

TO CONDUCT CLINIC FOR TUBERCULOSIS IN CONCORD IN MAY

Dr. Buchanan, the County Health Officer, Announces That the Spring Clinic Will Begin Here on May 8th.

DR. SPRUILL TO CONDUCT CLINIC

Officials Think Clinic Will Be Great Success, Judging From Interest Aroused During Others Held.

Dates for the tuberculosis clinic to be held in this county this Spring were announced this morning by Dr. S. E. Buchanan, county health officer.

Dr. Spruill, who has already conducted two very successful clinics in the county, will be in charge of the May clinic.

When the first tuberculosis clinic was held in this county health officers expressed the belief that it would be difficult to get the people interested in it.

"The clinics are proving very valuable to everyone," Dr. Buchanan stated.

"We have a number of people of the county at the State hospital now, and they are being cured. We hope at the May clinic to be able to render aid to additional persons."

Dr. Spruill, who was in Concord several weeks ago making plans for the clinic expressed delight that he was to come back to Cabarrus County.

"The clinics are free to everyone, and will be held in the offices of the health department."

THE COTTON MARKET

Opened at a Decline of 3 to 23 Points Owing to Easy Liverpool Cables.

New York, April 24.—The cotton market opened at a decline of 3 to 23 points in response to relatively easy cables from Liverpool and rather a more favorable weather map than expected.

"If you require any take it to the Motor and Service Co. An expert will repair it for you."

Summer furniture in great abundance at the Bell & Harris Furniture Co.

Have you a Victory Bond? If so, read the ad. of the Citizens Bank and Trust Company, which will collect the bond free of charge for you.

All kinds of athletic goods at the Musette, Inc. Buy them and let the children keep physically fit.

W. J. Hethcock will electrify your home with latest materials at reasonable prices.

C. H. Barrier & Co. offers the best in groceries at reasonable prices. New ad. will interest you.

New arrivals in summer suits and hats at W. A. Overcash. Prices right and materials of the best.

Mild Maid bread is better bread. Eat more of it.

Only a few more days in the April sale of ranges at the Concord & Kannapolis Gas Co. Now is the time to buy. Goods sold on easy terms.

Cotton Manufacturers Meet. Providence, R. I., April 24.—About one thousand of the leading textile men of the northern part of the United States have assembled in this city for the annual spring convention of the National Association of Cotton Manufacturers.

Actual work will begin here tomorrow with another meeting to report progress Thursday night.

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WARREN AND PAYNE TO NEGOTIATE WITH MEXICAN OFFICIALS

Appointed by United States to Confer With Obregon Officials in Effort to Get An Agreement.

WILL GO LATER TO MEXICO CITY

They Will Not Try to Tell the Mexicans How to Run Their Government, But Will Offer Hints.

(By the Associated Press.)

Washington, April 24.—Secretary Hughes announced today that the American commissioners to negotiate for a closer understanding with representatives of the Obregon government in Mexico City would be Chas. B. Warren, of Detroit, former ambassador to Japan; and John Barton Payne, former secretary of interior and chairman of the Red Cross.

A time for the meeting of the commission in Mexico City has not been fixed, but will be determined at an early date.

The American commissioners will be guided in their discussions by the broad considerations of policy which have actuated the administration in all its dealings with Mexico.

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KITCHIN TO RUN FOR RE-ELECTION

States That He Knows of No One Who Will Oppose Him From Second District.

Wilson, April 23.—Claude Kitchin, representative to Congress from the Second District, will be a candidate for re-election at the next Congressional election, according to an exclusive statement published in the Wilson Mirror this morning.

Asked for an expression relative to his future plans, Mr. Kitchin said the following to say:

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"Do you expect any opposition?" he was asked.

"That is a hard question to answer, because all kinds of developments may occur, but I am frank to say that I don't know of any one in the district at the present time who intends to be a candidate at the next election."

State Doctors Invited to Trinity. Durham, N. C., April 24.—The 1650 members of the State Medical Society of North Carolina have been invited to hear Dr. W. W. Keen, emeritus professor of surgery at Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, deliver the second series of John McTyre Flowers lectures at Trinity college, May 2, 3, and 4.

Dr. Keen is one of the foremost men in his profession in the country and it is expected that several hundred of the doctors of North Carolina will come to Trinity to hear his lectures. Many of them studied under Dr. Keen at Jefferson.

