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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

—Mr. J. D. Burch has been sick for several days.

—Mr. C. D. Benbow, of Pinehurst, spent Sunday here.

—A laborers' union has been organized in High Point.

—Mr. and Mrs. Percy Albright have gone to Niagara Falls.

—Miss Beulah Clendenin, of Graham, is visiting relatives in the city.

—Miss Mary Blackburn went over to Reidsville yesterday on a visit.

—Capt. A. M. Rankin and wife, of High Point, spent Sunday in the city.

—Hon. James E. Boyd, of Washington city, spent Thursday and Friday here.

—Brickmasons are at work on Rev. W. L. Grissom's new building on South Elm street.

—Mr. G. J. Kilby, of North Wilkesboro, is now with the Elite Confectionery Company.

—Mr. J. S. Cobb went over into Caswell county Saturday to spend Sunday with his mother.

—G. W. Denny, the East Market street grocer, has a new delivery wagon on the street.

—From the Reidsville Review we learn that Col. David Settle, of Wentworth, is quite sick.

—Mr. J. E. Crutchfield left Monday for Wake Forest to attend the summer law school of that college.

—Messdames J. M. Walker and H. L. Scott are spending some time at Connelly Springs, Burke county.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Rankin left yesterday for Bedford Springs, Va., where they will spend a month.

—Another big lot of matting, carpets and rugs just opened, and to be sold "right," at Thacker & Brockmann's.

—A number of local Odd Fellows went to Pilot Mountain Monday to do some initiatory work in the lodge at that place.

—Mr. Charles N. Vance, of Washington city, a son of the late Senator Vance, was here last week on a short visit to relatives.

—Rev. Dr. L. W. Crawford returned Monday night from Hendersonville, where he attended the Asheville district conference.

—Mr. John Barker is making some improvements on his residence on North Davis street preparatory to having it repainted.

—Mr. J. C. Murchison, of the Atlantic Coast Line, who was recently transferred to Fayetteville, spent Sunday in the city with his family.

—Mr. S. J. Talley, one of the most prominent citizens of Chatham county, died at his home at Ore Hill Sunday. He had been sick for several weeks.

—D. Bendheim & Sons' annual clearance sale is now in full blast and you are invited to call and avail yourself of some of the many bargains offered.

—The board of aldermen has passed an ordinance prohibiting the riding of bicycles within the city limits at a faster rate of speed than six miles an hour.

—Mr. George P. Phillips, who has been connected with the Evening Telegram, left Saturday night for Richmond, Va., where he will reside in the future.

—Prof. J. Allen Holt was Saturday elected vice-president of the North Carolina Teachers' Assembly. Prof. W. T. Whitsett was re-elected secretary and treasurer.

—Messrs. C. E. Holton, A. H. Alderman, E. V. Hobbs, D. H. Collins and D. L. Hagan are in Fayetteville attending a meeting of the grand lodge of Knights of Pythias.

—Mr. George B. Brooks, who holds a position in the Atlantic Coast Line office at Wilmington, returned to his work yesterday after spending a few days here with his parents.

—Mr. and Mrs. John W. Crawford, Mrs. W. H. Matthews and Mr. R. S. Hunter went to Graham Friday to attend the funeral of Mrs. T. A. Albright, who died Thursday afternoon.

—Cook Wanted—A good steady woman (white or colored) from the country can find permanent employment as a cook by applying to W. F. Bogart, 313 Lindsay street, city.

—Thacker & Brockmann have several dozen pairs of tan slippers and Oxford for girls and small children to sell at cost, on account of having bought too many of certain styles.

—Miss Lula Gardner, of Reidsville, spent Monday in the city with the family of her brother, Mr. Howard Gardner. She was on her way to Wake Forest to attend the summer school.

—A lawn party was given at the residence of Prof. P. P. Claxton, on West Market street, last night. The proceeds are for the benefit of the library at the Normal practice school.

—All deposits made at the Savings Bank on or before July 1st will begin to bear interest from that date. Those having idle money on hand will do well to bear this in mind and profit thereby.

—Mr. Charles H. Ireland, who is in Atlantic City, N. J., attending the convention of the Southern Hardware Jobbers Association, delivered the address of welcome at the opening session of that body.

—The time for tax-listing is steadily growing to a close and much property yet remains unlisted. All property and polls not listed for taxation during the time specified will be liable for double taxes.

—The L. Richardson Drug Company (wholesale) has just increased its capital stock and otherwise enlarged its facilities. This was made possible by the large and growing patronage accorded the firm.

—Capt. C. E. McCulloch, one of the best known and most popular conductors on the old C. F. & Y. V. road, spent Sunday here. He is now with the Atlantic Coast Line, with headquarters at Sanford.

—We have received the catalogue of Guilford College, and as usual it is full of interesting matter to the friends and patrons of the college. The fall term of this excellent institution will open September 5th.

—London, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Kerr, died Monday afternoon. It was nearly two years old and had been suffering from meningitis for several weeks. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon.

—Mr. W. J. Ridge was called to Science, Randolph county, a few days ago to attend the bedside of his father, who is extremely ill. He is suffering from cancer of the stomach and his death is expected at any time.

—A petition is in circulation asking the board of aldermen to purchase another engine for the fire department. At present there is only one engine in the department and this is considered hardly sufficient for a city the size of Greensboro.

—A lot of men's sample shoes, odd pairs and broken sizes, worth \$3.50, \$3.00, \$2.50, etc., are being closed out for \$1.95 a pair at Thacker & Brockmann's. You can find almost any size in this lot, and all sizes and shapes, both in tan and black.

—We return thanks to Guilford Council No. 23, Jr. O. U. A. M., for an invitation to be present at the unveiling of the Confederate monument in High Point on July 4th. Addresses will be delivered by Gen. Julian S. Carr and Hon. F. C. Robbins.

—Mr. Charles C. Weaver, a son of Rev. Dr. J. H. Weaver, a former popular pastor of West Market street Methodist church, was here last week. He was on his return from Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, where he is pursuing a special course of study.

—Messrs. Jordan, Sinclair & Macdonald, the progressive real estate agents, have rented the new Wright building on North Elm street, opposite the court house, where they have most desirable quarters. Mr. A. Moody, the architect, will occupy one of their rooms.

—On next Saturday Howard Gardner, the druggist, will give each adult who calls at his store a package of the celebrated Johnson's Dyspepsia Cure, a new and scientific remedy for dyspepsia and all stomach troubles. Read the large advertisement and call for a package.

—Prof. W. H. McNairy, of the Chester, S. C., graded schools, who has been at home on a visit to his parents, has gone to Rock Hill, S. C., to take a special course at the Winthrop Normal College. After completing the course he will spend the remainder of the vacation months holding teachers' institutes.

—Mr. C. N. McAdeo is having the old frame buildings on South Davis street, between the corner of East Market and Vanstors' livery barn, torn out to make room for new brick store buildings, which will improve that section materially. The buildings being demolished are among the oldest in the city.

—Dr. Charles D. McIver, who attended the Teacher's Assembly at Morehead City last week, delivered an address before that body Saturday morning on the education of the white woman of the country districts, emphasizing her influence in moulding the characters and the lives of the future men and women of the state.

—The Postal Telegraph Company has had a force of men here several days putting up poles, and if nothing happens the company will soon be doing business in Greensboro. It will be remembered that they have been making an effort for a year or more to get a right of way, the Southern Railway Company and the Western Union Telegraph Company resisting them.

—Mr. Paul de Wolfe, of New York, a member of the firm of de Wolfe & Christiansen, who operated a fruit evaporating and drying establishment here last fall, is in the city this week shipping the fixtures to Ararat, Patrick county, Va., where they will operate the coming season. They regret that the scarcity of fruit makes it impossible for them to remain in Greensboro.

—Mrs. Ibble Robinson, an aged lady, died at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. R. E. Andrews, last Thursday evening. She had been in feeble health for quite a while. The remains were taken to Lee's Chapel Friday afternoon for interment, the funeral being conducted by Rev. T. M. Johnson, pastor of Grace M. P. church. The deceased leaves five daughters and two sons, besides a large number of relatives and friends.

—Over in Danville the city council has passed a compulsory vaccination ordinance on account of the presence of a supposed case of smallpox. As was the case in this city, many people refuse to believe a genuine case of smallpox exists in Danville and the city council is being roundly abused for passing the vaccination ordinance. Our sympathy is extended to our Virginia friends who are thus called on to suffer the painful and injurious effects of vaccination.

—Col. W. A. Turk, of Washington, general passenger agent of the Southern Railway, was here Friday and held a consultation with the transportation committee for the purpose of fixing the rate over his road to the gala week and firemen's tournament. The result of the conference was entirely satisfactory to the committee. The rates will be published in a few days and we are authoritatively informed that they will be as low as ever granted by the company for any similar occasion.

—The colored firemen of Winston ran an excursion to Durham Monday, carrying along quite a number of festive coons. On the return trip the usual number of fights were engaged in, one of which terminated fatally. When the train was near Burlington one of the passengers fired a pistol several times, two of the bullets striking a Winston butcher by the name of Hawkins. When the train passed here Hawkins was in a precarious condition, and it is learned that he died after reaching home. The negro who shot him jumped from the train and has not been seen.

—Mr. George O. Wilson, of Danville, Va., a tobaccoist of wide experience, has purchased an equal interest in the business of J. S. Cobb & Co., of this city, and will assume active management of the same September 1st. Mr. Cobb will spend most of his time on the Winston market, where he expects to buy extensively in connection with Mr. W. D. Currin, of that city. Messrs. Wilson & Co. will start in with more orders than the old firm has ever had booked so early in the season. This means that there will be an increased demand for tobacco on this market next year.

—Cafe, parlor and observation car service is now operated between Radford, Va., and Atlanta, Ala., over the Norfolk & Western, Southern and Alabama Great Southern Railways. Meals, a la carte, will be served in the cafe compartment at all hours. Luxurious chairs in parlor compartment can be obtained at a moderate charge. The observation portion of the car, free to the holders of parlor or sleeping car tickets, affords a fine opportunity for viewing the magnificent and far-famed mountain, valley and river scenery of Virginia and Tennessee.

—Mr. William C. Wyrick, of Manchester, Va., who had been here for several weeks, died at his boarding place last Wednesday night. Early Tuesday morning he was found lying in an unconscious condition on South Davis street. He was carried to a boarding house and a physician summoned, but he never regained consciousness. For years he had suffered from kidney trouble, and it is thought that caused his death. He was formerly conductor of a freight train between Richmond and Danville, giving up the position some time ago. The remains were carried to Manchester Thursday. A wife and three children survive.

The Benbow House Burned.

For the past several years Greensboro has been fortunate in escaping disastrous fires, but the record was broken Saturday afternoon when the Benbow House, one of the largest and best known hotels in the state, came near being totally destroyed. The fire alarm was sounded at 12:15, and when the firemen arrived on the scene a few moments later smoke was curling from under the roof on the south side of the four-story structure. Firemen quickly ascended to the top of the building prepared to extinguish the slight blaze, but when a line of hose was attached to a hydrant the alarming discovery was made that the water pressure was not sufficient to reach the flames. By this time the steam fire engine was on the ground prepared to render effective service, but when it was put to pumping a cylinder head blew out, leaving the building to the mercy of the flames. Then for about an hour the firemen were helpless.

When the accident occurred to the engine Mayor Taylor telegraphed to Winston for aid, and 2 about 6 o'clock a special train arrived with two fire engines, two hose wagons and a force of men from Winston-Salem. By this time our firemen had the fire under control, but the visitors rendered valuable assistance in subduing the flames. A dozen streams of water were kept playing on the building until 4 o'clock, when the firemen stopped for rest and refreshments. During the remainder of the day and through the night it was necessary to throw occasional streams of water on the burning debris.

It is impossible to estimate the loss, though it is considerable. Of the original part of the building the outer walls only remain, the roof, floors and inner walls having burned and fallen in. About twenty rooms on the north side of the building were not badly damaged. Most of the furniture was saved, though some of it was damaged in removing.

The tenants on the ground floor did not suffer any damage except through the hurried handling of goods and other effects. Of the tenants Mr. G. H. Royster was perhaps the heaviest loser. His goods were moved twice and were badly torn up. He had some insurance, but not a sufficient amount to cover the loss. As soon as his insurance is adjusted he will again open for business. Mr. S. J. Kaufmann, who occupied the room in the southeast corner of the building, also lost quite heavily. The goods were also removed from Mrs. Cator's millinery store and Mrs. Howard's book store, but they are again open for business.

Capt. B. J. Fisher, proprietor of the Benbow House, has not yet fully determined whether he will rebuild or dispose of the property. It is understood that a deal has been on foot for the sale of the property for some time, and if Capt. Fisher desires to sell it may be that a stock company will be organized and a thoroughly modern and up-to-date hotel built. If the proprietor concludes to rebuild we presume work will commence on it right away.

The hotel was built in 1870-'71 by Dr. D. W. C. Benbow, who conducted it for a number of years. It was opened to the public on June 29, 1871, Zebulon B. Vance being the first guest to register. A few years later it was necessary to add an addition to accommodate the increasing patronage. In October, 1892, Dr. Benbow sold the property to Capt. Fisher for the sum of \$50,000. Since that time considerable money has been spent on the place, until it was a most valuable piece of property.

