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$10 AND $12 BUSINESS SUITS,

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This will give you a chance to be well dressed for little money. The black Cheviot, formerly advertised at $10, we are selling at $9.50.

What have we at $15?

Fine Diagonals, Corkscrews and newly-patterned Cassimeres.

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RELIABLE.

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Champignons, Petits Pois,

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Celery Salt, Chili Sauce,

Canned Shrimp, Deviled Crabs,

Snails, Pitted Olives,

French Capres, Mustard Sardines,

Sardines in Oil,

Cross & Blackwill's Chow Chow.

Mixed Pickels and Gherkins,

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In black and colored faille Silks, at 99c. per yard; regular price $1 25.

Silk finished Henrietta cloth. best quality, 46 inches wide, 90c. per yard.

All silk Fish Net, 46 inches wide. 89c. per yard; sold elsewhere at $1 25.

All wool Stripes and Plaids, spring shades, 36 inches wide, 35c. per yard; regular price 50c.

A few more pieces left, 40 inch wool stripes at 15c. per yard.

Twenty dozen ladies' blouse waists at 50c. apiece.

Full line of ladies' muslin and cambric underwear.

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A BIG BANQUET.

THE VISITING EDITORS EAT, DRINK, AND ARE MERRY.

FITZ LEE'S ELOQUENT ADDRESS.

Graceful Replies by the Visitors—The Talk About Booms and Boomlets—It was a Great Affair—And a Great Supper.

The banquet given at Hotel Roanoke last night by the business men of Roanoke to the Massachusetts Press Association, was eminently successful in every particular, and a fitting culmination of the day's enjoyment A score of gas jets cast light over the L-shaped table within the dining-room, upon which the banquet was spread. Covers were laid for sixty and every seat was filled. The table was decorated with pyramids of fruit and large boquets of Marechal Neil, La France and Jacqueminot roses. The menu was prepared in Manager Foster's best style, and the bill of fare was:

Consomme, En Tassee

Sherry

Boiled Rock Fish, Sauce Aux Anchois
Pomme Hollandaise

Sauterne

Spanish Olives — English Gherkins

Sweet Breads, Sautee, A La Toulouse
Asparagus Vinegrette

Croquette De Volaille, A La Reine
French Peas

Cutlett De Romard, Sauce Supreme

Claret

English Snipe, on Toast
Potato Croquettes

Champagne

Boned Turkey — Tongue Glacee
Chicken Salad — Lobster Salad

Madeira Wine Jelly — Charlotte Russe
Portgual Cake — Lady Finger
Macaroons — French Waffles
Roman Punch

Assorted Nuts — Fancy Fruit

Swiss Cheese — Roquefort Cheese
English Crackers

Omelette, Au Rum — Demi Tasse De Café Noir
Chartreuse — Cognac

At 12:30 o'clock Mr. Wm G. Evans, president of the City Council and chairman of the banquet began his address of welcome. He referred to the pleasure it gave him to greet the visitors. He spoke of the change that had come over Virginia, a few years ago perhaps they would not have been so glad to welcome visitors from Massachusetts. Battles had given way to peace, and the hum of spindles had taken the place of the sound of musketry. He was glad indeed to have the opportunity in behalf of the city of Roanoke to welcome the visitors to our midst and assure them of a hearty welcome.

Mr. A. Pope, general freight agent of the Norfolk and Western railroad, responded to the toast, "Our Guests." He spoke of the duties of the host and of of the hospitality of the people of Virginia. He was sure that the people had found many things that would interest their constituency. He spoke of the power of the press, and his speech throughout abounded in quotations from classic prose and poetry. The people who had landed at Pilgrim Rock possessed the same heritage as the followers of Walter Raleigh. The speaker referred to the material wealth of the Southwest section, and the progress it was making.

C. B. Fisk, President of the Massachusetts Press Association, said that it was a common expression that railroads were a soulless corporation. They had certainly found that this expression did not apply to one corporation. (He referred to the Norfolk and Western road.) He was delighted with what he had seen, and from the manner in which they had been located, he was almost prepaired to say, Give me Virginia or give me death.

James A. Pugh, President of the Virginia Press Association, spoke of the negro problem. He said there was no suppression of the ballot, but that the white man must rule. He was especially glad to greet the visitors.

Francis A. Proctor, of the Cape Ann Advertiser, said that the people of Roanoke had every reason to feel proud of their success. They were Southern Yankees intensified. We thought if the progress continued that the North would have to move down here.

