

Local Showers Tonight and Tomorrow

PARTY FROM AURORA AT A HOUSE PARTY

Was Given at Well Known Summer Resort, Pamlico Beach, Last Week.

ANOTHER SOCIAL AT THE BRYAN HOME

Mrs. W. J. McWilliams Charmingly Entertains Her Friends.

Last week quite a number of our young people returned from Pamlico Beach where they had been attending a most enjoyable house-party. The chief amusements of the party was crabbing, fishing, bathing and sailing. The following were members of the party:

Misses Lola Thompson, Sallie Broome, of Kinston; Clara Litchfield, Garnet, Mary and Rebecca Bonner, Masters William Harvey and Jack McWilliams, Bryan and Charlie Glen Midyette, Mrs. W. J. McWilliams and Mrs. Frank Cuthrell chaperoned.

Miss Cora Bryan is a most charming hostess this week to a house-party composed of the following girls: Misses Helen Gullford, Mary Watson, Em Gullford and Virginia Hooker. Thursday evening a delightful hay-ride was given in honor of the house party. The following enjoyed the ride:

Misses Cora Bryan, Helen Gullford, Mary Watson, Emily Gullford, Virginia Hooker, Annie Ferebee, Ella Hooker and Dora Bonner. Messrs David Gallagher, David Ferebee, Lem Broome, Fanner Gullford, Horace Gullford, Bob Thompson, and Manley Mrs. Wallace Gullford chaperoned.

Friday evening Miss Bryan gave a moonlight sail in honor of her guests which was greatly enjoyed by the following couples:

Miss Nellie Broome with Mr. Frye; Miss Virginia Hooker with Mr. Manley; Mildred Ferebee with Mr. W. Selby; Miss Cora Bryan with Mr. Henry Chapin; Miss Kathleen Bryan with Mr. Willie Bryan; Miss Dora Bonner with David Ferebee. Misses Helen Gullford, Annie Ferebee, Ella Hooker, Lottie Bonner and Emily Gullford. Mrs. Wallace Gullford chaperoned.

Saturday evening a party was given on the beautiful lawn at Miss Bryan's home. Refreshments consisting of cream and cake was served. This most enjoyable occasion was attended by the following couples:

Miss Cora Bryan with Lem Broome, Miss Kathleen Bryan with Carl Watson, Virginia Hooker with Mr. Manley; Annie Ferebee with Horace Gullford; Emily Gullford with John Bonner; Nellie Broome with George Irvin Bonner; Hannah Cuthrell with Geo. Dixon; Mary Watson with Archie Bonner; Helen Gullford with Lexa Bonner; Mildred Ferebee with Willie Selby; Mary Gullford with Fenner Gullford. Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Gullford.

Last Thursday evening Mrs. W. J. McWilliams most charmingly entertained a number of young people. First cream was served then claret ice. The following enjoyed Mrs. McWilliams' hospitality:

Misses Lola Thompson, Garnet, Rebecca, Mary and Minta Bonner; Sallie and Nellie Broome. Messrs John and Archie Bonner, Charlie Dixon, T. Whitehurst, Mr. Frye, Mr. Bishop Mr. Hampton and George Irvin Bonner.

INFANT DEAD

Peyton Lee Thratt, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Thratt, passed away at the home of his parents on West Third Street last night. He was a bright and interesting little fellow. The funeral was conducted from the residence this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Rev. H. B. Seagriff pastor of the First Presbyterian Church.

WISHES TO APPEAL FROM HIS SENTENCE

Commissioner Gaylord Declines to Disclaim Burden for County Conditions.

WILLING TO AID IN CORRECTING EVILS

Aasks Daily News Readers to Decide as to His Consistency.

Editor Daily News: Although convicted by you in issue of July 23 of either being guilty of ignorance or of willful neglect of duty, I shall herewith take an appeal if you will allow.

I hereby quote a paragraph in full from an editorial in your issue of July 13 to which I took exception: "For the past two years a majority of the board have really been in favor of disbanding the chain gang, but for political reasons they have been afraid to do the things which they admit should have been done. Instead of expending an expense to the county a proposition was made where by the county would receive a revenue of \$4000, or more per year from the convicts."

My statement in issue of July 23 for which you "convict" me was this: "Now Mr. Mayo, I am one of the board who was willing to discontinue the chain gang, not because they were of no benefit to those county roads which are under my observation, but because it seemed a way to escape that year deficit and as you are familiar with the laws passed by the legislature of 1911 I will cite you to the road laws passed by that body."

