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THANKSGIVING DAY FOOTBALL GAMES ATTRACT THOUSANDS

Game In This City Well Attended—A. & M. Defeats Washington and Lee—Other Games.

New Bern football enthusiasts turned out en masse yesterday afternoon to witness the game between the team of the Ghent Athletic Association and the Sophomore team of the North Carolina Agricultural and Mechanical College. The result of the conflict was, in a way a victory for the visitors, the final score being fourteen to nothing, but regardless of this fact the local boys put up a fast, snappy fight and won the admiration of all present.

The visiting team, individually and collectively, is much heavier than the locals and although the latter exerted every effort, used every strategem and put forth every ounce of strength they were unable to overcome the heavier team. Among the many features of the game was the plunging and end runs of Turner and Hardison, the latter for the locals and the former for the visitors.

Naturally there was disappointment that the local boys did not win a victory but nevertheless they are being praised just as highly as if the score had been in their favor and even the visiting team congratulated them on their excellent playing.

The following was the line up of the two teams:

Ghent Athletic Association Team:
R. E. Tynes, r. t.; Harrison, r. g.; Siegel, c.; Terry, l. g.; Land, l. t.; Barker, l. e.; Scales, Q. B.; Shupp, r. h. b.; Tolson; l. h. b.; Tucker; f. b. Smith (capt.).

A. & M. Team:
R. E. Abernathy, r. t.; Porter, r. g.; Ormond, c. Rand; l. g. Nooe; l. t. Hermon; l. e. Jennette; Q. B. Albright (capt.); r. h. b. Valley; l. h. b. Morrison; f. b. Turner.

Referee, T. C. Daniels; Umpire, C. A. Seifert.

"PREMIUM NIGHT" AT THE STAR THEATRE.

Last night was "Premium Night" at the Star theatre and there were three packed audiences on hand to witness the performance. At the drawing held for the prizes, the following held the lucky numbers:

First Prize, 22 lb. Turkey, Mr. B. P. Reeves.
Second Prize, 1-2 barrel Flour, Miss Harris.
Third Prize, 10 lb. Ham, Mr. Don Wood.
Fourth Prize, 20 lb. Sugar, Mrs. A. Caset.
Fifth Prize, 5 lb. Box Coffee, Mr. C. L. Hardison.
Sixth Prize, 5 lb. Box Candy, Mr. John Hargett.

ROBERT JONES IS IN TROUBLE

IT IS ALLEGED THAT HE RAIDED A CHICKEN COOP

Among the offenders who will face Mayor Albert Bangert this afternoon will be Robert Jones, a young white man of this city, according to reports, attempted to purloin a turkey which did not belong to him.

The alleged offense took place in the wee sma' hours yesterday morning. It is said that Jones visited the chicken coop of J. B. Watson on lower Middle street and attempted to get possession of a bird for his Thanksgiving Day dinner at that place but failed in his attempt.

Proceeding on down the street Jones spied B. B. Davenport's chicken coop which was sitting in front of his place of business, and succeeded in getting into this. Policeman Griffin and special officer Albert Ippock witnessed the theft and started in pursuit of Jones who, as soon as he saw that he was being followed, threw the turkey into Trent river and made a dash for freedom.

The fugitive escaped temporarily but was later captured and taken to the City Hall for safe keeping until this afternoon.

Marriage sometimes opens the eyes of blind people.

More things come to those who do not wait for them.

"A WOMAN'S HONOR" MADE A BIG HIT

LOCAL THEATRE-GOERS TAX CAPACITY OF THE MASONIC OPERA HOUSE.

Not in many a day has there been such a large assemblage in the Masonic Opera House as there was last night to witness the performance of "A Woman's Honor" presented by local talent supporting Prof. J. Henri Bourdelais.

The vast auditorium of the theatre was packed to its utmost capacity and every seat in the balcony was taken long before the curtain rose on the first act. It has often been said that the productions staged by local talent were not as entertaining as those put on by professionals. In a way this is true, but those who saw the play last night were sincere in their assertions that there never has been a piece more ably presented on a local stage and there was not a one present who did not think that they had received double and triple value for their money.

