

Myers Park People Apply For Charter To Develop Land

Application for a charter for "The Stephens Company," with an authorized capital of \$25,000, was today mailed to the secretary of state.

It means that the development of 1,000 acres of land between Elizabeth and Dilworth, known now as Myers Park.

The incorporators are: George W. Stephens, W. H. Wood and A. J. Draper each of whom holds 10 to 30 shares that are issued.

Messrs. Wood, Stephens and Draper, any one of whom is too well known in Charlotte to need special mention, intend to develop this beautiful property in the southern part of the city.

The charter stipulates that it shall hold for 60 years, and that the incorporators of the new company shall have all authority customarily vested in a corporation.

Several days ago it was known that real estate men and business men had been interested in the purchase of land near Myers Park, and it was intimated that a pleasant summer resort would be built there.

The application for the charter, which has already been forwarded to Secretary of State J. Bryan Grimes, is a confirmation of the report that developments are to begin.

PROPERTY ON MINT STREET CAR LINE SOLD

Every day brings its news of important real estate deals. The latest is that the property on Mint street, owned by J. E. King and A. W. Calvin properties on Mint street. The purchase price represents thousands of dollars.

Mr. Kidd's place has a frontage of 65 feet on Mint street. The Calvin place has a Mint street frontage of 188 feet. The purchase price is a secret, but the News knows that the Kidd property brought \$20,000 or more, and the Calvin property in proportion. It is understood that the Murphy Company bought the property for the Southern Power Company.

County Schools-- Bill Nye Fund

The schools of Mecklenburg county have responded liberally to the Bill Nye Memorial Fund. Only a few schools have as yet reported the amount contributed by the pupils on Bill Nye Day, but about \$35 has already been turned into Professor Cochran.

A full report will be forthcoming from all the county schools in a few days and the amount contributed will be put in the hands of County Treasurer Stinson, who will transmit it to the proper authorities.

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Senate Declares Lorimer's Election is Valid

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"I am sorry for William Lorimer," said Mr. Owen, impressively, as he took the floor.

Senator Lorimer then took the floor to reply to the Deaneen telegram which Senator Owen had read to the senate.

Senator Lorimer concluded his remarks at 12:50 and was immediately followed by Senator Smith, of Michigan.

Elaborating upon his sympathy for the Illinois senator, Mr. Owen still maintained that a stain had been left upon Lorimer's good name by the manner of his election to the senate.

There has been corruption and bribery in that occurrence, contended the Oklahoma senator and he said that it was impossible not to believe that Lorimer had not known what was transpiring.

Mr. Owen, following upon Mr. Heyburn, then read a telegram from Governor Deaneen, of Illinois. It was a categorical reply to all of the Illinois senator's allegations concerning the governor.

Washington, March 1.—The agreement reached yesterday just before the senate adjourned that a vote on the Lorimer case would be taken at 1:30 o'clock brought senators to the capitol this morning more or less enthusiastic over the prospect of determining a matter which has been thrashed out on the floor for many weeks.

Not all the members of the senate were interested in the proceedings confined. Though the hour fixed for the convening of the body was 11 o'clock, visitors began arriving at 9 o'clock, before the hour for convening had come it was clear that the corridors would be thronged during the day or at least until after the vote on the Lorimer case had been taken.

Day after day there had been expectation that a vote might be reached but not until today was there certainty of the fact. That the senate had agreed there should be a vote without debate left no doubt in the public mind that the hour mentioned would be the conclusion of the case for so long had held an important place on the senate boards.

In as much as the majority of the committee on privileges and elections did not accompany its report clearing Senator Lorimer's election of fraud with a resolution upon which a vote could be taken in the senate, the action today will be in connection with the Beveridge resolution. This resolution is as follows:

"Resolved, That Wm. Lorimer was not duly and legally elected to a seat in the senate of the United States by the legislature of the state of Illinois."

The negative votes, therefore, will be cast by those who favor the Illinois senator's retention of his seat. A majority of the senate voting in opposition to the resolution will have the effect of confirming Senator Lorimer's title to the seat he occupies.

Of course it will be possible for a member of the committee on privileges and elections, or any other senator, to bring that matter to offer a substitute resolution, but Chairman Burrows announced today that so far as he was concerned the senate will vote on the Beveridge measure.

