

## CAPT. FARROW PASSED AWAY

AGED RESIDENT OF WASHINGTON DIED AT HIS HOME ON FOURTH ST. YESTERDAY.

## WAS 78 YEARS OLD

Older Living Student of Trinity College, Confederate Veteran, and President Mason, Passed Away Yesterday.

Captain W. T. Farrow, aged 78, retired as captain, officer of the Confederate and the oldest living student of Trinity college, passed away at his home on Fourth street yesterday after an illness of about a month. Funeral services will be held from the home tomorrow afternoon at 2:00 o'clock.

Captain Farrow was born in Swan Quarter, Hyde county, February 14, 1837. He lived on the island of Ocracoke for many years during which time he was master of several ocean-going vessels. He has been a resident of Washington for the last 28 years.

He organized Co. H., 1878 regiment, at the beginning of the Civil war, but refused to accept the rank of captain which was conferred on him. He acted as first lieutenant of the company and served with honor in numerous engagements.

Immediately upon the close of the war he married Miss Susan Egan in 1855. One daughter survives this union, Mrs. J. O. Young of Middleton, Hyde county. She was present at the death-bed of her father.

In 1877, after the death of his first wife, Captain Farrow married again, taking as his bride Miss Mary Egan. Three children were born to them, only one of whom, Mrs. Walter Credle, of this city, is living.

Captain Farrow was a member of the Methodist church, a Mason and a member of the O. B. E.

## CLASSES MAKE NEW RECORDS

Both Barons and Vanguard Classes Had Largest Number of Members Present at Yesterday's Meetings.

New records in the way of attendance was established by the Barons class of the M. E. church and the Vanguard class of the Presbyterian church yesterday. Both of these classes are continuing to grow rapidly in membership and they expect to surpass the Barons within a month or so.

The Barons Class. Ninety-eight members—47 on the Navy's 50 and 51 on the Army—lost "Neutral" and "Pro-Victors" making a total of 197, were present at the meeting of the Barons yesterday morning. The Army is still leading in the number of new members secured and in attendance but the Navy made a slight gain yesterday.

After the meeting of the class, the members posed for their picture on the outside of the church. The photograph, providing that the features of the members of the Army can be successfully eliminated, will be used in an attractive booklet which it is planned to issue.

The Vanguard Class. A new record in attendance was also established by the Presbyterian class yesterday, forty members being present. Robert Fowle is president of the organization and Eugene Harris secretary. J. B. Farrow is the teacher and his interesting lessons are a big factor in causing a large percentage of the members to turn out every Sunday.

Japan's Great Ambition Is to Become a Creditor Nation

By Bono KINROU DEN, Japanese Home of Four

It is not certain when this war will end, but it is quite certain that if it lasts much longer foreign holders of Japanese securities will be compelled to dispose of them. For this reason Japanese bonds will decline in market value. Who this happens Japan should not hesitate to purchase them.

JAPAN'S AMBITION IN THE FUTURE MUST BE AS FAR AS POSSIBLE TO GET RID OF THE HEAVY FOREIGN DEBTS AND THEN BECOME A CREDITOR NATION.

## MILITARY PREPAREDNESS WILL COST \$3.20 PER CAPITA

Figure Would be the Cost Per Annum for Keeping up Secretary Garrison's Proposed Army. Does Not Include Navy.

(By Parker H. Anderson) Washington, Jan. 17.—If the cost were to be distributed per capita, every man, woman and child going to make up the 100,000,000 in the United States, would have to contribute \$3.20 a year for the upkeep of the military forces of the country, if the administration's preparedness program, based upon the estimates of the general staff of the army, is carried out. According to the estimate submitted to Congress by the war college in compliance with instructions of Secretary of War Garrison, the upkeep of the United States army, including the militia and proposed continental army, would cost \$285,480,000, the first year; \$229,973,000 the second year; \$229,973,000 the third year and \$229,973,000 per year thereafter.

The estimated cost of Uncle Sam's military establishment, which does not include probably as much more for the upkeep and building program of the navy, for the first year under the administration's preparedness plan, would be \$285,480,000 for the regular army; \$7,000,000 for the organized militia, and \$87,500,000 for the proposed continental army.

The second year and each year thereafter, the estimated cost of

maintaining the regular army is \$249,973,000; organized militia \$7,000,000; continental army \$70,000,000. The third year the appropriations required for the regular army and the organized militia would remain the same, \$256,973,000 while the appropriations required for the continental army would jump to \$85,000,000. After the third year, the general staff estimates that it would cost \$219,473,000 a year to maintain our military forces. The general staff estimated that the United States should have a mobile force of 500,000 soldiers available at home at the outbreak of war and that the army, with the regular reserve, should amount to this strength. It is also pointed out that in order to develop the necessary regular reserve with the army at the strength advocated in this policy, adjustments would have to be for about eight years—two with the colors and six in reserve. That would, it is estimated, in eight years result in approximately the following mobile forces: at home available at the outbreak of war; mobile regular troops (combatant) with the colors, 121,000; the regular reserve, \$79,990, or a total of \$200,990.

