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COLONEL HENRY AT BAT.

Redoubtable Republican Debater Says Scott Things in Whirlwind of Mr. J. D. McCall Appears - Mr. McCall and Mr. Hawkins Both Treated Badly.

In the course of his speech at the court house Monday night, Mr. J. D. McCall in substance said: "There are some smart men in the Republican party and they never get recognition. Men like Walter Henry for instance. He is as smart as he can be but he will never get within reaching distance of the pie counter."

Continuing, Colonel Henry said: "I listened to my friend Mr. McCall for an hour the other night at the Auditorium, prophesying the defeat of Mr. Hawkins in the primary. 'Mr. McCall says I am mad. Now I am not mad, I am not mad, but I suspect he is, because I wrote that address for the Republican committee. Yes, it must have been mad and he would not have lugged my name into his speech as he did. He said he was a smooth politician and the way he brought me into his discourse was as skillful as could be and as smooth as velvet. The touch was Machavellian. 'But I do not care. I have said nothing unkind of anyone. I have simply made logic talk. I wish either to defeat the Democratic candidate or at least to build up a potent organization.'"

Colonel Henry observed: "There are two people who have been treated most unjustly in all this turmoil—Tom Hawkins and J. D. McCall. Some of the McCall speakers cried out the other night, 'Who is Tom Hawkins?' 'Where did he come from?' I confess that made me mad. I desire in a quarter of a century. He has been a gentleman every inch of the time, and though he is in the slough of Democracy, which ere long will be a 'Slough of Despair' though I am against him politically, I will say that he had made a reputation as a lawyer, in central North Carolina, before some of Mr. McCall's speakers had put on short pants."

The other gentleman, the Democratic treatise was Hon. J. D. McCall. He has been his political Goliath in this part of the State, and the Lord only knows how much he has to answer for in the wind-up, for devoting his brilliant abilities to the cause of the Copper-Head party, as the Democratic party was called in the 'good old days.' It seems to me, that common gratitude should have given him the nomination for the mayoralty without a rifle, but that is no business of mine. It will appear therefore, that while Mr. McCall is prognosticating that the Republicans of North Carolina will not see that I get within reach of the pie counter, I will say that I am confounding them with the Democrats who failed to give him his nomination. 'I alone am responsible for the address issued by the Republican committee and I am ready to give any gentleman any sort of satisfaction that he may desire. The facts stated therein can be established by a thousand men.' The pleasantry, of course, was understood by all sensible men."

PLANS FOR THE BRIDGE.

Mecklenburg Board Likely to Meet With Gaston County Board Soon - Dr. McLaughlin County Physician.

At the meeting yesterday of the county commission, the \$15,000 bridge to be built across the Catawba river at Rozell's ferry was the source of much study, as many plans for the 600-foot structure were before the board and many things were to be determined upon. Within the near future it is thought that the Mecklenburg commissioners will meet with the Gaston county board, that all the minor details will be decided upon and that the work will be turned over to the most desirable bidder. The bridge will consist of four spans and will be 812 feet long, the work will be overhead and the height above the water sufficient to assure safety. Mr. E. T. Cansler was present at the meeting and suggested that the contractors be required to furnish sufficient bond to protect all interests and to guarantee the safety of the bridge, as well as the deposit of a certified check, upon which the board agreed. The announcement several weeks ago that it had been decided definitely to erect this bridge was received with much gratification by Mecklenburg citizens and especially by those who for years have had only the ferries to get them across the river. The county board of health, consisting of the commissioners—Messrs. W. M. Long, chairman; J. A. Newell, W. J. Dunn, D. A. Henderson and W. N. McKee and Dr. R. L. Gibbon and B. J. Witherspoon, re-appointed Dr. C. S. McLaughlin as county physician. Other business attended to was the approving of bills and routine work. The meeting was adjourned at 1 o'clock.

Death of Mrs. Jennie E. Jones.

Mrs. Jennie E. Jones, wife of Mr. J. W. Jones, died yesterday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock at her home, No. 812 North Caldwell street. She was 36 years of age. Before her marriage she was Miss Jennie Underwood, a native of Gaston county. Several children survive. Her death occurred under distressing circumstances. A serious turn was not anticipated until Monday when she suddenly became critically ill. The funeral will be conducted from the residence today and the interment will be at Elmwood Cemetery.

Contribute to Arlington Monument.

Every school pupil in North Carolina and also every teacher is requested by the Arlington committee to contribute one cent or more to-morrow to the fund to erect the Confederate monument to Southern soldiers who sleep in the Federal Cemetery at Arlington. The schools of Charlotte are asked not to forget this cause.

