

## MORE OF INSANE PATIENTS WILL BE PROVIDED FOR

New Wing to State Hospital at Raleigh will Accommodate 112 Patients and the Matter of Furnishing it is Now Under Consideration.

Important Phase of N. C. Child Labor Law Construed by Supreme Court, List of Opinions Delivered, Eleven Young Men Pass Examinations.

Special to The News. Raleigh, N. C., May 9.—The Council of State directs the State Treasurer Lacy and State Auditor Dixon to proceed with awarding the contracts for putting down granolithic pavements in the capitol square walks, to the lowest bidder, the work to be paid for the State penitentiary authorities who desire this course to be taken rather than have the convicts diverted from the works on which they are now engaged.

The Council also takes up the matter of furnishing the new wing to the State hospital for the insane here which will make room for 112 more patients about June 1.

The orders are not yet placed for furnishing.

The Supreme Court in the case of Willie Rollins vs. R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Co., from Forsyth county decided yesterday afternoon, construes for the first time important phrases of the North Carolina child labor law—Chapter 473 Sec. 1, Acts of 1903. The Rollins child was under twelve years old, was working in the B. J. Reynolds factory, had his hand caught in a lump cutter and torn off. A suit for \$10,000 followed. The child told in the court the manner in which the accident occurred and declared that no effort was made in employing him to ascertain his age. The Tobacco Company through counsel entered a demurrer to the evidence on the ground that the child's statement showed that his own negligence caused his injury. The trial judge sustained the demurrer.

However in the appeal the supreme court, Associate Justice Connor writing the opinion, orders a new trial on the ground that the trial judge should have, in the light of the testimony, submitted the case to the jury instructing them that if they found the facts as testified by the child the Tobacco Co. was guilty of negligence in employing the child, either knowing his age to be under twelve or failing to have the certificate of his parents as provided by the statute; that if they found that such negligence was the proximate cause of the injury they should answer the first issue "yes." The court lays down the ruling that the principle of contributory negligence does not apply to children under twelve years of age. The court says "Adopting the standard of law in respect to criminal liability, we think a child under twelve years of age is presumed to be incapable of understanding and appreciating danger from negligent acts."

In conclusion of the elaborate opinion the court declares that "The industrial life and development of the state are not only consistent with, but promoted by the exclusion of children from the mills and factories. The child educated and developed before beginning work of this kind becomes not only more useful and efficient but in all respects a better citizen."

The list of opinions delivered follows: State vs. Summers, Guilford, no error; Dickerson vs. Simmons, from Surry, new trial; Machine Co. vs. Tobacco Co., from Forsyth, new trial; Rollins vs. Tobacco Co. from Forsyth, affirmed; Pnett, vs Railroad, from Caldwell, new trial; Martin vs Houck from Caldwell affirmed.

Deputy Sheriff J. E. Davis of Surry county was here last night to deliver to the penitentiary John Campbell and William Hudson/white boys fourteen and fifteen years old to serve three and five years for an attempt to wreck a train.

Dr Hubert A. Royster, dean of the University of North Carolina Medical Department at Raleigh announces that eleven young men passed successfully the examination and will be awarded their diplomas at the commencement exercises at the University Friday night May 11.

Fourth Class Postmaster. By Associated Press. Washington, May 9.—The following fourth class postmasters were appointed to-day: Alabama, Fitzpatrick, Benjamin, J. Baldwin; Flint, Elizabeth J. Baldwin; Opp, Samuel Barnes; Sunset, William C. Choat.

North Carolina: Claremont, Jacob M. Ischour; Nina William Sneed; Trinity, James J. White; Worry, Isiah D. Whiscent.

Virginia: Jefferson, Linda M. Henning; Pilkinton, Eddie A. Phaup.

Victims of Riot. By Associated Press. Pueblo, Colo., May 8.—In a riot today between the striking employees at the Pueblo Smelting Works and deputies, one striker is reported killed and two fatally wounded. Two deputies were badly beaten.

## FROMWELL WOULDN'T ANSWER.

Told Senator Morgan that His Questions Were Not Pertinent. By Associated Press. Washington, May 9.—"I will not reply to hypothetical questions. If you will be good enough to ask a question that is pertinent I will answer it." Thus William Nelson Cromwell, counsel for the Panama railroad and in that capacity an official of the United States, defied Senator Morgan in his quest for information as to the meaning of the letter written by Mr. Cromwell to the late Secretary Hay concerning the original question of the Panama Canal Company.

