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LOST—SATURDAY EVENING, BEHIND new pocket and Commercial Place, Russia Leather Pocketbook, with L. S. BLINCOE, Ashland, Va., stamped in gold letters on inside cover. Liberal reward if returned to room 422 Citizens Bank Building. feb-21-31

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YOUNG MAN WITH NINE YEARS practical experience in double entry bookkeeping desires a position with a wholesale house, will give references. R. S. V. P., care Virginian-Pilot. 11

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN CORRESPONDENTS for New York magazine, also to take photographs for illustrating. Good camera supplied. Write to address envelope for terms. COLONIAL MAGAZINE, 106 Park Row, New York. feb-21-31

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WANTED.—RELIABLE SALESMEN to sell the best specialty ever placed on the market. Stable articles and ready seller, affording a large profit. There is a steady and increasing demand for it in all sections. No samples required. Address "MANUFACTURER," Cleveland, Ohio. feb-21-31

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PLEASANT FURNISHED ROOM, with or without board, at 211 Church street, opposite St. Paul's Church. feb-21-31

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FOR SALE.—\$500 STOCK SHOES. Clothing, Dry Goods, etc., corner store, best stand in Virginia, N. C.; business done last year \$30,000. Possession at once. Apply T. BARKER, Wilson, N. C. feb-21-31

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FOR SALE.—THE BANK SALOON, No. 14 Bank street. For particulars and terms apply to LOYALL & TAYLOR, 25 Bank street. feb-21-31

FOR SALE.—ONE STEAM PROPELLER, in good working condition, newly painted, length 29 feet, beam 11 feet, draft loaded 3 feet 5 inches; carries 1,400 bushels of corn or 30,000 feet lumber. Apply to E. S. WILLEY, Elizabeth City, N. C. feb-21-31

\$135 I HAVE GOT TO HAVE the cash for my upright French Walnut Case Piano; all late improvements; five year guarantee; used only three months. Address for six days CASH, Box 18, Norfolk, Va. feb-21-31

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FOR SALE.—DINING SALOON, well established in splendid location and doing a good business; cheap. E. F. G., Virginian-Pilot. feb-21-31

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT ROOMS.—TWO NICELY furnished complete rooms with heat, \$10.00; best location in Brambleton; 216 Claiborne avenue. feb-21-31

FOR RENT.—NICE FURNISHED room in best locality; all conveniences. Reference required and given. Address P. O. Box 138, City. feb-21-31

FOR RENT.—THE THREE-STORY brick building, corner Water and Fayette streets, formerly occupied by W. Grandy & Sons. Possession given at once. Apply at office of BYRD, BALDWIN & CO. feb-21-31

FOR RENT STORES, 200, 204, 206 Church street, at present occupied by S. Bachrach & Bro., D. E. Levy and Mrs. J. S. H. Anderson. Possession January 1st, 1899. Apply to J. B. BAXTER, No. 311 Church street. feb-21-31

SPECIAL NOTICES.

REMOVAL.—DR. BROWN HAS REMOVED his office and residence to 282 Church street, over Seneca's Drug Store. feb-21-31

UNDERGRADUATE DOCTORS, DENTISTS, Lawyers, Pharmacists, soon graduated home; correspondence; education; graduation; professions; sciences. Box 28, Chicago. feb-21-31

\$25,000 TO LEND ON THE Association plan. W. H. SARGENT, Jr., Room 31, Lowenberg Bldg. feb-21-31

MONEY TO LOAN IN ANY amount, no delay; easiest terms. LEO JUDSON, Academy of Music Building. feb-21-31

BEECH GROVE DAIRY FURNISHES milk guaranteed 25 per cent cream. Notify wagon to deliver to you daily, or drop a postal to H. W. SNEILING, Proprietor. feb-21-31

LADIES SEEKING TREATMENT for Irregularities, Leucorrhoea or any other Ovarian Trouble, consult Dr. JACKSON, 12 W. Mulberry street, Baltimore, Md. Private sanitarium; trained nurse.

MONEY READY.—NO WAITING. QUICK LOANS ON HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE WHILE IN USE. Mortgages and other securities; liberal advances on salaries, rents, annuities, etc.; strictly private, and all transactions rigidly confidential. NORFOLK MORTGAGE AND LOAN CO., W. H. Hofer, manager, new No. 258 Main street, Moritz Office Building, suites 5 and 6.

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THE NORFOLK NATIONAL BANK—Capital, \$500,000; surplus and profits, \$250,000. Average deposits, \$2,000,000. President, J. G. Womble; vice-president, C. W. Grandy; cashier, C. W. Hardy.

