

FAMOUS FUGITIVES MUST NOW RETURN TO UNITED STATES

Gaynor and Greene, the Famous Fugitives From Justice, Committed Today for Extradition on Order of Judge La Fontaine. Not Much More Delay.

The Judge Gave His Reasons for so Deciding. He Pointed Out What is Called Embezzlement in United States is Theft in Canada.

By Associated Press. Montreal, June 6.—Judge LaFontaine, extradition commissioner, gave judgment in the case of the United States vs. John F. Gaynor and Benjamin D. Greene, committing both for extradition and ordering them back to jail to await surrender to a United States officer.

Basis of His Conclusions. Washington, June 6.—In rendering the judgment, LaFontaine spoke two hours and a half. He said: "My conclusion is that the allegation of conspiracy to defraud the United States, as being in existence between Carter and the accused on or about July 1, 1897, is proven to the hilt; that Carter, a public officer and agent and trustee of the United States Supreme Court in the case of Carter vs. McClellan; that this offense of fraud and participation therein are punishable by the laws of both Canada and the remaining country; that the accused have participated in the offense of fraud committed by Carter for which he was so convicted; that fraud by an agent and trustee and participation therein are extraditable crimes."

That Carter was guilty in the United States and convicted of embezzlement, which offense is known under our law by the term of theft, the difference in the name of the offense in the two countries being immaterial; that the accused have participated by their conspiracy with Carter in the embezzlement so committed by him; that such participation is punishable by the laws of both countries and is an extraditable crime.

That on July 6, 1897, the accused fraudulently received from Carter the sum of \$575,749, knowing then that the same had been embezzled by him and that the offense of receiving stolen property is punishable under the laws of both countries, and that the treaty, section 3, an extraditable crime.

Consequently, I determine that the accused must be committed to jail pending their surrender."

Too Warm For Hyde. New York, June 6.—It is understood that Hyde intends to resign from the Union Pacific and Oregon Railway and Navigation Company board of directors. These are Harriman properties.

The resignation of D. O. Mills as director of the Equitable will be in the hands of President Alexander by tomorrow. It is expected that John A. Stewart will also resign as director.

CONDITION OF COTTON.

General Improvement During Past Week Noted by the Government.—Weather Favorable For Cultivation.

Washington, June 6.—The Weather Bureau crop report says: "The Southern States early corn is being laid by in good condition. General improvement in the condition of cotton is indicated with the exception of southern Texas and portions of the East Gulf and South Atlantic States, where heavy rains have fallen. The weather has afforded opportunities for much needed cultivation, which has been actively carried on, although a large part of the crop is still in grass with insufficient labor. Cool nights over the southern portion of central districts have checked the advance of cotton, but as a whole, the growth has been satisfactory, especially in eastern districts. Some planting remains unfinished in portions of Arkansas, Louisiana and Texas.

Cool progress with tobacco planting has been made and the outlook for the crop is promising, although outworn are causing injury in Virginia and Kentucky.

STEAMER AGROUND.

Torn Out to Be Survey Vessel Causus and Not an Ocean Liner.

New York, June 6.—The steamer which went aground on Long Island last week, which was believed to be the United States repair ship Causus. She is still aground, but it is believed that she will be floated tonight.

ANOTHER DIRECTOR RESIGNS.

A. J. Cassatt, of the Pennsylvania, Follows Suit of Coolidge and Others.

New York, June 6.—A. J. Cassatt, president of the Pennsylvania railroad, has resigned from the directorate of the Equitable.

Wed Goes up in Flames.

Grayfield, Ky., June 6.—The tobacco warehouse of Griffith and Sherrill and a hundred hogheads of tobacco were burned today; loss \$60,000, insurance paid.

RIDICULED THE IDEA.

Secretary Wilson Says There Was No Possibility of "a Leak" of Cotton Figures.

