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EMPLOYEES WILL GO TO ANNUAL BANQUET

TO BE GIVEN IN CHARLOTTE BY THE DUKE INTERESTS.

NEW PROGRAM

Understood There Will Be No Speech Making This Year. Motion Pictures.

Local employees of the Southern Public Utilities Company and the Piedmont & Northern Railway are looking forward with anticipation of much pleasure to the annual banquet which employees of the Duke interests will enjoy in Charlotte next Saturday night.

It has been the custom heretofore for the employees of the Southern Public Utilities company to be banqueted in one city, those of the Southern Power Company in another and those in a third city. Last year banquets were held in Greenville, Charlotte and Winston-Salem. This year, however, the three banquets will be combined and held in Charlotte and at the same place.

The great gathering will be held in the auditorium at Charlotte next Saturday evening, and hundreds of employees of these three big companies will be present. Plans for the function have not been announced as yet, but it is probable that there will be several changes in the plan which was followed last year and in years before.

It is understood that the banquet at Charlotte will be devoid of speech-making. Instead of the usual after-dinner addresses by officials of the company and others, it is reported motion pictures will be shown as the banquet is in progress. Just what these pictures will illustrate, is not definitely known, but it is understood that they will be along lines of particular interest to the employees of the company.

These banquets do much to foster closer relations between employees and employers and give the employees of one branch of the big company an opportunity of meeting and knowing the employees of another branch. The banquets are usually attended by all employees of the company except those who cannot for obvious reasons leave their posts of duty that night. While no announcement along this line has been made, it is probable that special trains will be run on the interurban lines for the purpose of conveying the employees to Charlotte back to their respective stations after the entertainment.

EXCHANGE CHALLENGES TO PERSONAL COMBAT (CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE)

claim "unjustified and unwarranted." Representative Ragdale, of South Carolina, said that "when the gentleman charged that there is railroad influence enough on the Democratic side of the house to defeat this legislation, I don't believe it and I repudiate it."

"Well, the gentleman has his opinion," replied Representative Moon. "If the hit dog yelps, let him yelp." Representative Webb, of North Carolina, said he "was not influenced by railroads, but by my own colleagues who I think are high minded, honest and conscientious men."

Representative Moon concluded with the statement that the Democrats who had voted against the rule had done so because of "profound ignorance."

Republican Leader Mann, who had led the fight against the original rule, later renewed the controversy.

"The charge has been made on this floor," he said, "that the influence of railroad interests has been felt in this house. I believe it is the duty of the house, if the charge is not true, to repudiate the charge and condemn the man who made it. If it is true, then the house owes it to itself to investigate the charges and punish those men whose votes have been changed by railroad influence."

A little later Representative Moon, in a brief speech, disclaimed any in-

ention to "reflect on the honor or integrity of any member of the house." He said that his speech was made "in the heat of debate" and "may have been a little rough." He offered to withdraw any "offensive language" he might have used.

ATTENDS FUNERAL OF HIS BROTHER

T. B. Kinney, of The Intelligencer Force, Summoned Home Account Brother's Death.

The following report of the death of Paul Kinney is taken from a Shreveport (La.) paper. Mr. Kinney was the brother of F. B. Kinney, of this city, who has been connected with The Intelligencer force for several months as pressman. Mr. Kinney reached Shreveport before the funeral of his brother, and is spending a few days with his aged mother before returning to resume his duties.

The funeral of Paul G. Kinney, aged 37, son of Mrs. Clara G. Kinney, who died at the family residence at 216 Fanning street early Saturday morning, after an illness of ten days, will be held Monday morning at 10 o'clock from the family home. Interment will be in the Oakland cemetery, Rev. Father F. Bertels of the Holy Trinity church, officiating.

The deceased was born and reared in this city and was widely known. Last Monday he was stricken with pneumonia and although he suffered greatly during the days succeeding, his condition was thought to have been improved Friday when he told members of the family that he was feeling better. His condition took a sudden turn for the worse during the night, however, and he died about 3 o'clock Saturday morning.

He is survived by his mother, three brothers, Leonard, Brazier and Francis, the last named living in Anderson, S. C., and one sister, Mrs. J. H. O'Neil, of Riveredge, N. J. A telegram was received last night from Mr. Francis Kinney, which stated that he would be here in time for the funeral Monday.

The pall bearers will be J. C. Trichel, S. E. Adams, Jim Dykes, Henry Haag, Murray Quigles, Leon I. Kahn and Will Jones.

