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MR. RICHARDSON WAS GENIAL HOST

At the Colonial Club Last Night. He Royally Entertained the Newspaper Boys and a Few Other Guests. A Symphony Orchestra for Charlotte.

Mr. D. Amatti Richardson, Charlotte's clever musician, was the genial host at a banquet at the Colonial Club last evening, given in honor of the reporters of The News Chronicle and Observer. The honored guests present were: Mr. R. H. Jordan, Major R. E. Davidson and Mr. Robert L. Kessler. The reporters present were: Messrs. John Charles McNeill and Paul Lucas, of The Observer; Frank M. Caldwell and Charles G. Mullen, of The Chronicle; and C. A. Matthews and D. Hatcher Watkins, of The News.

After an exchange of stories in one of the club reception halls, the little group repaired to the dining room, where an elegant feast was spread. Mr. Jordan was given the head chair and asked to act as toastmaster, which he did; and in his usual genial and pleasant manner proposed a toast to the host, which he responded to humorously by all present.

Mr. Richardson's responded in behalf of a symphony orchestra for Charlotte. He spoke very entertainingly on this subject. In part he said:

The study of music is a liberal education in itself, and like poetry appeals to the noblest instincts of the soul. Christianity is born with a song on its lips. Mary sang in thrilling measures of the Magnificat. The angels sang in their tumultuous Hallelujah chorus, and the shepherds sang in plaintive strains of quiet ecstasy, and the world has been singing ever since. Music is a science and an art. Of all the arts it is the most comprehensive, the most human.

It more nearly breathes and sees and feels. Music has been defined by Sidney Lanier as (love in search of a word.) Music is a gift of God. Like all the sciences, it is a reduction of divine truth. The divinity of music further appears in the fact that all the great musicians have been good men, and to develop the mighty impulses which they have felt in their souls, the great musicians have chosen lofty, divine themes. This was true of Jubal and Jobe, of David with his harp, of Solomon in his sweet songs. It was true of Beethoven, in his soulful sonatas, of Bach in his fugues, of Mendelssohn in his songs, "Without Words," of Chopin in his Nocturnes, of Mozart, in his "requiem" of Haydn, in his "Creation," of Hamel, in his "Messiah," of Wagner, in his "Holy Grail."

Music refines and ennobles; it does not delve among the rocks, but comes down like a dove from above, singing: "Peace on earth, good will to men." It dwells in the heights and shouts "Excelsior" from peak to peak and makes life's dizzy Alpine uplands echo with hope. It is a well known fact that the best musical attractions cannot be secured unless the people are united in action. Especially is this the case in smaller towns. A musical club or organization will create more interest and in a shorter time than anything else. Plans may be formulated and talked over, and financially supported that with individual effort alone would signify fail. The influence of such an organization is certain to be an elevating one. I know of small towns that hold profitable and enjoyable sessions and brings in musical attractions that could be secured in no other way. There is no community small or ill-conditioned that it cannot maintain a small symphony orchestra or singing society. Before a city or small town can give sustenance to even a small body of instrumentalists, it must be large enough and rich enough to maintain a theatre from which these instrumentalists can derive at least some measure of support.

Some of the largest and finest choirs in the world flourish among the Welsh miners in the United States and Wales, fostered by a native love for the art and the national institution called Eisteddfod. But here in America we find and to a greater extent than in almost any civilized nation on the face of the globe a people new in art, a past hotch-pot of varied and contradictory elementary elements. We are engaged in conquering a continent employed in a mad scramble for material things, the comfort of our bodies, for instance, that takes only seconds to enjoy. The moments which we steal from our labors we give grudgingly to relaxation, not a thought of Art. Hence an intellectual poise, a refined taste, the sure power of judging or forming a correct estimate of the higher arts. It has been my ambition for months past to have in North Carolina a symphony orchestra. Charlotte is a leading city and better able to support an orchestra than any other city in the State. This ability to the better support of an orchestra is greatly strengthened from the fact that there are at least twelve towns of commercial importance in the immediate vicinity of Charlotte to help maintain such an organization. It is my purpose to get the surrounding towns to help support a large orchestra by means of subscription. This can be easily effected with proper public spirit, for example, three hundred citizens in each town subscribe fifty cents each for the concert. This would only be a guarantee of one hundred and fifty dollars, which in itself would not justify the organization of such a body of musicians. But with say ten towns, each contributing one hundred and fifty dollars monthly would make an income of fifteen hundred dollars per month to the support of the orchestra.

Again, the high grade music, as well as the popular music rendered at these concerts, would be enjoyable and suitable.

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able to all taste and requirements and 'tis but natural under these conditions to support the increase in attendance would be manifold. Each concert to be under local management, and if thought best under the auspices of some local organization. I could write indefinitely, but the thought suddenly comes to me that Mozart, one of our greatest masters, has said: "Progress is made by work alone, not by talk."

The treat to the newspaper boys was greatly enjoyed and appreciated; the feast was elegant; the impromptu speeches, entertaining, and the evening one of unmarred pleasure.

