GOV. LEARY IN TROUBLE

The Governor of Guam May Retire From His Office

Washington, D. C., March 20.—Capt. Leary, of the United States Navy, will probably be relieved of his duties as the Governor of Guam. His orders have caused offense. He explains that his order prohibiting the ringing of church bells was on account of seven-teen cases of typhoid fever—in—the

American marine garrison, He has been instructed to amend his order abolishing the custom of suspending all labor on church feast

days. The Governor's order abolishing sta very in Guam is approved.
[Guam is the smallest acquisition of the United States in the recent war with Spain, and is situated in the Pa-cific. The population is estimated at 10,000, and its area is about the same

as this county.] TEXAS ANTI-TRUST LAW.

Washington, D. C., March 20 .- The Supreme Court in the case of Waters Pipers Oil Company against the State of Texas in a limited way upholds the Texas anti-trust law. In the opinion of lawyers it does not touch the constitutional questions involved.

New York, March 20.-The big buildings of the National White Lead Com-pany, of Port Richmond, on Staten sland, were burined this morning. The loss is one hundred thousand dollars.

NATIONAL WHITE LEAD CO.

MACHINE SHOP BURNED.

Middletown, N. Y., March 20.- The New York Ontaria Western Machine shops were burned this morping. The loss is fort ythousand dolars.

TWENTY-FIVE DROWNED.

Vienna, March 20.-Twenty-five peasants were drowned today while rossing the Danube at the village of Emz.

STOCK EXCHANGE.

New York, March 20.-Wild excite ment prevailed this morning on the stock exchange. Third Avenue stock opened at ninety to one hundred against eight-five close last night. Dealings were heavy. Metropolitan and Brooklyn Rapid Transit shared in

MRS. HOLDEN DEAD.

Widow of Ex-Gov. Holden Died Suddenly Today.

Mrs. Louisn Virginia Holden, widow of the late Governor William W. Holden, died suddenly this morning at her residence, corner of Hargett and Mc-Dowell streets. Mrs. Holden ate breakfast this morning and seemed in her usual health, until ten o'clock, when she died suddenly, without warning, Governor Holden died in March, 1892.

Holden city, a sister of the late Mayor Harrison, and a daughter of the late Robert and Mary Harrison. She was

60 years, 4 months and 7 days old.
She leaves four children—Mrs. C.
A. Sherwood, Mrs. Walter R. Henry,
of Charlotte, Mr. C. C. Holden, of Baltimore, and Miss Loula T. Holden,
Mrs. Holden was a noble Christian
wayman and have death is homosted woman and her death is lamented deeply by all who knew her. The funeral service will be conduct-

ed tomorrow afternoon, but the ho has not yet been announced,

DEATH OF MR. ARMSTRONG'S FATHER

Mr. T. A. Armstrong returned to the city yesterday from Paterson, New Jersey, where he was called by the illness of his father. Mr. Armstrong received a telegram last Saturday announcing the illness of his father, and he left immediately for Paterson, but his fatchr passed away before he reached the scene. Mr. Armstrong says that his father was apparently in perfect health until four days before his death. He died from an appendicitis and was conscious to

almost the very last.

The many friends here of Mr. Armstrong sympathize with him in

MEETING TONIGHT.

There will be a meeting of Chapter 10, Royal Arch Masons, tonight at 7:30 o'clock for work in the R. A. degree Visiting companions are cordially invited to be present.

CHORAL SOCIETY TO-NIGHT,

The Choral Society will meet this evening at 8 o'clock in the Auditorium annex of the State Institution for the It is requested that all members of the society, both gentlemen and ladies, attend the meeting to-

A JOINT DEBATE.

Prof. Albert Whitehouse, of Trinity College, has challenged Mr. C. L. Van Noppen, of Greensboro, to a public de bate in Durham tonight, the question "Resolved, That Great Britain justifiable in her warfare against

Mr. Whitehouse is an Englishman and will uphold the English cause while Mr. VanNoppen, who is Dutchman, will talk for the Boers

Mr. VanNoppen has lectured at quite a number of places in the State, and only last week lectured before the students of the A. and M. College in this city. Last night be appeared be-fore the University. He has accepted Mr. Whitehouse's challenge and an Book of Daniel, 5:27. interesting evening is expected.

