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THE MECKLENBURG CO. RESOLUTIONS ARE ENDORSED

State Cotton Growers' Association Will Enforce Resolutions of Mecklenburg's Association. Names Prominent Mecklenburg Citizens at State Convention.

White and Black Prisoners Chained Together According to Report. Young Criminals Treated as Hardened Ones. Condition of Insane.

Raleigh, Jan. 3.—Among the most prominent citizens of the State here attending the State Convention of the North Carolina Cotton Growers' Association tonight are S. B. Alexander, C. C. Moore, M. A. Watkins, W. A. Grier, of Charlotte; J. A. Brown, L. L. Lenoir, of Chatham; J. A. McKinnon, E. F. McKee, of Maxton; R. W. Swain, of Red Springs; L. D. McCann, of Laurinburg; J. A. Shaw, of Maxton; J. McN. Smith, Allen McLean, of Laurinburg; E. L. Daughtridge, of Rocky Mount; Hector McLean, of Laurinburg. Resolutions by the Mecklenburg convention will most probably be endorsed.

That there are twenty county convict camps in North Carolina in which the white and black prisoners are confined in the same room and sleep in the same apartment, blacks and whites even being chained together in many instances is a sensational statement made in the annual report of the State Board of Charities adopted at a meeting here today ready for transmission to Governor Glenn. It treats in detail all the charitable and penal institutions in the State making many recommendations as to needed legislation on the subject and the Governor's consideration. As to convict camps the board declares that if they are to remain under the jurisdiction of the counties they should be subjected to regulation and inspection by the same State board. There are 890 convicts in these camps.

Treating the situation as to the care of the insane the report states that there were Nov. 3rd, 2,029 patients in the three State hospitals and 12 in full and three in part at the Raleigh hospital. No pay patients in the Goldsboro hospital.

Treating the State penitentiary the report says for the fiscal year closing November 30th last, there were 655 convicts in the penitentiary, 130 being admitted during the year. Six were under 13 and 41 under 21 years old, these being, the report states, treated just as the hardened criminals and receive no special instructions. The cost of the prison was shown to be for the year \$160,960 and the disbursements \$148,717, leaving a balance of \$12,242. But of the disbursements \$45,748 was paid for North Carolina bonds and the prison holds \$104,000 of these bonds. Besides the sale of the cotton and the peanut crops were not counted in these receipts.

The box of North Carolina relics presented by Col. Jno. D. Whitford of New Bern to the State as a New Year's gift, was received by the Secretary of the State.

ATTACK MADE ON PUERTO PLATA

Advices State That Troops of Morales Made Desperate Attack on City. Fought all Day. Many Killed and Wounded. Prepare for Another Attack.

Cape Haytien, Hayti, Jan. 3.—Advices received here early this morning from Puerto Plata, on the northern coast of Santo Domingo, say that the troops of the fugitive President, Morales, under command of General Demetrio Rodriguez, attacked Puerto Plata at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. The fighting, which was severe, lasted until 5 o'clock in the evening, when the besieging force retired. A number of men were killed or wounded on both sides in the engagement during which bayonets and swords were principally used. The forces of General Rodriguez, which are massed outside Puerto Plata, were when these advices were forwarded, preparing for another attack on the palace.

ate today and they are being arranged in the Hall of History by Col. F. K. ... Among the most valuable are the old "Tryon Bell," from the palace of Colonial Governor Tryon, a brick from the walls of the palace, a box of charcoal found in Fort Raleigh when the foundation was laid for the monument there some years ago. Also a large number of old papers and photographs, many of them of historic value. There is a photograph showing the spot in New Bern where the first printing press was ever set up in North Carolina.

A very amusing feature about the collection of photographs is that among them was found a picture—large cabinet size—of "Annie, the Famous New York Singer," as it was labeled. Miss Annie makes an unusually bright and handsome picture costumed as she is in perfect fitting opera lights and blouse. Miss Annie will not be given a place in the hall of History as her presence in the collection is believed by the Secretary of State to be purely an accident.

The Secretary of State is notified of the dissolution by mutual consent of the Crabtree Drug Co., of Sanford, W. A. Crabtree, president.

Mrs. Howell Cobb, wife of the professor of the Yarrowood Hotel, fell from a chair while standing in it to adjust a picture on the wall and broke her arm.

