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THE OPENING LAST NIGHT.

THE KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS FAIR IS A ROLLICKING SUCCESS.

To-Night is Odd Fellows' Night—Donations Are Still Coming in and the Stocks of Wares Will Be As Full To-Night As Last Night.

(From Daily Argus of Tuesday.)

The Knights of Pythias Fair opened last night under the most favorable auspices. Promptly at 8 o'clock Governor Aycock was escorted to the speaker's stand, accompanied by a number of prominent local Pythians, and gracefully introduced to the waiting throng by Judge W. S. O'B. Robinson and then his Excellency, in a short, but eloquent, forceful, and characteristically happy speech, formally opened the fair, and was enthusiastically applauded by the hundreds of visitors who crowded the spacious floors of the fair building.

After the Governor's speech the visitors began to amuse themselves with the various attractions provided for that purpose and also to inspect and make purchases from among the numerous and sundry articles offered for sale.

To say that the promoters of the enterprise were well pleased with last night's business is but mildly expressing it. The receipts and the crowd far exceeded their most sanguine expectations.

The fair is already a success and the programme of social enjoyment has not fairly begun. Those who attended last night were so well entertained that they will go again to-night and to-morrow night, and on through the week, and those who were prevented from attending last night will be sure to be there to-night and thenceforth.

The music is furnished by the Goldsboro band and is a very enjoyable feature of the fair.

The doors of the fair will be open at 7 o'clock to-night and at 7 o'clock every night this week.

To-night will be Odd Fellows night and the members of Neuse lodge are expected to attend in a body wearing the regalia of their order.

Mayor Geo. E. Hood will make a short address to the Odd Fellows at the opening to-night, after which the programme of pleasure as indulged in last night will commence. The proper arrangements for ventilation have been made to-day and the weather is as warm as last night everybody will be more comfortable.

Donations to the fair are still coming in and the stocks of wares for sale will be equally as complete and as pretty as those offered last night. The handsome clock donated by Mr. R. A. Creech will be placed on raffle to-night and it is needless to add that the number of chances will soon be exhausted, as the clock is not only a handsome ornament but an excellent timepiece.

PYTHIAN FAIR LUNCH COUNTER MENU.

Fried or Stewed Oysters.
Mixed Pickles. Cucumber Pickles.
Cold Turkey. Cold Ham.
Ham Sandwiches.
Cranberry Sauce.
Chicken Salad. Potato Salad.
Vanilla Ice Cream.
Pineapple Ice Cream.
Assorted Cake. Crackers.
Black Coffee. Hot Chocolate.

A Runaway Bicycle.

Terminated with an ugly cut on the leg of J. B. Orner, Franklin Grove, Ill. It developed a stubborn ulcer, unyielding to doctors and remedies for four years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured. It's just as good for burns, scalds, skin eruptions and piles. 25c. at J. H. Hill & Son's drugstore.

PARDON REFUSED

For Delgado Crafton, Who Was Convicted of Embezzlement and Sentenced to Two Years' Imprisonment.

Washington, Nov. 14.—The president to-day denied the application for the pardon of Delgado Crafton, formerly of Reidsville, N. C., who was convicted in the supreme court of the district of embezzlement and sentenced by Judge Pritchard to two years imprisonment.

The youthful prisoner, who has been confined in the district jail, pending the consideration of his application for pardon, will be taken to Trenton, N.J., where he will begin his sentence.

Crafton, who was a clerk employed in the medical school of Georgetown University, embezzled certain moneys of the school. He was subsequently arrested in Buffalo and returned to this city, where he pleaded guilty and made all restitution possible. The attorney general and president, however, were of the opinion that all the mitigating circumstances were given due weight by the trial judge in imposing a moderate sentence of two years.

Many appeals were made to Judge Pritchard to modify the sentence. Governor Aycock and other prominent North Carolinians interceded in the young man's behalf, but without success.

Judge Pritchard declared, in imposing sentence, that while the maximum penalty was ten years he would only give the prisoner two years, which was the minimum. Attorney General Knox declined to recommend a pardon under these circumstances, and these president has done likewise.

WHAT IS DYSPEPSIA?

