

LOCAL AND OTHERWISE.

The condition of Mrs. J. W. Roberts, who is confined to her home on Ann street, is much improved today.

No new cases of disease of any kind were reported to the county health department Tuesday, according to a department report.

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Nine cases were on docket for trial in recorder's court this morning. Stealing, intoxication, having liquor, disposing of mortgaged property, seduction and gambling were among the charges lodged against the nine persons tried.

The condition of Mrs. Mollie Elliott, has been ill for several weeks, is reported as practically unchanged. Mrs. Elliott suffered a relapse one day last week, but she recovered and since then has been holding her own.

Members of the Concord Possum Hunters' Club had another fine hunt Tuesday night. The members of the club visited No. 10 township on this hunt and there they bagged seven fine possums. This is the largest number caught by the club on any single hunt this year.

The condition of Miss Virginia Dayvanti, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dayvanti, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Concord Hospital Monday, is reported today as very favorable. The operation was very successful, it was stated by members of her family.

Mr. M. S. Varner is again able to be on the street, after being confined to his home for the past week on account of injuries he is said to have sustained when he was struck by an automobile last Monday. He suffered a number of serious bruises and some cuts, but no bones were broken, he stated.

The funeral of Mr. Edward Plaster, prominent farmer of No. 4 township, was held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at St. Enoch Church. Mr. Plaster died Sunday afternoon in the Concord Hospital following a long illness with cancer. The service today were attended by many friends of the deceased.

The November meeting of the board of aldermen will be held at the city hall on Thursday night of this week. So far as is known no routine business of unusual importance will come before the board members, but several requests concerning various matters are expected to be presented during the meeting.

The colored teachers of the county schools will hold their first meeting of the present scholastic year at the court house here Saturday, November 3rd, at 10:30 a. m. Prof. J. B. Robertson, superintendent of the county schools, will meet with the teachers and outline with them plans and policies for the year's work.

Relatives here of Mrs. Dr. H. N. Wells of Murphy, have been advised that she has been ill for several months with a lingering disease. Mrs. Wells is a daughter of the late Mr. "Sandy" Smith, being before marriage Miss Laura Smith. She is a sister of Misses Kate and Jennie Smith and Mr. Q. E. Smith, of Concord.

One case of diphtheria was the only case of disease of any kind reported to the county health department Monday, according to a department report. Members of the department within the past several days have been conferring with parents whose children have been examined in the Kannapolis school and who need medical attention.

The Southern Railway Company continues to unload material for the underpass to be built on the Concord-Kannapolis road. The first load of material was unloaded several weeks ago and since then other materials have been placed on the ground. Actual work on the underpass has not yet begun, however, and it is not known just when the work will be started.

"Nick" Sappenfield, of this city, is to be one of the regular quarterbacks of the Davidson football team, according to a news story from Davidson. Sappenfield has played in several varsity games this year and he is being groomed to succeed Hendrix and Shepherd when they are called upon to do other work on the team. Concord friends of "Nick" are watching his work with keen interest.

Every male member of the Concord Y. M. C. A. is invited to attend the big banquet and get-together meeting to be held at the Y tomorrow night. A fine supper will be served and there will be an address by Dr. Howard E. Rondthaler, of Salem College. Mr. H. W. Blanks, new secretary of the Y, will be present at the meeting, which promises to be one of the most interesting ever held at the association.

Nineteen defendants were tried in recorder's court here Monday and from them fines and costs totalling \$243.15 were collected. In addition to this sum several of the defendants were unable to pay their fines and costs assessed against them and will have to serve a term on the chain gang. Intoxication, gambling, speeding, having liquor and assault were among the charges lodged against the 19 persons tried.

The mills of the county were standing again yesterday under the curtailment orders of the Southern Power Company. The mills of this county were asked to stand each Wednesday until the power situation improves. The power shortage is due to lack of water in the power company's dam at Bridgewater. The water in the dams are very low, Concord people who have been to Bridgewater recently, report.

Cabarrus farmers who are members of the Cotton Growers Co-operative Association are now receiving their final payments for the 1922 crop, one official of the association stated this morning. At a meeting at the court house Saturday the final settlement plan was outlined and checks to cover final payments are being mailed to the members this week from the association's headquarters in Raleigh.

