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Doubtless Mark Great San Francisco Conflagration.

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EVENT IN BRITISH POLITICS RECALLED.

By Wire to The Sentinel. LONDON, April 23.—It is exactly twenty-six years today since Mr. Gladstone went to Windsor and agreed to form a ministry. The general election had resulted in the return of 249 Liberals, sixty Irish Home Rule, and 247 Tories. The queen sent for Lord Harrington on April 22, and he went to Windsor with Lord Granville on the morning of the following day. In the afternoon the two returned, and drove off from Paddington Station to Harley street, where Gladstone lived. About 5 o'clock, that same day Gladstone, in his turn, went to see the queen and returned to town as Prime Minister. Gladstone, leader of the party in the Commons, both recognized that the popular wish was that Gladstone should be head of the government. That government remained in power five years and a half, and enfranchised the agricultural laborers. But its Irish policy was a failure, and the next election in 1885, gave the Liberals a mere handful of a majority.

OFFICERS OF FORSYTH FAIR ASSOCIATION.

Special to The Sentinel. TOBACCOVILLE, April 23.—Some of the citizens of Forsyth county met at Oak Grove school house April 16 for the purpose of organizing the Forsyth County Fair Association. The organization was completed and about fifty names were enrolled to work for the October fair. The following officers were elected: Geo. H. Hauser, president; B. Hendricks, first vice president; C. G. Hunter, second vice president; C. G. Hunter, secretary; J. F. Griffith, treasurer; G. E. Webb, corresponding secretary. One vice-president from each township was elected. Other committees were also named. The managers expect the largest fair Forsyth county has ever held. With one man from each township to stir up interest we look for the largest exhibit ever made. There will be a premium on the largest yield of corn per acre. How many can grow from 75 to 100 bushels to the acre? We hope to hear from all who will try for this premium. C. G. Hunter, Sec'y.

GOV. GLENN ISSUES APPEAL TO PEOPLE.

Urges Citizens of North Carolina To Contribute Liberally To Fund Being Raised For Sufferers From San Francisco Disaster—Other Raleigh Notes.

Special to The Sentinel. RALEIGH, April 23.—Gov. Glenn issues an appeal to the people of the State in behalf of sufferers from San Francisco disaster, urging North Carolinians to respond liberally to appeals for their relief. In the course of his address he says: "News from San Francisco continues to show increasing suffering and danger to helpless, homeless people in that grievously stricken city. It therefore behooves charitable and Christian people of our State to do all in their power to aid their brethren in the sad hour of affliction. I, therefore, as governor, call on all good people throughout the State to respond to calls from different mayors and committees, giving of their means as God has prospered them for the purpose of helping those destitute and needy people." The Southern Buggy Co., of High Point, is chartered with \$10,000 capital. The incorporators are O. A. Kirkman, J. F. Horney and J. Kelly.

New Advertisements. Mervin Westbrook Co.—Specials in ladies' vests, children's hosiery, ribbons, etc. The Allen Co.—Shirt and collar values. Shoes that fit. Smokers' Den.—100 per cent satisfaction in every box of Cuban cigars. Rosenbacher & Bro.—Special silk offerings, today's arrivals, etc. Mexite.—Learn your way to Simpson's. Crawford & Snyder.—Want you to see them if you need a new wagon. Repair work done right. J. A. Weisner & Co.—Drop us a card and we will call and take your measure for screen doors or windows correctly. Wachovia Loan and Trust Co.—Insurance department. Shapiro.—Mass "Ufit" shoes for men, recommended for their superior quality. Marriage at Clemmons. Mr. William H. Hart and Miss Jennie Phelps were married at the Moravian parsonage at Clemmons Sunday afternoon by Rev. James E. Hall. The bride is a daughter of Mr. Alvin Phelps, of Clemmons. Mr. Wm. Hart is carrier on R. F. D. route 1 from Clemmons. Both are popular young people. Mr. and Mrs. Hart will reside in Clemmons. Mrs. R. E. Barnhardt, Miss Alma Martin and Miss Ida Barnhardt, of Calloways, Va., who have been visiting Mrs. W. L. Thornton, returned home this afternoon.

BIG LOCAL CONCERN RECEIVES A CHARTER.

Consolidated Granite Company Organized With Authorized Capital of \$150,000—To Take Over Business of C. A. McCallard and Sons and Largely Increase Scope of Same.