At a meeting of the Presiding Elders of the North Carolina Conference held here it was decided to push the work of missions and with this end in view special missionary meetings will be held in every district of the conference within the next two months.

M'CURDY AND SON RESIGNED.

Resigned as Trustees to Mutual Life—Board of Trustees Accept Resignation. By Associated Press. —Richard A. McCurdy, New York, Jan. 3.—Richard A. McCurdy, former president of the Mutual Life Insurance Company and his son, Robert A. McCurdy, have resigned as trustees of that company. The resignations were accepted by the Board of Trustees. This office was the last one remaining to either the former president or his son in the company.

IN FEDERAL COURT AT GREENSBORO

Government was Allowed to Consolidate Bills Found at Charlotte and Greensboro. Trial of Cases to Begin Tomorrow. Davis Pled Guilty.

Special to The News. Greensboro, N. C., Jan. 3.—In the Federal Court for the trial of indictments against revenue officers and distillers for conspiracy to defraud the government, the government was allowed to consolidate the bills found at Charlotte and Greensboro. Trial of cases to begin tomorrow. Davis pled guilty.

COTTON QUOTATIONS.

Injunction Sought to Prevent Odell Grain and Commission Co. From Getting Quotations. By Associated Press. Cincinnati, Jan. 3.—The New York Cotton Exchange today filed application with the United States Circuit Court here for an injunction to prevent the receipt and use of New York Cotton Exchange quotations by the Odell Grain and Commission Company of Cincinnati. The Odell Company is declared to be receiving the benefit of quotations without complying with the contract of requirements. The suit is out of the growth of a previous litigation whereby Odell sought to prevent the stopping of quotations attempted by the telegraph company handling them.

WILL DEPEW FALL?

Resolution Introduced Demanding Resignation of Chauncey Depew. By Associated Press. Albany, N. Y., Jan. 3.—Senator Brackett soon after the Legislature convened today introduced a resolution demanding the resignation of Chauncey Depew as United States Senator on account of Depew's relations with the Equitable Insurance Society as disclosed before the investigating committee.

"Kissed Out of Existence." After several Senators eulogized Depew and protested against referring the resolution to any committee, Brackett said he was willing it should be put over but he did not want to be "kissed out of existence." He subsequently withdrew the resolution.

ECHO OF CAUCUS.

Bill Introduced Aimed at Judge Baynter and His Manager. By Associated Press. Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 3.—An echo of last night's Democratic Senatorial caucus was the introduction of a bill in the upper branch of the assembly intended to prohibit Appellate Judges and Circuit Judges from taking active part in politics. It was aimed at Judge Baynter and John M. Lassing, of Boone county, his most active manager.

TO CELEBRATE THE ANNIVERSARY OF "RED SUNDAY"

Workmen's Counsel and Other Organizations in Secret Session Since Last Night. May Turn Jan. 22nd Into Day of National Mourning Over "Martyrs."

ction will Undoubtedly Precipitate Trouble and Bloodshed. Admiral, Rojestvensky's Sensational Account of His Tactics in Battle With Japs.

By Associated Press. St. Petersburg, Jan. 3.—General meetings of the Workmen's Counsel and delegates of the Proletariat organizations have been in session secretly since last night perfecting their future programmes. All thus far known is that they are planning to turn anniversary January 22 "Red Sunday" when the most serious rioting in St. Petersburg occurred (to a day of national mourning during which it is planned to make demonstrations in the memory of the "martyrs." All shops, factories and theatres will be closed and the street car railroad service will be stopped.

Requiem masses will be celebrated and procession, in which the workmen will wear crepe on their sleeves, will march through the streets. No papers will be allowed to appear except with black borders. It is proposed to make a gigantic, peaceful, manifestation, but if they attempt to carry it out, leaders fully understand it is sure to precipitate bloodshed on a large scale. From Admiral Rojestvensky's account of his tactics in the battle of the Sea of Japan published in Novoye Vremya today the reader is almost convinced that the Russian commander out maneuvered Admiral Togo at every point and was himself the real victor.

The remarkable allegation was made that the British were held in readiness to destroy the Russian fleet if the battle of Japan had gone in Russian's favor, made by Admiral Rojestvensky in the letter published in Novoye Vremya with the permission of the minister of Marine. Referring to the absolute secrecy of Admiral Togo in regard to the disposition of his forces Rojestvensky declares that "This was unknown even to the Admiral of the British fleet allied with the Japanese who concentrated his forces at Weihaiwei, in expectation of receiving an order to annihilate the Russian fleet if this final object of Great Britain was beyond power of Japanese."

