

WHEN MA GETS NEW.

Aw, what's a feller a-goin' to do
When his ma gets new?
When she gets so full of life
She's got no time for little kids,
An wears a sweater, roast or freeze,
An a pair o' pants that bag at th' knees,
An scowls an rows an spars an walks,
An goes 't fazzical culcher talks—
Aw, what's a feller a-goin' to do
When his ma gets new?

Say! I'm in th' worst fix over y' saw—
I can't tell ma fr'm pal!
They act alike an dress th' same
An ride a wheel with a diamond frame;
Smoke cigarettes an stay out nights
To clubs an "couches" an woman's rights
Spend an hour ev'ry day a-punchin' a log;
Call kids "caddies" an a horse a "nag";
Darn! What's a feller a-goin' to do
When his ma gets new?

I've been in one continual stew
Since ma got new!
I don't think life'll be worth two dimes
'F I'm licked with a golf stick many more times!

Ma says she will surely puncture my tire
'F I don't keep baby out o' th' fire,
While she makes a century run or so,
An ferrets all about her light bread dough.
Aw, what's a feller a-goin' to do
When his ma gets new?
—Herbert Griesom in Truth.

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SALEM

EDWARD JETER, REPORTER.

The Salem school board had a meeting yesterday and elected as teachers to fill vacancies for the coming session, Misses Hannah Armstrong and Bessie Hardy. These selections complete the list of teachers for the session of '07-'08.

The Rev. Fred Morehead and wife, of Richmond, arrived in Salem yesterday and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan-Yonce on High street.

Mrs. Baker Armstrong and Miss Helen Nugent, of Bryan, Texas, arrived last night and are the guests of the Misses Nugent at their home in East Salem.

The Misses Ball have returned from a visit to Newport, Giles county.

The management of the Roanoke and Salem Street Railway Company have as yet made no reduction in fare on their line between Salem and Roanoke, during the Democratic convention which convenes in Roanoke to-morrow. A 10 cent fare would cause a great many Salem people to attend the convention, as well as allow visitors and delegates in Roanoke to come up and see our town, which if noted for nothing else, is proverbial for its beauty.

The Roanoke Street Railway Company will make a reduced rate of 25 cents for the round trip between Salem and Roanoke for the benefit of those attending the Valley Baptist Association who may desire to visit Roanoke. Tickets on sale at Dillard & Persinger's, August 10th and 12th. Good only for those dates.

Miss Fannie Palmer, who has been visiting Miss Emma Boon, left yesterday for her home in Roanoke.

Col. R. H. Logan returned yesterday from the meeting of the Virginia Bar Association which met this year at Hot Springs, Va. He says that Judge Henry E. Blair through a happy response to a toast at the banquet, was the lion of the occasion.

The Misses Montgomery, of Louisville, and the Misses Saunders, of Franklin, and Chris. Dabney, of Chatham, Va., are guests of Captain J. C. Langhorne and family at their West Salem home.

L. W. Langhorne left yesterday for the Yellow Sulphur Springs. It seems to be a very severe case with Lewis.

Dr. J. B. Taylor returned yesterday from an extended trip through the Valley of Virginia in the interest of the Salem-Baptist Orphanage.

Mrs. Robert Kizer and her sister, Miss Smithdeal, of Salisbury, N. C., after several weeks stay at the home of Mrs. St. Clair on High street, returned yesterday to her home.

Miss May Hatcher, of Roanoke, is visiting Miss Lila Hatcher at the home of G. J. Ligon.

Miss Hattie Critz has returned from a visit to friends in Christiansburg.

Miss Hattie Wolfenden has gone on a visit to friends in Wytheville.

Mrs. F. H. McCaull, of Culpepper, who has been visiting the family of W. S. Baskerville, left yesterday to visit friends in Pulaski City.

A E Huff left yesterday evening for his home in the city of St. Louis. The Huff dwelling is closed for the first time in fifty-seven years. All of the furniture and movable fixtures were sold last week at public auction. The shutters of the house are drawn and silence now broods in and around the place. The pleasant voices of the family who occupied the house for nearly two generations of men, will never resound again in its once hospitable rooms and the stranger will in future take up his abode with fuss and flurry within its walls regardless of tender memories which hover unseen in the air around it. Such is life. There are no chains that can bind time's rushing pinion, and so like the family who once lived in the old home we live and love, intrigue, marry and then frequently drift with the tide, only occasionally seeing the face of an old friend, "like ships that pass in the night." May a benediction rest on the old home, even as a prayer of love, follows its last occupant to his new home in the West.

