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AN ERRONEOUS STATEMENT.

No Smallpox Among the Soldiers at Havana—No Quarantine Regulations. Written for The Standard.

Camp Columbia, near Havana, Jan. 13, 1899.—Having seen an item copied from the press dispatches in the home papers, I take it upon myself to contradict the statement that there are any cases of smallpox in our regiment or among the Seventh Army Corps, and the North Carolina regiment is not quarantined from Havana or surrounding territory. There was a supposed case of smallpox in the Indiana regiment, but it was a faked up case, and no quarantine was established. Those who have friends and relatives here need feel no uneasiness on account of the dread pestilence up to the present writing.

There are some cases of smallpox in the southern part of Cuba, but the infected districts are far from where we are located.

Respectfully, etc.,
H P Deaton.

Progressive Hearts They Played.

In the New South Club Monday night a number of ladies were invited to take part with the gentlemen in a game of "Progressive Hearts," which was not only interesting but amusing. Prizes were offered for the gaining of the most hearts and also for the few in number. Of course when it comes to playing with hearts Mr. Chal White is at home and it's his sole delight. Knowing his advantages in this line the best prize was awarded him. Most gracefully, after receiving the honor (?), he bestowed it upon his lady for the evening, Mrs Margaret Cannon. Of the ladies, Miss Mary Montgomery received the best prize. The "booby" was given to Mr. D Frank Cannon, Jr. As souvenirs, nice turquoise hearts were given each one.

Accused of Larceny.

Jno. Knox, a negro, was brought here today (Tuesday) by Deputy Townsend. The warrant accuses him of stealing a coat and vest, which warrant was taken out by "Chimney Jim Coon," who is now in jail. Jno. Knox is also a witness against Jim Coon in a case this coming court. In default of a bondsman for fifty dollars, he was taken to jail to await trial next week.

Miss Ferguson Returns to Camp.

After having a furlough of ten days here with relatives, Miss Annie Ferguson returned to the camp at Albany, Ga., Monday night. Miss Ferguson is an accomplished nurse and is in the army service, belonging to the hospital corps of the second brigade of the first army corps. It is expected that the corps will soon embark for Cuba. Before moving to Albany the corps was stationed in Kentucky.

Attention, Daughters.

It was suggested by the U. D. C. which met in Arkansas that Gen. Lee's birthday, the 19th of January, be observed throughout the States as a time to select officers in the Chapters. In compliance to this request we met at Mrs. J W Cannon's Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock sharp. We will not keep the ladies more than one hour. All please come.

Mrs. D. J. Coltrane, Sec.

TOM DIXON RESIGNS.

says the Independent Church Movement is a Failure.

New York, Jan. 16.—Rev. Thomas Dixon, Jr., who for four years past has been preaching to the People's church, a Christian Union denominational church, whose Sunday meetings have been held at the Academy of Music and the Grand Opera House, read to his congregation yesterday his resignation. Dr. Dixon will continue to preach during this month and February. His resignation will take place on March 1st.

In his letter of resignation Dr. Dixon said that the results of his work had been disappointing; that he had not been able to raise sufficient money to meet expenses, and that he "had been disillusioned as to the idea of organic Christian Union." He has determined, therefore, to resume his position in the regular Baptist ministry.

"During the past four years," Dr. Dixon's letter reads, "everything I have said as pastor of the People's church I could have said in a Baptist pulpit with equal propriety and greater force."

The Supposed Thief Captured.

Chief Boger this morning captured Pinkney Makeupson, a negro, who is thought to be the person who broke into Ed Louins' store late Saturday night. This is the negro whom Ed Louins thought did it, but did not know that he was in town until a short time before he was arrested. On account of not having the witnesses present the negro was taken to jail about noon. When Chief went to put the negro in his cell at the jail he noticed nearly a pint of whiskey in his pocket. The negro promised faithfully that he would not drink it, but this afternoon when Chief went to bring him down to trial the whiskey was in the fellow's stomach instead of in the bottle, but preparations were being made for his trial as we go to press.

Last But Not Necessarily Least.

Mr. Kato is not going to leave today as he had decided. He will speak at Trinity Reformed church tomorrow night at 7 o'clock. His subject will be, "The Customs of Japan." Mr. Kato has not spoken on this subject in Concord before. He claims it is of great interest to both old and young. All are cordially invited to attend.

Rev. J N Faust, Pastor.

Will Not Make the Change.

As all bills for the Legislature were to be presented before the 15th of this month and as the advertisement of the change did not appear in time, no application for a charter of the Odell Manufacturing Co. will be made at this meeting of the Legislature. The object of this application was only to change the date of the annual meeting of stockholders as the present date conflicts with several others.

Against Polygamy.

In the House of Representatives Monday a resolution was offered and referred to committee on Federal relations, urging our Congressmen to use every effort to prevent Roberts, of Utah, from occupying his seat in Congress, and asking that a law be passed prohibiting hereafter any polygamist in the Congress of the United States.

PERSONAL POINTERS.

—Mr. Robt. Craige, of Gastonia, is here today.

—Mes. rs. Geo. and Emmitt Fisher were here last night.

—Rev. J. R. Brooks returned to Salisbury this morning.

—Postmaster Patterson returned home from Charlotte this morning after spending several days.

—Mrs. H L Parks left this morning for Charlotte to visit her sister, Mrs. F S Stephens.

—Jno. Smith, the groceryman, returned this morning from Montgomery county.

—Mr. F A Yates returned home last night from a business trip to northern cities.

—Miss May Oates, of Charlotte, arrived here last night to spend several days with Miss Margaret Cannon.

—Mr. Jesse Hamilton came home this morning from Charlotte. He had not intended to go to Asheville until the first of the month, but will leave on the early train tomorrow morning to take charge of his new position there. This will be Jesse's last trip here for awhile.

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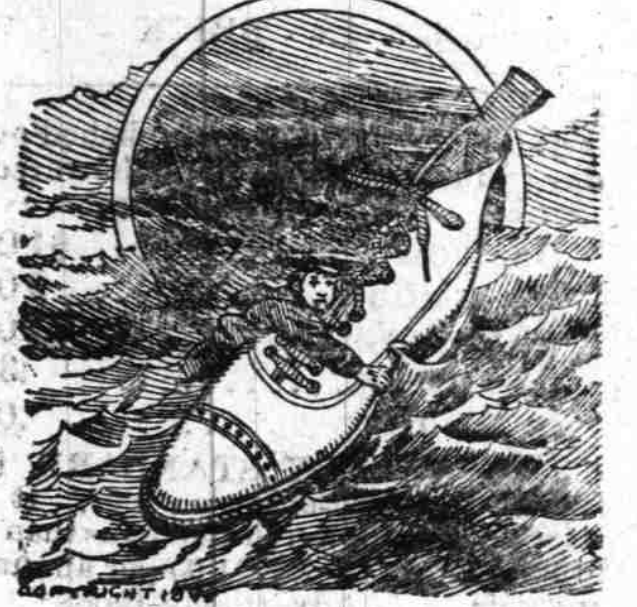
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They are just the shoes for the mud and slush, and price is only \$2 00.

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