—Sam Lucas, colored, who has been under sentence of death for the murder of Henry Woods, also colored, last August, has at last escaped the gallows. Friday Governor Russell commuted his sentence to life imprisonment, and it is needless to say that Sam is highly elated over the prospect of a lengthened lease on life. His appetite has improved perceptibly and he is in much better spirits. Sheriff Gilmer carried him to Raleigh yesterday and placed him in the penitentiary. The commutation of the sentence was obtained through the influence of the prosecuting attorney and other gentlemen who interested themselves in Lucas' behalf.

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The Dispensary in Court.

The dispensary case came up before Judge Bryan, at chambers, Thursday morning at 10 o'clock on a motion by Mr. E. T. Garsed, complainant, praying for an injunction restraining the board of managers from opening the dispensary on July 1st. The plaintiff was represented by John N. Staples, L. M. Scott and Judge W. P. Bynum, Jr., Solicitor Brooks, Col. James T. Morehead and John N. Wilson appearing for the city and the dispensary board.

The attorneys for the plaintiff argued that the act establishing the dispensary was an amendment to the charter of Greensboro, and that it is unconstitutional in that it authorizes the dispensary board to contract debts without a vote of the people. It was further contended that the act of the legislature was for the purpose of creating revenue rather than a police regulation; that the managers of the dispensary are agents of the city, and that any expenses authorized by them are not necessary expenses.

The attorneys for the defendants refuted the contention of the plaintiff and argued that the act creating the dispensary is a police regulation for which the city is not responsible, the matter being entirely within the scope of the general assembly. They contended that the members of the dispensary board were not agents of the city and that the question of revenue is of a secondary nature. It was further contended that the expenses of the dispensary are necessary expenses and that no vote of the people was necessary to authorize the board to make expenditures or contract debts.

The main point of law argued was the constitutionality of the act, and many references were cited by the attorneys in support of their contentions. The argument was not concluded until Friday morning at 11:30, when Judge Bryan issued the following order:

"It is ordered, adjudged and decreed by the court that the restraining order against the defendant city of Greensboro be and is hereby continued to the hearing, and that the city be enjoined and restrained from opening a dispensary in the city of Greensboro, and from contracting debts, pledging its faith, lending its credit, or levying any tax for the use and benefit of any person or corporation in establishing and operating such dispensary."

"It is further ordered, adjudged and decreed that so much of said order as restrains or in any way affects the other named defendants from opening and operating said dispensary in the city of Greensboro be and the same is hereby dissolved and dismissed, and they can proceed according to law. And it is further ordered that the plaintiff recover of the defendant, the city of Greensboro, the cost of this action, to be taxed by the clerk of this court."

The plaintiff gave notice of appeal to the Supreme court, but this does not in any way affect the dispensary. The stock of liquors has been purchased and the institution will be opened July 1st. As the board was able to organize and buy supplies without the financial aid of the city, the order restraining the city from pledging its faith, lending its credit, etc., will not act against the dispensary.

—The marriage of Mr. John B. Clendenin and Miss Julia Pearce was celebrated in West Market Street Methodist church last Wednesday evening at 9 o'clock, a large crowd of friends and relatives witnessing the nuptial ceremony. Miss Laura Brockmann gracefully presided at the organ and the ceremony was performed in an impressive manner by Rev. Dr. Frank H. Wood, a double uncle of the bride, assisted by Rev. Dr. J. C. Rowe, pastor of the church. Miss Eunice Wood and Mr. Thomas A. Glascock, cousins of the bride and groom respectively, were the only attendants. The pulpit and chancel were tastefully decorated with palms, ferns, etc., the church presenting a scene of loveliness befitting the occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Clendenin were the recipients of a large number of beautiful and useful presents, showing the high esteem in which they are held by their friends. The groom has spent the greater part of his life in this city and is a young man of the highest integrity. His bride is a young lady of many graces and is popular with all who know her. The Patriot wishes this happy young couple a long life of happiness and prosperity.

For Sale or Exchange.

I want to sell my farm of 145 acres, lying within half a mile of Burlington station, or exchange same for city property in Greensboro. The farm is under cultivation and is A No. 1. For particulars address PETER L. RAY, 25-St Greensboro, N. C.

Dewey Thinks of His Sailors.

As reported in a Washington dispatch, Admiral Dewey has decided to accept a home purchased by a popular subscription, he has displayed excellent taste and judgment. The suggestion that the admiral should be given a home originated in the American people originated in the American people originated in the American people. Admiral Dewey would assuredly have declined to participate in a home which would have been a vulgar display at best and was designed to advertise a number of persons whose chief claim to distinction lies in their names. As regards a home for the admiral, however, he was apparently consulted before the project was started, and not until the last day or two was it known whether the project had the admiral's approval. He had received the highest honor which his government could bestow upon him. A home was reserved for him which was one of our most distinguished naval heroes have held, carrying with it a salary which will enable him to live comfortably and honorably for the rest of his life. Moreover, the admiral knows that he has the confidence and admiration of the American people, and surely this is all that any man, however exalted his services, could reasonably desire. Under these circumstances Admiral Dewey doubtless realizes that he has been amply compensated for doing his duty conscientiously and heroically, just as every captain and sailor in his squadron did on that memorable day when the Spanish fleet was destroyed in Manila bay.

While declining to accept a home for himself from the American people, Admiral Dewey announces a willingness to devote any fund which may have been raised or which may be subscribed hereafter to the establishment of a home for disabled sailors. This is a most praiseworthy determination. It does not detract from the credit which attaches to so accomplished a commander as Admiral Dewey to admit that for the "men behind the guns" and the plain sailors his duty would never have been won. Whatever can be done to make life comfortable in sickness and old age in addition to what the government does for them is richly merited by them. Admiral Dewey has them at their real worth, and the public is apt to forget that to think only of the officers who led them in battle and whose names are most frequently upon men's lips and in the newspapers. In suggesting that the property of the people should be reserved from him to the men who won the victory Admiral Dewey takes a step which will, if possible, make him in still greater measure a countryman. He has been rewarded; his fame and his name are assured, and if the people desire to heap more honors upon him for the simple discharge of duty, it is not surprising that a man of his keen sense of duty and refinement should desire to share the people's generosity with those faithful and intrepid sailors who made it possible for him to become famous. Moreover, Admiral Dewey's declaration may read between the lines a suggestion that an officer of the navy is simply remunerated by the government for duty bravely and faithfully done, and that it is more meritorious for him to refuse a gratuity from the public than to embezzle every opportunity to advance his personal fortunes by sanctioning appeals to the nation's gratitude and generosity.

Fortuna for a Prisoner.

San Francisco, Cal., June 16.—A delightful information that he had been heir to a fortune of \$75,000, deposited to his order in the National Bank, has just been imparted to Richard Davenport, who is now serving a term in county jail for stealing thirty dollars from the poor box of St. Mary's Catholic Church, when he was on the verge of starvation. His water sends him the information that his aunt, Mme. Davenport, has died and left this fortune to him, and that he will receive \$100,000 more when his aunt dies. He was a staff sergeant under Von Moltke in the Franco-Prussian war, and made a

For Over Fifty Years.

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The Peace Conference.

Ten or a dozen years ago the New York Herald had a number of the leading public men of Europe interviewed upon the subject of future wars and the chances of perpetual peace. One old Frenchman replied that so long as there was one acre of ground, a loaf of bread and one woman, men would fight over them.

Whether this rather pessimistic view of the case is a correct one or not, we are not prepared to say, but we doubt very greatly whether the present peace conference is going to put an end to our future wars. In the first place, we cannot satisfy ourselves, in spite of the many protestations of sincerity, that Russia is really in earnest in professing a desire that European armies shall be disbanded. It seems to us that if she really wanted to see this result brought about she might resort to much more effectual measures to bring it about than calling peace conferences together. She has the largest army of any of the powers, and the way to start a movement for disarmament is for her to disarm.

Germany, Austria and France may very well say that they cannot commence the movement for fear of invasion. But Russia runs practically no risk of invasion. Napoleon's experiment in that direction nearly a hundred years ago will stand as a perpetual warning to all other powers against such an attempt. Russia could safely, therefore, reduce her army to two hundred thousand men, and that would give a guarantee of her good faith that would be worth all the pronouncements she may put out in the next thousand years. But she does not do this, or anything like it. She simply proclaims, but does not disarm a man. Her neighbors will never disarm their armies while she maintains hers, however finely she may preach of peace.

We do not believe in Russian sincerity in this matter, and what it is that has prompted her to her course is a mystery to us. She simply could not disarm if the Czar was ever so sincere in desiring it. He is nominally an autocrat and he is permitted to have an autocrat's way in many things. But Russia is not an autocracy in fact. She is an oligarchy. She is under the rule and dominion of her powerful nobility, and they find the army a source of pleasure and profit to themselves which they have no idea of parting with. They put their young men into it as well as paid officers, and the old fellows find it an unending source of plunder and speculation. The oligarchy will never part with the army so long as they rule Russia, and it looks as though their rule was destined to last a long time yet.—Richmond Times.

Punishing a Sham.

Miles Salisbury, a resident of Norwich, Conn., had a tiff with his wife and determined to play a practical joke on her Tuesday.

Obtaining an ounce bottle of carbolic acid, he smeared a portion of the poison upon his heavy growth of whiskers, staggered into the room where his employer was sitting, said he was tired of life, had taken carbolic acid and asked that his wife be informed. The employer called two doctors by telephone and produced a cupful of mustard and warm water. When Salisbury saw the matter was being taken seriously he awakened and declared it was all a joke. This his employer refused to believe and aid was called, Salisbury being held while the mixture was poured down his throat. Then the two doctors arrived, and in vain did the joker sputter, kick and protest. Emetics were forced down his throat while Salisbury fought like a tiger. At last worn out with his struggles and protestations he succumbed, and the doctors thinking he was sinking put a stomach pump down his throat and worked it vigorously. This caused the patient to nearly faint away and he was given heroic treatment to revive him. At last the doctors had time to look into Salisbury's mouth and found he had taken no poison. The physicians left in disgust, but it will require some time to restore Salisbury to his normal condition.

A Novel Test With Snakes.

UNIONTOWN, Pa., June 16.—An agent for the H. K. Mulford Company, chemists, of Philadelphia, was here this week arranging with mountaineers to catch 400 rattlesnakes and copperhead snakes alive to be forwarded to the laboratory at Philadelphia.

Wild and tame animals will be bitten by the poisonous reptiles, and experiments made in an endeavor to discover some antidote for the poison. The mountains are unusually full of these snakes this year, and no trouble is anticipated in filling the order.

How Trusts Do Good.

Those who feel inclined to regard trusts as beneficial to wage earners and consumers are invited to look upon the object lesson presented in the course of the window glass trust.

By the ukase of this protection-fattened and Republican-fostered monopoly all the window glass factories in the country, with the exception of the co-operative concerns, were shut down last Monday. The excepted concerns produce about one-tenth of the output in the United States, and they have been notified that they will be allowed to run only until the last week in June.

By this arbitrary and cruel action of the trust 17,000 skilled and other workmen, not including those formerly employed in independent factories, are thrown out of work, regardless of their unpreparedness to face the hard conditions thrust upon them and their dependents.

Like its commercial congeners, the window glass trust began its career backed by unlimited capital. Its first step was to reduce the price of its product to a figure which caused the ruin of all independent concerns that dared to compete. Its next move was to restrict production, thus throwing thousands of workmen out of employment and raising the price of its wares far above the margin of reasonable profit.

It has reached a stage of trust development where it has crushed competition utterly and exposed at least 50,000 men, women and children, who have heretofore been supported by the window glass industry, to bodily privations and the ministrations of charity.

As with the window glass trust, so with all other members of the trust brood. Their purpose is the enrichment of their stockholders. Their success means the robbery of consumers and the impoverishment and beggary of those who earn their bread in the sweat of their face. Every consideration of self-preservation, every dictate of philanthropy, every prompting of patriotism demand that they be crushed.

A New Treatment for Appendicitis.

A young woman of a well-to-do family in New York has been cured of appendicitis in a new and easy way, and today is rejoicing that she has escaped the use of the surgeon's knife.

The patient is 20 years of age. She had been under the care of two physicians, one of whom had attended her family for years. The second physician, who had been called to attend her at Atlantic Highlands, pronounced her trouble appendicitis, and said that an operation with the knife must be performed, if her life was to be saved.

She determined to exhaust every other treatment before submitting to the knife. Several weeks ago Dr. George J. Helmer, a well-known osteopath, was called to see her. The treatment which he applied was, in brief, this:

Placing one hand on the point on the outer surface of the abdomen beneath which the vermiform appendix is known to be, with the other he grasped the right leg of the patient at the knee. To the leg, by a quick movement, he gave a slight twist, repeating it several times.

And that was all there was of the operation.

The effect of this forced muscular action was to squeeze out of the appendix the particles which were clogging it.

Oil Trust's Half Billion.

