

THE WEATHER—Showers Tonight or Saturday.

EIGHTH REUNION OF THE FOWLE FAMILY AT WOBURN

Annual Event Which Draws Together the Descendants—None of the From Here Can Attend.

The following interesting story is clipped from the Raleigh News and Observer:

The Fowle kindred, the descendants of the Fowle family, of Woburn, Mass., are to have a reunion in Woburn next week and it is expected that some of the Fowles of North Carolina of the same family tree, will attend. The late Governor Daniel Gould Fowle of North Carolina, was a distinguished descendant of the Woburn Fowles, his father having been born in New England.

Concerning this reunion the Woburn, (Mass.) Journal has the following:

The executive committee of the Fowle Kindred Association is preparing for its eighth annual reunion to be held next Monday, Labor Day, September 1, from 10.30 a. m. to 5 p. m., and arrangements are being made in anticipation of the most important and largest gathering ever yet held.

By invitation of President Arthur A. Fowle, of the association, who is well known as managing editor of the Boston Globe, the reunion will be held on his beautiful homestead estate at 15 Miswamum road, Woburn, Mass. The ample lawns and grand oak trees well-adapt his grounds for the continuation of the association's delightful custom of holding a basket picnic, and this, as at all past reunions, will be pleasing feature of the day's enjoyment on account of its freedom from social formalities.

Convenience of access from other towns and cities and the fact that the association is composed of descendants of Lieut. Janice Fowle, the progenitor of the Woburn family, who settled here in 1666, makes the city a most desirable and appropriate place for the gathering of the kindred.

Notices are being mailed to members of the family all over the country, and, in addition, all kindred whether related by birth or marriage who may be overlooked because the committee lacks knowledge of their relationship or places of residence, are cordially invited to attend.

The historian, Elmore Allen Pierce of Woburn, will read an interesting paper on "The Fowle Family of North Carolina a Branch of the Woburn Massachusetts tree," and other entertaining features are being provided. There will also be an election of officers.

Tables will be spread for luncheon at 1 p. m., on the lawn if pleasant, or indoors if stormy. Mr. Fowle's home is only about ten minutes walk from Woburn center and is just off the line of trolleys which run to North Woburn.

None of the family residing now in Washington will be able to be present. The reunion took place today.

A CARD OF THANKS.

The Salamander Fire Company of the city of Washington, N. C., wishes to express their hearty appreciation and thanks to the Board of Aldermen, and the good citizens of our city for their generous contributions aiding our company to the Colored State Firemen's Association recently held at Concord, N. C.

We highly appreciate every mite contributed and will assure the public that we will ever be on the alert and ready whenever the alarm is given. We will strive in the future as in the past, to merit your generosity.

Agate thanking you for your aid,
Sincerely,
SALAMANDER FIRE CO.,
City of Washington, N. C.
Ed. Cooper, Capt
Wm. Braddy, Sec.

LABOR DAY IN CITY

Today is Labor Day and as usual is being celebrated in Washington in the usual way. All the banks are closed as well as the postoffice. All the mills and manufacturing plants have given holiday for their employes.

Great Revival Meeting Closed Last Evening

MUCH GOOD FOR RELIGION ACCOMPLISHED

Mr. and Mrs. Howe Will Give a Musical Concert Tonight At 8.30. Thousands Attended Meeting Seventy Two Joins Church

The Organ Evangelistic Company closed their series of meetings which have been in progress for the past four weeks with the service last night. Although the services have been going on for sometime the closed night proved no exception so far as attendance was concerned. Standing room was at a premium. Every seat was occupied and people lined the side of the large tent on the outside.

