

ERROR IN JUDICIAL DISTRICTS

Courts in Eighth District Not Specified, but Another Act Causes Defect—Freight Rate Cases—General News.

(Special Star Telegram.) Raleigh, N. C., March 20.—There is an error in the act prescribing the courts for each of the 20 districts that would prove very serious but for the fact that a companion act included a feature that cures the matter, it is thought.

The act, No. 1512, specifies the number of each judicial district and the counties comprising it and then specifies the courts for each of the counties. The paragraph that should specify the Eighth district composed of New Hanover, Brunswick and Pender counties is left out, the courts for each of the counties is left out, the courts for each of the counties being given without reference to what district they constitute. However, Act No. 906 specifies names each of the 20 districts and the counties constituting each district.

Members of the Corporation Commission and Attorney General Bickett returned today from a four-days stay at Washington attending a hearing before the Inter-State Commerce Commission involving the matter of the extent to which the Interstate Commerce Commission will grant special application of the long and short haul principle in freight rates. The North Carolina cases were not involved in the cases being argued, but the principles are so similar that it was deemed well worth while to hear the arguments in preparation for the most effective prosecution of the North Carolina cases.

However, the commission arranged for the North Carolina cases to be postponed until after the termination of the efforts of the special legislative commission and the officials of the railroad companies to reach an agreement eliminating as far as possible discriminations against North Carolina shipping points compared with Virginia cities since a number of the matters at which the cases before the Inter-State Commerce Commission are involved in the legislative negotiations with railroad officials. In the meantime the Corporation Commissioners are going ahead with their preparation for the Inter-State Commerce cases and at the same time aid in every way they can the work of the legislative commission.

Another charter is for the Southern Crown Milling Co., Asheville, capital \$50,000 authorized, and \$25,000 subscribed by W. F. Redding and others. The 23rd annual convention of the North Carolina Baptist Woman's Missionary Union convenes with the First Baptist church of this city, March 25th, continuing through March 28th. During the past year this organization raised \$35,000 for missions.

There are 1,500 local societies under the auspices of Baptist churches throughout the State. The officers are Miss Fannie Heck, of Raleigh, president; Miss Blanche Burras, Raleigh, corresponding secretary. Two officers died during the year, Mrs. H. L. Grant, Goldsboro, vice president for the New Sea Atlantic Association, and Miss Josephine Lane, Hendersonville, vice president for the Carolina Association. There will be memorial services for these two ladies in connection with the convention. The annual sermon will be delivered Tuesday evening by Rev. J. J. Hurt, of Durham.

The Travelers' Protective Association for North Carolina is conducting a vigorous campaign to bring the membership in this State up to 500 by the time the State convention assembles in Greensboro in May. They are now just 80 members short of the coveted number, but are confident that the goal will be reached. Dr. Len G. Broughton, the distinguished Baptist minister, noted leader of Christ church in London, England, spent several hours in the city today on his way from his former charge, in Atlanta, to London, having been in the former city a couple of weeks attending the great Bible Conference he established there some years ago. He stopped by Raleigh, on the place of his nativity and early life, great old friends and kinship. He is in better health than his friends here have ever seen him.

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That remarkable musical comedy, "Alma, Where Do You Live?" that played all last season on Broadway at Weber's Theatre, comes to the Academy of Music tomorrow, for matinee and night, and seats for the evening performance are now selling at Plummer's. The matinee prices will be of the popular price type—25 and 50 cents to any part of the theatre.

The melodies of "Alma" are regarded as the real musical find of many seasons, and having been played by the large musical organizations throughout the land that it is already popular and familiar to the ear. The particular musical hit is the "Alma" walk and its lifting strains have won for the composer a position second to none. "Alma, Where Do You Live?" is a particularly pleasing performance and should win instant favor with its audience. Miss May Latham who portrays the very difficult role of "Alma," is charming in both voice and personality. She has a fresh, cultured voice rarely heard of the comic opera stage. When in the title role she seems to have been moulded for her part and is said to be a wonderful successor to the beautiful and captivating Lady Beresford, Miss Kitty Gordon.

