

THIS DAY IN HISTORY

49 B. C.—Pompey abandoned Italy, and took the sea with his legions.
1777—The British evacuated Philadelphia and moved back to Lancaster and York, Pa.

LEFT HOME AND BUSINESS.

"Abscon" Mayhew, Merchant of Iredeil, disappeared. Alleged That He Stopped at With Wagon of Neighbors—Young Man Arrested for Embezzlement.

Special to The Observer. Statesville, March 16.—Five weeks ago Monday night W. A. Mayhew, better known as "Abscon" Mayhew, who has for years conducted a mercantile business at Mayhew, Davidson township, disappeared, leaving his business in charge of his clerk. It has been ascertained that Mayhew has gone West. It is alleged, taking a woman of the neighborhood, whose name has not been learned, with him.

Mr. C. C. Moore, president of the North Carolina division, Southern Cotton Association, will be in Statesville Monday, March 26, in the interest of his association.

As the tea kettle was the beginning of the steam engine, so the ordinary soda cracker was merely the first step in the development of the perfect world food Uneeda Biscuit.

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SOCIALIST AT GREENSBORO.

Guy E. Miller Addresses Small Audiences—Building Committee of Baptist Church—Gate City News Notes.

THE DEATH RECORD.

Sidney Galtner, of Newton. Correspondence of The Observer. Newton, March 15.—Sidney Galtner, the 14-year-old son of Mayor and Mrs. W. E. Galtner, died suddenly at 7:30 o'clock this morning of pneumonia, after an illness of less than a week. The funeral will occur tomorrow at 11 o'clock.

J. Felix Miller, of Forsyth. Correspondence of The Observer. Winston-Salem, March 15.—Mr. J. Felix Miller died suddenly at 7:30 o'clock last evening at his home, 602 West Fifth street, at the age of 62 years. Bright's disease is thought to have been the cause of his death.

Mr. Hudson, formerly of Danville, Va., succeeds Mr. A. P. Spriggs as a detective for the Southern Railway at this point. Mr. Spriggs resigned to engage in other work.

Mr. Arthur Whitley, of Goldsboro. Correspondence of The Observer. Goldsboro, March 15.—The death of Mrs. Arthur Whitley occurred very unexpectedly in this city today. Only her little infant and daughter were at home, her husband, Mr. Arthur Whitley, being absent at his post of service as superintendent of the Southern Cotton Mill at Conover, North Carolina.

DR. M'DOW GUILTY. Lancaster Physician Who Shot Mr. Hazel Witherspoon Sentenced to Pay \$250 or Serve Four Months in Jail.

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GARIBALDI & BRUNS. SALE OF VALUABLE MILL PROPERTY.

In the matter of the Damsak Manufacturing Company, bankruptcy. By virtue of an order duly made and entered in the above entitled proceeding in bankruptcy, the undersigned trustee in bankruptcy of said Damsak Manufacturing Company will offer for sale, for cash at public auction at the court house door in Winston, N. C., on Tuesday, the 27th day of March, 1906, at 12 o'clock M., the mill site, the water power, factory building and contents, lately belonging to the said Damsak Manufacturing Company, located at Roaring River, Wilkes county, North Carolina.

By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Mecklenburg county, in above entitled cause, I will sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at Whitaker's Stables, at No. 10 East Stonewall street, in Charlotte, N. C., on Monday, April 2, 1906, at 12 o'clock M., the following personal property, to-wit: 4 Dump Carts, 11 Wheel Scrapers, 2 two-horse Wagons, about 20 Wheelbarrows, 1 Ratchet Drill, 1 Road Blow, 1 lot of bar steel, 1 Tent, 1 Hoe, 1 Bellows, 1 Cross-cut Saw, 1 Vise, together with a large number of Picks, Mattocks, Shovels, Spades, Billies, Crow Bars, Hammers and sundry implements used by railroad contractors.

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CUMBERLAND WEDDING BELLS.

Marriage of Prominent Young Couple at Fayetteville—Work on Railroad.

A beautiful home wedding took place at 8 o'clock last evening at the family home, No. 319 Burgess street, which united Mr. J. T. Muse, a young business man of high standing in the city, and Miss Hattie Atkinson, the lovely daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Atkinson, of this city.

