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THE TWICE-A-WEEK DISPATCH

A PROGRESSIVE REPUBLICAN NEWSPAPER DEVOTED TO THE UPBUILDING OF AMERICAN HOMES AND AMERICAN INDUSTRIES

BURLINGTON, ALAMANCE COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA, FRIDAY, JULY 2, 1915

GENERAL HUERTA HELD ON CONSPIRACY CHARGE

Former Mexican President Arrested in New Mexico by Federal Officers

WAS TRYING TO LAUNCH ANOTHER REVOLUTION

Man Who Gave Pledge of Neutrality to Uncle Sam Put Under \$15,000 Bond at Fort Bliss; Department of Justice Informed of His Plan to Go Juarez and Start More Trouble; Villa and Carranza Men Rejoice at Trapping of "Sly Old Fox" on Criminal Charge.

MAN TO MAN THE WAR-GERARD PREDICTS FAVORABLE REPLY

Terrific Night Struggle on One Sector of Western Battle Front.—Flaming Liquids are Used.

Germany Expected to Concede Humanity Has Rights to be Respected.—Gerard Good Forecaster.

TERROR HOVERING OVER MEXICO CITY

Rival Armies Facing Each Other on Edge and May Fight in City.—Many Lives in Danger.

Zapata Has 25,000 and Gonzales is Being Reinforced From Vera Cruz; The Food is Short and No Assurance Where Next is Coming From no Direct News.

EVEN BELGIUM IS IN BETTER SHAPE

More Highly Organized of the European Communities are Recovering.—Serbia an Exception.

Typhus Grips That Country and Montenegro, While Famine stalks in Galicia and Russian Poland; Belgium Yet Dependent on Imported Relief Food.

THAW IS RATIONAL DE-CLARES EXPORT

Head of The New Hampshire Insane Hospital so says on Witness Stand—Same on Every Test.

Only a Spoiled Child and Not Violent, Though Excitable, Says Dr. Bancroft; General Streeter of Same Opinion; Dr. Elliot Won't Testify, But Evelyn Neabitt May.

HOW THE DNIESTER RIVER WAS FORCED

Germans Forged, Deep, Swift Stream Under Merciless Russian Fire—Charge Across Meadow.

Russians a Mile Beyond in Elevated Wood, Sweeping Plain With Accurate Fire, But Fog Helped Attackers; Soldiers Climb on Comrades' Shoulders to Shoot.

A woman is always looking on the bright side of things, especially mirrors.

POTATO SLIPS ARE HERE

These who have been waiting so long for potato slips can send for them now, they are here. We have only been able to secure the Norton Yam as yet, but as this is the best variety, presume all will be glad to get them. Please tell your neighbor, and come quickly, potato plants do not last long unless planted. Will have Nancy Hall plants next week, but get these while they are to be had.

SLATON SAYS GOOD PEOPLE APPROVED

Only The Mob Gave Trouble When Frank's Sentence Was Commuted.

New York, June 29.—Former Governor John M. Slaton, of Georgia, declared in a statement here today "that the good people of Georgia" approved his action in commuting the death sentence of Leo M. Frank to life term in the penitentiary. Only the mob caused him any trouble, he said. He added that time would show the right and wrong in the Frank case.

Mr. Slaton, who was accompanied by his wife, arrived here today. He will spend a few days in the Adirondacks and will leave next week for San Francisco. He expects to return to Atlanta September 1st.

"It is untrue that I was caused any serious inconvenience by the demonstrations in Atlanta," Mr. Slaton asserted. "I attended to my duties there as usual. I practiced law in Atlanta for twenty-eight years before I became Governor and I will practice there again next fall."

AN INVITATION TO EXHIBIT FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Graham, N. C., June 28, 1915.

Chief John T. Love, Burlington Fire Company, Burlington, N. C.

Dear Sir:—I am writing you at the instance of the Graham Commercial Club and the Chief of the Graham Fire Department, to invite your Company to send to Graham on the afternoon of Saturday, July the 3rd, the day on which we will celebrate the Fourth, a representative team from your department to give a non-competitive exhibition on the streets of Graham.

We feel that your co-operation in this matter will go far towards encouraging and maintaining interest in both of the departments; and will further cement the friendly relations that already exist between the two departments.

We are very truly,
JNO. J. HENDERSON,
Corres. Sec'y,
WILL S. LONG, Jr., Chief,
Graham Fire Dept.

JR. O. U. A. M. TO INSTALL OFFICERS.

The local council of the Junior Order United American Mechanics will hold an installation of officers in their council hall next Friday night, beginning at eight o'clock. Mr. J. W. Sechrist, ex-State Councilor, of High Point will be present and conduct the installation ceremonies. Every member of the council is urged to be present.

No wonder a woman seldom knows her own mind; she changes it so often.

THE CHAUTAUGUS

Opened Wednesday Afternoon at 3 o'clock With Large Attendance. Mr. Scott Delivered Opening Address—Program Splendidly Rendered.

The Burlington Chautauqua opened Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock under the large tent located in the rear of the Episcopal church. The street parade, made up of young people, preceded the opening session of the Chautauqua.