Preparing To Entertain Farmers

The committee that has been appointed by the president of the Greater Charlotte Club to look after the welfare of the Davidson county delegation of farmers, who will be here March 4, will hold a meeting at the Selwyn hotel Friday night to make further plans for the entertainment of the delegations.

Plans will be made to have as many Mecklenburg farmers as possible meet the Davidson farmers and accompany them to the Selwyn farm, where demonstrations in soil preparation will be given. The Dupont Powder Company, through a representative, will show how sub-soiling can be easily and cheaply done by dynamite. Demonstration will also be made with the Spaulding deep-tilling plow and with the Deere labor-saving plow.

It is hoped and expected that a large number of Mecklenburg farmers attend the demonstrations. No subject is of more vital interest to the farmer than the matter of preparing his soil properly for receiving the seeds that he expects to reap a harvest from. These who have already the experiments that will be made at the Selwyn farm on March 4 say that they are an eye-opener and that every farmer owes it to himself to go and see them.

Messrs. C. C. Moore, W. M. Long and Dr. C. A. Bland compose the committee appointed by Mr. C. O. Kuester, president of the Greater Charlotte Club, to welcome the visitors. They have asked the assistance of a number of other well-known citizens in receiving and extending the glad hand to the farmers of Davidson county.

Society

BRIILLANT SOCIAL AFFAIR

The dance given by Mr. and Mrs. Robt. L. Tate last night in the beautiful ball room of the Manufacturers' club, in honor of Miss Emily Holt, Mrs. Tate's young sister, was one of the strictly recherche affairs of the season. The room was prettily set with palms and cut flowers, and was an inspiration in its beauty and brilliancy to the merry throng of dancers. Mr. and Mrs. Tate received informally, the guests of the evening, presenting them to their lovely young sister, who was radiant in light blue chiffon with trimmings of lavender and violets. Of rich brunette type, graceful and charming, with an air of culture that is as rare as delightful, the lovely young debutante received her friends and those of Mrs. Tate, with easy savoir vivre. Dancing commenced about 10 o'clock and continued until midnight. Refreshments were served during the evening. Those present were:

Miss Emily Holt with W. Chalmers; Miss Corrie Fore with Mr. Frank Drane; Miss Helen Eddy with Mr. Carol Taltierro; Miss Loula Taltierro with Mr. David Clark; Miss Annie Louise Hutchison with Mr. Preston Wilkes; Miss Marguerite Springs with Mr. Forcher; Miss Stuart Jones with Dr. Addison Brenizer; Miss Sarah Jones with Mr. P. Morsen; Miss Eleanor Alexander with Mr. Simmons; Miss Flora Bryan with Mr. William Wilson; Miss Canille Durham with Dr. Myers; Miss Martha Howell with Mr. Blackburn; Miss Eleanor Hammond with Mr. McCabe; Miss Nancy Brown with Mr. Frank Caldwell; Miss Sue Prince with Mr. H. C. Jones; Miss Spruill with Mr. Chase Brenizer; Miss Henrikel with Mr. Joe Wadsworth; Miss Dangerfield with Mr. Phil McMahon; Miss Mary Morgan Myers with Mr. Graydon; Miss Margaret Heughton with Mr. Tom Moore; Miss Laurie Spang with Mr. Fred Nash; Miss Julia Irwin with Mr. Robert Johnston; Miss Mary Durham with Mr. W. Myers; Miss Edwidge Blake with Mr. R. Dalton; Miss Sadie Thomas with Mr. Robin Brent; Miss Margaret Reese with Mr. Ponville; Miss Anna Forbes Liddell with Mr. Ruffin Smith; Miss Helen Liddell with Mr. McBride; Miss Elizabeth Chambers with Mr. Theo. Klutz; Miss Mary Johnston with Mr. C. Sherrill; Miss Ruth Redley with Mr. Thurmond Long; Miss Susan Byrum with Mr. John Tate; Miss Annie Wilson with Mr. George White.

Messrs. Sidney McAden, John Henry McAden, Jim Walker, Herbert Irwin, Charles Tillet, Duncan Tillet, Tom Pegram, Walter Lambeth, Rufus Johnston, John Hutchison, John Parker, James Hutchison, Dolph Young, James McAden, W. S. O. B. Robinson, J. Frank Hutchison, T. H. Dangerfield.

