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MR. R. Z. EGERTON DEAD.

Louisburg's Oldest Merchant Passes Away.

The death of Mr. R. Z. Egerton, one of Louisburg's pioneer business men, which occurred at his home on Saturday evening about 7:30 o'clock after only a few day's illness, brought quite a shock to his many friends in Louisburg and the county generally, and makes another saddened home.

Mr. Egerton was 53 years of age and leaves a wife and eight children, Messrs. Courtney D. Lawrence, Davis and Gray Egerton, Misses Mary Stuart, Florence, Frances, and Louise Egerton, all of whom live in Louisburg. He also has two brothers living, Mr. F. N. Egerton, president of the Farmers' and Merchants Bank, and Mr. H. D. Egerton, member of the Board of Education of this county, and two sisters, Mrs. B. F. Whiteside and Mrs. S. E. Blount, of Wilson, all of whom were present except the latter.

Mr. Egerton has been active in Louisburg's business life since he was quite young and enjoyed the reputation of being one of the best buyers that visited the northern markets. He began his business life in Louisburg at an early age, becoming a member of the firm of F. N. and R. Z. Egerton, which was established in 1877. At his death he was the oldest active merchant in Louisburg. He continued with the above named firm until it went out of business in 1910 by selling to Candler-Crowell Co., and afterwards began a business of his own, his brother wishing to retire from the mercantile business, and has since conducted the "One Price Cash Store." From his long business experience and satisfactory dealings he has made scores of friends throughout this and adjoining counties who will learn of his death with much regret.

The funeral was held from the Methodist church, of which he was a member, on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, and was conducted by Rev. A. D. Wilcox, his pastor, who read a pretty and impressive selection from the bible and offered a most beautiful prayer. During the services the choir sweetly and softly sang several selections, many of which were his favorites.

From the church the remains were taken to Oaklawn Cemetery, where they were gently laid to rest. Quite a large number of friends and relatives accompanied the remains to their last resting place, as a token of respect and esteem in which he was held.

The pall-bearers were: Messrs. T. B. Wilder, L. P. Hicks, W. H. Furgurson, J. B. Yarborough, Jno. W. King, and W. H. Ruffin. The floral tribute was profused and gave a beautiful expression of love for the deceased.

Field Day Monday Afternoon April 19th 1915.

All schools wishing to enter these contests will please be on the Athletic grounds by 1:30.

The following prizes will be given:

Athletics for boys 12 years of age and over.

100 yard Race—Fountain pen, Aycock Drug Co.

220 yard Race—Hat, Candler-Crowell.

440 yard Race—Pair of shoes, P. S. & K. K. Allen.

One mile relay Race—Sweater, F. B. McKinne.

High Jump—Subscription to Technical World, J. A. Turner.

Broad Jump—Ball and bat, Louisburg Hardware Co.

Athletics for boys under 12 years of age.

100 Yard Race—Knife, Hill Live Stock Co.

High Jump—Baseball mit, McKinne Bros.

Broad Jump — Subscription to Youth's Companion, J. B. Yarborough.

A large crowd is expected. Let everybody come and enjoy the running and jumping.

The Drawing at Candler-Crowell Co's.

The drawing for the three ten dollar gold pieces at Candler-Crowell Co's on last Saturday at 4 o'clock attracted quite a large crowd. The box containing the coupons was taken out in front of the store and after being well shaken up the coupons were drawn out by little Miss Bettie Reavis, and the numbers announced and the prizes given out by Mr. G. L. Crowell. There were six draws made to determine three winners. The numbers and winners of the prizecs, were: Miss Edith Yarborough, No. 9188, Miss Mamie Davis, No. 9240, Mr. S. P. Pernell, No. 9013. This is quite a clever scheme as each person having a ticket has three chances to win every Saturday for ten Saturdays.

Co. D. N. C. N. G. Re-organized.