SEABOARD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY—211 Main street. Patronize a home company.

Stocks and Bonds.—MOTTU, de WITT & CO., 21 Granby st. Stocks and bonds. Southern Investments. Correspondence solicited.

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SOME SUNDAY SERMONS

Rev. J. H. Amiss on the Wedding Feast.

He Draws Valuable Lessons From This Incident in the Life of Christ

Rev. R. H. Bennett instructs on How to Live By Faith.

Rev. J. H. Amiss, Presiding Elder of the Rappahannock District, formerly of Portsmouth District, preached Sunday at 11 a. m. at Centenary Church, this city. His text was taken from St. John 2:1-11. After a few remarks on the import of the passage, he delivered the following lessons:

1. Our Saviour, in attending the marriage of Cana of Galilee, sanctified and sanctified marriage. This institution originated in Eden before man's fall, and lies at the foundation of the prosperity of the state of society, the family and the church. Notwithstanding the shortcomings of the Southern people they have, as a class, the highest regard for marriage. 2. The Master showed his power to convert water into wine and has, and ever will have, power to convert the human soul. Divine power is requisite in each instance; and there is as much difference in the moral and spiritual generation, as there was in the water after being converted into wine. Man becomes a 'new creature in Christ Jesus.' 'Old things are passed away, all things have become new.' The danger of the church to-day is in not emphasizing and magnifying this fundamental doctrine. There is no substitute for it. The church that is right on this point is essential to salvation. 3. The religion of Jesus reserves its best for the last. But thou hast kept the good wine until now.' The world gives its best first. The true servant of God finds it 'better further on,' and the best comes at the end of the journey. Canaan is so much better than the wilderness; the grand triumph than the weary march and sanguinary battles; stepping on shore and receiving the greetings of loved ones than the tempestuous voyage.

SHALL LIVE BY FAITH. Rev. R. H. Bennett preached at McKendree M. E. Church Sunday morning from the text, Heb. x, 38—"The just shall live by faith." He said: "Faith is taking God at his word. This is all that can be made of it in its simplest or most complex aspects. Faith is not reason. But how often we persist in proceeding in our life and church along the narrow lines of rationalism. This suits our fancy. How often has faith, our sacred reason? How God delights to confound worldly wisdom!

"Faith does not ask or require to see the means or the how. This would be sight. No possible reason could suggest the way out of the dilemma in which Abraham was placed by God's promise to make of his descendants a mighty nation, and God's command to offer his only son, Isaac, in sacrifice. A passer-by, hearing Ezekiel exhorting the piles of mingled dry bones in the valley, would have said the hot sun of the desert had gone to his brain and crazed him. A queer congregation to preach to! An absurd task! God does not condition his promises on probability, but on faith. "Faith must never waver. 'Let not such a man think he shall obtain anything of the Lord.' When once we have gotten our faith to the standing position we must not allow it to waver from the fluctuating breezes of feeling. Nail your colors to the mast. "All power is of God. Faith is Franklin's kite string that brings us all we care for. We have only to fly our kite, Pompey boasted that with one stamp of his foot he could raise all Italy in arms; but God with one word of his mouth could raise not only all Italy, but all heaven and earth and hell. "All that power is ours for the asking. Do we believe it? Of the crime of crimes, the sin of unbelief, John the Apostle, of gentleness and love, in his heavenly old age, along with the peaceful benedictions to his churches, wrote: 'He that believeth not God hath made God a liar.' Awful thought. "The just shall live by faith, not by feeling. Feelings is only the foam on the river. It is the current of faith beneath that turns the mill wheels of works. Too many of us in our religion are like sheet iron stoves with a fire of shavings in them—red hot one moment and cold the next. Feeling is an extra engine behind the train to push it through the snow drift. "There ought to be no need of special revival services. If we lived by faith men would be converted to God at our regular services. God is always ready. The gospel is ever powerful, sin and men are not saved regularly, if men where it is, the church of God is failing in her work, and the crime of unbelief lies at the door of a back-slidden minister and church. Not a church in Norfolk but could have and ought to have hundreds, if not thousands, of souls converted to God this year, and such would be the case if preachers and people would repent of their unbelief in sackcloth and ashes."

PREACHERS' CONFERENCE. WEEKLY MEETINGS OF THE BAPTIST AND METHODIST PASTORS.

The Baptist Ministers' Conference at the First Baptist Church was well attended yesterday.

Rev. Vernon L'Anson and Rev. Dr. W. F. Fisher each gave outlines of a sermon.

