LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 9.

LOCAL BRIEFS. Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Tams are visit-

ing the northern cities The next meeting of the Middle River Teachers Association will be held at Mrs. G. G. Gooch was on a visit to Mt. Sidney to morrow, at 10 a. m.

There was a short session of the city council on Tuesday night. Only routine business was transacted.

Mr. Howard Varner and family, of the Roman section, who have been visiting in West Virginia, returned home this week.

Mrs. H. W. Henry, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. P. H. Trout, left this week for her home in Pittsyl-Mr. Walter E. Brower, of this coun-

ty, and Miss Dovie B. Moomaw, of Botetourt, were married in Washing. ton on Tuesday. Mrs. L. W. Darnaby, of Georgetown Ky., en route home, was the guest

this week of the Pattersons at Augus-We are indebted to Mr. J. W. Bell,

of 515 Taylor street, San Francisco. Cal., for a copy of the Examiner of that The State Division of the Daughters

of the Confederacy which was in sesed to meet next year in Charlottesville. Two negroes, Erasmus Harris and John W. Watson, were sent to jail last

week for attempting to register illegal Rev. W. J. Cocke, of Woodstock who has been conducting a series of

meetings at the Disciples' church at Clifton Forge, closed them on Friday Mrs. Emma Rohr and her infant

child died Wednesday evening at her home in West End, aged about 39 years Deceased is survived by her husband, Mr. Geo. Rohr, and several children.

The Augusta Male Academy and Pantops School of Charlottesville play ed a game of foot-ball here last Friday. which was won by the Roller boys by by a score of 6 to 0.

The United Daughters of the Confederacy will meet in Mobile, Ala, on Wednesday of next week. Mrs. Nellie Hotchkiss McCullough, of this city, will represent the Virginia Division.

Mr. S. C. Johnson, a popular train dispatcher of the C. & O. at Clifton Forge, died at the hospital there on Saturday of typhoid fever. He is survived by his wife, a two children.

Dr. Millard H. Crawford, of the U. S. Navy, a brother of Mr. Chas. D. Crawford, of this county, and Mrs. C. A. Roler, of Staunton, was married at Gainesyille, Tex., on Oct. 31st, to Mrs. Middlebrook, visited friends at Crim- 1900, when 72 years, 7 months a Cora M. Fairchild.

The excavation and heavy masonry foundation room of the new courthouse is completed and ready for the walls, which will go up immediately, The red and white pressed brick for the purpose have already arrived.

Mr. Hugh C. Braxton has bought the business of the Staunton Safety Oil Co., G. T. Blackford, manager, and will continue to conduct the businres from its present stand corner Main and New streets.

In the county court last week a nolle prosequi was entered in the case of the commonwealth vs. T. J. Williams, who city last week with his parents, Dr. had been previously tried for attempt- and Mrs. Benj. Blackford. ed assault on Mrs. A. J. Grim. The case had been returned from the cirenit court for a new trial.

Miss Miriam Opie, daughter of Dr Thomas Opie, dean of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Baltimore was married on Saturday at Grace Protestant Episcopal chnrch, in that city, to Mr. Arthur Bernard Chancellor. formerly of Leesburg. The bride is a city.

Augusta County Teachers' League.

The Augusta County Teachers public school building in Staunton, and was called to order by Presiden W. E. Beard. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows President-W. L. Kerr.

Middle River-H. L. Bell. South River-John Crickenberger. North River-Not supplied. Beverly Manor-J. W. Nunley. Riverheads-Miss Esta Beard.

Vice-Presidents:

Pastures-Not supplied. Secretary-J. T. Hamrick. Committee on Constitution and By

Laws-A. E. Aldhizer, Miss M. E. Bickle and J. T. Hamrick. Committee on Program-H. L. Bell. W. E. Beard and Miss Blanche Shan-

holtzer. On motion of Mr. Aldhizer the organization became a part of the State League.

Mr. Nunley moved that the old members be credited for the money paid in last year; also that the Supt. be rety regulations, as we are anxious to ed to his home at Parnassus last week receive our school journals as early as by the death of his mother, Mrs. J. A. possible. Carried.

