

# WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, NORTH CAROLINA, WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, MAY 14

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## Chamber of Commerce Meeting Held Last Night

NEW IMPORTANT MATTERS TALKED UP AT REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING.

### COMMITTEES REPORT

Committee on the Booklet which is to be published later than it will be complete within a few weeks' time.

A meeting of the Chamber of Commerce was held last night. Vice-President T. H. Meyers presided. About twelve members were present.

The committee, which has charge of the printing of the booklet on the business prospects, etc., of Washington, reported that they had read the proofs of the book and returned them. It is expected that the book will be completed within a few weeks.

A favorable report was made on the tobacco situation and also by the committee which went to Richmond.

A set of resolutions of greeting and sympathy were sent to Secretary Flynn who is ill in the hospital.

Several other matters were discussed but no action taken.

## MARRIAGES YESTERDAY

### Cornelius Harrington.

James E. Cornelius and Martha Harrington were married at nine o'clock yesterday morning by the Rev. R. V. Hope. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's parents on Market street. Only the immediate relatives of the couple were present at the ceremony. Both are well known in the city.

### Hooker-White.

James Hooker and Ethel White were married last night. The ceremony was performed by Justice of the Peace A. Mayo at his residence. Both the bride and groom are residents of Washington.

### GILBERT ITEMS.

Mrs. Mary Ecklin is seriously ill. We hope for her speedy recovery.

N. B. Lewis' children, who have been ill with fever, are rapidly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ecklin of Winston were here last week visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Ecklin.

Quite a number from here attended church at Elizabeth Chapel Sunday.

Mrs. H. R. Cutler spent a few days last week with her parents at Blount Creek.

Arthur Yeates, who has been spending a few days with his parents at Goldsboro.

Mrs. Sara Woodard was a visitor at T. H. Daniels' Saturday night.

Messrs. H. B. and J. H. Ecklin of Washington were down Sunday to see their mother, Mrs. Mary Ecklin.

Mrs. W. G. Yeates was the guest of Mrs. E. B. Lewis Friday.

Mrs. G. B. Cutler spent Friday with her daughter, Mrs. B. D. Daniels.

## DANCED 18,000 MILES; NOW CLAIMS RECORD.

St. Petersburg, May 12.—Countess Lamedora has published a unique book of reminiscences which is attracting much attention.

In one chapter she writes that before her marriage she attended 532 balls, and after, over a much longer period, only 567. From this she draws the inference that the average husband does not consider the dance a good enough excuse to see his wife in the arms even of his best friend. Before marrying she was proposed to 18 women; afterward she had to deal with 273 violent protestations of undying devotion. Of these admirers nearly a hundred threatened to do her an injury.

All told, the countess danced 2,334 quadrilles, 500 polkas and 4,509 waltzes, divided among 1,700 partners. Her analysis of them is interesting. She designated 1,350 as fools, 360 drowsy, 135 indifferent, 23 nice, but only 9 lovable.

The countess asks if any other woman has danced so many miles as she—15,000.

### TO ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT.

Mrs. Beverly Moss Gives Luncheon Today for That Purpose.

Mrs. Beverly Moss gave a luncheon today to announce the engagement of Miss Mary Wright to George Thomas of Colorado Springs.

## MRS. L. E. KIDD ENTERTAINS.

"Silver Chain" Met at Her Residence Last Night. Enjoyable Evening Spent.

Mrs. L. E. Kidd entertained the "Silver Chain" of the Methodist Church at her residence on East Second street last night from eight until eleven. A large number of members of the "Chain" were present and enjoyed a very pleasant evening. Delicious ice cream, cake and punch were served. Mrs. E. P. Martin presided over the punch bowl.

Among those who were present were Mesdames W. K. Jacobson, George Paul, James McCluer, Geo. A. Spencer, John McCluer, James Phillips of Atlanta, Ga., Jesse Ross, E. P. Martin and J. L. Mayo; Misses Ada Rhodes, Mattie Crossen, Nina Rhodes, Mattie Harris. Honorary guests were Messrs. E. K. Willis, Jr., James McCluer, L. E. Kidd and J. Jacobs.

