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MEMORIAL DAY IN THIS CITY

Annual Luncheon Served Veterans in Capitol Square By Ladies Memorial Association

JUDGE BRAGAW ORATOR

Washington Jurist Will Deliver Memorial Address at Confederate Cemetery This Afternoon—Many Veterans in Bright Uniforms Forget Temporarily the Passage of Time and Look Younger—Program of Exercises at Cemetery.

In every city and village in North Carolina today Ladies Memorial Associations and Daughters of the Confederacy are making glad the hearts of the veterans of the war between the sections. Here in Raleigh a luncheon was served the veterans in capital square, as has been the custom for years.

The Memorial Day exercises will be delivered in the Confederate cemetery this afternoon by Judge Stephen C. Bragaw.

- Order of Procession. 1. Chief marshal with aids. 2. Confederate drum corps and veterans. 3. Carriages containing speaker and officers of the association. 4. A and M. College band and cadets. 5. Raleigh Light Infantry.

Line of March. Along Edenton street to Blount, along Blount to North, along north street and Oakwood avenue to entrance to Confederate cemetery.

Program at Cemetery. Speaker escorted to pavilion by Confederate drum corps.

Officers Elected. The following officers were elected by the L. O. B. Branch Camp for the ensuing year: Commander, S. W. Walker; First Lieutenant, Commander, D. J. Conn; Adjutant, J. C. Birdsong; Treasurer, R. H. Bradley; Chaplain, Rev. A. M. Simms.

The Rebel Yell. While the veterans were gathered around the table, Adjutant Birdsong led them in the famous rebel yell, which was given with all of the power of their lungs.

Decorating Graves. Many beautiful flowers, contributed by Raleigh people, were placed on the graves of the dead this afternoon.

SERIOUS RIOTING IN MINING DISTRICT

Scranton, Pa., May 10.—Serious rioting occurred at the Sayago Mine of the Lackawanna Company this morning. Foreigners among the mine workers, including women and boys, attacked the men going to work on the necessary repairs.

Two men and half dozen women were arrested. Several of the policemen's heads were battered with cobblestones used by the rioters.

EXODUS FROM FLOOD WATERS

Panic at New Roads in Effort to Escape Encroaching River

New Roads, La., May 10.—The flood of waters from the breaks in the Mississippi levees that have brought suffering to thousands in Louisiana continued creeping southward today. This town, with its rich outlying country, is threatened.

At sunrise a general exodus of women and children began, amid scenes of panic, produced through the fear of the flood waters that cught up on the town from the levee breaks.

General Uprising. Washington, May 10.—The uprising is becoming general in southern Tamaulipas, northern Vera Cruz and the eastern part of the San Luis Potosi, in the eastern part of Mexico, according to state department reports.

THE LUTHERAN SYNOD Question of Seminary Location Up For Discussion Today.

Charlotte, May 10.—After disposing of practically all routine business, including a negative vote on the resolution to establish in Charlotte a city high school under the direction and control of the Lutheran church, the convention of the North Carolina Lutheran Synod began this morning consideration of a commission report on the question of re-establishing Mount Amoena Seminary, which was burned at Mt. Pleasant last Thanksgiving day.

POWER COMPANY CHANGES Anderson Company Stock Goes to Big Georgia Company.

Charlotte, May 10.—Information came by long distance phone to Charlotte today that a meeting of the stockholders of the Anderson, S. W. Water, Power and Light Company, was held at Anderson this morning to transfer a controlling interest to the Georgia Railway and Power Company.

FISHING AT COOLEEMKE Pond Drained and Carp Caught Weighing 20 Pounds.

Cooleemke, May 10.—The largest catch of fish here in a long time was taken when the pond of the Erwin Cotton Mill Company was drained and everybody who cared to could fish with seine, nets, rigs, clubs, and even a number of good-sized fish were taken by hand.

PLUMBERS STRIKE If Demands of 44 Cents Are Not Recognized.

Charlotte, May 10.—A strike of the journeymen plumbers of the city is predicted to become effective today if their demands for an 8-hour day at 44 cents an hour, instead of the present 9-hour day at a wage scale of 25 to 30 cents an hour, are not granted.

Collector at Beaufort. Washington, May 10.—The president sent to the senate the nomination of Robert Small, as collector of customs at Beaufort, S. C.



MORGAN'S NIECE MAY BECOME PEERESS.

Liverpool, May 10.—Mrs. Lewis Harcourt, a niece of J. Pierpont Morgan, may become a peeress in the near future, according to a rumor published in the Liverpool Post.

THE ARCHBALD CASE TODAY

The Committee Hears More Evidence Against the Jurist

Washington, May 10.—Edward J. Williams, who together with Judge Robt. W. Archbald, of the commerce court, is alleged to have procured an option from the Erie Railroad on an oil bank property, today testified before the house judiciary committee, at the hearings of the charges against Archbald.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—The newly elected commissioners yesterday selected Mayor James C. Dahlman to again head the municipal government.

FARMER KILLS WIFE AND HIMSELF.

Frankfort Springs, Pa., May 10.—With his ten-year-old son looking on, Fred Atty, a wealthy farmer, killed his wife, threw her body into a creek and then cut his own throat.

CHECK FLASHER TO BE BROUGHT FROM CUBA

Statesville, May 10.—It is quite probable that Francisco Alvarez, the young Cuban who passed a lot of worthless checks in Statesville and Charlotte, will be brought back to Statesville for trial.

