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RICHMOND NEWS.

Mrs. L. L. Strause will not be "at home" next Tuesday the 26th.

Mr. Herman Ullman, who has been sick for some time, is improving steadily.

Miss Hattie Kautman is visiting her brother, Mr. I. H. Kaufman, west Grace street

Mrs. H. H. Levy has returned from a visit of some length to her parents in Philadelphia.

Paradise Lodge meets next Sunday night and officers will be elected for the coming year.

The Cotillion Club will have a german at the Masonic Temple, next Wednesday night the 27th.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Straus celebrated the tenth anniversary of their marriage last Tuesday night.

Mr. P. F. Teiser has been elected archon and Mr. Henry Flegenheimer secretary of Richmond Conclave of Heptasophs.

Mr. H. Whitlock is president and Mr. E. Salomonsky vice president of the newly organized Merchant Tailors' Exchange.

The funeral of Mr. Marcus Kaufman took place last Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rabbi Calisch. The interment was at Oakwood.

From 10 to 1 o'clock to-day (Friday) the Daughters of Israel sewing society will distribute garments to the needy at the Synagogue Beth Ahaba. Fortunately there is not a single Jewish person among the applicants.

The last number of *Der Sueden* contains an excellent translation of the sermon delivered by Rev. Dr. R. P. Kerr at the Synagogue Beth Ahabah on Thanksgiving day. Mr. William Flegenheimer was the translator.

The speech of Senator Lovenstein last Tuesday informing the Hon. R. C. Kent of his election as lieutenant governor has been very favorably commented upon. The Senator was also one of the committee that went to Washington to notify Col. O'Ferrall that he had been elected governor of Virginia.

At the last meeting of the Young Men's Hebrew Association a committee was appointed to arrange for a suitable New Year entertainment and also for a ball at Purim. Several members sang solos and were accompanied on the autoharp by Mr. G. Schnurman. The association now has a membership of twenty-four.

Miss Wallerstein Married in Washington.

Miss Gertrude Wallerstein of Richmond, and Mr. Meyer Frank, of Atlanta, Ga., were married in Washington last Tuesday night, Rev. L. Stern officiating. The bride was very prettily attired in white satin, en traine, trimmed with Duchesse lace, with orange blossoms upon the veil and diamonds for ornaments. The couple were the recipients, of many handsome

and costly presents, and congratulatory messages were received from near and far. After a bounteous wedding supper the happy pair left for the South. They will reside in Richmond. Among those present at the ceremony, were Mrs. Henry Wallerstein, mother of the bride; Mrs. Fanny Frank, of Atlanta, mother of the groom; Mrs. S. Strause, Mrs. R. Kahn, Miss Jeanette Strauss, Mr. and Mrs. S. Wurtzburger, Mrs. S. Fleishman, Miss Henny Wurtzburger, Miss Addie Coblens, Miss Mona Wallerstein; Messrs. Joseph Nachman, Julius Max, and D. Wallerstein, all of Baltimore; Miss Minnie Fleck, and Mr. E. Klingers of New York; Mr. Byron Wallerstein, of Richmond; Messrs. Nathan, I. H., and G. Wallerstein, of Washington; Mr. B. Rosenfeld, Mr. and Mrs. L. Rothschild, the Misses Carrie and Hattie Rothschild, Messrs. Harry and S. Rothschild, Messrs. H. Powdermaker, H. Botham, and H. C. Davis.

Rimmon Lodge Officers.

Rimmon Lodge No. 68, I. G. B'nai B'rith at its last meeting elected the following officers for the coming year:

President: Moses Thalhimer; vice-president, Milton E. Marcuse; assistant monitor, H. S. Binswanger; secretary, Jacob Thalhimer; treasurer, Henry S. Hulster; financial secretary, Julius Straus; warden, M. I. Binswanger; guardian' E. Falk; trustees, William Lovenstein, Abram Ganst, Levi Hexter, M. S. Block, Joseph L. Levy.

Christmas and New Year Holiday Rates on Chesapeake and Ohio Railway.

On December 22, 23, 24, 25, 30 and 31, and January 1st the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company will sell round trip tickets to its stations at reduced rates, good to return until January 31, 1894.

Get Your Lunch.

At MORRIS'S 525 East Broad street. Fresh light pastry with HOT COFFEE, CHOCOLATE and BOUILLON. All kinds of Mineral Waters on draught.

A sufferer for years gratefully acknowledges the great benefit he received by taking Dr. David's Cough Syrup for Asthma and Bronchitis, of long standing. If you suffer, take it and be cured. Only 25 cents every where.

CLOTHING, SHOE, AND NOTION BUSINESS FOR SALE. NEW STOCK. Ten minutes' ride from Richmond Post Office. Will sell cheap to the right party. Owner is engaged in other business and has not the time to devote to it. Address J. H., care JEWISH SOUTH office, Richmond, Va.

From this date there will be **NO FREE SAMPLE COPIES.** All those receiving papers who have not subscribed will please send in their **DOLLAR** or order the paper stopped.

Our Exchanges.

We are glad to see the prosperity of the *Hebrew Observer*, Cleveland, O., which comes to us this week in enlarged form. We trust that it will be permanent.

The contributions by Rabbi Calisch, of Richmond, Va., to THE JEWISH SOUTH make that journal interesting and valuable.—*The Jewish Voice*, St. Louis.

A new Jewish paper, THE JEWISH SOUTH, Vol. 1, No. 16, comes to our desk this week from Richmond, Va. The present number proves that it is a sterling sheet, owned and edited by a thinking and able man. We wish the new periodical a long and successful future.—*The Occident*, Chicago.

On the first of January next the first number of a new magazine of sixteen pages, to be known as the *Jewish Youth*, will be issued at Indianapolis, Ind.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

NEW YORK.

Fire destroyed the composition and press rooms of the *American Hebrew*, just as the paper was about to go to press. With commendable energy the paper was gotten out in its usual time, though not in its usual appearance.

CLEVELAND, O.

The entire community was shocked by the death of Joseph Wolfenstein, the son of Dr. S. Wolfenstein, the superintendent of the Jewish Orphan Asylum. He was a bright and intelligent lad of sixteen years of age, and died after a short illness of only one week.

The bill admitting Utah as a State seems to be on its way to a speedy passage and an enactment into law, unless the President should object; for the battle was thought to lie in the House, and yet the bill passed that body without a division; and the Senate is believed to be easy fighting-ground. The chief objection to the Utah bill was the polygamous one, so to speak. Yet when the facts with reference to this old and decaying habit of the Mormons were exploited, it appeared that there was not much to be feared from this condition, after all; for I am told that not more than two per cent. of the Mormons have ever been polygamous, anyway, and that hardly any of the present generation care for the luxury of a second, or third, or tenth, wife. In fact, the extra wife, or the second one, has been a luxury which has been less and less within the reach of the average Mormon. Another objection to the bill sprung from the gold people, who feared the accession of two new silver Senators. That, it seems, has not stood in the way of its passage at all.—*The Capital*.

Dr. Bartlett last Sunday on Jonah:

"Jonah paid his fare. Passes were not issued at that time, as far as we can learn, to clergymen and Congressmen."—*The Capital*.