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OFF TO WASHINGTON.

Appear Before Public Buildings Committee Tomorrow.

Judge R. W. Winston left over the Seaboard Air Line this morning for Washington, D. C., where on tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, in company with other members of the committee recently appointed, he will appear before the committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, in regard to the proposed public building for Durham.

The Durham gentlemen will do all in their power to convince the Congressional committee of the great needs and importance of a building here in which to conduct business. We hope that their efforts will be crowned with success, and the committee will make a favorable report to Congress on the bill.

A delegation of negroes visit the president and asks his aid in securing national help for disabled ex-slaves.

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WHO WAS RIGHT AFTER ALL?

WORK HOUSE SCANDAL COMES UP AGAIN.

The Grand Jury Was Not Far Wrong in Their Recommendations to the Commissioners.

It seems that the grand jury of the December term of Durham Superior Court were not far wrong when they said in their report: "We also find that one of the prisoners, Valley Trice, is pregnant, and recommend the County Commissioners to investigate the matter at once."

The Commissioners made an official visit to the County Home and investigated the rumors that had been afloat, and tried to get the strait of how the grand jury arrived at their conclusions in regard to the matter.

Chairman Allen said at that time the Board would not say whether the Trice woman was in the condition as stated in the grand jury's report or not. They could not say definitely as to that.

In their report, the Commissioners said in part: "We fear the grand jury was not careful enough in making such charges. They will please give us the information that enabled them to arrive at their conclusions. Several weeks ago the report about Valley Trice was whispered around. We requested the county health officer, Dr. N. M. Johnson, to go out to the home and find out how much of the report was true. He was unable to decide. She is very fleshy, fat as a pig, and has been for years. Please give us, Mr. Latta, the evidence upon which you based your recommendations."

The Trice woman is the mother of a new arrival at the county work house. Who was right—the grand jury or the Commissioners? It seems that the former either knew what they were talking about or else were the best guessers. The matter has culminated just as a majority of the people thought it would.

There may be further action taken in regard to the matter, and there should be for the good name of the county. Why not have an investigation that will investigate, and turn on all the light? We shall see what we shall see.

Jurors for March Term.

The following are the jurors drawn for the civil term of Durham Superior Court, which convenes March 17th, and will be held two weeks:

First week—W. J. Norris, R. E. Wood, Otho Lunsford, Will O'Neal, Willis A. Barbee, Q. E. Rawls, H. L. Umstead, E. G. Gray, J. T. Kerr, F. M. Glenn, J. M. Watts, John B. Walker, S. G. Barbee, K. D. Nichols, John A. Christian, E. H. Husketh, A. L. Tilley, W. A. Hall.

Second week—A. W. Umstead, Calvin Nichols, J. R. Ashley, John A. Proctor, W. W. Hamlin, J. T. Colclough, W. A. Wilkerson, F. J. Houston, J. G. Rigsbee, F. L. Garrard, W. J. Phillips, E. B. Russell, H. B. Lewter, L. B. Markham, S. E. Whitted, Alex. Craig, J. W. M. Barbee, A. J. Hall.

Looking After the Mills.

F. C. Gifford, of Grisco & McFeely, mill builders, Philadelphia, is in Durham. He came here to look after the Durham Roller Mills. In a short time these mills will be second to none in this country. The excellence of its products already establishes its reputation.

Pythians Meet Tonight.

A regular meeting of Durham Lodge, No. 31, Knights of Pythias, will be held in their castle hall tonight at the usual hour. Work in first and third degrees. Every member of the lodge requested to be present, and visiting brethren cordially invited. John L. Kirkland, C. C. F. W. Woodward, K. of R. and S.

Admiral Bowles, of the naval construction bureau, recommends the building of warships at the government shipyards.

Kidney complaint kills more people than any other disease. This is due to the disease being so insidious that it gets a good hold on the system before it is recognized. Foley's Kidney Cure will prevent the development of fatal disease if taken in time. A. B. Matthews.

A FINE WORK.

Mangum's Compendium and County Gazetteer.

The "Historical Compendium and County Gazetteer of North Carolina," a dictionary of facts and figures in the State's history, condensed and arranged for ready reference by D. C. Mangum, of Durham, is one of the most handy and helpful things that have been issued in this State.

This is printed in large, clear type, on best map paper, 36 by 48 inches in size, with up-to-date colored map of North Carolina, 19 by 28 inches, in the center of the scroll.

The chart can be seen in the Public Library, and does not fail to attract attention.

The contents of the work are very interesting and embraces the time from the early discovery of the State to the year 1900. We can safely say that there is much information in this chart that a majority of the people have never known before. Eminent professional men have reviewed the work, and unqualifiedly endorse it as the very best of its kind.

WEDDED IN RALEIGH.

Mr. Sadler and Miss Blake the Contracting Parties.

Mr. M. N. Sadler, of Durham, and Miss Marie Benlah Blake, of Raleigh, were united in marriage Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, in the capitol city.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. F. Smith, at his residence on Edenton street.

The groom's best man was Mr. J. S. Mesley, of Durham.

Mr. and Mrs. Sadler arrived in Durham on the 4:43 train yesterday afternoon.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. Albert Blake, and numbers her friends and acquaintances by scores. The groom is likewise popular among all who know him.

Every one of their friends wish for them a long and happy wedded life.

Funeral of Mr. Rogers.

The funeral of B. C. Rogers, formerly of Durham, took place from the First Baptist church, in Raleigh, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, conducted by Rev. W. D. Hubbard.

Mr. Rogers passed away on Tuesday. He was 34 years of age and leaves a wife and one child.

Deceased was a drug clerk when he resided here, and was well known among our people.

Miss Whitaker to Marry.

Miss Fannie Whitaker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Whitaker, of Oak Ridge, will be united in marriage to Mr. James Robert Blackwell, of Reidsville, on Wednesday, February 12th, at 2 p. m. The ceremony will take place at the home of the bride's parents.

The intended bride has many friends in Durham who will extend hearty congratulations and best wishes.

Report on Small Pox.

The Bulletin of the State Board of Health for January states that smallpox exists in 21 counties of the State. The counties, having more than ten cases are Buncombe, 14; Cabarrus, 38; Forsyth, 30; Mecklenburg, 35; Wayne, "a great many"; Wilson, 19 reported by the Superintendent of Health who has denied that the disease was smallpox, while other physicians outside of Wilson town report sixty cases.

There is no case in this county.

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Senator Elkins introduces a bill for the amendment of the inter-state commerce law in an important particular.

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