

SHOOTS BROTHER OVER TWO PAILS OF WATER

William J. Stubbs In Serious Condition; David A. Stubbs In Jail

William J. Stubbs, age 22, this morning lies at the St. John's Sanitarium in a very serious condition as a result of having been shot last night by his sixteen year old brother, David A. Stubbs, because of an argument between the brothers as to who should go after a bucket of water with which their sister might wash the supper dishes. The shooting occurred at 11:15 o'clock at the Stubbs' home, No. 16 Queen street. Immediately after young Stubbs had shot his brother he went to the foot of Chestnut street and related the affair to his father, D. J. Stubbs, a night watchman on the waterfront, and then went to police headquarters, where he gave himself up to Capt. C. W. Woolard.

ADVOCATES BRIDGING RIVER AT MARKET ST.

J. D. Lowry Believes This the Proper Point for Spanning Cape Fear

Advocating that the Cape Fear river be spanned at the foot of Market street with a modern bridge, with the eastern side of the bridge commencing its rise on Market, midway between Water and Front streets, J. D. Lowry, a well known citizen, contends that this is the logical place to bridge the river, rather than at Point Peter, where Mr. Lowry argues, two bridges would be necessary—one across the Northeast and one beyond, across the Cape Fear.

WADE WILL EXPLAIN UTILITY COMMISSION

Hugh MacRae Wants Councilman Wade to Explain It To Directors

The proposed Public Utility commission having received the qualified approval from President Hugh MacRae, of the Tidewater Power company, Councilman James E. Wade, the author of the resolution, will soon appear before the officials of the traction company and explain in detail the details of the proposed commission. While the action has been taken in the premises, either by the traction company or city council, Councilman Wade recommended the creation of a commission of six members, to be known as the Wilmington Public Utilities commission.

However, in a letter to city council, dated January 25, Mr. MacRae writes: "For sometime we have felt that it would be advantageous to all parties interested, if, through some properly selected board, there could be established a complete understanding of the mutual interests of patrons of the company, investors in its securities, the management, and the employees. Prior to the recommendation of any line of action, we would be glad to have Mr. Wade appear before the board of directors of the Tidewater Power company and outline what he considers the advantages of the plan that he has suggested."

CATHERINE KENNEDY BOARD WILL MEET

List of Contribution for Two Months Announced

Important business will be given attention at the regular meeting of the Catherine Kennedy board, to be held tomorrow. The hour of the meeting is 11 o'clock in the morning.

DEATH OF MR. WOODCOCK

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Vann Woodcock will be pained to learn of the death of Mr. Woodcock, which occurred after a illness of several months at his late residence, 1809 Perry avenue, yesterday morning a little before six o'clock. Mr. Woodcock had been in declining health for about a year and was confined to his bed for the past three months. The deceased was in the seventy-second year of his age and is survived by his wife, three daughters and one son. One married daughter, Mrs. J. R. McGee, lives in Suffolk, Va., the only son, W. G. Woodcock has his home in Kansas City, while the two single daughters, Misses Bailey and Lella Woodcock, remain with their mother. The immediate family there is one surviving brother, M. C. Woodcock, of Rooks, N. C., and several nieces and nephews.

Sleeping Shed For Seminole Crew Proposed

Sailors Would Be Saved Discomforts of Close Quarters During Nights of the Hot Months. Dock Shelter Is One Citizen's Idea

The sailors aboard the revenue cutter Seminole are not anticipating the approaching summer months with all the pleasure in the world, because of the one unpleasant feature that invariably accompanies the summer life of a sailor in the port of Wilmington. This unpleasant feature is sleeping aboard the cutter; sleeping down in those crowded quarters, where it is always stuffy in summer, and where the air is insufferable, because it is beneath the level of the wharf. The portholes admit but little of the breeze. During the winter and fall months life aboard the cutter is not at all objectionable. It is really a happy, care-free life—a life that is loved by those who live it. And the sailors say they can sleep in peace and comfort in swinging hammocks during these months.