After replying that the letter spoke for itself and that questions relating to that transaction were not germane to the present inquiry of the Senate committee on inter-oceanic canals, Mr. Cromwell met a rapid fire of questions with prompt refusals to answer.

## CHARGED WITH SWINDLING

Jackson M. Evans Arrested in Connection With Alleged Swindling of \$13,000 From Mrs. E. Moody. By Associated Press. Chicago, May 9.—Jackson M. Evans was arrested in connection with the alleged swindling of Mrs. E. Moody of this city out of \$13,000. A brother of Evans and Victor E. Freeman were arrested yesterday in New York on the charge of being implicated in the same alleged operation.

It is claimed by Mrs. Moody that she was induced to invest in Virginia lands by fraudulent representations.

## THERE WAS NO PLOT.

Investigation Shows that There Was no Plot for Life of President Caeceres. By Associated Press. San Domingo, May 9.—The investigation shows that the authorities were mistaken in believing that they had discovered a plot May 6 to assassinate President Caeceres as he was leaving the theatre. The persons arrested have been released.

Quiet reigns here and in this vicinity. Business is improving.

## PITTSBURG BANK FAILED.

Columbia Savings and Trust Co. Closed Doors To-Day. By Associated Press. Pittsburgh, Pa., May 9.—The Columbia Savings and Trust Company of this city closed its doors to-day by order of the commissioner of banking.

William J. Diehl, former mayor of Pittsburgh, is president and J. M. Vatan is secretary and treasurer. The capital is \$145,000; deposits \$200,000; loans \$290,000 and surplus \$6,000.

## INVESTIGATION ORDERED.

The Agricultural Department is Now to Investigate. By Associated Press. Washington, May 9.—The Agricultural Department is to be investigated. The House today by a vote empowered the committee and expenditures in the Agricultural Department, of which Representative Littlefield of Maine is chairman, to conduct such an examination.

Can Sit on Hind Legs to Cackle. Winsted, Conn., May 9.—All the poultry fanciers in this State look with envy on Ernest Marnard, a young chicken raiser of Forestville, who has a freak in a four-legged Plymouth Rock chicken hatched yesterday.

## 223,915 MOUTHS FED IN ONE DAY

Las: Report from San Francisco Shows no Material Change in Conditions as Regards Health, Water Supply, Business Operations, Etc.

By Associated Press. Washington, May 9.—The last report of the conditions in San Francisco received at the War Department is as follows: The condition is materially unchanged as regards health, water supply, local transportation and business operations. All continue good. The mouths fed today were 223,915, a decrease of 10,000, but there is hope for more material reductions at an early date.

## GORMAN CRITICALLY ILL.

The Maryland Senator is Very Near Death's Door. By Associated Press. Washington, May 9.—Senator Arthur P. Gorman, of Maryland, is critically ill at his home in this city. He has not been in his seat in the Senate chamber for many months. Within the last few days he had a severe sinking spell and his life was despaired of.

His sickness began several months ago with an attack of grip, with every indication it would culminate in pneumonia, but this was averted, and now, it is learned, he is suffering from a complication of ailments which give no promise of his recovery.

## GEO. H. MURPHY CHOSEN.

President Sends Nomination of Mr. Murphy of N. C. to Senate as Consul General at Large. Washington, May 9.—The President sent to the Senate the nomination of George H. Murphy, of North Carolina, as Consul General at Large to take effect July 1.

## PREPARATIONS FOR THE GRAND OPENING OF PARLIAMENT

Great Ceremony to Take Place at Winter Palace at Opening of Russian Parliament To-morrow. Final Preparations Being Completed.

Imperial Yachts Ready to Convey the Imperial Family, Court and Suites. Route of Journey Guarded with the Greatest Secrecy.

By Associated Press. St. Petersburg, May 9.—The final preparations for the great ceremony at Winter Palace on the occasion of the opening of parliament tomorrow are being completed.

The three imperial yachts which will convey their majesties and members of the Imperial family, the Court and suits to St. Petersburg are lying with steam up in the river. The route and further plans for the journey are guarded with the greatest secrecy, but it is understood that the Imperial party will travel by train from Tsarskoe-Selo to the Palace at Peterhof tonight where in the morning they will board the yachts and come up the river, landing at the Imperial dock in front of Winter Palace, thus avoiding the necessity of passing through the streets of the capital.

Immediately after the ceremony their majesties will return to Peterhof, where they will spend the summer.

