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TWO CENTS

PRETTY RESIDENCE IS BURNED

Mother of L. H. Clement Loses Handsome Residence in Mocksville

CAUGHT FROM LEAVES

Most of Furniture Saved but Loss Will be \$2,000 With no Insurance

A telephone message this afternoon to Mocksville verifies a report that Mrs. Marshall Clement's handsome residence there was burned yesterday morning between 9 and 10 o'clock.

The fire caught from leaves deposited upon the roof and the weather being very dry as was the timber, the fire spread rapidly. All the outhouses were burned and the loss will be not less than \$2,000.

There was no insurance. Much of the household belongings was saved. Substantially all the first floor goods were taken out and the best of the second floor were rescued from the fire. The neighbors responded readily, at least 100 men being there within a few minutes. Mocksville has small fire fighting apparatus and the contest between the flames and the men was ill matched.

Mrs. Clement is the widow of the late Marshall Clement, once among the greatest of the State's lawyers. She is the mother of L. H. Clement, Esq., of this city, who is now in Washington with Mrs. Clement's father, who is very ill.

None of the family of Mr. Clement had been apprised of the fire today and were shocked to hear of it. Mrs. Marshall Clement is quite used to the loss and the sorrow fall heavily upon her.

RED BUCK IS HERE

Charlotte Observer's Representative Limping in Salisbury Today

H. E. C. Bryant, immortally nicknamed Red Buck, is in Salisbury today on three legs, collecting bills for his paper.

When Mr. Bryant was asked "What's doin'?" he replied, "Oh, I ain't got here for liquor, I have a frost bite. You see my foot—and I brought several friends with me."

"So you are here for a frost bite and your friends for a snake bite?" the reporter interposed, and Red Buck owned to the corn (liquor).

It makes no difference what Buck Bryant comes here for, he is always welcomed and the average delinquent to the Observer is always willing to be divorced from his money when the bill is presented.

AT THE SANATORIUM

Out of Town People Who Seek Salisbury's Hospital

The Whitehead-Stokes Sanatorium a popular institution. It is well filled with persons from sister towns.

Mrs. William Joseph Martin, of Davidson college, is here now. Mrs. Martin is remembered here as Miss Jennie Temple.

Mrs. Lula Schenck, of Greensboro, Mrs. J. William Monfere, of the city, are taking treatment there. Howard Harris, son of Editor Harris of the Charlotte Chronicle, is improving satisfactorily.

CHILD IS BETTER

Hadwell's Child Said Not to be Very Seriously Burned

Mrs. Laura Hadwell's child of three years, which was reported to be fatally burned yesterday, is said to be better today.

Persons from that neighborhood told the Sun today that the child would recover.

MISS JONES TO RETURN

The news of the return of Miss Mary Scott Jones to Salisbury Monday.

Miss Jones is a Charlottesville, Virginia young lady, and has hundreds of friends in this town. And the news that she comes to be with the family of Capt. Price again is most gratifying.

For all News read THE SUN.

WHISKEY CASES AT GOLDSBORO

Goldsboro, N. C., Jan. 28.—The time of the Superior court has been taken up for the most part with blind tiger cases. Several of the defendants have been convicted, but have not been sentenced. The most important of these cases was that of John R. Smith of Mt. Olive, who keeps a drug store and who is charged with violating the prescription laws. He appeared in court but all the witnesses in the case were not present. The judge ordered that a capias be issued for the witnesses and ordered that Smith be placed under \$1,000 bond from day to day until the witnesses appear. John R. Handley of this city went on the bond and Smith was released. The first case in which ex-Governor C. B. Aycock appeared was the one in which a negro named Tobe Pettiford was charged with purjury.

WASHINGTON DUKE HURT

Aged Member of Troubled Family Suffers Broken Leg

Durham, N. C., Jan. 28.—Washington Duke is suffering from a fractured hip bone as a result of a fall he received. While walking in his home he slipped and fell, or stumbled over some article of furniture. The fracture is to the neck of the left thigh bone. He was attended by Dr. J. M. O'Kelly and Dr. John Crar. Mr. Duke was hurt Thursday. Last night and this morning he rested well and the physicians stated today that he did not have any rise of temperature as a result of the hurt and that he was getting along so well that they were in hopes that he would soon be able to get about again.