The Consolidated Granite Co., with authorized capital of \$150,000 is a new corporation which has been chartered with headquarters in Winston-Salem, and promises much for the development of North Carolina in its line. The new corporation takes over the established business of C. A. McCallard & Sons, which firm has for a number of years quarried and finished blue pearl granite for monumental and decorative purposes, working also the celebrated Mt. Airy granite. Their business on these two granites has grown to such proportions, especially on the blue pearl, that it was necessary to form a larger company in order to handle this business alone and the Consolidated Granite Co. takes over their business with ample means at its command in addition to the paid-up capital stock to not only properly and promptly handle this branch of the business which comes from all sections of the United States but to further spread and develop on a large scale. The company owns one quarry of this in Rowan county and has long term leases on the remainder of the supply. A force of men left for the Rowan county quarry today to begin getting it out immediately in order to fill orders which are already in hand. The force to do the polishing and finishing, which will be done here, will be greatly increased at once. This branch of the work as well as the quarrying will be under the supervision of Messrs. C. A. McCallard & Sons, who have made this their life-work and being also financially interested in the new company they are in position with ample means at the command of the company to further demonstrate that blue pearl granite, which has long been recognized as being in a class by itself, in that it is of finer texture, more uniform and more compact, will, with the experienced labor which is being provided and the improved machinery, which the company has already purchased, take a polish not heretofore deemed possible even with this stone. Another branch of this business and one in which the possibilities are unlimited is that they have secured through Dr. J. Lewis Hanes a long term lease on the already famous quarry located on the Hairston home place in Davie county, which contains an inexhaustible supply of blue and gray spotted or Leopardite granite. This granite will be used for interior and exterior decorative purposes for fine buildings and will create a sensation as it is uniformly spotted similar to a leopard, can be quarried in almost any length or breadth and is not only far more durable than other decorative stone but nothing like it has ever been offered to the architects and builders. Many of our citizens have seen samples of this granite, which is an extremely remarkable formation and will be especially proud of the fact that it is to be marketed from Winston-Salem. The new corporation will organize for the election of officers and directors within a day or two. In the meantime Mr. G. W. Patterson, who is to be secretary and treasurer and business manager, has resigned his position as assistant to secretary-treasurer of the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Co. and is representing the company in the work that has already been started.

INTERESTING LEGAL POINT IS RAISED.

By Wire to The Sentinel. NEW ORLEANS, La., April 23.—Specialists on insanity throughout the country are greatly interested in the question of "speed insanity," a new form of insanity which is believed to have evolved from the habit of excessive speeding by automobilists. The matter first came to public notice through a suit, in which it was sought to compel an insurance company to pay the full amount of the insurance in the case of a policy holder, who was killed by an accident, while speeding in his automobile. The Ocean Accident Insurance Company refused to pay a large policy on the death of M. L. Hancock, who was killed in an automobile accident in Los Angeles, Cal., several months ago, on the ground that the company cannot pay a claim on an automobilist, as most of them are monomaniacs on the question of speeding their machines, and, therefore, the company is not responsible. In its answer to the suit, which was filed, the company asserted that the man who was killed was practically insane on the question of speed, and that it should not be held liable for deaths resulting from the actions of a person temporarily insane. In the same answer the company asks that if it should be held liable it should be only for half the amount. The company also holds that its liability is lessened if the insured engages in any hazardous employment, and this, it is asserted, covers automobilists. Many psychologists are inclined to share the opinion that it is really a form of insanity which is developed in automobilists addicted to speeding.

DEATH OF CAPT. CHARLES BUFORD.

This Well-Known and Popular Citizen Passed Away Early This Morning—Had Been In Declining Health For Some Time—Funeral Tomorrow.

