

NORTH CAROLINA FIREMEN

BUSINESS OF THE CONVENTION CONCLUDED.

President Green Re-elected—Wilmington Chosen as Next Year's Meeting Place—The Companies in a Big Parade.

It was a very gloomy morning that greeted the people in Asheville today. About 7 o'clock a heavy rain set in, drenching everything for two hours. By 10 o'clock, however, the sky was clear and the people began congregating near the square to watch the firemen's parade.

THE FIREMEN.

State Convention to Go to Wilmington Next Year.

The convention of the North Carolina State firemen's association reassembled at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon in the court house.

The finance committee reported the examination of the books of the secretary and treasurer and that they found them to be correct.

The following telegram was read: "FORSYTH, Va., July 13, 1892. To J. W. Griffith, Secretary North Carolina Firemen's Association."

"Officers and members of Virginia state firemen's association wish their brothers of the North State success."

"G. G. Cummings, secretary. A committee was appointed to draft resolutions of respect to the memory of the Asheville firemen who lost their lives in the wreck at Hostian's bridge."

J. W. Griffith was elected as a delegate to the National Firemen's convention at Louisville.

Resolutions of thanks to Chief Reid, of Danville; J. D. Murphy, and Hon. H. A. Gaudger, for their addresses before the convention; to the various railroads for reduced rates, especially to the Atlantic and Newbern railroad company.

The following resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote: "Resolved, That the heartfelt thanks of the North Carolina State Firemen's association be extended to the citizens of Asheville for their open-handed and wholehearted hospitality to us while holding our convention in their beautiful city, and that we not only fully appreciate the same, but will always look back upon our visit with the greatest pleasure."

To the members of the Asheville fire department we can only say that we pressed the button, they did the rest."

Reports from representatives of Newbern, Fayetteville, Greensboro, Durham, Wilson, Wilmington, Asheville, Winston, Carboro, Elizabeth City, Concord, Raleigh, Goldsboro and Salem, were made, and all stated a prosperous condition of the several departments.

The rules governing the races were changed to allow the hose companies to begin the race with harness on their horses.

G. S. Powell, of Asheville, and T. A. Green, of Newbern, were placed in nomination for President. Mr. Green was elected.

The following officers were then elected by acclamation: First vice-president—Geo. S. Powell, Asheville.

Second vice-president—J. D. McNeill, Fayetteville.

Secretary and treasurer—J. W. Griffith, Greensboro.

Stations—E. G. Parmele, Wilmington.

Wilmington and Fayetteville asked the association for the next annual convention. Wilmington was selected.

New Arrivals.

Two companies swelled the crowd of visiting firemen yesterday afternoon. These companies were Eagle Hose company No. 7, Greensboro, and Durham Hose company No. 1, composed as follows:

Greensboro—H. J. Eham, W. A. Farris, W. M. Adams, A. G. Alexander, Tom McAdoo and J. R. Dummell.

Durham—C. R. Whitaker, C. O. Meredith, C. E. Christian, K. H. Hinton and J. S. Carter.

This morning Durham Independent hose company No. 2 arrived. A. J. Blalock, W. F. Davis, N. V. Herndon, W. B. Whitaker, T. M. Pendergrass, W. P. Brock, W. C. Melvin, J. R. Cates, R. S. Wells, C. E. Jones, A. V. Sorrell, F. M. Ellis, W. B. Poe.

The Parade.

The firemen's parade occurred at 11 o'clock this morning and was one of the leading features of Gala Week. Fire Chief Powell and Assistant Chief McLeod had charge of the parade, assisted by Marshals P. P. Minnaugh, F. A. Fanning, Cepha Blanton, W. J. Fitzgerald, J. R. Oates, and I. G. Merrimon.

The parade formed on South Main street. The order of march was: Mounted Police.

Asheville Band and Belmont Orchestra, seven Men.

Mayor, Aldermen, Advisors, Fire Chiefs and Delegates, Fire Carriages.

