

NEWS FROM EVERYWHERE.

Current Events in The United States and the World at Large Briefly Set Forth.

It is reported that five children died in Bokoshe, Okla., from eating mistletoe berries.

O. A. Duke and John Harding were killed instantly and fifty persons injured in a street car collision in Kansas City Thursday.

The twenty first annual session of the Southern Educational Association was held at Chattanooga, Tenn., last week, with more than 2,000 educators in attendance.

Joseph Brucker, of Germany, announces that he will attempt a flight across the Atlantic ocean in a dirigible, after the plan attempted by Walter Wellman. His attempt will be made next spring.

Memphis has an epidemic of measles. Dr. M. E. Goltman, president of the city board of health, says there are over 2,000 cases at present. In St. Peter's orphan asylum there are 200 cases of measles among the 300 inmates.

Richard Pharr, the customs service detective who discovered the American Sugar Company frauds and forced the return of \$3,000,000 to the United States treasury, received a Christmas gift from Uncle Sam of \$100,000.

H. C. Beck, engineer on the Pittsburgh Express, died Thursday of heart failure while at the throttle. He brought his train to a sudden stop when the fireman went to his side he was unconscious and died a few moments later.

After shooting George Smith, a Newark, N. J., station master, several times Thursday afternoon, Stewart R. Jones, a Central New Jersey fireman, put a bullet through his own brain. Both are in a hospital mortally wounded. The shooting was done in view of a hundred passengers.

In the explosion of a boiler at the ice factory of the Morewood Lake Ice Company, near Pittsfield, Mass., twelve men were killed instantly Thursday and four so badly injured that they died a few hours later. More than a score of others are in hospitals, some seriously injured.

Antonio Rodriguez, the Mexican supposed to have been lynched for criminal assault at Rock Springs, Tex., has turned up safe and sound. It will be remembered that his supposed demise was the cause of much anti-American rioting in Mexico and the killing of two or three Americans.

Because of an alleged decrease in the size of tips now being bestowed upon Pullman porters, by the traveling public, 3,000 negro porters are demanding a boost in salary. Not only do the porters claim that people are discontinuing the custom of tipping, but that the "high cost of living" is on the increase.

At Weston, Va., a mob came very near lynching a negro named William Purby for criminally assaulting Flora Anglin, daughter of a prominent farmer of Weston. Several soldiers were badly hurt in encounters with the mob and some of the rioters were wounded. A special term of court will be called to try the negro.

Five men were killed in a wreck between two fast freight trains on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad near Gallipolis, O. The disaster occurred at Salt Creek and is believed to have been caused by a failure of one of the crews to observe orders. All the dead men were members of the train crews and lived at Parkersburg, W. Va.

American Vice-Consul Williams at Darien, Japan, was severely injured by two Japanese and a Chinaman Friday, according to a report received at Washington. He was attacked while he was in the fish market, and was beaten over the head with canes and was struck with a block of ice. The attack was reported at the American embassy at Tokio.

Love for excitement, superinduced by reading cheap novels, was the cause of James J. Parks and Frank Tremor, 15-year-old boys, fighting a duel on the outskirts of Mobile, Ala. Parks was wounded in the left arm, an artery being severed. Tremor was unhurt. The boys erected mounds of earth, and, using them as breast-works, fired at one another with small-caliber rifles.

John B. Moisant, the Chicago aviator, soared 9,000 feet high in his monoplane at New Orleans Thursday and his engine "went dead" on account of the high altitude freezing the carburetor of his engine. He then became a thrilling glide which carried him earthward at the rate of 100 miles an hour. When he reached the lower altitudes the engine thawed out and got to work again just in time to save him and he swept within twenty feet of the ground, threaded his way through woods to the open and alighted in the aviation field.

Advertisement for Scott's Emulsion, describing its benefits for children and adults, including text like 'In disorders and diseases of children drugs seldom do good and often do harm.' and 'Scott's Emulsion is the food-medicine that not only nourishes them most, but also regulates their digestion.'

