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THE WATERWAY CELEBRATION

All Arrangements Now Complete For the Celebration of the N. C. Great Waterway.

Beaufort, N. C., Jan. 3.—A meeting of the Inland Waterway Celebration Committee was held at Morehead City yesterday to close all arrangements for the mammoth celebration which is to be held on the banks of the waterway at Core Creek on Friday, Jan. 6th.

The celebration will begin about noon and lucious Newport oysters will be served until the preliminaries have been completed. A number of prominent men among whom will be Senator Lee, Congressman Stevens, Congressman J. H. Moore, J. H. Small, Senator F. M. Simmons, Senator Lee S. Overman, Gov. Kitchin, Mr. E. T. Latta, Hon. James A. Bryan and several others will deliver addresses.

This celebration promises to be one of the most unique and pleasant occasions ever given in the State and marks the first link in the chain of the great Inland Waterway from Boston to Beaufort, and it opens up Beaufort, Morehead City and Oriental with the North and all through the inland waterway towns of the State with the ocean through Beaufort inlet and means the beginning of greater waterway improvements not only locally but all along the Atlantic coast.

Wait for the "Big One." The Great Piercing Arrow Sale at J. J. Baxter's, "Bargains" nothing but "Bargains" entire stock Must Go. No fake but stern reality. J. J. Baxter.

Jones-Waters.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of the bride's father, Mr. S. S. Waters, near Mayaville on the night of December 14th, when his daughter, Miss Elizabeth, was led to the altar by Mr. Frank Jones.

The happy couple were joined together by Rev. Mr. Stanford, resident pastor of the Methodist church at Mayaville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones will make their home in Onslow county.

The Secret of Song-Writing.

A noted composer has said that a song, to make a hit, should "appeal to the heart." That's exactly what is giving great popularity to "The Land of the Beautiful Dream," words and music of which will be given free with next Sunday's New York World.

This is the song now being sung by Truly Shattuck in "Anna, Where Do You Live," the play drawing crowds to Weber's Theatre, New York City. It's a song that appeals to the heart.

Order next Sunday's New York World in advance and get a great newspaper and a great song at once and the same time.

Prominent Greensboro Man Tells of Savodine.

T. F. Causey, a Greensboro merchant doing business at 713 E. Market street, says: "I have been a great sufferer from neuralgia for several years, as every one in my locality knows. SAVODINE is the only thing I have ever found that would give me relief. I can't say enough for it."

T. F. CAUSEY.

Railroads Not Justified.

Washington, Jan. 3.—The railroads in official classification territory are scarcely justified in their demands for increased freight rates, in the opinion of Frank Lyon, attorney for the interstate commerce commission. This he indicated in a brief filed with the commission in the case now under investigation by the commission. It relates to the proposed advances in class freight rates in eastern territory.

Attorney Lyon discussed the subject largely from a statistical viewpoint. He presents tables showing the relative cost of materials during the last year and during several of the years during the last decade. According to the tables the prices of approximately one-third of the materials had advanced, while the remainder either had decreased in price or had remained stationary. He admits, however, that wages have increased about 30 per cent. During the last ten years and that fuel has advanced somewhat.

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ALDERMEN HOLD MONTHLY SESSION

Regular Monthly Meeting Held Last Night. But Few Important Matters Brought Before Board.

Last night the Board of Aldermen met in regular monthly session. A petition signed by a number of the merchants on Broad and Middle streets, asking that the small incandescent lights used in illuminating these two streets during the holidays be allowed to burn each Saturday night, until 12 o'clock at their expense, was referred to the Water and Light Committee. Mr. A. L. Byrum asked permission to move a house across the corner of Queen and Hancock streets. His request was denied.

Alderman Ellis informed board he was collecting data preparatory to organization of a paid fire department as soon as he had secured sufficient details he would present the matter. Alderman Kater made a motion that two pairs of ball bearing wheels owned by city, not being used, to Fourth Ward Hose Company. Motion was carried.

The matter of insufficient escapes in case of fire at Victoria brought before board. Motion the city building inspector ordered to investigate condition and report.

The disastrous fire on National Avenue a few weeks ago clearly demonstrated the fact that the people in that section were not afforded ample facilities for fighting fire and the board ordered that 300 feet of six inch pipe be purchased and placed along National Ave up to Ave. A.

Up to the present time the control of the horses used by the fire companies has, during the day, been under the supervision of the Chief of Police. The board however, ordered that the Water and Light Committee be given control of these animals during this period.

Recently numerous complaints have been made by citizens against the rolling of swill carts on the sidewalks. Board ordered that officers be given strict instructions to arrest every person whom they saw so doing in the future.

Mention was made that City Attorney be instructed to draft an ordinance revoking the license of those near beer dealers who were arrested in the recent raid and that Tax Collector be instructed not to issue them license to conduct a similar business in the future. No action on motion.

Mayor C. J. McCarthy was appointed as a delegate to attend the convention of the Association of the Municipalities which meets at Raleigh on the 18th of the present month. recess taken to 11th inst.

