

FAIR TONIGHT AND SATURDAY. LIGHT TO MODERATE WEST AND NORTHWEST WINDS.

Evangelist L. B. Bridgers Is Stirring Washington

M. E. CHURCH CROWDED AGAIN

Preaches Great Sermon on the Judgment.

SERVICES AGAIN THIS EVENING

Handled His Theme Last Night Without Gloves.

Another great sermon was delivered by Rev. Luther Bridgers, evangelist at the First Methodist Church last night and the auditorium was packed to its utmost capacity to hear the gifted speaker. The subject was "The Judgment Day" and was handled in such a manner that it is the talk of the city today.

The preacher handled his great and vital question with "gloves off" and judging from the comments today he made a profound impression upon all classes. He does not fail to tell all of their sins and presents it in such way as to attract and impress. No such preaching has ever been heard in Washington. The gospel is being delivered through a channel that gives it attraction and force. The congregation, although large is attentive and serious—showing that the seed is falling in receptive soil. The meeting has been a benediction to Washington and Evangelist Bridgers will be long remembered by all classes of citizens as one of the strongest preachers to ever visit the city. There will be services again tonight at the usual hour to which all have a cordial invitation. Every body cordially invited to hear the gospel as propounded by this gifted man of God.

FINEST POTATOES OF SEASON SEEN YESTERDAY

Messrs. H. H. Satterthwaite and W. A. Cox, who are engaged in trucking at Wharton's Station, this county, were showing on the streets yesterday samples of the finest potatoes yet seen this season. Mr. Satterthwaite states that they have between fifteen and eighteen acres in cultivation. They are beauties and were much admired by all who saw them.

PAY TRAIN HERE

The Atlantic Coast Line pay train was here yesterday en route from Vandemere N.C.

Miss Lucille Pugh's Client Convicted Of His Crime

A dispatch from New York states that Miss Lucille Pugh, formerly of this city and now practicing law in the metropolis and who recently defended a negro by the name of Poindexter for murder, has lost her case. At the first trial the jury disagreed but on the second trial a verdict of guilty was rendered. The dispatch says:

New York, May 24.—Miss Lucille Pugh, the young woman attorney from North Carolina, who secured a disagreement of the jury on the first trial of her client, Lorey Poindexter, a negro to whose defense she had been assigned at the prisoner's request, lost her case on the second trial of the prisoner, concluded yesterday. Poindexter was convicted by a jury for manslaughter in the second degree for the killing of Thomas Brown, colored, after a dispute over a crap game last March. Miss Pugh summed up for the defense and scored the police for what she alleged was their unfair antagonism to the prisoner. Poindexter was remanded to jail until next week for sentence which may be for seven and a half to fifteen years imprisonment. The jury was out 26 hours.

Miss Pugh was called into the case because Poindexter said that his family had formerly been protectors of his family on the Pugh estate in North Carolina and he had confidence in her ability and interest in seeing that justice was done him.

Messrs. James L. Mayo and W. L. Vaughan left this afternoon for Pantego to attend the High School commencement tonight.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS IN TODAY'S NEWS

J. K. Hoyt, Washington Home Exchange, Postum Cereal Company, Deles.

PAWNEE SHAFT UNVEILED AT GREAT BEND, KANSAS

ERECTED TO THE MEMORY OF SANTA FE TRAIL WITH IMPRESSIVE CEREMONIES

Special to the Daily News. Great Bend, Kas., May 24.—The Pawnee Rock monument, in memory of the pioneers of the Santa Fe trail was unveiled today with impressive exercises conducted in the presence of large delegations representing the Woman's Kansas Day Club, the Daughters of the American Revolution, the State Federation of Women's Club and various other organizations which aided in raising the money for the memorial and bringing the project to a successful conclusion.

Pawnee Rock is one of the most historic landmarks in the West. It is related that the rock took its name from a great three day's battle between the Pawnees and their enemies, the Plains Indians. Among the latter were Cheyennes, Sioux, Kiowas and Comanches. The Pawnees all fell, but made their conquerors pay heavily.

The memorial was not erected to commemorate the Indian battle, however, but in memory of the great tide of emigrants which came from the East, and wended their way over the near-by Santa Fe trail on their journey to the great West. The rock itself is fifty feet in height, and the granite shaft, which is imbedded in the rock, rises twenty-eight feet. The monument can be seen many miles on a clear day.

A buffalo head and an Indian head are carved upon the shaft, and there are a number of inscriptions. The inscription on the face of the monument reads:

Erected by Woman's Kansas Day Club, Daughters of the American Revolution, Woman's Relief Corps, State Federation of Women's Clubs, Woman's Christian Temperance Union

BRIGADE ATTENTION

All the members of the Brigade Society of the First Methodist Church, composed of the little tots, are requested to meet at the church next Sunday morning at eleven o'clock for the purpose of worshipping with the congregation. Mrs. Z. N. Leggett, the manager, requests every member to be present.