NEW YORK, June 16.—In Wall street today the report was revived that the Standard Oil Company will be reorganized in the shape of a giant corporation under the laws of New Jersey, and the present trust features abandoned entirely. Of its certificates there are said to be about \$96,000,000 outstanding and according to report it is the plan to call in these and to issue in exchange for each one five shares of stock in the new corporation, whose par value shall be \$100.

Thus the present certificate holders will receive \$500 for \$156. The capitalization of the new company is to be \$500,000,000.

Enlisted Man Made a Lieutenant.

WASHINGTON, June 14.—Mr. Thomas F. Lyons, of North Carolina, was appointed today a first lieutenant in the United States Marine Corps. He was formerly an enlisted man in that corps, was promoted to the grade of sergeant and was the only non-commissioned officer found qualified for a commission. The appointment of a grade of first lieutenant is almost without precedent in the history of the marine corps.

The people of Maxton will vote on a special school tax levy on July 3rd.

The New Johnstown.

To those who saw Johnstown and the Conemaugh Valley in June, 1883, it doubtless seemed impossible that the submerged and utterly ruined city could ever recover from the disaster which swept away its industries, destroyed one-third of its homes and not less than one eighth of its people. And yet what then seemed impossible has been more than accomplished in the short space of ten years. The dead could not be recalled to life, but the obliterated homes have been rebuilt, the ruined industries restored and extended, and a new, better, and larger city occupies the site of the town through which the waters from the South Fork carried such havoc ten years ago. The rebuilding of a city of 40,000 inhabitants upon the wreck of a town not more than three-fourths as populous in the space of a decade constitutes a marvelous example of the indomitable spirit and resistless energy of the American people.—Philadelphia Times.

The North Carolina Christian Advocate says the Western North Carolina Conference gave for foreign and domestic missions the last fiscal year \$14,352.



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MONDAY, JULY 10, 1899,

at noon, the following described property: Beginning at a white oak, Hobbs' corner, running south 84 poles to a stone in the public road, known by the name of the West Green Road, thence south 79 degrees west 46 1/2 poles to Cummings' corner, then north 15 1/2 poles to schoolhouse corner, then with schoolhouse line south 83 degrees west 55 1/2 poles to a stake or stone, then north with some variation 28 poles to a stake or stone, then east 54 1/2 poles to Fitzmaurice's corner, then with Fitzmaurice's line north 100 poles along the county road, then north 12 degrees west along said road and said line 45 poles to a sycamore tree in public road, then west 2 poles, then north 9 degrees, west 15 poles to center of road, then north 62 poles to a stone, Fitzmaurice's corner, then with his line west 39 poles to his corner in Dundas' line, then north 26 poles in part oak, then east 81 poles to the beginning, containing 110 acres more or less except 15 acres lying along the old stage road sold to Ransom Bass, and 2 acres in extreme southwest corner to another party.

This 8th day of June, 1899.

W. D. BEATTIE, Mortgagee.

A. M. Seales, Attorney.

Commissioner's Sale Valuable Lands.

Pursuant to a decree of the Superior court of Guilford county, North Carolina, made in the case of John Watts and Eliza Watts, his wife, and I. W. Watts and Annie Watts, his wife, et al., ex parte, heirs at law of Samuel Watts, deceased, the undersigned will, on

MONDAY, JULY 3, 1899,

sell at the court house door, in the city of Greensboro, N. C., to the last and highest bidder, by public auction, the following described lands, situate in Summerfield township, Guilford county, N. C., adjoining the lands of R. M. Stafford, J. H. Barker, J. F. Hoskins, Miles A. J. Wilson et al., and bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a poplar near a spring, running west 41 degrees east 12 poles to a maple, thence north 75 degrees west 40 poles to a red oak, thence north 10 degrees west 16 poles to a black oak, Stafford's corner, thence west 33 poles to a black oak, thence west 33 poles to a black oak, Britton's corner, thence south 120 poles to a stone, thence east 22 poles to a stake, thence south 92 poles to a stake at the creek, thence east 1 pole to a stake, thence north 6 poles to a stake, thence north 95 degrees west 13 1/2 poles to a elm, thence north 51 degrees east 6 1/2 poles to a sassafras, thence north 22 degrees east 17 poles to a stake, thence south 72 1/2 poles to a rock, the edge of the low grounds, thence north 31 degrees east 12 poles to a sweet gum, thence south 44 degrees east 17 poles to a stake, thence south 12 degrees west 24 poles to a stake, thence east 76 poles to a stake, thence north 6 degrees west 51 poles to a dogwood bush, thence west 63 poles to a poplar, the beginning corner, containing 164 acres more or less. See Book S, No. 2, pp. 38 et seq., in the office of the Register of Deeds for Guilford county.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-half cash and balance in six months, deferred payment to be at 8 per cent interest from day of sale, and title retained till purchase money is paid.

This June 1st, 1899.

A. B. KIMBALL, Commissioner.

Sale of Valuable Land.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in the last will and testament of Willie Brinfield, late of Guilford county, North Carolina, I will on

SATURDAY, JUNE 24, 1899,

at 11 o'clock a. m., on the premises in Washington township, in said county, sell to the highest bidder two tracts of land, known as the Thomas Brinfield lands, containing in both tracts 104 acres and 9 poles, more or less.

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 21, 1899.

A WASHINGTON dispatch to the Philadelphia Times, an administrative organ, gives a very gloomy and almost hopeless view of the situation in the Philippines. The public has known for some time that our forces were suffering many hardships and severe losses, notwithstanding the attitude of Washington officials in their efforts to give the affair a roseate hue, and when the call for additional volunteers was made it was impossible to longer conceal the facts. In February our commander in the Philippines, General Otis, began an aggressive warfare near Manila, driving the insurgents many miles into the interior. He opened the campaign with 22,000 men and on the 10th inst. he was forced to return to Manila with his forces defeated and his army disheartened. He is now defending the city with the aid of the navy. In this campaign of four months 241 men were killed in battle and 1,175 men wounded, the total number of casualties being 1,416. In addition to this nearly 3,000 men have been disabled by sickness and about 500 have died from the effects of disease. The total cost of the campaign will approximate \$120,000,000—and the end is not yet. Practically nothing has been accomplished through this terrible expenditure of blood and treasure, for the insurgents are still masters of the situation in the greater portion of the island. The authority of the American forces in the islands is being contested by upward of 30,000 troops thoroughly acclimated and believing in their independence. So determined are the Filipinos to secure their independence that they are working their farms for eight consecutive days and then systematically drilling under good officers for two days. It is estimated that 500,000 are thus preparing themselves for effective service in the army. It can no longer be denied that the situation of the American forces in the Philippines is deplorable and the condition of the soldiers pitiable. The campaign of General Otis has ended in disastrous failure.

ONE of the most truthful statements made in a long time was the utterance of Henry O. Havemeyer, president of the American Sugar Refining Company, in saying, a few days ago, that the mother of all trusts is the protective tariff. He further stated that the government, through its tariff laws, plunders the people, the trusts being the machinery for doing it. Certain it is that when congress enacts a tariff law that shuts out all foreign competition, and enables the trusts to make millions through its operations, the people are robbed. The expenses of the government must, of course, be provided for, but beyond that the government fleeces the country at large in the interest of favored industries. It is the duty of the government to see that under the tariff laws enacted great corporations are not protected to the detriment or impoverishment of the public. For instance, the \$40 per ton duty on imported sugar pays into the pockets of the sugar producers of the United States a bonus of about \$24,000,000 annually. It would have been very easy and entirely proper for congress to have put a corresponding internal

revenue tax on sugar simultaneously with the imposition of the customs duty and have these \$24,000,000, which now go into the pockets of a few individuals, go into the treasury for the benefit and relief of the whole people. If the tariff were so low that foreign manufacturers could compete in our markets combinations of manufacturers to put up prices would be ineffective.

The following from the Philadelphia Record is terse and to the point: "The Chicago Tribune is informed that the white people of Griffin, Ga., have driven the negroes from competition with the white laborers in the factories of that town. This account of the latest Southern outrage recalls the fact that a great deal nearer to Chicago than Griffin, Ga., is a Republican governor who called out the militia to expel from the mines, at the point of the bayonet, the negroes who were competing with white laborers in his state. We do not believe that any such outrage can be laid at the door of a Democratic governor of any state in the South."

The growth and expansion of the University should be a matter of pride to every North Carolinian. In efficiency, patronage and public favor it is now second to none in the South. Its requirement are exact, its standard rigid, its tone of life high and manly. Its academic roll is the largest in the South, and in all its history it has never been so close to the people, and so able to serve them. Ambitious and needy boys should remember its motto is equality, opportunity and self-help.

A CHICAGO professor is preparing to measure the ears of five hundred Chinese in his effort to prove that John Chinaman is a sound philosopher. There is a theory that the ear of a philosophical temperament is of abnormal size, and that the Chinese have larger ears than any other race of people, therefore they are profound philosophers. According to this process of reasoning mules would be wiser than Plato.

The Asheville Register, the personal organ of Richmond Pearson and a warm supporter of Senator Pritchard, is still trying to prove that the constitutional amendment will disfranchise nearly as many white men as negroes. The Register evidently believes its constituency to be composed of a lot of very ignorant men.

Washington Preacher Accuses Alger of Duplicitry.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., June 18.—According to Rev. Dr. William F. Crafts, of Washington, D. C., the Judge Advocate General of the War Department long ago rendered an opinion to Secretary of War Alger, holding that the anti-canteen law was invalid and prohibitory. Doctor Crafts, who is superintendent of the reform bureau, incorporated and international, with headquarters at Washington, says that the opinion, which was rendered on March 12, was inadvertently sent him by a careless clerk of the War Department. The Doctor preached at the Central M. E. church here this morning and at the First Presbyterian church this evening. On both occasions he declared from the pulpit that he had demanded the opinion several times, but was refused. The only thing he could get was the opinion rendered later by Attorney General Griggs, who held that the law did not forbid canteens, but only prohibited soldiers from dispensing the liquors.

Dr. Crafts is the author of the canteen amendment and is fighting to have it enforced to the letter. He virtually charges Secretary of War Alger with having been made the tools of the liquor men and forbidding Attorney General Griggs to find the law that he has in the amendment which allows the sale of liquor to soldiers to continue.

William H. Fischer, a builder and contractor, shot his wife on a public thoroughfare in New Orleans after brutally beating her and then wounded fatally himself. They were married only six weeks ago and had separated.

The United States has accepted a proposition from Great Britain for a temporary arrangement of the Alaska boundary question, which has long been a cause of contention.

THE MACHINERY PERFECTED.

The Appointment of Committees for the Gala Week and Firemen's Tournament Completed.

The following is a complete list of committees appointed for the Gala Week and Firemen's Tournament, and they are now actively engaged in preparing and planning for the coming event. As will be observed by a perusal of the list, every subject that could add to the interest and success of the occasion has received attention at the hands of the central committee, and the various sub-committees appointed will look diligently after their various departments. It now remains for our people to put their shoulders to the wheel and work in conjunction with the committees to make the occasion one long to be remembered in the history of Greensboro and Guilford county. The committees have a right to look for aid and support and it is hoped that they will not be disappointed:

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SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., June 17.—Nearly 4,000 enlisted men and officers will sail from San Francisco next week for the Philippines. The Zealandia will sail on June 22 with 4 companies of the Twenty-fourth Infantry and 100 recruits; the Pennsylvania on June 24, with the headquarters and eight companies of the Twenty-fourth or Twenty-fifth Infantry; the Sheridan on June 24, with two troops of the Fourth Cavalry; two companies of the Fourteenth Infantry, a signal corps detachment and 1,275 recruits, and the Valencia on June 25, with four companies of the Twenty-fourth or Twenty-fifth Infantry and 100 recruits.

Ex-Secretary of State John Sherman is ill at his home at Mansfield, Ohio. He is suffering from a recurrence of the lung trouble with which he was afflicted on his recent trip to the West Indies.

Thrives on Standard Oil Cash.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 18.—When the twenty-ninth convocation of the University of Chicago is called on July 1 the trustees, it is said, will announce another donation of from \$2,000,000 to \$3,000,000 to the university from its patron, John D. Rockefeller.

The Standard Oil magnate has been lavish to the university. In 1895 he gave it \$1,000,000; in 1896, \$2,000,000; at the end of 1897, owing to the rapid development of the university, he contributed a further sum of \$4,000,000. Last year, in expressing great satisfaction with the progress of the institution, he stated definitely that he would never permit it to run behind.

W. J. Cocke, of Asheville, has been arrested on the charge of being implicated in the wreck of the National Bank of Asheville. He was formerly cashier of the bank and mayor of Asheville, and was senator from Buncombe county in the legislature. His arrest created great surprise and it is believed by many that he is innocent of the charges. He denies that he owes the bank a cent and his denial is supported by the officers of the institution. He is out on a bond of \$15,000 for his appearance at the next term of Federal court.

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Executor's Notice.

Having been appointed executor of the last will and testament of Mrs. Charlotte Gardner, deceased, I hereby notice all persons having claims against said deceased to present them to me within the time prescribed by law, or this notice will bar their recovery. All persons indebted to the deceased must make immediate payment.