The letter has aroused considerable sensation in diplomatic circles, all more so as it was published with the permission of the Minister of Marine and no doubt it is entertained that it will be made subject to diplomatic representations to Great Britain.

Many Are Executed. Moscow, Jan. 3.—According to stories in circulation here the number of summary executions of the revolutionists is large. Mr. Smith, an Englishman and proprietor of the machine works here, which were accidentally burned yesterday, says he personally witnesses a number of executionists. When the "Druzhina" (revolutionary) garrison of the sugar factory surrounded the officer in command of the regular troops after a few brief questions picked out the victims who were marched 20 paces in front of the firing squad, received a volley, and dropped without a struggle. It generally stated that the victims were handed over to the firing squad with the command, "Take them to the river," which was tantamount to a sentence and warrant for their execution.

NOTED HOUSE BILL.

No Effort to Be Made to Pass Bill Over Governor's Veto. By Associated Press. Jackson, Miss., Jan. 3.—Governor Vardaman returned with his veto house bill which the last session of the Legislature passed, legalizing in Mississippi the merger of the two railroads—the Mobile and Ohio and the Southern. It is understood that no effort will be made to have the bill passed over the Governor's veto.

JOHN A. M'CALL RESIGNED.

Resignation Was Accepted—Alexander C. Orr Immediately Elected President of New York Life. By Associated Press. New York, Jan. 3.—John A. McCall resigned the presidency of the New York Life Insurance Company. The resignation was accepted by the board of trustees, and Alexander C. Orr was promptly elected president.

NO APPLICATION MADE.

President Might Not Be Able to Intervene Were Such Applications Made. By Associated Press. Washington, Jan. 3.—No application has been made to the President in behalf of James Howard, convicted in Kentucky for the murder of Governor Geubel, and sentenced to life imprisonment and it is said at the White House were such an application made the President would have no authority to intervene in the matter.

—The stockholders of the Crowell Sanatorium Company will hold an important meeting at the sanatorium this evening at 8 o'clock.

NORMAL STUDENTS RETURN

Train Crowded With School Girls and Boys—Federal Court Begins Today.

Special to The News. Greensboro, N. C., Jan. 3.—The trains were all late last night and all were crowded. Those from Raleigh and the East were filled with students returning to the Normal and Industrial College, the Greensboro Female College, and the several boys' High Schools in the county at Oak Ridge and Guilford College. Another crowded train was on with special coaches from Winston-Salem, containing not only Normal students, but any quantity of Wilkes county people, who are witnesses or defendants in the trials which are to begin today in the Federal courts against several ex-revenue officers, who are indicted for alleged conspiracy with distillers to defraud the Government of revenue.

Distrist Attorney Holton was reinforced yesterday by the arrival of the two Government agents, McAdams and Wright, who worked up the evidence in Wilkes county last summer. With these and special solicitor of the Department of Justice, A. B. Hayes, who arrived from Washington early in the morning, the cases were being carefully dissected and prepared. Mr. Holton says he will be ready for the trial this morning on one and all the cases.

In the offices of Judge W. P. Bynum Jr., ex-Judge Adams, ex-Governor Aycock and Hon. C. B. Watson, were equally busy conferring over the cases for the day. Two of the most prominent of these, E. L. Davis and Abram Bryan are dangerously ill at their homes.

HORRIBLE ACCIDENT.

Little Five Year Old Boy Shot Three Year Old Sister.—Not Expected to Live.

Special to The News. Shelby, Jan. 3.—A most distressing and horrible accident occurred yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock in which Almeria Hamrick, the little three-year daughter of Mrs. B. Ed. Hamrick, was shot by her little brother, Edgar Hamrick, and fatally wounded. Little Edgar Hamrick, five years old, had a 38 pistol, when it was accidentally discharged and the ball took effect in the little girl's face just below the eye and the ball ranged downward going through her tongue, coming out under her jaw. She bled profusely from the wound, and is being kept alive now only by the use of oxygen. She can not live through the night. The mother, who is the widow of the late Capt. B. Ed. Hamrick, Shelby's former chief of police, who was ruthlessly murdered a year and a half ago, is completely overcome with grief, and the entire community sympathizes with her in this second sore bereavement which she has had to endure. The little boy is almost frantic with grief on account of the accident. The pistol, which he had, formerly belonged to his father.