E. L. Mayer and family, of Norfolk, who have been summering at Captain Tompkins, left yesterday evening for a several weeks stay at the Yellow Sulphur.

Dr. J. P. Killian and son have returned from a visit to Waynesboro.

Misses Nellie Caldwell, of Radford, Griner, of Rural Retreat, and Willis, of Floyd, are attending the ladies' home and foreign missionary meeting, the former being the guest of Dr. Killian's family and the two latter the guests of Mrs. M. G. McClung.

The Presbyterian Sunday-school will have a picnic next Friday afternoon on the Baer place, now occupied by G. B. Johnson, across the river. The children are requested to assemble promptly at the church at 1:30 o'clock on the day mentioned.

The Rev. Mr. Gaston and wife of Sumner, N. C., are stopping at the pleasant home of Mrs. A. M. Shipman on Broad street.

A certain young grocery clerk of Salem left Sunday morning on the early west bound train for — we were about to say where, but will refrain, for the present at least, as he was accompanied by a popular and pretty young lady of West Salem.

Dr. W. R. Renalds has returned from Old Point where he attended the annual meeting of the State Dental Association.

Mrs. Baldwin and daughter, of Richmond, are summering at the home of the Misses Wiley on Market street.

Mr. Sibole, formerly of Salem, now of Giles county, is visiting his married

daughter, Mrs. E. A. Anderson, on White street.

Attorney Joseph Logan, of Union, W. Va., is on a visit to the family of Col. R. H. Logan.

Miss Alda Killian has returned from a pleasant visit to Mr. and Mrs. Gus Spotts, at Dublin.

J. E. Smith, wife and child, of Atlanta, Ga., are visiting at the home of Dr. J. P. Killian, on Pennsylvania avenue.

Prof. R. E. Chandler, after a visit to his parents here, left yesterday for Bozeman, Mont., at which place he will be married next week, after which he and his bride will live in the flourishing city of Lincoln, Neb., where Mr. Chandler has been elected a teacher in the State College of Engineering.

The Isam Brown liquor case was postponed for trial until next Saturday.

Miss Lizzie Board, of Bedford county, is visiting the family of W. G. Hurt in West Salem.

Ed Price as before his honor, J. H. Camper, yesterday afternoon charged with assault and battery on the person of Jeff Wells. The charge was sustained and Price was fined \$2.50 and costs.

Henry Hale, colored, was tried yesterday evening in Justice Barnitz' court charged with stealing apples from Urie Oakley's place on College avenue. He was found guilty and fined \$5 and costs. In default of the payment of same he was sent to jail.

What the Wise Bachelor Says.
When a woman "shrieks" it doesn't sound any different from a large sized squeal.

Women lie about the men they wouldn't lie about the same way men lie about the fish that got away.

A woman will always get up mad with her husband after he has slept all through a hot night when she couldn't.

Some folk are so humble that when they get to heaven they will go 'way around and knock at the back door.

When a man has to work hard to get along, his wife always says it's because he's so good natured he lets people impose on him.

The ministers that picture the devil as burning men with fire and brimstone don't know their business; they should picture him as making them put in fly screens. —New York Press.

About a Dog.
Professor Knowitall called at the Chaffie mansion. Seeing a large dog, the professor, to test Johnnie's knowledge of natural history, asked:

"Johnnie, does the dog belong to the feline or the canine family?"

Johnnie—Neither of 'em own that dog. He belongs to the Chaffie family. —New York Sunday World.

At Buckingham.
"Britannia may rule the wave," observed the old lady with the lace cap, "but you will notice that Victoria doesn't waive the rule."

And with an appreciative chuckle she swept a few of the dear boy's poker chips from the sewing machine and went down to put on the tea things. —New York Press.

A Long Bore.
Bubbubs—I hear you have an artesian well on your place now.

Jorsey—Yes; I was lying on the grass and the mosquito missed. —New York Journal.

There Were Others.
"At thy shrine, O Cupid," she whispered, "I sink upon my bened knee."

The fair god shrugged his shoulders impatiently.

"The idea," he exclaimed, "of a girl using her own knee for such a purpose!" —Detroit Journal.

A Disappointing Dream.
"I dreamed last night," said the tourist, "that I had found a \$30 bill."

"Gee, I'll bet you was happy!" said the wanderer.

"No, I wasn't. I waked up before I could buy a drink." —Typographical Journal.

A Determined Prophet.
He (consulting teacup)—Ah, you are to be married soon.

"Mercy me! To whom?"

"To me. I came today on purpose to tell you." —Judy.

