AMUSEMENTS

Seats are now selling at Hawley's for the forthcoming engagement of the distinguished actress, Miss Mary Emerson, who will appear at the Academy of Music, to-morrow, matinee and night, in Louis Evan Shipman's Southern military play, "On Parole." This play was presented in New York City for one solid year, and scored one of the biggest successes in the history of stagedom for a play of its kind. Miss Emerson will be supported by an exceptionally strong company of players, many who are well known to local theatre-goers. Miss Emerson's engagement here should prove one of the real dramatic events of the current season.

THE SUNNY SIDE OF BROADWAY."

The American musical comedy, "The Sunny Side of Broadway," which scored a tremendous success in Boston at the Globe Theatre for a season of ten weeks and created unusual favorable comment in the larger Eastern cities, has been secured by Murray and Mack and will be produced in this city at the Academy of Music next Wednesday night.

Forty people are engaged with this organization and the complete and massive scenic sets are carried intact by the management which insures a performance of complete and pleasing qualities.

THE COLONIAL OPERA COMPANY

The following account was given the Colonial Opera Company which will be seen here next week at the Academy of Music, by The Journal, of Winston-Salem:

"The Colonial Opera Company, which opened a three nights' engagement at the Elks' Auditorium last night, is one of the best popular price shows that has appeared here for the past two seasons. Despite the inclement weather there was a large audience. It goes without saying that those present were well pleased. The male quartette alone was well worth the price of admission. 'A Trip to India,' was presented last night.

"Miss Juanita Rush, as Ottie, the queen of Altara, proved herself a real prima donna. She is a charming little woman and possesses a sweet soprano voice. The quartette as stated above was one of the best features of the attraction. They were forced to respond to five or six encores. The male voices of the company are exceptionally good.

"To-night 'Fra Diavolo' will be presented. The quartette will appear in entirely new songs. The quartette is not unknown here, having visited the Auditorium before. Last year they were with Murray and Mack. At the matinee Wednesday 'Pinafore' will be presented."

THE TAX QUESTION.

If Judge Moore's Ruling Stands in Holding That a County Cannot Collect Special Taxes Which Would Run the Aggregate in Excess of the Constitutional Equation, This County Will Suffer Heavily.

If the decision of Judge Fred Moore is taken as the ultimate answer to the question as to whether or not a county can levy a property tax without observing the constitutional equation, opinion upon which was delivered in Asheville Wednesday, Mecklenburg loses enormously in the collection of taxes. The decision was rendered in a test case presented by Col. W. B. Rodman, division counsel of the Southern Railway Company, who contended that this county had no authority to collect special taxes in excess of the constitutional equation which requires the poll tax to equal the property tax on $300 worth. This equation was not molested in any way until the Legislature of 1905 reduced the poll tax in this county from $3.50 to $2, without reducing the property tax correspondingly. The present tax rate is $1.16 2-3, while the constitutional requirement would limit it to 66 2-3.

This case has been in preparation for several weeks by Colonel Rodman, who decided that he would test the question before the courts, there being no deliverance from the Supreme bench covering this point precisely. It came up before Judge Moore Wednesday when a similar case was presented against Buncombe county, and in both these he held that the present method of taxation was unconstitutional.

The decision is sweeping and becomes of vital importance on account of the loss in collections which the county will feel, if property holders refuse to pay their taxes at the present rate. Even though the railroads alone were exempted, the country would lose in the neighborhood of $25,000 in the estimation of a county official who made only an approximation.

If the ruling stands before the Supreme Court and is henceforth made an ultimatum, then other corporations will most probably join hands with the railroads, and private property holders will fall into line also and refuse to pay taxes except according to the constitutional equation. If such a practice becomes universal Mecklenburg will suffer a falling off in receipts to the extent of, approximately, between $75,000 and $100,000.

A leading lawyer of the local bar stated yesterday that he had not looked into the case without any degree of care, but held the opinion that the Supreme Court had consented that the constitutional equation applied only to the general county and State taxes, and that a county had a legal right to issue special taxes. The outcome will be awaited with interest.

