

**FIRST M. E. CHURCH
GIFTS ARE \$16,000**

Financial reports for the past year and election of officers for the coming year marked the fourth quarterly meeting, known as the annual meeting, of the First M. E. Church Thursday night, at which time it was announced that \$16,000, an average of \$28 per member, was contributed for the Methodist centenary movement and benevolent purposes, by the congregation during the year just passed.

Officers elected follow:

Trustees—Clem A. Gaar, Dr. U. B. G. Ewing, F. M. McFall, J. H. Saylor, W. E. Wilson, E. K. Shera, Dr. E. E. Holland, Phillip Worrall and F. S. Dodd.

Stewards—Charles D. Shideler, J. H. Bentley, John Deitz, J. R. Showalter, L. H. Bunyan, John Woodhurst, William Scull, J. R. Jordan, John Starr, O. H. Wilson, J. E. Kirkpatrick, Thomas Robinson, Charles Bishop, Leroy Nichols, A. H. McCune, C. D. Ewing and W. C. O'Byrne. Recording Steward, John Deitz; Communion Steward, Charles Bishop; District Steward, L. H. Bunyan; Reserve district Steward, William Scull.

Class leaders—W. P. O'Neal, Mrs. C. T. Moss and Mrs. Louise Beckett.

Sunday School superintendent—Mrs. J. W. Shallenburg.

Local preachers—L. H. Bunyan, E. M. Learner and J. L. Hutchens.

President Epworth league—Miss Tress Sharp.

President of Ladies' Aid Society—Mrs. William Scull.

President Women's Foreign Missionary Society—Mrs. Jennie Williams.

Mrs. Starr President.

President Women's Home Mission Society—Mrs. John Starr.

Committees—Appointed benevolences—J. H. Saylor, L. H. Bunyan, Prof. L. E. McCarty, Mrs. C. D. Ewing, Mrs. Martin Swisher, Mrs. C. T. Moss and Mrs. Jennie Williams.

Foreign Missions—Mrs. U. B. G. Ewing, Mrs. Louise Beckett, Miss Alice Phillips and Mrs. Emma Hall.

Home Missions and Church Extension—Mrs. Charles Bishop, Mrs. A. C. Hurrell and Mrs. Emmet Ewan.

Sunday Schools—W. E. Eldridge, G. W. Blake, E. E. Keener, Thomas Robinson and Dr. A. O. Martin.

Freedman's Aid—J. C. Genn and C. C. Huddleston.

Temperance—A. C. Hurrell, Frank Crawford and C. M. Lyons.

Education—Miss Grace Shera, Prof. S. S. Vernon and Miss Dorothy Geibauer.

Hospitals—Mrs. L. H. Bunyan and Mrs. H. H. Swift.

Church Records—E. K. Shera, John Deitz, John Starr and L. H. Bunyan.

Auditing accounts—C. D. Ewing, J. E. Kirkpatrick and J. R. Jordan.

Parsonage and furniture—Mrs. O. P. Gaar, Mrs. J. H. Bentley, Mrs. William Scull and Mrs. J. M. Dodd.

Finances—C. D. Shideler, F. S. Dodd, F. R. McFall, J. R. Showalter, C. A. Gaar and J. H. Bentley.

Gasoline production in the United States has increased from 35,000,000 to 70,000,000 barrels a year since 1914.

**Eat Ice Cream in Home,
It's Not Taxed; in Fountain
War Tax Must Be Paid**

An official definition of war tax, and on what commodities it should be placed by restaurant owners, confectioners, and those engaged in similar occupation was received Friday by A. N. Logan, deputy collector of internal revenue for Richmond and vicinity. The definition follows:

"All sales of soft drinks, ice cream, ice cream sodas, sundaes, or other similar articles of food or drink, from a soda fountain, for consumption in or in proximity to the place of business where sold, are subject to tax. This is true whether or not such place of business is an ice cream parlor, similar place of business, hotel, restaur-

ant, cafeteria, lunch room, or club house, and whether or not such sales are made together with the sale of a substantial article of food as part of a meal, and whether or not service from the soda fountain is made by way of the kitchen. Such sales at a hotel, restaurant, cafeteria, lunch room, or club house made from the kitchen as part of meal, and not served from a soda fountain, are not taxable."

"All sales of soft drinks, ice cream,

etc., in an ice cream parlor or similar place of business, for consumption in or in proximity to such place of business, are subject to tax, whether or not such sales are made together with the sale of a substantial article of food as part of a meal. Such sales at a hotel, restaurant, cafeteria, lunch room, or club house, separate and apart from the sale of a substantial article of food as part of a meal are subject to tax."

**LOCAL MAN
RETURNS TO
DAILY WORK**

James Haner Says He is Gaining Strength All the Time Since Taking Vola-Tonic.

HIGHLY ENDORSES IT

Among the well known Richmond men and women who are taking Vola-Tonic, "Builder of Strength," is James Haner, 240 South Seventh street, a cement worker.

Mr. Haner recently suffered a severe attack of grip and was so weak when he got over it that he couldn't work, but he says Vola-Tonic has built him up and made him feel fine.

"I couldn't do anything when I got over the grip," Mr. Haner said. "For a period of about ten days I was so weak that all I did was lie around the house."

