GOLDSBORO WEEKLY ARGUS

"This Argus o'er the people's rights
Doth an eternal vigil keep;
No soothing strains of Maia's son,
Can lull its hundred eyes to sleep."

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TO INVESTIGATE THE CHARLESTON KILLING

Coroner Will Hold an Inquest Over Murdered Reporter Today

MILITIA STILL ON DUTY

Charleston, S. C., Oct. 17.—Formal investigation of the shooting in the rooms of the city Democratic executive committee here last Friday in which Sidney J. Cohen, reporter for a local newspaper, was killed and four other men wounded, will begin here tomorrow before Coroner John G. Mansfield, it was announced today. The police today formally charged Henry J. Brown, one of the men arrested after the shooting, with murder and with conspiracy to cause the shooting. Edward R. McDonald, arrested with Brown, was charged with assault with intent to kill and with conspiracy.

Four companies of the National guard and three divisions of naval militia were held in their armories today and special deputies remained on duty at the courthouse. The day passed quietly. It was anonunced the militiamen would be on guard at the inquest and that no persons with arms, or without proper credentials will be allowed to attend. The coroner said he had summoned many witnesses.

Both Brown and McDonald have secured habeas corpus writs requiring the chief of police to show cause in circuit court tomorrow morning why they should not be released. It was said that a military guard would be present at the hearing on the writs.

Six men were arrested after the shooting, but all except Brown and McDonald were released later. The latter two first were charged with carrying concealed weapons.

It was indicated today that Mayor John P. Grace would contest in the courts the decision of the executive committee which yesterday declared Tristam T. Hyde the Democratic nominee for mayor.

A number of persons prominent in the business and social life of Charleston today issued an appeal for "calmness and order."

THE SAVIOUR CALLED.

In Memory of Little Henry Pelt.

Little Henry Pelt, who died Sept 29th, was five years old, son of Mr. Charlie Pelt and Mrs. Sallie Boyette Pelt. He was a member of Thompson's Chapel Sunday School and the only flower of the home, a bright and beautiful child.

As we watched the little gray hearse pass it reminded us of bygone days, when we had an experience like this, and we said, "O, God, help them, we pray Thee; bind up the broken hearts of his parents, and be with them in loving comfort."

Even now we can picture little Henry, as he led in "Children's Day" celebration, marching with litte Hannah Cobb Best and holding a U. S. flag, manfully and with keen interest in the services. But the blessed Saviour had need for the child in His kingdom above.

We commend his dear parents to Him who doeth all things well.

MR. AND MRS. A. P. HOWELL.

Dear Lord help me to understand
That we shall know each other
In that beautiful far away land
With Christ and His angels forever.

Surely I shall know little Henry,
In that bright celestial home,
Where there's no death, sorrow nor pain,
And no sad farewells are known.

While the days are slowly passing,
Each one bring me nearer thee,
For I'm striving for that blessing
That I know awaited thee.

"How long, dear Saviour, oh how long,
Shall that bright hour delay?
Fly swifter round, ye wheels of time,
And bring the welcome day."

HIS TEACHER.

DISTRICT MEETING.

There will be a meeting of the Sixth District Jr. O. U. A. M. with Seven Springs Council No. 455, Wednesday, October the 20th, 1915.

All Juniors are extended a most cordial invitation.

J. E. SPEARS,
District Deputy.

MOONLIGHT SCHOOLS

THEY WILL BE HELD THROUGHOUT THE STATE DURING NOVEMBER.

Moonlight schools has a euphonious sound. It gives a touch of the aroma of romance in educational interests. They are to be tried in North Carolina. They ought to be successful, and no doubt will be. Many a man living in the State now got his educational start by a torchlight. We do not see why those grown-ups, who have no learning, should not be able to gain some by the moonlight. North Carolina moonlight nights are the finest in the country. We can safely say, in the world.

The calendar month of November has been chosen by the state committee on social service as the period during which the moonlight schools shall be held throughout the state.

It has been decided to have meetings of county committees on social service with the teachers of the counties at each county seat a week or more before the time for the moonlight schools to begin and then to have meetings of the local committees and the local teachers right on the eve of the opening of the moonlight schools, these to round out the arrangements and stir enthusiasm to the utmost.

