

IN SOCIETY'S REALM

The Stay at Home Will Have a Restful Summer.

A Delightful Party on the Yacht Westwind—The Country Club—Promoting a Series of German Weddings—Looking For Personal

The first of September shows how Norfolk may be described, for now only a few of the fair sex remain to receive the attentions of the beaux, who are for once in the majority. Dearly do these maidens love this belated, and wilds they will perhaps read glowing accounts, given by the newspapers, of the doings of summer men and maidens, climbing the mountain heights or bathing at the seashore, yet as she beholds her coteries of admirers, she is well content to make herself as charming as possible, for is not this her opportunity, for chance, to gain friends, which is an advantage? For the winter season approaches, the season of theatres and Germans, and "friends" are an important factor. But, although there are a plenty of beaux, there are no parties. The girls need the rest anyhow, and truth to tell, the stay-at-homes, will have had more of a restful summer in Norfolk than those who have sought the self-same thing elsewhere.

The only party of any importance that was given last week was that on Thursday evening, to which Mr. Frank W. McCullough invited a few of his friends. The affair took place on Mr. McCullough's sloop yacht "Westwind," which has been the scene of so many delightful occasions this summer. The "Westwind" sailed with her happy load, started out and sailed to Hampton Roads beautifully, but when her prow was turned in a homeward direction, alas! the wind forsook them, and the young people were forced to remain anchored until Old Sol began to peep above the horizon and find the party in such a plight. But regardless of the fact, that this sailing party was only partially so, the time passed so pleasantly that it would be an erroneous statement to say they regretted the incident. A delightful supper was partaken of and dainty refreshments served later in the evening. Mr. McCullough's guests were Mrs. Walker, Miss Mary, Virginia and Lucy Hayes, of Richmond; Dr. Harris, of Virginia Beach; Mr. W. L. Canwell, of Philadelphia; Mr. Thomas W. Tanner, Mr. Hugh G. Whitehead and Mr. W. H. Taylor, Jr.

The Country Club is very beautiful just at this season, and the members who are at home enjoy its pleasures as much as possible, and nearly every evening two or three gather to partake of its charming hospitality.

Mr. R. Worthy Smith has begun his subscription list for the series of German which will be given at the Chamberlin Hotel during the winter months. It was due to the efforts of Mr. Smith that these dances were such a success last season and those who expect to participate are anxious for the time to arrive for them to take place.

They say that several weddings will take place this fall. We know of one couple that will certainly enter into connubial happiness, and there are rumors of others that are likely to be forthcoming. The announcements of these weddings will appear later.

Misses Emory and Mary Duncan have returned from Gloucester county, where they have been visiting relatives.

Miss Lucy Baylor is at home again, after a delightful visit to Miss Helen Taylor, in Staunton.

Dr. and Mrs. Otto G. Ramsay, of Baltimore, are visiting Dr. Ramsay's mother, in Ghent.

Mrs. Robert S. Coupland, of Covington, Ky., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Whitehead, in Boush street.

Mr. J. Iredell Jenkins is visiting his wife, at the Sweet Chalybeate Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac T. Walke have returned from a visit to Murfreesboro, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Cardwell Hardy have gone to Columbus, O., to be present at the National Bankers' Association.

Miss Nina Scanlan and Miss Lulu Thimms have returned from a visit to Gloucester county.

Misses Louisa and Francis Wilson are summering at the Old Sweet Springs.

Miss Louisa Millar, of Portsmouth, is visiting friends in Baltimore.

Mr. C. P. Pearson and wife returned this morning from the Montgomery White Sulphur Springs, where they have been spending a month.

The Misses Clarke have returned from the Cold Sulphur Springs.

Miss Blanche Baker has returned from Virginia Beach, where she has been spending the summer at Miss Boush's cottage.

Judge and Mrs. T. H. Wilcox and family have returned from the Yellow Sulphur Springs, but will leave in a few days to visit relatives in Charles City county.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Taylor left Thursday on the F. V. Limited for The Warm Springs.

