

RELIEF IS ASKED BY LUMBER MEN

Unable to Fill Orders Because of Unusual Car Shortages.

Norfolk, Va., September 19.—Inability to fill orders because of unusual car shortages was a serious situation reported by all lumber manufacturers in attendance today at a meeting of the North Carolina Pine Association...

One large manufacturer said that his company had been able to get but one car in the first sixteen days of September, and declared this would probably not have been available but for the fact that wheat or cotton is to be moved the cars are sent for this, and we are inside to suffer.

The mills for the most part reported oversold stocks, with some advance in prices, especially on the lower grade of lumber. Comparing the lumber business of to-day with that of five years ago, another large dealer said that with conservatism the year 1913 promised to be the best year in the history of the North Carolina pine manufacturers.

Delegates were elected to the National Conservation Congress to be held at Indianapolis October 2, 3 and 4, as follows: John M. Gibbs, Clifford I. Millard, E. B. Wright, Ira Johnson and S. W. Clark.

The semi-annual meeting of the association will be held at Charleston, S. C., October 24.

WILL BE TRIED ON ITS MERITS.

Norfolk, Va., September 19.—In the \$100,000 suit of Samuel L. Burton, colored, who sued the County of Accomac, its Board of Supervisors, the town of Onancock and private individuals for alleged false arrest and injury by conspiracy, Federal Judge Waddill today sustained demurrers filed by the county, its supervisors and the town of Onancock, but overruled demurrers as to individual defendants in so far as the plaintiff bases an action on the case in the nature of a conspiracy, which action the court holds to be good in law. The plaintiff is also granted leave to amend his bill as to the town of Onancock.

This means that the Burton suit will be tried upon its merits. The whole thing grew out of a race riot at Onancock, on the Eastern Shore of Virginia, for which Burton was arrested and subsequently acquitted. The individual defendants against whom the suit of Burton is held to be good in law are Tank Kellum, Upshur Q. Sturgis, Lee G. Kellum, John West and Leonidas K. Doughty.

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THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Virginia—Fair Friday; Saturday unsettled.

For North and South Carolina—Fair Friday, preceded by showers on the coast; Saturday fair.

Special Local Data for Yesterday.

12 noon temperature 67

P. M. temperature 70

Maximum temperature up to 8 P. M. 71

Minimum temperature up to 5 P. M. 67

Mean temperature 69

Normal temperature 70

Deficiency in temperature since March 1 1

Deficiency in temperature since January 1 16

Accum. deficiency in temperature since January 1 448

Rainfall last twenty-four hours .039

Deficiency in rainfall since March 1 .316

Accum. deficiency in rainfall since January 1 3.03

Local Observations 8 P. M. Yesterday.

Temperature 64

Humidity 82

Wind-direction N. E.

Wind-velocity 8

Weather Clear

Rainfall last 12 hours .07

CONDITIONS IN IMPORTANT CITIES.

(At 8 P. M. Eastern Standard Time.)

Place. Ther. H. T. L. T. Weather.

Asheville 64 72 64 Clear

Atlanta 70 78 72 Cloudy

Boston 74 82 72 Rain

Buffalo 69 68 60 Cloudy

Chicago 72 82 72 Cloudy

Charlotte 66 68 54 Clear

Denver 74 78 48 P. cloudy

Detroit 62 64 60 Clear

Hatteras 74 84 74 P. cloudy

Havre 48 50 46 Cloudy

Jackson 74 80 52 Clear

New York 64 70 52 Clear

Louisville 64 70 52 Clear

Montgomery 78 84 78 P. cloudy

New Orleans 74 78 70 Rain

Norfolk 70 82 70 Clear

Oklahoma 74 82 58 Clear

Ottawa 64 68 60 Clear

Pittsburgh 72 82 72 P. cloudy

St. Louis 70 72 52 Clear

St. Paul 64 66 46 Cloudy

San Francisco 78 84 72 Cloudy

Sevenson 64 68 60 Clear

Spokane 64 68 62 Clear

Tampa 74 88 78 P. cloudy

Washington 68 62 50 Clear

Winnipeg 60 70 60 Rain

Wytheville 60 70 60 Clear

REMARKS ALMANAC.

September 20, 1912.

HIGH TIDE.

