

WASHINGTON DAILY NEWS

THE WEATHER—Fair tonight. Unsettled tomorrow. Moderate winds.

WASHINGTON N. C. MONDAY AFTERNOON JUNE 21 1915

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NEGROES BUSY VIOLATING MANY LAWS

FIGHTS OCCUR IN VARIOUS PARTS OF CITY AND COUNTRY.

MANY ARRESTED

Will Cox Stabbed. Shooting Affray in Chocowinity. Liquor Law Violated. Free-for-all Fight.

Several negroes in the city and county are today reposing in the county jail as the result of various offences which were committed Saturday and yesterday. A cutting affray, shooting incident and a free-for-all fight are among the events which transpired and which resulted in the jailing of the guilty parties.

Will Cox Wounded.

Saturday afternoon, at Hill's stables, Dave Dixon, a negro, stabbed Will Cox, white, and inflicted several wounds of a serious but not fatal nature. Cox was cut in the shoulder and the knife of the negro was broken off in his forehead. Words are said to have passed between the two before the incident began. Immediately after wounding the white man, Dixon ran away. The officers were notified and chased him across the Pitt county line, where he was captured and then brought back to town. Although the arrest was not made in this county, the officers were justified in making the arrest as long as they were in the chase and the pursued party continued his flight, no matter into what county the fugitive was finally captured.

Shooting and Cutting Affray.

Last night at about ten o'clock, Mr. Patrick, of Chocowinity, telephoned to the officers here that a fight between two negroes had taken place near Chocowinity, resulting in the wounding of both of the participants. It appears that Gus Vines shot Jim Collins, inflicting wounds in the latter's leg. Collins, not to be outdone, stabbed Vines in the forehead with a knife. Neither of the wounds were fatal. Both are alleged to have been in an intoxicated condition. The officers went to Chocowinity in an automobile late last night and arrested the guilty parties.

Violated Liquor Law.

Local officials were notified yesterday afternoon that two negroes had left the train at Pinetown and were proceeding up the tracks with two suitcases filled with liquor. The officers drove to Pinetown as quickly as possible, located the negroes and found between five and six gallons of liquor in their possession. They were arrested.

Free-for-all Fight.

Sheriff Windley yesterday arrested four negroes on Third street, who were indulging in a free-for-all fight on the street. No weapons were being used outside of a club or two, but considerable damage was inflicted upon the various participants before the fight was stopped. The fight is said to have been waged by members of "Spence Red-dick's gang."

Fourteen in Jail. As a result of the various activities Saturday and yesterday, the number of inmates in the county jail has been increased to fourteen. This is the largest number that has been confined in the "hole" for some time.

POPULAR 'Silent Play' THEATRE

THE BELMO will show tonight one of those very interesting dramas "Van Thornton Diamonds," in two parts. Also, "A Bold Bad Burglar." For tomorrow, see "The Ward of the Mission," "The Open Drawbridge," and "The Jarr Family Discovers Harlem."

See two chapters of CHAPLIN Saturday.

MATINEE AND NIGHT.

The Bellmo.

"COOLEY PLAYS IN TOWN."

FINE GIFT TO MISS CLARK



This is the pendant of the beautiful diamond necklace which will be presented by the house of representatives to Miss Genevieve Clark, daughter of Champ Clark, when she is married on June 29 to James M. Thomson of New Orleans. There are 85 diamonds in the necklace.

Daniels Writes On Y.M.C.A.

Sends Best Wishes for the Success of the Campaign in Washington for Institution.

A letter was received this morning by a resident of this city from Josephus Daniels, secretary of the navy, endorsing the local Y. M. C. A. campaign. An extract from the letter is given herewith:

I have always been very much interested in the work and success of the Young Men's Christian Association. A few years ago when a campaign was started in my home town of Raleigh for the purpose of erecting a new building as the home of the Y. M. C. A. there, I gave as my four special and particular reasons for being so intensely interested in its welfare, my four special and particular boys. Since then, I have become Secretary of the Navy, where I find in addition to these four reasons at home I have fifty odd thousand reasons in the enlisted personnel of the Navy.

With the best of good wishes for the success of the campaign in Washington, believe me,

Very sincerely yours,
JOSEPHUS DANIELS.

To Demonstrate Gossard Corsets

Corsieres Will be at Lewis & Catala's Main Street Store All of This Week.

Miss Ethel M. Christy, expert and graduate corsiere, representing the H. W. Gossard Company, of Chicago, arrived in the city today and has her headquarters at Lewis & Catala's Main street store.

