

IS SHE A KIDNAPPER?

Ellen Covey, Alias Mrs. Ella V. Garrett, Turns Up Again.

Ellen Covey, alias Mrs. Ella V. Garrett, is in the city again. She has laid aside all intentions of committing suicide and is now figuring as a kidnapper.

Mrs. Covey, as she is better known, created a sensation in this city about four months ago by writing a letter to the undertaker, saying that she was about to commit suicide. She alleged that she was in a sea of trouble, was tired of life and wished to put an end to her existence.

Then Mrs. Covey figured as an heiress. She owed a great many debts and at once notified her creditors through the press that she had inherited \$1,500.

In company with a young girl, scarcely fifteen years of age, she went to Mayor Evans yesterday morning and asked for transportation for the girl to Norfolk.

The girl was pretty, of good figure, and had dark hair and eyes. She wore a small black hat without trimming, was well dressed, and carried a large gold watch in her belt.

The mayor asked Mrs. Covey why she wanted to take the girl to Norfolk. The woman replied that the girl was an orphan, and that she had secured a good home for her in Norfolk.

The suspicions of the mayor were aroused and he questioned the woman closely, but she still insisted that she had adopted the girl and was her benefactor.

She begged the mayor to furnish her a ticket, and said the girl would starve to death, or go to destruction if left in Roanoke.

All this time the watch was concealed from the mayor. He then turned to the girl and asked her where she came from and who she was.

She replied that her name was Mary Davis, she formerly lived with her parents on the line between Franklin and Henry counties.

The mayor told Mrs. Covey very pointedly that he would not furnish her any money to take the girl away.

Mayor Evans said to a TIMES reporter shortly afterwards, that he regretted he did not take the girl in custody. He was perfectly satisfied that the woman was of bad repute, but knew nothing of the girl.

The Easter entertainment by the St. Andrew's Literary Society, last Monday night, was the event of the week in East Roanoke.

Miss Carolyn Slicer and Mr. Robert Mitchell Curtis will be married Wednesday afternoon in St. Mark's Episcopal Church, at Montvale, Bedford county.

Several years ago she was guilty of enticing a young girl into her den in the eastern part of the city. Prior to this the girl had been respectable.

Mrs. Covey and the girl may be in the city yet. It is probable that action will be taken by the authorities to-day to prevent the girl from being taken away.

A RAID ON SALEM AVENUE.

Thirteen Men and Women Captured Over Pottee's.

It is not always Railroad avenue. This fact was clearly demonstrated last night. A police raid on a gambling and bawdy house on Salem avenue at 10 o'clock at night, when the streets are full of people and all the lights aflame, is something to be watched for more than a circus parade.

For some weeks the rooms over Pottee's saloon have been occupied by thieves, gamblers, strumpets and boot-blacks. Their noise of nights was so terrible that persons living in adjoining buildings could not sleep.

Chas. Fisher, of Roanoke, was married a few days ago to Miss Sallie Epperly, a popular young lady of Christiansburg.

A fine drink—Virginia Brewing Company's Book.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

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129 1/2 Water street, Norfolk, Va. BENJ. F. VAIDEN, PROP'R.

A general search was made, and every-

thing gotten into shape for a march to the station-house.

Just then a closet was discovered in the rear part of the corridor. The chief opened the door and made several rakes with his cane.

Orders for a march to the station-house were given. As the motley crowd filed down the steps the streets were lined with spectators.

Arriving at the station-house the four women and two men were bailed. Two other negroes were discharged and the remainder were locked up.

SOCIETY NEWS AND GOSSIP.

Lent is not observed by everybody in Roanoke, but the first week since lent was one of the gayest of the season.

The Circle of Mercy entertainment at the Y. M. C. A. rooms Monday night for the benefit of the hospital, was attended by a large audience of the first people of Roanoke.

The anniversary of Mrs. Thomas Alderson's birthday was celebrated at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Alderson, corner of Park and Elms streets, last Tuesday evening by a very pleasant surprise party, arranged by the friends of Mrs. Alderson.

Mr. Samuel G. Curtis and Miss Rosa St. Clair were married last Wednesday evening at the Lee Street Methodist Church by Rev. W. T. Schooley.

