CONTINUE TO GET IN GOOD WORK RECAUSE OF BAD TRACK.

ONLY TWO FAVORITES FIRST.

Glorioan and Black Dick, Second e Gold Taking Other Benning's

WASHINGTON, D. C., November 20 .bookies continue to get in their good at Benning's, while the track is in Ohnet and Blackstock were Dick, second choices, and Toscan ight of Gold, captured the other,

second. Victor (10 to 1) third. Time, 3:25. nd race-six furlongs-Toscan (8 to 1) Malden (20 to 1) second, Meistersinge third. Time, 1:17.

race-maiden two-year-olds; seven ngs-Knight of Gold (8 to 1) won, mm Queen (3 to 1) second, Sir Faust 1) third. Time, 1:31. rth race—for two-year-olds; five and furlongs-Gloriosa (20 to 1) won, Hay (7 to 5) second, Illyria (15 to Time, 1:10 1-5.

race-selling; for three-year-olds p; one and one-sixteenth miles— Dick (16 to 5) won, Beneckhart (2 nd even) second, Aminte (15 to 1, Time, 1:53 1-5.

race-seven furlongs; two-yearto 1) second. Nevermore (5 to 1)

Latonia Track.

INCINNATI, O., November 20 .- Re race-seven furlengs; selling-Rose (7 to 1) won, Satchel (11 to 10) Ruby Ray (10 to 1) third. Time

d race-one mile-Dawson (7 to 1) Welch Girl (25 to 1) second, The coner (2 to 1) third. Time, 1:51 1-2. d race-six furlongs-Orpheum (8 to Bank Street (4 to 1) second, Sooth-(5 to 1) third. Time, 1:20. rth race—one mile and a quarter; g—Trocadice (5 to 1) won, Last at (4 to 1) second, Santa Teresa (15

Time 2:19 race-five furlongs-Versifier. (7 to Mr. Farnum (7 to 1) second, Tanto 1) third. Time. 1:05 3-4.
rac—one mile—Optimo (5 to 1) Chorus Boy (4 to 1) second, Alee (8 third. Time, 1:50.

Lakeside.

HICAGO, ILL., November 20.-Results akeside:
st race—six furlongs—Andes (1 to 2)
Pretorius (5 to 1) second. Inspector
(1 0to 1) third. Time, 1:181-5.
cond race—one mile—O Hagan (11 to
von, Chicadee (8 to 5) second. Ida S.
o 1) third. Time, 1:48.
ind race—seven furlengs—Gregor. A.
2) won. The Conqueror (11 to 2) to 5)

won. The Conqueror (11 to 2) to 5) Fairbury (15 to 1) third. Time, on the race—one mile and an eighth—sayle (30 to 1) won, Hoodwink (11 to econd, Scarlet Lily (3 to 1) third.

me. 1:59 4-5.

Fifth race—one mile—Jove (8 to 1) won, inter (2 to 5) second, Aurie B. (10 to 1) and Time. 1:48.

Fixth race—one mile—Henry of Francisca (11 to 5) won. Compass (5 to 1) cond. Port Jervis (20 to 1) third. Time.

NEW YORK, November 20 .- All grades refined sugar has been advanced ten

### REMAINS LIE IN STATE.

egan arrived in this city yester- latter. afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, over the C. ng at 9:30 o'clock. The remains guarded by a delegation from the us Catholic societies of the city. to the fact that the Rt. Rev. Van de Vyver is out of the city, ss will be said by Father McGui-

sted by several priests who were nates of the late father, some of ming here from Baltimore and ngton. Though the services will at 9:30 o'clock, the mass will not be 1 10 o'clock. The interment will in Mount Calvary Cemetery. Keegan was born in this city He was educated at the an Brothers' school and was pre-for the priesthood at St. Mary's ary, in Baltimore. He was ordain-the bishop in this city last August ft immediately afterward for Aus-

to regain his health, which at e was very poor. He improved and last week his relatives believhe was much better, and were forward to his return to the city reat pleasure. The intelligence of came as a great shock to all l-bearers will be class-mates

ollege which he attended. Fath-is survived by his father. Mr. Keegan; his sisters, Mrs. L. B. Mrs. J. A. Ryan, and Miss Isa-egan, and four brothers—John J., Edward B., and Willie K. Keed was a nephew of Sergeant and P. Jeter, and Mr. Felix Keegan.

