

Alexandria Gazette.

MONDAY EVENING, MAY 27.

LOCAL MATTERS

Subscribers who fail to receive the GAZETTE regularly will please report the fact to this office at once.

For this section rain, followed by fair, warmer weather Tuesday, winds shifting to westerly.

CHILDREN'S DAY IN ALEXANDRIA.—The First and Second Presbyterian Sunday schools yesterday united in the observance of children's day. The exercises of the form authorized by the general assembly comprised singing, reading of scripture and an address, with responsive selections covering the work of the church in the Fiji Islands, in Japan and in China. Mr. George W. Jamieson presided. Rev. Mr. Vance made the address and Rev. Mr. Nourse also took part. The collection was about eighteen dollars.

The services at Trinity M. E. Church were very entertaining. Mr. O. F. Baggett, superintendent, and Mr. Bishop, the pastor, conducted the exercises. The school sang "All Hail the Power of Jesus' name," the large congregation joining in the chorus. After a prayer by the pastor, "Praise ye Jehovah" was sung by the school, the chorists, Mr. J. C. Athey, leading. Miss Piercer, a little girl, read a selection from the scriptures, and a little girl sweetly recited "Jesus is our Shepherd," and another little girl sang a solo entitled "Jesus, we Perish." A little daughter of Capt. Remington recited a piece, and the school sang "Firm in the Right." Following, Miss Effie Leach sang a solo and Miss Mamie Shirley read a selection. The school sang "In the Morning," followed by a solo by Mr. Will Field. A little girl with a pretty face, and costumed, gave another recitation. A trio, Miss Ida Baggett and Messrs. Geo. Terry and Frank Leach, of Washington, sang "God is Love," followed by a recitation by a little boy. A solo entitled "Not a Sparrow Falteth," was sung by Mrs. Leachman, and Mr. Charles H. Moore, of Washington, rendered another called "Out of the Depths." These were features. Rev. L. R. Dyott, of the M. P. Church, delivered the address, and after the collection, by four little boys of the school, the meeting closed with the singing of "God be with you till we meet again" and the benediction. The pulpit was handsomely decorated with flowers; especially pretty were the arches in green and white with a monogram in the centre. The church was filled.

Perhaps the largest crowd attended the exercises at the Southern Methodist Church at night. This church has about the largest Sunday School in the city. Here the pastor, Rev. W. J. Young, opened the exercises with prayer, and a quartette, Messrs. Field and Huffy sang "The Lord is in His Holy Temple," with good effect. Several choruses were sung by the school, Willie Collins and Maggie Young recited pieces and a dialogue followed between a dozen little girls. This was a feature. "What says the clock?" was the title. Ethel Watkins followed with a recital, "My Birthday;" "Room for Little Feet," a song and chorus, was given by Mary May and the primary class of the school, all little ones. Gertrude Pickens recited "Rose Bud" and Preston Cockey "The Dwarf and the Giant," and a solo "The Pure in Heart," came next, well rendered by Betty Pollard. Effie Smith, Ruth Taylor, Little Wade and Ruth Smith recited "Purity" and May Rishel "The Wonderful House." The school sang and a collection was taken up. "Summer Days," "Greeting to Summer," "Daisy's Secret," "Gospel of the Birds," "Trust Peace," "God's Guidance," and "Silver Wings," all recitals, followed by Arthur Gray, Katie Goodrich, May Simpson, Misses Spencer, Cockey and Powell, Willie Pollard and Edith Graham, respectively. Between these a very sweet solo was sung by Miss Montgomery, of Richmond. It was entitled "Saviour, Pilot Me." A quartette composed of Misses Beatty, Driscoll and Messrs. Frank Field and Frank Huffy sang "Beautiful Flowers," and a trio composed of Misses Mamie Taylor, Edith Graham and Betty Pollard another entitled "We are Fancies." The school sang "The Battle of Life" and the pastor pronounced the benediction. Flowers in set pieces were arranged around the pulpit in profusion, and were very beautiful. It was a pretty entertainment and enjoyed by all present. Much credit is due Mr. Jas. E. Alexander, superintendent of the school, for it.

THE RACE QUESTION.—Rev. Mr. Vance, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, in the course of his sermon yesterday morning said: "Christianity changes neither the color of a man's skin nor the structure of his brain. It does not make Mongolian Caucasians nor the white man a black man, nor the black man a white man. God made the race and God stamped certain race traits and peculiarities into certain nationalities, and man, after he has gone to the utmost of his power, cannot take out of the blood that nature and temperament and race disposition which God, for some wise purpose, has put into it. Undoubtedly the Bible says that God is 'no respecter of persons,' but there are ten thousand instances to prove that this refers only to the privileges of grace. How often it would take hours to enumerate—has God chosen individuals and set the seal of His approval upon character fitted for His work. Therefore the church is doing a work of supererogation and a work, too, which can only result in disaster and failure, when it would disregard race characteristics and make 'brotherly love' mean necessarily the wiping out of all race distinctions. While it is true that 'love one another' means the same Christian love and consideration and ecclesiastical rights for any Christian brother, be his complexion white, black, red or yellow, it does not, nor can it, nor ought it to mean identity of social tastes, life and culture."

