FARMVILLE HERALD.

FRIDAY, APRIL 12, 1907.

JUST ONE CENT A WORD.

Wants, for sale, lost, found—in fact any and all advertisements inserted in this column for ONE CENT a word, each insertion, with a minimum charge of 10 cents. Signatures counted as part of advertisement.

Unless the number of insertions desired is stated at the time of entering the advertisement it will be contiued at the above rate until notice to discontinue is received.

Town of Farmville Bonds amounting to $12,000 were destroyed by fire on last Tuesday night. Sergeant Miller poked them in the stove by order of the Council.
We redeem burned barns when insured with us.
Paulett-Venable-Garland.

The insurer is assured his insurance is "insurance that insures," if he is assured his insurance is assured by Paulett-Venable-Garland Co. That's insurance.

The rifle was sold at such a bargain that I bought it myself. Now everybody will want it. I have another one. S. W. Paulett, Jr.

Typewriters S. W. Paulett, Jr.

Address Box C Farmville, Va., if you have a dwelling for sale.

FOR RENT—A very desirable cottage near Normal School; also two nice rooms over Miller's store. Apply to W. H. Burger.

Your rent money guaranteed. Polite and courteous to tenants. Farmville Rental Agency.

List your city property for rent with us. Prompt remittances and collections guaranteed.
Farmville Rental Agency.

FOR SALE—Top buggy, pole and set of harness. Cheap. Dr. W. E. Anderson.
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Windsor Hotel for rent. Apply to
S. W. Paulett, Jr.

FOR SALE.—A splendid nine room residence All modern improvements. Most healthful and beautiful location in town. A good investment. For particulars apply at Herald Office.
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FOR RENT—New and desirable store house opposite the Courthouse. Apply to
C. E. Chappell.
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Patrick Henry and John Randolph in Prince Edward.

When Patrick Henry lived in Prince Edward his home was at Venable's Ford. Judge Tazewell visited Patrick Henry there and took with him his son, Littleton, a boy less than ten years old. Governor Littleton Tazewell was born in 1774. The visitors found Patrick Henry in the shade of an oak, playing the fiddle for the amusement of a group of boys and girls.

Governor Tazewell and John Randolph were at school together in Williamsburg, and great friends. When John Randolph went away to the Bermudas, the boys swapped their Corderys (Latin books.) Mr. Tazewell told Hugh Blair Grigsly that Randolph was very idle at school and was flogged regularly every Monday morning and two or three times during the week. John Randolph was first elected to Congress in 1799. He was then living at Bizarre. Bizarre was his residence until 1810, when he moved to Roanoke. A sister of Judith Randolph, Richard Randolph's wife, married Gouverneur Morris of New York. In the sharpest correspondence we ever read between Mr. Randolph and his cousin Nancy, who married Gouverneur Morris, that brilliant lady severely rasps her distinguished relative for taking upon himself the title of John Randolph of Roanoke. About 1800 the Rev. Drury Lacy established a school in Prince Edward, at "Ararat," some two miles from Bizarre. This school continued until 1815. Mr. Randolph put three of his wards under the care of Mr. Lacy. He would often ride over from Bizarre to hear the boys recite their Latin and Greek grammar lessons before breakfast.

John Randolph was not only one of the original trustees of the town of Farmville, but he owned several lots in the town. These were conveyed to him in 1805 and 1806 by Francis Walthall, a purchaser of 1798, and by Sheriff Samuel V. Allen. Francis Walthall got $140 for his half-acre lot in 1805. He paid about £30 for the same in 1798. By his will of 1831 Mr. Randolph left his houses and lots in Farmville to Henry St. George Tucker.

During his canvass with John W. Eppes (which ended in John Randolph's defeat) Mr. Randolph went to very few places of worship. He sometimes went to hear Mr. Hoge, a Presbyterian minister, and president of Hampden-Sidney college—a man of great talent and piety. He spoke in high and just praise of Mr. Hoge, and I have no doubt sincerely, but doubtless more frequently and openly than he would have done had he not been a candidate for election, and hard pressed. Probably Mr. Randolph's greatest efforts at speaking were made during the canvass with Mr. Eppes. He was told by a friend that his speech at Prince Edward Courthouse was considered to be the best speech he ever made. He replied that it was the only time he ever felt conscious of being eloquent while speaking. At Prince Edward Courthouse he spoke for an hour perhaps, and when he concluded I found myself musing and walking without any aim or object, and looking around, found the crowd gradually dispersing in the same mood. The Rev. Moses Hoge was sitting in a chair opposite the speaker, and remained till I observed him, still with his mouth open and looking stedfastly in the same direction. [Powhatan Bouldin's Reminiscences.]