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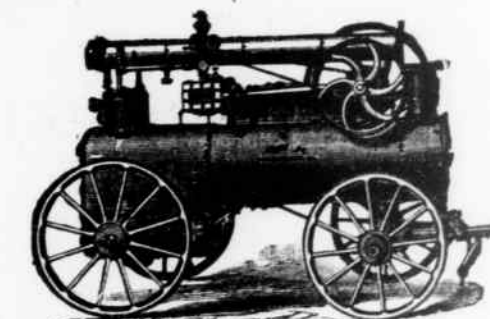
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CONGRESSMAN BLAND DEAD.

Famous Champion of Free Silver Succumbs to Grip.

LEBANON, Mo., June 15.—Congressman Richard Parks Bland died at his home, near Lebanon, at 10 a. m. today, having been asleep since 10 o'clock Tuesday night.

Mr. Bland returned home when Congress adjourned in March and suffered a relapse from an attack of grip. For more than two months he had been confined to his home and his health gradually declined. He thought he would survive the attack from the grip. On the 3rd of this month he suddenly grew worse, and his sons, who were in school, were summoned home and for the first time the public was informed of his critical condition.

For more than twenty years Richard Parks Bland was a consistent advocate in and out of Congress of the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1, and to his persistent efforts in behalf of the silver metal was largely due the creation of a new national issue in 1896, of which the Democratic party absorbed the Populists of the West and South.

At the opening of the Chicago convention three years ago he was the leading candidate for the nomination for President and had nearly four hundred delegates pledged to his support. But for the "cross of gold" speech of W. J. Bryan, which carried the delegates off their feet, the original champion of free silver would have received the nomination on the second or third ballot, because he was originally the second choice of some three hundred delegates who were instructed for other candidates.

From 1872 to 1894 Bland served continuously in Congress, and during all that time he seldom made a speech on any subject without saying something for free silver or greenbacks. He voted for every inflation and free coinage measure that was introduced while he was in Congress, and was the author of several acts intended to bring about the unlimited coinage of silver. The silver coinage act of 1878 was a measure, and was known as the Bland bill. As passed by the house, it provided for free coinage, but it was amended by the senate.

Bland was the son of a country minister and farmer, and was born in Ohio county, Kentucky, in 1835. He worked as a farm hand in youth, but went to school long enough to obtain a teacher's certificate. In 1855 he went to California, and remained in the far West for ten years, teaching school and practicing law. In 1865 he settled in Missouri, where he combined law, politics and farming.

He was elected to Congress as a Democrat in 1872, and was re-elected continuously until the Republican landslide of 1894, when he was defeated. He was elected again in 1896 and in 1898 was re-elected to the fifty-sixth Congress. Between sessions of Congress in recent years Mr. Bland divided his time between work on his farm and lectures on free silver.

While he did not rank as an orator of ability, he was always in demand in the West and South as a political speaker, and in 1895 and 1896 made many public addresses in support of free coinage. To his friends he was always "Dick" Bland, and to the people of the West he was better known as "Silver Dick."

RAIN OF BULLETS.

Louis Patrick Taken out of Beaufort Jail and Lynched.

Atlanta Hotel, Morehead City, N. C., June 15.—Last night about 11 o'clock, near the scene where E. W. Weeks was murdered last week, Lewis Patrick, colored, who had been taken from Beaufort jail the previous night, was killed. Seventy-five shots were fired and his body was riddled with bullets. The people heard the firing, but nobody was seen.

It is supposed that when the mob found on Wednesday morning that they were followed they hid Patrick on the island and kept him there during daylight. Last night they took him out and ended his life.

It is reported that in order to save Patrick the negro implicated other persons, but the lynching party thought he was lying and gave no weight to his words.

To Stop Importing Negroes.

Pittsburg, Kan., June 18.—The striking union coal miners appear to have temporarily stopped the importation of southern negroes to the mine operators. The hearing of the injunction cases brought by the strikers to prevent the importation of miners from other States has been postponed until June 20. The miners set up the plea that the negroes are criminals and affected with contagious disease and that their coming would be a menace to the health of the community, good order and public morals.

WAITING ON GERMANY.

International Arbitration May Depend on Kaiser's Decision.

THE HAGUE, June 18.—The work of the peace conference has been virtually suspended on the subject of a board of arbitration and probably will not be resumed for some days. On semi-official authority it is said the situation is practically this: The German government was opposed on principle to an organized arbitration court. It is found that these views existed prior to the conference and instructions to that effect were given the German delegates. The opinion obtained in Berlin that other powers, notably France, would instruct their delegates similarly.

As the conference proceeded the spirit of conciliation advanced and the desire to accomplish important permanent results was manifested. With this grew up schemes for an organized arbitration board, notably the British proposals to which nearly all the members rallied with the authoritative support of their respective governments. This at once left the German delegates in a peculiar condition, for which they were not prepared. The difficulty was not at The Hague but at Berlin.

In order to relieve the situation, Count von Munster, head of the German delegation, after a long conference yesterday with his colleagues at Schereningen, decided to dispatch Dr. Zorn and Baron von Stengel to inform the Emperor personally of the condition of the affairs. Efforts had been made in the meantime to find means of conciliation by the creation of a limited board established at The Hague, under the ordinary representatives of the powers, which was proposed by Andrew D. White, head of the American delegation. This plan Dr. Zorn and Baron von Stengel have been commissioned to plead for to Emperor William.

The question of the moment, therefore, is what his majesty will reply. The most important fact is that the German delegation from Berlin were accompanied by Frederick Holls, secretary of the American plan.

There is a growing belief that Emperor William is favorable, and if the other powers will accept the new plan as the basis of discussion the conference will at once proceed to discuss a definite plan for an arbitration board.

The sub-committee on the extension of the Brussels convention met yesterday under the presidency of Professor Martens and adopted several clauses. Its report will be presented to the drafting committee with immaterial changes.

Chinese Emperor a Convert.

NEW YORK, June 18.—Considerable space in the forthcoming annual report of the American Bible Society will be devoted to the work of the society in China, written by Rev. Dr. John R. Hykes, general agent of the society. Dr. Hykes, after praising the reform edicts issued by the young Emperor and the check which the attempt to enforce them received, says:

"In addition to issuing these splendid edicts, the Emperor went so far as to discuss with his advisers the desirability of adopting Christianity as the national religion. He spent much time in the daily study of the Bible, and it was no secret in the palace that he frequently retired to a quiet place to pray to God. When thus engaged the eunuchs had strict orders that he must not be disturbed or interrupted."

"The Emperor's attitude toward Christianity is shown by the following incident: He was asked by one of his statesmen, 'what does your Majesty think of the religion of the West?' 'What mean you by religion?' the Emperor answered, 'there is no religion but that of God. If you have any other religion let me hear you explain it to me.' The Emperor and some of the chief reformers were convinced of the truth of Christianity and they were almost if not altogether persuaded to accept it."

Mr. Butler to Retire.

It is announced that Senator Marion Butler, of North Carolina, has determined to retire from the United States Senate on the expiration of his term in 1901. He is at present taking a law course at the university law school, at Chapel Hill, N. C. He will probably complete his course there next year, and it is understood will locate at Charlotte. This can hardly be regarded as a voluntary retirement, for the Populist Senator doubtless recognizes the result of the election in North Carolina last November as the "handwriting on the wall." From present appearances Mr. Butler's successor will be a Democrat.—Baltimore Sun.

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Broughton Attacks Woodward.

ATLANTA, June 18.—In a sensational sermon tonight Dr. L. G. Broughton, pastor of the Baptist tabernacle, called upon the city council to impeach James G. Woodward, mayor of Atlanta. Dr. Broughton said the chief executive was a confessed gambler, a libertine, a sot and a disgrace to the city.

At these words the audience of about 2,000 people cheered. In the course of his remarks Dr. Broughton said: "When the mayor was a member of an important committee to go to Washington on the matter of Federal prison site, he was drunk most of the time, and there were other things that occurred in connection with him that I hesitate to mention from the pulpit. He should be impeached at once. If the members of the city council do not impeach him, I shall take steps myself. No such man has a right to be mayor of this city. The situation is indecent and disgraceful."

Mayor Woodward was informed of Dr. Broughton's remarks late tonight. The executive said: "I regard the statements of Dr. Broughton as ridiculous. I ask the public to suspend judgment."

ATLANTA, June 19.—The city council at its meeting this evening appointed a committee of five to investigate the charges made by Dr. Broughton, in his sermon last night, against Mayor Woodward, of Atlanta, and which ended in a call for the executive's impeachment. Dr. Broughton was present at the council meeting, but was not heard.

Dr. Broughton claims that Mayor Woodward confessed to the charges made against him today, and has decided to throw himself on the mercy of the council. Mayor Woodward was ill today and did not leave his room.

Gold Dust by the Ton.

SKAGWAY, June 13, via Seattle, Wash., June 17.—Nearly two tons of gold dust and nuggets were landed on June 9 at White Horse Rapids from the first three steamers to reach that point from Carson City. Over a ton of the precious metal was officially checked off by the officers at White Horse when making the transfer from steamer to steamer. The remainder was divided in packages ranging from 10 to 75 pounds, carried by the more than three hundred passengers of the three boats. They were in all sorts of odd packages, and made no attempt at concealment.

Sixty-five passengers from the small steamers that run to Bennett arrived last evening, and 100 more arrived this morning. They were all loaded down with gold, and more passengers will arrive today. Every hotel safe in Skagway last night was crammed full of gold dust, with a watchman on guard all night, and as these safes could not accommodate all who had gold, the safes of several merchants had to be called into requisition. The gold is brought out largely by merchants, with only a few miners who have been in the Klondike all the way from a year to three years. Only about half of it is from the winter clean-up.

No. 17 El Dorado, it is said, will prove to be the richest claim in the whole Klondike. Mr. Peacock, of Quebec, who owns a half interest, had 37 men at work on it all winter, and the clean-up will be in the neighborhood of from \$1,200,000 to \$1,500,000.

A Child Lunatic.

NEW YORK, June 19.—Jennie Fiero, the 5-year-old daughter of Marie and Jos. Fiero, was committed to the insane pavilion at Bellevue Hospital today, to be examined as to sanity. It is said that she is the youngest person ever committed by a magistrate to an insane institution. Mrs. Fiero told the magistrate that the child has a murderous instinct. Yesterday the girl was discovered creeping upon the 10 months-old baby, Tony, who was seated in a high chair.

The mother said she had a butcher knife in her hand, and was about to plunge it into the baby's side, when she seized her arm and wrenched the knife from her. The girl then endeavored to jump from the window of the house to the street. A few days ago, Mrs. Fiero said, Jennie endeavored to kill her 9-year-old brother in the same way, and has made attempts on the life of every member of the family.

The Chilean government made haste to do a friendly turn for the people of the United States by dispatching relief ships with coal and supplies for the cruiser Newark, which vessel had been driven by terrific Antarctic gales to seek shelter in a Chilean port on Guaymas Island. This will not be an altogether unfortunate incident if it shall help to establish once more an entirely amicable feeling between Chile and the United States.

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3,000 yards fine Lawns, all colors and beautiful patterns, 7c. quality, at 3½c.

2,000 yards fine Organdies, Dimities and Lawns, worth 8c., 10c. and 12½c., at 5c.
2,000 yards fine heavy Sea Island Percals, 12½c. quality, at 7c.
1,000 Ladies' Gauze Vests, 10c. quality, at 5c.
1,000 yards fine Silk for waists, all the new colors, 64c. value, for this sale 39c.

100 pairs Oxford Ties, a good 75c. Shoe for 48c.
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WASHINGTON LETTER.

Special Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, June 19, 1899.

At last War Department officials admit the truth as to the situation in the Philippines; that more fighting and lots of it is ahead of our troops; that the alleged peace commissioners of Aguinaldo, who were feted and entertained in Manila by our civil commissioners, pulled the wool over our men's eyes and not only got the time they wished to prepare for more fighting, but gathered valuable information as to the number and condition of American soldiers, which they have been able to put to good use in the effective fighting of Aguinaldo during the past week. There is no more talk of volunteer surrender on the part of Aguinaldo. It is now admitted that he has to be whipped into submission, and that it will not be an easy job by any means, unless a much larger army than the thirty-five thousand men now being provided for is placed under the command of Gen. Otis.

There is a rumor afloat that Mr. John R. McLean, of Ohio, who also has a home in Washington, intends to establish a daily paper at the national capital, which will support Col. Bryan for president and advocate free silver; also that Mr. McLean would like to run on the ticket with Col. Bryan.

It is not surprising that the administration should have quietly overlooked the break made by Prof. Haupt, a member of the present and of the last canal commission, in confirming the general impression that influences strong enough to thwart the almost unanimous wish of the people of this country had been successfully used to prevent the building of the Nicaragua canal, and even to prevent the publishing of the report made by the last commission, which is said to contain a scathing exposure of some of these influences. The subject is chock full of political dynamite, and the administration was afraid of it. Therefore, instead of calling Prof. Haupt down for his too truthful exposure of a national scandal and firing him from the new commission, the administration got him to write a letter saying that he had been misquoted by the newspaper that printed the exposure, and was glad to let it go at that. The new commission met last week, authorized

the appointment of committees, and adjourned to meet again in Washington July 6th.