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., June 6.—At the conclusion of the cabinet meetings, attention was called to the charges of the Southern Cotton Association that there had been "a leak" in the information gathered by the Agricultural Department concerning the cotton crop. Secretary Wilson characterized the charges as ridiculous.

THE COTTON CONGRESS.

American Representative at Manchester Meeting Expresses His Views.

Manchester, England, June 6.—S. S. Dale, American delegate to the Cotton Congress, made a brief speech. He said that cotton associations had not reached the point of organizing for restriction of production of American cotton. Their views, however, were broadening and as export trade increased the United States doubtless would be more ready to join the international organization.

GRAND MASONIC TEMPLE.

Edifice at Toledo, Ohio, Erected and Furnished at Cost of \$425,000, Dedicated Today.

Toledo, Ohio, June 6.—The Masonic Temple, the most elaborate building of the kind in the country, erected and furnished at a cost of \$425,000, was dedicated in the presence of a large number of officers and members of the order from all parts of the country and Canada.

THE PROSECUTION DROPPED.

Rosser Wolfe and David Lee Will Not Be Placed on Trial at Fort Mill.

Fort Mill, June 6.—The case against Rosser Wolfe and David Lee, charged with assault and battery with intent to kill, was compromised yesterday and the prosecution will be dropped. M. L. Skidmore, who was so seriously cut, has recovered and was present at the preliminary. His head and face were cut in a dozen places, the physician taking \$6 stitches to close the wounds.

North Carolina Postmasters.

By Associated Press. Washington, June 6.—Postmasters North Carolina, James McJ. Johnson, Elizabethtown, Emma J. Sutton.

TRINITY HONORS ITS BENEFACTOR

President Kilgo Pays a Beautiful Tribute to the Memory of the Late Washington Duke. Commencement Season Greatly in Evidence in Durham.

Special to The News. Durham, N. C., June 6.—Trinity College commencement exercises began Sunday with a memorial address by Dr. John C. Kilgo in honor of Mr. Washington Duke.

Dr. Kilgo began his address by saying as follows: "Mr. Duke was the greatest Southern philanthropist and Trinity College will be put on record today as having recognized the fact. Born in 1820 he lived through a great era of national development. He lived through the period when the vast territory west of the Mississippi was acquired from foreign power and made into States and territories; through the developing period of railroad and telegraph lines.

Mr. Duke embraced religion while he was quite a young man and never afterward did a friend or foe, poverty or riches move him from his steadfastness. There was never afterward a tinge of suspicion on his moral character. He was endowed with great memory and a deep insight and could discuss the most partisan questions with accuracy and without hurting any one with personal remarks.

He was as considerate to the humblest as to his highest employe and a beggar on the streets never went unnoticed. He was ever ready to help any good and worthy cause and no one was ever known to be turned away by him when they were in need and went to him with their troubles.

His health was nothing compared with the spotless reward he left. He had the conviction of being the South's greatest philanthropist. Trinity owes much to him for it was through his efforts that Trinity was moved to Durham and modernized. He gave to Trinity simply because he believed in Christian education and considered it a privilege with a view to receive a great name as a most loathsome and disgusting principal.

Main Street church was loved by him as no other church, and he never felt at home anywhere else. It evolved from a Sunday school and held in the factory and was made what it is through his efforts.

Dr. Kilgo closed his address by offering the beautiful record left by Mr. Duke to the graduating class as a record worthy of study and that such a magnificent career should appeal to each of them.

DEL CASSE RESIGNS AND RESIGNATION NOW ACCEPTED

Foreign Minister of France Leaves His Portfolio Under Short Notice. Premier Rouvier Will Succeed Him for the Present. Was Unexpected.

Resignation of Del Casse Due to Failure French Policy in Morocco, the Sultan Insisting Upon Submitting the Subject of Reform to Conference of Powers.

By Associated Press. Paris, June 6.—Foreign Minister Del Casse has resigned and his resignation accepted. Premier Rouvier will assume temporarily the portfolio of Minister of Foreign Affairs.