All teachers are urged to join, and to send their names to the Sec., at Mt. ond Presbyterian church of Alexan-Sidney. The League at present num- dria, gave a reception last night to terment was in Rockland Mills cemebers sixty members. After an inter- Mrs. F. J. Brooke, who has just join- tery. esting session the meeting adjourned ed her husband, Rev. Dr. Brooke in to meet Saturday, Nov. 24th, at 10 that city. o'elock, a. m.

J. T. HAMRICK,

Secretary. Popular Rate Excursion to Washington,

Saturday, Nov. 17. The Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. will run a special excursion train to Washington leaving Staunton at 6 a. m. Satur-Ker, Jr., Pass. Agent C. & O.

PERSONAL.

Prof. J. H. Bader was in Charlottes ville, last week on business

Mr. A. B. Kingan, of Clifton Forge visited his mother here last week. Mrs. Addie Baldwin is visiting friends n the county.

Mr. R. D. Apperson was in Lynchburg this week on business. Mr. L. C. Wilson, of Craigsville, was

in the city yesterday. Mr. Frank Ast, of Low Moor, wa at his home near the city this week.

riends in Richmond this week. Mrs. T. D. Ranson visited her sister Mrs. Ellis, in Gordonsville this week. Mr. W. E. Huffman, of Lynchburg.

s visiting his fahter at Mt. Sidney. Mrs. John B. Guntner visited Lexngton friends this week.

Mr. Ellis Mills, of Rapidan, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. A. M. Valz. Miss Kate Fauntleroy is visiting relatives in Winchester.

Mrs. B. Miller McCue has returned from a visit to Richmond.

Mrs. M. B. Crawford, of Ferrol, was in the city this week.

Miss Nannie Gibbs, of Baltimore, i the guest of Mrs. W. Massie Warwick. Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Lewis, of Craigsville, were in the city this week.

Mr. W. S. Humphreys, of Vesuvius, who has been spending some time in Salem, returned home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Kennedy spent a few days with the family of sion at Alexandria last week adjourn- Mr. Isaac Kennedy, near Spottswood. the N. & W., exhibits his report for Mr. Thos. Hogshead and bride have

> are at the Kalorama. Mrs. Worthington, of Frederick Md., is visiting her sons, Messrs. J. H. and Clarke Worthington.

Capt. and Mrs. Henry W. Holt have returned from a visit to Capt. Holt's father.

Miss Lula Bickle, who has been visiting friends at Spottswood, returned home this week.

Mr. S. C. Brown, of the County School Board, was in the city Monday on business.

Mrs. W. M. McNutt, of Texas, is Nutt. near Fairfield.

Mrs. Robert A. Dunlap, of Deerfield, visited her sister, Mrs. John P. Rhodes. in Lexington last week. Mrs E D Junkin and Miss Jennie

Junkin, of Mt. Meridian, visited Mrs. W. P. Irwin, of Lexington this week. Mr. Jas, H. Hamilton, who has been visiting his son at Big Island, return-

ed home Saturday.

Mr. M. D. Lindamond, of Weyer's last week. Mr. and Mrs. David Rusmiselle, of

Mr. Thos. J. Anderson, of Mt. Solon,

bed bottom. Mr. Emmett L. Shull and Miss Re-Stover on Wednesday.

Capt. T. C. Morton has returned from an extended trip to Eastern Virginia

bridge. Maj. Thos. A. Blackford, of Wil-

mington, Del., spent a few days in the

Rev. W. S. Cole, who had been conducting the meetings at the Baptist church here for the past two weeks, left Monday for his home in Culpeper

Mrs. E. E. Patterson and children of Augusta Springs, have returned home at Newport News.

Mrs. M. W. Bucher, of Churchville, niece of Capt. John N. Opie, of this who spent some days with her sister, Mrs. D. O'Rork, returned home Sat

Mr. Ernest Crawford, a student at week.

Mrs. M. N. Bradley, who has been

tend school there this session. Mayor and Mrs. W. H. Landes, have returned from an extended tour north. They had a delightful trip up Hudson

Mr. M. Steele, the merchant a Steele's Tavern, returned last Friday

to purchase his fail and winter goods. Rev. H. J. Williams, who has been visiting his father at Greenville, returned to his home in Charleston Sat-

Mrs. Robert A. Hamilton, wife of Policeman Hamilton, who has been quite sick for some weeks, is we are

glad to say able to be about again. Mr. J. H. Whitmore, who is a pupil quested to comply with Sec. 12 in coun-Whitmore.