The plot of the play, which is in four acts, centers around the struggles of a woman to overcome great odds and to preserve her honor at all costs. She succeeds in doing this and all ends well before the curtain drops on the last act the audience has seen human life enacted with all of its tragedies and pitfalls, with all its glamor and glitter laid aside and the true soul of the characters displayed.

Prof. J. Henri Bourdelais, who had the leading part, took the role of General Mark Lester, hero of the Cuban ten years war. This was Prof. Bourdelais' first public appearance in New Bern, but it is safe to say that if he heeds the appeals of the theatre-goers that he will often be seen behind the footlights. Mrs. Bourdelais, who took the principal female role of Olive, one of Robert Glenn's daughters, was superb in her work and at times the audience wondered if they were not witnessing an actual occurrence rather than a reproduction.

In the dual role of Pedro Mendez, brother of General Lester and Robert Glenn, W. F. Dunn was beyond comparison. One who was not acquainted with Mr. Dunn would feel positive that he was a professional actor, and a good one at that. D. R. Morris, as Dr. Garcia, a surgeon, and R. A. Richardson Jr., as Gilbert Hall, a medical doctor, had difficult parts but handled them in such a manner as to win the approval of all.

James B. Dawson, well known to every New Bern theatre-goer, was seen in a new role last night; that of Ebenezer, Robert Glenn's butler. Mr. Dawson was in his usual "funny" mood and from the time that he first appeared on the stage until his final exit, he succeeded in keeping the audience convulsed with mirth. Garrison R. Farrow, as Gregory Grimes, Lester's private secretary, also furnished his share of the merriment of the evening. First his love making was ludicrous then after marriage his escapades were of such a nature that one could not refrain from taking a good, hearty laugh every few seconds while he was on the stage.

Another favorite with New Bern audiences had an important part in the cast and, as usual, won much applause. This was Mr. George Stratton, as Sally, daughter of Robert Glenn. Mrs. Stratton has marked ability along this line and her portraying of different characters are always true to life. Miss Eula Cole as Maria, the wife of Pedro Mendez, had a difficult part, but she handled it in a thoroughly capable manner. One of the features of the evening was a recitation between the first and second act entitled "The Steamer Chair," by Little Miss Zora Steyron who, attired in a white male costume made a "hit" with the audience.

There were many who could not witness the performance on account of the lack of room and the cast decided to reproduce the play tonight. The performance last night was for the benefit of the Peoples Concert Band. The

PROF. P. EHRLICH



Professor Paul Ehrlich is a noted German physician who is devoting his efforts to discover a remedy that will be fatal to all disease germs but which will not in the slightest injure the patient.

PEOPLES CONCERT BAND MOVES INTO NEW HOME

ARE NOW ENSCORNED IN THE MITCHELL BUILDING.

The Peoples Concert Band, New Bern's new musical organization, in which every public spirited citizen is taking a great deal of pride, has moved into their new quarters in the Mitchell building on Middle street and now have a home of which they feel justly proud.

This band, is fast becoming one of the best in Eastern North Carolina and in time will, without any doubt, be the best in the entire State. Organized only a few weeks ago and with several of the members not knowing one note of music from another, have become so proficient in the manipulation of their instruments that public appearances cause them no qualms.

CAPTAIN KENNETH A. BELL PASSES AWAY

SUCCUMBED YESTERDAY AFTERNOON TO ATTACK OF PNEUMONIA.

A death that came as a surprise to the many friends of the deceased, occurred in this city at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon when Captain Kenneth A. Bell succumbed to an attack of pneumonia at his home, No. 129 Broad street.

Captain Bell, who had charge of one of the Government dredges now located on Cape Fear river near Wilmington, was taken ill last Saturday. He returned home as quickly as possible and at once went under the care of a physician. His condition was not thought to be critical until yesterday when it was seen that he was slowly growing worse.

The deceased is survived by his wife and two children who reside in this city. His mother and one sister reside at Beaufort and another sister resides in the North. Arrangements for the funeral had not been completed last night and the hour will be announced later.

Hon. J. M. Faison left yesterday on a short trip to Pamlico and Jones Counties in the interests of truckers and fruit growers of those sections.

