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## GEN. BROADWOOD FALLS INTO A BOER AMBUSCADE

### British Horses Shot Down, Baggage and Guns Captured and 350 Killed and Missing

#### General Roberts Had Just Furnished Broadwood With Reinforcements—General French Sent to the Rescue—A Big Engagement Thought to be in Progress.

London, April 2.—General Roberts' despatch on the first of April says: "General Broadwood was told today that the Ninth Division, with Martyn's mounted infantry, would march at daybreak to support him, and that if he considered it necessary he should retire from the waterworks. He moved there during the night and bivouacked. At dawn today the enemy attacked on three sides. In retiring crossed the deep Nullah in which the Boers concealed themselves and passing the drift the Boers fired and shot down the artillery horses at short range and several guns were captured. The remainder galloped away, covered by Robert's Horse, which suffered heavily. Broadwood estimated his loss at 350, including two hundred missing. Hearing that Broadwood was hard pressed, I immediately despatched General French, with two remaining cavalry brigades, to follow the support of the Ninth Divisions. The strength of the enemy is estimated at from eight to ten thousand."

ports that Col. Broadwood lost seven guns and all his baggage in the ambush prepared by the Boers. The casualties number 350.

**WATER CUT OFF.**

London, April 2.—The Chronicle's correspondent, direct from Bloemfontein, telegraphs that General Broadwood's guns have been recaptured. He also says that the water supply of Bloemfontein is cut off. The war of attrition has no confirmation of either Dewet commanding the Boers who ambushed General Broadwood's forces.

**BIG ENGAGEMENT.**

London, April 2.—It is believed from General Roberts' despatch that a big engagement is in progress. Although it is difficult to estimate the number of British engaged, they probably exceed even the 8,000 or 10,000 estimated Boers. The scene of the British disaster seems to be Meade Park, where the Bloemfontein road crosses a tributary of Moshler River.

**ESCAPED.**

London, April 2.—Captain Holdam and Lieut. Sequeira, British officers, it is asserted, have escaped from Pretoria.

## TREASURER WORTH SUED

### Mr. Garner Wants \$5,000 for Alleged Slander.

Mr. W. C. Douglass and State Treasurer W. H. Worth left today for Beaufort county, where the suit of Garner against Worth will be heard. Garner is suing Treasurer Worth for \$5,000 for libel because of alleged slanders of the plaintiff in the oyster cases, which were argued before the Supreme Court. Mr. Douglass appears for the defendant, while Messrs. Simmons, Pon and Ward represent the plaintiff in the action.

## RUSSIA IN COREA.

Yokohama, April 2.—It is now reported that Korea firmly resisted the Russian demand for land at Massampo. Russia then withdrew the demand and substituted a request for a piece of ground within the foreign settlement of Massampo. This request was granted. The question is now regarded as settled.

## MINERS STRIKE.

Pittsburg, April 2.—On account of dissatisfaction over the wage scale, 20,000 miners refused to go to work this morning, and 10,000 more will join the strikers tomorrow. This will practically close every mine in the district.

## RUSSIA SATISFIED.

Constantinople, April 2.—It is announced that Russia is satisfied with Port's acceptance of her demands for railway concessions in Asia Minor.

## SECY. DAVIS FOR BOERS.

Washington, April 2.—Webster Davis, assistant secretary of the Interior, tendered his resignation today. He will lecture in the interests of the Boers.

## LARGEST CARGO

New York, April 2.—The four-masted British steamer bark, Sonali, arrived from Rio Janeiro. She is the largest sailing vessel afloat, and brings 82,169 bags of coffee, the largest cargo of coffee ever received in New York or elsewhere from a sailing vessel.

## COTTON.

New York, April 2.—Cotton bids: April, 9.95; May, 9.94; June, 9.90; July, 8.97; August, 8.91; September, 8.23.

## TO THE RESCUE.

Buffalo, April 2.—Two fishermen are supposed to be on a large ice at Florence, a distance of the city shore of Lake Erie. Signal lights were seen at midnight. A rescue party has gone out.

## FAIR TOMORROW

For Raleigh and vicinity: Cloudy tonight; fair Tuesday.

A moderate storm is central over the east Lake region with cloudy weather in that vicinity and south of Montgomery. But throughout the Atlantic States, in the Central Valley, and West the weather is generally clear. There has been a moderate rise in temperature everywhere, and only one station, Huron, reports an a. m. temperature below freezing. Frosts were reported at Charlotte, Raleigh and Wilmington.