One of the events of the coming week will be the marriage of Mr. James Berry Bots and Miss Hianialte Lee Meade, the daughter of Rev. Dr. W. H. Meade, rector of St. John's Episcopal Church.

There was no meeting of the Tuesday Evening Club last week, and the Clover Club, which meets Monday nights, postponed its meeting last Monday night in deference to the Circle of Mercy entertainment at the Y. M. C. A. rooms and of Lillian Lewis at the Opera House.

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Mrs. S. W. Jamison will entertain the Tuesday Evening Club, April 7, with drive whist. Cards at 9 o'clock.

The German given Friday night by the Roanoke German Club was one of the society events of the season. Among the elaborate and elegant costumes were the following:

Miss Lucille Dickinson, lavender surah; Miss Lizzie Crawford, white chintz silk, yellow embroidery roses;

Miss Lucy Penn, blue surah, diamonds; Miss Dodd, black surah, calla lilies;

Miss Gertrude Green, white mull over pink surah, pink roses; Miss Blanche Crane, blue surah, white roses;

Miss Sallie Waugh, white mull over pink satin; Miss Bessie Crane, white cashmere and roses; Miss Cela Fowle white chintz silk, light blue embroidery, juncos;

Miss Wright, white lace; Mrs. R. L. Wright, black lace and gold trimmings;

Mrs. W. H. Horton, white silk, lilacs; Miss Hunt, Nile green china silk, looped with pink apple blossoms;

Mrs. Fry, black silk and diamonds; Mrs. S. S. Brooke, royal purple silk;

Mrs. Robert Johnston, golden brown surah; Mrs. Temple, black lace and pink roses;

Mrs. Col. J. E. Penn, black silk and diamonds; Mrs. J. Hampton Hoge, white satin en train; Miss Annie Waugh, white silk mull over white satin;

Miss Slith, black lace and roses; Miss Lillie Waugh, white mull over lavender satin; Miss Custer, black lace, roses;

Miss Mamie Trent, yellow china silk and black lace, Marchel Neil roses; Miss Mary Clayton, pink silk, trimmed with white; Miss Fannie Burnley, heliotrope satin and roses; Miss Snyder, white cashmere.

Arnold Leffles and Miss Geneva A. Sparks will be married to-day at the residence of the bride on Fifth avenue s. w.

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Dupuy & Taliaferro, ROANOKE, VA.

No. 11 Campbell Street, P. O. Box 159.

FOR SALE BY

J. F. WINGFIELD,

Insurance and Real Estate Agent, No. 114 Commerce St.

- 95x108, corner Luck and Henry, \$12,000. Business lot on Campbell street, \$9,750. Business lot on Railroad avenue, \$7,500. 30 feet on Commerce street, \$9,000. 75x150, orner lot on West Boulevard, \$4,500. East Campbell street lot, 40 feet, \$1,000. Beautiful lot, West End upper Boulevard, 50 feet, \$2,000. Salem avenue business lot, \$7,000. 3 lots, 50 feet each, on Terry Hill, Roanoke street, \$5,000. 3 lots, Lewis Addition, each \$1,375. Hyde Park lots from \$400 to \$600. One house and lot for \$350 cash and \$25 per month, \$1,500. 12 lots within three squares of the passenger depot, each \$550, \$6,600. 100 feet on Nelson street for \$5,000. 100 feet, corner Henry and Pine, \$4,500. 300 feet on Jefferson, \$12,000. 60 feet on Salem avenue, \$18,000. 40 1/2 feet, with two good brick stores, on Nelson near the market, \$18,000. Corner lot Lewis Addition, \$1,800. 62 feet, corner Mountain and Roanoke streets \$4,000. Jefferson street, near corner of Pine, \$3,000. Suburban lots at from 300 to \$500. Business lots at from 5,000 to \$25,000. Prices subject to change without notice. feb15-tf

SPECIAL—A No. 1 Roller Process Flour and Corn Mill, 200 feet railroad track, with side track 130 feet deep, cheap; a First-class Hotel, first-class accommodations; also, some cheap Storehouse Property, Coal and Wood Yards, Cheap Dwelling Houses, Vacant Lots, Business and Residence, for Sale.

CALL ON GEO. F. HUNTER & CO., 11 Jefferson Street.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

NOTICE.