To people listened to the Emanon Company, which appeared under mes' Methodist Episcopal church

Doza Mitchell and Master Roy tle sang, Miss Rosalie Pettis recitation, and Reginald Walker me alleged funny stories. The me opened and closed with espleasing piano duets.

THE LIFE OF The Man Behind the Desk.

oaked me hard for about three I was troubled with indigestion, and drowsiness: I had no ap-

could not sleep and I was pent a small fortune on meditors' bills; I consulted several e told me that I had liver other told me I had kidney there prescribed remedies for omplaints, but none helped me ooked upon my bad stomach my miserable existence, giv-Il hope of ever being myself

that the cause of it was all ce work, which precluded suffiexercise, and the eating of drinking of tea and cof-had to quit my work had to quit my work mental and physical strength. of mine, who weighs about and who looks the picture of sed me to use Grape-Nuts as drink Postum Cereal Coffee. his perfect health was due two pure cereals. would build up the delicate

brain and body and restore on his advice and have no cret it. I have now been us-Nuts and Postum Coffee for and am in perfect health and pounds more than I ever did.

MARSHALL-BAUGH. unds more than I ever did. ereals. I eat it four times a me of it out of the box into my hand and then cating it. Postum Coffee las also helped me greatly." Name as bridesmaids, while Messrs. D. Cottrell as bridesmaids, while Messrs. D. Cottrell as bridesmaids, while Messrs. D. Cottrell are hypersum Co., Bartle Creek Mich

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They realize that it makes the skin soft as velvet and keeps lady and baby as sweet as roses, and they have discovered from experience that it is the greatest preserver and enhancer of the complexion. It is more soothing than cold cream, more beautifying than any cosmetic. Munyon's Witch-Hazel Soap is fast supplanting the 50 and 75-cent French soaps in the favor of the women of this country. If YOU have not tried it why not take the endorsement of those who have and realize for yourself that it is the best and purest Soap in the market to-day? Sold everywhere, 15c. per cake.

# MANCHESTER AND CHESTERFIELD

WYATT COLLIAS NOT TO BE PROSECUTED.

BOTH RELEASED LAST NIGHT.

Meeting of Light Committee-Marringes-German To-Night-Gypsies in Camp.

There was much rejoicing in the Corporation Court of Manchester last night when the jury brought in a verdict, of acquittal in the case of Marcellus Hatch-

verdict was reached after long and wearisome deliberation on the part of the jury as to the prisoner's guilt. They filed out of the court-room at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and did not room at 10 o'clock in the afternoon, and did not room at 10 o'clock in the afternoon, and did not room at 10 o'clock in the afternoon, and did not room at 10 o'clock in the afternoon, and did not room at 10 o'clock in the afternoon at 10 o'clock in return until 7:10 P. M. with a verdict, the delay having been caused by the failure of one juryman to yield to the decision of the others. Only one man was for conviction, and he finally consented to the will of the majority.

Hatcher's acquirtal served to bring about the release of Wyatt Callias, the other alleged accessory to the murder of John Henry Stokes. During the trial of Hatcher it was proved that neither the prisoner or Callias were responsible in any way for the plot to injure or kill side this week, when there was a fight of Hatcher it was proved that neither the prisoner or Callias were responsible

Commonwealth's-Attorney Page ordered the release of Callias, which was done

Hatcher's aged father thanked the members of the jury, Judge Ingram, Clerk Du Val, and Sergeant Saunders, and left the court-room in company with his son. The Light Committee held an important meeting last night, among those present being Messrs. R. L. Patram, C. C. Cox, J. E. Gill; and Clerk Hall.