As a result of the meeting 72 have made a profession and joined the church. After the morning service Sunday fifty persons went forward and were given the right hand of fellowship and received into the church. At the evening hour four made a profession and were administered the rite of baptism this morning along with other candidates at the church. The meeting has been one of the best attended in the history of Washington. People from adjacent counties have been visitors and yesterday they came from all sections of this county. Mr. Organ from the first preached powerful sermons and his discourses were heard by attentive listeners. His words fell upon good ground with the result that his harvest was fruitful. He has been in the evangelistic work for the past eight years and seven years he was a pastor. He and his company came to Washington comparatively strangers and they leave bearing with them the friendship of a large number. Not only do they preach the gospel but sing as well. The musical part of the meetings certainly did not lag an instant. Professor Howe is a genius along this line and his sweet voice singing gospel hymns will long be remembered by his appreciative hearers.

The Organ Evangelistic Company is composed of C. L. Organ and wife; C. M. Howe and wife and Frank Lappa. They expect to leave tomorrow for Newport News, Va., where they begin a series of meetings. From Newport News they expect to leave for Ohio and will spend the winter in the west. In all probability the company will return to North Carolina sometime next year.

Yesterday was a great day for the meeting. Over eight hundred were present at the Sunday school rally at the eleven o'clock service. Mr. Organ delivered a powerful and searching discourse from the theme "How to Observe the Lord's Supper." This sermon was directed principally to the members of the church. In the afternoon at four o'clock a mass meeting was held and the evangelist spoke from the topic "Booze." It is needless to state that the speaker was at home with his subject and presented arguments unanswerable. For over thirty minutes his large audience listened to one of the strongest appeals against this traffic ever heard in Washington. At night Mr. Organ delivered his farewell sermon using as a theme "Burning the Books." It was a message full of love and wholesome advice to those who had only recently turned over a new leaf and come out on the Lord's side. After the sermon the invitation was given and four made a confession.

A fitting climax to this great meeting was the raising of funds sufficient to liquidate the debt on the building plat purchased some time ago by the church at the corner of Respass and Second streets. Mr. Organ knows not only how to preach but judging from last night's work he is a beggar as well, especially, if he is begging for the cause of Christ. He exhibited a large card to the congregation with blocks marked off from \$100 down to \$5. The church officials needed two thousand dollars with which to pay for the lot including interest and Mr. Organ was determined to raise this amount and he did like a veteran. They seemed to give gladly and willingly and within a little while the amount was subscribed with the church finance board assuming a small balance as some of the members were not present last night who will give towards the fund.

BRAGAW & CO ARE MOVING THEIR OFFICE

The firm of Wm. Bragaw & Company, are today moving their offices in the Baughman Building on West Main street where the City postoffice was formerly located. For the past several months the firm has been occupying the second floor of the First National Bank building. Their new location is a very attractive one. Mr. William Bragaw, the senior member of the firm is still absent from the city on his vacation. He has been to Battle Creek, Mich. and is now at Asheville, N. C.

Home Completed.

One of the attractive residences recently erected in Washington is that of Mr. William F. Clark on Bridge street. It is now practically complete and Mr. Clark and family expect to move sometime this week.

Recorder William Windley has returned from Norfolk.

PAUL GRANTHAM KILLED BY FREIGHT TRAIN AT MULLINS

Paul Grantham a young man of about 22 years of age, a former resident of this city, was killed at Mullins, South Carolina, yesterday morning about four o'clock while riding on an Atlantic Coast Line freight train running between Wilmington and Florence. How the young man met his death is not known at this writing. The remains were carried to New Bern this morning and the funeral was held this afternoon from the residence of his brother and the interment was in Oakdale cemetery. Mr. Grantham was a resident here for about a year, moving to Washington with his mother who ran the Latham House on East Second street for some months. Only last Friday Mrs. Grantham moved back to New Bern to make it her future home. Her son was held in high esteem here and the news of his sudden and untimely death is deplored by all who know him.

THE "NORTH CAROLINA"

Will Be Name of the Big New Battleship Now Known as No. 39. Washington, Sept. 1.—Secretary Daniels probably will name the big new battleship now known as No. 39, the "North Carolina," in honor of his native state. Work on it has just begun at the New York navy yard. With the Pennsylvania its sister ship, recently started at the Newport News shipyards, it is the largest battleship yet laid down for any navy.

