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THOSE WEATHERS—Probably showers tonight and Saturday.

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NEW PLAN IS SUGGESTED FOR Y. M. C. A.

WOULD USE OLD CEMETERY LOT AS SITE FOR BUILDING.

LOT IS AVAILABLE

Could Be Used as Location for Both a Public Library and an Association Building.

Editor Daily News.

Dear Sir: As a resident of Washington, I have been very much interested in the present Y. M. C. A. agitation and the various suggestions that have been made by local citizens. It appears to me that the best of those was made in an interview which appeared in your columns with Rev. R. I. Gay. Whether it is possible, or not, I do not know. However, there is another avenue open, which I do not believe anyone in Washington has given consideration, but which, it appears to me, would solve the Y. M. C. A. question in a most satisfactory manner all around.

On Market street, in the rear of the postoffice, there is an old Methodist cemetery, originally donated to this church by a public-spirited resident of Washington. An attempt has been made in the past to secure this lot for a cemetery, but the descendants and relatives of those who are buried on this lot, would not listen to any arrangements that would disturb the graves. After considerable argument and discussion, I believe that all of the interested parties are now willing to give over the lot for some civic purpose, such as a library or similar institution. The last lady to remove her objections made the request, however, that the graves be not interfered with, but that the lot be cemented over and an appropriate building erected.

The Civic Club has \$100 for a library-building fund. I understand that the Y. M. C. A. committee has over \$700 pledged for the building of an association building. Why would it not be an excellent idea for these two to get together and erect a joint building to be used both as a Y. M. C. A. and a library? Neither would interfere with the other and I believe that the arrangement would be highly satisfactory in every way.

I wish you would publish this in your paper in order that the public may think over this matter and give suggestions regarding it.

Very truly yours,
MRS.

Latham Wallops Old Ford, 5-4

Exciting Contest Played off at Latham Saturday Afternoon Before Large Crowd of Spectators.

Before a large crowd of spectators the Latham baseball team mopped up with the aggregation from Old Ford Saturday afternoon, the score being 5-4. The game was replete with exciting thrills and the excellent fielding of both teams was a feature of the contest.

Jackson and Ward acted as the story for Old Ford, while Scott and Cox served in a similar capacity for Latham.

POPULAR "Silent Play" THEATRE

"IT'S COOL—WE CAN PROVE IT."

TODAY, "The Red Blood of Courage," in two parts, showing charity of Mrs. Manning Miss Boston and Miss Thompson. "Coronets and the Wilderness," a comedy.

TOMORROW, we present TOM Wilson, the funniest of all men, in "A Gentleman from Mississippi," a high class comedy picture in 5 acts. No. 3 of the celebrated EARL PEARLY series entitled "Mr. Terry Brings Home Turkey," and another one of the HILTON HOLMES series, "The Death Train," an exciting railroad picture.

The Bellino
NO MORE THE BELLINO SHOW

VETERAN AT WEST POINT



This is Gen. H. G. Gibson, the oldest graduate of West Point, who attended the graduating exercises of the class of 1915. General Gibson was graduated from the military academy in 1849.

MAKING PLANS FOR LOCAL ELK HOME

REPORTED THAT LOCAL LODGE IS GOING TO ERECT A BUILDING.

NOW AT WORK

Committee is Said to Have Matter in Charge and is Expected to Report at the Next Meeting.

According to information given out this morning, the local lodge of Elks are making plans for building a new home in this city. It is stated that this matter has been under discussion for some length of time and that a committee has the matter in charge. It is expected that a detailed report will be made at the next meeting.

It is reported that the committee, which is in charge of the matter, has made satisfactory arrangements regarding the land on which it is planned to locate the building.

The local lodge has been rapidly increasing in membership during the last two years and the present quarters are not large enough to comfortably house all of the members. They desire a building of their own, containing all the requirements of an up-to-date lodge.

"WHERE DOES THIS ROAD GO?"

"Never Went Anywhere," Answer Given President's Party.

Windsor, Vt., June 28.—President Wilson and members of his family out for an automobile ride became lost today in the foothills of the Green mountains, and for nearly five hours were riding through dense forests, up and down steep inclines, part of the time in a driving rain.

The President was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Francis B. Sayre, Miss Margaret Wilson, Miss Helen Woodrow Bones, Dr. Cary T. Grayson and several secret service men. The chauffeurs of the two cars carrying the party were from Washington and the president knew the country as well as anyone with him.