Eleven prisoners at the city farm near Leeds, Mo., a suburb of Kansas City, Mo., escaped after they had burned a window frame in their quarters to make an opening large enough for a man to squeeze through. The place was unguarded, as the honor system prevailed at the farm. Twenty-four prisoners refused to take advantage of the opportunity to escape.

Five persons were overcome, two firemen were injured and 150 apartment house occupants were driven into the cold by two fires which did \$120,000 damage to the Winchester apartment house and the historic old structure at Pearl, Vandewater and Frankfort street New York City. Among those overcome by smoke in the apartment house were Wm. Woodward, chauffeur for Commander Robt. E. Peary.

Six hundred persons in the apartment house at 502 East fourth-street New York were thrown into a panic by a bomb explosion which wrecked the entrance to the structure and cut off escape by that means. The bomb is believed to have been set off by blackmailers, who had threatened one of the tenants. A priest from the church of Immaculate Conception nearby assisted in calming the occupants and prevented panic-stricken women from leaping from the upper windows.

The coming congressional reapportionment will provide for a total membership of 435 in the house of representatives according to present indications. This would mean one member to every 211,700 of population. Chairman Crumpacker of the house committee on census and his associates have been digesting the statistical calculations of the census bureau, to show the effect of various systems of apportionment on the representation of the different states. Of the sixteen members of the committee, eleven members are from states which would lose one or more representatives if the present number of members of the entire house is maintained.

Interesting Washington Items.

Washington, (D. C.) dispatch—When congress meets on January 5, there will remain about fifty-four working days for the transaction of business. Although the short session has followed a congressional election which wrought many political changes, affecting many personal fortunes and changing the control of the house of representatives, the house, as a rule, gave itself up almost entirely to discussion of business questions, and little or nothing, as the days went by, was heard of market political differences in either house.

There will very likely be a large influx here of office seekers besieging the new members elect of the house when the democrats hold their caucus on January 19. From the southern states they are already given notice of their aspirations an unusual number of candidates for the four elective offices to be chosen by the caucus, clerk, sergeant-at-arms, door-keeper and postmaster. As the northern democrats elected last November nearly half the democratic membership of the house, it stands out as an equitable division of the spoils must be accorded to them. When the democrats last had the house in the fifty-third congress the clerk was James Kerr, of Pennsylvania; Sergeant-at-Arms, Herman Snow, of Illinois; Doorkeeper, A. B. Hurt, of Mississippi, and Postmaster, Lycurgus W. Dalton, of Indiana.

The production of petroleum in this country continues to increase, according to the Geological Survey, 182,334,274 barrels were produced last year; but there was a decline in the value from \$139,078,184 to \$128,248,783, the average price being for 1908, \$723 in 1908 and \$704 for 1909. California, Oklahoma and West Virginia materially increased their output, California ranking first among the states.

The use of fuel oil of the railroads of the United States increased last year from 16,889,070 to 19,939,394 barrels, an increase of 18 per cent. By the omission last session of the treasury department to submit to the appropriations committee estimates of expenditures for the next fiscal year included in the \$33,000,000 public buildings bill no money was made available for the objects of the law. This fact has caused considerable annoyance and among the more timid congressmen some consternation. But the remedy is not hard to find. The law has already been enacted authorizing the public building expenditures, and it remains only for any member interested to move at this session to include the amounts specified in the public buildings bill in a session in the sundry civil appropriation bill.

For LaGrippe, Coughs and Stuffy Colds. Take Foley's Honey and Tar. It gives quick relief and expels the cold from your system. It contains no opiates, is safe and sure.

Whitney Organized. Attorney A. H. Price and Col. John S. Henderson have returned from Richmond and New York, where they have been attending to the affairs of the Whitney property, which was sold some time ago.