Governor Craig has issued a proclamation calling on the people of North Carolina to get behind the movement, and State Superintendent Joyner has sent a letter to the teachers from which the following is an excerpt:

"November has been designated as Moonlight School Month in North Carolina because that seemed to be the most convenient month for the majority of the counties of the State. If, however, some other month is more convenient for your county, and the roads are in good condition, select that month. Be sure, however, to select a month when the weather is likely to be pleasant and the roads in good condition. During November or such other month as may be selected, concentrate public interest and effort upon this one work of teaching the adults of your county to read and write. Rally to the work your newspapers, all organizations that have pledged their aid and all other agencies that can be enlisted for service. Have the papers full of it every week. See that they are furnished with the facts and the news about the schools. Publish before the schools open the number, but not the names, of adult illiterates by school districts. Publish each week the number, but not the names, of those enrolled in each school. As soon as possible, for the encouragement of others, publish from week to week the number, and, by their permission, the names of those that have learned to read and write and cipher. Most of this news can be supplied weekly through the news letter from each school, and should also be reported to the County Superintendent by the teacher. The Superintendent and the teachers should keep in close touch with the papers and see that the weekly material is promptly supplied.

"The program for Community Service Day and North Carolina Day this year, now in the press, centers around the Moonlight School and the elimination of illiteracy in every school district as the one most important community service to be concentrated upon this year. It is suggested that this day be observed in each county on the Friday before the opening of the Moonlight schools, and that on that day at each schoolhouse all the details for opening and successfully conducting the school be completed.

"Because of their onerous duties in the day schools and their inadequate salaries, I did not feel that I ought to ask or that the community ought to expect of the public school teachers more than one month's extra service at night without compensation. It is hoped and expected, however, that before the close of the month sufficient interest will be aroused and sufficient success attained in many of the Moonlight Schools to warrant extending the term, and that citizens and interested organizations and orders in the community will arrange for such extension and for payment of the teacher or some other person to continue the school, and also to provide, where feasible, instruction for other adults, besides illiterates, desiring additional instruction."

All the schools in Wayne county will be in session by November the 15, therefore the Moonlight School month in Wayne county is fixed for the four weeks beginning on November the 15, and closing December 10.

Community Service Day and North Carolina Day will be observed at each schoolhouse in Wayne County on Friday, November 12.

The following is a list of the number of adult illiterates in the county by townships and districts as reported on census:

Brogden Township.

District No. 1—Pine Crest school—4.
District No. 2—Brogden School—4.
District No. 3—Woodland—None reported.
District No. 5—Dudley school—9.
District No. 6—Kornegay school—None reported.
District No. 7—Thunder Swamp school—7.
District No. 8—Mt. Olive Graded school—12.
District No. 9—Salem school—None reported.
District No. 10—Roberts school—2.

Fork Township.

No. 1—Oakland school—10.
No. 2—Ebenezer school—21.
No. 3—Rosewood school—6.
No. 4—Antioch school—29.

Goldsboro Township.

No. 1—Goldsboro Graded school—102

Grantham Township.

No. 1—Falling Creek school—23.
No. 3—Park Hill school—9.
No. 4—Beaverdam school—11.
No. 5—Manley school—7.
No. 6—Bizzell's Grove school—None reported.
No. 7—Dobbersville school—None reported.
No. 8—Smith's Chapel school—7.
No. 9—Union Academy school—1.
No. 10—Corbett Hill school—13.

Great Swamp Township.

No. 1—Pinkney school—9.
No. 2—Sasser school—9.
No. 3—Aycock school—10.
No. 4—Hooks school—3.
No. 5—Memorial school—None reported.

Indian Springs Township.

No. 1—Seven Springs school—4.
No. 2—Indian Springs school—2.
No. 3—Zion school—1.
No.4—Walker school—3.
No. 5—Smith school—None reported.
No. 6—Holmes school—None reported.
No. 7—Glendale schoo—None reported.

Nahunta Township.

