

Weather: Fair and Warmer

## TOBACCO MEETING TUESDAY; MR. GRAVELY PRESENT

Mr. J. O. W. Gravelly of the tobacco firm of Brasswell, Levy and Gravelly, one of the best known and most successful tobacco firms in the State, will be here Tuesday to discuss the local tobacco situation with men interested here.

Tuesday evening is the time for the regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce. All the stockholders in the new warehouse, and those in the old one, are invited to attend this meeting.

A week or so ago, a joint meeting was held between the Chamber and the stockholders, which speedily adjourned because the presence of Mr. Gravelly was desired.

Matters of vital importance will be arranged at the coming meeting, and it is therefore important that everybody who has any interest at stake should be on hand.

## METHODIST CHURCH SERMONS TOMORROW

Rev. H. H. Broome will preach at the morning service of the First Methodist church on "Joy, the Christian's Source of Strength."

In the evening, his subject will be "The Way of Salvation."

The music at this church is always a feature, and an inspiring service and sermon may be promised to all who attend.

Sunday school will be held at the usual hour, 8 o'clock in the afternoon, and a delightful and helpful service has been planned for the children. Any grown people who choose to attend will be apt to go away considerably refreshed spiritually.

## SHIPPING NEWS

There are comparatively few vessels in port today, there being scarcely any new ones and few old ones still here.

The Clara of Philadelphia, Capt. Harvey Nickerson, owned by Charles Grings of Philadelphia, is making final preparations to sail with a cargo of lumber.

The Lillian of Falkland, Capt. Deupree (colored) is again in port today.

The Columbia, a fish boat from Hatteras, Capt. Styron, arrived in port this morning.

The barge Myrtle, owned by J. D. Armstrong, was being towed up the river this morning.

The fish boat Sterling, owned by the fish company of that name in Washington, is still in port.

The oyster boat Julia V., of Vande mere, Capt. Voliva, which won fame recently by hauling up a king crab attacked to a pint of whiskey, is again in port.

The oyster boat Casey Jones, of Pamlico County, Capt. Whitfield, is lying in port.

The gas boat Ellet of Norfolk, Capt. A. B. Toler, is in port today.

## CLEAN SHAVEN CABINET IS NEW PRESIDENT'S

Washington, March 8.—The pictures of the new Cabinet have brought out comment on the smooth-faced administration. President Wilson and eight of his ten Cabinet ministers are clean shaven. Only one, Secretary Redfield, wears whiskers. Secretary Houston is the only other one not to keep a smooth face. He wears a mustache.

Secretary Redfield and his spicach look like relics of the Chester A. Arthur period. President Harrison was the last chief executive to wear whiskers, but Cleveland, Roosevelt and Taft all had mustaches. McKinley was smooth shaven.

This clean-faced administration is particularly noticed by foreign visitors, as the people in Europe have come to identify smooth-shaven travelers as Americans.

Secretaries Bryan and Lane, the two strong men of the Cabinet, are the only baldheads.

## MISS ROOSEVELT'S WEDDING IS ANNOUNCED

Oyster Bay, N. Y., March 8.—The date of the wedding of Miss Ethel Carow Roosevelt, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, to Dr. Richard Derby, of this city, has been fixed as Friday, April 4.

The wedding will be in the Episcopal church here, and a reception will follow at the Roosevelt residence on Sagamore Hill.

The bridal couple will sail the next day for a honeymoon trip to Europe.

## BIG CHECK RECEIVED BY FARM BUREAU

Mr. J. K. Doughton, treasurer of the Beaufort County Farm Bureau, last night received from the Crop Improvement Committee of Chicago a check for \$1,000. This is the money furnished by the Sears, Roebuck Co., or its treasurer, Mr. A. H. Loeb, for distribution over the country to those counties which are sufficiently interested in farm improvement work to raise not less than \$1,000 by private subscription, perfect the proper organization, etc.

