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THE MANSION HOUSE, OR AN ODD STORY OF THE JUSTICE-ROOM.

CHAPTER IV. 'A clergyman to see Miss Mauder? I will see him first myself, said Miss Mauder, in her stiffest tone...

CHAPTER V. 'Are you engaged to be married?' This was not the first question put to the witness, but it was the first that promised to afford the spectators...

'One more question, young lady. What should you say if I told you that Mr. Crisp denied on his way to the Mansion House...

'Do I understand you to think, then, Miss Mauder, that the person, whoever he was, who inscribed this advertisement was also the murderer?'

'I don't know,' she faltered. 'I don't know,' she faltered. 'I don't know,' she faltered. 'I don't know,' she faltered.

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'Then can you explain,' the lawyer asked solemnly, 'how it happened that upon a page of this blotting paper there appears in printed characters a reverse impression of the latter part of the advertisement?'

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A NEW PARTY.

From present indications there will, before long, be a political organization in the United States that will be a powerful rival of the now existing great national parties—the democratic and republican—we mean a prohibition party.

Heretofore the sentiment in favor of such an organization has chiefly existed in Northern and Western States; but recently the spirit of temperance has made great inroads in some of the Southern States, and if the anti-prohibitionists do not succeed in checking the movement it will be but a short while before some of these States will be under the absolute control of the prohibitionists.

In Georgia, for example, a great number of the counties have planted themselves squarely in favor of prohibition, and quite recently, after a most exciting campaign, the people of Atlanta gave expression at the ballot-box to their views on the liquor question, the prohibitionists scoring a victory. The success of the prohibition movement in Georgia has not only stimulated and encouraged the prohibitionists at the North and West, but all through the South the sentiment has been strengthened.

In Virginia and Tennessee it has taken deep root, and in time it may develop into sufficient proportions to give as serious trouble to other political parties here as it has given them elsewhere. It is no uncommon thing now to meet with men, who have either been ultra democrats or extreme republicans, who openly express themselves in favor of the formation of a prohibition party to come before the people in all State and National elections. They urge that whiskey drinking is our greatest evil as a nation, and that the chief aim of a political party should be the removal of the great evil that afflicts the people, which would necessarily result in giving to the greatest number the greatest good, the chief end, as it is claimed, of republican government.

Time alone can tell what the prohibition movement will result in. There is one great virtue, however, in this modern temperance movement, and that is that it is comparatively free from the extreme fanaticism that has accompanied former movements and is more practical in its bearings.

Politicians had better watch the prohibition movement. PRESIDENT CLEVELAND urges in his message that Congress shall stop the coinage of silver dollars. He is impressed with the belief that the present business stagnation is chiefly caused by the coinage of what he considers depreciated dollars.

A number of bills have already been introduced in the Legislature with regard to the public debt. This debt question will prove an elephant for the democrats.

JOHN W. DANIEL was elected U. S. Senator from Virginia by the General Assembly on last Tuesday. The Republicans, however, in their nomination, which we deem was a great piece of folly on their part, and equally as unwise on his part in permitting it. Upon a joint ballot of the two houses the vote stood, Daniel 96, Mahone 36.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND seems determined to do what was never intended by the democratic party when it made the pledge in its National platform, adhere to civil service reform.

THE friends of Mr. Barbour have taken his defeat very quietly. The Nashville Union says it is another illustration of how one man sows and another reaps.

DR. JNO. L. BUCHANAN, of Abingdon, was nominated by the democratic caucus on Tuesday night for Supt. of Public Instruction. He had several opponents, among them Mr. Massey. The person only got 9 votes. This is another proof of how the democrats are fond of the old passin.

HON. B. GRATZ BROWN, who ran for Vice-President on the Greeley ticket, in 1872, died last Sunday at his residence in Kirkwood, near St. Louis, Mo.

Attempted Bank Robbery.

