

AGAINST BROUGHTON Election Committee Reports Favoring Young.

AN APPROPRIATION

Of \$10,000 for the Tennessee Centennial Asked for—Bill to Add Orange and Durham Counties to the 4th Congressional District.

The House met at 10:10 and representative Green offered prayer. The committee on privileges and elections submitted majority and minority reports in the case of Broughton against Young, from Wake. The majority report favors Young, colored, the sitting member.

Among the bills and resolutions introduced were the following: By Alexander (resolution) appropriating \$1,000 towards the erection of a statue of George Peabody in statutory hall in the capitol at Washington. By Lusk (resolution) to allow Miss Helen Foust Lewis the use of the house for a lecture on woman's suffrage.

Lusk's bill regarding the Tennessee exposition provides that for the purpose of making an exhibit there a board of managers is created, composed of the governor, the board of agriculture and nine other citizens selected by the governor; the board of agriculture is authorized to make an exhibit, and to use for this purpose any funds it may have on hand or to its credit in the treasury; and to further carry out the provisions of this act the sum of \$10,000 be appropriated out of any funds in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Looking to the reduction of salaries and fees so as to conform to the price of farm products. This bill called for a committee of 5 to look into the salaries and fees of officers, so as to reduce them; passed.

To prevent any person from renting, leasing or providing any place of habitation for any married woman, not living with her husband; tabled.

To amend Sec. 2015 and 2016 of Code, relating to roads; passed.

To incorporate the bank of Greenville; passed.

To prevent the delay of the trial of criminal actions; tabled.

To amend Sec. 2551 Public School Laws; tabled.

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Need introduced a bill to so amend the law regarding tramps and vagrants, as to remove jurisdiction from the superior court to the magistrates' court.

Lusk's resolution granting Miss Lewis the use of the hall for a lecture was adopted. Lusk declared Miss Lewis was "as eloquent as Demosthenes and as beautiful as Venus." The date of her lecture is Feb. 11.

Bill to change the name of Carolina Mutual fire insurance company to Piedmont fire insurance company, doing away with mutual feature and increasing capital stock to \$100,000, passed its final reading.

3.30 p. m. Monday. SENATE.

The senate met at 10:30 o'clock, Lieut-Gov. Reynolds, presiding; prayer by Rev. Mr. Ashburn of the senate.

Bills and resolutions were introduced as follows: By McCaskay, a bill to prescribe the terms in which foreign railroads shall operate in North Carolina; by Grant, a bill to regulate the sale of liquor, and to establish a dispensary in Wayne county; by Moye, a bill to incorporate the Tar River and Carolina railroad; by Alexander, a bill to prevent the manufacture and sale of liquor in 3 miles of Bethel church in Mecklenburg county; by Parker, a bill to increase the public school fund; by Early, a bill to incorporate Wellington and Powellton railroad; by Uley, a bill to pay Lula Long for teaching public school in Wake county.

The morning hour having expired, the special order that came over from yesterday (Friday) was taken up. This is the bill introduced by Mr. Atwater, relating to the boundary Alamance and Chatham counties. On motion of Parker, of Alamance, this matter was postponed, and made special order for next Tuesday, February 2nd, immediately after the morning hour. That the engrossing and enrolling clerks be instructed to keep their work up, so as to prevent fraud or the possibility of the loss of bills, and so that at the end of the session there will not be such accumulation of bills on hand—passed.

To pay James Whitaker \$5 for work done in House of Representatives, passed.

To provide a clerk for the judiciary committee.

To provide for the drawing of seats in the General Assembly, the same as is done now in the House of Representatives in Congress; tabled.

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DAVID H. KING DEAD.

End Came Suddenly this Morning—He was one of the Best of Fellows.

The announcement of the death of Mr. David H. King, which occurred this morning at 11:40, will carry sadness to many hearts. Mr. King had been ill only a few days, having been stricken with a severe case of pneumonia. It was known that his condition was extremely critical, but his death this morning was entirely unexpected. Dr. Royster, the attending physician, was in the room when the end came. Death resulted from the clotting of a blood vessel near the heart. The end was very sudden.