Mr. W. Duke is now in his 84th year. He has been in feeble health for several years. Something more than a year ago he slipped and fell, breaking one of the bones in his arm. It was feared then that the hurt would result seriously on account of his age and weakened condition. But he fully recovered and was getting along very well until yesterday.

CHURCHES TOMORROW

Rev. Dr. J. N. Stallings, the pastor, preaches at Chestnut Hill Baptist church every 2d, 4th and 5th Sunday at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m., and conducts prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. on Wednesday evening of every week. Business meeting Wednesday evening before the first Sunday of each month and Sunday school every Sunday at 9:30 a. m. The public is cordially invited to attend all the services.

First Baptist Church—Pastor Wm. H. Rich will speak 11 a. m., subject, "The Church and Her Workers." 7:30 p. m. The third sermon in the series on "Fools Mentioned in the Bible." Subject: "The Antediluvian Fools Ridiculing Noah, the Best Man of Their Day." Mr. Charles H. Spencer will sing at both services.

First Methodist Church—Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday night at 7 o'clock by the pastor, Rev. J. C. Rowe. Men's prayer meeting at 10 a. m. Sunday school at 3 p. m.

First Reformed Church—Bible school at 10 a. m. No services either at morning or evening hours, owing to the absence of the pastor at the Church Workers' convention at Rockwell.

Church of the Sacred Heart, City—High mass and sermon at 10:30 a. m., by the rector, Rev. Father Joseph. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 3:30 p. m.

Christ's E. L. church, Spencer, Sunday school 10 a. m., preaching service at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Everybody cordially invited. Rev. E. C. Witt, B. D. pastor.

Church of the Sacred Heart, City—High Mass and sermon at 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 3:30 P. M. Evening service and sermon at 7:30 P. M.

Episcopal church: Services in the morning at 11 o'clock. In the evening at the usual hour by Rev. Dr. F. J. Murdoch rector.

First Reformed Church—Services by the pastor, Rev. Dr. W. B. Duttera at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Bible school at 10 A. M.

Faith Reformed Church—Bible school 10 a. m. No service morning or evening on account of absence of pastor.

Chestnut Hill Baptist; Services every Sunday by the pastor, at 11 A. M., and 7 P. M.

Spencer Academy—Rev. J. H. Grey will preach in the morning at 11 o'clock.

St. John's Lutheran—Rev. J. H. Wilson will preach at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. First Presbyterian—Services at the usual hours, morning and evening.

Our Lady of Refuge, Spencer, no service.

DECIDED STAND ON LIQUOR ISSUE

House Urges Delegation in Congress to Support Hepburn-Dolliver Bill

PASSES RESOLUTION

Anti-Bucket Shop Law More Stringent Than Stewart's is Likely to Pass

(Special to The Sun.)

Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 28.—The House of Representatives today passed the joint resolution calling on the North Carolina delegation in Congress to support the Hepburn-Dolliver bill to prohibit the shipment of liquor from one state into prohibition territory of another state.

Representative Stewart's bill prohibiting bucket shops in North Carolina, came up under a favorable report from the committee and was made a special order for next Thursday noon to give time for the preparation of a substitute that will more effectually reach concerns doing business in the state, the opinion of many legislators being that the Stewart bill is not far reaching enough. It looks like a stringent bill will pass.

Mr. Ward introduced a bill, with Senator Simmons' approval, prohibiting distilleries in town of less than 1,500 population.

Mr. Grady introduced a bill to establish a reformatory in connection with the penitentiary.

Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 28.—The North Carolina Association of City Schools last night elected as officers for the ensuing year:

President, Walter Thompson of Concord. Vice president, W. B. Dove of Greenville.