Subjects announced for the lectures are:

May 2.—The Value of Medical Research to Mankind and Anima's as Illustrated by the Achievements of Louis Pasteur.

May 3.—Victory Over Various Diseases.

May 4.—The Duty of Citizens to Promote and Support Medical Research.

\$230,000 Raised in Lenoir College Drive. Hickory, April 23.—With \$25,000 reported at the first meeting of Lenoir College appeal workers tonight, the grand total from all sources now amounts to \$230,000.

Dr. O. H. Panikoff announced. Large contributions were reported from many places in the state as preliminary to the campaign. Trinity Church, Gastonia, \$3,500; Winston-Salem, \$2,600; Wilmington, \$4,100; Charlotte, \$6,000; Statesville, \$1,600; Luther Chapel, a mission church in Gastonia, \$2,200.

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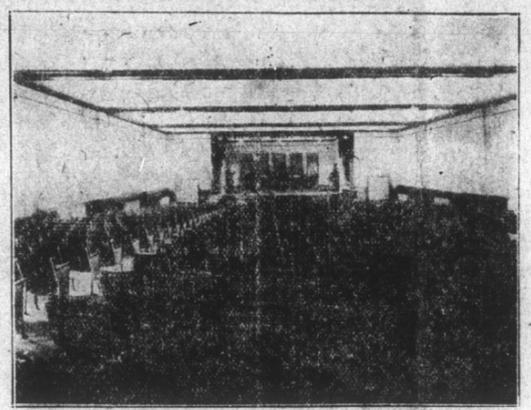
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NEW AUDITORIUM AT NO. 2 SCHOOL



The auditorium at the No. 2 School is one of the largest and most modern in Cabarrus County. It has every facility that goes to make an up-to-date auditorium, and has proved very beneficial in the work conducted in the school.

The auditorium has raised floor, theatre seats and accommodates more than 700 persons.

Exercises of County Commencement, to be held next Saturday, will be held in the auditorium.

STONE'S DEATH WAS CAUSED BY SUICIDE

Young Man From Thomasville Hanged Himself in the Gym of the College He Attended.

(By the Associated Press.)

Westminster, Md., April 24.—Randall O. Stone, aged 25, of Thomasville, N. C., a student at the Western Maryland College, committed suicide here yesterday by hanging himself in the college gymnasium.

Young Stone was President of the Senior Class, Captain of Co. A of the battalion, editor of the college monthly and a student for the ministry.

He had not been well for several weeks, and it was thought that his physical condition and untal amount of work he had been doing recently, together with his mother's condition, caused a breakdown.

Supporters of Mr. Andrews protested the removal order of yesterday that placed W. D. Moss, acting prohibition agent of New Jersey in his place, and formally announced they would campaign to clear the cloud on Mr. Andrews' record.

"If a lot of booze-sipping millionaires are trying to make me the goat, I want to know it right away," Andrews said.

REHEARSALS ARE HELD FOR ROYAL WEDDING

Rehearsals Are Being Held Early Each Morning in Preparation For Ceremony Thursday.

London, April 24 (By the Associated Press).—Before London's populace awoke today the ceremony which will attend the marriage on Thursday of the Duke of York and Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, was being rehearsed in pantomime at Westminster Abbey.

Hardly had the sun begun to dissipate the proverbial fog of the capital when a series of dummy characters emerged from Buckingham Palace and proceeded over the route of the procession to the Abbey, where the occupants, including the court chamberlains, liveried servants and others, went through all forms of Thursday's ceremony.

Members of the royal household played the part of the bride and groom and a court official assumed the role of King George.

Laying Foundation of New Watts Dormitory. Davidson, April 22.—It looks good to everybody interested in the college students and others alike, to see that work begun this week laying the foundation for the new building that will replace the Watts dormitory, burned a few months ago.

The contract for rebuilding has been awarded to Blythe and Isehour, of Charlotte, the contractors that built last summer the two handsome East and West concrete, fireproof dormitories that are such big factors in housing the present student body.

The new Watts building will be much similar to these newest buildings, modern in every particular and provided with all the proper comforts and conveniences up to date and standard in excellence. It will of course be very much larger than the burned building and hence will accommodate a much larger number of students.

