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DRUGGISTS WILL GATHER TOMORROW

State Pharmaceutical Association's
Annual Convention To Be
Held Here This Week.

AN IMPORTANT MEETING
First Business Session To Be
Held On Wednesday
Morning.

Tomorrow the North Carolina Pharmaceutical Association will convene in this city for their annual three day session. The meeting this year, according to all reports, will be one of the most important ever held and will be attended by about one hundred and fifty druggists who with their wife and daughters will gather in "The City of Elms" from all parts of the State.

C. D. Bradham, the local secretary of the association has been busily engaged in preparing for this convention and in an interview given a Journal reporter, he stated that Charlotte, Greensboro, Raleigh and Wilmington would be unusually well represented, he having received letters from the local secretaries in the above named cities giving him an approximate of how many would be present during the sessions.

The majority of the druggists will arrive here today and the first session will be held tomorrow morning. At 11 o'clock the association will be called to order by President J. G. M. Gordon of Clayton. The opening invocation will be said by Rev. B. F. Huske, rector of Christ Episcopal church of this city. This will be followed by the address of welcome on behalf of the city of New Bern by E. H. Meadows, which will be responded to by Vice-President C. P. Harper of Selma, N. C. The address of welcome on behalf of the local doctors will be delivered by Dr. R. D. V. Jones and this will be responded to by Dr. F. W. Hancock of Oxford.

The remainder of the forenoon session will be devoted to the roll call of members, the reading of the minutes of the last meeting, the admission of new members and the introduction and presentation of the visiting guests of the Association. The afternoon session will convene at 2:30 and President J. G. M. Gordon of Clayton will deliver the annual address. Following this will be the reports of the secretary.

Wednesday evening will be devoted to social features. Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bradham, who are noted for their hospitality, have prepared to give a reception at their colonial home on Union street in honor of the visiting druggists and their families and this will take place at that time.

Thursday will be a busy day with the druggists. The first meeting of the day will convene at 10 o'clock and the report of delegates to the American and other pharmaceutical associations will be heard. Following this will be the report of the secretary-treasurer of the North Carolina Board of Pharmacy. The reading of communications and the reading and considering papers on various subjects of interest will follow next. The appointment of committees on time and place will follow next. The appointment of committees on time and place will be made at the morning session and at the afternoon session, which convenes at 2:30 o'clock the place of the next meeting will be announced and the officers will be elected. At the close of the business meeting the druggists will take a boat trip up Trent river.

On Friday morning the members of the Association will board the revenue cutter Pamlico for a trip down Neuse river and through the inland Waterway Canal to Morehead City. While on the boat the reports of several committees will be read and discussed.

The officers of the Association at the present are as follows: President, J. G. M. Gordon of Clayton; Vice-Presidents, C. P. Harper of Selma, H. R. Roth of Asheville, G. C. Rodman of Morehead City; Treasurer, G. E. Burwell of Charlotte and the secretary is J. G. Beard of Chapel Hill. C. D. Sedberry of Fayetteville, J. F. Cole of Carthage, C. P. Gray of Morganton, P. W. Vaughn of Durham and J. G. Beard of Chapel Hill, compose the executive committee.

Every citizen of New Bern and especially the ladies are urged to cordially invitation to attend the sessions of the convention.

FALLS INTO BAD HANDS.

Washington Man Painfully Injured
Here Sunday Night.

A white man who told the police that he was J. C. Robinson and that his home was at Washington, N. C., was badly injured during a brawl with several negroes on Cedar street last Sunday night.

Robinson was thoroughly intoxicated and according to his statement to the officers had secured a cab and gone to that locality to purchase another supply of "booze". In some manner he became engaged in an altercation with several negroes and received several knife wounds on his face and neck.

He was rushed to a physician's office and after having his wounds dressed, drove to the passenger station and boarded the train enroute to Washington. Robinson could not tell the police who cut him but they have a clue as to who the party was and his arrest will probably follow.

CONCERT PLEASURES.

Enthusiastic Audience Hears Prof. Mayer At Stanley Hall.

It would be difficult to find a more enthusiastic concert audience than that which attended the recital given by Mr. J. Mayer last night.

His playing was beautiful and masterly, fully deserving the applause given. Mr. Mayer used the player piano, first as a regular upright and then as a player.

This demonstration was an educational treat for the reason that Mr. Mayer is an exceptional artist and musician whose playing is always a delight. The effects produced as pianist and player pianist were musically astonishing and it would indeed be difficult to state which of the two were the more interesting. Prof. Mayer the pianist or Mr. Mayer the player pianist.