JANUARY CALENDAR.

As Arranged By the Charlotte Bar.

Yesterday afternoon at a meeting of the members of the Charlotte bar a calendar for the January term of the civil court was arranged.

Court will convene Monday, the 15th, and Judge Henry R. Bryan, of New Bern, will preside. The calendar follows:

Monday—Ida Williams vs. Frank Williams; Cureton vs. Cureton; T. L. Ellis vs. J. P. Mills & Company; J. D. Davis vs. Dover Yarn Mills and J. D. Skidmore; J. O. Gardner vs. J. W. Wadsworth's Sons; Zada G. Gardner vs. J. W. Wadsworth's Sons; J. C. Burrows vs. J. W. Wadsworth's Sons; J. B. Ross & Co. vs. S. A. L. Railway Company; J. B. Ross & Co. vs. S. A. L. Railway Company.

Tuesday—Samuel Hayes vs. A. & C. A. L. Railway Company; Saunders, Orr & Co. vs. Moore Cotton Mills and J. H. Moore; Wm. Holbrook vs. Southern Railway Company; Martha A. Beard and John P. Beard vs. Postal Telegraph and Cable Company; John P. Beard vs. Postal Telegraph and Cable Company; John Downs vs. Postal Telegraph and Cable Company.

Wednesday—N. S. Gray vs. G. D. Whitley; Graig & Wilson vs. G. D. Whitley; W. G. Gray vs. G. D. Whitley; J. S. Simpson vs. City of Charlotte; B. A. Simpson vs. Hoskins Mill.

Thursday—R. H. McKnight vs. N. S. Alexander; R. F. White vs. E. L. Reans; Curtis Heffner vs. Highland Park Manufacturing Company; Mrs. Bessie Shaw vs. S. A. L. Railway Company and C. C. Railway Company; R. E. & C. E. Mason vs. Williams & Wright.

Friday—W. Z. Stultz vs. R. E. Farrell; First National Bank vs. J. R. Harris et al.; First National Bank vs. G. P. McWhirter et al.; Columbia Guano Company vs. Dovey J. Erwin, Adm.

Monday, January 22—Stevenson Pig Iron & Coke Company vs. Cole Manufacturing Company; Magnolia Mills vs. S. A. L. Railway Company; T. J. Robert vs. Southern Railway Company; W. S. Stancil et al. vs. C. C. Railway Company.

Tuesday—John B. Ross & Co. vs. S. A. L. Railway Company; William Woodhead vs. M. E. Blalock; Bettie Wilkie Haynes, Executrix, vs. North Carolina Railway Company; John McCaw, Adm., vs. Board Water Commissioners City of Charlotte; C. W. Pastal vs. Western Union Telegraph Company; W. S. Biggers vs. D. M. Abernethy.

Wednesday—W. M. Bennett vs. Mecklenburg Division P. M. B. A. Association; Jesse Cameron vs. Street Railway Company; Agnes Todd, Adm., vs. Charlotte Cotton Mills; Frank Reeves et al. vs. Mabel Pride et al.; S. E. & W. Stein vs. North Carolina Railway Company; L. M. Taylor & J. H. Jones vs. O. L. Baringer.

Thursday—Liddell Company vs. A. G. Whithard; John Latiker vs. Charlotte Electric Railway, Light and Power Company; T. Smith Jones and wife vs. Western Union Telegraph Company; Mrs. Martha Rudisill vs. G. N. Phifer; T. E. & C. M. Mason vs. Postal Telegraph Company; C. H. Robinson & Co. vs. S. A. L. Railway Company.

Friday—C. H. Robinson & Co. vs. A. C. L. Railway Company; Mary McRorie vs. Sov. Camp of W. of W.; Philip Carey Manufacturing Company vs. Salmon Live Stock Co.; Emma E. Osborne vs. M. Osborne et al.

RECORD COMPLETED.

And Case Gone To Clerk U. S. Circuit Court—Other News.

Special to The News. Asheville, N. C., Jan. 5.—The record in the case of appeal of Thomson vs. the Southern Railway Company in which the plaintiff secured a verdict of \$27,500, this being afterwards reduced by the court to \$19,000, in a trial before Judge Pritchard here, and in which the defendant appealed, has been completed, and today went to the United States circuit court of appeals at Richmond. It is said the cost of the appeal in this case will amount to \$12,000 and the record in the case is the second largest ever sent from the office of the clerk of the United States court in this city, the only exception being that in the celebrated Cherokee Indian case. The record contains 182,315 words.

The latest news from Paris, is that they have discovered a diamond cure for consumption. If you fear consumption or pneumonia it will, however, be best for you to take that great remedy mentioned by W. F. McGee, of Vanleer, Tenn., had a cough for fourteen years, nothing helped me, until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which gave instant relief, affected a permanent cure. Unequaled quick cure for Throat and Lung Troubles. At Woodall & Shepard's drug store; price 50c and \$1.00, guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

A GRAND RALLY.

