

PORTRAIT FOR THE MANSION

Benjamin Williams Twice Our Governor.

Partially Mutilated by Sherman's Soldiers, it Will be Retouched and Hung in the Governor's Mansion.

Through the efforts of Secretary of State J. Bryan Grimes, Governor Aycock received yesterday a large oil portrait of Benjamin Williams, twice Governor of North Carolina by choice of the General Assembly under the Constitution.

The Secretary had been in correspondence for some time with the descendants of former Governor Williams, now resident in Harnett county, and, as indicated, the forwarding of this valuable portrait to be added to the collection in the Governor's Mansion is the result.

The portrait will need retouching, thanks to the vandalism of some of Sherman's soldiers who, with thrust of sword or bayonet pierced the canvas in several places, marring the contour of one cheek and the expression of one of the eyes. The lineaments of the face are sufficiently preserved, however, for a skilful artist to restore the portrait to its condition prior to this barbarous mutilation. This work will be done at once and the likeness hung beside the portraits of other governors in the executive mansion.

As previously stated Benjamin Williams was twice elected to the governorship of North Carolina, first in the year 1799 and again in 1808. He also served the commonwealth as State Senator, as Representative in Congress and in various other capacities. Governor Williams was a native of Moore county.

DR. PEYTON HODGE RESIGNS.

Surprise on His Congregation at Louisville.

The Louisville Courier Journal prints a picture of Dr. Peyton H. Hodge, a couple and a half article about his work and career, from which this extract is taken: "Unexpectedly by all members of the church, except the elders, the resignation of the Rev. Dr. Peyton H. Hodge, as pastor of the Warren Memorial Presbyterian church, was announced yesterday at the morning service. It came as a surprise to the congregation, which was totally unprepared for the letter which was read by the pastor. Dr. Hodge asked the church members to join with him in a request to the synod that the relations between himself and the church be severed.

The reasons given by Dr. Hodge for his action were that a statement of the financial condition of the church, made by the deacons, showed that economy in the expenditures was imperative and the congregation had not shown hearty co-operation with him in keeping up the standard of work in the church. He said as a reduction must be made somewhere, he thought it best to relieve the church of embarrassment by offering his resignation to the synod and asking the members to join with him in the request.

"Acceptance of the resignation is said to be a matter of extreme doubt. Dr. Hodge has many warm personal friends and admirers in the church, and these will vote against the acceptance of the resignation. The majority will rule. The laws of the Presbyterian church require that a minister who desires to sever his connection with a church of which he is pastor, shall ask the congregation to join with him in requesting a dissolution. The whole matter is then referred to the synod, which takes final action. It is customary for the synod to act on the decision of the congregational voice, and to honor its request.

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Plenty of Money on Deposit in the Banks of Raleigh.

There is plenty of money on deposit in the six banks of Raleigh. The aggregate sum, as shown by the statements printed in this week's (some of today's) paper, will aggregate nearly two and a quarter million of dollars. These large deposits and the solid condition of Raleigh's banks shows that these institutions are so soundly served by the confidence of the people of Raleigh, Wake county and the State of North Carolina.

Must Believe It.

When public endorsement is made by a representative citizen of Raleigh the proof is positive. You must believe it. Read this testimony. Every backache sufferer, every man, woman or child with any kidney trouble will find profit in the reading.

W. B. Johnson, merchant tailor of 111 S. Wilmington street, place of residence, South Swain street, says: "I obtained the greatest relief from backache through the use of Doan's Kidney Pills obtained from Bobbitt-Wythe Drug Company's store. My son-in-law, Charles Beal, also suffered from backache very badly and Doan's Kidney Pills proved most effective in relieving it. We have also used my name and welcome as one who highly endorses the claims made for them."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milbur Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agent for the United States. Remember the name, Doan's, and take no other.



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NEW BOOKS.

Recently Added to the Olivia Raney Library.

The following are some of recent books added to the Olivia Raney, according to the list given out by Miss Coffin the efficient librarian yesterday: Purchased by Mrs. Raney, The Greatest Thing in the World, Hillis' Right Living as a Fine Art, Lawless' Life of Maria Edgeworth, Baker's In the Heart of Africa, Dobson's Life of William Pitt, Ladd's Story of the great Americans for Little Americans, Wallace's Man's Place in the Universe, Du Bois' Souls of the Black Folk, Williams' Recent Past, Hayden's Dictionary of Dates, Owen-Cuniff's Imperator Rex, Van Dyke's (The) Desert, Carpenter's Europe (A geographical reader), Dillon's Rose of Old St. Louis, Richardson's Life of Washington, Queen's Quair, Scott's Last Hope, Watanna's Daughters of Nijo, Shafer's Day Before Yesterday, Henty's Roving Commission, Berie the Briton, Through the Sikh War, Young Barristers, One of the 28th, By England's Aid, St. George for England, By Pike and Dyke, Braveest of the Brave, Lincoln's Cabin, Eri, Culbertson's At the Big House, Johnston's Old Mammy's 'Tomb, Joel, a Boy of Galilee, Little Colonel Stories, Dumas' The Forty-Five, Alderson's Life of Andrew Carnegie, Haywood's Life of Gov. Tryon, of North Carolina, Hart's Japan.

