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NEWS OBSERVATIONS.

—Many liberal peers of Great Britain have signed a protest against the administration of the coercion bill in Ireland.

—Miss Rebecca Hunter, a prominent lady of Newport, R. I., committed suicide by jumping from the cliffs into the harbor.

—Pope Leo has issued a letter positively affirming a demand for temporal sovereignty as a condition of making peace with Italy.

—Col. Pat. Donan is escorting a party of Southern ladies through the northwest, taking in Lake Minnetonka and Yellowstone Park.

The eminent English astronomer, Richard Anthony Proctor, has decided to become an American citizen, and is building a residence at Orange Lake, Fla., the great Orange grove section of the state.

A priest of the N. Y. cathedral denies a statement attributed to Dr. McGlynn that the Propaganda tried to alienate American church money. The Doctor, in reply, says that the labor party is neither priest nor prophet ridden.

—A Lowell, Mass., jeweler has allowed himself to get too smart. He has been caught stealing electricity from the telephone exchange and using it for some of the processes of his business. It is surmised that the judge before whom he is tried may find it difficult to find precedents in such a case.

—Mrs. Grace Brotherton Deems, who recently sued her husband, Dr. Francis M. Deems, son of the Rev. Dr. Chas. F. Deems, for divorce, in New York, has written a letter begging the forgiveness of her husband, who has now withdrawn his suit for divorce, and all differences are reconciled.

Greenboro Notes.

The teachers institute assembled and was organized here yesterday, with the largest number of teachers present that has ever been in attendance at any former session. Between 50 and 60 have enrolled, and Prof. Blair, who is principal, expresses himself as hopeful for a most profitable session. The *modus operandi* of the institute is exactly like that of the normal school.

Interest in the beautifying of the Guilford battle ground continues to grow. Major J. W. Wilson, of Morgantown, has contributed a handsome shaft of fresh colored marble, from "Marble Gap" on the Western North Carolina railroad. Judge Schenck, president of the Battle Ground company, receives many letters of inquiry and encouragement.

Mr. B. Corbett who was employed to come here from Washington City to consult with a number of gentlemen who have formed a stock company to build a patent roller flour mill, is here, and attended a meeting of the stockholders last night. Mr. Corbett submitted plans and estimates and the company will likely build a \$10,000 mill, with a capacity of 100 barrels per day.

Mr. Lomond, who keeps a saloon at the MaAdoo house, was yesterday indicted for selling liquor on Sunday. He submitted the case and was fined \$20 and costs.

The *Craftsman*, recently published in Charlotte, has removed to this city and will be published from its office here, in the future.

Bishop Lyman, of Raleigh, spent Monday night in this city, the guest of Col. Thomas B. Keogh. G. O. A.

MURFREESBORO.

A Colored Man of Edenton Has His Throat Cut and Is Badly Wounded. Fisherman & Farmer.

Henry Gray, a citizen and well known colored man of Edenton, was found in a ditch, on Saturday night, in Harvey's Neck, Perquimans county, N. C., with throat cut from ear to ear and body horribly gashed and mutilated. It seems that Gray and Henry Dwin, colored, had gotten into some dispute while at work which resulted in a fight, Gray whipping his assailant. Not being satisfied with defeat, on Saturday night he sought to waylay Gray and did beset the path along which he had to travel in going to his home. When Gray came up his antagonist jumped on him at once, with a knife, cut his throat and lacerated his body felling him to the ground horrible to behold and lifeless. The body was dragged in to a ditch near by and left, doubtless in the hope of its being undiscovered save by the vultures of the air. Soon Sunday morning the body was found and the murderer apprehended. Men scoured the country until they caught him which was done before the gore had been washed from his hands and while the knife dripped almost with the blood of the murder. He was taken to Hertford where he remains incarcerated to await the action of the coming Superior court of law and justice.

Gray was buried Sunday morning. Dwin is said to be fifty years old or more while Gray was only about thirty.