David H. King was born in Person county forty-five years ago. When a young man he came to Raleigh and has since identified himself with the city, except for a brief period when he represented a Baltimore house as travelling salesman. For years he was connected with the A. Creech dry goods store. During the past four years he has been in the employ of the Seaboard Air Line as collector. The representative from Granville county, in the house of representatives, is a brother of Mr. King's. He also leaves sisters, who reside in Granville county.

TO SEDUCE MAJORITY.

Minority Populists to Offer Them Offices No as to Break Sister's Game.

The fact is developed that Speaker Hileman and Representative Whitener and Person have not attended a meeting of the Populist majority caucus since the resolutions expelling and denouncing the bolters as traitors were adopted. There have been a dozen meetings since then, but neither of the above named representatives have been present. It is stated that they became incensed because of the action taken and that they will not return until it is modified.

The Passes: Various printed interviews at the time from all three members, in which they expressed their disapproval of the expulsion of the bolters. Republicans allege that Hileman, Whitener and Person will act with the minority populists. None of the suspects will commit themselves.

ORANGE GROVES SAFE.

Temperature in Florida Nearly as Low as Two Years Ago.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Jan. 29.—The cold last night throughout Northern Florida was the most intense since February, 1895. Across the northern counties, from Jacksonville to Pensacola, the thermometer ranged generally from 20 to 24 degrees, going here and there as low as 17. Frost in lesser degree was felt as far south as Titusville. On the east coast, and Tampa, on the west. At Palm Beach 45 was the minimum.

Reports from the districts devoted to the orange culture indicate that, except in the most exposed situations, little injury has been done. In some instances the groves will lose part of their foliage or the latest shoots. Not sufficient asp was in the wood to cause material damage. The losses of the truck farmers in the Gainesville district will be more severe. A considerable percentage of the growing lettuce, beets and cabbage has been killed, but no close estimate can yet be formed.

THE STATE GETS NEARLY NINE PER CENT.

A gentleman in discussing the agitation of the North Carolina railroad lease question in the legislature called attention today to the fact that under the lease the state will receive within a fraction of nine per cent. on all the North Carolina railroad bonds outstanding. This will be the six per cent. interest under the terms of the lease and the taxes, which are saved to the state and which increase the per cent. of interest to about 8 1/2 per cent. In this connection it was remarked that there is not an intelligent business man in the country who would not be glad to put capital or property out at such a per cent. of interest, and the question was also raised as to why the state should have any greater right than its private citizens to charge more than the legal rate of 6 per cent. That law was enacted to prevent usury. Why should the state practice usury while carrying on its state books a law prohibiting its private citizens from doing so.

THE HOME VEGETABLE GARDEN AND ITS PESTS.

The experiment station is now issuing a bulletin by the title of Home vegetable garden and its pests which, as its name indicates, is a treatise for raising vegetables in the home garden, and was prepared by W. F. Massey, Horticulturist of the station, and Gerald McCarthy, Botanist and Entomologist. The fungus and insect diseases are carefully treated by the latter and a variety of formulas are given to destroy these pests. The different crops are discussed. It is believed that this publication is the most practical of any ever issued upon this subject by any station, especially to meet conditions in the south. It will be sent free to parties in North Carolina who apply for it to Dr. H. B. Battle, director. Every home, especially if any land be convenient, should have a succession of vegetables for the table. A study of the above bulletin will enable any one to have the advantage of these healthful additions to food for the table, and doubtless able to dispose of the surplus for cash.

JUDGE GOPY DECLINES.

Will Not Accept the Attorney Generalship.

PLATT COMES SOUTH

Will Spend a Month—Chairman Lexow Fixing to Give the Trusts of New York a Regular Police Surprise.

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor. WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Judge Nathan Goff, of West Virginia, has declined the post office of attorney general. His friends are somewhat disappointed.

