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## EX-GOV. REID

### DIED YESTERDAY.

He was the First Democratic Governor Elected by the State.

AND A FREE SUFFRAGE ADVOCATE.

He was Born and Raised in Rockingham County and Went to Congress in 1843.

(By The United Press.)

REIDSVILLE, N. C., June 19.—Ex-Governor David S. Reid died this morning at his home in this place.

David Settle Reid was born on April 19th, 1813, in Rockingham county, studied law and was admitted to practice in 1843.

In 1834 he was elected Senator from Rockingham and was re-elected continuously until 1840.

From 1843 to '47 he served in the Congress of the United States with great acceptability to his constituents.

In 1848, without his knowledge, he was nominated for Governor and was defeated by a small majority.

In 1850, when he had positively declined, he was again nominated and was elected, after a brilliant canvass, as the first Democratic Governor of the State.

He was an advocate of free suffrage and finally triumphed in his doctrine.

For sometime past he has lived in retirement and has not come out among the people to any extent.

A fuller account of his life and services will be published later.

### THE FIRST GUN.

The People's Party Opening the Campaign in Illinois and Ohio. By The United Press.

SPRINGFIELD, O., June 19.—The opening gun of the new Peoples' party campaign in this State will be fired at a big mass-meeting here to-night. It will be followed by meetings in every village and hamlet from now on to the end of the campaign.

The efforts of the new party will be mainly concentrated on securing a sufficient balance of power in the legislature to defeat the re-election of Senator Sherman.

Asking for Jeff Davis's Interment. (By the United Press.)

RICHMOND, Va., June 19.—A mass-meeting was held in the Chamber of Commerce last night and a committee was appointed to visit New York and impress upon Mrs. Jefferson Davis that Richmond is the most appropriate place at which to inter permanently her husband's remains.

### Sixty Killed by a Cloud Burst.

(By The United Press.) CITY OF MEXICO, June 19.—Latest advices about the cloud burst on last Sunday on Conception Mountain, in the State of San Louis Potosi, are to the effect that at least sixty lives were lost.

## A MUSIC TEACHER'S ESCAPE.

Miss Gorham Buys Goods and Calls in Doctors, Then Escapes.

The Charlotte News publishes the following very extraordinary news:

T. L. Seigle & Co., have in their possession two trunks, the property of Miss Evelyn Gorham, of New York, a young lady who has been employed in Charlotte for nine months past as a music teacher in the Charlotte Female Institute, and also as a singer in the choir of the First Presbyterian church. The trunks were levied on for debt, and were seized at the Richmond & Danville depot at five o'clock last Saturday morning, as Miss Gorham was leaving for Morehead City, to attend the Teachers' Assembly.

The story is a peculiarly strange one. Miss Gorham is a young lady of most attractive manners, is a fine singer and an accomplished musician. Her father lives in New York. She was engaged last fall as a music teacher at the Charlotte Female Institute, and in that capacity she gave the greatest satisfaction. She has a fine voice, and made quite a material addition to her salary by taking a place in the choir of the First Presbyterian church. Of course, during her nine months stay here, she had many purchases to make, and by virtue of the position she held, she had no difficulty in getting all the goods she wanted on credit. Last week, as the time for her departure drew near, the merchants began to press her for settlements; and the result was odd. She owed Seigle & Co., \$86, and walking into the store, told Mr. Thad Seigle that she was going away, but couldn't pay her bill.

Mr. Seigle asked her what was she going to do about it? "Oh, nothing," he laughed. After some parley, in which she grieved the merchant, Mr. Seigle told her that he would consult his lawyers. The young lady chafed him at the idea, told him "goodbye" and sailed out. Mr. Seigle did consult his lawyers, and he result was that when Miss Gorham reached the depot next morning with her two trunks, an officer levied on the trunks and brought them to Seigle's store.

When the officer told the young lady his business, she remarked in an indifferent way: "Well, I suppose you can take them and I will write back to Mr. Seigle." The officer brought the trunks up town and Miss Gorham went on to Morehead.

She owed Baruch a big bill, \$111, we understand. After several spats with her in the store, Mr. Baruch called at her residence and demanded payment. "Who are you, sir?" she asked. "I don't know you—never say you before. Send your book-keeper around and maybe I will settle with him." Mr. Baruch, however, got \$25 from her before he left.

Dr. Hinman, the homeopathist, has made a levy on Miss Gorham's trunks for a bill she owes him for services. It is understood that she also owes several other doctors around town, Dr. Annie Alexander among the number.

Upon hearing of all this, Rev. Wm. R. Atkinson telegraphed to Morehead City to have her membership in the Teachers' Assembly cancelled; and shortly after the telegram got there, Miss Gorham left for her home in New York. The conduct of the young lady is inexplicable, but The News has given it as it is.

Traveling gives violent headache. Bracyrotine cures them at once.

For periodic headaches, Bracyrotine never fails. The after-effects are pleasant.

## WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH FRED DOUGLASS?

He Allows a Haytian Ruler to Insult Uncle Sam.