Miss Lucy McDonald, of New York, who has been spending the summer with Miss Ida Gordon at Virginia Beach, has returned home.

Mrs. John Neely and daughter, Mrs. Wm. Flinn, have returned from the Roanoke Red Sulphur Springs.

Mrs. Harriet Smith has returned from the Beach, where she has been spending the past two weeks.

Mr. W. C. Wilson left Saturday for Seaford, Del.

Mr. Theodore F. Rogers and Miss Louisa Sharpe will leave Wednesday for a week's stay at Providence, R. I.

Mr. W. A. Ross has returned from a pleasant stay at Mountain Lake.

Mrs. J. H. Hardy left last night to visit friends in York, Pa.

Miss Lullie Hudgins, of Portsmouth, is at home again after a delightful visit

SILK WAISTS.

Handsome than ever before, newer effects, richer designs, just received from the manufacturer and placed on sale for the first time Monday.

Miller, Rhoads & Co.

198 AND 202 MAIN STREET.

THIS IS A WEEK OF CHANGE

The new autumn and winter purchases are crowding in on us in such overwhelming volume that we are forced to take heroic measures to clear the fixtures of all spring and summer goods. This is a not-to-be-repeated opportunity for frugal buyers who desire high-class merchandise at less than cost to manufacture.

Wash Goods.

Grand clearing of all Summer wash materials—not a yard to be carried over to next season. All fancy lawn that sold at 10 and 12 1/2 for 5c. All organdies that sold for 10, 12 1/2, 15 and 17c. for 5c. All fancy dimities that sold at 12 1/2 and 15c for 5c. All fancy imported organdies that sold at 25 for 10c. All fancy imported organdies that sold at 37 1/2 for 12 1/2c. A very choice selection of new flannellets for house dresses, dressing sacs, etc., at 8c and 10c. New swansdown flannellets, white grounds, with various colored dots, 12 1/2c. A new line of fine fall style percales, 12 1/2c. New fall dress ginghams in plaids and stripes, 8 and 10c.

Shirt Waists.

Wind up sale of fine White Shirt Waists. Every waist in the department has been reduced to a price that must clear them out quickly. We need the space so they must go. All the fine White Lawn Waists, tucked and pleated, with and without inserting, that sold at \$1.00 and \$1.25, to go for 67c. All the fine White Lawn Waists, with fine inserting, that sold at \$2.00 and \$2.50, to go for \$1.69. Fine Black Lawn Waists, that sold at \$1.00, for 69c. Fine Black Lawn Waists, that sold at \$1.39, for 98c.

White Wrappers.

But a few Plain White Wrappers left. We mark them at prices that will justify you in buying for next season. Two styles that sold for \$1.75 and \$1.39, for 98c. Fancy Lawn Wrappers that sold for \$1.25 and \$1.39, for 98c. Those that sold for \$1.59 and \$1.50, for \$1.19. Those that sold for \$1.98, \$1.89 and \$1.75, for \$1.49. ODD CURTAINS.—1 pair \$3.50 Lace Curtains, soiled, \$1.25. 1 pair \$3.75 Irish Point Lace Curtains, soiled, \$1.98. 1 pair \$4.50 Irish Point Lace Curtains, soiled, \$2.25. 2 pair \$7.00 Irish Point Lace Curtains, soiled, \$2.98.

NEWEST STYLES IN FALL SUITS AND GOLF CAPES.

MILLER, RHOADS & CO.'S Man-Tailored Suits will be seen in all their grandeur here to-morrow. Many new styles will receive their first showing. Exquisitely tailored suits that will appeal to every woman who appreciates real dress elegance. That style individuality that distinguishes NORFOLK'S BUSY STORE'S garments from all others can be quickly recognized. They are the handsomest costumes that will be worn this fall.

GOLF CAPES.—The popularity of this garment increases every season. We have made unusual preparations to supply our patrons with the newest designs and best tailored capes in the market.

Dress Goods.