Readers of the News will recall that a few weeks ago this work was undertaken by Mr. Doughton and a number of other local citizens, with the result that \$1,200 was soon subscribed by the business men of this town and county. The Board of County Commissioners saw the merit of the splendid idea and subscribed \$1,000. The U. S. Department of Agriculture will also provide not less than \$40 per month, and will maintain a general supervision over the work.

All this money is to cover a period of not less than three years. Its expenditure is in the hands of a committee of five, viz: C. A. Flynn, C. S. Dixon, P. H. Johnson, E. R. Mixon and W. T. Huddell. There is also an advisory committee, composed of three men from each township in the county. Harry McMullan is president and Jno. F. Latham is county agent. The organization will be devoted to those things which make for better farming and better rural conditions in Beaufort County.

## HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

The Senior Class of Washington High School were charmingly entertained by the Freshman B Class at an informal banquet. This afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The color scheme of purple and white was carried out in the table decorations, the center-piece being arranged of beautiful royal purple hyacinths, emmed in a rosette of purple crepe paper.

The guests immediately found their places by smart hand-painted place cards fastened with dainty bouquets of fragrant, snow white blossoms.

The seats of honor were occupied by Mrs. J. T. Lawson and Mr. M. A. Huggins, teachers respectively of the Freshman and Senior classes, and Mr. N. C. Newbold, superintendent of the schools.

Speeches and toasts were made by the following: Mr. M. A. Huggins, Mrs. J. T. Lawson, Mr. N. C. Newbold and Mr. Bruce D. Hodges, president of the class.

The menu was as follows: Salad Sandwiches Olives Chocolate

Cheese Tid Bits Cake Jelly and Cream

Those present were: Misses Sallie Carrow, Bettie Spencer, Elizabeth Taylor, Jessie McCulloch, Helen Shaw, Rena Harding, Mabel Dalley, Margie Spain, Louise Bright, "Puss" Stille, Ella Lee Wright and Olivia Jordan; Messrs. Bruce D. Hodges, Garland Hodges, M. A. Huggins, N. C. Newbold and Mrs. J. T. Lawson.

## TURKISH CRUISER SINKS GREEK VESSELS

Vienna, March 8.—The Turkish cruiser Hamidieh yesterday sank three Greek transports loaded with Serbian troops on the way to Scutari, according to a Constantinople dispatch to the Neue Erbs Presse.

The attack on the transports occurred, it was said, near the peninsula of Hagion Oros, in the Aegean sea. From this it would appear that the transports were proceeding not to Scutari but to Gallipoli where it was proposed some time ago by the Balkan allies to make a flank attack on the Turkish troops defending the Dardanelles.

The convoy of Greek transports was a large one, consisting of 24 vessels, which carried 34 guns. They were encountered by the Hamidieh shortly after they had left the coast. With her battery of powerful 4.7 inch guns she was able to create havoc among the practically unprotected transports loaded with soldiers, according to the report received here.

Mr. James Woolard of Stalling's Cross Roads is here today.

## LIQUOR BILL ALREADY IS BEING FELT

Norfolk, March 8.—Acting upon orders, the local agent of the Southern and Adams Express Companies, L. Ellison, notified the small order liquor houses in the city that it will be impossible to accept consignments of liquor to South Carolina, and for some sections of North Carolina, where the dispensary act is in effect.

This state of affairs is a development of the Webb bill's operation. It will be recalled that the Webb bill, forbidding the shipment of whiskey into dry territory, was vetoed during the waning days of his administration by President Taft, as an unconstitutional measure, but was passed over his veto, and is now operative.

South Carolina will now put into enforcement an act on its statute books, covering shipment of liquor into that territory, which has heretofore been a dead measure on account of the Interstate Commerce laws. The Webb bill, however, makes it possible for South Carolina to stop the shipment of whiskey into that State except to the dispensary system.