The Exception.
"Love laughs at locksmiths"—all save one. It isn't any joke

When he has wrought the cruel bars That fasten Hymen's yoke.

—Detroit News.

LIST OF HOMES.

The Various Places Where Delegates May Live.

The following people have agreed to entertain delegates. The rate mentioned is per day:

Ponce de Leon, 250 at \$2.50
Hotel Roanoke, 150 at \$2.50.
Shenandoah Hotel, 100 at \$2.
St. James, 100 at \$2.

A. M. Peck, 202 Franklin road, 20 at \$1.50.
J. C. Faller, 415 Park street, 6 at \$1.25.

Mrs. J. W. Funkhouser, 218 Church, 6 at \$1.25.
J. A. Hoover, 522 Seventh avenue s. w., 2 at \$1.50.

Mrs. Mollie Coffman, 815 Commerce street, 10 at \$1.50.
Mrs. B. S. Krantz, 309 Campbell street, 15 at \$1.

Mrs. M. J. Allison, 511 Luck avenue, 10 at \$1.50.
Miss L. C. Hall, 810 Jefferson street, 8 at \$1.50.

Mrs. Withers, 23 Seventh avenue s. w., 10 at \$1.50.
Mrs. Lizzie P. Moore, 417 Campbell avenue, 12 at \$1.50.

Mrs. Nettie Kirkner, 313 Commerce street, 4 at \$1.
Miss Bettie Pinkard, 620 Henry street s. w., 4 at \$1.50.

Dr. William Hodgson, 110 Commonwealth avenue n. e., 8 at \$1.50.
Mrs. S. S. Shafer, 1017 South Jefferson street, 6 at \$1.50.

Miss Cora Tallon, 313 First street n. m., 8 at \$1.50.
Mrs. Mary McCarthy, Fifth avenue n. e., 10 at \$1.50.

J. P. Bowman, 332 Tazewell s. e., 4 at \$1.25.
G. A. Turner, 40 Franklin road, 10 at \$1.50.

Mrs. E. G. Price, 32 Franklin road, 10 at \$1.50.
Mrs. S. T. Kindred, 32 Seventh avenue s. e., 12 at \$1.50.

Capt. J. P. Hawks, 513 Campbell avenue, 7 at \$1.50.
J. S. Denman, 322 Eleventh avenue e., 6 at \$1.

Mrs. G. H. Hooge, 453 Tazewell s. e., 4 at \$1.50.
Mrs. J. R. Bower, 114 Henry street s. w., 6 at \$1.50.

Mrs. G. P. Eliason, 402 Thirteenth avenue s. w., 8 at \$1.50.
J. D. Walton, 314 Twelfth street n. w., 5 at \$1.50.

A. M. Sheppard, 716 Salem avenue, 2 at \$1.50.
Mrs. C. H. Rowzee, 433 Sixth avenue s. w., 6 at \$1.50.

Mrs. J. A. Stover, 618 Franklin road, 5 at \$1.50.
Mrs. S. R. Alexander, 120 Church street, 6 at \$1.25.

Miss Eliza Karnes, 608 Salem avenue, 30 at \$1.50.
Mrs. M. C. Manning, 31 Third avenue, n. w., 4 at \$1.50.

Mrs. G. W. Robertson, 360 Seventh avenue s. w., 4 at \$1.
Handy Bros., Alleghany Institute, 30 at \$1.50.

Miss Sallie Waugh, 13 First avenue, s. w., 10 at \$1.50.
Mrs. E. A. Haas, 1115 Chapman avenue, 4 at \$1.50.

Mrs. W. H. Woodson, 504 Church, 12 at \$1.50.
Mrs. J. R. Herndon, 217 Seventh avenue s. w., 10 at \$1.50.

Miss Maud Kent, 28 Sixth avenue s. w., 4 at \$1.50.
Mrs. McLaughlin, 425 Fifth avenue n. e., 3 at \$1.25.

Mrs. Burk, 215 Nelson street, 8 at \$1.
Mrs. J. J. Beckner, 202 Kimball avenue n. e., 6 at \$1.

J. E. Nelms, 502 Campbell, 12 at \$1.50.
J. M. Roberts, 315 Campbell, 4 at \$1.50.

Mrs. J. S. Crabill, 303 Nelson, 4 at \$1.25.
R. L. Branscomb, 1317 Chapman avenue, 3 at \$1.50.

V. R. Fant, 249 First avenue n. w., 6 at \$1.50.
Mrs. M. J. Bready, 308 Nelson street s. e., 4 at \$1.50.

Miss S. B. Eliason, 417 Commerce, 15 at \$1.50.
Mrs. F. M. Marks, 424 Campbell, 6 at \$1.50.