Sea rises 5:57 Morning 12:30

Sea sets 6:11 Evening 12:50

Richmond, Va.

DECIDES WHO CAN VOTE IN PRIMARY

Electors Must Support All Nominees of Democratic Party.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Raleigh, N. C., September 19.—At 1 o'clock this morning, after thrashing out the matter since 8:45 o'clock, the State Democratic Executive Committee adopted a resolution offered by H. H. Hackett, of Wilkesboro, declaring that it is the interpretation of the committee that the words "Democratic ticket" by the State Democratic convention, prescribing who shall vote in the senatorial primary shall mean "all nominees of the Democratic party for office." Quite a number of amendments and substitutes for this resolution were offered. Neither E. L. Travis, close friend of Governor Kitchin, nor Manager McNeill, of the campaign of Governor Kitchin, for the Senate, voted on the resolution. Mr. Travis stating after insisting that he did not vote for it because he believed it went too far and would injure the cause of Democracy. It was voted for the Hackett resolution, as explained, in order that he might have the right to move to reconsider.

There were fifty-five of ten seventy members of the State committee present in person or by proxy tonight. The matter of passing on what constituted a "Democratic ticket" was taken up as a business matter rather than as a political matter. The last meeting, when there was long discussion and several resolutions offered. The Hackett resolution was offered first, providing that "Democratic ticket" means all nominees of the Democratic party for office. To this Chairman Webb offered an amendment providing no elector who shall vote for any candidate running on any ticket in opposition to any Democrat shall vote in the senatorial primary. This was accepted by Mr. Hackett, but in the long-drawn-out roll call, withdrawn. A. W. McLean offered a resolution that interpreted Democratic ticket as meaning legislative and county tickets, provided that no elector who shall act as a general elector on any ticket in opposition to any Democrat shall be permitted to vote in said primary. This was in the end voted down.

The Hackett resolution carried 26 to 22, which requires voting for all Democratic nominees from President to township constable.

JURY CHOSEN TO SIT IN VANN CASE

Trial of Alleged Murderer of Oliver Layden Will Begin This Morning.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Elizabeth City, N. C., September 19.—A trial case before the court this morning made proceedings in the trial of B. F. Vann, accused murderer of young Oliver Layden, the sixteen-year-old Belvidere lad, late in beginning. The prisoner was brought into the courtroom by Sheriff Reid a few minutes before 11 o'clock.

Vann was followed closely by his aged mother and two sisters, whom he embraced and kissed affectionately. He talked intimately with his counsel, and occasionally exchanged remarks with members of his family about him. He chewed tobacco the entire time he was in the courtroom.

Mrs. Vann shaded her face with her hands frequently, and at such times appeared to be praying. The room was crowded to suffocation and the heat was stifling. Men stood in every available place and pushed within the bar itself. Both sides gave no indication from the questions put to the talesmen of any plan they may have formulated of attack or defense.

At 2 o'clock this evening a jury was selected to try the accused, after a special venire of 150 had been exhausted and a venire of twelve had been called by the sheriff from the court room.

Court immediately adjourned until 9:30 o'clock to-morrow morning, when the taking of testimony in the case will begin.

Arrested in Des Moines.

Des Moines, Iowa, September 19.—Charles D. Brown, a negro attorney, who, according to local police, is wanted in Staunton, Va., on forger charges, was arrested here to-day, and will be held pending action of the Virginia authorities.

ASK WALDO ABOUT HIS SECRETARY

Alleged Association With Supposed Graft Collector Subject of Inquiry.

New York, September 19.—The alleged association of Winfield R. Sheehan, secretary of Police Commissioner Waldo, with George C. Norton named as a "supposed collector of police graft," was again the subject of inquiry today at the resumption of the aldermanic investigation of police corruption. Commissioner Waldo was one of the witnesses and he was questioned regarding Sheehan in this connection. Mr. Waldo declared that Sheehan's duties were merely secretarial, and that he had nothing to do with departmental affairs other than in this capacity.

Some surprise was created today by the announcement that Emory R. Buckner, counsel for the committee, had received a letter from Charles H. Hyde, former city chamberlain, asking permission to testify before the committee and waiving immunity. Norton sent a similar letter.

