

SOCIAL

MRS. VAN LANDINGHAM OFF FOR D. A. R. CONGRESS.

Mrs. John Van Landingham, vice president general of the D. A. R. for North Carolina, leaves tonight for Washington to attend the continental congress which is to be held next week.

Mrs. Van Landingham is one of the leaders in the continental congress, her splendid ability and knowledge of D. A. R. affairs making her valuable as an officer in the cabinet.

Mrs. C. W. Tillet, Miss Julia Alexander and Misses Esther White Springs and Laura Reilly leave for congress Saturday night.

DANCING EXPERTS.

The gentleman who did the dance act at the cabaret with Miss Susie Cowles was not Mr. R. L. Fox, of Atlanta, as the writer was informed, but Mr. W. H. Freeman, of New York.

BEAUTIFUL DANCE FOR MISS HEMBLEY

The dance given by Mrs. John Walter Miller and Mrs. Osmond L. Barringer at the Selwyn last evening in compliment to Miss Eleanor Hembley, of Pittsburgh, Pa., was a beautiful affair.

CHILDREN INVITED TO THE DANCING

The dancing at the Selwyn tomorrow afternoon by the management of the Old Ladies Home, will be held upstairs in the assembly room.

MISS LENTZ TO SUMMER ABROAD

Miss Marie Lentz, one of Charlotte's beauties and belles, is to spend the summer abroad. She will be a member of the Huvck party, which goes late in May.

MRS. SCHIFF NO BETTER

The condition of Mrs. Ida Schiff remains unchanged. She is seriously ill at her home on East Avenue. Her family are deeply concerned about her.

MARRIAGE IN HIGH LIFE IN EASTERN PART STATE.

Interacting a host of friends throughout the state will be the following cards received last night:

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Angus Sinclair request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Effie Walker.

Mr. Frederic Fowles Travis on the evening of Wednesday the twenty-ninth of April at half after eight o'clock Highland Presbyterian church Fayetteville, North Carolina.

Accompanying card:

Will be at home after the first of June "Biru Dume"

Cresskill, New Jersey. The bride, one of Fayetteville's most charming girls is a niece of Mrs. Kate W. Murphy, and cousin therefore of her daughter, Mrs. Guber Wearn.

Mr. Travis is prominently known in New Jersey. The wedding will be of exceeding social interest.

Miss Alice Keith Wearn, the lovely little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guber Wearn will be one of the flower girls.

"The Perils of Pauline." Amuse U today. 1t

BRONCHITIS SUFFERER

Takes Druggists' Advice With Splendid Result.

If any one should know the worth of a medicine, it is the retail druggist who sells it every day in the week and is in a position to know what remedy gives the best satisfaction.

Mrs. Frank H. Ulline of West Sand Lake, N. Y., says: "For years I was a great sufferer from bronchitis. Last July I had a severe attack and my friends thought I could not recover from it. Then I was advised by my druggist to try Vinol, which I did with wonderful results. My cough has left me; I have gained in weight and appetite and I am as strong as ever I was. I advise all who have bronchitis, chronic coughs, or who are run-down to try Vinol."

It is the combined action of the medicinal curative elements of the cold's liver, without oil, aided by the blood-making and strength-creating properties of tonic iron that makes Vinol so efficient in such cases.

Remember, we guarantee Vinol to do just what we say—we pay back your money if it does not. R. H. Jordan & Co.

P. S. Stop scratching, or Saxo Salve stops itching. We guarantee it.

Y. & B. MOTOR TRUCK RUNS OVER MR. LUKE READING

Mr. Luke Reading, son of Mrs. Harriet Reading, of West Fourth street, was run over today about noon by a motor truck belonging to Yarborough & Bellinger, the front and rear wheels passing over both of Mr. Reading's legs, cutting them and mashing the flesh, but breaking no bones.

The accident occurred on West Trade, immediately in front of T. W. Kendrick's drug store. The truck was going east. The driver was Mr. J. R. Porter, of the Y. & B. force. The car chocked down on the corner. Mr. Porter, started across the street from the drug store corner to the First church corner. Mr. Porter got down from the truck to crank up. The car took a backward move just as Mr. Reading was immediately behind it.