Dr. Mosher, of the University of North Carolina, is conducting an Extension class at Central School. This class meets for one hour every Wednesday afternoon at 8:30 o'clock. The subject being given is Educational Sociology and will give full University credit on graduate or undergraduate work. The class is open to the citizens of Concord. They held their first meeting this afternoon with fourteen present.

The many friends here of Rev. T. W.

Smith will learn with interest that he is rapidly recovering from an operation which was recently performed in an Atlanta Hospital. A message received Monday from Mrs. J. D. Hatchett, daughter of Mr. Smith, stated that the condition of her father was very favorable. Mail address to Mr. Smith at Room 120, St. Annis Hall, St. Joseph's Infirmary, Atlanta, Ga., will reach him.

Spooks, ghosts and goblins were visible in every part of Concord Tuesday night as youngsters celebrated Halloween. Persons of nervous dispositions would have found "hard sailing" had they ventured out during the night for it was impossible to walk or ride on any street without meeting a sheeted goblin or a hooded ghost. Halloween is always an occasion of pleasure to the youngsters and they enjoyed the event to the fullest Tuesday night.

Horse races will be a feature of the Colored People's Fair which will be held next week. Several prominent negroes of the State own race horses and they have entered them in the races to be staged here next week. Free gets, rides, shows and other forms of amusements will also be offered during the fair which will begin Tuesday and continue through Friday. The Cabarrus County Fair Association will have general supervision over the fair.

Officials of the Cabarrus County Fair Association, which will have general supervision over the Colored People's Fair to be held next week, stated this morning that while people will not be able to secure concession rights at the grounds next week, "it is to be the colored people's fair," the official stated, "and they should be given the right to sell things at their fair." This announcement was made in view of the fact that a number of white people wanted to conduct stands during the colored fair.

Members of Calvary Lutheran Church on Tuesday purchased the Stillier home place on Buffalo Street and they plan to use the house as a parsonage. After purchasing the property the congregation voted to repair the house and make it as modern as possible. Work on Tuesday moved the house back from the street and other workmen today began remodeling the structure, the work to be rushed to completion, Rev. M. L. Kester is pastor of the church and he and his family will occupy the house when the changes have been made.

Persons living in the eleven rural townships of the county have two more Saturdays for registration in the special school tax election. The books can be found each Saturday at the regular voting place in each precinct in the county. The election will be held on November 20th to determine whether or not the people of the county want to provide a system of modern high schools for their children. Persons who register and do not vote will be voting against the tax, as all registrations count against the election unless the person registering votes in favor of the measure.

ASKS PERMISSION TO RETURN TO GERMANY
Request Made to the Dutch Government by Former Crown Prince, Now in Holland.

Doorn, Holland, Oct. 31.—Former Crown Prince Frederick Wilhelm of Prussia, it is learned authoritatively, has asked permission of the Dutch government to return to Germany. Holland does not object, but would not allow the prince to return again to his country. According to reliable sources, Frederick Wilhelm has conferred with the German minister at The Hague in regard to his return.

Nutrition Work.
Reports of school inspectors, welfare workers, and other social agencies in the field, have shown that one in every three children in the country is undernourished. In many instances the ratio runs as high as eighty percent. This condition, due to a fundamental lack of knowledge of food and its uses, and the body and its functions, exists among both rich and poor.

To remedy this condition, which is capable of developing serious mental and physical defects in the coming generation, the American Red Cross has instituted classes in Nutrition, with the object of teaching mothers and children the principles of correct feeding and wise buying.

Mr. P. LaDuke, Farmer, Says, "You Bet Rats Can Bite Through Metal."
"I had feed bins lined with zinc last year, rats got through pretty soon. Was out \$18. A \$1.25 pkg. of RAT-SNAP killed so many rats that I've never been without it since. Our collie dog never touched RAT-SNAP." You try it. Three sizes, 35c, 65c, \$1.25 Sold and guaranteed by Ritchie Hardware Co., Cline's Pharmacy.

Bethel Quarterly Conference.
The first quarterly conference for Bethel charge, M. E. Church, South, in lower No. 10 township, will be held Sunday, November 4th. Presiding Elder J. B. Craven will preach at 11 o'clock and will conduct the business session immediately after.