There isn't the slightest doubt about the position of Representative Lentz, of Ohio, on national issues. He said of the national outlook: "The only thing that can keep Mr. Bryan from being president of the United States is for the Hanna Democrats and the Hanna Republicans to prevent his nomination. They are now scheming to bring about that consummation, but they will hardly succeed. I am for Bryan in 1900, and a repetition of the Chicago platform, with some additions. I favor the election of United States senators by direct vote, and also hope to see the initiative and referendum made a part of our government system."

A prominent Ohio Republican has been telling party tales out of school. He said of the fight on Senator Foraker by H. H. Kohlsaat, editor of the Chicago Times-Herald, which has caused so much talk because of the close personal relations known to exist between Mr. McKinley and Mr. Kohlsaat; "I have absolute personal knowledge that the assault made upon Foraker in the Chicago Times-Herald are the result of an understanding between its editor and Senator Hanna. The latter said at the Columbus convention, after Foraker had declared against the Hanna machine, that he proposed to get even with him, and would resort to any means that might be necessary to down him. Foraker's term in the senate will expire in 1903, and Hanna intends to prevent his re-election. I am thoroughly convinced that Mr. McKinley is familiar with every move made by Kohlsaat against Foraker. I would not say that Hanna is paying Kohlsaat out of funds of the Republican national committee for making war on Foraker, but those who know Kohlsaat best say that he seldom does anything without being in some way rewarded for it. Hanna has bought Boss Cox, and if he will stay bought, there will be serious trouble for Foraker in the Cincinnati end of the state."

The Shelby Cotton Mills Company has applied for a charter. It will soon begin the erection of a \$100,000 mill near the South Carolina & Georgia Railroad depot. The Star says that \$60,000 of the capital stock has been taken.

Hanna's Money Coming This Way.

The Raleigh correspondent of the Charlotte Observer writes his paper the following interesting news:

State Democratic Chairman Simmons is in possession of information which he regards as straight and reliable, that an anti-amendment campaign fund of \$15,000 has been secured by the Republicans, and that the plan is to use the most of this sum in paying for legal opinions of such lawyers as can be induced to write opinions against the constitutionality of the amendment. When they are in hand, they are to be printed and the state is to be flooded with them. In addition to this method of distribution, he is also informed, Senator Pritchard, in the senate, and Congressman Linney, in the house, are to manage to get these opinions published in The Record, as a part of speech made by them, and have them distributed by the government.

Of course it is easy for the Republicans to raise this sort of fund. They have only to say to Mr. Hanna: "For the purpose of keeping the negroes in the close states in the North and West, we must make a show of standing by them in the South. We want \$15,000 for this purpose," and Mr. Hanna will at once turn it over. While the national Republican party cares nothing for the negro vote in the South, it is very anxious about the negro vote in the North.

Chairman Simmons, commenting upon the scheme of the Republicans to buy legal opinion against the constitutionality of the amendment, said emphatically it would not work in North Carolina, and expressed the opinion that there never were any Democratic lawyers in the state who could be thus indirectly employed for the defence in the case of white supremacy vs. negro domination, now pending in the high court of the people.

Australia Growing Tobacco.

LONDON, June 17.—Tobacco growers and dealers are awaiting with interest the arrival of the first important shipment of leaf from Victoria, Australia, now en route. The samples are regarded as very fine, and it is believed the leaf will secure ready sale at good prices. The tobacco was grown under the superintendence of a Kentucky grower, who was invited by the Victorian court to test the experiment.

Will Recognize the New Board.

State Superintendent of Public Instruction Mebane has sent the following letter to the county superintendents of schools:

"I have recent inquiries as to the effect of the recent decision of Judge Timberlake in the case of the Sampson county school, and also inquiries as to the effect this will have as to county school boards throughout the state, if said decision is sustained by the Supreme court of North Carolina. I write this to say in reply to the first inquiry that the decision of the Sampson county case does not affect any county board of education except that in Sampson. I recognize the old board of Sampson because the Superior court of said county has so ordered, and I obey this order until it is passed upon by the Supreme court. In all the other counties where the old boards are contending, I recognize the boards of directors appointed by the general assembly as de facto official boards, until ordered otherwise by the courts, as is the case of the Sampson county board. I, as executive officer, take it for granted that the statute enacted by the general assembly is the law, and must govern myself accordingly until I am otherwise ordered by the courts. Therefore you, as county superintendent, will recognize this board of directors as the legal board of your county, until otherwise directed by the judgment of your court. In regard to the second inquiry I will say that it will be time enough to answer it after the Supreme court shall have rendered its decision. We have trouble enough to take it as it comes, without going ahead to look for it."

Reports from Russia indicate that the sufferings from famine and disease in that country extend over a vast area of territory. More than five millions of people are in want, and the death rate from starvation is increasing daily. An additionally distressing feature of the calamity is the apparent inability of the authorities to make use of the meagre financial aid at their command. Relief agents are given absurdly high pay for their questionable services, and exorbitant prices are paid for the few necessities which are attainable.

A railroad is being graded from Southern Pines to Fayetteville.

Cannibalism in the Yukon.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 19.—A story of possible cannibalism on the Yukon trail has just reached here. Three men left here for Dahl river on December 5th for Jimtown, and were not heard of again till the steamer Ridout, which arrived today, brought a terrible tale of suffering and horror. The men were Michael Daly, Victor Ediar and M. Provost. They were from Providence, R. I., Woonsocket, R. I., and Breckton, Mass., respectively. Their bodies were discovered 17 miles from the mouth of Old Man's creek, they having lost the trail and become bewildered. Having left Dahl river with only three weeks' food, but which was amply sufficient for the 150 miles to Jimtown, they were soon reduced to starvation.

Daly's body was found partly eaten, on the stove in the tent just as it was left when death overtook the others. Some scraps of moose hide and moccasins were found, of which they were endeavoring to make a stew. Daly's body was identified by the clothes. The other men were found dead five miles away from the tent. The fact of the tent flaps being shut down when found would seem to preclude the possibility of Daly's body having been eaten by animals. The other men were doubtless driven by hunger to the awful extremity of cannibalism. Four hundred dollars were found on the bodies. The seven boats which wintered at Dahl river are all safe.

Carbolic Acid, Not Paregoric.

ASHEVILLE, June 19.—A mistake in taking a dose of medicine this morning cost the life of J. P. Marshall, of this city. Mr. Marshall thought to take a dose of paregoric, but instead poured out a dose of carbolic acid from a bottle that stood by the paregoric bottle. He discovered the awful error in a moment after swallowing the draught, and hurried up town to see a physician. On the way he fell and was taken to J. R. Oates' livery stable. Medical aid was summoned, but Mr. Marshall was beyond help, and died in a few minutes. He was about 40 years of age, a tobacco buyer, and a well known man of this city. He was a native of Virginia.

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Bugs Cost Two Lives.

CLEVELAND, O., June 18.—Mrs. Abraham Cohen, wife of a lamp lighter, cleaned a feather bed with gasoline this afternoon. She was after bugs. The family home is at No. 23 Wadsworth street. The house was a substantially-built brick structure.

A six-months old baby was placed on the floor pending operations. Cohen strolled into the room to superintend the job. He rolled a cigarette and prepared a smoke. As he lit the match there was a deafening report, which could be heard blocks distant. Neighbors who ran to the scene, found a mass of bricks and other debris in the front yard.

Mr. and Mrs. Cohen and the child were picked up unconscious. The trio were removed to Huron Street Hospital. Mrs. Cohen soon recovered consciousness, as did Mr. Cohen. The child is unconscious and is expected to die. Cohen, it is thought, will also die. Mrs. Cohen will recover.

Died for Love of a Sister.

PHILADELPHIA, June 19.—Frustrated by melancholia over the recent marriage of her sister, Laura Ortell, 19 years old, committed suicide at the home of her parents, No. 1836 North Camac street, yesterday morning, by inhaling illuminating gas through a rubber tube. The strong love for her sister is the only reason that can be given for the young woman's strange death. The two girls were the closest of companions, and during the wedding ceremony at which the unfortunate girl acted as bridesmaid, she ran from the room in tears.

After her sister left home, Laura became very melancholy, and refused to be interested in her former enjoyments. Everything was done to arouse her, but all to no effect. On Friday night she remarked to her mother: "I wonder how it feels to die?" Before she retired she played several sacred pieces on the piano, and seemed to be very sad.

The Observer says that it has been persistently rumored in Fayetteville, and in fact along the whole line for a week past, that the Southern had secured control of the Yadkin division of the A. C. L. from Sanford to Fayetteville, but so far we cannot learn the slightest foundation for the report.

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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

Matters of Interest Reported by Our
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Vandalla Items.

Mrs. Elihu Russom is in very
poor health.

The farmers are very busy har-
vesting. Some have finished.

Mrs. Mary Taylor and Mr. J. W.
Weatherly have each purchased a
new reaper.

Misses Lelia and Annie Kirk-
man and two brothers were in this
neighborhood Sunday.

Mr. J. F. Ross and his sister,
Miss Annie, of Pleasant Garden,
were in this neighborhood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. White and
two youngest children, of Lego,
visited friends here Saturday night
and Sunday last.

The general health of this com-
munity is not very good at present.
Mrs. S. E. Coe and Miss Olena El-
lers are afflicted with chills.

Mr. Alf. Kirkman and family, of
Greensboro, visited his brother,
Mr. J. A. Kirkman, Sunday. Mr.
Kirkman's mother is also visiting
him at present.

A small daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. Strickler died on the 11th
inst. and was carried to Madison
for interment on the 12th. Ella
was a bright little girl and the be-
loved parents have the sympathy
of many.

We thought it time to write
again, as some have accused Van-
dalla of being dead. Hope they
will read this and know that this
place is a. k. a., and so we'll close
now and take another rest. At
last wait for some news.

Children's Day services were
held at Moriah church on last Sun-
day morning. Quite a large crowd
was present and the exercises, al-
though comparatively short, were
apparently thoroughly enjoyed.
Rev. Mr. Bunch, the pastor, was
in present, owing to his health,
we learn.

Gray's Chapel Items.

An engine is being put in at the
gold mine to draw the ore from the
mine.

Harvesting is about done and
the crop of wheat is below the
average.

C. C. Kime has bought and is
running a saw mill about two miles
west of Level Cross.

Messrs. G. M. and C. H. Redding
are running a steam saw mill on
North Buffalo, near Greensboro.

Nancy Bradford, an old lady
eighty-four years old, made a hand-
ful of wheat for a day or two
during harvest.

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Alamance Items.

Harvesting is about over.

Miss Ida Millis, of Guilford Col-
lege, recently paid a visit to your
correspondent.

Rev. E. E. Gillespie will preach
at Alamance on next Sunday.
There will be two services.

Rev. Peabody preached a very
able sermon at Alamance last Sun-
day. He is canvassing the entire
congregation for the Presbyterian
Standard.

Miss Nina Glass is making an
effort to get a singing class for
Mr. Leonard. We hope she will
succeed in getting the amount
made up.

Hinton Items.

Link Thom, colored, lost a val-
uable mule recently.

Mrs. George Foster has returned
from a visit to her son at Shaw's
Mill.

Mr. Frank Parker, of Guilford
College, visited in this community
recently.

Mr. Henry Johnson, who lives in
the southeastern part of the county,
gave us a call recently.

Harvesting is about over and
the next thing with the farmers
will be plowing their corn.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crutch-
field and children, of Greensboro,
visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Starr
recently.

Army Rule Bad for Cuba.

NEW YORK, June 18.—The Herald
today prints an elaborate review of
the condition of affairs in Cuba at
the present time, written by one of
its men who has returned from a
study of the island, saying in part:
"Elevated like a mountain peak
above all other things connected
with the present and future condi-
tion of Cuba is the one great, im-
pressive fact that military govern-
ment is a weight on the develop-
ment of the island and a barrier to
the good will and co-operation of
the Cubans.

"Sewers are being built under
direction of army engineers. San-
itary inspections are carried on by
army surgeons. Wherever the Cu-
ban goes he is confronted with a
show of military authority. The
cry among educated Cubans is
"Give us less militarism. Give us
more civil government."

A Cuban who is a friend of the
United States and one of General
Lee's supporters before the war, is
quoted as saying:

"Will you tell me on what theory
the United States have put six mil-
itary governors and a strong force
of troops in Cuba and keep them
there? The people of Cuba have
been held under the iron heel of
militarism for centuries. They al-
ways had military rule. They re-
volted against that system. With
the aid of the United States they
were freed from Spain. With
what result? Military rule by the
United States follows."

The writer continues: "Look at
Havana as it is today. Americans
are in control, but under pledge by
congress to get out. Out they
must go unless that resolution is
repealed. So, too, they are barred
from granting concessions or fran-
chises until the Foraker amend-
ment to the army bill is repealed."

Powder Works Blow Up.

