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FAVOR DREYFUS

Revision in the Celebrated Case Begins

FRIGHTFULL ACCIDENT

Express Collides with a Freight Train in New York—General Breckenridge Testifies Before the Investigators—OFF FOR CUBA.

Preparing Now for the Reception of Seventh Army Corps.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor. WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—After sailing from Savannah last night Major General Greene reported to the War Department this morning. He goes for the purpose of preparing camps in the vicinity of Havana for the reception of the Seventh Army Corps under General Lee. As senior officer of that part of the island, outside of the evacuation committee, General Greene will have full supervision of the preparations.

DREYFUS REVISION.

He is Notified and Allowed to Formulate Replies to Questions. By Cable to the Times-Visitor.

PARIS, Nov. 15.—The Court of Cassation has informed Minister of Colonies Guillain, that if he decided that Dreyfus would be informed by telegraph that a revision of the proceedings was commenced that he might prepare for his defense. The minister of colonies received a cable despatch saying Dreyfus was in good health. The decision of the court which informs the prisoner to prepare his defense is very significant, hitherto it has been generally admitted that no innovation should be introduced in the proceedings. The questions will now be drafted and posted to Dreyfus who will formulate his replies.

ARMY INCREASED.

By Cable to the Times-Visitor. BERLIN, Nov. 15.—The German army will be increased 15,000.

PATTI TO WED.

By Cable to the Times-Visitor. LONDON, Nov. 15.—The Manchester Guardian says that Patti announces her intention to marry Baron Cederstrom, a Swede, in February.

TWENTY DROWNED.

By Cable to the Times-Visitor. ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 15.—The frozen surface of the river Suchena at Vellestung broke today while a number of people and vehicles were crossing the stream. Twenty were drowned.

FEARFUL ACCIDENT.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor. KINGSTON, ONT., Nov. 15.—The Grand Trunk railway express from Montreal for Toronto collided with a freight train near Murray Hill early this morning. The accident occurred at two thirty. Eight passengers were killed. Many persons are reported injured. The accident occurred at a place called Diamond Crossing. The express train ran into an open switch colliding with a freight.

The dead are Brady, Belleville, Engineer Express; MacDonald, Belleville, fireman express, fireman freight and two unknown passengers. Three passengers unknown are fatally injured, an attorney, most occupants of Pullman cars are more or less seriously hurt. Ten of the wounded are at Belleville hospital.

CHIPPEWA INDIANS.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor. WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—Two delegations of Chippewa Indians from Minnesota are expected to be here in time for the opening of Congress. They will be heard on the logging problem of their reservation. They represent factions.

METEORIC SHOWERS.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor. SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 15.—The expectations of the observers at the Lick observatory on Mount Hamilton concerning the results to be obtained by observation of the meteoric showers this month have not been realized. The "showers" of Saturday morning was disappointing, but scientists hope for a display after midnight Saturday and Sunday.

WANT TO COME HOME.

By Cable to the Times-Visitor. WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—Great pressure is being brought upon the administration to have the volunteers in the Philippines returned to this country. Nearly every State has asked through its Governor and Representatives in Congress for troops to be sent home. The war department says that there is no way of relieving these troops.

BRECKENRIDGE TESTIFIES.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor. WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—General Breckenridge continued his testimony before the war investigators, dealing with the campaign in Cuba and the transportation of troops. He said that he had gone to Cuba as inspector general arriving at Tampa June 5th. He observed the casualty in the preparations for the disembarkation of troops before the expedition left and concluded that they were quite inadequate but made no report, however, he said, because Miles was there and could observe for himself. He said there was no preparation for landing in the face of the enemy other than that which the navy might furnish, so far as he observed only two lighters and two scows were secured in behalf of the army before the departure from Tampa. His understanding was that the navy were co-operating in this expedition.

General Breckenridge criticized the military operations before Santiago, which he said they were sacrificed to haste and that the Lord won Shafter's victory, that if Miles had been in active command things would have gone better. He said that General Toral's nerve gave way.

