

MAJOR RODMAN CHOSEN TO HEAD NATIONAL GUARD

Last Day of Convention Devoted to Election of Officers, Adoption of Resolutions—Durham Chosen For Next Meeting Place.

(Special to Daily News.) Raleigh, April 7.—The hearing of an admirable address by Capt. M. C. Kerth, assistant chief of the militia affairs, United States war department, the adoption of a number of important resolutions and the election of officers for the next year were special features of the last day's session of the North Carolina National Guard association today. The officers elected were: President, Major W. C. Rodman, Washington, N. C.; vice presidents, Major R. T. Daniels, Raleigh, and Capt. S. C. Chambers, Durham; secretary and treasurer, Capt. F. L. Black, Charlotte, and assistant secretary and treasurer, Major E. M. Co-bourn, Raleigh. Major Rodman, in assuming the chair as president, pledged his best efforts for the advancement of the interests of the guard. The address by Captain Kerth covered the whole scope of the national guard work and treated especially encampment regulations and best methods of getting the most out of those annual events both in the trips to and from the camp grounds, and in the work in camp. The association did Captain Kerth the honor of electing him an honorary member of the association, the only one enrolled. Capt. S. C. Chambers read a valuable paper, in which he outlined a number of improvements that he thinks could be made in North Carolina guard affairs. He appealed especially for small maneuvers, say, twice a year, for the benefit of the men and with the most thorough possible familiarity on the part of each officer participating with the plan of operation and with the men properly and comfortably equipped. The paper and the suggestions were enthusiastically endorsed by the guardsmen present. Col. F. A. Olds, who was appointed in 1877 by Governor Vance assistant quartermaster-general, appeared before the association by special invitation and told interestingly some "ancient history" of North Carolina guard affairs, reviewing the early post-bellum affairs of the military department of the state government. The committee of resolutions reported, through Major Rodman, a number of resolutions that were adopted, these including a resolution appealing to the next legislature to provide a fire-proof building for the offices and storerooms of the adjutant-general, the present office quarters in the statehouse for Adjutant-General Armfield, and the rented quarters for the ordnance department being declared entirely inadequate. There was also a resolution adopted endorsing a measure pending in Congress for providing pay for officers and men of the national guard and another endorsing the Hobson bill, making it a misdemeanor for men of army or navy to be excluded from theaters or other places of amusement because they are wearing the uniform. The members of the association went in a body to the A. and M. college this afternoon to review a dress parade by the students. And the association closed its session tonight with an elaborate banquet, at which Governor Kitchin and the state officers were the guests of honor. The association adjourned tonight to meet next year in Durham, the invitation to Durham having been most attractively presented by Captain C. S. Chambers. Durham was the unanimous selection of the guardsmen.

CAROLINA WON GREAT DEBATE WITH A HURRAH

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He denied that the system was revolutionary in character and appealed to history to show that it was in line with the purposes for which the federal government was founded. He declared that "the national character of commerce demands national regulation."

The charter, as the source of corporate power, he argued, demands that regulation begin with it. The utility of attempting to regulate by means of penal laws was vigorously maintained by the speaker, who quoted ex-Commissioner of Corporations Garfield as authority for the declaration.

He said that the Northern Securities case and the prosecutions of the Standard Oil company show conclusively that corporations have the power to evade the laws until their charter is held under a national and not a state law. All attempts at control have only driven the corporations into more compact and more powerful combinations, he declared.

What did Judge Landis' \$29,000,000 fine amount to? he asked. Did the trust pay the fine? he continued, or did it 40 per cent. dividends grow any less? You cannot answer yes to any of these questions, he declared, and, continuing, he said: "Effective legislation must begin with the root of the evil—the state-granted charter. A remedy that fails to reach the root is worthless."

"The federal government has the power to make public utility effective," he said, and he declared that "publicity was the key to the lock of corporate fidelity."

In concluding, he argued that the federal government would at all times retain the power to revoke a charter for violations of law and he made an earnest plea for the substitution of a system that would lay the axe to the root of our industrial evils for the system that had failed.

In beginning he declared it to be his purpose to simply apply the measure of practicability to theory of the affirmative and see whether it would stand or fall, and he added, he believed it would fall.

"The question, in the first place, means that every corporation engaged to any extent in an interstate business would

have to give up its state charter and procure a charter from the federal government, or in other words, practically 90 per cent. of the industrial business enterprises of the country would be directly created by Congress."

Under the plan advocated by the affirmative, he contended that not only the interstate business, but a majority of the local and intrastate business con-

cerns would come exclusively under federal supervision.

He declared that the question, as the- orized by its supporters, would be im- possible of fulfillment, for, unless it was left optional with the corporations to procure federal charters, those desiring to evade the law would turn their business into a partnership.

He maintained that whatever the sins of any consequence charged up against the corporations, they were each and every one in direct violation of their state charters, and he declared: "It stands to reason that if a corporation will violate a state charter it will violate a federal one."

He declared that the trouble with our interstate corporations lies in the fact that the present laws are not enforced and the additional fact that Congress won't exercise the powers it already has to regulate these corporations. "This latter defect," he said, "was due largely to the influence that some of the large trusts and corporations have over our national representatives."

In closing, he declared that if such a system as advocated by the affirmative were brought about the states would necessarily be deprived of one of their main sources of revenue. Many, he said, would lose a million dollars annual franchise tax, a sum which is sufficient to run their public school systems. As a final obstacle, he declared that the states would lose the right to control their own local business needs, because, perchance, these needs should be met by corporations whose operations extended beyond the borders of their states.