Members of the cast have gone to considerable expense in getting up and presenting this piece and the proceeds from the sale of tickets tonight will go to the company.

Tickets will be on sale today at the Wood-Lane Drug Company's store. Seats on the lower floor will cost fifty cents while those in the balcony will cost twenty-five cents.

FEDERALS FLEE FROM THE REBELS

President Huerta's Troops Are Without Any Food Or Trains.

HUNDREDS ARE WOUNDED

Number Of Dead Is Uncertain—A Bloody Encounter.

El Paso, Tex., Nov. 27. Evidence that the Mexican rebels defending the city of Juarez, just across the border from here, considered all danger of further attack from the government forces as past was given today by the digging up of mines near the Juarez Jockey Club which is to open racing season tomorrow and the destruction of barbed wire defenses erected to hold the federals in check.

General Villa, the rebel commander, still maintained that the federals were "in full and shameless retreat" over the hills, their trains and field pieces in his possession. No firing had been heard to the south of Juarez this morning.

Thus it appears that after thirty hours of fighting the rebel captors of the city had flung back the federal assault and would hold the border city without dispute. General Villa said he would pursue the federals at once but he is known to lack ammunition and will be forced to delay regardless of his inclinations in the matter.

He maintained that a sufficient rebel force is now besieging Chihuahua to prevent the retreating federals making their way into the State capital. If he has captured all their trains the enemy is left without food or means of transportation in a desert and two hundred miles from its base.

The total dead in the battle are estimated at about 300; the wounded many more than this. This was mere guesswork as no Americans have been over the field and a fog was hanging over everything this morning. The American Red Cross has failed to respond to the appeals for aid made by the rebel officials yesterday, and an effort will be made to obtain money from other sources to enable the El Paso doctors and nurses to care for the wounded.

So far only men wounded on the head and body have been cared for. Broken arms and legs and flesh wounds have received no attention. The latter wounded bandaged their hurts as best they could on the field with clothing, handkerchiefs or anything that would staunch the flow of blood.

In several instances men were seen to cut bullets from their own flesh with pocket knives that had been dulled by usage in camp and upon the march.

The temporary hospital conditions in Juarez are not as bad as they were a week ago. The hotels have been converted into hospitals and all the wounded are given cots or beds. Lack of bandages, medicine and the proper food for the wounded is causing the most suffering. American doctors are willing to help in the care of the wounded but they have little to work with.

Juan N. Medina, chief of staff to General Villa, maintained that all the rebel wounded had been brought to Juarez. This gives them a total of about one hundred and fifty wounded. He said their dead numbered about the same. All federal wounded will be brought in today, he declared. All hospital accommodations have been taken up and private homes will have to be used if these men are to be placed on beds or even under roofs.

NORTH CAROLINA MEETS DEFEAT AT RICHMOND.

(Special to the Journal.)

Richmond, Nov. 27.—The football team of the University of North Carolina met defeat here this afternoon when the final score in the game which they played with the University of Virginia stood twenty-six to seven in favor of the latter team. The conflict was witnessed by more than eight thousand people, North Carolina having furnished several hundred spectators. The Tar Heel team was in excellent shape and there were many who thought would be the victors although they made a desperate effort to win the victory, they were defeated.

A. L. Palmer.



Senator Palmer is a prominent person in New York State. He is a life-long friend of Ex Governor Sulze and in an interview given out this week, states that the deposed Governor will again sit in the executive chair of the State.

MANY PEOPLE ATTEND THE BIG LAND SALE

"GLENBURNIE GARDENS" WERE SOLD YESTERDAY AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

The sale of lots at "Glenburnie Gardens," near the new Glenburnie Park yesterday morning was well attended and about fifty lots were disposed of at prices ranging from one to four hundred dollars.

This sale was conducted by the American Realty and Auction Company of Greensboro, a company who have recently conducted a number of successful sales in this city, and this one also was a complete success.

Following the sale of land a big barbecue dinner was served to all the white people who were in attendance. This feast was immensely enjoyed.

A. H. HAMILTON MAY BE THE PRESIDENT

VIRGINIAN LIKELY TO BECOME CHIEF EXECUTIVE A. C. RAILWAY.