## MARRIAGE.

Yesterday afternoon at three o'clock at the home of Rev. J. L. Foster, Mr. Willis E. Austin and Miss Etta Knight, both of this city, were united in marriage. Several intimate friends of both witnessed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Austin left in the afternoon on the S. A. L.

The bride is a native of Chatham county, but has resided in Raleigh several years and made many friends here.

Mr. Austin is an excellent young man and has a host of friends who extend congratulations.

## LOCAL BRIEFS

### Interesting Events in and About the Capital City—Personal.

Judge Fred Phillips, of Tarboro, is in the city, the guest of his daughter, Mrs. H. W. Jackson.

Mr. R. D. Gilmer, of Waynesville, is in the city on business.

Mr. Thomas E. Bush is in the city. Mr. Bush will remain in Raleigh for so long.

Miss Katherine Farnsworth, who has been in Raleigh as the guest of Miss Eleanor Vass, left this morning for Norfolk.

Mrs. Florence P. Tucker left on the Seaboard Air Line for the North on Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Daniels returned this afternoon from Goldsboro, where they have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Daniels.

Mr. C. W. Watson, of Winston, ex-Democratic nominee for Governor, is in Raleigh this week attending Supreme Court.

Miss Sadie Jones, of Lenoir, who has been the guest of Miss Susan Clark, on Halifax street, left this afternoon for her home.

Miss Mattie Gill, of Wake Forest, is in the city visiting at the home of Mr. John D. Briggs.

Mr. W. C. Stronach, who was taken to Rex Hospital for a slight operation, is reported as greatly improved.

Mr. Anderson, of the Cotton Exchange, has been taken to Rex Hospital. His condition today was reported as well as could be expected.

It is probable that the Auditorium Committee will report the subscription of the necessary stock within two days.

It was stated today that Senator Allen, of Nebraska, will speak in Raleigh on the night of the 15th, just after the Populist convention.

The pupils of the Baptist Female University are rehearsing for a production of Shakespeare's comedy of a Midsummer Night's Dream, to be presented at the Academy of Music on April 23rd, the generally accepted anniversary of Shakespeare's birth.

Miss Martha Wheeler, of Johnston county, who has been here for a short while, died yesterday afternoon at 301 South Swan street. She was a maiden lady and was 71 years of age. The remains were taken to Auburn today for interment near there.

Rev. Joe Ramsey, the blind minister, will address the Epworth League at Central Methodist Church tonight on "What the League can do for the Revival." The public is invited to attend.

Deputy Sheriff Biddick carried Mary Horton, colored, to the Goldsboro asylum today.

Mr. W. G. Separk left the city today.

Mr. W. E. Manor went to Henderson this morning.

Mr. C. Beauregard Pollard went to Henderson today on business.

Mr. A. R. Vondette, who has held a position in Mrs. Fasnach's jewelry store, left today for Pennsylvania, where he has accepted a similar position. He made many friends in this city.

Governor D. L. Russell went to Onslow county yesterday.

Mr. A. W. Haywood is in the city.

Mr. Fred Mahler left today for his spring trip for H. Mahler's Sons. He expects to be out of the city four weeks.

Mrs. John G. Williams returned Saturday from an extended visit to her son, Mr. John G. Williams, in Washington City, and other relatives north.

Ex-Representative Jones, of Winston, is in the city.

Judge McRae returned to Chapel Hill yesterday.

The rehearsals for "Pohhatan" have been in progress for two weeks and the company is now getting in good form. The Raleigh Orchestra began rehearsing with the company this morning and have already displayed their ability to make the orchestral accompaniment one of the brightest features of the opera. Pohhatan will be staged better, the costumes will be more attractive, the chorus will be stronger, the character parts better trained, the specialties of an higher order, the orchestral accompaniment the best, and the light work perfect; Pohhatan is to be complete.

There should be a large attendance at Metropolitan Hall tonight when Rev. J. Wm. Jones speaks.

The Raleigh primaries went almost solid for R. R. Laey for State Treasurer.

**LOOP LIRPA**

By Reversing the Letter the Name A April Fool

For the benefit of about five or six hundred people who visited the apital Square on yesterday morning to see Prof. Loop Lirpa make his leap from the top of the building and also for the benefit of several hundred who remained at home declaring what a shame it was for the State Officials to permit such an act on Sunday morning. It is stated here that by reversing the letters in the name Loop Lirpa one may be able to spell April Fool.

The statement was made that such a character is in the employ of Sun Brothers' show and this is not without foundation. The Messrs. Sun Brothers have with them at their winter quarters in the Fair Grounds some of the most renowned performers in the business, and they are ready to make the leap from the Capitol building most any day.

