BEAVERS TO WAR ON SHADY CLUBS

Chief Will Urge That All Not Complying With the Law Be Put Out of Business.

Police Chief Beavers today began a rigid investigation of all locker clubs in the city. On Monday he will make a report to the police committee of council recommending what clubs he thinks should be closed.

"I will urge that all clubs that are not complying with the law be closed," he said.

With the charter amendment giving the council the right to tax and regulate locker clubs, the police committee of council began some days ago a personal inspection of the clubs in the city. At a meeting yesterday Chief Beavers was asked to make a more detailed investigation.

Chairman W. G. Humphrey said he favored closing all clubs that are being run for individual profit.

The locker clubs making application for licenses are:

Capital City, Atlanta Athletic, Elks, University, Standard, M. and M., Transportation, Atlanta, Turn Verein, Knights of the Mystic Ark, Southern, Theatrical, Central, Order of Bees, Georgia Athletic, Metropolitan, Order of Owls, Theatrical Mechanics and the Press.

ENGLISH AND OGLESBY CONTINUE AS CENTRAL OF GEORGIA DIRECTORS

SAVANNAH, GA., Oct. 18.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders and directors of the Central of Georgia railway, all the old officers were re-elected for another term.

The directors are as follows:

W. C. Bradley, Columbus; J. W. English, Atlanta; A. G. Hackstaff, New York; Joseph Hull, Savannah; C. E. James, Chattanooga; Samuel R. Jaques, Macon; Alexander R. Lawton, Savannah; W. A. Winburn, Savannah; R. S. Lovett, New York; C. H. Markham, Chicago; G. B. McCormack, Birmingham; George J. Mills, Savannah; J. G. Oglesby, Atlanta; Charles A. Peabody, New York; R. E. Steiner, Montgomery.

The officers re-elected are all from Savannah except President Markham and C. F. Parker, one of the vice presidents. The officers follow:

President—C. H. Markham.

Vice Presidents—Alexander R. Lawton, W. A. Winburn, C. F. Parker.

General Counsel—Lawton & Cunningham.

Secretary—Charles F. Groves.

Treasurer—W. C. Askew.

Comptroller—W. D. Beymer.

General Manager—T. S. Moise.

General Superintendent—J. T. Johnson.

Chief Engineer—C. K. Lawrence.

Freight Traffic Manager—C. T. Airey.

General Freight Agent—N. B. Wright.

General Passenger Agent—J. C. Haile.

MOVING PICTURES USED TO TEACH RAILROADING

MACON, GA., Oct. 18.—Employees of the Central of Georgia railroad will be shown the proper methods of firing and operating engines and coupling and uncoupling cars when moving pictures, which were taken in Macon, will be exhibited at an "educational meeting" at the city auditorium tonight. This is a part of the free course of instruction given its employees by the Central of Georgia railroad.

Lectures, accompanying the moving pictures, will be delivered by D. C. Buell, chief of the educational bureau, and W. R. Barnes. It is expected that there will be nearly a full attendance from the 2,200 local employees of the railroad.

SOUTH ATLANTIC SUPPLY MEN HOLD CONVENTION

SAVANNAH, GA., Oct. 18.—The betterment of trade conditions by co-operation was discussed at length at a meeting of the South Atlantic Supply association held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce. Sixteen members were present, South Carolina, Georgia and Florida being represented. The association was organized in Charleston last May.

R. B. Lebby, of Charleston, was re-elected president; J. G. Bolding, of Augusta, vice president, and as members of the executive committee, W. D. Krenson, of Savannah, chairman; J. M. Tull and M. B. Barkley.

LEGISLATOR ROBBED BY STATE FAIR PICKPOCKETS

MACON, GA., Oct. 18.—The state fair is proving a prolific field for pickpockets, despite the vigilance of the Pinkertons employed especially by the fair management. That they are operating in gangs is attested by the fact that seven men lost their purses in the same coach on a Georgia Southern and Florida train coming to Macon. One of those whose money was taken was Scott Warren, of Sycamore, Ga., who was recently elected to the legislature from Turner county.

G. S. & F. R. R. DECLARES $2.500 A SHARE DIVIDEND

MACON, GA., Oct. 18.—The annual meeting of the stockholders and directors of the Georgia Southern and Florida railroad resulted in the re-election of the old officers and the declaration of a dividend of $2.50 per share.

A. D. Schofield, of Macon, was elected a director to succeed Fairfax Harrison, who resigned. W. W. Finley, president, and J. B. Munson, vice president, were re-elected.