Adjutant-General L W. Young, of Raleigh, and Major B. Durham of Raleigh, assisted by Maj. J. A. Turner were in Louisburg Friday to muster into service the new membership of Co D, N. C. N. G. This Company not being up to standard was ordered to be disbanded by the War department on April 1st, and Messrs. S. P. Boddie, G. L. Crowell and G. A. Ricks, together with Major Turner and several others feeling a special interest in the old company decided to begin a movement for the re-organization of same and their efforts were crowned with success as many of the former members among the local citizenship enlisted and a suff- mustered in on last Friday. Adjutant General Young announced the appointment of officers for this company as follows: Capt. S. P. Boddie, 1st Lieut. G. L. Crowell, 2nd. Lieut. G. A. Ricks. He also stated that he would have the men properly fitted out within the next few weeks.

The company now is composed of quite an enthusiastic set of men with a splendid personnel and will no doubt make a splendid showing at Camp as they propose to learn the work from start to finish. Capt. Boddie informs us that he has room for ten or twelve more good men to make out the full enlistment, and if there are any who wish to enlist they should do so at once as it will be necessary for them to learn the work before going to Camp.

At Raleigh April 22nd.

The Baraca and Philathea classes of our town and county are invited and urged to send delegates to the Fifth Annual Baraca-Philathea State Convention to be held in Raleigh, beginning Thursday evening, April 22nd, and closing Sunday evening, April 25th. Every chartered class is entitled to two voting delegates each and all others who wish to do so may attend. The railroads will issue round trip tickets, and several hundred good homes are being reserved, at $1.00 each per day, two in a room. All names, both of those who want homes reserved and those who will stop with friends, should be sent at once to Miss Flossie A. Byrd, General Secretary, Greensboro, N. C.

Already nearly 400 have enrolled, and this number will doubtless be more than doubled within the next few days, not including the hundreds of visitors who will spend Sunday of the Convention in the Capital City.

Let Louisburg and Franklin county be well represented in this great annual gathering of young men and women of the organized Bible classes of the State. The program and all attractions of the Convention will be uplifting and inspiring.

Building and Loan Association.

Mayor James A. Turner has taken the initiative to begin the organization of a building and loan association for Louisburg and during the past week has secured the assistance of the following citizens, who have taken 205 shares: D. T. Williams, E. S. Ford, W. B. Tucker, A. F. Johnson, S. H. Brickell, S. P. Boddie, N. B. Allsbrook, Dr. R. F Yarborough, L. E. Scoggin, G. L. Crowell, I. Allen, R. C. Beck, B. G. Hicks, J. A. Turner, Mrs. J. A. Turner, W. E. Uzzell. It is hoped to get the stock up to 500 shares or more before the organization is made complete. The charter is being asked for under the name of the Louisburg Building and Loan Association, and the announcement of the first meeting will probably be made within a short while.

This is a movement if properly supported will mean more for Louisburg than anything else of no greater capitalization and our people should get behind it good and strong.

Louisburg Civic League.

The Civic League will hold its regular monthly meeting Friday, April 23, 1915, at the home of Mrs. J. A. Turner. Let every lady in Louisburg remember the date and attend this meeting. There are no dues and no obligations to assume when you become a member; the only requirement is a willingness to make your town more healthful and beautiful. The chairmen of the various committees will have reports of each, and suggestions for the extension of the work. Special emphasis will be made of "Clean-Up-Week," and plans for this perfected. After the business is concluded a short literary program will be given. Mrs. J. L. Palmer will have a paper on "Louisburg, its name and Orgin," and Mrs. J. E. Malone one on "The Historical Sites and Homes of our Town." Let every one come; there is strength in numbers.

Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club.

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. B. B. Perry entertained the Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club at a charming four table game of Auction Bridge This was the first meeting of the Club after Easter and was entered into with much enthusiasm.

The members present were: Misses Eleanor Cooke, Annie Allen, Annie Green and Mesdames Glenn Crowell, R. C. Beck, J. L. Palmer, Garland Ricks, Joe Mann, John Yarborough, Mrs. S. P. Boddie, and the visitors were: Mrs. Jim Allen, Mrs. R. G. Allen, Miss Stanbaugh, Mrs. L. L. Joyner, Mrs. John King, Mrs. Maurice Clifton and Mrs. William Smith of Raleigh.

A Record Hard to Beat.

Mr. A. W. Alston, Clerk to the Board of Town Commissioners of Louisburg, and whose duties occupy all of his time informs us that during the term of two years ending May 4th, 1915, he has not lost from his work but three days and has attended every meeting of the Board. He also says that $20 will more than cover all uncollected light and water rent during this period. This is a record to be proud of and is one that will be hard to beat.