The local mail order houses, and those of Norfolk and elsewhere in the State intend to fight the constitutionality of the Webb act. The liquor men haven't been inactive in the matter, though they were under the impression that the Webb bill wouldn't become operative until July 1. Now that the express companies have refused consignments to South Carolina and parts of North Carolina, the liquor men have determined to seek a restraining order, and will test the constitutionality of the Webb act.

W. L. Long, a mail order shipper, stated last night that the liquor men will ask Judge Waddell for an injunction in the United States Court on Saturday afternoon.

He added that Eastern and Central North Carolina, where the dispensary act is not in effect, is able to receive liquor shipments, and they are going forward. Only a few places in the North State are affected by the express companies' refusal to accept shipments of liquor.

## GOOD CLEAN BILL ON AT LYRIC TONIGHT

As a well balanced act and one that pleases the general run of amusement seekers, the act at the Lyric for the last half of this week was far beyond the majority.

"Billy & Peggy Mallin" was the attraction in vaudeville, presenting a very clean and clever singing, talking and musical number. The entire act has been loudly praised by every one who has attended. The singing of Mrs. Mallin was very good, and among other features was the excellent musical solo by Mr. Mallin.

The regular matinee and night performances of today closes their engagement here, offering another well pleasing act and something you will enjoy.

The manager of the Lyric announces next week exclusively motion picture will be cancelled until after the lion will be cancelled until after the tenth season.

The Lyric has always held the praise of exhibiting some of the best motion pictures that have been released and no doubt but what the patronage will continue along the same lines with this great addition.

## MANY KILLED IN EXPLOSION

Baltimore, March 8.—Three hundred and forty tons of dynamite exploded in lower Baltimore harbor, killing about fifty men and wounding as many more, many of them fatally.

The explosion was being transferred from a barge to the British steamer Alum Chine when it went off from a cause as yet unknown.

The men killed were members of the crews of the steamer and the barge and the vessels moored near by.

## LOCAL LAWYERS DR. FRIEDMANN WIN OUT IN BIG CASE

Several local attorneys made a splendid showing recently in a big case tried before the Federal Circuit Court of Appeals. It was a case involving a steam dredge which sold for \$20,000 when sold to meet the claims against it.

It was decided that Judge Connor erred in entering a decree in the district court at New Bern giving certain claimants priority over certain other claimants in the admiralty case involving Steam Dredge A.

The splendid work of a group of Washington, N. C., lawyers, had much to do, judging from all accounts, with the decision.

The Philadelphia creditors were represented by Mr. Harry McMullan and by the firm of Small, McLean & Bryan.

It was Mr. McMullan who did the actual arguing in the Federal Circuit Court of Appeals, with the aforesaid result.

The following dispatch to the News and Observer from Richmond explains the case in detail.

"Judge Connor erred in entering a decree in the district court at New Bern, N. C., giving North Carolina claimants priority over claimants from Pennsylvania in the admiralty case involving the steam dredge A which was libeled for repairs, supplies and other necessaries while engaged in the work of deepening the harbor at Beaufort, N. C., in August, 1911. So decided the Federal Circuit Court of Appeals in an opinion today when the matter was remanded for another hearing.

"The principal point in the case was whether the repairs and supplies furnished at Beaufort were entitled to preference over those furnished at Philadelphia prior to the voyage of the dredge to Beaufort. There is nothing in the records to show that any of the claimants showed priority over the others, the Appellate Court held.

"The dredge, when sold to meet claims against it, brought \$20,000. Among the North Carolina libel claimants were Herman Sunk's company, Green, Foundry and Machine company, A. F. Pittman and Son, of New Bern, and A. D. O'Brien, Alonzo Ryan and J. Jones, S. B. Hancock, W. Mac and C. T. Ramsey, of Beaufort."

Rev. Thomas Green of Pantego, a former member of the Board of County Commissioners, is among the day's visitors.

## Greatest Value Ever Offered For One Penny

The power of a penny is truly wonderful when one considers what it will buy.

