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INSURGENTS BLOCK ORGANIZATION

STORM IN HOUSE

President's Message Can Not Be Delivered Until House is Organized.

Washington, Dec. 3.—Republican insurgents prevented the organization today of the 68th congress.

Hardly had the new house and senate convened at noon before the progressive group in the house made good its threat to block the election of a speaker. Four ballots were taken without result, and the house adjourned until noon tomorrow, when Republican organization leaders will renew their effort to reelect Speaker Gillett.

SOCIETY.

The study Club met with Mrs. Geo. Cushman on Thursday Afternoon. Beautiful cut flowers were used over the study of Belgium. After the lesson the hostess served a delightful salad course with after dinner coffee. The members present were Mesdames R. G. Cole, T. H. Clay, Moe Goodman, J. M. Pass, R. H. Gates, S. G. Winstead, B. G. Clayton and Miss Mary Check.

Miss Ruth Heister very charmingly entertained the Country Club from 4 to 6 o'clock on Thursday afternoon at her lovely country home. Hand painted cards were given each guest on which to plan a perfect Thanksgiving dinner, another card on which to write the many things for which we were thankful. After much fun with the contests Miss Heister served a delightful salad course to the following members and guests: Mesdames J. B. Satterfield, T. T. Heister, Chas. Dunkley, Emory Winstead, K. C. Wagstaff, M. J. Daniel, Errol Morton, T. C. Wagstaff, Raymond Winstead and Misses Mary Winstead, May Wagstaff, Beth, Nellie Mary and Minnie Lee Winstead.

MR. F. H. HAMLETT DIES.

Mr. F. H. Hamlett died at his home in Reamstown last Saturday morning after a long illness. He had been confined to his bed for something like twelve months. Mr. Hamlett was a member of the firm of Long, Bradsher & Company for a number of years, and was easily one of the most popular salesmen of the town. He was a good man, universally liked and will be greatly missed in the community. The burial services were held Sunday evening and his body was laid to rest in the cemetery.

FAMILY REUNION.

Mrs. J. D. Morris gave a Thanksgiving dinner last Thursday to the family, making of it a family reunion. The members of the family present were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Street, Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Street, Miss Evye Street, Mr. Thomas Street, Mr. John D. Morris, Miss Elizabeth Morris, little Billie Street. Col. W. L. Lewis was an invited guest.

MR. BLACKARD KILLS A PIG.

Our good friend Mr. J. T. Blackard favored us with a call yesterday morning and stated he had just killed his pig. When asked what it weighed he said 585 pounds. Had he kept that pig until it was grown what do you suppose it would have weighed?

AUCTION CAKE SALE.

There will be an auction sale of cakes next Saturday at the Methodist bazaar at 1 o'clock. There will be devil's food cake, white pound, old fashioned pound cake, coconut cake, etc. Come and buy your cake for Sunday dinner.

CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to thank my neighbors and friends for their patient consideration of me and for their faithfulness and kindness to me during the illness and death of my husband.

Mrs. F. H. Hamlett.

MILLS-CROWELL.

Mr. Eugene Mills and Miss Mary Lee Crowell Married Yesterday.

Beautiful in its simplicity was the marriage of Miss Mary Lee Crowell to Mr. Eugene Mills of Raleigh, which was solemnized Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Crowell in the presence of a number of relatives and friends.

The home was beautifully decorated with white chrysanthemums and amallax. Tall white cathedral candles gleamed against the white of the improvised altar, before which the marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. W. O. Sample.

Just before the entrance of the bride the couple Mrs. E. E. Bradsher rendered a short musical program, and Mess. Tom and Clyde Crowell sang solos, the former sang "At Dawning," while the latter sang "I Love You." Little Misses Mary King and Eloise Newell, daintily dressed in white, were flower girls.

The bride, gowned in a handsome three piece suit and wearing a corsage of orchids and valley lillies, entered with the groom. Immediately after the ceremony the bride and groom left for a motor trip through Florida, and will be at home in Raleigh after the 15th. The bride, popular and attractive, is a member of the younger social set of the town and was educated at Queen's College. Mr. Mills is a native of Raleigh, a graduate of Wake Forest and is a prominent young attorney.

Among the out of town guests to attend the wedding were Mrs. T. O. Squires and Miss Sue Woodside of Charlotte, Mrs. J. W. King, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crowell of South Boston, Va., Mr. and Mrs. Ricks and Mess. Dan and Maple Mills of Raleigh.

DOINGS OF THE FOSTER LOCAL.

