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CHORAL SOCIETY SEEKS DIRECTOR

Two Names Suggested Now—Others Will Be Considered. The Society's Plans.

The committee appointed Tuesday night at the organization meeting of the Asheville Choral Society, to report at the next meeting a list of men from which a director is to be selected.

Mr. Adams is formerly of Chicago but is now a resident of Montreal. He is said to be a man of very high musical attainments, and during the past summer he trained a chorus of 200 voices that participated in the presentation of "The World" in Chicago.

Mr. Ruby, who is assistant pastor of the First Baptist church here and has charge of the choir work of the church, is considered by local musicians to be an excellent director.

Besides these two men, a number of others will be suggested by the committee at the next meeting of the society, which is to be held Tuesday night, and a selection will be made by the society as a whole.

It is stated that the society is to be conducted on strictly democratic principles, and all the members will have a voice in all important matters.

As soon as a director is selected and a place secured for rehearsals, active work of training will begin. Every effort will be made to have a perfectly trained chorus of at least 100 voices before next summer.

FOUR WEEKS TERM OF COURT BEGINS MONDAY

One Week Is a Special Term—Hope to Clear the Civil Docket.

Superior court for the trial of civil cases will convene here next Monday, Judge Frank Carter presiding, for a three-weeks regular term, and immediately following that, will come a special term of one week this special term being authorized by Governor Locke Craig.

A large number of very important cases are scheduled for trial at the regular and special terms, the special term being called by Governor Craig upon recommendation of the sheriff, solicitor and chairman of the board of county commissioners, owing to the fact that the regular docket was so crowded that it was thought impossible to get all the cases before the court.

Judge Carter has just returned from Marshall, where he has been holding a civil term of court, and will take up the Buncombe county cases on next Monday. The calendar was recently prepared by the bar association and shows that at the regular and special terms of court a large number of cases will be called for trial.

At the last term of the court for the trial of criminal cases, Judge Carter wiped clean the docket and now if the civil docket can be put in good order, it will be the first time in the history of the present county officials that such has been the case, so several of them stated today.

THOMAS J. BROOKSHIRE, Resident of Gash's Creek Died This Morning of Pneumonia—Funeral Arrangements.

Thomas J. Brookshire, aged fifty-four years, died at his residence on Gash's Creek, yesterday at 12:30 o'clock, after a short illness of pneumonia.

The deceased was a consistent member of the Gash's Creek Baptist church and is survived by a wife, two daughters: Mrs. Fred Wilkinson and Miss Mamie Brookshire; and three sisters: Mrs. P. M. Stevens and Mrs. T. J. Luge of Swannano, and Mrs. W. M. Sluder of Juno; and one brother: James M. Brookshire of Biltmore.

The funeral services will be conducted Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Gash's Creek Baptist church by Rev. R. S. Cornell, who will be assisted by Rev. W. W. Marr and Rev. William H. Moore.

The following will act as pallbearers: R. M. Stevens, W. Cornelius Sales, J. A. Sorrells, C. C. Greenwood, T. M. Sales and A. L. Caudle.

A suction cup base is provided with a new portable electric lamp so it can be used wherever there is a smooth surface to which the cup will cling.

RACE TRACK QUESTION WILL BE CONSIDERED

Matter Will Be Taken Up at Meeting Tomorrow of Fair Ass'n. Stockholders.

There will be a meeting this afternoon at 4 o'clock, in the board of trade rooms, of the stockholders of the Western North Carolina Fair association, when a number of important matters will be taken up for consideration, and it is hoped that every stockholder will be present.

WILL HUNTER, COLORED, PARALYZED FROM SHOT

Physicians Report on Condition of Negro Shot by Unknown Party.

Will Hunter, colored, who was arrested on the night of November 15, on a charge of being drunk, by members of the police department, and later found to have been shot and was removed to the Mission hospital for treatment, was examined by Drs. L. B. McBrayer and A. W. Calloway Wednesday. These doctors report that the negro was shot in the neck and that he is paralyzed from the neck down.

Almost five hours after the shooting, Hunter was found in a house on Market street by members of the police department and it was stated at the time that other negroes were trying to have him taken out of the city before the police could find out about it.

When brought into court, Hunter refused to make a statement and so far as can be learned, has never said who shot him or why. The police, however, are working on the case and the sheriff's office has been notified to be on the lookout for the alleged assailant in the country around.

Druggists Take Trip. Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 20.—The visitors to the National Wholesale Druggists convention went on a river trip this morning. A banquet tonight will end the meeting. Tomorrow most of the delegates leave for Cuba.

"FAITH" IS THE SUBJECT OF DR. LAIRD'S SERMON

Tomorrow Night He Will Speak Especially to Young People.