The resolution providing that the police officers of the city shall report all lights in the city which do not burn to the rom Texas-Funeral To-Day.

remains of the Rev. Father Kenther Kenther Strain and the first the chief of Police will have to do the latter.

A representative of the Atlantic-Coast Line railroad appeared before the combody was met at the station and do to St. Peter's Cathedral, where it is in state until the funeral services aroning at 9.28 closes. The services gard to lights was agreeably settled Auditor Hall was elected clerk of the

GYPSIES IN CAMP. A large number of gypsy women, ac-companied by their husbands and chilcompanied by their husbands and children, passed through Richmond and Manchester yesterday, and are now located in tents on the Petersburg turnpike, near this city. They travelled in covered wagons, and many of them have not been in this country long from Roumania. They attracted much attention in passing over the Free bridge yesterday. bridge vesterday.

ENJOYABLE PERFORMANCE. The presentation of "Sir Money's Cru-sade" in the Cowardin-Avenue Christian affair. The edifice was crowded, and every one present was greatly benefited by the performance. Mr. Morrissett and Mrs. Moore did exceedingly well in their parts. Other members of the cast re

ceived much praise. It is probable that the play will be reproduced within the next few weeks. The dance in the Leader Hall last night was a most enjoyable affair. The managers of the club have arranged for special music for the dance to be given next

FUNERAL OF MR. SMITHERS. The funeral of Mr. William Smithers took place from the Asbury Methodist church vesterday afternoon. The service was conducted by the Rev. Mr. John Lillingston, assisted by the Rev. Mr. J. C. Rosser. Mr. William J. Morrissett sang a solo entitled "We Shall Sleep but Not Forever." after which the body was borne to the grave in Maury ceme tery. The pall-bearers were from Liberty Council, No. 13, Junior Order American Mechanics, and Lily Council, No. 3. Daughters of Liberty. They were as fol-

From Lily Counsel-Messrs. O. Andrews and W. D. Saunders. From Liberty Council-Messrs. W. H. Coler, J. A. Foele, W. H. Marshall, A. A. Alvis, C. W. Redford, and B. W. Criddle.

NEW PASTOR FOR ASBURY. Only one change was made in the churches of Manchester by the Methodist conference, that one being at the Asbury church. The pulpit of that church is to be supplied by the Rev. J. C. Rosser, who is to take the place of Rev. Mr. John

The Rev. A. C. Berryman goes to the West-End Memorial church in Swansboro General satisfaction has been expressed over the appointments made by the con-

MARRIED IN CHESTERFIELD. Miss Alviria Vaughan and Alvin C. Watkins were married Wednesday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Vaughan, near Manchester. The nony was performed by the Rev. J.

W. Moore. A reception was tendered the couple immediately after the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Watkins will make their future home in Manchester.

HODGES-FERGUSON. Mr. John T. Ferguson and Miss Virginia Hodges were married yesterday at noon at the home of Mr. A. J. Waugh. Fourteenth and McDonough streets. The Rev. J. W. McDonough officiated. The groom is a prosperous farmer of Ches-terfield county. The bride has for many years made this city her home, but is originally from North Carolina. The couple left immediately after the ceremony for their future home in Chester-

Miss Willie A. Marshall was married to Mr. W. L. Baugh at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James F. Marshall, last evening. Miss Bessie Tatum and Miss Vergie Marshall acted

PETRIFIED SCORPION. J. C. Snellings, the druggist, has in his possession two petrified scorpions which

were brought to his store a few days ago by Edward Eggleston, a colored farmer of Chesterfield county, who found the orpions in a tin can in his barn. MAY SUCCEED MR. COUSINS.

A meeting of the city central committee will be held this evening to accept the resignation of Christopher Cousins as chairman and elect his successor. It is probable that Robert French will succeed Mr. Cousins.