The resignation of Del Casse is due to the failure of French policy in Morocco, the Sultan having practically rejected France's plans for the reform of the administration of Morocco by proposing that the whole subject be submitted to a conference of powers, signatory of the treaty of Madrid.

EXONERATION FOR LOOMIS.

While Bowen Will Be Removed From Diplomatic Service.

Washington, June 6.—The Bowen-Loomis investigation is practically ended, although no formal announcement of the result will be made until Minister Russell reaches here and gives his testimony. But it is not regarded as possible that this will change the conclusion. Loomis is to be exonerated of everything, aside perhaps from slight indiscretions, while Bowen will doubtless terminate his diplomatic career.

His furnishing the press with information against Loomis is the most serious charge. His attempt to evade responsibility on the ground that he only reported to the State Department what was current gossip at Caracas has been rejected by the administration, which found plenty of evidence that Bowen sympathized with the anti-Loomis allegations. Loomis will doubtless in the near future be promoted to some position in the diplomatic service, and the asphalt controversy will have been removed.

It is suggested that Bowen's friends may make an effort to have a Congressional investigation next winter. It would be difficult to get a Republican House to vote for it, however, and the chapter is presumably closed.

DUMB 59 YEARS.

Woman in Eastern Part of State Regains Speech After Many Years' Silence.

Elizabeth City, N. C., June 6.—Mrs. R. E. Perry, who lives on Beach street, recovered her powers of speech after 59 years, during which time she could not utter a word. About two months ago she was prostrated by an attack of the grip, one of the most severe cases ever known in this section, and the loss of speech was one of the ways in which it affected her. When she had recovered from the sickness still she could not utter a word, her tongue seemingly being paralyzed, and her people had almost lost hopes as to her ever speaking again. However, she suddenly regained the use of her tongue and can now speak as well as ever and she is happy.

JOINT FLEET MANEUVERS.

Admiral Beresford Wants English and Americans to Cooperate.

London, June 6.—Vice Admiral Lord Charles Beresford, in command of the Mediterranean squadron, writes to "The Standard" advocating the meeting and combined maneuvers of American and British fleets in "blue water."

He says he made this suggestion to the foremost naval officers and principal statesmen of both countries, all of whom saw clearly the good that might result from such an enterprise.

Prof. Charles A. Jones.

Prof. Chas. A. Jones, of Mt. Holly, will arrive this evening, and will be the guest of his University class mate, Mr. Thaddeus A. Adams, Esq., of the local bar. Prof. Jones is on his way to the State University, where he will enter the Summer Law School.

John R. Webster III.

Reidsville, June 6.—Editor John R. Webster suffered a stroke of paralysis Sunday and his condition, though alarming to his friends and relatives, is not so bad this afternoon as it was last evening.

Nan Patterson Barred.

Columbus, Ohio, June 6.—Messrs. Bowen and Talbot, who own the Grand Opera House here, have refused to allow Nan Patterson the use of their playhouse.

Von Buelow Now a Prince.

By Associated Press. Berlin, June 6.—Chancellor Von Buelow has been created Prince by Emperor William.

Mr. Algie Holand and wife, of South Carolina, are visiting Mr. Holland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Holland, on South Tryon street.

DAILY GASTONIA BUDGET.

Mr. Jacob Lineberger Dies at His Home in Gastonia County.—Torrence Bros. Sell Marble Yard.

Gastonia, June 6.—Mr. Jacob Lineberger died at his home at the Old Mill Saturday night. He had been confined to his bed for four months suffering from brights disease. The remains were buried at the Lutheran Chapel Sunday afternoon. He was 52 years old. He leaves a wife and nine children.

Torrence Bros. have sold their marble yard to the York Monument Works. The stock on hand will be moved to Yorkville in the near future.

Clarence Robinson, the thirteen-year-old son of Mrs. Emma Robinson, of High Shoals, lost his life from drowning in the river at High Shoals, Saturday afternoon. Clarence and two other boys went in bathing below the mill. He was smaller than the others and got into water beyond his depth, and was drowned before he could be rescued.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Separk and Miss Ethel Gray went to Durham yesterday to attend Trinity commencement.