Referring to the communication of A. B. S., elsewhere printed, we would say that as we understand it the schedule from Raleigh to Asheville is all that could be desired. We leave Raleigh in a sleeper at midnight, pass the mountains in the day-time and reach Asheville at 5:30 p. m., making a pleasant run of it. On the return you leave Asheville at 1 p. m., cross the mountains in the day-time and have a sleeper, reaching Raleigh at 6:30 the next morning.

ANOTHER INVITATION.

THE PRESIDENT WANTED AT LYNCHBURG, VA.

THE MARYLAND DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION
—ELIHU JACKSON NOMINATED FOR GOVERNOR—OTHER NEWS.

WASHINGTON, July 27.—A delegation from Lynchburg, Va., headed by Senator Daniel, called on the President this afternoon and invited him to attend the fair to be held at Lynchburg in October next. The President promised to consider the invitation, and said he would give them a decided answer at a later day.

Maryland Democratic Convention. BALTIMORE, July 27.—The democratic convention to nominate candidates for Governor, Comptroller and Attorney General, assembled in this city today.

Resolutions were adopted endorsing the administration of President Cleveland and urging the delegates in Congress to work for a reduction of taxation; opposing the introduction of foreign paupers and convicts and for an election law embodying the features of the Tilden law and such other provisions as will assure the purity of elections. The names of James Hodges, L. Victor Baughman, Frank Brown, Stevenson Archer and Elihu Jackson were presented to the convention for nomination for Governor.

Ballooting began at 3 o'clock, and on the sixth ballot, Jackson, of Wilcomico county, received a majority of all the votes of the convention and was declared the nominee for Governor. The convention then took a recess until 8 o'clock p. m.

The convention re-assembled at 8 o'clock and at once proceeded to the nomination of candidates for Attorney General and Comptroller.

William Pinckney Whyte was named for Attorney General and his nomination was unanimous.

L. Victor Baughman, of Frederick county, now president of the Chesapeake & Ohio Canal, was nominated for Comptroller.

The ticket as nominated, it is declared, will heal all dissensions in the democratic party.

A Fatal Duel.

CHICAGO, July 27.—A special from New Orleans says: A fatal duel was fought yesterday evening on the banks of Yazoo river, opposite Greenwood, Miss., between George Evans and Bud Harris, both well known colored men. The men selected double barreled shot-guns loaded with buckshot. Only two paces apart they stood, the muzzles of the guns almost touching. When the word was given to fire, both responded almost at the same moment. Evans fell dead, his breast being torn to pieces, and Harris was fatally wounded.

Railroad Accident.

CHICAGO, July 27.—An accident occurred to the Philadelphia & Chicago express on the Baltimore and Ohio railway at York, Ind. The train left here at 6 o'clock last night, and at York, owing to a misplaced switch, ran into a siding and into a freight train, which was standing there. Engineer Cramer and fireman Kookon, of the passenger train, were both killed, and W. K. Devine, engineer of the freight, was badly injured, but will recover, it is thought. No one else was hurt. There is good reason for suspicion that the accident was the result of a deliberate attempt to wreck the passenger train. Thirty minutes before the passenger train passed York, an excursion train passed safely over the switch, and after the accident it was found that the switch lock had been broken open with a heavy oak club.

White and Colored Schools in Georgia.

CHICAGO, July 27.—A special from Atlanta, Ga., says: The educational committees of the house and senate in joint session last evening reported in favor of the Glenn bill, which makes it a penalty for any teacher to teach white children in a colored school or colored children in a white school, the schools being kept separate by the constitutional law of the State. The preliminary discussion of the bill created considerable excitement in the North. Its passage is accepted here as the fixed policy of the State. There was little discussion in the committee. Every white man voted for the bill, the two colored members of the committee voting adversely.

Big Fire in Minneapolis.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., July 27.—A seven-story brick building at Washington and Second Avenues, south, occupied by the Boston One Price Clothing House and R. Franklin's house furnishing bazaar was burned last evening. The building and stocks are estimated by the proprietors to be worth \$200,000, with a damage of \$162,000 and insurance of \$140,000. Adjoining buildings were damaged by water and falling walls to the extent of \$20,000. During the fire Robert York, fireman, was seriously injured by the fall of a large piece of plate glass.