The Westminster League of the Sec-

Miss Elsie Bolling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Bolling, who has been quite ill with typhoid fever in Bedford at 7:30 o'clock. Sermon by Rev. F. county, has sufficiently recovered to Kuegele, pastor of Coyner's Congregabe able to be brought to her parents

ome near this city. Mr. J. R. Hidy, of Craigsville, re turned home Saturday last from Baltday, Nov. 17; returning, leave Washington 11:10 p. m. Saturday, Nov. 17. with Mrs. Hidy, who has undergone Tuesday en route to the field of his Mr. Bryan and wife have frequently Fare for round trip \$2. For further an operation at Johns Hopkins Hospi- new labors. Mr. Vredenburgh while visited Culpeper and are personally information call on or address James tal. The operation was successful and in Craigsville made many friends, who known by many citizens of that coun Mrs. Hldy is now convalescent.

A BUSY COMMUNITY

Good Trading Point--Fine Agri-Interests---Personal, Etc.

Crimora, Va., November 5. The casual observer in passing this lace will scarce give it credit for t volume of business done. Though a village, it is the natural tradin point for one of the finest agricultur sections in Augusta county. Wh the big manganese mines are in or ration it is the shipping point fro which all their freight is sent. and all times it is busy with the natur and healthful trade that comes to th point. Cars are loaded or unload here every day for the Crimora Rol Mills, who are the largest patrons the place. The mills are owned as operated by Messrs. C. S. Harman at Wallace De Rundeau, successors Mr. J. Lee Koiner. Their head mill is Mr. W. L. Engle, a thoroughly pre tical and experienced manufactur of flour. From these mills is turne out daily 100 barrels of the best pe ent process flour, which finds a read market in Richmond, Petersburg an the Carolinas. This is not Mr. Ha man's only venture in the milling bus ness. He has recently purchased th Leonard property, a saw and grist m having fine water power, and locate just north of this place. Claytor Bros., of the Sampson neig

borhood, are also heavy shippers her their product being large and heav timbers for piles, amounting in th average to 12 car loads per month. other products agent W. F. Walter the past three months, showing returned from their wedding tour and shipment during that time of 44 ca loads of hav and 110 tons baled stray An item of 15 car loads of ferlilizers also mentioned.

The trading interest of the community are accommodated by the three general stores of J. H. May, J. H. Leonard and W. R. Talley, the latter of which contemplates an enlargement of his storeroom in the near future.

The blacksmith and wheelright is Wesley Ellinger, who has a good business and has accumulated property. Dr. -. -. Bowman, formerly o Staunton, is the resident physhician,

and enjoys an extended practice. Last week the public school opened with an enrollment of 38 pupils, and visiting her brother, Mr. Wm. G. Mc- under the tutorage of Miss Lucy Hiner of Stover, is giving general satisfac-

tion to the patrons. Mr. and Mrs. David Rusmiselle, of Middlebrook, were the guests last week of their relative, Mrs. W. R. Talley. Mrs. W. L. Engle is convalescent from a severe illness.

A Good Man Has Gone to Rest.

Franklin Farrow was born on the 16th day of March, 1829. On the farm Cave, visited friends in Shenandoan now owned by Mrs. Abraham Cline on Middle River in the county, and there spent the days of his boyhood. On Monday morning, the 27th of October, Chapel, he departed this life. His has been granted a patent for a spring father was Isaac Farrow and his mother's maiden name was -- Rankin. They were the parents of eight chilbecca I. Taliaferro, were married at dren-Mary Ann (Mrs. Palmer) Cyrus,