MRS. HOVEY HERE

Mrs. Edward C. Hovey, of Spartanburg, S. C., is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Smith. Mrs. Hovey's small army of friends in Charlotte are always glad to have her home.

MRS. MAIER HERE

Mrs. Frederick Maier, of Philadelphia, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. Renwick Wilkes. Mrs. Maier's many friends are glad to know that she will be here for several weeks. Dr. Maier will join her Sunday. This is Dr. and Mrs. Maier's first visit since their marriage.

D. A. R. MEETING

Charlotte chapter, D. A. R., will meet tomorrow week—the 9th—with Mrs. L. W. Sanders and Mrs. S. O. Brooks. Mrs. Laura Brown will read a paper on the "Haguenots of the Carolinas."

AS FORMERLY TOLD

The News told Mr. Don Richardson's friends some weeks ago of his intention to go to New York in March to study violin. Mr. Richardson leaves this week. Mr. Richardson will spend the weeks of his absence with his parents in Brunswick, Ga., leaving tomorrow or next day for that point. Mr. Richardson will be associated with noted violin virtuosi in New York. He will take advantage of any and all opportunities that come to him to learn of the master's of musical art.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The woman's auxiliary of St. Peter's Episcopal church is asked to meet at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in the vestry rooms. All members are asked to come and bring their dues.

MRS. MONTGOMERY HAS STROKE OF PARALYSIS

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Montgomery, who, as noted in The News, intended to make their home in Chicago in future, intended leaving this week, but have been detained by the illness of Mrs. Montgomery's mother, Mrs. Mary Montgomery, of Lenoir. Mr. Montgomery had a stroke of paralysis night before last. The family had given up their flat in the Elmore Fats, preparatory to leaving for Chicago, and gone to the Buford Hotel. They intended to start yesterday for Chicago. Mrs. Montgomery was taken to the Charlotte Sanatorium yesterday. She is in a serious condition, but was somewhat better today.

MRS. REYNOLDS HOSTESS

At a very delightful session of the Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club yesterday with Mrs. William A. Reynolds the first prize was won by Miss Helen Eddy. The full quota—three tables—of club members were present—as is always the case when the club meets with Mrs. Reynolds. A charming hostess she was yesterday.

A PRETTY GAME

At the very pretty bridge party given yesterday by Mrs. L. B. Newell, complimentary to Miss Anna Ross Cunningham, guest of Mrs. L. C. Harrison, the first prize was won by Mrs. C. E. Harrison and the consolation by Mrs. J. B. Spence. The guest of honor was given a dainty souvenir.

Real Estate Transfers

Mr. R. C. Carson and others have sold to Mr. G. A. Marsh a valuable farm on the Dowd road, a few miles from the city. The price paid was \$3,400. The farm contains 382 acres. Mr. M. Davis has sold to Dr. A. D. Glascock a lot on East Fifth street extension for \$2,000. Mrs. Marjorie O. Freeman has sold to the Mutual Trust Company a lot in Villa Heights for \$1,000.

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THEY MUST KNOW

MAYOR'S FRIENDS MET LAST NIGHT

Friends of Mayor T. W. Hawkins held a meeting in the Selwyn hotel last night and took the first step towards organizing their forces for the mayoralty campaign. The mayor was not at the meeting.

Some secrecy was manifested by those who attended the meeting, and it was said by the friends and admirers of Mr. Hawkins that there was nothing to be given out as yet. However, it may be stated that it is the first step towards an organization.

The democratic committee has not as yet fixed the day for the primary at which all city officials are to be elected. A "slate" has been made, though, and the silent forces are now very hard at work.

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Governor Sends Special Message

Special to The News. Raleigh, March 1.—Gov. Kitchin sent to the senate and the house today as special message asking that provision be made for him to appoint a board of two commissioners to go to Washington and confer with a similar board from the United States treasury department with a view to settling the claims of the state of North Carolina for a batch of \$58,000 of old North Carolina bonds purchased by the government with Indian funds and a claim of North Carolina against the federal government for \$44,000 worth of cotton that was seized and confiscated by the federal authorities during the civil war. The contention is that the two claims with accrued interest will about offset each other. The message of the governor to the general assembly reviews at length each of these claims and gives the correspondence that the state department of North Carolina and the treasury department of the federal government has carried on regarding these claims.