Mr. Carney Duke was in the city today enroute to his home in Pantego from Richmond where he has been attending school.

ACCEPTS POSITION

Mr. John F. McCluer has accepted a position with Mr. Charles M. Little where he will please to see his many friends.

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IMPROVEMENT CONVENTIONS AT MOREHEAD CITY

Special to the Daily News. Morehead City, N. C., May 24.—Three of the most important conventions to be held in North Carolina this summer will meet at Morehead City. The State Bankers Association, the Bar Association and the Press Association will hold their annual sessions in the Atlantic Hotel in June and July.

The bankers will meet June 26-30 inclusive, the lawyers July 3, 4 and 5 and the editors July 23, 24 and 25.

Many bankers of national prominence will deliver addresses at the bankers' convention next month. W. A. Hunt, cashier of the Commercial National Bank at Henderson, N. C., who is secretary of the State organization will announce in a few days the complete program for the June convention.

Work is progressing rapidly at the Atlantic Hotel in preparation for the season opening, and manager A. A. Du Bois expects to have the new kitchen equipment nearly all installed within the next week.

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM CORRESPONDENTS IN BEAUFORT AND HYDE COUNTIES

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Misses Myrtle, Zula and Minnie Woolard, also Messrs Joe and Evan Willard attended church at Maple Grove Sunday. They were the guests of Miss Olay Corey.

Misses Lillie and Minnie Perry spent Saturday P. M. with Mrs. J. Wesley Woolard.

David, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Singleton, met with quite a painful accident Tuesday morning. He was plowing near beeyard, and in some way the bees became angry and flew on the horse; he began running and the boy held so as not to be cut by the plow and both were stung very badly. It was quite a narrow escape for a boy his size, and he is to be congratulated on his pluck.

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DEMOCRATIC CO. CONVENTION MEETS HERE TOMORROW

The Democratic County Convention for Beaufort county will meet in the Court House, this city, tomorrow morning at eleven o'clock and will be called to order by the Chairman of the Democratic County Ex. Com. Mr. Wiley C. Rodman. The convention's purpose to select Delegates to the state convention which meets in Raleigh; to the congressional convention which meets at Elizabeth City on May 30; to the judicial convention which meets at Elizabeth City on May 30 and to the Senatorial convention a call for which has not been as yet issued.

FUNERAL OF MRS. COWELL WAS LARGELY ATTENDED

A large number of sorrowing friends paid their respects to the memory of the late Mrs. Mary Jane Cowell this afternoon at the First Methodist Church. Mrs. Cowell was one of Washington's highly esteemed and beloved citizens. The interment was in Oakdale cemetery. The floral tributes were in profusion, testifying the high esteem in which the deceased was held.

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King Frederick's Body Was Interred Today

EUGENE BONNER ROBBED AND BEATEN IN NEW YORK

MONUMENT WILL COST \$10,000

Raleigh, N. C., May 24.—The monument to the North Carolina women of the Confederacy that Colonel Ashley Horne is presenting to the state at a cost of ten thousand dollars, is to be designed by Henry A. Lukman of New York, a native of Richmond. The details are to be worked on later. It is to be a low massive design, the principal feature being the idealized figure of the Southern woman. This will be on a suitable pedestal extending in a semi-circular shape from either side of the sidewalk, open court in front of the figure.

ONE OF THE ASSAILANTS IDENTIFIED—VICTIM NATIVE OF THIS CITY

Mr. Eugene Bonner of this city, who is now a resident of New York was attacked in his room on the evening of May 7 and severely beaten and robbed by two negroes. He was knocked unconscious and the frontal bone of his head crushed. The New York Herald contains an account of the affair which will be read with interest as well as regret by his many friends in Washington.

Dantes Inferno And the Titanic Disaster Lyric Theatre Tonight

Dantes Inferno a cinematographic reproduction in five reels, and emphatically praised by the King of Italy and the entire press of Europe and America is one of the main feature attractions at the Lyric both matinee and night.

The Titanic Disaster in one reel picturing the ill fated palace that now is resting on the bottom of the sea will be added to the above mentioned pictures, and the management feels sure that all Washington will share with the clergymen and hundreds of thousands of picture lovers who have seen these two great productions, in praising the marvelous manner in which the story has been told in the silent though wonderfully uplifting pictures.

All in all Dantes Inferno is the acme of the film makers' art, and a veritable revelation in animated photography.

The manager of the Lyric is to be congratulated on securing an attraction of this kind for the Washington audience, and we feel sure that these pictures will be shown to a capacity house both matinee and night.

The matinee starts at 3 p. m. and at night there will be two performances the first one from 7 to 9 and the last from 9 to 11. The admission prices for night will be 25 and 35 cents.