## PROFITABLE FLY CATCHING.

### Louisiana Man Making Good Living While City Treasury Holds Out.

Shreveport, La., May 14.—There is a man in Shreveport who is making an independent living catching flies and selling them to the city board of health.

His name is C. A. Barisch, and his net revenue from the fly industry for the first two days of this week was \$24.20.

When the city health board began offering cash premiums for flies dead or alive Barisch purchased about 100 traps and placed them in fly ridden sections of the city.

Then he began making inroads on the health board's exchequer, and so well did he operate that he bore the market price down from 50 cents to 30 cents a quart, for it is by that measure that Dr. Chandler purchases.

Barisch still is working, and he will work as long as the treasury holds out. He finds fly catching pays.

## CIVIL SERVICE RETIREMENT MEETING.

Washington, May 14.—The fourteenth annual convention of the United States Civil Service Retirement Association began here today, with many representatives of various local branches in attendance. The chief aim of the organization is to secure the establishment of an independent bureau in each department of the government to which all questions regarding promotions, denotions and dismissals may be referred, and which shall work for the retirement of faithful employees of the government after they shall have been incapacitated by age, illness or other legal causes. The sessions are being held in Grand Army Hall.

## TWIN CITY NO LONGER.

### Winston-Salem Effective Yesterday Became Single Municipality.

Winston-Salem, N. C., May 12.—Wiping two towns off the map is an event today in the formal extinguishing of Winston and Salem as governmental units. Henceforth the community embraced in these two towns will appear upon the map of the world as the City of Winston-Salem.

Today the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the city of Winston-Salem succeeded to all the authority and duties heretofore exercised by the Board of Aldermen of Winston and Board of Commissioners of Salem.

In the consolidation of the two towns which was recently determined upon by popular vote a new city is created with a population which has grown from 15,000 in 1900 to 46,000 in 1913 including the suburban settlements and essential parts of its commercial and industrial activities.

## SHIPPING NEWS

The schooner Venus, Capt. W. C. Payne from Hyde county, came in yesterday and is moored to the Norfolk Southern wharf. She brought in a cargo of peas and farm produce. She leaves today with a cargo of general freight.

The schooner Oregon, Capt. Allen Lupton of Carteret County, arrived in port yesterday with a cargo of sweet potatoes and onions. She will sail tomorrow with a cargo of general merchandise.

The schooner Columbus arrived in port last night with a cargo of general farm produce.

The schooner A. L. White is expected to leave today.

## TO TAKE CRUISE IN CUTTER PAMLILO

## SECRETARY JOSEPHUS DANIELS TO TAKE SHORT TRIP DOWN PAMLILO.

Wife of Secretary of Navy Will Accompany Her Husband Here on Monday. Elaborate Preparations for Her Entertainment While in the City.

Captain West of the U. S. Revenue Cutter, Pamlico, has received orders to have his vessel at this city on Monday for the purpose of taking on board the Secretary of the Navy, Josephus Daniels for a short cruise down the river. Captain West, who is now at Wilmington with the Pamlico, will leave there on Thursday or Friday of this week so as to be here in time for receiving Mr. Daniels. Mrs. Daniels will accompany her husband here on Monday. Elaborate plans are being made for her entertainment while in this city.

## PRESBYTERIAN'S FACE BIG PROBLEMS.

Atlanta, Ga., May 14.—Prominent members of the three leading Presbyterian denominations in the United States are here for the general assembly meetings which will continue for the next ten days. Fourteen hundred commissioners representing about 2,000,000 communicants are in attendance. The three bodies in session are the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America (North Presbyterian), the Presbyterian Church in the United States (South Presbyterian) and the United Presbyterian Church in North America. It is the first time since the civil war that the Northern and Southern assemblies have met at the same time.

The union of the United Presbyterian church with the Southern Presbyterian Church will be acted upon, and steps will be taken to have the Reformed, German, Church in the United States, which has a membership of about 300,000, merged into the Northern Presbyterian Church.

Committees will report upon revised confessions of faith and catechisms.

Another question of popular interest will be that of graded Sunday school lessons, against which the conservatives in the church are making a strong fight because of alleged radical teachings.