Secretary, J. C. Griffin of Salisbury. The association heard an address by Dr. A. J. McKelway on the importance of more stringent legislation regarding child labor, and adopted resolutions endorsing the Cunningham bill, raising the age limit for factory labor from 12 to 14 years.

A memorial from C. Brooks Johnston, chairman of the board of governors of the Jamestown Exposition company was presented to the Senate today. Thursday, February 2, was set as the time for a hearing on a committee from the exposition company. The spokesmen will be the Hon. John Goode, Dr. Robert L. Payne, O. D. Batchelor and Congressman J. H. Small.

Representative Vestal has introduced in the House a bill to prevent monopoly and for the protection of trade by providing no person, firm or corporation shall offer for sale or consign upon more favorable terms by rebate or otherwise upon condition that the purchaser shall not purchase or deal in the goods of other concerns, provided this does not prevent the appointment of sole agents. The penalty is a fine of from \$50 to \$500 or imprisonment.

The judiciary committee of the House of Representatives has decided to report favorably the Stewart bill to prohibit bucket shops in North Carolina. Representatives of Ware & Leland, Raleigh, and Miller & Co., Charlotte, and others, appeared before the committee and protested against the definition in the bill of "bucket shop," which in brief is that it is a place where are published or posted as same occurs, fluctuating prices of stocks, bonds, cotton, grain, etc., in trades made or offered to be made by boards of exchange or persons, and wherein persons carrying on bucket shops pretend to buy or sell according to those prices, but neither party actually buys or sells. Each day such business is carried on is to constitute a separate offense, punishable as a misdemeanor by fine or imprisonment.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON CLUB

The Saturday Afternoon club, a syndicate of beauty, meets with Miss Lilly Heilig this afternoon. Individually and collectively, this club, quite the best in the world, is playing its cards well. It deserves perpetual life and perennial youth, and will have them.

SUMMERS IS FOUND GUILTY

Greensboro, N. C., Jan. 28.—George A. Summers was found guilty yesterday in Guilford Superior court of embezzling \$1,400 from the Singer Manufacturing company while he was manager of the company's office in this city last May. After taking the money he absconded and was arrested in Illinois. The trial of the case was started Wednesday morning and was hard fought all the way through.

MARRIAGE AT MANNING

Miss Bessie Morgan Weds Mr. Honeycutt of Iredell

Manning, Jan. 28.—Wednesday and Thursday were the coldest days we've experienced this winter. Regular zero weather, although the thermometer did not register lower than ten.

Wheat and oats look unusually shabby especially oats that were seeded late.

As an evidence of the unusually cold weather Thursday, Sam Klutz, a young man 17 years of age, came home from Salisbury in a semi-frozen condition. He had been to Salisbury in the morning with wood, and went again in the afternoon, and upon his return home about sundown was found lying in the wagon unconscious from his prolonged exposure to the frigid winds. He was removed to the house where after several hours of considerable rubbing and throwing up, his resuscitation was accomplished.

J. A. Burkehead is nursing a bruised arm, which is the result of Jim and the frozen earth coming in contact.

T. D. Link is erecting a new barn and John Rex is likewise getting out logs for some purpose.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gaither moved Thursday to the County Home. They will have charge of the culinary department and go on a month's probation.

W. F. Cauble says he will not be in the R. F. D. business next winter. "Aunt" Mag Goodman is visiting relatives in Iredell county.

Wednesday evening at about 5:30 o'clock, Mr. Honeycutt of Iredell county, and Miss Bessie Morgan of Steele township, were united in holy wedlock at the Lutheran parsonage, Rev. H. A. Trexler officiating.

There will be an exhibition at the close of the present term of Salem school.

W. L. SIFFERD.

BOYS SAVE SCHOOL

Trading Ford Academy is Saved by Good Work of Boys

The Trading Ford school house, of which Miss Lucy Sherrill is principal was the scene of quite a little commotion this week. A defective fue caused the ceiling to ignite and a large blaze was soon spreading. The boys procured a step ladder and with a formidable bucket brigade, succeeded in subduing the flames.