At present there is a cruiser North Carolina, but its name will be changed to one of the cities in the state, Asheville, Charlotte, or Winston-Salem.

Has Returned.

Mr. Edward L. Merrill has returned from an extended visit to his former home, Rising Sun, Ind. While away Mr. Merrill also spent some weeks at Waynesville, N. C. He enjoys his vacation immensely.

Improving Office.

Dr. P. A. Nicholson is making decided improvements to his office on West Main street.

Immediately after the amount was raised the congregation arose and sang, "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow." One of the many features last night was the instrumental and vocal solos by Mr. Howe.

Tonight at 8.30 o'clock Mr. and Mrs. Howe will give a musical concert in the tent. The admission will be 25c and 15c. There is nothing religious in this entertainment. Mr. and Mrs. Howe are musical entertainers of wide reputation and have given their life to music. The entertainment lasting at least one hour and a half. A rich treat is in store for all who attend.

The Organ meetings have done much good in the community and the entire company will always be welcomed cordially back to Washington.

TOBACCO MARKET

The Washington tobacco market is still flourishing and the outlook is more than encouraging. Today there was approximately twelve thousand pounds of tobacco on the floor of the two warehouses and the average price was fifteen and a half cents. The farmers were well pleased with the prices they received. The sale today was very good for Monday. The outlook for big sales throughout the week are encouraging.

City Schools Open Sept. 15

The Washington Public Schools will open for the fall session two weeks from today, September 15th. The building is now being put into condition for the opening which promises to be the largest so far as enrollment is concerned in the history of the school. Workmen are today repairing the basement floors and also installing new ventilators which will be worked from the outside. The new superintendent, Mr. Campbell, has been on the ground for the past several weeks and has already entered upon his duties. The teaching force, those residing elsewhere, are expected to begin their arrival next week.

Only One Case Dispensed With

While there were several cases before the Recorder this morning for trial but only one case was disposed of, the remaining being postponed until this afternoon and tomorrow morning.

Accepts Position As Stenographer

Miss Hattie Cozens has accepted a position with the Bank of Washington succeeding Miss Frances Wilson who has resigned and gone to Raleigh to accept a position. Miss Cozens has been for sometime one of the stenographers for the firm of McKee-Richardson Hardware Company. She is one of the city's popular young ladies and is a most efficient and painstaking stenographer. She has two very nice friends, numerous friends. Miss Cozens entered upon her new duties Saturday last.

Erecting Residence.

Mr. Thomas Long is erecting a handsome bungalow on North Market street. When finished it will be one of the attractive homes in the city.

CHILD VERY ILL.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Watson will regret to learn of the critical illness of their 7-months-old son. His condition has been precarious for the past several days.

County Commissioners.

The County Commissioners are meeting today in regular monthly session at the court house. They will also meet tomorrow.

Passing Through City.

Rev. S. T. Smith, pastor of the Christian churches in Hyde county, was in town today en route to his home in Fairfield.

Miss Agnes Wilson of Goldsboro, who has been visiting Mrs. W. I. Austin at South Creek, arrived in the city today.

Mr. M. John is back from northern markets where he purchased his fall and winter stock of goods.

Mr. P. Orleans who has been confined in a hospital in New York for some weeks has returned home. Mr. Orleans went north to purchase his fall and winter stock and while away was taken sick necessitating his entering a hospital for treatment.

Americans' Withdrawal Viewed With Alarm

NAVAL BOYS ENJOYING THEIR TRIP

The members of the Sixth Division North Carolina Naval Militia are having the time of their life on their annual cruise. In a private note to the Daily News the information is given that all the boys are well and having a gorgeous time. The battleship Alabama upon which the reserves are cruising is one of Uncle Sam's best fighting ships. The boys are having altogether a different experience from that of a year ago when they tried conclusions with the government boat Elfrida.