Charles Buford was born in Brunswick county, Virginia, August 8, 1849, and died at his home in Winston-Salem Sunday night, a few minutes past 12 o'clock. Captain Buford had been in declining health for some months, and therefore his death, while it came as a shock, was not unexpected. Captain Buford entered the service of the Old Richmond and Danville Railroad Company in 1873. He came to Winston as agent February 7, 1877, and had served continuously in that capacity ever since. He had been prominently connected with the official as well as the business life of the city, having ably served several terms as mayor and also as a member of the board of aldermen. Captain Buford is the first to die of ten children, five sons and five daughters, the eldest being 70 years of age. He was twice married, first to Miss Ellen S. Zevilly, on December 12, 1878, and to Miss Lalyce Duffy, on October 29, 1892, and is survived by wife and two children, Miss Nelie and an infant son, and the following brothers and sisters: Judge F. E. Buford, of Brunswick county, Virginia; Jas. R. Buford, of Brunswick county, Virginia; Andrew Buford, of Salisbury, N. C.; Preston Buford, of Caswell county, N. C.; Mrs. Lelia B. Rollins, of Gloucester, Virginia; Mrs. Elizabeth B. Phillips, of Bloomfield, N. J.; Misses Margaret and Nannie Buford, of Brunswick county, Virginia, and Miss Jennie Buford, of Winston-Salem. Captain Buford was popular with a large circle of friends who deeply mourn his death. Funeral Tomorrow Afternoon. The funeral of Captain Buford will take place from St. Paul's Episcopal church tomorrow, Tuesday, at 3:30 o'clock. The interment will be in Salem graveyard, where the concluding services will be conducted by Bishop Rothaler.

HAZING ABOLISHED AT NAVY ACADEMY.

By Wire to The Sentinel. WASHINGTON, April 23.—Secretary Bonaparte is much gratified at the reports which have come from the Naval Academy in regard to the discipline of that institution. He finds that hazing no longer is one of the regular features of that institution. The board of officers which has charge of affairs at the Academy, and which served as a sort of grand jury to the court martial of the hazing, has been investigating the situation by means of questions put to various midshipmen. The inquiry has been searching and the young men have given every evidence of candor in their replies. It is reported that hazing has been abolished and that the midshipmen have now agreed to recognize the academic regulations instead of their own code. Secretary Bonaparte is inclined to believe that something should be done in behalf of the midshipmen who have been dismissed. In all but one or two cases he feels that this punishment was excessive and that the navy has lost the services of young men who would be of value. In the regulations which have just been printed, at the Naval Academy, greater consideration is shown the midshipmen, who are placed more upon their own honor and are free from the ironclad restrictions which have heretofore marked academic discipline.

ALLEGED MURDERER'S ESCAPE FROM LAW.

By Wire to The Sentinel. NEW YORK, April 23.—Michael De Lauro's escape from the law, when sought for the murder of Frank Russo, of West Park, last summer, as appears from the disclosures by a Neptune township official, was more sensational and mysterious than many episodes in the most sensational novels. De Lauro was accused of having murdered Frank Russo as the result of a love affair in which the two men were rivals. After the murder De Lauro disappeared and, although detectives and a posse scoured the country for miles the hiding place of the murderer was never discovered. It appears now from the story of the township official that De Lauro, on the night of the murder, was secured in the house of a countryman. At break of day he was taken to the sand hills of West Park and literally buried in a deep gully at the side of a hill. Here he remained for a week, being provided with provisions and water. On the seventh day after the murder De Lauro was placed in an empty beer barrel and driven aboard the steamship Mary E. Patten, of the Plover Bay Line. When the steamer reached the pier in New York, the barrel, with its human freight was driven to the dock of an outgoing Italian steamer bound for Naples. There it was carefully lowered into the hold, and, as the lights of Sandy Hook grew dim, the suspected murderer was released from his hiding place, and mingling with his companions, was granted freedom and a rousing welcome by his rescuers. He is now, it is said, living peacefully in Italy, undisturbed by fear of the law and safely concealed from detection. Whether De Lauro will ever pay the penalty for the murder of Russo, depends upon how anxious the Monmouth county authorities are to bring him to justice.

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SENATOR DEPEW WILL NOT ATTEND DINNER.

By Wire to The Sentinel. BROOKLYN, N. Y., April 23.—For the first time in fifteen years Senator Chauncey M. Depew will not be the guest of honor at the annual banquet which the Montauk Club has given annually in honor of the senator's birthday. The usual birthday dinner was arranged by the club for tonight, this being Mr. Depew's birthday, but owing to his recent illness Senator Depew was compelled to decline the invitation. It is understood in well informed circles that the illness of the senator had less to do with his declining the invitation than the unpleasant disclosures during the recent insurance investigation. The banquet will be held without Mr. Depew.

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EVANGELISTIC MEETINGS AT STAR WAREHOUSE.