Asleep for Thirty-two Years. Stockholm, April 24.—To sleep steadily through thirty-two years—such is the record stated to have been set up by a woman in a little Swedish village. Many years ago Karoline Karlshutter fell asleep over her books in school. She was thirteen years old then, and her forty-fifth birthday has passed before she woke up again.

To pass suddenly from childhood to middle age is certainly a remarkable experience, but this woman seems little worried about it. She says she feels as bright and refreshed as if she had had nothing more than a good night's rest. Her chief desire is to resume her education at the point where it was so strangely interrupted.

In London's new County Hall, one of the most magnificent public buildings in the metropolis, the echoes are so loud that it is difficult to hear words spoken only a few yards away.

GOVERNOR MORRISON GRANTS RESPITE TO CONDEMNED CONVICT

By This Action Electrocution of Milton Nobles Was Put Off Sixty Days Pending a Thorough Inquiry.

PRISONER STICKS TO FIRST STORY

Says He Is Not Guilty of Killing Cousin, for Which Crime He Was Convicted in Columbus County.

Raleigh, April 24 (By the Associated Press).—Within 45 minutes of the time he was to die in the electric chair at the state prison, Daniel Milton Nobles, convicted in Columbus County of the murder of Henry Nobles, his second cousin, today was granted a respite of 60 days by Governor Cameron Morrison.

The respite was granted on the recommendation of Rev. Sylvester Betts, a two other local church men, in order that the Governor can look further into the case.

The church men, who declare they are convinced of Nobles' innocence, made an early morning appeal to Governor Morrison, and the executive finally agreed to respite him 60 days. Nobles has steadfastly protested his innocence.

Rev. Mr. Betts, Joe H. Weather, and Louis Goodwin, prominent in religious circles here, were with Nobles when the Governor telephoned Warden Busbee that he had stayed the execution.

"Nobles fell to his knees," said Mr. Goodwin "and offered the most beautiful prayer ever heard for Governor Morrison."

"I am convinced Milton Nobles is innocent," Mr. Goodwin declared. "He was convicted on the evidence of an eight year old child, who claims to have seen Nobles fire the shot that killed her father. I think every man in death row believes in the innocence of Nobles."

"A negro in a cell three doors from Nobles told us this morning: 'I am in here for murdering my best friend. I accidentally killed him. I don't want to go to the chair, but I would willingly do so for Mr. Nobles because I believe he is an innocent man.'"

Everything was in readiness at the prison for the execution when the telephone tingled in Warden Busbee's office and the Governor advised that Nobles would not be put to death today.

The crowd of witnesses already had gathered at the prison gate, awaiting a signal from the guard for them to enter the death chamber.

At the trial of Nobles the dead man's daughter testified that she saw the defendant shoot her father from ambush. Circumstantial evidence introduced showed that Nobles had declared he would kill his cousin if it took him "a hundred years."

Shortly afterward, August 1922, Nobles moved to Florida, but in September he came back and while he was in the county Dan Nobles was shot. The convicted man maintained he was at the home of Jennings Nobles on the night of the shooting.

AND NOW THEY ARE IMPROVING MOONSHINE

Gulfport County Officers Say Consumers of Bootleg More Discriminating.

Greensboro, April 23.—Prosperity is eradicating the distilleries in Gulfport county, deputies say, and the land can be replaced by good copper affairs.

In the past two months every still taken has been a copper outfit, well built well set up. Seven have been taken in April so far, as there was nothing amateurish about any of them.

A more discriminating taste in illicit liquor is also believed to be partly responsible for the junking of the stills and the crowding of the amateur to the wall.

Big Bank Is Closed.

York, Pa., April 24.—The state banking commissioner today took over and closed the City Bank, one of York's largest financial institutions.

Examiners reported to the banking commissioner at Harrisburg today that they had found a shortage of \$300,000. Warrants were issued for the arrest of Thomas B. Baird, cashier, and W. H. Boll, assistant cashier. Baird was not at home. His wife said he had gone away for the day.

Falls Through Train Window; Is Badly Hurt.

Hickory, April 23.—W. D. Hyman, Jr., Richmond, Va., was placed in a local hospital today after he had fallen through the window of a train near here. His injuries are serious, but not thought to be fatal.