The celebrated Peter Francisco at one time owned a small estate in Prince Edward county which he bought in 1794, selling a part of it again the next year at more than a hundred per cent. profit. Francisco was six feet one inch tall and weighed 260 pounds. During the Revolution he used a sword five feet long. He could easily shoulder a cannon weighing 1,100 pounds, and he could take in his right hand a man weighing 195 pounds and play his head against the ceiling. When Tarleton raided through Nottoway county in 1781, Francisco (within sight of the whole force) got the better of nine dragoons and made off with six of their horses. A thousand years ago Francisco might have been canonized.

In Memoriam.

Died at the home of his parents, near Farmville on Sunday, March 31st, Walter Venable, infant of Mr. and Mrs. W. Howell Richardson, aged five months. The funeral took place the following day, conducted by Rev. H. Tucker Graham. The bereaved parents have the deepest sympathy of their many friends.

BRIEFS AND PERSONALS.

In Season.

The summer girl is but a dream,
Of soda, vichy, and ice cream.
The autumn girl brings visions fair
Of partridge, quail, and woodcock rare.

The winter girl revives again
Our thoughts of blue points and champagne;
But now the springtime maid is here,
So, ho for shad roe and bock beer!

We suppose the frog was made to croak, but there is no need that you should.

Are you going to the opening day of the Jamestown Exposition? Remember that the gates open on the 26th of the present month.

Dr. W. J. Gills spent last Sunday with Mrs. Gills who is remaining with her sister, Mrs. W. T. Clark, near Asheville, N. C.

There are some very little graves in our cemetery, but they cast long shadows from end to end of the lives of the survivors and mourners.

The late Mr. Luther T. Williams was a member of the local Conclave of Heptasophs, one of the best of fraternal insurance orders in existence.

The Rev. Jas. R. Graham, D. D., of Winchester, Va., will preach at the Presbyterian Church next Sunday, the 14th instant, at the night service.

We have again to say that the Herald charges for cards of thanks, obituary notices and resolutions of respect. The charge is reasonable—5 cents a line.

Miss Mary Johnson, daughter of our townsman, Mr. Tucker Johnson, is recovering rapidly from an operation performed in Richmond for appendicitis.

Miss Ella Burger, who recently returned home from the far South where she spent the past winter, has been quite sick, but we are glad to report she is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Chappell announce the approaching marriage of their neice, Miss Martha May Lehman, to Mr. Edgar Davis Kuykendall, Tuesday, April 30th, at noon.

Mr. Charles Bugg continues to command the forces at work in the Farmville postoffice, and little is heard of the recent appointment and confirmation of Mr. R. W. Garnett.

Spring flowers do often look as though they were chilled and we sometimes wonder whether or not they do actually feel the sting of the cold as men do.

The first game of baseball was played in Farmville last Friday when Hampden-Sidney crossed bats with the home team, resulting in a score of 9 to 8 in favor of the visitors.

The Mothers' and Children's Library Association will hold a festival on Thursday, April 18th, in the Armory. Everybody is invited to come and donate and personate a book.

Yet it has been just as cold in April over and over again. You pulled off your flannel too soon last spring, and you have repeated the folly again this spring. Try it again, catch pneumonia and "be an Angel."

We regret the Appomattox isn't navigable right through to the exposition grounds. What house parties we would have going and coming, but we will go just the same and have fun from start to finish.

The nearby counties are responding liberally to the request for appropriations for the Farmville Summer Institute, and we believe there will be no hesitation on the part of Prince Edward Supervisors to do likewise.

A friend from the country dropped in upon us on one of the recent cold mornings and said: "The fruit is all killed but the 'huckleberry' crop will be a daisy." His countenance brightened as he gave out this cheerful prophecy.

We are very glad to report the condition of Mr. W. H. Ewing as being much improved. He is up and going about his farm attending to business, and will no doubt announce himself for re-election to the office of treasurer of Prince Edward.

The street committee, backed by the entire council membership, will have a hard time pleasing all the property holders in their plans for the laying of granolithic sidewalks. Everybody naturally wants good sidewalks before their doors.

What a contrast between the last Saturday in March and the first Saturday in April. It is hard to realize how nature can blow hot and cold in such quick succession. Mystery above, around and beneath, but human life is the most mysterious of all.

