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National Business College, Roanoke, Virginia. The Class of '97 request your presence at their eighth annual com-mencement, Wednesday, July 23, college chapel, 8 p. m.; Thursday and Friday. July 29 and 30, Academy of Music, 8 p. m.

WEDNESDAY, July 23, college chapel: Medal contested by four essayists. Music.

Music.

Essay, "Think, What Shall the Endbe," K. C. Rogers.
Essay, "Pleasures and Benefits of Literature," Miss M. Carlotta Kindred.
Recitation, Selected, Miss Mavis Rice.
Essay, "Opportunities of a Material
Prosperity," J. E. Gish.
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Miss Edna Long,
Music.

Music.

Essay, read by student who has done best English class work of the year, "Portia," Miss Mamie Patterson. Decision of judges withheld for Friday

Ushers.—Corbine Glass, Master, M. F. Brumbaugh, R. J. Neighbors, R. H. Jackson, W. M. Powell, Frank Lucas, Lee Ephraim, A. W. Obenshain, master, F. D. Strother, T. H. Spencer, Thos. Fickling, Stuart Britts, E. R. Agner, Ben Saunders.

THURSDAY, July 29th, Academy of Music: Music, piano solo, Miss Maud Card-

Invocation, Rev. C. D. Bulla.

Address of welcome, Stuart H. Beck-

ley.

A sketch of the past work of the school and its outlook for the future, Mrs. and its outlook for the future, Mrs.
Blanche G. Rogan.
Music, vocal solo, Lanier Cray.
Awarding of medals.
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Music vocal solo, Miss Lillie Nickles.
Address to graduates, Hon. John W.
Kern.

FRIDAY EVENING: Annual address before the students of the National Business College by Col. George W. Bain, of Lexington, Ken-tucky.

Invocation, Rev. T. J. Shipman.
Music, Miss Lila Beckley.
Address by Col. Bain, "Boys and Girls,
Nice and Naughty; or the Pendulum of
Life."

Life."
Graduates—Stuart H. Beckley, Anna McClure, Louisa McEldowney, Minnie Engle, J. W. Comer, Charlotte Kindred, Maud Cardwell, Edna Long, Henry H. Walker, E. E. Willamson, Mamie Patterson, Saille Moody, Mattie Long, J. Emmet Gish, Frank M. Brumbaugh, Willie M. Hurt, Mrs. Anna Shelton, Miss Retta Martin, Miss Effie Kyle, K. C. Rogers.

W. A. GLASGOW'S MARRIAGE.

Notes of the Ceremony as Given by a Canadian Newspaper.

The London, Canada, News has the following concerning the marriage of W.

following concerding the marriage of W. A. Glasgow:

"Wedding bells have been ringing very frequently in London lately and the air was filled with glad echoes of them again yesterday when in Memorial Church at 2:30 o'clock Miss Jean Crewell Macara, daughter of the late Mr. Macara, barrister of Goderich, was married to Mr. William Anderson Glasgow, a prominent lawyer of Roanoke, Va., and though a small and quiet wedding, it was an exceedingly pretty one, for if spring and autumn are the seasons most favored for such an event, yet midsummer with

small and quiet wedding, it was an exceedingly pretty one, for if spring and autumn are the seasons most favored for such an event, yet midsummer with its wealth of fragrant flowers and the appropriate, light, dainty style of the wedding gowns gives plenty of opportunity for the display of artistic taste and the harmonious blending of bright colors.

The floral decorations in the church were lavish and beautiful; by the graceful arrangement of an abundance of flowers and plants the chancel had undergone quite a transformation. Handsome palms, flaming crimson poppies, the rainbow's hued sweet peas, and lovely syringa blossoms had 'changed its "dim religious" tone into a more festive and fitting one. The ceremony was performed by the Very Rev. the Dean of Huron, assisted by the Rev. J. W. Ten Eych.

Mr. Glasgow's groomsmen were Messrs. Edward W. Robertson and W. C. Stephenson, both of Roanoke, while the bride, who came up the aisle on the arm of Judge William Elliot, was attended by her sister, Miss Mary Macara, and Miss Annie Elliot, as bridesmaids. She wore a very stylish and becoming reception costume of white silk, with short skire, the bodice trimmed with orange tlossoms and having a yoke and sleeves of chiffon, and s large chiffon hat, trimmed with white estrich tips, and a large bouquet of white roses.

The bridesmaids' dresses were dainty organdie muslins. Miss Mary Macara's was a pink-flowered pattern over pink, with trimmings of pink ribbons and a black hat with pink ribbons and flowers. Miss Anuie Elliott's was a striped organ and gave to the occasion the ciarm of suitable muslc.

