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R. C. PATRICK,

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W. FRANK LONG,

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D. A. GARRISON,

DEATHS

FRED W. DUNN.
 In a hospital at Albuquerque, New Mexico, Friday morning, April 15, Fred Dunn said good-bye to friends on earth and crossed "the narrow strip of sea" to meet other friends over there, waiting to welcome him to the new home, where he could rest after the many weary months of suffering.

Fred was a victim of the dread disease, tuberculosis, contracted while in training camp at Fort Caswell, with the Fifth Coast Artillery. For this reason, he did not go overseas, but was sent to Asheville for hospital care. Here he grew gradually worse, and decided to go to New Mexico, with a hope for restoration. During the first months he did grow better, until he was exposed and developed influenza, from which he never recovered.

Fred was a splendid young man, in faith a Presbyterian. Surviving relatives in the immediate family are his wife, who was Miss Jessie Pickler, of Charlotte, two small children, Dorothy and Fred, his father, Mr. J. Ed Dunn, and one sister, Miss Kathleen Dunn, of Mt. Holly.

Of Real Interest Concerning The Old Lincoln County Court House.

There is something under way here in Lincolnton at this time — there is an undercurrent of real interest — and it is all about a quart of liquor. It has been handed down from month to month that in the year 1853, the year the old court house was built, a quart of brandy was placed in the northeast corner of this old landmark. Many are speculating on whether it has not evaporated by this time; and as to how long it would keep. Perhaps this will be cleared up when the old building is torn down, which it is to be very soon, and great crowds will perhaps be in town from the east, west, south and north to keep a weather eye for a bottle or jug of wet goods. If it was really placed there in the years gone by it will be found by some one, and the question has been raised as to who will get it; who can lawfully take charge of it, and who will dispose of this liquor — A court of investigation may have to sit since prohibition has invaded the nation since the booze was stored there. Who does it belong to? And will it cause a smile when found?

Another incident in connection with the Lincolnton court house as related by Mr. George Kiser "that when he was a small boy he saw a man who was feeling his oats on horse back dip his horse up the stairs of the court house and pause in the aisle in the center of the court room while court was in session, the room being filled with people, yell and ride down the steps on the other side. The man was arrested and heavily fined for contempt of court, and friends aided him in paying the fine, and he was released."

D. A. R. DISCUSSES SAFEGUARDS AGAINST EXTREME RADICALISM
 WASHINGTON, April 18.—National safeguards against extreme radicalism, Americanization and related issues formed the leading topic of discussion on the program for the thirtieth continental congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution convening here today to remain in session throughout the week. Hundreds of delegates were on hand to hear the address of greeting of Mrs. George A. Minot, president general, in formally opening the congress.

Following a day of business sessions devoted largely to hearing reports from the standing committees of the society, the program for tonight's session, for which President Harding, the cabinet and members of the diplomatic corps were among their invited guests, included addresses by Sir Auckland Gosles, the British ambassador, and J. J. Jusserand, the French ambassador.

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G. R. SPENCER,

FOR COUNCILMAN.
 I hereby announce myself a candidate for member of the city council, subject to the action of the municipal primary and respectfully solicit the support of the voters of Gastonia.
W. I. WALTERS,

FOR COUNCILMAN.
 I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the position of school commissioner from Ward 5, subject to the action of the municipal primary, and respectfully solicit the support of the voters of Gastonia.
L. N. GLENN,

FOR COUNCILMAN.
 I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the position of school commissioner from Ward 6, in the approaching election and respectfully solicit the support of the voters of Gastonia.
A. G. MYERS,

FOR COUNCILMAN.
 I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the position of school commissioner from Ward 7, in the approaching municipal election and respectfully solicit the support of the voters of Gastonia.
R. C. PATRICK,

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W. D. ANDERSON,

ANNOUNCEMENT.
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WITH THE WOMEN IN CITY AND COUNTY

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WHICH.

Suppose upon thy right hand stretched a road,
 Shaded by trees and very fair to see,
 Bordered with flowers, and very verdant soil,
 And one should say, "I give the choice to thee."
 "Between this road, which thou must tread alone,
 And this, which lieth here upon thy left,
 Narrow and cheerless, rough with many a stone,
 Arid and waste of trees and flowers bereft—
 "Yet, listen! If the latter choice be thine
 Love's self shall walk beside thee all the way—
 Wouldst thou accept that fellowship divine,
 Or choose the easier path? Beloved say!"
 —New York Herald.

LORAY TEXTILE CLUB ENTERTAINS LADIES.
 Thursday evening of last week the Loray Textile Club were hosts to the ladies of the village at an enjoyable social meeting held at Bradley Hall. Informal talks were made by Messrs. D. F. Short, C. J. Black, and W. P. Cargill, and refreshments were served by the Scouts and the Logawana Camp Fire girls.

CEMETERIES WELL KEPT.
 The improved appearance of the city cemeteries has been so widely commented upon by the women of the city that it seems only fair that a public word of praise and appreciation be accorded the cemetery keeper, Mr. Ben W. Craig. The well kept walks, trim shrubs, and carefully tended burial plots attest to the time, effort, and painstaking attention given by Mr. Craig to his work, and the women are deeply appreciative.

IT WAS EVER THUS.
 Two friends met at the library, one a Gastonia woman, the other a suburbanite. A prolonged conversation ensued, effusive on one side, monosyllabic on the other. Finally the effusive one said, "Now do come out to see me, come out and spend the day. You know we never get through talking when we meet for a few minutes like this."
 Her friend watched her through the door and then said wearily, "She means he never gets through. As for me, I never get started."

