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Leonard - Beavens - Stamey Company

Special Prices This Week on Ladies' and Misses' Dresses

\$6.00 White Gingham Dresses \$3.98

\$2.50 Percale Dresses \$1.98

\$1.98 Percale Dresses \$1.48

Cut Prices on Parasols

\$2.50 Parasols \$1.98

\$3.50 Parasols \$2.98

\$2.25 Parasols \$1.75

\$1.50 Children's Parasols \$1.00

New Lot of 5c Valances. The prettiest we have had this Season

Leonard - Beavens - Stamey Co.

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Prices range from 10 to 25 per cent. below cash prices on wagons

High Point Ice & Fuel Co.

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Notice

My Office will be Closed Monday and Tuesday of each Week during the Summer.

A. P. Staley, Oph. D.

Tolls of Midnight Conference of Taft and Aldrich

AFTER WHICH TAFT SAID LORIMER MUST BE ELECTED.

Washington, D. C., June 29.—Edward Hines, the Chicago lumberman accused of buying for Lorimer his seat in the United States Senate, today told the Senate investigating committee of the circumstances leading to the election of Lorimer.

Mr. Hines told the committee how President Taft two or three nights before the day Lorimer was elected held a midnight conference with Senator Aldrich, who afterwards said that Pres-

ident Taft was insistent that Lorimer must be elected. He said that while the President and Senator Aldrich were in conference he waited at Aldrich's home for him to come back with a report of their conference, learning when Aldrich returned that Taft was lined up for Lorimer.

He at once telephoned the result of the conference to Lorimer, who was at Springfield, and immediately left for Chicago. The testimony of Mr. Hines is in corroboration of that given by Mr. Cook, while on the stand Tuesday, and brings the President more clearly into the case.

Inaugurated for Governor First

HOKE SMITH WILL THEN ANNOUNCE HIS CANDIDACY FOR U. S. SENATE.

Atlanta, Ga., June 29.—After I am inaugurated as governor I shall announce as a candidate for the United States Senate. This statement is said to have been made by Governor-elect Hoke Smith to members of the inauguration committee today, and it is believed it will in a great measure clear the senatorial situation which for several days has

threatened to result in a deadlock in the legislature.

Friends and supporters of those candidates who are opposed to Mr. Smith and so favor a senatorial primary for the selection of a successor to the late United States Senator Clay, held a meeting tonight and adopted resolutions calling upon the legislature to provide for a senatorial primary and favoring those candidates who have announced themselves as supporting this method of election.

Letter from California

To My Friends in High Point:

I have very little time for the writing of letters and cards on this trip, so you must take my letters to the Enterprise as personal letters to you.

This is the greatest convention I have ever been privileged to attend. Those who were with me at the World's Sunday School Convention in Washington last year will question that statement, but while that convention was larger in the number of delegates, this one is far more powerful and more enthusiastic in its zeal for the spread of the Kingdom of Christ through the Sunday school.

Wish you all might have seen the great demonstration of last evening. In the men's parade it is estimated that there were 10,000 men in line, and that at least 40,000 men, women and children viewed the parade. Every man in line carried a Bible.

Then I wish you might have been in the convention hall this morning and heard the magnificent addresses of Dr. Chapman and Mr. Lawrence. Mr. Lawrence's speech consisted mainly in the raising of \$126,000 dollars for the extension of Sunday school work in America. He raised that amount in a little while and announced that it must be raised to \$175,000 before the convention closed.

Mr. W. N. Hartshorn, the newly elected president of the association, gave \$15,000. Mr. E. K. Warren, of Three Oakes, Mich., gave \$10,000, and Mr. H. J. Heinz, of Pittsburg, gave \$6,000, and there were a number who gave \$3,000, \$2,000 and \$1,000 pledges.

It seemed only like a play spell for Mr. Lawrence to raise that amount of money. This country of ours is awake to the necessity of Sunday school work as it has never been before. I feel homesick for High Point this evening. It is Saturday evening and my heart and mind turns toward my people, and my Sunday school. Only two more Sundays of absence and then I'll be back in my accustomed place among you, a wiser and I trust a stronger and a better man. May God's blessings rest upon High Point, my

High Point, in the happy Southland.

A. G. Dixon.
San Francisco, Cal., June 24, 1911

Important Inquiry

AS TO IMPROVEMENT OF RAILROAD EMBANKMENT

Editor Enterprise:

Kindly advise the writer what has become of the plan to improve the red clay embankment along the Southern Railway's right-of-way. Now is the accepted time.

Signed: Up and Doing.

(The above plan referred to and which was outlined in the Enterprise, is now before the Civic League. They have a blue print which submits the proposed improvements. These improvements are to be made by the city of High Point, Southern Railway Co., and the Civic League, each contributing their part. The writer is correct. Now is the time for this work.)

