

AMONG THE LODGES.

W. H. Mackay returned yesterday from Washington, where he had been attending the funeral obsequies of General Pike. Mr. Mackay says the funeral services at the First Congressional Church were the most impressive he ever witnessed. It was at the dead hour of midnight. The church was packed and all the lights were turned down. He thus describes the scene: "The scene in the church was peculiarly solemn, the dead hour of night, the assembled knights, and the somber trappings combining to make an impressive picture. The walls of the church were covered with black cloth, while on a catafalque on a platform, extending out twenty feet from the pulpit, was the casket containing the body of the deceased knight. There were nine candlesticks, four feet in height, in three triangles, on the east, west, and south of the casket, each having upon it a lighted candle. Otherwise the large church was unlighted. On the upper end of the casket was a chaplet of white roses, and below it the insignia of the order and the sword of the deceased knight in its scabbard. Upon a table near the coffin was a skull wreathed with evergreens, surrounded by seven large candlesticks bearing no lights. At the head of the casket stood a great iron cross painted black.

"When all was quiet and the organ played softly, Grand Master Holt, bearing a lighted candle and an iron hammer, walked slowly in from a room on the left and stood at the foot of the casket. Then twenty-one knights followed, all bearing candles and attired in black, with scarfs of erape and their heads bare. They entered almost like shadows, and arranged themselves in a semi-circle on the west, south and north sides of the casket, facing the east.

"For a few moments there was perfect silence, a trumpet sounded in plaintive notes in an adjoining room, and after the last faint echoes had died away, the grand master began the ceremonies according to the ancient knightly custom.

"The beautiful ritual was then repeated, after which the grand master asked if any one could accuse of wrong the loved knight. All was silent. Then the grand master said it was not for man to judge, but God. The beautiful services were continued by taking the chaplet from the temples of the deceased, the cross from the breast, the cords from the feet and hands, and then in succession each attendant approached the casket and laid his right hand upon the eye, cheek, mouth, heart, hands, and feet, each repeating a blessing.

"When the last attendant had touched the body of the dead, again they walked slowly back into the outer room.

"The lights were turned up, and after all had left the church the remains were carried to the Scottish Rite Temple."

Mr. Mackay remained until Thursday and attended the burial. The remains are supposed to be interred in Oak Hill Cemetery, though none but Masons vouch for this fact.

Mr. Mackay and Mr. Welch are the highest degree Masons in Roanoke, each having attained the thirty-second degree. Not only have they taken the degrees in the Ancient York Masonry, but branched off and took the Scottish Rite up to the thirty-second degree also. The thirty-third degree is reserved for those only who have become famous in the order.

Southwest Council, No. 37, Jr. O. U. A. M., made a good showing yesterday morning when they turned out to pay the last tribute of respect to their deceased brother, Joseph Jones. The procession was formed at the lodge room and repaired to the residence of the deceased in East Roanoke. The remains were then escorted to the depot and a delegation of six members sent on with them to Montgomery county, where he was interred yesterday evening. The new funeral badge adopted by Kellian Council, and used by both, was decidedly neat and suitable to the occasion.

Pleasants Lodge, No. 63, A. F. and A. M., was named for Prof. W. H. Pleasants, of Hollins Institute, one of the most distinguished Masons in this section of the country.

The lodge was organized May 7th, 1889, and chartered the following December 11th. The lodge was then composed of a few members of Lakeland lodge and others who were in the city as visitors. The growth of the lodge has not been marked with a boom, but it has been healthy and flourishing, and now numbers about 50 members. The first officers were H. N. Claxton, master; John Chalmers, senior warden; George C. McCain, junior warden; G. G. Anderson, treasurer; H. C. Macklin, secretary; Walter Budwell, senior deacon; F. L. Wood, junior deacon; W. H. Walthall, Tyler.

The representatives to the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows of Virginia will leave for Richmond to-day. They are G. W. Chevalant, Mountain Dale Lodge, No. 49; W. E. Eutsler, Mount Vernon Lodge, No. 76; and A. Hening, Marie City Encampment, No. 33. The grand sire will be present at this session, and a great public demonstration will be given on Wednesday night.

'Squire Howerton created a ripple of excitement while acting as coroner in the Nat Newson murder case Thursday evening. William Lanier was brought in from the city jail. It has thought that when he was confronted with the confession of Tom Waugh that he would talk about the case. But Lanier was silent. The coroner then said: "Let him be taken to the place from whence he came and there invested with what he has been divested, but don't bring him back here any more."