## GRAND CHAPEL ELECTS OFFICERS

Mr. Lat. Williams of Wilson Elected Grand High Priest. Messrs H. A. Murrill and L. A. Dods-worth Elected Officers in the Grand Chapter.

The second session of the convocation of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, was held in the Masonic temple this morning, beginning at 10 o'clock. The greater part of the morning was taken up with the reports of the various officers and committees.

The election of officers was the main feature of the meeting, and it resulted as follows: Mr. Lat. Williams, of Wilson, Grand High Priest; Mr. A. B. Andrews Jr., of Raleigh, Deputy Grand High Priest; Mr. J. C. Braswell, of Enfield, Grand King; Mr. J. B. Griggs, of Elizabeth City, Grand Scribe; Mr. M. S. Willard, of Wilmington, Grand Treasurer; Mr. James C. Munds, of Wilmington, Grand Secretary; Mr. J. W. Shuford, of Hickory, Captain of the Host; Mr. W. M. Robinson, of Wilmington, Grand Principal Sojourner; Mr. H. A. Murrill, of Charlotte, Grand Royal Arch Captain; Mr. J. E. Cameron, of Raleigh, Grand Master of the Third Veil; Mr. T. A. Alderman, of Henderson, Grand Master of the Second Veil; Mr. L. A. Dods-worth, of Charlotte, Grand Master of the First Veil; Mr. F. M. Moye, of Wilson, Grand Lecturer; R. H. Bradley, of Raleigh, Grand Sentinel.

The rest of the morning was taken up with regular routine business. The only business before the Chapter last night was the appointment of committees which are given below.

## AFTER THE DRUG TRUST.

A Petition For An Injunction Filed in Indiana Circuit Court.

By Associated Press. Washington, May 9.—The Attorney General today made public the following statement: "The Government has today filed in the Circuit Court of the United States for District of Indiana, a petition for an injunction against certain associations, corporations and individuals, comprising what is commonly known as the drug trust of the United States.

The parties defendant specifically named in the bill have voluntarily combined together to control the prices at which proprietary medicines and drugs shall be sold to the consumer and the retail druggists, in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

In the parties to the combination are included all the proprietary Association of America; National Wholesale Druggists Association, and the National Association of Retail Druggists.

## ELKINS COAL AMENDMENT.

The Amendment To the Railroad Rate Bill Was Adopted by 44 to 29. Washington, May 9.—The Senate resumed its consideration of the Elkins Coal amendment to the Railroad Rate bill prohibiting interstate railroads from engaging in the production of coal or other commodities. The vice president announced the amendment of Senator Dryden to the Elkins provision to be in order. That amendment extends to July 1911, the time when the provision shall go into effect. Several Senators made objection that the time suggested was too remote and Dryden altered the date to July 1909. The amendment was adopted by 44 to 29.

Presents \$6,000 Team to Mrs. Eddy. Lexington, Ky., May 9.—T. L. Temple, of Texarkana, Ark., has presented to Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy, of Christian Science fame, a \$6,000 pair of horses. They were shipped to-night.

## MERCHANTS WANT GOOD ROADS.

Concord Merchants Petition County Commissioners—Eance at New South Club. Special to The News. Concord, May 9.—The young men of the New South Club gave a delightful dance last night in honor of the visiting ladies here. The music was furnished by the Forest Hill Orchestra. All had an enjoyable time.

An important move was made before the commissioners of the county yesterday by a committee from the Retail Merchants Association of Concord asking the commissioners to proceed to the building of good roads throughout the county.

It was the request of the committee that steps be taken to call an election at an early date under the present road improvement law for the purpose of raising the money to do the work, or have a law prepared to be passed by the next legislature for that purpose.

It is the object of the Merchants Association to have the roads built as soon as possible by getting the money and beginning the building of the roads at once.

The county attorney and chairman of the board were appointed a committee to meet with the Committee from the merchants to devise plans for the work and report at the next meeting of the commissioners. We hope this movement will bring about this much needed improvement.

At the meeting of the Board of Aldermen last night it was decided to dispose of one of the fire horses and purchase another. The horse was recently condemned by State Veterinary Surgeon Butler. Several bids for another horse are under consideration. There is also a proposition on foot to dispose of the present combination chemical and hose wagon, which weighs some 4,500 pounds and purchase a lighter one.

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## ROYAL ARCH MASONS.