The cast also includes Miss Avila Sanchez, who was seen on the local stage last season in the famous inter-act to which she has been promoted. Miss Sanchez is of the Spanish type and is a very clever dancer besides possessing a beautiful voice and being a handsome type of the Spanish brunette.

Popular Prices Next Week The Guy Johnson Players will open a week's engagement at the Academy next Monday night, presenting "The Streets of New York," one of the best farcical melodramas of the season. The play is replete with startling situations and exciting climaxes. The scene of action is shifted from New York to Colorado, which allows a touch of western effect, to add variety to the story. The play while new here is one of the most successful productions of its kind. It is particularly adopted for repertoire and until recently has been used by traveling companies. Perhaps, no phase of American life allows a greater field to draw from the multitude of types found in our great metropolitan centers. In the "Streets of New York" there is a striking unusual interest in which is interwoven the most eccentric of these from the striving young clerk to the human leper of money mart; from the shylock to the rollicking Bowery girl; from the good Samaritan to the Pride of the Force. The Company comes here from Winston-Salem, where they proved so popular that the management thought it advisable to hold them for two weeks. A record of eighteen weeks at Newport News, and judging from advance reports an enjoyable week is assured at popular prices.

At The Bijou The Bijou, the home of all joy and the favorite spot of Wilmington, is offering a show today. The romantic actor, James Gordon, of the Edison forces, will appear as the trapper in the gripping dramatic, "The Priest and the Man," which is a powerful tale of the great Canadian Northwest, and will carry a thrill with it from the very first moment it is flashed on the screen. The role of the priest will be portrayed by another fine and favorite actor, Mr. Charles Sutton, while Miss Laura Sawyer will appear in the stellar female role. The other particular star film for today is the Vitagraph's "The One Good Turn" and it is strangely powerful and strikingly fascinating throughout the State. The officers are Miss Fannie Heck, of Raleigh, president; Miss Blanche Burras, Raleigh, corresponding secretary. Two officers died during the year, Mrs. H. L. Grant, Goldsboro, vice president for the New Sea Atlantic Association, and Miss Josephine Lane, Hendersonville, vice president for the Carolina Association. There will be memorial services for these two ladies in connection with the convention. The annual sermon will be delivered Tuesday evening by Rev. J. J. Hurt, of Durham.

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FUNERAL OF MR. M. M. HOLMES Held Yesterday Afternoon from Brooklyn Baptist Church The funeral services of Mr. Mumford McNeill-Holmes, who died in Atlanta Tuesday morning, were held yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from Brooklyn Baptist church, at which the deceased had been an active member during his residence in this city. The services were conducted by Rev. J. A. Sullivan, pastor, assisted by Rev. W. L. Rexford, pastor of the Bladen Street Methodist church. Interment was in Bellevue. The pallbearers were Messrs. C. C. Rice, J. A. McDougal, Wm. Oterson, H. E. Payne, E. E. Biggs and O. D. Whitlock.

Baseball Scores At Alexandria, Va.: Holy Cross, 2; Washington and Lee, 1. At Athens, Ga.: Boston Nationals, 6; University of Georgia, 0. At Chapel Hill, N. C.: University of North Carolina, 5; Penn. State, 0. At Gainesville, Fla.: University of Florida, 1; Mercer University, 5. At Greensboro, N. C.: Trinity College, 2; Princeton, 7. At Columbia, S. C.: LaFayette College, 4; University of South Carolina, two.

NEGRO ROBBER CAPTURED.

Believed to Have Operated Extensively—Two Deaths in Lenoir.