Two New Postoffices. Washington, May 10.—The treasury department let contracts today for the construction of the Gaffney, S. C., postoffice for \$45,356 by the Trent Construction Company, of Norfolk, and the Miami, Fla., post office for \$149,425 to Tarbell Co., St. Petersburg, Fla.

BATTLE ON IN MEXICO

Fifteen Thousand Men Engaged --Federals Claim First Blood

El Paso, Tex., May 10.—The Mexican federal army repulsed the advance guard of General Orozco. A sharp skirmish is now progressing preliminary to a probably decisive battle of the revolution.

BETTER RATES FOR NEWPORT NEWS.

Washington, May 10.—Existing freight rates in the southeastern territory were held by the interstate commerce commission "temporarily discriminatory against and unjustly prejudicial to Newport News."

MORE EVIDENCE IN THE ALLEN CASE

Wetzelville, Va., May 10.—Testimony in behalf of Floyd Allen, charged with murdering his sister-in-law, Mrs. David Ayres, of the Albemarle, said the shot which killed Miss Elizabeth Ayres came from behind where she was in the court room and from the direction where Court Clerk Good stood.

NOTHING NEW MERGER CASE

President Brown Will Arrive Tomorrow—Much Discussion

Pending the absence from the city of Mr. Joseph B. Brown, president of the American Bankers' Association, and pending the meeting Monday afternoon of the stockholders of the insurance company, the merger case has furnished little that is new.

INVESTIGATE AVE. ALLEGATIONS BROUGHT ABOUT RIGID INSPECTION.

Charlotte, May 10.—Following an open letter to the Municipal Association of Charlotte from Secretary Myers of the Associated Charities, asserting that immorality and vice abounds in Charlotte, the city administration has taken cognizance of the allegation and has begun a systematic inquiry into the situation.

DEATH OF MISS BURROUGHS.

News was received in this city today to the effect that Miss Placide Burroughs, formerly of this city but now a resident of Washington, D. C., was dead.

TAFT GOING TO PRINCETON.

Princeton, N. J., May 10.—President Taft will tomorrow witness John Grier Hibben's inauguration as the fourteenth president of Princeton University.



MISS VIOLET EDWARDS.

New York, May 10.—Reports have been revived to the effect that Violet Edwards, the Boston heiress who was engaged to Rev. Clarence V. F. Richardson, at the time of his arrest in Boston for the murder of Miss Finch, is in New York, and is busily engaged in settlement work in the congested tenement districts in an effort to forget the terrible tragedy which terminated her romance.

POLL TAXES IN DURHAM

Two Thousand Failed to Pay By May 1—The Diocesan Convention

Diocesan Convention. The second day of the North Carolina Diocesan Convention makes one of the busy days of the convention.

THE BOARD OF AUDIT AND FINANCE MUST PASS ON THIS APPROPRIATION BEFORE IT IS MADE AVAILABLE AND THERE IS SOME DOUBT AS TO WHETHER THIS BOARD WILL APPROVE THE SUM.

MAY NOT GET APPROPRIATION

Some Contend That Charter Makes It Crime to Appropriate Money for Such a Cause, When There is No Money in Treasury—Chairman Ball of Board of Audit and Finance of That Opinion—Board of Aldermen Appropriate Sum.

Whether or not the board of aldermen has the right, under the city's charter, to appropriate money to help in defraying the expense of entertaining the two political conventions today, there are numerous citizens who contend that it is the function of the city to contribute to such a cause, and there are other citizens who think that the city cannot do this.

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WHAT CHARTER SAYS. Sub-section 5 of section 104. "Crimes and Penalties," says: "Any alderman or other officer of the city who shall vote for or contract any debt against the city for purposes other than the necessary expenses without the money in the treasury available for its payment, or who shall make any appropriation, donation, gift, sale, transfer or payment, directly or indirectly, of any money, property or credit of the city for any use or purpose other than for the exclusive use and benefit of the city of Raleigh and of the people resident therein, unless herein otherwise provided, shall be guilty of an infamous crime and upon conviction shall be adjudged to pay a fine of not less than \$1,000 or more than \$5,000, and to imprisonment for not less than one year nor more than five years, and shall be liable to an action at law for the recovery of the whole amount."

MR. BALL'S POSITION. Inasmuch as there is no money in the treasury, Chairman Ball, of the board of audit and finance, said today that he could not see how the aldermen could appropriate money for such a purpose.

CONFEDERATE CURRENCY SEIZED BY THE UNION ARMY DURING THE CIVIL WAR AND STORED AWAY IN THE TREASURY ARCHIVES 50 YEARS, WILL BE DISTRIBUTED TO LIBRARIES AND UNIVERSITIES THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY FOR PRESERVATION AS HISTORIC ASSETS.

WILL DISTRIBUTE CONFEDERATE MONEY

Washington, D. C., May 10.—Confederate currency seized by the union army during the civil war and stored away in the treasury archives 50 years, will be distributed to libraries and universities throughout the country for preservation as historic assets.

FIGHT WITH MINERS.

St. Louis, Mo., May 10.—One man was fatally wounded and three seriously hurt in a revolver fight between 100 miners at Beaulieu, Ill. The trouble was due to a disagreement as to where the men should go to work.