Former Sheriff Nicholas J. Hayes, who informed Alfred G. Johnson, according to the latter's testimony, that Norton maintained a branch office for the collection of graft at 115 Broadway, was asked by Counsel Buckner at to-day's session if he had ever discussed Sheehan's name with Johnson in connection with the graft.

It was on Hayes's information, Johnson testified yesterday, that he had Norton investigated by detectives who trailed him to Sheehan's house. The ex-sheriff today declared that his information concerning Norton was based solely on rumors and that he did not know who Norton was supposed to collect for.

"What did you do when Johnson sent you the report that Norton and Sheehan had been found together?" asked Buckner. "I read it and tore it up. I thought it was foolish."

Police Commissioner Waldo was asked if Sheehan had told him of the visit of Johnson's detectives. "Yes," said Mr. Waldo. "He said that two men had come to his home and acted in a suspicious manner and represented themselves as officers of the law. He had notified the police, and two detectives were sent to see if the men were violating the law."

The commissioner was asked if Sheehan had known anything of the Reith affidavit, produced by Waldo yesterday, in which Police Captain Reith swore that Johnson had demanded \$10,000 from him as the price of his promotion.

"Not that I know of. It was none of his business," said the commissioner. Thomas J. Hassett, who was secretary for Mayor McClellan, emphatically denied the testimony of Reith that Johnson had taken the captain to see him as the man who would help him get his promotion. He didn't even know Reith, he said.

WILL MAKE FIGHT TO DEFEAT SLEMP

Progressives of Pulaski Will Give Support in Campaign to Graham.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Pulaski, Va., September 19.—The Pulaski County Republicans, who have allied themselves with the Progressive wing of the party, having organized some weeks ago, have received in a recent communication from Thomas L. Moore, the State chairman, official notice of this organization as the true Progressive party in Pulaski County. Commissioners will be forwarded to the county chairman as soon as they are received from the printer.

The organization, with the precinct chairmen is as follows: B. C. Hurst, Pulaski, chairman; E. W. Calfee, Pulaski, secretary-treasurer; G. C. Hall, East Pulaski; N. H. Hurd, West Pulaski; John Oglesby, Draper; W. C. Calfee, Allenton; Gordon Akers, Reed Island; John Graham, Max Creek; John Eisteln, New River; A. B. Smith, Snowville; E. C. Gilmer, Boalspring; A. L. Warrick, Dublin; Robert Bird, River View; William Millrons, Hunter.

The Progressives will endeavor to make a strong fight through the county for Walter Graham in an attempt to defeat Bascom Slemp. The new wing of the party has a liberal following in this county and the fight should assist largely in carrying it for the Hon. Rufus Ayers.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS WILL CELEBRATE FOUNDER'S DAY.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Alexandria, Va., September 19.—Fitzgerald Council, Knights of Columbus, is arranging to celebrate founder's day with a musical and literary program. The day falls on Saturday, October 12, and the council will hold its celebration, October 11. The Apostolic delegate will be one of the special guests, and he will be tendered a reception. This will be his first visit to Virginia since his arrival in America. Dr. Melody, of the Catholic University of America, will deliver an address.

FAILS ON BAR EXAMINATION.

First Woman in California to Receive Judicial Nomination. San Francisco, Cal., September 19.—Miss Lucy Goodie White, the first woman in California to receive a judicial nomination, failed to-day to pass her bar examinations.

Miss White, who is a Socialist, received 7,000 votes in the recent non-partisan judicial primary. She was a court correspondent in Virginia for many years and has devoted considerable time to the study of law.

Kitchin at Fayetteville.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Fayetteville, N. C., September 19.—Governor Kitchin made an address here to-day in advocacy of his election to the United States Senate. He was introduced by H. McD. Robinson.

News of South Richmond

South Richmond Bureau. The Times-Dispatch, 1020 Hull Hill Street, Phone Madison 178.

Through the unexpected illness of Judge Ernest H. Wells, of Henning County, near the corner of Eighth and McDonough Streets, the wound, while painful, is not serious. The bullet took a downward course, missing the bone. It was extracted by Ambulance Surgeon H. Taylor Hawkins.

