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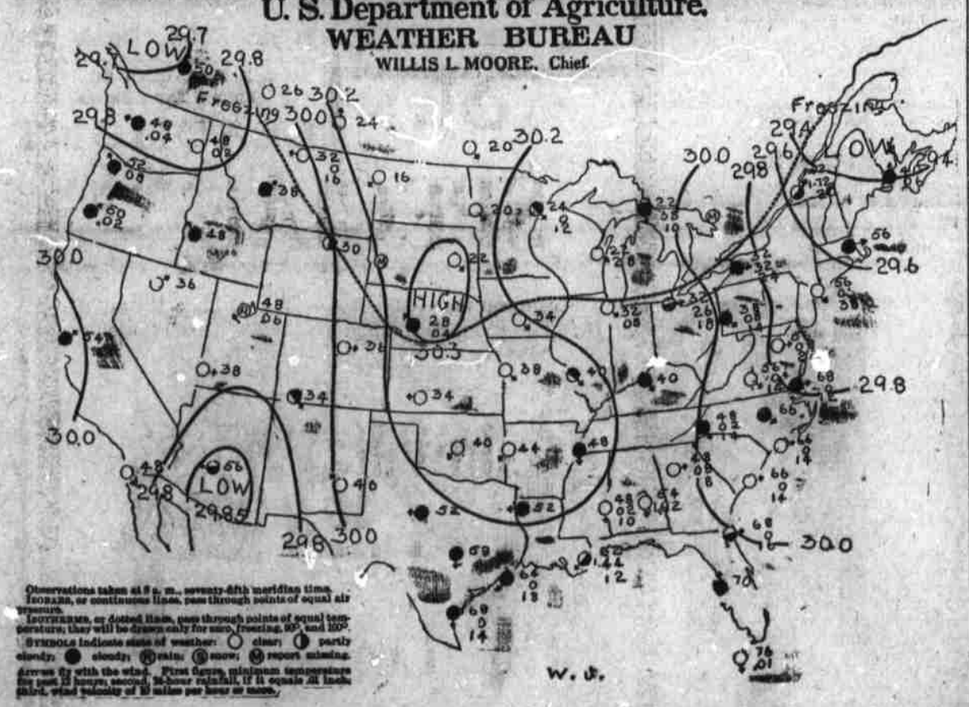

For Asheville and vicinity: Fair tonight and Wednesday; colder tonight with light frost. For North Carolina: Fair tonight and Wednesday; colder tonight with light frost in extreme west portion. Normal today. Temperature 59. Precipitation .12.

Amusements

"The Chocolate Soldier" Monday, May 8.

Much interest is being manifested in the engagement of the Whitney Opera company in "The Chocolate Soldier," which comes to the Auditorium for one night on Monday next.

This is due not only to the fascinating Straus music, but also because of its libretto, which is based upon one of the wittiest of the plays of the ever interesting George Bernard Shaw, "Arms and the Man." Setting Shaw to music was in itself such a bizarre idea that it was scarcely credited, but when "The Chocolate Soldier" came from Berlin to New York it was greeted with a chorus of enthusiastic praise, and a 300 nights' run at the Casino followed. It met the same measure of success in Boston, Philadelphia and Chicago, where it enjoyed long runs. Its producers claim for it that it is the greatest success in 20 years.

Those who have shared in the admiration for George Bernard Shaw's rapier-like thrusts and debonnair dissection of things will appreciate the cablegram which was sent by him on the occasion of the first performance of "The Chocolate Soldier" in America. He said: "If New York likes 'The Chocolate Soldier' New York is to be congratulated." Again in London he had his fling, for he insisted that the program there bear the legend, "An unauthorised parody on one of George Bernard Shaw's comedies." Mr. Whitney had this put on the program, and all London was amused over another exhibition of Shaw's supreme egotism.

