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# FRESH MEAT LOOSE **ON THE STREETS** OF HENDERSONVILLE

Grand Lodge K. of P. Meeting There Yesterday Was A Big Success

MANY VIGTIMS WENT FROM ASHEVILLE

Grand Lodge Parade And Drill By Uniform Rank Spolled By Rain

(Special to The Citizen.) HENDERSONVILLE, June 9-This city was turned over to the State Pythians today, the occasion being the meeting of the grand longe Knights of Pythias, of North Caro-lina, and the ceremonial session of the D. O. K. K., the "shrine degree" of Pythianism. A large batch of Ashevillians arrived here this morn-ing and this afternoon, bringing with them thirty of forty trembling victims, who had expressed a desire to try the viscissitudes of a journey across the "hot sands." The proceed-ings closed with a banquet at the Wheeler hotel which was served in an excellent manner.

The meeting was a great success in every way, both in point of atten-dance and in quality of material presented The heavy rain, however, prevented the grand lodge parade and the uniform rank drill, the only thing approaching this being the parade of the Asheville uniform rank No. 6, the candidates and members from Ashe-ville, headed by the First Regiment band. These marched from the depot to the Wheeler hotel where the band gave a concert lasting for an hour. The Asheville contingent made a fine appearance.

Large Class. The class of candidates taken in was one of the largest in the history of state gathering of the order, no less than sixty-three being sent over the sands. At midnight only half of this number had successfully made floor and introduced Congressman T. the journey. Many and varied were U. Sission, of Miselssippi, as the the experiences of the latter ere they spokesman of the Sons. Nearly every passed the final round. Before they reached the hall they had been exhib- the next meeting place. But, as it beited on the streets of this city, bound with ropes and inbeled with cards and other signi, all tellings of the trials speech, the delegates became noisy and tribulations to come. Old "Dok- and calls of "sit down" and "vote" who had been offered up in sactiffee many years before, walked with

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Mobile Chosen For Next Reunion After Contest Among Cities And Several Ill Timed Speech-

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Session Was Stormy,

(By Associated Press.) MEMPHIS, Ten., June 9.—After re-electing General Clement A. Evans, Igress delivered in answer to Con gressman Calderhead, of Kansas, who charged that the Southern peocommander-in-chief over his vigorous but futile protest, and selecting Mople were lazy. Sisson received some bile, Ala., as the next place of re-union, the United Confederate Vetencouragement and some hisses, but he persevered.

crans adjourned their business meet-ings tonight on the heels of a very Left Hall in Disgust. Finally he concluded in a burst of stormy session. The big feature of the eloquence, saying: re-union, the parade of the veterans, "The principles you fought for were right in '61 and are right to

will be held tomorrow, and this pa-rade will close the re-union of 1909. You were not conquered then day. The only candidate for commanderyou are not conquered now, and the in-chief placed in nomination was General William M. Cabell, commangreatest monuments in your honor are the millions of pensions the federa der of the trans-Mississippi division. Just before nominations were in orgovernment pays to the widows and orphans your valour made and the forty-six thousand graves in Arlingder General Evans read an announcement to the convention, in which he ton cemetery which the federal gov declined re-election. He said he had served in every capacity, from the ernment decorates each thirtieth of May. As long as these monuments are perpetuated to your honor, you lowest to the highest, and that he felt that this highest honor in the need erect no others."

veteran's gift should be passed from Sisson's speech was received with one ex-confederate to another in mingled cheers and hisses, and many confederates left the hall in disgust. But the delegates disagreed with Others crowded around him and him and by a vote of 1,540 to 744 swamped him with congratulations Woman Rouses Them. Meantime, Mrs. Moore Murdock, o for Cabell, re-elected General Evans

With tears streaming Dallas, Texas, was endeavoring to be heard. She wanted to second the nomdown his cheeks and shaking with emotion, the stately and aged soldier ination of Houston, Texas, for the next re-union. She possesses a very lowed to the commands of his com-

masculine voice and manner of deliv His election followed one of the stormlest sessions of the veterans ery and she soon quieted the assembly. The veterans listened in patience which old-time delegates can recall. After Mobile, Houston, Nashville, until she declared: "We have lived as Rebels, we are

Chattanooga and Oklahoma City had been put in aomination for the next still Rebels, and we will die as Robels. Then pandemonium broke loose, It was difficult to tell whether the majority favored her sentiments or op-p sed them. Cheers were mingled

> all reverberated the car-splitting Rebel yell. Several other speakers were intre

spring a "dark horse" candidate for might be construed one way of another, Finally, however, he tired came evident that the young con-gressman merely desired to make a out the crowd and made a diplomatic speech, inviting the convention to Oklahoma City for the 1910 re-union "You will find confederate veterand were insistent. Sisson was game, in most of the offices of the state however, and won out on a test of from Supreme court Judges to consta in most of the offices of the state

He announced that he (Continued on page four.)