Skyland Band, Fourteen Men.

Newbern Fire Engine Company, Thirteen Men.

Durham Hose Company No. 1, Thirteen Men.

Durham Independent Hose Company, Thirteen Men.

Greensboro Hook and Ladder Company, Fourteen Men.

Greensboro Fire Engine Company, Six Men.

Asheville Hose Company No. 1, Twelve Men.

Asheville Hook and Ladder Company, Ten Men.

Germania Band.

Asheville Light Infantry, Thirty Men.

The parade moved over South Main, West College, Patton avenue, Haywood, and back to court place, where it was reviewed by the judges, Gen. J. D. Glenn, Col. J. T. Anthony and Col. J. G. Martin, the committee to award the bronze statue offered by Arthur M. Field to the best uniformed and drilled company. The prize was given to Greensboro Hook and Ladder company.

AROUND TOWN.

Washington, July 14.—Forecast till 8 p. m. Friday—generally fair; preceded by showers and slightly cooler weather; westerly winds.

The Knights of Pythias meet tonight. Tomorrow is Firemen's day on Montford avenue.

H. A. Hart and family, of Knoxville, are in the city.

Dr. Jefferson Reeves, of Waynesville, is at the Swannanoa.

E. D. Monroe returned yesterday from an extended trip to Winston.

J. A. Woodcock has returned from a visit to relatives at Charlotte.

A. Rindewald, of the Knoxville Brewing company, is here on business.

The joint board and the board of aldermen meet tomorrow afternoon.

Remember tomorrow is Firemen's grand contest day on Montford avenue.

S. R. Kepler is able to be on the streets again, after an illness of several months.

Rev. J. W. Anderson is very ill at his residence, corner Seney and West streets.

Mrs. J. F. Council left on last night's train for Chattanooga for a two weeks' visit.

Rev. Thos. H. Leitch, an evangelist, of Charleston, S. C., is at the Swannanoa today.

The Asheville prohibition club will meet in temperance hall tonight at 8:30 o'clock.

W. R. Israel and wife, of Durham, are in the city, visiting Col. J. M. Israel on Woodfin street.

Mrs. Julia Fayette and Miss Anne Field, of Statesville, are visiting Mrs. T. A. Price, on North Main street.

Capt. A. S. Check, of Spartanburg, S. C., came to Asheville yesterday, bringing a fine mare for the races today.

J. D. Boone, of the Waynesville Courier, and W. A. Herren came in from Waynesville yesterday afternoon and spent today here.

A. I. Beam, who was injured by a fall from a second story window of the First National bank yesterday, is improving rapidly today.

The Y. W. C. T. U. meeting called for this afternoon has been postponed to the third Thursday, owing to the session of the Waynesville assembly.

The decorations in one of Barker's windows, on South Main street, caught fire from a lamp last night, but the flames were extinguished before much damage was done.

The Salisbury Herald says, Misses Hattie and Nona Crawford went to Asheville this evening.—Mrs. C. J. Bingham left last night on a visit to friends in Asheville.

Superintendent Ingle requests that all possible economy be practiced in the use of the city water, as breaks in the pipes on the eastern side of the mountains have greatly reduced the supply.

The convention of superintendents and managers of the Southern Bell telephone and telegraph company has been industriously engaged in a business session at the Battery Park hotel today.

The delegates are to partake of a banquet at the Park this evening.

The other day a tintype maker came to Asheville and advertised sixteen tintypes for 25 cents. This caused McCullough's boys, whose tent is next door to the newsmen, to wake up, and they have today been advertising "tintypes given away." Such is competition!

The Asheville band members are greatly indebted to Dr. Karl von Ruck for his kindness in allowing the Belmont orchestra to play with the Asheville band during Gala Week. The orchestra is a first-class one, and the playing of the two organizations was splendid.

