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A PUBLIC TRIAL.

The Lyceum Has Decided to Invite the Public to Their Trial Next Friday Night—The Rules of Court to be Observed—Impromptu Debate Held.

There was not a good attendance at the Lyceum Friday night, so the trial of the Ex Sergeant-at-Arms, Dr. H. C. Herring, for shooting an old colored man with an old rifle some weeks ago, was laid over until next Friday night. It was decided that the public be invited to attend, quite a number of ladies having expressed their desire to see a trial carried on like the ones held at a regular court. All rules of court will be observed, Attorney Luther Hartsell, acting as judge. Mr. L. D. Duval and Mr. James F. Shinn have been appointed by the chair to prosecute Dr. Herring, while Attorney Stickley, Dr. Fetzer and Mr. Gaston Means will defend him. It is stated that the attorneys for the prosecution, in order to get the evidence correctly, will have the colored man there and will allow him to testify. To those who have never seen a trial, it promises to be very interesting, besides hearing the argument offered by the attorneys and the charge to the jury by His Honor, Judge Hartsell. Sergeant-at-Arms Hurley will have the prisoner in custody, and where the court can well gaze upon the guilty or innocent face. Mr. Jno. M. Cook will very probably perform the duty of empanelling the jury and will collect ten cents from all witnesses, which will defray the expenses of the court for ice water and other little expenses.

At their meeting Friday night they had an impromptu debate on the Woman's Suffrage question.

Mr. F. F. Smith to Marry.

Mr. F. F. Smith, who was in our city some days ago visiting relatives, and whose home is in Salisbury, is to be married on July 20th, so we see from the Salisbury Sun. Mr. Smith will marry Miss Robbie Kyle, at her home at Gadsden, Ala. Mr. Milton S. Brown, of Salisbury, will accompany the to-be groom and will act as best man. After the ceremony the bride and groom leave for Atlantic City and New York, and will make the latter their home for some time.

Mr. Smith is a brother to Mrs. M. L. Brown, of this place, and is known here by some of our people. He was here visiting his sister some days before leaving to be married.

On His Way Home Wounded.

A Rough Rider from the State of New York, who was in the Santiago fight and who was wounded, was on train No. 36 this (Saturday) morning, being taken home. He is shot in his arm and shoulder and bears a wound on the side of his head. One of the balls at least is still in his body. His wounds were of course dressed at once as soon as aid could get to him, and he was at once started home. He had on his brown ducking suit and was muddy from lying on the ground, having been wounded while shooting from the ground.

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AT SANTIAGO.

The Surrender Halted—Spanish Pride Raises a New Issue That Must Be Yielded or Have the Finishing Battle—Twenty-Three New Cases of Yellow Fever and Three Deaths.

The details of the surrender of Gen. Toral's troops at Santiago have been halted and prolonged by the unheard-of demand on the part of the Spaniards to have their arms turned over to them when they are landed in Spain. It is an effort to hold up Spanish pride. Peremptory orders, however, have been sent from Washington and the terms must be accepted at once or the conflict will yet come off. It is not believed, however, that such an event will occur, for Gen. Toral has all the while shown himself a diplomat of the first water in causing delay with the hope of terms as little humiliating as possible. There is little doubt that he will accept the terms which are that the Spaniards are to be fed and at the first opportunity to be landed in Spain.

Twenty-three new cases of yellow fever have been reported among our troops and three deaths. The surgeon in charge says the disease is of a mild type and will readily yield to a change to a higher climate. The necessary delay in disarming and transporting so many troops will keep our troops near and on duty, for several weeks, but it is not like the hardships of being in the trenches and pits with the almost certainty of being picked off at every exposure to view.

Their Jubilee.

The "Julia Magruder Book Club" met with Mrs. Dr. Young for their last meeting and they called it their Jubilee Meeting, for they had their president, Mrs. J. C. Gibson, with them once more, after her long absence, and all the members present but one.

The great event of the day, the drawing for their books, was in order and occasioned much merriment. The club has had five books presented to them by friends and appreciated this compliment most highly. The secretary said she had voted for "Concord" as the name for their club and she was happy to say that this name well described their club, as no ripple of disagreement has disturbed their serenity and they have proved that a club of women can dwell together in peace and concord.

The club adjourned to meet at a call from the President in September.

An Enjoyable Evening.

In honor of Miss Nettie Murray, of Greensboro, who is visiting the Misses Sadie and Grace Fisher, a most enjoyable evening was given to a number of friends by Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Ridenhour at their residence Friday evening. The evening was spent in laughable and joyful conversation. At an appointed hour all were invited to be seated on the lawn at the different tables where refreshments were served. All seemed to enjoy themselves most splendidly and they will all remember that a nice time is in store for them when they are at the hands of Mr. and Mrs. Ridenhour.

PERSONAL POINTER.

—Mr. Walter Scott, of Charlotte, is in the city today.

—Mrs. Dr. Register returned this morning to Charlotte.

—Mr. Jule Reitzler, a young man from Greensboro, is expected in our city tomorrow.

—Jim and Archey Cannon have returned from a stay at Corriher's springs.

—Miss Rosa Mand returned home last night, after visiting in Greensboro.

—Mr. D. W. Snider, who formerly lived at this place, is in our city today from Salisbury.

—Misses Mary and Nora King returned home yesterday evening from Charlotte, where they have been visiting at the home of their grandfather, Mr. R. M. White.

—President Scherer, of Mt. Pleasant, went up to Salisbury this morning. He has been staying at Asheville for the last while. He says the weather is most too disagreeable up there.

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Two Critical Operations.

Mrs. Dr. Burleyson went to Mt. Pleasant today (Saturday) to spend a few days with her friend, Miss Dora Thayer. We feel that congratulations are due the doctor and Mrs. Burleyson for her return with renewed prospects for life and health from the Virginia hospital at Richmond, where Mrs. Burleyson was treated by Dr. Taylor and underwent two surgical operations of very grave and critical type. Mrs. Burleyson is yet only convalescent but we hope ere long she will reap the rich reward of good health from the painful ordeal.

A Reunion at Rocky River.

There will be a reunion of Company H, of the Seventh North Carolina Volunteers, at Rocky River church next Tuesday. There will be a basket dinner given. Hon. J. D. McCall has been selected as orator for the occasion.

The meanest young man has turned up. The other night at the ice-cream supper he took from his pocket a lot of newspaper clippings, containing accounts of all ice-cream poisonings of the season, and read them to his best girl while she was trying to eat a five cent plate of cream.—Monroe Enquirer.

Discounting Danger.

Mother—Did you allow him to put his arms around you when he started to the front?
Daughter—Certainly, ma; when he comes back he mightn't have any arms.—Ex.

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