The Trading Ford school is one of the best country academies in the county and its destruction would have been a considerable loss.

OLD GENTLEMAN HURT

Mr. Jesse Trexler Dislocates His Ankle in Fall From Wagon

Jesse Trexler, a gentleman about 70 years of age, fell yesterday from his wagon while going to Trexler's mill and fractured his ankle, the bones being shattered.

The extreme age of Mr. Trexler make his injury one from which recovery will be slow.

WITH THE BUSINESS MEN

Oestreicher has a change of ad. today. There was a big crowd all day at the Globe Department Store and all expressed themselves as pleased with the souvenirs. They will be given away to buyers tonight also.

Goman and Green are getting ready to double their floor space, as was told in the SUN some weeks ago. Meanwhile the place to go for watches or watchrepairing.

Bur's shoe store is a busy place these days. Better join the crowd.

Corlison and Cook are as reliable a drug firm as can be found in North Carolina. See page 4.

Bel-Harry store offers some good bargains in notions and corsets for Monday and Tuesday.

FAMILY MOVES BACK

The family of R. L. Gill, for sometime residents of Ashland, Va., will in the future live in Salisbury. Mr. Gill is an old Salisburyan and will be gladly welcomed back to his old home.

RUSSIAN REVOLT IS PETERING OUT

Moscow Quieter and no Outbreaks are Reported From Other Sections.

GOVERNMENT'S PLAN

4,000 Prisoners to be Pardoned Kuropatkin not Treating With Oyama

St. Petersburg, Jan. 28.—A message from the front states that the casualties in-fire fighting at Sandepas, to the south of Mukden on January 26, were 45 officers and a hundred men killed and wounded.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 28.—No serious disturbances took place anywhere during the night. Everything is quiet here and there are no traces remaining of the disturbances of the past week. Business is resuming its normal aspect. Belief is growing today that the government has no intention of acting sternly toward those who were taken prisoners for connection with the strike movement. It is probable that pardons will be granted to practically all of them. It is estimated that four thousand were arrested here and in the provinces.

The correspondent of the Publishers Press learns from high source that the government intends to concede a number of the working men's demands, including the eight hour day and increase of wages.

Riga, Russia, Jan. 28.—No further collisions between workers and troops, have occurred here. The situation remains to a large degree the same. It is announced that the total number of killed or who since died of wounds received in Thursday's encounter is 36, while over sixty were wounded.

Moscow, Jan. 28.—The strike at Moscow seems to have been definitely broken. Nearly half the strikers have returned to work and others are expected to resume Monday.

London, Jan. 28.—The Paris dispatches which appeared in a St. Petersburg paper to the effect that Kuropatkin has opened negotiations with Oyama is given little serious consideration here as it is known that Kuropatkin has resumed the offensive movement and is continuing it.

BRIDGE WHIST CLUB

Entertained, Thursday Afternoon at Misses Neave's—Last Meeting Next Week

The Misses Neave entertained the Bridge Whist club at their home on Main street Thursday afternoon. The guests were Miss Annie Sloan of Reidsville who is visiting Mrs. Robert Mauney.

A delicious repast was served the company after the game, which was an exciting one, and the club has had no more delightful meeting this year.

The club holds its last meeting of the year with Mrs. John Steele Henderson next Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Charles Price will give handsome prizes to the winners of the year.

DUKE STILL IN NORTH

Durham, N. C., Jan. 28.—W. G. Brahan, private secretary to B. L. Duke, accompanied by one of Mr. Duke's other Friday coming from New York city. They were not accompanied by Mr. Duke. He is now somewhere in the north where he will remain until his attorney and secretary return to him. They will leave here this afternoon.

The two representatives of Mr. Duke are here making arrangements for the final hearing which will take place next week. During the day yesterday stenographers were kept busy preparing affidavits from prominent citizens in which they tell of the condition of Mr. Duke. These will be used in the hearing when the courts pass on the question of Mr. Duke's sanity and decide whether a commission shall be appointed to manage his affairs.