At our last meeting we had a very interesting time. Every member was called on to make a talk in regard to co-operative marketing, to use at least two minutes time. I will say some talked more than ten minutes and one talked less than 49 seconds. Our next meeting will be at Centre Grove school. Everybody come and bring your friends. We are expecting something extra. Don't forget the time, Dec. 7th, 1923, 7 p. m.

S. E. Peed, chairman.
A. B. O'Brian, sec.

MARKET OPENED MONDAY.

Heavy Sales Monday and Tuesday, with Satisfactory Prices.

The market opened Monday after the holidays for Thanksgiving. Sales were the heaviest of the season, and prices ranged good. On Monday the sales reached nearly a quarter million pounds, being about equally divided between the auction houses, with about fifty thousand pounds delivered at the Coop house.

HALL-WYBERG.

On Saturday morning Dec. 1st, Mr. Otis Hall and Mrs. John Wyberg were quietly married at the home of the bride. Immediately after the marriage the happy couple left for an automobile trip to Rocky Mount, N. C. Upon their return they will be at home on the western extension of Court Street.

LEGION BOYS TO BUILD HUT.

A committee from the American Legion appeared before the Board of County Commissioners Monday and was granted a permit to build a hut on the corner of the County lot on Court and Lamsar Streets. The Legion will get busy at once and it is hoped to see the hut closed in within the next 90 days.

FURNITURE FOR LESS MONEY.

My stock of furniture is very complete, and while I am handicapped for space to show it, still, I have it and my prices are just the same as old—a little bit cheaper than the other fellow. Come in and take a look.

E. D. Check.

NOTICE.

For Singer Sewing Machines, new and 2nd hand, all prices. I repair all kinds of machines, any make. See F. B. Phillips, Roxboro, N. C. Phone or write care of U. S. Army Store, Roxboro, N. C.

Personals

Miss Nancy Franklin spent Sunday in Oxford.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Featherston spent Thanksgiving day in Durham.

Mrs. H. S. Morton and little daughter are visiting relatives in Gastonia.

Mrs. Dunlap of Ansonville is visiting her son, Mr. E. P. Dunlap.

Mr. Stafford Bates spent Thanksgiving in Brookneal, Va.

Miss May Willson of Smithfield spent last week here.

Mr. Merrimon Burns of Winston spent Thanksgiving with his parents.

Mr. Clyde Hall of Raleigh spent Thanksgiving here with relatives.

Mr. C. B. Goswick of Durham spent the week end here with friends.

Mr. M. Woody of Wilmington, N. C. spent Thanksgiving with his mother Mrs. Nannie Woody.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mullins of South Boston spent Sunday with Miss Ola Woody.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Carver of South Hill, Va., spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Carver.

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Beam spent Thanksgiving visiting friends in Laarburg.

Mesdames J. M. Pass, R. M. Spencer and Miss Elizabeth Neell spent last Tuesday in South Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wood of Chase City spent Sunday with Mr. J. H. Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Neell and Mrs. W. S. Clary, Jr., spent Monday in Raleigh.

Miss Virgie Wilson of Bushy Fork spent the week end with Mrs. W. T. Kirby.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Hall returned home Monday from a visit to Rocky Mt., N. C.

Mess. S. P. Ryland and Martin Walker of South Hill spent the week end here.

Miss Lucille Montague of the county spent several days last week with Miss Lorraine Bailey.

Mrs. Jno. A. Neell returned to her home in Greensboro Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Bates spent Thanksgiving at their home in Brookneal, Va.

Mrs. Carr Timberlake of Durham spent several days last week with Mrs. Timberlake's parents.

Mr. Tom Street of Chapel Hill spent the week end with his parents at Mill Creek.

Mrs. W. L. Guthrie spent Thanksgiving with her parents in South Boston.

Misses Lattimore and Elizabeth Masten of Durham spent several days last week with Mrs. H. H. Masten.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Markham and children of Durham spent Thanksgiving Day with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Neell.

Miss Francis Thompson of Trinity College spent Thanksgiving here with her parents Rev. and Mrs. B. C. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones of Farmville spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Clary, Jr., of Robersonville, came home last Wednesday for Thanksgiving. Mr. Clary returned to Robersonville Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Conley of Mullins, S. C., spent a few days with Mrs. Conley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Briggs of Hurdle Mills, N. C. They motored through the country.

THE PLAY IN HAPPINESS

THE ELLIAS DAY PLAYERS

On Tuesday Night The Womens' Club Will Sponsor the Best Play of the Season.

The Womens' Club, ever on the alert for amusing and entertaining the people of Roxboro and surrounding section, will sponsor the play, "In Happiness." Among the many good things which have been presented to the people of this section this is said by many to be the very best. It has been played in Richmond, Norfolk and other large cities and has received the highest praise.