**SUNDAY MARRIAGE.**

Yesterday at half past one o'clock Mr. Wm. R. Partin, of Durham, and Miss Mary E. Turner, of this city, were united in marriage by Rev. G. G. Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Partin have many friends here who extend congratulations.

## BROUGHT BACK FOR STEALING

### Percy Hagwood Charged With Larceny of \$150

#### SAID TO HAVE TAKEN MONEY FROM FRIENDS

#### After Taking the Money He Left for Durham—His Brother a Bicycle Thief—Trial this Afternoon.

Percy Hagwood, an employee of the Raleigh Cotton Mills, was brought back to Raleigh this afternoon on the 2:18 train from Durham, where he had been arrested upon request of Chief of Police Mullins. Hagwood will answer in the Mayor's Court this afternoon to the charge of larceny of \$100 from E. A. Perdue, and \$50 from J. H. Bailey, two of his companions in the Raleigh Cotton Mills.

The charge was first made by Mr. J. H. Bailey, who swore out a warrant for the arrest of Hagwood stating that on the night of the 21st of March (Saturday), Percy Hagwood willfully stole from his room \$50 and took same away. It is maintained by the prosecution that Hagwood took the money from the trunk of Mr. Bailey on Saturday night, and that he left the next morning for parts unknown. It was ascertained that he had a sister living in Durham and upon furnishing City Ticket Agent Stungis, of the Southern Railway, with a description of the man it was learned that he had purchased a ticket to West Durham. Telegrams were sent immediately to the Durham police authorities and they found the alleged thief and have sent him back to this city for trial.

At the same time that Mr. Bailey was swearing out a warrant for Hagwood another was being made out by Mr. E. A. Perdue, charging that Hagwood had made away with \$100 from his trunk. The witnesses summoned in the two cases include J. H. Bailey, E. A. Perdue, Virgil Stone and T. C. Stungis.

Hagwood, Perdue and Bailey, with others, lived in a boarding house near Pine's store, on North Person street, and all of them are employees in the Raleigh Cotton Mills. They have been well acquainted for a long time, and it is said that Hagwood knew of the savings of the two others, and that they kept their money in their trunks. Hagwood is up for larceny for the first time, but his brother has before appeared in the Mayor's Court for stealing a bicycle. He was arrested in Pullen Park some time ago by Officer Rogers and tried before the Mayor.

## RESULT OF PRIMARIES

### Latest Reports From Townships Throughout the County

From the incomplete returns thus far received the primaries Saturday night appear to have endorsed Aycock for Governor, Cunningham for Lieutenant Governor, and Laey for Treasurer. In Raleigh the result shows 65 for Laey and 6 for Boushall in the county convention. A very large vote gave Laey 15; Boushall 6; Cedar Fork township, 6 delegates for Boushall and 5 for Laey. Middle Creek township endorsed Aycock for Governor and Laey for Treasurer. New Light township instructed for Aycock and Laey. White Oak township, for Aycock for Governor, Cunningham for Lieutenant Governor, McLean for Secretary of State and Laey for Treasurer. Holly Springs instructed for Aycock. Boushall received 7 votes and Laey 21 votes. Wake Forest endorsed J. C. Caldwell for Superintendent of Public Instruction. Otherwise delegates un-instructed. Barton's Creek township instructed for Aycock and Laey. St. Mary's Township instructed for Aycock for Governor, McLean for Secretary of State and Laey for Treasurer. Little River township endorsed Aycock for Governor. Boushall received 5 votes and Laey 2. Elected following delegates: Dr. Fowler, Dr. Boll, E. L. Hovey, R. J. Whitley, S. L. Horton and M. C. Chambliss. Auburn township in both Garner and St. Mary's, precincts, instructed for Aycock and Laey. Elected P. W. Dowd, J. C. Pool, Jonathan Nowell and J. B. Studevant as delegates to county convention. Panther Branch endorsed Aycock for Governor, Cunningham for Lieutenant Governor, McLean for Secretary of State and Laey for Treasurer. Elected as delegates W. H. Matthews, Nathan Myatt, Mark Partin, Frank Wilson, C. P. Rand and C. C. Jewell. These agreed to send E. Young to the State convention. House Creek township instructed for Aycock and Laey. Middle Creek instructed for Aycock, McLean and Laey. Swift Creek instructed for Aycock and Laey. Barton's Creek instructed for Aycock and Laey. Buckhorn instructed for Aycock and Laey.