President Boatwright was present at the conference and made a short talk on the needs of Richmond College.

Rev. Tyree Whitehurst, of Crozer Seminary, was a visitor.

The following were among the reports: Rev. T. C. Skinner, of Berkeley Avenue Church, preached a special sermon to children yesterday.

Rev. S. S. Robertson has resigned the pastorate of London Bridge Church to accept a call to the South Norfolk Church. He will take charge of his new work on the first Sunday in March.

President F. W. Boatwright, of Richmond College, spoke on "Education" at Monday Street Church, Portsmouth, yesterday morning, and at Freemason Street Church, Norfolk, last night. At South Street Church a collection was taken for the new dormitory at Rich-

mond College. It was the first collection for the purpose yet reported. Rev. J. W. Mitchell baptised one candidate and received one for baptism at South Street Church, Portsmouth, Sunday.

Rev. Dr. J. J. Hall, received one for baptism at Park Avenue Church, Brambleton, Sunday.

Rev. Dr. W. F. Fisher received two new members by letter and baptised two candidates at Fourth Street Church, Portsmouth, Sunday night.

Rev. J. P. Essex, of Carversville, preached the funeral of Mr. Ellisha Rawls, aged 82 years, Sunday. Mr. Rawls was one of the oldest and most influential agents of the former Dam Baptist Church, Isle of Wight county. In sixty-two years he only missed two church conferences, these being during his last illness.

Rev. E. B. Hatcher received one member by experience at the First Baptist Church yesterday and gave the right hand of fellowship to two.

METHODIST PREACHERS. After a suspension of two weeks, caused by the bad weather, the Methodist preachers held their regular meeting at Epworth Church yesterday morning, with Rev. W. H. Edwards, in the chair. Devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. V. W. Bargamini, of Churchland. Reports were heard from the following:

Rev. Lloyd T. Williams had a fairly good day at Trinity Church Sunday. At Monumental, Portsmouth, Rev. L. B. Betty had fine congregations and pleasant services.

Rev. S. C. Hatcher received three new members at Queen Street, and held profitable services.

Rev. J. F. Carey reported a good day at Port Norfolk. He received four new members.

Rev. J. D. Langley presented a good report from Port Norfolk. He had one accession to the church.

Rev. W. R. Proctor had good congregations at Park View, Portsmouth, and interesting services.

Rev. R. B. Blankenship preached to fairly good congregations at Wright Memorial, Portsmouth.

Dr. H. E. Johnson received four new members and had fine congregations at Cumberland Street.

Rev. R. H. Bennett received ten new members at McKendree and had good congregations.

Rev. J. H. Amiss, presiding elder of the Rappahannock District, being in the city on a special errand, gave a most interesting account of the work in his district.

Good congregations were reported at Churchland by Rev. V. W. Bargamini. At Epworth Church Rev. W. J. Young, D. D., had the usual large congregations and received four new members.

Rev. Daniel T. Merritt had fine congregations at Huntersville. He preached in the morning and Rev. A. G. Brown, D. D., presiding elder, at night.

Rev. R. M. Chandler received three new members at Chestnut Street, Berkeley, and had pleasant services.

At LeKes Memorial, this city, the usual good congregations heard Rev. W. T. Williams.

At Liberty Street, South Norfolk, Rev. Paul Bradley had good congregations and profitable services.

Good congregations attended the services at Owens Memorial, Portsmouth. Rev. R. T. Waterfield received two new members.

Rev. Dr. Young brought before the

meeting the plan of raising the "Twentieth Century Educational Fund." The subject was discussed at some length by the members.

Revs. R. M. Chandler and Paul Bradley were appointed a committee to draft resolutions expressive of the sympathy of the meeting for Rev. Charles I. Steagle in his recent sad bereavement.

TEMPLES OF LIQUITY. YESTERDAY'S RECORD OF THE VARIOUS COURTS.

Justice Tomlin disposed of the following cases in the Police Court yesterday morning: Sam Judkins, larceny; committed.

John Stanley, colored, drunkenness and disorderly conduct; fined \$3.

Charles Young and Charley Wah, Chinamen, assault; dismissed.

Frances Robinson, colored, drunkenness and breach of the peace; fined \$3.

Rufus Tynes, colored, assaulting Mollie Williams; fined \$6.

Fannie Jones, colored, stealing clothing of the value of \$1.50 from Mary Moore; fined \$4.

Abe Miles, held for the county authorities; delivered.

William Seaborn, nuisance; held for ten days.

Wille Hammer, alias Roler, colored, shoplifting at Cornick's shoe store, Church street; continued until February 28th.