A re-reading of "Arms and the Man" shows that this sparkling comedy is often suggestive of comic opera. Perhaps Shaw might himself have turned it into a libretto with all the necessary lyrics. It would certainly be a rash thing to say that he could not. But, at any rate, he refused this work, giving instead his consent to its use by others, and in the incredibly short space of time in which operettas grow in Berlin and Vienna, Rudolph Bernauer and Leopold Jacobson came forward with "Der Tapfere Soldat" ("The Brave Soldier"), as it was first known, in which Shaw's heroine, Rhaina Pepkoff became Nadina Popoff more euphoniously, and Sergius grew into Alexis. Other changes were made, but the spirit of Shaw is over it all; the vivid description of his possessions as the son of Switzerland's leading inkeeper, and the tale of the battle are said to be told by the chocolate soldier in a way to preclude any doubt Shaw might have had of his work losing force in the hands of others.

Lucky in this, he was even more so in the score so quickly provided by another satirist, whose work has long been pronounced in its way as Shaw's—Oscar Straus. After a hearing of the sustained brilliance of the music it is believable that Straus wrote the three acts in the fine fire of one exhuberant and sustained heat of joyous creation, after reading the tale.

In "The Chocolate Soldier" Straus is considered to have reached the highest point of his career, to have taken the last step upward in buoyant humor; he has invented fresh, sonorous melody that is beguiling and with ever-tinkling jingle. Around Shaw's Brobdignagian toy soldiers he has built big waltz themes for the finales.

Instead of the one waltz considered fair measure in modern light opera, Straus has given four in "The Chocolate Soldier." In addition to the "My Hero" valse, which runs throughout the work in varying tempi, there is "Tiralala," "Forgive, Forgive," and "Falling in Love" of almost equal fascination, and an overflow of melody, that turns from dreamy love notes o' gypsy fascination to whirling, crashing measures.

The notes of "My Hero" run as a theme throughout, now satirizing the brass button situation, now changing to the warmer tones of love; Alexius struts his way upon the stage to as definable a tone picture as ever had Wagner's Rheingold maidens, and for ten minutes after the rise of the curtain no word is actually spoken, but, like an interpretative chorus, a trio sung by the three principal women tell the audience of the happenings. The vocal parts are punctuated with expressive orchestral interludes, and afterwards the actual transition from song to speech produces a distinctly curious effect, it is said.

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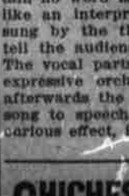

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WITNESS ELKINS CHARGED WITH RETAILING LIQUOR

Man Who Testified Against Sherlin for Retailing, in Court—Col. Lusk Will Defend the Accused.

There was a "reversal of form," so to speak, in Municipal court this morning when Col. V. S. Lusk, head of the Law Enforcemnt league and prosecutor of all "blind tigers," appeared as counsel defending an alleged "tiger," one Elkins. Judge G. Spears Reynolds, who frequently represents alleged "tigers," stated to the court that he represented the "great state of North Carolina" in the prosecution of the case. Col. Lusk declared when handed the warrant said in effect that somebody had evidently taken him for a fool, but that he wasn't. He handed the warrant back to the court and made a statement to the effect that Elkins had previously appeared as a witness against one Lum Sherlin, charged with retailing; that Sherlin was convicted and appealed; that subsequently efforts had been made to have Elkins make a "get-away," and that failing to do so he had been charged with retailing. Col. Lusk asked that the case be nol prossed. Judge Reynolds replying declared that he represented the state and resisted nol prosing the cause; that it was a "strange thing that Col. Lusk, who had prosecuted so vigorously other cases of liquor selling wanted the Elkins case removed from the docket." Judge Cocke refused to nol pros the case, saying that the warrant of arrest was made by one of the police officers, that the name of the man to whom liquor had been sold was given, and that the court would investigate the facts and learn if there was anything in the case. Judge Cocke said that he did not know what the witness Gaddy would swear, but that it was the court's duty to investigate. The case was continued until tomorrow when Gaddy will be in court.