THE DRAINING SUSPENDED.

Water Commissioners Not Pleased With Tone of Petition Which They Think Attemps to Put on Them the Responsibility For Proposed Pond Draining.

The water commissioners met last night in the office of the superintendent of waterworks in the city hall. Mayor Franklin presided, there being present in addition Commissioners R. M. Miller and J. W. Conway, besides Superintendent Pat H. Williams and City Clerk Arthur H. Wearn. Reports from the street work now going on were declared satisfactory by the board, the progress made being considered to be all that could be expected. In order to facilitate this work by solving as quickly as possible any questions that might arise, it was decided to hold a meeting weekly.

A petition from residents in the neighborhood of the upper waterworks pond, relative to its drainage, which was decided on in a series of resolutions passed at the last meeting of the commissioners, threw the water back into its former state. It is the opinion of some that the draining of the pond at this season of the year with the mud and other undesirable elements which would be left might cause an epidemic of sickness in that vicinity. Others believed that while there was little danger of this, if the draining should be followed by any amount of sickness worthy of notice, the charge would certainly be laid at the door of the water commissioners that they were responsible. The petition presented last night seemed to the commissioners, although they admitted that it might not be so intended, to put the responsibility on the shoulders of the board, whose members are unwilling to order the draining on those terms. They wish it understood that they must be assured of immunity from responsibility before they order the annihilation of the collection of water particles. Consequently, action is suspended until the wording of the petition is changed or otherwise explained.

PERSONAL.

The Movements of a Number of People, Visitors and Others.

Mr. J. H. Spencer, of Greenville, S. C., spent yesterday at the Buford Hotel.

Mr. E. B. Blease, of Winston-Salem, was a Buford guest last night.

Mr. W. P. Thomson, of Spartanburg, S. C., was among the visitors in the city registered at the Buford last night.

Mr. F. L. Carpenter, of King's Mountain, is at the Buford.

Mr. T. A. Vincent, of Greensboro, is a guest of the Central.

Mr. J. J. Padgett, of Saluda, was at the Central last night.

Mr. E. A. Smith, of Salisbury, was among the guests of the Central last night.

Mr. George H. Hart, of Greensboro, spent last night at the Selwyn Hotel.

Mr. A. H. Thiessen, of Raleigh, is a guest at the Selwyn Hotel.

Mr. George T. Price, of Charleston, S. C., was a guest of the Selwyn yesterday.

Mr. J. M. Williams, of King's Mountain, was in the city yesterday, stopping at the Selwyn.

Mr. W. A. Erwin, president of the Erwin Cotton Mill, of West Durham, spent awhile in the city yesterday morning on business.

Mr. R. B. McCrary, of Lexington, representing Bailey Bros., tobacconists, spent yesterday in the city on business.

Dr. William Dockery, of Rockingham, spent yesterday in the city on business.

Mr. D. W. Cochrane, of Greensboro, spent yesterday in the city, stopping at the Central.

Mr. Eugene Morrison, of Statesville, spent yesterday in the city on business.

Mr. Ed. S. King, of Hiddenite, was a guest of the Central yesterday.

Mr. Hugh P. Leak, of Kernersville, was among those registered yesterday at the Central.

Mr. W. F. Rodman, of Statesville, spent yesterday in Charlotte, stopping at the Central Hotel.

Mr. J. F. Johnson, of Gastonia, was a Charlotte visitor and a Central guest yesterday.

Mr. J. A. Martin, of Hickory, was in town on business yesterday, stopping at the Buford.

Rev. John M. Grier, of Concord, is visiting his brother, Representative W. A. Grier, of Steele Creek.

Mr. George B. Hiss, of Rhodehiss, spent yesterday in the city on business.

Mr. E. T. Cansler will return to-night from a legal trip to Asheville and Knoxville, Tenn.