However, in summer it is different. Hammocks are hung so close together that, one night last week, one of the boys had a chill, and every sailor in his row was shivering so badly that the fellow with the chill had to be called in to prove ownership of the chill, and the ship's surgeon had to be called in to prove his deed to the chill. Now, if a chill in the winter would affect the "hammocks" or bunks, to such an extent, wouldn't fever during the heat of a summer's night make everybody aboard catch fire?

WOMAN BILLIARDIST PLAYS HERE TONIGHT

Miss Frances Anderson, of Richmond, Stages Exhibitions in Local Parlors

Miss Frances Anderson, of Richmond, Va., claimant of the world's pocket billiard championship for women players, will stage the first of three exhibitions at the Princess Cigar company, Second and Princess streets, tonight at 8 o'clock. Two exhibitions are scheduled for tomorrow, the afternoon program beginning at 3 o'clock and the evening exhibition at 8 o'clock. Miss Anderson arrived in the city last night from Norfolk, Va., where she has been giving exhibitions.

ANOTHER VETERAN IN THE FINAL REST CAMP

W. W. Benson, of Evergreen, Died Friday Night; Was Buried Yesterday

W. W. Benson, a well known citizen of Evergreen, died at his home Friday night and the funeral services were conducted yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, in the family burying grounds, at Point Caswell.

"A BOX OF MONKEYS" WILL BE RELEASED TOMORROW

"A Box of Monkeys," a parlor farce full of laughter, will be presented in the Wilmington High school auditorium Tuesday night at 8:30 o'clock for the purpose of raising a fund sufficient to pay for the sweaters recently purchased for the high school football team. An admission of 35 cents will be charged and the receipts will be equally divided between the high school team and the Calvary Baptist Sunday school.

THREE INJURED IN TWO ACCIDENTS YESTERDAY

Alfred Owens Suffers Fractured Leg; Misses Tillery and Yopp Bruised

Alfred Owens, an elderly man who resides at No. 304 South Front street, is at the James Walker Memorial hospital suffering from two fractures of the leg, and Misses E. W. Tillery and Rosa Yopp are at their homes at Winter Park suffering from shock and minor bruises as a result of two automobile accidents which occurred yesterday afternoon. Mr. Owens was knocked down at Front and Nun streets about 2 o'clock, and the two women were at the road crossing of the Tidewater Power company tracks at Winter Park about 3:30 o'clock, when they were hit by an automobile.

CELEBRATE CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR FOUNDING

Local Societies Hold Appropriate Services

The fortieth anniversary of the founding of the Young People's Christian Endeavor in the United States was fittingly observed last night at 7 o'clock by the following Wilmington churches: First Presbyterian, Dock Street Christian, St. John's Episcopal, Emmanuel Presbyterian, Church of the Covenant, East Wilmington Presbyterian, Winter Park Presbyterian, and St. Andrew's Presbyterian.

WRESTLING FAN WRITES TO A NEW YORK EXPERT

Asks George Bothner for Ruling on the Recent Hanson-Ellis Match

A prominent business man of the city who is an ardent wrestling fan, has written to George Bothner, of New York city, a world champion wrestler and requesting authority on the game, requesting a ruling on the Hanson-Ellis match of last Thursday night, halted at mid-night by Referee Hercules on the "Blue Law" ruling, but which, after a few minutes of argument by the wrestlers and fans, continued to a one-fall decision for Hanson, and which, a few days later, was declared by Referee Hercules as throw-out of the thousand dollar series between Hanson and Ellis on the grounds that no decision was reached.

As there has been much speculation among the local wrestling fans as to whether or not the match should be thrown-out or allowed, the reply from the well known New York matman will be awaited with considerable interest. In the letter to Bothner the writer sets forth the fact that in the agreement between Hanson and Ellis it was agreed that any decision by the referee should be binding. It was also explained that Hercules, at mid-night, announced to the spectators that the match was off, but that he, after an uproar from the fans and an argument among the wrestlers and promoters, again announced that the match would continue, the wrestler getting the first fall being the winner of the match.

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MEMBERSHIP MEETING
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