New York, Jan. 30.—Senator-elect Platt left for Jacksonville, Fla., today for a month on his private car.

New York, Jan. 20.—Chairman Lexow, of the joint trust investigating committee, is here looking for suitable quarters to begin the examinations. Lawyers have not been employed by the chairman. They will do most of the examining.

A RALEIGH MAN'S ROMANTIC MARRIAGE.

The Kittrell correspondent of the Oxford Ledger says: "A romantic marriage was successfully tied in Kittrell on Tuesday morning of last week. Mr. John Mike Burrows, of Raleigh, having appeared very early. He came on the 9:30 train the night before and to his most intimate friends here he made known the intentions and arrangements of his unexpected visit. Arrangements were soon made by which the necessary papers could be had from Henderson in time. His girl was on board the southbound train from Norfolk, Va., to Louisville, the home of her parents. She had been in Norfolk two or three weeks visiting her uncle and had written her parents that she would be home during the week and also arrangements were made that they might meet some where on the way and be married. Mr. Mike Burrows boarded the 12:44 train and met her on the 2:17 mail, and he then returned with her to Kittrell. All efforts were made to keep it a secret but when they returned everybody knew something was up and the news traveled like fire in the wind. The bride elect was taken to a private inn, where she rested and made preparations for the marriage at 5 p. m., at which time the couple accompanied by their friends marched to the M. E. church parsonage where they were united by the Rev. Kenneth Holmes. The bride and groom spent the night in Kittrell and returned to Raleigh the next morning, where they will make their future home."

THE ROCK QUARRY ROAD

Is Being Transformed by Supervisor McMackin—A Bad Hill Graded.

The road gang is taking a rest. Their vacation comes only when the weather is bad, and it is just likely that the men who do such excellent work on Raleigh township roads are always hoping for a snow storm. Mr. McMackin has had the force at work on the Rock-quarry road for some weeks. This road was one of the worst in the county, being in an awful bad condition; but the excellent Supervisor of Roads has made so many changes in the former narrow, hilly old trail that old acquaintance would not recognize it. A full half mile has been macadamized recently and the road force is completing the grading. When they quit work a few days since, they were near Mr. W. T. Howle's place. The hill this side of Mr. Howle's place had the reputation of being the worst in the county. It was more nearly perpendicular than horizontal and very narrow. Mr. McMackin has graded the hill and widened it. The rock quarry road was very narrow, being only ten feet in width in some places. It is being widened wherever the road force is at work with an average width of 35 feet.

A CARD.

To each of the ladies and gentlemen, Orchestra, Knights Templar Governor's Guards, A. & M. College Cadets and the press of the city, we extend our sincere thanks for their very kind assistance, in presenting "The Scottish Reformation" and the public for generous patronage. Mrs. T. C. HARRIS, "O. G. LATTI," "L. B. PHOENIX," "A. B. ANDREWS," "W. T. TUCKER," "MISS MATTIE H. BAILEY," Committee.

ODD FELLOWS' COLUMN.

Work in the Chain Gang Throughout the State.

The brethren of the city are busy looking after the sick members. Among these are many from a distance who are the special care of our brotherhood.

The "beavers" are at work during this bad spell of weather. Grand Secretary Woodell organizing at Randleman, while Grand Representative Lumsden is tonight doing the same work in Rutherford county. These brethren believe in dividing "a good thing" with others.

Rev. J. L. Burns, whose sickness is much regretted, and whose case is in the hands of Capital Lodge, is earnestly hoped he may soon recover.

The body of our late Brother Arow Smith, who died in this city away from family, but not away from friends, was sent by express to Trenton, N. J., last Monday. May the Father of all men smile graciously upon his dear wife and children.

The handsome main structure of the Odd Fellows' Orphanage at Goldsboro is now about complete. The brethren of this jurisdiction are highly pleased with it and are loud in their praises toward the contractors, Messrs. Zachary and Zachary, of our city.