Herbert Youell, an able evangelist from Washington, D. C., will begin an evangelistic meeting on next Sunday at 11 a. m. in the Star warehouse on North Main street. Mr. Youell came to America some years ago from London, England. Since his residence in the United States he has been successful both as a pastor and an evangelist. He comes to this place from a meeting in Dallas, Texas, where at last report there had been 85 addressees to the churches. During the past year he has conducted successful meetings in Portsmouth, Petersburg and Bristol, Va. During the past winter he conducted a meeting in Niles, Ohio, which resulted in 252 addressees, 220 of them being converts. The pastor of the church states: "The city has been stirred from its center to its circumference." Evangelist Youell will be assisted here by Harvard S. Saxton and wife, of Ohio, who will have charge of the music. Mr. Saxton comes recommended as a fine leader of song, and a baritone soloist. His wife is an organist and also a violin virtuoso. She accompanies her husband's solo on the violin. During the past winter they assisted in a meeting in Portsmouth, Ohio, where there were 612 addressees. Besides being trained musicians they are personal religious workers. With these specialists as leaders there will be afforded the religious people of this city an excellent opportunity to work for a great religious awakening in the community.

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Spencer Blackburn's faction of the Republican party, flushed with the recent victory of the congressman, are preparing to show their hand in this county, at least they say they will. Their initial step, it is said, will be an attempt to wrench the county organization from the Reynolds-Holton ring, headed by Deputy Collector John Reynolds. Spencer Blackburn has always had a following in this county. For several years the young congressman made his home in this city and during that time he made many friends and since the breach has grown wider between him and the organization they have stood loyally by him. But the Blackburn faction will not have an easy job in securing control of the county organization, for Postmaster Reynolds, the acknowledged leader of Republicanism in this county, is a right-hand man of Chairman Rollins. It will be an interesting fight should it come to a finish for each faction has "blood in its eye," so to speak. About the warmest thing of a political nature in this State nowadays is the newspaper controversy between Judge Bynum and Chairman Rollins. In his speech defending Blackburn Judge Bynum uttered this sentence, which is now on the tongues of half the people of the State: "The rank and file of the Republican party form a horde of loyal Spartans, but the leaders are a band of political cutthroats and pirates, always at war, never at peace, and forever standing with their hands in the pockets of their countrymen." Saturday Chairman Rollins signed his name to a card, attacking the learned lawyer. He not only emphatically denied the assertions of Judge Bynum, but branded him as a slanderer in words as plain as day. In today's paper Judge Bynum takes another turn at Rollins and roasts him in a most scathing manner calling him a mere puppet and saying that Marion Butler is the real boss. To add to the "organization's" troubles Marion Butler has written a long letter for the press, charging the Republican leaders of the South with incompetency, selfishness and disloyalty. Holton went to Washington Saturday. It is said he had a long talk with Assistant Attorney General Robb, and it is intimated that they may give Blackburn more trouble yet.

REVIVAL SERVICES AT BURKHEAD THIS WEEK.

The pastor, Rev. E. E. Williamson, will be assisted in the revival services at Burkhead M. E. church this week by Rev. Harold Turner, of Greensboro, and Rev. J. E. Kirk, of Grace M. E. church. Services will be held daily at 3:30 and 8 p. m., to which the public is cordially invited. The pastor preached two forcible sermons yesterday. At night the congregation was large, the church being practically filled. The music was excellent, several pleasing selections being rendered by the choir, under the direction of that splendid musician and instructor, Mr. Amos Huis. Miss Lelia Idol also sang to the delight of the congregation that beautiful and inspiring number, "Some Day the Silver Chord Will Break."

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MAY AVERT STRIKE

All Hope Of Peace In Anthracite Coal Regions Not Gone Yet.

Strong indications that majority of delegates to Tri-District Convention, to be called by President Mitchell some time this week, will vote against a strike. The union officials who have been testing the sentiment in the various local districts throughout the region have found it uniformly against a strike. The miners say that if Mitchell and the leaders do not insist on a strike or the operators try to bring on trouble by attempting to operate with strike-breakers, they will vote for any proposition that will return them to work. Many of the miners favor the operators' proposition of submitting the question of wages and changes in the conciliation board to arbitration, believing that an arbitration board would undoubtedly give them five per cent increase.

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