Dr. W. W. Bays, of Charlotte, preached in the Main Street Methodist church, Sunday morning and night.

Mr. J. P. Joy, of Mount Holly, was a visitor in Gastonia yesterday.

Miss Helen Walton of Morganton, is visiting relatives in the city.

Mr. Wade Gallant, of Charlotte, spent Sunday and Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Gallant.

Mr. Edward Pagram is at home from the A. and M. College for his summer vacation.

THIS CORPORATION NOW TOPS THE LIST

Governor Glenn Dines Members of State Board of Agriculture. Graduating Exercises at the Baptist University for Women. Officers of Institution.

Special to The News. Raleigh, June 6.—The Colossus Coal Mining and Milling company, of Waxhaw, chartered some days ago with \$10,000,000 capital, today made application for authority to increase it to \$10,500,000, the additional stock being preferred. This is by odds the biggest corporation ever chartered in the State.

Free to Lang. Governor Glenn today named July 27 as the day for the execution of Will Adams, the negro murderer, of Wake county, who killed a negro woman and two of her three children, and also was hunted down by a posse of whites and negroes. He named August 1st for the execution of two white rapists, from Madison county, Peter Smith and Charley Stein, the Supreme Court having decided against them in a prayer for a new trial.

Date of Kilgo Case. The Kilgo case, so widely known, will, it is said, come up certainly on the 12th instant in the Superior Court here. This will be the fourth trial. The case is moved here from Granville county. The lawyers say that everybody appears to be trying to get the case up for trial and dispose of it finally. The suit is brought by Rev. Mr. Gattis, who, like Rev. Dr. Kilgo, is a Methodist minister, against the latter for \$100,000 damages.

University For Women. At 11 o'clock this morning the graduating exercises of the Baptist University for Women were held and diplomas awarded to ten young ladies. The literary address, a very able effort, was made up for trial and dispose of it finally. The suit is brought by Rev. Mr. Gattis, who, like Rev. Dr. Kilgo, is a Methodist minister, against the latter for \$100,000 damages.

Governor Dines State Board. Governor Glenn entertained the State Board of Agriculture at dinner last evening at the mansion. His Excellency went today to Hickory Grove, twenty miles in the county, to deliver an address at the close of the schools there. He traveled across country in private conveyance, leaving the capitol at 8 o'clock.

That Tammany Speech. It has been definitely settled that His Excellency will respond to the toast, "Our Country," at the great Tammany banquet on July Fourth, in New York.

The Sale of Tags. In his annual report to the State Board of Agriculture just submitted by Commissioner of Agriculture S. L. Patterson, he says the sale of fertilizer and other tags by the department fell \$1,378,462 behind the year before, the total sales of fertilizers this season was \$76,468.20 as compared with \$79,703.35, a falling off of \$3,235.15 the past season. The sale of cotton seed meal tags increased \$2,406.14. And the sale of tags for feed stuffs. The board is being urged to establish a test farm for animals. It is stated that all past records will be broken this year in the number and the efficiency of the farmers institutes that the department will hold in every part of the State.

Whites to the Pen. Tom and Chalmers White arrived here with a party of friends from Concord, and the two brothers tomorrow enter in the service of their six years' sentence to the penitentiary for killing Russell Sherrill, of Davidson county, whom they charge with ruining their niece, Annie White. The Whites are out on bail, and their coming to Raleigh this time is purely voluntary. They are now stopping at the Yarbrough Hotel. It is understood that strenuous efforts will very soon be made for securing their pardons.

STRONG EFFORTS BEING DIRECTED TOWARDS PEACE

Learned from Authoritative Source That Unanimous Efforts of Ministers are Being Brought to Bear for Ending the Struggle. Bomb Factory Unearthed.

