

CEREMONIAL TO-NIGHT.

From the History of Sara Temple... The annual fall ceremonial of Sara Temple, No. 13, D. O. K. E. will be held in the temple rooms in the Piedmont Building to-night, commencing at 8 o'clock.

TWO SCHOOL HOLIDAYS.

School Commissioners Decide That Both Thursday and Friday May Be Observed by the Charlotte Public Schools as Thanksgiving Holidays.

A DUSTY DAY.

Pedestrians With Blinded Eyes Say Things Under Their Breaths—About as Bad as Mud.

The mud of the past 10 days gave way to dust yesterday, the change affording a competent index to the sudden change in the weather.

VERDICT AGAINST PLAINTIFF.

Jury Decides That Mr. Starnes Is Not Entitled to Recover From the City For Alleged Damages to His Property.

Meeting of First Presbytery.

Rev. Dr. G. R. White, Rev. Dr. R. G. Miller, Rev. J. M. Bigham, Rev. J. A. Smith, and Messrs. T. P. Ross and J. R. Utley, were the members present at a called meeting of the First Presbytery of the A. R. P. Church yesterday in the First church of this city.

Christmas Goods Coming.

Merchants are daily receiving and unloading for Christmas trade. Judging from the boxes piled in front of some of the stores, there is no panic in this community, nor suspicion in the minds of the business people of the city that Christmas trade will be slack.

Kiriakos Versus Papademas.

Tony Kiriakos and Glimmer Papademas, of tender years, were arrested yesterday afternoon while engaging in a personal encounter, which was the result of a slight misunderstanding between them.

Sluggish Liver a Foe to Ambition.

You can not accomplish very much if your liver is sluggish and you feel dull, your eyes are heavy and you feel exhausted.

Mecklenburg Presbytery Votes to Dissolve the Pastoral Relations Here-fore Existing Between Rev. Dr. Hardin and the Second Presbyterian Church.

Mecklenburg Presbytery yesterday morning voted to grant Rev. Dr. Martin D. Hardin's request that the pastoral relation heretofore existing between himself and the Second Presbyterian church be dissolved.

Whereas, Our pastor, Rev. Dr. Martin D. Hardin, having signified his intention to tender to the Presbytery of Mecklenburg his resignation of the pastoral charge of this church to accept a call to the Third Presbyterian church, of Chicago;

"Resolved, That we having met for the purpose of taking into consideration the uniting with him in his request to Presbytery to dissolve the relation now existing between us, do assent to the request of Dr. Hardin, only because we deem it our duty to submit to the ordering of Providence in thus removing our beloved pastor to another, and probably wider field of usefulness, but the parting brings us to the realization of a bereavement that terminates an intercourse of the most pleasant and agreeable character, closes the ministry of multiplied benefit and blessing and removes from us a shepherd and over-seeer faithful, earnest and conscientious.

"And now that we separate we invoke upon him and his family and upon his labors in the future the heavenly benediction and commend him to the love, esteem and confidence of the church and community in which his lot is cast.

Usual Offering To-Morrow.

The usual offering for the benefit of the Day Nursery will be taken to-morrow in the graded schools of the city.

Mr. Cochrane Loses Last Finger.

By an accident through which his hand became caught in some of the machinery of the shoe factory, at the plant of the Cochrane Shoe Case Company, Monday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, Mr. J. E. Cochrane lost the last finger of his left hand.

A HARD DEBT TO PAY.

"I owe a debt of gratitude that can never be paid off," writes G. S. Clark, of Westfield, Iowa, "for my rescue from death, by Dr. King's New Discovery. Both lungs were so seriously affected that death seemed imminent, when I commenced taking New Discovery. The ominous dry, hacking cough quit before the first bottle was used, and two more bottles made me feel like a new man. All the delicious properties of the famous Alabama-Georgia Ribbon Cane are preserved in this Syrup. Put in cans direct from the evaporator and hermetically sealed, which guarantees that it will keep indefinitely in any climate.

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COLDS AND CROUP IN CHILDREN.

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Thanksgiving Dinner at GRESHAM'S

- SOUPS: Cream of Celery, Fin Money Pickles, Olives, Celery. MEATS: Barbecued Young Pig, Prime ribs of Beef, Roast Turkey, Oyster Dressing, Cranberry Sauce, Roast Goose, Walnut Dressing. VEGETABLES: Steamed Rice, Candied Yams, Mashed Potatoes, Stewed Tomatoes. SALADS: Chicken Salad, Potato Salad. DESSERTS: English Plum Pudding, Mince Meat Pie, Vanilla Ice Cream, Cake, Nuts and Raisins, Apples and Oranges, Coffee, Tea, Milk, Chocolate.



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A Prominent Pastor's Opinion

Rev. William P. Constable, pastor St. John's Methodist church, Goldsboro, N. C., says: To whom it may concern: After moving from Tyrell county to Goldsboro, N. C., my family suffered much from malaria and chills and fever. We were led to try Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy, and found that it helped us. We continued to use same and it resulted in a complete cure. I most heartily recommend it. Yours respectfully, WM. P. CONSTABLE. May 11th, 1907.

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