

## MISS BRIGHT WILL HAVE TITLE ROLE

In The Senior Play "Pandora" presented at East Carolina Training School, Greenville, March 9th.

Miss Corinna Bright of Washington, has the title role in the Senior play "Pandora" which will be presented at the East Carolina Teachers Training School on March 9th. Miss Mattie Bright also has a part in the performance.

### Eloquent Sermon by Rev. E. M. Snipes at the M. E. Church

One of the finest and most thoughtful sermons heard in Washington in some time was delivered at the First Methodist Church on Sunday evening by the pastor, Rev. E. M. Snipes. The large congregation present were charmed and listened attentively from beginning to end.

## LUMBER CO. GIVES ROAST TO GUESTS

Eureka Lumber Co. Entertained Their Friends Saturday Afternoon—Function Was Much Enjoyed.

At the plant of the Eureka Lumber Company on last Saturday afternoon a delightful oyster roast was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Spruhs, Scranton, Pa.; T. F. Ryman, Wilkesbarre, Pa., and Messrs. N. A. Welles and Charles Welles of Elmira, N. Y. It is needless to state that the function was enjoyable and that the officials of the company proved par excellence in their roles as entertainers.

## Grand Opera Coming



## Gounod's Delightful Masterpiece "Faust" at The New Theatre Thursday Night

It will indeed be a special pleasure on the part of our music loving people to know that the New York Grand Opera Company will present Gounod's delightful masterpiece "Faust" at the New Theatre on next Thursday night, February 26th. By reason of it being so seldom that we are given an opportunity, musically speaking, of this kind, that doubtless a rousing welcome awaits this admirable organization, which, while making no pretense to exploiting a big chorus, offers the honest assurance of a cast calculated to leave behind a wholly satisfying memory.

## D. W. GASKILL DIED AT HIS HOME SAT.

Was One of Beaufort County's Useful and Esteemed Citizens. Funeral Took Place Today at Two O'clock.

Captain David W. Gaskill, one of Beaufort county's first citizens and one of those who when only a boy entered the Confederate army to fight for home and native land, passed away Saturday afternoon at 4.45 o'clock at his home on Mauls Point.

Mr. Gaskill was born and reared on the spot where he answered the "roll call" as if he had been permitted to have lived until next month would have celebrated his sixty-eighth birthday. That grim monster, pneumonia, about a week ago began to perform its deadly work, and although everything known to the skill of his attentive physician and loved ones was done, he entered that narrow vale that lies between the barren peaks of two sternities after spending a life of usefulness to his county, his neighbors, his family and his friends.

## CLASS HAS ADOPTED AN UNIQUE PLAN

Baracas of M. E. Church Inaugurate an Interesting Method to Secure New Members—Solicitors Appointed.

The Baraca Class of the M. E. Sunday school has decided upon an interesting method of adding members to its number. The class has been divided into two groups, each headed by a captain of its own, and for the next three months they will hold a contest to see which group can secure the greater number of new members.

When arrested Saturday he made a deposit of \$25 for his appearance. Thinking that it were better to seek other parts and leave his money he departed.

## J. P. CAIRNES MEETS WITH ACCIDENT

Collar Bone Broken at Mutual Machine Company Plant Saturday Afternoon—Sustained Other Bruises.

J. P. Cairnes, one of the city's popular citizens, met with a painful accident at the Mutual Machine Company plant Saturday afternoon and in consequence he is now confined to his home corner of Respass and Second streets suffering from a broken collar bone and several bruises.

## Large Newspapers Being Printed on Paper Made of Wood Pulp

A recent issue of the New York Herald is printed on paper made from woods which have not been used heretofore for news print paper. The sheet which newspaper readers hold in their hands each day is made of wood. If one looks closely the little wood fibers can be seen, especially in the margins where printing does not obscure them.

## R. M. HEARNE OF GREENVILLE DIED SUNDAY

News has been received in the city announcing the death in Greenville, N. C., yesterday of Mr. R. M. Hearne who for years was an honored citizen of Washington. The end came at 2.30 o'clock, caused from a stroke of paralysis on Friday last.

## C. F. BLAND IS BACK FROM 2-WEEK'S TRIP

Mr. C. F. Bland of the Harris Hardware Company returned Saturday from a two weeks visit to Detroit, Akron, Canton, Pittsburgh and Baltimore. While in Detroit Mr. Bland spent several days in the Studebaker automobile factory and came home laden in his praise of the workings of this mammoth manufacturing enterprise.

## Lyric Theatre Tonight

Miss Anna B. Palmer will delight the music lovers again, she having cancelled an engagement to give the Lyric a return date. No sweeter voice has ever been heard here in any show and we guarantee our show tonight to be of a higher class than any ever shown here.

## THE MAYOR DISPOSES OF FOUR CASES

The mayor's court started out lively this morning for the first day of the week. Several offenders were before the court. Those disposed of were as follows: Samuel Swain was charged with an assault. After hearing the evidence the mayor bound him over to the Recorder's court.

## Twenty-three Men Saved From Ship Hard on Beach Saturday

Norfolk, Feb. 23.—Twenty-three men were hauled through the surf in the breeches buoy from the British tramp Riversdale Saturday morning by lifesavers from Little Island station, where the Riversdale is hard and fast aground, 2 miles south of Virginia Beach. Crews from Dam Neck and False Cape stations assisted in the rescue work, which went on without interruption from daylight until nearly noon after the lifesavers had stood by their rig on the beach through a wild night.