

Probably the most colossal as well as the most picturesque and interesting of the day is that inaugurated this season by the management of the John Robison show—a venture requiring an expenditure so enormous that a statement of the amount would scarcely be credited by the general reader.

Enjoyable Dance.

On last Thursday night there was a dance given at the house of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Allen by their charming daughter, Miss Annie, to her guest, Miss Coleman, of Appomattox.

At 12 o'clock the young people did not dance long enough to be refreshed by creams, teas and cakes which were handed around.

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These were greatly enjoyed by those present. Prof. Blanton is very happy in his portrayal of the negro language and character, and has already won much success as a lecturer and reader in Kentucky where he has been teaching in the State college for a number of years.

On the Lookout.

We watch the standing of insurance companies generally. There is such a thing as insurance (seemingly) which does not insure. Better insure with your local agents, Paulett & Paulett.

Working Night and Day

The best and brightest little thing that ever was made is Dr. King's New Life Pills. Every pill is a sovereign remedy for indigestion, flatulency, weakness, loss of strength, listlessness, indigestion, brain-feebleness, and mental power.

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A Gratifying Success.

The concert given last Tuesday evening for the benefit of the Episcopal church was a gratifying success. The audience was a large and representative one and the entire program was rendered with exquisite taste and real artistic touch.

The accompaniments were beautifully rendered by Prof. Crullin, Miss Belle Johnson and Miss Robbie Berkeley.

Dwelling Burned.

The farm of five yesterday morning about half past 2 o'clock was caused by the burning of the dwelling house of Mr. R. L. Orange.

Mr. Orange's wife and children are away from home visiting in the country, and the only person in the house at the time of the fire was the father of Mr. Orange.

The loss to Mr. Orange will be quite heavy, as there was only \$300 of insurance on house and furniture, and nothing scarcely was saved.

Conductor Hubbard Killed.

An unusually sad and terrible accident occurred on the 24th who near Prospect Depot.

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BRIEFS AND PERSONALS.

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Judge Watkins was in Lynchburg on professional business last week.

Mrs. Saulzman, of Danville, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Traver.

Mr. C. E. Chappell's new house is a thing of beauty, and may it be "a joy forever."

It was Charles Lamb who said, "A laugh is worth a hundred groans in any market."

Continued improvement of our streets is needed and earnestly wished for by our people.

Mrs. Fannie Berkeley Humphreys, of Richmond, has been visiting Mrs. W. R. Berkeley.

Remember the excursion to Richmond next Monday and take advantage of the low rate.

Mr. Leslie Fagus, who has been on a visit to New York and Niagara Falls, returned home last Sunday.

Major J. W. Otley is home after a few days' enjoyment of the great camp meeting in Loudoun county.

Mr. Edward T. Thornton and daughter, of Brooklyn, N. Y., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Venable.

There is no vacation season with our warehouses—when not crowded with tobacco, they are with sumac.

Mrs. P. C. Manson, of Lynchburg, who had been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. R. Berkeley, returned home on Wednesday.

Miss Cora Price, who had been spending the summer at Mrs. Berkeley's returned to Columbia, S. C., on Wednesday.

Mayor Blanton's pony continues the pet of the family and a daily luxury. It looks as though it actually loved children.

Mrs. Ellen C. Price and children, of Hampden-Sydney, have returned from a five weeks' stay in the mountains of West Va.

Mrs. George T. Vaughan, recently returned from Europe, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Venable, of Farmville.

Mrs. Hill, of Texas, is visiting relatives in Prince Edward, being at present the guest of Mrs. R. S. Paulett, of Farmville.

The telephone and electric poles in town ought to be painted, as they are they disfigure the streets where they are located.

The dance at the Randolph Hotel Tuesday night was largely attended and one of the pleasantest and most enjoyable given this season.

The telephone exchange affords a greater convenience to the business people of Farmville than anything ever before introduced to the town.

Mrs. M. A. Roach and daughter, of Richmond, and Miss Martha Elliott, of Charlotte, are the guests of Mrs. J. W. Foster, of Travis.

The scarcity and smallness of this season's watermelons has caused widespread lamentation. What is August without a watermelon?

Mr. L. D. Jones who was reported as having gone to Richmond to consult a specialist, was on our streets recently looking the picture of health.

The public spirited citizen who don't subscribe to his home paper is—but all public spirited citizens do subscribe to their home paper.

An exchange says there is a Confederate Camp in every town and county in the South. Is this true of Farmville or of Prince Edward? If not, why not?

The 4 o'clock meetings held at the Y. M. C. A. rooms each Sunday are interesting and instructive. Mr. L. A. Coulter will conduct the meeting next Sunday.

Rev. J. C. Reed, of Portsmouth, who was telegraphed for on account of the illness of his mother, Mrs. L. S. Reed, arrived here Monday, and returned the next day to his home.

The excursion which went from here on Sunday last to Bedford City and Roanoke, was not largely patronized from this point on account of the heavy rain which prevailed.

It is a pity that the leaves must fall and our trees left stripped of their beauty, and yet when the snow flakes take the place of leaves we begin to realize that all beauty is not gone.

Mr. Robert W. Price, of Green Bay, was in town Monday to qualify before Judge Crute as a justice of the peace in his district. "Bob" is growing corpulent, and is as contented and good natured as ever.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Biggood and little daughter, Isabelle and Virginia, of Fayetteville, N. C., and Miss Gertrude Ewing, of Meherin, and Miss Mary Crew, of Richmond, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wall.

The man who don't take the home paper is first to complain of some sin of omission or commission. Take it and help make it better. It is a comfort to some people and ought to be the pride of all.

Send in your personals and locals, and we can't see or hear it all. Help us, and we will make the HERALD so

popular that all the men will subscribe for it and all the children cry for it.

Among the people visiting and trading in town this week were Cleveland Forbes and wife, Bobson Shepard Buckingham county; S. W. Shepard, Wm. Garnett and wife, Cumberland county; Watson Chich and wife, W. R. Taylor, Prince Edward county.

Senator Daniel will take the lecture platform. Let him give us a date for Farmville among the first, and we will in turn give him a full house.

Farmville will again make splendid contributions to the teaching forces of the country. Her young men and young women are doing good work from the Potomac to the Gulf.

If you don't subscribe to the HERALD borrow a copy from a neighbor who does take it, and you will be convinced that it's worth a dollar a year, and then we will hope to have you on our list of subscribers and you will not be annoyed borrowing again.

Young men who are disposed to think it necessary to "top to conquer," should watch Col. Baker and Dr. Thelkston, who always bear themselves erect and well.

The school bell will soon be heard in the land. Listen and respond quickly and gladly. Vacation has been a glorious one filled with pleasure and now with renewed courage and good cheer take up the work you let fall in June.

Mr. John Sheffield, wife and infant son spent several days of this week visiting Mr. Sheffield's old home.

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Most of our people have spent the summer in Farmville, and no doubt have been more comfortable than those who have gone away in search of health or pleasure.

The Willard Harvey Theatre Company is playing a week's engagement at the Opera House.

Thos. W. Price, who is by the act of Governor Tyler serving a life term in the penitentiary for the murder of Hall Carter, will likely be taken to the State farm.

Our friend, Mr. Walter H. Richardson, is the champion farmer of the ages, and yet he never seems to be in a hurry and spends more time in the shade than the average Wall Street broker.

Victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles as well as women, and all feel the results in loss of appetite, poisons in the blood, backache, nervousness, headache and tired, listless, run-down feeling.

Brave Men Fall

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