HEARD AT SMITHFIELD.

Mrs. Buffalo Asks the Custody of Her Child and Alimony.

Messrs. Douglass & Simms left today for Smithfield where they will appear before Judge Bryant in the case of Mrs. Julia H. Buffalo vs. A. J. Buffalo. Mrs. Buffalo's petition before Judge Bryant is for the custody of the child and alimony pending the final settlement of her suit for divorce.

FUNERAL OF MRS. BROWN.

Funeral service over the remains of the late Mrs. Lydia Lane Brown was conducted from the Edenton street Methodist church this morning at 11 o'clock by the pastor, Rev. Dr. W. C. Norman. He paid a beautiful tribute to the worth and usefulness of Mrs. Brown in her church and referred to the many charitable acts of her life. He read 10th to 20th verses of 31 chapter of Proverbs. The interment was in Oakwood cemetery.

The pall-bearers were Messrs. C. H. Belvin, W. B. Hutchings, A. M. McPheeters, W. H. Hughes, A. M. Powell, T. H. Briggs, W. J. Young, J. I. Johnson.

THE RIGHT MEN FOR THE RIGHT PLACES.

Editor Times-Visitor: In your yesterday's edition I saw a comment under the heading of "A Suggestion," in relation to "some one" suggesting "Mr. B. R. Lacy for Mayor, and Mr. W. C. McMackin for superintendent of county roads," and stating that "those gentlemen held positions under the last Democratic administration," etc.

Mr. C. R. Lee, the author of the article states that "new men should be given a chance to hold the office," etc. That may be so in regard to some offices, but in the cases of Messrs. Lacy and McMackin, the circumstances are of a different nature.

Mr. Lacy has never been nominated to any elective office, nor has he been voted for by the people for any office. He was appointed to the office of "Bureau of Labor Statistics," and has held no other office; although, in the last presidential campaign the writer of this article heard him make "the speech" at Wilmington to the largest assemblage of workmen and others that was addressed in said city.

Mr. Lacy represents the mechanics, and workmen, and it would be a compliment to the mass of voters to nominate such a worthy and efficient gentleman for Mayor of the city of Raleigh.

Appropos the nomination of Mr. McMackin there is no man in the State who is the superior, if the equal, of that gentleman as superintendent of roads, as he has proved in the past, and as he was turned out of office by the success of the Populist party, he should be reinstated by the accession of the Democratic party to power. The county macadamized roads are in a fearful condition, and his reinstatement to his former position cannot take place too soon.

A MECHANIC TAX PAYER.

WILL RETURN HOME.

It is learned that Lieutenant B. C. Woodall, of Company I, has resigned his commission and will return to Durham about the first of December and take charge of his harness shop. It is also stated that Capt. J. C. Michie will resign his commission as captain of the same company and return to Durham take the position he left when he went to the front—that of superintendent of the Durham Water Company.—Durham Herald.

AT VALETTA.

By Cable to the Times-Visitor. VALETTA, Nov. 15.—The Emperor and Empress aboard the "Hohenzollern" arrived today, escorted by the German warship "Heka" and the British torpedo boat Destroyer.

Russia is getting ready for a rousing welcome to Thomas A. Edison, who will shortly visit that country.

THE CELEBRATION

Great Democratic Jollification Tonight

PROMINENT SPEAKERS

The Triumphant Arch—Procession Forms at Six O'clock—Two Stands Erected at Nash Square.

This evening the Democrats of Raleigh and other parts of the State will celebrate the great victory won at the polls last Tuesday. All arrangements are now complete.

The city will be brilliantly illuminated along the entire line of march. The business places and residences will be suitably lighted.

The arch which spans Fayetteville street in front of the market house is now complete. It will present a beautiful appearance when illuminated tonight. The trimming is in red, white and blue with star electric lights and flags on the top. The arch will be adorned with pictures of Chairman F. M. Simmons, Chairman Armistead Jones, Colonel J. S. Carr and Mr. Josephus Daniels. This is by far the most magnificent arch ever seen in Raleigh. On one side is inscribed "Good Will to All," and on the other "Good Government."