A RELIGIOUS AUTHOR'S STATEMENT.

Rev. Joseph H. Fessenden, Salisbury, N. C., who is the author of several religious books, writes: "For several years I was afflicted with kidney trouble and a severe pain in my kidneys and was unable to bed eight days unable to get up without assistance. I had to get up several times during the night, commenced taking Foley's Kidney Remedy and the pain gradually abated and finally ceased, the irregularities disappeared. I can cheerfully recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy." R. H. Jordan & Co. and Green's Pharmacy.

FOUR IN A NIGHT.

Burglars Active in Dilworth Monday Night—Entered Three Stores and a Residence—Not Much Missed.

The residents of Dilworth were somewhat alarmed yesterday morning, when it was learned that four burglaries had occurred the night before and that the places entered were the stores of the Woodruff Pharmacy, J. L. Blakeley, A. C. Fite and Mrs. A. L. Champe. The large plate glass window in the front of the Woodruff Pharmacy had been smashed and it was through the opening that the thieves had entered. The cash drawer had been ransacked and the cigar stand also. Little money, however, was taken, as only a small amount had been left in the register the night before. The entrance to the Blakeley store was made in a similar manner, by breaking the front window and that of Mr. A. C. Fite's likewise. The residence of Mrs. Champe, which was also broken into, it is thought, was not entered. There were small things on the floor, just under the broken window and had some one entered these things would have been demolished. As it was, everything was in place and nothing missed by her. Messrs. Blakeley and Fite mistook only a few things, but state that as they did not have a close inventory on their stocks, it would be hard to ascertain just what was taken. It is thought by the police officials that the robberies were executed by the same person or persons. The thieves showed no clew as to their work and did not attempt in any way to hide their foot prints. It is thought that within a day or two they will be brought to justice.

NEW CONCERNS ADDED.

Greater Charlotte Club's Journal Notes Charlotte's Progress Day by Day.

The following additions to Charlotte's industries are chronicled by the Greater Charlotte Club Bulletin, No. 15, which has become a regular institution: A late addition to the commercial life of Charlotte is the establishment of headquarters by the J. S. Schofield Son's Company, of Macon, Ga. Mr. C. D. Laine will manage the business in Charlotte with an office at 402 Realty Building. The Greater Charlotte Club had a part in the location of this office.

Mr. W. C. Greenwood has moved his family into a house at No. 9 East Morehead street. Mr. Greenwood makes a specialty of building and installing pipe organs. Mr. Walter Fielding, of Boston, has located at 26 West Fifth street, where he will operate a brass working establishment and will be prepared to do all kinds of special brass work. The Ben-Vande Company, dyers and renovators, are moving into quarters at 18 West Fifth street, formerly occupied by the Queen City Dyeing and Cleaning Company. The new firm will be managed by two experienced men—Messrs. J. S. DeVonde and D. W. Bender, and will be prepared to do high class work. In addition to the regular work, they will conduct a school of instruction by correspondence, for those desiring to learn how to engage in scientific dyeing.

To Preach Elizabeth Baccalaureate.

The baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of Elizabeth College will be preached in the First Baptist church by Rev. Henry Harms, president of Newberry, S. C., College, on the morning of May 16.

BIG TENT

South Church street, between Third and Fourth. ALL THIS WEEK. The Great Griffith Show; 30 People, Band and Orchestra. Adults 20c. Children 10c. Special feature for to-night, the Hypnotic Circus.

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Date of Memorial Day Changed Temporarily So That Veterans From Out-of-Town May More Conveniently Be Present.

At the request of the members of the United Confederate Veterans the Memorial Day exercises will be held Saturday, May 8, instead of on Monday, May 10. This is done as a matter of convenience to the veterans from out-of-town who can more easily be here Saturday. They have an important meeting that morning anyway. The exercises will be held at 3:30 in the afternoon in the Academy of Music which Manager John L. Crovo has kindly tendered for the occasion. Mr. Whitehead Klutz, of Salisbury, will deliver the address of the occasion. A select and interesting musical programme will be rendered. At the conclusion of the programme in the theatre there will be the customary march to Elmwood Cemetery where the usual tributes of respect will be paid to the memories of those who lie interred there.

The public is extended a cordial invitation to be present. The school children are especially urged to come, as the service comes on a day when they are free from duty. The observance of the day will take high rank with the others of its kind in interest and appropriateness. Out-of-town people are invited to come and a number are expected.

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