Mrs. M. S. Browning, 1719 Salem avenue s. w., 2 at \$1.50.
James Buchanan, 417 Dale avenue s. e., 6 at \$1.50.

Mrs. J. O. Kinsey, 1013 Jefferson street, 4 at \$1.50.
Miss Jennie T. Jones, 224 Church, 6 at \$1.

Mrs. J. E. Peck, 434 Church street, 4 at \$1.50.
Miss Bettie Wilson, 104 Franklin road, 30 at \$1.50.

J. A. Gibbs, 379 Tenth avenue s. w., 8 at \$1.50.
Mrs. M. L. Bladen, 31 Seventh avenue s. w., 15 at \$1.25.

Mrs. J. W. Wilson, 131 Salem avenue, 12 at \$1.
A. P. Hamilton, 419 Campbell, 5 at \$1.25.

Mrs. Nannie Yeatman, 405 Allison avenue, 6 at \$1.25.
Mrs. L. E. Evans, 515 Roanoke street, 12 at \$1.

Mrs. M. M. Mangus, 499 Tenth avenue s. w., 6 at \$1.25.
Mrs. Ora Kinnier, 327 Seventh avenue s. w., 8 at \$1.25.

Mrs. M. J. Rogers, 619 First avenue, 9 at \$1.
Mrs. Britt, 501 Tazewell, 10 at \$1.

W. O. Daniels, 606 Fifth avenue n. e., 10 at \$1.
R. W. Held, Rorer avenue and Eleventh street s. w., 4 at \$1.

Mrs. W. B. Saunders, 313 Twelfth street n. w., 6 at \$1.50.
Mrs. Strain, 312 Nelson street s. e., 8 at \$1.

Mrs. Bernard, 115 Church street s. e., 4 at \$1.
Mrs. H. K. Baer, 2 Fifth street n. e., 3 at \$1.50.

Mrs. H. G. Brown, 118 Eighth avenue s. w., 6 at \$1.50.
L. S. Dyer, Nelson street s. e., 6 at \$1.

Mrs. A. Moseley, 620 Franklin road, 12 at \$1.50.
Mrs. J. T. McCarthy, 312 Fifth street n. e., 12 at \$1.25.

W. F. Watson, 106 Nelson street, 10 at \$1.50.
Mrs. B. T. Beamer, 718 Second avenue n. w., 6 at \$1.50.

Mrs. D. W. Hess, 305 First avenue n. w., 6 at \$1.50.
Mrs. Alice H. Penn, 546 Campbell avenue, 4 at \$2.50.

Mrs. Jennie T. Jones, Franklin road, 4 at \$1.50.
Mrs. Y. C. Copenhagen, 415 Third street n. e., 5 at \$1.

Thos. B. N. Fitzpatrick, 1103 Fourth avenue n. w., 6 at \$1.25.
Mrs. M. F. Cunningham, 1103 Second avenue n. w., 10 at \$1.

Mrs. H. A. Moody, 626 Second avenue n. w., 4 at \$1.
Mrs. E. N. Moore, 610 Ninth avenue s. w., 12 at \$1.75.

J. T. Leslie, corner Rorer and Grove, 4 at \$1.50.
Mrs. D. Stone, 359 Church avenue, 6 at \$1.25.
Mrs. L. B. Harris, 620 Campbell, 2 at \$1.50.

Mrs. Fannie Gray, 127 Fourth avenue n. w., 10 at \$1.50.
Mrs. M. E. Brugh, 113 Eighth avenue s. w., 4 at \$1.25.

Mrs. E. F. Hunter, 711 Salem avenue s. w., 4 at \$1.50.
Mrs. J. W. Minnich, 251 First avenue n. w., 6 at \$1.50.

J. M. Trout, 332 Seventh avenue s. w., 6 at \$1.50.
Mrs. S. W. Jamison, 716 Franklin road, 4 at \$2.

Mrs. P. L. Terry, Jefferson street, 8 at \$2.
J. J. Catagn, Salem avenue, 15 at \$2.

J. W. Watkins, 321 Commerce street, 10 at \$1.50.
Mrs. T. W. Spindle, 503 Church, 10 at \$1.50.

Henry Davis, 28 Seventh avenue s. w., 6 at \$1.50.
Mrs. C. H. Hix, 362 Church, 8 at \$1.50.

