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Friday The Thirteenth Unlucky Day For This Negro-Doomed to Die

Atlanta, Ga., March 12.—The arrangements have been completed at the city prison for the execution tomorrow of the negro Andrew Johnson, convicted of the murder of Policeman J. A. Manier, while the latter was attempting to place the negro under arrest. The execution will be private and will take place between 10 a. m. and 2 p. m. Johnson, prior to his crime, was well known among Atlanta negroes as the "Black Sport."

He was a gambler and had been in trouble many times. Two unlucky combinations have followed him during the closing days of his career—Friday and the 13th.

The murder for which he is to pay the death penalty was committed on Friday, December 6th. He was tried on Friday, December 13th, and he was first sentenced to be hanged on Friday, January 3rd, and resented to be hanged on Friday, March 13th.

INSECTS DESTROY MUCH TOBACCO

Special to The News.
Durham, N. C., March 12.—For some time past a most destructive insect has infested the storage of the American Tobacco Company, in this city, and thousands of pounds of tobacco have been destroyed. Every available means has been exercised to get rid of the insect, but has proven fruitless and it seems impossible. Some of the tobacco involved by these creatures has been in storage for several years and the insects consume it remarkably fast.

These small insects were first noticed in this section last summer and the people were puzzled to know from whence they came, and their origin in this community was soon found out. The company employed a large force of hands at one time, working at the various storages, and by means of using steam tried to smother them out, but it was reported that this was also unsuccessful. The company is a heavy loser. Their loss will probably reach several thousand dollars. At times when hogheads are opened, the tobacco is decreased by half.

COMMENCEMENT AT NEWELL.

Elaborate Program for Thriving High School Commencement.
Special to The News.
Newell, N. C., March 12.—The annual commencement will be held at Newell, March 22nd-27th.

Program:
Marshalls—Jno. M. Russell, chief; Earl Crane, John Kirk, Sam Allen, George Russell, Swindell Hagler.
Sunday, March 22nd:
11 A. M.—Annual Sermon.
8 P. M.—Entertainment.
Thursday, March 26th.
Debate—"Resolved, That Women Should be Admitted the Right of Suffrage." Affirmative: George Russell, John Kirk, Earl Crane. Negative: Swindell Hagler, Claude Crane, John Russell.
Friday, March 27th:
Commencement day proper.
10 A. M.—Declamations and Recitations.
2 P. M.—Literary address—Rev. Wm. Duncan, Charlotte, N. C.
8 P. M.—Sociable.
Music—Belmont Band.

CHRISTIANS SHOULD BE SYMPATHETIC

Rev. A. J. Ranson Preaches Strong Sermon on That Pure and Undeified Religion, Which Makes us Visit the Fatherless and the Widow.

Rev. A. J. Ranson delivered a very touching sermon last evening at the Avenue church. His subject was "Pure Religion and Undeified before God and the Father of this." To visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction and to keep himself unspotted from the world." The speaker said in part: "The Bible tells us about a great many things but does not define as many things as we would wish—it has defined this religion—pure and undeified.

"The first thing I call your attention to is that pure religion and undeified must stand the test before God and the Father. It is not enough to have a religion that stands the test before the sinner, or church or synod or men. Pure religion must stand the test before God and the Father. If a man's religion stands the test before God and the Father, the King and Lord, I don't care if his religion falls down before the sinner of the church—if it stands the test before God, he is safe for all eternity.

"There are other things to enter into in this great thing called religion. It is not to be confined to simply one or two things—it is the foundation laid out to the Christian in the Christian life. I believe it is sympathy. Hundreds of men are being won into the kingdom through the expression of sympathy on the part of those who know that Jesus Christ is a mighty Saviour and are not afraid to express their sympathy to a man who is in trouble.

"If you are a child of the living God, that thing, which, more than any other thing, characterizes the Son of God, ought to characterize you. If that thing is sympathy, why are we not more sympathetic with God's people?"