SAN RAFAEL, Cal., June 17.—The
United States Smokeless Powder
Company's factory, situated on
Point San Pedro, four miles from
this town, was the scene of a disas-
trous explosion today. As a result
four employees were killed and
three seriously injured, while six
buildings were demolished by the
shock and the explosion.

It is surmised that the primary
cause of the explosion was the
criminal carelessness of one of the
workmen, who was smoking in the
graining room. The quantity of
smokeless powder which was in-
volved in the explosion is estimated
at four tons, and the concussion
was tremendous. A second explo-
sion quickly followed the first, and
soon four of the mixing houses
were in flames and were entirely
consumed.

Going to Paris in a Tree.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., June 16.—
Capt. Firmin Moindroin will go to
the Paris exposition next year in a
boat hollowed from the trunk of
one of the immense redwood trees
of Humboldt county.

"I will build," he says, "a schooner
from one of the largest trees in
Humboldt county. The hull will
be one solid piece. I will take a
tree from 20 to 24 feet in diameter
for my boat, which will be 48 feet
long, 15 feet beam and 10 feet deep
and will be rigged as a schooner.
I will make my boat in Humboldt
county, where the big trees are,
and I figure that it will take me
from two to three months to make
it."

The Captain expects to sail for
Paris by way of Cape Horn in De-
cember. He is a native of France
and has followed the sea for 40
years.

STATE NEWS.

A Wake county man eighty-nine
years of age has filed the papers
in a suit for a divorce from his
wife.

The first annual meeting of the
North Carolina Bar Association
will be held at Morehead City July
5th-7th.

The North Carolina Press Asso-
ciation will hold its annual conven-
tion at Carolina Beach July 12th
and 13th.

The Democratic officials of the
board of agriculture were sworn in
to office and took charge of affairs
last Thursday.

The Wilmington postoffice has
been advanced from the second to
the first class. Salisbury and
Statesville have been advanced from
the third to the second class, and
the salaries increased at a number
of other offices.

The Exchange says the blind
tiger business has become so com-
mon in Laurinburg that most peo-
ple have lost sight of the fact that
the law is being violated. It calls
on the citizens to take steps to
drive out the venders of sawpaw.

A Yadkin county man tells a re-
markable story of a hog, that lived
four weeks without food or water,
came out in good flesh, but had
very little use of its limbs; the
hog had burrowed under a straw
stack which caved in on it making
it a prisoner for that length of
time.

The Star says that over four
miles of the new line of railroad
from Shelby to Lawndale has been
graded and is ready for laying
cross-ties and putting down the
rails. Mr. J. Rush Oates, the con-
tractor, has been making all possi-
ble speed and he will complete the
work of grading as soon as possible
and the remainder of the work can
be hurriedly executed.

On complaint of Mrs. Matthews,
of New York state, who owns \$242,-
000 of the first mortgage bonds of
the Carolina Central railroad (a
branch of the S. A. L.), Judge Si-
monton, of the United States Cir-
cuit court, has issued an injunction
against the North Carolina Cor-
poration Commission and others, to
prevent the enforcement on this
road of the order of April 27th,
fixing a new freight rate on ferti-
lizers.

Mt. Olive Advertiser: One of the
most remarkable couples in North
Carolina is now living in Duplin
county. Mr. Fred Outlaw, aged
91 years, and his wife, who is now
in her 96th year. They are both
in very good health and are both, to
all appearances, good for many
more years of life. They live by
themselves and the husband still
does all his plowing and other work
incidental to a farm, while his wife
does all the household work.

A Hopeful Sign for Georgia.

A southwest Georgia county
shipped a trainload of home-raised
sheep and cattle to the West the
other day. A great many ship-
ments of cattle have been made
from Georgia and Alabama to the
West in the last few years, but
this is the first time we remember
when any one community has
shipped a trainload at once. This
is a favorable sign. It shows two
things—first, that sheep and cattle
can be raised successfully in Geor-
gia, and, second, that the farmers
in some sections of the state real-
ize the fact and are beginning to
take advantage of it.

There is also a disposition on the
part of the farmers to dispose of
their piney woods breeds of cattle
and replace them with improved
breeds, which mature early and
fatten easily.

The pasturage in many sections
of Georgia is far superior to that
of the West, plenty of water being
one great advantage, and another
is the profuse growth of cane,
which gives the cattle green food
throughout the winter.—Augusta
Chronicle.

The Color Line in New York.

George Wass, of Astoria, recent-
ly built a spite fence nine feet
high on property which he owns on
Grand avenue. The fence cut off
the view of Charles B. Krom, who
lives next door in a cottage be-
longing to W. H. Richards. When
Richards learned that a spite fence
had been erected he made arrange-
ments with his tenant that the lat-
ter would move just as soon as the
owner could rent the house to a
colored family. Yesterday morn-
ing Richards visited the cottage
and posted up a big sign in front
of the house reading: "To let.
This house to colored people only.
Inquire Richards, 164 East 104th
street, New York city.—New York
Sun.

The street car strike is still on
in Cleveland, Ohio. Between 10,-
000 and 20,000 men compose the
army of strikers.

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Captain A. L. Minter, member of the house of delegates of Virginia, has been fined \$25 and sent to jail for fifteen days for disturbing a religious meeting. Captain Minter rode his horse into Evangelist D. B. Strouse's tent and announced that he wanted to be sanctified and that his horse wanted religion, too.

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LASSOED A MOUNTAIN LION.

Dare-Devil Feat of a Mexican Vaquero in Southern California.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 3.—No one save his kind, a wild, hot headed, impulsive, dare-devil of a Mexican vaquero, would have thought of it, to say nothing of doing it, lassoing or, in the vernacular, roping a full grown mountain lion out of a tree. Think of it, you sport-loving fellows; spur a fiery and badly frightened bronco to within roping distance, throw your noose, see it settle about the tawny neck, then wheel, spur away and ride, ride hard and fast, too, for the devil himself is after you in the shape of an infuriated mountain lion measuring 10 feet from tip to tip, and he will not only give you a race for your money, but your life. That was the foolhardy act and wild ride of Felipe, a vaquero on the San Ysidro rancho, one day last week.

Felipe always was a wild devil, full of rich, red blood and the old Nick, and was in his element at the head of a stampede of thousands of crazed cattle plunging through darkness, while the thunder boomed and crashed and the lightning bridged the chasms from peak to peak with bands of dazzling light, then left the blackness blacker than before. Ever see an electrical storm in the mountains of Southern California? It's worth seeing, and you will remember it, too. A Mexican cowboy with a rope and a pony that obeys the slightest pressure of his knees is an ugly customer to be up against. I would as soon see him charge me with a six-shooter as to come bearing down standing in his stirrups, his body poised forward and that fatal noose circling round and round his head. They would much rather rope an animal than shoot it, and if two or more of them find a grizzly in an open bit of ground where their horses have a chance to play—well, an impromptu circus and menagerie follows.

Felipe was riding herd that morning and his route lay along the mountain side of the range. It was just after breakfast and he was swinging along the herd on his little cow pony when he caught sight of the carcass of a young steer partly eaten. With scarcely a pressure on the reins, the pony stopped, almost settling back on his haunches, while his rider's black eyes scanned the carcass and the ground around which showed signs of a struggle. "Leones" was his only comment; in the sandy soil amid the sparse vegetation were the tracks of a big mountain lion leading toward the mountains. The trail led into a little nook in the foothills, in which was a clump of wide-spreading liveoaks. Toward these rode Felipe, and as he neared the first tree he reined back.

"There he is in the tree, senor," he called with some show of excitement. Yes, there he was, a huge, tawny fellow, his long, powerful body lying at full length on a limb almost as large as the trunk of the tree, and not over 15 feet from the ground, his sinewy tail waving softly to and fro, his head partly raised, ears flattened, lips drawn back, showing his gleaming fangs, his steel-like claws working convulsively and tearing bits of bark from the limb. Ugh, but he was an ugly, vicious, magnificent-looking brute. I fingered the forty-five six-shooter in my holster nervously and decided not.

"Ride out a little ways and watch him, Felipe, while I go back to camp for a rifle."

"No, no, senor, I will rope him. I have often helped rope grizzly bears, but never a mountain lion; never did I hear of it being done, and Felipe of the San Ysidro will be the first; it will be something to talk about, and when Miguel of the Santa Margarita comes again to boast the boys may tell of what Felipe did," and he began untying the 40-foot rawhide rope about his saddle horn. "If it was a hair rope I should like it better, but what matter; it will only add to the telling."

"But when you are near enough to throw you will be within leaping distance of him," Felipe measured the height of the limb with his eye.

"No, I think not—quite; he will not spring until he feels the rope tighten, then—but ride wide of us, senor, if the rope breaks shoot if he runs, if he comes on give your horse his head."

Dismounting he tightened the cinch until the pony fairly groaned, then swinging into the saddle he arranged the noose to his liking, gathering the coils in his left hand, spurred the quivering pony toward the tree and began swinging the noose as carefully as one sights a rifle. The pony not only scented his enemy, but saw him plainly, and with quivering limbs and distended eyes and nostrils obeyed the spur, advancing slowly, cautiously, almost on tip-toes, one might say, and every step was so nicely bal-

anced that at a sign of the lion making a spring he might whirl and away.

Nearer and nearer he drew, and the bristles on the huge yellow beast stood upright, the long tail lashed the limb angrily, and growling, snarling, and showing the full length of his terrible jaws and teeth he began poisoning his body, after the manner of a cat, for a spring. A pressure of Felipe's knees and the pony stood in his last tracks like a statue; once, twice, three times the wide noose swung above Felipe's head, then whistled through the air the lion dodged and blinked, but the noose settled lightly over his shoulders and under his jaw. He took no further notice of it, but concentrated his attention on the horse and rider. Then slowly Felipe began backing his pony until the slack of the rope was nearly up, then he shouted "to camp, senor," and seizing the rope he gave it a quick jerk, tightening the noose about the lion's neck at the same time whirling his pony and uttering a screeching yell that an Apache would have envied. There was an answering snarl, ending in a choking scream, as the rope tightened like a bowstring; the lion clutched at the limb, forcing his claws into the tough wood. For an instant they hung, the pony tugging desperately. Would the rope stand the strain. Then the lion leaped and the pony went forward on his knees. I wanted to shut my eyes as the pony went down, and I saw the lion gather his limbs under him for a spring as he struck the ground. Felipe glanced backward and saw the crouching poise, then at me, his teeth showing through his black mustache. "Don't shoot, senor, he laughed and shouted, oh, what fun!" Then he threw himself far back in his saddle, raised his pony to his feet by the reins, sent the spurs home and the pony went forward like a shot as the yellow body cleared the 15 feet and landed squarely where an instant before the pony had been struggling. The fall, recovery and leap of the lion could not have taken five seconds, but it seemed to me that pony was on his knees as many minutes.

In two lunges the pony had tightened the rope, and the third jerked the lion heels over head, but, cat-like, he landed on his feet, and, crazed with fright and pain, he bounded after the pony, now snorting with terror as he strained every nerve and muscle to keep taut that 40-foot rope. Felipe fairly shouted in mad joy, yet kept his head sufficiently to open his clasp knife and hold it in his right hand in order to cut the rope if absolutely necessary. On we went, racing like mad down the mesa toward camp, but I scarcely breathed during that wild ride; if the pony should step on a round stone or in one of the many gopher holes, ugh—But we went into camp in a cloud of dust, the lion screaming and snarling, the pony snorting, Felipe yelling, and it was no wonder that the two staid mules that pulled the "grub" wagon broke from their picket ropes and went careening and braying down the valley.

"Santisima madre de Dios!" (most holy mother of God) screeched the Mexican cook as he leaped the fire, overturning a pot of beans in his flight toward the wagon, while the night riders came tumbling from their blankets, weapons in hand, to repel a raid of rustlers or help stop a stampede; then, with oaths, yells and cheers, they jumped this way, then that, as Felipe and his captive charged about camp. For a moment the lion snarled and Long John raised his rifle.

"No, no, Juan, wait," and one of the vaqueros grabbed his arm and then ran to me. "Let me have your horse, senor, just a moment," he said, pleadingly. I dismounted, and, leaping into the saddle, he uncoiled the lariat from about the horn and quickly threw the noose around the lion's neck. He tightened the rope just as the lion leaped, but the leap was arrested in midair by Felipe's rope on the opposite side, and he came to the ground with a hoarse scream. For the next few minutes the fun was certainly "fast and furious." Leap which way he would, there was always a rope to draw him back; he screamed, growled, snarled, clawed and bit at the strangling ropes, tore the ground until the air was filled with dust and sand, and through it all plunged his huge yellow body, his eyeballs fiery and distorted, his long fangs gleaming white in red, foam-flecked jaws.

Enduring as he was, flesh and blood, bone and muscle, could not stand such treatment long, and finally he sulked, cowering and whimpering, on the ground. He was pulled and dragged this way and that, but only growled and whined.

"Now you may shoot him, Juan," said Felipe, regretfully, and the

next moment the two vaqueros walked fearlessly up to the quivering body and slipped their nooses from its neck.

THE ELM LEAF BEETLE.

An Insect That is Committing Ravages on the Leaves of Elm Trees.