The entertainment given at the Armory Monday and Tuesday nights by two experts in skating and bicycling was new and novel to Farmville, and a great crowd witnessed the first night's performance. It was given for the benefit of the Guard, and a nice sum was realized.

The moving picture entertainments which have been given at the Opera House the past week have been excellent, and the price to attend is reasonable enough for everyone in town to enjoy them. Tonight and tomorrow night they will be continued, and it is hoped that a large crowd will attend each of these engagements.

Mr. Wm. W. Jackson, Manager Southside Virginia Branch of the Southern Farm Agency has just sold to Mr. I. W. Sharp, of Milford county, Ohio, the elegant Lawford place in Buckingham county, I price $15,000 cash. It is near the booming town of Arvonia. Mr. Jackson is making a speciality of fine places such as this and hopes to settle a large number of people of means and refinement such as Mr. Sharp and his family in this section.

List Your Farm.

If you want the cash for your farm, at a fair price, no fancy price, but what it is worth, and want to sell quickly, I am in the position to handle it. Am making a specialty of large estates, have customers for any number if the prices are right, most of them will pay all cash. Cost you nothing unless I sell. List them with

Wm. W. Jackson,
Member of N. & W. R. R. Immigration Association. Manager Southside Virginia Branch Southern Land Agency, Farmville, Va.
Phone 47.

Successful pugilists take the pound cake.

Town Council Meeting.

The town council met last Tuesday night. Mayor Blanton presided and the following members were present: Messrs. H. E. Wall, H. E. Barrow, W. T. Doyne, Dr. Anderson, W. M. Duvall, W. C. Fallwell, E. L. Erambert, Walker Scott and J. R. Martin.

The Finance Committee was first heard after the reading of minutes. Sergeant Miller's report was read as follows:

By real estate	$149 44
By personal estate	6 72
By license	5 00
By road tax	72 07
By poor tax	14 65
By electric light	405 00
By fines	40 00
By Capitation	6 50
By penalties	11 70
By burial lots	15 00
By material	120 00
By street dirt	17 50
By interest	1 46
	$864 04

Treasurer Paulett submitted his monthly report which follows:

By balance on hand last report	$5,635 00
Received from Sergeant	864 04
	$6,499 04
DISBURSEMENTS.	
To salary account	$502 82
To poor account	9 75
To light account	384 80
To interest account	1,815 00
To street account	395 30
To finance account	1,575 51
To armory account	26 00
By balance	$1,729 86
DISPENSARY REPORT.	
By sales to date	$18,960 00
To warrants paid	13,800 79
Balance	$5,159 21

The following accounts against the town were ordered to be paid:

Water company	$181 25
Duvall, Son & Co., merchandise	54
C. T. Chick, jailor	16 95
J. N. Meador, police	5 00
Dick Brown, janitor	4 50
Prince Edward, material for jail	36 00
Barrow Coal Co., coal	73 95
P. H. C. Rice, Commissioner of Revenue book	6 60
Jack Foster, springing	5 25
N. B. Davidson, blankets	2 50
G. E. Cox, rations	10 00
A. D. Jenkins, shoeing mule	80
W. W. Jackson, gravel	25 00
Leslie Forus, labor at Walton fire	2 00
W. D. Jones & Bro., repairing sprinkler	5 00
S. W. Paulett, Jr., street warrants	140 39
Light bills	229 90
S. W. Paulett, Jr., light bills paid	119 79
	$875 42

Fifteen hundred dollars of 6 per cent electric light bonds that had been taken up by the Finance Committee were presented and burned.

On motion of Mr. Wall, the Mayor was requested to have the owners of property on Third street put their fences back on their orginal lines.

The Mayor reported that the Tidewater and Western Railway had agreed to separate the two races in its Farmville waiting rooms. The Norfolk and Western had not responded to the Mayor's request for a separation.

The Finance committee recommended a reduction of ten cents on the one hundred dollars in taxes, making the levy 85 cents instead of 95 cents.

Mr. P. H. C. Rice, Commissioner of Revenue, informed the council that the town received from the income tax only $188.00, and this small amount from only thirty-five persons, nearly all of whom are salried men. He also advised the council that the city of Richmond levied no income tax upon its citizens. This statement gave rise to a motion from Major Martin that our citizens be exempt from paying a tax on their incomes. The motion was unanimously carried, barring the vote of Mr. Doyne, who opposed it.