## DEATH OF INFANT

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Clark's Baby Died in Colorado Early This Morning.

Two telegrams were received by Mrs. W. B. Morton last Saturday night and early this morning from her daughter, Mrs. T. H. Clark, of Denver, Colo. The first wife notified her of the serious illness of Mrs. Clark's four-months old baby and the second told of the child's death at 12:15 a. m. today. Death is attributed to pneumonia. The infant was ill for about three weeks. Word has not been received as yet regarding the funeral arrangements.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark are well known in Washington. Mr. Clark left here about three years ago to accept a position in the west, while his wife has only been away from this city since May. When it became known that the child was critically ill, Mrs. Clark endeavored to locate her husband, who was on the coast, traveling; but up to the hour of the child's death had been unable to locate him. Mr. Clark was also ill recently in a hospital at Boise, Idaho.

## CHANGE DATE OF CELEBRATION

Lee and Jackson's Birthdays to Be Celebrated in Washington Friday Night, Instead of Wednesday.

The celebration of Lee and Jackson's birthdays, which was to have been observed in Washington Wednesday night, has been postponed until Friday night, due to the fact that many of the children of the Confederacy, who attend school, are taking examinations this week and would be unable to attend if the exercises were held Wednesday night. They are especially urged to be in attendance at the court house Friday night at eight o'clock. H. C. Carter will make the principal address of the evening. The complete program will be published later.

Monarch. I am the real ruler of the universe. I cover with dust the masterpieces of the earth. Ancient forms shrink before my ever awakening presence. And memory covers. Men bow before my scepter like slaves of the light. And women, their eyes fixed by my spell, follow where I lead. The gray baby in the nursery and the pearly-headed patriarch alike hearken to my manifold voice. I paint the world with divers colors, and the scientist, the doctor, all the rulers of men, awake to my bidding. I am monarch of all I survey. None dispute my eternal majesty. My name is novelty.—Life.

Teaching a Parrot. Don't try to teach Polly to talk unless she is perfectly tame and quite confiding. Begin on a one syllabled word without "th" or "ch" in it; then let her pronounce her name. Repeat the word you're trying to teach her patiently and always in exactly the same tone of voice. If, as sometimes happens, Polly can't be taught to talk, repeat over and over again a sentence, a request or any other unusual word. This will teach her to imitate and she may from that go to repeating words and sentences.

## "HOW HAPPY I COULD BE WITHOUT EITHER."



—Cesare in New York Sun.

## ARMY AND NAVY TO LOSE NOTED MEN

Nineteen Officers Will Retire at Age Limit in 1916.

FAMOUS ADMIRALS TO GO.

Bradley A. Fiske, Cameron McRae Winslow and T. B. Howard Head List—Eight Naval Captains Will Be Promoted—Wilson Will Select the Successors of Army Generals.

Washington.—Nineteen of the highest ranking officers of the army and navy will be retired from active service at the age limit fixed by law in 1916. Included in this number are one admiral, four rear admirals and four brigadier generals. The naval retirements include that of the commander in chief of the Pacific fleet, the president of the naval war college and a division commander of the Atlantic fleet, while among those who will cease to be active officers of the army are the chief of corps of engineers and the president of the army war college.

The first of the naval retirements in 1916 will be that of Rear Admiral



President Wilson, under the law, will select the successors of Generals Egan, Wheeler, Macomb and Evans. The naval promotions are by seniority.

## ENGAGEMENT IS ANNOUNCED

Approaching Marriage of Miss Ayers and Mr. Hackney is Made Public at Bridge Party.

At a bridge party, which was given Friday afternoon by Mrs. M. Harrington, at her home, Pierce street, the engagement of Miss Mae Ayers and James Acre Hackney was announced and the date of the marriage, March 7, also made public to the friends who were assembled.

There were four tables of bridge, at which Miss Elizabeth Warren made high score. The prize was a red heart, which contained a notice of the engagement and was read by Miss Warren. Refreshments were served in two courses.

Those present were Misses Mary Cowell, Sallie May Tillman, Mary Hill, Elizabeth Warren, Mae Ayers, Mary Tankard and Mesdames Edmund Harding, Walter Wolfe, Geo. Hackney, Jr., William Rumley, Sam Etheridge, Lee Davenport, Mason Smith, James Ellison, John Gorham, E. K. White, Ed. Mallison and Harold Washburn.

## SMOKING PIPE BECOMES FAD

Pipe is Fash. Replacing Cigar as the Smoke of Those Who Desire to Be in Style.

Paris, Jan. 17.—The war of 1814 brought the cigar to Paris with the English, the war of 1914 brought Tommy Atkins' pipe. Shortly after Waterloo, Roger de Beauvoir declared: "The cigar is the last word of andyism, the final detail by which the French gentlemen of our time may be identified. It is at the same time the supreme elegance and the supreme insolence of our generation. One cannot too highly recommend it to be used to use and even to abuse it."