At one place Sayre leaned out and spoke to a farmer. "Where does this road go?" he inquired.

"I've been living here all my life, and it never went anywhere," replied the man, while the President tried to preserve his gravity.

ITALY LOOKS FOR LONG WAR.

Rome, June 28.—Italian military authorities today asserted that all the arms, ammunition and explosives factories in the kingdom were working day and night, making ready for the possibility of a continuance of the conflict for three years.

ACTIVE WORK EXPECTS BIG ON ROADS IS LOCAL SALE OF TOBACCO BEGUN

ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING HELD AT AURORA ON SATURDAY MORNING.

200 ATTENDED

Committees Appointed to Decide Route Over Which New Sand-Clay Road is to be Built.

At an enthusiastic "good roads" meeting, which was held in Aurora Saturday morning, definite plans were made for pushing along the work of constructing a good road out of that city. About 200 persons attended the meeting and great interest was evinced in the proceedings. W. A. Thompson and Mr. Lawrence, of Aurora, both made excellent addresses on the present prospects for securing good roads and the best method of obtaining results.

The following committee was elected at the meeting to take entire charge of constructing a sand-clay road across the sand hills: Meyers Bonner, W. A. Thompson and Rev. T. N. Lawrence. The latter was elected treasurer.

The proposed route will go either by way of Edwards or by way of the Respass road. The people along each of these routes are exceedingly anxious for the work to be done on their highway. The route will be definitely decided upon Tuesday night, when another meeting will be held for that purpose. Committees were appointed on both of the above routes to collect money and secure subscriptions of work. Which ever route raises the larger amount of money will secure the new road.

Enthusiasm in the work is growing daily. So far about \$1,100 have been subscribed by residents of the two routes in money and in labor.

Wants Road Through Edward

Gives Reason Why Highway Leading Through That Town Should Receive Improvement.

L. C. Tripp, mayor of Edwards, was in the city today and had considerable information to give out regarding the road improvement which it is planned to make out of Aurora. According to Mr. Tripp, every effort should be made by the citizens of the county to attend the meeting at Aurora tomorrow night, when it will be definitely decided which route is to be improved.

"There are two roads leading out of Aurora," said Mr. Tripp, and one of these will be improved. One is known as the Respass road and the other one leads through Edwards. In my mind the people should not hesitate for a second in deciding that the road running through Edwards is the logical one to repair. The other would only benefit the people living at Respass and in addition to that, it leads direct to New Bern. The road running through Edwards is the more direct route to Washington, and if this road is improved, the people of Hatteras will build out to it. The people of Edwards have also agreed to improve Main street themselves, and this will save some expense to the general road work. Edwards is willing to do more than her share in getting this road improved. We believe that it is the proper one on which to work.

"I hope that a large delegation will be present at the meeting at Aurora tomorrow night. We especially urge the business men of Washington to attend."

"Gentleman From Mississippi."

A feature film in five reels "The Gentleman from Mississippi," will be shown at the Bellino theatre tomorrow afternoon and night. This is one of the best pictures being shown on the screen at the present time and has attracted country-wide attention. The story revolves around the adventures in Washington of a newly elected Senator from Mississippi, and is full of comedy, interesting situations and clever acting.

Has the Habit.

When a man says "I don't want to complain," it means that he complains most of the time.—Archives Globe.

ESTIMATES SALE AT LOCAL MARKET AT ABOUT 5,000,000 POUNDS.

DISCUSSES CROP

V. B. Shelburne Believes Coming Season Will be Best that Local Markets Have Ever Had.

That between five and six million pounds of tobacco would be marketed in Washington this season, was the statement made this morning by V. B. Shelburne, of the Shelburne-Baughman Co., proprietors of the Central warehouse in this city. Mr. Shelburne added that he expected the local season to be successful in every way. The market will be in better shape than it ever has been, in the past and there will be plenty of buyers on hand when the season opens. In speaking about this year's crop of tobacco, Mr. Shelburne had the following to say:

"The first plantings do not look as healthy as the last ones. I suppose that this is caused by the cold weather that struck the young plants just after they were set, and caused them to spindle up and bunch, as they should have done. The last plantings, while some of them are buttoning early, look much healthier, and if we do not have a long wet spell to rob the tobacco, they should make a good quality and produce good weight to the plant, although the yield in pounds to the acre will be regulated, and I think will not be large, by the number of leaves that can be left on the plant, which, if the weather continues dry, cannot be many."