COTTON CONVENTION AT ASHEVILLE

New Orleans, Jan. 28.—The Executive committee of the Inter-State Cotton Growers' association held two meetings yesterday to perfect final plans of organization. At the night session the officers of the association were re-elected. A general meeting of the whole Southern Cotton Association is called at Asheville, N. C., August 15.

LOCAL BRIEFS

Miss Carrie Krider left this morning for New Orleans.

Miss Carrie Shuping of Mill Bridge is in Salisbury today.

Miss Stella Frost of Mocksville spent last night in the city.

Ernest Galther of Statesville spent the night in the city.

John Cline, China Grove's popular constable was here yesterday.

Oscar Harrison of Mill Bridge, was in Salisbury today on business.

Miss Lizzie Allison of Statesville is visiting her aunts, the Misses Chunn.

Thomas J. White of Concord, was in the city last night returning home.

J. William Menefer, superintendent Greensboro, will spend tomorrow with Mrs. Menefer at the sanatorium.

Misses Ella Ogburn and Annie Kizer and Whitehead Klutz will spend tomorrow in the country with friends.

Miss Laura Sanford left this morning for her home at Mocksville where she will spend the day, returning tonight.

Miss Lucy Sherrill and P. D. Linn went to Mount Ulla this morning, where they spend the day and tomorrow at Miss Sherrill's home.

Judge A. C. Avery of Morganton passed through Salisbury this morning returning from Raleigh. He was on his way to Morganton.

A. P. Cone, trainmaster for this division of the Southern, was in Salisbury last night. He went to Norwood to inspect that division, today.

C. V. Henkle came in this morning from Durham and went to Statesville. Mr. Henkle and his brother will be here in a few days with horses to sell.

Miss Margaret Foard, who is visiting the Misses Foard on Horah street, is quite sick today with cold. Her illness prevents a visit to New London.

Rev. Dr. W. B. Duttera went to Crescent today where he attends the Church Workers' convention at that place. He will be gone today and tomorrow.

Miss Mary Foard went to New London this morning to spend a week with her sister, Mrs. H. S. Trotter. She was accompanied by her little nephew, Charlie Trotter.

Miss Kate Shelton Murphy went to Davidson this morning where she will be under treatment of a specialist. She will return in a short while and go to Florida for the spring.

LABOR NEWS

INTERESTING MEETING

A meeting of Typographical Union, No. 625, was held last evening, at which a great deal of business was disposed of.

G. V. Harrison was elected president in place of J. N. Stallings, resigned, and F. G. Dayton was elected vice president to fill Mr. Harrison's office.

G. V. Harrison, F. B. Irving, R. M. Pendleton, R. T. Curd and E. O. Stallings were appointed delegates to the Central Labor Union. Communications were in evidence from the International body relative to the eight hour day for printers, which will go into universal effect on January 1, 1905.

C. W. Kinsey was elected to fill a vacancy on the executive committee. The union is to be congratulated upon having so good a set of men for its officers.

C. L. U. SMOKER

On Wednesday evening, February 1st, at 8 o'clock, the Salisbury Central Labor union will hold an open meeting and smoker. There will be selections by an orchestra and a male quartet, recitations, addresses, cigars, and catables, and a general good time is anticipated. Any union man may attend by showing his card at the door.

During the year just closed the Longshoremen's association gathered in just 99 new local unions.

The Southeastern & Chatham, England, railway company has conceded Sunday pay to its traffic staff.

New officers of the Mexican Brotherhood of Railroad Conductors were recently installed. The new order now has about 140 members.

In the furniture trades of Berlin, Germany, there are now about 5,000 men unemployed, they either being locked out or on strike.

The strike of tramway men in Norrkoping, Sweden, has ended in a victory for the men, they having secured recognition of their union.

In 1904 the free delivery mail carriers system of the United States employed 20,761 persons in towns and cities and 24,566 on rural routes.