It struck him, and the rear wheel passed over his legs, and before he could be extricated, or before Mr. Porter knew he was under the car, the front wheel of the truck also passed over his legs, the car moving backward. Numbers of persons rushed to him. He was picked up and carried into Kendrick's drug store, and Dr. Oren Moore summoned. Mr. Reading was put in an auto and taken home, and his injuries were attended to. He stated that both wheels passed over his legs. No bones were broken, but the flesh was torn and mangled. Mr. Reading had a cut on his face. He walked from the automobile into the house. Dr. Moore considers it a miracle that the bones in his legs were not crushed. Many friends called to inquire for him on learning of the accident. He will suffer no serious result, Dr. Moore says. No blame was attached to the driver of the truck.

Mr. Reading's mother is in her 90th year and is able to attend church and do her own shopping.

J. H. NICHOLS OF CHARLOTTE IS SAID TO BE MAN DROWNED

Yesterday afternoon the body supposedly of J. N. Nichols, of this city, was found in the water at the foot of Fourteenth street, in Richmond, Va. The body had been in the water so long that the authorities were unable to identify it, but a letter was found in the coat worn by the man which identified him as J. N. Nichols.

This letter was from Charlotte. It was written to J. N. Nichols by his sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Bratton, 613 West Trade street. With this as a clue, the Richmond police notified the authorities of this city. Inquiry at 613 West Trade street brought the information that with Mrs. Bratton lived her father, W. D. Nichols, also father of T. N. Nichols. Mr. Nichols left this morning for Richmond to identify the body, and if it is his son to have the body interred.

T. N. Nichols also has a brother here. The latter said he did not know as to the absolute certainty of his brother's death. He had not heard from his father in regard to the matter. His brother, who is a railroad man, lived at News Ferry, Va., was married, and had four children. He did not see any reason why he should have gone to Richmond, which was one reason why he did not believe the man found in Richmond was his brother.

Mrs. Bratton's husband, L. C. Bratton, is a cabinet maker at the H. M. Wade Manufacturing Company.

MARVELOUS BILL AT THE PIEDMONT—IMMENSE CROWDS

The Piedmont theater is staging one of the very greatest bills it has ever shown since its opening. The bill drew the largest crowds, last night, ever recorded at the play house. The program entire was fine, but the Oriental act concluding the program, "The Great Asahi", assisted by the Asahi quartette, was the masterpiece. The act consists of feats of magic, mystery and risley as follows:

A—Thumb and Flag Trick—Great Asahi.

B—Umbrella Juggling—A. Kitamura.

C—The Human Fountain—Great Asahi and Assistants.

D—Exhibition of Risley—Kitamura Brothers (Koman and Tommy).

The D feature the exhibition of risley was marvelous. In all the high class attractions which Manager Gidley has brought to the beautiful vaudeville house, none has excelled in art and wonder the program which began its three-day run last night.

COTS FOR CLEMSON BOYS SECURED BY THE G. C. CLUB

L. C. McFadden of Company K. S. C., National Guard, is here today getting cots for the use of the Clemson College cadets at Rock Hill, S. C., on the 23, 24 and 25, during the Oratorical Contest. The cots were procured for Mr. McFadden by the Greater Charlotte Club.

Distinguished Minister At St. Peter's Episcopal Church Sunday

Rev. John H. Brown, rector of Christ Church, Pensacola, Fla., will conduct service and preach at St. Peter's Episcopal church Sunday. He arrives tonight and will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Ker, Jr., at their home on North Tryon street. Mr. Brown is one of the ablest ministers of the Episcopal church. He will be heard by large congregations at St. Peter's Sunday.

CABARET PROFITABLE

The cabaret at the auditorium netted the Old Ladies' Home \$326.

A big four-reel feature "Beneath the Czar," featuring Claire Whitney in the roll of the unwilling spy. At the Princess today. 17-1t

MASS MEETING FOR TOMORROW WILL BE INTERESTING

What promises to be an unusually interesting meeting is to be held tomorrow at 12 o'clock at the court-house. It is described as a mass meeting for the purpose of suggesting names for a board of county commissioners. All day today there has been unusual activity on the part of candidates already out for that place as well as those who are expected to be candidates, not to mention the friends of both classes mentioned.

There are not lacking hints of one of the warmest meetings of a political nature ever called here prior to the primary. Some are heard to remark mysteriously about a "nigger in the wood pile" and again about a carefully engineered plan to commit the public to an expression of opinion as to candidates before the primary. No one so far as outside evidences indicate is sponsoring the meeting. Dr. S. M. Henderson, of Mallard Creek, was commissioned to announce that such a meeting would take place, it is said, but cannot be assumed to be the active spirit behind it. It is declared.

