

LADIES' AID SOCIETY OF FIRST M. E. CHURCH HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

The Program Was Delightful and Charming

Held at the Home of Mrs. J. W. Dalley on East Second Street Last Night. Large Number Present. Refreshment served.

The Ladies Aid Society of the First Methodist church had its annual meeting at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dalley on East Second street last evening and from eight to eleven this charming home was a scene for not only the members of this working auxiliary but the invited guests as well.

No social function of the season carried with it more pleasure and enjoyment and the popular hosts proved their graciousness in more ways than one to entertain those present.

The committee of arrangements had arranged a very attractive and interesting program which was carried out in a way to please and edify. One of the features of the gathering was the annual report of the efficient treasurer of the society, Miss Sarah Tripp, who has occupied this position for years and for her faithfulness and worth in this office has been one of the mainstays of the society. The report developed decided growth in the work along all lines. What she had to say with reference to the work of the society was listened to attentively and with good will.

IS INDICTED FOR LARCENY OF FISH NET

His Worship, Mayor F. C. Kugler had only one case before him yesterday for adjudication. J. B. Anderson, col., was indicted for the larceny of a fish net, the property of Andrew Pinner. The police found the net secured in the forepeak of Anderson's boat at the wharfed.

After hearing the evidence in the case Mayor Kugler bound the defendant over to the Recorder who will hear the cause sometime today.

LOST—BLACK SPOTTED PIG from my residence today. Finder return to Daniel Simmons and be rewarded. 2-4-14.

THE NEW TAILORED SKIRTS ARE finding new owners every day. Have you seen them? J. K. Hoyt.

FUNERAL OF M. E. CONGLETON AT BUNYAN

All that was mortal of the late Major Franklin Congleton, whose untimely end was chronicled in the columns of this paper yesterday, was laid away yesterday afternoon in the family burying ground near the Charitable Brotherhood, Bunyan, N. C., followed by a large number of sorrowing friends. The funeral ceremonies were conducted from the residence of the deceased by Rev. Robert V. Hops, pastor of the Christian church, this city, and at the grave the Charitable Brotherhood had charge of the exercises. Members of the Brotherhood acted as pallbearers. The floral tributes were profuse, showing the high esteem in which Mr. Congleton was held in his community. The deceased was published yesterday, on Wednesday night about three o'clock committed suicide by placing the muzzle of a shot gun to his head and then pulling the trigger and death followed almost instantly. Mr. Congleton was between 60 and 65 years of age, and leaves a widow and one daughter to mourn their loss.

TEXAS STATE AND THE FEDERAL FOOD OFFICIALS CO-OPERATE WITH DEPT.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 6.—As a result of the recent conference in Washington, D. C., between state food officials and representatives of the U. S. Department of Agriculture to promote co-operation in food and drug work, an important seizure of damaged foods has recently been made in Fort Worth, Texas, through the joint activity of Dr. J. S. Abbott, Food Commissioner of Texas, U. S. Attorney Wilson, and the Federal food inspectors in Texas.

It appears that in the latter part of December a large quantity of syrup, vinegar, raisins, candy, sour and other products from a fire in Oklahoma were shipped to Fort Worth for sale. Dr. Abbott obtained information of the shipment and at about the same time the New Orleans, La., food laboratory was notified by long distance phone of this shipment, consisting of some 15 cars. Dr. Abbott and the state chemists of Fort Worth took samples at once and other samples were taken by the Federal Inspector.

Upon information received from Dr. Abbott the U. S. Attorney filed a libel under which the following goods were seized subject to determination by the courts as to whether the seizure was warranted: Two carloads of unlabeled syrups which were offered for sale as ribbon case syrup when in fact they were not ribbon case syrup. 200 bottles of vinegar, unlabeled, alleged to be compounds of distilled and sugar vinegar and offered for sale as vinegar. Forty pounds of raisins. Forty pounds of chocolate. Forty pounds of candy. Two hundred sacks of flour, alleged to be filthy and decomposed.

RICHARD MORGAN BOUND OVER TO THE RECORDER'S COURT

This afternoon Mayor Kugler tried Richard Morgan, colored, charged with the larceny of bicycle chain and supplies from Mr. P. P. Maxwell. The defendant was bound over to Recorder Windley's court for final disposition of his case.