It will be remembered that Mr. Couswas married to Miss Lottie O. Brandis a few days ago and has gone to Washington to live. BRIEF ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Annie Jones, the Little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Jones, of 1805 Everett street, fell from a porch Wednesday and eccived a painful bruise on the fore-end. She was treated by Dr. Lawrence Dr. William P. Mathews completed the

work of moving his household furniture to Richmond yesterday. The first german of the season to be given by the Manchester German Club

will be danced in the Leader Hall to-night Miss Elma Pennington, of Sussex, Va. is the guest of Miss Annie D. Brown.
Miss Mary broadnax Robertson, of Sa-

vannah, Ga., is visiting Mrs. R. T. Minor, at 1013 Porter street.

Mr. Windham Gary, brother of Mr.
George Gary, of Manchester, was in the city yesterday morning.

Miss Lena Warwick, of Campfield, Chesterfield county, is the guest of Mrs. Lawrence Ingram, of Porter street.

on one of the Hull street cars, is reported

Judge George M. Harrison— Stevenson vs. Henkle. Circuit court of Augusta county. Affirmed.

Flook et als. vs. Armentrout's adminis Circuit court of Rockingham county. Reversed.
Howbert et als. vs. Ella Cawthorne

Circuit court of Bedford county. Re-Judge S. G. Whittle-Partlow vs. Lickliter. Hustings cour city of Staunton, Va. Affirmed.
Valley Turnpike Co. vs. Moore. Circuit court of Rockingham county. Ap-

peal dismissed as improvidently awarded.
Valley Turnpike Co. vs. Strickler. Cir. court of Rockingham county. Appeal dismissed as improvidently award-

ington. &c., Railway Company. Circuit court of Fairfax county. Appeal allowed. City of Richmond vs. Gallego Mills Company. Law and equity court, city of Richmond. Writ of error and su-

of Richmond. Writ of error and su-persedeas. Bond, \$10,000. Richmond Passenger and Power Com-pany vs. Racks. Law and Equity court

pany vs. Racks. Law and Equity out a city of Richmond. Writ of error and supersedeas. Bond, \$700.

Bissell vs. Hood. Law and equity court, city of Richmond. Appeal. Bond, \$400.

Norfolk and Atlantic Trust Company vs. Morris's Administrator. Law and chancery court, city of Norfolk. Writ of error and supersedeas. Bond, \$5,000. Cline vs. Association Company. Law

Delaware Insurance Company vs. Simp son Law and chancery court, city of Norfolk. Writ of error refused. Norfolk. Writ of error refused.

Town Council of Marion vs. Scherer!
Circuit court of Smyth county. Writ of error awarded. Bond, \$200.

Haupe vs. Bumgardner. Circuit court of Augusta county. Appeal. Bond, \$150 9
Schreckhire vs. Wiseman. Circuit court

of Augusta county. Bond, \$200. Baltimore Dental Company vs. Puller Hustings court of Roanoke. Writ of error and supersedeas. Bond, \$250.
Wicks vs. Scull. Corporation court of Newport News. Appeal awarded. Bond,

N. & W. vs.—Cromer's admr. Circuit court of Roanoke. Writ of error and supersedeas. Bond, \$250. Bowman vs. Smith. Circuit court of

Buchanan. Appeal. Bond. \$300. Ruffin vs. Newberry. Circuit court of county. Writ of error. Bond, \$20,000. Richmond Savings Bank vs. Powhatan Clay Company. Chancery court city of Richmond. Appeal, \$250.

Carter vs. Harwood. Circuit court city of Richmond. Writ of error. Bond. Brown vs. Strother's admr.Circuit court

of Loudoun. Writ of error and supersedeas. No bond. Sayers vs. White. Circuit court of Tazewell county. Appeal and supersedeas. Turner vs. Barraud. Circuit court of

Norfolk. Appeal and superseedeas. No Slaughter vs. Danner. Law and equity court. Appeal. Bond, \$300. Preston and als. vs. Davis' exor. Circuit court of Lynchburg. Appeal and supersedeas. Bond, \$500.