Alfred and Plumer Barnes of Oriental will open a barber shop next week in the new Caton building, corner Griffith and Queen streets. Both young men are skilled tonsorial artists and have expressed their intention of making their new place of business modern in every way.

SUPERIOR COURT NOW IN SESSION

ONE WEEK TERM FOR TRIAL
OF CRIMINAL CASES COM-
VENED YESTERDAY.

A one week term of Craven county Superior Court for the trial of criminal cases only was convened in this city yesterday morning with Judge O. H. Allen of Kinston presiding.

At the opening of the session the following grand jury was drawn: George B. Whitehurst, Foreman; R. H. Laughinghouse, A. D. Hawkins, Isaac Lewis, Charles C. Simpson, D. A. Swindell, D. F. Gaskins, A. F. Wiggins, W. A. McIntosh, R. W. Pate, O. C. Stapleford, J. W. Stillely, G. D. Wood, N. C. Brooks, H. P. Willis, O. C. Wetherington and C. E. Gaskins.

Judge Allen's charge to the grand jury was brief but to the point. In a concise manner he covered every part of the criminal law with which the grand jury would come in contact and explained to them in the most simple possible way the duties which they would be expected to perform.

The major part of the day was taken up in the disposal of the submissions and only three cases were tried. They follow:

In the case of the State vs. John Manning and John Dawson in which the defendants were charged with carrying concealed weapons, the jury returned a verdict of not guilty.

George Reid was found guilty of retailing and was sentenced to serve a term of twelve months on the county roads.

Dan Hatch, charged with the larceny of a quantity of whiskey from a Norfolk Southern freight car, was found guilty but sentence has not yet been passed.

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NO GOOD ROADS WITHOUT OUTLAY

That Is The Thought That Comes
As Ope Glides Over New
Hanover's Thoroughfares.

RESULT JUSTIFIES THE COST

Also The Years Of Effort On The
Part Of The Good Roads
Advocates Of County.

Charles L. Stevens of Southport, former editor and owner of the Journal, was always an earnest advocate of good roads while he was in the publishing business and he has not lost his interest and enthusiasm in this great means of developing the country since embarking in the real estate and insurance business in another locality. He was one of the visiting Elks in Wilmington last week and with the other representatives of the antlered tribe enjoyed the splendid automobile ride over the fine roads of New Hanover. At the request of one now connected with the Journal and also a recipient of the numerous courtesies extended visiting Elks by the Elks of Wilmington Mr. Stevens wrote an article, which is presented below, in which he gave his impressions of the automobile ride given by the Wilmington lodge:

"As an Elk, attending and enjoying the splendid entertainment provided by Wilmington, at the State Convention of Elks, last week, there was one feature, that to me, and I know a number of other Elks feeling the same way, that of the automobile ride, was one of the best and most interesting.

"This ride was not given for any advertising effect, but to any one concerned in good roads. To any one noting the difference between a road that is good, and one that is just a road, the Wilmington ride could not but be most attractive. Looking further into this, it must be remembered that Wilmington and New Hanover county is a sea-shore country, with all that means in the way of sand and more sand. But those enjoying last Friday's ride gave little thought to this, whirling swiftly at thirty or forty miles an hour over a road way so level and smooth that there is only the sensation of gliding, there is only the desire to lie back and take in the quickly passing scenery, without any mental effort—just enjoy the ride and have the "rich-feeling" of a motor car owner.

"But this ride of 25 miles, over continuous fine roads, that gave impression of endless smoothness and made the ride short, when ended, has only been made possible through years of effort on the part of the advocates of good roads. It has meant voting, issuing, and selling \$250,000 worth of bonds, but the result is one hundred miles of paved and macadam roadways that make city and county one, without that nearly always distinguishing division between city and county, the drop from a paved roadway into deep sand or impassable mud.

"Wilmington and New Hanover county good roads have given rich results in suburban developments, and this was prominently before the eye of every Elk, who cared to look, as the motor cars swept, in a line of over a mile in length, carrying the Elks through sub-division after sub-division, with their beautiful homes, making suburban residence a joy for thousands.

"When the sub-division left off, there was the country, with land in fine cultivation, with farmer-folk on porch or in field, familiar with the sight of the speeding motor-car, yet often pausing from work, to note the passing, particularly so on last Friday, when Elk banners and streamers were waved at them. Can the New Hanover farmer not see what the good roads have done for himself and family? And today every portion of the county can be cultivated, and be within an hour's drive by wagon, to market.

An so among so many features, that gladdened and made glad the visiting Elks, to the Convention, at Wilmington, to the writer the most pleasing was the automobile ride on Friday. It carries with it the knowledge of the greatness of the hospitality, that is so genuinely Wilmingtonian, which placed private motor-car and driver, to the number of a

PAMLICO SHERIFF NABBED "BOOZE"

Thirty-Five Barrels of Beer And
Thirty Cases of Whiskey
Were Confiscated.