The Gossard line of corsets is possibly the most strongly recommended by the physicians and eminent health authorities of the nation. It is expected that many of the ladies of the city will personally avail themselves of this opportunity of consulting a graduate corsiere. Miss Christy will remain in the city for one week and will be pleased to have all the ladies of the city call on her during her stay in Washington.

SAYS BAKER.

Bring on the babies. Rain as good as shine—the weather conditions make no difference with our new methods of photography. Come in the morning if possible. We will be crowded in the afternoon.

BAKER'S STUDIO.

OBITUARY.

Rev. H. C. Bowen, of Wilmington, N. C., died in Cincinnati, O., Saturday, following a stroke of paralysis Tuesday. The remains have been taken to his home in Wilmington. Interment will be at Catherine Lake, Oakdale county, tomorrow. Mr. Bowen has been an active minister of the Christian church for forty years. He began his ministry at the age of seventeen. He was born July 25, 1824, in Long Acre, Washington county.

PULLMAN CAR FOR LOCAL ELK LODGE

EXCELLENT PROGRAM WILL BE CARRIED OUT AT CONVENTION.

HELD THIS WEEK

Reception, Vaudeville, Smoker, Parade and Many Other Features Will be Carried Out at Big Meeting.

Below is given the program of the North Carolina State Association of Elks, which meets in Charlotte on Thursday and Friday of this week, June 24th and 25th.

The members of Washington Lodge No. 822 will attend in their private pullman car, which has already been engaged for the occasion, and the boys are expecting a happy time.

PROGRAM

North Carolina Association B. P. O. Elks.

Thursday, June 24, 1915.

9:00 A. M.—Arrival of delegates and visitors.

10:00 A. M.—Registration at Buford Hotel (headquarters).

11:00 A. M.—Reception at Elk's Home.

2:00 P. M.—Opening of Convention at Masonic Temple, president W. H. Beardsley presiding.

Address of Welcome in behalf of City of Charlotte, Mayor T. L. Kirkpatrick.

Response, Jno. H. Bonner, Washington Lodge No. 822.

Recess.

4:45 P. M.—Special Vaudeville, Piedmont Theatre (for Elks only).

8:15 P. M.—Parade, starting at South Tryon and Third Streets, moving North, passing Judge's stand at Buford Hotel, disbanding at the court house.

9:15 P. M.—Tango Party, front Buford Hotel.

10:00 P. M.—Smoker at Elk's Home.

11:00 P. M.—Eleven o'clock Toast, Elk's Home.

Friday, June 25, 1915.

10:00 A. M.—Meeting of Credentials Committee, Masonic Temple.

11:00 A. M.—Business Session of Association, Masonic Temple.

Recess.

2:30 P. M.—Presentation of Parade Trophies, at Masonic Temple, New Bern Lodge, No. 764, Temporary. Address by Tom C. Daniels. Charlotte Lodge, No. 392, Chase Brenizer.

Recess.

4:00 P. M.—Baseball at Wearn Field, Raleigh vs. Charlotte.

6:30 P. M.—Barbecue, Lakewood Park (take cars from baseball game).

8:00 P. M.—"Hello Bill," Lakewood Casino (Stock Company).

10:30 P. M.—Hand Shaking.

11:00 P. M.—Auld Lang Syne (Buford Hotel).

11:15 P. M.—Good Night.

Bank Starts New System

Solution of Local Credit Problems Is Evolved by the Bank of Washington of This City

The Bank of Washington has inaugurated a new local credit plan for merchants and their customers, which is sure to meet with hearty endorsement as it supplies a long-felt want.

Practically all of the merchants in Washington are asked to extend credit, and as a result have to wait for a considerable length of time before they get their money. By the system inaugurated by the Bank of Washington, the bank loans the customer the money with which to pay for his purchases. The merchant gets his money at once and the customer pays the bank as he is able. Should the customer fail to pay his money in to the bank, the merchant is required to stand good. He would, however, suffer the same loss even if he had no dealings through the bank, as the customer would then be indebted directly to him. Instead of through the bank. It is believed that the new system will prove very popular with both merchants and customers.

This plan is in effect in a number of the larger cities and is meeting with great success.

MEN AND SUPPLIES FOR AUSTRIA'S BATTLESHIPS



This photograph, taken at Pola, Austria's naval base in the Adriatic, shows boatloads of marines, supplies and ammunition being hurried aboard the battleships and transports.

AGED CITIZEN DIED THIS MORNING

MOSES JARVIS FOWLER PASSED AWAY. FUNERAL TOMORROW.