A Wheeling (W. Va.) special says Mount Pleasant, a small town of 1,000 inhabitants, situated on the southern edge of Jefferson county, Ohio, nine miles northwest of this city, was the scene of an attempt at bank robbery just after midnight last night which came within a very small fraction of being successful. At 1 o'clock, while a party of half a dozen young men were passing an alleyway a few blocks distant from the First National Bank, they found a horse and buggy standing unattended in the street. Examining the vehicle, they discovered under the seat a black oilcloth bag containing a flask of powder and a quantity of fuse. Their suspicions being aroused by this discovery, the party hurried to the bank, where they could hear footsteps and the sound of blows in the direction of the safe.

R. W. Chambers, president of the bank, and J. R. Rathoff, the cashier, were aroused, and they hurried to the bank, accompanied by the young men. By this time the burglars had taken the alarm. They emerged from the building and, covering the crowd with revolvers, made their way to the buggy and drove rapidly in the direction of this city. The town was at once alarmed, and while one squad of men started in pursuit of the robbers on horseback, another made an examination of the bank. The outer doors of the vault, which are four inches thick, were found to have been drilled and blown from their hinges. The lock had been forced from the inner door of half-inch boiler iron, which also stood open. Within the bank was a large burglar-proof safe, and the burglars were just on the point of attacking that when they were interfered with. They had evidently been at work for several hours when discovered.

The pursuit was kept up for eight miles, which the fleeing robbers covered in fifty minutes. At a point one mile from the river, finding they were too hard pressed, the burglars abandoned the buggy and took to the woods, making good their escape. President Chambers informed your correspondent that between \$25,000 and \$30,000 in cash and a large amount of negotiable paper was in the safe, and had it not been for the suspicions of the young men who discovered the buggy the cash would have been reached before morning, as the party were evidently experts.

Death of General Robert Toombs.

WASHINGTON, GA., Dec. 15.—Gen. Robert Toombs died here this evening at 6 o'clock. In intellectual power and oratorical ability he had no superior among them, meeting upon the political arena Johnston, Stephens, Jenkins, Cobb, Brown, and Hill. He will stand out in the history of Georgia's distinguished sons as the most eloquent. General Toombs was a great lawyer, brilliant statesman and successful financier. For thirty years no politician exercised more influence in Georgia. In the Constitutional Convention of 1877 he left a lasting impression, being the author of the constitutional provisions regulating the railroads of the State.

Riel's Funeral.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 12.—The funeral of Louis Riel took place this morning at St. Boniface, a French suburb, across the Red river from this city. The funeral cortege left his mother's house at St. Vital, on Red river, about five miles from here, at 9 o'clock, accompanied by a large number of relatives and half-breed sympathizers. Arriving at St. Boniface Cathedral, requiem mass was celebrated by Father Dugas, Archbishop Tache occupied the throne. After mass the body remained for a time in the Cathedral. A large number of English-speaking people were present from curiosity. There were no signs of interference or disturbance.

A Deming (New Mexico) special says: A courier arrived at Silver City last night with the information that Captain Fountain, Troop C, Eighth Cavalry, and his scouts surprised the hostiles on the 9th instant at Lillie's cabin, three miles southeast of Papinosa. The Indians had murdered Lillie and an old man named Prior, and had just set fire to Lillie's cabin when the troops came upon them. The troops charged and had a lively fight, wounding several Indians and, it is believed, killing two. They captured fourteen Indian horses, one mule, and all their supplies of beef, flour, and blankets. The mountains are covered with snow and the weather is very cold. It is believed that the hostiles are endeavoring to reach Mexico, where they will seek winter quarters.

Goldmark is looked upon by the musical critics as the most promising operatic musician in Germany to-day.

Mrs. Leland Stanford's collection of works of art will be presented to the city of San Francisco, and placed in a suitable building in Golden Gate Park.

Queen Victoria sent a beautiful wreath of immortelles, with a letter of sympathy, to the Queen Regent Christina of Spain, who was deeply affected by this act of Queen Victoria.

Two Hundred Millions.