MR. DREWRY ANSWERS MR. C. C. McDONALD

Calls Latters Remarks "Contemptible lasinuations"

MR. CHAS. ROOT GAVE THE OPTIONS TO THE CITY

Mr. Drewry Considers Mr. McDonald' Remarks Beneath Notice of a Gentleman--Covert and Unfounded

To the Editors:

Mr. McDonald in his card of yesterday says "he was surprised that
Mr. Drewry did not mention his little pet," the city lot," In the first
place, the Board had not decided to buy the city lot, nor any other, and neither that nor any other location was involved in the election; and besides McDonald's insinuations in re gard to the city lot, which insinua-tions involved another gentleman as well as myself, were so contemptible, that I considered them beneath the no tice of a gentleman.

I give below a copy of the option taken in the name of the city, also a statement from Mr. Root in regard to it, both of which explain themselves. This is the only option which I have taken either directly or indirectly, and is the only one with which I have been connected in any way, manner, of the hotel, shape or form, and this was done in The comi shape or form, and this was done in my judgment and that of others for the best interests of the city. There was an option given by Mrs. Tacker to the city, which was read by Mr. A. Thompson at a meeting of the Board of Aldermen: this is the only lead to the city with the law any community of large marties from the south.

decent white man may attach a shadow of belief to the covert and an founded instinuations which have been made by Mr. McDonahd.

JOHN C. DREWRY.

CHANGED THE PLACE OF MEET-

Raleigh, N. C., January 50, 1900, John C. Drewry, Esq., Raleigh, N. C.

Dear Sir:-Referring to our conver sation a few days since in regard to the City Lot, I will say that I will give the city an option on same at \$10,000,00—this option to hold good for twelve months. In this matter not only represent myself but Joseph Gales, Esq., who owns two-fifths of the property

Very truly yours, CHARLES ROOT.

John C. Drewry is correct in every particular. It will be seen from the option itself that it was given to the city and not to Mr. Drewry. There ity and not to Mr. Drewry. There hever was any understanding in any never was any understanding in any meyer was any understanding in any meyer was not then the option indiway otherwise than the option indi-on Wednesday evening in the Acade cates. It was simply a clear business my of Music. proposition.

CHARLES ROOT.

A MUSICAL RECITAL

Young Women Students Delightfully **Eutertained Their Friends**

A musical recital was given by the pupils of the Baptist Female Universi ly at the University on Saturday even The affair was a most delightful one and those who were so fortunite as to be present thoroughly enjoy The following program was render-

1. Piano Solo- "H Troyatore"-(arr

Dorn)—Miss Mamie Berry, 2, Vocal Solo—"Angel Sernade" (Braga) - Miss Lura Duke. Piano Solo-"Dein

(Larnge) - Miss Lessie Upchurch. 4. Violin Solo-"Fantaisie Faust"-(arr. Singlelee) - Miss Jessie Wyatt. 5. Piana Solo "Valse" - (Wollen-haupt) - Miss Moozelle Stringfield. Violin Solo-"Cavatina"-(Rohm)

-Hubert Potent. 7. Piano Solo-"The Flatterer" (Chaminade)—Miss Ruth Pope. 8. Vocal Solo—"Sunset"—(Dudley

Buck)-Miss Loula Briggs.
9. Violin Solo-"Hungarian Melodie -(Bela)-Mr. Richardson. 10. Piano Solo-"Valse"-"Liebling

Miss Janie Mason. 11. Vocal Solo—"Ave Maria" Mascagni) - Miss Mamie Norris. 12. Violin Solo, - "Fantaisie Martha (arr. Singelce)—James Thomas. 13. Vocal Solo—"The Bandelero"

Stewart)—Dr. II. A. Royster. 14. Piano Solo—"Etude in A Flat" -(Wollenhaupt)—Miss Elizabeth Pitt-

15. Chorss-"Summer"-(Wilson)-By Sightsinging class.

legrees on a number of candidates of the lodge at Clayton: Charles F. Lumsden. Capt., Col. Z. P. Smith, J. N. McRary, Perrin Busbee, B. H. Woodell, W. E. Faison, Capt. J. J. Fayetteville Observer.

Bernard, Irwin T. Jones, Cameron McRae and E. A. Womble. Clayton has a flourishing lodge of will meet with a cordial reception.

Editors Times-Visitor: The reason the tax-payers voted down the proposition of the majority market house can be found in the

CITIZEN.