ENROUTE TO MOREHEAD CITY

Warrants Will Be Sworn Out For
Consignees And They
Must Face Court.

A. H. Stephens of Oriental, Sheriff of Pamlico county, was in the city yesterday attending to official business and in an interview with a Journal reporter gave the details of the locating and capture of half a car load of whiskey and beer at Oriental last Friday night.

According to Sheriff Stephens account of the affair thirty-five barrels of beer and thirty cases of whiskey, consigned to two men at Morehead City, arrived at Oriental last Friday afternoon, coming via New Bern. In some way one of the bottles containing the spiritus furmenti had been broken in transit and the contents of this had trickled over the floor and was emitting an odor which in the parlance of the Sheriff was "strong enough to walk."

Passing by the car Sheriff Stephens caught a whiff of this and naturally his suspicions were aroused. After considering the matter, he swore out a warrant under the search and seizure act and called upon the railroad agent to open up the car. The agent at first refused to do this but later saw his error and informed the officer that the car contained whiskey and beer and also gave him the names of the consignees.

Sheriff Stephens learned from the agent that a boat would arrive from Morehead City about 9 o'clock at night to transfer the shipment and he at once planned to capture the crew of the vessel with the cargo on their hands.

The shades of evening fell and the Sheriff was right "on the job", patiently waiting for the men from Morehead City to arrive on the scene. Shortly after 9 o'clock the chug-chug-chug of a powerful motor boat was heard in the direction of Adam's Creek and a few minutes later the craft drew up alongside the railroad wharf. Inside of the station went the captain of the boat and signed for the beer and whiskey and it is believed by the Sheriff that the agent "tipped" him off that there was trouble brewing for after coming out of the depot he made a bee-line for his boat and within less than a minute the engines had begun their rhythmic purr and the boat was soon out of sight.

Realizing that the whiskey and beer would not be claimed, Sheriff Stephens removed it from the car and now has it stored under lock and key, in the ice house at that place and it will be held there until the next term of Pamlico county Superior Court. Sheriff Stephens also stated that he would swear out warrants against the consignees and that they would have to explain the entire affair to the Judge.

STEAMSHIP IS REPORTED ON FIRE.

New York, June 9.—No further advices were received today regarding the steamship Olinda of the Munson line reported on fire at sea somewhere off the Georgia coast. It is believed the vessel was heading for Savannah or Brunswick. The line's officers received two wireless messages giving no information except that the vessel was on fire in hold No. 1 and that the vessel was making for port. The Olinda left here Friday with passengers and freight for Cuban points.

NOT A DICTATOR, SAYS SIMMONS.

Washington, D. C., June 9.—President Wilson is not assuming the role of dictator in the Senate tariff deliberations. This was the emphatic statement today of Senator Simmons, chairman of the finance committee. Senator Simmons' ire was aroused by the attack on the President by persons who said that he has meddled. The President is merely acting in an advisory capacity, said Senator Simmons.

hundred, at the complete disposal of the hundreds of Elks, to enjoy a ride that was one of luxury and great enjoyment.

THE WEATHER THIS WEEK.

Will Be Generally Fair With Moderately Low Temperatures.

Washington, June 9.—Under the influence of high barometric pressure that covers the eastern half of the country, the weather will be generally fair with moderately low temperatures during the next several days over the eastern States, the Great Central Valleys and the Lake region, while local rains are probable the first part of the week along the South Atlantic and Gulf Coasts. Temperatures above the seasonal average with generally fair weather will prevail during the week west of the Mississippi Valley. No important storm will cross the country the coming week, but a disturbance that is now forming over the Western plateau region will advance slowly eastward, preceded by a general rise in temperature and attended by local thunder showers, and cross the Middle West about Thursday and the eastern States near the end of the week. A general reaction to normal temperature will set in over the Great Valleys and the eastern States after Tuesday.

LOOKED FOR SNOWBIRDS

No June Bugs Seen In New Bern Yesterday.

According to all accepted theories this is the month of June but there were mighty few June bugs floating in New Bern and vicinity yesterday. Instead every one was looking in all directions for the snowbirds and those who had "pulled 'em off" felt like "putting 'em on" again.

Sunday morning the temperature began to drop and this was followed by rain. At intermittent periods during the day there were showers and still the mercury lowered. At 10 o'clock Sunday night many overcoats were in evidence.

Yesterday morning dawned cold and cloudy and later rain began to fall and at frequent periods during the day there was a deluge. At midnight it was still cold enough for an overcoat and while there were dense clouds overhead, the rain had ceased to fall. According to the prognostication of a well known prophet, the weather is "freakish" and may remain in this state for several days.