All of the claims against the company have been satisfactorily adjusted, and Attorney A. H. Price, who acted as special master in the case, is preparing his final report to submit to the federal court and have the sale affirmed. In the final settlement more than \$90,000 in attorney's fees will come to Salisbury. The claims of the Gillespie Companies have all been adjusted satisfactorily and the larger part of the proceeds of the sale will go to this company. The preliminary organization of the new company, which is to develop the Whitney plant, was effected the latter part of last week. The details of the organization have not been given out as yet. It is understood that the present company is simply a holding company, which was formed to take over the plant until the permanent organization can be effected. The permanent organization is to be organized largely in France, and will be backed by the famous Franco-American Banking Company.

It is stated positively, by those who are in a position to know, that at least \$4,000,000 will be expended in finishing the Whitney plant and in other developments for the use of the power.—Salisbury Post.

SICK, UPSET STOMACH.

A Little Diapiesin Will Make Indigestion, Heartburn or Dyspepsia Go in Five Minutes.

If you had some Diapiesin handy and would take a little now your stomach distress or indigestion would vanish in five minutes and you would feel fine.

This harmless preparation will digest anything you eat and overcome a sour, out-of-order stomach before you realize it. If your meals don't tempt you, or what little you do eat seems to fill you, or lays like a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is a sign of indigestion.

Ask your Pharmacist for a 50-cent case of Pape's Diapiesin and take a little just as soon as you can. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach, Nausea, Debilitating Headaches, Dizziness or intestinal griping. This will all go and your stomach will be satisfied and digested food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapiesin is certain cure for out-of-order stomachs, because it prevents fermentation and takes hold of your food and digests it just the same as your stomach usually does. Relief in five minutes from all stomach misery is at any drug store waiting for you.

These large 50-cent cases contain more than sufficient to thoroughly cure almost any case of Dyspepsia, indigestion or any other stomach disturbance.

Lot's wife had just been turned to salt for looking back. "Guess I'd better announce myself a progressive," cried the crafty Lot.—New York Sun.

Nursing Mothers and Malaria.

The Old Standard GROVE'S TASTE-LESS CHILL TONIC, drives out malaria and builds up the system. For grown people and children. 50c.

Showing building operations in Winston-Salem, it is announced that during the past year permits have been issued for 325 buildings, costing \$820,040. This does not include the new P. H. Hanes Mills going up just outside of the city nor does it include the vast amount of work that has been done in the suburbs.

Look For The Bee Hive

On the package when you buy Foley's Honey and Tar, you can see the "Bee Hive." None genuine without the Bee Hive. Remember the name, Foley's Honey and Tar and reject any substitute.

Near-Beer Business.

Evidences continue to multiply that the reign of "near-beer" in North Carolina is fast nearing its end, its undoing to be accomplished at the forthcoming session of the general assembly in January. The legislature can ill afford to totally disregard the recommendations of the three great religious bodies that have spoken in their annual gatherings this year in no uncertain manner, and now comes Attorney General Bickett, who is by no manner of means a so-called "fanatic," and declares in his report to the legislature that "near-beer" is an unmitigated nuisance and should be torn out "root and branch." The Presbyterians at their synod in Rocky Mount earlier in the year declared most unequivocally for some relief from the legislature; both the western and North Carolina conferences of the Methodist Episcopal church south did not handle the question with gloves on and the Baptists of the state at their great convention at Hendersonville a few weeks ago did not mince words in their enunciation upon the subject. The people themselves are quite willing to consent to the legislation that "near-beer" is an unmitigated nuisance and it is a gratifying sign of the times that not only the great religious denominations but public officials are speaking out on a question fraught with so much importance to the peace and prosperity of the state. Even the most pronounced of the so-called "liberal minded" have recognized near-beer a nuisance the abatement of which cannot come too speedily.—Wilmington Star.

To Study Corn.

During January and February the Farmers' Co-operative Demonstration Work, U. S. Department of Agriculture, will hold at least one "Seed-Corn" meeting in each of the forty-four counties where the work is being carried on. The day will be spent at each place studying corn, noting the bad and good characters of the ears, such as soundness, vitality, cob, etc., and discussing the best methods of corn growing. Farmers will be asked to bring out their seed corn for study and exhibition and for comparison with their neighbors.