Cassel vs. Webb. Circuit court of Franklin county. Appeal refused. Jenkins vs. Hitchcock. Law and chancery court city of Norfolk. Appealed re-

Dibrell vs. city of Richmond. Writ of error refused.

Kreuse vs. Commonwealth (four cases). Circuit Court of Richmond. Writ of error refused.

Cld. Deminion Steamship Company vs. Smith. Circuit Court of Richmond. Virit of error refused. Thornton's administrator vs. Stokes.

A FAVORITE POEM.

PARTING.

But for one night though that fare-

How can'st thou tell how far from

Fate or caprice may lead his steps ere

Men have been known to lightly turn

And days have grown to months and

Ere they have looked in loving eyes

Therefore, lest sudden death should come

Or time, or distance, clasp with pres-

Yea, find thou always time to say some

Night and day, regret should walk.

Mr. Herbert Ferguson, who has been ill | Circuit court Prince Edward. Writ of error refused.

Gordon vs. Funkhouser. Circuit court of Rockingham county. Reversed.

Hoy vs. Varner et als. Circuit court of Augusta county. Reversed.

Tucker vs. Commonwealth. Circuit

court of Warwick. Writ of error refused.

American Building and Trust Company

vs. Valentine's executor. Law and equity

court city of Richmond. Writ of error

ENDORSE BOWMAN BILL.

T. P. A. Men Urge Expenditure of

\$50,000 for St. Louis Exhibit.

The Virginia Division Board of Directors

and Post A Board of Directors last night

put the Travellers' Protective Associa-

tion's stamp of approval on the preposi-

sition to have Virginia spend \$50,000 on ar

The following resolutions were adopted

s considering the advisability of appro-

priating \$50,000 for the purpose of making

a creditable exhibit at the exposition to be held in St Louis during 1904; and

whereas, we believe such an exhibit will

e of inestimable benefit to our State in

"Resolved, That the Virginia Division

State Board of Directors and Post A

a project, and sincerely appeal to each of our representatives in both houses to not only vote for this measure them-

selves, but to use their best endeavors to have same passed. Be it further

"Resolved, That we most heartily en-

dorse the action of Governor Montague in regard to this matter, and sincerely

trust his stand in the premises may be followed by all public-spirited citizens."

At the meeting last night the resigna-tion of Mr. J. A. Robertson as division

Board of Directors, in joint session as

general; therefore, be it

exhibit at the St. Louis Exposition.

erre vs. Goodwyn: Circuit court away. Writ of error refused.

The hand of him who goeth forth;

If thou dost bid thy friend farewell,

Press thou his hand in thine;

that to-morrow comes?

the corner of a street,

months to lagging years

Parting, at best, is underlaid

Unseen Fate goeth, too.

Lest with thee henceforth.

earnest word

Between the idle talk,

With tears and pain.

thee

again.

between,

sure firm

for several days, is much improved.

Mr. Charles M. Dert, of Boswell, Va., has been called to the bedside of his brother, Mr. John W. Dent, of 1804 Everett

street. Mr Dent has been very ill for

street. Mr. Benester, was several weeks.
Miss Coley Lovell, of Manchester, was maid of honor at the wedding of Miss maid of honor at the wedding of Miss and Mr. Clarence Annie L. Gorman and Mr. Clarence

Annie L. Gorman and Mr. Clarence Henry Pratt, in Richmond, yesterday

MANY OPINIONS HANDED DOWN.

Supreme Court of Appeals Delivers

Decisions in a Number of Cases.

Yesterday was opinion day in the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia, and many were handed down by the

court. The court was engaged much of

the day in listening to argument in a suit against the Norfolk and Western

railway. Among the brilliant lawyers en-

aged in the court during the session were

Hon. Alfred P. Thom, of Norfolk, Hon. N. C. Manson, Jr., of the firm of Wilson & Manson, Lynchburg, and Hon. C. v. Meredith, of this city. Here are the cases in which the opinions were handed down:

Jesser vs. Armentrout's executor, &c.