"THE PLAY" "Happiness" has never before been produced in Lyceum. It was written by Hartley Manners, author of "Peg O' My Heart" and numerous other successful plays.

Laurette Taylor, the famous actress used it for two years in New York and Chicago besides touring the country.

The play itself is on the order of "Peg O' My Heart" and has in it a fine lesson. Jennie, the little shop girl, is one of the best characters seen in any play in the last twenty years and the story is interwoven around the lives of "just human beings." The plot shows how a young New York shop girl, uneducated, but intelligent and with an ambition to be "somebody," enters the lives of a wealthy New York man and woman, tired of their selfish existence and through the force of her example changes them into purposeful, philanthropic citizens.

Happiness abounds with laughs, with here and there a tragic touch so that it is closer to the old saying "you laugh one minute and weep the next" than any other play of recent years. Mr. Day has produced it with the same attention to detail as was displayed in the original production. There are three acts and an epilogue and in the epilogue much cause for rejoicing with little Jennie in the fulfillment of her ambitions.

It has a universal appeal to people in every walk of life. Don't forget the time, Tuesday night, December 11th, at School auditorium. The indications are they will play to a full house and it will be advisable for you to secure tickets early.

BUS LINE DISCONTINUED.

The Orange Bus Line between Durham and Roxboro has been discontinued until after the completion of the hard surfaced road. Owing to the detour used at present it was almost impossible for the line to run on schedule time, hence they have decided to take it off for the present. Just as soon as the detour is eliminated the line will open for business.

MR. JONES MAKES A GOOD DELIVERY.

Mr. J. R. Jones of Moriah, one of the real Co-ops, made a delivery here yesterday which was very pleasing to him, being far more than he expected to receive. He delivered 608 pounds and received a clear check for \$103.80, averaging for his first payment \$17.78.

JOHN BIMPINS JACK WINS CUP.

At the Field Trials in Durham last week Mr. E. V. Bostwright's dog, John Bimpins Jack, won the silver cup given by the association, winning first place in the race for members of all age. John Bimpins Jack is an exceptionally fine dog, having won several cups in the races run by him.

COMING! COMING!

At Jalong auditorium Friday, December 7th, at 8 p. m., All-Star minstrel, for the benefit of S. & D. of L. Admission, 35 and 50 cents. One hour and fifty minutes of fun and laughter.

"UNCLE JOSH."

On Friday night, December 7th, "Uncle Josh" will give a play at Allensville High School auditorium. Admission 15 and 25 cents. Everybody come.

D. H. Crampton, Principal.

CO-OP CASES HEARD IN DURHAM.

The following Co-op cases were heard in Durham this week:

The contempt case against G. E. Harris and wife was continued in Durham and will be heard at Oxford on Dec. 28th.

Newton Davis was sent to jail for 3 days and fined \$50.00 and costs for contempt of court.

Tom B. Davis, mortgagee, was enjoined from selling certain tobacco and cited to appear before Judge Devin in Hillsboro on Tuesday the 11th of December and show cause why he should not sell the tobacco at auction at the court house door, after giving ten days notice.

NOTICE.

Regular meeting of Lester Blackwell Post No. 138, A. L., will be held Saturday night, Dec. 8th, at which time plans for new club will be discussed.

C. C. Garrett, Adj.

PATTY MAKES THINGS HUM.

Bring the whole family to see "Patty Makes Things Hum," given by the B. Y. P. U. Friday night, December 7th, 8 o'clock sharp.

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The play entitled "Patty Makes Things Hum" will be given by the B. Y. P. U. It will be worth while. Watch for the date.

Misses Nellie Wade and Martha Lee Bass of Avarett College spent Thanksgiving here with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Broadus Brooks of Raleigh spent Thanksgiving with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Markham and sons, Thomas and Robert Neell, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Neell last Thursday.

Dr. and Mrs. B. R. Long and Master Bill, who visited relatives here during the past week, returned to their home in Greensboro Sunday.

Mr. Harold Thaxton of Drakes Branch, Va., spent Thanksgiving here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Thaxton.

Mr. T. T. Hester and Mrs. T. E. Austin are visiting their sister, Mrs. Cochran in Newton, N. C. They made the trip in Mr. Hester's car.

Miss Eugenia Ponder of Salisbury was a guest of Miss Hattie Burch for the week end.

Dr. R. H. Neell of Rocky Mount spent Thanksgiving here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Neell.

Mr. Harvey G. Clayton spent the week end here with his father, Mr. H. G. Clayton. He left Monday morning for Greenville, Tenn.