Seven Russian Colliers at Wooming Will Probably be Interned. Number of Japanese Vessels Reported off Gutzloff. Bodri Will Also be Interned.

By Associated Press. Paris, June 6.—A despatch to the semi-official Temps from St. Petersburg says: "It is learned from an authoritative source that the unanimous efforts of the ministers are directed towards peace, and they hope to succeed shortly."

Seven Russians Colliers. Washington, June 6.—Consul General Rogers, as Shanghai, cables the State Department as follows: "At Wooming are now anchored seven Russian colliers, which doubtless will be interned. It is reported that there are a number of Japanese vessels off Gutzloff. The Russian torpedo boat destroyer Bodri has been interned at Shanghai."

Rojevsky's Condition Favorable. Tokio, June 6.—The chief surgeon of the Sasebo Naval Hospital reports that Admiral Rojevsky's condition is favorable. His pulse and temperature continue normal. There is no sign of brain complication.

On the inside of the right thigh there is a bruise as large as the palm of the hand and also a pierced wound in the left foot. There are no signs of pus.

Bomb Factory Unearthed. St. Petersburg, June 6.—The police of Riga discovered a bomb factory in the Phoenix foundry there. Fifty bombs were seized, besides many revolvers, daggers and other arms. A number of persons were arrested. The prisoners fought desperately before they surrendered.

LOST FROM PORT ARTHUR. Party Arriving at Chefoo Today en Route to Russia the Last to Evacuate the Citadel.

By Associated Press. Chefoo, June 6.—General Balaschoff arrived from Port Arthur with his staff, and departs for Russia tomorrow.

The embalmed body of General Kondratichko was brought here by Balaschoff and shipped to Odessa. This party completes the Russian evacuation of Port Arthur.

PURGING JURY BOX. Park and Tree Commission Before the County Commissioners.

The board of county commissioners has been in session all day purging the jury box. At 3 o'clock this afternoon Mr. D. A. Tompkins and Mr. Walter S. Alexander, of the Park and Tree commission appeared before the board. Mr. Tompkins, acting spokesman, stated that it was the intention of the commission to have a landscape gardener here in a short while who will lay out the park to the east of the city.

In view of his coming, Mr. Tompkins asked the commissioners to have some little work done, such as leveling the ground with the road scrapers and removing the rough and unsightly places.

It was stated that the city had been appealed to for help and that the July meeting of the commissioners the commission would ask the board to aid in its work.

Mr. Tompkins explained that the members of the Park and Tree commission was engaged in a labor of love; that the ultimate end was for the betterment of the people and especially the children of Charlotte and surrounding sections.

The board listened attentively to what Mr. Tompkins had to say.

May Go to Raleigh. Prof. D. Amatt Richardson, has returned from a visit to Eastern North Carolina.

He stopped in Raleigh and the following from the News and Observer will be read with interest here: "Mr. D. Amatt Richardson, of Charlotte, a North Carolinian and violinist and musician of note, was in the city yesterday on his way to Holly Springs to visit his parents. While in Raleigh Mr. Richardson was seen by parties interested who wished to secure his services to organize and train an orchestra for Raleigh. His many friends here would give him a hearty welcome, and Raleigh would be assured of an orchestra that would be a credit to any city."

A Fast Flying Rumor. A rumor was current this morning that an accident to the Sunday school party of St. Peter's Episcopal church, occurred near Biddle. Quite a number inquired of The News the extent of the trouble. It seems that a horse hitched to one of the wagons became unruly and did a great deal of kicking. The other horse attached to the wagon was right severely cut by the shoes of the fractious animal. No one was injured and the picnic party was only delayed for a short while.

The condition of Miss Daisy Mayes remains unchanged.

ELECTED COTTON WEIGHERS.

Board of Magistrates Met at Monroe Yesterday—County Commissioners in Session.

