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Rev. R. A. Willis Died Last Sunday Will Have Strong Support in Conyention To Recommend Another Train to Nortolk

At the Home of His Son in Littleton, N. C., After a Brief Illness.

Rev. R. A. Willis died last Sunday at the home of his son, Rev. R. H. Willis in Littleton, N. C. after a brief illness.

The remains were brought here on the 11:30 train last Monday and the funeral and interment was to have taken place on Monday afternoon, but on account of the inclement weather it was postponed until Tuesday morning at ten o'clock.

The services were conducted from the First Methodist church by the pastor Rev. J. D. Bundy assisted by presiding elder R. H. Broom, Rev. T. A. Sykes of Hertford and Rev. Mr. Towe of Winfall. A large congregation attended the funeral services and interment.

The following were the pall bearers: George E. Major of Hertford; W. J. Woodley, G. F. Derickson, P. S. Shipp, D. M. Jones and B. F. Spence. Presiding elder Broom concluded the services at the grave in Hollywood cemetery.

Mr. Willis was 75 years old. He is survived by a wife, one son, Rev. R. H. Willis and three daughters, one of whom is Mrs. J. P. Kramer of this city.

Mr. Willis has been very prominent in the Methodist Conference of which body he was a member. He has held some of the most important pastorates in the Methodist conference in this state, and at one time was presiding elder of this district.

He has spent much of his time here and is well known throughout this section.

The New Bern Sun gives utterance to a well known truth when it says: "No person needs fear damage from the constant billingsgate hurled at him by an organ* organized simply for the purpose of dealing in such stuff"

Webb-Drane Wedding Beautiful Church Event

Series of Social Functions Preceded Marriage in Edenton of the Popular and Prominent Young Couple.

Edenton, N. C. June 13—Rarely has a more beautiful wedding been witnessed than that which took place in St. Paul's church, Edenton, at high noon, Thursday, when Miss Eliza Howood Drane became the bride of Mr. Joseph Cheshire Webb, of Hillsboro, Right Reverend Joseph Blount Cheshire, uncle of the groom, and Rev. Robert Brent Drane, father of the bride and rector of St. Paul's church, officiating.

The church was most artistically decorated with a profusion of white hydrangea and Southern smilax over which numerous candles shed their soft glow.

Miss Mary Jones was at the organ, and as the choir began the beautiful marriage hymn, "O Perfect Love", the bridal party entered the church. The ushers came first, Messrs. Cox Webb, of Norfolk, Jack Kirkland, of Tampa, Fla; Joseph Cheshire of Raleigh, and Robert Drane, brother of the bride. These were followed by the bridesmaids in white lingerie dresses and white hats carrying pink Killarney roses: Misses Katharine and Marian Drane, sisters of the bride; Sarah Cheshire, of Raleigh and Clara Capehart, of Avoca; Sophie Wood and Alethea Warren, Julia Parsely of Wilmington and May Warren; Margaret Pruden and Duncan Winston. The bride beautifully gowned in white satin en train with veil, and carrying a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley, entered on the arm of her brother, Mr. Frank Drane, of Charlotte, and was met at the chancel steps by the groom with his best man, Mr. Winder Webb of Hillsboro. Bishop Cheshire read the betrothal service and the bride was given away by her father, who then performed the marriage ceremony.

The wedding was followed by a reception at the rectory, after which the bride and groom left on the north-bound Norfolk and Southern train. They will be at home later at Hillsboro, N. C.

This marriage unites two of the oldest and most prominent families of the State. The bride is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. R. B. Drane and has a well-deserved reputation as one of the most beautiful and charming of North Carolina's daughters. She has been organist of St. Paul's church since her graduation from St. Mary's and has been actively interested in parish, patriotic and civic organizations and a social favorite. She is Registrar of the N. Carolina Society of the Daughters of the Revolution.

The groom is a very successful bus-

iness man of Hillsboro and holds a high place in the esteem of his many friends.

The popularity of the couple is attested by the many and handsome wedding gifts received.