Mr. W. P. Venable, cashier of the Planters Bank, of Farmville, came before the council with the most commendable suggestion that the town do something in the way of advertising its advantages to the thousands who will soon visit Jamestown. Mr. Venable said that if the council would appropriate $200.00 he would raise the same sum from the citizens. Dr. Anderson moved that the amount asked for be appropriated and put in the hands of a committee, appointed by the Mayor, to be expended to the town's best advantage. The motion was unanimously carried.

Annual Meeting of T. P. A.

The annual meeting of Post M, Travellers Protective Association, was held last Monday afternoon in the Mayor's office. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mr. C. F. Bugg. All the old officers were re-elected for the ensuing year. Mr. W. C. Duvall and Mr. J. L. Hart were elected delegates to the State Convention which meets at Alexandria on May 10-11. The delegates were empowered to appoint each his own alternate.

November Election.

The coming November election will be the most important in the history of the county until in the regular course of affairs another county election returns. The officers to be chosen all have to do with our home-affairs, and at home is the "dearest spot on earth." So these local affairs are of most concern. The very best men should be selected, and it isn't too early to begin to discuss their merits. Nor is it too early for those who aspire to these honors to let it be known.

We modestly suggest that the columns of the Herald furnish best medium for communicating such knowledge. Maybe in this case, as in others, the "early bird will get the worm."

Sermons.

There are many solemn and impressible sermons preached from our pulpits Sunday after Sunday, and our friends are falling from the ranks of the living as the days go by. In the recent past we have stood by the grave of the old man, who had lived out the full time allotted to man, then we have buried the strong man who was cut down while yet the sun of life had scarce crossed the meridian and then we have covered over with flowers the grave of the little one plucked from the parent stem ere the bud had bloomed out into the blossom. Who next? "Are we ready? ready for the judgment day?"

Columbia Graphophones are the best in every respect—most durable and the simplest to operate. Fully guaranteed for one year. Wade & Cralle.

Marriott Twins Coming.

The Marriott Twins will open a two nights' engagement at the Armory Monday night. Their performances are wonderful. An exchange says of them:

"The Marriott twins opened a week's engagement at the local rink last night. Their entertainment is entirely original and the people of Milton never saw anything of the kind. Those who saw them last evening pronounce them the best attraction at the rink this season, which means a great deal."

The Farmville Building and Trust Company.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Farmville Building and Trust Company was held last Tuesday afternoon in the law offices of Judge J. M. Crute. Mr. W. B. Gates was called to the chair and Major John R. Martin acted as secretary of the meeting.

The reports of the president, Dr. J. L. White, and the secretary, Major Martin, showing the transactions of the year, were of a most satisfactory character. From their reports the company was shown to be in a good and healthy condition, and that there has been an increase in its transactions during the past year. In his annual address Dr. White said in part: "As expected from the instructions given the Board of Directors at the last annual meeting, the assets and liabilities of the company have diminished somewhat, while the receipts and disbursements have increased, but not sufficient to overcome the curtailment in the profit and loss account, but do not justify us to recommend so large a dividend as was declared at your last annual meeting. The total transactions for the year amount to $72,916.81, while the receipts and disbursements show an increase of $2,464.81. There are at present 400 shares of stock, 181 of which are fully paid up. The assets of the company above its liabilities for the fiscal year amount to $9,456.40 less $1,992.00 not yet collected nor available, but which may be collected during the transactions of the ensuing year. The net earnings of the company which are available at present are $6,209 and we therefore recommend that a dividend of 7 per cent be declared, and the balance, amounting to $2,800 or $3,000, be placed to the credit of profit and loss or sinking fund account."

Under the new plan adopted two years ago by the company, dividends to stockholders have been curtailed and the borrower's interests enhanced.

The Guard's Fine Showing.

The local interest in the Farmville Guard was shown Monday night in the crowd which thronged the Armory to witness the inspection by the Federal Government Officer Colonel Dempsey. The inspection was in full dress uniform, and the new suits helped the boys greatly. Colonel Dempsey was exceedingly complimentary to both officers and men in line and announced that they had made at least 95 per cent. which well sustains the Guard's record. Col. Dempsey caused much enthusiasm by detailing arrangements for the comfort and pleasure of the soldiers at the Jamestown Exposition.

Captain Hunt is to be congratulated on the excellent condition of the Guard, which a few weeks ago did not afford to him much encouragement.

A Personal Statement.