Circuit court of Augusta county. Re-

Frank vs. Frank. Circuit court of

Nicholas et als. vs. Nicholas et als. Circuit court of Rockingham county. Re-

versed in part and affirmed in part.

Brown vs. Norfolk and Western Rail-

way Company. Circuit court of Pulaski

Augusta National Bank et als. vs.

Beard's executor et als. Circuit court of

Stuart vs. Pennis. Circuit court of

Russell county. Affirmed. Gordon vs. Funkhouser. Circuit court

Judge James Keith, P .-

Rockingham county: Affirmed.

county. Affirmed.

Judge R. H. Cardwell-

Augusta county. Aftirmed.

DUSTRIAL INSTITUTE BOARD.

COURSE IN MANUAL TRAINING.

Glimpse of Various Departments at the School-Sunday School Offcers-Tobacco Receipts-Fire at the

PETERSBURG, VA., November 20.— (Special.)—The semi-annual meeting of the Board of Visitors of the Virginia Normal and Industrial Institute was held Normal and Industrial Institute was held at that institution yesterday afternoon. The members present were Dr. Joseph W. Southall, Superintendent of Public Instruction; Captain C. E. Vawter, of Albemarle county; Professor S. C. Mitchell, of Richmond, and Mr. John D. Watkins, of Petersburg, the secretary of the board. While no business of special importance was transacted, matters of interest were discussed, and a thorough examination of discussed, and a thorough examination of the building and of workings of the in-stitute was made, all of which was

stitute was made, all of which was found highly satisfactory.

As is well known, the General Assembly, in March of this year amended the act of incorporation of this college, and made manual training a prominent feature in the normal course of instruction, and thereby the collegiate course was practically superseded. Under the changed system marked progress is being made, with a practical training that will be useful to the student when he or she leaves the institute.

THE MANUAL TRAINING COURSE.

the MANUAL TRAINING COURSE.

The Sloyd cooking, sewing, modelling, and like departments of manual training have been introduced, each one being in immediate charge of trained and educated teachers.

The model school gives such features as are taught in kindergartens, with pre-paratory education. It is designed to give useful training to hand and eye, as well as to the mind, and the course is made attractive and interesting to the student.

The cooking school is in charge of Delina Ross, a graduate of the High and Normal schools of Washington. Every girl in the institute is required to at-tend this school three times a week. In the sewing school a four years course is required, with two lessons a week. The students are here taught from the simplest needle work up to the finest

dressmaking, and under the newest and best system.

The Sloyd department is in charge W. A. Rogers, a graduate of the At-lanta University. Students of both sexes are taught here, and have to take a two years' course. Here the student is pre-pared for a mechanical trade, his mental abilities are developed, and the eye, hand,

and judgment are trained. The teachers in these several depart-ments are paid salaries ranging from \$600 to \$750 a year.

At yesterday's meeting of the board it was practically decided to put a portion of the sixteen acres of land surrounding the building in cultivation, and to employ an experienced farmer to superintend it. Then, probably, agriculture will be taught.

The board will invite the full commit-tee on education in the two houses of the General Assembly to visit the insti-tute, and see for themselves what is be-ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

At a meeting of West End Baptist Sun-day school last night the following officers were elected: Superintendent, T C. Crowder; Assistant Superintendent, R. W. Kruse; Secretary, R. M. Wharton; Treasurer, J. W. Holt; Musical Directors, W. H. Macasey and H. A. Savory. SENT TO THE PENITENTIARY.

In the Corporation Court to-day Wil-liam Moseley was convicted of robbery and sentenced to the penitentiary for five years. Moseley's crime was that of snatching a pocket-book from the hands of a young lady while walking along Bank street. Junius Davis (colored) was convicted of a third offence of petit larceny, with a

verdict of one year in the penitentiary. Sentence was suspended in order to hear a motion for a new trial. The trial of other felony cases

MATRIMONIAL.

Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Williams Amsden to the marriage of their daughter, Harriette, io Captain LeRoy Springs Lyon, Artillery Corps, United States army, to take place December 1st in St. Bartholomew church, Brooklyn, N. Y. Captain Lyon is a son of the late John Lyon, a distinguished lawyer of Petersburg and Richmond, and was born and reared in this city.
DESERTERS FOR THE NAVY.

William Frost, a deserter from the United States ship Buffalo at Norfolk, and Howard Messler, a deserter from the Lancaster at Old Point, who were arrested here several days ago, were taken back to their respective ships to TOBACCO RECEIPTS.

The tobacco receipts to-day were very heavy, with sales of about 300,000 pounds at the different warehouses. at the different warehouses.

Police Officer Dyer made a queer find last night—a big coop of chickens leng in the middle of Friend street. The owner was found this morning. The box of fowls and slipped from his wagon as he was coming to market.

FIRE AT A COTTON-MILL.

A fire occurred this afternoon in the pleking room at the Pocahontas cotton factory in Battersea. It is supposed to

factory in Battersea. It is supposed to have been caused by some friction in the machinery. The cotton in the room was ablaze at once, and for a while the sit-uation was very threatening. The em-ployees of the mill got to work at once, and had the fire under control by the time the department arrived. The loss was slight. Some danage to the machinery in the room was caused by the water thrown by the department.

### SNAKE GOT THE AXE.

Huge Python Brought Consternation to Sailors But Was Killed.

NEW YORK, November 20.—(Special.)— A huge python broke out of its cage, took ssession of the bridge and held the crew of the British ship Afridi terrorized for nearly two hours on the night after leaving Singapore on a voyage which ended to-day with the tying up of the ship at pier 33, East river, Captain Golding, of the Afridi, is one of the most enthusiastic collectors of rare specimens of the animal kingdom whom Director Hornaday, of the Bronx Zoo has on his staff.
When the vessel left Singapore on Oc

itober 3rd, Captain Golding had stored laway in the cages one of the finest col-dections he has yet secured. In the varied assortment of wild animals was a ypthon twenty-four teet long.

The following resolutions were adopted:

"Whereas, we hear that our Legislature 100 o'clock, a terrific hubub broke out among the animals on deck, and Captain Golding found that the python had es-caped from its cage and was calmly climb-ing the companion ladder to the bridge. Just as the snake reared its ugly head from the top rung of the ladder on the starboard side, the officer on the watch gave a yell of fear and dodged down the port ladder to the main deck.

The crew, when they learned that the snake was loose, tumbled below and pulled the forecastle hatch shut after them. "The mate was the only man who had nerve enough to stay on deck," said Cap-tain Golding to-day. "He would not take chances at close quarters, but he got a big bull's eye lantern and threw a bright light on the scene. I armed myself with a broadaxe and after half an hour of kirmishing for a chance, I got a crack

at the snake.
"The axe hit it just about the middle and cut clean through. Then I had practically two snakes instead of one to fight. Two halves writhed and wriggled around the bridge, and it took another half hour, watching my chances, to cut two sections of snake into smaller nieges. I did not

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### FOURQUREAN, TEMPLE & CO..

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succeed in killing him until I finally got a good blow within about three feet of the head, which did the business. When it was all over, there were twelve of snake laying around on the bridge."

### "LUCKY BILLY BRADY."

Pretty Peggy" and Other Things. Mr. William A. Brady, one of the bestknown men in theatrical and sporting circles in this country, arrived in the city last night and is stopping at Mur-

pny's Hotel. Mr. Brady has been a conspicuous fig-ure in the theatrical world for over twenty years. His first production was made when he was 13 years old, but he appears to have capped the climax with his production of "Pretty Peggy." in which he is starring his wife, Miss Grace

george, this season.

Miss George is well known to Richmond theatre-goers through advance report. She was booked to appear here last season in "Under Southern Skies," but the dates were cancelled, as the play

was taken to New York.

Mr. Brady says Miss George's company numbers fifty people, and the play. which deals with the early life of Peg Woffington, is unique in the respect that it presents David Garrick in a true light, and not as the hero he is usually pic

tured.

