council permitted the laying of certain switching tracks connecting the two roads crossing South Seventh Street at grade, the ordinance providing that the tracks are to be used only at night. The road now asks an extension of the privilege to permit the switching of this one passenger train each way from the tracks of one company to the other. An amendment to the ordinance was recommended to the Board of Aldermen, which meets to-night.

BLACK CHAMPION ALL BUT KNOCKED OUT

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., October 11.—"Gunboat" Smith, a seaman from one of the United States cruisers anchored in this city, scored a knockdown in a four-round bout to-night with Jack Johnson, the negro heavyweight. Coming out of a clinch in the last round the sailor swung a right overhand chop which took Johnson flush on the chin. The champion went down flat on his back, and when he recovered his feet he was so dazed that his manager cut the round short.

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ALVEY CHARGES ROBINSON WITH THEFT OF OATS

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list showing the weight of each bag, in which there was little variation.

Weightmaster F. A. Bowry told of weighing the load and explained the allowance made by government regulations for difference in scales which are adjusted for heavy weights. His scales has since been tested by the inspector of weights and measures, he said, and found to be correct. Mr. Wendenburg told if tests made by men in his employ in which the scales had varied, and the weightmaster said it made a difference how the load was placed on the platform, and that the pulling of horses on the tongue might make a difference.

Robinson's Confession.

Robinson was sworn, but had hardly passed the preliminary questions as to his name and age, when his attorney, Mr. Matthews, withdrew him on the ground that his evidence might incriminate him.

Detective Captain McMahon related in detail the arrest of Robinson in Powhatan and his return to Richmond with Detective Bailey. He met the party at the First Police Station with Detective Wiltshire, and to the three the negro made a detailed confession, which Detective Bailey wrote down, and which was signed by Robinson. The confession placed all the blame on Alvey, who, the negro states, told him to make up his weights, giving him small treats. There had been no promise or offer of reward to the driver for his confession. He seemed eager to make it, the detective testified.

"He has been wanting to tell it again every time he sees me," said Captain McMahon. "He tells me they won't let him tell it. All you've got to do is to let him alone and he'll tell it now. He told me once he would have testified if they shot him down for it."

Detective-Sergeant Bailey told of his trip to Powhatan to bring the negro back. He said Robinson wanted to confess there after talking with a respectable darky, Carter Trent; that he had got L. O. Davis, a merchant, and A. M. Howard, a sawmill man, with Trent, as witnesses; that they had made no promises to the negro, but that he had freely told them just what was in the written confession later signed in Richmond. "Jim said he would swear to it even if they put him in the pen for it," testified the witness. "He asked me, 'Why should I steal it? I wouldn't take it that way. I didn't handle any of the money.'"

Alvey's Denial.

Edward Alvey, around whose head the whole investigation has centred, was the last witness of the night, being on the stand for more than an hour. He told in detail of the manner of securing his contract with the city, the buying and handling of grain at the cars, and identified a number of tickets. He said he had found Robinson a fairly reliable man, but later qualified it by saying that he had caught him in some things he ought not to have done.

He said he could not account for the weights so nearly corresponding—4,180 pounds on his scales at the car without the rocks and 4,190 pounds at the city scales when 190 pounds of rock were weighed in. He said the car was short 627 pounds, for which he had made and collected a claim against the railway company. "The man must have taken it out of the bags," said Mr. Alvey. "You can't tell. He might have taken ten or fifteen pounds out of each bag. I can't account for it in any other way. We will swear to having sent on 4,180 pounds from the car. I had never heard about the rocks until Mr. Bolton came to my office and told me I must have the driver arrested. I got after him at once. I said: 'Jim, they say you had rocks on your wagon.' He said, 'No.' I told him I must have him arrested."

Says Negro Lied.

"You told him that and then gave him two hours to get away?" asked Mr. Pollard.

"Yes; I didn't swear out a warrant because I wanted to get it straight. I wanted further information before I swore out a warrant for any man. I had not seen the rocks."

The witness said he had never told any one that Robinson was a dope fiend, but later qualified it by saying that he took coca cola.

"It never occurred to me he would leave town," said the witness. "I was so surprised. All that about my giving him $3 is the biggest lie ever told. I never gave him a cent in my life. I don't see what reason Jim had for making such a statement. He was lying throughout. I deny having had anything to do with it. If I wanted to rob the city I'd go at it in a larger way."

Mr. Alvey said he had never made any effort to find out if Robinson had been selling oats about the city on his own account, but Mr. Wendenburg interrupted to say that he had made such an inquiry without success.

"Charles Johnston weighed the oats," said Mr. Alvey. "Why didn't they put him on in the Police Court. They wouldn't let me testify to hearsay and they wouldn't wait to put him on."