The Central warehouse is now complete and is one of the finest buildings of its kind in eastern Carolina.

Has Returned From Capital

Small States Sentiment Appears to Be that Amicable Settlement Will Be Made With Germany.

According to Congressman John H. Small, who has just returned from Washington, D. C., there is a general sentiment prevalent in official circles that an amicable settlement will be arrived at between this country and Germany.

When asked whether he believed a special session of Congress would have to be called, Mr. Small stated that he saw no reason at the present time for thinking that the president would issue a special call. He added, however, that it might be probable that congress would convene somewhat earlier than usual in order to attend to several important matters which required disposal.

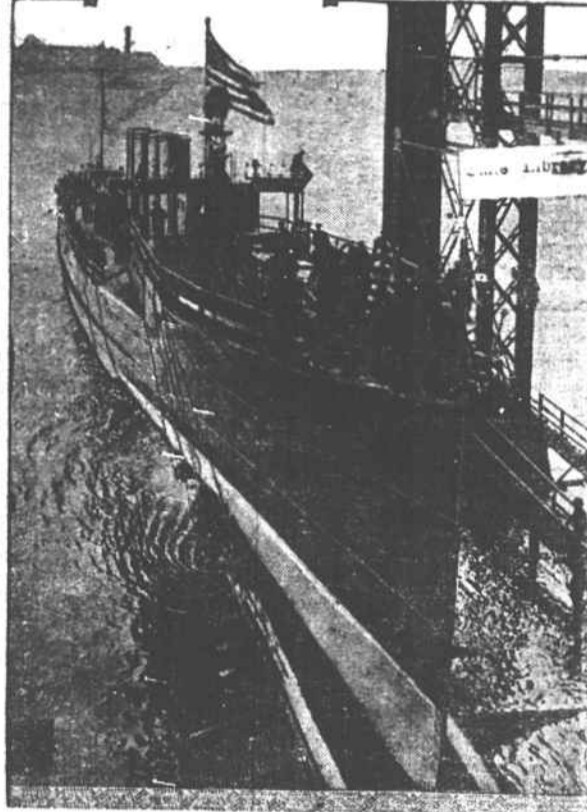
"The question of revenues is always an important one," said Mr. Small. "On account of a discontinuation of imports and custom receipts, our revenues have decreased considerably. I believe that they are now on the increase again."

Another Still Is Discovered

Officers Find Illegal Distillery in the Woods Near McConnell's Station. No Arrests Made.

Officers discovered a 80-gallon distillery Saturday night in the woods about a mile from McConnell's station, near Blounts Creek. No one was found at the still at the time the raid was made. Over 75 gallons of molasses-beer was poured out on the ground by the officials. Officers James, Pedrick, Roberts and Hay made the raid.

LAUNCHING OF THE JACOB JONES



Launching of the Jacob Jones, the latest American torpedo-boat destroyer, at Camden, N. J.

Outlines Plans of Local Suffragists

President of Local Organization Tells of Progress That Association is Making and What They Hope to Accomplish.

For the purpose of ascertaining the strength of the local equal suffrage association and an outline of the plans of this organization for future work, a representative of the Daily News this morning called upon Mrs. H. W. Carter, president of the association and asked her for facts pertaining to the above. He found Mrs. Carter at home and after a few general remarks, proceeded to the interview.

"How long has the local association been organized?" was the first question.

"If I remember rightly," replied Mrs. Carter, "we have been organized about ten weeks. This does not mean that the suffrage cause is only ten weeks old in Washington, however, for it has been under discussion for a considerable length of time. It was about ten weeks ago that we officially organized and elected officers."

"Do you have a place for holding meetings?"

"Yes. We meet in the hall in the Rodman building on Market street over Swanner's store. We have a comfortable set of rooms in that building which are ample in size for our present needs."

"Are regular meetings held, Mrs. Carter?"

"During the winter months, we meet every two weeks. We have not held a meeting recently and will not hold another one until fall, unless it is a specially called meeting. One of the features of our meetings to date has been the addresses, which have been delivered by prominent local men, who are in favor of equal suffrage."

"Is there much opposition, do you think, to the suffrage movement in Washington?"