The procession will form at six o'clock in front of the Centennial school. All who will participate have been enjoined to be on time.

The line of march will be as follows: Starting at the foot of Fayetteville street, up Fayetteville street to Morgan street, out Morgan to Wilmington street; thence to Newbern avenue, out Newbern avenue to Blount street, out Blount street to North street, out North street to Wilmington street, down Wilmington street to Edenton street, and thence around the Capitol Square to Hillsboro street, out Hillsboro to Dawson street, and down Dawson to Nash Square. Short speeches will be made along the line of march. The principal speaking will be at Nash Square, which will be brilliantly illuminated. Tar barrels at short distances apart will make it as light as day along the route.

Speeches will be made when the procession reaches the capitol square, at the corner of Edenton and Wilmington and two stands have been erected in Nash Square where if the crowd is too large to hear one speaker two can speak at the same time.

The following are some of the speakers.

Hon. Locke Craig, of Asheville. Capt. W. B. Shaw, of Henderson. Hon. Lee S. Overman, of Salisbury. Hon. F. M. Simmons, of Raleigh. Hon. F. D. Winston, of Bertie. Hon. R. N. Hackett, of Wilkesboro. Hon. Theo. Klutz, of Salisbury. Hon. B. F. Long, of Statesville. Senator R. A. P. Cooley, of Nash. Hon. R. D. Gilmer, of Waynesville. All the marshals will be furnished sashes of red, white and blue at the Mayor's office. Chief Marshal John Stronach has everything ready. All Democrats are invited to participate. Tar barrels have been placed along the line of march.

PROMINENT DEMOCRATS.

Among the leading Democrats who are in the city to participate in the jollification tonight are, Hon. Francis D. Winston, of Bertie; Hon. Lee S. Overman, of Salisbury; Mr. R. A. P. Cooley, Senator-elect from Nash county; Mr. B. F. Long, of Statesville; Hon. Wiley Rush, Solicitor for the Seventh district; Mr. Z. V. Jenkins, chairman Nash county Democratic committee; Judge A. C. Avery, of Morganton; ex-Sheriff John P. Arrington and Hon. Ben H. Bunn, of Nash county; Hon. Dan. Hugh McLean, of Dunn; Harnett county; Hon. R. D. Gilmer, of Waynesville; Hon. Locke Craig, of Asheville; Hon. Theo. F. Klutz, of Rowan; Hon. W. B. Shaw, of Vance; Hon. C. M. Cooke, of Franklin; Hon. C. B. Aycock, of Wayne; ex-Senator Thos. J. Jarvis, of Greenville.

NEW CORPORATION.

The Secretary of State issued incorporation papers today for Southern Card Clothing and Reed Company of Charlotte for the manufacture and sale of supplies for cotton and woolen mills. The capital stock is \$25,000 with the privilege of increasing to \$50,000. The stockholders are George S. Hall, J. A. McMillan and J. J. Adams.

Miss Alice Moore, Miss Linney Moore and Miss Lola Diggs of the Portsmouth Dramatic Club were handsomely entertained by Mrs. L. N. White at her home on South Blount street.

Deputy U. S. Marshal J. C. Parish captured a negro "moonshiner" one day last week near Laurel Hill. He was placed in the Rockingham jail to await his trial at the United States court.—Maxton Blade.

His Wife—Why don't you go to the doctor and find out just what you ought to eat and what you ought to avoid? Dyspeptic—Oh, I know all that now. I ought to eat everything I do.—Tit-Bits.

PRISCILLA

Charming Comedy Presented By Portsmouth Dramatic Club.