Mr. Vanderbilt was worth \$200,000,000. If we say that he was worth 500,000,000 or \$1,000,000,000, do we get a perceptible different impression about the bulk of his fortune? Most people do not. To the average mind the conception of enormous wealth is much the same whether it be reckoned in hundreds of millions or in vigintillions. The human mind cannot grasp these great numbers or clearly appreciate the difference between one hundred millions and two hundred millions.

Let us try and describe Mr. Vanderbilt's great fortune in terms of linear, square, and of weight. Everybody understands these terms, and they make a definite impression on men's minds. If this sum of \$200,000,000 were in standard silver dollars it would present such features as this: Put lengthwise, dollar after dollar, it would stretch a distance of 4,672 miles, making a silver streak from New York across the ocean to Liver pool.

Piled up, dollar on dollar, it would reach a height of 335 miles. Laid flat on the ground, the dollars would cover a space of nearly sixty acres.

The weight of this mass of silver would be 1,160 tons.

To transport it would require 358 cars, carrying 20 tons each (this is the capacity of the strongest freight cars) and making a train just about two and a half miles long.

On ordinary grades it would require 12 locomotives to haul this.

On roads of steep grades and sharp curves 15 or 20 locomotives are needed.

In one dollar bill this two-hundred million dollar fortune would assume such shapes as this:

The bills stretched lengthwise would extend 23,674 miles, or nearly the circumference of the earth at the equator. Piled up on one another, close as leaves in a new book, they would reach a height of twelve miles.

Spread out on the ground they would cover 746 acres, or nearly the whole surface of Central Park, including ponds and reservoirs.

A safe-deposit vault to contain these bills would require to be 53 feet long, 22 feet wide, and 20 feet high.

"He jests at scars, who never felt a wound," and a man may stand with his hands in his pockets and laugh at a poor worn rheumatic, but if he is a gentleman, he'll step into the nearest apothecary shop and buy him a bottle of Salvation Oil at the small expense of only twenty-five cents.

When a lecture has worked the ladies of his audience so near to the weeping point that they have gotten out their handkerchiefs, and then suddenly changes his tone and speaks of the merits of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup he is bound to rouse feelings of indignation.

"It is absolutely impossible," said Lord Roseberry in a recent address in Scotland, "that in the future war, could ever take place between the United States and England."

The Empress Eugenie, whose health is in a very unsatisfactory state, has been ordered to pass the winter on the Riviera. She will leave England soon for Hyeres, where a villa has been engaged for her, and she will remain there till the middle of April.

Emma Nevada had a regal entrance into Virginia City on the occasion of her recent concert there. Two thousand people assembled at the depot and crowds saluted her as she drove in an open carriage, drawn by four splendid black horses, to the residence of one of her schoolmates.

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A good gargle for a sore throat is made of vinegar and a little red pepper mixed with water.

Lime juice and milk is one of the best remedies for dyspepsia or indigestion.

Oat meal porridge is one of the best things to begin in the day with those who dislike it should take it as medicine.

Do not drink strong coffee just before retiring or in the evening at all. It is apt to cause sleeplessness.

Coffee or tea should never be given children at night. They disturb the nerve system and make children peevish.

Never wash in warm water before going out in the cold air. Such a practice will roughen the skin. Warm water should be used only before retiring.

To keep in good sound health one must take a certain amount of exercise. Exercising one part of the body and not another, in about the same degree, is wrong.

Coarse brown paper soaked in vinegar and placed on the forehead is good for a headache. If the eyelids are gently bathed in cool water, the pain in the head is generally allayed.

Never wash the feet in warm water, except just before retiring. Cold water with a little ammonia or salt dropped in, is much pleasanter and more healthful.

When putting glycerine on chapped hands first wash them thoroughly in soap and water; and when not quite dry rub in the glycerine. This process will be found much better than the old one.

Fashion Notes.

Silver beads are worn in two or more strands, according to the fancy of the wearer.

A miniature swan's head and breast, nestling in feathers, is seen on some French bonnets.

Steel bonnets, with ruby velvet strings and a ruby aigrette, are considered becoming by Parisians.