No. 1—Fremont Graded school—None Reported.
No. 2—Yelverton school—None reported.
No. 3—Daniels' Quarter school—None reported.
No. 4—Davis school—2.
No. 5—Water Branch school—None reported.
No. 6—Faro school—24.
No. 7—Eureka school—5.

New Hope Township.

No. 1—Daniels' Chapel—3.
No. 2—Grant school—20.
No. 3—Glenwood school—21.
No. 4—Piney Grove—4.
No. 6—Casey Chapel school—None reported.
No. 7—Newsome school—None reported.
No. 8—Adams school—5.

Buck Swamp Township.

No. 1—Pleasant Hill school—11.
No. 2—Nahunta school—3.
No. 3—Gurley school—1.
No. 4—Edgeworth school—None reported.
No. 5—Pleasant Grove school—None reported.

Pikeville Township.

No. 1—Pikeville school—None reported.
No. 2—Mt. Carmel school—23.
No. 3—Person school—3.
No. 4—Taylor school—1.

Saulston Township.

No. 1—Nahunta school—None reported.
No. 3—Hood Swamp school—None reported.
No. 4—Hill school—None reported.
No. 5—Butts school—12.

Stony Creek Township.

No. 1—Salem school—8.
No. 3—Best school—14.
No. 4—Patetown school—None reported.
No. 5—Novel Hill school—5.

Total thus far reported for county—480.

It is thought that a full report from the districts not reported and a recanvass by the teachers and committeemen of all the districts the number of illiterate adults in the county will be greatly increased.

AT THE ACME TODAY.

At the Acme tomorrow will be seen another episode of that highly interesting serial, "The Black Box".

Also on this day will be seen a special blue ribbon feature in four parts, with a cast that cannot be beaten. In this picture, "The Wolf of Debt", is featured Billie Garwood and Violet Merserau and Brinsley Shaw. The photography of this picture is wonderful, in that it was taken at night during a driving rain storm. The gowns worn by Miss Mersereau were designed and made by Harry Collins, the famous theatrical costumer of New York. This is a very interesting drama of society and the business world.

HOUSEWIVES LEAGUE FAIR

Great Are The Women of Goldsboro

SO, TOO, ARE THE CANNING CLUB GIRLS

All the County As Well as the City Are Enthusiastic For a Common County Fair Next Year Growing Out of This Exposition.

The Housewives League Fair of Goldsboro, under whose auspices the Wayne County Girls Canning Club, tutored so efficiently by Mrs. Herman C. Smith, also gave a nexhibition of their year's canning achievements, came to a close amidst the universal encomiums of city and country people alike, and the common purpose of the whole county now is to have a great Industrial County Fair next year, and for this spirit of co-operation and progress the Housewives League of Goldsboro is due the entire honor.

The following is a list of the Canning Club prize winners—a full list of other winners, including the prize babies, will follow:

1st prize—$5 in gold—Mr. E. B. Borden, President Wayne National Bank, Juanita Mitchell (age 10) Pikeville, N. C., R. 3—922 cans.

2nd prize—$5 in gold—Goldsboro Womans Club, Mary Dewey Hooks, (age 16) Goldsboro N. C., R. 1—577 cans.

3rd prize—Angle Lamp—Royall & Borden, Lina Fleming (age 11), Pikeville, R. 3—504 cans. (Also $5 in gold by H. Weil & Bros., for largest number of canned fruits and vegetables at Housewives League Fair.)

Best record book—1 oil stove—C. W. Bender, Norfolk; Louise Holmes, Orphan Home.

2nd prize—1 pair scales—Graves J. Smith; Ruth Hooks, Fremont, N. C.

For jar of best packed tomatoes—"Good Housekeeping" 1 year—Housewives League; Juanita Mitchell.

2nd prize—1 pair scissors—W. T. Yelverton; Lina Fleming.

For jar best packed fruit—"Progressive Farmer" 1 year—Dr. Clarence Poe; Mary Dewey Hooks.

2nd prize—"The Headlight" 1 year—A. Roscower; Lina Fleming.