I wish to make known by this statement, made and signed by me and my wife, in exoneration of Judge J. M. Crute, Judge A. D. Watkins and Wm. Lancaster, for any transaction that may have taken place between us, and of which there have been many rumors on the streets. I desire to say there was no undue influence either by threat or otherwise used by Judge J. M. Crute, A. D. Watkins or Wm. Lancaster, in any way, to sign any contract or transfer any property to J. M. Crute or others; that our business relations have all been amiable and satisfactory; that the signing of transfer of property was done by me and my wife of our own free will and volition, all rumors to the contrary notwithstanding.

Pascal Fowlkes,
Martha Fowlkes.

Witnesses
P. H. Hilton,
P. A. Hall,
Thomas A. Bolling.

A gloomy, cloudy Sunday is always to be regretted and such we have had of late. Its rest, however, is always refreshing, and if it brought nothing else it would still be "day of all the week the best." And some one has so well said:

"Rest is not quitting
The busy career;
Rest is the fitting
Of self to its sphere.
'Tis loving and serving,
The highest and best,
'Tis onward, unswerving,
And that is true rest."

An old Farmville house with its associations will have gone when Mr. W. T. Doyne has removed the material out of which the Richardson house, on High street was made, to build elsewhere. Many of us will miss the old landmark, but all of us will welcome the new

Constipation causes headache, nausea, dizziness, languor, heart palpitation. Drastic physics gripe, sicken, weaken the bowels and don't cure. Doan's Regulets act gently and cure constipation. Ask your druggists.

Lunenburg County Teachers Institute.

It was my privilege to attend a most interesting and enthusiastic meeting of teachers held last week at Lunenburg Courthouse.

A full and rich program had been arranged by the wide awake county superintendent, Mr. J. T. Wilkinson, and nearly every teacher in the county attended the three days meeting.

Lunenburg has fallen behind many of her sister counties in educational progress, but it is evident that she is waking up to the importance of better schools and school houses and I doubt not she will make great strides in the near future.

It was my first visit to the noted capital of the Free State of Lunenburg, and I was more than pleased with the hospitality and intelligence of the people and in their awakened interest in the public schools.

I listened to practical and inspiring addresses made by State Superintendent Eggleston, by Dr. Frazer, of the Co-operative Education Commission, and by Examiner Jas. H. Saunders in whose circuit Lunenburg is situated.

Mr. Eggleston spoke especially to tax-payers and citizens, a large number of whom attended the Institute, urging upon them a more cordial interest in and more hearty financial support of their schools.

Mr. Saunders made several addresses covering a wide range of subjects, laying special stress upon the duties of school trustees and patrons, and pointing out the benefits to be derived from the centralization of schools.

Dr. Frazer addressed himself especially to the teachers magnifying their work and pointing out the qualifications necessary for their success. He said in part: The importance of the work of the country teachers cannot be overestimated. There are 500,000 children of school age in Virginia—a larger force than the entire army of the Confederacy.

What Virginia is to be in the future depends upon what these children will be, and that upon what the school are, and that upon what the teachers are. The chief end of education is to develop power and character. The teacher must not simply know, not simply be able to impart knowledge, but must have the wisdom and the skill to educate—to draw out and eliminate the bad, to draw out and develop the good, in the child.

For this high work, high qualifications are demanded:

A. Knowledge—1: Of the child, it's body, it's mind. 2: Of the implements to be used in developing the child—arithmetic, geography, history, &c. 3: Of the best methods of using these implements.

B. Power to teach—1: To awaken and direct interest. 2: to implant high ideals and arouse worthy ambitions. 3: To develop the character of the child.

C. Personal Character—1: More important for the child than what the teacher knows and what she can do is what she is. 2. She must be what she wants the children to become—patient, cheerful, sympathetic. 3: She must have social instincts that will lead her seek to help and elevate the homes of the community in which she teaches.

In closing, the speaker deplored the meager salaries paid to teachers at present, and asserted emphatically that teachers must raise the standard of the profession and that will raise the salaries.

Such a teachers' meeting served to greatly awaken and increase the interest of the people of Lunenburg county in their public school, and just such a teacher's institute we must have in Prince Edward next fall.

J. H. Davis, Supt.

Obituary.

Died at her home in Cumberland county, March 24th, 1907, Mrs. Adeline M. Carter, widow of the late Samuel Carter, in her seventy-ninth year. She had been in ill health for several years, but she bore her suffering patiently, and calmly awaited the summons to meet her Master. She had been a faithful member of the Baptist church ever since childhood, and a consistent Christian, and was loved by all with whom she met. She leaves five sons, and three daughters, besides many friends and relatives to mourn her loss. Funeral services took place from the residence, conducted by the Rev. Mr. Lawson, and the remains were laid to rest in the family burying ground by the side of her devoted husband who preceded her nineteen years ago.