Atter the ceremony a reception was held at Judge Elliott's residence on Dufferin avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Glasgow left by the 4:30 east bound train, and many and sincere are the good wishes that follow them to their home in faraway, sunny, southern Virginia.

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CASTORIA. Chart Flitchers ways.

Whether it was our gloomy weather oe last week, or whether it is that thesn things are going to happen or not if spite of us and anything we may have to say, we do not know, but certain it is that there has been a most decided improvement in matters rocial in the last few days. It is encouraging, especially so just now, when there are so many visitors here upon whom we are anxious to make good impressions. The town is waking up. New visiting girls are being reported daily and certain of our men are standing on the corners helpiessly waiting for some one to tell them where to go first. Others have been known to leave it to flekie fortune, and to leave it to the uncertain turn of a tossed up penny. A picnic and an entertainment on Monday evening, a strawride and two entertainments on Thursday evening and a german on Friday evening is not such a bad record. It is in striking contrast with that of the last few weeks.

The picnic to Coyner's Spring came off on Monday evening in spite of the threatening weather and the rain that followed. Everybody had a good time. A picnic once well launched will usually take care of itself, no matter what may happen afterwards. A few clothes were spoiled, but taking all things into consideration the number of casualities was small. A new scheme was tried for keeping things mixed up. Each wagon was numbered and the men to go in them were selected by ballot. Possible unseemly contentions and embarrassing situations were thus provided against. Those who went were Miss Saunders, Miss Palmer, Miss Belle Kilby, Miss McClanahan, Miss Rorer, Miss Blanche Rorer. Miss Stras, Miss Cabaniss and Miss Willingham, of Georgia; Miss Koehler, Miss Palmer, Miss Breckenbaugh, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Goodwin and Messrs. Goodwin, Kent, Miller, Handy, Wood, Denison, W. F. Penn, Stras, Fitzgerald, Lack, Reid, McClanahan, Davant, Ellet and VanLear. Owing to the rain the greater part of the evening was spent in dancing in the ball-room of the hotel. Why not seize upon the first "dry moon" and have another?

Miss Stras entertained a few friends informally in honor of her guests, Miss Willingham and Miss Cabaniss, of Georminignam and Miss Cabaniss, of Georgia, on Thursday evening. There was no special programme for the evening's entertainment. Those present were Miss Willingham, Miss Cabaniss, Miss Leary, Miss Koehler. Miss Taliaferro. Miss Saunders, Miss Dorney and Messrs. Lack, Deurison, Kent, Fitzgerald, Wood, McClanahan, W. F. Penn, Saunders and Stras.

Stras.

The young people at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Wingfield opened their doors to a small party of friends on Thursday evening also. A very pleasant little german was successfully piloted through by Messrs. Norvell and Milier. The guests were Miss Rorer, Misr Blanche Rorer, the Misses Rogers, Miss Horner, Miss Keed, Miss Ruffin, of Danville; Miss Wingfield, Miss Bibb, Miss Davant, Miss Trezevant, Miss Dunlap, Miss Sauderson, Mrs. Mencea and Messrs. Hawkins, Miller, Norvell, Wingfield, J. B. Lee, Reid, Horner, Lawrence Davis and Davant.

The second german of the season was

Messrs. Hawkins, Miller, Norvell, Wingfield, J. B. Lee, Reid, Horner, Lawrence
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The second german of the season was
given by the Cotillion Club at Blue
Ridge on Friday evening. It was the
largest in years, and was most satisfactory to the club. The Cotillion Club appreciates the interest that is being taken
in it and its affairs. Their invitations
will be issued shortly, and all persons
who may wish to attend the club's entertainment and who may not have received
them will be passed upon by the executive committee. This is especially important, as those in charge will then know
exactly how many there will be in the
germans. The chaperones will also be
invited by the committee. The club is
every ready to extend its hospitality, but
its ability is limited to a certain number
and it therefore asks that its rule in the
greyning was led by Messrs Wellford
and Dayton Miller Those present were
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Miss Trezevant, of Atlanta, is visiting Miss Anne Davant, on South Jefferson

Mrs. Robert H. Gambie, of Tallahassee, Florida, is at the home of Mrs. J. F. Yong ϵ , on Twelfth avenue s. w.

Mrs. Hubert Watts and Miss Maizie Hutter, of Lynchburg, are at Blue Ridge. Miss Ruth Saunders left on Friday to visit her sister, Mrs. Dr. Meredith, near

Miss Bessie Rust is spending the summer in Orange courty. She will not return to Roanoke until October.

Miss Martha Belle Trout is visiting at Sycamore, near Winchester, Kentucky. The wedding of Miss Willie Gambill and Mr. John DuBois, of Pennsylvania, will take place early in September.