The following committees were appointed: On credentials: H. C. Butler, of Raleigh; U. L. Hall, of Greensboro, and E. B. Neave, of Salisbury. On the Doings of the Grand Officers: J. K. Norrisset, of Winston; W. S. Liddell, of Charlotte, and William Anderson, of Charlotte. On Finance: A. B. Andrews, Jr., of Raleigh; T. S. Franklin, of Charlotte, and H. G. Smallbones, of Wilmington. On Unfinished Business: F. M. Winchester, of Charlotte; J. W. Shuford, of Hickory, and H. Sternberger, of Greensboro. On Appeals and Grievances: H. Sternberger, G. E. Beard, of Southern Pines, and H. A. Murrill. On Charities and Dispensation: O. W. Spencer, D. E. Allen, of Charlotte, and J. E. Cameron, of Raleigh. On Returns: U. M. Robinson, of Wilmington; L. A. Dods-worth, of Charlotte, and W. C. Mizell, of Windsor. On Necrology: W. S. Liddell, of Charlotte; J. B. Griggs, of Elizabeth City, and J. T. Alderman, of Henderson. On Jurisprudence: M. S. Willard, of Wilmington; J. K. Norrisset, of Winston and William Anderson, of Charlotte.

## SUSPECT ARRESTED

Man in Providence Thought to be Miss McCord's Assailant. The man who assaulted Miss Mollie McCord last Sunday, is still at large. A tramp was arrested this morning near Mr. W. A. Caldwell's store, in Providence township. After being asked a number of questions the man was given his liberty.

It was said today that Governor Glenn would be asked to offer an additional reward for the capture of the man. Nothing, however, had been heard from Raleigh when the News went to press.

## Southern Agents Meet.

Nashville, May 9.—The eighth annual convention of the Southern Railway agents association gathered here today with delegates present from all parts of the system. A number of papers interesting to delegates were read this morning and a banquet is to be tendered this evening.

## SCHOONER ALGERIA SUNK AND POSSIBLY THREE LIVES LOST

Big Schooner Sank two Miles Off Harbor of Cleveland. Schooner Iron Queen is in Sinking Condition. Her Crew of Eight Rescued.

Heavy Storm Last Night and Today a Menace to Shipping Outside of Harbor. Small Schooners were from Unable to Enter Break Water.

By Associated Press. Cleveland, May 9.—The schooner Algeria sank about two miles off the harbor of Cleveland and possibly three men lost their lives.

The schooner Iron Queen is in a sinking condition outside the breakwater and her crew of eight was taken off by a life saving crew. The storm last night and early today with the heavy sea it kicked up was a menace to shipping outside the harbor.

## NEW PAPER AT WADESBORO.

Mr. Clyde Bivins will Continue the Publication—County Convention—Mr. Leak Resigns. Special to The News. Wadesboro, May 9.—Hon. James A. Leak, chairman of Anson county commissioners offered his resignation Monday. The board accepted the resignation of Mr. Leak with regret and immediately elected James Hardison to fill the place. The election of Mr. Hardison gives satisfaction to our people.

The convention which met here yesterday appointed delegates to the State, judicial, senatorial, and congressional conventions. The judicial convention meets in Rockingham next Saturday. Delegates appointed to that body were ordered to use every honorable means to elect Hon. L. D. Robinson, the present incumbent, as solicitor. The convention endorsed the past record of Mr. Robinson in every particular.

Wadesboro is to have another paper. Mr. Clyde Bivins is the gentleman who is in control of the new enterprise. Mr. Bivins is a young man of ability and has had some experience in the newspaper business.

## MRS OSBORNE TOASTMISTRESS.

A List of the Members Who will Make Responses. A very attractive programme has been arranged for the annual banquet to be given at the Presbyterian College next Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock by the Alumnae Association of that institution.

Mrs. F. I. Osborne, as Toastmistress, will call for responses to the following toasts: "Higher Education for women," Miss Laura Orr; "College Life of the 70's," Miss Alice Springs; "The Music Master," Miss Lois Gogans; "The Spirit of 1906," Miss Kate Parker; "What the Alumnae Association should do that it has not done," Mrs. J. L. Chambers.

The invitation is again extended to every pupil who has attended the College under any one of its several administrations to attend this banquet. Mrs. C. C. Hook, the capable chairman of the refreshment committee of last year is again in charge, and this fact bespeaks success. In order to facilitate matters for her, all who expect to be present, are requested to notify, by Friday, one of the following ladies—Messdames W. C. Alexander, C. M. Carn, J. W. Miller, M. A. Bland, and Miss Bessie Hutchison and Julia Robertson.