The advanced social service movement in the church has aroused considerable opposition, and much attention will be given to this subject, especially by the Northern assembly, although in the United Presbyterian body a new committee on industrial conditions and work in rural districts will make important recommendations.

The long discussed subject of the relations between the Union Theological Seminary, New York, and the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, looking to the removal of "all misunderstandings, alienations and antagonisms" will also come up for consideration. There are several candidates for the Moderatorship and the election promises to be a lively affair.

## JACK JOHNSON IS FOUND GUILTY

Chicago, May 14.—Jack Johnson, champion heavyweight fighter, last night was found guilty of violating the Federal white slave law in transporting Bella Schreiber from Pittsburgh to Chicago in 1910.

He was convicted on all seven counts in the indictments.

The jury returned its verdict after an hour's consideration.

## DON'T FAIL TO SEE THOSE MUSLIN Gowns and Skirts on sale at J. K. Hoyt's beginning Friday, May 16th. 59c. values for 29c. each.

## 100 Cents Worth for a Dollar

Being better dressed or more appropriately clothed, having more attractive furniture in your house, living in a better apartment, or owning a better automobile than your neighbor, doesn't necessarily mean that you have more money to spend than he has; it might, and probably does, mean that you are more alive to the possibilities and opportunities that surround you.

The same qualities of mind and intellect which make one merchant a shrewd purchaser than another make you a better manager of your annual expenditure.

The merchant or the purchasing agent of any big organization knows all there is to know about the things he buys. His dollar is 100 per cent. efficient.

If some large organizations conducted their purchasing departments as loosely and thoughtlessly as some families they should be bankrupt before very long.

And yet there is really no good reason why every individual should not get 100 cents worth for every dollar he spends for himself and his family.

The Daily News advertisement points the way.

## MAY 14 IN HISTORY.

- 1787—Convention of the States to frame a Federal Constitution met at Philadelphia.
  - 1798—Edward Jenner established the principles of vaccination.
  - 1826—New York State prison at Sing Sing opened.
  - 1836—Mexico acknowledged the independence of Texas.
  - 1856—Great Britain took possession of Burma, annexing it to India.
  - 1888—Spanish squadron reported off Venezuelan coast.
  - 1904—Japanese cruiser Miyako blown up by mines near Dalny.
  - 1911—Prince Lidl Jaesen, grandson of Menckel, proclaimed King of Abruzzola.
  - 1913—King Frederick VII., of Denmark, died suddenly of appendicitis in Hamburg.
- J. K. HOYT WILL SELL, BEGINNING FRIDAY, ANDROSCOGH BLENDING, 10 yards to customer, for 2-1/2-30 yard.

## TWO CASES OF ILLEGAL SALE OF LIQUOR

## BROUGHT UP AT RECORDER'S COURT YESTERDAY MORNING.

### BOTH ARE FOUND GUILTY

Forty-three dollars in Fines Besides Costs of Court Were Collected in Court Yesterday.

Several cases were brought up and disposed of at the session of the Recorder's Court yesterday.

The first case brought up was that of Fearson Liden. Two charges were brought against him for the illegal sale of liquor. In the first case he was fined \$35.00 and costs of court while in the second case, judgment was suspended upon his paying the costs of spirit and his promise of good behavior.

William Leary, colored, was brought before the court charged with speeding his automobile upon the streets of the city. He had been arrested by Officer Roberts. He was fined \$2.00 and costs of court.

William Knox of Washington township was charged with attempting to assault D. B. Glasscock with a pitchfork. He was found guilty and fined \$5.00 and costs.

R. E. Graves was charged with a violation of the city ordinance. He had been under \$10.00 bond to guarantee his appearance at court. He failed to come before the court yesterday and his bond was forfeited.

Henry Gibbs of this city was charged with two cases of selling liquor illegally. He was found guilty in both cases. He was fined \$25.00 and costs in the first case and \$10.00 and costs in the other. He appealed the case and was put under \$100.00 bond to appear before the next session of the criminal court.

## LYRIC THEATRE TONIGHT.

Where shall we spend the evening? Often the question has been asked, out the question could easily be answered, judging from the large and well pleased audience that greeted the exhibition of excellent photo plays shown at the Lyric last evening.