It seems to be settled that there will be no more popular fall and winter separate skirts than those made of large-patterned plaid cloths. PLAID SUITINGS, 59 inches wide, in gray and white, navy and white, green and blue, and in various combination colors, \$1 yd. HOMESPUN will be largely used this fall for suits and skirts, a favorite in rough materials. \$1 a yard, in gray and brown mixtures. 52 in wide. Our Broadcloth at \$1 is worthy of your consideration. Excellent quality, fine finish and in all the desirable fall shades. 52 in wide. Broadcloth at 75c. We are giving you the benefit of our good fortune in securing an extra good cloth at the price. It is a broadcloth, not a ladies' cloth. 52 in wide. Black Poolans. An ideal fabric for mourning wear, and in the good qualities are very handsome. 75c, 89c and \$1 grades are 44 in. wide; \$1.39 grade, 46 in. wide; \$1.50 grade, 48 in. wide. Black Cheviot, sponged and piece dyed, at 75c. Just the kind for rainy-day wear. 54 in wide. Venetian Twill at 75c. A wiry worsted material made for service, in the desirable fall shades, gray, pantheon, brown, navy, dark brown. 44 in wide. Gray Twills at 75c. A gray mixture in three tones, light, medium and dark. 44 in wide. Cheviot Serges at 75c. A full range of the new fall shades. 54 in wide. Black Taffeta Silks. A beauty, piece dyed, and a genuine taffeta, not taffete, at 50c.

Men's Wear.

Your last chance to get men's and boys' soft negligee shirts at about your own prices. Note these very special reductions. Men's fine grade percale shirts, with two collars and a pair cuffs to match, 50c. (Reduced from 75c.) Men's finest grade madras shirts, with two collars and a pair cuffs to match. 98c. Reduced from \$1.50. Our best \$1.50 madras shirts, with pair cuffs to match, all sizes, reduced to 98c, to close. Men's and boys' fine grade percale shirts, pair cuffs to match, 39c each. Reduced from 50c. Extra fine grade of men's and boys' madras shirts, pair cuffs to match, 48c each. Men's and boys' fine laundered percale negligee shirts, with collars and cuffs attached, 39c each. Reduced from 50c. Working Shirts.—Our working shirt department is always at work trying to find you the best values that can be produced. Here are three specials this week: Men's black twill shirts, with white polka dot, 25c each. Men's black twill sateen shirts, with white stripes running through, 39c each. Men's fine grade semi-laundered percale shirts, 39c each. Men's laundered percale shirts, collars and cuffs attached, reduced from 50c to 25c. Sizes 14, 14 1/2, 17 only. Neckwear.—To fill in a gap in our 25c line of Men's Neckwear we have taken one lot of our 50c line. These will not stay long at 25c each.

Hosiery

The new hosiery is here, and such an assortment—plain, black, tan, reds and the fancy styles. And the prices—well they're a little lower than at other stores. The Fancy Styles! Our 200 styles to select from—vertical and horizontal stripes, polka dots, checks, collops, artillery reds. Yale blues and many other good styles, some a fine grade of Maco yarn, but the majority a superior grade of Ribbed Tops! They are new and will be in great demand. Ours a fine quality of Combed Maco yarn, double soles, high spliced heels, Hermsdorf dye, 25c pair. The same hose without the rib top if you prefer. White Socks and White Feet! Many ladies can't wear a stocking with black feet, so here is the thing, a splendid quality fast black, with white soles or white feet, 25c pair. Boys' School Hose, the Hercules quality, a strong durable stocking, with double knees and spliced heel and toe, 12 1/2c pair. Boys' Imported Black Ribbed Stockings, double knees, the new French heel, will wear like iron, 25c pair. Misses Plain Black Stockings, are guaranteed fast and seamless, 12 1/2c, 15c and 25c. Misses Black Drop Stitch Stockings, richelleu and rembrandt rib, imported goods, absolutely fast black, 25c pair. Misses Polka Dot Stockings in all size spots, 39c pair. Infant's Hosiery in all lengths, all kinds and all prices, 1/2 and extra long, plain or ribbed, black, tan or white, 12 1/2c, 15c, 20c and 25c.

New Hdkfs.

