

Victory! Victory! Victory!

Bland Sayings

The "bosses," as Mr. J. E. Huneycutt, a Hawkins supporter, calls them in Ward 1, put up a Ring Ticket of four. They advertised together, one a splendid citizen declines, then they advertise three together—now one by one—the old saying: "One by one the roses fall."

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The Mechanics, Carpenters and Workingmen are Overwhelmingly for Bland.

Leading Physicians, Attorneys, Professional Men endorse Bland for Mayor.

What Means the Large Crowds that Greet Dr. Bland and His Speakers?

VICTORY!

Speakings To-Night

DILWORTH HALL—Speakers: T. W. Crews, Hugh W. Harris and others. (This will be a grand rally for Ward 8, and every voter interested in Dilworth streets, should be present.)

Music by Steel Creek Band.

BELMONT—Speakers: Dr. C. A. Bland, Plummer Stewart, W. H. Colthorpe and T. T. Allison.

A. D. DAVIS' STORE, Corner of Smith and Ninth Streets—Speakers: Chase Brenizer, Capt. T. A. Franklin and E. R. Preston.

Dr-Morrow (Saturday) Night, from 6 to 12 o'clock, Smoker at Bland's Headquarters. Come and meet the people and the people's candidate.

Grand Rally at Academy of Music Monday Night

"Best Little Cathartic"
I ever used," writes one lady regarding Hood's Pills. "They are so mild, do their work without griping and always bring your habits regular. We use no other cathartic." The favorite in thousands of families. Sold by all druggists, 25 cents.

Bridge Matter To Come Up Monday

The County Commissioners will probably hear a delegation from Greater Charlotte Club Anent Erection of Bridges at Mt. Holly, Sloan's Ferry.

At the meeting of the county commissioners next Monday a delegation from the Greater Charlotte Club will likely be present to urge the co-operation of the Mecklenburg commissioners with those of Gaston in constructing two bridges over the Catawba, one at Sloan's ferry and one at Mt. Holly.

Petitions asking the same thing are in circulation and have been largely signed. They will be gathered in tomorrow and sent to Chairman W. M. Long of the county commissioners.

There is no reluctance on the part of Mecklenburg's commissioners in building the bridge in collaboration with Gaston county, if the people wish it. The only difficulty in the way is as to whether there is enough funds in the treasury to justify the undertaking. That cannot be told until the petitioners, or some representative, appears before the board with an estimate of the cost.

The proposal relative to the Mt. Holly bridge is that the two counties of Mecklenburg and Gaston share the expense with the Piedmont Traction Company, which will build a bridge at that point for the crossing of the interurban. The bridge for the interurban will, of course, be a very substantial structure and it has been proposed that it be made a double-deck affair, the same piers serving for the car tracks and vehicle traffic, with the vehicle tracks under the car tracks.

The proposition was put up to the two counties so that the arrangement could be made if they would be responsible for the construction and maintenance of the lower deck.

It all remains to be seen what will be done Monday at the meeting of the commissioners. However, if the proposed plans fail to carry as to the Mt. Holly bridge, the Sloan's bridge is still a separate matter and may be disposed of independently of the other one.

Society

COMPLIMENT TO MISS CRAMER AND GUESTS.
Miss Minnie Jones was a gracious hostess today at a prettily set luncheon in honor of Miss Cramer and guests. The name cards read thus:
Miss Cramer, Miss Dox, Miss Gatch, Miss McCulloch, Miss Stephens, Miss Stone, Miss Ruth Kelley, Miss Abbott, Miss Liddell, Miss Hammond and Mrs. W. R. Robertson.

MISS IRWIN HOSTESS.
The Creighton Book Club has two meetings each season for the discussion of current events. The second of these meetings is to be held this afternoon at Miss Mary Irwin's. Each member of the club will bring an item of present-day interest, which will be discussed by the club.

After the literary program Miss Irwin served a delicious luncheon.
Mrs. John S. Carson will be the next hostess.

LEAVE TOMORROW
Mrs. Blanche Hammond and daughter, Miss Eleanor Hammond, of Columbia, S. C., who have been spending some time in Charlotte, leave tomorrow for Greenville, S. C. Miss Hammond has been one of the most charming visitors of the season. She is unusually pretty and winsome.

Mrs. H. J. Grege, Mrs. Hammond's married daughter, who has been here for a week or so, is at present the guest of Mrs. Addie Osborne.

MISS ALEXANDER TO HONOR GUESTS.
Miss Hattie Alexander, of East Fifth street, has two attractive guests, Misses Ethel and Lucy Hatch, of Greensboro. They are returning home from Sanford, Fla., where they spent the winter.

Tomorrow Miss Alexander entertains at a luncheon in honor of her guests. The table decorations will suggest the spring-tide, in violets, jonquils and yellow bells. The name cards will be hand-painted and will be ornamented with violets and jonquils. A dozen or more friends of Miss Alexander will meet her guests.