M. G. Webb, 821 Salem avenue, 4 at \$1.
Mrs. H. O. Mosher, 373 Eleventh avenue s. w., 4 at \$1.50.

Mrs. M. C. Morris, 365 Ninth avenue s. w., 5 at \$1.50.
Mrs. T. M. Cook, 316 Campbell avenue, 6 at \$1.50.

Mrs. Geo. Gravatt, 1017 Henry, 8 at \$1.50.
Mrs. E. A. Owen, 332 Campbell, 4 at \$1.50.

Mrs. T. C. Oakley, 371 Eleventh avenue s. w., 4 at \$1.50.
R. H. Thompson, 322 Campbell, 4 at \$1.50.

Mrs. T. C. Vest, 509 Campbell, 8 at \$1.50.
C. P. Bonner, Salem avenue, 20 at \$1.50.

F. C. Read, Salem avenue e., 25 at \$1.
Mrs. Ritter, 23 Seventh avenue s. w., 8 at \$1.50.

W. S. Blanton, 353 Campbell, 8 at \$1.
Mrs. M. E. Foley, 122 Salem avenue, 12 at \$1.

T. C. Tatten, Gilt Edge Dining Room, 10 at \$1.50.
R. D. McClintock, 34 Seventh avenue s. e., 6 at \$1.50.

Mrs. Jas. Fielding, 315 Eighth avenue s. w., 6 at \$1.25.
Mrs. Chas. Fisher, 604 Fifth avenue n. e., 4 at \$1.

A. C. Beckner, 317 Third avenue n. e., 4 at \$1.
R. Ingram, 818 Second avenue n. w., 4 at \$1.

J. A. Brumbaugh, 411 First avenue n. w., 6 at \$1.50.
Mrs. A. N. Pitzer, 25 Seventh avenue s. w., 3 at \$1.50.

Mrs. W. M. Fielding, 110 Church s. w., at \$1.50.
Mrs. R. A. Howell, 523 Roanoke street, 3 at \$1.50.

J. H. Fisher, 419 First avenue n. w., 6 at \$1.50.
R. E. Coleman, corner Park and Campbell, 4 at \$1.50.

The following parties have agreed to furnish lodgings only, all at 50 cents per day each:

Mrs. J. W. Sutherland, 605 Jefferson street, 12 people; Mrs. C. G. Shockey, 420 Campbell, 14 people; Mrs. Thos. Engleby, 44 Campbell street, 10 people; Mrs. Geo. Bennett, 309 Church street, 8 people; Mrs.

Josiah Friend, 416 Campbell, 6 people; Mrs. P. Buford, 424 Roanoke street, 4 people; Mrs. Samuel Kianler, 409 Campbell, 4 people; Mrs. M. H. Taylor, 706 Campbell, 12 people; H. J. Hartberger, 20 Salem avenue, 10 people; Mrs. Annie Whitehurst, 503 Campbell, 7 people; Mrs. M. B. Williamson, 365 Church, 4 people; Mrs. J. T. Engleby, 342 Campbell, 6 people; E. Q. Nicholson, 801 Roanoke, 6 people; J. E. Wharton, 17 Tenth avenue s. w., 4 people; Mrs. T. W. Crozier, 348 Church, 4 people; Mrs. H. T. Roberts, 366 Campbell, 2 people; J. P. Heneby, 1120 Centre avenue n. w., 6 people; Perry Williamson, 365 Church, 4 people.

REPUBLICANS FOR BRYAN.

Washington Anti-Civil Service Men for the Silver Candidate.

Washington, Aug. 9. —The Anti-Civil Service League of this city has issued an address to Republicans, urging voters to join them in a crusade against the present civil service laws. The address, which is headed, "Brother Republicans," starts out as follows:

"William McKinley, President of the United States by the grace of God and the efforts of the workers and zealous friends of the Republican party, having succeeded to the highest honors of this nation largely through your work and sacrifices, and having, in payment of his obligations to us, at the command of our and his political enemies, debarred us from any reward or participation in the government, so far as the right to hold office under his administration is concerned, we do earnestly and sincerely promise and obligate ourselves to devote our best efforts to the destruction of the civil service law now on the statutes of the United States as repugnant to justice and the obligations assumed toward us as Republicans and equal American citizens, by the leaders of our party, who have shamelessly betrayed us into the hands of our enemies after a hard-won victory, and deprived us of any prospect of recognition from our own administration, and thus in return for favors earnestly sought at our hands.

"This being the case, we voluntarily pledge our sacred honor (unless the civil service law is modified or repealed) to advance by every means in our power the interests of William J. Bryan, simply on the condition that if elected he will honestly and thoroughly root out from our political system the rotten Ch'neise idea now known as civil service reform."

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