



AMERICAN DUCHESS CLATER OF NEWPORT GAYETY. The accompanying illustration is from a recent snapshot of the Duchess of Marlborough and her mother, Mrs. O. H. Belmont, taken while the two women were inspecting the remodeling of a building on Mrs. Belmont's Newport, N. Y., estate. The building in question was transformed in order to accommodate the two hundred guests who attended the musical and dance which Mrs. Belmont gave in her daughter's honor on September 1st.

COMMERCIAL CLUB LAUNCHED.

Young Men's Business League of High Point to Work for the Town's Varied Interests—Other News Notes. Special to The Observer. High Point, Sept. 17.—Rowan Shields, in charge of Penny Brothers' stables, suffered serious injury last evening near Jamestown. The horse he was driving ran away and threw him out of the buggy. He was bruised considerably but it is believed he will recover rapidly.

A sure enough mad-dog was killed yesterday in front of Galtner's store in the southern part of the city. Three city officers happened to be in this end of town at the time, being called there on other business, when the dog came up the road, being pursued by a man with a gun in his hand. Chief of Police Gray fired two shots and brought the dog down while the gentlemen with the gun, who were on the road, were being pursued by a man with a gun in his hand. Chief of Police Gray fired two shots and brought the dog down while the gentlemen with the gun, who were on the road, were being pursued by a man with a gun in his hand.

This morning work commenced on the building of a new First Baptist church in this city, which is to be a handsome structure to cost \$10,000 or more. The old church will be used as a Sunday school room. A hotel of this place was "run over" yesterday by a horse and buggy, a rather strange occurrence but nevertheless true. A horse hitched to a carriage and belonging to this city, came up the road, being pursued by a man with a gun in his hand. Chief of Police Gray fired two shots and brought the dog down while the gentlemen with the gun, who were on the road, were being pursued by a man with a gun in his hand.

The Seventh Day Adventists are conducting a tent camp meeting in the southern part of the city and the performances are drawing large crowds. There are a good many tents erected and the meetings have been in progress several days. The handsome new First Baptist church of this place was occupied yesterday morning for the first time in its finished state and as an initial service an interesting programme had been arranged. The building was begun two years ago and cost \$20,000.

With the election of officers the Young Men's Business Association of High Point has elected the following officers: President, C. F. Tomlinson; vice presidents, R. H. Wheeler and F. C. Boyles; secretary, T. J. Gold; treasurer, V. A. J. Idol. The association has a committee on the promotion and development of the commercial, civic, manufacturing and monetary interests of High Point. To more successfully carry out its objects the following committees were appointed: A committee on transportation, whose duty it will be to do all in their power to secure equitable rates of freight to the people of this city; a committee on legislation, whose duty it will be to do all in their power to secure equitable rates of freight to the people of this city; a committee on legislation, whose duty it will be to do all in their power to secure equitable rates of freight to the people of this city.

interference, more than any other one cause, has hindered the solution of these problems and settlements of difficulties peculiar to our own section of the country. NEW LAWYERS TAKE OATH. James Shepard Duncan and Thomas Settle Beall, who were granted license by the Supreme Court a few weeks ago, took the attorney's oath in court this morning and were admitted to practice in the State courts. Major Charles M. Stedman, administrator of the estate of the late Mr. R. R. King to Mr. Beall.

KILLED BY EXCURSION TRAIN. Good Colored Citizen Who Had a Weakness for Liquor Indulges Once Too Often—Suspicion of Foul Play Dispelled. Special to The Observer. Kinston, Sept. 17.—The body of John Jones, a colored man who lived in Felling Creek township, was found this morning beside the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad track near Williams' crossing, two miles from the city. One arm was terribly mangled and mangled, and a contusion on the back of the head showed the cause of his death. He was struck last night by the engine of the excursion train from Moorehead to Goldsboro. Coroner Green was notified this morning and an investigation.