THREE STUDENTS ENTERED COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE DURING PAST WEEK

Three students from afar matriculated at the Washington Collegiate Institute during the past week for the spring session.

EXTRA FINE HAIR BRAIDS TO MATCH ANY SHADE OF HAIR

We offer these splendid values in braids that are large and wavy at \$1.75, \$2.25 and \$4.95. J. K. Hoyt.

SAISFACTION AT WRIGHT'S

At New Theater Monday February 9th



CAPT. ALVAREZ JUMPS OVERBOARD PAUL GILMORE IN HIS GREAT ROMANTIC COMEDY DRAMA "CAPT. ALVAREZ"

Jacksonville Will Entertain The Old Soldiers Fittingly

Jacksonville, Fla., Feb. 6.—The 24th annual reunion of the United Confederate Veterans' Association and Sons of Confederate Veterans will be held in this city three days, April 29, 30 and May 1, and plans for entertaining them are now being perfected by the officials of the Jacksonville Reunion association and thirty committees appointed by President Foor of the association.

Jacksonville has an ambition to entertain the survivors of the Confederate armies, and their friends, better if possible, than they have ever been entertained before. An interesting program will be arranged for the reception and entertainment of the visitors and no matter how large the attendance may be, all will be satisfactorily entertained. In everything that goes to make the handling of large crowds an easy task, Jacksonville is well supplied. It has the transportation facilities, the hotels and streets, all necessary to the successful handling of union crowds.

The Jacksonville program will change in at least two important particulars the customary reunion methods. It is the purpose of the association to put many of the old soldiers who have at other reunions been cared for at camp, in hotels, boarding houses and private homes where they will have more comfortable quarters and better entertainment. Jacksonville believes that it will be more pleasant for the veterans to be cared for in that manner than in camp, and many if not all of them will be as assigned to such quarters.

Another change in program will be seen in the parade of old soldiers instead of walking, they will ride in carriages and automobiles. It is realized here that a big majority of the veterans who followed the fortunes of the Stars and Bars, are now

past 70 years of age. Many of them are physically unable to march two hours in the sun, notwithstanding the fact they fight it out with their old time courage and determination. This fact has been apparent to younger observers at recent reunions, if not the old men themselves. The time is rapidly approaching when the survivors of the civil war, north and south must quit marching in parades as a spectacle for admiring eyes. It has been almost fifty-one years since the battles of Gettysburg and Chickamauga—since the consuming flames of war on those historic fields tried American valor and courage and found them true. The average age of the contestants in those titanic struggles was twenty years, hence the average age of the survivors must be seventy-one. In fact very few men now living who fought in the civil war are under seventy. When a younger man is found, he entered the service as a mere boy. A Confederate parade brings these facts sharply to the attention of members of the younger generation. The boat forms and white hair of the veterans are reminders to their descendants that but a few years more and all must pass to their last rewards.

Recognizing the declining years of the Confederate veteran, Jacksonville will set the precedent for a change in the Confederate parade, as indicated, confident of its ability to carry it out. The proposed changes were submitted to Gen. Bennett H. Young on a recent visit to Jacksonville, and he enthusiastically approved them. Gen. Young declared that Jacksonville was setting a precedent that would certainly be appreciated by the veterans and paid a high compliment to the citizens who made the proposition.

MRS STOWE BROUGHT HERE FROM HATTERAS FOR OPERATION AT HOSPITAL

Dr. E. W. Jones brought to the Washington Hospital today from Hatteras, N. C., Mrs. Jennette Stowe for an operation. This paper is glad to learn as well as her many friends that the operation was successful and unless something unforeseen happens she will soon be convalescent.

MR. SYLVESTER FLEMING IS QUITE ILL AT THE WASHINGTON HOSPITAL

The many friends of Mr. Sylvester Fleming will regret to learn of his illness. He is now confined at the Washington Hospital where every attention is being given him. It is to be hoped that he will soon be reported as convalescent.

VISITORS TO CITY

Among the visitors to the city today is Mr. W. H. Whitley of Bogertown, N. C., a member of the County Board of Commissioners.