Now in substance that law gives the road district the privilege to employ the chain gang by paying the full cost of their maintenance. It also gives county commissioners the privilege to disband the force. Whether I was inconsistent let the readers decide. I admitted that I favored the chain gang because of road benefit. I was willing to discontinue them on account of expense. When the means for maintaining them was provided other than the general county fund I thought the conditions were satisfied. If the people are unwilling to bear the cost of their maintenance it would probably be a good idea to demand their withdrawal through the coming county convention. The change in the system of maintaining the roads was due to a resolution of the county convention two years ago.

I am willing to abide by the county convention and am also mindful of the advice of those interested in the better government of Beaufort county. In reference to a reply the editor made me concerning any query as to how the county home was to be placed on a self-supporting basis I think he took it the wrong way. I certainly did not ask him to point out to me my duty but merely asked him for information beneficial to the county. Such information I am always willing to seek and apply. As to my presuming to answer in the name of the whole board for the conditions of affairs I would not think of assuming such a burden.

I join with Mr. Fred Latham in asking the "co-operation of all good Democrats in the coming convention irrespective of feuds or factions, to assist in devising plans to correct these evils."

Yours truly, W. F. GAYLORD.

Bath, N. C.

NINE BABIES MIXED.

Practical Joke Results in Problem More Intricate Than Solomon's. Elton, O., July 30.—Nine times the problem which established the wisdom of Solomon, the parentage of an infant, confronted the city marshal here.

Nine alien mothers, workers in the beet field, left the infants in the baby booth before they went to work. A practical joker changed the clothes of the youngsters and when the women returned in the evening no one knew her own child.

An appeal was made to the city marshal. He was at a loss to identify the children.

THE PEOPLE OF EAST N. C. WANT HIM

Governor Jarvis Praises the Work of Senator Simmons and Congressman Small.

EDITOR BOB PHILLIPS WRITES HIS PAPER

Ex-Governor Says Mistake to Turn Services Down at This Time.

Mr. R. M. Phillips, associate editor of the Greensboro Daily News, attended the annual meeting of the North Carolina Press Association at Morehead City last week. In writing to his paper Mr. Phillips among other things takes occasion to refer to North Carolina's Grand Old man in no less a personage than Ex-Governor Thos. J. Jarvis who visited the Press association while a guest at the Atlantic Hotel. While not on the program for an address the Governor was called upon for a speech and of course responded to the gratification of the editors. In telling of the occasion we quote from Mr. Phillips:

This tremendous project, that Governor Jarvis stresses as being of such great importance to the future growth and strength of North Carolina from an industrial standpoint is a part of the system of development so presciently and successfully pressed by Senator Simmons and Congressman Small, and for which large appropriations for preliminary work are already available and for which they have assurance of sufficient funds as needed for the completion of the work. And I may add in this connection, as a statement of what appears to be the truth from statements made by the best posted men, that Senator Simmons is the choice of a great majority of these eastern people to succeed himself in the senate. They figure that no matter how able any competitor of Senator Simmons may be that it would be a ridiculous policy, ruinous in its effects to supplant him when he has matters of such vital importance so well in hand and so near complete accomplishment. One prominent man said to me that if all these developments were not half as important as they are he would still vote for Simmons. He declared that to turn Senator Simmons out now would be equivalent to saying to the rest of the country that North Carolina didn't care for such great development as has been begun; that other states might take our money and develop themselves and profit by our taxes and maybe induce some more of our bright young men to leave North Carolina and help to build up other states on our money and our own blood.

It was suggested to him that some other man in the senate might keep the good work started by Senator Simmons going. "Show me the record of the man who is regarded as his leading opponent. What has he ever done to warrant the belief that he would do anything in the direction needed? The governor is not making this campaign on his own record. It is the same old cry, that Simmons is not a good Democrat. That makes the people in the eastern part of the state ought. Folks down here remember that Mr. Kitchen said the same sort of Mr. Craig four years ago; but is not saying it now. You fellows up the country may be fooled by that sort of argument but the people of the east know that Simmons is a Democrat for whom they do not have to explain nor apologize. They want him to stay in the senate because he is doing things that count now and will count greater in the future." And so it goes down here, Simmons stock is high and going up. Enthusiasm is already bubbling and a Simmons tidal wave is as certain to sweep this section as that the election will arrive.

With such men as Simmons in the senate and Small in the house we do not have to beg for that which belongs to us. These men and their colleagues, in promoting the inland waterway and the harbor of refuge are merely giving us the right to invest a part of our funds in improvements that will help very largely in making the state greater.