MADE ESCAPE FROM WINDOW. Negro, Under Arrest in the Mayor's Office, Leaps Through Window Fourteen Feet From the Ground, and Escapes. Special to The Observer. Kinston, Sept. 17.—Jim Simmons, colored, who had just been bound over to court for stealing a gun by Mayor House Saturday night, jumped out of a window in the mayor's office to the brick pavement fourteen feet below and made his escape from the officers. The act was a bold leap for liberty and was at the risk of Simmons' life or at least broken limbs. Simmons stole a gun Saturday evening from the Kinston Cycle Co. store and got back on it after he was taken out of a window in the mayor's office to the brick pavement fourteen feet below and made his escape from the officers. The act was a bold leap for liberty and was at the risk of Simmons' life or at least broken limbs.

MOB RULE MUST BE STOPPED. The time has come when something must be done to break up mob rule in North Carolina. To this it will be necessary for sheriffs to do some shooting. One or two repulses will do more effective work in breaking up mobs than all that can be written by editors and said by preachers in the next seven years. Force of this kind must be met with force. And when the sheriffs of North Carolina resort to this kind of tactics in meeting mobs there will be fewer lynchings and attacks upon jails. Much harm has been done by weak-kneed sheriffs who allow mobs to enter jails for each victory of a mob encourages others in crime. I believe it would be a difficult matter for a mob to enter Guilford county jail and take a prisoner. The sheriff has a right to kill; and not only has he the right, but it is his duty if necessary to protect a prisoner in jail or under arrest.

Another thing am fired of is the custom of sheriffs carrying prisoners charged with some crime to another county, when there is talk of lynching. Such action is a confession of weakness, and is no credit to the county or to the sheriff. It is better to kill some of the mob, or even allow the prisoner to be lynched, than to make an open confession of weakness. There is some excuse for a mob which will take from jail and lynch a brute who is guilty of rape, but then it should not be allowed. Because one man has committed a crime it does not right the wrong by taking the life of another, and committing a crime equally as great. There is only one way that the life of the guilty person can be taken and that is prescribed by the law.

It is the wish that people of other sections of our country would stop interfering with the work of solving the problems that are peculiarly our own. This sort of thing does more harm than good, and they would do us infinitely more good if they would stop interfering and allow us to work out our own solution. This outside

BAILEY MUST GO TOO.

Bryan's Attack, No Declares, Ought Not to be Continued to Illinois, Says Sullivan. Chicago Special, 16th, to New York Herald. If William J. Bryan would have Roger C. Sullivan, national committeeman, read out of the Democratic party for his connections with the Ogden Gas corporation of Chicago, Roger C. Sullivan would have United States Senator Joseph Bailey, of Texas, read out of the party for his connection with the Standard Oil Company.

"I don't believe in making fish out of one and fowl out of another," said Mr. Sullivan to-night, after he read the evidence given at the trial of the Grate-Pierce suit in St. Louis yesterday. "If Bryan wants to depose me because I became connected with a gas concern that has no comparison in magnitude with the Standard Oil Company, then it is only fair that Senator Bailey, leader of the Democratic party in Washington, should suffer the same dose."

At the trial of the suit in St. Louis, in which Grate seeks to recover \$25,000 back salary alleged to be due him as an officer of the Waters-Pierce Oil Company, H. Clay Pierce, president of the company, testified that Senator Bailey had rendered valuable services to him in 1904, in procuring a license for the Waters-Pierce Oil Company to do business in the Lone Star State after his original license had been revoked for violation of the anti-trust law. Mr. Pierce said he placed \$13,000,000 in securities in the hands of Senator Bailey, with power of attorney, to handle for him, as the Senator saw fit, as he had not the time to give personal attention to it. It was this declaration that aroused the wrath of Mr. Sullivan.

"This looks bad for Senator Bailey," Mr. Sullivan continued, "if the state party of Missouri, to which Mr. Bryan has been harping all the time about the trusts and corporations, and one of the things he has against me is that I am mixed up with a gas corporation. That is true, but I can say that every cent I have in it I earned. I never sought any aid from the Standard Oil Company."

"I will make this an issue if Bryan insists on trying to read me out of the party," Joe Bailey may be a big man in the party, but he can't get away with that if Bryan insists on calling me."

MORMON CONVERTS COMING.