Mr. Hyman was accompanied on the train by his father, who stated that the son had recently suffered a nervous breakdown and was then en route to an Asheville sanatorium.

Charged With Violating Dry Law.

Chicago, April 24.—John A. Ververka, the president of a brewing company, who was installed as city treasurer of Chicago a week ago; John L. Hoerber, Jr., also a brewer, and Barney Grogan, former saloon keeper and politician, today were indicted by the Federal grand jury on charges of violating the prohibition laws.

CHICAGO MAN ALLEGES HE PAID FOR FAVORS

He Names Gaston B. Means, Elmer Jernicke.—Big Disclosed State Library Told.

Chicago, April 23.—Affidavits made by Edward M. Salomon, of Chicago, that he had paid \$12,500 to two men alleged to be employees of the United States department of justice are in the possession of treasury department officials, it was declared here today.

Salomon charges, it is said, that the money was paid for favors which the men failed to deliver.

Special dispatches from Washington to newspapers here asserted that the disclosure of the existence of the affidavits threatened to divulge how bootleggers and over were molested of large sums of protection they never received. Copies of the affidavits are said to be in the hands of certain Republican congressmen who may bring the matter to action in the house.

Salomon claims the men promised to make him prohibition director if Illinois.

Salomon is said to have written letters to William J. Burns, chief of the bureau of investigation of the department of justice, and George Christian, secretary to President Harding in connection with his charges.

Salomon in his affidavit is said to have mentioned Gaston B. Means and Elmer Jernicke as two department of justice men with whom he had certain dealings. He also is understood to have referred to Colonel Thomas B. Felder, who was instrumental in petitioning William Howard Taft, then president, for a pardon of Charles W. Morse, wealthy sheep owner now under indictment in connection with alleged war frauds, an attorney of the agents whom Salomon accused.

Means, it is said, does not appear as listed among employees of William J. Burns office. He is well known in Washington, New York and Chicago, and was tried and acquitted several years ago of the murder of Mrs. John C. King, widow of a Chicago millionaire, near Concord, N. C.

Washington Denies Any Knowledge of Affidavit.

Washington, April 23.—Officials of the treasury and justice departments charges against misconduct of government agents denied flatly today that they ever had heard of affidavits of Edward M. Salomon, described in special dispatches to Chicago newspapers.

HAD HARD LUCK BOTH WAYS AS HE ROBBED AUTOMOBILE

Cop Saw Him Do it and Loot Was Pair of Corsets and False Hair.

Pittsburgh, April 22.—"Talk about hard luck," lamented William Manning, aged 24, of South Fifteenth street, after being arraigned before Magistrate Sullivan in Central Police Court this morning.

"Can you imagine a guy getting knocked off for stealing a pair of corsets and a flock of false hair?"

Manning was arrested by Patrolman Cahill in Sixth avenue, near Wood street, after he had opened the door of an automobile standing at the curb and removed a package from the car. At the police station examination of the package revealed that it contained two switches and a straight razor.

"Some bundle you copped," Cahill informed Manning as the latter was about to appear before the magistrate, "a pair of corsets and some hair."

"Good night," exclaimed Manning waving his hands above his head. "What could a fellow do with stuff like that even if the cop didn't catch him? Why, the Jane I am going with has bobbed hair. What will she do with a switch?"

"Magistrate Sullivan fined Manning \$50, with the alternative of 60 days in the workhouse."

JIM CARRUTHERS IS GIVEN FOUR MONTHS

To be Served After He Finishes His Four Year Term Given Him 17 Years Ago.

Salisbury, April 23.—Jim Carruthers was today sentenced to four months on the Rowan county road force for escaping from the force. These four months will be served when he has finished his four years to which he was sentenced 17 years ago. After serving one year, Carruthers escaped and has since married and buried two wives and raised two children, under an assumed name at Macon, Ga., where he was arrested last week.

Controversy Between Simmons and Evans Ended.

(By the Associated Press.)

Atlanta, Ga., April 24.—The controversy between William J. Simmons, emperor, and H. W. Evans, imperial wizard, for control of the Ku Klux Klan was ended today by a compromise, and the matter settled. "On motion of attorneys for both parties, Judge E. D. Thomas dissolved the injunction whereby the affairs of the Klan have been placed under a commission consisting of Simmons, Evans, and J. M. George, marshal of the municipal court."