Franklin, the subject of this sketch his father—that of a millwright—was visit to relatives and friends in Rock- a master workman, and widely known in the counties of Augusta and Rockbridge. He married Eliza, daughter of Henry Berry, near Spring Hill, who is left to mourn the loss of a devoted ausband, and four sons and three daughters, Millard F., Mrs. Martha A. Sites, of Greenbrier county, Mrs. Mary Catherine Bowers, of Staunton, Mrs. Eliza Margaret Metz, of Covington, an affectionate father—two others! performed by the pastor, Rev. G. W. from a visit to Mrs. Patterson's former Cyrus in childhood and Mrs. Ida B. Finley, D. D. The bride wore a hand-Mowries' school house, he made peace held, the University of Virginia, spent some with his Lord and Saviour and joined The bride is one of the most levely League met for reorganization in the days at his home in the county, this the United Brethren church, in which and lovable young ladies of South he has been a consistent member River, very popular, and has a large up to the time of his death. It may be family connection throughout the visiting relatives in Kentucky, return- said of him that he was a fellow in county. The groom is also very poped home Saturday. Her son will at- the church, an examplary citizen, a ular. Born and raised on "Wheatland just and good man. At his grave an farm, the fine estate of the Dickerson old citizen said to the writer: That he family, a few miles from Staunton, he had lived with him ten years and near has a host of triends in city and coun by him for thirty more, and that in all ty. He is a young man of splendid

right man. He was buried in Salem church ceme tery. The funeral obsequies being renfrom the eastern cities whether he went | dered by the Rev. C. H. Crowell, of the

> U. B. Church. The living grass that covers him The flowers bright and sweet Are nourished by the cherubim Who cluster at his feet.

He sees the one who give the star its beam of golden light, He rests in perfumed fields afar Beyond the reach of night.

Death of Mrs. Whitmore. Mrs. Margaret A. Whitmore, wife of died on Friday morning at her home. sister of Messrs. Albert, George and pearance, but up to that time it was William Roller. She was held in high in the same condition as when the esteem by the entire community. Her Bryan family left it in 1826. funeral took place Sunday and the in-

Divine Services.

Divine services will be held at the tion. You are invited.

Superintendent W. Vredenburgh, of the Virginia Portland Cement Works A. Bryan, the present clerk of the at Craisgsville, having accepted a po- county, and circuit courts of Stafford, will hear with regret of his departure. ty.

Vote of Angusta and Staunton

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Up to the hour of going to press the board had not completed the count. We will give the official vote next cultural Section -- Large Milling week. Below is the county vote with city, to Miss Gertrude M. Tuller, of White was born in Crab Bottom, the exception of Sherando precent. The Republican majority there is about 50.

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The Tenth District.

The returns from the counties the 10th district in dicate that Hon. H. D. Flood has a majority of over

2,500. FLOOD.	
Augusta and Staunton,	387
Appomattox,	1,180
Amherst,	900
Buchingham,	500
Bath,	50
Cumberland,	200
Fluvanna,	150
Highland,	5
Nelson,	250
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HUBARD.	
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Rockbridge,	
Botetourt.	

Flood's majority,

Dickerson--McChesney.

Tinkling Spring Presbyterian church days old, at his home near Spitler Tuesday evening when Miss Genevieve McChesney was united in marriage to Mr. H. P. Dickerson. The church was tastefully decorated with flowers and the bridal party entered in the following order: the bridesmaids, Misses Enos, John, Franklin, William James Meta Hunter, Parke Crawford, Winifred Goodwin and Nettie Dickerson. sister of the groom, came up the left was the last survivor of his father's aisle, charmingly gowned in white orfamily, he followed the occupation of gandies and carrying pink carnations while the grooms men, Messrs, John McChesney brother of the bride, Bierne Kinney and Harry Burnett, of Staunton, and L. S. Merriken came up the right aisle crossing over at the altar and forming a horse-shoe. Following the bridesmaids and preceding the bride, came the handsome dame of honor, Mrs. D. A. Bell. The bride entered with her brother, Wm. McChesney and was met at the altar by the Va., Perry, Wesley and Walter, to groom and his best man and brother look back on the many kindnesses of T. C. Dickerson. The ceremony was Burner have gone to illume his path- some gown of white silk en-train with way to that better land. Those left veil and orange blossoms and carried behind have the assurance that the bride's roses. After the ceremony the husband and father has gone to rest. bridal party and some friends drove to Upwards of 45 years ago, at a protract- the elegant home of John McChesney's ed meeting held by Jacob Spitler in where an old Virginia reception was

these years he never knew a more up- character, with many good qualities and no bad ones.

The Old Home of Bryan's Fathers.