The out of town guests for the wedding, besides those in the bridal party were: Mrs. Joseph Blount Webb, mother of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Roulhac and Mr. Norfleet Webb, of Hillsboro; Mr. and Mrs. Francis Blount Webb and Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Graham of Durham; Mr. and Mrs. Paul C. Colin and Misses Collins, and Miss Margaret Strudwick of Hillsboro; Bishop Joseph Blount Cheshire, of Raleigh; Rev. and Mrs. F. N. Skinner and daughters of Beaufort; Mrs. Foxhall, of Tarboro; Mr. Frank Foxhall and Rev. B. F. Huske, of Greenville. Miss M. H. Williams, of Fayetteville; Misses Margaret Beale and Henrietta Fagan and Mrs. Alex. Wadsworth, of Norfolk; Mrs. W. R. Capehart and Mr. W. R. Capehart, of Avoca; Mrs. T. H. Leary and Miss Minnie Leary of Elizabeth City, and Misses May Wood and Kate Winslow and Elizabeth Gaither, of Hertford.

DIED OF APPENDICITIS

The twelve year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Davis, who resides near the city died last Monday in a Norfolk hospital, where he had been taken for an operation. His condition was so critical when he arrived at the hospital that he died before an operation could be performed.

SCARED INTO SOUND HEALTH

Mr. B. F. Kelly, Springfield, Ill., writes: "A year ago I began to be troubled with my kidneys and bladder, which grew worse until I became alarmed at my condition. I suffered also with dull heavy headaches and the action of my bladder was annoying and painful. I read of Foley Kidney Pills and after taking them a few weeks the headache left me, the action of my bladder was again normal, and I was free of all distress."

Brown's Pharmacy.

Ehringhaus' Friends Are Confident That he Will Easily Win the Nomination, For the Office of Solicitor.

The precinct meetings of the Democratic party of this county are called for the 25th. of this month, when the various precincts will elect delegates to the county convention, will meet in the court house in this city for the purpose of electing delegates to the Congressional, Judicial and Senatorial Convention. Notice of the call of the precinct meetings is published in this issue of the Tar Heel, and the Democratic voters are requested to consult it for information in regard to the primaries.

Congressman John H. Small so far is the only candidate announced for the nomination to the position of Congressman in this district.

No candidate in this immediate locality has so far announced himself for the nomination to the position of State Senator of the first district.

Attorney J. C. B. Ehringhaus is a candidate for the nomination for Solicitor of the first Judicial district. He is an able lawyer who has made a very enviable reputation in his practice before the bar in this district. He is very popular with the people throughout the district who find in him their choice for the next Solicitor.

He was reared in Elizabeth City, and has spent his whole life here. He has been closely identified with all movements for the upbuilding of the community. He is a young man of excellent traits of character and his integrity and courteous bearings has won the confidence of the people.

He has been a member of the general assembly of North Carolina having represented Pasquotank County several terms in a most acceptable manner. His political career has been one to inspire confidence, and the people easily see in him a young lawyer quite capable of representing the State in the prosecution of criminal cases in the first Judicial district.

Mr. Ehringhaus has received assurance of strong support in the Judicial Convention for the nomination and his friends are confident that he will easily win.

DWELLING GONE NEAR BURNING

The residence of R. S. Pritchard of the Bay Side section, this county, came near being destroyed by fire last Monday morning.

In some unaccountable manner, a lamp which was supposed to have been "blown out," exploded and set an up-stairs room on fire. When the flames were discovered they were burning briskly. By quick work on the part of Mr. Pritchard and other members of the family the flames were extinguished with about \$25.00 damages to the contents of the room.

Had not the flames been discovered as soon as they were, very likely the building would have been destroyed as Mr. Pritchard has no fire fighting appliances.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will brace up the nerves, banish sick headache, prevent despondency, and invigorate the whole system.

POLITICS IN CURRITUCK

I am perfectly willing to be barked at by the favorite trailer of any bunch of political huntsmen in Currituck County as soon as I publicly announce myself and take the field as a candidate for office. In the mean time I would suggest that there is a law against cruelty to animals in this State, and, any master who allows the favorite trailer of his political pack to run continuously on one trail for two weeks without being chained for rest certainly comes within the pale of this law. MASTER you better call him in and rub his nose with dirt, give him a rest and tell him to take a fesh start, its just possible he has been on a cold trail. Besides, you will want him to be fresh when the real varment does break from cover. W. J. TATE.

COL. HUDGINS MET THE MERCHANTS COMMITTEE AND EXPRESSED A DESIRE TO HELP THE MERCHANTS.

Col. H. C. Hudgin of the Norfolk and Southern Railroad last Tuesday at noon meet in the Chamber of Commerce rooms a committee representing the Chamber of Commerce and the Retail Merchants Association in conference to discuss the trade situation that has arisen from the change of schedule of the Norfolk and Southern Railroad.