The following sent out from the State Experiment Station is published for the benefit of those whose Elm trees are being destroyed by insects:

The insect at work is the Elm leaf beetle (*Galerucella luteola*, Mill.). The mature insect is a beetle about 1/2 inch long, with head, thorax and markings of the wing covers a reddish yellow. These deposit their eggs in early spring in irregular rows side by side.

The young grubs that are now eating the leaves are about one twentieth of an inch, with black tubercles and hairs. They feed only on the under side of the leaf, and complete their growth in 15 to 20 days, and when fully grown have a broad yellow stripe on the back, and a narrow stripe on the side, the stripes being separated by dark bands set with tubercles bearing dark hairs. The grown grubs descend the trees and transform to orange yellow pupae in the crevices of the larger limbs and trunk, and on the ground at the base of the tree, where they often form layers near half an inch thick. In such places they change to beetles in five or more days, and often make a second brood that goes to work eating the leaves again in July or August.

Remedies—Some have used sticky fly paper in early spring to catch the beetles. But as in the case of the house fly, they are so numerous that this avails little. Many may be destroyed in the pupa stage when they are clustered about the base of the trees. But the only real remedy is to spray about the trees when the larvae are eating. Kerosene emulsion we have recommended, but the best authority on this insect we find adheres to the use of Paris green. This should be mixed with water at rate of one-fourth pound to 50 gallons of water and sprayed with a spraying pump and hose to reach into the tree. The Paris green must be kept agitated as it does not dissolve in the water, but simply is held in suspension. A good spraying pump usually has an agitator that does this.

Too Easily Obtained in North Carolina.

Divorces have become of too frequent occurrence and are too easily obtained in North Carolina. Before the war between the states very few divorces were granted in this state. In many counties there was not one divorce in several years. But now there is scarcely a term of court in any county when at least one divorce is not granted, and in many counties there are several divorces obtained at every court. Nor are these divorces by any means confined to the colored people, for, unfortunately, there are now too many divorces among our white people.

Divorces were made more easily procurable by the legislature of 1895, which passed an act granting a divorce to the husband or wife because of abandonment by the other and living separate and apart for two years, provided such abandonment occurred prior to the passage of the act. And our last legislature amended and extended the act so as to give a divorce if the abandonment was for one year, and occurred prior to the first of January, 1899.

Under the act of 1895 hundreds of divorces have been obtained in this state, and now under the act of the last legislature hundreds more will be obtained.—Chatham Record.

Judgment of a Moslem Solomon.

The Greek ecclesiastical authorities at Aleppo have been called upon to decide a case which strongly recalls Solomon's famous judgment, says Malumat (Constantinople). By a strange coincidence a woman and her daughter both gave birth to a female child at the same time. But the babies got mixed, and, as one of them was ugly and the other pretty and healthy, both mothers claimed the latter. The elder woman maintained that, as all her other children were handsome, the ugly child could not be hers, whilst her daughter claimed that, being young, handsome and strong, she could not be the mother of the weak and ugly babe. The religious chief of the town settled the affair in a summary way. He adjudged the beautiful child to the daughter on the ground that, it being her first, the occasion was not to be made one of humiliation and disappointment, whilst the elder mother could well afford to forego her claim since she had already had several handsome children.

The Best Remedy for Flux.

"In July of last year I was taken with a severe attack of flux," says Mr. Joe Baker, of Allentown, Tenn. I procured a small bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and used about half of it and it effected a complete cure. This is the best remedy for bowel trouble on the market. C. E. Holton, Druggist.

WELCOMED BY MR. IRELAND

Convention of Hardware Dealers at Atlantic City—They Favor Expansion.

Atlantic City, N. J., June 14.—At the opening joint session to-day, of the convention of the Southern Hardware Jobbers' Association and the Manufacturers' Association of the North, only preliminary business was transacted. President J. J. Mendelbaum, of Little Rock, Ark., made his annual address. The delegates were welcomed by Charles H. Ireland, of Greensboro, N. C., and the response was made by W. R. Walkely, of New York. There are 200 delegates present.

In the address made several subjects of national importance were touched upon. They favored the principle of expansion, believing that increased territory means increased business. A suggestion of President Mendelbaum that a resolution be adopted by the convention supporting the administration policy of expansion, advocating the construction of the Nicaragua Canal as quickly as possible, and to recommend to Congress that all ships carrying American merchandise, carry the American colors, seemed to meet with the approval of the body.

Needle Works Out at a Child's Hip Bone.

About the middle of last October, Mr. Ellis Cook's nine-months-old child was taken seriously sick, suffering intensely night and day, acting, when you would take it up, as though it would go into spasms. It stopped nursing and lived by drinking water, milk and coffee, and hence became a mere skeleton.

One doctor said it had membranous croup, while others pronounced it brain trouble. Thus it went until after Christmas, causing a great deal of parental anxiety, they not knowing what was really the matter with it. About three weeks ago, a needle worked out just above the right hip bone. It came out point foremost.

The eye had been broken and was forked. Mrs. Cook then remembered breaking the needle and throwing it down, and thinks she might have dropped it in the baby's crib. This is a warning to mothers.—Hickory Press.

A Mother Tells How She Saved Her Little Daughter's Life.

I am the mother of eight children and have had a great deal of experience with medicines. Last summer my little daughter had the dysentery in its worst form. We thought she would die. I tried everything I could think of, but nothing seemed to do her any good. I saw by an advertisement in our paper that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was highly recommended and sent and got a bottle at once. It proved to be one of the very best medicines we ever had in the house. In saved my little daughter's life. I am anxious for every mother to know what an excellent medicine it is. Had I known it at first it would have saved me a great deal of anxiety and my little daughter much suffering.—Your truly, Mrs. Geo. F. Burdick, Liberty, E. I. For sale by C. E. Holton, Druggist.

Exported Manufactures.

Our exports of manufactures in April were worth \$33,015,970, against \$25,992,552 in April, 1898, and \$24,458,000 in April, 1897. The increases over 1898 are in agricultural implements, cars, copper, cotton cloth, steel rails, machinery, iron and pipe. Iron and steel figure largely in the increase. The percentage of exports of manufactures this year will probably reach \$330,000,000, against \$183,595,000 in 1895.

A SERMON FOR MEN.

The man who earns his living with his brains cannot afford to neglect his body. The body is the furnace and boiler that furnishes steam to the brain. If the furnace is permitted to get clogged with clinkers, the boiler will make no steam, and the delicate machinery of the brain will slow down and come to a dead stop.

When a man finds that his ideas do not come as freely as they once did, he needn't worry about his mental machinery, but he had better look to his body. His stomach and intestines are clogged with the clinkers of indigestion. His blood is impure, and does not receive the proper elements to put vim and speed into the machinery of the brain. If he neglects this condition he will suffer from headaches, sleeplessness, loss of appetite, confusion of ideas, despondency and lack of energy. Eventually he will break down with nervous exhaustion or prostration. There is a remedy that will promptly put a man right under these conditions. It is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It cures indigestion, fills the blood with the vital elements of life, tones the nerves, and makes the brain bright, clear and active. It cures all nerve and brain troubles due to insufficient or improper nourishment. The "Golden Medical Discovery" is for sale by all good medicine dealers, and only an unscrupulous dealer will try to induce a customer to take some worthless remedy, alleged to be "just as good."

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the month of November, ripening in

the month of December, ripening in

the month of January, ripening in

the month of February, ripening in

MAGDALENA.

In the temple of the Master
Spoke with burning words the pastor,
Of the sinner's awful danger and of
Jesus' love and power,
Soon in sorrow at the altar
Many souls were seen to falter
As they felt the gracious presence of
the Spirit in that hour.

One among the mourners kneeling,
Trembled with excess of feeling;
All her soul, so guilty, moaning, cry-
ing for the cleansing blood.
She was young and dowered with
beauty;
But from paths of right and duty
she had wandered; sin had swept her
in the torrent of its flood.

As she kneels, her tears fast falling,
Lo! a voice comes, sweetly calling;
"I forgive thee freely, fully; go in
peace and sin no more."
Soon in new life, spotless, holy,
Came she pleading, meek and lowly,
For communion with the blood-washed
to the open, thronged door.

But, her plea most coldly spurning,
With contemptuous anger burning,
Pharisaic, heartless members barred
the way lest she come in.
Then she bows her head in sadness;
In her heart the new-found gladness
Dies in shame; forlorn, rejected, must
she turn once more to sin?

Cursed be the godless people
That, beneath some sky-tossed steeple,
Mock the Master with their soulless,
selfish ministry of pride;
Blood-red stains are on their fingers,
And the wrath of God but lingers
For such hypocritical worship, where
the Christ is crucified.
—EARL WILLIAMS in Ram's Horn.

Railroading in the Olden Days.

This article is not a fancy pic-
ture. It is not the creation of the
diseased imagination, nor a freak
in transportation. It was an up-
to-date railroad in 1836, and we
are only looking backward.

The Richmond, Fredericksburg
and Potomac railroad was com-
pleted from Richmond to the South
Anna river May 5, 1836, and a few
weeks later to the North Anna river.

On May 30, 1836, the railroad
office in Richmond published with
pride a schedule illustrated with a
life-like and stirring picture.

The railroad announced that in
connection with other railroad and
steamboat companies it had adopted
a schedule from Blakely, N. C.,
to New York, carrying the daily
mail.

Blakely is no more, but its site
is thought to be near what is now
Weldon.

The "who's time between Blake-
ly and New York" to use the words
of the printed schedule, "being
northward, 54 hours, southward 57
hours." The pride with which the
phenomenal speed in modern trav-
elling was announced is shown in
the fact that the names of the two
destinations are printed in black
type.

Between New Orleans and New
York the time is given as thirteen
days and eight hours.

Little can ye luxurious Pullman
car travellers, who complain if you
are twenty minutes over time on
the present schedule of forty-five
hours and fifty minutes over the
Atlantic Coast Line, between New
York and New Orleans, understand
the magnificence embodied in the
here pictured train, to the people
of that day.

That the cars then had their ad-
vantages it takes only a glance to
see. For instance the car load of
lunch baskets in front, each one
tied over the top with a clean
white cloth, shows that the entire
trip was regarded as a picnic.

There was no constantly parad-
ing of conductors and brakemen
through the train to wake you out
of a nap to look at your ticket or
to remind you that you must not
put your feet out of the window.

The seats were already turned
face to face, and the passengers
could play cards without having to
tip the brakeman to undo the com-
bination to the seat lock.

Even in 1836 the road announced
that "passengers are never in dan-
ger of delay, preference being
given to such as enter and continue
on the line."

The schedule of that date also
says: "By arrangements which
this company is making, passen-
gers with their baggage will be
conveyed to and from the depot
without charge. On the railroad
a coach will be especially appro-
priated to Northern and Southern
travellers, and in general, the com-
pany's agents will adopt all mea-
sures calculated to expedite and fa-
cilitate their journey."

"Carriages and horses are safely
and expeditiously transported, en-
abling those traveling in them
without fatigue to accomplish the
journey."

Owing to the abandonment of
the convenience of providing for
carriages and horses on passenger
trains the passengers on the Rich-
mond, Fredericksburg and Potomac
road now leave their horses at
home. Gentlemen sometimes, how-
ever, carry a pony flask while on
this road.

In 1836 the time between Blake-
ly (Weldon) and New York, ac-
cording to the printed schedule of
that day, was fifty-four hours.

The same distance is made by

the fast trains of the Richmond,
Fredericksburg and Potomac rail-
road according to its present printed
schedule in eleven hours.

From Richmond to Washington
in that day was fifteen hours. It
is now three hours and twenty
minutes. The schedule of 1836
dealt only in hours and half hours.

The trainmen on the Richmond,
Fredericksburg and Potomac rail-
road are held culpable if they are
a minute out of schedule time.—
Richmond Times.

Baptist Versus Methodist.

The leading denominations pre-
vailing among the mountains of
Virginia, Kentucky and the ad-
joining States are Methodists and
Baptists, and as a rule they are
fairly well divided among the
mountaineers, but occasionally, for
some reason or other, an entire
community will be of one faith. I
remember one season my work took
me to a remote section on the
headquarters of a small creek,
about twenty-five miles from the
north fork of the Kentucky river,
and I had not been there long until
I discovered that all my neighbors
were Methodists. They had a good
hewed log meeting house and a
Sunday-school, and were thriving
as a congregation. There was one
old chap, though, who didn't seem
to be an enthusiast in the cause,
and one day I got to talking to him
about the condition of affairs.

"Were you born a Methodist?" I
asked as a starter.

"I reckon I wuzn't," he replied,
with a sniff of disrespect. "My
folks wuz Baptists, clean from the
time of Noay."

"You go to the Methodist church,
don't you?"

"Yes, but I wouldn't ef I could
help myself."

"Isn't there a Baptist church
anywhere around here?"

"Not nigher than the river, and
that's more'n twenty mile, cuttin'
acrost ridges."

"How does it happen that there
is no Baptist church with a con-
gregation as the Methodists have?
I have always seen it that way till
I came here."