The firm of Stacy & Levisohn, at 26 Commerce street, has this day dissolved partnership by mutual consent.

Thanking our patrons for their past favors, I respectfully solicit the same kindness in the future. E. A. STACY. apr4-2t

NOTICE—WATER CONSUMERS.

Water rentals for the quarter (April, May, and June) are now due. Consumers are hereby notified to call at the office of the company.

ROANOKE HOSPITAL.

ROANOKE, VA., Feb. 26, 1891. The committee on real estate and buildings invite offers in writing from land companies, or others having real estate in Roanoke or immediate vicinity.

BRICKS. Washington Hydraulic PRESS BRICK CO., —MANUFACTURERS OF—

Ornamental, Pressed, Rock-faced and Roman brick in red and brown colors.

Brick for arches ground to any radius. Dealers in Mortar Colors—Red, Black, Buff.

Office, KELLOGG BUILDING, Washington, D. C. apl3-3m

NOTICE!

We are having calls for lots in some parts of the city in which

WE HAVE NONE.

We have a good prospect for business as soon as the bad weather breaks up, and we would like to have a complete revised list of property by that time.

PLEASE CALL

to see us or drop us a card and we will call on you or send blank form, etc., for description of property.

E. H. SEWARD & CO., REAL ESTATE AGENTS,

No. 10 SOUTH JEFFERSON STREET, apr5-2t

ANSWER BULLETIN.

THERE are letters at THE TIMES office addressed to M. F. H., N. F. W.

WANTED.

NORFOLK WILL BE THE COMMERCIAL centre of the earth. Write to M. W. MASON, Norfolk, Va., for printed information and maps. ap5-2wk

WANTED—Comfortable room, furnished or unfurnished, for two gentlemen. References given. Address P. H. W., TIMES office. apr5-1t

MUSIC—Vocal and Instrumental—Mrs. S. B. Williams, No. 414 Commerce street s. w. apr5-3ta-w-tf

WANTED—A position by a young man experienced in the grain and general merchandise business. Address, A. B. C., TIMES office. apr5-4t

WANTED A POSITION BY AN experienced and competent stenographer and typewriter. Write a good business hand and can give good references. Address P. McC. L., care City Engineer. apr4-3t

WANTED.—Employment by a young man who can give best references as to character, habits, etc. Address, F. D. C., TIMES office.

WANTED.—Position by young man to keep books and do general office work. Is experienced and can give good reference. Address, "J. O. F." TIMES office. apr3-3t

WANTED—Position by a young man, graduate of Eastman Business College, as stenographer and typewriter; competent bookkeeper; references given. Address "F. A. W." TIMES office. apr2-3t

WANTED—Position by a young man, graduate of Eastman Business College, as clerk and bookkeeper, office or mercantile house; references given. Address "A. H. W.," TIMES office. apr2-3t

BOARDERS WANTED IN PRIVATE family. Address N. F. W., TIMES office. mar31-1w.

WANTED—At 502 Campbell street, 2 or 3 lodgers and boarders; also 6 or 8 table boarders. mar31-1w.

WANTED—Active men throughout the South as general agents (no canvassing). Necessary to invest \$250 in stock of goods; pays \$200 per month. For interview address HARDWARE, box 249, Roanoke. mch31-6t

BOARDERS WANTED AT 356 5th ave. s. w. Terms moderate. mar31-1wk

THE BUSINESS AND EDITORIAL OFFICE OF "The Iron Belt" has been moved from 110 Jefferson street to room 7, Times Building, corner of First street and Third avenue s. w. We have now ample quarters for entertaining our friends and patrons, and will be glad to have them call and see us on business or pleasure. J. T. HALL, general manager.

WANTED BOARDERS—Several gentlemen can secure good board with rooms, with gas and all conveniences at moderate prices at MRS. H. L. GALLAHER'S, No. 24 Eighth avenue s. w. mar12-tf.

SPECIAL BARGAINS

830 feet street front, Commonwealth and Rutherford, price \$10,000. Four lots on upper Boulevard, \$750 each.

Four lots on lower Boulevard, \$1,500. 150 feet railroad front, \$40 per foot. Four 6-room houses cheap, on very easy terms.

Two lots on Salem avenue and two on Rorer avenue, very cheap.

