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WEATHER REPORT.

Washington, Jan. 20. Forecast for Sunday and Monday: Virginia: Fair and colder Sunday; fair Monday; high northwesterly winds, diminishing.

Norfolk and vicinity. WEATHER FORECAST FOR TO-DAY. Fair; cooler, winds becoming north-west and fresh.

TEMPERATURE, RAINFALL AND HUMIDITY. Jan. 20, 1900. Maximum temperature 60. Minimum temperature 54. Normal temperature 40.

CALENDAR. Sun rises 7:15 a. m. and sets 5:19 p. m.

TIDES. Norfolk—High water, 0.23 a. m. and 12:21 p. m. Low water, 6:27 a. m. and 6:45 p. m.

MEETINGS.

Notice to Lathers.

All lathers are requested to meet at Central Labor Union Hall, corner of Bank and City Hall avenue, next TUESDAY NIGHT, at 7:30 o'clock.

Office Grand Secretary Heptasophis or S. W. M., Norfolk, Jan. 20th, 1900. THE GRAND CONCLAVE OF HEPTASOPHIS OR S. W. M., of Virginia, will convene in annual session at Odd Fellows Hall, Norfolk, TUESDAY, January 23rd, at 9:30 a. m.

By order of A. C. PINE, Grand Archon.

A STATED ASSEMBLY OF GRICE WILL BE HELD IN THE ASYLUM, MASONIC TEMPLE, MONDAY EVENING, JANUARY 22d, at 7:30 o'clock.

By order of E. C. GEO. B. JENKINS, Recorder.

I. O. M.—OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF ATLANTIC LODGE NO. 8, I. O. M.—You are requested to meet in your hall room, Kin Hall, MONDAY EVENING at 7:30 p. m.

By order of Worthy Master, M. L. GAINES.

THE NORFOLK RAILWAY AND LIGHT COMPANY. will be held at the offices of the company in the city of Norfolk, Va., on TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 6th, 1900, at 12 m.

By order of H. C. WHITEHEAD, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE SEABOARD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY will be held in the board room of the Citizens' Bank, Citizens' Bank Building, Norfolk, Va., on WEDNESDAY, January 31st, 1900, at 12 o'clock.

By order of LOUIS T. DOBIE, Secretary.

AMUSEMENTS.

ACADEMY | MONDAY & TUESDAY JAN. 22-23. MATINEE TUESDAY 2:30 P. M. Wilson Barrett's Powerful Religious Drama.

THE SIGN OF THE CROSS Presented by Wm. Greel's London Company. Prices—\$1.50, \$1.00 and 50c. Jan 21-31.

ACADEMY | Fri. Night, Jan. 23. WILLIAM H. WEST'S BIG MINSTREL JUBILEE.

including Wm. H. West, Carroll Johnson, R. J. Rose, Fred. Warren and many others. Prices: 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1. Jan 21-31, 11, 17-31.

ACADEMY | Jan. 30-31, Feb. 2-3. MAJESTIC WED-SAT. Engagement of four nights and two matinees of the

LYCEUM THEATRE STOCK CO. of Baltimore, Md.

JOHN W. ALBAUGH, JR., Proprietor. Tuesday evening and Wednesday matinee—TWO MUCK JOHNSON.

Thursday evening and Saturday evening—THE STOOPS TO CONQUER.

Friday evening and Saturday matinee—DIPLOMACY.

Seats on sale Saturday, January 27. No raise in regular prices. Jan 21-1.

BIJOU THEATRE, NORFOLK, VA.

MANAGER ABB SMITH Presents for the week of

JAN. 22 1900

THE GREAT M'LE DE VBRSE (Direct from Vienna.)

The beautiful Chamelyne Statues, supported by the New York Liferograph Co., with electrical, kaleidoscopic effects. Also Miss May Merle, burlesque lady.

THE WELSHES—Frank and Mattie—the Comedy Duo.

MISS MARION LUCIER—charming solo comic and fifteen others in a brand new burlesque entitled

"THE GAY GIRLS OF NEW YORK," introducing beautiful ladies, who sing, dance and make life a pleasant dream. Don't fail to visit the old reliable.

Also will be reproduced the principal rounds of the JEFFRIES-SHARKEY FIGHT.

ATLANTIC GARDEN WEEK OF JAN. 15.

