SERIOUS QUAKES

Damage Estimated at More Than Million Dollars.

NO LOSS OF LIFE REPORTED

More Than Thirty Earth Shocks In Three Hours Greatly Alarm People of Costa Rica.

(By The Associated Press.)

San Jose, Costa Rica, April 14.—A series of earthquakes varying in intensity was swept over Costa Rica during the early morning doing vast damage, the extent of which can not now be estimated at more than $1,000,000. So far there has been no report of any loss of life. The people of the cities are panic stricken and are clamoring [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] San Jose [illegible] several [illegible] has been [illegible] it is feared that it will [illegible] the earth has not yet ceased.

[illegible]

[illegible]

ANNUAL INSPECTION OF A. AND M. CADET BATTALION

(Special to Daily News.)

A. & M. College, West Raleigh, April 14.—The annual inspection of the cadet battalion of the A. & M. college was made by Capt. F. D. [illegible] of the general staff U. S. A. today beginning at [illegible]. The battalion was first formed for review, which was made by Captain [illegible] [illegible] the battalion was inspected and formed for parade. [illegible] drill was held [illegible] by the four companies [illegible] guard mounting and this was followed by battalion drill, which concluded the inspection.

[illegible]

Contract Awarded.

[illegible]

Transfer [illegible] Morehead.

[illegible]

Celebrated Birthday.

(Special to Daily News.)

[illegible] April 14.—[illegible] King [illegible] birthday [illegible] April 9. [illegible] The rooms were most effectively decorated in white and green. During the evening a most delicious collation in four courses was served by Messrs. Mat[illegible] King, Valley King and Dick [illegible] Exquisite music was rendered by Misses Edward [illegible] Harden and Reba [illegible] [illegible] the reception was a most successful affair.

INCREASED REVENUE

Imports For March Were Largest on Record.

(Special to Daily News.)

Washington, April 14.—The monthly statement of imports and exports issued by the bureau of statistics of the department of commerce and labor today presents figures for March and the nine months ending with March, 1910, compared with like periods in 1909. The March imports were $[illegible], an increase of [illegible] over those of March, 1909; exports $[illegible], an increase of $[illegible] compared with March, 1909. For the nine months ending March, 1910, the imports were $[illegible] [illegible] $[illegible] [illegible] exports [illegible] an increase [illegible] compared with the same months of last year. The excess of exports over imports in the nine months ending with March, 1910, is shown [illegible] [illegible] when compared with last year. In the single month of March, 1910, imports exceeded exports by $[illegible] while in March of last year exports exceeded imports by $[illegible]. Imports in the nine months ending with March 1910 were valued at $[illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] of November [illegible] month.

LENOIR NOTES

(Special to Daily News.)

Lenoir, April 14.—Tuesday night at a meeting of the [illegible] of Davenport college the board elected the Rev. J. B. Craven president of that college to succeed [illegible] Weaver [illegible] Mr. Craven has been a member of the faculty since last fall, having given up regular pastoral work at Salisbury to accept the position as a member of the faculty. He is a young man and a descendant of a long line of ancestors notable for their active work in the educational field of North Carolina. Mr. Craven is a graduate of Trinity college and Vanderbilt university and a prominent member of the Western North Carolina conference and a grandson of Dr. Braxton Craven, founder of Trinity college.

The Lenoir and Blowing Rock Turnpike company is doing some excellent work on their new road from here to Blowing Rock. When completed it will be one of the best roads in this section of the country.

It is the object of the company to make this road one of the very best pikes to be found in the mountain sections of North Carolina, upon which automobiles can be run at a good speed all the way up the mountain.

[illegible] of the music department of Davenport college gave their fourth recital Monday night.

ASHEVILLE HOPES TO SEE SOME GOOD BALL GAMES

(Special to Daily News.)

Asheville, April 14.—Notwithstanding the fact that Asheville has no berth in a large league it will still have the privilege of witnessing some good ball. Under the direction of Ed. B. Brown of the Y. M. C. A. a ball league has been organized from the boys of the union department and the first game [illegible] [illegible]

Charters Granted.

(Special to Daily News.)

Raleigh, April 14.—The Liberty Buck company of Liberty, Randolph county, was incorporated today with $25,000 capital by [illegible] Merritt, jr., and others. There was also an amendment today for the charter of the J. L. Lavin company [illegible] changing the name to the [illegible] company, Inc.

[illegible] Development company [illegible] chartered with $125,000 [illegible] and $[illegible] subscribed for improving [illegible] and suburban property. [illegible] McLean, J. W. McLean and [illegible] McLean being the incorporators.