Silent is the home that the loved one has gone from. But may the dear ones always remember that though her dear face is not present, her gentle spirit remains ever with them to beckon them upward and onward into the paths of usefulness to God.

May the sweet consolation be theirs that they may meet again "in the sweet bye and bye." "For death is only a dream."

Oh! not in cruelty, not in wrath,
The reaper came that day.
An Angel visited that sweet home
And took that loved one away.

FRANCES FAHRNER.

An Old Veteran Passes Away.

After a lingering and painful illness, Mr. H. C. Allen, has answered the final summons. Always a frail and delicate man, he was a very giant in moral strength "Because his heart was pure."

No man ever had a truer or more loyal friend. Whenever the shadows were darkest—and they have been many—then it was that he was readiest with counsel, help and sympathy.

Modest, but retiring, but firm and uncompromising when principle was involved, he was always lenient with the faults and frailties of his fellowman.

A lover of justice and truth and right, a worshipper of his beloved South Land and her Lost Cause, he was a pure product of a period that is past, alas! forever.

But why mourn? The silent boatman has only come again and beckoned another old Confederate Hero to take passage for the other shore where, God grant, all will be sunshine, and and where with his Immortal Commander he may "rest under the shade of the trees" forever and forever.

The above was taken from the Roanoke Evening News. Mr. Henry C. Allen died at his home in Roanoke, of pneumonia, on the 26th of March. The funeral took place from the first Baptist church of that city on the morning of the 28th, conducted by the pastor, Rev Mr. Shipman. The floral tribute was beautiful. Mr. Allen was 61 years of age, was a native of Farmville, though most of his life was spent elsewhere. He was married twice. He leaves a wife and three children, one sister, Mrs. E. W. Ellington, of this place; two brothers, Mr. G. M. Allen, of Clover, and Mr. T. A. Allen, of Washington, D. C.

Letter to Baxter Davis.

Farmville, Va.

Dear Sir: If we sell Devoe to paint your town, your road won't have so much freight to handle.

It takes 10 gallons to paint a fair-size house, and that house won't want painting again for 5 or 10 years. That's true in a way; but people, you know, rather like fresh paint, and they paint for nothing but looks sometimes.

That house would take 12 or 13 gallons of almost any other paint than Devoe, and would have to be painted again in half that time. Ten years is a very long time for a paint to wear; and five isn't short.

Which makes the most freight, a 10 or 20-gallons paint? 5 or 10 year-paint? But the 10-gallon paint is the 10-year paint; and the 20-gallon is the 5-year paint. Which makes the most freight?

Ask your paint-dealer which he'd rather sell, and which he sells most of. Ask your painter which he'd rather paint; whether good or bad paint is good for his business; which is good paint, the 10 or 15-gallon paint; which pays most freight, and which pays most wages. Which will you buy yourself, the 10-gallon 10-year, or 20-gallon 5-year paint?

Yours truly
F. W. Devoe & Co.

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P. S.—J. F. Walton & Co., sell our paint.

More new styles in Ladies Oxfords
R. N. Hillsman & Co.

Big line Spring and Summer hosiery for Ladies and Gentlemen.
R. N. Hillsman & Co.

Latest styles in Blue Serge and Plaid Suits for men. R. N. Hillsman & Co

When a girl gets a letter it wouldn't be half so interesting if she let you see it as she makes believe.

Some Regulations as to Teacher's Certificates.

1. Any teacher who has held a first grade certificate for eight years prior to July, 1907, and presents to the State Board of Examiners satisfactory evidence of successful experience in the public schools of Virginia for at least six of the said eight years, accompanied by a recommendation from the superintendent of the division in which he last taught, may be granted a first grade certificate without further examination.

2. All male colleges in Virginia will be accredited whose B. A. degree is accepted at the University of Virginia as a preliminary degree for graduate courses.

3. All female colleges in Virginia will be accredited which are recognized by the United States Commissioner of Education.

4. First grade certificates which expire in 1907 may be extended for one year, provided the holder has taught for at least two sessions during the life of the certificate and presents to the Examiner of his circuit a certificate from the superintendent of the division in which he last taught, showing satisfactory evidence of successful experience.

5. Particular inquiries in reference to examinations and certificates should be addressed to the Examiner of the circuit in which the teacher is employed.

J. H. DAVIS, Supt.

State Sunday School Convention.