"Faith" was the keynote of Dr. W. H. Laird's sermon yesterday, at the First Presbyterian church, based on the seventeenth and nineteenth verses of the eleventh chapter of Hebrews. Abraham was one of the most conspicuous characters of the Bible in his faith, which was rare and beautiful, and which enabled him to unquestioningly offer up his only son, Isaac, on the altar at God's command.

"Even so, we must sometimes offer up our dearest desire on the altar, and we can do so only by the faith that God orders all things," the speaker declared. "If we lay hold of God's promise, nothing seems too hard for us to do for them, in a sense, we and God are one, through His sacrifice of His son Jesus Christ."

Here Dr. Laird referred to his great joy in finding in the pastor, Dr. Campbell, a man who has the faith to proclaim that "God is able to raise up even from the dead."

ELKS' MEMORIAL SERVICE TO BE HELD DECEMBER 7

Hon. Charles U. Harris of Raleigh the Speaker—Will Be at Majestic Theater.

Asheville Lodge No. 608, B. P. O. Elks, will hold the annual Lodge of Sorrow at the Majestic theater on Sunday afternoon, December 7, at 4 o'clock, the principal speaker for the meeting to be Hon. Charles U. Harris of Raleigh, who will deliver the memorial address.

The complete program for the meeting is now being arranged and will be finished in a few days. These services of the Elks are always attended by a large number of people and heretofore have been held in the Auditorium, but as the Majestic is more centrally located it was decided to hold the services there this year.

The services are very solemn and are held for the departed members of the order, similar services being conducted by the Elks in all parts of the United States at the same time.

Mr. Harris, who will deliver the memorial address, is a prominent member of the Raleigh lodge, is an ex-member of the North Carolina legislature and is a very eloquent speaker.

MACK M'KENZIE DOES DIZZY FINANCIERING

Was Not on Wall Street, Though, and Error Gets Him in Jail.

Is it good business policy, when someone sends you to the bank with \$5 to be deposited and you meet a friend to whom you owe \$7 and he, seeing the money you have, agrees to take the five and square the account, and you agree, saying that you will go and get the five from another person who owes you and put that in the bank, the first man not to be the wiser?

Evidently Mack McKenzie, colored, doesn't think so now, for in Police court yesterday it was brought out that Mack pulled off just such a transaction as the above and Judge Adams held that he was guilty of embezzlement and bound the defendant over to Superior court under a bond of \$20.

Mack says that he started to the bank Wednesday with \$5, which he loaned to Hansel Ray who conducts a restaurant near the passenger station; that on the way he met a friend that he owed \$7 and this friend agreed to call the debt square if Mack would fork over the \$5. No sooner suggested than done. Now Mack said that he had \$10 at the house of Sarah Dunbar and that he intended to go there and get it and deposit the five in the bank. But evidently Hansel made a mouse, or perhaps he was suspicious of Mack, for before Mack had been gone from Hansel's place very long, Hansel started out and when he met Mack the five was gone and Mack had no other five to replace it, so Hansel had a warrant sworn out, charging him with embezzling it.

When the case was called yesterday the Dunbar woman went on the stand and said that she had not seen Mack since last Thursday and that he did not have any money at her house, nor had he ever had any there.

DIES AFTER BEING ON PAY ROLL FOR 64 YEARS

Washington, Nov. 21.—With the reputation of being longer in the government service than any other man in Washington, Archie Lewis, in charge of the robing room of the justices of the Supreme court, died yesterday. He had been on the government pay roll 64 years and contended he had served two-thirds of all the men who ever sat on the bench of the Supreme court. He came to the court in Chief Justice Taney's time.

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TWO CASES REMOVED TO U. S. DISTRICT COURT

Both Are Damage Suits From The Avery County Superior Court.

The case of N. P. Webb vs. the W. M. Ritter Lumber company has been removed from the Superior court of Avery county to United States District court here. It is alleged by the plaintiff in this case that the company authorized its agents to set fire to leaves and brush along its right-of-way last spring, during a very dangerous period, without notifying any-

CONCERNING TESTS OF VON RUCK VACCINE

Differences with Dr. von Ruck concerning government experiments with his tuberculosis vaccine under directions of the surgeon general of the navy and the public health service, according to the New York Times, have caused a cessation of the tests at the Von Ruck sanatorium at Asheville, N. C.

The trouble is said to have arisen from the insistence of the public health service on the investigation being conducted along strictly scientific lines, in accordance with the ideas of the government medical officers, but Dr. von Ruck felt that his own methods were best, and the differences could not be reconciled.

Experiments with the vaccine will not be abandoned, it was said last night, but would be continued at the hygienic laboratory of the public health service in Washington under Surgeons Anderson and Stimson.



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