Another charter is for the Virginia [illegible] Lumber company, Fayetteville [illegible] authorized and $[illegible] subscribed by [illegible] Norfolk [illegible]

Another charter is for Neuse Realty company, New Bern, capital $[illegible] authorized and $[illegible] subscribed by D. [illegible] and others.

His Friends Are Pleased.

(Special to Daily News.)

[illegible]

William A. West.

[illegible] April 14.—William A. West [illegible] yesterday afternoon [illegible] Mr. West [illegible] He [illegible] Davidson to Davie county and from there to Iredell and had lived in this county for many years. He is survived by his wife and [illegible] sons.

Mr. Tucker Honored.

Asheville, April 14.—[illegible] Tucker, vice president of the Stonewall Jackson Training school, has been appointed an honorary delegate to the national convention of [illegible] [illegible] Mr. [illegible] Tucker will attend the convention.

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is pledged in lots to suit purchasers to the highest bidders at peremptory auction sale on Friday, the 22d day of April, 1910, commencing promptly at one o'clock, noon, upon the premises regardless of any condition of the weather. Descriptive catalogue in detail upon application at the office of the auctioneers, where all inquiries must be made. All is on the ground floor, spur track upon the premises, the machinery and equipment of late design was installed in the fall of 1904. Emporia, Greensville county, is on the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad 65 miles from Richmond, also on the Norfolk and Danville division of the Southern Railway, 75 miles from Norfolk.

C. C. GROAT.

PROSPECTS FOR LARGE FURNITURE FACTORY GOOD

(Special to Daily News.)

Asheville, April 14.—It is understood here that a deal has practically been consummated by which the large holdings of the Spruncemont Lumber company in Haywood county are to pass into the hands of representatives of the large department house of Sears, Roebuck and company of Chicago and large developments will follow shortly in the way of furniture factories, etc.

The Sprucemont Lumber company owns several thousand acres of fine timber land near Waynesville, and this land is said to have enough stumpage on it to last several years for furniture factories and other lumbering industries, while all along the Murphy division are boundaries which makes an available supply for years.

It is understood that Sears, Roebuck and company intend to build a large furniture factory in this section, either at Waynesville or some other point along the Murphy division or at Asheville to manufacture the lumber into furniture.

RANDOLPH BOOK CLUB WAS DELIGHTFULLY ENTERTAINED

(Special to Daily News.)

Asheboro, April 14.—The members of the Randolph Book club and several invited guests enjoyed a most delightful meeting Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Annie Robbins. The home was prettily decorated with many spring blossoms for the occasion.

The program was a continuation of the study of Greece; Miss Corrothers read interestingly of the golden age of Greece and its literature. Mrs. Herbert Moffitt had a well-prepared paper on the Greek church. After discussing the subjects Mrs. Kiphart, in her usual pleasing manner, sang "Maid of Athens." The hostess, assisted by Mrs. E. G. Morris, served delicious fruit punch and cake.

The next meeting will be had with Mrs. W. D. Stedman.

SUNDAY TO BE LAYMEN'S DAY IN WADESBORO

(Special to Daily News.)

Wadesboro, April 14.—The entire day of next Sunday, except the Sunday services of the various churches in the morning will be given to the Laymen's Missionary movement. There will be services for all denominations in Anson county held during the day. N. B. Broughton of Raleigh, [illegible] of Greensboro, Dr. Martin of Davidson college and Hon. A. M. Scales of [illegible] [illegible] have been secured to address the [illegible] Three meetings will be held [illegible] in the evening one at night and the question of missions will be the topic throughout the day. The committee hopes to make this a red letter day for missions and [illegible] Anson county and a large gathering from all churches of all denominations of the county is expected.

NEWS FROM KING

(Special to Daily News.)

King, April 14.—Farmers are very busy preparing and planting crops. The wheat crop in this section, notwithstanding the dry weather, is looking the best at this time it has in years.

Mrs. P. B. Kirby, who is suffering severely from the third attack of paralysis, is not expected to survive.

The new postoffice building on Depot street will be completed this week.

James Love, while working on the postoffice building last week, fell from a scaffold, inflicting a painful though not serious wound on his head.

The box supper given by the young ladies here last Saturday night was a success in every particular.

John Bowman and George Bowman, who reside about one mile northeast of Pinnacle, each had their plant beds destroyed last Saturday night by some one tearing the cotton cloth strings and [illegible] beds.

The directors of the Stokes County Fair association are making preparations for the largest and best fair that Stokes has ever had.