COLDER—HEAVY FROST

For Ruleigh and vicinity: Fair, colder tonight and Wednesday, with henvy frost.

storm has moved to the St. Lawrence Valley, leaving a secondary depression over the middle Atlantic States. Light mins occurred through-out the east. The largest amounts were 1.56 inches at Mobile and 1.52 at Jacksonville. A cold wave of considerable strength has appeared in the extreme northwest, and the temperature has fallen below freezing as far south as Dodge City, Kans., St. Louis, Mo., and Cincinnati, Ohio. Heavy frosts may be expected in North Caro lina Wednesday morning and especial ly Thursday morning.

NETHERSOLE GRANTED JURY

TRIAL. New York, March 20.—Abe Hummel counsel for Alga Nethersole, who has been playing Sappho here, reported today that he had received a telegram from Judge Fursman announcing that he had decided favorably on his application for jury trial.

New York, March 20.- March and April, 9,52; May, 9,51; June 9,43; July, 9.42; August, 9.33. MAKING GREAT PREPARATIONS

Mr. C. B. Barbee Left Today to Meet Mr. Scoville at Morehead City

Mr. C. B. Barbee left this morning for Morehead City, where he will meet Mr. George Scoville, of Atlanta, who has been engaged to manage the Atwith Mr. Scoville that everything may be in readiness for a great opening

The coming season at Morehead Board of Aldermen: this is any other option of which I have any commodation of large parties from knowledge. knowledge.

I make this statement for fear some that other States will be well repredecent white man may attach a seried at Morehead City throughout the Barbee will be gone

CHANGED THE PLACE OF MEET-

The meeting of the Daughters of the Revolution announced to be held at the residence of Mrs. Sherwood Higgs, has been changed to meet at the residence of Mrs. Annie Moore Parker, Edenton street, on Wednesday evening (21st), at 4 o'clock p. ta Members of the society will please note the change.

MRS. T. K. BRUNER, Secretary,

THE FIRST REHEARSAL. In the Academy of Music fast night about forty-five young people met for the first rehearsal of "Powhatan," the The statement made above by Mr. comis opera to be presented just after my of Music.

HORSON GIVES FLAG POLE.

A letter has been received from Lieutenant Richmond Pearson Hobson in which he gives directions as to the disposition of the topmast—of—the Spanish erniser Almirante—Oquendo. This must which is at the Portsmouth Va., navy yard. Mr. Hobson has given to the city of Montgomery, Ala., and suggests that he has forwarded aboard the American bark Adolph O'Brig the lower mast of the Spanish gunboat Don Juan de Austria. From these two masts he proposes that a flag pole shall be made which shall be erected at Montgomery.

The constructor, whose exploit in connection with the Merrimae has made him famous all over the world, proposes to give the Montgomery fulks the flag which he hoisted on the ill-fated Infanta Maria Teresa which was afterward lost on Cat Island, - Portsmouth Star.

OR. SMITH MAY BE CALLED.

It is reported that Dr. Egbert AV Smith has been approached by the of-ficers of the Second Presbyterian Church of Richmond, Va., with a view to ascertaining if he would accept a eall. This is probably the leading pul-pit of this denomination of the South Dr. Moses D. Hoge, the most eloquent divine of the Southern Presbyterian church, was its pastor from its or-ganization to the time of his death extending over a period of fifty years Since the death of Dr. Hoge the pulpit has not been filled by a regular pas-tor. It is to be hoped that Dr. Smith will decline the call, Greenboro Tele-

BAPTIST CHURCH CALLS A PAS

At a congregational meeting yes The following members of the Odd Fellows' joint degree staff left this afternoon for Clayton to confer the Baptist church at Morganton, N. C. Mr. Porter preached here recently and the congregation was so well pleased with him that this action has been virtually assured since then .-

Tom-"Won't you really admit that he's generous?" Dick-"No; I can't see he's generous?' Odd Fellows and the Raleigh members R." Tom—"Come now! Did he ever give will meet with a cordial reception. you anything?" Dick—"Yes; once he gave me a cigar. If he had been truly generous he would have smoked it him-

Three things too much and three too of the Board of Aldermen to sell our little are persicious to man; to speak market house can be found in the much and know little; to spend much, and have little; to presume much, and be worth little,-Cervantes,