Several persons smiled, but the others thought the 'squire was quoting poetry.

Memorial Services. The Young Men's Christian Association will hold a memorial service in its rooms this afternoon at 3.30 o'clock in honor of the late S. R. Beckham, who was actively engaged in the association work as chairman of the committee on Christian work. Mr. Johnson, the secretary, will conduct the services. All are invited to be present.

On the Charge of Forgery. J. L. Reynold was arrested yesterday morning by Officer Tally on a warrant gotten out by Jas. J. Brislin, charging him with forgery. The warrant alleges that Reynold obtained \$9.05. He will probably have a hearing to-morrow.

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- 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—Crystal Spring Land Co.'s Lots for sale at

FIRST COST! CRESTON LAND CO.'S LOTS AT FIRST COST! 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.

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A FEW SPECIAL BARGAINS DON'T READ THIS Unless You Want to Buy a Bargain.

FOR SALE BY BANDY BROS. & CO.

- Four lots on West End boulevard, \$6,000.
- Business lot on Campbell street, \$7,500.
- Two lots on West Salem avenue, \$1,500 each.
- These are rare bargains.
- Houses and lots from \$1,000 to \$12,000 on almost any terms to suit the purchaser.
- Call and see us, if you don't wish to buy yet.
- List year property with us.

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W. H. HORTON, Real Estate Agent,

- One of the handsomest as well as most complete in all of its appointments on Ninth avenue s. w., 9 rooms, bath, etc. Call and see this bargain.
- Two of the prettiest lots in West End on Trout avenue, one a corner, price \$1,600 each, worth \$2,000. Don't fail to see these.
- Three houses in Belmont, 6 rooms each, just built, only \$1,800, on the installment plan—small cash payment. These are dirt cheap.
- House with 6 rooms on Center street, near Park street, lot 50x130, price \$2,500. Only \$250 cash, balance on easy terms. This is a big bargain.
- The cheapest lot in Belmont, only five minutes' walk from Roanoke and Southern passenger depot, size 47x130, only \$650. This is extremely cheap and lays beautiful. See this by all means.
- 23 feet on Salem avenue, with business house on it, between Henry and Jefferson streets. If you want business property see us about this; it is a bargain.
- Also, residence and business lots in all parts of the city too numerous to mention. Trams always ready to show customers. Call and see us.

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—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. apr12-3m

BUSINESS NOTICES.

VIRGINIA CEMENT COMPANY,

GENERAL CONTRACTORS. Plain and ornamental Cement Pavements, Stone Work of all descriptions. No. 5 Salem avenue, Roanoke, Va. Spout Stones, Tiling and Curbing. Wet Cellars a specialty. All orders promptly attended to.

NOTICE.

We will offer for sale at public auction on Tuesday, April 14, 1891, at 12 o'clock, in front of the City Court House, the following notes: Sixty-three (63) notes dated June 28, 1890, \$12.05 each, drawing 6 per cent. interest, payable monthly, the first one twenty months after date, and one note of \$11.90, dated June 28, 1890, drawing 6 per cent. interest due eighty-three months after date. The above notes were made by James G. Craft to T. L. Bandy & Sons. Sixty-eight (68) notes \$15 each, drawing 6 per cent. interest, made by R. A. Pollard to T. L. Bandy & Sons on June 14, 1890, the first falling due twenty-six months after date, and the others payable monthly thereafter. The above were placed in our hands as collateral and have been forfeited and will be sold to pay \$466.50 balance due on notes. HUFF & ANGELL, Roanoke, Va., March 30, 1891. apr4-tds

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, Exchange building, Room 12, and pay the same. Water will be cut off from all consumers who do not pay their bills on or before the 20th of April. An additional charge of fifty cents will be collected for turning on water. J. C. RAWN, Manager. april2to20.

ROANOKE HOSPITAL.

INQUIRY FOR OFFERS OF REAL ESTATE. 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, (by donation or otherwise) of sites of not less than two acres in each, for the location of the hospital buildings. feb27-tf A. POPE, Chairman.

NORFOLK & WESTERN RAILROAD CO.