The following books have been donated recently: By Mrs. B. E. Skinner, Fleetwood's Life of Christ, Mrs. E. Dixon, Annual Report of the Auditor of the State of North Carolina. Mr. Heck donated the following: Mowbray's A Journey to Nature, Mason's Familiar Life in Field and Forest, Gibson's My Studious Neighbors, Ridgway's Birds of North and Middle America, Abbott's Birds About Us, Abbott's Birdland Echoes, Wright's Bird Life of Wild Birds, Father Griffin gave, Srenkiewicz's Quo Vedis and Knights of the Cross. Other friends have given: Crockett's Lockhart, Aston's History of Japanese Literature, Martin's Transactions of the Kansas State Historical Society, Fletcher's When Charles the First Was King.

DELEGATES APPOINTED.

To Represent State at Meeting of American Forestry Association at Washington in January. Governor Aycock yesterday appointed five delegates to represent the State of North Carolina at a meeting of the American Forestry Association and the National Association of Forestry, which meets in Washington City, January 2 to 6, 1905.

The appointments were made at the request of Hon. James Wilson, Secretary of the Government Department of Agriculture, and the president of the American Association of Forestry. The following gentlemen will represent the State at the January meeting: Messrs. R. P. Hayes, of Asheville; Horace Corwin, Jr., of Edenton; J. H. Cutler, of Raleigh; W. B. Beades, of New Bern, and Prof. J. A. Holmes, of Chapel Hill.

MR. JOHNSON SPEAKS IN RICHMOND.

Addresses the Chamber of Commerce of That City This Evening. Mr. Norman H. Johnson, Attorney-General of the North Carolina Retail Merchants Association, leaves this morning for Richmond, Va., where he goes in response to an invitation of the Chamber of Commerce of that city to address the body on the commercial conditions of the South.

MR. JOHNSON'S SUBJECT THIS EVENING.

"Some Hinderances to Southern Commerce," he is an interesting speaker and well posted on the commercial condition of the South.

MR. ROLLINS HERE.

Business Manager of Durham Herald Spent Yesterday in the Capital City. Mr. Rollins, business manager of the Durham Herald, was in Raleigh yesterday and paid The News and Observer a most pleasant call.

FUNERAL OF LITTLE EIBOK WEBB.

The funeral of little Eibok Mills, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Mills, whose sudden death has been previously announced, occurred last afternoon from the residence of his parents on the corner of Hargett and West streets.

SUPREME COURT YESTERDAY.

Cases were argued yesterday in the Supreme Court as follows: Peoples v. N. C. Railroad Co., by Burwell & Cansler for plaintiff; George F. Brown for defendant. Quantz vs. Southern Railway Co., by C. D. Bennett for plaintiff; W. B. Rodman and George I. Bason for defendant.

FUNERAL OF LITTLE JOHN BLACKNALL.

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GLENN'S MAJORITY.

It Will be Nearly Fifty Thousand.

The seventy-five counties from which official returns have been received show that Glenn received 107,076 votes and Harris 85,770 votes, giving Glenn a majority of 21,306 votes.

In the twenty-two counties in which the majorities are estimated, the estimate is that Glenn has a net majority of 8,388.

Table showing election results for Glenn and Harris across various counties like Alamance, Alexander, and Anson.

Line Railroad Co., by A. G. Mangum for plaintiff; G. F. Bason for defendant.

The case of Carolina Plumbing and Heating Company vs. Hall, will be argued today by W. F. Harding for plaintiff; Osborne, Maxwell and Keeran for defendant.

THE TRIAL OF NANN PATTERSON.

Four Jurors Selected When Court Adjourned for the Day.

(By the Associated Press.) New York, Nov. 15.—After more than five months in the Tombs prison awaiting trial on a charge of murder, the case of Nann Patterson, the alleged slayer of Caesar Young, was brought to trial in the trial branch of the Supreme court today.

Delay first from one cause and then from another, has been a prominent feature in the case ever since Miss Patterson was taken into custody after the tragic death of Young in a cage, in which he and the young woman were driving to the pier where Young was to take a steamer for Europe. Even in its last stages, attention for trial had been fixed, a minor case which claimed the attention of the court dragged slowly along and forced another delay.