Up and Down Peachtree

Fireman Goes to Blaze Half Shaved.

There's a new hero in the Atlanta fire department. He is G. B. ("Rock") Hudson, driver of the chemical engine at engine house No. 8, near the Carnegie library. Yesterday Hudson was enjoying the pleasures of a shave when the fire alarm called the department to the Empire Life building. With lather thick on his face and without waiting for a coat, the fireman manned his wagon and dashed down Peachtree street. The wind from around the Candler bulding, accentuated by the speed of the flying engine, whipped up the lather to the point of covering all but the fireman's eyes and an iron gray mustache. Still Hudson did not flinch.

When the chemical engine came to a stop, the fire was practically out, and Fireman Hudson began to take an inventory of himself. He found that not a bit of lather had been lost, so he donned a rubber coat, pulled up the collar, and went back to the fire house to finish his shave.

NATIONAL GUARD OFFICERS TO DISCUSS STRIKE DUTIES

MACON, GA., Oct. 18.—The annual meeting of the Georgia National Guard Officers association will be held in Macon tomorrow at the Volunteers armory. About 200 are expected to attend.

A topic for discussion that will doubtless arouse much interest will relate to the duty of officers in times of strikes, with particular regard to the recent shooting of civilians by soldiers in Augusta.

Addresses will be made by General Clifford L. Anderson, General W. G. Obear, Congressman Dudley M. Hughes, Major F. H. Palmer, Brigadier General R. K. Evans and Colonel W. A. Harris.

English Miss Startles Atlantans by Her Daring Feats

DEPLORES DECLINE OF HORSE

Miss Josephine Windle, the little English girl, whose daring equestrian feats are the talk of Atlanta horsemen and horsewomen. She deplores the fact that the automobile has supplanted the horse in the South, and that so few Southern women ride and drive.



Miss Wendie on "Red Girl," taking a five-foot hurdle at Fort McPherson.

Miss Josephine Windle on Spirited Steed Takes Hurdles Which Worry Army Riders.

The vaunted horsemanship of the South is a myth. If it ever existed, it has disappeared from the land like the custom of giving up seats in street cars. If the cavaliers of the Old South, who rode to the hounds each morning as regularly as they consumed their matin toddy, were to return to earth and view the equestrian performances of their descendants they would be willing and eager to return to the cold, cold ground and try to forget.

This is the opinion of Miss Josephine Windle, of Atlanta, but until a few months ago of England. She's but eighteen years old, but she knows all about horses and horsewomanship, for she was practically born in the saddle.

Miss Windle has startled the experts of the Piedmont Driving club and the army circle at Fort McPherson with the daring and grace of her feats of horsewomanship. It is freely predicted in these circles that at the horse shows of the South next year Miss Mary Allgood Jones, of Atlanta, will find a dangerous rival in this little English miss.

On her favorite mount, a spirited, willful little mare called "Red Girl," she has taken hurdles at Fort McPherson at which even the most skillful and daring of the officer riders look twice.

And she sees nothing remarkable in her accomplishment.

"Why, in England, all the girls ride to hounds," she said. "It is our favorite pastime. Naturally we become at home in the saddle. I can not understand why so few girls here ride. It is one of the few sports where women can compete on an equal basis with the men, and the country is ideal for cross-country riding."

Continuing with little more than a suggestion of English accent, Miss Windle said:

"And the men ride so miserably. I have seen the fewest number who can ride at all. Those who do seem to take it as a task and not as a pleasure. No wonder more of them do not take it up, if all they have to judge from is the men who do have horses."

Miss Windle is preparing to appear at several of the Southern horse shows next season, and in the meantime hopes to stimulate interst in horses among her associates in Atlanta.

TO URGE $600,000 FOR THREE GEORGIA RIVERS

MACON, GA., Oct. 18.—A delegation of 25 Macon business men, headed by Mayor John T. Moore, as chairman, and including W. E. Stetson, president of the Chamber of Commerce, will appear before the United States board of engineers in Washington on Monday in support of a petition for an appropriation of $600,000 for the Ocmulgee, Oconee and Altamaha rivers. A delegation of ten will also represent th Altamaha River System Improvement association. This delegation will be headed by President A. J. Long, of Macon, and May E. C. Butts and J. G. Weatherly, of Brunswick.

This is the first time that a concerted effort has ever been made by representatives from all of the sections concerned to secure appropriations from congress for the three rivers.

CHILDREN'S DAY AT FAIR.