Tommy Atkins' pipe has not reached the distinction of the cigar of the Restoration, and is still excluded from smoking-dens of exclusive society, but it is seen with far greater frequency in the street, and when the rough-bearded soldier comes home from the trenches it is likely to get anywhere, for some millions of English pipes have been distributed among them; by way of reciprocity some hundreds of thousands of elegant French briars have been imported into Great Britain and its colonies. Australia, particularly, has taken to the French briar and is piping the French pipe trade busy filling its orders.

Before the war the pipe had its place in France, well defined after the orderly routine of French life, as an adjunct of a fishing trip, a hunting expedition, an outing in the mountains. At fashionable resorts, as in town, it was pushed aside by the cigarette.

The pipe seems to have become an indispensable accessory of trench life, where anything that will help to kill time is welcome. It is at the time a distraction and an occupation, and, as one soldier puts it, "it has the advantage of keeping the end of the nose warm;" it also permits the utilization of a common kind of coarse tobacco which the soldiers say is made of sticks that are too coarse for cigarettes and not big enough to make a camp fire.

What is likely to make the pipe immensely popular after the war is that it will be more or less accepted as a sign of identification of "the man who was at the front."

Where Smoked Glass Has Value. People in Tibet value highly the spectacles of smoked or colored glass, but are not to them by the Chinese, because of the blinding brightness of the sun on the snow.

STORE CLOSED.

Walter Credle & Co. will be closed until 4 p. m. Tuesday on account of the death of Capt. W. T. Farrow, father-in-law of Mr. Credle.

SPECIAL MASONIC MEETING. Orr Lodge No. 104 A. F. & A. M. will have emergency meeting Tuesday, Jan. 18th, at 2:00 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of paying our last tribute of respect to our deceased brother, W. T. Farrow. All Master Masons are urged to attend. W. B. Singleton, Master. O. M. Winfield, Secy.

## INJURIES MAY PROVE FATAL

NEGROES CUTTING IN CUTTING WOUNDS.

## ARREST IS MADE

Joe Pope Stabbed Four Times by Major Ellison. Doctors Fear He Will Not Recover. Ellison Got Drunk and Was Caught by Police.

A serious cutting affray occurred Saturday evening and may result in the death of one of the participants. Major Ellison and Joe Pope were the ones engaged in the fight and Ellison's use of the knife proved to be effective that the doctors fear Ellison will be unable to survive his wounds. He was stabbed three times in the head and once in the back.

Immediately after the affray, Ellison ran away. He evidently procured a liberal portion of monkey rum from someone out in the country and when he returned to the city at 8:30 o'clock, he was very much under the weather. Officers arrested him and were forced to use considerable moral and physical persuasion in bringing him to jail. He will be held there for trial until it is ascertained whether Pope will live or not.

Cases Before Recorder. The police made two other arrests Friday and Saturday.

W. D. Woolard, charged with allowing his dog at large on the streets was fined costs of court.

Hugh Phelps, Reg. Fullard and Walter Goddard were each fined \$5 and one-third the cost for "throwing the line." Their trial was held before Recorder Vaughan Friday night.

## SHOT THRU THIGH

Hunter's Gun Slipped, Fell on Rail, Road Track and Was Discharged. Shot Went Through Thigh.

Jack Whelton accidentally shot himself Saturday evening while out on a hunting trip. He and a friend stopped alongside of the A. C. L. tracks and Whelton took up the other's gun to examine it, resting his own at his side. As he was in the act of returning the weapon, his gun slipped, fell on the railroad track and was discharged. The shot entered Whelton's thigh.

He was brought into town and attended to by Dr. Jack Nicholson. The wound has been dressed and it is expected he will recover without any serious effects.

## CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our sincere thanks and heartfelt appreciation to all who were so good and kind to us in our recent loss of our dear boy, Ira Gray. We know "It is well with the child," but the shock was so great and the wound so deep, no one who has not felt the need, can realize how much the tears of sympathy, the flowers and the warm handclaps mean to us. We stand ready and anxious to serve all, but we trust that in the "Wisdom of God and the precaution of man" no one will have to tread the path over which we are passing. May God in His mercy help us all in the hardest prayer of the family of Ira Gray Powell.

## PAPER HANDICAPPED.

Due to the fact that the notice of the sheriff's sale was brought in late this morning and had to be set up, thus taking the entire attention of our linotype, we are unable to publish our usual amount of local news because of lack of time.

**BELLMO TONIGHT**  
Victor Deanna  
J. WARREN KERRIGAN in "A KENTUCKY IDYLL"  
Nestor Comedy  
"LEE MOYAN in 'SOME PLEAS'  
Ing Comedy  
OLAN WHITE in "HARVEST MOON"  
PRICES 5c and 10c

**NEW THEATRE**  
TO-NIGHT  
New Adventures of J. Rufus Wallingford  
Sells offers "MAN'S LAW"  
1 reel feature  
Kathie offers "THE WINNING WASH"  
1 reel comedy  
Prices 5c and 10c