STOLEN WHEEL PROBABLY FOUND

Several weeks ago Mr. William F. Clark manager of the Southern Express Company here, had his bicycle stolen and while diligent search has been made for it there was no clue to develop until yesterday. The surmise is that the thief took the wheel and carried it to Plymouth. Mr. Clark accompanied by Policeman Pedrick left this morning for Plymouth where the authorities have a negro arrested and also a bicycle in their possession. From what information Mr. Clark has, he is confident that he will locate his missing wheel.

BRITISH NAVAL BASE IS SWEEP BY FIRE

Queenstown, Ireland, Aug. 30.—The warehouse and stores of the British navy on the island of Haulbowline, in Cork harbor, caught fire today. Great quantities of oil are stored on the island. Five hundred firemen from the British fleet were sent to assist the firemen in subduing the flames. The fire was controlled at five o'clock this afternoon. A large block of buildings was destroyed, including the canteen, the rigging loft, the timber store, and the recreation and dining halls.

EIGHT KILLED SIX INJURED

Boilers of Towboat, Alice, on the Ohio River, Near Pittsburg, Exploded. Pittsburg, Aug. 30.—Capt. Thomas Flaherty, Pilot Harry Donaldson and six of the crew of the towboat Alice, were killed this morning and six other rivermen were injured when the boilers of the Alice exploded.

Some of the bodies were recovered and the injured were brought to a hospital by the steamer Harriet, which happened to be near the scene of the accident in the Ohio river at dam No. 2, at Croppolis, Pa.

Many of the crew were rivermen of the type whose names are seldom known to their companions or the officers of the boat, and for that reason it was feared some difficulty would be experienced in securing a complete list of the dead.

The Alice, a towboat belonging to a sand company of Pittsburg, was towing a fleet of barges and was with in a thousand feet of the lock when the boilers let go.

The men who were not instantly killed, or so badly injured that they were unable to move, made their way forward but so quickly did the boat settle that within ten minutes after the explosion nothing but her stacks were above the water and the survivors were struggling in the stream.

Boats put off from shore and the injured were rescued as the Harriet steamed up. Of the entire crew of fourteen men not one is known to have escaped death or injury.

Later in the day the body of Mrs. Mills, a chambermaid, was recovered from the settled hull of the craft. One of the boilers was located in the sand on Neville Island, fully 1,500 feet from the scene of the explosion.

City Aldermen. The Board of City Aldermen will meet tonight at the city hall for the transaction of business.

WILSON ORDER IS RESENTED BY COLONIST

in Mexico City and Tranquil. Tremendous Damage Will Result if Order is Obedied it is Stated.

New York, Sept. 1.—President's Wilson's recommendation that American residents of Mexico leave the country is "resented" by the American colony in Mexico City; few Americans intend to leave; if they do leave, their welfare and financial interests "would be seriously prejudiced," the President's action was "unwarranted" and due to "simple ignorance of what is actually transpiring in Mexico"—this summarizes the contents of various telegrams of protest received in the city yesterday and today from Mexico City.

Senator Sebastian Camacho, president of the Mexican senate and one of Mexico's elder statesmen telegraphed to James A. Strymer, president of the Mexican Telegraph Company, saying that the American colony is "satisfied and tranquil," and requesting him to call President Wilson's attention "to the tremendous dangers which would result from his determination for which, in all loyalty, I state that there is no reason."

Senator Sebastian Camacho's telegram to James A. Strymer, made public here, declares that the American colony in Mexico is "satisfied and tranquil" and that "tremendous damages" will result from its withdrawal.

"There is a great alarm here," reads the telegram "over the American government's order for the withdrawal of all citizens of the United States residing here. You will understand that there is no reason for this order. The American colony of this republic is the most numerous of those among us. In its totality and with very few exceptions it is satisfied and tranquil, dedicated to its work and attending to the necessities of its life, being respected and esteemed throughout the country. It would be seriously prejudiced in its welfare and its financial interests were it to abandon a country in which it is considered and esteemed and where it has acquired numerous and cordial relations.