PHILADELPHIA, March 25th, 1891. Notice is hereby given, that the Board of Directors has declared on the preferred stock of this Company a dividend of one and one-half dollars per share out of the surplus income of the Company, payable at the office of the Treasurer, on and after April 23d, 1891, to the stockholders as registered at 3 o'clock, p. m., on April 11th, 1891. The transfer books will be closed from 3 o'clock p. m., April 11th, 1891, until 9 o'clock, a. m., May 8th, 1891. A. J. HEMPHILL, Secretary. mar31-apr13,9,12,15,19,23

NOTICE.—MR. E. ROCHET, a first-class dyer, has just opened a dyeing and cleaning establishment at 22 Commerce street, opposite Evans & Chalmers'. Suits cleaned, \$1.00; suits dyed, \$1.50. Fancy colors a specialty.

NORTHERN CAPITAL.

I have special facilities for securing capital in this neighborhood, for investment in Virginia real estate, industrial and other securities. Reference exchanged. EGERTON BROWN, 38 Wall street, New York City. mar12-3m

VIRGINIA EMPLOYMENT BUREAU.

129 1/2 Water street, Norfolk, Va. BENJ. F. VAIDEN, PROP'R. Clerks, Mechanics, Coachmen, Porters, Cooks, Gardeners, Farmers, Laborers, etc. Servant Girls furnished from the North at short notice. Laborers furnished Contractors in any part of America. Help a specialty. Will furnish Southern colored help for Northern situations. Select White and Colored help a special feature. feb14-3mos.

Greatest Bargains in Roanoke.

- 5 lots Roanoke Development Company, \$550 each.
- 5 lots same location, \$500, 1/2 cash, balance 1, 2 and 3 years.
- 4 lots on upper boulevard, \$750.
- 5 lots in section 10, West End, \$1,300 each, if sold at once.
- 6 houses, 6 rooms, from \$1,600 to \$1,800, on easy terms.
- 4 lots on boulevard, \$1,500 each.

J. P. Hudson Real Estate Company, 118 Jefferson St., Didier building, ROANOKE, VA. THE TIMES is the leading paper of the mineral belt of the two Virginias. If you want to keep posted on the development of this section you cannot afford to be without it.

ONE-CENT-A-WORD COLUMN.

ANSWER BULLETIN.

THERE are letters at THE TIMES office addressed to "O. K. H.," "H. J. B.," "C. G. T.," "S. I. L." WANTED. A SINGLE GENTLEMAN WANTS to rent a furnished room within four blocks of the postoffice. Address "L. M. N." TIMES office. apr12-3t NEWLY MARRIED COUPLE want one or two rooms with good board; private family preferred; permanent if suited; references exchanged. Address S. A., TIMES office. apr12-tt ATTENTION—Persons wishing to sell their lots in the West End will please list them at this office at once. J. F. WINGFIELD, 114 Commerce street.

WANTED—By a young man, a position as clerk or anything that is honorable, can furnish references. Address J. D. TIMES office. apr12-1w.

WANTED—An experienced white nurse to take full charge of a baby. Apply with references at 905 Jefferson st. s., between one and two p. m. apr10-1wk

WANTED—Two gentlemen boarders and ten music pupils. Apply to MRS. P. H. EARLY, 392 Seventh avenue s. w., Roanoke city, Va. apr9-1wk

PIANO INSTRUCTION—Alice E. Van Horn, pupil of Carl Faletten, of the New England Conservatory of Boston. For further information call at 502 Third avenue s. w. apr9-1m

BOARDERS WANTED IN PRIVATE family. Address N. F. W., TIMES office. apr8-1w.

NICE TABLE BOARD AND ROOMS. \$4 and \$1.50 per week. No. 224 Fourth avenue n. w. apr8-1w.

WANTED—BOARD BY A GENTLEMAN, wife and baby fifteen months old. State location, etc. CONRAD, P. O. box 256.

EXPERIENCED BOOK-KEEPER desires work to do at night; all work confidential. Address Box 275, City. apr9-3t

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

WANTED—A SITUATION IN AN insurance office; have had one year's experience. Address, M., Danville, Va., P. O. box A. B.

WANTED—A position by a young man experienced in the grain and general merchandise business. Address, A. B. C., TIMES office. apr3-tt

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

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.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—A suitable reward will be paid for information leading to the recovery of my mastiff dog, Mack. Very large, wears a leather collar, studded with brass knobs and answers well to his name. J. ALLEN WATTS. apr10-3t.