Rev. John W. Grier, of Georgia, arrived in the city yesterday to spend several days with relatives in Steele Creek.

Elizabeth Mill Spins 100s 2-Ply Yarns

For the first time in the history of cotton milling operations in North Carolina, the Elizabeth Mill, of this city, yesterday spun 100s 2-ply Egyptian combed yarns. This was accomplished with the new machinery installed in a recent addition to the already large establishment. Heretofore this mill has been spinning from 50s to 80s, but in the future the extremes will be 50s and 100s. This is one of the largest as well as one of the most splendidly equipped of all the local textile institutions.

DEFENDANTS ARE ACQUITTED.

Parties in Three Murder Cases in Chester County Found Not Guilty—Aged Lady Found Dead—Two Marriages Announced.

Special to The Observer.

Chester, S. C., March 26.—The Court of General Sessions came to a close yesterday afternoon. The last case was that of the State against W. G. Dye and Henry Gibson, charged with murder. Messrs. S. E. McFadden and A. L. Gaston represented the defendants, while Solicitor Henry handled the prosecution. The verdict was not guilty, at the close of testimony Solicitor Henry asking Judge Watts to instruct the jury to bring in that kind of verdict. The testimony showed conclusively that the young men were acting in their capacity as officers of the law and that the shooting of the deceased, Reuben Douglas, was done when their own lives were in danger.

Paul Wilks, white, charged with the murder of Grafton Sanders, colored, was tried Tuesday and was acquitted. He was represented by Messrs. S. E. McFadden, J. H. Marion and A. L. Gaston. His testimony was to the effect that he shot the deceased in self-defense.

Hattie Drummer, colored, charged with the murder of her husband, was acquitted. She was defended by Messrs. S. E. McFadden and David Hamilton.

This term of court was one of the shortest spring terms on record in this county. In the spring there is usually a big harvest of Christmas hot-supper killings by the negroes, as well as numerous other misdemeanors among the Afro-American citizenry. This past winter, however, the darkies seemed to be on their good behavior, and there were very few misdemeanors of a character sufficiently serious to be considered by the circuit court.

Mrs. S. M. Feemster, an aged lady living near Bullock's Creek, was found dead in bed Tuesday morning. She was apparently in her usual good health when she retired the night before, and her sudden death was a great surprise and shock to her friends and family. She leaves two sisters, Mrs. Amanda Wade and Miss Nancy McDonald. Her husband died several years ago.

The returns in Auditor I. McD. Hood's office show that the Southern Power Company is assessed $386,625 on their property in this county, an increase of more than $329,000 over last year.

Rev. S. J. Cartledge will commence a series of special services at the Presbyterian church next Sunday, the services to last a week or longer, just as conditions may seem to require.

Mrs. Jessie Harden Oates has issued invitations to the wedding of her daughter, Miss Joanna Smith Oates, and Mr. Auburn Woods, the ceremony to occur at the residence on Centre street Wednesday evening, April 8th.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Hood, of Blackstock, have sent out invitations to the wedding of their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Caroline, and Mr. Robert H. Cloweney, of Chester, on the evening of Tuesday, April 7th.

CROSSING A DEATH-TRAP.

For the Sake of Progress and Safety the Grade Crossings Should Be Eliminated—Surprising That There Should Be Any Opposition.

To the Editor of The Observer:

I have noticed several articles pro and con in your paper regarding the East Trade street crossing and am surprised that there should be any opposition towards doing away with this "death-trap." From personal experience and observation, I am convinced that this is the proper name to apply to the present crossing, and it would be folly to wait until some disaster should make us regret our inaction. The grade crossings of Charlotte, are the greatest obstacles it has to overcome, and for the sake of progress and safety they should be eliminated. ARTHUR J. DRAPER.

ILLINOIS ENDORSES CANNON.

Cut and Dried Programme Carried Out Promptly and Enthusiastically—Platform Declares For a Revision of the Tariff—Governor Deneen's Administration Boosted.