There has been heard also plentiful remarks to the effect that there is no necessity for such a meeting and that the primary is the proper place for the voters to express their preference for candidates. Those taking this view of it hold to the opinion that such a meeting can have no other purpose than that of favoring some certain man's candidacy and that therefore it is out of place. Others say that it is not a meeting that any importance need be attached to, since it can at most be only a suggestion and can have no result in the outcome of the primary.

Platform Should Be Stated.

"What should be done," said a prominent citizen today, "and what should be insisted on is not who shall be a candidate for this or the office, but what each candidate stands for. For instance since there are numerous candidates for the board of county commissioners, why not have them come out and say whether it is their idea that the county should live strictly within its income or whether there shall be a more liberal policy and the incurring of perhaps a heavy debt for work that seems to be urgent."

It will be insisted on at the meeting tomorrow, it is said, that all candidates take the public into their confidence and let the public know what their views are on this and that question. The citizen quoted above said further in regard to this feature:

"It is most important that we know exactly what our board of commissioners and legislators stand for before we vote for them. This is the most important election we have had in years so far as knowing before hand what we are voting for."

"We have had a bond issue of \$325,000 fastened on us—the people of the county—recently. It will take all this amount to liquidate the liability of the county at present. This includes some important public improvements, such as, we understand, building the jail, etc. Will the next two years witness another bond issue? Four years from now will we have another bond issue of \$400,000? Are the people ready for another such debt? Would it not be well for every voter to know exactly how each candidate stands on this bond-business? Let not only the candidates for the board of county commissioners express themselves, but let us have expressions from the candidates for the legislature."

"Now is the time to get these expressions in black and white. It won't do to wait till after the primaries. Then we will be estopped. Are our candidates in favor of living within their incomes? Ask this question of every candidate from constable on up. It won't hurt to elect constables who are in favor of living within their incomes."

"Is not the county, state and city as well, ready for a new financial debt? Are we to continue to run in debt? Would it not be well to make it a misdemeanor for a public official to spend more than his income? How long can the city, county and state stand such strains of debts? Let our candidates calculate the interest on our bonded debt, estimate the amount of taxes we will have as an income, and then tell us what they want, other than our votes. Ask all the candidates these questions."

"These are so many new patriots in the field this time, patriots who perhaps do not know the exact financial conditions of the county, city and state—that it will be well for them to think most seriously of those matters and answer promptly else the people will get out tickets that they will tell them other things that they expect to run and not back out."

SERIES OF SERVICES AT 10TH AVE. CHURCH BEGINNING ON 23RD

Tenth Avenue Presbyterian church will begin a series of meetings Wednesday night, April 22. These services will end May 13th. It had been hoped to arrange the meetings so that the necessary plans could not be made. There will be a lapse between the 29th of April and the 5th of May.

Rev. George W. Belk will have charge of the first part of these services. He was formerly pastor of the church, and has many friends here. Mr. Belk is now evangelist for Mecklenburg Presbytery, Kentucky.

The last part of these meetings will be conducted by Rev. W. Moore Scott, of Savannah, Ga., who was recently called by the church as pastor, but who could not see his way clear to accept the call.

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50 TOWNS ARE INVITED TO JOIN IN CELEBRATION

Messrs. Wilkes, Orr and Williams, of the 20th of May celebration are as busy as bees today getting things in their separate departments in ship-shape, sending cards and letters to cities and towns within a radius of a hundred or more miles of Charlotte. Letters to 50 towns went out in today's mails, to mayors and fraternal organizations, reading as follows:

The Mecklenburg Declaration Society, Charlotte, North Carolina.

My Dear Sir: On February 18, an invitation was extended you, and through you to your city, to join us in making the coming celebration of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence, on May 20, a great success. At that time the statement was made that at a later date information would be sent as to prizes, railroad rates, etc., and we presume that you have been waiting for this information before indicating your intention with reference to participating in the parade on May 20.

The enclosed pamphlet will give you the necessary information as to prizes, railroad rates, etc., and this is to urge you and your city to be with us on this great occasion, and take part in the parade. A number of cities have already signified their intention to be in the parade, and we earnestly trust that your city can be represented also.