The New Canal Loan.

PARIS, July 27.—It transpires that only two-thirds of the new Panama canal loan has been subscribed. De Lesseps, in an interview on the subject today, said "the amount subscribed would suffice for the present."

THE THOMASVILLE ORPHANAGE.

Imminent Trouble Between the Whites and Negroes.

Special to the News and Observer.

THOMASVILLE, N. C., July 27.

An immense crowd of people are here today attending the annual meeting of the Baptist Orphanage Association. Durham, Greensboro, Reidsville, High Point and other places are represented. About five thousand people are here. Several prominent speakers are present and spoke this morning. Gov. Seales delivered a ringing address this afternoon.

There came near being a riot this afternoon between the whites and negroes. The first trouble was at the baseball grounds where a game was being played. A negro named Pete Holt insulted a white man near the post office and threw a rock at him. The police were called and the negro fled to the woods. He has been pursued by a party of white men but not yet captured. The excitement is very high.

THE LAND OF THE GOLDEN LEAF STILL AHEAD.

New Tobacco—Big Prices.

Special to the News and Observer.

HENDERSON, N. C., July 27.

The first tobacco of this year's crop was sold today at Cooper's new warehouse. It was of the goods known as "primings" and brought \$14. Indications point to a fair crop of good quality. High prices keep up.

Cotton Futures in New York.

NEW YORK, July 27.—Greene & Co., in their report on cotton futures today, say: Cotton contracts continue to move fairly but without any remarkably significant features. Today the turn was more generally upward, as the run of buying orders happened to be the largest, and offerings were made with greater care. Liverpool came in a somewhat better form and that in conjunction with the absence of pressure from August notices helped to infuse strength in the old crop, while the new crop was bought on a covering movement. There was a gain of 3/8 points and it was fairly sustained to the close.

Knights of Labor vs. Bayette Bros.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., July 27.—The Knights of Labor through their general treasurer, Frederick Turner, of Philadelphia, have brought suit against Bayette Bros., cigar makers, for the use of a cigar label alleged to be a counterfeit of that of the Knights.

The Catholic Conclave and Knights of Labor.

ROME, July 27.—The conclave of 12 American bishops asked by the Vatican for a decision upon the advisability of interfering with the Knights of Labor voted ten to the effect that "There is no occasion for the church to make a special deliverance regarding the Knights of Labor." The question was then examined here and the secretary of the Sacred Congregation communicated this resolution to Cardinal Gibbons, of Baltimore, in a note containing the usual formula, *Nihil Innotuit*.

Subsequently an attempt was made from the United States to induce the Vatican to reverse this decision, but the Holy See refused to re-open the question.

Proposed Murfreesboro Railroad.

Special to the News and Observer.

MURFREESBORO, N. C., July 25.

Very punctually you had telegraphic news of our railroad election last week. We had to fight manfully for the result we achieved on election day; that is to say we had strong opposition from certain citizens. It was not known until a few days before the election that there was such strong opposition and everybody in favor of subscription had to "wake for the fray." A public dinner was given, speeches were made at different points and not a stone left unturned.

The friends of the railroad embraced about three-fourths of the property holders in the township, from whom will come the revenue to secure the bonds and keep up the road should it not be a success, and it was a matter of surprise to our people why there should be so many opponents.

We have not learned the secret yet, but we have learned that we are going to have a railroad to Murfreesboro by a large majority and of course we are happy.

We only lacked this to put us in shape to claim our importance among the best of counties to live in and offer inducements to those who would like to pitch their tents in a land of promise. Our place is too well known for its health and beautiful surroundings to attempt any description now.

We know our schools will have a larger patronage than before and we expect to see many improvements come with the railroad. Nature has not done more for any town than this has for ours, and we mean to do the balance first-class and without delay; so you may count on a larger roll of papers to mail to this office before long.

