

THE WEATHER: Local Shower; Tonight and Friday.

RECORDERS COURT NEWS

AUTOIST ARRESTED FOR SPEEDING

FOUR MORE FOUND GUILTY OF ALLOWING CATTLE TO ROAM AT LARGE THROUGH STREETS OF CITY.

The police are continuing their good work in forcing the residents of Nicholsonville to keep their cattle off the streets. This morning four more cases were brought up in the Recorder's Court. They were all found guilty of permitting their cattle to roam at large. Judgment was suspended upon their paying costs of court.

Charles Moore and William Knight were charged with speeding. They were fined two dollars and costs.

THE DUTY OF THE MINISTER.

In a day when the man is fuming and foaming about the butcher's bill and the woman is sighing and weeping at the rising cost of everything that comes from the grocery, what is the lot of the preacher?

It is useless to pretend that wages and salaries have increased at a rate comparable with the cost of living, but it is true that they have increased in a measure. One can not build a house so cheaply now as formerly, or a fence for that matter, and the plumber, the gasfitter and the book-keeper are earning more than they did ten years ago—else they would not be alive to speak for themselves. Has the salary of the minister of the Gospel kept pace?

What is the public's attitude toward the minister anyway? It is quietly taken for granted that because his calling permits him to take no thought wherewith he shall be clothed, his congregation, too, may despise the thought? Is there a silent assent to the proposition that a minister in a seedy coat and having a family who advertise by their appearance that they scarcely have the comforts of life is more "spiritually minded" than one who is so well paid that he may devote his whole time and all his sympathy to the wants of his people? Do those who believe that the efficiency of a salesman or doctor is promoted by giving him enough to support himself and his family decently and without being necessarily harassed by the "wolf at his door" think that the way to keep the minister in the proper mental frame is to keep him hungry? There are signs, and they are many, that the average man thinks that the spiritual laborer is worthy of but small hire and the one thing that he is given without grudging is a summer vacation.

One hears complaints sometimes that "So-and-so" is not an eloquent preacher and that his sermons fatigue the listeners. What do the people expect? We suppose that the average salary of clergyman in this State is not more than a thousand dollars a year. Hundreds of the clergy are men of education. They are not all gifted orators, but it is a rare man among them who does not cheerfully perform all manner of service in his community, often of a kind that draws terrifically on the vital and nervous forces, and deliver two or three pretty fair discourses each week besides. They are nearly all diligent men, they are always "on duty" and we think it would be safe to say that ninety per cent of them could earn twice as much money a year in any other profession or in a trade as they do when in their great service. It is an exceptional man of fair education in these times, if he have good manners and good habits, who can not and does not earn twice as much as the minister, and it is the exceptional minister who does not fill that description.

One may find in North Carolina many a minister, with a wife and family of children and perhaps a dependent parent or sister, who is compelled to "keep up an appearance," who is striving to educate his children, upon whom calls for little charities are constant, to whom the families look to for help in the time of their sorrow, who is receiving \$75 a month and not uncommonly that sum is paid long after it is due.

We lay it down as a self-evident truth that if the minister is worth supporting at all, he is worth sup-

Washington Beats Pinetown by Score of 14 To 10

SHELTON STARTED GAME FOR WASHINGTON, BUT WAS DISPLACED BY TAYLOR IN THE THIRD INNING.

That ball game yesterday was a lalapaaloo. It was the most exciting game that has been played on Fleming Park in a long time and one that was enjoyed to the limit by the fans who were present.

Yes sir, that was SOME ball game. The two teams, between them, made 29 hits, 12 errors and 34 runs.

Shelton started in the box for the locals, but was displaced in third by Dave Taylor, who pitched for the balance of the game. Dave pitched excellent ball and although he was hit freely, his team mates came across with opportune wallops that figured heavily in the scoring. Cowell was the hitting demon of the locals. Out of five times at bat, he grabbed one single, a three-bagger and a home run. Taylor was right alongside of him with a two-bagger and two singles to his credit. That home run of Cowell's was something worth seeing. The big boy was rounding third before the centre fielder even got his hands on the ball, and Cowell is no sprinter at that.

Wallace led in the hitting for the visitors, securing four hits out of five times at bat. Pitcher Brown played an excellent game of ball. What that guy doesn't know about the game isn't worth knowing. He pulled off a couple of dandy fielding stunts.

