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MR. JOHN KING DROPS DEAD.

Sudden Death in His Store of an Old Citizen of Raleigh.
Raleigh News and Observer: Mr. John King, a produce commission merchant on Wilmington street near Martin, dropped dead in his store yesterday afternoon about half past four o'clock. His death was due to heart failure. No one was in the store with Mr. King at the time of his death. Mr. Len H. Adams was the first to reach him after he fell, and he says that Mr. King breathed only twice after he reached him and tried to prop-up his head with some bagging that lay near by. A colored man employed by Mr. Adams first noticed the stricken man give way and fall. He called Mr. Adams' attention to it and they ran over to Mr. King. His son, Rufus King, was not far off, and he rescued the scene in a very few minutes. Dr. Knox was immediately summoned, but the end had come. The body was immediately removed to Mr. King's home.

Several persons stated that Mr. King seemed in unusually good health and spirits early yesterday afternoon, and was even out in the street catching some chickens which had gotten loose about 2 o'clock. Mr. Henry C. Howell said he was with him about five minutes before his death, when he was weighing a turkey for a customer.
Mr. King was 52 years old. He leaves a wife, two daughters and three sons. One son, John, is in Baltimore, having just left him two days ago. Another son, Claude, is in Durham. The third, Rufus, is here, having been his father's assistant in the business. One of his daughters lives here, and the other in Richmond.

Go via the Southern.
According to the itinerary as issued by Quartermaster General Francis A. Micon, the Durham troops who go to the Charleston Exposition as a part of the Provisional Regiment, will leave here on Southern train No. 11, at 2:30 a. m., on the morning of April 7th. The Burlington company will go on the same train.

Goes Elsewhere.
Charles Michie left on the 4:43 Southern train yesterday afternoon for Columbia, where he goes to accept a position. He has during his residence in Durham made many friends who regret to see him leave, but all of them wish for him the greatest measure of success. Mr. Michie is a brother of Capt. J. C. Michie.

Transferred to Richmond.
S. Bowling, formerly with the Duke branch of the American Tobacco Company, in Durham, has been transferred to the Allen & Ginter branch in Richmond.
Mr. Bowling is an exceedingly clever young man, and has many friends here who wish him well at all times.

Hobart vs. Trinity.
The next game of ball at the Hanes athletic field, Trinity Park, will be called tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. It will be between the Hobart and Trinity teams. Admission 25 cents. Ladies admitted to grand stand free. Go out and witness one of the best games of the season.

Royal Arch Masons Meet.
A special meeting of Durham Royal Arch Chapter, No. 48, will be held tonight at 8 o'clock sharp. Work in the Past Master's and Most Excellent Master's Degrees. It is important that there be a full attendance of the members at the members at the meeting tonight.

Goes to the Hospital.
Mrs. E. W. Yates was carried to the Watts Hospital today for treatment. She has been sick for some time, and it is hoped that the careful nursing and skillful ministrations she will receive will entirely restore her to health again.

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A FIRE IN WEST DURHAM.

MRS. MANGUM'S HOUSE BURNED TODAY.

Flames Originated From a Flue—Loss About \$1,000. With \$900 Insurance.
There was a fire in West Durham this morning between 9 and 10 o'clock. The residence of Mrs. Mary Mangum caught on fire supposed from the stove flue in the kitchen and was so near destroyed as to be almost worthless.
A part of the furniture and household goods were saved. The loss will amount to about \$1,000. There was \$900 insurance.
The residences of Dr. R. L. Holloway and J. A. Condon, which were close by, were damaged to some extent. It is lucky that no greater damage was done.
The smoke of the burning building could be plainly seen from the center of this city.

Benefit of the Hospital.

On Tuesday evening April 15th, at the residence of Mrs. Thomas H. Martin, the Board of Lady Visitors of the Watts Hospital will give a silver tea, for the benefit of that institution. Visitors are expected to give an offering of as much as they see fit. The ladies will serve an appetizing menu, and guests can safely promise themselves their money's worth. It is hoped that a large crowd will avail themselves of this opportunity to spend a pleasant evening, and help a cause that appeals justly and warmly to many hearts in and around Durham.

Before the Supreme Court.

The famous Gattis-Kilgo case was called in the Supreme Court Wednesday, and argument was concluded today. The plaintiff was represented by Guthrie & Guthrie, A. W. Graham, Boone, Bryant & Biggs, and A. A. Hicks, while the attorneys for the defendant were Royster & Hobgood, Winston & Fuller and T. T. Hicks.
Justice Clark did not sit on the hearing of the case.
It will doubtless be several weeks before the Supreme Court hands down a decision in the case.

Game Given to Trinity.

The game between the Lehigh and Trinity teams Wednesday afternoon was forfeited to Trinity by a score of 9 to 0. The score stood 6 to 6 in the sixth inning. The Lehigh team had decided to play until 4:30 o'clock, in order to catch the west bound train. They decided to stop five minutes ahead of the stipulated time, and upon refusal to play longer, the umpire gave the game to Trinity.

The batteries were, Trinity, Wooten, Giles and Chadwick. Lehigh, Kinne and Lilly, Lilly and Latta.

To Return to This State.

Clarence W. Murphy, travelling passenger agent of the Houston & Texas Central and Southern Pacific roads, who has often visited Durham, will return to North Carolina to live. He has bought an interest in the business of Overman & Co., commission merchants, and Overman, Boyden & Co., cotton factors, in Salisbury, and will reside. Mr. Murphy is an exceedingly agreeable and popular gentleman.

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THE CONVENTION ENDS.

Mr. Bryant's Address Wednesday Morning—Mrs. Bryant in the Recital.
Wednesday morning, Mr. Gilmora Ward Bryant, of the Southern Conservatory of Music, in this city, delivered an excellent address before the North Carolina Music Teachers' Association at Raleigh. His subject was, "The Importance to Music Teachers of State and National Associations."
Wednesday the convention came to a close, and on that night the recital of Dr. B. Merritt Hopkinson was given. One of those who assisted him was Mrs. G. W. Bryant, of Durham.
The next session of the convention will be held in Greensboro in 1903.

Two years ago the North Carolina Music Teachers' Association was organized at Morehead City with eight members. Last year when the convention met in Durham there were forty-four members. Now the membership shows an enrollment of one hundred and twenty nine.

The following are the officers elected for the ensuing year: President, Prof. J. W. Juedwine, of St. Mary's Raleigh; vice-president, Prof. J. H. Craighill, of Charlotte; secretary and treasurer, Prof. Clarence R. Brown, of Greensboro.

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