The legislature, in both houses, referred the message to proper committees and it is understood that an act will be put in process of legislation at once to meet the suggestions of the governor.

—Mr. R. A. Zachery, formerly one of the Western Union operators, goes on the truck at the Postal Telegraph Company today. Mr. Zachery is a fine operator.

1911 CROP REPORTS.

February the Only Month in Which None is Issued.

Between now and December 31 the Department of Agriculture will issue 25 crop reports, including those relating to grain, cotton and other minor crops. The live stock report, which usually appears about Jan. 25, is held over until the census returns are available on this subject. February has no report from this department, and latest issued for the old season is that of March 8, dealing with stocks of grain in farmers' hands on March 1. That total forms the basis of price forecasts for the new season in all the cereals to which it pertains.

The calendar of reports, month by month, is given below, containing dates apply, with minor changes, to the current year:

- February—No crop report in this month.
- March 8.—Stocks of grain in farmers' hands, March 1.
- April 8.—Condition of winter wheat and rye April 1.
- April 8.—Winter losses of livestock and condition April 1.
- May 9.—Acreage winter wheat harvestable as of May 1.
- May 9.—Condition winter wheat, rye, meadows, May 1.
- June 2.—Estimated cotton acreage, condition May 25.
- June 8.—Preliminary estimate spring wheat, oats, barley.
- June 9.—Clover, pastures, etc., condition June 1.
- July 1.—Second report on condition of cotton crop.
- July 8.—Acreage condition of corn, potatoes, rice, July 1.
- July 9.—Fruit, vegetables, wool, or chards on July 1.
- August 2.—Third cotton condition report as of July 25.
- August 5.—Preliminary estimate winter crops August 1.
- September 2.—Third cotton condition report as of August 25.
- September 8.—Condition of corn, spring wheat, oats, etc., September 1.
- September 9.—Harvest condition vegetable of May 1.
- October 9.—Fourth cotton condition report as of Sept. 25.
- October 10.—Harvest condition of corn, tobacco, flax, Oct. 1.
- October 11.—Minor crop conditions as of Oct. 1.
- November 9.—Yield and quality of corn, corn on farms.
- November 10.—Percentage of full crop of minor crops.
- December 7.—Condition of winter wheat and rye, Dec. 1.
- December 15.—Estimate of cotton crop of current season.
- December 15.—Final estimate of crop values and yields.

These reports do not include ten others issued by the Census Bureau on the quantity of cotton ginned from period to period. Beginning with September 8 to these ten reports there are four others of supply and distribution, showing progress of manufacturing consumption where exports have gone, and the location and quantities of stocks still available. These reports, together with the 27 of the Department of Agriculture, make 41 distinct reports from the two bureaus having most to do with the progress of the crop season of 1911.

AMUSEMENTS

Matinee Excellent.

The matinee performance yesterday afternoon of "The Little Princess" was another of the decided successes of the present theatrical season. It was given for the benefit of the Humane Society as was the first performance and a good crowd saw the entertainment.

All of the characters were more familiar with the lines than at the first show and all of them did better on this occasion. Miss Millersham and Mr. Daxtresser were particularly good as were Miss May Cross. In their musical numbers they were generously applauded.

To Mrs. H. H. Donohoo is the greatest credit due for the general excellence of the performances here and the goodly sum of money realized for the benefit of the Humane Society. While the exact figures have not been given out it is known that the amount was large and all of the patronesses are delighted and enthusiastic in their praise of the promoters. As has been said before Mrs. Donohoo is a remarkable instructor and a decidedly clever woman. She is a delightful instructor, a fine musician and her ability to handle children is wonderful. Mr. Donohoo handles the business end of the engagements and is as efficient in his line as Mrs. Donohoo is in hers. They go from here to Florence for a short rest and from there to Winston where they will get up the entertainment for the Wilmingtonians.

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Cannot Return to Holland.

Rotterdam, Holland, March 1.—Rudolph Tinsley, director of the Uranium line, who is in Berlin, has been prohibited from returning to Holland.

The drastic action of the Dutch authorities is the outcome of the trans-Atlantic emigrant traffic dispute which arose from Germany's refusal to permit Russians returning from America aboard the steamer Volmar to pass through Germany.

Tinsley is a British subject. The order of the crown forbidding his presence in Holland was received this morning by the chief commissioner of police. It is based upon the law governing the residence of foreigners in Holland.

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