Vice-President Marshall and Governor Craig and his staff will be our guests, to lend dignity to the celebration; and there will be many attractive and entertaining features, drawing huge crowds from nearby states. As an advertising medium, your participating in the parade will be a valuable investment to your city, and we hope that you will take this matter up at once, and advise us as early as possible so that a place may be reserved for you in the parade.

Very truly yours, W. S. ORR, Chairman Parade Committee, Fraternal.

The Mecklenburg Declaration Society, Charlotte, North Carolina.

Dear Sir: A cordial and pressing invitation is extended to you and your organization to co-operate with this Society, in order that the celebration of May 20 will be the success we wish it to be.

There will be an immense parade on the morning of May 20, and this is to ask you to take up with your members at the next meeting the matter of participating in this parade, either as a body in an official regalia, or with an attractively decorated float. The enclosed pamphlet will give you the necessary data as to prizes, etc., for participants in the parade.

The Society has appointed Mr. Harry W. Lewis, of Atlantic City, N. J., official decorator for the celebration, and his representative, Mr. Frank Daniels, is now in the city, and is prepared to submit estimates on floats and other decorations.

In the event your organization decides to participate in the parade, it will be appreciated if you will notify the undersigned as early as possible if they will participate as a body, and if so how many men will take part in the parade. This information is necessary in order that proper provision can be made for them in the parade.

Again urging you and your organization to assist us in making this the greatest celebration Charlotte has ever had, and trusting to hear from you favorably at an early date. I am, Very truly yours, W. S. ORR, Chairman Parade Committee.

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Annual Address to Pres. Hos. Nurses

Rev. W. Moore Scott, of Savannah, Ga., will deliver the address to the graduating class of nurses of the Presbyterian Hospital, May 5. The exercises will be held in the auditorium of Queens College.

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BRIEFS

Addie May Skinner, daughter of Mr. and Miss F. J. Skinner, who was bitten by a dog Monday morning, is being treated by Dr. L. Gibbon, and is doing nicely. The dog by which she was bitten has been examined by Dr. Fisher and found not to have hydrophobia.

The many friends of Mr. W. C. Crosby, who underwent an operation several days ago at the Presbyterian hospital, will be glad to learn that he is recovering from the effects of the operation rapidly and expects to be out before many weeks.

Mr. Lester M. Baker, a prominent young man of Sharon township, underwent an operation for appendicitis yesterday afternoon at the Presbyterian hospital. He is doing well today and it is expected he will recover rapidly.

Those taking part in the "Enchanted Woods" to be given at Tryon Street, M. E. church are requested to meet Saturday afternoon for a rehearsal. The boys are to meet at 3 o'clock and the girls at 4 o'clock promptly.

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Capt. Sid Alexander Also a Candidate For County Commissioner

Capt. S. B. Alexander, of this city, will be a candidate for the board of county commissioners, this announcement being made with his consent by his friends today. This makes the fourth candidate for the city for the place, the others being Messrs. A. M. McDonald, R. Kent Blair, Z. T. Smith; while there are quite a number from the county, including Messrs. McKee and Bradford, who stand for re-election.

Those who are keeping close tab on the political situation, which is every day becoming a topic of increased interest, say that much depends on the meeting at the court house tomorrow, at noon as to whether there will or will not be more candidates for the commission board, and for several other offices as well.

BUCHU FINE FOR WEAK KIDNEYS

We Eat Too Many Sweets, Which Clogs Kidneys, Then Back Hurts and Diabetes Catches You.

Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally, else we have backache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders, scalding and dribbling, dizzy spells, spots before the eyes, frequent desire to urinate, puffy ankles or eye lids, shortness of breath. To avoid above troubles you simply must keep your kidneys active and clean, and the moment you feel any of the above symptoms, get a good sized bottle of Stuart's Buchu and Juniper Compounds from any good drug store, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water after meals. Stop eating sweets or sugar. In a few days and your kidneys will then act fine and natural. Stuart's Buchu and Juniper is harmless to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity. It also neutralizes the acids in the urine so it no longer hurts to pass water, thus ending bladder disorders. Everybody should take Stuart's Buchu and Juniper now and then to keep their kidneys clean and free from clogged matter. Stuart's Buchu and Juniper strengthens the kidneys. Blake Drug Co., Charlotte, C.

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