J. P. Hudson Real Estate Company, 118 Jefferson street.

YOU ARE TOO LATE

For a Basic City lot at the prices we have been selling them, as that limit is exhausted. We are not to blame, however, for we gave you

AMPLE WARNING. We appreciate the generosity of the people of Roanoke, though, and give them one more chance. We will reserve two additional sections for them. The price will be a trifle higher than the last limit, but much less than we are selling adjoining lots for in

BALTIMORE AND WASHINGTON. Remember, we have only thirty-six more of these bargains secured for Roanoke. A few dollars in cash, balance monthly payments. Our BARGAINS IN ROANOKE PROPERTY. Are too numerous to SPECIFY. Come in, INDICATE your wants. Compare LOCATIONS, TERMS AND PRICES. West End Boulevard lots \$1,500 each. H. Webster Crowl Real Estate Co., No 5 Salem Ave. s. w.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—The "Hotel Boyd," at Wytheville, Va. A large five-story brick building; has fine reputation throughout the South. Wytheville is 2,360 above sea level, and a noted health resort. Apply to PARKER, YOST & CO., Wytheville, Va. mar5-1m

LOST AND FOUND.

FOUND—Bunch of keys on desk in postoffice. Owner can have same by applying at TIMES office. apr3-tf

FOUND—Bunch of keys. Owner can have same by calling and paying 25 cents charges. mar22-tf

FOR RENT.

FURNISHED ROOMS, 309 Third avenue s. w. apr1-3t

FOR RENT—Till Oct. 1st furnished house on Terry Hill, seven rooms, modern improvements. Address L. W. L., TIMES office. mar31-1wk

NOTICES OF MEETINGS.

NOTICE. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Roanoke Black Marble Company will be held at the office of the president, in the city of Roanoke, on Wednesday, April 15, 1891, at 12 o'clock noon. By order of the president, H. H. GREIDER, Secretary. apr3-tdm

Pursuant to a call of the board of directors of the Oak Ridge Land Company, notice is hereby given that a general meeting of the stockholders of this Oak Ridge Land Company will be held at the office of E. H. Stewart, Esq., Roanoke city, Va., on the 22nd day of April, 1891, at 12 m. All stockholders are requested to be present in person or by proxy. Done by order of the board of directors this, the 20th day of March, 1891. mch21-tdm S. I. SPIGGLE, Sec'y.

There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Glade Land Company, held in the office of Geo. O. Houston, president in the city of Roanoke, Va., on Monday April 13, 1891, at 12 o'clock noon. By order of the president, GEO. McCAHAN, Secretary. mar13-tdm

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Diamond Ice Company, of Roanoke, held at the office of Penn & Cooke, in Roanoke City, on the first Wednesday in March, 1891, pursuant to notice, it appearing that a majority of the stock was not represented, on motion it was resolved that an adjourned meeting of said stockholders will be held at the same place on Wednesday, April 15, 1891, at 12 o'clock m. G. T. INGERSOLL, President. J. T. MOFFETT, Secretary. m3t015

W. H. PROCTOR & CO., REAL ESTATE AGENTS,

Have for sale a few shares of the stock of the RIVER FRONT LAND COMPANY, (adjacent to Lambert's Point,) Norfolk, Va.

Every Share Represents a Lot, and, besides, will itself pay a handsome profit.

ONLY A FEW SHARES LEFT. Call and examine prospectus and maps at 105 JEFFERSON STREET. apr4-1y

SPECIAL BARGAINS

One special bargain on Valley street. House and lot 40x130. House has nine good rooms, water and gas and down stairs, house in elegant condition, only \$3,100; \$150 cash, balance easy terms. Don't fail to see this bargain.

House and lot fronting 130 feet on Holiday street, one block from Roanoke and Southern passenger depot; an elegant bargain.

One of the handsomest building lots in the West end, fronting on Salem and Rorer avenues; price, \$3,500.

The cheapest lot on West End boulevard, 50x150, east of Jas. S. Simmons' residence; only \$2,750.

We have some elegant mineral lands for sale. Ask us about this.

Three lots in the Northside addition. The prettiest in the addition, commanding a view of the entire city. Only \$330 each.

Don't fail to see these bargains. They must be sold. Call and see us.

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