In anticipation of the beginning of the trial, the court room was crowded with spectators when Justice Vernon M. Davis took his seat on the bench today. There was only a slight delay before the examination of witnesses began for the opening of the trial was in readiness. Miss Patterson, dressed in black, was brought in by prison attendants and took a seat beside her counsel, Abraham Levy and Daniel O'Reilly. Her father, Randolph Patterson, of Washington, had a seat within the bar enclosure. The work of selecting a jury from a special panel of 100 takersmen was begun at once.

SLUG' POULTR. The examination of each takerman was conducted with extreme thoroughness and one man, who apparently was a candidate for the position, was turned away by his defence, when he said in answer to a question, that he had friendly feelings toward District Attorney Jerome.

Edward Henrichs, a broker, was the first man to answer all the questions to the satisfaction of both the prosecution and the defence. The prosecution will depend entirely upon circumstantial evidence in building up their case against the defendant, according to a statement made by Assistant District Attorney Mason.

Richard S. White, a lumber dealer, had declared himself opposed to finding a verdict in a capital case on circumstantial evidence alone and during the examination of takermanesses to the shooting testifying before the jury. "So far as I know," said Mr. Rand, "the prosecution does not intend to call an eye-witness to the killing of Caesar Young."

Four jurors had been accepted when adjournment was taken for the day. Oyster Supper and Musical Next Evening.

Those who remember the delicious oysters served last year at the home of Mrs. Jas. A. Seaman, will be glad to announce the announcement of a repetition of that most delightful affair.

The bivouacs will be prepared by the members of the Oyster Supper Club, which alone is a guarantee of their excellence. Besides this treat for the inner man, the guests will have a musical feast by some of the most talented artists among whom will be Mrs. Horace Dowell, Mr. A. C. Jackson, Miss Nina Green, and others.

Mrs. J. A. Saunders' lovely home will be thrown open from six to eleven o'clock on Friday, November 18th. Come early and get your supper. Admission and supper twenty-five cents.

Cured to Stay Cured.

Mrs. S. T. Roberts, Clinton, La., sent a postal card request for a trial bottle of Drake's Palmato Wine to Drake Formica Company, Drake Formica Company, Drake Formica Company, by return mail without expense to her. Mrs. Roberts writes that the trial bottle of this wonderful medicine cured her of a chronic bladder complaint. She says: "One trial bottle of Drake's Palmato Wine has cured me after months of illness suffering. My trouble was inflammation of bladder and serious condition of urinary organs. Drake's Palmato Wine cured me entirely. I have had no trouble since using the one trial bottle."

Drake's Palmato Wine cures every such case as stay cured. It is a true, unfailing specific for Liver, Kidney, Bladder and Prostate troubles, caused by indigestion, Constipation, or Catarrh. When there is constipation, Drake's Palmato Wine produces a gentle and natural laxative, and when there is indigestion, it immediately stays cured. One small dose a day does all this splendid work and any reader of this paper will prove it by writing to Drake Formica Company, Drake Building, Chicago, Ill., for a trial bottle of Drake's Palmato Wine. It is free and cures. A letter or postal card is your only expense.

"Serjeant Kitty."

When a comic opera in this day of many comic operas is proclaimed by the dramatic critics and the theatre-going public of America, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, to be the best comic opera of many years, then there must be some foundation for a belief in its excellence. The comic opera "Serjeant Kitty" was last season proclaimed by the critics and the theatregoers in the cities named in many others to be the best comic opera of years. It will be seen at the Academy of Music on Monday, November 21, for the first time, in this city.

Miss Helen Byron, winsome, pretty, petite and possessed of a personal charm that few stars have, will be with us. Charles Wayne, an acknowledged top notch comedian, will play the comedy role and the supporting company is all that can be asked. The chorus of forty pretty girls who can sing is a feature.

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Little John Blacknall was widely known by Raleigh people on account of its resemblance to his twin sister, with whom he appeared on the streets in a parambulator. He was a bright pleasure to see. In five hundred years, John, who was the grandson of the famous Episcopal minister, John Blacknall, of Virginia, and the nephew of Mr. O. W. Blacknall, one of the State's most gifted writers, was one of the only twins of the family.

His death will be deeply regretted by the hundreds of his parents' friends, and his cheery baby face will be sorely missed in Raleigh.

BURNETT'S EXTRACT OF VANILLA.

Used exclusively by all leading hotels and clubs.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS FELT.

The Volcano of Colima Shuts Down and Prisoned Forces Grow Restless.

(By the Associated Press.) Mexico City, Nov. 15.—Earthquake shocks are reported from several points in the State of Jalisco. At the town of Autlan, the walls of several buildings were cracked.

At Manzanillo the shock lasted ten seconds. No damage however was done. The volcano of Colima is inactive and seismic disturbances are feared as it has been noticed that such disturbances are much more frequent and severe during the volcano's inactivity.

The Russians Emaciated.