This church was made a station at the last session of the Conference, Love's Chapel, Oakboro and Providence going to the Albemarle circuit.

The new building is nearing completion. The congregation expects to be using the auditorium before Christmas.

Joe, Walton Says, "I'll Never Forget When Father's Hogs Got Cholera."
"One morning he found 20 hogs dead and several sick. He called in the Vet. who after dissecting a rat caught on the premises, decided that the rodents had conveyed germs. Since then I am never without RAT-SNAP. It's the surest, quickest rat destroyer I know." Three sizes, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by Ritchie Hardware Co., Cline's Pharmacy.

Rough On the Sheik.
Sheik—"Do you think I shall live until I'm ninety, doctor?"
Doctor—"How old are you now?"
Sheik—"Forty, but don't let the girls know."
Doctor—"Do you drink, smoke, gamble or have you vices of any kind?"
Sheik—"No, indeed."
Doctor—"Well, good heaven, what do you want to live another fifty years for?"
Jim—"Ever seen one of those machines that can tell when a person is lying?"
John—"Seen one? Lord, I married one!"

MABERY RESIGNS AS SHERIFF OF COUNTY; CALDWELL IS NAMED

Mr. Mabery Sent in Resignation to County Commissioners Who at Meeting Held Monday Chose Successor.

NEW SHERIFF WAS DEPUTY

Mr. Mabery Declared in Resignation That He Could Not Keep Place at Salary County is Paying at Present.

The resignation of Sheriff W. P. Mabery, which was presented to the County Commissioners several days ago, was accepted by the board at a special meeting held at the court house Monday afternoon. Deputy Sheriff R. V. Caldwell, Jr., was appointed by the commissioners to serve the unexpired term of Mr. Mabery.

In presenting his resignation to the commissioners Mr. Mabery declared that he could not serve as sheriff of this county on the salary of \$3,500 which was provided in an act passed by the 1921 session of the General Assembly. The board members were unable to raise the salary, they pointed out, since the sum was stipulated by the legislative act.

The act was passed in accordance with the definite and specific instruction of the County Democratic Convention of 1920. It was passed at the 1921 session of the Legislature following, but on account of the fact that an error was made in its publication, the 1923 session of the Legislature simply re-enacted it to conform to its passage in 1921, and to conform to the expressed unanimous wish of the Democrats of the county assembled in convention.

Mr. Mabery declared that in addition to the salary cut his fees were cut also by an act of the last Assembly which directed that certain State taxes which formerly were collected by the sheriff on the commission basis, be paid now directly to the State.

Mr. Caldwell will take the sheriff's oath on Friday. He stated this morning that he had not yet selected his deputy.

Two written applications for the sheriff's position were presented to the board, it was stated. One was from W. H. Fowler and the other from C. A. Robinson. It was also stated that the name of Sam Black was also mentioned in connection with finding a successor of Mr. Mabery, although Mr. Black did not present a formal application.

The successor of Mr. Mabery was chosen after the board had been in session for several hours. An executive session was held first and later a public session was held, and at this session Mr. Caldwell was appointed.

Mr. Mabery declared this morning that the acceptance of his resignation automatically ended his service as sheriff. As Mr. Caldwell will not take the oath until Friday, Coroner Joe A. Hartsell will be serving as chief officer of the county. Mr. Caldwell will continue to serve as deputy until Friday, and he is carrying out all necessary work in the sheriff's office.

A. S. BROWER CONNECTED WITH STATE COLLEGE NOW

Leaves Department of Education After Eleven Years' Service.—Express Regret at Change.

A. S. Brower, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Brower, of this city, for eleven years with the State Department of Education, has resigned the place to become connected with State College as manager of the department of business administration in that institution. The change will become effective November 1st.

One Raleigh newspaper man writing to his paper, declared "Mr. Brower has added greatly to his reputation within the last two or three years by his work in the division of finances and certification. Everybody connected with the department regrets exceedingly to see him sever his connection."

At a meeting of the State Board of Education Monday C. D. Douglas, who has been with the division of finance for several years, was elected director of finance to succeed Mr. Brower. The board also elected James E. Hilman as director of certification. Mr. Hilman has been with the department since September 1st as director of teacher training.

WAR AGAINST PRACTICE OF TRANSPROUSING GLANDS

Might Eventually Change Men Back Into Monkeys.