STRAYED—DARK BAY MARE WITH white spot on forehead and tail cropped. \$10 reward if returned to 612 5th ave n. e. apr7-1wk

FOUND—Bunch of keys on desk in postoffice. Owner can have same by applying at TIMES office. apr2-tf

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

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Sixty-five feet fronting on Salem avenue between Fifth and Sixths streets running through 338 feet to Earnest avenue. Good house and out-buildings. Price \$16,000. apr12-1t J. A. PAGE & CO.

SEVERAL FARMS FOR SALE.

NEAR ROANOKE. ALSO THREE FARMS NEAR SALEM. Address. J. W. LANGHORNE & CO., SALEM, VA. apr12-3t.

FOR SALE.

We will offer for sale at our stables on Jefferson street, Roanoke Va., April 22 to 24, twenty mules, well broken and in good condition. A credit of ninety days will be given; payment to be secured by satisfactory notes properly endorsed. apr11-2t KNEPP & CO.

FOR SALE—Less than cost, 50 shares Iron Belt Building and Loan Association stock ready for loan. Apply to G. P. HILL, room 10, Moomaw building. apr11-2t

SPECIAL BARGAINS.

Twenty good houses in different parts of the city, ranging in price from \$2,500 to \$12,500, for sale cheap. We also have both business and residence, unimproved property. We will sell all of the above at very low prices, taking for the cash payment first mortgage paper, secured on Roanoke real estate, bearing 6 per cent. interest. This offer will stand open for ten days only. Apply at once to WILLIAM M. YAGER & CO., No. 166 Jefferson street. apr10-10t

FOR SALE—A lease of 5 years for a house containing 1 new store and 4 rooms with stables. Apply 329 Salem avenue. apr10-3t

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.

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ROOMS AND BOARD. Large, airy rooms, furnished or unfurnished, with or without board by day, week or month. Apply to No. 23 Railroad Avenue. apr12-3m

FOR RENT—Nice front room, furnished or unfurnished, on Church street. Address "O. H. K." TIMES office. apr10-2t

THREE NICELY FURNISHED rooms for gentlemen; centrally located. Apply to E. DIDIER, city. apr10-eod-1wk

FOR RENT—Comfortable rooms with board, 204 Eighth avenue s. w. apr7-1w

NOTICES OF MEETINGS.

NOTICE.

Norfolk and Western Railroad Co. The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Norfolk and Western Railroad Company will be held on Wednesday, the 6th day of May, 1891, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the office of the company, in the city of Roanoke, Virginia, when an election will be held for thirteen directors for the ensuing year, and such other business as may properly come before the meeting. The transfer books will be closed from 3 o'clock p. m., April 11, 1891, until 9 o'clock a. m., May 8, 1891. A. J. HEMPHILL, Secretary. April 11, 1891. apr11,16,18,21,23,29,m1

NOTICE.

To Stockholders of Roanoke Building Association and Investment Co. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Roanoke Building Association and Investment Company will be held in the offices of Messrs. Gray & Boswell, Jefferson street, Roanoke, Va., Wednesday, April 15, 1891, at 7:30 o'clock p. m. Election of officers, annual report, and such other business as may be presented. HERMANN CRUGER, President. A. J. LOUGHERY, Secretary. apr11-2t

NOTICE.

THERE WILL BE A MEETING OF the Lady Patronesses of the Roanoke Hospital Tuesday, April 14, at 11 a. m. A full attendance is desired. D. S. MEADOWS, Secretary. By order of T. T. FISHBURNE, President.

ALL THE MEMBERS OF SOUTH WEST COUNCIL, No. 37, Jr. O. U. A. M., are requested to be present at their meeting Friday night, April 10, 1891. apr10-tt J. E. ROBIN, Rec. Sec'y.

NOTICE.

The second annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Southwest Virginia Real Estate Investment Company will be held at the office of the Virginia Development Company, in the city of Roanoke, Va., on Tuesday, April 21, 1891, at 11 o'clock, a. m. GEO. I. ESTABROOK, Jr., Sec'y. apr8&15.

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 15th, 1891, at 12 o'clock noon. By order of the President, H. H. GREIDER, Secretary. apr3-tdm

NOTICE.

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 the 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.

NOTICE.

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

NOTICE.

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. mch15

NOTICE.

J. D. McNAMEE, TOM HAYSLEIP, McNAMEE & HAYSLEIP, HOUSE, SIGN AND FRESCO PAINTERS. GRAINERS AND PAPER HANGERS. Shops, Radford, Va. Richards, Va., Buena Vista Va. Headquarters, Roanoke, Va. Lock Box 9, Roanoke, Va. tf