The 16th Annual Convention of the Virginia State Sunday School Association will be held in the Main Street Methodist Church of Danville, Va., Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, April 23, 24, and 25. Railroad rates of one and one-third, plus 25 cents extra, have been secured on all roads for the round trip. Accredited delegates will be entertained. Every Evangelical Sunday School in the State is entitled to one delegate besides the pastor and superintendent. The program will be exceptionelly strong—strong speakers, with practical and helpful subjects for Sunday School workers. It is believed that this Convention will mark a new era in the Sunday School work of the state. An exceptionally large representation is expected from all parts of Virginia. Delegates will send their names, address and name of their church to Mr. W. P. Boatwright, Chairman of the Local Committee of Arrangements, at Danville, or the General Secretary, Louis J. McIntosh, Chamber of Commerce Building, Richmond, Virginia.

Notice to Teachers.

The first regular examination of teachers will be held at the Farmville High School on May 2nd, 3rd, and 4th beginning each day at 9 A. M.

The second regular examination will be held on July 29th, 30th, and 31st. Teachers may take either of these examinations but all who do not expect to attend a summer institute should take the examination in May, as the result of the July examination may be made known too late for many teachers to contract for schools. Those teachers who take the examination in May and fail will be premitted to take the July examination if they in the mean time attend some summer institute.

Apr-12-3 J. H. DAVIS, Supt.

Rolls of Honor.

Hampden-Sidney School.—Hendy Butcher, Bernard Oliver, Myrtle Butcher, Minnie Chernault, Mattie Chernault, Lillian Miller, Oley Kernodle, Ada Oliver, Martha Butcher, Fannie Scott, Tom Scott, John Kongaw.

There are many tonics in the land,
As by the papers you can see;
But none of them can equal
Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea.
—The Winston Drug Co.

Your suit made to measure, fit and workmanship guaranteed. "Best values in all America."
R. N. Hillsman & Co.

New styles in Straw Hats including genuine Panama, ready for your inspection. R. N. Hillsman & Co.

When a woman says she has no clothes she means somebody else has more.

Women think men are cowards if they refuse to argue with them.

It is pleassnter to rush the growler than to be chased by a dog.

BUCKINGHAM COUNTY.

Sheppards.

April 10, '07.

Last Monday was the biggest court day that Sheppards has ever known. Two justices, three lawyers, sheriff, constable and a couple of hundred people were in attendance. It will be remembered that recently Messrs. M. C. Elcan and A. L. Smith were the victims of incendiary fires. The Southern Detective Agency was employed to locate the guilty parties and two colored detectives were sent to the vicinity, who after a week or so of investigation, had Paul Johnson and Charlie Miles arrested; the former in the Smith and the latter in the Elcan case.

Hon. E. W. Hubard, Commonwealth's Attorney, conducted the examination and after a large number of witnesses had been questioned the two parties above named were sent on to the Circuit Court for trial.

CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

Stoddert.

April 8, 07.

Every one seems disturbed about the fruit. Tobacco selling at nothing, feed for cattle at the highest prices. Prospects are gloomy, indeed for the farmer. The tobacco plants that were up, are being destroyed by the flies.

Mrs. Eliza Palmer will leave for Washington Wednesday for an indefinite period.

Mr. and Mrs. Morton Blanton, of South Boston, returned to their home last week after a delightful visit of several weeks to their sister, Mrs. Dr. H. L. Blanton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hughes will move to their home near Adriance, Va., in the fall. Mrs. Mary Blanton will go with them, and will make that her future home.

Mrs. John Addieman, who was taken to Memorial Hospital some weeks ago for treatment, is doing well, after an operation, and is expected home on or about the 17th.

CHARLOTTE COUNTY.

Eureka Mills.

April 5.

Invitations have been received here to the marriage of Mr. Samuel Pride Daniel, a prominent civil engineer of this county, and Miss Mattie Wright Guy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Emmett Guy, at St. Johns church, Marion, North Carolina, on Thursday afternoon, April 18, at five o'clock. The event is looked forward to with much interest, as the parties to the contract are popular and prominent in social circles.

At a recent meeting of the Board of Supervisors, it was decided to operate the two road machines owned by the county, and which were not used last year. Mr. R. N. Guy, who is said to be an expert road builder, has been given supervision of the roads of the county at a salary of $800 per year. A committee of the Board of Supervisors, consisting of P. N. Morgan, W. E. Hailey and A. B. Rice, has just returned from Richmond, where they purchased five mules for the road machines at a cost of $1,262.50.

