

FRUITS DAMAGED

Recent Freeze Killed 75 Per Cent. of Buds.

Interview With F. C. Reimer, Horticulturist of the Experiment Station, on Injury to Fruit Caused by Snow Storm.

Mr. F. C. Reimer, horticulturist of the North Carolina Experiment Station, said yesterday that the freeze of March 20th, the date of the recent snow storm, did great damage to fruits wherever the freeze occurred, and that 95 per cent. of the buds are killed.

"I have gone very carefully over the entire Experiment Station orchard and examined many buds on each tree, and find that a great deal of injury has been done. I would say that in this orchard of all the fruit examined, at least 95 per cent. of all the buds are killed beyond doubt. Japanese plums are practically all gone. The European plums, including the damsons, are mostly gone. I would say that 75 per cent. are dead. Many of the native plums, both wild and cultivated, are killed. Many varieties, however, of native plums will have a good crop. The wild goose, wayland and golden beauty will have a fair crop.

"I have examined many varieties of peaches, but those examined show that all of the flowers which had opened at the time the snow storm came were killed. Many buds, however, on all of these trees has not opened, and many of these are in good condition. I would judge that not over 75 per cent. of these peaches were killed. The apricots are practically all killed.

"The buds of the sour cherries have not opened yet, and seem to be in good condition. The sweet cherries are practically all killed.

"Only one apple tree was found where the buds had opened. These buds were killed. In most varieties of apples the buds are undoubtedly in good condition, as they had not swollen much at the time of the freeze.

"I have sent out a number of inquiries to the fruit growers in the State regarding the condition of buds in their section, but as yet have not heard from them."

ANNUAL A. & M. INSPECTION. This Will Take Place on Thursday, The Second of April.

Lieutenant John S. E. Young, commandant at the A. and M. College, announced yesterday the date of the annual inspection of the battalion by the United States War Department. The inspection will take place not on April 10th, as was expected, but on Thursday, April 2nd. The inspecting officer will be Captain F. C. Harris, Ninth Infantry, of the United States General Staff. The college military department has shown a marked improvement over last year, and it is hoped that the battalion will make a good showing even under the keen eyes of a United States Army Inspector. The inspection will be an event of considerable public interest. The place and hour will be announced next week.

TRESTLE WASHED AWAY. Traffic Temporarily Abandoned on Raleigh and Southport.

The long trestle over Little river on the Raleigh and Southport Railway was washed away by the swollen waters of the night and traffic has been temporarily interrupted thereby. The last train to pass over the bridge was the southbound passenger train which reached Fayetteville at 7:45 o'clock Saturday evening.

The Atlantic Coast Line Railway placed its wrecking train at the disposal of the Raleigh and Southport, and this is being used in reconstructing the bridge. It is not believed that traffic over the bridge will be resumed before tomorrow.

Special Meeting. A special meeting of Wm. G. Hill Lodge No. 218, A. F. and A. M., will be held this morning in Masonic Hall, at 7:30 o'clock for work in the Second Degree. All Master Masons are fraternally invited to be present. By order of JOHN G. ALLEN, W. M. I. C. BIRDSONG, Secretary.

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stitution of the United States, the state can enforce its laws regulating the sale of liquor, its law with respect to the working of children in factories, its law with regard to the control of railroads, and against trusts, by the grace of the inferior federal judiciary, and in this way alone.

"If you think that the language I have used is to emphatic I venture to predict that a reading of the dissenting opinion of Judge Hanlon will disclose that I have the language of one of the ablest judges of the Supreme Court of the United States as a precedent."

For Prohibition. Mr. John C. Kennett, of Pleasant Garden, has been engaged by the Anti-Saloon League to take charge of the prohibition campaign in Guilford county, and has opened headquarters in offices here and will devote his entire time to organizing the forces.

In securing Mr. Kennett to lead the fight in the county, the central committee made a most wise selection, for perhaps no man could have been found who had the confidence of more people throughout the county than Mr. Kennett. He was a member of the legislature a few years ago and is now a member of the county board of education.

Messrs. C. H. Ireland and C. A. Hines, of the central committee, met Judge J. C. Pritchard at the station Sunday as he passed through from Burlington, and secured from him a promise to speak in Greensboro in the near future. The address will be in the opera house and will be on a Saturday afternoon. Ex-Governor Aycock has also notified the committee of his acceptance of an invitation to speak in Greensboro some Sunday afternoon. The date of his coming will be announced later. Numerous letters have been received from people in different parts of the county pledging their support to the work.

Ground was broken today for the central section of the Melver building, the science building to be erected at the Normal College. The building is to be erected on the site of the dormitory which was burned down several years ago. It is to be completed in time for occupancy at the opening of the Fall term.