Manager Sam Wasserman has engaged, at an enormous salary, the

NAJIB BALISH TROUPE OF ARABIAN WHIRLWINDS

Arabian Acrobats, Tumblers, Gun Spinners and Human Pyramids, performing wonderful feats in strength and agility, in conjunction with HENNING'S P.T.O. line of Hyde Comedians, this making the banner show of the season.

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FRATERNITY NOTES.

Grand Conclave of the Heptasophis to Meet Here Tomorrow.

The Fourteenth Annual Session—New Officers of the Mystic Chain—General Activity in Fraternity Circles.

Tuesday, the 23d instant, the Grand Conclave of Heptasophis, or S. W. M., in Virginia, will meet in its fourteenth annual session in Odd Fellows' Hall, this city, at 9:30 a. m.

The recently organized local union of the Theatrical Alliance will meet tonight at 8 o'clock at Mr. M. L. Kayton's parlors, corner of Bute and Cumberland streets, for the purpose of discussing matters connected with the new union.

A letter just received from the secretary of the National Alliance states that the money for the charter has been received, and the charter will be forwarded to Norfolk in the near future.

Colonel Walter A. Edwards, grand keeper of records and seal of the Knights of Pythias, has received an application for a charter for a lodge of Knights of Pythias at Lambert's Point and forwarded it to Grand Chancellor Catlett, at Lexington, for approval.

The members of Elizabeth Camp, Woodmen of the World, of Norfolk, are fraternally invited to meet with Magnolia Camp in their forest in Rosenbaum's building, High street, Portsmouth, at 7 o'clock p. m., to join them in the special divine services for Woodmen to be held in the Owens Memorial Church to-night.

The approaching annual session of the Grand Conclave of the Order of Heptasophis, or S. W. M., in this city at Odd Fellows' Hall next Tuesday will be an important epoch in the history of the order in this State.

The local tribes of the Improved Order of Red Men in Norfolk are enjoying an unequalled period of growth.

Norfolk Lodge of Elks, the largest in the South, is steadily growing. Four members were received at the last meeting.

Mr. Henry C. Wall, who was appointed as a committee of one to see the local representatives of the express companies that have offices in Norfolk in regard to the franking of articles to be used as exhibits at the Elks' carnival, will report next week.

The next issue of the National Visitor, published by the Woodmen of the World, at their headquarters at Omaha, Neb., will contain the address delivered by Mr. Hugh G. Miller before three thousand people at Suffolk January 8th, on the occasion of the recent unveiling of the two monuments to departed sovereigns Tebo and Spivey, of Norfolk and Suffolk, respectively.

Rathbone Lodge No. 53, K. of P., held a large and very important meeting Friday night, at which matters of much importance to the lodge were discussed.

The various councils of the Junior Order of Mechanics of this city are, it is said, receiving more applications for membership than any other secret order represented here. The funeral benefit feature of the order is one of the inducements that is causing the large and steady growth.

A Norfolk gentleman who recently visited Saginaw, Mich., the headquarters of Mr. George Reynolds, grand secretary of the B. P. O. E. of America, presented Mr. Reynolds with a copy of "The Elks' Prayer," the beautiful musical composition that created such a very favorable impression at the recent Elks' memorial exercises in this city.

Norfolk Lodge No. 125, Knights of the Mystic Chain, held a very important meeting Friday night. The financial reports of the treasurer and the reporter showed the lodge to be in a most flourishing condition.

Commander J. A. Turner, by virtue of his office, became past commander, to take effect at the next meeting. Off-

DIED. DODD—At her residence in Botetourt street, Saturday morning, January 20th, 1900, ELLEN M. DODD, daughter of the late John Dodd, Esq.

Funeral will take place from Sacred Heart Church at 10 o'clock a. m. MONDAY.

Our Father glanced o'er the earthland And beheld a being there Who had given to Him her length of days In aims-deeds and in prayer—

Saying: "Earth ne'er held a gentler spirit, One less free from mortal taint, Had mortals seen the hallowed brow They had long since called her saint."

He summoned the angel we call Death, And made him close her eyes, "Tis meet that such should dwell above— Should rest in Paradise.

To stricken ones, to whom thou'rt dear, Hope gleameth as a star, With eyes of faith they see thy hand Beckoning from afar.

Monuments and Gravestones. The selection of a suitable memorial in marble or granite can be readily made from our stock, for we carry the largest assortment of finished designs in the South.

THE COOPER MARBLE WORKS Established 50 Years. 150-163 Bank St. Norfolk, Va. Jan 23-1m

LABOR NOTES.

Stone Cutters Petition the Architects of Norfolk.