The Fredericksburg corresponden of the Richmond Times sends that pa per the following: The old homestead of the ancestors of William Jennings Bryan, the Democratic candidate for President, still stands on a spur of the Blue Ridge Mountains in Rappahannock county, near the Culpeper line, The old dwelling is an unpretention log building, remarkably well preserv-Mr. Joseph A. Whitmore, of Parnassus, ed. Within the past few years some improvements have been made to the Deceased was a Miss Roller, and was a house to give it a more modern ap-

The first Bryan whose name appear upon the records of Culpeper county was Joseph T. Bryan, who bought land and settled there in 1752. He went to Culpeper from King George county, a few miles below this city. Y. M. C. A. Hall next Sunday night, of William Bryan, the great grandfather of William Jennings Bryan The name of Bryan is found on the re cords of Spottsylvania, Stafford, King George and Orange counties. Mr. C.

Peck--Tuller.

The Philadelphia Ledger, of Nov. Overbrook, Pa.:

The wedding of Miss Gertrude M. Charles Tuller, of Overbrook, and Mr. Horace S. Peck, of Providence, R. I., at the Hotel Waggoner in Hunterstook place yesterdy in the Memorial ville, on Sunday of last week. Church of St. Paul, Overbrook. The The railroad track from Marlinton er, of Providence, performed the cere- work at Durbin. mony. Miss Margaret A. Neall, of The building of the depot at Marlin-Chestnut Hill, was maid of honor, and ton has begun. the bridesmaids were Miss Emma B. Robert Burns, of Hillsboro, who had Park and Miss Maud K. Harbert, of his leg badly broken some time ago by cceding well, and is enjoying her visit Overbrook, Miss Bertha C. Day, of the upsetting of a wagon, is now im-Germantown, and Miss Helen Neall, proving rapidly.

of Chestnut Hill. Mr. Louis T. Peck, of Providence, A. Ames, of Baltimore; Mr. John W. celebrated. Drake, of Boston; Mr. Warren P. Mrs. W. A. Gladwell, of Greenbank Laird and Mr. Horace H. Fretz, of is spending some time at Charlottes Philadelphia. The bride was given ville, Va. away by her father.

residence of the bride on Woodbine avenue, and later Mr. and Mrs. Peck departed on a journey. They will re

Island Regiment, and he is now a paymaster in the National Guard of Rhode Island. Last night the hospitable home of

lung diseases are surely cured by it. Call on B. F. Hughes, druggist, and get a free trial bottle. Regular size 50c and \$1. Every bottle guaranteed.

Virginia Masons.

The 123rd communication of the of old gold silk with lace and pearls, tacle, Friday night, Nov. 16. Grand Lodge of Masons, of Virginia, and carried a bunch of chrysanthe will be held in Richmond, in the Ma- mums. The groom is a popular young sonic Temple, on December 4, 5 and 6. Matters of great importance to the order will be considered. Most interest, perhaps, will centre in the report of the committee on the Masonic Temple building, and action thereon. The reports of officers, it is understood, will manners with an abundant endowshow fine progress of the Masonic fraternity in Virginia. There were about ties of mind and heart. The ceremony 280 lodges in the State. Most Wor- was impressively performed by their shipful George W. Wright, of Marion, the Grand Master, will preside over the witnessed by a quite a large crowd." deliberations of the body.

On Nevember 13 the Royal Arch Masons of Virginia will meet in ninewas the scene of a beautiful wedding ty third annual session, in the Masonic of the Highest Priest will also hold a meeting.

Templar, will also meet in Richmond on the 13th, and will transact a large volume of business. This will be the seventy-eighth annual session.

The famous old Stone church, at limber Ridge, which has recently been mproved and enlarged at an expense of \$5,000, will be formally rededicated December 2nd. The ministers expected to be present and take part in the ceremony are Rev. Dr. G. B. Strickler, of Richmond, Rev. Dr. Alfred Jones, Rev. Dr. Henry Alexander White, of of Washington and Lee University, and Rev. J. H. Davis, former pastor of the

Pecahentas County Items.