Mr. William D. Beasley died at his home, near Reesco, Sunday afternoon, at 6:30 o'clock, and was buried on Monday. Mr. Beasley had an attack of grip some time ago, from which he never recovered. He was about sixty-five years old. He is survived by a wife and several children.

Capt. T. C. Morton, Inspector General of the Grand Camp, C. V., will address the veterans of the county at the reunion of the camp at Charlotte Courthouse on next Saturday.

A chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy, known as H. A. Carrington chapter, has been organized at Charlotte Courthouse. Mrs. J. C. Carrington is president.

Red House.

Mrs. Scott Shorter and little son, Charlie Russell, of Madisonville, are spending this week with her parents.

Miss Annie Andrews spent several days last week with Miss Bessie Berkeley, of Rough Creek.

Mrs. J. D. Elliott was the guest of Mrs. Sam Thackston Thursday.

Misses Eloise and Ida Hancock spent Thursday with Mrs. Nellie Adams.

Mr. Jimmie Carter, of Wards Fork spent Easter at Mr. S. H. Thackston's.

Mr. Thad. Andrews, of Lynchburg, spent Sunday and Monday with his home people.

Mrs. E. A. Hill is spending a while with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Andrews.

AMELIA COUNTY.

Farley.

April 8, '07.

Mr. Robert Leigh Borum and Mr. L. W. Glenn and daughter, Annie, were visitors in the home of Mr. A. T. Davis last Sunday.

Mrs. E. W. Carter returned from Baltimore last week with her spring goods and millinery.

Miss Mary Borum will close her school and return to her home in Nottoway Thursday.

Quite a number of farmers have sold their timber and are very much pleased with the price.

Mr. Tucker Barden, one of the oldest citizens of this county, died at his home near Rodophil Saturday.

THE BEAUTIFUL DRAMA OF

HIAWATHA

AUDITORIUM OF NORMAL SCHOOL

Friday Evening, April 12, at 8:30 o'clock.

Come live a lifetime in an hour. See HIAWATHA first as the tiny papoose swinging in his "linden cradle," then as the little Indian boy dancing, singing and talking to the kindly Nokomis, then as the youth, taught by "the great boaster" Iagoo, hunting "the red deer of the forest," next as the noble bridegroom of Minnehaha, the lovely Dakota maiden, and finally as the lonely one mourning for the departed Minnehaha.

During this time you will see the chieftains dancing their war dances, smoking the peace pipes, and hearing them singing their prayers to "Gitche-Manito, the Mighty." At the wedding-feast you will hear Chibiabos singing Indian love songs, you will see Pau-Puk-Keewis dancing "the beggar dance" to please the guests, while they grunt their approval. You will see the graceful warrior maidens in their skillful manoeuvres with bows and arrow, and "cutest" of all "ten little Indian boys" marching, dancing and flourishing their tomahawks.

Admission 35c; Children 25c; Reserved Seats 50c.
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The attention of all lovers of fine horses is called to this superb Stallion. Come yourself and bring your friends to see him.

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W. G. DUNNINGTON, Vice President. apl. 12—2m.

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A well known citizen of Danville, Pa., writes: "I have had an aggravated case of Eczema for over twenty-five years. I have used seven 50-cent bottles of the LIQUID, and one jar of your HANCOCK'S LIQUID SULPHUR OINTMENT, and now I feel as though I had a brand new pair of hands. It has cured me and I am certain it will cure anyone if they persist in using HANCOCK'S LIQUID SULPHUR according to directions.
"Butler Edgar."

mch 29—2m.

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Bill Nye's Cow Advertisement.

Bill Nye, the humorist, once had a cow to sell, the story goes, and advertised her as follows: "Owing to my ill health, I will sell at my residence in township 19, range 18, according to the government survey, the plush raspberry cow, aged eight years. She is of undoubted courage and gives milk frequently. To a man who does not fear death in any form she would be a great boon. She is very much attached to her present home with a stay chain, but she will be sold to any one who will agree to treat her right. She is one-fourth Shorthorn and three-fourths hyena. I will also throw in a double barrel shotgun, which goes with her. In May she usually goes away for a week or two and returns with a tall red calf with wabbly legs. Her name is Rose. I would rather sell her to a nonresident."

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It's all right to have one-sided views as to looking on the bright side.

Even the cornetist may have a wife who can give him points on blowing.

It probably wasn't with a Van Dyke that Daniel bearded the lions.

The finished artist seldom admits that he can see his own finish.

Money may talk, but a cool million is cold and distant.

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