Beunos Aires, Oct. 29.—The practice of monkey gland operations, should it be extended and carried down the generations, may change man back into the monkey from which he evolved, warns Professor Clement Onelli, director of the Beunos Aires Zoological Garden, in an article published in the bulletin of the Sarmiento Society for the Protection of Animals. Moreover, removing these glands from monkeys is cruelty to animals.

Professor Onelli appeals to the local city to call an international congress of organizations for the protection of animals not only to take steps to stop "this new form of scientific cruelty," but "to avoid the alteration of the natural laws of human society with its consequent danger to modern civilization."

"In the desire to postpone as long as possible the decrepitude of age," Professor Onelli writes, "the time may come when the substitution of the secretions of such inferior animals as monkeys will become more widely practiced, and so many monkey-men produced that, after a few generations, the characteristics of the human species would show variations. The foreboding might become a fact, and should the scientists succeed in combining the chimpanzee, for substitution in man, a genus of satyr might result."

AMERICAN DRY PLAN PRESENTED TO BRITISH

Terms for Basis for Anglo-American Treaty to Cope With Rum Running Discussed.

London Oct. 31. (By the Associated Press).—The final terms which will form the basis for an Anglo-American treaty to cope with rum running along the American coast were formally presented to the Imperial Conference by Lord Curzon, the foreign secretary, this afternoon. Ambassador Harvey and Lord Curzon agreed to the terms at an hour's conference in the foreign office yesterday. The terms laid before the conference were:

First, the United States authorities will have the right to search any British ship within the 12-mile limit suspected of carrying liquor for smuggling purposes.

Second, the United States will formally affirm by treaty the principle of the three-mile limit for territorial waters.

Third, British ships will have a right to carry liquor under seal into territorial waters of the United States.

MILL HERE RUNNING ON CURTAILED SCHEDULE

Gibson Manufacturing Company Will Run But Four Days a Week Until Business Conditions Improve.

The Gibson Manufacturing Company, member of the Cannon chain of mills, is now running on a four-day-a-week schedule, it was announced Monday by one of its officials. The new schedule was made effective this week and will be continued until there is an increase in business, the official stated.

COLDS STOP QUICK.

Breaks up a cold in six hours; nothing gives quicker relief in coughs and colds than Hyomei. Goes right to the spot and kills the germs. Money back if it fails. Gibson Drug Store.—Advertisement.

John Trank Henpeck and a friend had been out all night indulging in a small sized poker game. With considerable trepidation, just as the day was dawning, Henpeck, his arms entwined in the other's for moral support, turned the corner of the street on which he lived, to see flames issuing from a window in his home. From an adjacent window a woman was crying hysterically and screaming for help.

"What!" exclaimed Henpeck. "Is that my wife?"

"Now don't get alarmed," his friend consoled him, "She ain't saved yet."

A Rat That Didn't Smell After Being Dead For 3 Months.

"I swear it was dead at least 3 months," said James Sykes, butcher, Westfield, N. J. "We saw this rat every day. Put a cake of RAT-SNAP behind a barrel. Months later my wife asked about the rats. Remembered the barrel, looked behind it. There was the rat—dead, not the slightest odor." Three sizes, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by Ritchie Hardware Company and Cline's Pharmacy.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

Senior Hi-Y Club Organized—Class Basketball—Dinner Tonight.

The Senior Hi-Y Club of Concord held its second regular meeting at the Y last night. Definite plans and resolutions for the year's work were discussed, and the following officers were elected: President Walter Sullivan, Vice President Clarence Ridenhour, Secretary Walter Brown, Treasurer Fred Helms. The club will be under the leadership of Mr. Wallace Moore, who is a member of the faculty, and athletic director in the local high school. Mr. Moore is an experienced worker with Older Boys. The Hi-Y Club is a branch of the Y. M. C. A., and not a part of the school; but, like the school, it deals with high school boys.

It is planned to stage a class basketball tournament for high school boys next week, although the schedule has not been arranged yet.

The first Annual Membership meeting dinner will be held at the Y. M. C. A. on Thursday evening at 6:30. Dr. H. E. Rondthaler will be the main speaker of the evening.

It is planned to start showing pictures at the Y at an early date.