Henry White, one of the oldest and 1st, contains the following marriage most respected citizens of Pocahontas notice of Mr. Horace S. Peck, son of county, died at his residence on Oct. Mr. and Mrs. Henry D. Peck, of near 29th. He was 80 years of age. Mr. Highland county, Va., and moved to typhoid fever at a hospital in Charles-

West Virginia about 25 years ago. He ton, has sufficiently recovered to be Tuller, daughter, of Dr. and Mrs. leaves a family of children all grown. brought home to his friends here. Jackson Grimes, a lumberman, died

rector, the Rev. Cyrus Townsend to Durbin is ready for the cross ties, Brady, assisted by the Robert B. Park- and a large force of hands is now as

Marlinton has just celebrated a fete

day which brought together about brother of the groom, was best man, and the ushers were Mr. Henry W. Hon. N. C. McNeil, there was a tournament, games, and dancing. The bushing their corn, and the crop is a husking their corn, and the crop is a short one. It is almost impossible to bush to be a verted. I will gladly do this for anyone, at any time, without charge. By discovering and correcting slight defects in time, and correcting slight defects in time. brother of the groom, was best man, 2,500 people. A speech was made by Dannals, of Pittsburg; Mr. Reginald Times is silent as to what event was

The Charlottesville Progress of last

week contains the marriage of Mr. O.

V. Hanger, a son of the late Capt. H.

H. Hanger, of Churchville, to Miss

"On Monday night the home of Judge

C. J. Campbell was the scene of a beau-

tiful marriage, the contracting parties

being O. Victor Hanger and Miss Sal-

business man of Amherst, but is at

present of the firm of Hanger & Rohrer,

Charlottesville, Va. The bride is a

young woman of rare beauty and ac-

complishments, combining as she does.

ment of the highest and noblest quali-

pastor, Rev. J. L. Wiley, and was

Great Luck of an Editor.

City Markets.

Staunton, Va., Nov. 8, 1900.

Sallie C. Wilkinson

Mrs. Weiford, widow of Jas. Wei-After the ceremony a reception to ford, died suddenly at the residence of the wedding party was held at the Dr. F. T. McClintic last week.

That Throbbing Headache. side at Providence, where Mr. Peck is a member of the banking firm of E. J. Knight & Co.

During the Spanish war the groom was a lieutenant of the First Rhode Lelend Regiment, and he is now a pay.

Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for sick and nervous headaches. They make pure blood and build up your health. Only 25c. Money back if not cured, Sold bg B. F. Hugees, druggist.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Peck was filled with friends to meet the newly married couple.

Millions Given Away. It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern which is not afraid to be geuerous. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles and have the satisfaction of knowing it has cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, bronchitis, la grippe and all throat, chest and lung diseases are surely cured by it. Call on B. F. Hughes, druggist, and get a free

'For two years all efforts to cure eczema in the palms of my hands failed,' writes Editor H. N. Lester, of Syracuse, Kan., 'then I was wholly cured by Bucklen's Arnica Salve.' It's the world's best for eruptions, sores and all skin diseases. Only 25c at B. F. Hughes'.

The Grand Commandry, Knights

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BOYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 100 WILLIAM ST., NEW YORK

West View News.

We are glad to see Mr. Emmett lightner out again after a severe attack of typhoid fever. Mr. Harold Lightner, son of Rev.

Geo. S. Lightner, who has been ill with

We are sorry to state that Miss Lillie Lightner is quite ill.

Mr. J. F. Bell has sold his personal a few days he will leave for Council Bluff, California, where he will in future reside with his children. Mrs. E. A. Palmer, who accompanied

her daughter, Mrs. H. A. Huddleston, to Salidu, Colorado, stood the trip exto her children. We have been informed that the sum

stolen the Valley Mills postoffice ter never worked with such exact pre-eision. If the eyes could be carefully amounted to \$34.

Our farmers are busily engaged in purchase one barrel.

Augusta Horticultural Society.

The annual meeting of the Augusta Horticultural Society was held here on Saturday, and officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: S. P. Brockway, president: Dr. Wm. Bell states of the state of the Brockway, president; Dr. Wm. Bell. vice president; C. R. Moore, treasurer, and J. A. Brown, secretary. Dr. Wm. Bell, David O'Rork and J. H. Connell were appointed delegates to the State Society which meets in Roanoke on

Letters were received from several parties in regard to establishing a cannery in this section. The letters were left in charge of committee who has the matter in charge. The next meet ing of the society will be held the first Saturday in December.

"The Spider and Fly."

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