

WOODARD AND GANN HAVE BRIEF READY IN CASE APPEALED

State Ready in Selma Case Now Before U. S. Supreme Court.

Rogers Gets Off with Fine of \$50 for Assault on Deputy-Marshal Dockery.

Special to The News. Raleigh, Jan. 12.—A charter was issued for the Warsaw Lumber Company.

Another charter was granted to the Ray Godwin Co., of Selma, Johnston county.

It is announced that R. R. Weaver, the student who was struck by a falling weight at the A. & M. College, is getting along nicely.

F. A. Woodard, counsel on the part of the State, and Governor Glenn this morning completed the brief on the part of the State and coporation Commission.

The brief will be filed at once in Washington and it is expected that the case will be called for argument within a few weeks.

In Wake Superior Court last evening a fine of \$50 was imposed on ex-Police-man Isaac W. Rodgers for assault on Deputy United States Marshal John C. Dockery.

Governor Glenn was notified this evening that Judge Cooke is seriously ill at his home in Louisiana.

The New Year reception by the Capital Club last night proved an especially brilliant affair.

Charters were issued today for the Boston Shoe Store of Asheville with a capital of \$10,000.

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ARE BROKEN OFF.

State Department Says That All Diplomatic Relations Between France and Venezuela are Severed.

By Associated Press. Washington, Jan. 12.—All diplomatic relations between Venezuela and France are broken, it is said at the State Department.

OFF TO THE PENITENTIARY.

Mrs. Chadwick Leaves for the Penitentiary—Says She Will Try to Be Brave.

By Associated Press. Cleveland, Jan. 12.—Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick left for the State penitentiary at Columbus to begin her sentence of ten years.

Columbus, Jan. 12.—Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick arrived at the penitentiary from Cleveland to begin her sentence of ten years for conspiracy to wreck the Citizen's National Bank at Oberlin, Ohio.

MORALES SOUGHT REFUGE.

Effort Made to Induce Him to Leave Santo Domingo.

By Associated Press. Santo Domingo, Jan. 12.—The fugitive President Morales has sought refuge in the American Legation here.

Washington, Jan. 12.—The State Department advises make it appear that the difficulty is at an end in Santo Domingo.

SEATON COMMITTED.

Imprisoned in Tombs Without Bail on Grand Larceny Charge.

By Associated Press. New York, Jan. 12.—C. Augustus Seton, the promoter who was arrested in Takoma Park, Md., Wednesday night.

THINKS HE IS RUBBER KING.

London Merchant, a Victim of Hallucinations, Taken to Bellevue.

New York, Jan. 12.—Barnett Cohen, a rubber merchant of Manchester, England, was taken from the steamer Cedric to Bellevue Hospital today.

ELECTIONS OPENED NOW IN ENGLAND

General Elections will Last Several Days. Seats Handed Over to Liberals Without Contest.

Odds of 6 to 4 Against Re-election of Balfour.

VERDICT OF ACQUITTAL.

Judge Instructs Jury to Bring Verdict of Acquittal of Hill.

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MUCH INTEREST IN FIGHT.

Boat Between Young Corbett and Aurelia Herrera Comes off Tonight.

Los Angeles, Jan. 12.—There is much interest in the fight tonight between Young Corbett and Aurelia Herrera.

PHILIPPINE TARIFF BILL.

Debate is Continued—Speech of Opposition.

Washington, Jan. 12.—The House continued the debate on the Philippine tariff bill.

EYES OF WORLD ON BIG CONVENTION AT NEW ORLEANS

At Opening of Second Day of Southern Cotton Growers' Association Convention Committees were Busily Engaged.

Said Some Thought Convention Had not Manhood to Assert Itself. A Lesson to People Dealing in "Paper Contracts and Hot Air."

By Associated Press. New Orleans, Jan. 12.—Many delegates were busily engaged with committee work when President Jordan called the Southern Cotton Growers' Association convention to order for the second day's session.

MARCH IN PRACTICE BREAKS RECORDS

U. S. Sixth Field Battery of Artillery Break World's Peace Record for Long Distance Practice March.

1100 Miles in 55 Days.

By Associated Press. Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 12.—A special to the Star from Fort Sam Houston, Texas, says that the Sixth Field Battery of the U. S. Artillery, commanded by Capt. G. W. Gatchell.