So you see, the fans are feeling a little more cheerful this morning and are confidently looking forward

porting well. If the duties he is asked to do are not meaningless, they are indispensable and of an importance surpassing all others. By the nature of his calling the minister is barred from being a money seeker. No one expects him to accumulate a fortune. When he takes up his ministry he surrenders the prospect of building up a handsome bank account.

The minister ought not to be dependent upon generosity. The contributor has no right to a sense of self-esteem when he pays his just part of the clerical salary; rather, he has no right to a sense of self-respect when he neglects to pay it.

The obligation of the indifferent and the careless is scarcely less than that of the church-goer. The well-to-do citizen, unless he is a bold and outspoken opposer of religion, expects the minister to be on hand when death visits his family. It is a rare man indeed who does not tacitly claim the right to "Christian burial" for himself and his loved ones—it is a rare man indeed who does not acknowledge that the ministrs essential to the life of the community and who would not treble his church contributions if to do so were necessary for the retention of the minister and the church.

Shall the minister and his family be neglected for no better reason than that they do not openly stand at the gate demanding more? When we are faced with the facts that many of them, most of them, are neglected; that on the basis of intelligence, industry and efficiency they are underpaid by comparison with others (not even excepting the school teacher), the failure of the public to remember that they, too, are affected by the rising cost of living can not be excused. They are long suffering, these ministers of God who are ever at the beck and call of their fellowmen in distress, they are voiceless in their own behalf, and that is the more reason that every good citizen should take thought of them and see that at least they receive such support that their work shall not be retarded by the pressure of concern about their daily bread.—The State, Columbia, S. C.

\$230,000 FOR GETTYSBURG COLLEGE.

York, Pa., July 10.—President Granville and his assistants at Gettysburg College have completed the \$230,000 fund for the college. The time expired today. The money had to be raised by today in order to obtain \$50,000 promised by John D. Rockefeller, which will be given on condition that the college raise \$150,000 and in addition cancel its debt of \$30,000.

J. K. HOYT'S BIG SALE NOW ON.

to the next game, in the hope that Washington will continue her good form.

Summary table with columns: Team, A, B, H, E. Rows include Pinetown, P. Brown, J. Brown, W. Cutler, Davenport, Wallace, Hassell, Clarke, R. Cutler, Midgette, and Totals.

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Score by inning: Pinetown 203-101-300-10; Washington 090-340-26-14. Strike outs by Brown 7, by Shelton 1, by Taylor 4, Stolen bases, Midyette, Wallace. Bases on balls off Shelton 1, off Taylor 1, off Brown 1. Hits, off Shelton 6, off Taylor 7, off Brown 16. Home run, Cowell. Three-base hits, Hassell, Taylor. Two-base hits, Wallace (2), Cowell, Umpires, Warren and Wallace.

MANY ATTEND SALES TODAY

STORES OF JAS. E. CLARK CO., J. K. HOYT AND BOWERS-LEWIS CO ARE CROWDED WITH EAGER SHOPPERS.

This is "SALE" day in Washington. Three of the largest stores in the city opened their doors this morning and are offering many and attractive bargains at greatly reduced figures. They are James E. Clark Co., J. K. Hoyt and Bowers-Lewis Co. All morning, these three stores were filled to the doors with large crowds of shoppers.

At James E. Clark Co.'s a prize drawing was held at ten o'clock this morning. Number 1662 won the five dollars in gold, which was offered as the prize.

All three stores have put on additional help and have made extensive preparations in order to enable to handle the large crowds without any trouble.

PINETOWN NEWS.

The condition of Robert Wallace is very low at this time and unless there be a change soon the end is expected at any time.

We are having very fine weather at present and farmers are most through billing their crops.

S. P. Harris went to Richmond, Va., Tuesday to take a medical treatment. He will be gone for about two weeks.

T. A. Brooks of Bath was on our streets Monday on his new touring car.

Pinetown's heavy slugger was defeated in a game of ball with Roper on July 4 by a score of 11 to 5.

Edgar T. Harris was a passenger on Col. Rodman's private car to Plymouth yesterday.