—Frederick K. Dorne, 18 years old, has been arrested in Chicago, charged with robbing at Saratoga, in June of last year, a young widow who had taken a fancy to him. He was one of the attendants at Congress Spring, and while taking a walk with the widow chloroformed her and robbed her of \$1,000 in jewelry and money.

DEVASTATION

WROUGHT BY WIND IN THE NORTHWEST.

GOING NINETY MILES AN HOUR—AND ACCOMPANIED BY A REMARKABLE ELECTRICAL DISPLAY—THE VICTIMS OF ITS FURY—OTHER NEWS.

CHICAGO, July 27.—A *Times* special from Fargo, Dak., regarding the storm of Monday night says it occurred at 11 p. m. and was the most violent ever known there. The signal service officer says the wind was 80 miles an hour with a remarkable electrical display. Much damage was done in the way of blowing off roofs and chimneys, breaking windows and wrecking fences and small buildings. A brick foundry, 200 by 400 feet, was totally wrecked. Hardly a foot of the wall remains. No persons in town were injured, but in the country Mrs. E. C. Kelson, who took refuge in a cyclone cellar, was struck by lightning and killed. Her daughter was stunned. In the same localities hail fell destroying the crops, but the damage from this source is not great. The damage was a good many thousand dollars in city and country. A dispatch from Glendon, Minn., says: A tornado struck the town of Moland near Glendon at 11 o'clock Monday night, blowing down the houses of S. O. Lee, Wm. Lloyd, Knuth Evanson and Ole Knutson, also several barns and granaries. There were five persons wounded by falling buildings, S. O. Lee, Mrs. S. O. Lee, Ole Knutson, John Doyle and Martin Lee, Mrs. Lee will die.

ANOTHER ACCEPTANCE.

The President to go to Kansas City.

WASHINGTON, July 27.—The Kansas City delegation which came to Washington to invite the President to visit Kansas City, Mo., during his contemplated western trip, were accorded a special reception in the east room of the White House about noon today. There were over one hundred persons in the party, including ladies. They filed into the east room in couples and ranged themselves in a semi-circle, and as soon as the President entered he was met by Mr. McDonald, who presented Mr. G. H. Allen, chairman of the delegation, and each of the other members in turn. When this formality was over Mr. Allen advanced and addressed the President in the following words: "Mr. President: This delegation represents the merchants, manufacturers, physicians, bankers, and men of business generally of Kansas City who have turned aside from their ordinary daily avocations to be the bearers to yourself and Mrs. Cleveland of this invitation, over their own signatures, of 21,000 citizens of Kansas City, in the State of Missouri, expressive of their earnest desire that you visit their city at such time during the coming autumn as may best suit your own convenience and the exigencies of the great public trust resting upon you.

The invitation can not be regarded as coming only from Kansas City, as that city is the product of a region which extends northward to the great lakes, is vast in extent, and has for 20 years been pouring forth prodigally its accumulated savings of money and a noticeable percentage of its most energetic, capable and progressive citizens. We believe that a somewhat extended and leisurely visit to this great country on the part of the chief executive of the nation is entirely in the line of plain public duty and will be, more than this, a blessing in the end to this region and to the nation. You are not only the executive of the nation but the recommender of its legislation and in the exercise of your functions to a great degree a joint legislator. I am therefore charged upon your attention for serious consideration the advisability of such an extended and leisurely trip through that wonderful country to which our own city of Kansas, as practically two cities in one, is the main gateway. May we go hence in justifiable expectation that we may have the pleasure and privilege of seeing you at our own city."

The President replied as follows: "Mr. Allen and gentlemen: I should not be frank with you if I professed that the invitation which you have just now so pleasantly and cordially extended was the first intimation I have had of your desire that I should see you at your beautiful home. I have thought that any trip I might make bringing me in your neighborhood would be incomplete and wanting in advantage and profit if it did not include a short stay in your active, stirring city. I am specially pleased that the invitation which you so kindly extend to me has no partisan or political feature but that the parties to it are people of Kansas City desirous of exhibiting to the servant and chief magistrate of all the people what they have contributed towards the national greatness and prosperity, of which every American citizen is or should be proud; and the pleasure which the non-political feature of your invitation gives me is increased by the fact that Kansas City is represented here by parties who are actually engaged in the diverse enterprises which have made

ASHVILLE NEWS.