Mr. J. L. Scott, chairman of the local Chautauqua Association, appeared upon the platform with Mrs. Yarnall, the superintendent of the Chautauqua, promptly at three o'clock. Mr. Scott delivered a brief address, speaking of the coming of Chautauqua and matters of interest pertaining to the Burlington Chautauqua. He introduced Mrs. Yarnall, who spoke in high terms of the kind reception which Burlington had given the Chautauqua people, congratulating the city for the beautiful decorations for the coming of the Chautauqua.

The program for the afternoon consisted of a series lecture on "The House We Live In," by Mrs. Yarnall, and concert by the Dunbar Soiree Singers.

The Junior Chautauqua leaders were introduced to the audience and a meeting of the Juniors was held after the close of the afternoon session of the Chautauqua.

The evening program was equally as interesting. The Soiree Singers gave their concert, after which Chauncey J. Hawkins delivered his famous illustrated lecture, "Bright Eyes and Wild Hearts of Our Northern Woods." This was followed by Chronophotographs.

Yesterday afternoon the program was replete with interest and delighted large crowds at both sessions.

FRIENDSHIP ANNUAL GULA AND PICNIC DAY, JULY 3RD.

If you want to meet your friends, come to Friendship on the third.

The program will consist of speaking, music and athletics. The morning will be devoted to speaking and music, there will be present the silver tongued orators of the county with the best of vocal and instrumental music. Basket ball, meeting, old agintances.

The afternoon will be devoted to athletics, basket ball, tennis, track and base ball. The program starts with a girls' basket ball game, followed by track meet. In this meet, you will have a chance to see the work of the State High School Champions, as well as State and Southern Champions. This is the best bunch of track material that it is possible to get together.

- Events as follows:
100 yard dash.
High Jump.
One mile shot put.
220 yard dash.
Hammer Throw.
440 yard dash.
Pale vault one-half mile.
Broad jump.

The local boys meet all corners, be on hand and root for the home boys. The afternoon will close with a double header of base ball game, Burlington, Belmont and Cedar Cliff will be the visiting teams. If you are out for a day of sport, it will be there for you.

COUNTRY LIFE CLUB.
(R. M. H.)

Here we are talking hard times and the country has exported almost as much cotton as last year.

GERMAN PROPOSAL ON THE WILLIAM P. FRYE REFUSED

Secretary Lansing Informs Berlin That German Prize Court Cannot Sit On Broken Treaty

VON JAGOW IGNORED QUESTION AT ISSUE

Germany Admitted Liability. It is True, But Question of Mere Damages The Least Thing at Issue; Mr. Lansing Quotes Vrbage of Treaty of 1828, Which Absolutely Forbids Such Overt Treatment of Neutral Shipping, Whether Contraband or Not, Rights of Ship and Cargo Were Plainly Violated, The Note Declares

TWENTY AMERICANS MISSING SUBMARINE TORPEDOES BRITISH MULE SHIP ARMENIAN

Sensation Created in Washington, But Future Action Depends On Nature of Freight Liner

MAYBE UNDER CHARTER OF BRITISH GOVERNMENT

If This Is The Case, Then Those Sailing To Help Care For Contraband Cargo Took Lives in Own Hands; Apparently German Craft Came To Surface and Made Attack, Eighty-seven Negroes and Nineteen White Muleteers; Eight of Letter and Twelve Former Not Accounted For Submarines Get Others

FROM OXFORD.

The Oxford Orphanage Singing Class has started on its annual tour, visiting the various towns and cities in North Carolina, such visits being made upon invitation from, and under the auspices of, the Masonic Lodges and friends of the Institution.

This organization, for such it may well be called, has a two-fold purpose. First: the Class gives a highly creditable and enjoyable entertainment, such as will be a real help and benediction to all good people wherever the children go, and in this way arouse in our people a deeper interest in, and love for, all that is good and true.

In the second place, the Institution represented by these children supplements its income by giving the friends of the Institution this opportunity to make a special effort to aid the work. These efforts have heretofore enabled the Orphanage to care for about 100 more children than could have otherwise been provided for.

The fact that our people are becoming more and more interested in orphanage work and the saving of life insures the success of the great work in which this Class is engaged. We urge the hearty co-operation of all good people in this noble endeavor.

The announcement that about one-tenth of the country's total population live in New York, Philadelphia and Chicago gives new pertinency to the ages-old ejaculation: "Lord, what fools these mortals be!"

MISS OPAL NICHOLSON ENTERTAINS.

On last Tuesday evening, from 8:10 to 12:10, Miss Opal Nicholson delightfully entertained at her lovely country home, "Cherry Croft," in honor of her house guests, Mrs. Clyde Fitzgerald of Raleigh and Miss Pauline and Mr. Marion Nicholson of Mebane. The evening was spent in playing rock and other games of which Miss Fannie Parks won the prize, a lovely bunch of sweet peas, and Miss Pauline Nicholson the booby, a small drum. Music was furnished throughout the evening by Mrs. Clyde Fitzgerald.

The refreshments consisted of watermelon, cream and cake. Near the wee small hours of the night the merry party left deciding Miss Opal a very charming hostess.

WEEKLY WEATHER FORECAST.

Issued by the U. S. Weather Bureau, Washington, D. C., for the Week Beginning Wednesday, June 30, 1915.

For South Atlantic and East Gulf States: A shower period during the first three days of the week will doubtless be followed by a period of generally fair weather with occasional scattered showers. The temperature tendency will be upward.

This is the season when the old hen goes through a "mothole" in the back fence and smiles as she observes the man next door making garden.