MOORE AND DOCKERY RAISE LARGE AMNT.

Chairman Dockery and President Moore Raised Large Amount of Money for Support of N. C. Division of Cotton Association.

Itinerary Made Out.

MRS POLK DEAD.

Venerable Lady Was Sister-in-law to President Polk.

Special to The News. Warrenton, N. C., Jan. 12.—Mrs. Lucy E. Polk, widow of Col. William H. Polk and a sister-in-law to President Polk, died yesterday.

22 COWS CREMATED.

Orange County Dairy Burned—Cause of Fire Unknown.

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 12.—The Orange Grove Dairy, in Norfolk county, owned by T. E. Briekhouse, was destroyed by fire last night.

CASE OF DECATUR.

If Midshipman is Dismissed He May Appeal to Congress.

Annapolis, Jan. 12.—The second court martial case of Midshipman Stephen Decatur, Jr., was given to the court after argument.

GIRL PRISONER LEAPS.

Is Badly Hurt in Plunge at House of the Good Shepherd.

New York, Jan. 12.—Lottie Celuffo, fifteen years old, who was sent to the House of the Good Shepherd two weeks ago, attempted to escape last evening.

Stranded at Washington.

Chief of Police H. C. Irwin received a telegram this morning from the Chief of Police at Washington, D. C.

WAR GRANTS \$75,000,000.

Enormous Sum to Be Paid for Services During the Conflict.

SALISBURY HAPPENINGS.

Novel Way of Selling Goods—Suit Against Southern—A Lot of Other News Briefs.

Salisbury, N. C., Jan. 12.—The many Salisbury friends of Miss Alice Pearson were sorry to hear of her recent attack of paralysis in Charlotte.

Mr. G. A. Davie, of Greensboro, through his attorney, Col. J. A. Barringer, of that city, has brought suit against the Southern Railway Company.

Mr. P. H. Thompson of this city found himself in a perilous position Tuesday morning.

Mr. Herbert Bryan, of the Weddell Grocery Company, and Miss Irene Simpson, of this city, were married last evening.

News has been received here of the death at Goldsboro of Dr. J. F. Miller, superintendent of the colored hospital for the insane.

Mr. M. Garrett, a grocerman of this city, was indicted yesterday by a negro drayman on the charge of selling liquor without license.

Chairman Dockery and President Moore met in Richmond and secured \$4000 in donations there.

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MERGER INVOLVES COLOSSAL PLANS AND EXPENDITURE

The Proposed Merger of the Two Great Companies Dealing in Iron, Coal and Steel, Provides for the Expenditure of \$1,300,000.

Great Southern Development Promised in the Iron and Steel Industries. New Mills will be Built, Mines Exploited, and Extensive Investments Made.

By Associated Press. Chicago, Jan. 12.—The Tribune says: "Extensive plans for the development of the iron and steel industries of the South are involved in the proposed merger of the Tennessee Coal and Iron and the Republic Iron and Steel Companies."

By Associated Press. New Bern, N. C., Jan. 12.—The directors of the A. & N. C. Railway met here yesterday.

By Associated Press. Baltimore, Md., Jan. 12.—Mrs. Lily W. Tyson, wife of James W. Tyson, is the plaintiff in a suit that is on trial today before Judge Sharp in Part 3 of the Superior court.

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GIVES \$500 TO CHURCH.

Southern Railway Aids Presbyterian Congregation to Complete Edifice.

Special to The News. Spencer, N. C., Jan. 12.—The Presbyterian church in Spencer is in receipt of a check for \$500 from the Southern Railway Company's office at Washington as a donation to the organization at this place.

By Associated Press. Savannah, Jan. 12.—The opinion says that the extradition was amply authorized by the treaty, that the prisoners were extradited for alleged crimes indictable in both countries.

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VICTIMS OF ATTACK MADE BY COSSACKS NUMBER OVER 300

Terrible Attack Made Yesterday on Armenian Seminary by Infuriated Cossacks. Nearly 350 Killed or Injured. Building was Shelled and Soon Took Fire

Bombs and Cartridges Stored Away Exploded. About 30 Perished in Flames. Trouble Arose From Throwing of Two Bombs at Patrol from Seminary.

By Associated Press. Tiflis, Caucasus, Jan. 12.—Nearly 350 persons were killed or injured in the attack made by the Cossacks yesterday on the Armenian Seminary here.

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