WAS 68 YRS. OLD

Second Oldest Native Born Citizen of Washington. Many Friends Are Mourning His Death.

After an illness of several months, Moses Jarvis Fowler, aged 68, died this morning. The end came at his home at seven o'clock on East Second street, surrounded by loved ones and friends.

The funeral will take place from the First Presbyterian Church Tuesday afternoon at five o'clock and the interment will be in Oakdale cemetery. The following will act as pallbearers: Dr. A. S. Wells, Mayor F. C. Kugler, B. G. Moss, C. M. Little, John F. McQuar and C. M. Brown, Jr.

Mr. Fowler was born on December 18, 1846. He was the son of the late Stephen and Ann Fowler, of blessed memory. He has been a resident of this city practically all his life and one of its most useful and loyal citizens.

Since December last the deceased had been in failing health and for the past four months confined to his bed. The end was peaceful and tranquil.

When seventeen years of age Mr. Fowler answered the call of his native land. He was a member of Company "B" and served with credit during the latter part of that noted conflict.

For twenty-seven years he was connected with the police force of Washington and at one time was proprietor of the Hotel Benard. He also occupied the position as assistant recorder.

At the time of his death Mr. Fowler had the distinction of being the only person living here who witnessed the suicide of Washington Carver in the court house in the year 1857. Mr. Fowler was also the second oldest native born citizen.

He was happily married to Miss Latham Whitehurst in June 1882, one son being the result of this union in the person of Mr. Stephen Fowler. Besides a heart-broken widow and a devoted son he leaves two sisters, Mrs. E. Tuthill, of South Creek, and Miss Mary Fowler, of this city.

"GOOD TASTE"
CRYSTAL ICE CREAM
DELICATE IN FLAVOR
SMOOTH IN TEXTURE.
Delicious, Substantial and Wholesome.
Fresh Peach Today. TRY IT.
Crystal Ice Company
PHONE 83 WASHINGTON, N. C.

HOME
Building And Loan Association
Will Open a New Series July 3rd. COME IN.
Call at Banking House of
Savings & Trust Company
For Booklet Explaining It.

Good Program At Chautauqua

Saturday's Events Were Witnessed by Record Breaking Crowds. Many Excellent Numbers.

In the opinion of practically everyone who has attended the various performances of the Chautauqua, this season's events are far superior to those given here last year. Large crowds are testifying their appreciation of the entertainments and the attendance so far greatly exceeds that of last year.

Saturday's program was a most interesting one. The Chautauqua entertainers put on a splendid program, consisting of unusually clever readings by Miss Elsie Mae Gordon, some skillful banjo playing by Miss Judith Lyndon and talented singing by both. Mr. Kauppi's performance on the cornet was rewarded by hearty applause and he was forced to give several encores. Bennett Springer's magic work proved delightful to both old and young and his various tricks were cleverly done. Motion pictures concluded the evening's entertainment.

Has Pedaled 29,583 Miles

Ab. Allgood, Jr., who resides a short distance from the city and who is in the employ of the Mutual Machine Company, has pedaled a distance of his bicycle, since beginning his work in Washington, that equals the circumference of the globe and then reaches over from here to San Francisco. Mr. Allgood has been in the employ of the Mutual for 10 and one-half years. He travels a distance of 9 miles every day. There are 315 working days in the year, or a total of 2,837 for the 10 1/2 years. Multiplying the 2,837 by 9, it will be found that Mr. Allgood has travelled 29,583 miles.

A bicycle will travel about 10 feet for every push on the pedals. Those who care to figure this out, will find that Mr. Allgood's legs have pumped up and down 13,619,824 times, which, we might remark, is some pumping.

Some persons, who are better able to think in "feet" instead of "miles" will find that the distance travelled by Mr. Allgood amounts to 156,198,240 feet. For the benefit of those who would like to have this reduced to inches, we might add that the distance is equal to 1,274,378,880 inches.

Creek, and Miss Mary Fowler, of this city.

DON'T FAVOR BUILDING OF Y. M. C. A.

G. C. HUNTINGTON MADE INTERESTING SPEECH AT CHAUTAUQUA.

IS DISCUSSED

Building Would Put City to Heavy Expense. Advocates a "Community Y. M. C. A." for Boys Here.

At the joint services of the Washington churches, which were held yesterday afternoon at the Chautauqua tent, G. C. Huntington, interstate secretary of Y. M. C. A. work, made an interesting address on the prospects for Y. M. C. A. work in Washington. A large congregation was present and Mr. Huntington's words received the closest of attention.