Vice-President Eddy: "We accept the offer."

When ex-Governor Lee was announced to respond to the toast "Massachusetts and Virginia," Mr. E. G. Brown moved that three cheers be given for the ex-governor and they were given with a will.

Ex-Governor Lee said that Virginia and Massachusetts probably had more to do with the formation of the government than any other States. Virginia had her John Smith and Massachusetts her Miles Standish. He then reviewed the history of the country at length to show the prominence of the two States in the ante-revolutionary contest.

Patrick Henry had said that an attack on Massachusetts was an attack on Virginia. When Virginia had furnished Washington, Massachusetts had furnished John Adams. Referring to the civil war he said that the two sections had been taught in different schools and that both were honest. He had tested the fighting qualities of Massachusetts and knew its courage.

Ex-Governor Lee's speech was full of feeling, and cannot be reproduced in a brief synopsis. Ex-Governor Lee then referred to the views and feelings of the founders of the Federal Constitution Virginia has no other ambition now than to go side by side with Massachusetts and see which should be entitled to the crown of the greatest success. Heart to heart and shoulder to shoulder, the people of both States now enter into the contest.

Dr. J. C. Gleason told how near the people of Massachusetts came being Virginians. The Pilgrim fathers had intended to land furtner South, but had landed on the coast of Massachusetts and could not get away. The question of the hour was how we advance the civilization of this country. Each section had its own peculiar problems. Massachusetts had shown with all her rock and sand, that men must make something with their hand and not depend entirely upon agriculture if they wish to achieve the highest success. The agriculturist was but one step above the nomad. The business of the country was to develop its magnificent resources. In this movement the North would act hand in hand with the South. Dr. Gleason's speech was thoughtful and eloquent, and well received.

Judge George B. McLane responded to the toast, "The Magic City." He could not deal in reminiscences of the past, he said, as Roanoke was only five years old. He spoke of Roanoke's numerous works and employes. He referred to Roanoke's wonderful growth; the large number of buildings that have been erected here recently, and praised the liberal spirit of the corporations whose railroads centre here He spoke of the new rolling mill to be erected and cited statistics to show the vast interests of this city. Judge McLane also referred to the political freedom existing in Virginia and asked the ladies to bring more single ladies with them the next time they visited this section.

E. Gerry Brown, of the Bunker Hill Times, responded for Bunker Hill. His introduction was full of humor, and created great laughter. Referring to the remark about the number of bachelors in Roanoke, he said that he had brought the only single lady in the party, and had been worried almost to death every day to find out what young man she was with He was going to quit the Bunker Hill Times, and form a stock company to bring Massachusetts girls here.

He was confident that the South would play an important part in the progress of the future. He spoke of the furnaces that had gone out in his State. The reason was that they had been lit in Southwest Virginia. He praised Vice-President Charles G. Eddy and the work he was doing in building up this section. He also said that if the Massachusetts Press Association could do anything for Southwest Virginia, Mr. Eddy had only to call on its members.

Colonel John E. Penn spoke on the mineral resources of Virginia. He referred to the lateness of the hour, (12 a. m) as preventing him from dealing with such a subject, and made a brief but well-timed speech, drawing a graphic picture in his remarks of the old Virginia gentleman, and the change that had come over him and his State.

Mr Evans made a few fitting remarks, then closed the banquet at 2.15, a. m.

The special train containing the party will leave the Union depot this morning at 10 o'clock for Lynchburg, where they will remain until tomorrow, when they will go to Richmond.

WAS HE MURDERED?

A Lithia Man Missing and Foul Play Suspected.

A pretty petite woman boarded the Shenandoah Valley train No. 3 yesterday afternoon. She was weeping and seemed in deep distress, and when approached by a TIMES reporter, told a very pitiful story.

She said her name was Mary Goins and she lived about a mile from Lithia on the Shenandoah road. Monday night her husband, Charles Goins, left for this city to draw his monthly wages, he having been in business here and resigned his position some time ago. Since that time she has not heard from him and does not know where he is. Mr. Goins told his wife that he intended to go down to Buchanan and buy a lot for them.

She went to Buchanan, hoping to find him, but her search proved fruitless and she returned home yesterday almost heart-broken. The couple has only been married about nine months, and Mrs. Goins says he has been as kind and affectionate as possible and she knows he hasn't deserted her, but fears foul play. So far as can be learned the man hasn't been seen in this city.

A New Paper.