The meetings will be conducted by corn experts of the National and State Departments of Agriculture and A. & M. College and leading farmers of the respective counties. This work started two years ago by Mr. C. R. Hudson, state agent, has proven its value in waking up the minds of farmers concerning good seed corn to plant. By the methods advocated in the movement, farmers are finding out the way to live in the selection of the country that should be the real corn belt. The meetings will be "Corn Schools" without any fees or dues attached. If other counties want such meetings the county commissioners or other authorities should communicate with Mr. C. R. Hudson, Raleigh, N. C. All that will be required is a comfortable house for holding the meeting in and furnish tables for holding the corn.

A colored boy, Colonel Neal, was burned to death in a tobacco barn on Robert Harris' farm Sunday afternoon. The boy is thought to have been under the influence of whiskey and gone into the barn to go to sleep, and started a fire. Another version is that the boy went to extinguish the fire and that he was overcome by heat.—Reidsville Review.

Just Half in Bed.

Clyde, Ky.—Mrs. L. A. Decker, writes from Clyde, "I recommend Cardui, the woman's tonic, to any woman in need of a remedy. For five years, I was unable to do my work. Half my time was spent in bed. At times, I could not stand. At last I tried Cardui. Now I am well and happy, and can do my own work." Don't suffer from pain, headache, backache, and other womanly misery when your own drug-gist has on his shelf a remedy—Cardui. Get a bottle for your self.

A Troublesome Passenger.

Railroad men have their troubles and not a few of them are caused by obstinate passengers with either a real or fancied grievance. Wednesday night the conductor on Southern train No. 12 struck one of the most troublesome it has been his fortune to encounter and the story is told in a news dispatch from High Point as follows: "People who were at the station last night when train No. 12 from the south pulled into the yard witnessed one of the greatest stunts in the display of nerve on the part of one of the passengers, that has ever been seen here. There was a well-dressed man of about middle age who boarded the train some distance south of here, who just before he reached Lexington, reported to the conductor that his overcoat had been stolen by some one on the train. He also informed the conductor that he would not leave the train until his overcoat was restored to him nor would he pay until the conductor had reached the destination of his ticket.

The conductor thinking he would get off the train at Lexington did not pay any more attention to the party until the train was pulling out of the yards here when he noticed the man standing in the aisle and just opposite the Elwood hotel the train was stopped for the purpose of coming to some understanding with the obstinate passenger. The entire train crew tried to convince him that he would have to get off the train or pay his fare, but they could not get him out of his seat. He refused to move a peg until his overcoat was returned to him or the amount of same made good.

The next move made by the conductor was to send for some High Point blue coats but after a search around Main street by the flagman he failed to find them. He then called Mayor Tate arrived just at the close of the scene and took no part in the affair and he was of the opinion that it was not a case for his officers. The man was well dressed and looked refined and genteel but he had his head set upon staying in that train and sat in his seat in the most calm and composed manner. He took a roll of paper money out of his pocket and showed it to the conductor telling him that he had plenty of money to pay his fare with in case he desired to do so.

SICK HEADACHE

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS. DYSPEPSIA relieved, Constipation avoided, Bowels regulated, no pain, no griping. SMALL PILL. SMALL DOSE. SMALL PRICE.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

The undersigned, having qualified as administrators upon the estate of the late Cicero Kepley, hereby notify all parties having claims against said estate to present the same duly proven to us on or before the 20th day of December, 1910, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the estate must make settlement at once. This 20th day of December, 1910. J. C. LINK, L. E. KEPLLEY, Admrs. Cicero Kepley, Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

The undersigned, having qualified as administrators upon the estate of the late Charles L. Hedrick hereby notify all parties having claims against said estate to present the same duly proven to us on or before the 21st day of December, 1910, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the estate must make settlement at once. This 21st day of December, 1910. MRS. C. E. HEDRICK, H. E. HEDRICK, Admrs. Chas. L. Hedrick, Deceased.

NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Susan A. Davis, deceased, I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them at once for payment, otherwise this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. Also persons due said estate will please come forward and make immediate settlement. This December 10th, 1910. W. H. RAGAN, Admr. Susan A. Davis, Deceased.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.

The undersigned trustee for Kelly Brothers, under deed of assignment, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash on Saturday, December 31st, 1910, at noon, the following described personal property, viz: One Mosler safe good as new, a lot of accounts of Kelly Bros. and a number of chattel mortgages and judgments belonging to said Kelly Brothers, being all the evidences of debt and property on hand, 1910. This December 1, 1910. WADE H. PHILLIPS, Trustee.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

The undersigned, having qualified as administrator upon the estate of the late Jas. A. Young, hereby notifies all parties having claims against said estate to present the same duly proven to me on or before the 21st day of December, 1911, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the estate must make settlement at once. This 21st day of December, 1910. A. A. YOUNG, Admr. Jas. A. Young, Deceased.

MORTGAGE LAND SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain real estate mortgage executed March 17, 1908, by Joe Murrell and Sallie Murrell, his wife, default being made in the payment of the bond secured thereby, which said mortgage is duly recorded in book 43 page 59 in register's office of Davidson county, the undersigned D. E. Ader, mortgagee, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the court house door in Lexington, N. C., on Saturday, the 28th day of January, 1911, at 12 o'clock, noon, the following described real estate, viz: in Reedy Creek township, adjoining lands of Lizzie Warner, Wesley Byerly, and others: Beginning at a white oak, the old corner; thence north 85 west 3.66 chains to a stake; thence south 4 west 19.31 chains to a stake in the old line thence south 85 1/2 east 3.66 chains to a stake, the old corner; thence west 51 east 15.11 chains to the beginning, containing 7 acres, more or less. Said land being conveyed to satisfy said debt and mortgage. Terms of sale: Cash. Dated this 17th day of December, 1910. D. E. ADER, Mortgagee.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

As selling agent of the Park Land Co., I invite parties desiring to buy good residential lots to see me about terms and prices. The tracts we are placing on alternate lots to parties desiring to build are exceedingly attractive. This property offers the best speculative bargains in blocks to be found anywhere, both for its real value and its sure enhancements, as it is beyond question the most desirable residential section open for sale. Nov. 15th, 1910. S. E. WILLIAMS, Pres.

About the Whitney Power Plant.

Concerning the great hydro-electric power plant at Whitney about which much has been written and in which is straggled up the dreams and hopes of many thousands of the people of the Piedmont section, the Salisbury Post has the following to say: The first work on the Whitney plant was begun in February, 1905. Just as the work was nearing completion the latter part of 1906 the panic caused the New York concern, which was backing the enterprise, to fail. The death of the late E. B. C. Hambley just prior to this time was also a severe blow to the enterprise, and work was finally stopped in February, 1907. About \$3,000,000 was spent by the old company in construction work on the property, and an additional \$1,500,000 was spent in acquiring the thousands of acres of land in the vicinity of the plant and the large granite beds near Salisbury from which practically all of the material for the construction work has been drawn.

All of this property was included in the recent sale and the purchasers will get the advantage of all the construction work that was done. It is estimated that it will require about \$1,000,000 to complete the plant and the remainder of the \$4,000,000 which the new company has raised will be spent in developments connected with the immense power supply which the plant is capable of supplying. The present plan of construction will develop 40,000 horse power, but there is a potentiality of 140,000 horse power.

It is learned that Mr. F. R. Bruner, of the famous Franco-American system of banks, is backing the new company and that means that it will not lack for funds. A meeting of the new company, which is to be known as the Carolina Electric and Power Company, will be held in New York City some time soon when officers will be elected and definite plans mapped out. Mr. A. H. Price and Hon. John S. Henderson will go to New York to attend the meeting, and will act as advisers in laying out the plans of the company, as these two gentlemen know more of the conditions here than anyone else on account of their intimate connection with the enterprise since it was first started.

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