The condition of Ben Boyd, who was hit on the head with a baseball sometime ago, is no better at this writing. Changes are from better to worse, but it is to be hoped that he will soon be on the road to recovery.

Howard Boyd has been very sick with poison, but is better now. Owing to the illness of Elder N. H. Harrison there wasn't any service at White Plains Saturday and Sunday.

David Boyd, who has been on the sick list, is improving some.

Mrs. Geo. H. Boyd and Miss Nancy Boyd and Joanna Boyd spent a while Saturday evening at the home of Matthew Waters.

CONVENTION DELEGATES ELECTED

MEETING TO BE HELD AT MOREHEAD CITY

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ELECTS MEN TO REPRESENT WASHINGTON AT GOOD ROADS ASSOCIATION MEETING.

The Convention of the North Carolina Good Roads Association will be held at Morehead City on July 31 and August 1. Headquarters will be at the Atlantic Hotel.

At a meeting of the Washington Chamber of Commerce, the following delegates were elected to attend the meeting and represent Washington at the convention: G. T. Leach, C. A. Flynn, John G. Bragaw, Jr., T. Harvey Myers, M. T. Archbell, E. N. Leggett, J. K. Doughton, T. W. Phillips, Harry McMullan and F. C. Kuster.

MATTUMASKEET DRAINAGE WILL BE RUSHED

WORK BEGINS SEPT. 1.

WORK OF ASSEMBLING MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT IS NOW GOING ON.

COMPANY WILL HAVE WORK RUSHED AND IT IS EXPECTED THAT IT WILL BE COMPLETED BY SEPT. 1, 1914.

The work of assembling the machinery and equipment for the drainage of Mattumasket Lake is going steadily on and it is reported that active work in draining the lake will be commenced by September 1st. The Company is confident that the work will be completed within one year's time.

The Southern Land Reclamation Company, which has the work in charge, states that everything will be done to have the drainage complete at the scheduled time. They expect to have no difficulty in doing this unless some unforeseen obstacles arise.

John Tooley of Belhaven was in the city yesterday.

BIG TEXAS ROAD CONGRESS.

Corpus Christi, Texas, July 10.—The Texas Good Roads Association which opened its annual meeting here today has brought together automobile owners from all over the State.

The program for the congress is in charge of such men as L. W. Page, chief director in the office of public roads, Washington, D. C., and some of his chief assistants. In addition there are nine of the most enthusiastic good roads speakers in the State, besides three illustrated lectures.

There are also four highway engineers of National reputation, who will assist with instructions given by the Highway School, which will also be in session on the same days, but at different hours.

EVERY LITTLE BIT HELPS

so visit Washington's Greatest Cost Sale. Bowers-Lewis Co.

Geo. R. Boyd and Rufus W. Boyd are Washington visitors today.

Hello Acre! Glad to hear from you last week. Call again.

MEN'S SUITS AT 25 PER CENT.

Saving. J. K. Hoyt.

Jurors Are Drawn For August Term By Commissioners

Commissioners Meet Monday, July 14 to Consider Complaints Regarding Property.

MESSRS. WHITLEY AND SWINDELL TO REPRESENT COUNTY AT MEETING OF STATE ASSOCIATION OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

Monday, July 7, 1913. The Commissioners of Beaufort County met this day in regular monthly session. Present Messrs. W. E. Swindell, chairman; W. S. D. Eberts; C. P. Aycock; W. H. Whitley, and H. C. Bragaw.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved. It was ordered that Messrs. W. H. Whitley and W. E. Swindell be and are hereby appointed delegates to the State Association of County Commissioners to be held on August 13, 1913, at Statesville, N. C.

It was ordered that fifteen dollars be appropriated for the benefit of the Salamander Fire Company of the city of Washington, N. C.

Ordered that G. Rumley, registrar of deeds, be given the contract to make up the tax books and do all work in connection therewith for \$475.00.

Ordered that convicts be moved from Richland township to Washington township on August 1st.

Ordered that W. H. Tripp be and is hereby appointed standard keeper for Beaufort County for the term ending the first Monday in December, 1914.