After a year's wandering a Chicago man returned to his home and didn't know his own family. But that isn't half as sad a fate as the local bald headed "old bach" who has no family to know.

Shows Up Well.

A conversation on the streets recently in reference to the meetings of the Board of Commissioners caused us to look up information along this line this week which was so flattering to those concerned, we will give it to the voters of the town.

The Board up to and including the meeting for the first of April has met twenty-eight times—including four called meetings. There has been only one regular meeting missed. During this time Mayor Turner has attended and presided over all the meetings, and Mr. Alston has been present at each one as Clerk. During this time Commissioner, Wheless attended all meetings. Commissioner Williamson attended twenty-seven meetings. Commissioner Hicks has twenty-six meetings to his credit and but for his trip to the hospital would have possibly been present at all. Commissioner Newell has twenty-three to his credit, while Commissioner Ford has sixteen to his credit. Commissioner Allen has a credit of ten meetings.

There is not a time on record when there was not a quorum present for a meeting.

This is a record of which they can all be justly proud and is one that the voters need not expect to be beaten by any they may elect as it is one which can hardly be exceeded.

Tuesday Afternoon Book Club.

The Tuesday afternoon Book Club was charmingly entertained on Thursday afternoon by Mrs. J. L. Palmer.

The meeting was called to order by the president and the roll called. Each member responded with an interesting item of current interest and then the real program begun. France being the afternoon's subject. First thrilling account of Monte Carlo, Mrs. S. J. Parham read one of Baldac's charming stories and Mrs. J. A. Turner read a sketch of Victor Hugo with two of his poems, and Mrs. W. E. White read an interesting paper on France of today.

This indeed was a very interesting program and a dainty three course luncheon was served.

Mrs. Bennett Perry, Mrs. Gus Cooke, and Miss Ella Harris were the Clubs visitors on this occasion and agreed with the regular members in declaring it a delightful meeting and Mrs. Palmer the most charming of hostess.

The next meeting of the Club will be held on next Tuesday, the 20th, with Mrs. W. E. White.

Rev. R. L. Davis to Speak.

The worst hated man by the "blind tigers" in North Carolina, Rev. R. L. Davis, of Raleigh, Superintendent of the Anti-saloon League, will speak at the Louisburg Baptist church Sunday night at 7:45. The three aims of the organization which he represents are: Total abstinence for the individual, law enforcement for the State, and prohibition for the nation. Among other things Mr. Davis will explain fully the text and operation of the new prohibition law. He will speak in the Castalia Baptist church Sunday morning.

At the morning hour here pastor Gilmore will preach. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., Ivey Allen, Superintendent, B. Y. P. U. Monday 7:45 p. m., A. O. Dickens, president. A warm welcome awaits you at all of these services.

Marriage Licenses.

Register of Deeds Yarborough issued Marriage licenses to the following couples during the month of March:

White—J. C. Brantley and Mavis Murray, Walter Gupton and Maybelle Gupton, Willie Eakes and Roxie Tant, Kellie Betts and Gertie Brantley, John W. Strange and Bettie Wilder, J. C. Wester and S. F. Gupton, A. A. Fuller and Maggie B. Foster, W. R. Fulghum and Zephyr Evans.

Colored—Willie Perry and Julia Taylor, Sam Weathers and Cyntha Blanton, Cleveland Bailey and Iley Sills, Johnnie Jordan and Rosa Lynch, James Mitchell and Bessie Harris, Waddell Alston and Lelia Hawkins, John Perry and Clara Massenburg, Amos Perry and Mamie Dent, Dave Wood and Lonie Eaton, Hubert Yarboro and Rebecca Johnson, Henry L. Hagins and Bessie Jones, Richard Ayscue and Elsie Alston.

School Closing at Cedar Rock.

The closing exercises of Cedar Rock Academy will take place on Friday, April 23rd., an address by Mr. W. H. Yarborough, at 11 a. m., and ball game in afternoon.

At 7:30 p. m., an interesting play will be rendered entitled "Frances the Suffragette," after which refreshments will be served by the ladies of the Betterment Society. Everybody cordially invited.

Ice Cream Supper.