Cor. of the News and Observer.

ASHVILLE, July 26.

The funeral of Mrs. Theo. F. Davidson took place yesterday afternoon from the Trinity Episcopal church; the services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Burton; the remains were interred at Riverside cemetery, being followed thither by a long line of carriages filled with sorrowing relatives and friends. Mrs. Davidson was a great favorite in this county, and her untimely end is deeply deplored by all who knew her. Gentle, affectionate, considerate, cheerful, she illustrated in her character all the virtues and grace of Christian womanhood. She will be sadly missed among us, and lamented, though she has gone to a brighter, purer and more beautiful world.

Rev. Dr. Basil Manly preached at the Second Baptist church Sunday night. At the same hour Mr. N. B. Broughton conducted services at the First Baptist.

The Presbyterian congregation are building a study for their pastor on the church lot.

Rain is falling in abundance day after day. Scarcely a day has passed in the past week that was not refreshed with a shower.

Mr. Eugene Harrell is in the city. He proposes to have the Teachers' Assembly meet here next summer, if proper arrangements can be made. He expects two thousand teachers at the next assembly.

The inferior Court began yesterday. C. A. Moore, Esq. presiding. Mr. Moore made a good impression yesterday and gives promise of making an excellent officer.

IMPERFECT digestion and assimilation produce disordered conditions of the system which grow and are confirmed by neglect. Dr. J. H. McLean's Strengthening Cordial and Blood Purifier, by its tonic properties, cures indigestion and gives tone to the stomach. \$1.00 per bottle.

Fire at Georgetown, Ky.

LINCOLN, Ky., July 27.—A fire at Georgetown, this morning, destroyed seven buildings in the principal business block, including the office of the *Times* newspaper. The total loss is estimated at \$60,000.

In Brief. And to the Point.

Dyspepsia is a dreadful, scouring liver is misery. Indigestion is a food poison.

The human digestive apparatus is one of the most complicated and wonderful things in existence. It is easily put out of order. Greasy food, tough food, sloppy food, and cookery, mental worry, late hours, irregular habits and many other things which ought not to be, have made the American people a nation of dyspeptics. But Green's August Flower has done a wonderful work in reforming this sad business and making the American people so healthy that they can enjoy their meals and be happy.

Remember—Your happiness without health. But Green's August Flower brings health and happiness to the dyspeptic. Ask your druggist for a bottle. Seventy-five cents.

—A waterspout at Copake, Columbia county, N. Y., destroyed much property and at least one human life.

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Which is the most voracious? A man will run after a dollar, while a dog will follow a cent.

MEDICAL.

A Famous Doctor

Once said that the secret of good health consisted in keeping the head cool, the feet warm, and the bowels open. That this eminent physician lived in our day, and know the merits of Ayer's Pills as an aperient, he would certainly have recommended them, as so many of his distinguished successors are doing.

The celebrated Dr. Farnsworth, of Norwich, Conn., recommends Ayer's Pills as the best of all remedies for "Intermittent Fevers."

Dr. I. B. Fowler, of Bridgeport, Conn., says: "Ayer's Pills are highly and universally spoken of by the people about here. I make daily use of them in my practice."

Dr. Mayhew, of New Bedford, Mass., says: "Having prescribed many thousands of Ayer's Pills, in my practice, I can unhesitatingly pronounce them the best cathartic in use."

The Massachusetts State Assayer, Dr. A. A. Hayes, certifies: "I have made a careful analysis of Ayer's Pills. They contain the active principles of well-known drugs, isolated from inert matter, which plan is, chemically speaking, of great importance to their usefulness. It insures activity, certainty, and uniformity of effect. Ayer's Pills contain no metallic or mineral substance, but the virtues of vegetable remedies in skillful combination."

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