Artistic copper and other metal work is all the rage now. This work takes the form of lamps, trays, after dinner coffee sets, etc.

Wax candles in silver candlestick or candelabra are fashionable now in dining rooms where the table is lighted with two or more candelabra, according to its length.

A prettier dress for a young girl in her fresh beauty could not be than a simple tulle made over a taffeta silk skirt. Some of these in white with a soft surah shawl in becoming colors are most fairly like.

Chemisettes of lace high to the throat or square with long transparent sleeves are now worn with the velvet bodices out like stays. The bodices are newer than the kid ones, and are worn with lace skirts.

Very little ornament is worn in the hair. Matrons wear a small feather fastened with diamonds; younger women wear an artificial flower; the idea is merely to suggest ornament and not to spoil the contour of the head by overloading it.

The "bang" is doomed. London women and girls who make up fashionable society have entirely abandoned the bang, and all styles of wearing the hair down on the forehead. They brush their hair straight back, showing the whole of the forehead and temples, knot it very carelessly on the very top of the head, and wear it without the faintest suspicion of a curl or crimp.

A bridal dress of plain and silver brocaded satin, with a design of lilies of the valley, has the bodice and train of the brocade trimmed with duchesse lace. The bodice has the "V" shaped opening filled in with tulle. The underskirt is of the plain satin with large plaits, and has a narrow box plaiting around the bottom of the skirt under the plaits. The front breadth is draped long and full, falling in a cascade at the left side.

Chicago girls have commenced to walk on stilts. This is the only way they can keep from stepping on each other's feet.

The Nevada woman who eloped while her husband was taking a bath had waited a long time for such an opportunity.

The widow's mite has long done duty as an example of the widow's mite; but after all the widow's mite is only a love-tap.

Bustles seems to be getting larger and larger.

An Englishman's Testimony.

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Local News.

GATHERED FOR THE HERALD.

The Occurrences of the Week. Gathered From the Town and County.

Briefs and Personal.

Mrs. Dowdy is still quite sick. Mr. John H. Paris is also very sick.

Master John Sullivan is very low with typhoid fever. Jno. Iron, Esq., is still confined to his room with rheumatism.

Miss Rachel Cowden is much better and will soon be out.

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The Democratic caucus of the Legislature has not yet nominated a county Judge for Smyth county.

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Messrs. John W. Richardson and Floyd Atkins are at Richmond attending the Grand Lodge of Virginia Masons.

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Our merchants have laid in a great many Christmas goods. The display is handsome and the prices low.

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Mr. Wm. H. Goodpasture killed a hog a few days ago that netted 345 pounds. It was about twenty months old.

Remember you can get the "Walker" Shoe, the best in the market at S. C. Painters.

Mr. A. C. Hill, one of our live merchants, who has been in bad health during the past few months, we are glad to say is rapidly regaining his health.

Rev. Z. L. Burson, of Bristol, will preach at the new Baptist church, near the old Thompson Atkins place, on the 4th Sunday in this month. He will take as his subject the Millennium.

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Mr. W. E. Williams, who was connected for many years with this office, has secured a good position in the Lynchburg Virginia office. He will go to Lynchburg in a few days.

Mr. Hawkins, soliciting agent of the Lynchburg Virginia, called to see us on last Saturday. We regret that we were absent at the time.

Game of all sorts is very scarce this winter. Our sportsmen have had no luck thus far, only an old hare is sometimes brought in.

Some of our boys are fixing up their skates ready for the first freeze on the ponds, hold on boys you will get plenty of ice in a few days.

Dr. J. P. Dyer, whom we reported last week as being in very feeble health, was demitted and on Monday night was taken to the Western Lunatic Asylum, at Staunton, by W. D. Wilmore, deputy sheriff, and Mr. G. W. Gillespie.

One of "long" Press Francis' alligators got out its cage on Monday morning last and slipped outside the house to the back yard, and was found walking in the snow. He was soon captured and taken back to his cage, since then he seems to be satisfied with the difference between warm and cold climates.