A new paper, it is contemplated, is to be started at Buchanan by Messrs. Louis S. Hall and Harry Gilmore, of this city. It will be a seven-column weekly. Mr. Hall leaves this morning for Buchanan to make all the necessary arrangements for the appearance of the sheet. Mr. Hall was for a long time foreman of the TIMES when it was under the management of M. H. Claytor, and Mr. Gilmore was until recently city editor of the Evening World. Being efficient newspaper men the paper will doubtless be a good one.

Deacon Jacob Estey was at the head of the organ manufacturing interest of the world and his death will be a great loss. His son and son-in-law will continue the manufactory of the organ that bears his name. Orders, as usual, will be promptly filled by their agents at Lynchburg, the Hobbie Music Company.

MISSING LINKS.

GOSSIP OF THE WRITERS AND THEIR TRIP.

DOWN IN A POCAHONTAS MINE.

The Daughter of the Regiment—About Banquets, Dogs and Rats—Two Nights in a Sleeper—How the Tourists Amused Themselves.

It was the merriest party that ever went through Southwest Virginia. They filled comfortably a couple of Pullman sleepers and in them they made their homes, eating for the most part there, sleeping in them every night, and being whirled over the country for the remainder of the time. The journalists from the Old Bay State are as jolly a crowd of fellows as one would care to meet. They are out for a good time and they don't care who knows it. And the people of the Southwest did their share towards making their excursion an enjoyable one.

Every reader of the TIMES knows how they spent the morning in this city before leaving for the further towns. They made the through trip, making but one stop—at Wytheville—where a dozen of them had dinner, and the remainder of them afterwards wished they had. It was easy enough to while away the time. The scenery was beautiful, and the fleeting views snatched through the windows can be compared to no other in the country. Then, too, there was card playing, plenty of good cigars and, just a little snake medicine. In the afternoon the ladies invited the gentlemen into their car, and then the fact was developed that a number of the party had good voices. Mr. Brown, of the Bunker Hill Times, has a clear, musical, tenor voice, and he uses it to advantage. He led, and the ladies, seconded by the married and bachelor editors, fellowed.

Then came Bristol, and a delegation of citizens, with introductions by Mr. Smith, of the Bristol Evening News.

And then also came an amusing incident. There is but one unmarried lady with the party—Miss Edwards. She was most popular along the trip, and her fame had gone before her. A young fellow, at one time the Mayor of the Tennessee side of the town, had heard of her and he had the best turnout in the town awaiting the arrival of the train. In a moment, almost before the expectant batchelor editors had time to get the dust out of their throats, he had her in the buggy and off they went up the main street of the town. The sorrowful editors followed more slowly in the vehicles that had been provided by the citizens.

But it was a gay procession, nevertheless Even the dogs turned out to do the visitors honor. And Bristol is famous for its dogs. They followed the long line of carriages about town, and when it came to the Fairmount Hotel, they stood outside the fence and looked through wistfully. How hungry every one was! But supper wasn't ready, and the great majority of the visitors had had no dinner. They bore it patiently, however, watching the doors of the dining-room anxiously Some made excursions to the town and came back looking happier

Bristol, as everyone knows, sits astraddle the State line. One side it is local option, on the other the saloons are licensed. The editors strolled down the Tennessee side of the street. Which was local option? Well, that question need hardly be asked, for the Knights of Fabir were weary and needed refreshment. But they got back in time for the banquet, and they did full justice to it. The French cook got excited and participated in an animated dialogue with the proprietor, and everybody thought there would be a fight, but there wasn't. Then they went to bed in the cars, and at the peep-o-day were on their way back over the road which had been traversed the day before.

Breakfast at Radford and then a drive about the flourishing little town. There was music on the banjo by two traveling musicians, one of whom had a wooden leg, and by noon the train was crawling slowly up the steep grade of the New River branch. It is a wild, picturesque and magnificent country through which the railroad winds its way. Bold bluffs rise on either side and the river runs swiftly through. Now and then fertile valleys where the blue grass grows and sleek cattle browse all day long. It is a great grazing country and the hills are green with verdure.

At 4 o'clock Pocahontas was reached, and the rain was coming down in torrents. Mackintoshes and umbrellas were in demand, but the Inn was not far and supper was waiting with two bottles of claret to every two feet of table. The talk was for the most part of moonshiners and coal mines, and after the cigars were disposed of, the more adventurous spirits, including a number of ladies set out on a trip to the mines.