### IS HIPPOLYTE INSANE?

It is Thought he is and the Haytian Cabinet is trying to keep up Appearances.

(By The United Press)

NEW YORK, June 19.—According to a letter received from Port Au Prince yesterday, President Hippolyte attempted on May 26 to take four political prisoners from the Mexican consul at the Haytian capital.

When the entire diplomatic corps called on the President May 30 to protest against this violation of international law, Hippolyte attempted to play a high-handed game of bluff and he might have succeeded had not the German consul threatened to report the matter to his government.

Minister Fred. Douglas, it is said in the letter, stood trembling with fear and heard the black ruler insult the flag of every civilized nation almost, including his own, and he did not dare offer any protest.

Terror reigns supreme at Port Au Prince. Hippolyte continues to kill his supposed enemies, but they accumulate faster than he can kill them. The real instigators and leaders of the movement against him have escaped his vengeance.

Some of them are secretly at work in port Au Prince. Hippolyte, the writer thinks, is undoubtedly crazy. It is stated that when the consuls called on him he became angry and rushed out of the room and was soon after heard playing a flute in the next room.

The consuls were leaving when the minister of foreign affairs came in and begged them to remain, saying the president had been summoned away on important matters, but would return immediately.

Referring to Minister Douglass, the writer says he evidently regards the Haytian government with much more veneration than his own. The writer vigorously adds that as the United States claims a moral jurisdiction over Hayti it is about time a Minister of some decision was sent there to replace Douglass. Members of the Diplomatic corps have appealed to Douglass to sustain the moral position the Monroe doctrine calls for, but in vain.

### Will Uncle Sam Get Guatemala.

(By The United Press.)

NEW YORK, June 19.—A special to the Herald from the City of Mexico, says word was received there yesterday that a movement is on foot in Guatemala to annex that country to the United States. It is said that prominent officials and the principal coffee planters of Guatemala are in favor of it.

### PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

The Biblical Recorder says: The Tenth Avenue church, Oakland, California, Rev. Frank Dixon, pastor, is divided and in a big trouble. Brother Dixon is charged with saying that "the Old Testament is a bundle of rubbish," and with belittling the miracles of the New Testament.

## WILL UNCLE SAM LOSE \$20,000,000?

A Suit Decided Against Him for Collecting Illegal Tariffs.

### AND IT LOOKS LIKE IT.

A Philadelphia Hat Trimming Firm Sued the Government for Collecting 50 per cent. Instead of 20 on Imports.

(By The United Press.)

PHILADELPHIA, June 19.—The jury in the Meyer and Dickinson test case against the Government to recover alleged excessive duties paid, on importations of hat trimmings returned a verdict this morning in the United States Circuit in favor of the plaintiffs.

The plaintiffs claimed that the goods were liable to only twenty per cent. duty while the custom house officials held that they were dutiable at 50 per cent.

By this verdict the government is made liable for about twenty millions that it has collected in duties from importers of millinery materials in various parts of the country.

The suit of Meyer and Dickinson was a test suit and was intended to test the right of the Government to collect the duties on the goods in dispute.

The government will probably appeal the case to the Supreme Court of the United States.

### NEARLY KILLED BY A MULE.

A Black mith Bitten Severely and Then Stamped Upon by an Infuriated Mule.

(By The United Press)

SEBEWAING, Mich., June 19.—A terrible fight between a man and an infuriated mule occurred in Heyman's blacksmith shop Wednesday. The mule had an aversion to being shod and had to be thrown.

Heyman said he would shoe that mule in the regular way or die. With the help of three men Heyman finally fixed the shoes and went to the door to cool off. He had hardly done so when the mule broke away from the man holding him, and with distended jaws made for Heyman. The mule chased Heyman all around the shop, shot his snapping jaws to Heyman's face and bit off the nose and lower right cheek. He fell to the floor and the mule deliberated pounded his prostrated body. The doctors fear Heyman will die of poison from the foam flecked lips of the mule.

### Baggage Master Injured.

(Special to State Chronicle)

GREENSBORO, N. C., June 19, 1891.—The baggage master named Plunkett, on the Winston-Salem train this morning, while rapidly hurling some trunks about in the car, fell out the door on his head and, it is said, broke his skull, from which it is feared he will die.

When you get off the train at Raleigh be sure to ask for one of Upchurch & Lancaster's carriages. We will send you and your trunk to any part of the city for 25 cents. Our stables are open day and night the year through. LANCASTER & UPCHURCH, Raleigh, N. C. jun16-3t.

A colored man named David Outlaw, who tried to maul the life out of a colored woman yesterday, was fined \$10, and cost by Mayor Badger for his fun.

## SULLIVAN VS. SLAVIN.

Can the Big Champion Defeat the Australian.

By The United Press.

SAN JOSE, Cal., June 19.—Since the success of Slavin against Kilrain in the fight day before yesterday many bids have been made by Athletic Clubs to have a fight between John L. Sullivan and Slavin.