## A Runaway This Afternoon.

A horse attached to a surry ran away this afternoon down South Tryon street. The driver was giving the horse water when a flying piece of paper frightened him. The runaway was stopped at Black's stable, on Stonewall street, without doing any damage to himself or the surry.

## At First Church Tonight.

At the First Presbyterian church this evening at 8:30 o'clock Dr. J. R. Howerton will deliver an address on Temperance before the visiting and local Knights Templars. Dr. Howerton is Grand Prelate of the Grand Commandery. A large crowd is expected to hear this address.

## A Social Gathering.

Tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock, in the Sunday School room of the Second Presbyterian church there will be a social gathering. Ever young man over 16 years of age, married or single, who is not affiliated with any church, is invited to attend this gathering. There will be music refreshments short talks and cordial handshakes.

## ANOTHER SHOOTING AFFAIR.

Mr. J. H. Roach, Superintendent of Granite Quarry, Shot By a Negro—Negro Beats His Wife. Special to The News. Salisbury, May 9.—George Wright, a negro trustee on the Rowan chain gang for beating his wife, who testified against him at the trial, left the gang Monday night and went to her home where he administered a good beating to her. He then returned to his bunk at the convict camp and was sound asleep when an officer arrived. His term is almost expired, but he will be held on this latter charge.

The County Democratic primaries will be held Saturday and the convention of the Odd Fellows, Salisbury will be one of the largest and warmest conventions in the history of Rowan.

The Salisbury Fire Department has elected the following officers: Chief, D. L. Sides; Assistant Chief, J. M. Morgan; secretary and treasurer Charles H. Swink; captain of Hook and Ladder company, Claude West; captain of Hose company No. 1, J. T. Morgan, captain of Hose company No. 2, R. M. Hendon.

Mr. Dave Oestreicher, one of Salisbury's leading business men, will leave next week for his old home in Germany. On his return he will be accompanied by his mother who will make her home here with her son.

Messrs. Chas. W. Pace, W. R. Bean, John A. Howard and G. O. Klutz are in Goldsboro attending the State meeting of the Odd Fellows. Salisbury will extend an invitation to the lodge to hold its next convention in this city.

Another serious shooting affair occurred in this county late yesterday afternoon. A negro known as "Snake" shot and perhaps fatally wounded Mr. J. H. Roach, superintendent of the Balfour quarry at Granite Quarry, five miles northeast of Salisbury. The negro, who is an ex-convict, was discharged several days ago, he having been working at the Balfour quarry. This incident him and he has hung around the works for several days. About 6 o'clock yesterday evening he shot Mr. Roach in the back, using a shot gun. The negro escaped but large losses were soon on his trail with bloodhounds and he was traced to a point near Rockwell, a village near by. Great indignation prevails in the section in which the shooting occurred.

Mr. Roach is a man of prominence and is held in the highest esteem. He has scores of friends in Salisbury and these were very much wrought up over the unprovoked attack on him by this vicious negro. The children of the graded school will give an entertainment in the auditorium of the school building on Friday night. The proceeds will go toward the library fund.

Cards are out for the marriage on Tuesday the 29th, of Miss Ollie Kennerly of Woodleaf, to Mr. Thomas E. Conrad. The ceremony will take place at the bride's home at Woodleaf, this county. Miss Kennerly is one of the county's best young women. Mr. Conrad is a popular engineer on the Southern.

## PAID INDEMNITY.

Viceroy of Canton Paid to American Consul at Canton \$60,000. Hong Konk, May 9.—The Viceroy of Canton has paid to the American Consul at Canton, \$60,000 as indemnity for the mission buildings, personal property of the missionaries and claims of the converts, as a result of the destruction of property during the rioting at Lienchow, in October last. The money will be transferred to the Presbyterian mission settlement at Lienchow.

## ANNUAL SESSION OF I. O. O. F. HELD

Over 300 in Attendance And 150 New Members Given Grand Lodge Degree. Program Followed. Great Work Done by the Order.

Special to The News. Goldsboro, N. C., May 9.—The 63rd annual session of the Grand Lodge Independent Order of Odd Fellows met in the Opera House last night, Grand Master Plato Collins, of New Bern, presiding. The address of welcome was made by J. F. Brinson, of Goldsboro, and the response by Grand Master Plato Collins. The Grand Lodge degree was given to 150 new members. The attendance was over 300. This morning routine work was transacted until 10:30 when the children of the Odd Fellows Home were introduced to the Grand Lodge and a delightful program was given, at the conclusion of which \$250 was raised to purchase a new piano for the Home.