MRS. SPRINGS TAKEN TO HOSPITAL.
Mrs. B. D. Springs—in who mthe whole community is affectionately interested—was moved from her home in Dilworth to St. Peter's hospital today. She had rather a restless night, but her condition is practically the same.

Dr. Stokes, of Salisbury, came this morning to assist in moving Mrs. Springs to the hospital. It is learned that she will be operated on tomorrow.

SABBATH SCHOOL CLASS ENTERTAINED.
A very enjoyable affair last evening was given at the manse of the First A. R. P. church when Mrs. Geo. W. Hanna entertained informally her Sabbath school class. The night was cold and blustery, but in spite of this quite a large number of the young ladies of the class were present. Dainty refreshments were served and amusing games and delightful music made the evening pass all too rapidly, and at a late hour the guests departed, all vowing the occasion one to be long remembered in the history of the class.

Farmers Union is in Session To-day

Farmers of The County Convene in Monthly Session To-day at Cochran Academy—Will. Discuss the Buying of Fertilizers.

The Mecklenburg division of the North Carolina Farmers' Union is in session today at Cochran Academy, in Morning Star township the occasion being the annual monthly meeting. A citizen of the neighborhood, who came to the city today reports that many farmers had assembled at an early hour this morning and that the prospects were good for a large attendance.

Among the matters that will claim the attention of the union will probably be the matter of buying fertilizers. The Farmers' Union in this and other counties have, for several years past, and, in fact, ever since its first organization been buying fertilizer as a club. The title has been to appoint some member of the local union as a buyer for the whole membership of the local union, in this way obtaining far more satisfactory rates than if each farmer bought his fertilizer independently. As this is the period when the heaviest purchases of fertilizers are made, it is expected that the matter will be a live topic at the meeting.

It is probable furthermore that the union will go on record in some way with reference to the proposed farm-life school, the first movement for which was set on foot last Saturday when a mass meeting of citizens voted unanimously in favor of the project. As this is the first meeting of the Mecklenburg Union since that date, and as the farmers are more directly concerned in it than any others, it is likely that they will discuss the matter.

SOUTHALL TO SERVE SENTENCE FOR ROBBERY

J. A. Southall, white, who is to serve a sentence of three years for breaking into the Southern Hardware Company on the night of April 2, 1907, and stealing therefrom about \$300 worth of goods, was arrested in North Charlotte today by officers Earnhardt and Johnson, and is in the toms. When Southall was apprehended and arrested here for the hardware store robbery the sheriff was notified that Southall was wanted in Kentucky for an offence committed there. A reward of \$100 was offered for him by the governor of Kentucky. Sheriff Wallace took the man to Kentucky and got the reward. After serving out his sentence in Kentucky Southall was liberated. He drifted back to Charlotte and has been loafing around here for a week or so.

Chief Christenbury was on his trail and today he again fell into the clutches of the North Carolina law, and will soon be serving out his three years' sentence for the robbery committed here.

The Robbery.
On the night of April 2, 1907, an entrance was effected in the store of the Southern Hardware Company by a small boy, who opened the rear door for the man outside. On entering the store the man—who proved to be Southall—took 30 revolvers, 500 rounds of cartridges, a \$50 overcoat belonging to Mr. W. W. Watt, \$5 in cash and other articles. On his way out the thief carried the cash register with him. From this they got \$6 in cash.

Southall visited the office, where Mr. Watt's overcoat was found. The police had scant clue upon which to work, but they proved equal to the mystery, and some weeks after arrested Southall as the thief.

A man from Augusta was telling Chief Christenbury of a man being arrested in Augusta, Ga., and that he had 17 pistols on him. The chief wired the chief of police in Augusta and feeling sure that the man there was the one he was in search of went to Augusta. The pistols proved to be those taken from the Southern Hardware Company, and the thief—Southall—was brought here and on trial was sentenced to the penitentiary for three years. His sentence was not served owing to the requisition from Kentucky.