In the Wake of the Measles.

The little son of Mrs. O. B. Palmer, Little Rock, Ark., had the measles. The result was a severe cough which grew worse and he could not sleep. She says: "One bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound completely cured him and he has never been bothered since." Croup, whooping cough, measles cough all yield to Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. The genuine is in the yellow package always. Refuse substitutes. For sale by all druggists.

THE MARKETS

New York, May 2.—Trading was active at the opening of the stock market. The first quotations in most active stocks were about on a level with yesterday's closing.

Active stocks ran off fractionally, but there was a partial recovery later, when coal stocks moved up strongly.

A heavy tone developed in the stock market in the latter part of the day. Prices fell back from the point reached yesterday, after making daily advances for a week. The weakened position of the market seemed due to extensive profit taking and the fact that the recent rise drove bear traders to cover so effectually short interests were greatly reduced. Stocks of anthricite carrying roads were strongest features of market.

A sudden upward spurt of two points in American Cotton Oil followed the announcement of a regular dividend on the stock. The rest of the market sagged slowly, with coalers, losing considerable of the forenoon rise.

Prices mended slowly in the late afternoon. Leading issues continued to rule well below yesterday's closing. American Cotton Oil extended its advance to three points, but specialties generally were without particular movements.

STOCKS.

	Open.	Close.
Atchison	109¼	109⅞
American Smelting	76⅞	75⅝
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	79⅛	78⅝
Baltimore & Ohio	105⅝	105½
Amalgamated Copper	63⅝	63¼
Colorado Fuel & Iron	....	30
Chesapeake & Ohio	....	81¼
Canadian Pacific	235¼	234½
N. Y. Central	....	107⅝
Erie	30⅝	30⅝
Great Northern pfd	127⅞	127½
Illinois Central	....	138
Mo., Kans. & Tex	....	33
Louisville & Nashville	146⅝	146½
National Lead	....	52⅝
Missouri Pacific	50⅛	49¼
Norfolk & Western	....	106⅝
Northern Pacific	125⅝	125¼
People's Gas	....	105⅝
Pennsylvania	126	126
Rock Island	29½	30⅛
Rock Island pfd	....	61⅝
Reading	157	156¼
Southern Pacific	116¼	116
St. Paul	122¼	121¼
Southern Railway	27⅝	27⅝
Southern Railway pfd	....	64
Union Pacific	179	178⅝
U. S. Steel	76½-⅝	76
U. S. Steel pfd	....	119½
Wabash	....	16¼
Wabash pfd	36⅝	36½
Tennessee Copper	37⅝	37⅝

NEW YORK COTTON.

	Open.	Close.
May	15.33	15.29
July	15.35	15.31
August	14.93	14.83
October	13.19	13.10
December	13.06	13.00

Spot 15.45.

LOCAL SECURITIES.

Reported and corrected daily by Henry F. Claudius:

	Bid.	Asked.
Ashe. Water 4s	....	$100.00
Beaumont Furniture	....	107.00
Citizens Bank	145.00	....
Univ. Security 6s	11.00	12.50
Univ. Security, cert.	12.50	....
Wach. B. & T. Co.	....	144.50
Wm. Brownell Mill	10.00	....

Raleigh Western Union Manager Dies Suddenly.

Richmond, May 2.—Harry O. Bannister, manager, of the Western Union Telephone company, at Raleigh, died suddenly at the Union station here this afternoon.

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PREPARING TO LAY OUT GREAT CENTRAL HIGHWAY

Buncombe Will Co-Operate in Building Highway from Coast the Tennessee Line.