The committee was composed of J. T. McCabe, president; Noah Burfoot and O. F. Gilbert of the Retail Merchants Association and President Lamb and W. J. Woodley of the Chamber of Commerce and Mayor Fear ing.

The conditions in the local trade, that has been caused by the change of schedule in which the merchants are being damaged were placed before Mr. Hudgins. Mr. Hudgins discussed the matter with the committee in devising a plan out of the unpleasant situation and it was agreed upon by the committee that an afternoon train from Elizabeth City leaving here at four o'clock will correct the conditions and will be satisfactory to the merchants. Mr. Hudgins agreed to recommend to the railroad officials that an afternoon train be run from Elizabeth City to Moyock three afternoons in the week, leaving here about four o'clock. He stated that he would also recommend that if the traffic would support it a train be run daily.

The merchants feel that this will make matters satisfactory, as this train will give the people of Camden and Currituck counties an opportunity to come to Elizabeth City to trade.

Steamer Hamilton to Manteo

The steamer Hamilton of the Le-Roy Steamboat Company has been chartered by the Eastern Carolina Transportation Company to ply between this city and Manteo touching at Nags Head in place of the steamer Hattie Creef. She will observe the same schedule as the Hattie Creef until further notice.

The Hamilton has unlimited freight accommodations and people who have heavy freight such as horses and vehicles will find the company now able to accommodate them.

KILLED 25 POUND

RATTLE SNAKE

Mr. William Jennings killed a monster rattle snake in the Desert section of this county last Tuesday. The snake was brought here for exhibition. It measured 5 feet and 4 inches; 7 1-2 inches in circumference and weighed 25 pounds. It had 12 rattles and a button.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

Bigamy is as foolish as it is criminal.

It's difficult for a landlord and tenant to trot in double harness.

You never hear a minster singing, No wedding bells for me.

Trying to get back at backbiters is hardly worth the effort.

MARVELOUS DISCOVERIES

mark the wonderful progress of the age Air flight on heavy machines, telegram without wires, terrible war inventions to kill men and that wonder of wonders—Dr. King's New Discovery—to save life when threatened by coughs, colds, la-grippe, asthma, croup, bronchitis hemorrhages, hay, fever and whooping cough or lung trouble. For all bronchial affections it has no equal. It relieves instantly. Its the surest cure. James M. Black of Asheville, N. C., R. R. No. 4, writes it cured him of an obstinate cough after all other remedies failed. 50c and \$1.00 A trial bottle free Guaranteed by Standard Drug Company

CAN'T COLLECT NEAR BEER TAX

A test case was made Saturday afternoon of the ordinance imposing a five hundred dollar tax on the near beer saloons in this city. Brinson and Blount, two proprietors of near beer saloons, were arrested and taken before Judge Sawyer upon the charge of failing to pay the tax.

Judge Sawyer rendered his decision that the ordinance imposing the tax was unconstitutional and that the tax could not be collected. There is a provision in the town charter that makes the tax upon such establishments the same as the tax imposed by the State, which is twenty dollars per year. Judge Sawyer consulted the very best legal advice before he rendered a decision, to prevent any criticism that might arise through a misunderstanding of his power in the matter.

Blount was also tried upon the charge of selling near beer too far from the door. He was convicted of the charge and was sentenced to pay fifty dollars. An appeal was noted, and the case will go up to the Superior Court. The ordinance provides that the drink shall be sold within ten-feet of the door opening on the street.

The near beer busines is giving a great deal of trouble. The people are opposed to the operation of these establishments in the town and they fear that since the test has now been made there will be a great many more near beer saloons in the near future located here.

CONCERT TO NIGHT

The Elizabeth City Cornet Band will give an open air concert to night on the court house green.

The public is cordially invited to turn out and hear the performance.

Lame shoulder is almost invariably caused by rheumatism of the muscles and yields quickly to the free application of Chamberlain's Liniment. This liniment is not only prompt and effectual, but in no way disagreeable to use. Sold by All Dealers.

RARE JUNE BARGAINS

The sale of remnants and short lengths continues. There are still many rare bargains of which our customers are eagerly availing themselves.

Just received a case of ladies' 50c shirtwaists which go into this sale at 42c. Don't fail to see them.

Several cases Ladies', Misses and Boys' sample shoes at \$1.25, worth \$1.75 and \$2.00.

Ask to see our June Specials in Mens' and Boys' clothing.

Bring us your needs in whatever department and we can supply them and still have money in your pocket.

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