New Trainmaster. A circular issued by the Southern Railway announces the appointment of C. K. Miller, former chief dispatcher on the Washington division with headquarters at Alexandria, as the trainmaster on the Greensboro-Wilkesboro and Sanford-Mt. Airy branches, with headquarters at Greensboro, succeeding W. C. Coapman, resigned.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CREMATORY

During the Past 12 Months 113 Horses and 38 Mules Were Cremated, a Large Number of Other Animals were Reduced to Ashes.

Mr. N. A. Barnhart, superintendent of the crematory, has prepared his annual report, which will be read with interest.

During the last 12 months there has been cremated 113 horses, 38 mules, 54 cows, 224 hogs, 2 goats, 313 dogs, 411 cats, 2,095 chickens, 38 ducks, 30 turkeys, 44 rabbits, 7 possums, 69 boxes of fish, 12 barrels of meat, 8 boxes, 15 barrels of vegetables, 11,497 barrels of night soil and 4,710 loads of trash.

One item in the above report shows up very badly and needs explanation. One would think that the death rate among the horses and mules of Charlotte has been alarming during the past 12 months. The explanation is that about 30 head of horses and mules were burned alive in the conflagration that almost totally destroyed the stables of J. C. Cochrane & Bro. and T. B. Hoover, last October.

It will also be noted that the death rate among the chickens far exceeds that of any previous year. It must be borne in mind that a large number of these fowls come to Charlotte dead in coops and in wagons. The condition of the crematory is first class and Mr. Barnhart has done his work of burning in good shape. The crematory is a great institution and Charlotte could not get along without it.

MR. VAN LANDINGHAM INJURED.

Struck by an Electric Car This Afternoon. Mr. John Van Landingham was struck by an electric car at the corner of College and Trade streets, this afternoon and was painfully, if not seriously injured. He was taken to his home on East Avenue.

HORRIBLE DEATH ENGINEER LUCAS IN BIG WRECK

Serious Wreck of Freight Train Near Depot at Fair Forest this Morning. Big Engine Turned Over on Engineer. Half Dozen Cars Piled High.

Fireman Disappeared, Probably Through Fright. No Trains Can Pass Before Night. Broken Rail Thought to be Cause of Wreck.

Special to The News. Spartanburg, S. C., Jan. 3.—Engineer James Lucas, of Greenville, was killed this morning at 8.30 at Fair Forest and the fireman has disappeared as the result of a serious freight wreck at the north end of the switch near the depot which the train was approaching at about 20 miles an hour.

The heavy engine turned over on the engineer, who is still pinned beneath the heavy locomotive dead, while a derrick is at work with a wrecking crew on the wreck which involved the engine and half a dozen cars which are piled high on the track. No trains can pass before tonight.

No. 37 and 39 are being operated via Columbia and Alston. It is believed the fireman ran away through fright when the wreck occurred. A broken rail is given as the cause of the accident.

ENGINEER LUCAS KILLED.

Went Down With His Engine at Fair Forest. Engineer J. A. Lucas, one of the oldest, as well as one of the most popular engineers on the Charlotte division of the Southern, was killed in a wreck near Fair Forest this morning at 9 o'clock.

The engine, tender and eleven freight cars were smashed into kindling wood and the track was badly damaged for a short distance. The train that came to grief was "Extra No. 538," that was made up at Spartanburg this morning and its destination was Greenville. At the switch, a few hundred yards to the North of station, the engine left the track, turned over on one side and following it were 11 heavily loaded freight and coal cars, which were not only derailed, but were very badly damaged.

Engineer Lucas remained at his post and went down with his engine. His mangled body was found underneath the great machine that had crushed the life out of him. One of two of the trainmen were slightly bruised, but the injuries are not considered serious.

The train was in charge of Conductor Clapp and Engineer Lucas. Fair Forest is only a few miles south of Spartanburg, therefore it had only been running a short time. The cause of the accident is not known here.

On account of the accident, train No. 39 was derailed at Spartanburg, going around by Columbia and from there to the Columbia and Greenville to Greenville. No. 37, the Southern's vestibule, took the same circuitous route. The statement was given out this afternoon that the track would be cleared in time this evening, so as not to delay any of the evening trains.