THE CHRISTIAN

The most important dramatic attraction of the season in Raleigh will be the production of Hall Caine's play "The Christian" at the Academy of Music on Thursday night, March 29th. Tunis F. Dean, representing the company, is now in the city perfecting the preliminaries with Boers Said to be Retreating to Manager Rivers. The organization num-bers over fifty people with Miss Effic Ellster as the star. Miss Ellster is hersel, a strong drawing atttractio, but coming as she does on this occasion with the play of the year, the theatre will no doubt prove too small to accommodate

Although Mr. Caine's intention, in the construction of this play, was to teach a moral lesson, he has not forced it on the attention of the audience; it is presented but incidentally to one of the most fasefrating dramatic love stories that has ever been related on the stage. Effb Ellsier as "Glory Quayle" and J. M. Col-ville as "John Storm." share the stellar honors, white Frank Weston, Edwaru Emery, Carrie Lee Stoyle, Mart J. Cody, Faunchon Campbell, Richard Harold. Frank Lyons, Elizabeth Mayhew, Edith DeGroff, Sue VanDuson, W. S. St. Clair, Harry Battle, Henry Sutton, John Lane Beck, James Farrell, Geo. Deichmann, Samuel Hoops all contribute to the gen-eral excellence of the performance.

OPEN OFFICE IN MOBILE

Mr. Ramsey, of Salisbury, Goes There for Pearson & Ashe

Mr. Thomas M. Ashe, of the firm of Pearson and Ashe, of this city, left yesterday for Mobile, Ma., where he son. Mr. Barbee will talk over the matters that Barbee Erothers have under consideration for the improvements at the Atlantic and will arrange with Mr. Scoville that exceptions supervise for Messrs. Pearson and Ashe the work that is now being done on the new buildings of which they are architects.

The new office in Mobile will be centrally and conveniently located if will be permanent as Messes. Pearson and Ashe have recently received a large amount of additional work from that city and from other points in Alabama. One or the other of the two will be in Mobile the greater part of

will be in Mobile the greater part of the time, and Mr. Ramsey will make Mobile his home.

Mr. Ramsey is well known in Rat-cigh, where for four years he was a student at the Agricultural and Me-chanical College. He is a young man of good qualities and of the best busi-ness qualifications, and will doubtless do will for his firm and for himself do well for his firm and for himself in his new home. This is another A. and M. student to go out direct from the college prepared to take up the

MEMORIAL PARK

Washington, March 20. The Hous Committee on Military affairs toda, authorized a favorable report on the bill providing for a memorial park of the largest battlefields of the world These comprises Chancellorsville Salem Church, Fredericksburg Spotsylvania Court House, Wildernes and other battle fields in Virginia.

DIED IN THREE MINUTES:

A Terrible Accident at Elm City Two Year Old Girl.

M bdxing 8 v . 6 . 6 . 6 . 6 . 6 . 6 . 6 . Wilson News, March 19th. A terrible tragedy occurred near Em City Saturday night, bringing

grief to a happy home.

Mr. Lee Greenwood had been taking pills containing arsenic, and some unhappy mischance his little girl, aged about two years, got hold of the box Saturday night. In a little while she became very sick and it was discoveredthat she had swallowed

Immediately her father out her in a ouggy and can the borse to Elm City, taking the child to Dr. Chears. was too late, however, and in three minutes after reaching the physician

Mr. Greenwood is a brother of Mrs W. E. Parmer, of Wilson, who is with the hereaxed family. The funeral of the little girl took place this after-

Yesterday Mr. F. M. Winstead, the photographer, of Wilson, was called to Elm City and made a picture of the little one. He says that there was no evidence of pain on her face, but that she lay as if she had fallen into a pleasant sleep.

ENGINEER HEIR TO A FORTUNE.

Lewis Wandell, of Kaukauna, Wis., Soon to be a Rich Man.

Eaukauna, Wis., March 20.-Lewis Wandell, of this city, is soon to become a rich man through the death of an unwho died intestate some time ago in New York, leaving a fortune of from \$10,000,000 to \$12,000,000. One account places it as high as \$20,000,000. Mr. Wandell is a well-known engineer of the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad Com-

"A lot of women love to get together and talk over a great mass of impractical subjects," said Mr. Blykins, "and then go some and leave the world no better nor wiser than it was before."