Hundreds of new Handkerchiefs arrived here the past week and now are on sale. Better lay in a supply now while the assortment is complete. We place on sale Monday 100 dozen Ladies' fine Sheer Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 1/2 and 1 inch hems, 3c each. 300 styles of Ladies' fine Lawn Handkerchiefs, consisting of lace edges, hemstitched embroidered, plain hemstitched embroidered, scalloped edges, colored borders and many other good styles, will be sold for 5c each. Ladies' Pure Irish Soft Bleach Linen Handkerchiefs in 1/4, 1/2 and 1 inch hems, the plain or sheer grade, are 12 1/2c each. We ask you to take a look at the better grades at 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and up to \$2.50. They are beauties and their equal cannot be found in Norfolk.

Shell Combs.

We have received by late shipments a very extensive assortment of the newest Empire and Pompadour Combs. We can show you at least thirty different styles—Pompadour Combs, and the best that can be found in Norfolk. Handsome Side Combs 10c, 15c, 25c, 39c, up to \$2.50 a pair. Back Combs 10c, 19c, 25c, 39c, 50c, up to \$1.98 each. Pompadour Combs 19c, 25c and 39c. Odd lot of Shell Back Combs, sold at 89c and 98c each, for 10c each. All our Belt Buckles reduced to 19c. Gilt Beauty Pins 6 for 5c. Sterling Silver Beauty Pins 5c.

JOIN THE ART CLASS.

FREE INSTRUCTIONS IN ART EMBROIDERY.

Join Mrs. Allen's Art Class. Class meets 10 to 12 a. m. and 3 to 5 p. m.

Girl's Hats.

Straw Crowned Mull Trimmed Hats, 75c., for 39c. Crash and Duck Hats, sold 25c., for 10c. Napoleon Duck Hats, sold 50c., for 19c. Sun Bonnets, plain, blue and red, only few left, sold at 25c., for 10c.; sold 39c., for 19c. White Lawn Aprons 10c. White Lawn Aprons, large size, 15c. and 25c. Fine Aprons, sold at 75c. and 69c., for 39c., \$1.25 and \$1.00, for 49c. Child's Muslin Underskirts, only few left, 25c., for 12 1/2c.

Towels.

All Linen Colored Border Knotted Fringe Damask Towels, 12 1/2c. Extra size All Linen fine Damask Towel, Knotted Fringe, 25c. Handsome H. S. heavy Huck Towels, with damask figures, 25c. Ask to see our 10c. and 12 1/2c. Huck Towels and compare them with others. Bleached Fringed Doilies, 50c., 75c., \$1.00 and \$1.25. Barred Doilies, 39c., 50c. and 75c. Heavy Table Damask 39c. yard.

Specials

12 1/2c. for good Cloth Bound Books, that sold at 17c. 10c. for Fancy Velling, in black and colors, that sold at 39c. 15c. for excellent quality Writing Paper, in handsome embossed box, sold at 25c. 10c. for St. James and Octavo Box Paper, ruled only, sold at 15c. 69c. for broken line sizes Kid Gloves, sold at \$1.25. 49c. for broken line size black and colored Kid Gloves, sold at 75c. 19c. for Tan Silk Gloves, sold at 50c. 10c. yard for Tinstle Tissue, sold at 75c. yard. 3c. for white and black Hercules Braid, sold at 7c. yard.

Wash Skirts.

Final clearing of all Duck and Linen Skirts, sold at \$1.50, for 69c. White Pique Skirts, \$2.25 for 98c., \$3.00 for \$1.19, \$4.00 Skirts \$1.39, \$5.00 Skirts for 1.98. Crash Bicycle Skirts, sold at \$1.50 and \$1.75, for 59c. Eton White Duck Jackets, of Suit sold at \$3.00, for 25c. Eton White Pique Jackets, of \$5.00 Suit for 49c. Linen and Crash Jackets of Suits sold at \$3.25, for 25c.

to the Misses Watts at their cottage, at Ocean View.

Mr. George Akise and family have returned from Ocean View, where they have been spending the summer at their cottage.