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One week more and Christmas will be here.

A beautiful lot of Christmas goods at Pendleton's drug store. Call and see them.

Capt. C. W. Venable, of Pittsylvania county, has been in Marion this week.

Next Monday will be county court day. Come to town prepared to pay something.

Mayor Nickels publishes a card which is of great interest to the boys of the town.

Mr. G. H. Fudge got home from Richmond on Sunday. He takes his defeat most cheerfully.

The iron work of the new bridge to be erected at Hull's mill will arrive about the 1st of January.

Judge Miller has given the public a good foundation for the mill to use until the iron bridge is put up. This is a very great convenience.

It is reported that one of the most charming young ladies of the town will be married to one of our most thrifty business men, early in the new year.

The Good Templars will have an oyster supper during the Christmas holidays. A similar entertainment was given last Christmas, and it was a most successful and enjoyable occasion.

Married at the home of the bride's father, David Wassum, by the Rev. G. W. Summers, Dec. 9th, 1885, Jno. A. B. of Nebraska, formerly of this county, to Miss Nancy Wassum of Smyth county.

Mr. A. D. Fowlkes, formerly of this place, but for several years a resident of Texas, is on a visit to his mother, Mrs. Dr. Garrett. He says he will probably spend the winter in Marion. We welcome him home again.

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A Card of Thanks. We take this method of thanking our friends for the many favors shown us during the illness and after the death of our son George. Their kindness and sympathy will be always remembered by us with the deepest gratitude. Respectfully, MR. and MRS. T. W. MAURY.

Happy Thought in the Night. For years Mr. Jas. R. Ackley, of 163 West Fayette street, Baltimore, had suffered with neuralgia so that he could hardly sleep. But he writes: "One night I was seized by very neural, and the thought struck me that Brown's Iron Bitters would do me some good, and perhaps cure me. It was a happy thought, and to my great joy it has cured me after using two bottles. After three months I have had no return of the symptoms. I cheerfully recommend it as the best tonic I have ever used." Neuralgia sufferers, take the hint!

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To the Boys. Permission is hereby given to the boys to play their Squibs in the streets from Thursday Dec. 24th to Jan 1st, but not in any buildings. Large Squibs and fire-works not to be fired in any of the streets and not near any building. Guns and pistols are not to be fired within the corporate limits - \$2.50 fine for any violation.

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Death of George W. Maury.

Our community was greatly pained to hear of the death of Geo. W. Maury, which occurred on last Friday morning. He had been ill for some weeks with fever, but hopes were entertained of his recovery all the while by his friends. He was a kind, generous, industrious and intelligent young man, and beloved by all who knew him. He had a soul full of music, and by his skill and industry had given to our town the best brass band we have ever had. George will be greatly missed. His death will be regretted by no one more than the writer. Funeral services were held over his remains at the Presbyterian church on Saturday at 10 o'clock a. m. The burial took place at Roundhill Cemetery. Peace to his ashes.

Holiday Excursion Rates. The Richmond & Alleghany Railroad has determined to give to travelers during the Christmas holidays. The following will be the special table of rates:

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The Official Vote. Below is the official vote of the Ninth Congressional district for Governor:

Table with 3 columns: Name, Lee, Wise. Blain 519, Buchanan 412, Dickenson 453, Giles 1004, Lee 1440, Pulaski 920, Russell 1390, Scott 1483, Smyth 1340, Tazewell 1042, Washington 2545, Wise 666, Wythe 1531.

Total 14,747 14,234. Lee's majority in the district, 513. Total vote cast for Lee and Wise, 28,981.

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TRIBUTE OF RESPECT. By the Mechanics Brass Band, on the Death of GEORGE W. MAURY.

