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ROANOKE, VA., JAN. 14, 1892.

SOMEbody BLUNDERED.

The commonwealth of Virginia is out several hundred dollars and the ends of justice are temporarily defeated in the Smith murder case. Who is at fault? A jury is improperly summoned, the fact is brought out by the shrewd attorney for the defense, and the verdict of the jury is set aside. Who is at fault?

With these matters in consideration, THE TIMES again calls attention to the extremely beneficial results which may come from the organization of a bar association in Roanoke.

The National Brickmakers' Association is meeting at one hotel in Washington and the Distillers' Convention holds forth in another, while the Hatters' and Furriers' will come in next week.

For a general and all around nuisance the grip probably takes precedence, but it was remarkable to see the professional courtesy it exhibited by letting up on the legislature when the Kent bill was introduced.

SOME members of the legislature want a government commission to examine the State oyster beds. Does the legislature want all the oysters eaten up?

WHILE the legislature is legislating about lunatic asylums, the Kent bill shows considerable nerve in stalling around in plain sight of everybody.

DAN MILLER is reported to have shot a sea gull down near the city limits yesterday. This story has a distinctly saline flavor.

THERE is plainly visible the unwisdom of beginning to macadamize the streets in midwinter.

A Saving and Loan Society. The Savings and Loan Society, the first of its kind in the State has been organized in Roanoke.

E. Didier, president; William Palmer, first vice-president; N. T. Nininger, second vice-president; Wilson Brothers, attorneys; W. F. Baker, secretary and treasurer. W. J. Blair, N. T. Nininger, D. B. Harbour, T. W. Spindle and P. S. Miller were elected appraisers, and R. H. Woodrum, C. A. Stutmans, C. O. Leary, S. A. White, M. V. Webb, B. D. Downey, and J. H. Yost were elected directors.

Artist Millais' Home Burned. LONDON, Jan. 13.—The mansion of Sir John Everett Millais, the distinguished painter, near Perth, Scotland, caught fire yesterday morning, and was partially destroyed.

A Sea Gull Killed at the Furnace. Mr. D. C. Miller, of the Crozer Furnace, shot and killed a sea gull yesterday afternoon in the swamp just below furnace. The bird measured five feet from tip to tip.

Three Overcoats Stolen. The residence of L. S. Dyer, 115 Fourth street s. e., was entered by a thief last night between 7 and 8 o'clock. Three overcoats and one hat were taken.

THE MABRY BENEFIT.

The Programme Arranged for Monday Night's Entertainment. Messrs. Bronnan and Layton are working very earnestly for the Mabry benefit, and the indications are that the affair will be a great success.

THE BAND MEETING.

Most of the Old Officers Re-elected for the Ensuing Year. The annual meeting of the Machine Works Band was held last night in the band room.

THE MUSIC RECITAL THIS EVENING.

The first of the series of four music recitals by Mrs. Porter and Messrs. Carey and Rochussen will be given this evening at the First Baptist Church.

DROPPED THE CLOTHES.

A police whistle sounded about half-past eight o'clock last night on Salem avenue, between Jefferson and Nelson streets, was the means of attracting a large crowd of people and several policemen.

OFFICER EARLY RETURNS.

Officer P. H. Early returned yesterday from Bellevue, Bedford county, where went to see his mother, who resides with her daughter, Mrs. L. J. Moorman, and also to attend a family reunion.

DEATH OF AN INFANT.

Alexander, the two year and seven months old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Bowman, died at their residence at 206 Commerce street, Wednesday at 1:40 o'clock a. m.

Receiver for the Atlanta and Florida. ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 13.—[Special]—A bill regarding the appointment of a receiver for the Atlanta and Florida road has been filed before Judge Clark.

THE MAN WHO WAS SKUN.

Cleaned Out and Couldn't Have Anybody Arrested. "By gum!" I was about ten feet behind him, on Twenty-third street, when he suddenly stopped, shoved his left hand into his pocket and exclaimed as above.

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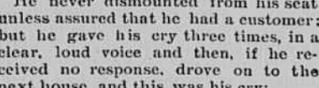
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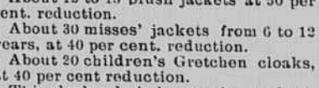
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