The presentation of Priscilla by the Portsmouth Dramatic Club in the Academy of Music last evening was a brilliant success, when reviewed from either an artistic or financial point. The academy was filled with an audience representative of the social culture of the capital city—such an audience as the Portsmouth Dramatic Club alone can draw. Last evening the Club completely eclipsed its brilliant success of two years ago when "Princess Bonnie" charmed a large audience. "Priscilla" received such matchless appreciation and hearty applause as is seldom bestowed upon any attraction in Raleigh.

"Priscilla" was given for the benefit of Rex Hospital and it is a pleasure to know that a neat sum will be cleared for this worthy object. The people of Raleigh feel deeply indebted to Mrs. J. B. Shipp, who organized and has since managed this dramatic club, to each member of the company and to the committee from the Ladies Hospital Society who secured "Priscilla" for Raleigh and worked so indefatigably for its success.

The plot of the beautiful comic Puritan opera is familiar to all many bright and catchy innovations added a charm to the presentation.

"Priscilla, the pretty pilgrim," was portrayed by Mrs. J. Griff Edwards, charmed Raleigh two years ago as "Princess Bonnie." She has a sweet clear soprano voice reaching the highest notes without the least apparent effort. She is charmingly graceful and her dainty acting increased her popularity with her captivated audience.

Miss S. R. Williams, as Barbara, was exceedingly clever. Her sweet contralto voice brought her encore after encore.

Miss M. Pablo rendered a solo selection at the beginning of the second act that was enthusiastically received. She has an unusually rich alto.

Misses Lizzie C. Hill and Mattie Porter were charming "May Flower Buds."

Mr. T. J. Anderson, general passenger Agent of the S. A. L., acted the part of John Aldren. As the blushing bashful wooer of "Priscilla" Mr. Anderson was a success, and received the hearty congratulations of his hosts of friends.

Mr. Geo. McDermott made a splendid hit. He was repeatedly encored, and at each response the audience went wild with applause.

Among the good things he sang were the following: In the papers of late I read that the North State

Was having a political fight, And that she was striving to free herself from rulers not white. Now election is o'er and of course some feel sore,

But the Old North State her honors deemed. And though descendants of Ham Tried to rule the land, They will never do so now.

The members of the chorus were: Misses C. Hill, B. Hill, L. Diggs, L. Foreman, M. Pablo, M. Majette, L. Brandt, D. Brandt, M. Roswell, C. McCoy, Z. Seabrook, Mrs. G. Harris, Mrs. Jas. Davis, Mrs. Richard Watson, Mrs. Frank Menzies and Misses M. Bohannon, L. Moore, C. Williams, N. Eley.

Messrs. D. Walton, S. Anderson, C. Butt, Ellis, K. Plummer, W. Childense, Huzzard, Williams, Roane, Eloy. The Orphans' Orchestra contributed largely to the success of the occasion. The orchestra is composed of decidedly strong talent and the music was superbly rendered. The members are: Mrs. E. H. Harrell, First Violin. Mr. E. H. Harrell, First Violin. Miss Lella B. Scott, Second Violin. Mrs. W. P. Harrell, Viola. Mr. Jas. A. Davis, Double Bass. Mr. G. M. Reynolds, Flute. Mr. C. S. Sherwood, Jr., First Cornet. Mr. A. E. Owen, Jr., Second Cornet. Mr. W. P. Harrell, Trombone. Miss Margaret McHugh, Pianist.

EXECUTION OF JIM BOOKER.

The date for the execution of Jim Booker, the negro now in jail here under sentence of death for killing Mahaley White, his sweetheart, will be fixed by the Governor today. Booker was convicted a year ago, but took an appeal to the Supreme Court. Two weeks ago the decision was handed down sustaining the lower court. As the date originally set for the execution while the appeal was pending, passed it is now the Governor's duty to fix another time for it.

A NEW TOPEKA IN CUBA.

