

THIS DAY IN HISTORY

1793—Trial of Milo for the murder of Crœsus in the consulship of Pompey. All the unwashed industry and the city was crisscrossed with the forum on that momentous day; but neither Milo's counsel nor the splendid labors of Tully were sufficient to save the tyrant-killer, as that he was banished to Marsella, and his estate confiscated.

FILLED ON FIRST DAY.

All rooms in Salisbury's New Hotel at Salisbury, N. C., will be engaged at once. Special to The Observer. Salisbury, April 10.—Hotel Vandenberg, which opened yesterday, was well filled on the initial day and a delicious bill of fare was a decided characteristic. Nearly all of the rooms were occupied and the guests were especially pleased with the service which is so splendid. Like the new country weekly, the new hotel fills a long-felt want for the city has not always been able to host every one who visits.

GUILTY OF COUNTERFEITING.

Hubbard and Wife Sentenced to the Penitentiary—Injunction in Street Fighting Matter Dissolved. Special to The Observer. Greensboro, April 10.—Mrs. Alice Smoot and husband, Granville L. Smoot, were convicted in the Federal Court today of passing counterfeit money, and Judge Boyd sentenced the woman to one year and a day at hard labor in the United States prison at Atlanta, while he gave the husband two years and a day at hard labor at that prison. Each was also fined ten dollars.

AMUSEMENTS

"The Maid and the Mummy." Richard Carle's most successful musical piece, might well have been named "The Maid and the Mummy," for there is only one mummy to thirty girls in the cast. The management has been careful to take only the prettiest girls for the chorus that is to present this merry musical melange this fall and winter, and there never were more lovely girls than the Porter Girls, the Polly Girls, the Julia Girls and the Automobile Girls. The book of "The Maid and the Mummy" is by Richard Carle, the music being by Robert Hood Bowers. The story is an interesting one and the comedy is only interrupted when one of the seven



Margurite Burnham, in "The Maid and the Mummy."

entertain musical number is being sung. Of the musical interruptions the most popular are "Peculiar Julia," "I Fell in Love With Polly," "My Gasoline Automobile," "Oh, Gee, It's Great to be Crazy" and "I'm So Dizzy." The cast of "The Maid and the Mummy" company, which comes to the Academy of Music Saturday, matinee and night, includes Margurite Burnham, Janet Priest, Fred Warren, Edward Jolly, Edward Groh and Earl Dewey. The company is playing almost entirely before a new and better audience, which is the best indication of the favor with which "The Maid and the Mummy" was received last season. At the Academy Saturday, matinee and night.

FROM 100 TO 918.

Galfray Alderman Rescued Action of Finance Board and Reduce Telephone Charges. Special to The Observer. Galfray, S. C., April 10.—At the meeting of the city council Friday night an important step was taken in regard to the much discussed telephone situation. The original telephone franchise granted by the board stipulated that the company should not charge a sum exceeding \$18 per year for any one phone. The council which preceded the present one amended the franchise so as to allow the company to charge as high as \$50 for a single business phone. At last night's meeting the council reversed the action of the preceding council and fixed the figure again at \$18. Rumor has it that the company's development will follow this action of the aldermen.

An ordinance was passed which takes out of the hands of the city the wiring and plumbing work. An order was passed was one raising the water rates.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE SOUTHERN LOAN & SAVINGS BANK AT CHARLOTTE.

Table with financial data for Southern Loan & Savings Bank at Charlotte, including assets like loans and discounts, and liabilities like capital stock.

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NOTICE

On the first Monday in May, 1906, I will sell at public auction, at the County Court House door in the city of Charlotte, N. C., at 12 o'clock m., for non-payment of city taxes, cost to be added, the following described city lots listed for taxes in said city:

- List of city lots for sale, including names like Sarah Barber, Graham St., and lot numbers.

ABOUT RHEUMATISM.

There are few diseases that inflict more torture than rheumatism and there is probably no disease of remedies have been suggested. To say that it can be cured is therefore a bold statement.

HURON RIVER RYE

A hand made Kentucky Rye Mash—A good one \$3.95 for 4 Quarts, or \$7.95 for 8 Quarts. It is the best in the world and I will refund your money if you do not like it.

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Nervous Women Fehr's Malt Tonic. Advertisement for a health tonic, including a small illustration of a woman.

THE PALMOUNTAIN CO. JEWELERS. Advertisement for a jewelry store, including a small illustration of a window with cut glass.

L. & B. PIANOS. Advertisement for pianos, including a small illustration of a piano and text about new scale models.

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BAPTIST WOMEN OF STATE.

Annual Meeting of Missionary Society in Session at Durham—Officers Elected—The First Day's Proceedings. Special to The Observer. Durham, April 10.—A host of Baptist women, representatives of that great denomination in the State, are gathered in Durham to-night, the occasion being the annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of North Carolina. Many delegates came in yesterday and to-day and it is expected that by to-morrow at least 150 will be in attendance.

RESIGNS 'SALISBURY EXPRESS AGENCY.

Special to The Observer. Salisbury, April 10.—Express Agent J. Y. Ford has resigned his position and will in a few days go to Statesville with the Wallace Brothers, wholesale merchants of that place.

PROGRESS MADE IN 50 YEARS.

Druggists R. H. Jordan & Co. Say Progress of Most Noted Examples in Medicine. "While electricity has supplanted the old-fashioned tallow candle for lighting purposes, almost turning night into day; while it has opened up our great country by a network of electric railways, while all kinds of machinery have been invented to do the work of hosts of people, we have just seen an example in the field of medicine, said a member of the above firm.

DEVIL'S ISLAND TORTURE.

It is no more than the terrible case of a man who was afflicted for 30 years. Then I read a notice in the Boston Herald, and I was glad to see that a box of Fife's Compound was sent to him.

\$75,000 WORTH OF STOCK SOLD PAST SIXTY DAYS. Am Looking for Conservative Investors.

The Great Western Oil Refining and Pipe Line Company, of Erie, Kansas. It has double the capacity of any independent refinery in Kansas.

There Is Nothing Equal To This Proposition In America To-Day As An Investment At This Price. Numbers of investors have examined the properties within the last few weeks and have purchased from \$200 to \$10,000 worth of stock each.

W. P. FIFE. Suite 526-27, Missouri Trust Bldg., ST. LOUIS, MO. Advertisement for W. P. Fife's products, including a small illustration of a man.