(By the Associated Press.) Headquarters of the Third Japanese Army, Before Fort Arthur, November 14, via Fusan, Nov. 15.—(Delayed in transmission)—Spies and Russian who have surrendered report that the Russian forces have been reduced. The wounded found by the Japanese are emaciated.

Russian artillery shells partly filled with wood and which do not explode have been found. This shows that the Russians are short of material for making heavy ammunition.

The capture of the eastern fortified ridge will mean the surrender of the fortress in a couple of weeks, unless the garrison there retreats to the isolated forts. This seems improbable, however, and cold weather and the lack of food and ammunition renders desperate resistance unlikely.

Watching Russian Destroyer.

(By the Associated Press.) Chefoo, Nov. 15.—7:15 a. m.—A Russian torpedo boat destroyer has just entered the harbor. She has not been communicated with yet, owing to the roughness of the sea. It is reported that the Japanese torpedo boat destroyer has been seen outside, watching the movements of the Russian vessel.

Destroyer Enters Chefoo Harbor.

(By the Associated Press.) Chefoo, Nov. 16.—3:30 a. m.—The Russian torpedo boat destroyer Rats-toropony put into this harbor this morning. Firing was heard half an hour before she entered the harbor. A snow storm and a high wind were prevailing at the time, and it is believed that the Russian vessel, under cover of the storm, attempted to escape from Port Arthur. The correspondent of the Associated Press succeeded in reaching the destroyer after a struggle with the Russian vessel, but was not allowed to board her. The captain of the Chinese cruiser Hai Yang was the first person to go on board the Rats-toropony. He held a brief conference with her commander, after which the Rats-toropony came further in the stream and anchored in the same spot that the destroyer Kyeshtel did last August, before she was cut out by the Japanese.

Fruities of Snow.

(By the Associated Press.) Mukden, Nov. 15.—There was very little fighting in this vicinity on November 13 and 14. The weather is growing colder day by day, and furies of snow are frequent.

STATE NEWS.

The Selma Baptists are to erect a new and modern church.

A Raleigh sportsman carried home with him last night 54 Lenoir county partridges.—Kinston Press.

Clayton Baptists have spent \$3,000 this year in improving their church and the pastor's home. They have an ideal pastor in Rev. C. W. Blanchard.

St. Louis, Mo., November 16.—The National Convention of Railroad Maintenance of Way Employees today elected John T. Wilson, of St. Louis, grand president, and W. S. Powell, of Greensboro, N. C., second vice-president.

In the advertisement of Cobb Bros. & Co., of Norfolk, Va., which began in Sunday's issue, their location was inadvertently omitted. It is corrected in this issue. This is an old and reliable house, one of the handsomest of Norfolk.

The thirty-seven lots in Idlewild, sold at auction by W. A. Myatt, trustee, brought \$2,981. Mr. J. A. Pope was auctioneer.

Ronoke, Va., Nov. 15.—William Wright, colored, alias Jack Dillon, who shot and probably fatally wounded Policeman J. J. Hall, at Danville, Va., August 23rd of this year, while the officer was trying to arrest him, was captured here today by the local police. There was a reward of \$1,250 for Wright's arrest.

It's the chap who says he doesn't care for fifty lucre who is always wanting to borrow a quarter.

Many a man is honest because he never had a good chance to prove himself otherwise.

For Asthma Use CHE-NEY'S EXPECTORANT.

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Advertisement for KING'S KENTUCKY CONDITION POWDER, featuring a rooster and text: "For Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Hogs. The best Condition Powder ever offered."

Advertisement for Carolina Trust Co., featuring text: "Every Accommodation Extended to Customers Consistent with Safety and Correct Banking."

Advertisement for A Fine Turkey for Thanksgiving, featuring an illustration of a turkey and text: "You will be assured if you use Gas as fuel. You can regulate your fire exactly as you want to."

Advertisement for Standard Gas and Electric Company, featuring text: "Standard Gas and Electric Company, 124 Fayetteville St., PHONES 228."

Advertisement for Wanted-Corn! featuring text: "We will pay market price for all corn shelled or on ear. Raleigh Milling Company, Kings Business College."

Advertisement for Cross & Linehan Co., featuring text: "Welcome You to NORTH CAROLINA'S UP-TO-DATE Clothing, Men's Furnishing Store. As soon as you are ready to dress better, you're ready to look over our Stock. You will find that you can get just such SUITS AND OVERCOATS as you want; perfect fitting, tailored by hand, of the finest fabrics, ready-to-wear, for a great deal less money than these specifications indicate. We cordially invite you to visit our shop; you will find not only the latest creations in CLOTHING AND OVERCOATS, but an up-to-date line of men's furnishings. Come to see us. Cross & Linehan Co. Up-to-date Clothiers & Furnishers.