"In order to have the right kind of a building, with the proper equipment, it would cost about \$50,000," stated Mr. Huntington. "In addition to that, it would cost about five or six thousand a year to keep this kind of a building up. Washington looks like a most prosperous city but I honestly believe that the burden of erecting and maintaining such a building would be an exceedingly heavy one to bear, and I wouldn't for a minute advise the people of Washington to consider a building at the present time. It has been tried in other cities of this size and even larger, and in every case it has either proven a failure or been a most difficult proposition to maintain."

"Now regarding rented quarters, it would take over \$2,500 a year to keep them up and we have found in our work that the boys do not take very eagerly to narrow crowded quarters. The result is that although a Y. M. C. A. in rented rooms may thrive for a month or two, the members would soon lose interest and the movement would gradually die out. I believe that has been your experience here before."

"What I would suggest for Washington at the present time, would be what we call a 'Community Y. M. C. A.' Secure the services of a capable man, experienced in this line of work, and let him labor among the boys in the schools, the mills, the Sunday schools and the churches. No equipment or building would be necessary, but at the same time, a great good would be accomplished. He would form different boys' clubs, interest them in athletics and conduct the work along these lines. This method has proven very successful in other cities where it has been tried and I believe it would be just the thing for Washington. It wouldn't put the residents of the city to any great expense, but at the same time, great good could be wrought among the younger boys and a Christian influence established."

After the service, a number of men remained to talk over the matter with Mr. Huntington. It was decided to call a meeting this morning at eleven o'clock in the Savings & Trust Co. building and talk over the matter further.

MEETING THIS MORNING.

About fifteen men were present at the meeting which was held this morning at the Savings & Trust Company. Mr. Huntington again outlined the plan of procedure under which the "Community Y. M. C. A." was operated and answered many questions which were asked him. The following were appointed as an executive committee to fur-

EYES TURNED TO CAMPAIGN IN EAST

GERMANS ARE MAKING BIG GAINS. RUSSIANS HAVE RETREATED OVER 100 MILES. LEMBERG THREATENED.

CRISIS AT HAND

Russians Fleeing From Border Towns. Whole Villages Are Being Burned to Prevent Germans From Gaining Aid.

London, June 21.—All eyes are now turned on the campaign which is being waged by the Austro-German forces against the Russians in the eastern theatre of war. The Germans, during the last seven weeks have driven the Russians back for a distance of over 100 miles. They are now within seventy miles of Lemberg and the fall of this city is expected by the end of this week. The resistance of the Russian forces is of a weak nature and is as nothing compared to the steady advance of the Teutons.

Residents of Lemberg are already fleeing further into the interior in anticipation of attack from the enemy. People in other cities are also said to be burning their homes and leaving for points further away from the border. The Russians, it is claimed, are short of ammunition and to this is attributed the weak resistance which they have been putting up in the last two weeks.

Italians Still Gaining.

Rome, June 21.—Very little change has occurred in the campaign of the Italians against the Austrian forces. The Italians have gained several small points of advantage and report the taking of a number of prisoners.

Raids in Moscow.

Petrograd, June 21.—Moscow suffered damage to the amount of \$20,000,000 during the recent anti-German demonstration, in which nearly 500 stores and factories and more than 200 private dwellings were wrecked.

Reception To Mrs. Pickett

Will Be Given at the Chautauqua Tent on Thursday Afternoon, Following Performance

A public reception will be given at the Chautauqua tent Thursday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Pickett, wife of General George Pickett, hero of the Confederacy. The reception will follow Mrs. Pickett's lecture at the tent that afternoon. The public is cordially invited to remain after the Chautauqua performance and have the pleasure of meeting Mrs. Pickett.

Members of the Confederate Veterans and their wives are especially urged to be present. No admission will be charged them at the performance that afternoon.

Daily Thought.
The bow cannot possibly stand always bent, nor can human frailty subsist without some lawful recreation—Servants.

then investigate the proposition:
Rev. R. L. Gay, J. G. Bragaw, W. G. Privette, J. B. Sparrow, C. A. Flynn and W. O. Ellis. This committee met this afternoon at the court house to decide upon a course of action.

New Theater

TO-NIGHT.
TO-NIGHT.
11th Episode of
"THE EXPLOITS OF BLAINE"
—and—
2-OTHER REELS—3
WEDNESDAY NIGHT
CHARLIE CHAPLIN
—and—
"HIS NEW JOB."