We enjoyed a pleasant call last Friday from our young friend, Mr. C. H. Painter. While a young man, still he has been a regular subscriber to The Courier for more than 20 years. And best of all, he says The Courier gets better and better, and is the first paper read at his house.

NOTICE.

I will on Saturday Dec. 15th, 1923, sell to the highest bidder for cash all my horses, cows, corn, feed and farming tools. Sale begins at 10 o'clock, a. m., at our home on the premises of L. B. Clayton. This Dec. 3rd, 1923. 12-5, 2tpd

D. C. Duncan.

If it is a Xmas present for Him, or a present for Her you will find it at Wilburn & Satterfield.

LOST, automobile license No. 218449, on Mebane-Prospect highway between Gibsonville and Roxboro, or between Jalong and Brookdale. If found return to The Courier office and receive reward. A. O. Painter. 1tpd.

ROOMS for light housekeeping. Board for young men. Mrs. Abbott, Academy Street. 1tpd.

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NOTICE SALE OF VALUABLE LOTS AND FARMS AT CUNNINGHAM STATION PER-SON COUNTY, N. C.

The undersigned Commissioner, will on Wednesday December 19th, 1923, beginning at 1 o'clock P. M. on the premises at Cunningham Station, N. C. sell to the highest bidder for cash, several lots fronting on new sand clay road, also about sixty acres of fine farming lands, plots of same can be seen at my office in Roxboro, N. C. and also at T. H. Owens store at Cunningham, N. C.

This Nov. 27th 1923.

N. Lunsford, Commissioner.

SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY.

On Saturday Dec. 22nd, 1923 at the court house door, I will sell to the highest bidder, my George Barnett Farm of 114 acres, including the house and lot formerly belonging to Nick Reade. This Farm is around 400 yds. from the New Baker Milling property. Also at same time and place, I will sell my new 6 room, 2 story residence, situate in the South East section of the town of Roxboro on "New Street," being a part of the lots purchased of A. M. Burns. This is a new building, recently constructed, and now occupied by Ira Wrenn, said lot being 75 x 210 ft. and fronting on "New Street", and well furnished with lights and water. For further particulars, see said Ira Wrenn or T. C. Brooks.

NOTICE OF LAND SALE.

Under and by virtue of an order of the superior court of Person County in that certain special proceeding pending therein entitled "J. D. Winstead and others vs. C. E. Winstead and others", we, as commissioners therein appointed and directed will on

DECEMBER 31, 1923,

at 12 o'clock noon at the court house door in Roxboro, N. C. sell at public sale to the highest bidder or bidders that certain tract or parcel of land formerly owned by the late J. W. Winstead, situated on Mayo River in Holloway Township, Person County, North Carolina, known as the Baird Tract, adjoining lands of the Woody estate, the G. D. Neal estate and William Loftis, containing 289.1 acres more or less. The said tract of land will be offered in lots or subdivisions of convenient and desirable sizes, the right being reserved to sell the same in such lots or in combinations thereof or the entire tract as a whole.

TERMS OF SALE: One-third cash, one-third one year from December 31, 1923, one-third eighteen months from December 31, 1923, deferred payments bearing interest from date of sale.

This November 27, 1923.

J. D. Winstead
K. C. Wagstaff,
Commissioners.

NOTICE.

Owners and mortgagee take notice that the land listed and described below was sold for taxes on August 27th, 1923, and is being readvertised by purchasers as follows as prescribed by law:

M. N. Gentry, 68 acres in Holloways township.

Lula Bailey, 28 acres in Roxboro township.

Mrs. Effie Woodall, 3 1-2 acres in Roxboro.

John W. Hester, 60 acres in Mt. Tiras township.

Mack Burton, 100 acres in Mt. Tiras township.

Haywood Davis, 1 acre in Wooddale township.

W. C. Carver, 10 acres in Wooddale township.

Squire McGee, 42 1-2 acres in Olive Hill township.

D. W. Ledbetter,
W. G. Bradsher.

LADIES BAZAAR.

The ladies of the Baptist church will hold their annual bazaar on Saturday, Dec. 15th, in the Jackson garage. All kinds of fancy work will be on sale, and dinner will be served. Doors will be open at 11 o'clock, A. M. Every one is cordially invited to call and see the display and make their Christmas purchases. Don't forget they are expecting you to take dinner with them.

CABBAGE PLANTS FOR SALE.

Jersey and Charleston Wakefield. Early 15 cents per hundred. Satisfaction guaranteed. T. G. Pool, Gilina, Va. 12-5.