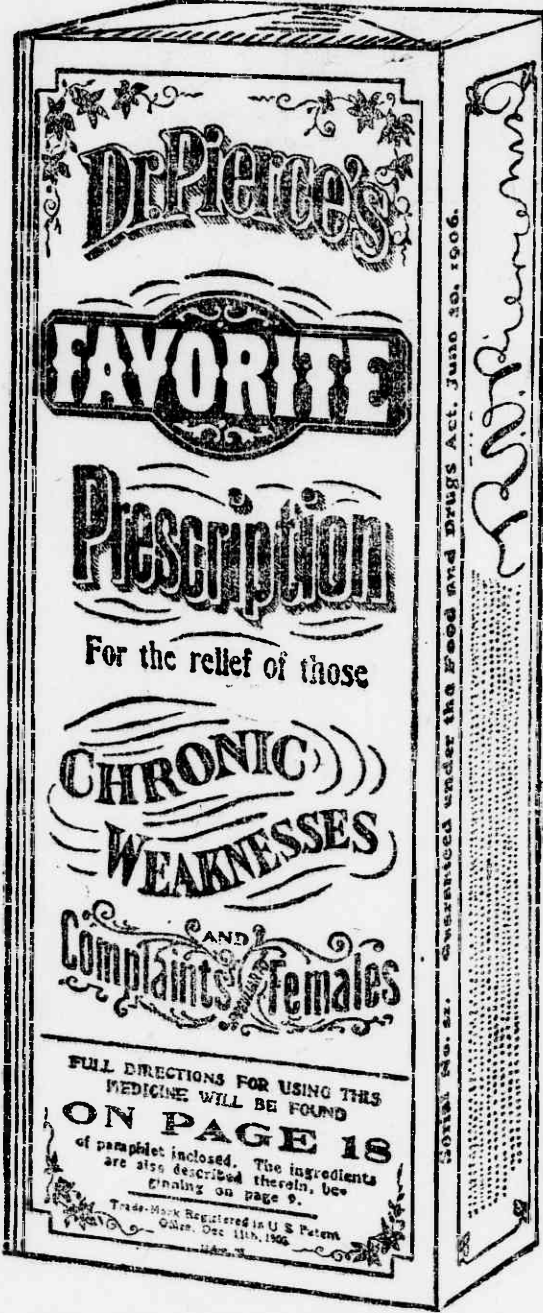
On April 8th, 1907, Chief Christenbury and Mr. T. W. Dixon, of the Southern Hardware Company, who had gone to Augusta, identified the suspect as the man who had robbed the hardware company.

The Augusta Herald had the following story relative to the arrest:
"Arrested on the charge of carrying concealed weapons, A. J. Southall, a young white man of Virginia, was arrested here. Southall pawned two pistols, which led to his arrest. He signed for a box at the express office under the name of W. H. Watson. He was watched and when the box was opened it was found to contain 15 new revolvers. His arrest followed. The express package came from Columbia. Southall is a morphia fiend."

Southall claimed to be a brakeman on the Southern railroad, and a Virginian by birth. He was tried before Recorder F. M. Shannonhouse, April 10th, 1907, and bound over to superior court in the sum of \$1,000. He was tried at the April term of court and sentenced to three years in the penitentiary.

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U. D. C. Meet- ing To-morrow

Stonewall Jackson Chapter, U. D. C., will have an important and interesting meeting tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock in the American Trust Co.'s building.

The fact that the day will be observed as Shiloh Day, establishes the historical interest of the day.

The literary honor of the day is accorded Mrs. B. D. Heath, a native of Tennessee. She will read a paper on "The Battle of Shiloh," describing graphically the point where the battle was fought.

The location of Shiloh is in western Tennessee, near Cumberland—will be sketched and every detail of the great fight told.

Another paper of interest will be by Mrs. Lockwood Jones, on the "First Confederate Flag." Mrs. Jones will read an article on the subject which appeared in the Keystone.

There are two claimants, it will be recalled by Mrs. Jones, for this honor: Randolph Smith, of Henderson, N. C., and Nicola Marshall, of Kentucky.

Mrs. Finger, acting president, will present the Chapel Hill Monument cause in the following statement:

Chapel Hill Monument.
Mrs. George A. Long, of Pittsboro, state chairman for North Carolina, of the Chapel Hill monument committee has issued a circular letter to the U. D. C.'s of the state, in which she says:

"Each chapter is urged to send at once its contribution to the state treasurer, Mrs. Robert Konegoy, of Goldsboro, N. C., and each chapter president is asked to appoint an active chapter committee to solicit contributions, not only from the University alumni, but from all persons who are willing to honor in this manner the memory of the University's Confederate soldiers with substantial contributions. It is desired that the names of contributors be given in every instance, so that they may be recorded at the University and also in our U. D. C. books.

The monument to be erected on the campus at Chapel Hill is not only in memory of the "boys" who left the University in 1861 for the war, but also those who attended the University and afterwards became Confederate soldiers. There were more than 1,000 University men in the struggle between the states.

The monument has been designed by the Canadian sculptor, John Wilson, and will be very beautiful. The front side will bear a bronze tablet, depicting a woman representing the state appealing to a young student to take up arms for his commonwealth. Books are falling from the youth's arms as he listens to her appeal. The heroic figure surmounting the shaft represents a young soldier boy.

Standing on the campus for all time it will be an object lesson to future generations of students, and will impress upon them their obligations to respond to the call of duty.

Unless a goodly sum is raised at once the monument can not be unveiled during commencement.

The local chapter of Daughters of the Confederacy have had a committee working for this project for some time of which Mrs. Chas. W. Tillet, as chairman. At the March meeting of the chapter a unanimous vote was given favoring each member making an offering of 50 cents for the fund to complete a gift of \$100, \$25 of which would be given by a member of the local committee. To carry out the urgent demands for completion of the fund Mrs. J. E. Kewell, of the committee, will assist the treasurer, Mrs. Essie Blankenship, in getting the money in hand by calling on the members for their contribution. This plan was adopted as preferable to a tea or play. The work will be greatly lessened by U. D. C.'s sending their money to either of the ladies mentioned or bringing it to the chapter meeting, Saturday, April 1st, 4 p. m., American Trust building.

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