Brother Moretz, of Bald Mountain Lodge, this State, has lately gone through the trying ordeal of having an eye removed. We are glad to say that under the competent management of our Drs. Lewis and Battle and the attendants at Rex Hospital, he passed safely through and is doing well.

Why should not the Encampments of our city move for a canton? This military feature would, we think, prove very interesting to our younger members and to many of the older ones for that matter. Brethren, what say you?

Grand Patriarch Williams of Elizabeth City will be petitioned to consolidate the two Encampments of our city, McKee No. 15, and Litchford No. 26. Both names are too good to drop from North Carolina O. F. Fellowship, and the consolidated Encampment will in all probability be hailed "Litchford McKee."

There is one "grip" which the members do not wish introduced at this time in the order, which of course is "la grippe." But if it should be, why they would have to respond.

There will be matters of importance coming before the Grand Lodge at its next session in May. One of which will be a constitutional amendment, which, if adopted, will give every Past Grand in the jurisdiction a vote in the election of Grand Officers. Many of our jurisdictions have already adopted this course.

Charlotte will be honored with the next Grand Lodge, and the two Lodges of that stirring city seem to appreciate the compliment. No city in the State has more enthusiastic Odd Fellows than Charlotte and the members of the Grand Lodge expect to see the order alive and moving rapidly ahead when the time for the gathering comes. The new Lodge has grown beyond all reasonable expectations.

SECRET SOCIETIES.

It has been a matter of comment and in some instances of unjust criticisms that the order of Odd Fellows and similar organizations are "Secret Societies." While in a certain sense the I. O. F., is a secret order in some respects, yet the secret position is certainly its smallest part. Being able to guard the order against imposters and to gain recognition and relief for its worthy members is about the extent of its secrecy. This should afford no reasonable grounds for harsh criticism. There is never a meeting held, but that with the surest feelings of the approval of the very best people, the doors might be thrown open to the world. So before urging this idea of secrecy, as being against the order, it is but just to find out to what extent and for what purposes the secrecy exists. We venture to say that no family, or business corporation, is without its secrets. And as far as the secrets of business corporations are concerned, they are ten, if not always, for the purpose of personal aggrandisement and are kept profoundly secret in order to fleece some unsuspecting person. Let no anxious mother spend an uneasy moment because her boy is attending a meeting of the Odd Fellows, but rather let her remember that few institutions will do more to teach the young man lessons which will be useful at almost every step of his life, and fit and prepare his mind to appreciate his duties and responsibilities toward his fellow man and also to his creator.

A BRIGHT SUNDAY.

That is the Weather Prediction Tomorrow—Cold Wave has Gone.

The cold wave has finally passed. The temperature is rapidly becoming warmer and the sleet and snow is fast disappearing.

Sunday will be an inviting day and all can attend church. The weather prediction for Raleigh and vicinity is fair tonight and Sunday and warmer. The wind will shift to Southerly Sunday afternoon.

The mercury was sixteen this morning.

The temperature has moderated nearly everywhere during the past 24 hours, especially in the west. The lowest reported Saturday morning is 2 below zero at Blansard. The barometer is falling in the west, and increasing cloudiness, with southerly winds, prevails west of the Mississippi river. Some snow is still falling in the east Lake region, and heavy rains occurred over southern Florida, amounting to 1.70 inches at Jupiter and 1.88 at Key West. In the central valley the weather continues clear and is warmer.

TODAY'S MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.

Market quotations furnished by E. B. Cuthbert & Co., 20 Broad street, New York, and 305 Wilmington street, Raleigh, N. C., over their special wire:

Table with columns: MONTHS, OPENING, HIGH, LOW, CLOSING. Rows for January, February, March, April, May, June, July, August, Sept, October, November, December.

Closed steady; sales 28,800 bales.

The following were the closing quotations on the New York Stock Exchange today:

Table with columns: Name, Price. Rows for Sugar, American Tobacco, Burlington and Quincy, Chicago Gas, etc.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISION MARKET.