HAROLD T. PRATT CAUGHT IN DENVER

New Bern, N. C., May 24.—Sheriff J. W. Biddle received a telegram late yesterday afternoon from the chief of police at Omaha, Neb., which stated that Harold T. Pratt, who for several years was the representative in this city for several large insurance companies, but who a few months ago left unexpectedly after having committed various offenses, had been apprehended in that city and was being held pending instructions from local authorities.

In conversation with Sheriff Biddle he stated that a deputy would be sent after Pratt and that he would be brought back to New Bern and placed on trial probably at the next term of criminal court.

LOOKS FOR BIG FRUIT CROP IN NORTH CAROLINA

Raleigh, N. C., May 24.—State Horticulturalist W. M. Hutt says the extreme limit for late frosts that might injure the fruit crop in this state having past, he feels absolutely safe in forecasting a record yield of all varieties this season in all parts of the state. "There has not been reported, he says, a single untoward thing that might give any variety of fruit a set back in yield. He thinks now that the growers need only have an eye to judicious thinning of the fruit to prevent injury to the trees and give opportunity for the best development.

Mr. E. L. Susman, president of the Washington Horse Exchange has sold his valuable and much admired German Coach Stallion to Messrs P. F. Creda and Hugh Creda of Hyde county. The consideration was \$1,000.

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RITUAL PLACE OF KINGS FOR CENTURIES

The Services Was One of Impressive Simplicity.

WITNESSED BY MANY POTENTATES

Bells in Copenhagen Told During Funeral

Special to the Daily News.

Copenhagen, May 24.—The body of the late King Frederick VIII, of Denmark, who died May 14, was interred today in the magnificent old gothic cathedral at Roskilde, the burial place of Danish Kings for upwards of a thousand years, with a ceremony the impressiveness of which was accentuated by the widespread of popular sorrow.

The presence of numerous kings and queens, princes and princesses, grand dukes and other member of European royalty, together with scores of dazzlingly attired diplomats and military and naval officers, made the scene within the cathedral one of unusual brilliance. Christian X., the new king of Denmark, with the Dowager Queen Louise, sat nearest the altar. They were seated the German Emperor, the King of Greece, Queen Alexandra, the Dowager Empress of Russia, the King of Norway, the King of Sweden, Prince Waldemar, the Duke and Duchess of Cumberland and the Duke and Duchess of Mecklenburg-Schwerin, all of whom were closely related to the late monarch.

The funeral service was one of impressive simplicity. The prime of the Danish Church officiated. Eight officers of the Danish army carried the coffin to the chapel of Frederick V., there the remains were entombed beside those of the father and mother of the deceased king. The conclusion of the service was marked by a salute of 21 guns and volley firing by a party of infantry.

The burial service was none the more impressive than the scenes enacted in the capital before the departure of the funeral party for Roskilde. Every bell in Copenhagen tolled throughout the progress of the funeral. Business and work were at a standstill throughout the city, while emblems of mourning were displayed everywhere, the little half-masted flags and shreds of black bunting being as conspicuous in the poorer quarters of the city as the rich and solemn draperies that were displayed on the facades of public buildings, commercial establishments and handsome residences in other sections.

The enormous crowds of town people, garbed in black, swelled by thousands of arrivals from the country districts, thronged the square in front of the Christianburg Church, while thousands of others stood bareheaded during the passage of the hearse and mourners from the church to the railway station. Both sides of the streets traversed by the funeral all along the route were filled with spectators.

TO ORGANIZE JUNIOR NAVAL RESERVE COMPANY

An effort is being made to organize a Junior Naval Reserves in Washington and prospects are more than encouraging for the scheme. All ready quite a number have signified their intention of joining and within the next few days the prospects are that the full quota will be secured. Persons from 15 to 21 are eligible. This organization is separate and distinct from the regular naval reserve. It is to be hoped that the organization will be perfected and that before many weeks Washington can boast of another military organization. The promoters are enthusiastic over the prospects.

Mr. Norwood L. Simmons returned this morning from a professional trip.

Baptist Church Phillatheas Entertained The Baracas

On last evening at the First Baptist Church occurred a most interesting exercise. The Phillatheas Class of the Sunday School, of which Mr. W. C. Miller is the capable and efficient teacher, entertained. Not only were the Phillatheas present but the members of the Baraca Class and the officers and teachers of the entire Sunday School. In all there were about seventy-five in attendance. The occasion proved to be one of the most delightful yet given in the city. After the rendition of a

varied and entertaining program delicious and tempting refreshments were served. The program as arranged was carried out as follows: Music, by Orchestra. Selection, Quartet. Selection, Graphophone. Solo, Mrs. Coopedge. Selection, Quartet. Music, Orchestra. Selection, Graphophone. Selection, Quartet. Reading, Miss Lucy Peterson. Selection, Orchestra. Music, Graphophone.

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REPAIRING WAREHOUSE William Bragg and Co., are now engaged in repairing their large warehouse at the foot of Gladness Street.