We are requested to announce that there will be an Ice cream supper and box party at Ingleside Academy on Friday night, April 23rd, 1915, at 8 o'clock. This is given in the interest of lengthening the school term. Should the weather be too bad for this date, it will be had on Saturday night. Everybody is especially invited to come out.

The American voter is becoming a thorn in the side of the professional politician. He is beginning to insist on advance information as to just exactly what the candidate will do in the event of his election. Which, to the politician, is a sad state of affairs.

The War Continues.

The Russians have captured another section of the mountain barrier. A dispatch from Lemberg tells of a battle at Mezolaborez, in the east Bedskids, in which the Austrians were forced to give ground, and says the main mountain crest in this region, considered impregnable, has passed to the hands of the Russians.

This battle was an incident in a struggle of unusual ceverity now in progress along a front of more than 100 miles, from Bartfeld, Northern Hungary, to Stry, eastern Galicia. Petrograd reports that both sides are attacking simultaneously and that the losses are heavy.

In France and Belgium only small engagements occurred Tuesday.

After a prolonged lull, operations at the Dardanelles have been resumed on small scale. An official report from Constantinople says the batteries at the entrance to the straits were bombarded Tuesday, and that a cruiser and destroyer were struck by the Turkish fire. Messages from Vienna to Rome quote an Austrian official as saying that a state of siege probably will be proclaimed in Austria, on account by the advance of the Russians through the Carpathians. It is reported also the Emperor Francis Joseph has decided to make the territorial concessions desired by Italy provided the latter takes up arms for Austria and Germany. This report, however, is not generally credited in Rome.

The Kron Prinz Wilhelm, a converted German cruiser has taken shelter in Newport News habor after quite an extended trip of much experience. She is reported to have sunk a number of the enemies merchantmen and her Captain says she will not intern.

Woman's Missionary Society.

The Study Circle of the Woman's Missionary Society was delightfully entertained on Monday afternoon by Mrs. Ernest Furgurson.

The meeting was opened with scripture and prayer and then Mrs. D. E. McKinne took charge of the afternoon's lesson. The subject was "Social Service, and the advantage that could be had through interdenomenational work."

Mrs. W. E. White, Miss F. B. McKinne and Mrs. Al Hodges read selections relating to the subject, then Mrs. L. P. Hicks read a selection from the advocate warning the churches against letting social service take the place of real religion and its service.

At the close of this interesting lesson a delightful luncheon was served and the society adjourned voting Mrs. Furgurson a delightful hostess.

Daniel-Coppedge.

Invitations reading as follows have been received by friends here:

Mr. John Adams Coppedge
requests the honor of your presence
at the marriage of his daughter
Lucie Virginia
to
Mr. Ollie Johnson Daniel
Tuesday afternoon April the twenty-seventh nineteen hundred and fifteen
at five o'clock
First Baptist Church
Greensboro, North Carolina

The bride-to-be is the daughter of M. J. A. Coppedge, of Greensboro, formerly of Cedar Rock township, this county, and is an accomplished and beautiful young lady, who is especially popular among her hosts of admirers and acquaintances for her sweet disposition and pleasing manner. Being of one of Franklin's foremost families she has many friends in this county, who will watch for the coming nuptials with much interest.

The American Legion.

The American Legion is an organization trying to get into communication to enlist the help of and secure the co-operation of those men scattered throughout the country who would come to the defense of their country in case of War. It is a movement which deserves the success with which it has met, because, in case of war, it could be of the greatest assistance. Men who have had training in the regular army, in the States' militia or in civil life, and who would volunteer in case of War, should be located, registered and kept in communication with each other. The American Legion is simply an organization that will assist the government in case of need. It asks neither state nor national aid, financially or otherwise.

Wilder-Strange.