Special to The News. Monroe, June 6.—The board of magistrates of Union county met in the court house yesterday at 11 o'clock for the purpose of electing cotton weighers for Marshville, Waxhaw and Monroe. On the sixth ballot Mr. Luther Williams was elected weigher for Monroe; Mr. McGurt was elected without opposition for Waxhaw, and Mr. Sid Moore for Marshville.

Notwithstanding yesterday was a beautiful day and farmers are very busy, there was a large per cent of the magistrates of the county present.

The Southern Telegraph company has moved its office into the court house.

The board of county commissioners also met yesterday, it being the first Monday, and transacted several matters of business of minor importance.

Dr. H. D. Stewart was elected county physician to succeed Dr. J. M. Blair.

Dr. J. P. Monroe, of Sanford, spent yesterday in the city.

Mr. E. E. Lemmond, of Shelby, is here in the interest of Cleveland Springs.

ANTI-SPITTING ORDINANCE. Party Fined by Recorder For Spitting on Sidewalk.

Any violation of the anti-spitting ordinance is going to cause trouble. In the Recorder's court this morning Aaron Caldwell, colored, was charged with expectorating on the sidewalk. Recorder Shannonhouse taxed Caldwell with the costs.

Lottie Clifton, who has just returned from the chain gang, was before the court this morning charged with using profane and indecent language at the park last night. The woman came into court after a night spent in the toms, bathed in tears she pled with the Recorder not to send her back to the gang; that the work was so hard and the weather, so hot she had rather be dead than return. It developed that there was no evidence against the woman, so she was given her liberty.

Jim Hemphill, who drives the Central Hotel bus, was before the court charged with leaving his team unattended. Hemphill proved that he was doing all in his power to perform his duties. The charge was abandoned.

Lee Grier, colored, failed to appear to answer the charge of spitting on the sidewalk.

NOW SILENT ARE BOTH FACTIONS

Republican Newspaper Fight in Greensboro Has Quieted Down a Little. Each Side Seems to be Determined, However, Funeral of Miss Anna W. Dick.

Special to The News. Greensboro, June 6.—There is little going on now in regard to the Republican newspaper fight—at least there is little to be seen by the average observer. Both sides claim to be getting ready to publish a paper and say that in types and presses have been ordered. Mr. G. S. Bradshaw returned yesterday from Washington, where he went to look after securing the Associated Press for Congressman Blackburn's paper, "The Daily Tar Heel." The other paper, "The Industrial News," will also have the Associated Press.

Congressman Blackburn when seen by your correspondent today and asked in regard to the matter said "There is little more to say. I have informed the people of North Carolina of the effort on the part of certain men to mislead them. The public is now informed and the Republican party knows its course. It no longer be maintained that the Industrial paper headed by a few officeholders is not in the management and under the control and direction of Mr. Butler, whatever may be said to the contrary. This is all!"

The funeral of Miss Anna W. Dick, who died at her home in this city Saturday morning was held from the residence Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Charles E. Hodgins, pastor of Westminster Presbyterian church. The deceased was sister of the late Judge R. P. Dick and was for many years a devoted member of the First Presbyterian church. The pall-bearers were Messrs. John Gilmer, A. M. Soles, J. B. Faves, C. D. Benbow, Wm. Horney, C. M. Vanstory, L. Richardson and P. Yates. The honorary pall-bearers were Dr. J. G. Brodnax, Dr. Logan, W. S. Hill, W. E. Bivill, Jas. T. Morehead, Levi Scott, J. B. Minor and Neil Ellington.

Invitations reading as follows were issued yesterday: "Rev. and Mrs. P. L. Groome invite you to be present at the marriage of their daughter, Mary Folk, and Mr. Frank Ramsay McNinch on Wednesday afternoon, June 21, 1905, at five o'clock Pomona Road, Greensboro, North Carolina."

Miss Groome is a well known and popular young woman. She is also a poetess and quite a great deal of her poetry has appeared in the papers and magazines over the signature of "Wilhelmette Nye." Mr. McNinch is a prominent young attorney of Charlotte and was a member of the last legislature.