(Special Star Correspondence.) Kinross, N. C., March 20.—Farmers captured a robber at Caswell station, three miles from here on the Norfolk Southern, when he attempted to enter the depot just before midnight, and held him until the sheriff and deputies could arrive in an automobile. The prisoner, a negro named Walter Faison, alias Andrew Williams, is believed to be a much-sought storebreaker who has operated on an extensive scale recently in Jacksonville, N. C., Kinross and Goldsboro. He claimed Newbern to be his home. When he attempted to enter the freight station at the little country depot, Faison was seen by two planters, who telephoned Sheriff Taylor. When the officers arrived his captors had him under guard in the road. The sheriff thinks several burglaries recently, mainly of hardware stores, can be traced to him. Two prominent men of Lenoir county died yesterday. William E. Askew, a well known farmer, died at his home in Vance township, of diabetes. He was about 50 years of age, and died on the place on which he was raised. He was prominently connected, and was a progressive planter. R. Edward L. Rhem died at his home on Castwell street in this city, of cancer of the face, from which he had been a sufferer for two years. He was 48 years of age, and is survived by a widow and one child. Mr. Rhem was born at Sand Hill, near here, of prominent parentage. He was a brother of Frank Rhem, of Lenoir county; Joseph Rhem, of Kinross; Mrs. J. W. Taylor, of Kinross, and Mrs. L. W. Dawson, of Memphis, Tenn.

Haywood, Jr., the small son of Mr. Haywood Ham, a well known Snow Hill man, was seriously burned while playing with matches. The boy went into the yard of his father's home with a box of matches, and set his clothing on fire. His screams attracted other members of the family, but before they could reach him the little fellow's right arm and side were painfully burned and the hair singed from the side of his head. The 10 townships of Greene county are soon to be reduced to nine, following an act by the recent legislature which abolished Willow Green, adding its territory to Ormonds, of which it was formerly a part. The abolished township is in the eastern part of the county, adjoining Pitt, and is one of Greene's most prosperous sections.

New Store is Opened. L. Slossberg & Bro., have opened their new store at No. 815 North Fourth street, this being the third store which they are operating, the others being at Warsaw and Clinton. The firm is outfitter for men and women and by buying in large quantities for the three stores, they think they are in position to save the public money on the class of goods they handle. Elsewhere in this morning's paper is their advertisement, announcing the opening of the Wilmington store.

Ladies' Satin Pumps, all colors. Hewlett & Price. (advertisement.)

Thought, at Times, that She Would Die—Saves Herself, Also Young Girl Whose Troubles Were Similar to Hers Clarksville, Tenn.—Mrs. H. L. Mason, of this place, writes: "I want to write you a few lines in regard to your medicine, Cardui, the woman's tonic. Before my marriage I lived in Evansville, Ind. I suffered very much with womanly trouble. I thought, at times that I would nearly die with pains in my stomach and backache. I saw your medicine advertised and sent and got a bottle. The first bottle helped me, and I haven't been bothered with any of my old troubles since. After my marriage I lived in Mt. Vernon, Ind., and one of my neighbor's girls suffered like I did. I told them it would help her, and it certainly did, right away. I will surely recommend Cardui to all women, for I think it is a good medicine for all kinds of womanly trouble."

If you are suffering from any of the ailments peculiar to weak women, such as headache, backache, sideache, nervousness, sleeplessness, etc., we urge you to give Cardui, the woman's tonic, a trial. It should surely do for you what it has done for thousands of others in the past half century, who suffered with similar troubles. Begin taking Cardui today. Your druggist sells it.

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Staid matrons told of what a bore it was to scrub each dirty floor; young housewives thought that dishes claimed more worry than some others named. All uniformly took a "bit" from household work and argued it, while all in turn were loud in praise of what a part their Gold Dust plays.

Those tasks which, anyway, are mean, decrease with Gold-Dust on the scene. Those "Cost-of-Living" puzzles put the chairman of the club on foot. Said she:—"The Cost-of-Cleaning," too, should mean a mighty lot to you. If all of us combine, to buy those goods that have a "REASON WHY," ere long our husbands needn't fuss. They'll leave financing games to us."

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Table with columns: DEPARTURES, TO AND FROM, ARRIVALS. Lists train routes and schedules between Wilmington and other coastal cities.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE In Effect October 29, 1912.

Table with columns: EAST BOUND, WEST BOUND. Lists suburban train routes and schedules between Wilmington and surrounding areas like Winter Park and Wrightsville Beach.

Special for Saturdays and Sundays. Leave Wilmington every half hour from 2:30 until 8:00 P. M. Leave Beach every half hour from 2:45 until 5:45 P. M. Freight Schedule.

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