Lathers to Meet—Federation Secretary Curtis Addresses the Electrical Wire Workers—Theatrical Stage Men's Charter Issued.

The Journeymen Stone Cutters have addressed a petition to the architects of Norfolk and vicinity, in all plans of buildings prepared by them, for the use of stone prepared by home labor.

A meeting of the house lathers will be held in Central Labor Hall, corner Bank street and City Hall avenue, next Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

L. V. Curtis, secretary of the Virginia State Federation of Labor, addressed the Brotherhood of Electrical Wire Workers on unionism and urged their affiliation with the State Federation of Labor.

The Theatrical Stage Alliance will hold their regular weekly meeting at the corner of Bute and Cumberland streets Sunday, when business of interest to each member will come up before that body.

A meeting of the Union of Lathers will be held at Central Labor Hall Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

THE WORKINGMAN. (By Charles H. Judkins.) Let us say a good word for the workman,

Whatever may be his vocation or trade, A bright shining light in creation's great plan, No power his merit can ever overshadow.

Secure in his strength, and equipped for the fight, He stands like a bulwark in the foremost van, A staunch champion of justice, freedom and right,

Is the honest, industrious, hard-working man. See the cities and towns dotting o'er our land, Bespeaking the spread of civilization, 'Tis the fruit of his mind, the work of his hand,

And the strength and pride of a progressive nation. In the office and shop, in the city and town, Wherein with contentment his wages he earns, Wherever his skill and his work may be known, 'Tis crowned with substantial and richest returns.

When foreign oppression unsettles the land, And our forces are marshaled to quell the affray, He is first to assume the reins of command, And foremost with service the call to obey.

Mid the tumult and din of war's red strife, Where rages the hottest of fierce battle, You will find him upholding his country's arms, Determined to conquer or forfeit his life.

In the making of laws he zealously leads, Whose firm preservation will ever uphold, Ever ready and prompt to his countrymen's needs, He proveth a champion untiring and bold,

'Gainst foreign cheap labor he raises his hand, As side by side with his brothers he unites, And of grasping monopoly will make his demand, For a firm maintenance of well-deserved rights.

"In Union is Strength," is his oft uttered cry, And his clarion note is heard the world 'round, "In Union is Strength," his bright banners reply, And the hearts of his brothers re-echo the sound.

Yes, we'll say a good word for the workman, Whatever may be his vocation or trade, A bright shining light in creation's great plan, No power his merit can ever overshadow.

Atlantic City, Jan. 16th, 1900.

Remains Sent Home. The remains of Mr. John W. Button, of Rich Square, N. C., whose sudden death occurred at the Atlantic Hotel Friday, were sent via the Seaboard Air Line yesterday morning to his home.

They were accompanied by Mrs. Buxton, who arrived here with him Friday from Philadelphia; Mr. J. W. Perry, of this city, and relatives of deceased from Newport News.

Mooting Called Off. The stockholders of the Norfolk and Southern and the Norfolk, Virginia Beach and Southern railroads will not hold a meeting here to-morrow, as per announcement, the meeting having been called off.

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. Jan 26-2.

IN LEGAL CIRCLES.

PROMINENT FIRM DISSOLVES—NEW QUARTERS.

Hon. John Ritchie, for some time a prominent attorney and judge in the West, has located in Norfolk, with office at room 613 Citizens' Bank building.

The firm of Osborne & Groner has been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Osborne now has his office at room 417 Citizens' Bank building, and Mr. Groner retains the offices formerly used by the firm.

Judge Berryman Green, one of Danville's leading attorneys, is visiting his son, Mr. N. T. Green, of the firm of Withers & Green, of this city.

The law firm of Venable & Stebbins has removed its offices from the Lowenberg building to rooms 412-411 Citizens' Bank building.

Mr. John G. Tilton yesterday removed his law office from Williams street to room 312 Citizens' Bank building.

Mr. Furlong's Strange Find. Mr. J. P. Furlong, a well-known shipping agent, who has lived for several years at No. 16 Randolph street, a few days ago decided to have a window opening cut through the old rear wall of his residence, and employed workmen to attend to the matter.

They cut through the bricks and, in a space between them found, imbedded in a hardened mass of mortar, an ancient pistol, the revolving chamber of which carried six shots. Under the weapon was a piece of colored paper on which there is German printing.

The weapon seems to have been in excellent condition when it found its way into the wall and is well preserved.