Postmaster J. M. Spainhour is quite sick at this writing.

Graustark Was Fine.

[illegible] with a good moral tone and based on high ideals is Graustark, and an enthusiastic audience witnessed the performance at the Grand last night. It ranks with the best, right in the front of all the plays brought to Greensboro this season.

Census of State's Prisoners.

(Special to Daily News.)

Raleigh, April 14.—There are now in the state prison 63 men and 17 women and 43 men and 11 women in the criminal insane department. The remainder of the state convicts, rounding up over 800, being out on contract work and on the state farms. The advent of spring has been marked at the prison by very general overhauling and improvement in the way of spring cleaning.

DURHAM WANTS TO BE A SEABOARD MAIN LINE TOWN

(Special to Daily News.)

Durham, April 14.—An enthusiastic meeting of the business men this afternoon in the city council chamber had for its object the invitation to the Montgomery Lumber company to bring its railroad to Durham from Bunn.

President [illegible] Buell was present and made an address to the body, composed largely of business men. Mr. Buell was brought to Durham by Mayor Griswold, who became interested in the project a few days ago, and has presented a body on fire for a new railroad.

President Buell was shown over the city this morning and after seeing what was in Durham, settled down to the practical side of it today.

The meeting was presided over by Mayor Griswold. First of all President Buell spoke for the road and said that he had come purely to see what Durham had to offer and not to make any offer. He declared that he had been greatly pleased to have a look over the city and thought the business people themselves best qualified to say what could be done. He told the meeting, composed of 40 business men, that he had expected to see three or four and found himself surrounded by the people who represent a volume of $2,000,000 in business. He mentioned the preliminary survey to Raleigh.

That gave good opportunity to arouse the rivalry of the two towns. Gen. Julian S. Carr, whose persistent faith in Durham makes him say very patriotic things, declared he had seen every road built here and rooted for them, even the Norfolk and Western, which came through bonds. "I have been much kicked for it," he said, "but never took water. The Seaboard went to Raleigh because Durham wasn't on the map. And now the Seaboard wants to come to Durham. Why, Mr. President, I know it business is what you are after, there is no ocasion for a halt between Durham and Raleigh. I noticed yesterday going out from Durham over the Durham and Southern, 49 box cars leaving Durham as a terminus. That's more cars than have gone out from Raleigh since Chris'mas." (Laughter.)

Speeches setting out the business of Durham were made by Captain Parrish, P. W. Vaughan, Alderman John Sprunt Hill and half a dozen others. Good natured ribaldry of Raleigh as a business town was indulged in, the president of the road being much amused at it.

The Merchants' association took it up tonight. A committee composed of W. F. Carr, C. A. Gribsell, J. C. Graham and Mayor Griswold was appointed to confer tomorrow morning with one from the Merchants' association upon the new proposition.

The Durham people are of firm faith that the Seaboard is to run here its main line and that to the five roads now here really six lines there will be within two years eight. It is a burden to explain that they find very light.

A Splendid Record.

A. L. Rawlings, railway mail clerk on the Southern, always running between Greensboro and Goldsboro, went up for his semi-annual examination yesterday, the examining officer being G. E. Shultz, chief clerk, railway mail service, whose headquarters are in this city.

The examination was on North Carolina postoffices, and in just 43 minutes Mr. Rawlings "threw" 789 cards out of a total of 798 into their correct position. This gave him a rating of 9887 per cent out of a possible 100 per cent. Little wonder that Uncle Sam's mail service is the best in the world when it is considered that to "pass" the clerk must make 95 per cent.

Pitcher Dent Here.

Eliot Dent, who was on the pitching staff of the Winston-Salem team early last season and who later was sold to Brooklyn, N. Y., in the National league, was a visitor in the city yesterday en route from Winston-Salem to Connecticut to play on a team in that state.

Woodmen of the World.

Greensboro camp No. 26 of the Woodmen of the World will meet in Red Men's hall Friday night at 8 o'clock, April 15, 1910. All the Choppers are requested to be present as business of importance is to be transacted.

J. W. CAUSEY, Clerk.

Dr. Gray Improving.

Dr. [illegible] Gray, who has been critically ill with pneumonia at his home in Pleasant Garden, was reported yesterday as much improved.

At [illegible], Va.—Randolph-Macon college 4, Richmond college 2.

THE SOUND SLEEP OF GOOD HEALTH.