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 14.—Kansas will furnish the first colony of immigrants to settle in Cuba from the United States. John T. Veny, a colored Baptist preacher, well known in Topeka, has arranged to make a settlement of colored people near Santiago, and expects to start from Topeka with about thirty families in twenty or thirty days. For several years it has been a cherished dream of Mr. Veny to commence a settlement of his race in some Southern clime. Since the war closed he has turned his attention to Cuba and has concluded that there are many inducements for his project in that country. He has been there and understated it. His idea is to establish a town on the high land above Santiago, which he will call Topeka.

SONS OF THE REVOLUTION.

Regular Annual Session Meets This Evening.

The regular annual meeting of the Sons of the Revolution will be held in the Supreme Court building this afternoon at 4:30.

The present officers are as follows: President, Dr. P. E. Hines; Vice-president, Col. Thos. S. Kenan; Secretary, Mr. Marshall Delancy Haywood; treasurer, H. W. Jackson; registrar, Prof. D. H. Hill, and Chaplain, Rev. Robert Brent Doane, D. D., of Edenton.

At this meeting the gavel will be used for the first time which was recently presented to this society by Ensign A. A. McKethan, U. S. N. This gavel is made from the Spanish flag ship "Infanta Maria Teresa." It is mounted in silver and inscribed, "Wood from Spanish flag ship 'Infanta Maria Teresa,' disabled and captured by Americans near Santiago de Cuba, July 3, 1898. To N. C. Sons of the Revolution, from A. A. McKethan, U. S. Navy."

At this afternoon's session the annual election of officers will take place.

THE LIGHT QUESTION.

Chairman McDondla Makes a Timely Suggestion to the Public.

Editor of the Times-Visitor—I notice that citizens inform you that a certain light on a certain street has not been lighted for several days. This is to inform citizens that if they will inform me of such matters that they shall have prompt attention. I take it that you are too busy attending to your business affairs to give me your personal attention. All lights not burning of which I have been informed, have been put in order—and if not will be at once. All citizens are requested to light any gaslight (street light) that may not have been lighted by the boys who are employed by the Gas Company for this purpose. Don't wait for them to come around, if they are too late, as the city pays for every gas light from dusk to dawn. I am confident that all citizens who are interested in having light will turn on the light when they see it out, and will not consider it any trouble to strike a match and light the lamp. I will deem it a favor for any citizen to drop me a card as to any failure of any gas light to burn.

Very respectfully,
C. C. McDONALD,
Chairman Light Committee.

GOOD ROADS.

Tr. Editor—I see a "Suggestion" offered in your issue of yesterday. Now let me suggest a thing or two. Everybody knows that Raleigh township has paid for the education and experience of Mr. McMackin in road matters, and every one knows how satisfactory to all he permanently improved the roads and bridges, and how he managed the convicts, and we all know that he can take right hold of the roads and again put them in proper fix without a hitch.

Ninety-five per cent of the voters expect him put back, and that was one of the great issues in our recent campaign.

I hear Republicans expressing their wishes in his behalf. He is the only man that will give universal satisfaction.

A LIFE LONG DEMOCRAT.

NEW RIVER.

Is one of the most beautiful sheets of water in the State, but there is no comparison of its beauty to the fine flavor of those cultivated and selected Oysters that arrive daily at 124 east Martin street.

DONE WITH THE NEGRO.

Col. Fortune Wants Him Colonized—Republican Party Lily White.

Editor Charlotte Observer. I see in the Observer of November 11th, Colonel Old represents me as saying that this election has settled two things—established white supremacy and put an end to the Populist party.

When asked by Colonel Olds what I had to say about the election, I said this: "It has settled two things. It has eliminated the negro from politics and put an end to the Populist party."

I said further that I wanted to see the Republican party in North Carolina organize on the line of the national Republican platform, as it is organized in New York, New Jersey, Ohio, Indiana and other States. And let the Populists take their stand politically where they please.

As to the future of the negroes, colonization is the thing for them. And every leading negro in the United States should begin to advocate it.

Respectfully,
J. B. FORTUNE.

Raleigh, Nov. 12th.