Mrs. Hubard and Miss Louie Taylor left last week to visit relatives in Charlestown, Va.

Mr. Alexander M. Agelasto, Jr., has returned from Old Sweet Springs and the White Mountains.

Miss Marie Blamire has returned from a visit to relatives in Suffolk.

Misses Daisy and Madge Drummond have returned from a visit to friends on the Eastern Shore.

Miss Abbie Wilson is at home after a pleasant visit to relatives in Suffolk.

Mr. McClenahan has returned from Pittsboro, N. C., where he has been visiting his parents and friends.

Miss Coley Lovell, of Manchester, is visiting Miss Julia Aehburn, in Brambleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Greenwood left Friday for Afton, Va.

Mr. M. A. Agelasto left Friday for Bedford City, where he will play tennis with Mr. C. G. Evans, of Randolph-Macon, to decide the championship of Virginia, and should Mr. Agelasto win it will give him the championship for four years in succession. Mr. Agelasto has just returned from the White Mountains, where he won the inter-hotel championship.

Mr. Hunter Bell, Mr. Garnett Jordan and Mr. George Sargeant have returned from Sandy Springs, Md.

Mrs. George Pollard will close her cottage at Virginia Beach to-morrow.

Mrs. L. D. Okeson left Thursday for Blue Ridge Springs.

Miss Mary Sutton is the guest of Miss Elizabeth Johnston, at Ocean View.

The Misses Tucker will leave to-morrow for Amherst, Va.

Mrs. R. O. Bitter has returned from Ocean View, and is now at the Misses Brown, on Duke street.

Miss Julia Duvey left Thursday to spend the month of September in Maryland.

Mrs. E. H. Bensey and daughter, Mary Virginia, who have been spending the summer at Virginia Beach, returned to-day to her home in Petersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Barrow, formerly of Norfolk, but now of Jackson, Miss., who have been the guests of Mr. and

Mrs. Taylor Hamm, in Ghent, have returned home.

Miss Virginia Starke will leave to-morrow to spend a month in Amherst county.

Mrs. H. G. Williams, Miss Vera Williams, and Miss Hattie Williams, are at home again after a delightful summer spent at the Montgomery White Sulphur Springs.

Miss Julia Tate, of Bollivar, Tenn., is the guest of Mrs. George Todd, on Freemason street.

Mr. William Richards has returned from the Greenbrier White Sulphur Springs, W. Va.

Miss Elizabeth Nash is at home again after a delightful visit to the Misses Vaughn, at Blue Ridge Summit, Pa.

Mr. Dr. Gresham has returned from Sandy Springs, Md., where he has been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Hamm are at the Cold Sulphur Springs.

Mrs. Yancy and her daughter, Miss Fairfax Loving, who have been spending the summer at Virginia Beach, left Saturday for their home in Richmond.

Miss Nelle Crow has returned home from a visit to Morriatown, Tenn.

Miss Lillie Cobb, of Washington, D. C., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Arthur G. Lewis, of 295 Duke street.

Miss Fannie Doyle has returned from a two weeks' visit to Rocky Mount, N. C.

Norfolk & Western Statement.

Mr. M. O. Jabeson, comptroller of the Norfolk and Western Railway Company, has issued a statement of the earnings and expenses of the line for July, from which the following is taken. Total earnings, \$1,052,183.77; increase, \$187,607.15. Total expenses, \$684,598.37; increase, \$88,128.83. Net earnings, \$367,585.40; increase, \$99,468.30. The proportion of expenses to gross earnings was 65 per cent. After deducting fixed charges, the surplus is \$176,955.98.

Civil Service Examination.

An examination will be held Tuesday and Wednesday, September 5th and 6th, for the purpose of establishing an eligible register for the position of computer, coast and geodetic survey, under supervision of the Local Board of Civil Service Examiners.

"Duty Free Man and Steed." Feed your nerves, also, if you would have them strong. Hood made pure and rich by Hood's Sarsaparilla is the only true nerve food. Be sure to get Hood's. It never disappoints.

HOOD'S PILLS cure constipation. Price 25c.