Engineer Lucas was married and leaves a wife and several children at Greenville.

NO PROPOSAL RECEIVED.

Lord Mayor Has Not Received Virginia's Proposal Regarding London's Poor. By Associated Press. London, Jan. 3.—Lord Mayor Morgan has not received Virginia's announced proposal through the Commissioner of Agriculture of Virginia to establish 40,000 of London's poor on land in that State. Pending the receipt of the full details of the proposal, Wm. J. Soubsey, Secretary to the Lord Mayor, said he could not discuss its acceptance. Any offer, he pointed out, must largely hinge on financial arrangements.

DENIES RESIGNATION.

Augustus C. Paine Says there is Absolutely No Truth in the Report. New York, Jan. 2.—A report that John A. McCall resigned as president of the New York Life Insurance Company at a meeting of the trustees of the company last Saturday was denied today by Augustus C. Paine, a member of the committee recently appointed to go over the company's affairs. Mr. Paine stated that the report was absolutely untrue and added that the trustees did not meet Saturday. It has been said that the meeting was a secret one, and that the trustees had pledged themselves to keep the matter of the resignation secret until the annual report of the company came out tomorrow.

SALISBURY NEWS NOTES.

Banquet to Be Given—Pastor Gets Call Special to The News.

Salisbury, N. C., Jan. 3.—Tomorrow night at the Central Hotel the members of the volunteer fire department will be honored at a sumptuous banquet. The members of the police force will also be present. The banquet is given by popular subscription and was inaugurated by Mayor Boyden. Rev. Wm. H. Rich, pastor of the First Baptist church of this city, has received a call to the pastorate of the Baptist church at Morganton. All Salisburyans hope he will not accept. Dr. J. Steven Brown of this city is suffering from bloodpoison in his left hand, the result of a pen sticking in his hand several days ago. Salisbury will have another hotel about March 1st. The Johnston Block, which was designed for a hotel, has been leased by a party and will be thrown open at an early date. This building is situated on Main street, opposite the court house. The annual exhibit by the Piedmont Poultry show began here today and many fine birds are on exhibition. Mayor Boyden will tonight deliver a talk of welcome to the exhibitors, who number possibly a hundred or more. The show will last four days.

KILLED ACCIDENTALLY.

Henry Ritch Meets Death Near Oxford While Hunting. Oxford, Jan. 3.—The funeral of young Henry Ritch, the 15-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Ritch, who was instantly killed in the woods south of this city Saturday by the accidental discharge of a shotgun, was held from the residence of Mrs. John Alexander yesterday morning. The only witness to the tragedy resulting in the young man's death was a negro servant in the employ of the Ritch family. The negro was sent to the woods to cut some fuel, and was followed by Henry Ritch, who took along his shotgun with a view to bringing back some game for dinner. The negro says the gun was accidentally discharged while the young man was in the act of sitting down on a stump. The ball took effect in the heart and death was instantaneous.

There was at one time some talk of holding the negro amenable for the tragedy, but there was no evidence to justify any charge against him, and the coroner's jury completely vindicated him, their verdict being that the deceased met his death by accident.

ATTRIBUTES HIS DOWNFALL TO DRUGS

Young Caddell who is Charged With Stealing Money From a Woman Declares He is a Morphine and Cocaine Fiend and Has Been for Five Years.

J. W. Caddell, a young man who says his home is in Durham, was arraigned in the Recorder's court this morning charged with the larceny of \$70, the property of Viola Fleming, a woman of the Tenderloin district. It was alleged that Caddell took the money from the woman one day last week. He left Charlotte, went to Greensboro, where he telegraphed \$45 of his amount to the woman. As soon as the telegram was received Chief Irwin wrote to the authorities at Greensboro giving a description of the young man. He was located on Elm street and Sergeant Farrington went to Greensboro yesterday morning and returned last night with his prisoner.

In the Recorder's court this morning Caddell did not deny that he took the money, but said the amount was only \$65. He stated that he had already refunded \$45 of this amount and that he had written the woman that he would replace the balance just as soon as he could get it together.

By way of excusing himself Caddell told the Court that for the past five years he had been addicted to the morphine, cocaine and cigarette habit; that his powers of resistance had been weakened and that the temptation to steal the money was so great that he fell.