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IMPERIAL WINDOW GLASS COMPANY IS INDICTED

(By The Associated Press.) Pittsburgh, April 7.—The Imperial Window Glass company, a corporation of West Virginia birth, which lacks but one week of being a year old, and 14 officials and directors were indicted by a special federal grand jury here late today on three counts.

1. Conspiracy in the restraint of the hand-blown window glass trade in the United States. 2. Engagement in illegal competition. 3. Attempt to monopolize interstate trade.

A week ago United States District Attorney John H. Jordan divulged the information that federal officers had completed a three months investigation of the glass inquiry and would present to the grand jury on the following Monday evidence to show that the corporation acted in violation of the Sherman antitrust law. At 4:15 o'clock this afternoon, after a four days' hearing of many witnesses, the grand jurors returned an indictment.

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PHILADELPHIA TRACTION COMPANY NEEDS MONEY (By The Associated Press.) Philadelphia, Pa., April 7.—The Philadelphia Rapid Transit company today asked the permission of the city to float a new loan of \$2,500,000. In a communication submitted the ordinance President Kruger, of the Transit company, stated that the "extraordinary expenses recently incurred have reduced the reserve capital, which the company was counting on to make improvements and additions to its lines, power and equipment, and leaves the company today with insufficient money for such purposes."

The communication was referred to the finance committee of council. The consent of council is made necessary because of an agreement entered into between the City of Philadelphia and the Rapid Transit company by which the city became a partner and is given representation on the Transit board.

Raleigh's Postoffice Business. (Special to Daily News.) Raleigh, April 7.—The steady increase of the postal business in Raleigh is illustrated by the fact that the receipts of the postoffice during March, 1910, aggregated \$9,955.21, a gain of \$988.64 over the March of 1909. The increase of receipts for February of this year over the same month of the year previous was \$1,375.51.

DR. JOHNSTON LEAVES MICHIGAN FOR KANSAS UNIVERSITY Durham, April 7.—The Ann Harbor, Mich., Daily News is authority for the announcement that Dr. Charles Hughes Johnston, of the University of Michigan, has resigned from the department of education and will go to the University of Kansas.

Dr. Johnston is an Orange county boy, the son of J. W. Johnston, and a graduate of the State University of the class of 1898. He has been some time in Michigan and is accounted a very valuable man in the work that he has taken up. The paper referred to his going as a "crushing blow."

Compromised on the Minister. (Special to Daily News.) Durham, April 7.—Rev. Thomas L. Trot last night performed the ceremony that married Miss Mattie Warren and Sayers D. Eubanks, of West Durham.

The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Mary Warren. The chief attendants as visitors were the West Durham Erwin mill people. Mr. Eubanks is overseer of one of the rooms and one of the mill's most valuable men. His bride is an excellent young lady of that town.

Though the bridegroom is a Baptist and the bride a Methodist, they chose Mr. Trot, an Episcopal minister, to perform the ceremony.

Hospital Directors Re-elected. (Special to Daily News.) Raleigh, April 7.—The directors of the Central State hospital for insane here have re-elected Dr. L. J. Poot and Dr. W. W. Stancill assistant physicians under Dr. McKee, and also Dr. Jenkins as physician for the epileptic colony. There has also been a general reappointment of the subordinate officers of the hospital, including the steward and heads of departments. The executive committee to make the monthly investigations into the affairs of the hospital for the ensuing year comprises Dr. S. O. Middleton, of Margarettsville; Dr. S. C. Daniels, Littleton, and Dr. Edwin Smith, of Durham.

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HIGH POINT SELECTED FOR NEXT CONVENTION (Special to Daily News.) Wilson, April 7.—With tonight's session the twenty-seventh annual convention of the North Carolina Sunday School convention came to a close. The next meeting place will be High Point. The following are the officers for the ensuing year: President, R. M. Andrews, Henderson; vice-presidents, S. M. Rankin, Greensboro; J. M. Mitchell Goldsboro; R. T. Pickett, High Point; general secretary, J. Vancarter, Raleigh; office secretary, Miss Maud Reid, Raleigh; treasurer, E. B. Crow, Raleigh; executive committee, Elijah Moffitt, Ashboro; G. F. Stradley, Asheville; W. B. Cooper, Wilmington; D. T. Perkins, Wilson; Hugh Parks, jr.; Franklinville; G. W. Goodson, Kinston; J. E. Pegram, Durham. Departmental superintendents: Elementary, Mrs. E. R. Michaux, Greensboro; home, Mrs. C. D. Melver, Greensboro; teacher training, Dr. J. C. Caldwell, president Atlantic Christian College; organized adult class, T. B. Eldridge, Raleigh; visitation, Miss Doris Bidding, Handleman; superintendent mission department, Lewis Collins, Asheville; statistician, Rev. L. F. Johnson, Raleigh. This has been a most delightful meeting, and Wilson is loth to give up her delightful visitors.

Nine Injured in Explosion. (By The Associated Press.) Chicago, April 7.—Nine men were injured today by the explosion of a gas tank in a building occupied by the National Welding and Manufacturing company on the west side. Hundreds of windows in the neighborhood were shattered by the concussion. Dr. Charles E. Moore SURGEON AND PHYSICIAN. BENBOW ARCADE. Office hours: Until 10 a. m.; 2 to 3 and 7 to 8 p. m. Telephone: Office 563; residence, 1064.

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