An Innovation

DEMONSTRATION WORK IN DOMESTIC SCIENCE

The ladies of the Home Economic Department of the Woman's Club have decided to have a demonstration of Domestic Science, beginning in October and extending till the following May, the demonstrations to be given on the top floor of the Manufacturers Club building. This is quite an innovation in the work of the club here, but none the less a very important work. Mrs. Whitted, who is a well known authority on Domestic Science, has been invited here to superintendent some of the demonstrations, after which the work will be in charge of the Home Economic Department.

Good progress is being made in the construction of the plant of the High Point Mfg. Co.

NEW ADS.

N. H. Silver—Special 15 days sale, commencing July 1st.

Paris Glass Decorating Co., Greensboro, N. C.—Interior Decorating.

Bar Association Want More Judges

LAWYERS ADOPT REPORT

Charlotte, N. C., June 29.—The North Carolina Bar Association in session at Lake Toxaway tonight adopted the report of its committee on law reform recommending that the number of judges be increased to twenty-four, that the present system of rotation be abolished, that the solicitors be put on salary, and that the laws relating to jurors be amended. Bills designed to carry out these reforms will be introduced to the next legislature. A damper was thrown on the session today by the announcement that neither third assistant Postmaster-General Britt nor Martin W. Littleton of New York could attend to deliver their addresses which were the features of the year's program.

At Atlantic City

MAGNIFICENT RECEPTION AWAITS THE ELKS.

Something of the reception that awaits the Elks at Atlantic City is contained in the following dispatch that has been sent out:

From end to end and side to side Atlantic City, gay mecca of the pleasure seekers, will be transformed into a veritable symphony in royal purple as a fitting tribute to the hundred thousand Elks due here one week for the twenty-fifth grand lodge reunion of the order.

To make good the city's reputation for doing things upon an elaborate scale, hotel proprietors and business men will spend \$500,000 for hunting alone, in order that none may say that Atlantic City did not go the limit to make itself as pretty as the most exacting would have it.

Half as much again will be expended for electrical effects upon hotels, the broad avenues and the internationally famous boardwalk, the wooden way of rhyme and reason, which for five full miles, from the inlet where the yachts such power has persuasive force only, opposed to this well-known fact, is the fact that no such power has been conferred upon the governor of this state in any of our constitutions. The other reason urged in its favor, is that such power in the executive are to be found, down to Chelsea, where the millionaires of many cities have their summer villas, will be canopied after nightfall with incandescent fire.

Huge electric signs upon the boardwalk caravanseries will flash to the stargazing headquarters of state and city delegations, and the steel pier, with its crashing bands where the grand lodge will hold its sessions, and everything will be free to the wearer of the convention button, will be gorgeously bedecked with purple bunting by day and bathed in purple radiance after dark.

Atlantic avenue, one hundred feet wide, where the great reunion parade will take place on the fourth day of convention week, will be a bunting-swathed boulevard. Business houses and office buildings will be gorgeous in their decorations. Stands of colors will wave from every lighting standard up and down the broad thoroughfare. City hall, where nearly every officeholder is a staunch Elk, will be resplendent with electrical effects outlining the insignia of the order. Strings of purple incandescent globes upon the trolley standards will carry out the semblance of a canopy of blue fire.

Headquarters are already being made ready for the delegations from far and near which will shortly be moving shoreward. Grand Exalted Ruler Herrmann and busy grand lodge officers, with a mass of detail requiring their attention before the grand lodge is called to order on the morning of July 10, are expected to take possession of the Hotel Strand, which is to be grand lodge headquarters during the week of the 3d. A suite of twenty rooms will be utilized for business purposes.

6 o'Clock Closing

REGULATION CLOSING HOUR FOR MERCHANTS

There is a movement on the part of the merchants here to inaugurate a regular closing hour for merchants during the months of July and August at 6 o'clock. The following have signified their willingness and have signed accordingly:

Miss Venetia Smith
Leonard-Beavens-Stamey Co.
The Moffitt Furnishing Co.
H. A. Moffitt
A. J. Owen
Newlin-Brooks Dry Goods Co.

Street Improvements

REPAIRING BITHULETHIC.

The city commenced the first repair work on the bithulethic pavement yesterday that has been necessary to do since it was first built. The bond issue of \$70,000 under J. J. Welch's administration in 1903 was a splendid investment. The city never made a better one. The repair work to the streets will make them as good almost as new. The work is being done by the city force, properly supervised and at a nominal cost.

Building Active

BUILDING PERMITS

C. M. Keelin, 5 room house on Felbert St., \$975.00

J. Y. Gray, addition, Lindsay St., \$100.

High Point Veneer Co., addition to factory, \$50,000

J. H. Petty, 6 room house on Richardson St., \$1,100.00

Best Chair Co., addition \$500.