In the bankruptcy court today, Judge Boyd on petition of creditors and by admission of the party adjudicated H. R. Miller, a saloon keeper of Salisbury, to bankruptcy. John J. Stewart, of Salisbury, was continued as receiver and the matter was referred to W. C. Erwin, of Morganton, referee in bankruptcy.

A very important business deal developed here today. The Galloway Drug Company, doing a large business on the corner of East and West Market streets, in the elegant building owned by J. S. Wynne, of Raleigh, was purchased by a company of which Messrs. A. J. Klutz and Max T. Payne are principal stockholders. The business will be in charge of Mr. Payne, who for a long time has been with the Parris-Klutz Drug Company, one of the leading drug stores here. Mr. Klutz will continue in charge of the Parris-Klutz drug business which he has made a great success. The two drug stores are owned and will be operated independent of each other.

Mr. Rowley Galloway, a great favorite here, who has sold out his business, is considering several propositions but as yet has not determined on what he will engage in.

Mr. F. J. Muir, who for five years has been a sales employe of the Export and Commission Company as manufacturing designer, has resigned this position to accept that of General manager of the Holt-Morgan Mills at Fayetteville.

Mr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, State Mineralogist, will lecture at the Carnegie Library Friday night on the "Mineral Resources of North Carolina."

Next Friday evening the Dramatic Club of Greensboro Female College will give a play in the college chapel entitled "The Chaperone."

FAYETTEVILLE MOURNS. Death of Dr. T. D. Haigh, Dean of the Medical Profession and Mr. Mike Folb, a Leading Merchant.

Fayetteville, N. C., March 24.—Dr. Thomas Devereaux Haigh, long dean of the medical profession here, passed away peacefully last night at nine o'clock at his home on Haymount. He had been gradually sinking for several days. He was 66 years of age and retired from practice but a few years ago. A telegram received here this afternoon announces the death in Baltimore today of Mr. Mike Folb, one of the most prominent merchants of this city. This advice says he was found dead in bed at the hotel Caswell. This has cast a gloom over the entire city, as Mr. Folb was universally esteemed by all who knew him.

SCHEDULE CHANGE

Seaboard to Withdraw Florida Limited.

General Change April 12th—Passengers Holding Mileage Tickets, Except the 500 Mile Books, Must Exchange Coupons for Tickets.

The Seaboard Florida Limited between New York and St. Augustine, Fla., operated during the tourist season, will be withdrawn, first train southbound, April 11th, and northbound, April 15th.

It is expected that the Seaboard Air Line Railway will make a general change in its schedules on April 12th, but nothing definite has been announced as yet. The Seaboard will require passenger holding mileage tickets to exchange them at ticket offices for tickets after April 1st, as conductors will not accept mileage coupons on trains. This, however, will not apply to the 500 mile family mileage book that the Seaboard will sell for \$11.25 good only on its own lines in North Carolina for five or less people who can all use the ticket at the same time. Those holding the 2,000 mile books for \$40 and the 1,000 mile books for \$20, will have to exchange the mileage slips at ticket offices for tickets.

The Seaboard also on April 1st will put on a rate of 1-1-2 cents a mile in South Carolina. This will make the Seaboard's rates in all States through which it operates on a basis of 2 1-2 cents per mile with the exception of Florida and Virginia, in which States there will be no change in rates.

FED. OFFICEHOLDERS PULLED. Increase of Capital Stock of Industrial News From \$50,000 to \$100,000.

The application of the stockholders of the Industrial Publishing Company of Greensboro, which publishes the Industrial News, to be allowed to increase its capital stock from \$50,000 to \$100,000 was yesterday allowed by the Secretary of State.

The list of some two-thirds of the stockholders attached to the petition show that the Federal officeholders have to put in some of the cash to run the paper. In agreeing to the increase of stock George H. Smathers, of Waynesville adds: "I sign this paper with the understanding that my stock is not to be increased." J. James H. Ramsey, of Salisbury, says "25 shares and \$50 paid in for which I have nothing to show so far." Claudius Dockery, United States Marshal, in one place is put down as having 122 shares, and in another place he says "90 shares issued."