WILLIAMSTON

Mrs. Jaa. S. Beik of Atlanta, Ga., is here visiting home folk for the Christmas holidays.

Miss Lydia Sheard has returned home from an extended visit to friends in Greenville and Clemson.

Miss Blanche Ferguson of Greenville spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. M. M. Ferguson.

Miss Carabel Cooley has returned from a visit in Atlanta.

Dr. J. D. Caldwell is visiting in Chester.

Miss Kiddie Arnold spent last week-end in Greenville.

Misses Edith Bigby, Maude Attaway and Bertha Anderson attended the teacher's meeting in Anderson last Saturday.

Messrs. B. S. H. Harris and O. J. Brockman of Greenville were business visitors in town Friday.

Mr. J. B. Martin spent Tuesday in Anderson on business.

Mrs. H. T. Crigler spent last week-end in Anderson the guest of Mrs. B. B. Gossett.

Mr. J. C. Duckworth spent Tuesday in Anderson.

Mr. Joe Sullivan of Anderson spent Sunday with the home folk.

Mrs. R. P. Ransom has returned home after a short visit in Anderson.

Mr. H. T. Crigler is off on a hunting trip.

Mr. Joe P. Gossett has returned from a business trip to New York.

Mr. E. H. Welborn spent Tuesday in Anderson on business.

Mr. Harris of Anderson was in town Thursday on business.

PRODUCED CORN FOR 27 CENTS A BUSHEL

GOOD RECORD MADE BY ANDERSON COUNTY BOY FARMER

ACRE YIELD WAS 159 1-3 BU.

Frank Thompson of Pendleton Produced Some of the Cheapest Corn.

That corn can be produced on Anderson county rented land as cheaply as 27 cents per bushel, was demonstrated in the reports which were submitted by the members of the boys' corn club at the annual contest held last Saturday week at the chamber of commerce.

Several of the best reports were laid aside by Demonstration Agent J. W. Rothrock, at the request of the Intelligencer, for publication for the enlightenment of the general public. As generally known, each member of the club had to submit a written report on his prize acre of corn, giving in detail the cost of production, etc. These reports figured largely in determining the winners of the various prizes.

Some Cheap Corn

Frank Thompson, of route 2, Pendleton, produced corn at a cost of 27 cents per bushel. He planted his corn in 6-inch dark loam soil, with blue clay subsoil. Oats and peas had been grown on the land the year before, and oats and crimson clover were planted on it as a winter cover crop. The land was broken in June to a depth of 5 inches, and the seeds were planted on the third of that month. He planted Marlboro prolific corn, in rows 4 feet apart and in 15 inch drills. For fertilizer he used 200 pounds of crushed cotton seed and 225 pounds of 5-4-4 fertilizer. The crop was ploughed three times with sweep and subsoil plows. The yield per acre was 59 1-3 bushels. The average yield in the county on similar land with ordinary cultivation is 20 bushels. Frank reported that his crop was planted late, after oats had been cut, and states that had he planted earlier he believes a larger yield would have been made. The total cost of producing the 59 1-3 bushels of corn was \$15.99, or 27 cents per bushel.

Other reports by members of the boys' corn club will be published from time to time.

for Greenville, where he has accepted a position with the Piedmont and Northern lines. Mr. Clyde Stone took Mr. Gaines' place as night central here.

Mr. Sam Wells of Savannah, Ga., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Powell.

Prof. George Welborn spent last Saturday in Anderson attending the teachers' meeting.

The Day In Congress

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—SENATE: Walter L. Fisher, former secretary of the interior, testified before the lands committee on the water power site leasing bill.

Efforts to agree upon a vote on immigration bill January 4 were defeated by objection of Senator O'Gorman. Hearings continued on the bill for ultimate independence of the Philippines.

Secretary Redfield submitted a report on exports of war munitions to Europe.

Adjourned 4:15 p. m. to noon Monday.

HOUSE: Representative Bulkley assailed the proposal to let rural credits legislation wait for the next congress.

Rivers and harbors bill formally reported by the committee.

Army appropriation bill perfected in committee and debate on the postal bill proceeded on the floor.

Adjourned 6:05 p. m. to noon Monday.

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A Wireless Banquet. CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—One hundred officials of the Illinois Steel Company attended a wireless banquet tonight and gave to charity the money usually spent for champagne. Instead of a dinner at \$5 a plate at a downtown hotel the officials gathered in the club rooms of the works where the dinner cost one dollar, and the four dollars was given to the needy.