For glass best scuppernong jelly—"Weekly Argus"—Col. Jos. E. Robinson; Lina Fleming.

Total number cans of tomatoes 11,076; value $865.07.

Sold fresh $61.90.

Total number other products in tin peas, peaches, beans, corn, potatoes—365.

Total number in glass (reported)—1,614.

While these girls have stored away, for winter comfort, products to this amount it is the concensus of opinion among them that for each dollar made, $10 worth of more valuable attainment of self development and steady purpose has been given.

The community spirit, the spirit of co-operation, has been beautiful to see.

These girls have been organized 7 months and their report must compete with clubs that have been organized one, two, three and four years.

Had it not been for the excessive rains in the spring which damaged all products the profit would have been greater—the wilt attacked the Orphan Home garden, lessening the production, also two other gardens.

The 4-H Brand tomatoes are now on sale and the housewives are requested to ask for them and thus help the girls of Wayne county in their effort to better themselves, their county, their State, and at the same time give value received.

These girls realize this work is in its infancy and they have a vision of Wayne county grocers carrying Wayne county products—they are ready for kindly criticism or a pat upon the shoulder "in that friendly sort of way." Quality, not quantity, has been impressed or must be, upon them. "To make the best better" their motto—let every one in Wayne county aid them.

Every member of the Canning Clubs, together with the County Agent, wish to thank most heartily everyone in Wayne county, who has helped to make this work a success—especially would they thank the County Superintendent and members of the Board of Education for their interest; the ones who so gladly offered the prizes; the Womans Club, who by their efforts, revived this work in the county; the Housewives League, Womans Club and other organizations who have so cheerfully used their influence to push this work, thereby giving a helping hand to their co-workers; to the editors of the papers who have so kindly published their items; to the following merchants who have shown their interest in the upbuilding of their town, their county and the education of the girls by purchasing the 4-H brand tomatoes, and last but not least to every individual who has given to us a word of encouragement and cheer: E. M. Davis Grocery Co., J. D. Daniels, F. E. Barnes, W. R. Thompson, F. B. Edmundson, Jno. Darr, Spence & Vinson, E. Edwards & Son, S. R. Odom, Henry Williams, C. Croom.

WHAT IS A MODEL HUSBAND

The winner of the blue ribbon at a "husband show" recently conducted in Dallas, Tex., was able to tell the anniversary of his wedding, the date of his wife's birthday, give a recipe for cake, tell the price of butter and eggs and sew a button on in two minues.

The old saying, "It's all a matter of opinion," applies as well to the choice of a model husband as to any of the other problems with which life has to do. The winner of the prize in this case showed himself possessed of knowledge not usually to be met with among husbands, whether good or bad.

The average married man knows the price of butter and eggs, as well as a host of other things for which he has to pay. Sometimes he remembers the date of his wedding and it is not unusual for him to recall his wife's birthday. Having learned by one or two painful experiences what he must endure when he forgets it, he jots it down on his calendar or in some other place for convenient reference.

However, being able to give a recipe for cake and to sew on a button in two minutes are the accomplishments of a model wife. The husband who learns how to do either of both is a spineless mollycoddle and deserves the henpecking he inevitably receives. The average conception of a model husband does not do these things and he may occasionally forget important dates in his married life, but if he is a good provider, behaves himself to a reasonable extent and makes sacrifices of personal comfort to maintain the entente cordiale with dear Wife, his claim to the title cannot be questioned.

WOMAN, VICTIM OF FILM OFFICE FIRE, DIES.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 17.—Miss Lucille Davis, 18, one of the those seriously burned here yesterday in a fire in the office of the Mutual Film Corporation died today, bringing the death list to three. One young woman was burned to death in the building and another died shortly after being taken to a hospital.

Eight persons were seriously burned or injured but all are expected to recover. A fireman who was painfully burned was the only one of the victims not an employe of the film company.

ALUMINUM DEMONSTRATION.

The women of St. Paul M. E. church will have a demonstration of much interest on the merits of aluminum ware and on the modern electric stove, Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the building next to the Opera House, where the Housewives Fair was held.

Twenty-five cents admission entitles you to refreshments and an aluminum pan for those to whom a pan has not been given.