Big Shoe Sale, all shoes at Sacrifice prices, some below cost. Perry-Owens Shoe Co.

Third Time Hit by Engine.

While attempting to cross Queen St. near Scott's Alley Monday night Mr. H. J. Staub, proprietor of the Pembroke Dairy, was run into by the incoming A. C. L. passenger train and his wagon was totally wrecked. Fortunately both he and the animal escaped injury. Mr. Staub did not see the train until after he had started across the track and, although he made every effort to pass over in time, the engine struck the vehicle and almost completely demolished it. This is the third time that he has been in a similar accident and each time he has narrowly escaped serious injury. The engine's headlight was said to be very dim.

TO THE CITIZENS OF NEW BERN.

I have contracted to bring to New Bern on January 25th, Creator and his band. This organization has a world wide reputation. It is the equal of any concert band in the world today. It is composed of 50 musicians and will be conducted by Creator himself. This organization wanted a seven hundred dollar guarantee for one concert here. This is their usual guarantee for a one night concert. I simply mention these figures to show the character of the attraction that will come here. I have no guarantee this organization anything, but I have agreed to advertise the concert and do all in my power to get out a big crowd the night of the concert.

The price for the best seats will be \$1.50. By subscription these same seats can be secured for \$2.00 for double seats, that is admitting two persons to observed seats.

This is undoubtedly the greatest attraction of its kind ever offered to the citizens of New Bern, and I trust that they will avail themselves of this rare opportunity of seeing one of the greatest bands in the world. Watch the papers.

J. LEON WILLIAMS.

JAPS FAMILIAR WITH DEFENSES

Know as Much About Philippine Forts as American Army Authorities.

Washington, January 3.—Japanese military authorities are as intimately familiar with our defenses in the Philippines as are the United States army officers themselves. This situation was admitted yesterday by a high regular army officer, in corroboration of statements of the Philippine officials, Ignacio Villamor and Ponciano Reyes, who have just arrived in Washington.

"When Dewey sailed into Manila Bay in May 1898, the Japanese even then knew more about the fortifications of the harbor than the Americans," said this army officer. "They have never since that time let their information grow stale, but have kept accurate data on all works instituted by the United States in the islands."

Villamor confirmed recent press dispatches from Manila regarding the activity of spies, and said:

"Last September we arrested two Japanese spies in Manila. They had in their possession maps of the Philippines and of the city of Manila and its harbor and fortification. This arrest was known at Washington, but as there was no law authorizing the arrest of civilians suspected of spying, they had to be released. There is no doubt that the Japanese now are familiar with every detail of the fortifications in the harbor of Manila and at Corregidor."

"Several months ago nearly all the stationary stores in Manila obtained maps of the islands, and Manila, and within a week or two all had been sold to Japanese, so there is no doubt that there is a concerted effort by Japanese to obtain all information possible."

"It was told by a Japanese officer that his government and the officers of the Japanese army are confident that they could take the Philippines today tomorrow, or at any other time."

Get in line early, buy your shoes at the Sale 15 days at cost. Perry-Owens Shoe Co.

Legislature Meets Today.

The General Assembly of North Carolina meets in Raleigh tomorrow the fourth day of January for the session of sixty days. The Democratic caucus for the selection of a Speaker of the house and other officials was held Tuesday night.

The Capitol is being rapidly put in order for the legislators, the installation of the new electric lighting, heating and ventilating the building being put in order. The new lighting and ventilating is expected to add greatly to the comfort of the members and are great improvements.

Governor Kitchin is putting in some hard work on his message to the general assembly and expects to have it practically completed today or tomorrow at the latest. It will scarcely be sent to the senate and house before Thursday. Thursday is the usual day for the message. Wednesday, the first day, is always taken up with the routine of organization.

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Having used Savodine freely according to directions in my family, I consider it the best remedy I have ever tried for bruises, for cold in the head, throat and chest, for rheumatism, for sciatica, neuralgia and catarrh. After a two year's test I recommend "Savodine" to all who suffer from any of the above complaints.

MRS. F. C. ROBERTS, New Bern, N. C.

Judge Adams Slashes Throat.

Greensboro, N. C., Jan. 3.—Ex-Judge Spencer B. Adams of the Oklahoma Indian Claims Court, attempted suicide in a sanitarium here Sunday by slashing his throat with a razor.

He was removed to a hospital where it is said he has an even chance for recovering in the event complications do not arise. No motive for the act has been assigned, the family and sanitarium officials denying all requests of the press for probable cause and circumstances surrounding the attempt. The fact that the attempt had been made was withheld from the public until Monday morning, though it occurred about a week Sunday night.

He recently returned from Florida where his actions excited suspicion and was placed in custody.

Judge Adams is one of the most prominent Republicans in the State and was, up to the recent campaign, chairman of the State Republican Executive Committee.

FOR SALE.

The mortgage from which John J. Adams and his wife are now in possession of the property at 1000 N. 1st St. is for sale at 1000 N. 1st St. at 1000 N. 1st St.

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