At a meeting of the surviving members of the Mechanics Brass Band, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted: WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God, in his wisdom, to remove from us, by death, our friend and fellow member, GEO. W. MAURY, whose death occurred on Friday Dec. 11th, 1885; and trusting that he has gone to a brighter sphere where his love for earthly music will only be increased and intensified by the constant strains of heavenly concord that will fall upon his ear, therefore be it

Resolved, That, while bowing in humble submission to our Heavenly Father's will, we can but regret the loss of our Leader and companion, and that we will ever honor his memory and remember his many virtues. 2nd, That our sympathies be extended to his bereaved father, mother, sisters and brothers, that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the parents of the deceased, that they be published in the papers of the town, that we wear the usual badge of mourning, as a mark of respect for the deceased, for twenty days, and that his name and this tribute be spread upon the monuments of the Band. A. C. WILLIAMS, Sec.

A Peculiar Family. Savannah (Ga.) News: There is a peculiar family of people living a few miles from Astorville. It consists of three members, but they have everything to themselves. Each has a cow which is milked by its owner. The husband has his own milk pans, the wife the same, and his son takes care of his own. They have separate gardens, sell everything individually, enjoy their own tobacco, and can be seen hauling their own wood to burn.

Mr. Garfield denies the report that she is preparing a biography of her husband, but says that she has been collecting the material for such a work. It is said that a biography will appear before long written with Mrs. Garfield's authority. Colonel Rockwell, it is also reported, will be the editor of the work.

Mr. Spurgeon, the popular London preacher, has grown old prematurely, and is now quite broken in health. He has overworked himself, and exercised too little moderation in eating and using tobacco.

Marshal Serrano almost at the last moment of his life insisted upon walking about his house and gardens. His nervous system was so unsettled that he could not keep still with comfort.

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Connections: Leave Norfolk 6.40 a. m. daily, night 9.35 a. m. daily. Arrive Richmond 10.25 a. m. daily except Sunday, and 1.30 p. m. daily.

Leave Richmond via R & P R R 8.35 a. m. daily except Sunday, connecting with No. 3 at Petersburg for all points on line of W. & V. R. R.

Leave Richmond daily at 10.40 a. m. and 2.48 p. m. arrives at Norfolk 3.30 p. m. daily and 6.10 p. m. daily.

Leave Richmond daily except Sunday via R. & A. R. R. 8.00 a. m. and 6.45 p. m. arriving at Lynchburg at 2.00 p. m. and 3.35 a. m., connecting with trains on Western Division.

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CONNECTIONS: At Roanoke both No. 2 and 4 connects with V. R. R. No. 4 has Pullman Sleepers to New York without change via S. V. R. R. and Harrisonburg. No. 3 has Pullman Sleepers to Washington without change via R. & O. Railroad.

At Lynchburg V. M. R. R. leaves Lynchburg for the North 7.30 a. m. daily except Sunday, and 2.00 p. m. and 1.50 p. m. daily, leaving for Danville and the South.

Richmond & Alleghany R. R. leaves Lynchburg at 2.10 p. m. and 8.55 p. m., arriving at Richmond 1.30 p. m. daily except Sunday.

No. 2 makes connections via Petersburg for Richmond, arriving at Richmond 1.30 p. m. daily. At Norfolk No. 2 arrives 2.30 p. m. connecting with Day Line Steamers, leaving Norfolk daily except Sunday for Baltimore at 6.00 and with Old Dominion for New York on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday, with N. Y. P. & N. railroad daily leaving Norfolk at 6.00 p. m.

New River Division. Eastward { DAILY } Westward { except Sunday. } 2.45pm arr. Central, 10.10am 2.45pm New River, 10.11am 1.16pm Stayde, 10.11am 1.35pm Ripplemead, 10.12am 1.96pm Wenonah, 10.12am 1.56pm Narrows, 10.12am 1.45pm Adams, 10.12am 1.10pm Pocahontas, 10.12am 1.00pm arr 2.30pm

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Table with 4 columns: WEST, BOUND, MAIL, ACCOM, EX. Includes routes like Lv Richmond, Ar Scottsville, Howardsville, Ar Lynchburg.

Trains marked \* daily except Sunday. Trains marked † daily.

No. 24 leaves Lexington Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 3 p. m., connecting with Mail to West.

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