'Yes," answered his wife, with serene aminbility, "sometimes women do so; but they didn't get up that peace conference at The Hague some time ago."-Wash-

"Oh! you darling! I am so glad to hear of your happiness. What did Mr. Dickson

'He said be had loved me from the very "I should never have suspected that; he such a young-looking man!"-Brook-

lyn Life. They say that every gambling and disreputable house in the district is open. 'I don't believe it."

"Well, I had it from the police captain

MORE RUMORS ABOUT MAFEKING

Pretoria

ENGLAND WANTS NO WAR WITH FRANCE

The Fate of Johannesburg-England Will Induce all Her Soilders to Become Settlers in South Africa.

London, March 20, Persistent runors are in circulation that Boers, fearing that they would be intercept ed by a force sent up by General Roberts, have abandoned the siege of Mafeking and retreated to Pretoria. is certain that Mafeking must be It is certain that Mateking must be relieved shortly, and that if the Boers maintain their investment, they are in danger of annihilation. The war office makes no announcement of Mateking's safety, but declares its belief that the position of the besieged forces is satisfactory.

INDUCE SETTLERS.

London, March 20 - The Government plan to pacify South Africa is to inerease the number of British subjects there. The Dutch at present have a great majority. Every effort will be under to induce the reservists, the time expired men, the volunteers and the colonials from abroad to settle South Africa as soon as the war is over. Half of a section of land wil he given to each provided he will be cupy it for ten years,

NO CONFIRMATION. London, March 20. The war office no confirmation of the report that Mafeking has been relieved,

ENTERED POIESKA. Landon, March 20, General Kitchner has entered Prieska without opposition. The insurgents laid down

COERS BLOW UP BRIDGE. Blocafontein, March 20, -The Boers

blew up the railroad bridge at Modder river, fourteen miles north of here last night. The law enerts reopened today, GLORIOUS YARN. London, March 20, Considerable in rest is attached to the fate of John nesburg. Commenting on the report-

ed consultation of the German

bassador in America—and Secretary Bay regarding orging both Beligers cuts to leave Johannesburg alone, the Pall Mall Gazette pronounces it a glocions manufactured varue by DOES NOT WANT WAR. Paris, March 20, The Gaulois pubfishes the replies of prominent Eng-lishmen to the question, "Does Eng-land wish war with France?" Cardi-nal Vaughan, Lord Chief Justice Rus-

sell, Sir Charles Dilke and Hon, Chas, Russell doctares—emphatically—that England docs not, RUSSIAN SHIPS ORDERED TO

CHINA. London, March 20.-Serious alarm is felt here over the Anglo-Russian erisis. The new battleship Goliath and the new cruiser Argonaut, the torpedo boat destroyers Janus, and the shop Rosaria were to day ordered to China.

TRIAL OF KEARSAGE

Washington, March 20.- The Trial Board has been ordered to report at Fort Monroe for an official sea trial of the battleship Kearsarge, scheduled for April 3rd. The ship will be kept soundness of her machinery and hall

GATACRE AS A GALLANT.

A Record-Breaking Ride to Perform an Act of Courtes). From the Chicago Times-Heraid, Of General Galacre it is said that he does not know what it is to be tired. He held an appointment at one time in one of the big military departments at Simla, and was a hard-working man. There was some little act of courtesy he had been ask ed to perform for a lady leaving Amba-la by a midnight train. The distance is well over 100 miles, and the road was mostly over Himalayan paths. Hi was not willing to shirk his day work in his department, so he tele graphed to have relays of horses wait-ing along the road. Five minutes after he had disposed of his last "file for the day he was in the saddle, galloping at break-neck pace down the hill road. He was at Ambala before midnight, did whatever no had been asked to do, and before the train was out of the station made the doct crul up as he galloped over the fit road that leads back from Ambatt to Kalka-there was no branch vailway

next day why General Gatacre was late, but when he took his piace at his desk at midday he showed no signs of having done a record break-

Charles Utley, of Harnett, was put under \$200 bond for his appearance at the May court for retailing by Com-

missioner Nichols.

The result of the Market House election stood: For sale 6.12; against sale 960, majority against sale, 328, Sun Brother circus leaves it winter quarters, at the State Fair grounds here April 2, and gives its first performance

at Raleigh that day. The Vance statue to be placed in the Capitol Square here will not be unveiled until July 4. It cannot be completed by May 20th.

MR. PEARSON COMING

The Great Evangelist Says He Will Visit Raleigh.