The restorative power of sound sleep can not be over-estimated and any ailment that prevents it is a menace to health. J. L. Southers, Eau Claire, Wis., says: "For a long time I have been unable to sleep soundly nights, because of pains across my back and soreness of my kidneys. My appetite was very poor and my general condition was much run down. I have been taking Foley's Kidney Pills but a short time and now sleep as sound as a rock. I eat and enjoy my meals, and my general condition is greatly improved. I can honestly recommend Foley's Kidney Pills as I know they have cured me." Howard Gardner.

NEWS FROM HIGH POINT

Visiting Furniture Men—Mrs. Harris Dead—Other Items.

(Special to Daily News.)

High Point, April 14.—Through the efforts, expense and cordial invitation of J. G. Lambert, the enterprising manager of the High Point Furniture Show Rooms, a large part of the South Carolina retail furniture dealers accepted the call to come and visit High Point for two days. A special car will leave Spartanburg tonight bearing the members of the association. They will arrive here about 8:45 o'clock tomorrow morning. Special entertainment is being arranged by the manufacturers for the visiting retailers from our sister state.

Death of Mrs. Harris.

The news is learned here with much sorrow of the death by the many friends of Mrs. Cynthia Lee Harris, widow of the late Capt. Joe Harris, who resided between here and Thomasville, in Davidson county. Mrs. Harris has been a patient sufferer from paralysis for the last eight years, having not walked a step, and on last night succumbed to her affliction.

Case Dropped.

The case against Officer Oaks, who was charged with assault, which has aroused so much interest here, was dropped this evening and the prosecutor was taxed with the costs. Squire J. M. Sechrest presided this afternoon.

Negroes Given 12 Months.

A negro by the name of Oscar Campbell was up before Recorder Parsons for stealing eggs. After a little preliminary the negro was sentenced to 12 months on the county roads.

Another negro, Robert Pickett, was sent to the roads for 12 months. He was charged with trespass.

"Vets" and Merchants Have a Conflict.

A great deal of interest is being manifested in the Confederate "Vets"-Merchants' controversy.

A few days ago the city council refused the request of the "Vets" to let a carnival come here for their benefit. The "Vets" then asked the county's permission to show outside the city limits at the end of the car line, which was promptly granted.

The majority of the merchants then got up a petition asking the "Vets" to abide by the ruling of the city council; but so far they have not given over to the merchants and there is not much probability of them doing so.

NEW MANAGERS FOR WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS RESORT

(Special to Daily News.)

Mount Airy, April 14.—An important business transaction has just been perfected by which Harry G. Galloway and Joe H. Gwyn became the managers of the famous White Sulphur Springs, near this place, the coming season. These enterprising young men have leased the property at this popular resort and will spare no labor or expense to make it in every particular the equal of any in the country. The entire building is being overhauled and rearranged, and in a very short time will be in first class order for the entertainment of guests. The grounds will be beautifully arranged for out-of-door sports, and, in addition to this, an excellent orchestra has been secured.

Mr. Galloway has splendid ability as a hotel man and Mr. Gwyn has achieved success as a business man and possesses tact and energy.

NOTED SPEAKER AT GRACE CHURCH TONIGHT

The Rev. C. H. Hudsell, of Adrian, Mich., secretary of the board of Young People's work of the Methodist Protestant church, will deliver an address tonight at 8 o'clock in Grace M. P. church. He is a very interesting speaker, being thoroughly alive to his subject, and by his illustrations and enthusiastic manner, always holds the attention of his audience. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to hear him tonight.

Church Street Won.

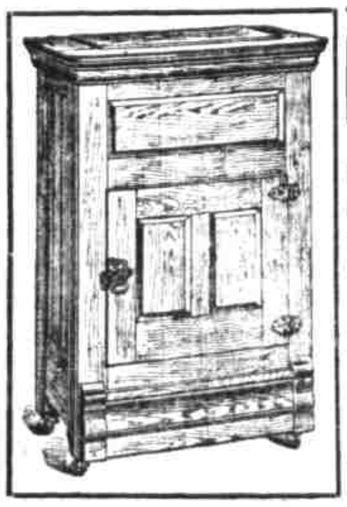
In an unevenly matched and hard hitting contest yesterday afternoon, Little Church street team defeated Fletcher Ridge's team by the overwhelming score of 27 to 9. Batteries—Church street, King, Denny and Schenck; Fletcher Ridge's team, Colm and Hawkins.

Daughters of Revolution.

The Daughters of the American Revolution will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Carnegie library. All members are urged to be present.

The Greensboro Drug company is the place to get the best in fountain drinks Friday. The ladies will be there.

Refrigerator Bargains



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