COUNTY ALLIANCE

Annual Election of Officers Held Here Today.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Buncombe county alliance was held in the court house today. A majority of the sub-alliances was represented. The annual election of officers resulted as follows: President, D. A. Blackwell, vice-president, Thos. H. Long, secretary and treasurer, N. Plamondon, assistant secretary, W. E. Tomlinson; chaplain, Rev. W. T. Bradley; lecturer, J. R. DuBose; steward, E. D. Weaver; doorkeeper, J. C. Cowan; assistant doorkeeper, Larkin Tomlinson; sergeant-at-arms, Barton Brown; business agent, M. L. Reed; executive committee, J. W. Nash, M. D. Shook, W. L. Henry; goal of order committee, R. B. Vance, W. P. Chesboro, Rev. S. W. Mitchell.

Mr. D. A. Blackwell was elected delegate to the state alliance meeting at Greensboro, August 9. E. D. Weaver was elected alternate.

Resolutions of respect to the memory of the late L. L. Polk were adopted.

License to wed.

Register Mackey has issued license to wed as follows: J. R. Straw, of Asheville, and Louise C. Welsh of Yonkers, N. Y.

T. A. Hart, of Anderson, S. C., and Mary Jones, of Buncombe, colored.

THE MARKETS.

Stock Quotations.

NEW YORK, July 14.—Erie 20 1/2, Chicago and North Western 11 1/2, Lake Shore 12 1/2, Norfolk and Western, Richmond and West Point Terminal 9, Western Union 9 3/4.

Baltimore Prices.

BALTIMORE, July 14.—Flour, dull, western super 2.40@2.50; extra 3.10@3.25; family, 4.10@4.25. Wheat, No. 2 red spot and July 31.50@32, southern, steady, 17 1/2. Longberry 75@83. Corn—southern, white, firmer 63; yellow, steady 56@60.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, July 14.—Stocks, very dull but heavy. Money easy at 1 1/2@2 Exchange. Iron, business agent, M. L. Reed, 4.80@4.85; state bonds, neglected; government bonds, dull but steady. Cotton—futures, steady. July, 7.00; August, 7.14; September, 7.21; October, 7.32; November, 7.38; December, 7.47. Flour—firm and active. Wheat—active and dull. Corn—easier, 1 1/2 lower fair demand. Pork—active and steady at \$11.75@12.75. Lard—quiet and steady at \$7.24. Sugar—Tennessee—dull and steady, at 23 1/2@24. Rosin—inactive and steady at \$1.22 1/2@1.27 1/2. Tights—firm, fair demand.

The Dummy Line, those charming riles, On Sunset Mountain's flowery sides? MAN-A-LIN at Pelham's.

Crestal spring, pavilion fountain, Dummy Line to Sunset Mountain.

Railroad Ticket Broker, Member American T. B. Association, W. M. Clarke, Grand Central Hotel.

Picnic parties on a lark, Take Dummy line to Sunset Park.

NOTICE—Castle Hall, Pisgah Lodge, No. 32 K. of P., Sir Knights—Attend a meeting of your lodge this evening at 8 o'clock sharp. Visiting brethren invited. L. P. McLOUD, C. C.

ADAMANT as much superior to mortar as mortar is to mud.

THE GUN CLUB'S LAST DAY

WEDNESDAY'S SHOOTING AT THE RACE COURSE.

Charlotte Team No. 1 Makes a Score of 110 Out of a Possible 145—The Winners and Scores of the Events.

The first team shoot yesterday was won by Charlotte's No. 1 team with the best score yet, 110 out of 125. There were five entries at \$10 each and the Asheville gun club increased the purses by \$20. The second prize went to Greensboro, the third to Charlotte No. 2 and the fourth to Asheville team No. 1. The scores were:

Table with 2 columns: Team Name and Score. Charlotte No. 1: 110. Greensboro: 105. Asheville No. 2: 90. Asheville No. 1: 85. Charlotte No. 2: 75.

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R. A. M.

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