"The army now numbers eighty thousand men with an armament and a command truly notable, through which it has triumphed and continues triumphing in the daily combat with the enemy, who are disappearing or submitting to the legitimate authority of the republic.

"I do not doubt that the President of the United States and his truly just government will consult with the principal members of its colony here regarding the truth of what I say.

"The American colony which reaches 40,000 persons, I am sure will suffer enormous damage to its interests and its well being should its members violently abandon a country in which I repeat, they are considered and esteemed on all sides.

"I beg that you will acquaint President Wilson with what I have stated calling his illustrious attention to the tremendous damages that will result from his determination, for which in all loyalty I state there is no reason and which has undoubtedly been dictated against the sentiments of justice, right, and of human consideration, not by the elevated sentiments of a man as distinguished as the present President of the United States, but through simple ignorance of which is actually transpiring in Mexico."

Local Pastor to Hold Meeting

Rev. R. H. Broom, pastor of the First Methodist church, left this afternoon for Whartons, N. C., where he goes to assist Rev. T. E. Wyche, pastor of the Vanceboro circuit, in a series of meetings this week. Mr. Broom is all probability will be absent from the city during the week but will return in time to fill his regular pulpit next Sunday morning and evening.

THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH WILL ERECT NEW EDIFICE

Structure Will Cost \$25,000—The Work is Expected to Start Sometime in the Spring.

It is the intention of the Christian church congregation to move the building from their lot recently purchased at the corner of Respass and Second streets at no distant day looking towards the erection of a \$25,000 church building. The members of the church hope to begin active work on their new church in the early spring. The residence now on the lot will in all probability be moved to the rear of the lot. The need for a more commodious house of worship to this congregation has been discussed for sometime and the time has arrived when something tangible must show itself. The new church building promises to be an ornament to Washington and the citizens of the town, irrespective of denomination will look forward to its construction with pleasure.

Lyric Program For Tonight

Today's program of the Lyric offers a program exclusively of motion pictures and a feature for any evening's entertainment.

One of the main features that will add greatly to the enjoyment of the public is the installation of a new Powers S-A Projection machine and one of the latest on the market.

This machine will be on use tonight and greatly improve over the old in the projection of photography on the screen.

The last half of the week offers the bookers of the "Mia Juncos," real novel entertainers and a few fare out for any bill.

The program today has an unusual high class motion picture program, and one that will please. The admission prices 5c and 10c.

AUTO CHUG AND SPURTS.

Active work in road construction and repair has been resumed in New York State under the direction of the highway committee.

New records are looked for at the Elgin road races beginning today. The track is the best shape in its history.

E. M. Pierce of New York, who has made use of his automobile both as an office and a home, has driven his Pathfinder more than 43,000 miles in 19 months, and is now on his way to do some more globe trotting in California.

With better cars and road conditions transcontinental automobile trips by amateur owners are becoming all the rage, particularly with Pacific coast motorists.

Among the early 1914 models actually in the hands of dealers none will interest a larger number of prospective buyers than the Overland.

Great power, added equipment and more graceful body lines distinguish the new line from that of 1913, while there has been a slight change in cost in favor of the buyer.

Many indications of the careful manner in which designers meet every-day conditions are found in the new Overlands. A Winnipeg man has invented an attachment to automobile wheels wherein it is sought to prevent the wheel from skidding or sliding side wise by providing a series of spring-controlled dogs or claws which may be depressed to engage the ground surface, an adjustable wheel being provided to depress the dogs to a position beyond the circumference of the tire at the under side of the wheel as the latter rotates.

LEAVES FOR MT. AIRY.

Miss Elizabeth Bright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bright, expects to leave for Mt. Airy, N. C., Wednesday next to resume her position as a member of the Public School faculty of that town. Miss Bright is one of Washington's popular young ladies and has the best wishes of her many friends for a bright and prosperous year.