"Didn't you testify in the Police Court that Robinson had never stolen anything from you at any time?" asked Mr. Folkes.

Says Robinson Stole Before.

"He couldn't do it," answered Mr. Wendenburg. "He was held down in his testimony to his own personal knowledge." A hot tilt followed between Mr. Wendenburg and Mr. Folkes, in which Mr. Folkes brought out that Mr. Alvey was now testifying that the driver stole from him three months ago.

"This is the first time I ever heard him say that Robinson ever stole anything," said Mr. Folkes, with heat.

"You swore out a warrant charging the negro with theft, and never gave the police the name of a witness against him. We were unable in the Police Court on that warrant even to prove that any oats were taken, and the case fell through utterly." Mr. Alvey explained again that he had not been allowed to bring in hearsay evidence.

No Vindication.

"Do you claim that you haven't had an opportunity to vindicate yourself?" asked Mr. Pollard.

"Yes."

"Did you go on the witness stand when you were on trial in the Police Court."

"No. I thought there should have been an investigation before I was mortified by an arrest. After Robinson refused to testify, they dropped the case. I don't know why they dropped it, but I didn't see any reason for my going on the stand."

"Didn't you say that you knew nothing to connect Robinson with the theft of oats?"

"I don't remember."

"Yet you knew that your ticket shows that you delivered 4,180 pounds to the driver, and that only 4,077 arrived at the stable?"

"Yes."

A number of other witnesses are to be examined, and the committee adjourned until Thursday night at 8 o'clock.

Plant Is Destroyed.

JONESBORO, ARK., October 11.—Plant of the Barton Lumber and Brick Company, valued at $190,000, was totally destroyed by fire to-day. The loss is partially covered by insurance.

OBITUARY

Robert H. Puryear.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

BOYDTON, VA., October 11.—Robert H. Puryear, one of the best-known and popular citizens of Mecklenburg, died at his home, about six miles northeast of this place, on Saturday night. Mr. Puryear was nearly eighty years old. He was a brave Confederate soldier and one of the most loyal and true friends the South had. He was a consistent member of the Methodist Church. He leaves a widow, three daughters and one son, all of whom are grown. He will be buried this afternoon at 2 o'clock at Easter's Church.

Mrs. Marian F. Hopkins.

ALEXANDRIA, VA., October 11.—Mrs. Marian F. Hopkins, seventy-two years old, widow of Joseph Hopkins, died yesterday morning at her home, 723 Duke Street. She was a native of Talbot county, Md. The following children survive: George D. Hopkins, A. Rigsby Hopkins, Mrs. W. A. Moore, Jr., of this city, and S. S. Hopkins, of Waynesboro.

Her funeral will take place to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock from the residence of her son, George D. Hopkins, 911 King Street.

Miss Lucy A. Williams.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

LYNCHBURG, VA., October 11.—Miss Lucy Anderson Williams, aged about seventy-eight, a daughter of the late Judge Daniel Williams, of the local Circuit Court, a native of Cumberland county, but almost a life-long resident of this city, is dead here. She had been ill two weeks, and her death took the last of her family, which had been prominent here for many years. She was a maternal aunt of William V. Wilson, a prominent attorney of this city.

Robert P. Harris.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

EAST RADFORD, VA., October 11.—Robert P. Harris, a retired farmer of Pulaski county, died on his eighty-fifth birthday, and was buried Saturday at Belspring. He leaves a widow and six children—William and Robert Harris, Mrs. James M. Brown and Mrs. Edward McClenny, of Pulaski; Misses Mattie and Lizzie Harris, of Belspring.

Mrs. Rebecca Collinsworth.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

ALEXANDRIA, VA., October 11.—Mrs. Rebecca Collinsworth, widow of A. D. Collinsworth, seventy-eight years old, died yesterday morning at her home, 212 South Henry Street. She was a native of Fairfax county. Her funeral will take place at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning from St. Mary's Catholic Church.

Mrs. Mary Cornelius.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

FREDERICKSBURG, VA., October 11.—Mrs. Sarah Cornelious, a well-known resident of Middlesex county, died at her home a few days ago, aged sixty years. She is survived by seven children and a number of grandchildren.

W. J. Morrissett.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

LYNCHBURG, VA., October 11.—W. J. Morrissett, vice-president of the Booker Tobacco Company, formerly of Richmond, but who had been in business here for five years, died of typhoid fever to-night, aged forty-three. He is survived by his wife and seven children.

Rev. John A. Click.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

HARRISONBURG, VA., October 11.—Rev. John A. Click, a native of this county, was buried at Sangersville this morning. He died suddenly in Hagerstown of acute indigestion while on a visit to his wife, who is undergoing treatment at a hospital in that city. He was thirty-eight years of age, and is survived by his widow, his mother and six sisters. He was a minister of the Church of the Brethren, better known as Dunkards.

John C. Moore.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

HARRISONBURG, VA., October 11.—John C. Moore, a well-known and wealthy farmer, living at Melrose, this county, died this morning. He was sixty-three years old, and is survived by three daughters—Mrs. Arch White and Mrs. W. F. Nicholas, of this county, and Mrs. St. Anthony Myers, of Texas.

DEATHS

AUGUSTUS.—Died, Sunday, October 10, at 1:30 o'clock A. M., at her residence, 1223 North First Street, FANNIE E. AUGUSTUS, a teacher of Moore Street Public School.

Funeral services at Third Street A. M. E. Church THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, October 12, at 3 o'clock.

BOLLING.—Died, Sunday, 10:30 A. M., HENRY BOLLING.

Funeral THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON at 3 o'clock from Sixth Mount Zion Church.

WADE.—Died, at his residence, on Harrison Street, Petersburg, Va., October 11, at 9:30 A. M., after a brief illness, JOHN R. WADE, in the seventy-eighth year of his age. He is survived by three children—Mrs. James B. Taliaferro, Mrs. George P. Badger, of Petersburg, and Mr. J. Robert Wade, of the United States internal revenue office, Richmond, Va.

Burial services will be held at the grave, Blandford Cemetery, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON at 4:30 o'clock. Friends are invited to attend.

JAMES.—Died, at 7 P. M., Monday, October 11, 1909, at residence of her sister, Mrs. L. V. Rowe, 127 West Clay Street, MISS MATTIE F. JAMES, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. James.

Funeral notice later.

McCAULEY.—Died, at the residence of her parents, 3 Louisiana Street, October 10, 1909, at 9 P. M., GRACE MAE McCAULEY, infant daughter of Emma J. and G. W. McCauley, aged six months and fourteen days.

Human hands have tried to save her,
Sighs and tears were all in vain;
Happy angels came and bore her
Away from this world of pain.

BY HER PARENTS.

Funeral from above residence THIS (Tuesday) MORNING, October 12, at 11 o'clock. Friends invited to attend.

JONES.—Died, at her home, No. 9 East Cary Street, on Monday afternoon, October 11, at 3:30 o'clock, ELIZABETH A. JONES, the widow of J. S. Jones and the daughter of the late Richard Whitfield, in the ninety-second year of her life.

Funeral will take place from her home on WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON at 3 o'clock.

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IN MEMORIAM

GATHRIGHT.—Died, suddenly, at Memorial Hospital, Richmond, Va., at 10:30 P. M., September 28, 1909, MRS. MARY GOODWIN GATHRIGHT, (nee Bowles), aged sixty-three years, from injuries sustained by being run over by an automobile on the 17th of the same month. She had come down to the city from her hospitable home, "Plynlimmon," Goochland county, Va., and on the morning of that fateful day entered her youngest daughter at Smithdeal Business College, meaning to return home in the afternoon. She was apparently strong in body and mind, cheerful, hopeful and capable of managing for years to come the large household that looked to her lovingly and confidently for comfort and guidance.

In the flush of gay and happy girlhood, September 30, 1859, she had given her hand in holy wedlock to Thomas Morton Gathright, of Louisa, and nobly did they redeem in the coming years the mutual pledges given that day. She was a consistent member of the Christian Church, a living impersonation of the "wise woman that buildeth her house, looketh well to the ways of her household and eateth not the bread of idleness." Among the many and varied activities of her useful life she last spring completed her twenty-fifth year of public school service, thereby earning a pension, of which her untimely death prevented her deriving any benefit.

Her eldest son, W. A. Gathright, widely known calculator of almanacs, died September 16, 1908. The surviving children are T. M. Gathright, Jr., a prominent business man of Covington, Va.; Eldridge, a rising young attorney at law in New York; Mrs. J. R. Massie, of Goochland; Mrs. W. C. Smith, of Pulaski; Carroll, Heath and Janie, of Goochland. Besides these, she left four brothers—W. A. Bowles, superintendent of the School for the Deaf and Blind, Staunton, Va.; J. R. Bowles, Richmond, Va.; H. G. Bowles, Huntington, W. Va.; A. K. Bowles, Baltimore, Md.—and two sisters—Mrs. Jackson Davis, of Hanover county, Va., and Miss Betsey Lewis Bowles, teacher in the State School for the Deaf, Frederick, Md.

The fortieth anniversary of her wedding day found her at "Plynlimmon," still and cold in her flower-covered casket, surrounded by sorrowing children, neighbors, kindred and friends from afar, waiting to be laid at rest near the home of her childhood, beside her husband, who five months before had preceded her to the "silent land." B. C. L.

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