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REPRESENTS GERMANY IN ENGLAND



Baron Adolf Marschall von Bieberstein, who has been transferred by the German emperor from the embassy of Constantinople to that of London, succeeds Count von Metternich. He was born in Karlsruhe in 1842, was educated at Heidelberg and was a minister of state before he was made ambassador to Turkey in 1897.

Sixth Division Naval Reserves To Have Cruise August 18

Mr. Charles L. Morton, Lieutenant Commanding the Sixth Division North Carolina Naval militia has just returned from New Bern where he perfected arrangements for the annual cruise of the local militia on the United States training ship Elfrida. The reserves are to begin their cruise on August 18 and will return ten days thereafter. The militia will leave on the Elfrida on August 18 and sail to Neuse river for target practice which is expected to last two days; from Neuse river they will go to Morehead City to spend one day. From Morehead they will go out side for a day and then go to Wrightsville to spend two days, and one day at Wilmington. They will spend one day at Morehead on the return trip and just before returning to their home will engage in three pound gun work in Neuse river. The cruise will be in command of Captain Thomas C. Daniels, chief of staff F. H. Shipp and with Lieutenant James E. Clark of this city as navigating officer, besides the commanding officers of the Sixth division. The boys are expecting the time of their lives and the indications are that every member will be on hand when the Elfrida leaves on the morning of the 18th.

LAWN PARTY TONIGHT ON THE M. E. CHURCH LAWN

The Brigade, a juvenile society of the First Methodist Church, will give a lawn party on the green at the church building this evening. The purpose of the party is to raise funds toward liquidating the debt on the pavement in front of the church and also in front of the property owned by the church on Market Street. It is to be hoped that the Brigade will receive a generous patronage as the cause is a most worthy one. Cake and cream will be served.

DIST. MEETING I. O. O. F. AT AYDEN THURSDAY

The district meeting of the I. O. O. F., for the counties of Pitt, Martin, Beaufort, Hyde and Washington, will meet in the town of Ayden, N. C. on Thursday, August 1. The delegates from Phalanx Lodge No. 10, this city, are Messrs M. F. McKeel, A. B. Whitley and K. Joyner Respass.

Mr. T. W. Phillips is the president Mr. J. F. Thomas and Mr. W. S. Frazier district supervisor and Grand Guardian. Mr. C. G. Morris will also attend the meeting which is expected to last one day.

HAS APPENDICITIS

The 3-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Mathew Moore, of Chocowinity was successfully operated on at the Washington Hospital on Saturday evening for appendicitis. The little fellow is getting along nicely.

TENEMENT HOUSE AFIRE YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

Yesterday afternoon about four o'clock there was an alarm of fire and the department responded promptly, the West End Reel team being the first to reach the scene. It proved to be the kitchen attached to a residence owned by Mr. J. F. Taylor, fronting the Washington Hospital on Washington Street and occupied by Mr. George Waters and family. Considerable damage was done to the roof of the building which caught, it is surmised, from the chimney.

The damage will aggregate about fifty dollars.

AUTO AND BICYCLE COLLIDED YESTERDAY

Yesterday afternoon while citizens were hastening to the fire on Washington Street there was a mixup on West Main Street between a bicycle and a auto and the rider of the wheel Mr. J. A. Harmon met with the misfortune to have his face and arm bruised and cut and his bicycle smashed. Mr. Hoyt Moore and several others were in his auto going to the fire up Main Street and Mr. Harmon on his wheel was riding in the same direction. There was quite a number of other vehicles on the street at the time. Mr. Harmon claims that the automobile struck him and knocked him down and his injuries are the result. While Mr. Moore on the other hand claims that his ma-

THE TRUSTS ARE GOING TO RAISE PRICE

That the Democrats Will Control Government After Next Election.

ONE FINAL GOUGE IN POCKETBOOKS

Will End the Protection Privilege For Many Years Plunder.

Special to the Daily News. WASHINGTON, D. C., July 30.—Face to face with the realization that a Democratic administration is coming into control of the government, and knowing that this will mean an end to the tariff protection privilege under which they have plundered the people for nearly a score of years, the tariff trusts are going to raise prices again this fall. They are going to take one final gouge into the pocketbooks of the people before they are pushed away from the troughs of special privilege at which they have grown fat.

The leather trust, which is owned, for the most part by the beef barons, has announced that the price of leather is to be increased 20 per cent. This increase is attributed to the greater demand of the automobile manufacturers for leather. This demand is no greater now than it has been for the last three or four years, and those who are familiar with trade conditions say the trust's excuse is only a subterfuge. The increase will mean another boost in the price of shoes, which in turn will mean that hundreds of thousands, especially women and children who are unable to pay more than they are now paying, will have to use a cheaper grade of shoes.