DIVINE SERVICES TO-DAY.

The Methodist, Presbyterian, Lutheran, Christian, Church of Christ (Disciples) and Christ Scientist publish their hours of Sunday services in Saturday's issue.

PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL.

Christ, corner of Freemason and Cumberland streets, Rev. Dr. C. E. Grammer, rector.—Morning prayer and sermon by Rev. John H. Dickinson at 11 a. m. Evening prayer at 6 p. m. St. Luke's, corner of Buie and Granby streets, Rev. A. S. Lloyd, D. D., rector.—Morning prayer and sermon at 11 a. m. Evening prayer and sermon at 8 p. m. St. Paul's, Church and Cove streets, Rev. B. D. Tucker, D. D., rector.—Morning prayer and sermon at 11 a. m. Evening prayer at 5 p. m. St. Peter's, Brown avenue, Brambleton, Rev. C. E. Woodson, rector.—Morning prayer and sermon at 11 a. m. Evening prayer and sermon at 8:15 p. m. Emanuel Chapel, corner of Wide and Calvert streets, Rev. John H. Dickinson, rector.—Lay service at 11 a. m. Evening prayer and sermon at 8 o'clock. Wednesday service at 8 o'clock p. m.

CATHOLIC.

St. Mary's, corner of Chapel and Holt streets, Rev. John Doherty, pastor.—Sunday: Early mass at 7 a. m.; high mass at 11 a. m. Vespers and benediction of the blessed sacrament at 5 p. m. Sacred Heart Church, corner of York and Dunmore streets, Rev. Father T. J. Wilson, pastor.—Sunday: First mass, 7:20 a. m.; second mass at 10 a. m. (low mass), followed by benediction of the blessed sacrament.

BAPTIST CHURCHES.

Freemason, corner of Bank and Freemason—Preaching by the new pastor, Rev. J. J. Taylor, D. D., at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sacred Memorial Windsor avenue, Brambleton—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. J. R. Christie, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Central Avenue, Atlantic City—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. E. E. Dudley, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. First corner of Granby and Freemason streets—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. E. H. Hatcher, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Park Avenue Brambleton—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. J. J. Hall, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Morning subject, "A Message from Six Years' Service." Evening, "Why Jesus Came and What Are His Credentials." Grace, corner Princess Anne and Church streets—Preaching by Rev. Vernon I. Anson at 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. Burrows' Memorial, Lambert's Point—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Geo. W. Cox, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. NEW CHURCH TO BE DEDICATED. The Baptists of the growing town of Parkby, on the Eastern Shore, have just completed a new and beautiful church edifice. It will be formally dedicated to-day at 11 a. m. by Rev.

A. E. Owen, D. D., of Grace Baptist Church.

CHRISTADELPHIAN ECCLESIA. Hall, corner of Maltby and Brambleton avenues—Services at 11 a. m.

W. C. T. U.

HARVEST HOME CONVENTION TO CONVENE THIS MONTH.

The annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. of the Norfolk district will be held at Denby's Church, Norfolk county, Wednesday, September 14th. It will be what is known as a "Harvest Home Convention," and the first in the history of the district work. The church will be decorated with autumn fruits and vegetables by the local union. All visitors and delegates are invited to become members of the Committee of the Whole on Decoration by providing packages of groceries on clothing in good condition. At the close of the session everything eatable or wearable will be brought to the Crittenden Home. The morning session will open at 10 o'clock, and will be given up to reports and the election of officers. Lunch will be served from 1 to 2 o'clock. The Y conference will be held from 2 to 3 o'clock, and the remainder of the afternoon session will be given up to addresses and the reading of papers.

Labor Day at Virginia Beach.

Labor Day will be celebrated all day at Virginia Beach. The Norfolk, Virginia Beach and Southern has made a special rate of 25 cents for the round trip. There will be a grand display of fireworks, commencing at 8:30 p. m. These will be set off by an expert from the factory.

There will be grand concerts by the First Virginia Regiment band at the pavillion from 10:30 a. m. to 12 m., and from 3:30 to 6:30 p. m. There will be dancing music in the new ball-room from 8:30 to 10:30 at night.

