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PUBLISHERS' ANNOUNCEMENT.

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 16, 1906.

CARL SCHURZ.

A notable career was ended Monday morning in New York when Carl Schurz, statesman, editor and soldier, died at the age of 77.

The career of Carl Schurz in the Senate would have been sufficiently remarkable if regarded merely as a demonstration of his great gifts as a parliamentary orator and of his readiness as a debater.

"After the war, he made his mark first in journalism and then as one of the foremost members of the United States Senate. Nothing was more remarkable about his course in that body than the quickness with which he perceived the dangers involved in the reconstruction of executive power in the reconstructed States.

Altogether Carl Schurz was a most remarkable man in his public life, and it is agreeable to read in the New York Evening Post that his private character was "both pure and amiable to a singular degree."

His highness, the maharaja, Gawkwar of Baroda—(Sir Sayajji Rao III, Sena Khas Khel, Sam Shri Bahadur, Farzand-i-Khas-i-Dowlat-i-Inglishi—first in rank of the Hindu princes and second in all India, has arrived in New York, together with his wife, the Maharani of Baroda and his brother, Sangrao Calkwad.

We learn from The Washington Post that a descriptive talk on the Panama Canal will be given at a theatre in Washington Friday night by Mr. Woodworth Clum, who was sent by the Post to investigate conditions in the canal zone and whose letters also appeared in The Observer.

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TO PROBE THE TOBACCO TRUST.

The Washington correspondent of The Louisville Courier-Journal sends his paper a story to the effect that Commissioner of Corporations Garfield is making an investigation of the tobacco trust.

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ALL DETAILS COMPLETED.

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THANKS GOD FOR KEELEY.

George M. Robertson, of Spray, has neither tasted nor wanted strong drink since he took the Keeley treatment—gladly sings the praise of Noble Institution.

It has been fifteen months since I took the Keeley treatment at Greensboro, N. C. Since that time I haven't tasted nor wanted a drop of anything in the way of alcohol.

Atlanta Negro Settlement Burned. Atlanta, May 15.—About 40 houses, occupied for most part by negroes, were burned in South Atlanta late today.

WANTED—Situation as cashier, book-keeper or general office manager, by a man with nineteen years experience, capable of handling audits, and organizing improved systems that will produce results. Can furnish highest testimonials. System, care, observant.

WANTED—To buy an established general merchandise store in N. C. city or county. Geo. W. Johnston, Randolph, Va.

WANTED—By June 1st position by experienced registered pharmacist, 15 years experience; married. All references. Address: Pharmacist, care Daily Observer.

WANTED—Two gentlemen to occupy furnished room. Ring 1228.

WANTED—One or two table boarders. Ring 1228.

FOR SALE—A bargain, second-hand ton shaver. Jas. P. Brown & Co.

FOR SALE—Two chairs and one mirror case, second-hand. Address: Climax Barber Shop, Hickory, N. C.

FOR SALE—Complete laundry outfit. Dry room, engine, boiler, washer, extractor, gas meter and all machinery offered as whole or separate. W. R. Kuker, Durham, N. C.

PEOPLE'S COLUMN.

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FOR SALE—An established book and stationery business that took in over \$2000 in cash last year; located in one of the best towns in the State. If interested write to "Stationery," care Observer, Charlotte, N. C.

FOR SALE—Three eighty-horse return tubular boilers, second-hand. Calvine Mfg. Co.

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LOST—Bunch of Keys and Chain. Return to Observer office and receive reward.

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Towels and Crashes. Advertisement for The Little Long Co. linens.

Flower Pots on Sale To-Morrow. Advertisement for The Little Long Co. plants.

June Patterns and Fashion Sheets. Advertisement for The Little Long Co. fabrics.

Nothing Loaned or Rented. Advertisement for The Little Long Co. services.

In China Department. Advertisement for The Little Long Co. goods.

Japanese Screens 10c. Advertisement for The Little Long Co. screens.

Flags and Bunting. Advertisement for The Little Long Co. decorations.

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