Dark, cold passages, with coal overhead and at either side. Mr. Wickham led the way, the torches flared and great rats ran across the hallway, at sight of which the ladies raised their skirts and uttered timid little cries. One of the party told blood curdling stories of how mines had caved in and crushed exploring parties and drew a word picture of how well a monument would look on top of the mountains in memory of the Massachusetts Press Association. At this all of the ladies, with the exception of two, turned back and returned to the hotel. The others continued on and had a most interesting time until most of the lights burned out and left them to grope their way back in the darkness.

Supper at Bluefield Inn that night and then back to Radford in the early morning, and breakfast in the train yesterday. Most of the party ate beans, which as a brain food, cannot be surpassed.

By 10:30 o'clock they were in Salem, and there a number of prominent citizens with white satin ribbons on their lappels, inscribed "Salem Welcomes the Massachusetts Press Association," met them at the station. There was a most enjoyable ride about the city and its environs, ending at the library of Roanoke College.

As the members of the party filed into the room, they were met by a group of charming young ladies, who fastened badges and bottonieres to their coats and made them wish that they could always remain in the delightful town. Dr. Oscar Wiley made a most graceful and appropriate address of welcome. He said that he would like to give them all a corner lot fronting on four streets, and paid an eloquent tribute to the power of the press. President Fiske responded in his happiest vein and was followed by ex-Senator Gleason, of Massachusetts. President Dreher, of the College, introduced the speakers. At 12 o'clock, good-byes were spoken, and the party, after enjoying another drive, took the train for this city.

Corpus Christi—Harbor and City.

Corpus Christi, Texas, is one of the most beautifully located cities in the South, and has the finest harbor in the Gulf of Mexico. All the deep water frontage at Corpus Christi has been purchased by wealthy capitalists from the East and West, who have formed a company under the name of "The Port Aransas Company," having for its purpose the opening up the unsurpassed harbor which Aransas Pass affords the promotion of commerce and the holding and disposing of real estate. This port, is of necessity, the coming gulf port, and the inexorable and incontestible logic of figures, gives the prodigious area of 2,450,000 square miles of rich, accessible and rapidly developing territory, embracing the richest mineral regions in the world, which must naturally fall tributary, for the bulk of its trade, to this West gulf port when established. Nothing can, we believe, defeat the future success of this city, blessed as it is with every advantage of Nature. We look forward to the day when Corpus Christi, Texas, will be the great commercial city of the South, rivaling New York City in population and wealth.

We call attention to the prospectus of the Port Aransas Company in our today's issue.

Lutheran Church at Vinton.

Busy mechanics have already commenced work on the Lutheran church at Vinton. The building committee, consisting of Messrs. William H. Muse, H. F. Holloch and Allen Jones, have decided on a very churchly design and will push the work rapidly to completion. The inside of the church will be rustic finish—windows of gothic style. The lot occupies a commanding position, and when the church is finished, the whole will add materially to the beauty of the town. The Lutherans manifest commendable zeal in securing the second church in Vinton, a neighboring village, with bright prospects. Messrs. William H. Muse, Allen Jones and Hon. H. S. Trout will hold the property as trustees of the church

Brown, the Mind-Reader.

Mr. J. Randall Brown, the world famed mind-reader whose marvelous demonstrations have excited the wonder and admiration of the entire scientific world, is to visit Roanoke and give one of his peculiar and unparalleled services at the opera house Monday night. Mr. Brown has recently given a series of entertainments in Richmond and created the greatest interest and enthusiasm He is without doubt the most wonderful phenomenon of the age and will be sure to draw very largely in this city. No one should fail to see him. He is the original mind-reader and was the tutor of the late W. Irving Bishop, whose tragic death in New York last spring will be remembered of old.

Hustings Court.

Judge William Robertson presided at the Hustings Court yesterday morning; but very little business was transacted. The following cases came up:

George Smythe, who is in jail on a charge of felony, was bailed in the sum of $500 for his appearance before the grand jury at the June term to answer the charge.

Betty Price, felony, plead not guilty, and was remanded to jail.

A charter of incorporation was granted to the Commercial Land Company.

A Roanoke Boy Married.

Mr. Harry N. Gordon, of Auditor Coxe's office, and Miss Annie Parkinson, of Richmond, were married in the Leigh Street Baptist Church yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mr. Samuel Christian, of this city, acted as his "best man." A tremendous crowd of friends was present, and after receiving their congratulations the newly married couple left for a trip to the Northern cities. The presents were numerous and very handsome. The floral decorations were very pretty Their future home will be in this city.