The following named persons were drawn to serve as jurors for the August term of the Superior Court of Beaufort County:

- C. M. Brown, Jr., G. W. Cutler, W. M. Kear, W. H. Type, J. P. Jackson, Bartemus Woolard, W. A. Congleton, Sr., C. B. Boyd, N. H. Warren, C. B. Warren, P. L. Hill, C. A. Faucette, Macon F. Pippin, Granville Jones, J. B. Overton, W. H. Mayo, M. D. Lewis, Augustus Cutler, J. L. Latham, E. W. Ayers, R. H. Paul, D. E. Lewis, F. C. Terrell, C. F. Bland, J. B. Gerrard, R.

CANDIDATE FOR PRES.

GOV. STUBBS OF KANSAS ANNOUNCES HIMSELF PROGRESSIVE PARTY CANDIDATE FOR PRESIDENT IN 1916.

(Special to Daily News.) The first Presidential candidate for 1916 has announced himself. He is Governor Stubbs of Kansas. Mr. Stubbs has taken up the banner of the Progressive party and is already making campaign plans. His friends are confident that he will make a strong fight for the nomination on the Progressive party and are prepared to lend him all the assistance and help in their power.

"BOWEN AND BOWEN"

EXCELLENT SINGING ACT AT THE LYRIC TONIGHT.

Bowen & Bowen, an excellent eccentric singing talking and dancing act features the program at the Lyric Theatre today being a new act offering new songs, new jokes and a dancing number beyond par.

These artists open tonight at the Lyric for a three day's engagement presenting one of the best comedy acts booked during the season guaranteeing a capacity of fun and frolic.

The motion pictures offered also today are another class that given credit to this place of amusement and on that adds pleasure to the evening's entertainment.

The ventilating system at the Lyric makes it one of the most comfortable houses in the South.

Today's program offers an entire change and new acts throughout the program, and a comfortable place where you can spend the evening.

SHOES FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

at a tremendous saving. J. K. Hoyt.

GRAND LODGE TO MEET AT PLYMOUTH

BEAUFORT COUNTY HAS 611 MEMBERS

CHARITABLE BROTHERHOOD ASSOCIATION SELECT NEXT MEETING PLACE OF GRAND LODGE.

The Grand Lodge of the Charitable Brotherhood met yesterday evening in closing session. The meeting was an interesting one and several good changes were made in the by-laws of the Association and, other routine business was discussed. It was decided to hold next year's Grand Lodge meeting at Plymouth.

There are 611 members to the organization from this county.

NEWS FROM PUNGO.

We have been having a few days of cool weather recently. The rain, wind and hail on Sunday afternoon did considerable damage to some of our crops—corn especially. Other crops are looking fine.

Athena Carter and Joe Rose made a flying trip to Norfolk last week to spend the 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Paul were visiting their many friends and relatives in Hyde County Saturday and Sunday.

J. W. Paul, Jr., travelling salesman for F. G. Paul & Bros. of Washington, passed through here Tuesday and spent Tuesday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Paul.

L. C. Paul, who has for some time been located in Roanoke, Va., is home now on a few days' vacation, visiting his many friends and relatives at this place.

Mrs. F. F. Allen died very suddenly at her home Thursday night. We extend our deepest sympathy to the grief-stricken family.

Robert Dragan of Rocky Mount was a business visitor in Washington yesterday afternoon.

R. B. Morris and son, Gerald, of Elizabeth City, spent yesterday in the city with friends.

Little Journeys

This is the time of year when nearly everyone is planning some kind of trip. Usually the longer the trip the pleasanter the anticipation of it is.

But there are certain kinds of journeys that are not classed as "pleasure trips" when the weather is hot. These journeys are the necessary shopping excursions.

Two women were overheard talking in the shopping district early one morning of this past week. One of them said, "I wish I could have stayed at home today. I have a list of ten things to take me until closing time to get them all."

"I have a list of fourteen articles," the other replied, "but I expect to be home by noon."

"How can you ever manage it?" said the first.

"Easily enough. I looked over the newspapers and by going through the advertisements carefully I was able to plan a regular route for my trip. I know just what shops I am going to and what I shall buy in each one."

This wise woman by her intelligent forethought made her shopping trip a pleasant "little journey." No one can afford not to follow her example in reading thoroughly the advertisements in the good newspapers when so much time and nerve-fag can be saved by doing so.

MISSISSIPPI 1-2 OFF DURING this sale. J. K. Hoyt.