Sixty Lancashire Men and Women Sail for Boston. London Cable, 16th, to New York Sun. The Express announces the departure of sixty Lancashire converts to this city by steamer from Liverpool yesterday. They sailed on the steamer Arabie for Boston and on their arrival will proceed at once for Salt Lake City. They were converted by acts of Mormonism from Liverpool, where they have been touring England for some time. One-half of the converts are women, one of whom has four adult daughters. The party assembled in a large hall in Manchester, where they were met by Mormon agents, who afterward saw them off. Many of them come from the cotton centres of Manchester, six of whom are 60 years of age. Some of them have considerable money.

Residence of Dr. G. B. Moore at University of S. C. Burned. Observer Bureau, Columbia, S. C., Sept. 17. The residence of Dr. Gordon B. Moore, at the University of South Carolina, caught fire during the storm this afternoon and was badly damaged, together with Dr. Moore's furniture. The residence is one of the most modern in the section, it was once occupied by Prof. Leconte, but later by Rev. Dr. F. H. Hill, the building was unoccupied. Dr. Moore and family were away at the time at Bat Cave, N. C. It is thought the fire started from an electric light igniting escaping gas.

NEW "GRAVITY ELEVATOR."

Atlanta Firm Installs Time-Saving Device which is Taken in Principle From One First Used for Amusement. A new "gravity elevator," the first of its kind used in a business building, has been installed by an Atlanta firm. The "gravity elevator" is similar in design to the corkacrew, shoot-the-shoots device so popular at amusement resorts. The J. K. Orr Shoe Company has one in operation at its Auburn avenue warehouse. The "gravity elevators" are used in wholesale business houses to get the cases of goods from store-rooms, several floors up, to the ground floor, for shipment. They do the work of several ordinary electric elevators. A case of goods is shoved into the great metallic slide—pistol wheel, painted and it is at the shipper's feet. Men go down the chutes with the goods without a particle of danger. These have been in use two or three years in the largest houses in Chicago and Philadelphia. The J. K. Orr Shoe Company, with its usual enterprise, is the first house in the South to adopt this modern, time-saving device.

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Good progress is being made on the buildings of the new Woodlawn Cotton Mill. The brick work is being pushed and the standpipes is nearing completion. When finished it will be one of the prettiest mills in the country.

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MAKES PAPER OF MARSH REEDS

Austrian Invention Lined Discovered a New Process. Berlin Cable, 15th, to New York Sun. A dispatch from Bucharest says an Austrian inventor has discovered a new process of making paper from common marsh reeds. It is asserted that the paper is far superior to that made from wood pulp or esparto grass and almost the equal of that made of rags.

A bill has been brought forward in the Roumanian Parliament authorizing foreign firms to participate in the working of an immense marshy tract on the Danube delta and the Dobruzska, which is crown property, where the weeds grow in rank profusion. The pennywise hectorators have used a few of those reeds in thatching, the rest being burned or wasted.

THE FLAT HUNTER'S SONG.

New York Mail. Kathleen Mavourneen! the gray dawn is breaking. The voice of the hunter is heard on the Hill. Out in the Bronx and in Harlem it's making a similar noise to a ten-dollar bill. Oh, hat thou forgotten that we must endeavor to locate a flat? Come, Mavourneen, let's start. We may hunt four years and we may hunt for shade. Oh, when shall we find it, thou voice of my heart?

Kathleen Mavourneen! The days become shorter. We must find a home ere the breezes blow chill. Five or six rooms for eighteen and a quarter. We can't afford more, but we probably will. Mavourneen, we want an apartment that's fronting. All points of the compass, for sun and for shade. Oh, when shall we finish our autumnal hunting. Oh, when shall the final arrangements be made?

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Rapid Transit Up to Date. New York Post. A Glasgow business house has received a communication from Baghdad, Turkey, which states: "The European mail due here on July 28 has not reached Baghdad, as the post carrier's camel is said to have escaped while he was sleeping, and it is supposed to have perished in the desert. Consequently the mail is lost."

ACADEMY Tuesday Evening, Sept. 18th.

Farce Comedy Success PECK'S BAD BOY PRICES. Lower Floor, 50 cents. Balcony, 25c and 15c. Gallery, 25c and 15c. Seats on sale at Jordan's Monday morning.

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