## EVENING MARRIAGE.

Yesterday evening at the home of the bride's parents in Garner, Miss Maggie A. Johnson and Mr. H. D. Rand, both of Garner, were married by Rev. Mr. Auman. The bride is one of the most popular young ladies in Garner and that section of the county, while Mr. Rand is a prosperous young merchant. He is a brother of Messrs. A. B. W. K. and R. L. Rand, of this city.

**FOR SALE**—A pony, buggy and harness. Apply at this office.

## MEET TOMORROW NIGHT

### Raleigh Methodist to Entertain More Than Two Hundred Delegates

The Fourth Annual Conference of the Epworth League of the North Carolina Conference will convene in Edenton Street Methodist Episcopal Church tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. It is expected that more than two hundred delegates will be in attendance and the Methodists of this city have thrown open their doors and will royally entertain the delegates and those who are to address them. The list of delegates includes young people from almost every town in the North Carolina Conference, who have been selected to attend the three day's sessions of the Conference as representatives of their local leagues to take home with them ideas that will be for the upbuilding of the league and for the spiritual progress of the church.

Nearly all of the delegates who are to be in attendance have so signified their intention to Rev. G. T. Adams, pastor of Edenton Street Church, and Rev. G. T. Adams, pastor of the Central Church, who have made the arrangements for the entertaining of the members of the league. Besides five delegates there will be State confederates more than fifty prominent ministers and laymen who have been invited to address the Conference.

The following is the official program for the Conference:

W. J. Young, Jr., Musical Director  
**FIRST DAY—TUESDAY, APRIL 3.**  
8:00 p. m. Opening address. Song service. Devotional exercises, conducted by Dr. J. T. Gibbs.  
9:15 p. m. "You Are Welcome, Thine Welcome to the City," Hon. R. T. Gray, "To the Churches," Rev. M. M. McFarland, "To the Local Leagues," J. G. Brown.  
9:30 p. m. Response, Rev. R. C. Beaman, Elizabeth City. "How to Make This Conference Helpful to Our Home Leagues," Mrs. S. T. Beckwith, Louisburg; J. R. Mison, Washington; Rev. J. H. Shore, Burlington.  
9:45 p. m. "The Mission of the League," J. M. Ramsey, Vinton, Tenn.  
10:15 p. m. Object lesson in sociology.

## WILL OF MRS. L. V. HOLDEN

### Disposes of Her Property Among Her Four Children

The will of the late Mrs. Louisa V. Holden, widow of Governor Holden, was today probated before Clerk of the Court Lenoir. The will reads: "I, Louisa V. Holden, of the State of North Carolina, county of Wake and city of Raleigh, being of sound mind and memory, do make, publish and declare this my last will and testament in the manner following, that is to say:

1st. I give and devise to my daughter, Mary E. Sherwood and her heirs, my house and lot on McDowell street, in the city of Raleigh, adjoining the land of Mrs. W. G. E. Johnson and now occupied by Mrs. Van Heeman.

2nd. I give and devise to Ida A. Cowles, my house and lot on McDowell street, known as the Wilson place.

3rd. I give and devise to my daughter, Lulu T. Holden, my house and lot on Blount street in Raleigh, adjoining the land of Mrs. Strong.

I give to my son, Charles C. Holden, and my daughter, Lulu T. Holden, 17 1/2 acres of land in North Carolina, one thousand dollars each to be divided between them.

I give, devise and bequeath to Mary E. Sherwood and Beulah W. Henry, twenty shares in the National Bank of Raleigh, and the United States four per cent registered bonds of one thousand dollars each to be divided between them.

I desire that the house and lot on which I now reside and all my personal property not otherwise disposed of to be sold and divided between my four children, viz., Mary E. Sherwood, Charles C. Holden, Beulah W. Henry and Lulu T. Holden.

LOUISA V. HOLDEN.  
March 6th, 1896.

I give to my daughter, Mary E. Sherwood, all of my parlor furniture, 6 large silver spoons, 12 teaspoons, 1 gold, enamel breastpin, jet breast pin and ear rings and gold bracelets.

"I give to my daughter, Beulah, my diamond breastpin, the star and crescent, and my gold necklace.

"I give to my daughter Lulu my diamond ear rings to match the breastpin I have already given her.

LOUISA V. HOLDEN.  
March 10th, 1900.

The will was not witnessed, but Col. John W. Hinsdale made oath that he found it March 22nd in the presence of the four heirs and Messrs. Chas. H. Beldin, J. G. Brown and M. Rosenthal swear that it is Mrs. Holden's handwriting.

Miss Lulu Holden is appointed administratrix of the estate.

## SUN BROTHERS SHOW.

The Big Tent Erected Today—The Actors and Musicians Arriving.