It has beendefinitely ascertained that Mr. Pearson can come to Raleigh and hold a meeting certainly not earlier than November, and possibly not until December. This statement is based upon a letter recently receiv-ed from Mr. Pearson.

Local News Items

Mr. J. N. Rochelle and other farmers from New Light report that a black rain fell there on March 15th. t was so dark at 9 o'clock in the morn-ing that lamps had to be lit and after

the rain the water was found to be blue. It was a black rain. Capt. John W. Lee, who lives at 131 Newbern avenue, contines quite

The Charol Symphony Club meet at the Blind Institution this evening at 8 o'clock, A full attendance

Mr. O id Porter, who has been sick for the past three weeks, has resumed his position at Mr. J. D. Riggan's The members of the new military

company will meet next. Thursday evening, instead of tonight, to or-Local baseball enthusiasts are looking forward to Friday's game between the dummies and the farmer

Arrangements are being made to accommodate a large crowd. Mrs. R. S. Hammond and son, Mrs. Katherine Hamilton and Mrs. Ella Slaters, who have been in the city as the guests of Mrs. D. H. Hamilton, left this morning for Washington, D. C. Mrs. Josephus Daniels, Masters Jo-

Mrs. Josephus Harles, Masters Josephus, Jr., and Worth Eagley Daniels left this morning for Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Horne, who have been in the city as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Belvin, returned to Clayton this morning.

Mr. T. R. Branchi, heaves this after-

Mrs. T. B. Renalds leaves this after-moon over the Southern Railway for Denver, Colo., where she goes to visit her brother, who has large silver mines through that section. She will visit all the large eastern cities on her return, which will be about June General Nelson A. Miles, Commanding General of the United States Ar-

my, and his personal staff, passed through here yesterday afternoon in through here yesterday afternoon in a private car attached to the regular A. C. L. passenger train bound for an inspection tour of the Southern army posts.—Fayetteville Observer.

Remember the reserve seats for "The Christian" will be put on safe Thursday morning at 9 o'clock at Bobbitt-Wynne's drug store, Go carly and secure your seat thereby avoid being

scoure your seat, thereby avoid being disappointed. The demand for them will be great.

HOW THEY VOTED

City Officials and Aldermen on the Market Election.

In response to requests from outsiders and from a member Board of Aldermen, the list of city officers and aldermen with their respective votes is published. The result of the election has caused the situation to grow cooler, and there are few who do not look upon the matter as one where an honest difference of opinion may exist. The question is considered settled. Alderman Hamilton stated the position of the majority of those not voting in giving his rea-sons. He said that he voted to submit the question to the people, and it was for them to decide, not him,

Mayor Powell-For Sale. Collector Lumsden-Against Sale, Clerk Smith For Sale, Chief of Police Mullin-(Voted, but

lidn't wish to state how.) Health Officer Sale-For Sale. Alderman Hamilton—Did not vote. Alderman Drewry- For Sale. Alderman Parish—Did not vote.

Alderman Gorman

Alderman McDonald-Against Sale Viderman Andrews-For Sale. Aldernam Wilder-Did not vote. Ahlerman Crocker-Did not vote. Alderman Jones For Sale. Alderman Pegram—Did not vote. Alderman Wynne-Did not vote. Alderman Bogasse For Sale.

Alderman Cook-For Sale.

Alderman Redford Against Sale

Alderman Correll Sick Did not MAYOR'S COURT. In the Mayor's Court this morning there was a goodly gathering of the Bowery Brigade to witness the trial of Bettie Gill and Effic Bullock, charg-

ed with an affray on the evening of the day before, Bettie is a familiar character in the court room and though she is experi-enced in the wiles of court room courtesy, she lost her game this morning. Effie Bullock put up a innocent game after Bettie Gill had teld a thrilling Effic was discharged and Bertie paid for her blows the sum-

Isaac Hall and Tom Mitchener were nlso up for an affrac, but the cridence showed that neither was capable of putting up a fight at the time of the alleged trouble. Both week so drunk that they could not get within fighting distance of anybody, so the charge of affray was dismissed and the men

Posh Smith, white, and Hillary Dunston, colored, were booked for a single appearance and it was single as only Dauston showed up. Posh didn't turn up this morning so the case is

awaiting his arrival in court. It used to be: "Blest are the ties that But now with the dude who has naught

on his mind But a bassion for gaudy apparel we

It really is: "Blest are the ties that bind."