The Sunday school of the First Baptist church will run an excursion to the Thomasville Orphanage today. Quite a large number are expected to go.

The board of county commissioners are in session. Dr. Edmund Harrison was yesterday re-elected county physician. Several important matters will come up for settlement at this meeting.

ROYAL WEDDING CELEBRATED IN ROYAL STYLE

Crown Prince William, of Germany, and Duchess Cecilia, of Mecklenburg-Schwerin, Plight Their Troths in the Little Palace Chapel.

Magnificent Bridal Gown Worn by the Bride. Crown Prince Attired in the Dress of Major of First Foot Guards. A Brilliant Assemblage Present.

By Associated Press. Berlin, June 6.—Crown Prince Frederick William and Duchess Cecilia of Mecklenburg-Schwerin, were married by Dr. Dryander, court chaplain, in the small chapel of the Palace at 5 o'clock this afternoon according to the ritual of the Lutheran church, which is the same for prince as for subject.

About half of the four hundred persons present were princes or special ambassadors of other countries with their aides-de-camp. Ambassador Tower attended as extraordinary ambassador for the United States. Mrs. Tower was with him. Other guests were diplomats accredited in this court, members of cabinet, generals and admirals.

The Duchess wore a wonderful train of silver brocade, made at Moscow, and was a gift of Grand Duke Michael. The embroideries on the train, which was nearly fourteen feet in length and seven feet wide, were done in pink and silver. The corsage was cut low and trimmed with lace. The bride's veil was of old Brussels lace of great delicacy and beauty. She wore a tiara and the broad blue ribbon of the Grand Star of Luise, the order bestowed on her by the Emperor Saturday.

The Prince Frederick William wore a light blue uniform of Major of the First Foot Guards, with red and white facings. Across his breast was the light blue ribbon of the Wendische Crown, the highest decoration of the dukedom of Mecklenburg-Schwerin. He also wore the Prussian Order of the Black Eagle.

SUNDAY SCHOOL EXCURSION.

A Large Crowd Will Spend the Day at Davidson Next Friday.

Tickets for the First and Second Presbyterian churches' Sunday school excursion to Davidson will go on sale at the Second church Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. Two trains will leave Charlotte, one at 8 o'clock and the other at 10 o'clock Friday morning. Those who do not purchase their tickets at the church Thursday can get them at the depot Friday. The fare will be 50 cents for adults and 20 cents for children, round trip.

The main amusement of the day will be a game of baseball between the Sunday schools of the two churches. The teams are being organized and the game promises to be one of unusual interest.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Named by the Commissioners Yesterday.

Before adjourning yesterday afternoon the board of county commissioners named the members of the board of education. They are as follows:

Captain William Anderson, of Charlotte; Mr. John McDowell, of Steele Creek; Mr. William M. Ross, of Providence; Dr. W. W. Pharr, of Crab Orchard; and Mr. John F. Caldwell, of Dewees.

The three new members are Dr. Pharr and Messrs. Ross and Caldwell. The new board will meet the first of July, at which time the county superintendent will be elected.

It is generally understood that Captain William Anderson will again be re-elected chairman of the board.

IMPORTANT MEETING.

Of Executive Committee of Lutheran Mission Board of the South.

A meeting of the executive committee of the mission board of the Lutheran church in the South will be held at St. Mark's Lutheran church at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. This committee is composed as follows: Dr. R. C. Holland, president; Rev. W. L. Seabrook, of Newberry, S. C., secretary; Mr. John A. Cline, of Concord, N. C., treasurer. The other members are Rev. W. A. Deaton, Dallas, N. C., and J. E. Cooper, Winchester, Va.

Rev. B. B. Peery, Ph. D., at present in charge of a missionary post in Philadelphia, will be present in conference with the board, in view of his early departure to Japan, as missionary under appointment of the board of the Southern Church. Dr. Peery will deliver an address tomorrow evening at St. Mark's church at 8.15 o'clock.