DR. JONES HERE

Dr. E. W. Jones of Hatteras, N. C., is among the visitors to the city today, bringing a patient to the Washington Hospital for treatment.

WILL RETURN TO HIS HOME AFTER THREE WEEKS AT HOSPITAL

Mr. Jack Collins, a popular citizen of Nashville, N. C., who has been under treatment at the Washington Hospital for the past three weeks has recovered sufficiently to leave for his home today. This will be welcome news to his many friends.

PASSENGERS SAVED

Vancouver B. C., Feb. 6.—It is reported here that the steamer Vado, today sank in the Portland canal and that all of the 150 passengers she carried were saved.

The Vado is given in Lloyd's register as a Norwegian steamer of 898 tons, 90 feet long, built in 1881. There is no record here of the Norwegian Vado's present whereabouts. Portland canal is the southernmost boundary of Alaska.

"King Kelly" of Raleigh, N. C., who several years ago was manager of the Washington Baseball team, was a welcome visitor to the city yesterday.

F. N. Pinner of New Bern, is here today shaking hands with his many friends.

J. P. Thomas of Louisburg, N. C., is a guest at the Louise.

D. U. Martin of Royal, N. C., is in the city.

Mrs. George Old of Belhaven, N. C., was here yesterday.

DAINTY MUSLIN UNDERGARMENTS made the way you want them—See the new specially priced line now on sale at Hoyt's.

Romantic Comedy Drama New Theater Monday, Feb. 9

Both admire the beautiful country of the Argentine Republic so much that Theodore Roosevelt is going to write a book about it and Paul Gilmore is going to play a play about it. But Paul Gilmore has "beat Roosevelt to it," as the saying goes. On Monday he brings to the New Theater "Captain Alvarez," H. S. Sheldon's great new romantic comedy drama, in which Mr. Gilmore has already scored a remarkable success. The theme of the play is built around the life of a young American of fifty years ago, who takes an active part in the

struggle of an oppressed people against President Rosas, then dictator of the Argentine Republic. The historical situations are absolutely correct, and especially interesting just now, on account of the similarity of present conditions in Mexico. "Captain Alvarez" is a strong viable work, pulsing with emotion and sweet sentiment. Paul Gilmore carries an expensive production and plays in your city under a guarantee. He expects to take "Captain Alvarez" into New York in the fall. Seats now on sale at the Worthy & Etheridge Drug Store.

WILL BRING U. S. FOOTE HERE MONDAY

Commander Chas. L. Morton, Lt. W. B. Rodman, Jr., Ensign Robert Small, Lt. J. P. Harris and Navigator Edward Bell, expect to leave tomorrow for Elizabeth City with a crew from the Sixth Division North Carolina Naval Militia for the purpose of bringing back to this port the United States Torpedo Boat Foote recently ordered here for the use of the division by Capt. C. D. Bradham of New Bern.

Commander Morton with the Foote expects to reach Washington some time Sunday night or early Monday. The Foote will be used for week-end cruises and general practice of the reserves here.

TO BE EHEALERS IN NEW CHINA

Tacoma, Wash., Feb. 6.—The first Chinese class in medicine ever graduated from an American medical school in China will be turned out this coming autumn from the Harvard Medical School at Shanghai, six of whose professors are American. Dr. H. Thue, the eminent Norwegian physician, who is also a member of the Shanghai college professional body, passing through Tacoma on his way to Europe, speaks with enthusiasm of the Chinese as medical students.

"The Chinese student," says Dr. Thue, "is industrious and exceedingly patient and absorbs knowledge with a certainty rare in the Occident. The school at Shanghai is allied with Harvard University and the graduating class numbers twenty. The course is a five-year one instead of the four years customary in this country; but it is likely that the period will be reduced owing to the aptitude and quick assimilation evidenced by the students."

Before entering the Harvard Medical School at Shanghai, the Chinese medical student has to graduate from some other college in general studies and have a liberal knowledge of English. Dr. Thue is satisfied that the new generation of Chinese doctors will be of vast assistance in developing the ever-increasing wonders of medical and surgical science.

F. M. Hodges, one of the clever clerks of the city postoffice, is in Belhaven today on business.

TAKE A LOOK AT THE NEW Spring Suits. If you want the smartest styles they are here at the price you want to pay. J. K. Hoyt.