The management claimed yesterday to be no feature day with him as a program, but the class of pictures shown were certainly creditable and some of the best ever shown, they were a class that suited the audience and were well appreciated.

Today's program offers another class equal to the best and ones that will show tomorrow's attraction will be both impressive and picturesque, offering very high class artists in both singing and dancing. The main feature of Thursday's program will be the Spanish musician Senor Adoungui a well noted violinist.

## ENTERTAINS SENIOR CLASS

Graduates of Washington High School and Guests are Entertained by Miss Mabel Dalley.

Miss Mabel Dalley entertained the members of the graduating class of the Washington High School and other friends at her residence on East Second street last night. A large number were present and enjoyed a most pleasant evening.

The guests were received by Miss Dalley and her mother, Mrs. J. W. Dalley. Each was presented in turn to Miss Georgia Herndon and Edwin Ottinger, who are visiting Miss Dalley.

The evening was spent in singing, playing various games and dancing. Refreshments consisting of ice cream, cake and nuts were served. Everyone appeared to have had a most enjoyable time and upon their departure, all thanked Miss Dalley for a most pleasant evening.

Among those who were present were Messrs. Selma Carson, Violet Stille, Helen Shaw, Olivia Jordan, Ella Lee Wright, Elizabeth Taylor, Rena Harding, Louise Bright, Bettie Spencer, Margie Spain, Mildred Rumbley, Josephine Bowen, Beatrice Telfair and Georgia Herndon; Messrs. W. Telfair, E. Ottinger, T. Rouse, Harry Kear, Sam Fowle, Garland Baker, Jack Harris, James Fowle, John C. Taylor, Charles Meekins, Joe Mayo, M. A. Huggins, and Henry Jackson.

## DETROIT'S BIG MOTORDROME.

Detroit, Mich., May 14.—Detroit's big motordrome, the largest in the world, received its finishing touches today in time to attract to this city during the summer the cream of the motorcycle racing stars of the world. The Detroit motordrome consists of a circular bowl 500 feet in diameter with its interior tilted at an angle of 60 degrees. Experts state that the local speed oval will prove the fastest in the world.

## TO HOLD SHOOT TOMORROW AFTERNOON

## WASHINGTON GUN CLUB TO HOLD INTERESTING CONTEST TOMORROW.

Members of Cartridge Companies and Representatives from Neighboring Towns to Participate in the Shooting. All Are Invited to Attend.

The Washington Gun Club expects to hold one of its best shooting contests of the season tomorrow afternoon at the club grounds. The shoot will start at three o'clock sharp. A number of representatives from outside towns, including Williamston, Tarboro, Rocky Mount and others will participate in the shooting. There will also be present, representatives of cartridge companies who will give exhibitions of some crack work with the rifle.

Everyone is invited to be present and it is hoped that a large number will be on hand to encourage the local shooters in their work against the outsiders.

## HAVE YOU READ ABOUT BILL?

If you haven't you have missed much. He is the witty, tricky and uproariously funny office-boy whose humorous adventures are being chronicled from week to week in the New York World's 24-page Magazine. A brand-new series of short stories by Paul West that is winning the praise of its readers. And don't forget the Sunday World's great Weekly Joke Book—16 pages of jests, funny pictures, humorous stories, tricks, riddles, etc. To make sure of getting the best weekly newspaper in the country order next Sunday's World in advance.

## JAPAN EXPECTS U. S. TO TEST LAND LAW

### WILL TAKE NO FURTHER STEPS UNTIL GOV. JOHNSON ACTS ON BILL.

### EXPECT ANSWER IN A WEEK

Governor Johnson Has Thirty Days to Act, But Officials Believe That He Will Arrive at Some Decision Within a Week's Time.

Washington, May 14.—The Japanese ambassador will take no further steps in the protest against the California anti-alien land law until Gov. Johnson acts upon the bill before him.

Should he sign it, it was learned today that Japan, without making further representations to the State Department, will wait a reasonable time to learn what the Federal administration intends to do to meet its complaint against the measure.

It was indicated today that Japan would not move to test the constitutionality of the law but inclines to the view that it is incumbent upon the United States to take up that phase of the question.

Although it is understood here that Governor Johnson has thirty days to act, officials believe his answer to Secretary Bryan's last communication will be received within a week.