Henry, who was in a daze, was held by his sister, Mrs. J. Nelson, of 2 West Twentieth Street. He was on his way to her home last night. Coming around the corner of Eighth Street, he collided with a negro. Words passed between them. The negro suddenly put his hand in his hip pocket, but before she could draw a weapon Henry had grappled with him. The man managed to work the pistol loose, and pressing it against Henry's leg, fired. Henry turned his head toward the pistol, and a shot behind a pole. The negro ran down the street a short distance and turned and fired two more shots. Neither hit the mark.

No description of the man could be given by Henry. He is confident that he was colored, but would be unable to identify him. At a late hour last night no trace could be found.

Deed in Montgomery.

William R. Wilkinson, a former resident of South Richmond, died yesterday morning in Montgomery, Ala., according to a message received here. His body is expected to arrive here this afternoon over the Seaboard Air Line. It will be taken to the home of W. L. Prentiss, 1311 Decatur Street, from which the funeral will be held.

Mr. Wilkinson was about forty-five years old. He leaves besides his wife, two children. He is survived by one sister, Mrs. B. H. Cheatham, and two brothers, M. H. Wilkinson, of Pulaski, Va., and John A. Lester, of Middleburg. He was a member of New South Council, No. 8, Jr. O. U. A. of the Hestia Chapter, I. O. O. F., and Progressive Council, No. 12, D. of L. The funeral arrangements have not yet been completed.

Death of E. S. Dobbins. After lengthy illness, E. S. Dobbins, thirty years old, died yesterday morning at his home on the Petersburg Turnpike, Oak Grove. He had been suffering for several years and had for some time been living in a specially constructed open-air house. He is survived by his wife and several children. The funeral arrangements have not been completed.

Runs Glass Through Foot. While walking around in his slippers, Sam Holden, a street car man, living in Swampboro, yesterday morning stepped upon a sliver of glass which penetrated his foot. He was taken to the office of Dr. Bryce, where the cut was treated. Dr. Holden, keeping the glass, which is three inches long, as a souvenir.

liquor license transferred. Judge Ernest H. Wells yesterday entered an order granting the Bowen Liquor Company (Inc.) of 1201 Hull Street, the privilege of transferring its license to E. B. Bridgford, of 1205 Hull Street.

Edwood, the six-year-old son of W. A. Smith, was bitten yesterday by a large pointer dog belonging to Gary Foster, colored. The dog's face was torn and lacerated in several places, but his injuries were not serious. Foster was summoned to appear this morning in Police Court, Part II.

The dog's owner should not be held for allowing a vicious dog to roam at large.

Whom is Not Satisfied. Although he was taken sick suddenly yesterday morning at the home of Judge Ernest H. Wells is not thought to be alarming and he will probably resume his duties this morning.

Democratic Club Election. The annual election of officers will be held to-night by the South Richmond Democratic Club at its quarters in Franklin Hall. There is no opposition to any of the officers, and they will all probably be re-elected. A buffet luncheon will be served at the conclusion of the meeting.

With Big Ledger. At the regular meeting of Manchester Lodge, No. 52, B. P. O. E., held last night at the Elks' Home, B. P. O. E. Peiping was unanimously elected as the new term of R. E. Fitzgerald, secretary of the lodge, who left last week to accept a position in Winston-Salem, N. C.

Washington. No. 21. Patriotic Sons of America will hold an important meeting to-night at Robinson's Hall, Swanboro. The visiting committee will consist of a representative on Dr. E. C. Campbell, 204 E. 21st.

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Mr. O. U. A. M., last night at Odd-Fellows Hall, Dr. W. A. Gordon, State counselor, was present and addressed the meeting.

Personal Mention. Mrs. Bertie Fuqua and daughter, Ruth and Vivian, of Greensboro, N. C., are visiting Mrs. E. W. Fuqua, of Drewry's Bluff.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Fuqua, of Pittsburgh, are visiting relatives in Woodland Heights.

William Caudle, who has been working in Pittsburgh, has returned home.

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DEATHS

CAMP—Died, last night at 11:30 o'clock at the Retreat for the Blind, LUTHER S. CAMP. His body was taken to his late residence, 1025 West Grace Street. He is survived by two sons, William S. Camp, of Chicago, and Hunter W. Camp, of the city, and Mrs. C. W. Taylor, of Drake's Branch, Va.

Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA