SOCIAL and PERSONAL

The Governor's House was again the scene of a lovely dance, when the Chief Executive of the State and Mrs. Henry C. Stuart entertained about 100 guests last evening. The entire lower floor was converted into an enchanting woodland banked with pink blossoms, fragrant lilies and lacy asparagus fern, festooned with rose-pink chiffon and tulle ribbon. Governor and Mrs. Stuart stood in the wide old hall to greet their guests, and an attractive background was formed of calla lilies and smilax twined on a rustic screen. Great wicker stands of Ascension lilies, radiance roses and wheat were arranged at intervals about the entrance hall, and immense bay trees and palms banked the corners. The wall pockets of silvery gray were filled with radiance roses, and the doorways were hung with delicate draperies of smilax, caught up with pink tulle.

Decorations in the State drawing-room were most unusual and elaborate. One seemed to have stepped into a springtime wood that had been banked with growing flowers and hung with garlands of pink blossoms. The great columns were incased in cork bark brought from the Amazon district and filled with wheat and pink blossoms, and great bunches of roses were bound to the bases of the columns with shaded pink ribbon bows. The wall pockets were filled with azaleas and a frieze of asparagus fern looped up at intervals with pink tulle decorated the the top of the room. Great urns, formed of cerise and white sweetpeas and filled with shower bouquets of radiance roses and wheat, were hung against the sides of the room, and gilt horns of plenty filled with roses were suspended with green ribbons from the frieze of ferns and flowers. Both mantels were done in masses of lilies, great bunches of wheat and lavender rhodendron and showers of shaded roses and azaleas fell to the hearths that were decorated in rare ferns and lilies. The library was done entirely in lilies and ferns, and the Blue Room was arranged with big rustic baskets of pink snapdragons, the mantel being banked with snapdragons and branches of schizanthus.

In the dining-room the table was set with five electric lamps made of flowers. The shades were formed of violets and lavender sweet peas, and the bases of tiny lavender primroses. Rose shaded lights and beautiful flowers, against a background of trailing vines and bay trees, combined to make the handsome room into a big grotto of evergreens and flowers. The mantel was banked in English stock, and the wall pockets were filled with the pink snapdragons. The decorations for the dance last evening are another of the series of wonderful effects that have been planned especially for Mrs. Stuart, and the mansion with its beautiful old rooms lends itself admirably to such arrangements.

Mrs. Stuart's gown was a Callot model of citron-colored satin made quite simply, except for the wonderful drapery of the train, and the bodice was formed of tulle and real lace and finished with a touch of tango-colored satin. She carried a huge fan in place of a bouquet. Mrs. Charles Dale Carter was handsomely gowned in silver cloth embroidered in pearls, and finished with lace, and her flowers were purple orchids.

Distinguished guests from a distance attending this dance were Sir Thomas Tait, Lady Tait and Miss Tait, of England.

Leaving for Annapolis.

Miss Lulie Greenhow Johnston, of this city, and Miss Maury Binford, of Petersburg, left town yesterday for Annapolis, Md., where they will attend the mid-lenten hop at the United States Naval Academy, which takes place this evening. Miss Johnston and Miss Binford will return to Richmond on Monday, stopping in Washington en route.

Affairs of To-Day.

There will be a large gathering of smart society this afternoon at the Jefferson Hotel for the "the-dansant" held in the ballroom under the direction of Mrs. Mary Pace Groner and Mrs. R. W. Hawkesworth from 4 to 7 o'clock. The tables will be arranged with spring flowers, and there will again be special dancing by Miss Margaret Hawkesworth and Basil Durant, whose exhibition dances at the supper dance on Thursday evening, evoked so much applause and interest. Europe will again direct a portion of his orchestra for the dancing.

The usual music and dancing will be held in the afternoon and evening at the Country Club of Virginia and Hermitage Golf Club, as well as on the roof garden of the Westmoreland Club.

Visiting Here.

Mrs. Reineman, of Pittsburg, Pa., arrived in Richmond yesterday and will accompany Mrs. B. L. Purcell to Yorktown with a view to purchasing the Nelson House for the Daughters of the American Revolution. They are both members of the national committee for marking historic spots, Mrs. Reineman being chairman.

The Rosebud Club.

The Rosebud Social Club, after a very successful season of three months, disbanded on Wednesday evening, at the home of Miss Edith Yous, 115 South Belvidere Street. The occasion was one of joyous excitement, created by the latest evening amusements, together with several vocal and instrumental selections rendered by the West End Mandolin Club. At 11 o'clock, the guests were ushered through an arch of roses and pink and white ribbon streamers to the dining-room, which was decorated with palms and spring flowers. Following supper those present were presented with a small rosebud in remembrance of the club.

Those present were: Misses Edith and Catherine Yous, Estelle Clarke, Irene Seay, Helen and Louise Francisco, Pearle Hutchinson, Geraldine Powell, and Mr. and Mrs. Kritzer; Messrs. Otis Powell, Joseph M. Johnson, Maben Koetheke, Richard Gilman, Ryland Schomberg, Paul Trower, Harvey Mallory, Raymond Nelosn, John Martin and Willie B. Nanny.

In and Out of Town.

Mrs. D. English Dallam, of Germantown, Pa., will arrive next week to visit relatives and friends in this city.

Miss Gwendolyn Rutherfoord has gone to New York, where she will spend a week.

Warren A. Poitiaux, who has been critically ill at his home for the past week, is now slowly improving.

Miss Louise Wingo, of Charlotte County, is visiting relatives in Richmond for several days.

Mrs. J. A. Thompson, of this city, is the guest of Mrs. W. A. Bell at her home in Fredericksburg for a week.

Thomas Jefferson Stubbs, Jr., has been the recent guest of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. T. J. Stubbs, in Williamsburg.

Mrs. E. H. Chalkley, of Charlotte County, is spending several days with friends in Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Fox, of Staunton, are spending a month with relatives in this city.

Mrs. J. M. Harris, of Blackstone, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Logan Harris at their home here.

Miss Grace Binford, of Petersburg, is visiting Mrs. W. P. Adkins, in Richmond, for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Elam, of Lynchburg, are in this city for an extended stay with relatives.

Mrs. A. S. Robertson and Mrs. Peyton Cochran, of Staunton, are the guests of relatives here.

Jackson Palmer, of Richmond, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Palmer, in Waynesboro.

Mrs. William C. Binford, of Newport News, has as her guests Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Callis, of this city.

Mrs. W. J. Lynham, of Richmond, is visiting the family of Frank P. Stearns, in Fredericksburg.

Miss Ina Tender, of Richmond, is a guest of Mrs. J. A. Richardson at her home in Newport News.

Mrs. Nannie Epes and Miss Sallie Epes have returned to Blackstone, after a visit to Richmond and Harrisonburg.

Miss Nannie Reid, of Chatham, has returned to her home, after visiting friends in this city.

Edward Myers, who has been in Waynesboro for a brief stay, has returned to Richmond.

Mrs. W. O. Baskerville and Mrs. J. M. Burton have returned to Newport News, after visiting Colonel and Mrs. Eugene Massie, on East Grace Street.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Hankins, of Houston, arrived in Richmond yesterday to spend several days.

Leo Mehler has returned to his home in Waynesboro, after a short stay in this city.

Dynamiter Confesses.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Lynchburg, Va., March 27.—Luther Stratton, colored, who is in jail charged with dynamiting the safe of the McWane Pipe Works, confessed to-day.

Some Glove Truths

Few women know how to buy their Gloves to advantage. They choose a glove because it is much advertised by the manufacturer, and not because of its wearing qualities.

The young lady in charge of our Glove Department had six years' experience selling gloves in one of the largest department stores of Chicago before she came to us. She has handled a large variety of gloves of different makes—yet she tells us that she has never before sold so excellent a line both in quality and appearance at so low prices as she is at present.

You cannot afford to spend six years trying to find the equal of our Glove Bargains. We suggest that you come in to-day or Monday and buy the gloves that you will require for Easter.

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2-Clasp Kid Glove, with heavily embroidered back; these come in black or white. We very much doubt if they can be duplicated elsewhere at the price.... **79c**

2-Clasp Kid Glove, with overstitched seams; in black, tan, white and other seasonable colors; Paris point back, with wide contrasting embroidery **$1.00**

Virex French Kid Glove, with two pique pearl clasps and contrasting embroidery on backs, and contrasting welt at wrist; very smart and one of the season's offerings; black and white; at **$1.65**

Black Undressed Kid Suede Glove, has two clasps, with Paris point stitched back **$1.50**

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GOVERNOR SIGNS FEE REFORM BILL

First Statute Ever Put on Books in Virginia to Limit Amounts Paid to Officers.

CARRIES LOCAL AMENDMENT

New Law Does Not Take Effect in Richmond Until End of Present Terms.

Governor Stuart yesterday signed the West fee reform bill, the first statute ever put on the books in Virginia placing a limit on the amounts fee officers may receive for their services, or providing for any method by which the taxpayers might learn what the officials get. The bill was a compromise measure, and comes very far from meeting the wishes of those advocating fee reform. The limit has been set so high that comparatively few officers will be affected, the chief value in the bill as passed being in the provision for publicity.

Amendments secured by the Richmond delegation provide that City Treasurer James B. Pace may receive $7,500 per year, and that the bill will not take effect as to officials in this city until the end of the terms for which they have been elected. As the court clerks have recently been re-elected for eight-year terms, and other fee officers elected last year for four-year terms, which they have just begun to serve, it will be seen that save for the feature requiring a report of their receipts from the public, the bill will have no immediate effect. The bill provides a maximum allowance for fee officers from $6,500 in cities having a population of 60,000 or more down to $4,000. Peer over and above the maximum are to revert to the treasury.

Requires Complete Reports.

The meat of the bill is in section 3, which requires all fee officers annually within fifteen days after the close of each anniversary of the beginning of the terms of their respective offices to file with the Auditor of Public Accounts a full and accurate statement, showing all such fees, allowances, commissions and salaries collected, and a like statement of such fees, salaries, commissions and allowances chargeable, but not collected.

Statements filed with the Auditor of Public Accounts under the act are to be referred to a special commission, consisting of the Governor, Auditor of Public Accounts and State Accountant, who shall serve on the commission without compensation. It is the duty of this commission to study the statements and compare them, and to report to the next session of the General Assembly whether such offices are economically administered, what compensation should thereafter be paid, and how many deputies or assistants, if any, are necessary to the efficient performance of the duties of said officers, and what compensation should be allowed such deputies and what allowance should be made for expenses. An amendment provides that the act, in so far as it refers to maximum allowances to fee officers, shall not take effect until January, 1, 1916.

Wanted Information.

Two years ago the Senate attempted by resolution to secure information as to the amounts drawn from the public by fee officers. It was ignored by some officers and construed literally by others, who reported the amount of their court fees, but omitted to make mention of salaries, commissions, license fees, and other allowances not distinctly connected with their actual attendance on the court or their service in serving as clerk of the court while in session. There was discrimination between fees paid by the public and commissions on allowances from public funds. Under that resolution, Clerk Waddill, of Henrico County, reported a net income from his office, after paying deputies, of $6,764.75; Clerk Martin, of Norfolk County, reported net fees of $4,325.40, after paying expenses of $7,110; Clerk Christian, of the Hustings Court, Richmond, reported net income from office of $4,866.24; Clerk Saville, of the Chancery Court, Richmond, reported a net office income for the year 1912 of $9,278.70, and for 1913 $6,709.15; the sheriff of Norfolk County reported fees aggregating $4,118, and the City Sergeant of Richmond a net income from office, after deducting pay of deputies and expenses, of $9,090.30 for 1912, and $7,795.30 for 1913. The Senate resolution did not call for statements from treasurers, commissioners of the revenue or examiners of records, whose incomes are in the shape of commissions paid directly from public funds.

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FIFTY-FIVE NEW LAWS SIGNED BY GOVERNOR

Governor Stuart yesterday signed fifty-five bills passed by the recent session of the General Assembly, including the bill abolishing the United Agricultural Board, the bill providing a joint board for the four State female normal schools, the Panama-Pacific Exposition bill, the bill imposing public duties on light, heat and water companies, the child labor bill, the fee reform bill, and many other measures of general interest.

Some of the bills signed have been under close consideration for days, and several have been passed on by the Attorney-General's office before the Governor gave them final approval.

Only Six Bills Left.

The Governor now has left of the great mass of bills sent him by the General Assembly only six bills on which he must reach a conclusion by Monday night. These bills, which have been held up for one reason or another, are:

House bill 177. Authorizing the Supreme Court to formulate certain rules of practice. Attorney John B. Minor and other attorneys will appear before the Governor this morning in opposition to certain objectionable features of the bill, which require the rules of practice to be reported to the next General Assembly before they can be made effective.

House bill 171 in regard to license tax for shooting in Back Bay, in Princess Anne County. The Governor has had a hearing on this bill, and taken it under advisement.

Senate bill 430, authorizing a wheel tax for road improvement in King William County. This bill had a familiar sound, and the Governor wishes to ascertain whether he has not already approved a House bill having the same object in view. He has already caught two or three such pieces of duplicate legislation.

Senate bill 278, authorizing Amherst County to tax land owned by the city of Lynchburg for the protection of its water supply.

Senate bills 266 and 267 in regard to the extension of the Valley Turnpike from Staunton by way of Lexington to Roancke. The bill is opposed by State Senator F. S. Tavenner, who has mailed the Governor a brief in opposition, which is expected to arrive this morning.

If the Governor can conclude to-day the work growing out of the General Assembly and the rush of bills from the enrolling-room, he will leave to-night for a short trip to his home at Elk Garden, in Russell County.

Bills Signed Yesterday.

Bills were signed by the Governor yesterday as follows:

House bill 453.—Protects Lynnhaven River from sewerage.

Senate bill 131.—Reduces rate of interest on loans to schools from literary fund.

House bill 475.—Adds marl to materials allowed in lime grinding.

House bill 298.—Permits Bedford supervisors to adopt any road law.

House bill 409.—Provides for incorporation of trust companies.

Senate bill 371.—Allows court to act in vacation in condemnation proceedings in certain cases.

Senate bill 307.—Repeals charter of town of East Stone Gap.

Senate bill 198.—Allows counties to establish and maintain sewers.

Senate bill 382.—Provides for payment of $400 to B. W. Andrews, Capitol guide.

Senate bill 379.—Provides judges granting appeal may require bond later.

Senate bill 419.—Amends charter of city of Portsmouth.

House bill 153.—Dentists' bill.

Senate bill 176.—Abolishes United Agricultural Board and puts demonstration work under V. P. I.

House bill 233.—Fixes maximum allowances of sheriffs and attorneys for Commonwealth in sundry counties.

Senate bill 180.—Regulates shipment of dead bodies.

Senate bill 146.—Fee bill.

House bill 388.—Provides for examination into sanity of accused persons and pay for experts.

House bill 389.—Repeals act governing release of taxes on grants.

House bill 176—Changes judicial circuit locations of Scott and Dickenson Counties.

House bill 391—Provides uniform claim blanks for use of courts.

House bill 43—Amends road law of Shenandoah County.

Senate bill 150—Gives delinquent and neglected children into care of State Board of Charities and Corrections.

House bill 392—Prescribes when clerks shall remit to Auditor.

House bill 393—Provides how clerks shall keep record of money collected.

House bill 387—Providing how hospitals for insane shall pay transportation.

Senate bill 403—Regulates fees of clerks.

Senate bill 413—Provides new charter for town of Narrows, Giles County

Senate bill 146—Provides new charter for town of Blackstone, Nottoway County.

Senate bill 455—Allows Albemarle and Buckingham Counties to issue bonds to build bridge over James River at Warren.

Senate bill 485—Allows Princess Anne County to issue bonds for road building in Kempsville District.

Senate bill 495—Amends charter of town of Tappahannock, Essex County.

House bill 152 Defines duties of Commissioner of Labor and provides for factory inspectors.

Senate bill 270—Establishes colony for colored feeble-minded at Central State Hospital.

House bill 237—Normal School Board bill.

House bill 102—Adds three Richmond and one Norfolk bank to State depositories, and drops Commonwealth Bank of Richmond.

Senate bill 132—Panama-Pacific Exposition bill.

Senate bill 453—Amends charter of town of La Crosse, Mecklenburg County.

Senate bill 452—Allows Charlottesville to aid co-ordinate woman's college.

Senate bill 451—Allows Albemarle County to aid co-ordinate woman's college.

Senate bill 334—Relieves insurance companies from paying license tax on premiums for reinsurance.

Senate bill 429—Imposes public duties on heat, lyight, water and power companies.

Senate bill 115—Extends child labor bill, including newsboys.

Senate bill 502—Cedes to United States jurisdiction over land adjoining Chesapeake and Albemarle Canal.

House bill 381—Prescribes amount of fees for serving writs of venire facias.

Senate bill 493—Permits United States to reclaim land in Elizabeth River.

Senate bill 323—Reduces minimum bond of commissioners of revenue to $1,000.

Senate bill 394—Prevents speeding on road between Big Stone Gap and Appalachia, Wise County.

Senate bill 392—Provides for immediate committal of insane persons.

House bill 385—Covers criminal allowances in cities of second class.

Senate bill 438—Requires ventilation in foundries and molding shops.

Senate bill 91—Amends law as to drainage of overflowed lands.

Senate bill 67—To expedite administration of justice.

Senate bill 355—Providing limitations for action against city or county treasurer.

House bill 452—Prohibits false labeling of Lynnhaven Bay oysters.

Senate bill 486—Provides for incorporation of co-operative companies.

NO MORE FLOGGING, RULING OF COURT

Held That Guards Have No Right to Punish Convicts in This Way.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Raleigh, N. C., March 27.—In the opinions delivered by the Supreme Court this week, the noted case of the State vs. Nipper and Johnson, from Wake, involving the right of convict guards to flog unruly convicts or administer other corporal punishment, was settled. The Supreme Court held with Judge Cooke, of the Superior Court, that there is no such right either through the State Constitution or through legislative statute. The Supreme Court, declares Chief Justice Clark, writing the opinion: "In view of the enlightenment of this age and the progress which has been made in prison discipline, we have no difficulty in coming to the conclusion that corporal punishment by flogging is not reasonable and cannot be sustained. That which degrades and embrutes a man cannot be either necessary or reasonable."

The oponion cites the passing of flogging as a punishment in the armies and navies of the world and for convicts in great numbers of the foremost countries, even Mexico having in 1903 abolished such punishment for convicts by special act. The court says: "While the North Carolina constitutional provision against the infliction of corporal punishment as a part of the sentence by the courts does not directly prohibit its infliction in prison discipline, its spirit is certainly against the longer use of flogging for that purpose."

The concluding paragraph of the lengthy opinion reads: "The smallness of the sentence imposed in this case, $10 fine each and costs, indicates that the humane and just judge who tried this cause deemed that the act of the defendants was without aggravation, and that they were only following the custom which has been observed in this State to this time. We have been, however, discussing the legal rights of the prisoners, and we find no authority for its longer continuance. There is no error in the judgment of the lower court."

The other appeals decided in this delivery of opinions are:

Aman vs. Lumber Co., Sampson County. Modified and affirmed with costs against the appellant.

Ward vs. Albertson, Dublin County. No error.

State vs. Horton, Franklin. No error.

In re will of Cooper, Wake. No error.

Rees vs. Williams, Wake. Petition to rehear dismissed.

Clarement College vs. Riddle, Catawba. Affirmed.

Rackley vs. Rackley, Robeson. Dismissed for failure to file printed briefs.

McArthur vs. Land and Timber Co., Cumberland. Dismissed for failure to file printed briefs.

Porter vs. Seaboard Air Line, from Bladen. Dismissed for failure to file printed briefs.

Judge Campbell to Wed.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Abingdon, Va., March 27.—Invitations have been received here to the marriage of Judge Preston W. Campbell to Miss Louise Howard, of Lynchburg, the marriage to take place at the home of the bride's parents on the night of April 9. The same day Judge Campbell was notified he had been appointed judge of the Twenty-third Circuit Court to fill out the unexpired term of Judge F. B. Hutton.

Miss Howard is most pleasantly remembered by many friends here, having graduated at Stonewall Jackson College a few years ago, and will meet with a warm welcome by a host of friends when she returns to make her home here.

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HELD ON CHARGE OF GRAND LARCENY

Stenographer to Wilson When He Was Governor of New Jersey Out on $1,500 Bail.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

New York, March 27.—Miss May Haven, twenty-four years old, stenographer to President Wilson when he was Governor of New Jersey, was held in $1,500 bail to-day by Judge Rosalsky, on a charge of grand larceny.

The girl, who is extremely pretty and vivacious, was arrested on the complaint of Mrs. Laura Studebaker. According to the story told by the latter, Miss Haven stole a diamond ring from her dressing-room while on a social visit to her apartment.

Mrs. Studebaker states that while Miss Haven was in her dressing-room, she stepped out to answer the telephone, and when she came back the girl and ring had disappeared. She says she then located Miss Haven at Trenton, N. J., a few days later, and the latter confessed having pawned the ring, and gave her the ticket.

The pretty stenographer appeared in General Sessions to-day with her attorney, Henry S. Moore, of Trenton. She declared the ring had been loaned to her by Mrs. Studebaker, and while temporarily financially embarrassed she had pawned it.

"I could not find the ticket when she called on me," said Miss Haven, "but I gave her an order on the pawnbroker for it."

After bail had been furnished by a surety company, Miss Haven spoke to the newspaper men in the corridor. She said she looked on the whole matter as a joke, and remarked that it was a "dreadful bore, as it could have been easily settled out of court. What makes it worse is that I hate the dreadful publicity," she said.

Mrs. Studebaker is said to be in San Francisco.

NEWS OF ASHLAND

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Ashland, Va., March 27.—At a special meeting of the Town Council on Monday night the following board of water commissioners was elected: E. M. Hastings, to serve three years; Dr. S. C. Hatcher, to serve two years, and E. W. Newman, to serve one year, the terms of office to begin April 1, 1914. The Council also adopted a form for the issuance of the $40,000 worth of bonds for the purchase and maintenance of a water and sewerage system in the town of Ashland.

Miss Sadie Patton, of Jacksonville, Fla., was the recent guest of Miss Ruth Blakey.

Dr. S. C Hatcher is attending the Baltimore Conference, which is being held this week.

Master Charles Denoon is visiting his aunt, Mrs. E. M. Shepherd.

Mrs. Hugh Denoon and Miss Baker will return from Washington to-morrow, and spend several days with Mrs. Charles Bridges.

The Camp Fire Girls held open house in their attractive little home this week. The hostesses, Misses Lillian Wright, Anna Hart, Issie Priddy and Gertrude Hatcher, served dainty refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. W. Meyberg will leave next week for Atlantic City to spend some time.

Miss Agnes Wright, of Fredericksburg State Normal, is spending several days with her father, Clarence Wright.

Mrs. James Hunter is in Alexandria visiting Mrs. Charles Weisiger.

An interesting program was given at the Young Woman's Literary Club this afternoon. Mrs. Hall Canter read an interesting paper on "Pure Food and Drug Laws," and Miss Margaret Tucker prepared a very instructive article on "Astronomy and Electricity." After the "Current Event" discussion refreshments were served.

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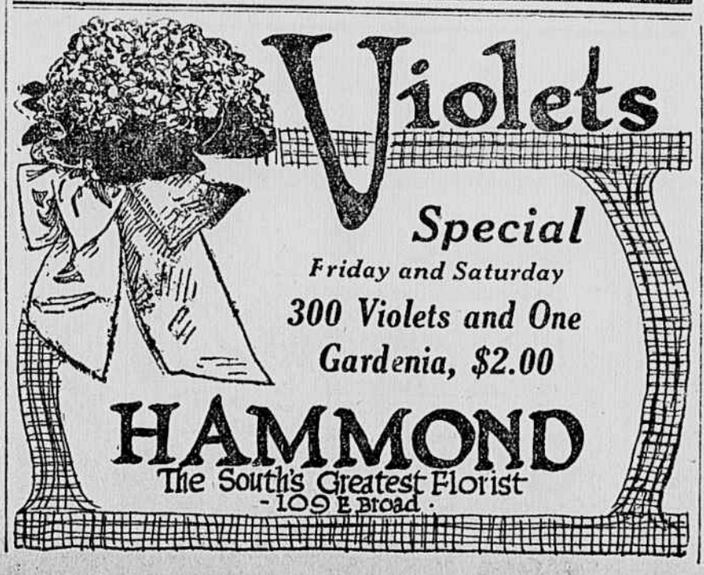

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