At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Harris of Justice, a marriage of unusual interest was that of Mr. John W. Strange Jr., and Miss Bettie Wilder who were happily united in mariage at the hour of 7:30 in the presence of a large company of friends. The room was beautifully decorated, carrying the color scheme of green and white. The arch was handsomely covered in green fern with white ribbons extending to the door and was held by two flower girls, Miss Sadie Stallings and Ruth Fowler. They were dressed in white with blue sashes. The march being beautifully rendered by Miss Annie Culpepper of Spring Hope accompanied by Mr. W. T. Person, of Louisburg. The bridal party entered on the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march, and consisted of Mr. Irving Williams, of Louisburg, and Miss Hinda Wilder, of Castalia, Mr. Callie Bowden, of Justice and Miss Clara Long of Cedar Rock, Mr. Bob Harris, of Justice and Miss Belle Wright, of Bunns, Mr. Joe Wheless, of Justice, and Miss Eula Wilder, of Spring Hope. Then came the bride's maid, sister of the bride, dressed in Canary silk trimmed in black mesline and shadow lace carrying white carnations and fern. Best man was Mr. Claude Collins, of Louisburg. Next entered the bride and groom, she being gowned in a blue serge going-away suit with hat and gloves to match, carrying sweet peas and ferns tied with white ribbons.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Geo. M. Duke, of Mapleville. With cars waiting out side, immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Strange and bridal party left by autos for the home of the groom's sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Perry, of Louisburg, where a reception was given in honor of the bridal party.

They were met in the hallway by Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Strange first taking them to the cloak room. After their cloaks were removed they were ushered into the parlor by Mr. and Mrs. Harris, of Louisburg. About the hour of 10:30 they were led into the dining room by Mrs. Perry, Harris and Lancaster, where a salad course was served, followed by cream and cake.

Town Commissioners Meet.

The Board of Town Commissioners met in regular session on the night of April 6th with all present. After reading and approving the minutes of the previous meeting the following business was disposed of.

Report of A. W. Alston, Clerk for light and water plant, was received and ordered filed. He reports collecting for lights $693.85, for water $294.30, making a total of $988.15.

Report of J. C. Tucker, Chief of Police, was received and ordered filed. He reports collecting costs $14.50, fines $10.00, licenses pool room $15.00, making a total of $39.50.

A motion prevailed "that unless the Seaboard Air Line Railway can show a contract to the effect that the town shall furnish light bulbs or globes for the light at its depot, that no more globes or bulbs shall be furnished by the town."

It was ordered that the firemen be relieved of poll tax, on account of their services to the town.

It was moved, seconded and carried that Mr. G. W. Ford be allowed $200.00 rent for the market house to April 1st, 1915, in full settlement of all claims against the town and that the keys to the said market house be turned over to him at once.

It was ordered that 100 electric light poles be purchased at once.

E. S. Ford and E. F. Yarborough, were appointed poll holders for the town of Louisburg for the coming primary and election. A. W. Alston was appointed registrar for same.

After allowing a number of accounts the Board adjourned to its next regular meeting.

An Editor's Commission.

Says the Litchfield (Ill) News Herald: Not long ago a man came into this office and stopped his paper because he said it was always printing a lot of things about the same people and he said he was sick of it Now when something goes wrong with the country the government appoints a commission to investigate and find out what is the matter, and first thing a commission investigates is the man who made the holler to see if the holler was a reasonable holler. So we appoint a commission consisting of ourselves to investigate this man. We just followed the man's career ever since we knew him. The first thing that happened to that man was that he was born, but he had nothing to do with it. However. we mentioned him, although his parents were entitled to the credit. When he was in his early twenties he got married. We mentioned, that, including the name of the bride, the preacher, etc., in fact we mentioned everything but the preacher's fee, which was not mentioned. We never mentioned the fact that he never won any premium at the county fair, because he never exhibited anything. We never mentioned his name in the list of committees, because he never attended anything. We never mentioned his name in the list of donors, because he never donated as much as a doughnut We certainly have been treating this man shamefully, but we will agree to run a nice obituary when the time comes.

Moving Picture Show.

Messrs. W. H. Perdue and J. D. Hill have fitted up a neat moving picture show in the buggy room along the side of J. D. Hill's stables and equipped it with a modern machine, for the accommodation of the colored people of Louisburg. They began business on Saturday and large crowds attended. This show will cater to the colored trade.

Sells Interest in Plant.

We are just informed that Messrs. J. A. Mitchiner, W. F. Mitchiner and Rev. J. F. Mitchiner have sold their interest in the Franklin Veneer Co., plant at Mitchiner's to Cox Bros. of Linwood. Messrs. Coy Cox and J. A. Cox will have charge of the plant and will continue to operate same at its present location.

Installs New Fountain.