"Thar wuz once, up about twenty-
five ye'r ago, an' we kep the
Methodists on the jump. But some-
how I guess Providence kinder
fersook us after that, caze every
ye'r sence then the crick has been
froze up all winter and dried up all
summer and we lost our holt. Yer
see the Methodists' don't need water
in their business like the Baptists'
does, and they keep a'clutterin'
right along whether it's a drouth
or a freshet. The crick wuz our
salvation, and when it went back
on us we jist famished, that wuz
all, and them that didn't move down
to the river jined the Methodists',
me bein' one."

"I suppose there will never be
any change," I said at a venture.

"I ain't so shore about that Col-
onel," he answered with impressive
earnestness. "I've been wraslin'
with the Lord in pra'r ever sence,
fer a flood."

Stalest Bread in the World.

A loaf of bread 4,500 years old
was found in the tomb of Mentu-
hotep, who died in Egypt 2,500
B. C., says the New York Sun. It
is now in the Museum of Berlin.
This loaf or cake of bread is dark
brown in color. Inside are many
large holes. Probably this part of
the bread long since fell into dust,
but much of the bread still remains
in the shape of the whole kernels
and pieces of grain. Examination
proves that the bread was made of
barley, and the grains were only
rudely crushed and not sifted.
This proves that barley bread was
one of the earliest kinds made, and
it was baked and covered with
twigs and leaves of the sycamore
tree.

The World's Railways.

The Archiv fuer Eisenbau en-
credits Europe with 163,416 miles
of railway in 1897, Asia with 30,
903 miles, Africa with 9,904 miles,
Australia with 14,292 miles, Amer-
ica with 236,218 miles, and the
world with 454,730 miles. Some
five hundred more miles exist in
Africa by this time and thousands
more in America. Probably the
world's aggregate will be well on
to 475,000 miles by the end of 1899.
Of the estimate for 1897, there
were 209,556 miles in North Amer-
ica and 26,662 miles in the South-
ern Continent. Military and polit-
ical railways are now the fashion
in Africa and Asia.

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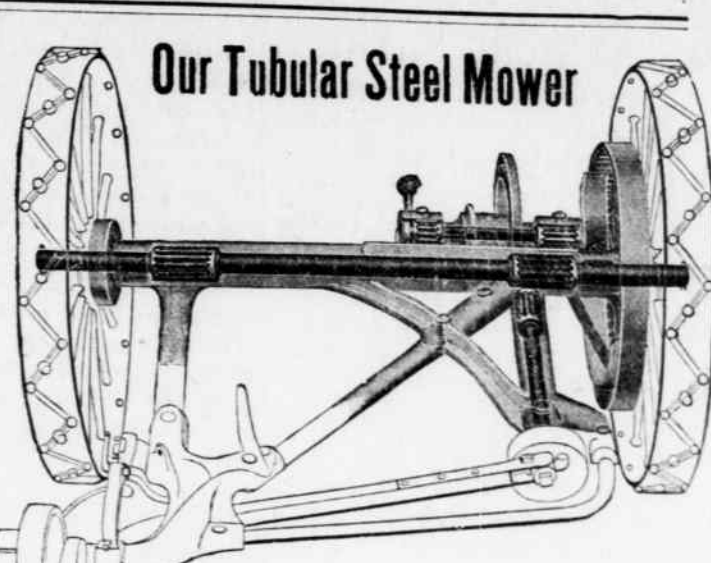
There are times in a man's life
when he needs the assistance of a
newspaper and he needs it bad.
There is always a time when the
newspaper needs the assistance of
a man in the way of patronage in
which the man gets full value for
money he invests and a warm cor-
ner in the columns where it will do
most good.—Western Vindicator.

The Thomasville Tribune pub-
lishes an appeal for the aid of suf-
ferers from the recent hail storm.
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N&W Norfolk and Western
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June 11, 1899.

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P. M. A. M. P. M. A. M.
5 00 8 20 Lv. Winston Ar. 9 35 9 00
5 38 9 02 Lv. Walnut Cove Ar. 8 55 8 20
6 08 9 35 Lv. Madison Ar. 8 18 7 45
6 11 9 39 Lv. Mayodan Ar. 8 12 7 42
7 10 10 41 Lv. Martinsville Ar. 7 10 6 40
1 10 Ar. Roanoke Lv. 4 35

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4.45 a. m. (Vestibuled Limited) for
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man Sleepers to Memphis and
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Sleepers from Roanoke to Col-
umbus, also for Radford, Bristol,
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termediate points Pullman
Sleeper Roanoke to Knoxville.

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

—Mr. John R. Stewart spent Monday in Winston.

—It is reported that a case of small-pox exists at Randleman.

—Ex-Congressman Settle is in Charlotte attending Federal court.

—Mr. H. B. Varner, editor of the Lexington Dispatch, was here Sunday.

—Miss Carrie McNairy left this morning for Chapel Hill to attend the University summer school.

—Prof. David B. Smith went to Chapel Hill yesterday to attend the summer school for teachers.

—Mr. John W. Lindley is again in the office of the register of deeds, after having spent a week at his home near Jamestown.

—The High Point Enterprise says that the annual picnic at the Friends orphanage will probably be held some time in July.

—Mr. N. C. Brandon, of Newton, a former resident of this city, was here Friday on his way to Caswell county to visit relatives.

—The schedule of passenger trains on the Roanoke and Winston division of the Norfolk & Western Railway can be found in this paper.

—The Oak Ridge and Kernersville baseball teams crossed bats at the latter place Saturday, Oak Ridge winning easily by a score of 24 to 6.

—The infant of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Hanner died about 10 o'clock Monday morning and was carried to Tabernacle for burial. The little one was only two weeks old.

—Mr. John Y. Smith, Jr., went to Asheville Friday to attend the Southern Students' Y. M. C. A. convention. He represents Bingham's Military School, Asheville.

—Mrs. Charles Maxwell, of Knoxville, Tenn., left Monday morning on her return home after spending some time here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Teague.

—Rev. J. D. Chavis, of Bennett College, was re-elected president of the Colored State Teachers' Association, which closed its annual session in Winston Monday night.

—M. G. Newell & Co. have just received two more carloads of Anchor and Hamilton buggies and three carloads of McCormick mowers and rakes. Look out for their new adv. next week.

—Your attention is directed to the advertisement of T. W. Wood & Sons, seedsmen, of Richmond, Va., which appears in this issue. Seed potatoes for planting in June or July are advertised.

—The sheriff of Davidson county came over Monday for Joe Haynes, who had just served out a sentence of four months on our roads for forgery. He was wanted in Davidson for a similar offence.

—There are twenty-four pairs of girls' tan shoes, worth \$1.50 and \$1.25 a pair, to be closed out at 98 cents a pair at Thacker & Brockmann's. Don't wait—those who come first will get the best bargains.

—We thank the committee for an invitation to a flag-raising and Fourth of July celebration at Randleman on July 4th. The exercises will be held under the auspices of the Jr. O. U. A. M. and I. O. O. F.

—Mrs. P. L. Rowie, of Norfolk, Va., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Fields, two miles north of the city. Her husband came down Saturday to spend Sunday, expecting to return Monday, but was taken sick.

—Rev. T. M. Johnson, pastor of Grace M. P. church, will give an entertainment, consisting of stereopticon views, etc., at Center church, near Hillsdale, tomorrow night. The views will be from "Ten Nights in a Barroom."

—We have been favored with a copy of the new catalogue of Greensboro Female College, which is just from the presses of Joseph J. Stone. It is printed in the most artistic style and reflects credit upon the printer's taste and skill.

—Dr. J. P. Turner, county coroner, was sent for from High Point Monday to hold an inquest over the body of a negro woman who was found dead in bed. After making an examination the coroner and his jury decided that death was produced by natural causes.

—Ladies can get the biggest kind of bargains in tan, chocolate and wine colored Oxford ties at Thacker & Brockmann's. On account of having bought too many this season they will sell you fine \$2 and \$1.75 Oxfords at \$1.25 a pair, rather than carry them over to next season.

—Guilford Lodge No. 1777, Knights of Honor, has been reorganized with about seventy-five new members. The order has been in existence here for a number of years, but of late the membership and interest had dwindled. An insurance feature is the principal object of the order.

—The Norfolk & Western Railway Company will sell excursion rate tickets on July 1st, 2nd, 3rd and to 10 a. m. July 4th, good for return passage till July 7th. This will afford an excellent opportunity to visit Norfolk, Virginia Beach, Ocean View or any of the many mountain resorts along the line of this road.

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—Mr. E. B. Hodgkin, of Southern Pines, recently bought a nice farm adjoining the farm of Mr. John A. Hodgkin, just south of the city. We understand that it is his purpose to build a nice residence and otherwise improve the property preparatory to moving his family to the place some time during the coming autumn.

—While in our office one day last week a prominent farmer of northern Guilford remarked that he could not be taxed too much for public schools and good roads. This is the kind of talk we like to hear, and when a majority of the tax-payers of our county are of a like opinion these two greatly to be desired institutions will not be far off.

—The Sunday school convention for Friendship township was held at Hickory Grove Sunday. A large crowd was present and everything passed off nicely. Revs. C. E. M. Raper and Jas. R. Jones, of Guilford College, made splendid addresses. Mr. Raper spoke on "Enthusiasm" and Mr. Jones chose "Character Building" as his subject. In the reorganization of the convention Rev. A. G. Kirkman and Dr. A. T. Mills were re-elected president and secretary respectively. For six or eight years the Sunday schools of this township have been run through the winter season, something not easily done with country schools.

—Mrs. Sam Browne died at her home on Walker avenue Friday night after a lingering illness of more than a month's duration. For several months she had been in failing health, but bore all her suffering with christian fortitude. She was sixty-two years old and was greatly beloved by all who knew her. For many years she had been a devoted member of the Methodist church. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Dr. J. C. Rowe at West Market Street church Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock, the interment being in Greene Hill cemetery. The lonely husband of the deceased has the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community in his deep sorrow.

—Judge Bryan adjourned the June term of court last Friday afternoon, having disposed of no cases on the civil docket. The case of Rankin vs. City of Greensboro was called Thursday morning, but on account of the illness of Mr. A. M. Seales, the city's attorney, it was postponed until the next term of court. The jurors and witnesses were then discharged and the dispensary case taken up, which consumed the time of the court until Friday at noon. The motion docket was heard Friday afternoon. Judge Timberlake will be here on Thursday of next week and take a look at the docket, but it is not probable that any cases will then be heard by him.

—Dr. William Albright, one of the best known citizens of this county, died at his home three miles north of this city, on the Battle Ground road, last Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. He was taken sick on Sunday before his death and it was feared from the first that his illness would prove fatal. He was buried at Buffalo church Thursday afternoon, the services being conducted by Rev. J. McL. Seabrook, the pastor. In the death of Dr. Albright the community has lost a most useful and influential citizen and his family a loving and affectionate member. He leaves six children—five daughters and one son, and two brothers—Messrs. D. E. Albright, of this county, and George Albright, of New York. His wife died some years ago.

—Mr. J. S. Cox, receiver for the Bank of Guilford, presented a statement of the bank's condition, so far as the accounts have been approved by the referee, and asked Judge Bryan last week for an order to pay depositors fifty per cent. Inasmuch as the adjuster's work is not yet finished and the exact indebtedness of the bank has not been determined, Judge Bryan authorized an order for the payment of twenty-five per cent to depositors, but this order lays open for thirty days pending his signature. In case the order is not signed within the time specified the receiver will have to go before Judge Brown at the August term and ask for another order. By that time it is hoped the financial condition of the bank may have been definitely determined.

Dr. W. H. Wakefield, Oculist and Aurist, of Charlotte, will be in Greensboro, at the McAdoo House, on Monday, July 3rd, for the practice of his profession. He limits his work to the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.

New Recruits.

Since the recruiting station was opened here a few days ago quite a number of young men have enlisted in the army. The term of enlistment is for three years, and they are allowed to join the service in either Cuba, Porto Rico or the Philippine Islands. Up to date the following have enlisted:

For the Philippine Islands—James E. Cole, Keysville, Va.; Charles W. Rodgers, Hillsboro, N. C.; John P. and William J. Barbee, Jamestown; Rufus K. Stanley, Centre; John Fox, Altamaha, and Henry W. Smith, Asheboro. For Porto Rico—Ernest L. Culbreth, Hammersville, N. C.; Jeff. M. Hilton, Davidson, N. C.; William L. Lewis and Joe L. Fulton, Germantown, N. C.; Peter J. Watkins, Watkinsville, N. C., and John C. Newby, Davidson, N. C. For Cuba—Silas J. Lambeth, Greensboro, and Robert R. Rodwell, of Oakville.

Lieutenant Douglas Settle, who has charge of the recruiting stations at this place and Raleigh, is in the city today and will probably send the recruits off at once. Those who go to the Philippines will be first sent to San Francisco, where they will board a transport. Those for Cuba and Porto Rico will go by way of New York.

A conference of the western section of the Methodist world, which comprises the United States and Canada, North and South America, having in view a meeting of the Methodist Ecumenical Council, which is to be held in London in the fall of 1901, held a meeting in New York last week. Commissioners representing 13 denominations of the American Methodist churches were present. Bishop C. B. Gallo-way, of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, was chosen temporary chairman.

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