It will buy a woman's entertainment. It will buy pages of clever written incidents happening throughout the world. It will buy complete stories of adventures in the daily lives of men and women. It will buy comics and ludicrous features that "bring happiness to declining years and erase the frownlines of time from wrinkled brows."

It will buy the latest news of the world, the success of the operatic stage, the baseball and gridiron feats of skill and strength, the review of the latest books and music.

Do you know of a greater value for one penny than your daily newspaper?

The penny you invest in The Daily News will pay dividends a hundred fold if you will read its advertisements closely and constantly every night and take advantage of the money-saving opportunities they afford.

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## COTTON MARKET

List Cotton, 12c Seed Cotton, 4 1/2c Cotton Seed, \$26.00.

## DR. FRIEDMANN NOW TESTING HIS CURE

New York, March 8.—The first demonstration in America of Dr. F. F. Friedmann's treatment, which the visiting Berlin physician declares is a cure for tuberculosis, was given by Doctor Friedmann himself yesterday.

In the presence of physicians representing the city, the State and the staffs of hospitals of several cities.

Three patients, two men and a woman were selected by Doctor Friedmann from 50 tuberculosis sufferers gathered from all parts of the city, all hopeful that they would receive treatment. The woman has been ill three years. Her's is a chronic case of the disease at the knee and was the most serious of the three chosen. The two men have tuberculosis of the lungs. Their cases are not beyond the insipient stage, according to authorities of the Peop's Hospital, the institution where the demonstration was given. Each of the men patients has been showing improvement and gaining weight since beginning, several months ago, the best recognized tuberculosis treatment of the day, it was stated.

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## ELFRIDA OFF AT LAST; PAMLICO HAS HER IN TOW

New Bern Sun: Elizabeth City, N. C., last Saturday with the United States steamer Elfrida in tow after a hard battle for her life.

The Elfrida left Washington, N. C., last Saturday with the North Carolina naval reserves on board to take part in the inauguration parade at Washington, D. C., on March 4th.

During thick weather in a hard blow the Elfrida was driven ashore in an exposed position in Albemarle Sound near North River light. The following morning the Pamlico, while cruising, discovered the Elfrida flying signals of distress and immediately went to her assistance.

The Elfrida draws about eight feet of water and she had been driven in this precarious position during a high gale and was stranded on a long shoal in five feet of water, hard sand bottom. It became evident to Captain Harry B. West, commanding the cutter, that if the Elfrida was to be saved the most strenuous and heroic methods must be resorted to. No time was lost in sending a crew aboard the distressed vessel in command of Lieutenant Cecil M. Gabbett. Her coal was shifted outboard in her bunkers. Lifting her as far outboard as possible, the tackles were rigged from the two masts of the wreck. The crew of the cutter finally succeeded in heaving her down on her beams end. By this means the depth of the vessel was

reduced. In the meantime heavy tugs were sent aboard as rapidly as possible and secured. In this position the mightiest efforts of the cutter were used to draw the Elfrida over the shoals.

Two days were expended in this strenuous though unsuccessful effort. The morning of the third day work was resumed. The wind changing to the westward blowing fresh, indicating a storm, every effort was now put forward as it became apparent that the distressed vessel must be relieved from her perilous position at once or she would go to pieces. The seas washing high over her decks, the vessel pounding on the hard sand, the naval reserves were out with their trying hardships of the previous two days, the wind increased in violence during the day. Finally the Elfrida was twisted into a position head to the sea and with much danger to the cutter in its close proximity to the wreck, the Pamlico put forth her most strenuous efforts and ragged the Elfrida into deep water and to a place of safety.

The Elfrida is somewhat damaged about her rolls and masts but no serious damage seems to have happened to the hull. She is now in this port awaiting orders from the Navy Department.

The entire crew and officers of the Elfrida are high in their praise for the heroic and untiring efforts displayed in the rescue by Captain West, Lieutenant Gabbett and the crew.

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