The Japanese situation was discussed today at the Cabinet meeting, but no conclusion was reached.

## "SILVER CHAIN" AT MRS. DAILEY'S.

Members of the Society Enjoy Pleasant Afternoon at Her Residence on East Second Street.

The members of the "Silver Chain" of the First Methodist Church spent a very pleasant afternoon with Mrs. J. W. Dalley at her residence on East Second street. Mrs. Dalley entertained the members of the society from four until six. A very pleasant afternoon was enjoyed by all present. Refreshments were served by Master Charles Dalley and were greatly enjoyed. Among those present were Mesdames L. E. Kidd, R. H. Broom, T. Lewis, A. Mayo, W. K. Jacobson, J. L. Mayo, Mrs. Byrd, Mrs. Smith and Miss Eunice Gibbs.

Mrs. W. H. Baker and Mrs. Claudia Waters.

## Meeting of Civic Club Yesterday Afternoon

## MEETING WAS HELD IN THE PUBLIC LIBRARY. ATTENDANCE WAS FAIR.

## INVITATIONS SENT OUT

Called to Invite the Officers of the State Federation of Clubs to Meet Here Next February. Other Clubs to Be Invited to Enjoy Outing and Picnic.

A meeting of the Women's Civic Club was held at the Public Library yesterday afternoon.

The president, Mrs. H. W. Carter, gave a detailed report of the meetings and proceedings of the State Federation of Clubs which met at New Bern last week and at which she and Miss Lyda Rodman were present.

Upon motion it was decided to invite the officers of the State Federation of Clubs to meet in Washington next February. It was also voted to invite Mrs. Cotton, who is honorary president of the Civic Club and who now resides at Cottontale to make an address here in the near future.

After a discussion, the Club voted to invite the Civic Clubs of neighboring cities to meet in Washington and enjoy an outing and a picnic with the local organization.

No further business being brought forward, the club adjourned.

## FARMERS TO PROTEST

## PRESIDENT ALEXANDER AND OTHER OFFICERS IN FREIGHT RATE FIGHT.

"Patience Has Ceased to be a Virtue. We Cannot Follow This Unjust Barren any Longer."—Is Declaration in Letter Sent Out to Local Unions.

Charlotte.—The time has come for action. Patience has ceased to be a virtue. We cannot tolerate this unjust burden any longer. Everything we pay which has been hauled in an interstate freight car, from a ton of guano to a trace chain, has to pay this unjust tribute to railroad monopoly.

The executive committee of the State Farmers' Union, in an open letter, is talking to the local unions of the State, calling attention to the fact that the inland towns of North Carolina are paying fifteen to twenty per cent higher rates than Virginia towns.

"For a generation or more," says the letter, "the people of North Carolina have been made to pay tribute to the great railroads which monopolize and control the transportation lines of our State." This tribute is estimated at five millions annually.

"Discuss the matter, adopt resolutions urging Governor Craig to exhaust all the powers of every department of our government, if need be, to compel the railroads to do justice."

"Act at once, call special meetings, get everybody to sign the resolutions and immediately mail to the governor. Act now."

Signing the letter are the executive committee, W. B. Gibson, chairman; President H. Q. Alexander and all the State officers.

## COUPLE PLAN OCEAN FLIGHT.

## Captain Martin and Wife to Attempt Transatlantic Trip.

San Francisco, May 14.—Plans for a transatlantic flight which they say they will make together in an effort to capture the \$50,000 prize offered by Lord Northcliffe for the first flight across the Atlantic, were mapped out here today by Captain and Mrs. Jas. W. Martin. Captain Martin arrived here on the Pacific liner Sierra and was met at the pier by Mrs. Martin, who is known in aviation circles as Little Irvine.

Lord Northcliffe's terms provide that the trip must be made in 70 hours. Martin says he can make it in 20 hours and his belief is shared by Mrs. Martin. Their plan is to start from St. Johns, Newfoundland, flying to the coast of Ireland, a distance of 1,630 miles.

## J. K. HOYT'S THREE DAYS MONEY

saving opportunity, beginning Friday, May 16th, will be backed by goods of Quality, found as advertised. Don't fail to avail yourself of these savings.