The cloth manufacturers—which means the woolen trust—also have announced an increase in prices for fall and winter deliveries. The price of woolen cloth, it is announced, is to go up all the way from 5 to 15 cents a yard. This increase is made necessary, the trust managers say, by the increased cost of labor, and by an alleged shortage of wool, not only in this, but in other wool producing countries as well.

It will be recalled that immediately after the Lawrence, Mass., strike last winter the wool trust boosted the prices of its products to meet the slight increase granted the workers. The mill men and women who had been working for \$5, \$6 and \$7 a week were given a five per cent increase, which meant only a few additional cents to them. And to meet this increase the wool trust raised prices 15 per cent, which was sufficient to meet the labor increase, and to pay for all the losses brought about by the strike. By sticking on this increase the trust's dividends were not interfered with, and when the stockholders came to clip their coupons they found that as far as profits were concerned there might just as well have been no strike.

WASHINGTON BAND TO ACCOMPANY RESERVES

The Washington Concert Band with Mr. R. Lee Stewart as director, will accompany the Sixth Division North Carolina Naval Reserves of this city, when they take their annual cruise in the waters of Eastern Carolina on the United States steamer Elfrida. All ready the band boys are practicing with a will and no doubt they will give a good account of themselves in a musical way during the outing. There is no town in the state where better musical talent is displayed and especially so in this true in band organizations.

HEREFOR TREATMENT

Mr. Shep Bowers, of Scotland Neck N. C., has been brought to the Washington Hospital for treatment.

chine did not strike him but that Mr. Harmon fell from the wheel. Anyway there was a collision and who is to blame the Daily News does not undertake to state. Mr. Harmon is out this morning attending to his business duties.

COLORADO'S NEW LAW IS UNIQUE ONE

First Assembly Under New Primary Law Meets in Denver Tomorrow.

HAS FEATURES THAT ARE ATTRACTIVE

It Tends to Eliminate Bitter Struggles for the Nominations.

Special to the Daily News. DENVER, Colo., July 30.—The first Republican State "Assembly," as provided for in Colorado's new primary law, will meet in this city tomorrow. The assembly, as constituted under the primary law, is something new in American politics. While it corresponds in some respects to the old state convention it possesses other features that are radically different. The supporters of the new plan claim for it that it is in accordance with the modern trend towards direct nominations and at the same time tends to eliminate the bitter struggles for the nominations that frequent prevailed under the old system.

The assemblies are formed in the same way that State conventions were formed. Each party holds caucuses, primaries and county conventions and names delegates to the assembly. The chief difference between the convention and the assembly lies in the provision that the assembly takes only one ballot on candidates for each office to be filled and anyone receiving 10 per cent of the total vote in the assembly is entitled to have his or her name on the primary ballot.

Following the State assembly any person who desires to be a candidate before the primaries and who did not receive the nomination in the assembly can become a candidate by filing petitions with the secretary of state requesting that his name be placed on the primary ballot of any party to which he belongs. The names of 300 resident voters of the state must sign the petition.

The Colorado primaries this year will be held on September 10. Two weeks later according to the new law the State and legislative candidates will meet with the members of the State central committees in Denver to draft the party platforms.

Though this will bring the time up to within six weeks of the date of the election the law provides still another chance for new candidates to get on the November ballot. According to the law, anyone not satisfied with the result as obtained by the assemblies, the primaries and the subsequent platform meetings can get on the regular ballot through petition by securing the same number of signatures that would have been required to get on the September primary ballot and can certify a platform of his own and make the race independently.

Whichever faction in the Republican party is defeated in the assembly tomorrow undoubtedly will take advantage of the provisions of the law above cited to get on the ballot at the November election. The opinion prevails that the Taft regulars will be able to control the assembly, since they have the support of the State organization and won out in the State convention.

MOVING TODAY

Mr. P. Orleans is today moving to his new and attractive store building formerly occupied by Mr. H. H. Satterthwaite on Market Street. The building has been thoroughly overhauled, repainted and improved in every way.

Mr. W. F. Delaney, of Raleigh, N. C., was on our streets last evening.

- * NEW ADVERTISEMENTS *
- * IN TODAY'S NEWS *
- * Lyric.
- * E. C. Training School.
- * H. Clarke and Sons.
- * J. L. O'Quinn.
- * Wilson Freckle Cream.
- * Zemo.
- * Bingham School.