WEST END PHILATHEAS HAVE RECEPTION.
 Friday evening at the Loray community house the Philathea class of the West End Methodist church held a birthday reception. The rooms were very attractively arranged with pink roses, growing plants, and spring flowers. About 150 guests were present, each of whom brought as an admission fee a penny for each year of his age. Short talks were made by Messrs. James Nims, D. F. Short, and Rev. W. M. Robbins. Piano selections were enjoyed and refreshments of fruit punch and wafers were served by the Bluebirds and the Logawana Camp Fire girls. The proceeds amounted to \$46.

SOCIETY PERSONALS
 Miss Eda Cochran returned to her home in Shelby Sunday afternoon, after a visit of several days to friends in the city.
 Dr. and Mrs. H. Otis Lindberger left this morning for Raleigh after spending the week end in the city as the guests of Dr. Lindberger's sister, Mrs. Belvin Thompson, at her home on West Airline avenue. Dr. and Mrs. Lindberger only recently returned from a wedding trip to several Northern cities.

HOUSE WILL TAKE UP IMMIGRATION BILL
 WASHINGTON, April 18.—With the Colombian treaty debate still occupying the senate, the house was prepared today to take up the immigration restriction bill as its principal business for the second week of the extra congress. The immigration committee was ready to report the bill, which leaders plan to put through before the conclusion of the week, in the same form as vetoed by President Wilson.

The emergency tariff bill, passed by the house last week, began its course in the senate today with the opening of limited hearings before the finance committee on certain provisions of the bill's American valuation section. Chairman Penrose stated that the measure probably would not be reported out before late in the week, although it is hoped to press it to final action before the end of next week. This program may involve its placement of the Knox peace resolution, which the foreign relations committee will take up Wednesday with plans for an immediate report. Debate on the resolution is scheduled to follow disposal of the Colombian treaty, which under agreement comes to a vote Wednesday.

With the house planning to take up the army and navy budgets after disposing of the immigration bill, Secretary Weeks was prepared to transmit to the appropriations committee today estimates for an army of 175,000.

ROSS WILL IS HELD VALID BY JURY

MONROE, April 16.—At a quarter past 12 today the jury in the Ross will case called for the judge and returned a verdict for the propounders on every issue. The jury was out only 45 minutes. Attorneys for the executors immediately made a motion to set the verdict aside, which was denied, and they gave notice of appeal. This ends the hearing which commenced at noon on Tuesday, March 31, and occupied fifteen days' time.

By the terms of the will of the late Maggie Ross, which a Union county jury says should not be set aside, the residue of a large estate goes to three negroes. The estate consists of 15,000 acres of farming lands and about \$35,000 in money, several thousand dollars of which is gold coin found about the premises after Maggie Ross' death last summer. Specific bequests in the will are as follows:

Presbyterian Hospital, Charlotte, \$1,000; Piedmont Industrial school, Charlotte, \$1,500; Barium Springs Orphanage, \$2,000; Western North Carolina Conference, M. E. church, for home missions, \$1,000; North Carolina Synod, Presbyterian church, for home missions, \$2,000; Bonds Grove Methodist church, near Waxhaw, \$300; Marvin Methodist church, \$500; Banks Presbyterian church, \$1,000 and \$1,000 as a trust fund for maintenance of cemetery. Banks church also gets the house and three acres lot at Marvin for a house. R. A. Hudson, \$1,000; R. A. Hudson, Jr., \$1,000; Mrs. R. A. Hudson, \$500; Harry Hood, \$500; Dr. W. O. Nisbet, Charlotte, \$1,000; Will Garrison, Mrs. Maggie Moore, Mrs. Harriet Taylor and Margaret Jackson, \$200 each; two Varborough boys, tenants on the place, \$100 each; Mrs. Fannie Farley, \$200 and small bequests, totaling \$1,000 to sundry negro tenants on the Ross farm.

The remainder of the estate, real and personal, goes to Mittle Bell Houston, Robert B. Ross, her father, and Pleasant Tucker Houston, her daughter. The old home place of 800 acres is deeded to Rob Ross and Mittle Bell Houston jointly and at their deaths to Pleasant Tucker Houston and the other half and property either devised to them or provision made for its sale and the proceeds to be paid them.

LOCAL ADVISORY BOARD OF SALVATION ARMY IS ORGANIZED HERE

A number of representative citizens of the city have organized a community advisory board of the Salvation Army. Through this board the Salvation Army offers its institutions, its facilities, its forty years' experience in the solution of the more aggravated social welfare problems to all the people of this city and county. Mr. W. S. Bruce has been named president of the board; Mr. W. T. Lowe, vice president, and Mr. R. E. Caldwell, secretary and treasurer. Other members of the board are P. W. Bourland, Dr. D. A. Garrison, W. B. Morris, R. C. Patrick, E. J. Rankin, F. A. Sibley, H. A. Query, Cass W. Smith, J. W. Atkins, R. C. Berry, John G. Carpenter.

The Salvation Army plans to carry its rescue and relief work, as well as religious activities into every community in the country. Of all welfare organizations in existence, it is probable that there is no band of individuals who are so consecrated themselves as the workers of the Salvation Army. Their creed is "A man may be down but he'll never out," and the relief work they do demonstrates their devotion to the work of saving souls through the practical method of ministering to bodily comforts.

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