THE SOLDIERS OF ALEXANDRIA.—In speaking of the ceremonies attending the unveiling of the Confederate monument in this city on Friday last the Baltimore Sun said:

"In proportion to its population Alexandria furnished as many soldiers as any other Virginia town to the army of Northern Virginia, and her troops were conspicuous throughout the struggle for bravery and devotion to the cause their sentiments led them to espouse, contrary to those material considerations which would have allied them to the Union. In 'the times which tried men's souls' they were found where duty called, and they went with high patriotic impulses, honorable to the survivors as to the dead whose deeds are commemorated by a worthy tribute in enduring bronze and granite."

SUIT.—The trial of the case of James B. Green vs. the Richmond and Danville Railroad Company for \$40,000 damages was begun in the city Circuit Court of Richmond on Saturday. Mr. Green is a well-known lawyer of that city and is totally blind. The accident in which he was injured occurred on the Midland road near Culpeper Court House in August, 1888. It resulted in almost total paralysis of the limbs. The evidence was partially heard on Saturday and the case adjourned over till to day. The trial will probably consume one or two days.

Gov. Lee's Speech.—Governor Lee's speech at Alexandria on Friday on the occasion of the unveiling of the monument was, in the estimation of many, the greatest effort of his life. It contains sublime sentiment and many striking phrases.—*Richmond State.*

Governor Lee seems to be capable of rising to the height of any requirement that may be made upon his mental resources. There are few men in Virginia—the native land of orators—who could have performed so well as he did the duty which he performed at Alexandria on Friday last.—*Richmond Dispatch.*

It was also the occasion of a noteworthy contribution to the history of that war from the confederate point of view by Governor Lee, in so far as his speech touched upon the causes of the union victory at Gettysburg. Hitherto it has generally been accepted as fact that General Robert E. Lee was at fault in his plan of battle, and writers on the subject have quoted what purported to be utterances of his assuming all responsibility for the disaster. His nephew, however, practically disclaims in his behalf any such admission. * * * This defense of Gen. Lee involves an attack upon either the capacity or the good faith of Gen. Longstreet. Probably it will not be long before we shall have the battle of Gettysburg fought over, on paper, for the settlement of two men's fame, as the second battle of Manassas was re-fought on the floors of Congress in order to define the share which one man had in causing its disastrous end.—*Washington Star.*

POLICE REPORT.—Last night was cool and cloudy with rain early this morning. There were four prisoners and three lodgers at the station house.

The Mayor this morning disposed of the following cases:

Geo. Swansbury, arrested by Officer Taylor for disorderly conduct, was discharged with a reprimand.

Billie Williams, colored, arrested by Officer McCuen for disorderly conduct, was fined \$1.50.

Geo. Lucas, an escaped prisoner from the chain gang, arrested by Officer McCuen, was sent back to jail.

Lawrence Balder, colored, arrested by Officer Jones charged with gambling, was discharged with a reprimand.

Peter Simms, colored, arrested by Officers McCuen and Davis charged with disorderly conduct and also with gambling, was fined \$5.00.

Ben. Hughes, colored, arrested by Officers Grady and Taylor charged with gambling, was fined \$2.50.

Thos. Carter and Bettie Lane, colored, charged with disorderly conduct, were dismissed on the complainant paying costs.

PERSONAL.—A cablegram received from Vienna announces that Dr. J. Duncan McKim, son of the Rev. Dr. Randolph H. McKim, rector of the Parish of the Epiphany of Washington, is much better. The Rev. Dr. McKim is now in midcoast, having left New York last Wednesday to go to his son's bedside in Vienna.

Rev. A. B. Kinsolving has been elected to deliver the annual address before the Literary Societies at the Episcopal High school near this city on the 25th of June next.

Miss Jennie Dickinson, of Baltimore, is visiting at the residence of Mr. Thomas L. Monroe, south Pitt street.

Rev. J. I. Vance will leave here to-morrow for Bristol, Tenn., where he will remain two weeks.

Mr. Anthony W. Armstrong is much better to-day and hopes soon to be out again. Miss S. Annie Schofield, of the Washington school, will go abroad on the breaking up of the session next month. She intends visiting the exposition at Paris, and extending her tour through Italy.

Prof. Miller, the well-known performer on the zither, has gone to New York, where he will in the future reside.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Henderson, of Baltimore, spent Saturday with friends in this city.

CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY.—Judge James Keith presiding.—Jno. Glenn, trustee, vs. Gilbert Vanderwerker; the money having been paid, case dismissed.

C. N. Watkins vs. National Press Brick Company, A. J. Butcher vs. National Press Brick Company; cases set for Wednesday.

Wm. Winters vs. National Press Brick Company; case set for Tuesday.