## INDUSTRIAL MOVEMENT IS GIVEN **BOOST FORWARD BY MR. RICHARDS**

Representative Body of Citizens March from Square to Auditorium and Hear Opportunities of As heville Ably Discussed by Industrial Expert-

### Banquet Was Postponed.

Featured by the closing of practically avenue school who alone of the tho introduced Mr. Richards, saying all the stores and by a big crowds schools accepted the invitation to take is part: gathered in the streets to take part in the parade, Banners borne in the present growth and prosperity of North Carolina is due targety to bration of the "Industrial Develop-ment Movement" yesterday, was a Milling company men clad in white pleasing success, both in attendance bore a banner inscribed, "Encourage and therefore, they should be conserat the Auditorium and in genuine in-torest. In adding to this and pro-made goods;" "Asheville Hardware ever, is possible with the conservation viding encouragement for the foster-ing of this spirit of industrial achieve-dustrial development," was the pla-and in large degree this is made possiand in large degree this is made possi ment the address of Mr. M. V. Rich-ards, land and industrial agent of the Southern railway was notably help-ful and admirably served the end sought by fir board of trade and ner real "Asheville Steam Laundry and industrial agent, Mr. M. V. Rich-admirably served the end ner real "Asheville Steam Laundry ards, is here to tell us how to secure industries." Mr. Richards being greeted with Merchanis' association under whose greets industrial Asheville." Thy auspices the movement was started. Great Southern Mica company turned pplause caught his audience by a

There was a big crowd on the out a great number of men and lady There was a big crowd on the out a great function women workers felicitous opening and he promptly square and on the streets shortly after employes and the women workers felicitous opening and he promptly the stores closed at 3.30 o'clock and were conspicuous in the procession proceeded to serious talk. He said the stores closed at 3.30 o'clock and were conspicates in the procession many more gathered as the band of from the Asheville Mica company. he had returned from a trip in the he Barkoot Carnival company played Employes of the Piedmont Electric Northwest and could say he came lively airs. There was a slight delay company were conspicuous in bright back to the mountains of North Caro-in the start from the square to the blue overalls and carrying various line with the epinion that the prospects here are far greater than in any other part of United States. (Ap-Auditorium but shortly after four pieces of electrical machinery. The s'clock the head of the line moved. Park avenue school children abso clock the head of the line moved. Park avenue school wo policemen on foot leading, fol- bore designating placards. Court had plause, owed by Chief Marshigl F. Stikeleath- adjourned for the occasion.

sr, the band, Asheville Canton, emanufacturing plants, school chil- Chas. H. Treat was unavoidably de-



nillion dollar Canadian canal. The lock was wrecked today when the steamer Perry G. Walker, ram-med her bow through the lower gate, The canal encased within its walls this evenin gpresented a tremendous spectacle including two water-fails and a giant whiripool;

The upper gates were open when the Walker crushed open the lower gates and the tremendous power of the rapids was given instant play. The big steamer Assinibola moored within the lock chamber, away. She rammed the Walker from her path, the Assinibola's port anchor ripping a hole in the Walker's side.

The Assiniboia swept into the open reaches of the river below. Her car-go shifted and this gave her a considrable list, and several plates on her portside forward amidships were

ossened, The Walker was whirled around everal times and finally landed on a shoal out of the channel.

The ore-laden steamer Crescent ity, just entering the locks from Lake Superior, was swept down stream like a feather. She overtook the Assinibola and struck the latter two glancing blows after having a great hole torn in her side an shi swept past broken lower gate. Tuge Tugs caught har and towed her to the American side where his settled. The loss to the Canadian government will probably reach \$250,000 and the damage to the Crescent City is estimated at \$100,000. The damage to the steamers Walker and Assinibola was omparatively light.

Captain Mosher of the . steamer declares that the accident was caused by his engineer making a mistake and throwing his lever to "full speed throwing his lever to "full speed ahead" on the captain's signal to 'back up.'

He said

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endurance. He announced that he wished to repeat his speech in con-SHRINERS CHOOSE NEW

re-union, someone began to introduce outside speakers, Sweltering in a tempersture of over a hundred degree, the veteran delegates objected strongly and yelled vigorously for a vote. Fut the disorder was desultory. Fiwith cat calls and hisses, and above nally John W. Apperson, comman-der-in-chief of the United Sons of duced, but no one heard their names or what they said until Governor Has-kell of Oklahoma, was introduced, Even he had a stormy greeting, which Confederate Veterans, secured the floor and introduced Congressman T.