Springfield, Ill., March 26.—Republicans of Illinois in State convention to-day enthusiastically endorsed Joseph G. Cannon as candidate for the presidency, declared in favor of a revision of the tariff and elected the following four delegates at large to the national convention: United States Senators Shelby M. Cullom and Albert J. Hopkins, Gov. Charles S. Deneen and Mayor Fred A. Busse, of Chicago.

The convention also endorsed the administration of Governor Deneen and that of all other State officers.

For the last two days it had been confidently asserted by various delegates that the resolutions would favor tariff "adjustment" instead of "revision," it being the idea that "revision" is generally accepted as meaning reduction and "adjustment" might mean the raising of some schedules as well as the lowering of others. But when Congressman Henry S. Boutell arrived from Washington, where he had consulted with Speaker Cannon and other Republican leaders, the plank was made to read revision as adopted to-day. There was not a whisper of opposition to Speaker Cannon. All motions were passed unanimously and without argument.

Just before the reading of the platform the convention took an impromptu adjournment because of a fire in the Leland Hotel, where most of the delegates had rooms, and many of the delegates never returned to the hall.

After an interim of an hour the convention was called to order a second time by Chairman Buckingham and the final part of the programme was carried out promptly.

TENNESSEE FOR TAFT.

Remnants of Wednesday's Disorderly Convention Get Together and Adopt Resolutions Endorsing Taft—H. Clay Evans For Vice President.

Nashville, Tenn., March 26.—Designating themselves as the regular State convention, a number of Republicans assembled at the capitol to-day and instructed for William H. Taft for President, endorsed H. Clay Evans for Vice President, and named Congressman Nathan W. Hale for national committeeman. T. W. Wade, of Smithville, was nominated for supreme judge and the following delegates at large to the national convention were selected: E. W. Easary, of Henderson county; R. A. Haggard, Wayne county; W. H. Buttrum, Scott county, and Newell Saunders, Hamilton county.

Electors for the State-at-large are S. R. Sells, of Washington county, and J. W. Fowikes, of Humphreys county.

H. Clay Evans was chairman of the permanent organization. The proceedings lacked the disorder which marked the convention of yesterday, which later was taken charge of by the Brownlow-Oliver-Austin element after stirring scenes.

Some confusion exists in regard to the action of the Brownlow convention of yesterday in the matter of instructions. While excitement ran high, W. L. Davis, of Clayborne, waved a bundle of papers above his head, announcing that they were the resolutions and moving their adoption. The motion carried without the reading of the papers. These resolutions, as made public later, instruct for W. H. Taft for President. Also during these same proceedings of yesterday a motion was made and carried that the delegation to the national convention go uninstructed. The situation has not been explained and there are claims both ways.

IOWA FALLS INTO LINE.

Democratic Convention Endorses Bryan, Nebraska Platform and All, Without Reserve or Opposition.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., March 26.—William J. Bryan's friends to-day controlled the Iowa Democratic State convention. The platform adopted was a recast of the Nebraska platform, including the endorsement of Bryan for presidential candidate. Every mention of Bryan's name was greeted with a storm of cheers.

The resolutions committee heard a request from Mr. Bryan that the ideas of the Omaha platform be endorsed by the Democrats of Iowa. There was some sentiment in favor of adopting the Nebraska platform in toto, but finally it was rewritten as to words. The committee spent all the afternoon at this work while the convention listened to speeches by Judge Wade, General Weaver, Fred White and other leaders.

Delegates at large are: Claude R. Porter, of Centreville; Jerry B. Sullivan, of Des Moines; E. J. Dunn, of Mason City, and C. F. Duncombe, of Fort Dodge.

RHODY HAS NO CHOICE.

Republican State Convention, Which Met Yesterday at Providence, Refrains From Instructing Delegates.

Providence, R. I., March 26.—The Republican State convention, which was held here to-day to select delegates to the national convention at Chicago, refrained from instructing the men chosen and from expressing preference for any candidate for the presidential nomination. No resolutions on the subject were introduced.