There will be a pigeon shooting match at 11 a. m., open to all. There will be five events at live birds and five at clay birds. A gold medal will be awarded for the championship of Virginia. This can be seen in the show window of the Gale Jewelry Company. There will be a pig race on the beach in front of the boardwalk at 3:30 p. m. At 4:30 p. m. there will be a baseball game between teams of Norfolk and Portsmouth. There will also be boat races on Lake Holly and swimming matches and other amusements.

The Cornucopia.

The last issue of the Manufacturers' Record says: "The Cornucopia, or Southern Horn of Plenty, edited with wonderful enterprise and vigor by A. Jeffers, at Norfolk, Va., has entered upon its fifteenth year. This monthly is devoted to the exploitation of the Norfolk neighborhood as a home for manufacturers and farmers, and Mr. Jeffers' efforts have been crowned with signal success."

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

First address in series of four by Dr. Wm. Edwin Hall, of New York, at 4 p. m. Subject, "God: What, Where." Service of song, accompanied by Association orchestra and vocal solo, "The Many Mansions," by Mr. W. H. Ward. All men cordially invited.

BOYS' DEPARTMENT.

First in series of our special services during September Mondays by Boys' Gospel Army. Mr. Ambrose Page, junior secretary in charge. Each meeting to be led by two members of the Army. Orders to-morrow: Sam LaBlanc and Harry McCoy. Subject, "Training." Key word, "Temperance." Reference, First Corinthians, ix. 22-27. The mass meeting for men in Association Hall Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock will be of special interest. Dr. Hall, of New York, will deliver the first of the series of four addresses on "Great Bible Themes." The special music will consist of opening service of song, accompanied by the Association Orchestra, under the direction of Prof. Charles Borjes, and vocal solo, "The Many Mansions," by Mr. W. H. Ward, physical director of the Norfolk Association. The opening subject will be, "God—Who? What? Where?" The meeting will commence promptly at 4 o'clock.

BOYS' DEPARTMENT.

The Boys' Gospel Army meetings during the month of September will be conducted by the boys themselves, under the general direction of Mr. Page, the Junior Secretary. The meeting Sunday afternoon will be held by Mr. Sam LaBlanc and Harry McCoy. The subject of the meeting will be "Training," and the key word "Temperance." Scripture reference, I. Cor., 9:22-27. This meeting will commence promptly at 4:30 and the doors will be closed at 2:45 o'clock.

Post Office Hours Labor Day.

On Monday (Labor Day) the post-office of this city will observe holiday hours, opening its stamp and delivery windows from 9 to 11 o'clock a. m. The letter-carriers will make no delivery or collections after the 10-o'clock a. m. (Cape Charles trip); therefore mail intended to be dispatched after that hour should be sent direct to the postoffice. There will be no money order or registry business transacted during the day.

Prominent Divines in Norfolk.

Rev. Dr. E. Daniel, of Raleigh, N. C., a prominent Presbyterian divine, is here, and will preach at the First Presbyterian Church this morning and evening. He is a preacher of decided ability, and prepares his discourses with painstaking care, and delivers them with a force and clearness that engages the earnest attention of his hearers. Rev. George Darsee, of Frankfort, Ky., a distinguished preacher of the Church of Christ (Disciples), is spending a part of his vacation in the vicinity of Norfolk. A rare opportunity will be given our citizens to hear this gifted divine at the church of that denomination on Freemason street this morning. Rev. George S. Bell, of Annapolis, Md., a preacher of fine attainments, is the guest of friends in this city. He will preach at the Second Presbyterian Church on Freemason street at 11 a. m. to-day.

Eyes Examined Free.

Dr. A. Weck manager of the optical department of the Gale Jewelry Company, will examine your eyes free. Defective vision and complicated cases specially invited to call. 1626-tf

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Last week, sometime between Monday morning and Saturday night, rare opportunities for buying the balance of our SUMMER GOODS at prices that seemed too low to be BONA FIDE quotations. Probably THIS caused a great many unnoticed to let these