The list of stockholders includes revenue collectors, postmasters, United States marshals, deputy marshals, deputy collectors, and a mighty few others. The shares are \$10 each and in the list of stockholders the following will do for a sample of the list of two or three hundred names: E. C. Duncan, 290 shares; Thomas S. Rollins, 240 shares; Willie G. Briggs, postmaster, 50 shares; Spencer E. Adams, Republican State chairman, 250 shares; Robert D. Douglas, postmaster and ex-editor, 20 shares; Robert M. Douglas, 12 shares; A. E. Holton, district attorney, 200 shares; Harry Skinner, district attorney, 100 shares; T. T. Hicks, 10 shares ("par value \$100" says he); G. W. Robbins, postmaster, 25 shares; J. F. Dobson, postmaster, 20 shares; E. J. Best, private secretary to Judge Pritchard, 2 1-2 shares; B. T. Person, postmaster, 36 shares; J. M. Millikan, United States Marshal, 175 shares; Geo. L. Tonnofski, clerk to Major Grant, one share; ex-Judge W. A. Montgomery, 3 shares; J. Elwood Cox, 2 shares; James F. Earrot, postmaster, 25 shares; D. W. Patrick, collector, 70 shares; M. L. Wood, deputy collector, 16 shares; Wheeler Martin, expectant for internal revenue collectorship, 10 shares; J. A. Giles, assistant district attorney, 7 1-2 shares; Chas. A. Reynolds, postmaster, 20 shares; B. F. Keith, collector port of Wilmington, 10 shares; D. L. Avey, Salisbury, 20 shares; Win. A. Blair, 10 shares; John W. Fries, 11 shares; C. J. Harris, 150 shares. In the Raleigh Federal building list is K. W. Merritt, 12; I. M. Deaton, 10; W. A. Stancil, 12; P. H. Adams, 25; T. C. Council, 10; E. R. Ellis, 10; V. C. Terry, 10; J. N. Brown, 2 1-2; J. T. Sharp, 25 and C. H. B. Leonard, 10 shares.

Mr. J. T. Darlington will soon begin the publication of a weekly newspaper to be called the Leakville Gazette.

FORFEITED BOND

Jones Did Not Answer to the Charge of Embezzlement.

It was stated yesterday that R. Jones, the young piano man charged with the embezzlement of money from Parker, Gardner and Company, of Charlotte, and Jacob Doll Piano Company, of New York, had skipped his bond and disappeared. His case was called in Wake Superior court Monday and Jones failed to answer. The amount of Jones' bond was \$400, and it will be remembered that he waived the preliminary hearing before the magistrate.

It was also said yesterday that his case had been compromised with the prosecuting attorneys for \$200, on the basis of 50 cents on the dollar.

BASEBALL TODAY. One of the Best Games of the Week on Home Diamond This Afternoon at New Athletic Park.

This afternoon at 4 o'clock at the new Athletic Park there will take place one of the best games of the week, the teams playing being Randolph-Macon College and A. and M. College. The diamond is in better shape since the rain than before and this alone will cause some good playing this afternoon.

The Randolph-Macon team this year is strong and is in fine trim for this game. They are eager for victory and will be disappointed if they are defeated.

The A. and M. team is also in fine form and they too are looking for victory. Since their defeat they have worked hard, or much as the weather permitted, and today they are going to do their best. Sexton will be in the box for A. and M. and he expects to win.

Everything is in readiness for a good game, and with a large crowd attending there will be plenty of excitement during the afternoon. Admission, 25 cents; grand stand, 10 cents. Ladies admitted free to grand stand.

Game called at 4 p. m. sharp. Next game after today's game will take place Saturday, when the N. C. Deaf and Dumb team plays the A. and M. team.

Mr. David Thornton, of Clayton, was a visitor to Raleigh yesterday.

MCKNIGHT AGAIN

Famous Osteopathic Lawyer Expected at Court

Man Who Makes a Business of Kneading Bones and Pleading Cases—Argument Yesterday From Eighth District.

Appeals argued in the Supreme Court from the Eighth District yesterday were: Gulleuge vs. Seaboard Air Line Railway, from Anson, Robinson and Caudle, H. H. McLendon, J. T. Bennett, J. A. Lockhart for plaintiff; J. D. Shaw, Murray Allen, for defendant.

D. T. Curtis vs. Wm. Gilchrist, from Scotland, M. L. Johnson, J. Lockhart, Adams, Jerome and Armfield for plaintiff; J. G. McCormick, McLean and McLean, Rountree and Carr, for defendant.

R. J. Phillips et al vs. John J. Little, from Anson, Robinson and Caudle for plaintiff; J. A. Lockhart, McLendon and Thomas, for defendant.

A case involving a large verdict against the Seaboard Air Line Railway, a jury having given the Sanford Sash and Blind Company a \$14,000 verdict for damages for the alleged burning of its engine, was brought on by the engine of the defendant will be argued this morning by W. C. Adams, Seawell and McIver and J. D. Shaw and Murray Allen for the defendant.