John L., who is showing with a troupe here, was to-day interviewed. He says it is true that he wants to meet Slavin. His proposition is a ten round contest with the Australian, the winner to take all the purse and an outside bet of \$10,000 aside. "I can knock him out and do it quicker than he did Kilrain, and in better shape."

NEW ORLEANS WANTS TO SEE IT.

NEW ORLEANS, June 19.—The Olympic Club of this city has telegraphed an offer of a purse of \$25,000 for a fight in the Olympic Club Arena between Slavin and Sullivan, to take place February 27th.

WILL HE ACCEPT?

SAN JOSE, Cal., June 19.—It is thought here that Sullivan will accept the proposition made him to fight Slavin at New Orleans.

### BASEBALL YESTERDAY.

(By The United Press.)

#### LEAGUE.

At Cleveland—Chicago 3; Cleveland 2.

At New York—Philadelphia 11; New York 4.

At Pittsburg—Cincinnati-Pittsburg game postponed on account of rain.

At Boston—Boston 7; Brooklyn 3.

#### AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

At Baltimore—Washington 6; Baltimore 4.

At Columbus—Columbus 4; St. Louis 3.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati 14; Louisville 10.

At Philadelphia—Athletic-Boston game postponed on account of rain.

#### Sad Deaths in Person County.

(Special to STATE CHRONICLE.)

REIDSVILLE, N. C., June 19.—A sad story comes from Person county, N. C. Colonel A. J. Hester, prominent and wealthy citizen of that county, lost his nine-year-old son on Sunday last. The boy was buried at 11 a. m. Monday. One hour after the burial of the boy the mother died, and another son, aged seven years was this morning reported at the point of death. Typhoid dysentery is the fearful disease which is bringing so much sorrow to this once happy family.

Fourteen Men Buried Under a Fallen Shed. (By the United Press.)

NORFOLK, Va., June 19.—A mammoth lumber shed, in course of erection for Stran Bros., in Berkeley, was blown down during a sudden thunder and rain squall yesterday, burying fourteen men beneath the debris. Monroe B. Kline was killed and L. E. Hines and J. M. Keeler were seriously injured. The others were badly hurt.

#### Where the Snow Birds Nest.

For a cool place in summer; for health and recreation visit Linville, Grandfather Mountain, and the beautiful region surrounding them.

Regular sales of real estate will commence in Linville on June 1st. Residence and business lots, and suburban sites offered at private sale only. may-6-2-m.

To feel bright and cheerful attend to your stomach. Take Simmons Liver Regulator.

## THE RIGHT MAN FOR THE WORK.

Mr. Peter M. Wilson Chosen as Executive Commissioner

### FOR THE STATE EXHIBIT

At the World's Columbian Fair and Mr. T. K. Bruner Elected Secretary.

The State Board of Commissioners of the World's Fair yesterday chose Mr. Peter M. Wilson, as Executive Commissioner, or Manager of the North Carolina Exhibit.

The Board met at the Executive office at 11 o'clock and the following were present; Gov. Holt, presiding; Col. A. B. Andrews and Col. Thos. B. Keogh, World's Fair Commissioners; Mrs. Kidder, of Wilmington; Mrs. Charles Price, of Salisbury, and Mrs. R. R. Cotten, of Pitt county, Lady Managers; Col. W. F. Green, Ch'm'n, and the members of the State Agricultural Board, all of whom constituted the Board of Commissioners.

The meeting was held purely for organization. Col. Elias Carr, of Edgecombe was elected President, Mrs. Kidder, of Wilmington, Vice President; T. K. Bruner, Esq., as Secretary.

The name of Mr. Peter M. Wilson, of Winston, was proposed for Executive Commissioner of the North Carolina Exhibit, and he was chosen unanimously. Under the law he assumes the entire responsibility for our State Exhibit and he will, of course, be aided by an Executive Committee to be constituted later on and by Secretary T. K. Bruner, whose zeal in the work is known of all his acquaintances.

The Board then adjourned to meet again in October.

The CHRONICLE rejoices in the selection made, and believes that the Board could have found no better man in the State, yea in the whole South, for the performance of the duty.

The selection of Mr. Wilson will be a source of much satisfaction to the great crowd of enthusiastic Carolinians who are demanding that the great resources with which our State is blest be made known to the world. Endowed with a distinguished taste for such matters and with boundless information Mr. Wilson is the man who can exhibit our products and natural resources to the best advantage, even better than has ever been done before since he has a State appropriation to back him up in his efforts. It is a compliment to the aggressive town from which he hails and to the enterprises in which his labors are engaged.

The CHRONICLE knows of no better man to perform the duties of Secretary than Mr. T. K. Bruner. We believe he is Secretary to almost every board and organization in the State that has for its object the development of North Carolina, and we know that he is at home in this new position.

Let us beat the world at its own Fair.

### Sixty Earthquakes Shocks in a Day.

(By The United Press.)

LONDON, June 19.—A despatch from Calcutta says that sixty earthquake shocks were experienced throughout the provinces of Bengal yesterday. Many buildings were destroyed.