S. L. Davis, 10 room residence, South Main St., \$11,000.00

MRS. CUMMINGS ENTERTAINS.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Cummings gave a very charming little party last Tuesday night in honor of their two sisters, Misses Ethel and Mary Walker, of Reidsville, N. C. After a very exciting game of "heart dice" it was found that Miss Alta Pickett won the first young lady's prize, which was a beautiful bunch of sweet peas and Mr. Will Moffitt won the first prize for the young men, which was a pair of silk hose. Mrs. Cummings assisted by Mrs. Robert Walker served delicious refreshments, consisting of a salad course and iced tea. Those who enjoyed the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Cummings were Misses Ethel and Mary Walker, Gay, of Franklin, Linnie Mann, Aileen Pitts, Alta Pickett, Brooks, of Greensboro, Frances Mann, Sallie Gilmer Jones and Mary Campbell. Messrs. Will Moffitt, W. B. Thomas, Walter Kirkman, Henry Kearns, Charles Matton, Randall Mann, Victor Idol, Carl Farriss and John Peacock.

R. J. Hole and other officers of the Public Service Company are here today on official business.

Southern Fruit Growers Complain

DECLARE RATES EXCESSIVE.

New York, June 28.—Copies of complaints filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission by 76 merchants and Southern growers of watermelons, canteloupes and muskmelons against the Pennsylvania, Southern, Seaboard Air Line and 122 other railroad companies were made public here today. The complaints ask for a reduction in the prevailing freight rates on melons to this city and other eastern and Northern points.

They allege that New York, Boston, Philadelphia and other Eastern cities are discriminated against by the defendant railroads in that they are compelled to pay a rate of 45 cents per hundred pounds from Southern producing points, whereas western and central points are charged only thirty-two cents per 100 pounds.

PERSONAL

Arthur Marsh arrived home yesterday after an extended business trip south.

Miss Dora Kerner left yesterday for her home in Kernersville, after a visit to Mrs. W. E. Snow.

Mrs. J. F. Hayden, of Thomasville, spent yesterday in the city. The plans for the new school building have been accepted and the work will progress from now on.

Haywood Alderman, of the Southern Power Co. has purchased a motorcycle.

W. S. Nichols, of South Boston, is a business visitor today.

J. J. Farriss returned today from Lenoir and Blowing Rock.

June Elder came in from Asheville, today.

M. J. Wrenn returned today from Morganton.

Lawn party tonight on the lawn of the Quaker church.

Mrs. Clem Moon, on English street, has been very ill with pneumonia, for the past several days and her condition is still unimproved.

Mrs. J. A. File and children, of Troy, are visiting the family of W. G. Brown, on English street.

C. M. Vanstory, of Greensboro, was here today.

Misses Perry Griffith, Ella Lambeth, Mae Sumner, and Messrs. Finch and Griffith, came over from Thomasville last evening.

Capt. Carpenter returned yesterday from San Antonio, Texas, having been commissioned out by Gen. Leinster, June 12 to 25. He was stationed at Fort San Houston, with joint maneuvers of the regular army, being assigned to company A Tenth Infantry.

A. E. Tate has about completed extensive improvements to his dwelling on Broad St.

Capt. A. M. Rankin's house is undergoing improvements.

Miss Leona and Nellie Muse left this morning for Brokaw's to attend a house party.

Frank McKnight left today for Pittsburg, for a brief business trip.

W. P. Ragan is arguing a case before Referee Hoyle this afternoon in Greensboro, the parties interested being The Everhart Furniture Company of Burlington, and The Peoples House Furnishing Co. of High Point.

Judge Gold has had but few violators of the law before him this week. It makes a difference when the violator knows the city solicitor is there to prosecute. Mr. Zollicoffer makes a very efficient officer.

Splendid vaudeville at the Eagle tonight. Good pictures.

TO DISSOLVE

A. T. CO. SUPREME COURT TELLS ATTORNEY GENERAL TO GET BUSY

Washington, D. C., June 29.—The United States Supreme court today issued an order to the attorney general directing him to instruct the lower courts to carry out the supreme court's decision providing for the dissolution of the American Tobacco Company, the thirty days allowing for a rehearing having expired.

ROBBERS GET THE WRONG TRAIN AND MISS \$400,000 IN GOLD.

Glendale, Ore., June 29.—Apparently mistaking northbound passenger train No. 16 on the Southern Pacific, for the southbound train, carrying a \$400,000 gold shipment from Seattle to San Francisco, two bandits held up the northbound near West Fork last night in an isolated canyon. The robbers rifled the mail car, blowing open the safe and making away with the registered mail. They tried to gain entrance to the express car, but failed. The amount of booty obtained is unknown.

The robbers boarded the train while the engine was taking water. After it got under way again they crawled over the tender into the cab, ordered the engineer to stop the train. The mail car safe was dynamited by one of the robbers, while the other covered the train crew with revolvers.

NOTICE.

All the Mothers' Joy Boys will please call at Ring Drug Co. tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock for prize money.

THE TORRENCE Paint & Decorative Co.

Have opened a display of their decorative goods next to the Home Banking Co., under the management of their New York Decorator, MR. GEO. W. MAZE.

We cordially invite the public to call and inspect same.

White's

is the place to get exactly what you want.

It doesn't cost anything to look at our goods—and doesn't cost much to buy them.

Have you seen our Shoes?

We have not only good shoes for perfect feet, but we have perfect shoes for all feet.

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