Many Present at Red Men's Banquet Last Night.

The big rally of Red Men last night was a most enjoyable occasion. Chiefs were raised up in the presence of a large number of visitors who were the guests of Catawba and Pocahontas Tribes. Those who were installed follow:

Catawba Tribe: Sachem, A. C. Robinson; Senior Sagamore, V. A. Sherrill; Junior Sagamore, P. J. Clark; Prophet, W. F. Millersham; Collector of Wampum, J. T. Smith; Chief of Records, H. W. Banks; Keeper of Wampum, A. Bunn; Trustees, J. N. Hunter, George, Heast and J. C. Fisher.

Pocahontas Tribe: Sachem, J. R. Kimball; Senior Sagamore, A. C. Clontz; Junior Sagamore, R. E. Brown; Prophet, J. R. Anderson; Chief of Records, C. M. Berryhill; Collector of Wampum, P. B. Mulligan; Keeper of Wampum, Rev. C. P. Wilcox; Trustees, J. R. Anderson, T. W. Neal and R. G. Primm.

The guest of honor last night was Mr. John W. Cherry, Incumbent of the Great Council of the United States. Mr. Cherry arrived in Charlotte yesterday morning from his home in Norfolk. At the meeting last night he delivered a most instructive address, in which he spoke of the great amount of good that has been and is being done by the order of Red Men.

Mr. Cherry said that the Improved Order of Red Men was both a social and fraternal order. Aside from the Red Men's organization is the most patriotic in existence.

The speaker said that with the beginning of the war between the States, the order had only about 12,000 members. Twenty years thereafter, there were 42,000 members and up to 10 years ago, the order only numbered 123,000. (Now the Improved Order of Red Men has 425,000 members and is daily growing.)

Mr. Cherry here gave a complete history of the growth and origin of the Red Men. His address commanded the undivided attention of all present. At the conclusion of Mr. Cherry's address, a number were called on for speeches.

Col. J. T. Anthony, Mr. W. S. Liddell, Mr. Plummer Stewart and Rev. George A. Page responded. After the speech making, elegant refreshments were served and at the midnight hour, the meeting adjourned.

NEGRO AND A RAZOR.

He Was Found With it On His Person And Now He Rests in Jail.

There was a slim docket at the Recorder's court this morning only one case being tried. Jim Davis, a negro, was caught with a razor in his pocket and now Jim is languishing in the county jail because he could not secure a \$25 bondsman.

John Dewese, the negro charged with perjury, was before the court this morning. He gathered his wits and now distinctly remembers that liquor sale he knew nothing about yesterday morning.

After the negro made his explanation, the Recorder told him he could go, but warned him to be more careful in the future.

Makes Eyes Water. We congratulate The Charlotte News upon installing a twelve-page Duplex press. It is a beauty, and will print 57,000 twelve-page papers an hour. This picture of it makes the average North Carolina newspaper man's eyes water. The News is a progressive paper, and we are glad to know it is so prosperous.—Durham Sun.

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The Cause of Many Sudden Deaths. There is a disease prevailing in this country most dangerous because so deceptive. Many sudden deaths are caused by heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease. If kidney trouble is allowed to advance the kidney-poisoned blood will attack the vital organs or kidneys themselves break down and waste away cell by cell. Bladder troubles most always result from derangement of the kidneys and a cure is obtained quickest by a proper treatment of the kidneys. If you are feeling badly you can make no mistake by taking Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy. It corrects inability to hold urine and scalding pain in passing it, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. Swamp-Root is pleasant to take and sold by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar sized bottles. You may have a sample bottle of this wonderful new discovery and a book that tells all about it, both sent free by mail, Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

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JOPLIN BREAKS RECORD.

Value of Year's Output Greatest in History of District—Lead Reaches \$80—Shipments for Week.

Joplin, Mo., Jan. 5.—The year closed with an active market throughout the district and with prices ranging about the same as the week before last. The highest price paid for zinc was \$54 a ton, while lead reached the high figure of \$30 per ton.

The total value of the output for the year of both lead and zinc ore is \$12,582,800, an increase of \$1,815,410 over 1904. The total shipments in tons for the year are: Zinc, 252,435; lead, 31,678. Prices for the entire year ranged higher than ever before in the history of the district, and the value is a record-breaking one, despite the increase in the tons of ore shipped. The decrease in tonnage for the shipments of 1904 are: Zinc, 14,804; lead, 2,689.

Following are the total shipments of lead and zinc from the various camps in the district for the week: Zinc, 8,500,589 pounds; value, \$191,725; lead, 1,555,219 pounds; value, \$44,825.

Many saints are poor because their piety is not vigorous enough to stand prosperity.—St. Louis Republic.

Three little babes were nestled in bed, "I'll name William, Willie and Bill," mother said; Wide was her smile, for triplets they be, She lays her good luck to Rocky Mountain Tea. (Great baby medicine.)—R. H. Jordan & Co.

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