COLONEL LENDS HIS MEN \$10,000.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 14.—Through the generosity of Col. Charles Plaff the non-commissioned staff and men of the First Heavy Artillery will receive \$15 each on Monday, previous to their being mustered out of the United States service. The money is to be loaned to the men, who are to reimburse Col. Plaff when they receive their pay from the government. The 667 men will be advanced \$10,000.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Familiar Faces in the Passing Throng

SHORT STATEMENTS

Movement of People You Know—Gleanings in and About the City—Snatches of Today's Street Gossip.

Congressman-elect Atwater is in town.

Mr. J. S. Manning, of Durham, is in the city.

It bids fair to be a "Hot Time in the Old Town Tonight."

The marshal's headquarters for the celebration tonight will be at the Mayor's office.

Mr. J. F. Edwards, brother of Mr. C. B. Edwards of this city, and treasurer-elect of Granville county, is visiting relatives in the city.

You should not fail to see the handsome picture in W. F. Wyatt & Son's ad. today. Mr. Wyatt invites all of the "Red Shirts" to examine his line of harness before leaving the city.

The Chamber of Commerce meeting will not be held this evening as expected, but will be held Tuesday 21st. This evening will be fully occupied with the grand celebration.

Twenty one trains of soldiers have passed through Raleigh over the Seaboard Air Line going South since Friday last. The mail trains have been delayed some on account of this heavy traffic.

The sympathy of the entire community goes out to Mayor and Mrs. W. M. Russ, in their bereavement by the death of their son John P. H. Russ, which occurred Sunday night. The funeral services were held from the Good Shepherd Church late yesterday evening.

The case of Judge Norwood against Auditor Ayer in which the Judge seeks to compel the Auditor to issue warrants for his salary comes up before Judge Bryant at Smithfield. Mr. W. C. Douglas represents the Auditor, night.

Bro. Whitfield Cobb, son of Rev. Dr. N. B. Cobb, having decided to accept a position of teacher in South Carolina, Bro. John Royall has succeeded him as cleric to Bro. J. D. Boushall, the treasurer of our convention, State Manager of the Aetna Insurance Company, and recently elected member of the General Assembly from Wake. We are sure Bro. Royall has a successful future before him. We regret to lose the last representative of our esteemed Dr. Cobb's family from Raleigh, and trust he will become highly useful in the new field that he now enters.—Biblical Recorder.

THE WEATHER.

For Raleigh and vicinity fair tonight and Wednesday; warmer Wednesday afternoon.

The weather remains cloudy on the South Atlantic and Gulf coasts, but throughout the greater part of the country clear skies prevail this morning, with fine, cold weather. An extensive area of high barometer occupies the entire central section of the country. The temperature has been down to freezing in the Ohio and Mississippi valleys, and as low as 29 degrees further west, but is now rising under the influence of a low area north of Minnesota. The amounts of rain reported from the Atlantic and Gulf States were small.

THE WARSCOPE.

At Metropolitan Opera House Wednesday and Thursday nights.

The Great Warscope showing moving pictures of Spanish-American war, this is an entertainment that is educational, instructive and entertaining.

This exhibition comprises the most wonderful and realistic pictures of Cuba, Havana, war and naval scenes. The Warscope gives a picturesque illustration of Cuba. This like every other part of the exhibition has a peculiar charm to the observer. They behold the natural scenery of the far famed island, they learn all of their customs and peculiarities and find at the close of this most instructive and captivating exhibition that they have made a visit through every part of the "Queen of the Antilles." You will see the same pictures that were cheered by the enthusiastic crowd at Proctor's theatre in New York city, you will see the funeral of the victims of the Maine disaster. This is one of the most impressive scenes ever witnessed it will impinge a thrill of sympathy in every American heart. The whole scene passes before the spectator just as it occurred and its effects is pathetically realistic.

At Metropolitan opera house Wednesday and Thursday, Nov. 16-17. Ladies if accompanied by holder of a \$0c. ticket admitted free. Prices, 10, 20, 30 cts.