"In the second place, we must keep ourselves unspotted from the world. How many of God's people do need to come back to God and be cleansed. How they do need the power of Jesus Christ and the blood of Jesus Christ to wash away their sins. I declare to you if we are living unclean lives, spotted, covering up our iniquity, not confessing our sins, we are living lives that are not pure and undeified before God the Father. Thanks be to God we have a fountain for every Christian man whose life has been spotted. I am glad to reveal to you the one who can take away the sins of the world.

"Will your religion stand the test before God the Father?"

"My last remark is that no man's religion is that kind of religion unless he has opened wide his heart and let in the Son of God, who is able to teach a man pure and undeified religion, keep him unspotted from this world, and take entire possession of his entire being. May God grant that this may be your experience tonight.

CASE AFTER CASE.

Plenty More Like This in Charlotte.
Scores of Charlotte people can tell you about Doan's Kidney Pills. Many a happy citizen makes a public statement of his experience. Here is a case of it. What better proof of merit can be had than such endorsement?

Walter Marks, 5 South B. Street, Charlotte, N. C., says: "I willingly vouch for the efficiency of Doan's Pills and advise anyone afflicted with kidney trouble to use them. Several months ago I was suddenly attacked by pain across the small of my back. At times they were in the form of sharp shooting twinges and then again they changed to a dull steady ache. When I sat in one position for any length of time, I became so lame and sore that I could hardly arise and I could hardly go about. Finally procuring a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at R. H. Jordan & Co's drug store, I used them and was cured. I have had no return of the trouble since and can only give the credit of my present healthy condition to the curative powers of Doan's Kidney Pills."

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TWO GOOD ORDERS.

The C. C. Harmon Machine Company Reaches to Alabama.
The C. C. Harmon Machine Co., of this city, has received an order from the Opelika Cotton Mill of Opelika, Ala., to make extensive repairs to their plant and has sent workmen for that purpose yesterday. The machine company has also completed an extensive job of repairing for the Wenoah Cotton Mills of Lexington, N. C.

"CANNED TOMATO BRIDE" SUES

She Who Was Miss June Early Now Said to Seek Divorce.
Tuckerton, N. J., March 12.—Word has been received here that Mrs. David Gallagher, the "canned tomato bride" is suing her husband for divorce. Mrs. Gallagher has been living in New York since her marriage last November.

Three summers ago Miss June Early was a packer in a local cannery. One day in a spirit of jest, she penned a love note on a label. Nothing was heard from it for two seasons. Then Gallagher attended an auction and bought up several gross of tomatoes. He was busy changing the labels one day and came across the note. He replied, and Miss June Early became his bride.

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Special School Tax Election For Durham

Special to The News.
Durham, N. C., March 12.—In Durham county next week there will be two school tax elections. One will be held at Barbee school and the other at Bahama school. These elections are held to decide whether the people prefer to pay special tax and have better school facilities, or otherwise defeat the object by voting against it. The registration books closed last Saturday and the voters were very prompt in registering.

Mrs. Chamberlain Dead.

Durham, N. C., March 12.—The sad and unexpected death of Mrs. Clyde Chamberlain, wife of L. L. Chamberlain, occurred yesterday morning, at her home on Main street. She was only taken sick yesterday and remained in a lingering condition until the end.

Her death was caused from neuralgia of the heart. Her funeral was held from Trinity Methodist church this afternoon.

Riding a Tandem at The Bijou

Mr. Murrell Back From Lincolnton.
Mr. Hugh A. Murrell, grand principal sojourner of the grand chapter of North Carolina Royal Arch Masons, visited the Lincoln chapter, No. 22, at Lincolnton yesterday, returning to Charlotte last night. The Lincoln chapter was found to be flourishing. It has a membership of 40. Mr. H. E. Reid is high priest.

IT DOES THE BUSINESS.

Mr. E. E. Chamberlain, of Clinton, Maine, says of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery: "I have used it for piles and it cured them. Used it for chapped hands and it cured them. Applied it to an old sore and it healed it without leaving a scar behind." 25c at Woodall & Sheppard's drug store.

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