Lay on McKnight. In the case of Shaw vs. McKnight, which will also be argued this morning, it is expected that North Carolina's lawyer-osteopath will again appear in the Supreme Court to argue his own case. Dr. H. P. McKnight, who lives at Southern Pines, was the hero some years ago of the famous case of State vs. McKnight, in which he was indicted for the practice of osteopathy without having previously studied the examination before the State Board for persons desiring to practice medicine. Dr. McKnight, it will be recalled, was defended by a classic opinion of Chief Justice Clark that no knowledge of materia medica and other matters within the realm of a physician was necessary to one who merely fiddled around bones on the outside. On the hearing of the case in the Supreme Court, Dr. McKnight appeared and argued in his own behalf, although he was also represented by other able counsel, and when the present case came up at the last term he repeated the feat, although he did not repeat the success. When the case was taken up for the motions for judgment under the decision of the higher court, Dr. McKnight was all there with the legal mustard pot and alleged that he was being chiselled out of his rights, privileges, property, etc., in violation of the constitution of the United States, the Constitution of this State and the Fourteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States, without due process of law, the equal protection of the law and the rest of it.

When the lower court was not impressed and proceeded to give judgment, Dr. McKnight again appealed, and it is hoped that he will be on hand with his constitutional petard this morning.

The facts in Dr. McKnight's present litigation seem to be that he had put up his tents for the treatment of rheumatism on land owned by a Mrs. Shaw, under a contract had with her brother. Mrs. Shaw sought to expel the Doctor and cause him literally to pull up his stakes, but he refused. Hence, all this lawing.

Dr. McKnight is said by his friends to be almost as warm a lawyer as he is an osteopath, and it is rumored that he was once reporter for the New York Court of Appeals and the son of a judge. So that, if he should come today to argue his case, he would have a lawyer for a client.

Reward for Staley. United States Marshal Claudius Dockery offers a reward of \$100 for the arrest and delivery to him of Jim Staley, the negro who shot Deputy Marshal H. C. Reece Friday. The negro moonshiner is of a dark mulatto complexion, and is about 25 years old, and five feet ten inches tall. He was shot twice by the officers.

What means this brutish intoxication? Rightly—Have to "scoue me" this time, Jimmie. My wife said "I came home drunk she'd never speak to me 'gain.—The Bohemian.



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License Cancelled. Insurance Commissioner Young yesterday cancelled the license of the State Mutual Life Insurance Company, of Rome, Ga., for not filing its annual statement as required by law so to do. Mr. S. A. McCullough has returned from a visit to New York.

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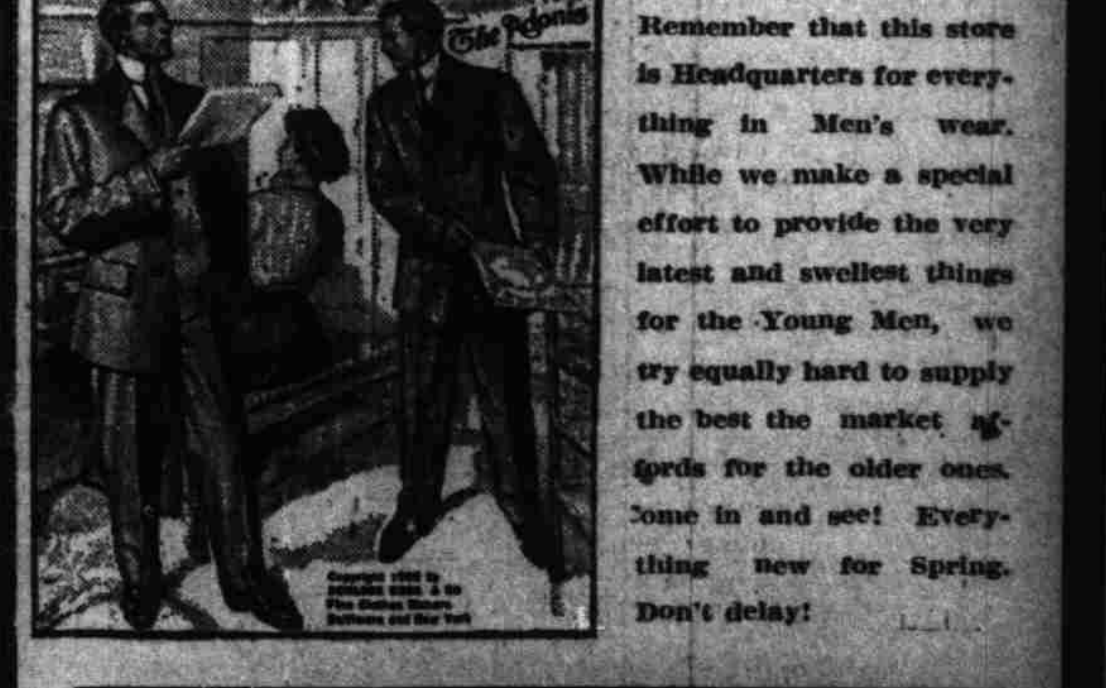
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