The bride, accompanied by the ring-bearer, Master Willie Newberry, and the little flower-girl, Edna Hyman, tastefully clad in white, entered the parlor, followed by family and friends, and placed themselves under the floral wedding arch, where they were joined by the ceremony, impressively performed, by the Rev. J. H. Taylor, pastor of the Baptist church of Fayetteville, Va., uncle of the bride. The latter was gowned in white crepe de chine, en train, and carried a bouquet of white roses. The maid of honor, Miss Hattie Atkinson, sister of the bride, wore white silk, and her flowers were white carnations.

The bride and groom were decorated in ferns and carnations, the color scheme white and green, and in the dining room, pink and green. At the conclusion of the marriage, and after hearty congratulations to the wedded pair, delightful refreshments were served, buffet style. The presents were numerous and beautiful, in cut-glass, silver, china, etc.

The bride's going-away gown was of black Panama cloth, and Mr. and Mrs. Muse took the north-bound train for their future home at Carthage.

Last evening at the home of Mr. P. L. Bolton, father of the bride, in Fien Hill township, a pretty old-fashioned, country home wedding united Mr. T. M. Bullard and Miss Josie May Bolton. The bride and groom were being brilliant in light and decorations of evergreen. The maid of honor was Miss Sadie Bolton with Mr. Gus Williams, and the other attendants were Mr. Butler with Miss Katie Bolton and Mr. E. L. Hays with Miss Julia Culbreth. The display of bridal gifts was beautiful and numerous.

AN INDEPENDENT COMPANY. Shelby Mutual Telephone Company Organized With \$10,000 Capital—Business Men Are Backing It.

A PRESSED BRICK FACTORY.

It is the Latest Proposed Enterprise for High Point—New 'Phone Company Has Connection With Greensboro.

High Point, March 15.—A factory for the manufacture of pressed brick is a new concern being agitated for High Point. A citizen has signified a willingness to invest \$5,000 in such an enterprise. Last year High Point bought over \$25,000 worth of this kind of brick from outside places. As there is as good clay here as can be found anywhere it is thought a brick plant of this class would pay and at the same time keep this money at home. High Point being a great town to encourage the keeping of its population's money at home.

The W. O. T. Club was entertained last evening at the home of Miss Blanche Bradshaw. Refreshments were served, after the business of the meeting was over, by the ladies, who made the evening quite a pleasant one.

Suits Over Graham County Land. Asheville, March 15.—Two suits in equity to clear the title to valuable timber tracts in Graham county, were commenced in United States Circuit Court yesterday. The first suit is entitled W. F. Mauney, et al., vs. Louise M. Gilber and Ida Leach; K. Gilber, heirs-at-law of I. W. Gilber, deceased. The second suit is that of R. Carter, A. D. Raby and J. N. Moody against the Gilberts. There are four tracts of land involved containing practically 2,000 acres.

New Business Buildings for Durham. Durham, March 15.—Workmen began today to tear away the small structure on West Main street, preparatory to the erection of three four-story buildings by Messrs. Farthing and Warren. One of these will be a double building 50 by 90 feet, and the other will be 25 by 90, all four stories.

Charge of Illegal Voting Not Sustained. Durham, March 15.—The trial of the five men charged with illegal voting in connection with an election held in East Durham last year for the purpose of deciding on a special tax for school purposes, was held this morning and the trial judge decided that there was nothing in the cases and all of the defendants were discharged, the cost being taxed against G. D. Hayes, the prosecuting witness, who made the necessary affidavit to have the men placed under arrest. The costs amounted to \$11.55.

TORTURE BY SAVAGES. "Speaking of the tribes to which some of the savage tribes in the Philippines subject their captives, reminds me of the tortures suffered by the 'kidneys,'" says W. M. Sherman of Cushing, Okla. "I have seen them until I felt Electric Bites. Three bottles of which completely cured me." Cures Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Blood Disorders and Malaria, and restores the weak and nervous to robust health. Guaranteed by R. H. Jordan & Co., Druggists. Price 5c.

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