Extreme Thinness a Symptom—Scientific Way By Which It Can be Cured.

Mi-o-na cures dyspepsia by the only natural method of giving tone and strength to the digestive organs, soothing and healing the irritated and inflamed conditions, and mingling with the food so that it is more easily assimilated and digested.

Extreme thinness and emaciation is one of the principal symptoms of indigestion, but many of the following symptoms are also in evidence:

Uneasiness at stomach	mind
Acidity	Defects of vision or hearing
Water-brash	Flatulency
Spitting up of food	Heartburn
Colic	Nausea
Sensation of weight or heaviness at pit of stomach	Gripes
Sore mouth	Coated tongue
Constipation	Sour taste in the mouth
Sediment in urine	Diarrhoea
Night sweats	Dry skin
Headache	Nervousness
Cold hands and feet	Sick headache
Pain under shoulder blade	Congestion of the head
Pain between shoulders	Vertigo or dizziness
Confusion of	Drowsiness
	Sleeplessness
	Palpitation of the heart.

Mi-o-na will cure dyspepsia. A 50 cent box will give strength and tone to the digestive organs and aid the food to assimilate, while its continued use for a reasonable length of time will bring back natural weight and restore health and strength.

A few days use of Mi-o-na will show a marked gain in health and in a few weeks the cure will be complete. This a strong statement, but J. H. Hill & Son emphasizes it by agreeing to refund your money if Mi-o-na does not do all that is claimed for it.

H. T. McIntyre, St. Paul, Minn., who has been troubled with a disordered stomach, says, "Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets do me more good than anything I have ever taken." For sale at J. H. Hill & Son's Pharmacy.

JUST A FEW REFLECTIONS.

THE CITY HALL AND A PASSENGER DEPOT.

What One of Goldsboro's Leading Citizens Has To Say on These Two Subjects.

There are a few people who do a little thinking as they go along through this vale of tears and the ARGUS reporter met up with one of this class in his wanderings to-day and he was in a talkative mood. He said:

"Those people who expected such big things in the way of trade when the city hall was located where it is now have been somewhat disappointed. The idea that the trade of the town would follow the Mayor's office and police headquarters is simply ridiculous. Of course it was a mistake to locate the city hall where it is. The Board of Aldermen, no doubt, thought that they were doing the best they could under the circumstances and I am not one to censure them for their action, but I am satisfied that if they now had the selection of a location for a city hall they would not put it down beside the old Great Eastern, surrounded almost by negro shanties.

"The location makes no difference, however, as far as trade is concerned. The trading district of a city like Goldsboro is too well established to be broken up by the removal of any one building on any institution. Such ideas are worth considering in small towns, possibly, where the town is likely to take a turn and build up in another direction.

"I could not help but be amused by the silly argument of some of the merchants along East and West Centre streets when the question of a union passenger depot was being advocated so strenuously by the ARGUS. They claimed, you know, that if the trains were stopped anywhere else besides right in front of their stores that property would decrease and that the trade of the city would be injured. Such talk is simply absurd. The trade would no more follow the railroad depot than it has followed the city hall.

Property has not decreased in value on Walnut street by the removal of the city hall and would not decrease on Centre street if the depot was removed. In fact, I am of the opinion that the removal of the stopping place for the trains, (which is all we have now and the middle of the street is not entitled to the dignified name of a depot) would have a tendency to increase the value of property in that locality. Not to mention the convenience afforded the travelling public, who have now no protection whatever from the weather in getting off and on trains. It is certainly not very desirable to have the trains stop in front of your door and create a deafening noise by the exhausting and escaping steam for half an hour at a time.

"I would be glad to see the ARGUS inaugurate another campaign for a Union depot, and I believe the property-owners have seen their mistake in opposing such a move and would now endorse it. I see that Durham and Charlotte and other towns are to have handsome Union depots and Goldsboro, by reason of her splendid railroad facilities, and being a railroad centre, is as much entitled to one as any town in the State."

Relief in Six Hours.
Distressing Kidney and Bladder Disease relieved in six hours by "NEW GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE." It is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in bladder, kidneys and back, in male or female. Relieves retention of water almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is the remedy. Sold by M. E. Robinson & Bro druggists, Goldsboro, N. C.