The main tent of Sun Brothers show was erected this morning on the Cameron field, whose performances will be given next Thursday and Friday, both evenings and night. The tent is new out and out, and will accommodate a large number of people.

Everything is in fine shape now for the show to take the road, and it will start out this year larger and better than ever before.

The show band came in this afternoon on the Seaboard Air Line. It is a good company of musicians.

The various actors connected with the show will arrive today and tomorrow.

The show will give a grand street parade here on Thursday morning.

Raleigh should give the show packed tents at each performance.

## REV. DR. JONES ON GEN. JACKSON

### Address a Vast Congregation on Stonewall Jackson

#### LECTURES IN METROPOLITAN HALL TONIGHT

#### Presiding Elder Gibbs at Central Methodist Church—Pastor Adams' Work—Rev. Joe Ramsey at Edenton Street.

Those who attended the services at the Raleigh Baptist Tabernacle yesterday enjoyed a rich treat. Both morning and evening, Rev. J. William Jones, the well known Grand Chaplain General of the Confederate Veterans, and the author of the Life of General Lee, preached both morning and evening. He was greeted by large congregations at both services and his every word was listened to with the closest attention. In the morning he preached a strong, pure gospel sermon, full of wholesome truths.

In the evening his subject was Stonewall Jackson, and the sermon was especially to the L. O. B. Branch camp, the Raleigh Light Infantry and the students of the A. and M. College.

The speaker of the outset stated that he had never owned a slave and never would have owned one even if the war had never occurred, but he disapproved the introduction of slavery into this country, showing that the slaves were brought here by the British and New Englanders and not by the South. He showed a thorough knowledge of the history of the colonies, and the United States. This was merely a brief introduction to his remarks on Stonewall Jackson. It is impossible to do him justice in any brief account. He talked for an hour and a quarter, giving incident after incident in the life of the great general, and during the entire address not a man, woman or child showed the least inattention. Indeed, the interest increased as he proceeded. The address was enjoyed on all sides on the streets today. Mr. R. E. Lacy remarked: "I would not have missed it for a great deal. I never heard a more interesting talk. It was helpful from every standpoint, and during the entire talk there was not one uninteresting word or incident given." Mr. John W. Thompson and a number of other gentlemen spoke in the highest terms of the address.

Tonight at 7:30 Rev. Dr. Jones will deliver his famous lecture on "The Boys in Gray, or the Private Confederate Soldier as I Knew Him" in Metropolitan Hall. Admission 25 cents.

Rev. Dr. J. T. Gibbs, presiding elder of the Raleigh District, occupied the pulpit of the Central Methodist church Sunday. His text in the morning was taken from Proverbs 14th chapter and 7th verse: "Wisdom is the principal thing; therefore get wisdom; and with all thy getting get understanding."

Dr. Gibbs pictured the difference between Solomon's admonition and the world's maxims, which is "get money." The latter is inadequate for building character for this life and for eternity. The rich man lifted up his eyes in hell a beggar. Money has its value for the accomplishment of good, but when in combination to oppress the poor it becomes the root of all evil.

Bacon said: "Knowledge is power." Knowledge is greater than money and it is a laudable ambition to raise to a high intellectual plane, but an understanding heart is essential.

Knowledge and riches combined will attract flattering attention, but it is not the principal thing. Popular favor is often insincere and fickle.

Solomon's wisdom meant mental power acting on the materials given with the highest knowledge in the best way. This understanding carries a ready insight into the divine law.

This gives character which carries with it strength, the strength of purity and of love. A noble life results from noble being.

"Get this wisdom and with all thy getting get understanding of God's law."

Rev. G. T. Adams, pastor of the Central Methodist church, is accomplishing a great work here. Since January 31, 1900, he has paid off \$600 of the church debt and added about fifteen to the church membership. The Sunday school yesterday was probably the largest in the history of the church.

Next Sunday Mr. Adams will begin a series of special services.

Mr. Joe M. Ramsey, of Tennessee, will address the Epworth League at the Central Methodist Episcopal Church this evening at 7:45. Public cordially invited.

Rev. John E. White occupied the pulpit of the First Baptist church yesterday morning and evening.

## THE BOYS IN GRAY.

The Rev. J. William Jones will deliver an address tonight at Metropolitan Hall on the "Boys in Gray, or the Private Soldier as I Knew Him." Dr. Jones was chaplain under Stonewall Jackson. He is a delightful speaker, and those who attend can expect something interesting and instructive. The address is given for the benefit of the Ladies' Improvement Society of the Baptist Tabernacle. Admission 25 cents.

The county commissioners met today and devoted their time to the outside poor.