The Closing Exercises.

The final examinations of the First Ward school will be completed this morning.

This afternoon at 2 o'clock the closing exercises will be held in the chapel of the school building. They will consist of music, recitations, drills and the presentation of scholorship, and certificates of distinction. The Third Ward school will spend the day on a picnic excursion to the woods north of the city.

OVER THE WIRES.

A NEGRO LYNCHED FOR AN ATTEMPTED ASSAULT.

CAPITALISTS COMING TO ROANOKE.

Base Ball Scores of Yesterday—The Tariff Debate—The Noblest Democrat of the Age—A $300,000 Fire—The Work of the Assemblies.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Congressmen from the Agricultural States and members of the Farmers' National Alliance crowded the Ways and Means Committee room at the capitol today to hear Mr. Livingstone, the national lecturer of the alliance expound his views on the Pickler bill for the establishment of sub treasuries for the deposit of grain, oats, corn, tobacco and cotton.

It is stated that the president refuses to sign the free coinage silver bill.

The president today nominated U. S. Repass, as postmaster of Wytheville.

The General Southern Assembly.

By United Press.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., May 15.—The General Assembly of the Presbyterian church opened here today with 130 commissioners present D. H. G. Hill, of Fayetteville, retiring moderator, preached the opening sermon, and Rev. James Park, of the Nashville Synod, was elected moderator by a vote of seventy-three to fifty-six for Rev. C. R. V. Hemphill, of the Synod of Kentucky. The commissioners were tendered a reception tonight, and Governor Fowle delivered an address of welcome.

They Will Arrive Today.

By United Press.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., May 15.—The party of Eastern capitalists in charge of Mr. Underwood, arrived here at 2 o'clock this morning. The forenoon was spent on the summit of Lookout Mountain. The object of the visitors is to inspect the resources of this part of the country and verify the reports. They left tonight for Roanoke, Va., and expect to reach Washington by the end of the week.

The Finest in the World Destroyed.

By United Press.

WENAGO, KAN., May 15.—The Wenago flouring mills were destroyed by fire today. The loss is $300,000 The mill had a capacity of 2,600 barrels a day, and was the finest equipped mill in the world.

Buried in a Mine.

By United Press.

WILKESBARRE, PA., May 15.—An extensive cave-in occurred at noon today in No. 8 mine of the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal Company at Ashley. The number of men in the mine is estimated at twenty-eight.

Sam Small for the Legislature.

By United Press.

ATLANTA, GA., May 15.—Rev. Sam Small has announced himself as a candidate for Fulton county for election to the next Georgia house of representatives on the straight out prohibition platform.

Indian Troubles.

By United Press.

DENVER, COLO., May 15.—The Apache Indians along the border between Old Mexico and Arizona have committed several murders lately.

By Ten Lengths in 2.10.

By United Press.

BROOKLYN, May 14.—Castaway won the Brooklyn handicap by ten lengths. Badge was second and Eric third. Time, 2:10.

The Negro Question.

By United Press.

ST. JOSEPH, LA., May 15.—Serious race trouble is threatened here and an outbreak may occur at any time

A Big Failure.

By United Press.

NEW YORK, May 15.—Doran and Wright, stock brokers, have failed. Liabilities, $300,000; assets, nothing.

Base Ball Yesterday.

By United Press.

ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

At Washington—Washington, 4; Newark, 17.

All other games were postponed on account of rain.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

At Rochester—Rochester, 4; Columbus, 6.

At Syracuse—Syracuse, 6; St. Louis, none.

All other games scheduled were postponed on account of rain.

PLAYER'S LEAGUE.

At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 7; Chicago, 6.

The games at New York, Boston, and Philadelphia were postponed on account of rain or wet grounds.

All games that were not League games were postponed on account of rain.

Another Banking Institution.

The Fidelity Loan and Trust Company was organized in this city yesterday. The capitol stock is $200,000, being the largest capital of any banking institution in the city. A number of moneyed men from other sections are interested in this enterprise. The object is to do a general banking, brokerage and Loan business. It will commence business about June 1st. Following are the officers: Jas. T. Engleby, president; C. A. Moomaw, vice president; W. F. Winch, John Engleby, C. O'Leary, Joseph H. Sands, Col. Thomas Lewis, Geo. C. Moomaw, L. H. Simmons, T. T. Fishburne, S. B. Haupt, James S. Simmons, Capt. M. M. Rogers, directors.

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