DUNCAN-SPEIGHT.

A Beautiful Wedding at Fremont Last Thursday Afternoon.

The people of Fremont witnessed one of the most beautiful and elaborate marriage ceremonies in the Methodist Church last Thursday that they have had the pleasure of seeing for some time. The parties to the contract were Mr. Edmund Carlton Duncan, U. S. Collector of Internal Revenue, and Miss Alma Catharine Speight, the attractive and accomplished daughter of Mrs. W. H. Speight, principal of the Whiteville Academy.

While waiting for the arrival of the bridal party, the spectators, who thronged every available seat in the church, were delightfully entertained with a quartette of voices, who rendered a pleasing selection, and by Mrs. R. C. Exum and Miss Daisy Wooten, of LaGrange, who sang solos.

Promptly at the appointed hour the organist began playing Mendelssohn's wedding march and the ushers, who were Messrs. E. S. Darden, of Wilson, Frank Howland, of Durham, Victor Boyden and J. A. Duncan, of Raleigh, marched down the aisle two by two and were followed in the same manner by the bridesmaids, who were Misses Mattie Darden, of Fremont, Kate Darden, of Goldsboro, Pattie May, of Greene county, and Beulah Lawrence, of Edgecombe. The ushers were attired in black Prince Alberts and the bridesmaids wore white silk mull, black gloves and black picture hats and carried chrysanthemums.

Following the bridesmaids came the ring bearer, Master Albert Sidney Barnes, of Whiteville, and the flower girl, Miss Laurinda Hooks, of Fremont. Then came the groom with his best man, Mr. W. A. Mace, of Beaufort. Next came the maid of honor Miss Lily Edmundson, who was daintily attired in pale green voile with heavy lace trimmings and pearl embroidery. She carried American beauties. Then came the bride, leaning on the arm of her brother-in-law, Mr. Jno. B. Hooks, of Fremont, who gave her away. The bride was a perfect picture of loveliness and was attired in white voile with lace and chiffon trimmings. She carried bride's roses and lilies of the valley.

The bride and groom faced the waiting minister, Rev. A. S. Barnes, of Whiteville, who, while the organist very deftly rendered "Sweet and Low," pronounced the beautiful and solemn Methodist ceremony that effected the eternal linking of their lives together in mutual love and fealty.

The church was elaborately and beautifully decorated for the happy occasion, and thronged with the friends from near and far of the popular contracting parties.

After the ceremony the bridal party were driven to the railroad depot, where they boarded the North-bound train at 1 o'clock for an extensive northern bridal tour.

The bridal presents, which were on display at the home of Mr. Jno. B. Hooks, whose wife is a sister of the bride, were very numerous and most beautiful, as well as costly and useful.

The bride gave a sterling silver hat pin to each of the bridesmaids and a beautiful brooch to the maid of honor. There were a number of visitors present from other towns. Among these were Judge Robinson, Postmaster Dobson, Deputy Collector Grimsley, Mr. D. F. Patrick, Collector of the port at Newbern, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Borden, Mrs. E. M. Bizzell, Mrs. Hattie Gay, Mr. Troy Dickinson, and Miss Evelyn Privett, of Goldsboro, Col. W. B. Fort and daughter Miss Pearl, of Pikeville, Mr. C. L. Abernethy, of Beaufort, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Darden, of Wilson, and Mr. E. W. Hill, of this city.

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TWO VIOLENT DEATHS

THE MEN ARE PRESIDENT AND CASHIER OF BANK IN CAMDEN, S. C.

Suicide of Zemp Follows the Accidental Killing of Boykin—Camden Thrilled With Horror of Tragedy.

Charleston, S. C., Nov. 16.—Colonel E. Miller Boykin, United States Marshal for this State, under Cleveland, and a leading banker of Camden, killed himself accidentally to-day. After reaching home he picked up his gun, which had a complicated reversible action, and went out to shoot a hawk. He was discovered an hour afterward lying dead, while his gun was found leaning on the opposite side of the fence. The supposition is that as he started to climb the fence he set the gun over his shoulder to get over himself, when the gun was discharged. The coroner's jury gave a verdict to this effect.