Richmond, Nov. 27.—Report was current here today that Alexander Hamilton, of Petersburg, will likely succeed the late T. M. Emerson, as president of the Atlantic Coast Line.

It is not probable, however, that any statements of an authoritative nature will be made on the subject until after the burial of Mr. Emerson who expired suddenly last night at his home in Wilmington, N. C.

Mr. Hamilton has been general counsel and vice-president of the company for a number of years and is generally regarded as Emerson's logical successor.

He is a brother-in-law of Governor Mann and a father-in-law of Thomas P. Bryan, prominent young attorney of Richmond.

DICKY BIRD COMEDY CO.

Will make a complete change of act today, putting on the best bill of the week. They have played to packed houses all this week so come early to secure a good seat.

Our pictures for today will consist of four good pictures.

"The Menill Murder Mystery."

"Her Present."

"To The Son Of The House."

"His Reward."

You will thoroughly enjoy each one of these. Remember we give you a two house show for the smallest amount ever seen anywhere—only 5, 10 and 15 cents at night, and you get all this at our matinee for 5 and 10 cents. Night 7:30. Matinee every day 3:45.

We have another big company for next week, direct from Atlanta.

Always the most and best at the Athens and no advance in prices.

THANKSGIVING DAY IN NEW BERN

The Occasion, As Usual, Was Observed In A Fitting Manner.

SERVICE AT THE CHURCHES

Many Visitors Spend The Day In The City—Amusements.

Thanksgiving Day in New Bern was fittingly observed and, as usual, passed by in a quiet manner. During the early part of the day services were held at many of the churches and these were well attended. At practically all of these houses of worship, contributions for the poor and needy were taken up and these, which consisted of money, food, clothing, etc., were distributed during the afternoon.

Many New Bernians spent the day out of the city, some visiting relatives and friends in nearby towns and cities while others attended the football games at Richmond and Norfolk. There were many visitors in New Bern also. At the hotels special menus had been prepared for the occasion and the genial hosts of these hostilities endeavored, to their utmost ability, to make their places seem homelike. That they succeeded in accomplishing this end was evidenced by the praise of the guests.

As for sports and amusements, there was a sufficient amount of these to gratify the desires of even the most fastidious. During the early part of the day there was a big turkey shoot out at Ghent Park and this was largely attended. During the afternoon there was a concert by the Peoples Band in the same place and this was followed by a game of football between the team of the Ghent Athletic Association and the Sophomore Team of A. & M. College.

During the evening New Bern's three theatres were open and these were largely attended. So far as is known there were no accidents and no disorderly conduct to mar the observance of the occasion.

AN ORPHANED GIRL IS FATALLY BURNED

HALLIE GROOVES MAY DIE FROM BURNS RECEIVED AT GOLDSBORO.

Goldsboro, Nov. 27.—Hallie Graves, a little 14-year-old girl in the Old Fellows' orphan home, was dangerously if not fatally burned this morning at 10:40 o'clock. The little girl was attending to the cooking of dinner, and while at the stove her apron caught fire and was in a blaze instantly. In her excitement she ran into the back yard, and before she could be caught her clothes had practically burned from her body. She was hastened to the Goldsboro hospital, where three physicians have done all they can for her. Dr. J. Rainey Parker, the home physician, says there is but little hopes of her recovery. She was admitted to the home from Poplar Branch lodge, No. 116, September 20, 1909. She has a mother living near Elizabeth City and an aunt living at Belcross.

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A HOMICIDE IN YADKIN COUNTY

HARRY NICHOLSON SHOT TO DEATH ON THE COUNTY HIGHWAY

Statesville, Nov. 27.—Harry G. Nicholson, aged about 35 years, was shot and killed last night in the edge of Yadkin county about 20 miles west of Statesville, by Rufe Myers, aged about 25 years. Particulars of the homicide are meagre, but according to best information obtainable the two men met in the road last night about 9 o'clock and Myers put a load of shot into Nicholson's thigh, resulting in his death a short time later. They had not been on good terms for some time. Myers made no attempt to escape and was placed in jail at Yadkinville today.

Only the man who has more dollars than sense can afford to be sarcastic. Green is a popular color at present, but no girl should be green with envy.