The following were the closing quotations on the Chicago Grain and Provision market today: Wheat—May, 74; July, 72; Corn—May, 24; July, 25; Oats—May, 17; July, 18; Pork—January, 7.72; May, 7.82; Lard—January, 3.87; May, 3.97; Clear Rib Sides—January, 3.97; May, 4.00.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Table with columns: Month, Price. Rows for January-February, February-March, March-April, April-May, May-June, June-July, July-August, August-September, September-October, October-November.

Futures closed dull; sales 8,000 bales.

MEETING OF GROVER AND LIL.

When Liliuokalani, the dusky queen of Hawaii, called at the White House to pay her respects to Grover, the Atlanta Constitution dedicated the following parody on "I want yer ma honey" to the occasion: When de winter winds an sigh'n, 'an' de 'ministration's dy'n, Den I want you, ma Grover, Yes I do. When Cuba am er callin' can't yer hear us all er squalling? Kase I want yer, ma Grover, whar am you?

WILL IT BE CLARK?

A Young Newbernite May Be Appointed Adjutant General. C. C. Clark, Jr., of Newbern, is said to be slated for adjutant general. Mr. Clark's friends have recommended him to Governor Russell for appointment to the head of the state guard and it is told that the governor looks upon the recommendation with favor. Mr. Clark is from Mr. Hancock's home and it is thought that Mr. Hancock's close relations with the governor will be instrumental in bringing about his appointment.

Mr. Clark is a brother of W. W. Clark, though a stealing republican. He was at the head of the Newbern division of naval reserves, when that company disbanded on account of their opposition to Lt. Winslow's methods. Mr. Clark is about 35 years of age.

SHORT STATEMENTS.

Minor Matters Manipulated for the Many.

AROUND THE CITY.

Pot-Pourri of the News Pictured on Paper—Points and People Pertinently Picked and Pithily Put to Print.

Maj. Grant went to Goldsboro today.

H. S. Lowery returned home today.

A number of legislators went home today to spend Sunday.

Rev. John E. White will preach at the Tabernacle tomorrow morning and night.

Rev. J. L. Foster has returned to the city from Alamance and will fill his pulpit as usual tomorrow.

Mr. W. G. Allen has opened a grocery store at No. 112 East Martin street, where he will keep a full line of everything to be found in a first class grocery store.

Rev. J. L. Foster has returned from Union Ridge where he attended the funeral of his mother. Mr. Foster was called away by her illness last Saturday. He has the sympathy of his many friends.

Rev. W. C. Norman, pastor of Edenton Street M. E. church, has recovered from an attack of the grippe, and will occupy his pulpit at the usual services tomorrow—11 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Governor Russell left this morning for Wilmington to be absent until Monday. This is the governor's first visit home since his inauguration.

News was received here today of the death of Mr. H. A. Deal, brother-in-law of our townsman, J. S. Correll, which occurred at his home at Greenville, S. C., yesterday afternoon.

Unless Governor Russell interferes, Monroe Johnson, the burglar, will be hanged in Charlotte next week. Governor Russell was seen today and he stated that he had taken no action in the case. Many petitions have been filed asking for a commutation of death sentence. The governor will make known his decision next week.

A special to the Charlotte News from Monroe says: Judge Norwood's son is in Monroe, looking for his father. The Judge left Tuesday night on the train for Raleigh, but it is not known whether he has reached here yet. A telegram just received announces that the judge is at home.

Mr. Harry Howell, principal of the Washington graded schools, is in the city visiting his brother, Superintendent L. D. Howell. Mr. Howell is returning from Chapel Hill, where he read before the Superintendents' Association a paper on Education in the Eastern towns.

Mr. Octavius Coke has accepted the State Agency for W. J. Bryan's book, "The First Battle." Mr. Coke is appointing local agents in all sections of the State and he will push the sale of the book. Mr. Coke has received a prospectus of the book containing the cuts and illustrations, which indicates that it will be a very handsome edition. Persons out of employment will do well to consult with Mr. Coke.