VIRGINIA TO VOTE SEPT. 22 PROHIBITION

Richmond, Va., Feb. 6.—The Virginia Senate, by a vote of 29 to 11 yesterday afternoon passed the bill called the enabling act, which was supported by the Anti-saloon League.

This act is designed to enable the voters upon the petition of one fourth of the \$6,518 who participated in the last gubernatorial election, to vote for or against recommending to the general assembly the passage of a measure making the entire State "dry" the special election to be held September 22, 1914.

The bill as amended permits manufacturers of intoxicants to continue their business if their entire product is shipped outside the state. The bill does not restrict the sale of Virginia-made cider.

The amended bill goes back to the House which had already passed it, for conference.

After reconsidering the vote ordering the engrossing of the enabling act, the Senate adopted the Tavenner amendment providing for copying the lists of voters by treasurers.

The two sessions of the Senate were required yesterday to dispose of the amendments and send the bill to its engrossment.

WEATHER FORECAST SAYS MUCH COLDER

The weather bureau today sent out the following forecast for North Carolina. Rain and warmer tonight. Saturday rain followed by fair and much colder in afternoon. Moderate easterly winds, shifting to northwest.

MR. R. R. WARREN RESTING MORE COMFORTABLE TODAY IS REPORTED

It will be gratifying to the many friends of Mr. R. R. Warren to learn that he is resting more comfortable today. For the past several days he has been very ill at his home near this city.

GUEST OF PRES. LOWTHER

Mrs. Octave Pyszant of New York City, is spending a week as the guest of President and Mrs. E. A. Lowther at the Washington Collegiate Institute, Washington Park.

PROMPT SERVICE—WRIGHT'S

WILEY STOKES TO SERVE TWO YEARS ON ROADS

Sentenced by Recorder Windly For Assault With Shotgun Two Years Ago

Wiley Stokes, colored, who was arrested in Kinston, N. C., several weeks ago by the police of that town and who was brought to this city by Sheriff Ricks, was given a hearing before the recorder yesterday with the result that Stokes is to serve a term of two years on the county roads.

About two years ago Stokes made an assault on two young men by the name of Rawls with a shotgun and one of the brothers today is still carrying several of the shot in his body. Stokes not satisfied with shooting the men endeavored to put out of commission the horse which they were driving. The affair took place near Whartons. Stokes was arrested and tried before Recorder Grimes for the offense. He was placed under a bond for his appearance at court. Since that time and up to the time he was apprehended in Kinston his whereabouts have been unknown. Stokes now will pay the penalty of his crime and do work for the county on its roads for the next two years. He was adjudged guilty in two cases; one for assaulting the Rawles brothers and one for shooting the horse.

INSPECTIONS OF COMPANIES THIS MONTH

On February 18th the Washington Light Infantry will be given its annual inspection at their armory. The inspecting officers will be Col. Thomas Stringfield and Capt. R. C. Langdon. On the evening of February 24th the Sixth Division, North Carolina Naval Reserves will be inspected by these same officers. Both organizations are now in active preparation for the inspection and the outlook bids fair for a creditable inspection.

J. C. Holloway of Raleigh, N. C., is a Washington visitor today.

E. R. Conger of Edenton, N. C., was on our streets this morning.

E. C. Potter, travelling passenger and freight agent of the Norfolk Southern is here today. He is registered at Hotel Louise.

H. S. Irvin of Norfolk, is registered at the Louise.

R. E. Brown of Hertford, arrived here last night via the Norfolk Southern.

25 CENTS WILL BE PAID FOR one copy of the Daily News of May 16th, 1912. Send to News office.

SILK WAISTS DRY CLEANED AT Wright's

NEW SPRING SILKS FOR STREET or evening wear, best values in town. J. K. Hoyt.

THE LYRIC

We told you in yesterday's issue of Miss Palmer's wonderful talent and we ask you now to interview those present last night. To make our statement stronger will guarantee her the BEST VOICE YOU HAVE EVER HEARD in this city. You will lose by staying away.

JACK MEETS HIS WATERLOO—This is a good Western Number. American.

THE CONFESSION—Norma Phillips in the Girl's Spy Allegment. Holmbeck.

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