An interesting event of the morning was the presentation of a prize to Miss Julia Dulen, for the most improvement in music. The Grand Secretary reported that over \$1300 had been sent to the Odd Fellows at San Francisco, and \$500 additional will be voted by the Grand Lodge. The event of this afternoon will be the dedication of the Home for Aged Odd Fellows, when the principal address will be made by Past Grand Sire A. S. Pinkerton, of Massachusetts, one of the foremost orators of the country.

The attendance was larger than at any previous meeting. Second Grand Secretary Woodell reports an increase in both lodges and membership. —The Members of the Hornets Nest Riflemen will meet at their armory tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. The company will take part in the memorial day Exercises.

## AUTHORITIES ARE MYSTIFIED OVER DEATH OF SPIER

Plans had Been Made for Funeral, but it is Reported That District Attorney Would Refuse to Allow Funeral Until after Complete Autopsy.

Mrs. Spier Insists that her Husband was Murdered by Burglar. Report of a Scene at Staten Island Club Published Adds to Mystery.

By Associated Press. New York, May 9.—Plans have been made to have the funeral of Charles L. Spier, the Staten Island business man who was shot in so mysterious a manner that the authorities cannot determine whether he was murdered or committed suicide.

The bullet which caused Spier's death has not been located and the authorities desisted from any attempt to find it because Mrs. Spier objected to the mutilation of her husband's body. As the authorities differed as to whether the bullet came from Spier's own revolver.

It was reported that District Attorney John J. Kenney, of Staten Island would refuse to allow the funeral to proceed until a complete autopsy was made. Kenney said the bullet that killed Spier should be found in order to determine whether or not he was killed by his own revolver. Mrs. Spier said: "No matter what they say, I know my husband was murdered. We were perfectly happy. I cannot imagine any reason why he should take his own life. There was not the slightest cloud in our lives. Mr. Spier was fond of his home. We had no differences. We had no troubles. I know nothing of the \$75,000 insurance policy he is said to have taken recently."

A report was published today that there was a scene at a prominent Staten Island club recently which resulted in a request that Spier leave the club. The cause is unknown.

## THAT LITTLE RESTAURANT.

Citizens Complain That They Were Not Notified When it Was Erected The Citizens of West Trade street, who object to the cloth-covered restaurant on Mrs. Laura Brown's lot, claim they were not notified when the structure was erected and therefore had no opportunity to lodge any complaint, they might have desired to have made.

This statement is made because Mr. J. L. Simpson has asked for a rehearing of the case before the city council. It is claimed by those who oppose the restaurant remaining where it is, that should the case be reopened they will, at the June meeting of the board, insist that no license be granted for this stand. The action of the board of aldermen at the meeting Monday declaring the place a nuisance and ordering the owners to close up shop, has been discussed at length today. Some think this action will not hold in a court of law, while others seem to think that the aldermen did exactly right. At any rate the little restaurant with its canvas top, bids fair to be a right live wire for some days to come.

The board of aldermen was called to meet in special session this afternoon at 4 o'clock to consider the above matter. It is thought the proprietors will be allowed to continue until the first of June.

## THE HERESY TRIAL.

The Ecclesiastical Courts Trying Case of Rev. A. S. Craspey Reconvicted. By Associated Press. Batavia, N. Y., May 9.—The ecclesiastical court in the case of Rev. Algermen S. Craspey reconvicted in executive session to consider the evidence. It is expected that the decision would be formulated during the day, but would not be given out until after it had been forwarded to Bishop Walker, who would make it public.

## EUSTACE MILES WON.

Jay Gould Went Down in Champion Ship Contest. By Associated Press. London, May 9.—At the Queens Club today after a splendid series in victories against the leading British covered court tennis, Jay Gould, of Lakewood, N. J., went down before the worlds champion, Eustace Miles in the championship round, the latter winning the match by three sets to one.

## SOCIAL.

Miss Edna Whisnant will entertain Saturday afternoon the members of the senior music class of the conservatory of music of the Presbyterian college instead of the senior class as stated yesterday. The members of the class are the following named young ladies: Misses Mary and Nina Ramsey, Lucy McIntosh, Linda Hendrix, Lois Gogans Irene Allison, Nellie Van Stewart, Mary and Fannie Gray Farrior, Frances Thornton and Dr. and Mrs. C. L. T. Fisher.