Mr. H. W. Blanks, the new General Secretary, arrived in the city this morning. Mr. Blanks made the trip from Columbia, La., in his car.

Seeks Possession of 2,000 Acres of Land. Greensboro, Oct. 29.—Suit of Herman Bourbanis, of Detroit, Mich., against the town of Morganton, reached United States District Court here this afternoon, being transferred from Burke county superior court, the action is one seeking to recover the possession of something over two thousand acres of land and to collect damages from the town for trespass.

The land in question was taken by the town under condemnation proceedings, it is said, in acquiring water sources. It is situated on South Fork River, 12 miles from Morganton, and was seized by the town in August, 1922, evidently under the "eminent domain" right. The suit was transferred here because Bourbanis is a citizen of Michigan.

Rastus: "Yo' done said yo' could lick me?"

Jaspér: "Umhum, I sho' did; want to see me demonstrate?"

Rastus: "No, indeed; I see just gathering statistics."

TIME TO ACT

Don't Wait For the Fatal Stages of Kidney Illness.—Profit by Concord People's Experiences.

Occasionally attacks of backache, irregular urination, headaches and dizzy spells are frequent symptoms of kidney disorders. It's an error to neglect these ills. The attacks may pass off for a time but generally return with greater intensity. Don't delay a minute. Begin taking Doan's Kidney Pills, and keep up their use until the desired results are obtained. Good work in Concord proves the effectiveness of this great kidney remedy.

Ask your neighbor. Mrs. M. M. Gillon, 43 Bell Ave., Concord, says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and found them a good remedy. My kidneys were out of order and I felt dull and run down. The action of my kidneys was irregular and my back became lame and weak. I used Doan's Kidney Pills as directed and they helped me by regulating my kidneys and relieving all signs of kidney trouble."

Price 60c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Gillon had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Frequent Headaches

"I suffered with chronic constipation that would bring on very severe headaches," says Mrs. Stephen H. Kincer, of R. F. D. 1, Cripple Creek, Va. "I tried different medicines and did not get relief. The headaches became very frequent."

Thedford's BLACK-DRAUGHT

and took it for a headache, and the relief was very quick, and it was so long before I had another headache. Now I just keep the Black-Draught, and don't let myself get in that condition."

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COTTON MANUFACTURERS MEETING IN BOSTON

Meeting Is Held in Connection With Textile Exposition.—President Amory Presiding.

Boston, Oct. 31.—The National Association of Cotton Manufacturers opened its semi-annual meeting today in connection with the textile exposition in progress in Mechanics building. President Robert Amory presided. H. C. Meserve reported that the research department of the association had been actively co-operating with the Federal Bureau of Standards in its work on dyes and fabrics, and with the division of simplified practice in its work on the elimination of unnecessary variety of sizes. Industrial relations committee reported it was working to help the members of the Association to put the question of employes relations on a workable, practicable basis. The committee on rates and transportation urged that the members make clear to the railroads the necessity of prompt shipment on lint cotton from the South to the northern mills, and said the railroads of the southwest had assisted by opening up additional water routes for cotton shipments.

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BLAIR'S INCOME TAX REPORT


Eleven Persons in State Pay Tax on Annual Income of One Hundred Thousand.

Washington, Oct. 31.—Eleven persons in North Carolina received more than one hundred thousand dollars each in the calendar year 1922. (Compiled from Internal Revenue Blair's report in a report made on statistics of the tax.)

The greatest number of taxable incomes in one class was for persons getting from two to three thousand a year, the total being 15,522,000. Those getting from one thousand to nine thousand were 9,887 were taxable. Eight and one-half million more than \$100,000 and up to two hundred thousand.

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The Best for Small Grain

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For 15 days yet now that you have a fine, moist seed bed, is your main chance to sow seed.

Sow Hairy Vetch with your oats.

Sow Red Clover, Sapling Clover and Alsike Clover with your oats, wheat or rye.

Sow Fresh Crimson Clover, Rye, or Vetch for a crop to turn under for corn or cotton, in the spring.

Sow Orchard Grass, Timothy and Red Top for Permanent pasture, or for hay.

The very best time to sow all these, and we now have a fine lot of all the above named seeds. We sell seed to Mecklenburg, Rowan, Stanly and Cabarrus Counties. Our Seed Grow.

Cline & Moose