E. C. Chambers appeared before the board of county commissioners yesterday in reference to the Central highway which is proposed to be built from Beaufort to the Tennessee line. The commissioners gave every assurance of their hearty support and cooperation in the construction of the road. In addition to this the question of building a public highway from Charleston to Asheville, a plan recently inaugurated by the Charleston board of trade, was brought to their attention by Mr. Chambers and they promised to support this scheme also. In regard to the latter road a meeting is to be held in Columbia tomorrow for the purpose of organization and Dr. C. P. Ambler has been named by the Buncombe Good Roads association to represent the local association at the meeting. The county commissioners expressed themselves as in full accord with both these plans. In fact the county road forces are already at work on the roads which will probably make up Buncombe's part of the highway. If the Central highway goes through Madison there is now the force at work near the Madison county line and if it should go through Haywood the commissioners have already made an order to have the Haywood road finished to the county line. As for the Charleston road, after they have finished the work already laid out, there will not be much to do so far as Buncombe is concerned.

Mr. Chambers has been invited by the chamber of commerce of Morehead City to go to that town and join with the party when they start, May 8, to lay out the Central highway. About the first part of June they will come here and go over the Buncombe, Madison and possibly the Haywood roads to the Tennessee line.

TWO RIFLE TEAMS LEAVE FOR THE GASTONIA SHOOT

Squads in Charge of Capt. Koon, Capt. Bard and Maj. Young—Hope to Win Trophies.

The two rifle teams which are to represent the local companies of the N. C. N. G. in the shoot, which is to be held at Gastonia this week, left this morning on the Carolina Special. The squads were in charge of Captains Koon and Bard and Major Lawrence Young also accompanied the party, as ranking officers. The Waynesville team arrived on No. 20 and leaves this afternoon.

The men left in high hopes of bringing back some of the trophies. They have been practicing earnestly for the occasion and the men who were picked for the shoot were those who made the best marks. The prizes are well worth trying for and some of them will serve for years to come to indicate the skill of the winners. The DuPont Powder company offers a trophy which will be given to the best team in the brigade, Col. McGhee will present a medal to the officer of the team making the highest score. The Gastonia people have offered five prizes. The team making the highest score, $20 in gold; second best, $10 in gold; the highest individual score, $5 in gold. Two of the prizes are for the best shots with pistols, a silver loving cup to the officer making the highest score and one to the enlisted man making the best score.

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ASHEVILLE, N. C.

ATTEMPTED TO ASSAULT A 14 YEARS OLD GIRL

She and Her Companions Screamed and Man Made Off—Search by Police Futile.

A bold attempt at assault by a white man on a 14 years old child was reported to the police last evening about dusk. It seems that the little girl and some other children were in or near that wooded section just north of Montford and Cumberland avenue, when a white man made his appearance and attacked the little girl.

It is said that she screamed, and the other children screamed and called for help, and the man becoming frightened ran off and disappeared in the woods. The police were notified and while a fair description of the man was given their efforts to locate anyone answering to the description proved futile.

Bank Robbers Get $1500 in West Virginia.

Hastings, W. Va., May 2.—The Bank of Rosemont was entered by robbers early this morning. The safe was blown open and the robbers escaped with $1500 in cash.

Three Men and Two Boys Drowned.

Edmundston, N. B., May 2.—Three men and two boys were drowned in St. John's river today. They were crossing from the American to the Canadian bank in a ferry scow, and the scow upset in the freshet-swollen waters.

MILD, GENTLE LAXATIVE FOR WOMEN GIVEN FREE

So many of the ills of women are due to habitual constipation, probably because of their false modesty on the subject, that their attention cannot be too strongly called to the importance of keeping the bowels open. It is always important to do that, regardless of the sex, but it is especially important in women.

From the time the girl begins to menstruate until menstruation ceases she has always vastly better prospects of coming through healthy if she watches her bowel movements. If you find yourself constipated, with bad breath, pimply complexion, headaches, belching gas and other symptoms of indigestion and constipation, take a small dose of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It is a woman's favorite laxative. You will find that you can do away with salts, strong cathartics, etc., which are entirely unsuited to woman's requirements.

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