No. 16 Randolph street is a good two-story brick residence, and was built, perhaps, about twenty years ago. The rear wall of it is made of an old existing wall, the age of which is unknown, hence it is impossible to tell how long the strange weapon has been lying there. It is about a foot long and is quite a curiosity.

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WHEN YOUR JOINTS ARE STEEP and your muscles sore from cold or rheumatism, when you slip and strain a joint, make an effort to use PAIN-KILLER will take out the soreness and fix you right in a jiffy. Always have it with you, and use it freely. Avoid substitutes, there is but one PAIN-KILLER, Perry Davis'. Price 25c and 50c.

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Call early if you want a bargain. Just received a large line of WHITE COATS and FURROCKERY, India Linon from 75c up, Persian Lawn from 12c up, Dinny from 9c up.

Headquarters for Embroideries Edge and Inserting from 2c and up. Percales can't be beat, from 3c and up. Long Cloth from 9c, per piece and up. New Spring Kid Gloves 1.00 and up. New goods coming in daily. Your inspection of stock solicited.

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NOTICE! The undersigned trading as R. O. Nottingham & Co., No. 33 Cherry St., Norfolk, Va., have this day sold their Stock, Pictures, Accounts and good will to D. W. O'Neil & Co.

Thanking the public for their kind patronage and asking a continuation of the same to the new firm, we remain, Respectfully, R. O. NOTTINGHAM, GEO. F. NOTTINGHAM.

With pleasure we announce that Messrs R. O. Nottingham and Geo. F. Nottingham will be retained in our employ, and will endeavor to extend the same courtesies as heretofore and respectfully solicit your liberal patronage. Respectfully, D. W. O'NEIL & CO., Jan 16-17

WINTER TERM OF THE SOUTHERN BUSINESS UNIVERSITY BEGINS TUESDAY, JAN. 23.

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2d Week

—OF THE— Big Shoe Sale —AT—

Hofheimer's

We have neither time nor space to say much about it, but judging from the mass of shoe buyers that flocked to our store in the past week, in answer to our announcement last Sunday of our

Sale of Winter Shoes, the people must have been waiting for us. This must be the largest sale of all sales, because it is imperative that our unusually large stock must be reduced to its normal proportion within a few weeks.

Below are a few prices calculated to make this another mammoth shoe week:

Lot 183 WINTER WEIGHT AND TAN SHOES FOR MEN'S WEAR THAT WERE \$3.00— Now \$1.79

Lot 162 and 137 MEN'S BLACK AND TAN BOX CALF SHOES, HAND-SEWED— WERE \$3.50 A PAIR— Now \$2.24

Lot 22 MEN'S DOUBLE SOLE WORK SHOES—SATIN CALF THAT WERE \$2.00— Now \$1.37

Lot 93, 94 and 95 VICI KID, CALF LINED SHOES—STRICTLY HAND-MADE—WIDE AND MEDIUM SHAPES THAT WERE \$5.00— Now \$3.24

Lot 252 BOYS' BOX CALF LACE SHOES THAT WERE \$2.00 A PAIR— Now \$1.19

Lot 242 BOYS' SCHOOL SHOES, SOLID LEATHER, THAT WERE \$1.25— Now 74c

Lot 239 LITTLE BOYS' SPRING HEEL, LACE SHOES, SIZES 9 TO 13, THAT WERE \$1.00— Now 49c

Lot 679 CHILDREN'S DONGOLA, BUT-TON SHOES—SIZES 9 TO 11— WERE \$1.00— Now 48c

Lots 501 and 502 MISSES' SCHOOL SHOES, LACE OR BUTTON—SOLID LEATHER— THAT WERE \$1.25— Now 88c

Lots 381 and 481 LACE AND BUTTON SHOES THAT WERE \$2.50—FINE DON-GOLA— Now \$1.48

Lots 384 and 484 LADIES' LACE SHOES, HAND-MADE—IN BUTTON ALSO—WERE \$3.00— Now \$2.24

One Lot of LADIES' VELVET HOUSE SLIP-PERS. 25c

Lots 492 and 494 LADIES' PATENT LEATHER SHOES, HAND-SEWED, THAT WERE \$1.00 A PAIR— Now \$2.69

Polish FOR LADIES' SHOES—WAS 10c. A BOTTLE— Now 2c

FORGET

TAYLOR & COMPANY, Formerly under Monticello Hotel HAVE MOVED TO Ghent Market, Botetourt St. With a full line of Staple and Fancy Groceries

We carry everything for the table. We will be pleased to see our old patrons. PROMPT DELIVERY. Phones 838

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