"Mics Lucile Kilby has returned home from Staunton. Miss Waite and Miss Young, of Staunton, are visiting at her home on Jefferson street. Mrs. Frederick Auspaugh is at home, after a long visit to Lynchburg.

Hollins is more popular this summer than for many years past. About sev-enty people are spending the summer

Mrs. W. H. H. Doiney and Miss Dor-ney left yesterday for Crockett's. They will be absent from the city about a Mrs. Joseph Stras and family will street.

leave early in August for a month at Mountain Lake. They will be accompanied by Miss Willingham and Miss Cabaniss, who are now their guests.

Miss Kate Clark, of Florida, will arrive in Rosnoke to-morrow to spend the re-mainder of the summer with Mrs. Breck-enridge, at 928 South Jeffeson street.

EDWARD JETER, REPORTER.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Aliff died at their home on Union street Thursday morning at 6 o'clock, of choiera infantum. The remains were interred yesterday morning at 10 o'clock in the Disciples' burying ground across the river.

Walter H. Oakey, son of our townsman, Wm. S. Oakey, now living in Durham, N. C., is at home on a visit to his parents. Rev. G. J. Hoblay, of the Salem Baptist Orphanage, will this morning and to-night occupy the pulpit at the Baptist Calvary Church in Roanoke.

City Sergeant J. B. Frier leaves tomorrow for a summer outing at the Craig Healing Springs. The Times-Register man intimates that the sergeant's age is up in the 70's, but, that when he goes to the springs he is as frisky as an 18 year old lad.

Miss Jennie Rogers, of Roanoke, after a pleasant visit to Miss Louise Logan, returned yesterday to ner home.

Capt. P. B. Booth left yesterday morning to visit his sister, Mrs. F. J. Keen, at Brutus, Pittsylvania county.

Salem was thrown into a state of wild excitement Friday evening by the loud ringing of the fire bell. The fire company quickly responded with reel and chemical engine. A small blaze had been started from an oil stove in the Abrams house on Broad street, now occupied by the Misses Armstrong. The fire was insignificant and was soon extinguished without the use of either reel or gu!shed without the use of either reel or

Misses Hattle Wolfenden and Essie Wells have returned from a pleasant visit to friends at Koiner Springs.

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Tursday morning Superintendent Reanmur C. Stearnes will leave for Rockbridge county to attend an institute, which will be held in the interest of the white teachers of the county. The institute will be head in the public school building at Lexington, with the following instructors: h. C. Stearnes, of Roanoke county; Mrs. M. F. Mcffett, Professors Jas. A. Quarles, D. D., N. S. Curell, S. T. Moorehead and others.

Misses Annie Letenand Messent Liberty and the second second

Misses Annie Jeter and Margaret Johnson, who have been attending the State normal at Charlottesville, returned home Friday evening. Mrs. Kizer, Miss Jennie Goff, Miss Fannie Folkes and T. D. Dowers returned yesterday evening.

Cant. T. H. Arneld, of Memphis.

Capt. T. H. Arnold, of Memphis, Tenn., and Dr. B. W. Arnold and wife, of Front Royal Academy, are visiting R. C. Stearnes and wife at their home on Development Heights.

Edward Turner, a mulatto, who lives in the Cave Spring neighborhood, was tried Friday in the county court for alleged incest. The case occupied the attention of the court and jury the entire day. Late in the evening the jury retired and in a few moments brought in a verdict of not guilty. The case was prosecuted by Attorney J. S. Baer, and the prisoner was defended by Attorney M. G. McClung.

On Friday morning Edward Fitzgerald

At the Presbyterian—Morning service by Dr. Luther A. Fox, of the college. No night service.

At the Methodist—Morning sermon by the pastor, Rev. James E. Armstrong. At night the 'services will be conducted by the Rev. J. Collins Denny, of Vanlerbilt University.

At the Baptist—Morning service by Mr. Robert Hatcher, of the Louisville Seminary. No announcement "has been made for the night service.

At the Lutheran—Service* morning and night by Mr. C K. Bell, the present pastor.

DEATH OF JOHN W. HOLLAND. Danville, July 24.—John W. Holland, the ploneer tobucconist of this place, died this morning, aged 75 years.

FREDERICKSBURG FOR TYLER. Richmond, July 24. Fredericksburg elected delegates last night to the Ron-noke convention. They were instructed for Tyler for governor.

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Report on the Value of Railroad Property in Virginia.

Richmond, July 24.—The report of the board of public works of the State just issued shows the state of railroad property in Virginia during the present year.

There are, according to this report, in all 3,560.25 miles of railroad in operation at the beginning of the new fiscal year, of which 164.18 are operated by street car which 164.18 are operated by street car companies, while the balance is owned by stean. Tailroad companies. The following values have been placed by the board on the various kinds of property: Road-



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