He also stated that he was ashamed of his deed in a few minutes afterwards, but as he had taken it he did not dare to come back and face the woman from whom he had stolen.

Viola Fleming produced a letter that Caddell had written her. It was mailed in Charlotte, but the boy says he wrote it when in Greensboro. Caddell applied the most endearing names to the woman and said that he hoped she would not think hard of him for taking the money. He also wrote that he would go from Greensboro to Atlanta.

After hearing all the evidence Acting Recorder Hilton bound Caddell over in a \$200 bond for his appearance at the next term of the Criminal Court. Failing to give bond, the boy went to jail. Before he was taken to the county jail, the New York man had a talk with Caddell. He said that he was from Durham and his people were good people; that he had been a slave to morphine, cocaine and cigarettes for the past five years and to these three influences he attributed his downfall.

The only other case before the court this morning was a charge against Sandy White, colored, for selling whiskey. Owing to the absence of one or two important witnesses the case was continued.

GOV. HIGGINS URGED A MOST DRASTIC INSURANCE LAW

In his Message to the New York Legislature Governor Higgins Urged the Passing of the Most Drastic Insurance Law Possible.

"The Eyes of the Whole World are Turned Towards New York" he Said. Other Features of His Message. Up to Legislature.

By Associated Press. Albany, Jan. 3.—The legislature has convened. In his message, Governor Higgins urged a drastic insurance law. "Eyes of the whole world," he said "are turned towards New York and if this legislature does not produce an insurance law which shall be drastic but practicable, radical but sane; in spirit, which shall be courageous but not hysterical, it will fail to meet the expectations of those who have confidence in the ability of the popular government to solve its own problems as they arise."

"The future effective action by Congress or the Federal Government is not probable and the possibility of such action should not retard for an instant the work of the State."

He added it was not to be assumed that the other corporations dealing in indemnity and investment contracts have been blameless, and utters a word of caution regarding assessment associations, accident insurance companies, cooperative fire insurance companies and the like.

James W. Wadsworth, Jr., was elected speaker of the Assembly receiving the entire Republican vote.

NARROW ESCAPE.

Aged Negro Woman Barely Escapes Burning to Death. Maplesville, Jan. 3.—Early yesterday morning while Austin Goodwin, an aged hard-working negro, who lives in a cottage on Mrs. N. E. Goodwin's place with his children and helpless wife, was out attending to the stock on the place a fire broke out in the house. A negro passing by heard the wife's screams, rushed in and only saved her life by dragging her out through a small window in the rear. A minute more and she would have been burned. The aged couple lost everything they possessed together with \$40 in cash, the proceeds of a bale of cotton that Austin had sold only a few days since.

In a negro quarter near the depot last night the negro cook for the gang on the Southern received a close range load of bird shot in the back, so close that some of the wads lodged in the flesh. The shot was slightly glancing, or it would have been fatal. In the melee a negro woman was struck on the head with a brick. The negro, Tom Chapman, who did the shooting, made his escape. The whole affair is so mixed up that officers are unable to get heads or tails.

COLUMBIA BOY KILLED.

Little John Henry Lilly Accidentally Shot by Another Boy at Clay Pigeon Shoot. Manning, Jan. 3.—At a big rifle and clay pigeon shoot, four miles from town, yesterday John Henry Lilly, 8-year-old son of J. S. W. Lilly, of Columbia, was killed by the accidental discharge of a small rifle in the hands of Clarence Izman, another small boy. The ball entered the neck and broke the bone.

Mr. Lilly and family were visiting friends in Clarendon.

CASE OF DECATUR WENT TO COURT

Testimony in Court Martial Proceedings Closed This Morning. Court Took Case This Afternoon. Other Cases to be Tried After Decatur Case.

By Associated Press. Annapolis, Jan. 3.—The testimony for the prosecution and the defence closed this morning in the court-martial proceedings against Midshipman Stephen Decatur, Jr., charged with hazing Fourth Classman Isaac N. McCrary and Gaylord Church. At the request of Judge Advocate and counsel for the defence the court took a recess until this afternoon, when the arguments will be concluded. The case will be given the court this afternoon.

The case of Midshipman Worth W. Foster, of New Albany, Ind., will be taken up tomorrow and that of P. B. Marzoni, of Pensacola, as soon as the Foster case is concluded. Both are first class men and are charged with hazing Midshipman Chester S. Roberts, of Joliet, Ill.