"We have sounded out the sentiment pretty thoroughly. Of the lawyers in the city, I know of only two who oppose the granting of votes to women. All the others are in favor of it. None of them can

put up a good argument as to why women should not be given the ballot."

"Who are the officers of the local organization?"

"I have been elected president, Miss Lida Rodman is vice-president, Miss Francis Satchwell is treasurer and Miss Adeline Mayo is secretary. "How many members are there?" "I do not know exactly, but I believe that there are about thirty-five active members. In addition to this there are a large number of honorary members, who pay dues to the association."

"Has the association any plans for future work, or have the ladies any special purpose that they are striving to attain?"

"One of the things we are working for is the election of a woman on the school board, and I believe that we are going to be successful in accomplishing this eventually. The association believes that the presence of a woman on the board will be of material benefit to local school work and we are trying our hardest to accomplish this. This is one of the principal things that we are after at the present time, although there are a number of other propositions we hope to take up in the future."

"Is there anything else of interest you can tell me, Mrs. Carter?" "I don't know of anything, excepting that you might state that the suffrage representation in the Chautauque parade was the first parade of women in the State for the cause. At least I believe I am right in making that assertion, for we have not heard of another parade that has ever been held in North Carolina."

"Anything else?" "I believe that is all."

"Thank you very much, goodbye."

"Good-bye."

MUSICAL COMEDY AND "ELAINE" TONIGHT

The New Theatre opens tonight with a week's engagement of the "Empire Musical Comedy Co." This is said to be an exceptional strong tabloid troupe. They will give an entire change of program every night. So this week we will have plenty of good singing, comedy and dancing. Tonight the 12th episode of the "Exploits of Elaine" will be shown. So go out tonight and enjoy yourself both as to pictures and vaudeville.

PLANNING TO MIX UP IN MEXICO

HUERTA ARRESTED IN THIS COUNTRY; WAS TRYING TO LAUNCH ANOTHER REVOLUTION, ACCORDING TO REPORT.

"ON TO WARSAW"

German Soldiers Drive Russians Before Them With Fierce Onslaught. Yaqui Indians Are Quiet Again.

Washington, D. C., June 28.—An effort on the part of Huerta and other Mexicans in this country to regain control of Mexican affairs, has been checked by the arrest of Huerta and his associate in New Mexico. It is stated that Huerta had plans all laid for launching another revolution in the country across the Rio Grande. The exact evidence of Huerta's violation of neutrality has not been disclosed as yet. Statements from Villa and Carranza express these leaders as greatly rejoicing over Huerta's fate.

Russians Are Retreating.

London, June 28.—The Germans have begun a strenuous campaign, which they hope will result in the downfall of Warsaw. The Russians' fortunes are reported by the latter along the entire front of fighting.

Indians Under Control.

Washington, June 28.—Affairs in the Yaqui valley are today reported as having resumed their normal course. Bands that were threatened by the Indians are now under the protection of Sonora State troops. None of the settlers have expressed any desire to leave their property.

SECRETARY DANIELS SAILS.

Newport, R. I., June 28.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels sailed for New York on the cruiser Dolphin yesterday. He will board a train here for Washington.

THREE STILL SEIZED.

Asheville, June 28.—Three large shellfishers, were destroyed by officers in Transylvania county, according to reports made at the local headquarters today. The three plants were seized during the latter part of the week and all showed the effects of recent operations.

Editors Meet At Greenville

Held Session Yesterday, Washington Secures the Next Meeting.

At a meeting of eastern Carolina editors, which was held in Greenville yesterday, problems of modern journalism were discussed at length and a permanent organization was formed.

An interesting address was made by Editor Biggs of the Greenville Reflector on "The trials of an editor." This was followed by a short talk on "Modern newspaper methods," by Editor H. B. Utley, of the Ayden Dispatch. Editor Goersch of the Washington Daily News, made a talk on "How to make advertising pay both the advertiser and the newspaper."

Election of officers followed the addresses and the following were elected for the ensuing year: Asa Biggs, president, H. B. Utley, vice-president, and Carl Goersch, secretary-treasurer.

The next meeting will be held in Washington.

New Theater TO-NIGHT.

12th Episode of "THE EXPLOITS OF ELAINE"

EMPIRE MUSICAL COMEDY CO. SINGING—COMEDY—DANCING Program Changed Nightly Prices, 10c and 20c

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.