New Cotton Mill is Proposed for Lowell.

Lowell, April 23.—Lowell has landed the new cotton mill. This is to be very large and will bring much trade and money to Lowell. It is the Art Cloth Weave Mill, and there will also be a dyeing establishment. It will be located on the land sold to the mill by D. W. Mitchem, and is about two blocks from the town, and lies from there to the river, being on both sides of the interurban line. There are some smaller traces also in the deal. The deal also includes a right of way for roads, and the street leads directly to the Southern railroad depot.

TURKEY IS SEEKING ANOTHER ECONOMIC PILOT AT PRESENT

She is Tired of Going to France For Her Aid, and Attitude May Influence the New Peace Meeting.

CONFERENCE NOW SEEMS PEACEFUL

First Day Passed Without Any Mention of Concessions, Which Must Come Before Any Success.

Lausanne, April 24 (By the Associated Press).—Resumption of the peace negotiations between the Turks and the allies has given rise to the suggestion that Turkey's express desire to cast off France as her economic pilot may lead to differences that will prove to be an important development of the conference.

Most of the Turkish debts are owed to France whose nationals also have a preponderance of the economic holdings in the domain now governed from Ankara. The Turks express a desire to shake off French control, but the spokesmen of the latter country aver that they are interested only in protecting legitimate French investments in Turkey, to which end they have already made extensive concessions.

Activities of bands of Turkish irregulars along the borders of Syria, a French mandate, appear to have entered into the situation, resulting in the dispatch of Gen. Weygand to Syria. The troop movements, it is believed, indicate that Turkey is seeking to embarrass France in that region and also in the Ruhr.

The first day of the conference passed without mention of concessions. Joseph C. Grew, head of the American delegation, informed the delegates of the United States' desire that the commercial opportunities of all nations be safeguarded.

FOREST FIRE IN EAST CAUSES MUCH DAMAGE

Timber Valued at \$10,000 and Number of Farm Houses Menaced.

(By the Associated Press.)

Fayetteville, N. C., April 24.—Timber valued at more than \$10,000 was destroyed, scores of farm houses and the lives of their occupants menaced, and some slight damage done to the crops by a forest fire which has been sweeping over an area of 60 miles in Cumberland and Harnett Counties, since last night and 3 o'clock this morning. It was still burning this morning but fire wardens believe it is under control.

W. J. Adams, deputy fire warden for Cumberland County, is said to have reported to fire headquarters that the fire area is 15 miles long and 4 miles wide.

Fairview Church at Mount Mourne Grows.

Davidson, April 22.—Of interest to the community north of Davidson and more particularly that part of it directly and indirectly connected with the Methodist Church is the growth of Fairview Church at Overhill, near the present pastor of the church being Rev. R. L. Foster, whose residence is at Davidson and who is pastor also to the Methodist Church here. The growth of Fairview is evidenced in annexes that are now being made to the church. On the north and south sides of the building there will be seven new rooms to be used as Sunday school rooms. Folding doors will be placed on each side of the auditorium opening into these rooms making available a seating capacity of about 400 when these doors are thrown open. The addition will cost about \$1,800 when completed. The work will be finished in about two weeks.

Shoe Workers Strike Settled.

(By the Associated Press.)

Lynn, Mass., April 24.—The strike of workers affiliated with the Amalgamated Shoe Workers of America, was ended today and work was resumed fully in the forty-eight factories affiliated with the Lynn Shoe Manufacturers Association. After all night conference a settlement was reached between officials of the Manufacturers Association and of the union.

Wake Forest Player Signs With Detroit.

(By the Associated Press.)

Greenville, S. C., April 24.—Outfielder Clark, aged 20, Wake Forest College, N. C., has been signed for trial with the Detroit baseball club, and will report at the end of the present season. It was learned here today through Eddie Herr, scout.

Aviator Killed.

(By the Associated Press.)

Newport News, Va., April 24.—Lieut. Logan H. Artur, pilot of a messenger plane, was almost instantly killed at Langley Field today when his little machine went into a nose dive from an altitude of 200 feet and crashed on to the flying field. The aviator's skull was crushed.

There are more than forty varieties of the tobacco plant, but fewer than half a dozen of these are used commercially in the manufacture of smoking mixtures.