Mr. F. R. Pleasants, the Nash street druggist, has installed a new and modern Soda fountain. It is a complete and handsome piece of furniture and adds much to his store.

FRANKLIN COUNTY DEMONSTRATION WORK.

Things That Should Be Done and Those That Should Not Be Done.

The smoothing harrow should be kept running. All land that has been broken should be harrowed as soon after every rain as the land is dry enough. Neither should the freshly broken land fail to have the harrow run over it is quickly after being broken as possible.

Remember you cannot have a good seed bed, which is one of the most important things in big crop yields, without the frequent use of smoothing harrows. Now is the time to save the water, so that the crop will not suffer next summer when the dry hot weather comes.

As a general rule we believe it will pay the farmer to use nitrate of soda on his wheat and oat crops, and more especially do we favor using it as a top dresser this spring, as the price of grain is selling higher than for many years. The price of nitrate of soda has not been affected by the War in Europe as it comes principally from Chili. From 50 to 100 pounds applied broadcast to the acre will greatly increase the yield. Do not apply the soda when the wheat or oats are wet with dew or rain, for if the nitrate sticks to the foliage it is apt to burn it. Be sure to run the smoothing harrow over the wheat or oats after the soda has been applied. It is a good working for the wheat.

All cover crops such as rye and clover should be thoroughly cut to pieces with a disc harow before being turned under.

A crimson clover sod turned down in May and upon which farmyard manure has been applied during the winter is an ideal preparation for a good corn crop.

Farmers who watched their crops parch and shrivel up last summer for the want of water while their neighbors crop which had been properly cultivated did not suffer will no doubt be inclined to use better methods this time. Thorough preparation and surface cultivation is what is needed.

The farmer should not be induced to increase his cotton crop simply because the price is moving upward. The wise thing to do is to reduce the cotton acreage and put the unused lands into food crops.

Jno. A. Boone,
County Farm Demonstrator.

Confederates at Richmond.

Richmond, Va., April 13, 1915 (Special).—Fifty years after the destruction of the Confederate capital and the end of the bitter War between the States, the gray-clad veterans of the Southern armies are to gather in the old stronghold of the Confederate States for the 1915 Reunion of the United Confederate Veterans, June 1st-3rd.

Ceremonies the most solemn and unique are to be staged in Richmond during the reunion week, and from every part of the South comes word of the thousands of visitors who are to attend. Arrangements for the ease and comfort of 10,000 veterans have been made by the general committee, headed by Captain John Lamb. The granting of a flat railway rate of one cent a mile to Richmond for the big affair is expected to draw to the city 10,0000 loyal Southern people

The outstanding feature of the week will be the formal opening of the Confederate Memorial Institute, the imposing treasure house for relics of the War between the States, which has been erected in Richmond after years of effort. Another feature will be the laying of the corner-stone of the statute of Stonewall Jackson.

Beautiful Monument Avenue is to be converted into a court of honor, in which all the parades and ceremonies of the week will take place. Militia commands from all parts of the South, and from the North as well, are to attend. The event gives promise of being noteworthy in the extreme.

Invitations have been extended by the general committee to the Governors of all the States included in the organization of the United Confederate Veterans, and it is confidently expected that in view of the importance of the occasion many will accept.

In addition, the committee has invited to be present the following ladies, wives of distinguished Confederate chieftains: Mrs. J. E. B. Staurt, Mrs. W. H. Fitzhugh Lee, and Miss Mary Curtis Lee.

Richmond is preparing to observe with fitting ceremonies the semi-centennial of its rise from the ashes.

Good Meeting.

Rev. G. P. Harrell, pastor of the Baptist church of Franklinton, was in to see us the past week and reports a most interesting and enthusiastic series of meetings, being held at his church during the past ten days. Large crowds attended each services and much good is being accomplished.

A Correction.

In putting up the list of list takers our machine man, not being familiar with the townships skipped over Cedar Rock township and give its list taker to Gold Mine. In Gold Mine township Mr. W. D. Upchurch is list taker, and in Cedar Rock township, Mr. J. R. Boone, is list taker.

—The Columbia Stock Co., that is now playing an engagement at the operahouse is attracting good crowds. Their plays are clean and much enjoyed by all. They will appear here tonight and tomorrow night.