Mr. Brady says there is one scene in "Pretty Peggy" that is going to make a profound sensation. The New York papers, who sent their critics to the first production of the piece last week at Brighton, N. J., have devoted columns of space to this one feature, which all declare will be the sensation of the year ment wherever Miss George and her com-

Mr. Brady is no stranger in Richmond He is even particularly well known here. His first visit was made when he was the star of the company that played "After Dark" here many years ago. He came on several occasions with James J. Corbett, but is best known in this city as a careful producer of plays, and his name on the bill boards always passes current with the theatre-going public. Despite the fact that the week has been

the attractions presented here, Miss Grace George in her new play, "Pretty Peggy," promises to draw three very large audiences to-night, and to-morrow, matinee and night. The company supporting Miss Grace George is probably the strongest that has

been seen here, or will be seen here, this liffany are leading members of the combination, which is really a collection of metropolitan stars. Serrano will be re-membered here for his superb work in "Arizona"; the other members of the company will also be recalled for their onnection with noted and notable pro-Mr. Brady is heading his company for

New York. "It doesn't matter to me," he said in discussing the strenuous opposition he has encountered in this ter-"whether I play to 30 cents or \$30. I should prefer, however, to play to 330 or \$3,000." Mr. Brady believes that Miss Grace George is going to take her the candidates having opposition. place in the front rank of the stars that GENERAL THEATRICAL PROGRESS. Discussing the general outlook in the theatrical field. Mr. Brady says he be-lieves that it is brighter than it has ever been. By way of illustrating the

and managed in Madison Square Garden,

he found it almost impossible to get people for love or money. The vaudeville people told him that within the last few years there have been so many vaudeville theatres built in New section of the country alone employs as many specialty people as the whole of the United States engaged a few years

Mr. Brady will send another of his attractions this way on Christmas-Day— "Way Down East"—which never falls to make good its appeal to the public, and which cleared \$150,000 last year. Mr. Brady has nine companies on the road at the present time. His daily recelpts from these organizations are very considerable, and "Lucky Billy Brady" is one of the most envied theatrical men

in the business to-day.

Mr. Brady will leave for New York
on Saturday night. The company will continue its tour through Pennsylvania, on ts way to Manhattan, where the new pay is to be put on for a run, opening December 15th.

### THE JUBILEE FUND.

Directors Met To-Night.

The Citizens' Committee and the Board of Directors of the Young Men's Chris-tian Association will meet to-night at the Association building to take up the ques-tion of completing the Jubilee fund, which is being raised to place the organization

A statement of the financial condition of the Association has been mailed to each member of the Citizens' Committee and the Board of Directors. This paper shows that the amount needed to complete the Jubilee fund of \$25,000 is the sum tion are \$16,966, and the assets \$13,875,58.

for the year ending February 28th, is made when money is in bank: Locker and bath tiling...... 1,072 00 Reception-room furniture...... 180 00 

Carpets and linoleums..... 

### ompleted to-night. CO. A.'S ELECTION.

An election of lieutenants of Company A, of the Richmond Blues, was held at the Apmory last night. The election was occasionade by the resignation of First-Lieutenant Hazen and resulted in Second-Lieutenant Edgar W. Bowles being advanced to a first fleutenantcy. This left a vacancy, and First-Sergeant John F. Teller was elected to succeed Lieu-

nesday night for the purpose of electing a sucessor to Captain Thomas A. Spencer, who recently retired, and to fill any other vacancles which may occur.

remarkable demand there is for talent, he said that recently when he went to vaudeville booking agents in New York to secure some talent to fill in at the woman's exhibition, which he promoted This promises to be an interesting fight. There are two candidates, First-Lieutenant Tscharner M. Hobson and Secondhas aroused much interest.

I awoke in the night about two o'clock and found that something that I had eaten was fermenting on the stomach. I took two Ripans Tabules and had no further trouble.

### At Druggists.

The five-cent package is enough for an ordinary occasion. The family bottle, 60 cents, contains a supply for a year.

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