"I read about Vola-Tonic in the newspaper and finally decided to go down to Quigley drug store at Eighth and Main streets and ask the druggists there about Vola-Tonic and see if they would recommend it."

"Well, the druggists at Quigley's store recommended Vola-Tonic to me and I got a bottle and started taking it. I am now on my second bottle of Vola-Tonic and it has proved to be all that is claimed."

"I have become stronger every day since I started taking Vola-Tonic and I am back at my work again and find that it grows easier and easier for me as the days pass. Vola-Tonic put my stomach and bowels in excellent condition and has brought me a fine appetite."

"I heartily recommend Vola-Tonic because of what it has done for me."

People all over Richmond are taking Vola-Tonic, "Builder of Strength," and highly praise it for the results it is bringing. Vola-Tonic is an excellent strength-builder and helps health all over.

Vola-Tonic is being specially introduced in Richmond at the five Quigley drug stores.—Advertisement.



**Clothes for
Easter**



Men and boys of Richmond know that this store is, as usual, well prepared to meet their every requirement for good Clothes, fairly priced.

The spirit of Easter has permeated every part of the store. The new Suits offer the utmost in latest models and fabrics—the new Hats are shown in shapes and colors that will please the most critical, while the smaller items of men's dress will gain and hold your instant admiration through the skillful handling of fabrics in their manufacture.



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SATURDAY AND MONDAY

**Prices Cut On
AUTO
TIRES**



Tire prices have just been advanced 20%, but we intend to close out our present stock at the following prices:

Reduced Prices	
\$15.60-30x3	special \$12.98
\$18.60-30x3 1/2	special \$15.39
\$23.35-32x3 1/2	special \$19.49
\$31.40-32x4	special \$26.39
\$32.20-33x4	special \$26.89
\$32.35-33x4	special \$27.79

Tires on sale at 914 Main St. only

**Saturday and Monday
Specials in Medicines**

*\$1.25 PINKHAM COM- POUND for	98c
*\$1.25 PIERCES PRESCRIP- TION for	98c
*\$1.25 PIERCES GOLDEN DISCOVERY for	98c
*\$1.90 S. S. S. for	\$1.39
*\$1.10 S. S. S. for	89c
*\$1.25 PINKHAM'S BLOOD PURIFIER for	98c
*\$1.25 HOSTETTER'S BITTERS, for	\$1.09
*\$1.20 SWAMP-ROOT for	98c
*\$60 SWAMP-ROOT for	49c
*\$60 DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS for	49c
*\$60 MULSIFIED COCONUT OIL for	43c
*75c PALMOLIVE SHAM- POO for	63c

Reduced Prices

Tall Pet Milk — per can	12c
Small cans Evaporated Milk any brand—per can	6c
No. 2 1/2 can Silver Bar Sliced Pine Apple	49c
No. 2 can Silver Bar Sliced Pine Apple	39c
1 dozen Boxes Matches, 500 count — special at	59c
No. 3 Tomatoes, per can 19c; 3 cans...	50c
No. 2 can L. & S. Baked Beans Baked, per can	19c
5 lbs. Navy Beans for	45c
25 Lb. Bag Franklin Pure Cane Sugar for	\$4.98
2 Boxes Puffed Wheat for	25c
2 Boxes Puffed for	35c
2 Boxes Kellogg's Korn Krisp	25c
10 Bars Rub-No-More Soap for	75c
3 Bars Palmolive Soap for	25c
3 Boxes Climoline for	25c
Red, White and Blue Macaroni or Spaghetti, 1 lb. box	16c
10 Boxes Small Gold Dust for	45c

**Spring's
Prettiest
Millinery**



Our advance line of Spring's newest millinery includes the wealth of flower trimmed effects, as well as the fabric hats and combinations of fabrics and straw. Some are trimmed with fruits, others with burnt ostrich and dyed grass. The prices are extremely reasonable. You are invited to inspect the line.

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**Ponselle Sisters
in "Barcarolle"**

Rosa Ponselle, famous dramatic soprano of the Metropolitan Opera Company, and her brilliant sister Carmela, both *exclusive* Columbia artists, sing their first combined record. The soft magic of a night in Venice with the mystery of moonlight on its sleeping lagoons and shadowy palace walls is in this seductive duet from the *Tales of Hoffman*.

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**Stracciari's Song
of Mother Love**

All of a mother's impassioned prayers and heartaches at parting from her son are in Stracciari's simple ballad "Dear Little Boy of Mine." This *exclusive* Columbia artist gives you all the yearning melody of this moving mother song.

78686-\$1.00

**Seagle Sings
"Mah Lindy Lou"**

This love song of the sunny South shows Oscar Seagle's dramatic power in rich, resonant negro melody. "Sorter Miss You," the coupling, gives you this *exclusive* Columbia artist at his splendid vocal best.

A-2875-\$1.00

And 47 Other Great Selections
The 51 new Columbia selections for April include 2 Grand Opera arias, 1 popular song by a Grand Opera star, 16 popular song hits, 6 comic talking records, 4 orchestra selections, 4 negro melodies, 2 revival hymns, 2 bird imitations, and 14 dances, comprising 6 fox-trots, 4 one-steps and 4 waltzes.

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