SUPPOSED FIRE WAS ONLY SMOKE

THINGS HAPPENED QUICKLY
WHEN SMALL BOY GAVE
THE ALARM.

A small boy passing the Gaston Hotel yesterday afternoon saw smoke issuing from the top of the building and thinking the structure was a fire, rushed into the office and excitedly informed Manager R. A. Cherry that his establishment was burning.

The announcement rather staggered the genial host of the Gaston and it might truthfully be said that for a few moments he "lost his head". A young business man of the city was standing in the lobby at the time and as soon as he heard the word "fire" made a bee-line for the alarm box on the corner of South Front and Middle streets and sent in a hurry-up call for the fire companies.

For five minutes or more, during which time the fire fighters arrived, all was hub-bub around the hotel, followed by a general exodus for the street and places of safety. After making an investigation it was found that the smoke was issuing from one of the chimneys on the East side of the building and that the wind was blowing in such a direction that this was carried down to the eaves of the roof, making it appear as though the fire were actually located at that point.

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A. T. Willis Company—Wash neckwear.
A. Castet—Grandma knows.
New Bern Banking & Trust Co.—Thrifty people wanted.
National Bank—The road to wealth.
Citizens Savings Bank & Trust Co.—Are you protecting your business?
Gaskill Hardware Company—Odorous Garbage Cans.
Clark Brick and Tile Company—Brick.
S. Coplon—Contest entries at the big store now open.

MANY ATTENDING TENT MEETINGS

Even The Disagreeable Weather
Of Sunday Failed To Keep
The People Away.

FINE SERVICE SUNDAY NIGHT

Another Good One Last Night—
Christians And Public Cor-
dially Invited.

The Tabernacle tent meetings are surprising the most enthusiastic among the leaders. The heavy rain on Sunday did not keep back the crowds. There were 150 present in the Sunday school and a large congregation present at the morning worship. Mr. Phillips preached on "The Wonderful Christ," and Mr. and Mrs. Brown sang "Holy Quietness." This service was very impressive and greatly enjoyed by every one present.

The services at night however was the one which so greatly surprised every one. Even though it had rained in torrents all day, the tent was about half or two-thirds filled.

Mr. J. Q. Brown led the large choir in rendering an enthusiastic song service after which he and Mrs. Brown sang a beautiful duet. Mr. Phillips preached at this service on "Prayer," basing his remarks on the 12th chapter of the Acts, which gives the account of Peter's being prayed out of prison.

At the conclusion of the sermon, a large number stood requesting prayer for friends and loved ones.

This was the best service so far during the series of meetings.

Monday Night.
The congregation last night was even better than Sunday night and the spirit of the meeting was very fine. The large choir was on hand early and rendered a very sweet song service. Mr. and Mrs. Brown sang "A Clean Heart" just before the sermon. Mr. Phillips preached on "Hosea's Vision," using a part of the 14th chapter of Hosea. He announced that he would conclude the study of the chapter tonight.

The meeting is deepening in interest at each service and the leaders are expecting great things before it closes. All Christians regardless of denomination are invited to co-operate in the work and the public is invited. Song service begins tonight at 7:45 sharp and preaching about 8:15.

PUBLIC INVITED TO ATTEND
DANCE AT STANLEY HALL.

The big dance to be given at Stanley Hall tonight will be one of the chief events of the week. An orchestra will furnish music for the occasion and refreshments will be furnished, and all who attend are promised an evening of pleasure. Tickets are now on sale at the Wood Lane Drug Company's store on Middle street. Dancing will begin at 9:30 o'clock.

CATCHES HUGH TURTLE.

J. C. Hathcock caught at Morehead City Saturday night and brought up to this city Sunday morning on the morning train one of the largest sea turtles ever seen here. He was rolled away from the station in a wheel barrow which was completely filled by his high bulk.

PROGRAM AT THE ATHENS TO- DAY.

VAUDEVILLE
Newport and Sterk
Eccentric talking, acrobatic knock-about comedians, "dispensers of gloom." This is one of the best comedy acts for a long time. You will laugh 'till you cry at their original fun. They are great.

PICTURES
"The Wartime Siren"
A drama of the Civil War, very exciting.

"The Broken Idyll"
A Western cowboy picture by Pathe.
"The Voice of Giuseppe"
A picture with a thousand feet of hilarious comedy, by the Essanay Co.
Matinee daily at 5:00 o'clock. Two shows at night. First commences at 8:00 o'clock, second about 9:15, or immediately after the close of first. Always a desirable seat for you if you will observe the hour and come to either first or second show.