The delegates at large to the national convention are: Andrew J. Currier, of Cumberland; Alexander C. Crumb, of Westerly; Ezra Dixon, of Bristol; John Fletcher, of Providence.

The convention adopted a platform endorsing the national administration and its policies. The first congressional district convention began its session after the State convention adjourned. The following delegates to Chicago were elected: Edward S. Rawson, of Newport; Joseph E. Fletcher, of Bristol. The second convention elected these delegates: Edward R. Arnold, of Coventry, and Philippe Boucher, of Woonsocket.

Indiana Endorses Bryan.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 26.—The Indiana Democratic State convention closed to-night after naming a State ticket, adopting a platform demanding an immediate revision of the tariff and instructing the 30 delegates to the national convention to vote for William J. Bryan for President. John W. Kern, of Indianapolis, was endorsed for the vice presidential nomination. The convention was enthusiastic and the majority of the State nominations were hotly contested. There were six candidates for Governor and the nomination was made on the fifth ballot. There were four ballot for Lieutenant Governor.

CHANGE EFFECTIVE SUNDAY.

On That Day Southern Will Take Off Two Trains on Goldsboro-Greensboro Line—General Carr to Deliver Address at Cornerstone Laying of New College—News in Brief.

Special to The Observer.

Durham, March 26.—The new schedule on the Greensboro-Goldsboro line of the Southern will be effective Sunday instead of April 10th, as first announced. By the new schedule two trains, the one that passes here at 11:42 eastbound and the one that passes here at 2:50 westbound, will be taken off. There will be slight changes in the schedules of the other trains. The taking off of these two trains will abolish a service that has been appreciated and greatly patronized by the traveling public. At this time a business man can get two hours' work in his office, catch a train for Raleigh, take dinner in the capital city, look after his business matters and get back in the city by 4 o'clock. Here of late these trains have been crowded almost daily and when the trains are taken off it will be a sore disappointment to the people of this city.

On account of the change in the Southern schedule there will also be a change in the schedule of the Seaboard road, this in order to make the connections with the Southern. It was learned to-day that the passenger train on the Seaboard that is due to leave here now at 10:05 will in the future leave at 12 o'clock noon. It is also rumored that the Norfolk & Western will have a change of schedule.

Work has been resumed on the new Y. M. C. A. Building and is now being pushed rapidly. The work was resumed some days ago after a stop on account of the inclement weather. The work is now going forward very rapidly. It will not be such a long time before the building will be completed and thrown open to the public.

Atlas Carpenter, an employe of the Southern road who was hurt several days ago, is now getting along nicely. He was caught in a sideswipe collision and for a short while was in serious shape. He will soon be able to return to his work.

Gen. Julian S. Carr has been invited and has accepted the invitation to deliver an address at the laying of the cornerstone of the Carolina Methodist College, at Maxton, this being on April 2d. He will be the principal speaker on that occasion.

The friends of R. T. Faucette, one of Durham's old and highly honored citizens, are boosting him for the Democratic nomination for the House of Representatives. There are already two or three candidates in the field and should Mr. Faucette come into the fight it will make it an interesting political adjunct to the big contest that is on.

The case of Flimtom against the city, who asked for $500 for water damages caused by the stopping of a water main under a fill in Roxboro street, has been decided by the jury's allowing the plaintiff $37.50. Both sides appealed the case to the higher court. Several small penalty suits against railroads consumed the time of the court to-day.

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WANTED for U. S. Army, able-bodied, unmarried men, between ages of 18 and 35, citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. Men wanted now for service in Cuba and the Philippines. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, 15 West Trade St., Charlotte, N. C.; 26½ South Main St., Asheville, N. C.; Bank Building, Hickory, N. C.; 126½ North Main St., Salisbury, N. C.; 417½ Liberty St., Winston-Salem, N. C.; Kendall Building, Columbia, S. C.; Haynsworth and Conyers Building, Greenville, S. C.; Glenn Building, Spartanburg, S. C.

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