Charleston, S. C., Nov. 16.—The suicide of E. Z. Zemp, cashier of the Farmers and Merchants Bank, of Camden, S. C., shocked the people of the town to-night, a few hours after the accidental self-destruction of Col. E. Miller Boykin, president of the bank.

Shortly after receiving the news of the death of Colonel Boykin, Mr. Zemp left his home ostensibly to go over to Mr. Boykin's, nearby, but instead went to his barn and committed suicide, shooting himself with a pistol through the mouth. Few men were held in higher esteem in Camden than Mr. Zemp.

DAUGHTERS OF THE CONFEDERACY.

Echoes From the Charleston Convention: Mrs. Jno. H. Winder's Excellent Report.

The ARGUS takes pleasure in noting, as echoes from the Convention of the Daughters of the Confederacy held in Charleston, that out of the many presidents present eight were North Carolinians or the wives of North Carolinians. Among the principally mentioned were Mrs. Alex. Hull, nee Miss Cowan of Wilmington, representing Georgia; Mrs. Annie Washington Rapley, nee Miss Washington of Newbern, President of the Missouri Division, and president of the Chapter of St. Louis, where the next Convention will be held; Mrs. F. A. Oids, wife of Col. Oids, who most ably represented North Carolina; Mrs. John H. Winder, nee Tucker of Raleigh, representing Ohio, whose enthusiasm for the old North State has never abated, but seems to have grown more fervent, if possible, since her residence in Columbus Ohio. Loving as she does her native State, and rejoicing in representing the daughters so far away, it was but fitting that her report should follow that of North Carolina.

The ARGUS had the privilege and pleasure of giving to its readers last year the very excellent report of Mrs. Winder at the New Orleans meeting, and will endeavor to secure her report of this year, which, judging from the comments of the press, is even more excellent, enthusiastic and eloquent than that of last year.

Fighting, as she says, under but two banners—that of the Daughters of the King and that of the Daughters of the Confederacy, each banner bearing a cross and each cross stained with blood, directing her efforts in behalf of both, the first will dominate her work in the latter.

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ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM DIVERS SOURCES.

The Latest Telegraphic News of the Day Boiled Down to a Focus For Busy Readers.

Hillsboro, N. C., Nov. 11.—The Southern railroad depot was destroyed by fire here last night. Loss not known.

Washington, D.C., Nov. 11.—The House was in session but five minutes to-day and adjourned without transacting any business.

Millboro, N. C., Nov. 11.—Capt. W. S. Lineberry, an ex-Confederate soldier and assistant door-keeper of the last House of Representatives, is critically ill at his home near this place.

Asheville, Nov. 11.—The case against Sitton, who is charged with obtaining money under false pretense from the petrified man, has been continued until next Friday, Sitton giving a \$500 bond.

Buffalo, New York, Nov. 13.—A Pennsylvania passenger train which left Buffalo at 11:45 p. m. for East Aurora, was derailed a quarter of a mile east of the city line at midnight. Four passengers were seriously injured.

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 13.—Mr. and Mrs. Pembroke Jones will arrive from New York to-morrow evening on a private car and will go through to Wrightsville Beach to spend some time at "Airlie," their palatial country estate. In fact, it is understood that they will not be here until after the holidays and during that time will entertain some prominent New York society people.

Chicago, Nov. 12.—Constant scenes of disorder over a district approximately fifty square miles in extent, resulted to-day from the inauguration of a strike by the employees of one of the two principal surface street railway companies in Chicago. Along the lines wherever cars were started, strike sympathizers made desperate onslaughts on the crews beginning at dawn of day and continuing as long as cars remained on the tracks. The tip-up was made complete.

Washington, Nov. 16.—The remains of Mrs. Elizabeth Kortright Monroe, widow of James Monroe, the fifth President of the United States, have been exhumed from their resting place in the Monroe Manor, near Leesburg, Va., for removal to Richmond, where they will be re-interred in Hollywood Cemetery. Colonel L. S. Brown, general agent of the Southern Railway, who has charge of the arrangements, and a party of friends of the Monroe family will leave here to-morrow for Leesburg. The remains will be taken to Richmond by way of this city, remaining here Wednesday night.