William Garrison, colored, suspected of holding up and robbing ex-Policeman Leonard Moore; continued until February 28th.

The case of a white man, charged with the embezzlement of \$20, was continued until to-day.

Charles Haynes and Andrew Peace, two colored boys, were charged with shooting through the window of the office of Mr. H. L. Smith. Haynes was fined \$5.00 and Peace was ordered to be whipped.

TRANSFERS OF REALTY. In the Clerk's office yesterday the following deeds were entered to record: A. A. H. Boissevain to S. Q. Collins, four lots beginning at the southeastern intersection of Redgate avenue and Mantee street, Ghent; \$6,000.

R. Susman to R. J. Sears, all the stock of groceries, etc., contained in the store No. 48 Bottomore street; \$200.

COURT OF LAW AND CHANCERY. The February term of the Court of Law and Chancery began yesterday and a number of cases were docketed and set for trial.

The Corporation Court was not in session yesterday.

United States Court—Old Dominion steamship Richmond libelled by owners of schooner Georgia Clark for damages in collision. Bond given and steamer released.

The courses of the Virginian-Pilot's "Home Study Circle" begin next Sunday, the 26th of February. See announcement page 7.

Do your glasses suit you? If not, see Dr. Weck, 310 Main street.

OTHER LOCAL ON PAGE 3.

GAIL BORDEN EAGLE BRAND CONDENSED MILK. TAKE NO SUBSTITUTE FOR THE "EAGLE BRAND" THOUSANDS OF MOTHERS TESTIFY TO ITS SUPERIORITY. "INFANT HEALTH" SENT FREE. NEW YORK CONDENSED MILK CO. N. Y.

RUBBER BOOTS Men's Rubber Boots, all sizes, a great saving here. Legal Shoes, Blucher style, are water proof. At \$3.50, these in tan and black, afford stylish dressers a chance to save \$1.50. We have priced Winter Underwear—all Winter Goods to clear them out at once—332 Main street.

S. HIRSH & SON. Ames, Brownley & Hornthal THE MONTICELLO CORNER. Taffeta Silks! Taffeta Silks! SPECIAL.. Beginning Monday, our entire line of 75c. Colored and Black Taffeta Silks, 67c.

LADIES' WOOL SKIRTS Of a Navy Blue and Black Storm Series, a most excellent skirt for market or general use, original value \$3.99. The few we have left will be shown at \$1.98.

LADIES' SILK AND WASH WAISTS. A great variety of choice styles just received. When you see the material and finish of these goods you can but appreciate the value.

Brighter Bargains High Grade Goods down to Low Grade Prices. Never before were such Wonderful Values offered—never such opportunities made possible to get High Cost Goods for so little money.

Men's Suits. For a choice of Men's Good, patterns of grayish effects for Boys' suits—made, sturdy, every day service—and gentle dark suits for evening wear—strongly made and great big bargains for the small cost of One Forty-seven.

Men's Suits. For a choice of Dependable Cheviot, Cassimere and Worsted Men's Suits, in stripes, mixtures, plaids and checked effects—substantially made and trimmed—sharply and perfectly fitting—every respect, slightly differentials and unprecedented values for their price—One Ninety-Eight.

Men's Suits. For a choice of an assorted line of Pants, beyond question the best Pants properly ever placed on sale at this or any other store. Dressed Worsted in checks and stripes—nobly designed of plaids and stripes, in cheviot and cassimere—made and trimmed in the best manner—they are big specials and real bargain-wonders for Two Thirty-Nine.

Men's Suits. For a choice of Men's Suits—mostly singles, taken from the suit stock, having become odds by reason of combination sales—made and trimmed in first-class manner—scarcely the cost of the bare material is covered by the Stock Relief Cut Price of Two Eighty-seven.

Unceasing Bargain Wonders The most triumphant record of popular enthusiasm ever known in Merchandising—a siege of unabated selling—an opportunity of Greater and Greater Buying of Fine Clothing and Furnishings by crowds and crowds of Bargain Seekers, continually patronizing the various departments of the Big Store—That is the history achieved by the Marvelous Bargain Creations at the Great Stock Relief Unloading Sale, and thus will it be continued for this week, mercilessly sacrificing and unreservedly slaughtering every heavy weight Garment in this magnificent stock, to convert everything possible into cash before the close of the season. If you are a money saver, seeking double and treble worth in Reliable Clothing and Furnishings of standard manufacture, this Wonderful Sale must stand in your eyes as a chance demanding your imperative and immediate attention.

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