SUNDAY VIOLATIONS DOUBLE IN CHICAGO.

Chicago, Oct. 17.—Fifty-two violations of the Sunday saloon closing law were reported to police headquarters tonight. Last Sunday when Mayor Thompson's order enforcing the law went into effect, 28 violations were reported. There are 7,152 saloons in the city.

In the towns and villages outside of Chicago liquor was sold as usual with one exception. Phoenix, with a population of 1,200, and 18 saloons, was "dry."

Seven arrests were made in the city, whereas no arrest was made last Sunday.

A South Side saloon keeper closed his place at midnight last night with six patrons inside. A dozen policemen surrounded the place for three hours. Finally the patrons and proprietor attempted to get out through a side window. Each was arrested.

Chief of Police Healey said the list of all violators, with the witnesses and evidence, would be submitted to Mayor Thompson.

NOTICE—Some one has borrowed our level and tripod, and we would very much appreciate the return of same, as we need them badly. John Slaughter & Co., Inc.

ANTONY AND CLEOPATRA

GREAT EIGHT PART FEATURE TO APPEAR AT NEW CRYSTAL TOMORROW.

When Mr. George Kleine first produced the Cines "Quo Vadis", it was a revelation in photo-drama and the whole world marvelled at its imposing beauty and spectacular grandeur. It marked an epoch in the new art and established a standard.

Mr. Kleine promised more and newer productions that would surpass "Quo Vadis", and public and press immediately said "Impossible— 'Quo Vadis' is a freak—an accident—it cannot be done again." But since then Mr Kleine brought out the Ambrosio version of "The Last Days of Pompeii," which again excited the admiration and wonderment of the public and made them realize that perhaps he would be able to fulfill his promises.

Now he launches the Cines photo drama "Anthony and Cleopatra", pronounced by all who have seen it the most wonderful achievement yet in photo drama, far excelling all its predecessors—an amazing unity of dramatic interest more human and closer to nature's heart than any of the others. The love story of "Quo Vadis" was platonic; in "The Last Days of Pompeii" idyllic; but in "Anthony and Cleopatra" it is the earthly, masterly and o'erpowering passion that finds a compassionate understandable response in the minds of us ordinary mortals of today.

Mr. Kleine's production of the Cines photo drama "Anthony and Cleopatra" will be seen at the New Crystal theatre tomorrow, Tuesday, Oct. 19th.

TAG DAY

The Executive Board of The Goldsboro Hospital have designated Saturday, October 30, as the annual Tag Day for the Hospital.

The Goldsboro Hospital is the most creditable public institution the city and county possess, it is the crowning glory of both city and county, and the receipts of Tag Day should emphasize how it is appreciated by our people.

COMMERCIAL POTASH NOW FOUND IN UTAH

Secretary Lane Regards It as One of the Most Important Discoveries of Year

ASSURES THE POTASH SUPPLY

Washington, Oct. 17.—Secretary Lane today announced the production of the first commercial mineral potash in the United States. This came to him in the form of a report from a special agent of the geological survey, in Piute county, Utah, nearly in the central part of the state. The potash is found in a vein of a mineral known as alunite, which is the sulphate of aluminum and potassium. The vein found is some 10 feet wide and has been traced for some 3,500 feet. Its depth is not yet known. The alunite when removed is subjected to a very simple process of heating, disolving in water, filtering and evaporating, and the potassium sulphate resulting is almost pure. Some 200 tons of alunite has been put through the mill and two tons of 99 per cent pure potash has been produced, and there is still in solution nearly 100,000 gallons containing large amounts of potash salts which has not yet been evaporated.

The discovery that this mineral yields potash in commercial quantities, Secretary Lane regards as one of the most important discoveries made recently with reference to our natural resources, as it assures of a domestic supply of potash for our national needs in the manufacture of explosives.

CARD OF THANKS.

To the many friends of ours, who sent flowers and fruit, and were interested in other ways in the welfare of our little twelve year old Olga, in her recent critical illness, we are deeply grateful and indebted.

MR. AND MRS. A. E. GRASSIE.