MACON, GA., Oct. 18.—Today is "Children's day" at the Georgia state fair, and several thousand youngsters are in attendance. Ponies, carts, goats, candy, and other prizes are being given away for their benefit.

The aviators, St. Yvves, Dyott and Svorok, will also make special flights this afternoon for the tots.

FORMER SUITOR LEAVES SCRUBWOMAN FORTUNE

CHICAGO, Oct. 18.—Effie Bender, a scrubwoman, has fallen heir to $250,000. The fortune was left to her by Frank Mandell, a former suitor, who died in Helena, Mont.

GIRLS IN NIGHT SCHOOL NEED AID

Fund to Provide Suppers for Poor Students Is Sought by Clubwomen.

Extension of the work of the Girls Night school and the tremendous increase in attendance has brought the philanthropic workers in charge of the institution face to face with the food problem and incidentally the high cost of living.

Two years ago when the school was founded the managers at once saw that it would be necessary to furnish supper for the students. A fund was raised to supplement the appropriation of the board of education and through the medium of the Y. W. C. A. a meal, costing 10 cents, was served each girl for 2 cents.

This year, however, there are 115 girls enrolled. Each night at least 50 get their suppers at the school. Separate meals are served for the foreign girls on account of their religious scruples and the large increase has drained the fund. A committee headed by Max Kutz and Charles T. Nunnally has been named to take charge of the raising of this fund, with the asistance of the Woman's club and contributions are being sought.

Work in the school is being extended. The girls not only are being taught the rudiments of education, but are given lessons in home nursing, hygiene, etc.

FREE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LECTURE AT THE LYRIC

Judge Clifford P. Smith, C. S. B., a member of the board of lectureship of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, Boston, will deliver a lecture on Christian Science Sunday afternoon, at 3:30 o'clock, at the Lyric. This lecture is given under the auspices of First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Atlanta, and is open to the public.

INSANITY IS PLEA IN 'RIPPER' TRIAL

Attorneys for Negro Declare He Confessed to Slaying Woman to Gain Notoriety.

"We are going to show this court that this negro is insane on the subject of notoriety; that he becomes hysterical when he gets excited, assumes an air of braggadocio and confesses to things he never did," said Judge Willingham, attorney for Lawton Brown, a mulatto, arraigned before Judge Roan in superior court, charged with the "Jack the Ripper" murders.

In outlining his defense to the jury, the prisoner's lawyer intimated that Brown confessed to crimes he had never heard of until sweated at police headquarters. He asserted he would show the court that the police confessions, which detectives say include admissions to several of the "Jack the Ripper" crimes, merely were hallucinations obtained under the pressing of the police "third degree."

Brown was brought to trial today, charged with the murder of Eva Barnes, alias Eva Green, who was found with her throat cut in the Pittsburg section several months ago. Chief of Detectives Lanford and Officers Coker and McGill asserted that Brown confessed not only to the killing of the Barnes woman, but admitted having had a hand in several other of the unsolved "Jack the Ripper" crimes.

One witness, a cousin of the prisoner, would have had the court believe that Brown was chained to a chair at police headquarters when the confession was forced from him by the officers.

THE MENTER CO.

FALL SUITS AND COATS

Unusual Values at Moderate Prices



AN INVITATION

¶ Will you visit our store? Will you look at the Coats and Suits our expert buyers have selected as best products of the best manufacturers? Will you try on a few of those that appeal to you? Will you examine the styles, the materials, the workmanship? Will you see how becoming a good suit or coat really is on you? Will you make special note of what pleases you, whether it is a $12 or $35 garment? Will you compare it with the same priced garment in every other store in this city? If you will it is all we ask. You will be *our customer* as long as we continue to give the splendid value we do now.

Millinery
Dresses
Skirts
Waists



Men:

¶ Do you want a good, snappy, business suit? Do you want something that will look neat and a little bit dressy even after hard wear? Something of good, serviceable fabric, built by skillful tailors, along up-to-date lines? Something costing $15, $18 or $20, and looking like a whole lot more? Do you want a warm, snug overcoat that will make you enjoy the winter season? Let's get acquainted. THE MENTER CO. is the store you have been looking for.

CHARGE ACCOUNT

¶ Let us recommend our Divided Payment Charge Account Plan. It's a convenient and respectable one. We own and operate nearly 100 stores, and extend this privilege in every one of them.

¶ Incidentally, it's because we own nearly 100 stores and buy to such good advantage, that our prices are so low.

THE MENTER CO.

SUCCESSOR TO MENTER & ROSENBLOOM CO.

71½ WHITEHALL STREET