Sarah J. Hense, administratrix of C. H. House, vs. A. & W. & A. F. R. R.; case set for Thursday.

M. C. Clark vs. Potomac Steamboat Company; continued generally.

Chester Foundry and Machine Company vs. National Press Brick Company; dismissed by plaintiff's attorney.

Mentzell & Son vs. National Farm and Fireseed Publishing Company; docketed by consent.

Court adjourned till to-morrow morning.

THE BEER SYNDICATE.—Representatives of the English syndicate which is now purchasing the principal breweries in various parts of the country, by which means they are to form a beer trust, are now in this city negotiating for the purchase of the Portner brewery. So far as known the gentlemen have made no direct offer for the property nor could any sale be made at present, as Mr. Portner, the president of the company, is not in this country, but as the syndicate is in a position to "freeze out" breweries not controlled by them, and as they heretofore have been very liberal in their offers, the sale of the Portner brewery to them is by no means improbable.

LOCAL RATE TICKETS.—The Midland railroad yesterday commenced selling local rate tickets for their trains between this city and Washington. Heretofore persons who travelled on these trains were required to pay 50 cents, but now the fare has been reduced to local rates—15 cents. Tickets, however, sold for the Midland trains are not good for trains run by the A. & W. railroad.

LAWN PARTY.—The lawn party held on Saturday evening last in the garden on the southeast corner of Washington and Oronoco streets, by the young ladies of Christ Church, for the benefit of their Sunday school, while quite largely attended, was not as successful financially, as was anticipated, the weather operating largely against the attendance. The party will be held again this evening from 5 to 7 o'clock.

FIRST COMMUNION.—At St. Mary's church yesterday morning at 7 o'clock eleven boys and twelve girls made their first communion and in the afternoon at 4 o'clock renewed their baptismal vows.

On Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights the Forty Hours of Exposition of the Sacred Host, in commemoration of our Lord's passion, will take place in the same church.

EXTRA EDITION.—Although a large addition to the regular issue of the GAZETTE containing a full account of the ceremonies attending the unveiling of the Confederate monument was printed, the supply failed to meet the demand. In order to meet all demands an extra edition of Friday's GAZETTE has been printed. Copies can be had at this office.

THE WORLD'S MUSE. said to be the best ten cent show now traveling, will exhibit its startling novelties this evening at 704 King street, where it will be located during this week.

COMMITTED TO JAIL.—R. Coleman Pitts and his brother, W. S. Pitts, charged with robbing the mails at Pomona, Westmoreland county, were brought here to day by postal officer, Coghill and taken before U. S. Commissioner Fowler. They plead not guilty and asked for a continuance of the case till to-morrow till they could secure counsel. Their request was granted, and in default of bail they were taken to jail by U. S. Marshal I. C. O'Neil. Coghill says the decoy letters by which the men were caught were opened and rifled 12 minutes after being put by him in the postoffice at Pomona. When the men were searched \$144 was found on Coleman Pitts.

COLONIAL BEACH.—It will be seen by a notice elsewhere that Colonial Beach, one of the most popular excursion resorts on the Potomac, will be open to the public on Thursday next. Since last year many new attractions have been added to those already at the beach.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

A part of the electric light plant to be erected in this city has arrived here.

There was another heavy rain fell Sunday night, yesterday morning and during today.

It is said that Fort Washington is to be the place for the annual Washington Militia encampment.

Noonday prayer meetings are being held daily in the Y. M. C. A. parlors from 12 to 1 o'clock under the direction of the pastors of the city.

A marriage license was issued in Washington on Saturday to Joseph L. McCoy, of Alexandria county, and Adele F. Lee, of Washington.

Rev. J. Rawlinson, an English evangelist, will assist in a series of meetings at the Village Chapel this week. Services beginning at 7:30 p. m.

Yesterday was an uneventful Sunday. Services were held in the various churches according to announcement and the weather being comparatively fair, many persons were on streets.

Mr. Jos. H. Young, who was on Friday last suspended from duty as engineer of the Hydraulics steam fire engine, will risk to be reinstated by the Fire Wardens, and has pledged himself to abstain from the use of intoxicants in the future.

The yacht Restless, with President Harrison and party on board, stopped off this city this morning while one of the officers came ashore and telephoned to Washington directing a conveyance to meet them at the wharf there.

Sarah Jane Mason, colored, who was shot by Charles Hill, also colored, on the Arlington reservation, in the county, on Monday last, died on Friday. Hill is still confined in the jail in this city.

George Jackson, colored, who recently escaped from the jail in this city, was yesterday captured in Georgetown and will be brought back to this city this evening.

Mr. Brown, the defeated candidate for Superintendent of Police at the recent election, will ask for a recount of the votes cast for him and for Mr. Dobie, the successful candidate.

Rev. S. W. Madden, of this city, preached in Washington yesterday at the dedication of the Shiloh Baptist Church (colored) in that city.

Mr. John Mullen fell near the corner of Fairfax and Queen streets on Friday night and broke his leg.

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